

STANFORD

2013-14 SQUASH



SERENA FAGAN

JULIA HEMMENDINGER

SENIOR CAPTAINS

STANFORD

2013-14 SQUASH SCHEDULE

2013-14 STANFORD SQUASH SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Location
Sat., Nov. 23	vs. Cornell	Philadelphia, Pa.
	vs. Williams	Philadelphia, Pa.
Sun., Nov. 24	at Pennsylvania	Philadelphia, Pa.
Mon., Jan. 6	Hamilton	Stanford, Calif.
	Drexel	Stanford, Calif.
Tues., Jan. 7	Hamilton	Stanford, Calif.
	Drexel	Stanford, Calif.
Wed., Jan. 8	Hamilton	Stanford, Calif.
	Drexel	Stanford, Calif.
Fri., Jan. 24	at Yale	New Haven, Conn.
Sat., Jan. 25	vs. Dartmouth	New Haven, Conn.
	vs. Bates	New Haven, Conn.
Sun., Jan. 26	vs. Trinity	New Haven, Conn.
Sat., Feb. 1	vs. Brown	Princeton, N.J.
Sun., Feb. 2	at Princeton	Princeton, N.J.
Fri., Feb. 21	Howe Cup	Princeton, N.J.
Sat., Feb. 22	Howe Cup	Princeton, N.J.
Sun., Feb. 23	Howe Cup	Princeton, N.J.



Cardinal at a Glance

Location: Stanford, CA
Enrollment: 18,217
Founded: 1891
Nickname: Cardinal
Colors: Cardinal and White
Conference: NCAA
Home Facility: Arrillaga Center for Sports and Recreation
President: Dr. John L. Hennessy
Athletic Director: Bernard Muir
Athletics Website: www.gostanford.com

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Media Information

Interview requests for players and coaches must be coordinated with the Stanford Athletics Media Relations office. Visit www.gostanford.com for news releases, player profiles, and updates schedule and results.

Team Info

2013 Record: 7-7
2013 National Finish: 7th
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 9-2
All-Americans Returning/Lost: 0/2

Credits

The 2013-14 Stanford squash record book was written and edited by Ben Blevins and Greg Marsh. Design, layout and production by Ben Blevins and Greg Marsh. Photography by Hector Garcia-Molina, Zach Sanderson and John Todd.

Madeleine Gill





2013-2014 STANFORD SQUASH TEAM



(Left to Right) Assistant Coach Richard Elliott, Theresa Shropshire, Abigail Giannuzzi, Caitlin Lu, Julia Hemmendinger, Carolyn Gillette, Alex Yorke, CC Ho, Alexandra Huchro, Ariel Posner, Julia Olson, Madeleine Gill, Francesca Fleischer, Sarah Haig, Bailey Bondy, Serena Fagan, Head Coach Mark Talbot

2013-14 STANFORD SQUASH ROSTER

Name	Ht.	Year	Hometown	High School
Bailey Bondy	5-7	FR	Locust Valley, N.Y.	Locust Valley
Serena Fagan	5-9	SR	Weston, Mass.	Middlesex School
Francesca Fleischer	5-7	SO	San Francisco, Calif.	St. Andrew's School
Abigail Giannuzzi	5-6	SO	Wellesley, Mass.	Winsor School
Madeleine Gill	5-6	JR	Darien, Conn.	Darien
Carolyn Gillette	5-3	SO	Lake Forest, Ill.	Lake Forest Academy
Sarah Haig	5-3	SO	Greenwich, Conn.	Greenwich Academy
Julia Hemmendinger	5-6	SR	Baltimore, Md.	Bryn Mawr School
CC Ho	5-5	FR	Belmont, Mass.	Groton
Alexandra Huchro	5-10	JR	Briarcliff Manor, N.Y.	Convent of the Sacred Heart
Caitlin Lu	5-5	SO	Hong Kong	Chinese International School
Julia Olson	5-9	FR	St. Louis, Mo.	Mary Institute and St. Louis Country Day
Ariel Posner	5-6	JR	Briarcliff Manor, N.Y.	Buckingham Brown & Nichols
Theresa Shropshire	5-4	SO	Philadelphia, Pa.	Germantown Friends School
Alex Yorke	5-9	JR	Greenwich, Conn.	Greenwich Academy

Coaching Staff

Mark Talbot - Head Coach, 11th Season
Richard Elliott - Assistant Coach, 4th Season

2012-2013 TEAM SCHEDULE AND RESULTS



2012-13 RESULTS (7-7)

Date	Opponent	Location	W-LResult
Sat., Nov. 17	at No. 6 Cornell	Ithaca, N.Y.	L, 5-4
Sun., Nov. 18	vs. No. 10 Williams College	Ithaca, N.Y.	W, 8-1
Fri., Jan. 18	vs. No. 13 Bates College at No. 3 Yale	New Haven, Conn. New Haven, Conn.	W, 8-1 L, 9-0
Sat., Jan. 19	vs. No. 20 Bowdoin College vs. No. 14 Columbia vs. No. 8 Dartmouth	New Haven, Conn. New Haven, Conn. New Haven, Conn.	W, 8-1 W, 8-1 W, 6-3
Sun., Jan. 20	at No. 4 Trinity College	Hartford, Conn.	L, 7-2
Fri., Feb. 1	vs. No. 1 Princeton	New Haven, Conn.	L, 8-1
Sat., Feb. 2	vs. No. 3 Penn at No. 9 Brown	Providence, R.I. Providence, R.I.	L, 2-7 W, 9-0
Howe Cup			
Fri., Feb. 15	vs. No. 2 Harvard	New Haven, Conn.	L, 9-0
Sat., Feb. 16	vs. No. 6 Cornell	New Haven, Conn.	L, 5-4
Sun., Feb. 17	vs. No. 8 Brown	New Haven, Conn.	W, 9-0

Rankings denote teams' ranking entering match with Stanford

Ally Huchro



Ariel Posner





2012-2013 INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

Pamela Chua, Senior

Date	Opponent (School)	Result	Season Record
Nov. 17, 2012	Danielle Letourneau (Cornell)	L, 11-8,8-11,11-7,11-7	0-1
Nov. 18, 2012	Alli Rubin (Williams College)	W, 11-7,11-8,11-8	1-1
Jan. 18, 2013	Millie Tomlinson (Yale)	L, 9-11,11-9,11-8,11-7	1-2
Jan. 19, 2013	Torey Lee (Bowdoin)	W, 11-5,11-5,11-2	2-2
Jan. 19, 2013	Catherine Jenkins (Columbia)	W, 11-5,11-7,11-5	3-2
Jan. 19, 2013	Corey Schafer (Dartmouth)	W, 11-7,11-5,11-9	4-2
Jan. 20, 2013	Kanzy El Defrawy (Trinity College)	L, 11-2,11-8,11-5	4-3
Feb. 1, 2013	Julie Cerullo (Princeton)	L, 3-11,11-4,11-7,11-9	4-4
Feb. 2, 2013	Nabilla Ariffin (Penn)	L, 11-7,5-11,11-5,11-6	4-5
Feb. 2, 2013	Dori Rahbar (Brown)	W, 11-5, 11-0, 11-9	5-5
Feb. 15, 2013	Amanda Sobhy (Harvard)	L, 11-4, 11-7, 11-2	5-6
Feb. 16, 2013	Danielle Letourneau (Cornell)	W, 7-11, 11-6, 11-9, 11-7	6-6
Feb. 17, 2013	Dori Rahbar (Brown)	W, 11-7, 11-9, 11-6	7-6

Serena Fagan, Junior

Date	Opponent (School)	Result	Season Record
Nov. 17, 2012	Jesse Pacheco (Cornell)	L, 11-8,11-9,11-6	0-1
Nov. 18, 2012	Alyssa Northrop (Williams)	W, 11-7,11-6,11-7	1-1
Jan. 18, 2013	Bates forfeit	W, 11-0,11-0,11-0	2-1
Jan. 18, 2013	Lillian Fast (Yale)	L, 11-3,11-9,11-7	2-2
Jan. 19, 2013	Michaela Martin (Bowdoin)	W, 11-8,11-4,11-2	3-2
Jan. 19, 2013	Leah Barnet (Columbia)	W, 11-4,11-4,11-3	4-2
Jan. 19, 2013	Katherine Nimmo (Dartmouth)	W, 11-3,11-8,11-9	5-2
Jan. 20, 2013	Natalie Babjukova (Trinity)	L, 11-3,11-4,8-11,13-11	5-3
Feb. 1, 2013	Alex Lunt (Princeton)	L, 11-8,11-7,11-5	5-4
Feb. 2, 2013	Pia Trikha (Penn)	L, 11-6,11-9,11-1	5-5
Feb. 2, 2013	Katherine Elliott-Moskwa (Brown)	W, 11-6, 8-11, 11-8, 11-6	6-5
Feb. 15, 2013	Saumya Karki (Harvard)	L, 11-8, 5-11, 11-3, 11-9	6-6
Feb. 16, 2013	Rachel Au (Cornell)	W, 11-9, 11-1, 11-6	7-6
Feb. 17, 2013	Katherine Elliott-Moskwa (Brown)	W, 11-8, 11-7, 11-8	8-6

Francesca Fleisher, Freshman

Date	Opponent (School)	Result	Season Record
Nov. 17, 2012	Maggie Remsen (Cornell)	L, 8-11,11-8,11-3,11-8	0-1
Nov. 18, 2012	Mia Fry (Williams)	W, 11-7,11-8,11-4	1-1
Jan. 18, 2013	Anne Harrison (Yale)	L, 11-7,12-10,11-2	1-2
Jan. 19, 2013	Sara Wlodarczyk (Bowdoin)	L, 5-11	1-3
Jan. 19, 2013	Monica Stone (Columbia)	L, 11-2,17-15,11-4	1-4
Jan. 19, 2013	Lydie McKenzie (Dartmouth)	L, 11-8,12-10,11-3	1-5
Jan. 20, 2013	Chanel Erasmus (Trinity)	L, 11-8,11-5,11-3	1-6
Feb. 17, 2013	Emily Richmond (Brown)	W, 11-7, 11-13, 7-11, 11-8, 11-9	2-6

Abigail Giannuzzi, Freshman

Date	Opponent (School)	Result	Season Record
Jan. 18, 2013	Bates forfeit	W, 11-0,11-0,11-0	1-0

Madeleine Gill, Sophomore

Date	Opponent (School)	Result	Season Record
Nov. 17, 2012	Brynn Daniels (Cornell)	W, 9-11,11-7,11-8,11-9	1-0
Nov. 18, 2012	Nicole Feshbach (Williams)	W, 11-6,11-8,11-5	2-0
Jan. 18, 2013	Lesea Bourke (Bates)	W, 11-1,13-11,11-4	3-0
Jan. 18, 2013	Shihui Mao (Yale)	L, 11-6,11-4,11-6	3-1
Jan. 19, 2013	Alden Drake (Bowdoin)	W, 11-2,11-2,11-3	4-1
Jan. 19, 2013	Alisha Maity (Columbia)	W, 12-10,11-2,11-3	5-1
Jan. 19, 2013	Sarah Loucks (Dartmouth)	W, 11-8,11-4,11-5	6-1
Jan. 20, 2013	Ashley Tidman (Trinity)	W, 12-10,5-11,11-7,1-11,11-9	7-1
Feb. 1, 2013	Nicole Bunyan (Princeton)	L, 11-6,13-11,13-11	7-2
Feb. 2, 2013	Rachael Goh (Penn)	L, 11-4,11-8,11-6	7-3
Feb. 2, 2013	Mina Shakarshy (Brown)	W, 11-6, 11-5, 11-7	8-3
Feb. 15, 2013	Haley Mendez (Harvard)	L, 11-6, 6-11, 11-7, 11-4	8-4
Feb. 16, 2013	Jaime Laird (Cornell)	L, 11-2, 9-11, 7-11, 11-3, 11-8	8-5
Feb. 17, 2013	Mina Shakarshy (Brown)	W, 14-12, 11-3, 11-7	9-5

2012-2013 INDIVIDUAL RESULTS



Carolyn Gillette, Freshman

Date	Opponent (School)	Result	Season Record
Jan. 18, 2013	Sugeiry Betances (Bates)	W, 11-0, 11-2, 11-0	1-0
Jan. 18, 2013	Annie Ballaine (Yale)	L, 11-5, 11-8, 12-10	1-1
Jan. 19, 2013	Christiana Whitcomb (Bowdoin)	W, 11-4, 11-1, 11-2	2-1
Jan. 19, 2013	Skylar Dickey (Columbia)	W, 6-11, 6-11, 12-10, 13-11, 11-5	3-1
Jan. 19, 2013	Helena Darling (Dartmouth)	L, 11-6, 11-2, 11-6	3-2
Jan. 20, 2013	Katiria Sanchez (Trinity)	W, 7-11, 11-9, 11-6, 14-12	4-2
Feb. 1, 2013	Hallie Dewey (Princeton)	L, 11-8, 11-3, 11-5	4-3
Feb. 2, 2013	Stephanie Vogel (Penn)	L, 11-9, 10-12, 11-8, 11-5	4-4
Feb. 2, 2013	Emily Richmond (Brown)	W, 11-5, 9-11, 9-11, 11-9, 11-7	5-4
Feb. 15, 2013	Megan Murray (Harvard)	L, 11-7, 11-6, 12-10	5-5
Feb. 16, 2013	Brynn Daniels (Cornell)	W, 11-7, 14-12, 11-4	6-5
Feb. 17, 2013	Sarah Beresford (Brown)	W, 11-13, 11-7, 11-6, 10-12, 11-7	7-5

Sarah Haig, Freshman

Date	Opponent (School)	Result	Season Record
Nov. 17, 2012	Reut Odinak (Cornell)	L, 13-11, 11-5, 9-11, 11-6	0-1
Nov. 18, 2012	Lily Grant (Williams)	W, 11-8, 11-6, 11-7	1-1
Feb. 1, 2013	Tara Harrington (Princeton)	L, 11-3, 11-4, 11-3	1-2
Feb. 2, 2013	Ailsa Agnew (Penn)	L, 13-11, 8-11, 16-14, 11-6	1-3
Feb. 2, 2013	Sarah Beresford (Brown)	W, 11-9, 8-11, 11-8, 15-17, 11-9	2-3
Feb. 15, 2013	Julianne Chu (Harvard)	L, 13-11, 11-5, 11-4	2-4
Feb. 16, 2013	Lindsay Seginson (Cornell)	L, 11-7, 11-3, 11-3	2-5

Julia Hemmendinger, Junior

Date	Opponent (School)	Result	Season Record
<i>*Did not compete.</i>			

Ally Huchro, Sophomore

Date	Opponent (School)	Result	Season Record
Nov. 17, 2012	Laura Caty (Cornell)	W, 7-11, 11-7, 11-4, 13-11	1-0
Nov. 18, 2012	Hannah Kaemmer (Williams)	W, 11-7, 11-4, 11-7	2-0
Jan. 18, 2013	Lauren Williams (Bates)	W, 11-6, 11-7, 9-11, 11-4	3-0
Jan. 18, 2013	Gwendoline Tilghman (Yale)	L, 11-6, 11-7, 11-5	3-1
Jan. 19, 2013	Monica Wlodarczyk (Bowdoin)	W, 11-6, 9-11, 11-7, 11-7	4-1
Jan. 19, 2013	Kate Calihan (Columbia)	W, 12-10, 11-6, 11-3	5-1
Jan. 19, 2013	Kensy Balch (Dartmouth)	L, 5-11, 11-13, 11-7, 11-4, 11-8	5-2
Jan. 20, 2013	Sachika Balvani (Trinity)	L, 11-4, 11-6, 11-4	5-3
Feb. 1, 2013	Lexi Saunders (Princeton)	L, 11-9, 11-7, 11-5	5-4
Feb. 2, 2013	Camille Lanier (Penn)	L, 9-11, 11-6, 11-8, 11-6	5-5
Feb. 2, 2013	Isabel Pitaro (Brown)	W, 11-7, 11-5, 11-7	6-5
Feb. 15, 2013	Natasha Kingshott (Harvard)	L, 11-6, 11-7, 11-9	6-6
Feb. 16, 2013	Maggie Remsen (Cornell)	L, 11-5, 11-6, 8-11, 11-9	6-7
Feb. 17, 2013	Isabel Pitaro (Brown)	W, 7-11, 11-4, 11-7, 11-3	7-7

Julie Koenig, Senior

Date	Opponent (School)	Result	Season Record
Nov. 17, 2012	Abbey Foster (Cornell)	L, 11-7, 11-4, 11-1	0-1
Nov. 18, 2012	Ellie O'neill (Williams)	W, 11-7, 11-7, 11-8	1-1
Jan. 18, 2013	Chloe Mitchell (Bates)	W, 11-5, 11-7, 11-8	2-1
Jan. 18, 2013	Katie Ballaine (Yale)	L, 11-2, 13-11, 11-7	2-2
Jan. 19, 2013	Rachel Barnes (Bowdoin)	W, 11-8, 11-3, 11-8	3-2
Jan. 19, 2013	Reyna Pacheco (Columbia)	W, 8-11, 11-7, 7-11, 11-5, 11-6	4-2
Jan. 19, 2013	Nina Scott (Dartmouth)	W, 11-3, 12-10, 11-8	5-2
Jan. 20, 2013	Wee Nee Low (Trinity)	L, 11-5, 11-1, 11-7	5-3
Feb. 1, 2013	Rachel Leizman (Princeton)	L, 12-10, 11-6, 9-11, 11-6	5-4
Feb. 2, 2013	Haidi Lala (Penn)	L, 11-5, 11-9, 12-10	5-5
Feb. 2, 2013	Sarah Crosky (Brown)	W, 11-7, 6-11, 11-8, 5-11, 12-10	6-5
Feb. 15, 2013	Michelle Gemmell (Harvard)	L, 11-3, 11-7, 11-8	6-6
Feb. 16, 2013	Abbey Foster (Cornell)	W, 8-11, 14-12, 11-8, 11-3	7-6
Feb. 17, 2013	Sarah Crosky (Brown)	W, 11-4, 11-9, 11-4	8-6



2012-2013 INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

Caitlin Lu, Freshman

Date	Opponent (School)	Result	Season Record
*Did not compete.			

Ariel Posner, Sophomore

Date	Opponent (School)	Result	Season Record
Nov. 17, 2012	Rachel Au (Cornell)	W, 9-11,15-13,4-11,13-11,11-3	1-0
Nov. 18, 2012	Caroline Sawin (Williams)	L, 11-7,11-8,11-7	1-1
Jan. 18, 2013	Alison Bragg (Bates)	W, 11-2,11-5,11-9	2-1
Jan. 18, 2013	Issey Norman-Ross (Yale)	L, 11-8,11-9,11-3	2-2
Jan. 19, 2013	Bonnie Cao (Bowdoin)	W, 11-4,11-0,11-4	3-2
Jan. 19, 2013	Katie Quan (Columbia)	W, 11-7,9-11,12-10,13-11	4-2
Jan. 19, 2013	Victoria Dewey (Dartmouth)	W, 11-9,11-8,11-6	5-2
Jan. 20, 2013	Jennifer Pelletier (Trinity)	L, 11-4,13-15,11-6,11-3	5-3
Feb. 1, 2013	Alex Sawin (Princeton)	L, 11-3,11-6,11-8	5-4
Feb. 2, 2013	Chloe Blacker (Penn)	L, 11-8,11-6,11-3	5-5
Feb. 2, 2013	Skylar Murphy (Brown)	W, 13-11, 11-8, 11-6	6-5
Feb. 15, 2013	Sarah Mumanachit (Harvard)	L, 12-10, 11-0, 12-14, 11-1	6-6
Feb. 16, 2013	Brynn Daniels (Cornell)	L, 9-11, 11-9, 11-9, 11-4	6-7
Feb. 17, 2013	Skylar Murphy (Brown)	W, 11-7, 10-12, 6-11, 11-7, 11-7	7-7

Kerrie Sample, Senior

Date	Opponent (School)	Result	Season Record
Nov. 17, 2012	Jaime Laird (Cornell)	W, 11-4,11-7,11-5	1-0
Nov. 18, 2012	Laura Henry (Williams)	W, 11-6,11-7,11-8	2-0
Jan. 18, 2013	Cheri-Ann Parris (Bates)	L, 11-7,12-10,2-11,7-11,11-7	2-1
Jan. 18, 2013	Kimberley Hay (Yale)	L, 11-6,11-5,11-4	2-2
Jan. 19, 2013	Melina Turk (Dartmouth)	W, 11-8,11-4,11-7	3-2
Jan. 20, 2013	Catalina Pelaez (Trinity)	L, 8-11,10-12,11-9,11-5,11-7	3-3
Feb. 1, 2013	Libby Eyre (Princeton)	W, 11-3,11-4,3-11,13-11	4-3
Feb. 2, 2013	Yan Xin Tan (Penn)	W, 11-8,6-11,11-7,11-7	5-3
Feb. 2, 2013	Sarah Domenick (Brown)	W, 11-5, 11-6, 11-4	6-3
Feb. 15, 2013	Laura Gemmell (Harvard)	L, 15-13, 11-5, 11-9	6-4
Feb. 16, 2013	Jesse Pacheco (Cornell)	L, 14-12, 11-8, 11-9	6-5
Feb. 17, 2013	Sarah Domenick (Brown)	W, 11-0, 11-4, 11-2	7-5

Theresa Shropshire, Freshman

Date	Opponent (School)	Result	Season Record
*Did not compete			

Alex Yorke, Sophomore, Greenwich, Conn.

Date	Opponent (School)	Result	Season Record
Jan. 18, 2013	Carolyn Attenborough (Bates)	W, 11-0,11-1,11-2	1-0
Jan. 19, 2013	Gretchen Williams (Bowdoin)	W, 11-3,11-4,11-1	2-0
Jan. 19, 2013	Jenny Schroder (Columbia)	W, 11-5,11-6,11-3	3-0



MARK TALBOTT

Director of Stanford Squash and Head Coach

Mark joined Stanford University in 2004 as the director of a newly established squash program. With his vision, experience, and dedication, the Stanford squash program has developed into a program with far-reaching goals including community outreach and junior player development programs in addition to fielding a highly competitive and successful intercollegiate program.

Mark enjoyed an illustrious career as a professional. He was inducted into the Squash Hall of Fame in 2000, recognized for his unmatched tournament record during his 12-year reign as the No. 1 ranked professional in North America. He was the World Professional Squash Association Player of the Year eight times (1983, '86, '87, '88, '89, '90, '91, and '92) and an Olympic Athlete of the Year in 1991, '92, and '95. In addition, he captained the first USA Team to compete in the Pan Am Games in 1995, earned the Sharif Khan Award for Sportsmanship in 1991, and won the USSRA President's Cup in 1989. Mark won 70 percent of the tournaments he entered, and was the World Hardball champion and American Softball champion.

His major titles, among more than 250 career tournament victories, include five North American Opens, six World Professional Championships, three Canadian Opens, two U.S. Opens, three Boston Opens, three S.L. Green Softball Nationals and a pair of North American Open Doubles titles. Mark was featured in numerous magazines during his illustrious playing career, among them *Gentlemen's Quarterly*, *New Yorker*, *Esquire* and twice in *Sports Illustrated*. He received a Lifetime Achievement Award at the 2011 World Squash Awards.

In addition to competition, Mark is dedicated to developing the next generation of players. In 1991 he established the Talbott Squash Academy, one of the first National Training Centers for the U.S. Squash Association. The Academy has trained thousands of students during the summer in Newport, R.I., and at Stanford.

After retiring from competition in 1996, Mark was hired as the women's squash coach at Yale where he led the Bulldogs to their first national championship in 18 years. He came to The Farm in 2004 as the director of the Stanford Squash Program and head coach of the Stanford men's and women's teams.

Mark believes in promoting the game and using it to positively impact the lives of young people, especially those from underserved communities. He has been involved with urban squash programs around the country for the past 15 years and founded Xtreme Squash in 2009, a non-profit urban squash/education program in Palo Alto targeting middle school and high school students.

Mark's wife Michelle is a world-class cellist. Their daughter Maya is attending Stanford and their son Nick is at Brown. Mark is a big sports fan, and enjoys golf, hiking and bike riding in his free time.



2013-2014 COACHING STAFF



RICHARD ELLIOTT

Assistant Squash Coach

Richard joined Stanford as the assistant coach in January, 2011. He has been involved with Stanford squash on a part-time basis since 2000 when it was a student-run program. He has played a significant role in developing the Stanford squash program for over 10 years.

In addition to coaching players on the Stanford intercollegiate teams, Richard is involved in developing junior players and members of the Stanford Squash Club. To promote the sport locally he organizes regular tournaments for players at all levels including an annual tournament for international professional players.

Born in England, Richard started playing squash at age 13 and played his first junior tournament at age 14. He was soon consumed with the sport and it has remained his lifelong passion. Prior to squash, he played badminton and some tennis but at age 16 he decided squash would be his professional career.

Richard took his first full-time resident teaching professional position at age 20 in England and quickly realized that coaching was his calling. For the next 10 years he held three head pro teaching positions in Europe, two in England and one in Switzerland. In 1995, Richard moved to California to take on the head teaching pro position first at The Decathlon Club in Santa Clara and then at the Pacific Athletic Club in Redwood City. He has over 30 years of teaching experience and holds the highest level of coach's certification, an England Squash level 3.

In addition to coaching squash, Richard enjoys competition and has earned impressive results. Before his move to the U.S., he played all the domestic tournaments and leagues in the United Kingdom, at junior as well as adult level tournaments. He also travelled throughout Europe to play in a number of Professional Squash Association events. By age 19, he was ranked in the top 30 in the UK and 107th in the world. In recent years, he was the U.S. National age-level champion in 2002, '03, '05 and '06 reaching the finals in 2000 and in '04. He was also a World Masters finalist in 2008 and took third place in 2001.

Richard is enthusiastic about physical fitness and pushing the limits of his endurance. He trained and completed his first triathlon (half-ironman) in San Francisco in the summer of 2011. His other hobbies include reading, golf, snowboarding, and cycling.

2013-2014 RADIO/TV ROSTER



Bailey Bondy
FR
Locust Valley, N.Y.



Serena Fagan
SR
Weston, Mass.



Francesca Fleisher
SO
San Francisco, Calif.



Abigail Giannuzzi
SO
Wellesley, Mass.



Madeleine Gill
JR
Darien, Conn.



Carolyn Gillette
SO
Lake Forest, Ill.



Sarah Haig
SO
Greenwich, Conn.



Julia Hemmendinger
SR
Baltimore, Md.



CC Ho
FR
Belmont, Mass.



Alexandra Huchro
JR
Briarcliff Manor, N.Y.



Caitlin Lu
SO
Hong Kong



Julia Olson
FR
St. Louis, Mo.



Ariel Posner
JR
Briarcliff Manor, N.Y.



Theresa Shropshire
SO
Philadelphia, Pa.



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