



# SOUTHERN CONFERENCE WOMEN'S SOCCER

# 2020-21

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## 2020-21 SOUTHERN CONFERENCE WOMEN'S SOCCER STANDINGS

| STANDINGS        | W-L-T | Pts | CONFERENCE |    |    | OVERALL |      |          |
|------------------|-------|-----|------------|----|----|---------|------|----------|
|                  |       |     | GF         | GA | ST | W-L-T   | Pct  | GF GA ST |
| Samford          | 7-0-2 | 23  | 20         | 2  | W4 | 7-1-3   | .773 | 21 4 W4  |
| Furman           | 6-0-2 | 20  | 13         | 4  | T1 | 6-0-2   | .875 | 13 4 T1  |
| Chattanooga      | 6-2-1 | 19  | 9          | 5  | W1 | 7-2-1   | .750 | 11 5 W1  |
| Mercer           | 5-3-0 | 15  | 13         | 9  | W1 | 8-9-1   | .472 | 35 22 W1 |
| UNCG             | 4-4-1 | 13  | 8          | 7  | L1 | 4-5-2   | .455 | 8 9 L1   |
| Wofford          | 3-4-2 | 11  | 10         | 11 | T1 | 3-4-2   | .444 | 10 11 T1 |
| Western Carolina | 3-5-1 | 10  | 13         | 15 | T1 | 4-7-1   | .375 | 14 17 T1 |
| ETSU             | 1-4-1 | 4   | 4          | 13 | L4 | 1-6-1   | .188 | 6 17 L4  |
| The Citadel      | 1-6-0 | 4   | 6          | 13 | L3 | 7-9-3   | .447 | 23 23 T1 |
| VMI              | 0-6-1 | 1   | 4          | 21 | L5 | 1-8-2   | .182 | 10 22 L7 |

## NOTES

• Two SoCon Women's Soccer Championship semifinals are set for this weekend, with No. 1 Samford welcoming No. 4 Mercer to town for a 2 p.m. CT contest on Friday, April 9, and No. 2 Furman hosting No. 3 Chattanooga on Saturday, April 10, at 7 p.m. ET.

• The SoCon announced on March 31 that three conference matches would be canceled due to opt-outs and injuries that have left ETSU's team below the conference's recommended guidelines at a key position. The games affected were ETSU at The Citadel on Thursday, ETSU at Mercer on Saturday and Furman at ETSU on April 6. The games were not made up and were be considered no-contests.

• Furman head coach Andrew Burr, already the winningest coach in women's soccer league history, earned his 100th conference win in a 2-0 win over Chattanooga on March 19 and pushed his total to 101 in the 3-1 win over Western Carolina on March 26. He's the first SoCon coach to surpass 100 conference wins.

• Mercer head coach Tony Economopoulos is one win shy of 100 at Mercer (99-65-17).

• Nationally, Furman is sixth in corner kicks per game (7.88), Samford is 12th in goals against average (0.343), Mercer is 11th in total assists (28), seventh in total goals (36) and 8th in total points (100).

• Furman is 39th in the latest RPI.

• Furman is 31-2-3 at home in its last 36 matches versus SoCon opposition. The Paladins have posted a 17-1-3 record in their last 20 regular season SoCon matches.

• Five of Chattanooga's six conference wins have been decided by one goal, two of which were 1-0 wins and two of which were by 2-1 scores.

• The Citadel and Mercer were the only two teams to compete in the fall. The SoCon elected to move conference play to the spring season amid concerns around the coronavirus, though teams were allowed to compete in fall nonconference action at their discretion.

• The Citadel and Mercer met twice in the fall in nonconference contests. The teams played to a 1-1 draw on Sept. 17 in Charleston, S.C. It was the first time The Citadel earned a positive result against Mercer, who entered the match 7-0 against the Bulldogs. The Citadel won the second contest, 3-2, in Oct. 9 in Macon, Georgia.

• Samford was picked to win the 2020-21 SoCon Championship in voting of the league's 10 head coaches.

• The 2021 SoCon Championship includes just four teams due to the conference's cost-cutting measures as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic.

• 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.

## UPCOMING SCHEDULE

(all times Eastern)

### April 9 (Friday)

Match 1: No. 4 Mercer at No. 1 Samford

### TV/Digital

ESPN+

### Time

2 p.m. CT

### April 10 (Saturday)

Match 2: No. Chattanooga at No. 2 Furman

### TV/Digital

ESPN+

### Time

7 p.m. ET

### April 16/17 (Friday/Saturday)

Match 3: Winner Match 1 vs. Winner Match 2

### TV/Digital

ESPN+

### Time

TBD

## SoCON STATS



## NCAA STATS



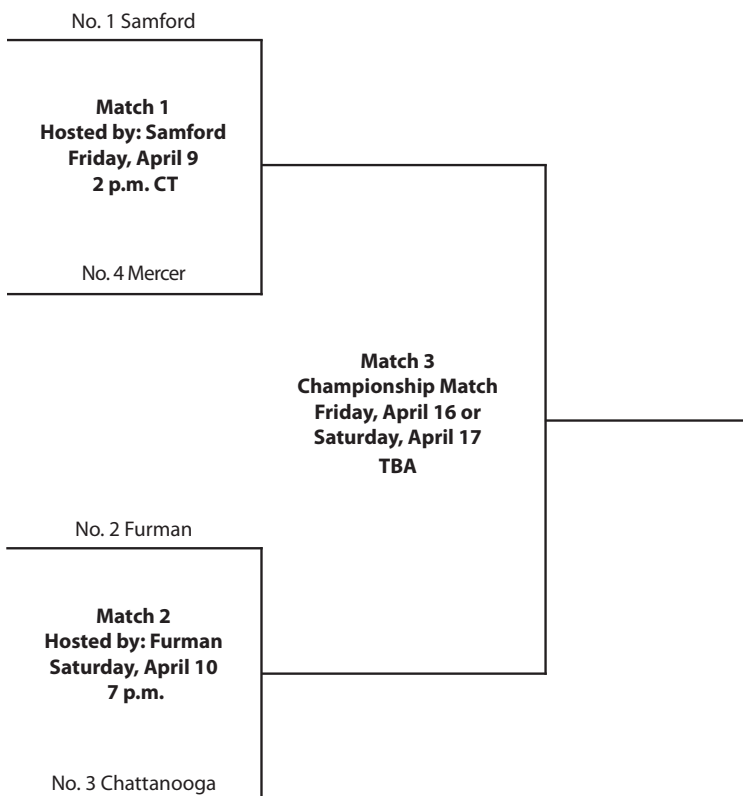
## COACHING RECORDS

| Coach, School                 | Career Record     | School (Yrs.)     | SoCon (Yrs.)     |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Ciaran Traquair, The Citadel  | 62-98-7 (8th)     | 32-56-5 (5th)     | 5-38-1 (5th)     |
| Jay Yelton, ETSU              | 1-6-1 (1st)       | Same              | 1-4-1 (1st)      |
| Andrew Burr, Furman           | 207-83-26 (16th)  | Same              | 101-37-19 (16th) |
| Tony Economopoulos, Mercer    | 109-106-17 (12th) | 99-65-17 (9th)    | 35-18-6 (7th)    |
| Michael Coll, UNCG            | 105-97-27 (12th)  | 64-54-16 (7th)    | 36-18-6 (7th)    |
| Todd Yelton, Samford*         | 276-132-50 (22nd) | 236-100-46 (18th) | 98-12-18 (12th)  |
| Gavin McKinney, Chattanooga   | 110-74-20 (10th)  | 37-49-17 (6th)    | 23-23-8 (6th)    |
| Chris Haight-Thompson, VMI    | 2-24-3 (2nd)      | Same              | 0-16-2 (2nd)     |
| Chad Miller, Western Carolina | 180-155-31 (19th) | 87-99-20 (11th)   | 43-55-9 (11th)   |
| Emily Grant, Wofford          | 10-16-2 (2nd)     | Same              | 6-10-2 (2nd)     |

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

# SOUTHERN CONFERENCE WOMEN'S SOCCER CHAMPIONSHIP

Campus Sites / April 9/10 & 16/17, 2021



Note: All times Eastern unless otherwise noted.



## SoCon vs. Other Conferences

**Overall: 9-14-4**

### Atlantic Coast (0-2-1)

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

### Atlantic Sun (2-3)

Feb. 19 The Citadel 1, Jacksonville 0  
 Feb. 21 Lipscomb 2, ETSU 1  
 Feb. 21 Mercer 1, Kennesaw State 0  
 Feb. 23 North Florida 2, The Citadel 1  
 Feb. 25 Liberty 1, Western Carolina 0

### Atlantic 10 (0-1-1)

Feb. 21 Davidson 1, Western Carolina 0  
 Feb. 28 VMI 1, Davidson 1 (2OT)

### Big South (0-1)

Feb. 13 High Point 2, UNCG 10

### Capital Athletic Conference - DIII (1-0)

Feb. 23 VMI 5, Southern Virginia 0

### Conference Carolinas - DII (1-0)

Oct. 3 The Citadel 1, Belmont Abbey 0

### Conference-USA (1-2-1)

Oct. 17 UAB 2, Mercer 1  
 Feb. 13 Marshall 2, ETSU 1 (OT)  
 Feb. 17 Western Carolina 1, Charlotte 0 (OT)  
 Feb. 18 Samford 1, UAB 1 (2OT)

### South Atlantic Conference - DII (1-0)

Feb. 14 The Citadel 4, Anderson 1

### Southeastern Conference (0-1)

Feb. 25 Ole Miss 1, Samford 0

### Sun Belt (2-4-1)

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 Georgia State 2, Mercer 1  
 Oct. 16 The Citadel 3, Georgia Southern 0  
 Feb. 28 Troy 1, Mercer 0 (OT)

### USA South - DIII (1-0)

Feb. 11 Mercer 13, Wesleyan 0

Home team underlined

\* neutral site

## Active Career Leaders

### Points

- 58 Logan Dix, Sr., CIT
- 57 Chloe Arnold, Sr., UTC
- 50 Abigail Zoeller, Sr., MER
- 43 Ally Fordham, Sr., MER
- 40 Isabella Gutierrez, Jr., FUR

### Goals

- 25 Logan Dix, Sr., CIT
- 25 Chloe Arnold, Sr., UTC
- 20 Ally Fordham, Sr., MER
- 16 Sarah Connolly, Sr., ETSU
- 16 Isabella Gutierrez, Jr., FUR

### Assists

- 20 Abigail Zoeller, Jr., MER
- 16 Alyssa Frazier, Sr., SAM
- 13 Suzuka Yosue, So., CIT
- 10 Sarah Adcock, Sr., MER
- 10 Hannah Roth, Sr., CIT
- 10 Jasmine Greene, So., FUR
- 10 Ellie Laxer, Sr., FUR

### Game-Winning Goals

- 9 Ally Fordham, Sr., MER
- 8 Isabella Gutierrez, Jr., FUR
- 8 Chloe Arnold, Sr., UTC
- 6 Logan Dix, Sr., CIT
- 6 Caroline Orman, Sr., SAM

### Goals Against Average (Min. 2000 Minutes)

- 0.69 Morgan McAslan, Jr., SAM
- 0.86 Ashton Shields, Jr., UTC
- 0.97 Aiyannah Tyler-Cooper, Sr., UNCG
- 1.14 Jordyn Ebert, Sr., MER
- 1.65 Natalia Icen, Sr., Western Carolina

### Saves

- 351 Jordyn Ebert, Sr., MER
- 257 Maria Mon, Jr., WOF
- 255 Aiyannah Tyler-Cooper, Sr., UNCG
- 135 Ashton Shields, Jr., UTC
- 120 Morgan McAslan, Jr., SAM

### Wins

- 32 Jordyn Ebert, Sr., MER
- 27 Aiyannah Tyler-Cooper, Sr., UNCG
- 20 Morgan McAslan, Jr., SAM
- 15 Ashton Shields, Jr., UTC
- 11 Abby Buchholz, So., UNCG
- 11 Maria Mon, Jr., WOF

### Shutouts

- 18 Aiyannah Tyler-Cooper, Sr., UNCG
- 15 Jordyn Ebert, Sr., MER
- 14 Morgan McAslan, Jr., SAM
- 14 Ashton Shields, Jr., UTC
- 8 Melody Mezzina, So., WCU

### Saves Per Game (Min. 10 Games)

- 6.12 Maria Mon, Jr., WOF
- 4.87 Noelle Heilpern, So., VMI
- 4.55 Aiyannah Tyler-Cooper, Sr., UNCG
- 4.50 Jordyn Ebert, Sr., MER
- 4.22 Ashton Shields, Jr., UTC

## All-Time Records in SoCon Play

| Team             | Years | W-L-T     | Pct. |
|------------------|-------|-----------|------|
| The Citadel      | 20th  | 26-135-8  | .178 |
| ETSU             | 24th  | 41-85-11  | .339 |
| Furman           | 27th  | 177-53-22 | .746 |
| Mercer           | 7th   | 36-20-6   | .629 |
| UNCG             | 24th  | 172-45-16 | .773 |
| Samford          | 13th  | 98-13-17  | .832 |
| Chattanooga      | 25th  | 58-161-22 | .286 |
| VMI              | 7th   | 12-47-4   | .222 |
| Western Carolina | 22nd  | 100-96-22 | .509 |
| Wofford          | 24th  | 74-128-31 | .384 |

## SoCon 100th Anniversary

The SoCon is celebrating its 100th anniversary in 2021. The fifth-oldest NCAA Division I college athletic association, the SoCon contested the first-ever collegiate conference basketball tournament in 1921, tackled freshman eligibility in 1922, became the first conference to adopt the 3-point field goal in basketball in 1980 and developed women's championships in 1984.



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## Furman's Gutierrez named SoCon Women's Soccer Player of the Year

### *Chattanooga's McKinney selected Coach of the Year*

**SPARTANBURG, S.C.** – Furman midfielder Isabella Gutierrez has been named the Southern Conference Player of the Year. Chattanooga defender Maggie Shaw was named the Defensive Player of the Year and the Mocs' head coach, Gavin McKinney, was named SoCon Coach of the Year after his squad compiled a 6-2-1 conference record and finished third in the standings, the highest finish in program history. Furman's Nieva Gaither, a midfielder, was tabbed freshman of the year.

The league coaches voted on a pair of all-conference teams, an all-freshman team and the four individual awards. They were not allowed to vote for themselves or their own players. The first team includes 12 players due to a tie in the voting while the second features 11, both voted on by position. The all-freshman team also consists of 11 players but gives no regard to position.

Samford leads the way with six players on the all-conference teams, with Furman and Mercer closely behind with five each. Chattanooga totaled three all-conference selections, while Wofford placed two and The Citadel and UNC Greensboro had one all-conference selection apiece.

Gutierrez finished conference play tied for second in the league in points (10) and points per game (1.25) and was in second in goals (four), and goals per game (0.50). The junior from Statesboro, Georgia, was named the Southern Conference Offensive Player of the Week on March 9 and was honored as the March Offensive Player of the Month. Gutierrez, the first Furman player to be named Player of the Year since 2014, is the seventh Furman player to be honored and the ninth overall recognition for the Paladins as Emily Turgeon and Stephanie DeVita each won the award twice.

Shaw anchored the backline for Chattanooga, leading the Mocs to five shutouts, second-most amongst league teams, and 0.53 goals against average, third in the league. The junior from Columbia, South Carolina, played and started in nine games for the Mocs, who earned a spot in the SoCon tournament semifinals for the first time in program history.

Gaither made a big impact in the Furman lineup, starting all eight games for the Paladins and netting two goals for the squad that is 6-0-2 entering the SoCon semifinals as the No. 2 seed. Her four assists lead the Paladins and are tied for fourth in the conference. The Lilburn, Georgia, native is the SoCon-leading 10th freshman of the year for the Paladins and the second in a row after Jasmine Greene became the first since 2013 when she was honored a season ago.

McKinney, who is in his sixth season as the leader of the Mocs, was named Southern Conference Coach of the Year for the first time in his career. He's just the second coach from Chattanooga to be awarded the honor, joining J.D. Kyzer in 2003. Chattanooga, the No. 3 seed in the SoCon Championship, was one of just two league teams to keep regular-season champion Samford out of the win column this season, as it played to a scoreless draw with the Bulldogs to open league play.

Samford placed a league-best five players on the first team. Forward Taylor Yount, a second-team selection a year ago, was top-5 in league contests in shots and shots per game while adding three goals. Midfielder Alyssa Frazier, defender Lexi Orman, and goalkeeper Morgan McAslan earned spots on the first team for the second consecutive year and are joined by defender Kylie Gazza. Frazier had three assists and two game-winning goals for the Bulldogs, who won at least a share of the regular-season championship for the seventh straight season, while Orman and Gazza anchored the Samford backline and aided McAslan, who led the league in shutouts in conference play, amassing six solo and another combined in just nine games. McAslan, a native of Waterdown, Ontario, Canada, had a league-best 0.22 goals against average in conference play and a .909 save percentage. She was named the SoCon Defensive Player of the Week on March 16 and the March Defensive Player of the Month.

Furman forward Greene, a first-team selection for the second straight season, and midfielder Miya Poplin join Gutierrez on the all-conference first team. Gaither earned a spot on the second team at midfielder and was joined by defender Faith Hauberg. In conference contests, Gaither was fourth in the league in points (eight) and points per game (1.00).

Mercer defender Brie Pavol was the lone first-team selection for the Bears, who placed a league-best four on the second team. Forwards Ally Fordham and Aliah Kitchens were joined by midfielder Ciara Whitely and goalkeeper Jordyn Ebert. Fordham led the league in goals (five) and goals per game (0.62) in conference contests and tied for second with Gutierrez in both points (10) and points per game (1.25). Four of her goals were game-winners, also a league best. Pavol helped anchor the Mercer defense, providing support for Ebert who led the league in saves (48) and saves per game (6.00) in conference action.

Shaw was the lone first-team all-conference selection for Chattanooga, who placed forward Chloe Arnold and defender Lauren Dluzewski on the second team. Arnold amassed seven points in the Mocs' nine conference games and led the team with four goals and nine points overall.

Wofford had two second-team selections, placing forward Rachel Rasins and midfielder Katie Gilligan on the squad. Rasins netted two goals and two assists in eight games played, while Gilligan added three assists for the Terriers.

The Citadel forward Suzuka Yosue, a second-team selection a year ago, was The Citadel's lone selection, claiming a spot on the first team and becoming the first Bulldog to earn first-team honors since midfielder Mariana Garcia in 2012. UNCG defender Ashley Avelino was honored on the second team.

Furman placed three student-athletes on the all-freshman team, while Chattanooga and Wofford both added a pair. ETSU, Mercer, Samford and Western Carolina each placed one.

No. 1 Samford hosts No. 4 Mercer on Friday, April 9, at 2 p.m. CT, while No. 2 Furman hosts No. 3 Chattanooga on Saturday, April 10, at 7 p.m. ET in the SoCon Women's Soccer Championship semifinals. Both contests will air on ESPN+. The championship match, hosted by the highest remaining seed on April 16 or April 17, will also air on ESPN+.

#### Player of the Year –

Isabella Gutierrez, Jr., MF, Furman

#### Defensive Player of the Year –

Maggie Shaw, Jr., D, Chattanooga

#### Coach of the Year –

Gavin McKinney, Chattanooga

#### Freshman of the Year –

Nieva Gaither, MF, Furman

#### 2020-21 All-Conference First Team

F – Suzuka Yosue, The Citadel  
 F – Jasmine Greene, Furman  
 F – Taylor Yount, Samford  
 M – Isabella Gutierrez, Furman  
 M – Miya Poplin, Furman  
 M – Alyssa Frazier, Samford  
 D – Brie Pavol, Mercer  
 D – Kylie Gazza, Samford  
 D – Lexi Orman, Samford  
 D – Maggie Shaw, Chattanooga  
 GK – Morgan McAslan, Samford

#### 2020-21 All-Conference Second Team

F – Ally Fordham, Mercer  
 F – Aliah Kitchens, Mercer  
 F – Caroline Orman, Samford  
 F – Chloe Arnold, Chattanooga  
 F – Rachel Rasins, Wofford  
 M – Nieva Gaither, Furman  
 M – Ciara Whitely, Mercer  
 M – Katie Gilligan, Wofford  
 D – Faith Hauberg, Furman  
 D – Ashley Avelino, UNCG  
 D – Lauren Dluzewski, Chattanooga  
 GK – Jordyn Ebert, Mercer

#### 2020-21 All-Freshman Team

Sinoxolo Cesane, ETSU  
 Addison Corn, Furman  
 Nieva Gaither, Furman  
 Miya Poplin, Furman  
 Kendall Cook, Mercer  
 Ella Simpson, Samford  
 Kendra Mueller, Chattanooga  
 Ao Yamada, Chattanooga  
 Maggie Lloyd, Western Carolina  
 Mia Bookhard, Wofford  
 Olivia Hughes, Wofford

# PRESEASON ALL-CONFERENCE

## SAMFORD PREDICTED TO WIN WOMEN'S SOCCER CHAMPIONSHIP

**SPARTANBURG, S.C.** – For the fifth time in the last six seasons, Samford is the preseason favorite to win the Southern Conference women's soccer title in voting of the league's 10 head coaches. The Bulldogs edged Furman 1-0 in the 2019 Southern Conference Championship to claim their third tournament title and first since 2016.

The coaches also selected a 12-member preseason all-conference team, which features an extra player due to a tie in the voting. Samford picked up a league-best four selections, while Furman claimed three, Mercer claimed two, and The Citadel, UNCG and Chattanooga each placed one on the team.

Coaches were not allowed to vote for their own teams or players in the balloting.

Samford, which garnered seven first-place votes, finished with 79 points. Furman, which played in the championship each of the last two seasons, was second with 74 points, earning the remaining three first-place votes. UNC Greensboro, the 2017 and 2018 SoCon tournament champion, was picked third with 63 points, while Mercer had 53 points to finish fourth. The middle of the poll was tightly packed as Chattanooga (46), Western Carolina (41) and The Citadel (39) were separated by just seven total points and were picked fifth, sixth and seventh, respectively. ETSU was picked eighth with 26 points to edge Wofford (19) by seven points, while VMI rounded out the poll with 10 points.

Samford went 13-4-5 overall last season and 7-1-1 in league play, tying Furman for the top spot in the regular season. The Bulldogs return seven starters from that squad, including four preseason all-conference selections - forward Taylor Yount, midfielder Alyssa Frazier, defender Lexi Orman and goalkeeper Morgan McAslan - all of which were all honored on the 2019 all-conference first team. Yount tied for the league lead in goals (10) and was second in the league in shots (60), points (22) and points per game (1.0) in 2019, while Frazier finished second in assists (nine) and third in assists per game (0.41). McAslan, a junior, boasted a league-best 0.87 goals against average, led the league in solo shutouts (eight) and was also in the top three in both saves (94) and save percentage.

Furman put forward Jasmine Greene, midfielder Isabella Gutierrez and defender Faith Hauberg on the preseason all-conference team. The Paladins went 14-6-1 overall and 7-1-1 in 2019. Greene, the 2019 SoCon Freshman of the Year, and Gutierrez were both first-team all-conference picks last season.

UNCG finished the 2019 campaign 10-8-2 overall and 7-2 in SoCon play, tying for third in the league standings and earning a spot in the SoCon semifinals. Defender Kayla Campbell, a second-team all-conference performer a season ago, represents the Spartans on the preseason all-conference team.

Mercer, which also made an appearance in the tournament semifinals last season after amassing a 16-4 record and finishing 7-2 in league action, put forward Nicole Icen, the 2019 SoCon Player of the Year, and midfielder Ciara Whitely, a 2019 second team all-conference pick, on the preseason all-conference squad. Icen led the league in points (23), points per game (1.28) and goals per game (0.56) and tied for the league lead in total goals (10).

Chattanooga defender Maggie Shaw and The Citadel forward Suzuka Yosue, a second-team all-conference selection a season ago, round out the preseason squad.

The 2021 spring regular season begins on Sunday, Feb. 7, as Mercer and UNCG are in action. ETSU's season begins on Feb. 12, while The Citadel gets underway two days later. Samford, VMI and Western Carolina kick off on Feb. 18 and Chattanooga begins on Feb. 26. Furman begins on Feb. 28, while Wofford is scheduled to play only conference contests, which are set to begin on Friday, March 5.

The SoCon Women's Soccer Championship will feature just the top four seeds as part of the league's cost-cutting initiative. The semifinals, hosted by the highest seeds, will be contested on April 9 or 10 with the finals, hosted by the highest remaining seed, scheduled for April 16 or 17.

### 2020-21 Preseason Coaches' Poll

|                     |    |
|---------------------|----|
| 1. Samford (7)      | 79 |
| 2. Furman (3)       | 74 |
| 3. UNCG             | 63 |
| 4. Mercer           | 53 |
| 5. Chattanooga      | 46 |
| 6. Western Carolina | 41 |
| 7. The Citadel      | 39 |
| 8. ETSU             | 26 |
| 9. Wofford          | 19 |
| 10. VMI             | 10 |

() denotes first-place votes

### 2020-21 Preseason All-Conference Team

|    |                            |
|----|----------------------------|
| F  | Suzuka Yosue, The Citadel  |
| F  | Jasmine Greene, Furman     |
| F  | Nicole Icen, Mercer        |
| F  | Taylor Yount, Samford      |
| MF | Isabella Gutierrez, Furman |
| MF | Ciara Whitely, Mercer      |
| MF | Alyssa Frazier, Samford    |
| D  | Faith Hauberg, Furman      |
| D  | Kayla Campbell, UNCG       |
| D  | Lexi Orman, Samford        |
| D  | Maggie Shaw, Chattanooga   |
| GK | Morgan McAslan, Samford    |

# SoCON OFFENSIVE PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

|          |  |
|----------|--|
| Feb. 23  | ..... Kendall Cook, F/M, Fr., Mercer         |
| March 2  | ..... Chloe Arnold, F, Sr., Chattanooga      |
| March 9  | ..... Isabella Gutierrez, F, Jr., Furman     |
| March 16 | ..... Kendall Mueller, F, R-Fr., Chattanooga |
| March 23 | ..... Nieva Gaither, F, Fr., Furman          |
| March 30 | ..... Rea Syska, MF, So., Western Carolina   |
| April 6  | ..... Kylie Gazza, D, So., Samford           |

# SoCON DEFENSIVE PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

|          |  |
|----------|--|
| Feb. 23  | ..... Melody Mezzina, GK, So., WCU         |
| March 2  | ..... Aiyanah Tyler-Cooper, GK, Sr, UNCG   |
| March 9  | ..... Ashton Shields, GK, Jr., Chattanooga |
| March 16 | ..... Morgan McAslan, GK, Jr., Samford     |
| March 23 | ..... Addison Corn, GK, Fr., Furman        |
| March 30 | ..... Maggie Shaw, D, Jr., Chattanooga     |
| April 6  | ..... Maria Mon, GK, Jr., Wofford          |

# SoCON PLAYERS OF THE MONTH

## February

|                |                                |
|----------------|--------------------------------|
| Offensive..... | Kendall Cook, F/M, Fr., Mercer |
| Defensive..... | Melody Mezzina, GK, So., WCU   |

## March

|                |                                    |
|----------------|------------------------------------|
| Offensive..... | Isabella Gutierrez, F, Jr., Furman |
| Defensive..... | Morgan McAslan, GK, Jr., Samford   |



### The Citadel

(7-9-3, 1-6-1 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 (2OT) |
| O3  | at Belmont Abbey.....      | W, 1-0       |
| O10 | at Mercer.....             | W, 3-2       |
| O16 | GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....      | W, 3-0       |
| F14 | at Anderson.....           | W, 4-1       |
| F19 | JACKSONVILLE.....          | W, 1-0       |
| F23 | NORTH FLORIDA.....         | L, 1-2       |
| M5  | *at Wofford.....           | L, 0-2       |
| M7  | *at Furman.....            | L, 0-1       |
| M12 | *MERCER.....               | L, 1-2 (OT)  |
| M19 | *VMI.....                  | W, 3-0       |
| M21 | *UNCG.....                 | L, 1-3       |
| M26 | *at Chattanooga.....       | L, 0-1       |
| M28 | *at Samford.....           | L, 0-3       |
| A1  | *ETSU.....                 | CANC.        |
| A3  | *WESTERN CAROLINA.....     | T, 1-1 (2OT) |



### ETSU

(1-6-1, 1-4-1 SoCon)

|     |                           |              |
|-----|---------------------------|--------------|
| F13 | MARSHALL.....             | L, 1-2 (OT)  |
| F21 | LIPSCOMB.....             | L, 1-2       |
| M5  | *UNCG.....                | W, 2-1       |
| M7  | *VMI.....                 | T, 1-1 (2OT) |
| M12 | *at Chattanooga.....      | L, 1-2 (2OT) |
| M14 | *at Samford.....          | L, 0-5       |
| M19 | *at Western Carolina..... | L, 0-3       |
| M26 | *WOFFORD.....             | L, 0-1       |
| M28 | *FURMAN.....              | CANC.        |
| A1  | *at The Citadel.....      | CANC.        |
| A3  | *at Mercer.....           | CANC.        |



### Furman

(6-0-2, 6-0-2 SoCon)

|     |                           |              |
|-----|---------------------------|--------------|
| M5  | *MERCER.....              | W, 2-1 (2OT) |
| M7  | *THE CITADEL.....         | W, 1-0       |
| M12 | *at VMI.....              | W, 2-0       |
| M14 | *at UNCG.....             | W, 1-0       |
| M19 | *CHATTANOOGA.....         | W, 2-0       |
| M21 | *SAMFORD.....             | T, 1-1       |
| M26 | *at Western Carolina..... | W, 3-1       |
| M28 | *at ETSU.....             | CANC.        |
| A2  | *at Wofford.....          | T, 1-1 (2OT) |



### Mercer

(8-9-1, 5-3-0 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.....    | L, 1-2       |
| O17 | UAB.....                 | L, 1-2       |
| F7  | at UAB.....              | L, 1-2       |
| F11 | WESLEYAN.....            | W, 13-0      |
| F21 | KENNESAW STATE.....      | W, 1-0       |
| F28 | TROY.....                | L, 0-1 (OT)  |
| M5  | *at Furman.....          | L, 1-2 (2OT) |
| M7  | *at Wofford.....         | W, 2-1 (OT)  |
| M12 | *at The Citadel.....     | W, 2-1 (OT)  |
| M19 | *UNCG.....               | W, 1-0       |
| M21 | *VMI.....                | W, 3-1       |
| M26 | *at Samford.....         | L, 1-2       |
| M28 | *at Chattanooga.....     | L, 0-1       |
| A1  | *WESTERN CAROLINA.....   | W, 3-1       |
| A3  | *ETSU.....               | CANC.        |



### UNCG

(4-5-2, 4-4-1 SoCon)

|     |                           |              |
|-----|---------------------------|--------------|
| F7  | UNCW.....                 | PPD          |
| F13 | at High Point.....        | L, 0-2       |
| F24 | at NC State.....          | T, 0-0 (2OT) |
| F27 | at Elon.....              | PPD          |
| M5  | *at ETSU.....             | L, 1-2       |
| M7  | *at Western Carolina..... | W, 2-0       |
| M12 | *WOFFORD.....             | T, 0-0 (2OT) |
| M14 | *FURMAN.....              | L, 0-1       |
| M19 | *at Mercer.....           | L, 0-1       |
| M21 | *at The Citadel.....      | W, 3-1       |
| M28 | *at VMI.....              | W, 1-0       |
| A1  | *CHATTANOOGA.....         | W, 1-0       |
| A3  | *SAMFORD.....             | L, 0-2       |



### Samford

(7-1-3, 7-0-2 SoCon)

|     |                        |              |
|-----|------------------------|--------------|
| F18 | UAB (ESPN+).....       | T, 1-1 (2OT) |
| F25 | at Ole Miss.....       | L, 0-1       |
| M5  | *at Chattanooga.....   | T, 0-0 (2OT) |
| M12 | *WESTERN CAROLINA..... | W, 3-0       |
| M14 | *ETSU.....             | W, 5-0       |
| M19 | *at Wofford.....       | W, 2-0       |
| M21 | *at Furman.....        | T, 1-1 (2OT) |
| M26 | *MERCER.....           | W, 2-1       |
| M28 | *THE CITADEL.....      | W, 3-0       |
| A1  | *at VMI.....           | W, 2-0       |
| A3  | *at UNCG.....          | W, 2-0       |



**Chattanooga**  
(7-2-1, 6-1-1 SoCon)

|     |                        |              |
|-----|------------------------|--------------|
| F26 | NORTH ALABAMA.....     | W, 2-0       |
| M5  | *SAMFORD.....          | T, 0-0 (2OT) |
| M12 | *ETSU.....             | W, 2-1 (2OT) |
| M14 | *WESTERN CAROLINA..... | W, 2-1       |
| M19 | *at Furman.....        | L, 0-2       |
| M21 | *at Wofford.....       | W, 1-0       |
| M26 | *THE CITADEL.....      | W, 1-0       |
| M28 | *MERCER.....           | W, 1-0       |
| A1  | *at UNCG.....          | L, 0-1       |
| A3  | *at VMI.....           | W, 2-0       |



**VMI**  
(1-8-2, 0-8-1 SoCon)

|     |                           |              |
|-----|---------------------------|--------------|
| F23 | at Southern Virginia..... | W, 5-0       |
| F28 | at Davidson.....          | T, 1-1 (2OT) |
| M5  | *at Western Carolina..... | L, 0-3       |
| M7  | *at ETSU.....             | T, 1-1 (2OT) |
| M12 | *FURMAN.....              | L, 0-2       |
| M14 | *WOFFORD.....             | L, 2-4       |
| M19 | *at The Citadel.....      | L, 0-3       |
| M21 | *at Mercer.....           | L, 1-3       |
| M28 | *UNCG.....                | L, 0-1       |
| A1  | *SAMFORD.....             | L, 0-2       |
| A3  | *CHATTANOOGA.....         | L, 0-2       |



**Western Carolina**  
(4-7-1, 3-5-1 SoCon)

|     |                      |              |
|-----|----------------------|--------------|
| F18 | CHARLOTTE.....       | W, 1-0 (OT)  |
| F21 | DAVIDSON.....        | L, 0-1       |
| F25 | at Liberty.....      | L, 0-1       |
| M5  | *VMI.....            | W, 3-0       |
| M7  | *UNCG.....           | L, 0-2       |
| M12 | *at Samford.....     | L, 0-3       |
| M14 | *at Chattanooga..... | L, 1-2       |
| M19 | *ETSU.....           | W, 3-0       |
| M26 | *FURMAN.....         | L, 1-3       |
| M28 | *WOFFORD.....        | W, 3-1       |
| A1  | *at Mercer.....      | L, 1-3       |
| A3  | *at The Citadel..... | T, 1-1 (2OT) |



**Wofford**  
(3-4-2, 3-4-2 SoCon)

|     |                           |              |
|-----|---------------------------|--------------|
| M5  | *THE CITADEL.....         | W, 2-0       |
| M7  | *MERCER.....              | L, 1-2 (OT)  |
| M12 | *at UNCG.....             | T, 0-0 (2OT) |
| M14 | *at VMI.....              | W, 4-2       |
| M19 | *SAMFORD.....             | L, 0-2       |
| M21 | *CHATTANOOGA.....         | L, 0-1       |
| M26 | *at ETSU.....             | W, 1-0       |
| M28 | *at Western Carolina..... | L, 1-3       |
| A2  | *FURMAN.....              | T, 1-1 (2OT) |