



SOUTHERN CONFERENCE WOMEN'S SOCCER

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2020-21 SOUTHERN CONFERENCE WOMEN'S SOCCER STANDINGS

STANDINGS	W-L-T	CONFERENCE				OVERALL				
		Pts	GF	GA	ST	W-L-T	Pct	GF	GA	ST
The Citadel	0-0-0	0	0	0	-	3-2-2	.571	8	7	W2
Mercer	0-0-0	0	0	0	-	1-2-1	.375	5	6	L1
ETSU	0-0-0	0	0	0	-	0-0-0	.000	0	0	-
Furman	0-0-0	0	0	0	-	0-0-0	.000	0	0	-
UNCG	0-0-0	0	0	0	-	0-0-0	.000	0	0	-
Samford	0-0-0	0	0	0	-	0-0-0	.000	0	0	-
Chattanooga	0-0-0	0	0	0	-	0-0-0	.000	0	0	-
VMI	0-0-0	0	0	0	-	0-0-0	.000	0	0	-
Western Carolina	0-0-0	0	0	0	-	0-0-0	.000	0	0	-
Wofford	0-0-0	0	0	0	-	0-0-0	.000	0	0	-

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

(all times Eastern)

Date	Matchup	TV/Digital	Time
Oct. 15 (Thursday)	Mercer at Georgia State	TV/Digital	7 p.m.
Oct. 16 (Friday)	Georgia Southern at The Citadel	TV/Digital ESPN+	3 p.m.
Oct. 17 (Saturday)	UAB at Mercer	TV/Digital ESPN+	6 p.m.

COACHING RECORDS

Coach, School	Career Record	School (Yrs.)	SoCon (Yrs.)
Ciaran Traquair, The Citadel	58-91-6 (8th)	28-49-4 (5th)	4-32-0 (5th)
Jay Yelton, ETSU	0-0-0 (1st)	Same	0-0-0 (1st)
Andrew Burr, Furman	201-83-24 (16th)	Same	95-37-17 (16th)
Tony Economopoulos, Mercer	102-100-17 (12th)	92-59-17 (9th)	30-15-6 (7th)
Michael Coll, UNCG	102-92-25 (12th)	61-49-14 (7th)	34-15-5 (7th)
Todd Yelton, Samford*	269-131-47 (22nd)	229-99-43 (18th)	91-12-16 (12th)
Gavin McKinney, Chattanooga	103-72-19 (10th)	30-47-16 (6th)	17-21-7 (6th)
Chris Haight-Thompson, VMI	1-16-2 (2nd)	Same	0-8-1 (2nd)
Chad Miller, Western Carolina	176-148-30 (19th)	83-92-19 (11th)	40-50-8 (11th)
Emily Grant, Wofford	7-12-0 (2nd)	Same	3-6-0 (2nd)

* later vacated 24 overall wins and four ties (13 wins and four ties in SoCon play) from 2012-13

SoCon STATS



NCAA STATS



NOTES

• This week concludes fall play with three games on the slate. Mercer has two contests, playing at Georgia State on Thursday, Oct. 15 and hosting UAB on Saturday, Oct. 17, in the Bears' fall finale. The Citadel has one contest of the fall remaining, hosting Georgia Southern on Friday, Oct. 16.

• The last contest for both The Citadel (3-2-2) and Mercer (1-2-1) was a match between the two squads on Friday, Oct. 9. The Citadel won 3-2 and earned the program's first win over the Bears. The teams also matched up on Sept. 17 and played to a 1-1 draw.

• Mercer is hoping to avenge a season-opening loss to Georgia State (6-1-1) on Sept. 11. The Bears fell 2-1 in overtime at home. Saturday's contest against UAB will be the first for the Blazers.

• Mercer's next win will be the 275th in program history.

• The Citadel's Logan Dix has six goals through seven games, two of which were game-winners and two of which came in The Citadel's last contest, a 3-2 win over Mercer. Her six goals ranks second nationally and her 12 points is fourth nationally.

• Mercer senior Abigail Zoeller, the SoCon active leader in career assists (19), needs just three assists to pass Nancy Fallin (1991-94) and become the program leader in career assists. The midfielder set the program's single-season record (11) last season.

• Mercer goalkeeper Jordyn Ebert is three shutouts away from sole possession of second in program history. The senior, the SoCon's active leader in career assists, also needs just 31 saves to move in to third place in program history for career saves. Ebert is also two victories away from sole possession of fourth all-time in Mercer women's soccer history.

• The Bears are led by Aliah Kitchens, who has tallied two goals and five points this fall. She also netted one of the two Mercer goals in the loss to The Citadel.

• The Southern Conference Council of Presidents announced on Aug. 13 that the league would postpone conference competition for all fall sports to the spring due to health and safety concerns related to the COVID-19 pandemic, with schools able to participate in nonconference play in the fall at their discretion.

• Samford won the 2019 Southern Conference women's soccer championship by downing No. 9 The Citadel, 5-1, in the quarterfinals, No. 4 Mercer, 3-0, in the semifinals and No. 2 Furman, 1-0, in the championship final. Samford also claimed at least a share of the regular-season title for the sixth straight season in 2019.

• ETSU, Furman, UNCG, Samford, Chattanooga, VMI, Western Carolina and Wofford are forgoing fall competition and will wait to compete in the spring.

SoCon vs. Other Conferences

Overall: 3-3-1

Atlantic Coast (0-2)

Sept. 24 #12 Pittsburgh 2, The Citadel 1 (OT)
 Sept. 27 #12 Pittsburgh 1, The Citadel 0

Conference Carolinas - D2 (1-0)

Oct. 3 The Citadel 1, Belmont Abbey 0

Conference USA (0-0)

Oct. 17 UAB at Mercer, 6 p.m.

Sun Belt (2-1-1)

Sept. 11 Georgia State 2, Mercer 1 (OT)
 Sept. 14 The Citadel 2, Georgia Southern 1
 Sept. 24 Mercer 1, Georgia Southern 0
 Oct. 1 The Citadel 0, App State 0 (2OT)*
 Oct. 15 Mercer at Georgia State, 7 p.m.
 Oct. 16 Georgia Southern at The Citadel, 3 p.m.

Home team underlined

* neutral site

ALL-TIME RECORDS IN SoCON PLAY

Team	Years	W-L-T	Pct.
The Citadel	20th	25-129-7	.177
ETSU	24th	40-79-10	.349
Furman	27th	171-53-20	.742
Mercer	7th	31-17-6	.630
UNCG	24th	168-41-15	.783
Samford	13th	91-13-15	.828
Chattanooga	25th	52-159-21	.269
VMI	7th	12-39-3	.250
Western Carolina	22nd	97-91-21	.514
Wofford	24th	71-124-29	.382

ACTIVE CAREER LEADERS

Points

- 48 Chloe Arnold, Sr., UTC
- 48 Logan Dix, Sr., CIT
- 47 Abigail Zoeller, Sr., MER
- 35 Sarah Connolly, Sr., ETSU
- 31 Erin Houlihan, Jr., FUR

Goals

- 21 Chloe Arnold, Sr., UTC
- 21 Logan Dix, Sr., CIT
- 16 Sarah Connolly, Sr., ETSU
- 14 Abigail Zoeller, Sr., MER
- 13 Erin Houlihan, Jr., FUR
- 13 Nicole Souply, Jr., UNCG

Assists

- 19 Abigail Zoeller, Jr., MER
- 13 Alyssa Frazier, Sr., SAM
- 10 Sarah Adcock, Sr., MER
- 10 Suzuka Yosue, So., CIT
- 9 Hannah Roth, Sr., CIT

Game-Winning Goals

- 6 Chloe Arnold, Sr., UTC
- 6 Isabella Gutierrez, Jr., FUR
- 5 Sarah Connolly, Sr., ETSU
- 5 Erin Houlihan, Jr., FUR
- 5 Caroline Orman, Sr., SAM
- 5 Ally Fordham, Sr., MER
- 5 Logan Dix, Sr., CIT

Goals Against Average (Min. 2000 Minutes)

- 0.90 Ashton Shields, Jr., UTC
- 1.03 Aiyannah Tyler-Cooper, Sr., UNCG
- 1.15 Jordyn Ebert, Sr., MER
- 2.08 Maria Mon, Jr., WOF

Saves

- 285 Jordyn Ebert, Sr., MER
- 219 Maria Mon, Jr., WOF
- 214 Aiyannah Tyler-Cooper, Sr., UNCG
- 119 Ashton Shields, Jr., UTC
- 94 Morgan McAslan, Jr., SAM

Wins

- 26 Jordyn Ebert, Sr., MER
- 24 Aiyannah Tyler-Cooper, Sr., UNCG
- 13 Morgan McAslan, Jr., SAM
- 12 Ashton Shields, Jr., UTC
- 10 Abby Buchholz, So., UNCG

Shutouts

- 15 Jordyn Ebert, Sr., MER
- 14 Aiyannah Tyler-Cooper, Sr., UNCG
- 12 Ashton Shields, Jr., UTC
- 8 Morgan McAslan, Jr., SAM
- 5 Abby Buchholz, So., UNCG

Saves Per Game (Min. 10 Games)

- 6.64 Maria Mon, Jr., WOF
- 5.21 Noelle Heilpern, So., VMI
- 4.65 Aiyannah Tyler-Cooper, Sr., UNCG
- 4.58 Ashton Shields, Jr., UTC
- 4.45 Jordyn Ebert, Sr., MER

UNITED SOCCER COACHES TOP 15

Team	Record
1. North Carolina	4-0-0
2. Florida State	4-0-0
3. Arkansas	4-0-0
4. Clemson	4-2-0
5. Duke	3-1-2
6. TCU	3-0-1
7. West Virginia	4-1-0
8. Oklahoma State	3-1-1
9. Texas A&M	2-1-0
10. Kansas	3-1-0
11. Virginia	4-1-1
12. Georgia	2-0-2
13. Louisville	3-1-0
14. Notre Dame	3-1-0
15. South Carolina	3-1-0

Records updated through Oct. 13, 2020

NOTE: Due to the impact of the pandemic on fall schedules, only teams competing in the fall were considered for the polls. The number of teams appearing in each ranking is also lower due to the lower number of teams competing. The men's poll consists of a Top Five national ranking and the women's poll features a Top 15. There are no regional rankings.

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The Citadel
(3-2-2, 0-0 SoCon)

S14 at Georgia Southern W, 2-1
S17 MERCER T, 1-1 (2OT)
S24 #12 PITTSBURGH L, 1-2 (OT)
S27 #12 PITTSBURGH L, 0-1
O1 vs. Appalachian State T, 0-0
O3 at Belmont Abbey W, 1-0
O9 at Mercer W, 3-2
O16 GEORGIA SOUTHERN 3 p.m.



ETSU
(0-0, 0-0 SoCon)



Furman
(0-0, 0-0 SoCon)



Mercer
(1-2-1, 0-0 SoCon)

S11 GEORGIA STATE L, 1-2 (OT)
S17 at The Citadel T, 1-1 (2OT)
S24 at Georgia Southern W, 1-0
O9 THE CITADEL L, 2-3
O15 at Georgia State 7 p.m.
O17 UAB 6 p.m.



UNCG
(0-0, 0-0 SoCon)



Samford
(0-0, 0-0 SoCon)



Chattanooga
(0-0, 0-0 SoCon)

S13 GEORGIA STATE CANCELLED



VMI
(0-0, 0-0 SoCon)



Western Carolina
(0-0, 0-0 SoCon)



Wofford
(0-0, 0-0 SoCon)