

# NORTH TEXAS

## 2016 SOFTBALL NOTES

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### 2016 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT/TIME
Feb. 12	at #13 Arizona - ^	7 p.m.
	vs. Nebraska-Omaha - ^	9 p.m.
Feb. 13	vs. UC Santa Barbara - ^	12 p.m.
	vs. Southern Utah - ^	2 p.m.
Feb. 14	vs. Purdue - ^	10 a.m.
Feb. 19	vs. Northwestern State - &	10 a.m.
	vs. Liberty - &	12:30 p.m.
Feb. 20	at #16 Baylor - &	12:30 p.m.
	TBA - &	3 or 5 p.m.
Feb. 21	TBA - &	9:30 a.m. or 12 p.m.
Feb. 27	SAM HOUSTON STATE - %	1 p.m.
	CREIGHTON - %	3:30 p.m.
Feb. 28	CREIGHTON - %	11 a.m.
	SAM HOUSTON STATE - %	1 p.m.
Mar. 3	MCNEESE STATE	6 p.m.
Mar. 4	UT MARTIN - \$	3:30 p.m.
Mar. 5	NICHOLLS STATE - \$	2:30 p.m.
	UT MARTIN - \$	4:30 p.m.
Mar. 6	NICHOLLS STATE - \$	11 a.m.
	HOUSTON BAPTIST - \$	1 p.m.
Mar. 9	at Texas	TBA
Mar. 12	at UTSA* (DH)	1/3 p.m.
Mar. 13	at UTSA	1 p.m.
Mar. 15	at Incarnate Word	TBA
Mar. 19	MARSHALL* (DH)	1/3 p.m.
Mar. 20	MARSHALL*	1 p.m.
Mar. 22	at Stephen F. Austin	2/4 p.m.
Mar. 25	at Western Kentucky* (DH)	3/5 p.m.
Mar. 26	at Western Kentucky*	12 p.m.
Mar. 30	at #16 Baylor	6 p.m.
April 2	FIU* (DH)	1/3 p.m.
April 3	FIU*	1 p.m.
April 6	UT ARLINGTON	6 p.m.
April 8	at Kansas - #	5 p.m.
April 9	vs. Georgia Tech - #	11 a.m.
April 9	at Kansas - #	1:30 p.m.
April 10	vs. Georgia Tech - #	9 a.m.
April 13	at #8 Oklahoma	6 p.m.
April 16	at Southern Miss* (DH)	1/3 p.m.
April 17	at Southern Miss*	1 p.m.
April 23	LOUISIANA TECH* (DH)	1/3 p.m.
April 24	LOUISIANA TECH*	1/3 p.m.
April 27	TEXAS TECH (DH)	1/3 p.m.
April 30	at UTEP* (DH)	2/4 p.m.
May 1	at UTEP*	2 p.m.
May 7	UAB* (DH)	1/3 p.m.
May 8	UAB*	1 p.m.
May 11-14	Conference USA Tournament	TBA

^ - Hillenbrand Invitational (Tucson, Ariz.)  
 & - Getteman Classic (Waco, Texas)  
 % - North Texas Invitational (Denton, Texas)  
 \$ - Mean Green Spring Fling (Denton, Texas)  
 # - Kansas Round Robin (Lawrence, Kan.)  
 \* - Conference USA game

HOME GAMES INDICATED IN BOLD AND CAPS  
 All times Central and subject to change



**NORTH TEXAS  
 MEAN GREEN  
 (0-0)**

**HEAD COACH: TRACEY KEE**  
 At North Texas: 50-53  
 CAREER: 734-415-1

**Dates:** Feb. 12-14, 2015

**Location:** Tucson, Ariz.

**Venue:** Hillenbrand Stadium

**Capacity:** 2,956

**Live Stream:**

pac-12.com/live/university-arizona

Live Stats: arizonalivestats.com

Twitter Updates: @MeanGreenSB

**Opponents:**

Arizona

Nebraska-Omaha

UC Santa Barbara

Southern Utah

Purdue



### NORTH TEXAS WEEKEND SCHEDULE

Feb. 12	at #13 Arizona (0-0)	live stats, video	Tucson, Ariz.	7 p.m.
Feb. 12	vs. Nebraska-Omaha (0-0)	live stats	Tucson, Ariz.	9 p.m.
Feb. 13	vs. UC Santa Barbara (0-0)	live stats, video	Tucson, Ariz.	12 p.m.
Feb. 13	vs. Southern Utah (0-0)	live stats, video	Tucson, Ariz.	2 p.m.
Feb. 14	vs. Purdue (0-0)	live stats, video	Tucson, Ariz.	10 a.m.

### NORTH TEXAS QUICK HITS

- North Texas garnered 41 points and was picked to finish 10th of 12 teams in the Conference USA preseason poll. Florida Atlantic, with nine first-place votes and 141 of a maximum 144 points, was tabbed as the favorite.
- North Texas finished the 2015 season with a 19-31 overall record and 11-12 Conference USA record, finishing in seventh place in the regular season standings and advancing to the Conference USA Tournament for the second straight season.
- This year's team returns four letterwinners in junior pitcher Stacey Underwood, junior infielder Kelli Schkade, senior catcher Bryana Wade and senior infielder Karly Williams and adds 11 newcomers.
- North Texas head coach Tracey Kee will be entering her third season at the helm as one of the winningest active head coaches in NCAA Division I, boasting a career record of 734-415-1.
- North Texas is a combined 0-3 against its five opponents this weekend. The Mean Green is 0-1 against Arizona, Nebraska-Omaha and Purdue and is facing UC Santa Barbara and Southern Utah for the first time.

### 2016 MEAN GREEN (2015 STATS)

#### BATTING

No.	Name	Pos.	Yr.	B/T	GP-GS	AVG	R	RBI	Notes
3	Harley Perella	UTIL	Fr.	R/R	-	-	-	-	District Off. Player of the Year in '13, '14
4	Bailey Thompson	OF	Fr.	L/R	-	-	-	-	COAC Def. Player of the Year in 2014
5	Kay Kay Hayter	UTIL	Fr.	L/R	-	-	-	-	First Team All-District in '13, '15
8	Casady Webb	UTIL	Fr.	R/R	-	-	-	-	All-Conference MVP in '13, '14
9	Kelli Schkade	IF	Jr.	R/R	50-50	.250	31	16	Started all 50 games at shortstop in 2015
11	Karly Williams	UTIL	Sr.	R/R	47-45	.165	12	14	Made 45 starts, 39 at second base, in 2015
12	Makenzi Dawson	IF	Fr.	L/R	-	-	-	-	TGCA All-State Team selection
14	Hannah Gerecke	OF	Fr.	R/R	-	-	-	-	Texas 3A State Champion in 2014
18	Danielle Gregory	OF	Jr.	R/R	-	-	-	-	NTJCAC Second Team All-Conference
21	Rhylic Makawe	UTIL	Fr.	R/R	-	-	-	-	Two-time State Champion in '14, '15
22	Lauren Miller	INF	So.	R/R	-	-	-	-	2011 Oklahoma 4A State Champion
23	Bryana Wade	C	Sr.	R/R	31-20	.250	10	5	Threw out 23 runners in 2014

#### PITCHING

No.	Name	Pos.	Yr.	W-L	ERA	IP	BB	SO	Notes
10	Lauren Craine	RHP	Fr.	-	-	-	-	-	Two-time State Champion in '14, '15
15	Stacey Underwood	RHP	Jr.	8-7	3.99	93.0	36	22	Led the team in ERA in 2015
17	Jessica Elder	LHP	Jr.	-	-	-	-	-	Finished fourth at NJCAA Nationals

## North Texas Quick Facts

**Founded:** 1890  
**Location:** Denton, Texas  
**Enrollment:** 36, 221  
**President:** Dr. Neal Smatresk  
**Nickname:** Mean Green  
**Colors:** Green and White  
**Affiliation:** Division I-A  
**Conference:** Conference USA  
**Athletic Director:** Rick Villarreal

## Softball Staff

**Head Coach:** Tracey Kee (East Carolina '90)  
**Record at North Texas:** 50-53 (third season)  
**Overall Record:** 734-415-1 (18 seasons)  
**Associate Head Coach:** Natalie Kozlowski (second season)  
**Assistant Coach:** Christina Merrida (second season)  
**Volunteer Assistant Coach:** Greg Higginbotham (first season)  
**Athletic Trainer:** Alex Crawford  
**Softball Office Phone Number:** 940.369.7958

## Facility Information

**Home Field:** Lovelace Stadium  
**Capacity:** 371  
**Pressbox Phone:** 940.369.7777  
**Field Dimensions:** Left Field: 200 ft./Center Field: 220 ft./Right Field: 200 ft.  
**Outfield Fence Height:** 6 ft  
**Record at Lovelace Stadium:** 120-92-1 (nine seasons)

## Softball History

**First Era of Softball:** 1985-88  
**Record:** 37-136  
**First Year in New Era:** 2004  
**Record in New Era:** 292-383-1  
**All-Time Record:** 329-519-1

## 2016 Preview

**2015 Record:** 19-31  
**2015 Conference USA Record:** 11-12 (seventh place in regular season)  
**Conference Tournament Finish:** Tied for fifth  
**Letterwinners Returning/Lost:** 4/13  
**Starters Returning/Lost:** 3/5  
**Pitchers Returning/Lost:** 1/3  
**Newcomers:** 11

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## ■ Leading Off

North Texas has posted a 4-6 record in games played during the opening weekend of the season, including a 1-1 record in season openers, under head coach Tracey Kee. The Mean Green posted a 2-3 record during the opening weekend of both the 2014 and 2015 seasons.

## ■ Power-Five Competition

North Texas will face its first two of eight power-five conference opponents in No. 13 Arizona from the Pac-12 Conference and Purdue from the Big Ten Conference. The Mean Green enter the weekend 0-11 all-time against Pac-12 opponents and 1-5 all-time against Big Ten opponents. Other power-five conference opponents on the 2016 schedule include No. 16 Baylor, Texas, Kansas, Georgia Tech and No. 8 Oklahoma.

## ■ Measuring Stick Game Early

For the second time in three seasons, North Texas will face a nationally-ranked opponent (No. 13 Arizona) during the opening weekend of the season. The Mean Green battled No. 23 Georgia in 2014, falling to the nationally-ranked Bulldogs by a score of 10-2 in Athens.

## ■ Nationally-Ranked Trio On Tap

North Texas will play three teams ranked in each of the USA Today/NFCA Coaches and ESPN.com/USA Softball Top 25 preseason polls in No. 9/8 Oklahoma, No. 13/15 Arizona and No. 16/16 Baylor. Other teams on the 2016 schedule include Kansas and Texas, which are receiving votes in both polls, and UAB and Western Kentucky, which are receiving votes in the NFCA Coaches poll. The Mean Green enter the 2016 season 9-89 all-time against top-25 opponent, including a historic win over No. 7 Baylor this past season.

## ■ NCAA Tournament Tested

In addition to three teams nationally-ranked in the top 25 preseason polls, North Texas will face five 2015 NCAA Tournament teams, as the program pursues its first-ever NCAA Tournament appearances in its own right. NCAA Tournament teams from last season on the schedule include Super Regional participants in Arizona and Oklahoma, the defending Big 12 champion, and Conference USA regular-season and tournament champion Western Kentucky, as well as Baylor and Texas from the Big 12 Conference.

## ■ Experience Up The Middle

North Texas fielded a .978 clip in 2015, a program all-time best and the fifth-best mark in the nation last season. Among the four returners are returning starters Kelli Schkade (shortstop), Karly Williams (second base) and Bryana Wade (catcher), who combined for 130 starts and 133 games played in 2015.

## ■ Year Two In The Circle For Underwood

North Texas lost three pitchers from last season, but they return a good one in Stacey Underwood, who looks to improve upon her debut season in 2015 that saw her post an 8-7 record with a save and team-best 3.99 ERA. She ranked second on the team in appearances (28) and games started (16) and tossed four complete games, including a five-hit shutout performance against Southern Miss.

## ■ Texas State Champions Incoming

Among the 11 newcomers for North Texas are a trio of Texas state championship winner in freshmen Lauren Craine (Aledo HS, Aledo, Texas), Rhyllie Makawe (Aledo HS, Aledo, Texas) and Hannah Gerecke (La Grange HS, La Grange, Texas). Craine and Makawe were two-time state champions, with Makawe earning All-State Tournament MVP honors in 2014 and Craine All-State Tournament MVP honors in 2015. Gerecke was a Texas 3A State Champion in 2014.

## 2016 ROSTER

No.	Name	Ht.	Yr.	Pos.	B/T	Hometown/Previous School
10	Lauren Craine	5-7	Fr.	P	R/R	Aledo, TX (Aledo HS)
12	Makenzi Dawson	5-8	Fr.	IF	L/R	Robinson, TX (Robinson HS)
17	Jessica Elder	5-6	Jr.	P	R/L	Cedar Park, TX (Howard College)
14	Hannah Gerecke	5-7	Fr.	OF	R/R	La Grange, TX (La Grange HS)
18	Danielle Gregory	5-7	Jr.	OF	R/R	Winnsboro, TX (McLennan CC)
5	Kay Kay Hayter	5-6	Fr.	UT	L/R	Garrison, TX (Garrison HS)
21	Rhyllie Makawe	5-5.5	Fr.	UT	R/R	Aledo, TX (Aledo HS)
22	Lauren Miller	5-11	So.	IF	R/R	Blanchard, OK (East Central University)
3	Harley Perella	5-5	Fr.	UT	R/R	Frisco, TX (Heritage HS)
9	Kelli Schkade	5-7	Jr.	IF	R/R	Albany, TX (Missouri)
4	Bailey Thompson	5-4	Fr.	OF	L/R	Edmond, OK (Deer Creek HS)
15	Stacey Underwood	5-10	Jr.	P	R/R	Hico, TX (McLennan CC)
23	Bryana Wade	5-8	Sr.	C	R/R	Choctaw, OK (Mount St. Mary HS)
8	Casady Webb	5-4	Fr.	UT	R/R	Davis, OK (Davis HS)
11	Karly Williams	5-7	Sr.	UT	R/R	Castroville, TX (Medina Valley HS)



**CONFERENCE USA PRESEASON POLL ANNOUNCED**

Florida Atlantic, with nine first place votes and 141 of a maximum possible 144 points, has been tabbed as the favorite to take the 2016 Conference USA softball crown, as selected by the league's 12 head coaches. UAB's Caitlin Attfield, the reigning 2015 C-USA player of the year, was named the 2016 preseason player of the year. For the second-consecutive season, Florida Atlantic snagged preseason pitcher of the year honors, thanks to junior ace Kylee Hanson.

After finishing second to WKU in both regular season and tournament action a year ago, the Owls look poised to reload and get over the hump in 2016. Joan Joyce's squad returns 12 of 16 players from her 2015 roster, including a scary pitching duo of Hanson and Amanda Wilson, who shutout eventual national champion Florida through seven innings in the Gainesville regional last year.

Marshall, voted a close second in the poll, picked up two first place votes and landed a league-most four athletes on the preseason All-Conference USA squad. The Thundering Herd return a stock of talent including 2015 C-USA freshman of the year Elicia D'Orazio, Team USA member Morgan Zerkle and 33-game winner Jordan Dixon.

After nearly knocking off the eventual C-USA champion Lady Toppers in the semifinals in 2015, UAB is slated to challenge for this year's championship once again after being tabbed third in the preseason poll. Head coach Marla Townsend has the Blazers aimed at a return trip to the NCAA Tournament (2014), led by Conference USA preseason player of the year Attfield and preseason All-C-USA member Sara Beth Williamson, both of which earned first team honors at the conclusion of last season.

The 2016 Conference USA Championship is slated to take place May 11-14 at Lovelace Stadium, hosted by North Texas, in Denton, Texas. The league's top eight teams in the final regular season standings qualify for the tournament, with the first round being a single elimination format and the quarterfinals/semifinals being a double elimination format. The championship game will be televised live nationally by CBS Sports Networks.

**CONFERENCE USA  
PRESEASON POLL**

1. Florida Atlantic (9)
2. Marshall (2)
3. UAB
4. UTSA (1)
5. Louisiana Tech
6. FIU
7. Charlotte
8. WKU
9. UTEP
10. North Texas
11. Middle Tennessee
12. Southern Miss

**USA Today/NFCA Coaches Top 25  
PRESEASON**

Rank	Team	2015 Record	Final 2015
1.	Florida (26)	60-7	1
2.	Michigan (2)	60-8	2
3.	LSU (2)	52-14	4
4.	Auburn (1)	56-11	3
5.	Alabama (1)	48-15	6
6.	Oregon	51-8	7
7.	UCLA	51-12	5
8.	Tennessee	47-17	8
9.	Oklahoma	49-9	9
10.	Florida State	49-14	10
11.	Louisiana-Lafayette	42-12	11
12.	Georgia	44-17	12
13.	Arizona	41-20	13
14.	Minnesota	49-11	15
15.	Missouri	42-16	14
16.	Baylor	41-17	18
17.	UCF	50-9	16
18.	Kentucky	32-26	17
19.	James Madison	48-10	22
20.	Washington	42-7	21
21.	California	39-18	23
22.	Arizona State	36-22	20
23.	North Carolina State	38-22	19
24.	Notre Dame	42-15	t-25
25.	South Alabama	40-13	23

Others Receiving Votes: Texas A&M, North Dakota State, Utah, Hofstra, Nebraska, Texas, Northwestern, Ohio State, North Carolina, Florida Atlantic, Mississippi State, USC Upstate, UAB, Western Kentucky, Fresno State, Kansas, Louisville, Pittsburgh.

**ESPN.com/USA Softball Top 25  
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8.	Oklahoma	49-9	9
9.	Tennessee	47-17	8
10.	Florida State	49-14	10
11.	Louisiana-Lafayette	42-12	11
12.	Missouri	42-16	12
13.	Minnesota	49-11	15
14.	Georgia	44-17	13
15.	Arizona	41-20	14
16.	Baylor	41-17	18
17.	UCF	50-9	16
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21.	James Madison	48-10	22
22.	California	39-18	23
23.	Utah	36-19	25
24.	Texas A&M	40-20	RV
25.	North Carolina State	38-22	19

Others Receiving Votes: Notre Dame, North Dakota State, Texas, USC Upstate, Virginia Tech, Fresno State, Hofstra, South Alabama, Kansas, Northwestern, North Carolina, San Diego State, Texas State, Nebraska, Ohio State, Mississippi State, South Carolina.

**2016 C-USA SOFTBALL PRESEASON TEAM**

Player	School	Pos.	Class	Hometown
Kylee Hanson	Florida Atlantic	P	Jr.	Jupiter, Fla.
Jordan Dixon	Marshall	P	Jr.	Edmond, Okla.
Lexi Betancourt	Charlotte	P	Sr.	Garner, N.C.
Krysta Tutsch	Louisiana Tech	C	Sr.	Davenport, Iowa
Morgan Harris	Middle Tennessee	C	So.	Cookeville, Tenn.
Caitlin Attfield	UAB	IF	Sr.	Niagara Falls, N.Y.
Stephanie Teixeira	FIU	IF	Jr.	Miami, Fla.
Sara Beth Williamson	UAB	IF	Sr.	Gardendale, Ala.
Emily Lochten	Florida Atlantic	IF	So.	Lake Worth, Fla.
Elicia D'Orazio	Marshall	IF	So.	Clermont, Fla.
Morgan Zerkle	Marshall	OF	Jr.	Milton, W. Va.
Kendall Burton	UTSA	OF	So.	Missouri City, Texas
Kaelynn Greene	Marshall	OF	Sr.	Eastvale, Calif.
Christina Martinez	Florida Atlantic	OF	Sr.	Miami, Fla.
Kawehiokalani Netane	UTEP	DP/UT	Sr.	Orlando, Fla.

**2016 PRESEASON PLAYER OF THE YEAR**

Caitlin Attfield, UAB, Sr.

**2016 PRESEASON PITCHER OF THE YEAR**

Kylee Hanson, Florida Atlantic, Jr.



# Tracey Kee

**Head Coach**

**Third Year ▶ East Carolina '90**

Tracey Kee is entering her third season at North Texas as

one of the winningest active coaches in NCAA Division I, boasting a career record of 734-415-1. Hired in August 2013, she became the fourth Mean Green softball head coach in the current era. In her two years, Kee has led the program to record heights and several program records and firsts.

Most notably, Kee took the Mean Green to the most wins in the program's 11-year history with 31 in 2014. The following year, North Texas upset No. 7 Baylor on the road in Waco, the highest ranked team that the Mean Green have defeated in program history and just their second-ever top-25 win.

The Mean Green has seen four different players earn all-conference honors under Kee, including Kat Strunk, a two-time honoree and the 2014 C-USA Newcomer of the Year, the first specialty award in program history.

In 2015, Taylor Schoblocher earned Amateur Softball Association/USA Softball National Player of the Week honors, the program's first national award.

As a team, under Kee, the Mean Green has set several records, including the most conference wins (14), most runs scored (272), most RBI (242), highest batting average (.279), highest fielding percentage (.978) and fewest errors committed (30).

In 2014, Ashley Kirk broke the single-season wins record with 22 victories and single-season strikeout record with 214. In 2015, Schoblocher set the single-season marks for on-base percentage (.477) and slugging percentage (.833) and finished with the second-best single-season batting average (.389) and second-most home runs (17) and total bases (120).

Off the field, North Texas softball graduates Lauren Poole and Madison Thompson were awarded the Jim Castaneda Postgraduate Scholarship in consecutive years, the first and second North Texas athletes to receive the honor in school's first two years of conference membership.

Prior to North Texas, Kee compiled a 684-362 record in 16 seasons as the East Carolina head coach, and guided the Pirates to four NCAA Tournament appearances including three in her last five years.

Kee and her staff were also named a National Fastpitch Coaches Association Mideast Region Coaching Staff of the Year honoree twice.

She also captured nine league championships, with back-to-back C-USA Tournament titles in 2010 and 2011. From 2009 to 2011, no Conference USA program won more games than East Carolina's 125.

ECU recorded 41 victories in 2011 to become only the fourth team in C-USA history to win 40 or more games in three-straight seasons. Kee's clubs have reached the 40-victory plateau 12 of her 16 seasons. Four times her teams have tallied 50 or more wins, including the 2000 group she directed to a school-record 60 victories. Personally, she reached the 650-win threshold as a head coach in 2011.

ECU won its first C-USA titles in 2010, claiming both the regular season and tournament titles before repeating as tournament champions in 2011.

In just her first season as head coach in 1997, Kee's team posted a 49-24 record, and she was named Big South Coach of the Year. Two seasons later, in 1999, East Carolina won 50 games and made its first-ever appearance in the NCAA Tournament.

Under Kee's tutelage, many players have earned all-conference and all-region honors. During her time in the Big South, she led 11 all-conference players, two Rookie of the Year selections, the league's tournament MVP, Denise Reagan, in 1999 and the two-time league player-of-the-year in Polonius (1998 and 1999).

The accolades continued in Conference USA as Kee's players received 12 first-team selections and 15 second-team honors. Additionally, 14 student-athletes have been named to the all-rookie team with two named the league's freshman of the year.

In 2009, Kee led Toni Paisley to Conference USA Female Athlete of the Year honors, becoming just the second softball selection in league history. Kee

## The Kee File

**Age:** 48

**Hometown:** Richmond, Virginia

**High School:** Saint Gertrude (Va.) H.S.

**Alma Mater**

East Carolina University, 1990 (B.S.)

East Carolina University, 1995 (M.E.)

### Coaching Career

**Overall Record:** 734-415-1 (18 Years)

**Record At North Texas:** 50-53 (Third Year)

### Coaching Experience

**2013-present:** University of North Texas, Head Coach

**1997-2012:** East Carolina University, Head Coach

**1991-96:** East Carolina University, Assistant Coach

### Championships Won

**1997** - Big South Regular Season

**1998** - Big South Regular Season

**1999** - Big South Regular Season  
Big South Tournament

**2000** - East Coast Athletic Conference  
Tournament

**2001** - East Coast Athletic Conference  
Tournament

**2010** - Conference USA Regular Season  
Conference USA Tournament

**2011** - Conference USA Tournament

### Coaching Awards

**2010 & 2011-** NCAA Mideast Coaching Staff of the Year

**2005, 2009 & 2010** - Conference USA Coach of the Year

**1997** - Big South Conference Coach of the Year

### Collegiate Experience

**1987-1990:** East Carolina

\* Four-year starter at catcher or third base, two-time captain, recipient of the Texas Gulf Outstanding Female Scholar-Athlete Award

### Accolades

\* Inducted into the Saint Gertrude High School Athletic Hall of Fame in Richmond, Virginia

\* Inducted into into the Central Virginia ASA Hall of Fame

\* Won three USSSA All-World titles in slow-pitch

also helped Paisley to three-straight C-USA Pitcher of the Year awards from 2009-11 and to Louisville Slugger/NFCA Third-Team All-America honors in 2010. Six players have also received all-region recognition under Kee since joining C-USA.

Kee played her high school ball at Saint Gertrude in Richmond, Va., from 1983-86 before a stellar career for East Carolina from 1987-1990. In 2009, she was inducted into the St. Gertrude Athletic Hall of Fame. In 2014, she was inducted into the Central Virginia ASA Hall of Fame.

She graduated from ECU in May 1990 with a bachelor's degree in physical education and, in 1995, earned her master's degree from ECU in exercise and sport science with a concentration in physical education.

**WINNINGEST ACTIVE  
COACHES BY  
PERCENTAGE**

(Entering 2016 Season)

1. Michael Lotief, La.-Lafayette	.800
36. Tory Acheson, Kennesaw State	.646
37. Donna Papa, North Carolina	.646
38. Kate Drohan, Northwestern	.641
39. Becky Clark, South Alabama	.641
40. Jana McGinnis, Jacksonville State	.640
41. Bridget Orchard, Fordham	.638
<b>42. Tracey Kee, North Texas</b>	<b>.638</b>
43. Frank Griffin, Stetson	.636
44. Shawn Rychik, NC State	.634
45. Frank Reed, Chattanooga	.629
46. Lonni Alameda, Florida State	.629
47. Mary-Ellen Hall, Houston Baptist	.629
48. Linda Kalafatis, Col. of Charleston	.626
49. Kathy Riley, Longwood	.625
50. Craig Nicholson, Arizona State	.622

**WINNINGEST ACTIVE  
COACHES BY  
VICTORIES**

(Entering 2016 Season)

1. Carol Hutchins, Michigan	1,432
27. Connie Clark, Texas	769
28. Jana McGinnis, Jacksonville State	762
29. Mary-Ellen Hall, Houston Baptist	743
30. Jacquie Joseph, Michigan State	742
31. Julie Brzezinski, Fairfield	741
32. Glenn Moore, Baylor	741
<b>33. Tracey Kee, North Texas</b>	<b>734</b>
34. Renee Luers-Gillispie, UCF	728
35. Scot Thomas, Virginia Tech	723
36. Mark Cooke, Winthrop	708
37. Holly Hesse, Missouri State	704
38. Kathy Van Wyk	703
39. Gary Ferrin, Loyola Marymount	693
40. Fran Troyan, Lehigh	685
41. Brian Kolze, Pacific	681

**KEE YEAR-BY-YEAR**

Year	School	Overall	Conference	Highlights
1997	East Carolina	49-24	13-3	ECU school record for wins; Big South Conference Regular Season Champions
1998	East Carolina	43-21	14-2	Big South Conference Regular Season Champions
1999	East Carolina	50-20	11-3	Big South Conference Regular Season Champions; Big South Conference Tournament Champions; NCAA Regionals
2000	East Carolina	60-17	2-8	ECU school record for wins; Big South Conference Regular Season Champions; Big South Conference Tournament Champions; NCAA Regionals
2001	East Carolina	51-23	3-7	ECAC Champions
2002	East Carolina	38-26	10-13	Conference-USA Tournament Participant
2003	East Carolina	24-31	5-19	
2004	East Carolina	47-24-1	10-14	Conference-USA Tournament Participant
2005	East Carolina	55-19	17-7	Conference-USA Tournament Participant
2006	East Carolina	40-24	13-11	Conference-USA Tournament Participant
2007	East Carolina	40-20	14-9	Conference-USA Tournament Participant; Regular season runner-up; Conference Tournament runner-up
2008	East Carolina	37-30	10-12	Conference-USA Tournament Participant; NCAA Regionals At-Large Bid
2009	East Carolina	40-15	19-5	Conference-USA Tournament Participant; Regular season runner-up;
2010	East Carolina	44-18	16-5	Conference-USA Regular Season Champions; Conference USA Tournament Champions; NCAA Regionals
2011	East Carolina	41-22	14-10	Conference USA Tournament Champions; NCAA Regionals
2012	East Carolina	25-28	11-12	Conference-USA Tournament Participant
2014	North Texas	31-22	14-9	Conference USA Tournament Semi-Finalist
2015	North Texas	19-31	11-12	Conference USA Tournament Participant
<b>Career</b>	<b>18 Seasons</b>	<b>734-415-1 (.638)</b>	<b>207-161 (.563)</b>	

**NUMERICAL ROSTER**

No.	Name	Pos.	B/T	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown (Previous School)
10	Lauren Craine	P	R/R	5-7	Fr.	Aledo, TX (Aledo HS)
12	Makenzi Dawson	IF	L/R	5-8	Fr.	Robinson, TX (Robinson HS)
17	Jessica Elder	P	R/L	5-6	Jr.	Cedar Park, TX (Howard College)
14	Hannah Gerecke	OF	R/R	5-7	Fr.	La Grange, TX (La Grange HS)
18	Danielle Gregory	OF	R/R	5-7	Jr.	Winnsboro, TX (McLennan CC)
5	Kay Kay Hayter	UT	L/R	5-6	Fr.	Garrison, TX (Garrison HS)
21	Rhylic Makawe	UT	R/R	5-5.5	Fr.	Aledo, TX (Aledo HS)
22	Lauren Miller	IF	R/R	5-11	So.	Blanchard, OK (East Central University)
3	Harley Perella	UT	R/R	5-5	Fr.	Frisco, TX (Heritage HS)
9	Kelli Schkade	IF	R/R	5-7	Jr.	Albany, TX (Missouri)
4	Bailey Thompson	OF	L/R	5-4	Fr.	Edmond, OK (Deer Creek HS)
15	Stacey Underwood	P	R/R	5-10	Jr.	Hico, TX (McLennan CC)
23	Bryana Wade	C	R/R	5-8	Sr.	Choctaw, OK (Mount St. Mary HS)
8	Casady Webb	UT	R/R	5-4	Fr.	Davis, OK (Davis HS)
11	Karly Williams	UT	R/R	5-7	Sr.	Castroville, TX (Medina Valley HS)

**ALPHABETICAL ROSTER**

No.	Name	Pos.	B/T	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown (High School/Other School)
10	Lauren Craine	P	R/R	5-7	Fr.	Aledo, TX (Aledo HS)
12	Makenzi Dawson	IF	L/R	5-8	Fr.	Robinson, TX (Robinson HS)
17	Jessica Elder	P	R/L	5-6	Jr.	Cedar Park, TX (Howard College)
14	Hannah Gerecke	OF	R/R	5-7	Fr.	La Grange, TX (La Grange HS)
18	Danielle Gregory	OF	R/R	5-7	Jr.	Winnsboro, TX (McLennan CC)
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**COACHING STAFF**

## Head Coach:

Tracey Kee (East Carolina, '90)  
Third Year at North Texas  
(734-415 record as head coach/19th season)

## Associate Head Coach:

Natalie Kozlowski, Second Year (Hofstra, '92)

## Assistant Coach:

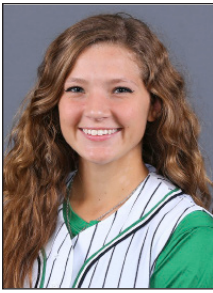
Christina Merrida (East Carolina, '11)

## Volunteer Assistant Coach:

Greg Higginbotham (North Texas '13)

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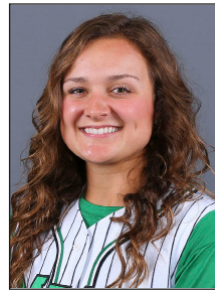
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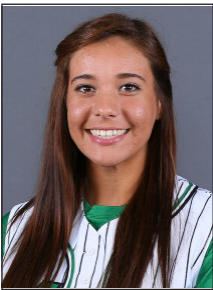
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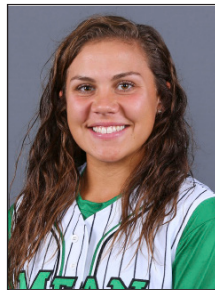
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Tracey Kee  
Head Coach  
Third Season



Natalie Kozlowski  
Associate Head Coach  
Second Season



Christina Merrida  
Assistant Coach  
Second Season



Greg Higginbotham  
Volunteer Asst. Coach  
First Season

# 2015 IN REVIEW

North Texas advanced to the Conference USA Tournament for the second straight year, upsetting No. 7 Baylor on the road in Waco, the highest-ranked team that the Mean Green have defeated in program history and just their second-ever top-25 win.

North Texas finished 19-31 with an 11-12 record in Conference USA play, earning the No. 7 seed in the Conference USA Tournament, where the Mean Green bowed out in the first round with a 5-0 loss to No. 2 seed FAU.

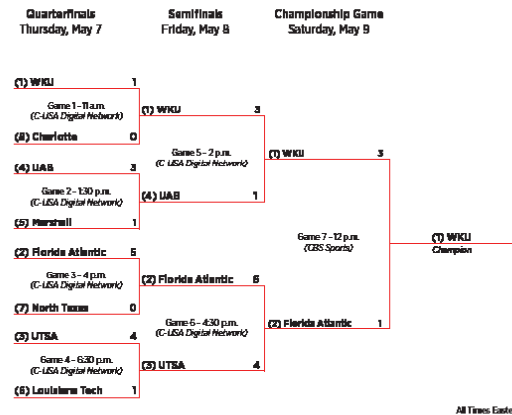
Under Kee's tutelage, North Texas placed Kat Strunk on the first team All-Conference USA team and Taylor Schoblocher on the third-team All-South Region team. Schoblocher also earned Amateur Softball Association/USA Softball National Player of the Week honors, the program's first national award, after hitting six home runs and driving in 12 runs during the opening weekend of the season.

Schoblocher and Strunk were also the bookends for Conference USA Players of the Week, with Schoblocher earning the honor for the first week of the season and Strunk earning the honor for the last week of the season.

As a team, North Texas set several individual and team records. The Mean Green fielded at .978 clip and committed just 30 errors, the best marks in school history.

Individually, Schoblocher hit .389 for the season with 17 home runs and 120 total bases, the second-best marks in school history. Her .477 on-base percentage and .833 slugging percentage were the best in school history.

Strunk hit .359 for the season with 13 home runs, the fifth-best and fourth-best marks, respectively, in school history. Dani Hoff also tied for the best field percentage in school history, posting a .997 mark, recording 297 putouts with 18 assists and just one error.



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## West

Team	C-USA				Overall				Last 10	Streak
	W	L	T	Pct	W	L	T	Pct		
UTSA	16	7	0	.696	36	18	0	.667	6-4	L 1
UAB	15	7	0	.682	32	19	0	.627	6-4	L 1
LA Tech	12	9	0	.571	31	19	0	.620	5-5	L 4
North Texas	11	12	0	.478	19	31	0	.380	3-7	L 1
UTEP	9	15	0	.375	14	39	0	.264	1-9	L 6
Southern Miss	3	21	0	.125	18	34	0	.346	2-8	L 7

## East

Team	C-USA				Overall				Last 10	Streak
	W	L	T	Pct	W	L	T	Pct		
WKU	16	5	0	.762	36	14	0	.720	7-3	L 2
Florida Atlantic	16	7	0	.696	39	19	1	.669	7-3	L 1
Marshall	14	8	0	.636	35	15	0	.700	6-4	L 2
Charlotte	10	13	0	.435	24	27	0	.471	3-7	L 2
FIU	10	14	0	.417	30	24	0	.556	4-6	W 1
Middle Tennessee	5	19	0	.208	22	29	0	.431	5-5	L 1







# 9 Kelli Schkade

**Infield**

Jr. ▶ 5-7 ▶ R/R  
Albany, TX ▶ (Missouri)

**North Texas 2015**

- Was one of five players to appear in all 50 games for North Texas, starting every game at shortstop

- Hit .250 with five doubles, a triple and three home runs
- Scored 31 runs, the third most on the team, and drove in 16 runs
- Led the team with 12 stolen bases in 14 attempts
- Fielded at a .978 clip with 96 putouts and 82 assists, committing only four errors and helping turn two double plays
- Tallied 10 multi-hit games, including three-hit games against Southern Miss (3/14) and Florida International (3/22)
- Went 2-for-3 with two stolen bases, two runs scored and an RBI against Boston University (2/14)
- Went 1-for-3 with a home run, the first of her North Texas career, against Abilene Christian (2/20)
- Was a triple shy of the cycle, going 3-for-4 with a double, a home run, a walk, a stolen base, a career-high three runs scored and two RBI against Southern Miss (3/14)
- Went 5-for-11 with a double and a home run in a weekend sweep at Florida International (3/21-22), going 2-for-4 with a home run in the second game and 3-for-3 with a double in the series finale
- Went 2-for-4 with two runs scored against No. 13 Baylor (3/25)

**Missouri 2014**

- Started 30 games for the Tigers at second base, third base and outfield
- Batted .227 and registered 20 hits, including four doubles, three triples and three home runs in her lone year in Columbia

**High School**

- Earned Texas Class 1A All-State recognition after all four seasons of her stand-out career for Albany High School and head coach Jimmie Fuentes
- MaxPreps Small School All-American
- Recognized as District 4-1A MVP after her junior and senior seasons in 2012 and 2013
- Hit .718 as a senior in 2013 with an impressive 26 doubles, 13 triples and 14 home runs, totaling 82 RBI
- Batted .620 as a junior in 2012, also boasting a .968 fielding percentage
- Earned recognition as the Texas Sportswriters' Class 1A Co-Player of the Year in 2012
- Was named her district's Newcomer of the Year as a freshman in 2010 and earned district first team honors
- Three-time all-regional team selection, also earning all-regional offensive MVP twice in her career
- Also competed for her high school's volleyball and track and field squads, twice earning all-state recognition on the volleyball court and qualifying for state track three times
- Finished high school career with 12 letters in all sports
- Academically ranked in the top ten percent of her class with a 4.0 grade point

**Season Highs**

- AB: 4 (14 times)
- Runs: 3 vs. Southern Miss (3/14/15)
- Hits: 3 (2 times)
- RBI: 2 (2 times)
- HR: 1 (3 times)
- 2B: 2 (3 times)
- SB: 2 vs. Boston University (2/14/15)
- TB: 7 vs. Southern Miss (3/14/15)
- BB: 3 vs. Seton Hall (2/6/15)
- Hitting Streak: 3 games

**Career Highs**

- AB: 4 (14 times)
- Runs: 3 vs. Southern Miss (3/14/15)
- Hits: 3 (2 times)
- RBI: 2 (2 times)
- HR: 1 (3 times)
- SB: 2 vs. Boston University (2/14/15)
- TB: 7 vs. Southern Miss (3/14/15)
- BB: 3 vs. Seton Hall (2/6/15)
- Hitting Streak: 3 games

average

- Member of the National Honor Society and the National Society of High Honors
- Worked as the editor of her school newspaper
- Was recognized for her journalistic abilities as an all-state newspaper writer

**SCHKADE'S CAREER STATS**

Year	Avg.	G-GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OVERALL												
											SLG%	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OB%	SF	SH	SB-ATT	PO	A	E	FLD%
2015	.250	50-50	152	31	38	5	1	3	16	54	.355	14	5	21	0	.328	3	3	12-14	96	82	4	.978
TOTAL	.250	50-50	152	31	38	5	1	3	16	54	.355	14	5	21	0	.328	3	3	12-14	96	82	4	.978



# 11 Karly Williams

**Utility**

Sr. ▶ 5-7 ▶ R/R  
Castroville, TX ▶ (Medina Valley HS)

**North Texas 2015**

- Started 45 of 47 games played, including 39 games at second base
- Hit .165 with three, a triple and a home run

- Scored 12 runs and drove in 14 runs
- Fielded at a .982 clip with 100 putouts and 64 assists, while committing just three errors and helping turn two double plays
- Tallied three multi-hit games, giving her 11 for her career, and had three of her four career multi-RBI games
- Went 3-for-3, tying a career high for hits, with a walk, two runs scored and an RBI against Texas Southern (2/6)
- Went 1-for-2 with a walk, two runs scored and two RBI against Boise State (2/7)
- Went 1-for-3 with a triple, a walk and a run scored against Florida International (3/21)
- Went 2-for-3 with a three-run home run against Texas A&M (4/8)

**2014**

- Started 22 games at second or third base
- Hit the go-ahead home run to beat Texas State in the Texas Shootout championship game
- One of three on unit awarded with a Conference USA Academic Medal, an honor earned by maintaining a 3.75 cumulative GPA
- Had a team-high .1000 steal percentage
- Had a pair of hits in the win over SFA
- Scored a season-high two runs against Prairie View A&M
- Also stole a base in the game against Prairie View A&M
- Posted a pair of RBI in the win over Texas State
- Dropped four sacrifice bunts on the season including two during the series at Middle Tennessee

**2013**

- Started all 53 games at second base or shortstop
- Sixth on the team with 18 RBI and .237 average
- Posted her first hit in the opening game against Memphis
- Went 1-for-1 with one run scored and one RBI against Memphis
- Knocked in two runs in the semi-final game against Memphis
- Knocked in a run against No. 7 Texas in the championship game of the Texas Classic
- Knocked in the game-winning run against Dayton
- Hit the first home run of her career in the championship game of the Texas Shootout against Baylor
- Turned two double plays in the doubleheader against FIU
- Went 2-for-2 with two runs scored and a home run in the second game against Troy
- Hit an in-the-park homer
- Only second Mean Green player in school history to accomplish feat
- First ITPH in North Texas softball history since 2005
- Tied the game against South Alabama with an RBI triple
- Went 3-for-4 in win against FAU in conference tournament

**Season Highs**

- AB: 4 (4 times)
- Runs: 2 (twice)
- Hits: 3 vs. Texas Southern (2/6/15)
- RBI: 3 at Texas A&M (4/8/15)
- HR: 1 at Texas A&M (4/8/15)
- 2B: 1 (3 times)
- SB: 1 (twice)
- TB: 5 at Texas A&M (4/8/15)
- BB: 1 (9 times)
- Hitting Streak: 3 games

**Career Highs**

- AB: 4 (11 times)
- Runs: 2 (7 times)
- Hits: 3 (twice)
- RBI: 3 at Texas A&M (4/8/15)
- HR: 1 (5 times)
- 2B: 1 (8 times)
- SB: 1 (4 times)
- TB: 5 (3 times)
- BB: 2 at Texas State (3/2/13)
- Hitting Streak: 4 games

**High School**

- Played in Texas Girls Coaches Association All-Star game as a senior
- Hit .530 with six home runs as a senior
- Was named a 2011 Texas Girls Coaches Association All-State player after leading the Medina Valley High School softball team in triples and home runs
- Batted .417 as a junior and went error-free in district play
- Received first-team all-district honors as a sophomore, junior and senior
- Named honorable mention as a freshman
- In 2010, she led the team in steals, hits and triples and was named the offensive MVP
- Was a two-time Medina Valley Athlete of the Year
- Lettered in basketball and volleyball
- Was a two-time all-area and all-district in basketball
- Named Texas Girls Coaches Association All-Region and All-State as a senior in basketball
- Holds the career scoring record at Medina Valley
- Named MVP as senior
- Named team's offensive MVP in basketball as a junior
- Named academic all-district
- Played travel ball with the Texas Bombers Gold

**WILLIAMS' CAREER STATS**

Year	Avg.	G-GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OVERALL												
											SLG%	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OB%	SF	SH	SB-ATT	PO	A	E	FLD%
2013	.237	53-53	135	19	32	5	1	3	18	48	.356	13	0	35	0	.298	3	2	1-2	113	79	8	.960
2014	.153	28-22	59	10	29	0	0	1	3	12	.203	3	1	12	0	.206	0	4	1-1	44	27	2	.973
2015	.165	47-45	115	12	19	3	1	1	14	27	.235	9	2	23	2	.234	2	9	2-4	100	64	3	.982
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>.194</b>	<b>128-120</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>.282</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>.257</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>4-7</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>.970</b>



# 15 Stacey Underwood

**Pitcher**

Jr. ▶ 5-10 ▶ R/R  
Hico, TX ▶ (McLennan CC)

**North Texas 2015**

- Posted an 8-7 record with a save and a team-best 3.99 earned run average
- Ranked second in appearances (28) and

games started (16)

- Recorded four complete games, including a complete-game shutout of Southern Miss (3/14)
- Picked up her eighth wins against Texas Southern (2/6), Abilene Christian (2/20), Oklahoma State (2/28), Southern Miss (3/14, 3/15), Tulsa (3/16), UT San Antonio (4/11, 4/12)
- Posted a 13.0 inning scoreless streak that stretched over games against Houston, Southern Miss and Tulsa (3/11-3/16)
- Earned her first career win against Texas Southern, limiting TSU to three runs on six hits with three walks and one strikeout in 5.0 innings of relief
- Earned her first career win as a starting pitcher against Abilene Christian, working a career-long 7.0 innings. She took a no-hit bid into the fourth and retired 21 of the 27 batters she faced, giving up just two runs on three hits with three walks and two strikeouts
- Picked up wins in three straight starts over three days against Southern Miss and Tulsa. She allowed a combined two runs and scattered 17 hits over 15 innings, including 10 shutout innings against the Golden Eagles
- Worked three scoreless innings of relief, giving up just three hits with no walks and one strikeout, to record her first career save against Florida International (3/22)
- Picked up wins in consecutive appearances against UT San Antonio. She earned the first win, in a start, limiting UTSA to two runs on eight hits with one walk and a career-high five strikeouts. She earned the second win, in relief, working three scoreless innings with a walk

**McLennan CC**

- Picked up a 20-4 record with two saves, 131 strikeouts and a conference-leading 0.94 ERA
- Led McLennan to 46-10 overall record, the most wins in program history
- Recorded two wins to sweep Cisco and claim the North Texas Junior College Athletic Conference Championship and advance to the Region V Tournament
- Was teammates with North Texas teammate Danielle Gregory

**High School**

- Named softball District Newcomer of the Year as a Freshman, Defensive Player of the Year as a sophomore, and District MVP and Pitcher of the Year as a senior
- Set school records for most strikeouts pitched and home runs hit as a senior
- Led softball team to claim the district championship for the first time in H.I.S.D history

**Season Highs**

- IP: 7.0 vs. Abilene Christian (2/20/15)
- K: 5 vs. UTSA (4/11/15)

**Career Highs**

- IP: 7.0 vs. Abilene Christian (2/20/15)
- K: 5 vs. UTSA (4/11/15)

**history**

- Earned volleyball District Defensive MVP as a senior, leading her team to the Regionals round for the first time in H.I.S.D history
- Three-time regional qualifier in track, including a streak her junior season that made her the District, Area, and Regional Champion in shot put her senior year, taking home the silver medal at the State Championships
- Two-time first team All-District and All-Region in basketball, named District MVP and first team All-State her senior year
- Two-time District medalist and Regional qualifier in golf, placed seventh in Region as a senior
- Tore her ACL during her junior year and missed all sports but still managed to recover to have a highly decorated senior campaign in five varsity sports

**UNDERWOOD'S CAREER STATS**

Year	Avg.	G-GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG%	OVERALL											
												BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OB%	SF	SH	SB-ATT	PO	A	E	FLD%
2015	.000	28-16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	2	23	0	1.000
TOTAL	.000	28-16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	2	23	0	1.000

**UNDERWOOD'S CAREER PITCHING STATS**

Year	ERA	W-L	APP	GS	CG	SH	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	2B	3B	HR	BF	B/AVG	WP	HBP	BK	SHA
2015	3.99	8-7	28	16	4	1/1	1	93.0	128	57	53	36	22	19	2	15	443	.332	2	6	3	13
TOTAL	3.99	8-7	28	16	4	1/1	1	93.0	128	57	53	36	22	19	2	15	443	.332	2	6	3	13



# 23 Bryana Wade

**Catcher**

Sr. ▶ 5-10 ▶ R/R  
Choctaw, OK ▶ (Mount St. Mary HS)

**North Texas 2015**

- Started 35 of 36 games played, including 30 starts at catcher
- Hit .250 with two doubles and six home runs,

the third-most on the team, for a .528 slugging percentage, the third-best mark on the team

- Scored 13 runs and drove in 20 runs
- Fielded at .975 clip behind the plate and threw out 5-of-18 base runners on steal attempts
- Tallied three multi-hit games, giving her eight for her career, and six multi-RBI games, giving her eight for her career
- Went 1-for-2 with a home run, a walk and a career-high three RBI against Seton Hall (2/7)
- Lifted the Mean Green to a historic 1-0 win over No. 7 Baylor (2/20) with the would-be, game-winning RBI double in the second inning
- Started a fifth-inning rally that featured four runs with a leadoff walk, as the Mean Green erased a 2-0 deficit in a 5-2 win over UT San Antonio (4/12)
- Went 3-for-5 with a home run, two walks, two runs scored and two RBI in two games against top-five team Oklahoma (4/20, 4/30), highlighted by a two-run home run in the second meeting
- Went 1-for-2 with a walk, a stolen base, the seventh of her career, and two runs scored against UTEP (5/2)

**2014**

- Started 47 of 49 games at catcher or designated player
- Tied the North Texas single-season record throwing out 23 runners attempting to steal
- Walked 32 times, good for second-most in NT single-season history
- Had the second-highest on-base percentage on the unit (.423)
- Hit a two-run home run in the opener against JMU
- Walked three times in the game against Winthrop
- Had four two-hit games on the season
- Hit a homer against No. 18 Tulsa in the final series of the season
- Also scored a season-high two runs against No. 18 Tulsa

**2013**

- Started 36 of 53 games at catcher or designated player
- Led the team with 21 walks
- Posted her first career hit in the opening game against Memphis
- Tied game against Iowa with her first career home run
- Posted home run as second hit of her career
- Posted home run in her 11th career at-bat, tying her as the eighth fastest North Texas player to hit her first career home run
- Threw out her first runner against Texas State
- Went 1-for-1 against UTA with two walks and a stolen base
- Stole two bases in the third game against Troy
- Threw out two runners in the series against FAU

**Season Highs**

- AB: 4 vs. Oklahoma (4/20/15)
- Runs: 2 vs. UTEP (5/2/15)
- Hits: 2 (3 times)
- RBI: 5 vs. Prairie View A&M (2/21/14)
- HR: 1 (6 times)
- 2B: 1 (twice)
- SB: 1 vs. UTEP (5/2/15)
- TB: 4 (6 times)
- BB: 2 vs. Oklahoma (4/30/15)
- Hitting Streak: 3 games

**Career Highs**

- AB: 4 (3 times)
- Runs: 2 (4 times)
- Hits: 2 (8 times)
- RBI: 5 vs. Prairie View A&M (2/21/14)
- HR: 1 (11 times)
- 2B: 1 (8 times)
- SB: 2 vs. Troy (3/17/13)
- TB: 4 (8 times)
- BB: 3 vs. Winthrop (2/9/14)
- Hitting Streak: 3 games

- Drew four walks in the series against ULL
- Gave North Texas a 5-3 lead with a solo home run against No. 19 Baylor
- Threw out two runners in win against Baylor
- Went 2-for-3 in the third win against Middle Tennessee with an RBI double
- Threw out two runners in game against Oklahoma
- Drew two walks against ULM

**High School**

- Was a finalist for the 2011 Gatorade Player of the Year after a standout career at Mount St. Mary High School
- Over her four-year career, she recorded a batting average of .462, knocked in 91 RBI and hit 20 home runs
- Was named a 2011 Middle West All-State Catcher and was a four-time all-conference player
- Named to the Oklahoman Little All-City First Team roster in 2012
- Was also named to the 2011 All-Region Team and led her team to the 2010 3A state championship
- Was a three-time first-team All-City Catcher and a two-time offensive player of the year
- Was a four-year letterwinner in basketball and was named second-team Central All-Conference in 2010
- Played travel ball for Oklahoma Twisters Gold

**WADE'S CAREER STATS**

Year	Avg.	G-GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OVERALL												
											SLG%	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OB%	SF	SH	SB-ATT	PO	A	E	FLD%
2013	.193	42-36	83	11	16	4	0	2	11	26	.313	21	3	32	0	.370	1	1	3-3	175	31	1	.995
2014	.202	49-47	94	18	19	2	0	3	9	30	.319	32	4	29	0	.423	0	4	3-4	266	33	2	.993
2015	.250	36-35	72	13	18	2	0	6	20	38	.528	18	0	28	0	.391	2	8	1-1	74	10	3	.966
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>.213</b>	<b>127-118</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>.378</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.397</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>7-8</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>.990</b>



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FEBRUARY	12		FEBRUARY	12		FEBRUARY	13		FEBRUARY	13		FEBRUARY	13	
FEBRUARY	19		FEBRUARY	19		FEBRUARY	20		FEBRUARY	27, 28		FEBRUARY	27, 28	
MARCH	3		MARCH	4, 5		MARCH	5, 6		MARCH	6		MARCH	9	
MARCH	12, 13*		MARCH	15		MARCH	19, 20*		MARCH	22		MARCH	25, 26*	
MARCH	30		APRIL	2, 3*		APRIL	6		APRIL	8, 9		APRIL	9, 10	
APRIL	13		APRIL	16, 17*		APRIL	23, 24*		APRIL	27		APRIL/MAY	30, 1*	
MAY	7, 8*		MAY	12, 13, 14*		MAY	20, 21, 22*		GREEN DENOTES HOME WHITE DENOTES AWAY *CONFERENCE PLAY					





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**EVENT INFO**  
 May 11-14  
 Denton, Texas  
 Hosted by North Texas

First Round Wednesday, May 11	Quarterfinals Thursday, May 12	Semifinals Friday, May 13	Championship Saturday, May 14
<p><b>No. 6 seed</b></p> <p>Game 1 (C-USA Digital Network)</p> <p><b>No. 7 seed</b></p> <p>Game 2 (C-USA Digital Network)</p> <p><b>No. 8 seed</b></p>	<p><b>No. 2 seed</b></p> <p>Game 5 (C-USA Digital Network)</p> <p><b>No. 3 seed</b></p> <p>Game 3 (C-USA Digital Network)</p> <p><b>No. 1 seed</b></p> <p>Game 6 (C-USA Digital Network)</p> <p><b>No. 4 seed</b></p> <p>Game 4 (C-USA Digital Network)</p>	<p>Game 8 - 2:30 p.m. (C-USA Digital Network)</p> <p><b>Loser of Game 5</b></p> <p>Game 7 - 12 p.m. (C-USA Digital Network)</p> <p><b>Loser of Game 6</b></p>	<p>Game 9 - 5 p.m. (C-USA Digital Network)</p> <p><b>Loser of Game 8</b></p> <p>Game 10 (CBS Sports Network)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Champion</b></p>

Game times for the First Round will be 12 p.m., 2:30 p.m., 6 p.m., and 7:30 p.m. Central.

The quarterfinals will be played at 2 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. Central.



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