

SPORTS UPDATE

For Immediate Release: May 1, 2012

Contact: Darren Preston

2012 MOUNTAIN PACIFIC SPORTS FEDERATION ALL-MPSF WOMEN'S WATER POLO SELECTIONS

2012 MPSF Player of the Year CAITLIN DEMENT • #1 • SENIOR • GOALKEEPER • UCLA



UCLA senior goalkeeper Caitlin Dement (Chino, CA/Ayala HS) carries a 5.22 goals-against average entering the NCAA Tournament, the third-lowest among MPSF goalkeepers. Starting all 24 games for the Bruins this season, Dement has totaled 226 saves, the third-highest total in UCLA program history. She has started in the cage for UCLA since the start of her sophomore season and enters the NCAA Tournament having collected 673 career saves, fourth-most in school history. Dement has registered a season-high 14 saves in three games this season, most recently in UCLA's 9-5 MPSF Quarterfinal victory over San Diego State. Dement finished the MPSF Tournament last weekend with 33 saves, securing Most Valuable Player honors on the All-Tournament Team.

2012 MPSF Newcomer of the Year KILEY NEUSHUL • #2 • FRESHMAN • DRIVER • STANFORD



Stanford freshman **Kiley Neushul** (Goleta, CA/Dos Pueblos HS) currently ranks third in the conference in scoring average with 2.20 goals per contest, pouring in 55 goals in 25 games. In the absence of several key players, she has helped lead the Cardinal to a 23-2 season as they take the No. 1 seed to the NCAA Tournament. No other MPSF Women's Water Polo player has ever earned more conference awards in a single year (nine) than Neushul. In addition to the MPSF Newcomer of the Year award, she was named newcomer of the week four times, player of the week once, as well as being selected to the MPSF All-Tournament, all-newcomer, and first-team all-conference lists. Neushul has seen action as a member of both the junior and senior United States National teams.

2012 MPSF Coach of the Year BRANDON BROOKS • HEAD COACH • THIRD YEAR • UCLA



UCLA head coach **Brandon Brooks** has guided the Bruins to a 21-3 overall record, its second MPSF Tournament championship in his three seasons at the helm, and an automatic berth in the upcoming NCAA Tournament. The Bruins have a national-high six wins this year over top-three competition. A former standout goalkeeper for the UCLA men's water polo team (1999-2002), Brooks becomes the first UCLA coach to win the award since 2008, when Adam Krikorian earned MPSF Coach of the Year acclaim before leading that team to a fourth consecutive NCAA title. The current Bruins entered the MPSF Tournament (Apr. 27-29) as the No. 2 seed and captured the conference crown with an 8-7 overtime victory at No. 1-seed Stanford. Brooks has led UCLA to the NCAA Tournament in each of his three seasons as head coach.

ALL-MPSF FIRST-TEAM

Student-Athlete	No.	Year	Position	School	Hometown/Last School
Caitlin Dement	1	Senior	Goalkeeper	UCLA	Chino, CA/Ayala HS
KK Clark	7	Senior	Utility	UCLA	Atherton, CA/Sacred Heart Prep
Alicia Brightwell	3	Senior	Attacker	Arizona State	Sydney, Australia/University of Sydney
Kiley Neushul	2	Freshman	Driver	Stanford	Goleta, CA/Dos Pueblos HS
Kaley Dodson	18	Sophomore	Driver	Stanford	Seal Beach, CA/Los Alamitos HS
Breda Vosters	8	Junior	Driver	California	Winnepeg, MB, Canada/Grant Park HS
Monica Vavic	6	Freshman	Driver	USC	Rancho Palos Verdes, CA/Palos Verdes HS

ALL-MPSF SECOND-TEAM

Kaleigh Gilchrist	15	Sophomore	Two-Meter	USC	Newport Beach, CA/Newport Harbor HS
Dana Ochsner	2	Junior	Two-Meter	California	Oceanside, CA/El Camino HS
Amarens Genee	11	Junior	Center	Hawaii	Gorinchem, Netherlands/Gym Camphusianum
Alyssa Lo	4	Senior	Driver	Stanford	San Anselmo, CA/Sir Francis Drake HS
Shannon Haas	7	Junior	Center	Arizona State	Murrieta, CA/Vista Murrieta HS
Amber Pezzolla	7	Junior	Utility	San Diego State	San Dimas, CA/Bonita HS
Flora Bolonyai	1	Sophomore	Goalkeeper	USC	Budapest, Hungary/Elte Trefort A'Goston

ALL-MPSF HONORABLE MENTION

Ashley Grossman Emily Greenwood	15 2	Freshman Junior	Two-Meter Utility	Stanford UCLA	Santa Monica, CA/Harvard-Westlake HS Sanger, CA/Buchanan HS
Becca Dorst	25	Sophomore	Utility	UCLA	Menlo Park, CA/Menlo-Atherton HS
Sarah Orozco	5	Senior	Utility	UCLA	Commerce, CA/Montebello HS
Kelly Campoli	1	Senior	Goalkeeper	San Diego State	Lake Forest, CA/EI Toro HS
Elizabeth McLaren	9	Senior	Driver	California	Cronulla, Sydney, Australia/Miramonte
Meagan Minson	1	Senior	Goalkeeper	San Jose State	Riverside, CA/Arlington HS
Colleen O'Donnell	2	Sophomore	Two-Meter	USC	Palos Verdes, CA/Palos Verdes HS
Annabelle Carter	5	Senior	Attacker	Arizona State	Sydney, Australia/Australian College of PE
Emily Scott	22	Sophomore	Defender	Hawaii	Sydney, Australia/Wenona
Mariam Salloum	8	Senior	Attacker	Arizona State	Berlin, Germany/Leonardo da Vinci
Anna Natalizio	12	Junior	Utility	San Jose State	Irvine, CA/Irvine HS
Dani Curran	5	Senior	Attacker	San Jose State	Chino, CA/Ayala HS
Dominique Sardo	4	Junior	Driver	USC	San Diego, CA/Bishop's School
Kelsey White	12	Senior	Defender	Arizona State	Randburg, South Africa/Rand Park HS

ALL-MPSF NEWCOMER TEAM

Kiley Neushul	2	Freshman	Driver	Stanford	Goleta, CA/Dos Pueblos HS
Monica Vavic	6	Freshman	Driver	USC	Rancho Palos Verdes, CA/Palos Verdes HS
Ashley Grossman	15	Freshman	Two-Meter	Stanford	Santa Monica, CA/Harvard-Westlake HS
Anna Kertes	4	Freshman	Driver	Arizona State	Csongrad, Hungary/Janos HS
Emily Donohoe	24	Freshman	Attacker	UCLA	Upland, CA/St. Lucy's HS
Emily Scott	22	Sophomore	Defender	Hawaii	Sydney, Australia/Wenona
Tiera Schroeder	15	Freshman	Driver	California	Santa Barbara, CA/Dos Pueblos HS