



NORTH TEXAS™

Women's Tennis

2010 Sun Belt Champions

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GENERAL

School University of North Texas
 Nickname Mean Green
 City/State Denton, Texas
 Founded 1890
 Enrollment 36,123
 School Colors Green and White
 Facility Waranch Tennis Complex
 Capacity 300
 First Year of Tennis Program 1978
 Affiliation Division I-A
 Conference Sun Belt
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 Athletics Director Rick Villarreal
 Athletic Dept. Phone 940.565.2662
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 Denton, TX 76203-1397

COACHES INFO

Head Coach.....Sujay Lama (fifth year)
 Alma MaterLuther College '92
 At North Texas...49-41 (dual matches)
 Overall Record150-124
 Office Phone.....940.565.2139
 Best Time to Call9 a.m.-2 p.m.
 E-MailSujay.Lama@unt.edu
 Associate Head CoachJeff Maren
 Volunteer Asst..... Francisco Barrientos

TEAM QUICK FACTS

2010-11 Overall Record0-0
 ITA Ranking66
 SBC Standings1st
 Conference0-0
 Home0-0
 Away0-0
 Neutral0-0
 vs. Ranked Teams0-0
 Current StreakN/A
 Best In SinglesN/A
 Best In DoublesN/A
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost6/3



NEXT UP

No. 22 Arkansas Razorbacks (0-0)



Date January 22, 2011
 Time Noon
 Location Fayetteville, Ark.
 Facility Billingsley Tennis Center
 Conference Southeastern
 All-Time Record vs. NT2-1
 Last Meeting vs. NT Feb. 9, 1997
 Arkansas Def. NT 9-0
 Head Coach: Michael Hegarty (8th year)

No. 59 Oklahoma State Cowboys (0-0)



Date January 23, 2011
 Time Noon
 Location Tulsa, Okla.
 Facility DeBois Tennis Complex
 Conference Big 12
 All-Time Record vs. NT6-0
 Last Meeting vs. NTMar. 20, 2004
 No. 69 OSU def. NT 4-2
 Head Coach: Chris Young (2nd year)

North Texas Predicted Line-Up (based on fall play)

Singles

- No. 1- Paula Dinuta
- No. 2 - Irina Paraschiv
- No. 3 - Nadia Lee
- No. 4 - Barbora Vykydalova
- No. 5 - Madura Ranganathan
- No. 6 - Amy Joubert

Doubles

- No. 1 - Paraschiv / Vykydalova
- No. 2 - Lee/ Ranganathan
- No. 3 - Dinuta / Joubert

2010-11 SCHEDULE & RESULTS

Fall

Date	Opponent	Location
Sept. 17-19	Mean Green Invite	Denton, Texas
Oct. 22-26	Wilson/ITA Texas Regional	Waco, Texas
Nov. 5-7	Baylor Invitational	Waco, Texas
Jan. 14-17	Florida Gulf Coast Invite	Ft. Meyers, Fla.

Spring

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
Jan. 22	at No. 22Arkansas	Fayetteville, Ark	Noon
Jan. 23	at No. 59 Oklahoma State	Tulsa, Okla.	Noon
Jan 29	No. 10 California @	Berkeley, Calif.	1 p.m.
Jan. 30	TCU or St. Mary's @	Berkeley, Calif.	1 p.m.
Feb. 11	Wichita State	Denton, Texas	3 p.m.
Feb. 13	Kansas State	Denton, Texas	Noon
Feb. 19	at Texas Tech	Lubbock, Texas	Noon
Feb. 24	Utah State	Denton, Texas	2 p.m.
Feb. 26	Miami (OH)	Louisville, Ky.	Noon
Feb. 27	at Louisville	Louisville, Ky.	10 a.m.
March 6	No. 32 Tulsa	Denton, Texas	11 a.m.
March 9	Xavier	Denton, Texas	3 p.m.
March 15	at No. 54 FIU *	Miami, Fla.	2 p.m.
March 17	South Alabama *	Miami, Fla.	11 a.m.
March 25	UTEP	Denton, Texas	3 p.m.
March 27	Northwestern State	Denton, Texas	Noon
April 3	at Denver *	Denver, Colo.	11 a.m.
April 7	at UTA	Arlington, Texas	3 p.m.
April 15	Middle Tennessee *	Denton, Texas	3 p.m.
April 18	Troy *	Denton, Texas	Noon
April 21-24	Sun Belt Championship	Mobile, Ala.	All Day

Last Time Out

Mean Green Finish Tournament Season at FGCU Invitational

FT. MYERS, Fla. - Mean Green tennis wrapped up the fall tournament portion of its schedule at the Florida Gulf Coast Hilton Garden Inn Invitational on Monday.

"We got the right amount of matches against very good competition to cap off our preseason training," said head coach Sujay Lama. "We put a lot of hard work this week. This is a tight knit team that is determined to improve each day and that is what excites me the most."

After dropping their first match in the second flight of doubles, the pair of Nadia Lee and Madura Ranganathan powered through South Florida's Rehberger and Vasenina, 8-1, to finish with a 2-1 record during the tournament.

In flight three of doubles, Senior Amy Joubert and Junior Paula Dinuta capture third place after defeating SU's Cable and Stauffer-Macdowell 8-4.

On the singles side, only two members were able to complete matches before the rain came in and cancelled the rest of the matches.

Ranganathan was set to play for the flight five singles championship, while Dinuta and Barbora Vykydalova were going to play for third place in their respective brackets.

The newest member of the team, freshman Isabel Bos, was schedule to play for fifth place after posting a 1-1 record in the first two days of play.



Sujay Lama

Head Coach

► Fifth Year

Sujay Lama, who led the University of Illinois to

five NCAA Tournament appearances, took over the reigns of the North Texas Tennis program on June 14, 2006, and it didn't take him long to make an impact.

Lama led North Texas to a 17-6 record in the spring of 2009, its best record since '86-87. In 2007, he led the program to its best fall season in history. The Mean Green turned the heads of the nation's premier programs, notching individual wins over Ohio State, Kentucky, LSU, Oklahoma State, Baylor, Texas Tech and many others in the fall of '07.

"I am very excited about the opportunity to work at the University of North Texas," said Lama. "This is a tremendous academic institution in a great location. We have one of the premier tennis facilities in the country and an athletic director who is dynamic and has great vision. Our goal is to build a tennis program that demands excellence on the courts and in the classroom. We want to be one of best programs in the country but make sure our student-athletes enjoy the process and the family atmosphere we have built."

Lama compiled a dual-meet record of 108-84, including a 57-25 mark in Big Ten play, during his eight-year career as the Illini's head coach. In addition to leading the school to five NCAA

Tournament appearances, his team ranked as high as No. 16 in the nation in the spring of 2004.

North Texas is the third stop in Lama's collegiate coaching career, also serving as the top assistant at the Univ. of Florida from 1995 to 1998 before taking over at Illinois.

Lama turned the Illinois tennis program around right away, taking the Illini from a ninth-place finish in the Big Ten the year before his arrival to a third-place finish in his first year at the helm. In 2003-04 the Illini went 17-6, posting their best winning percentage since Illinois' first team went 6-0 in 1975. Additionally, Lama led Illinois to a victory over top-ranked Duke, 4-3, at the UI Atkins Tennis Center in 2003.

Among the other milestones the Illinois women's tennis program reached under Lama is winning its first-ever NCAA Tournament match in May of 2001.

During Lama's time at Illinois, he coached the tennis program's first Big Ten Freshman of the Year, the Rookie of the Year in the Midwest Region, nine All-Big Ten players, four Big Ten Medal of Honor players, 13 ITA Scholar-Athletes and two Academic All-Americans. UI women's tennis players earned Academic All-Big Ten recognition 42 times under Lama.

The Lama File

Age: 42

Birthplace: Kathmandu, Nepal

High School: St. Joseph's H.S., North Point

Alma Mater: Luther College '92

BS in Public Communications/Political Science

Coaching Career

Dual-Meet Career Record: 150-124

Record At North Texas: 49-41

Coaching Experience

2006-present: University of North Texas, Head Women's Coach

1998-2006: University of Illinois, Head Women's Coach

1995-98: University of Florida, Assistant Coach

1992-95: Van Deer Tennis Center, Senior Staff Professional

Collegiate Experience

1988-92: Luther College

Two-time Volvo Collegiate All-American (1991-92)

GTE/CoSIDA Academic All-American (1992)

Midwest Region Senior Player of the Year (1992)

Ranked No. 5 in NCAA Division III singles (1992)

Inducted in Luther College's Hall of Fame (2002)

"Our goal is to be a program that is always striving for excellence both on and off the court with the focus on the process. This is an exciting time for the North Texas tennis. Every day, we are breaking barriers and realizing the enormous potential we have. The sky is the limit for us."

-Sujay Lama



While at Florida, he helped lead the Gators to two NCAA titles, three SEC crowns and three undefeated dual-match seasons. Lama was honored for his contribution as the 1997 ITA National Assistant Coach of the Year in the South Region.

Prior to Florida, Lama was the Senior Staff Professional at the Van Der Meer Tennis Center in Hilton Head, S.C., where he worked with the elite player development program (for touring pros and top junior players) from 1992-95. A noted teacher and clinician, Lama has worked at tennis camps across the United States, Europe and Asia. He has earned the highest certification level with the USPTR and the USPTA, and is a USTA Certified High Performance Coach.

He was a traveling coach on the WTA tour for several players including two top twenty ranked Amanda Coetzer (South Africa) and Naoko Sawamatsu (Japan). Lama has coached at 12 grand slam events including Wimbledon, U.S Open, Australian Open and French Open.

In his playing career, Lama was the top-ranked player in Nepal from 1989-91 and reached No. 50 in the International Tennis Federation (ITF) junior world singles rankings. He represented his country in several international tournaments, including the Asian Games in Beijing, China in 1990.

The Nepal native attended Luther College in Decorah, Iowa, from 1988-92 and was a two-time Volvo Collegiate All-American in singles (1991-92). He also earned Senior Player of the Year honors in the Midwest Region in 1992 and was ranked No. 5 in NCAA Division III singles. Lama dominated the Iowa Intercollegiate Athletic Conference the four years he competed at Luther.

WHAT THEY ARE SAYING ABOUT SUJAY LAMA

"Sujay Lama is one of the up-and-coming women's coaches in the country. With his knowledge, work ethic, enthusiasm and passion for coaching, it will bring the North Texas women's tennis to new heights."

-- **Andy Brandi, Director of the Harold Solomon Tennis Institute former head coach at University of Florida, won three team and individual titles**

"Sujay is one of the finest coaches in the world. He has helped me become a better person and coach. His passion for life is infectious, and it has brought him and those fortunate enough to be in his presence much success. He is the coach I would gladly send my daughter to play for. North Texas is going to become a contender with his leadership."

-- **Bryan Shelton, Head Coach, Georgia Tech, 2007 National Champions**

"I have never worked with a finer coach than Sujay Lama. He deals with all aspects of the player from athletics to academics to their physical and mental well being. He believes all of these attributes need to be addressed in order to have a successful student-athlete."

-- **JoAnne Russell, former Wimbledon and NCAA Champion**

He won the league's singles and doubles titles and took conference MVP honors all four years of his collegiate career, leading his team to four IIAC titles. Lama put together a career singles record of 104-18 and captured two Rolex Midwest Regionals (1989 and 1991), while advancing to the semifinals of the Rolex National Intercollegiate Indoor Championship in 1991. Lama also made three NCAA Tournament appearances. He was inducted into the school's athletic hall of fame in the fall of 2002.

He earned his bachelor's degree from Luther College in 1992, earning GTE/CoSIDA Academic All-America honors during his time there. He was the recipient of the U.S./Nepal Educational Foundation Scholarship from 1990-92. Lama has traveled in more than 50 countries and is fluent in English, German, Hindi and Nepalese. He has lived five or more years on three continents (Asia, Europe and North America).

Recently, Lama has lent his time and expertise to a unique venture he calls "Project Nepal". He has helped raise over \$12,000 each year to fund the education of 67 orphanage children in his hometown of Nepal (www.supportprojectnepal.com).

Lama is also currently writing a bi-weekly column for Nepalitimes. His column, Game Point, has been well received in his native country and throughout the world for its insight and expertise on the game of tennis and life.

Lama and his wife, Lynne, reside in Corinth with their nine-year-old daughter, Priya and four-year-old son, Siddhartha.

Sujay Lama's Coaching Career

YEAR	SCHOOL	RECORD	HIGHLIGHTS
1995-96	University of Florida (Asst. Coach)	31-0 (14-0 SEC)	NCAA Champions
1996-97	University of Florida (Asst. Coach)	31-1 (14-0 SEC)	2nd in NCAA
1997-98	University of Florida (Asst. Coach)	27-0 (14-0 SEC)	NCAA Champions
1998-99	University of Illinois (Head Coach)	13-8 (7-4 Big Ten)	Semifinals of Big Ten Tournament, NCAA Tourn.
1999-00	University of Illinois (Head Coach)	13-11 (8-4 Big Ten)	Semifinals of Big Ten Tournament, NCAA Tourn.
2000-01	University of Illinois (Head Coach)	18-8 (9-1 Big Ten)	Second Place in Big Ten, NCAA Tournament Win
2001-02	University of Illinois (Head Coach)	11-12 (6-5 Big Ten)	NCAA Singles Tournament
2002-03	University of Illinois (Head Coach)	17-8 (9-3 Big Ten)	Third Place in Big Ten, NCAA Tournament Win NCAA Doubles Tournament
2003-04	University of Illinois (Head Coach)	17-6 (8-3 Big Ten)	Won school-record 11 straight matches NCAA Tournament, NCAA Doubles Tournament
2004-05	University of Illinois (Head Coach)	12-11 (6-5 Big Ten)	NCAA Singles Tournament
2005-06	University of Illinois (Head Coach)	8-15 (3-9 Big Ten)	
2006-07	University of North Texas (Head Coach)	2-19 (0-3 Sun Belt)	
2007-08	University of North Texas (Head Coach)	13-9 (5-2 Sun Belt)	North Texas' best record since '86-87
2008-09	University of North Texas (Head Coach)	17-6 (2-1 Sun Belt)	North Texas' highest win total since '84-'85
2009-10	University of North Texas (Head Coach)	17-6 (8-1 Sun Belt)	Sun Belt Champions, NCAA First Round

Mean Green Player Profiles & Current Season Results

Carolina Barboza • 5-1 • Freshman • Solymar, Uruguay • UTU Buceo

SPRING '11 SINGLES RECORD: 0-0
VS. SUN BELT: 0-0



High School

Was ranked No. 1 in the nation of Uruguay in her age groups of 12, 14 and 16 years old and was ranked second in the 18 year old group.

Personal

Daughter of Nestor Dario Barboza and Beatriz Dutra ... Born April, 15, 1991.



Mean Green Player Profiles & Current Season Results

ISABEL BOS • 5-9 • Freshman • Noordwijk, The Netherlands •

SPRING '11 SINGLES RECORD: 0-0
VS. SUN BELT: 0-0

Signing Release:

North Texas tennis head coach Sujay Lama announced the signing of Isabel Bos, a former three-time top-20 player from the Netherlands, Thursday afternoon.

Bos will begin her career with Mean Green tennis during the 2011 spring dual match season in January.

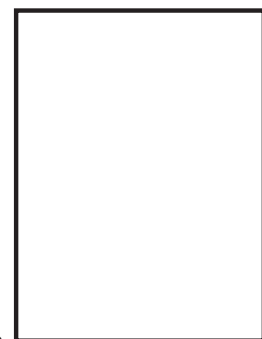
"Isabel is a powerful player who is very strong and athletic," said Lama. "However, as I got to know her and see her compete, it's her mental toughness and attitude that stood out. We are delighted to have her join the Mean Green family. Her addition gives us the depth needed to become a top 50 team in the country and make a run for our second straight conference championship. She will make an immediate impact both on and off the court."

A native of Noordwijk, Netherlands, Bos reached her career high ranking of No. 6 in the under 16 junior national girl's singles rankings. In addition to the national ranking, she was ranked in the top-20 in the Netherlands in the 12 and 14 age groups.

Bos has also been a two-sport star, having played at a high level of senior national hockey in her native country.

"I noticed the performance of the team over the past year and the ambition to continue to climb in the rankings of Division I tennis are goals I want to be a part of," Bos said. "After meeting with coach Lama in Holland and after our conversations throughout the recruiting process, I was completely convinced that the Mean Green tennis team should become my new family for the next four years."

Bos will join Carolina Barboza as the only freshmen on the 2011 spring roster.



Mean Green Player Profiles & Current Season Results

PAULA DINUTA • 5-5 • Junior • Pitesti, Romania • Sportive Pitesti HS

SPRING '11 SINGLES RECORD: 0-0
vs. SUN BELT: 0-0



2009-10

Named the Most Improved Player by the North Texas coaching staff ... Recorded a team-best 17-6 singles record during the spring season ... Won eight matches in a row from March 6 until April 11th when she lost to No. 42 Rice's Ana Guzman ... Finished the year on another five match winning streak from the No. 3 singles position, including wins in the SBC Championship match (No. 49 FIU's Mariana Muci, 7-5, 6-1) and the NCAA Tournament match (No. 32 Tulsa's JoAnne Karaitiana, 1-6, 6-2, 7-5) ... Stepped up in doubles during her sophomore season, playing in 14 matches and finishing with a 7-7 record ... Was the only player to record a victory in dual match at No. 29 Georgia Tech when she beat Elizabeth Kilborn 6-2, 6-2.

Spring 2009

Selected Sun Belt Women's Player of the Week as a freshman ... Recipient of North Texas' Player To Watch Award ... Played for North Texas during the spring ... Tied for second on the team in singles victories (14) ... One of two NT freshmen to reach 14 wins ... Went on a six-match winning streak taking each in straight sets and losing only eight games ... Beat Julia Bauregger of No. 34 Denver in the SBC semifinals (6-4, 6-3) ... Defeated Maria Pazo from No. 48 FIU (7-5, 6-2) ... Won against Rice's Jessica Jackson (6-2, 6-0) ... Tallied a 7-1 record from the No. 4 spot ... Played sparingly in doubles posting a 2-2 mark ... Teamed with Shannon MacKenzie for an 8-0 win versus Midwestern State's Collean Kinser and Mica Vinson ... Paired with Irina Paraschiv for an 8-6 victory against Annabelle Bares and Gabriella Veiga of Troy in the SBC quarterfinals.

High School/Club

Attended Sportive Pitesti high school in Romania ... Played for club "Progresul Bucuresti" ... Ranked in the top 20 for seniors in Romania in 2007-08 ... Placed third at the European Championships in France in 2007 ... Defeated WTA's No. 120 player, Shika Uberoi ... Ranked in the top 15 for juniors in 2005-06.

Personal

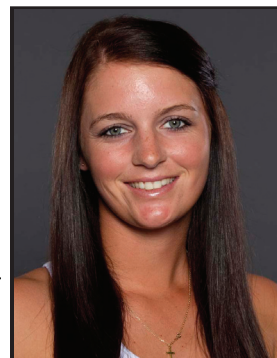
Daughter of Ghiorghe and Argentina Dinuta ... Has one brother, Octavian, who currently plays at Midwestern State ... Born on July 16, 1989.



Mean Green Player Profiles & Current Season Results

AMY JOUBERT • 5-8 • Senior • Pietermaritzburg, South Africa • St. John's DSG

SPRING '11 SINGLES RECORD: 0-0
VS. SUN BELT: 0-0



2009-10

Received the Mean Green Spirit and Mean Green Academic Awards ... Finished the spring season with a 6-4 record, including going 1-0 from both the four and five singles spots ... Stepped in during the Sun Belt Conference Championship semi-finals and defeated Louisiana-Lafayette's Tara Vasovic 6-1, 6-2 ... Teamed up with Irina Paraschiv in doubles to finish the year 11-10 ... Collected a 2-7 record in the fall with one of her wins coming against Texas Tech's Kelsey Garland in straight sets, 6-4, 6-3 ... Played double with Paula Dinuta twice during the Texas Regional Championship, taking the first match over Sam Houston State before narrowly falling to a team from the University of Texas.

2008-09

Named the team's Most Valuable Player ... Received the Mean Green Spirit Award ... Led the squad in singles wins for the spring (15) ... Lost only one of her final 11 matches ... Was a force from the No. 6 position putting up a 10-1 record ... In the SBC semis, defeated No. 34 Denver's Bhavani Tirumurti in a two-set tiebreaker match 7-6 (6), 7-6 (10) ... Also won in two tiebreaks over Katie Orletsky of UCF ... Beat Rice's Varsha Shiva-Shankar in three sets (6-7, 6-4, 1-0) ... One of NT's best doubles players registering a 15-7 mark as part of two teams ... Teamed with Madura Ranganathan to go 7-3 from the top spot including an 8-3 victory over Troy's Rawia Elisi and Leonie Guijt in the SBC quarterfinals ... Won versus Rice's Julie Chao and Ana Guzman (8-4) ... Tallied a 7-4 record with Rachel Wilhelm ... Took down No. 73 Louisville's duo of Sarah Miller and Amelia Harris (8-5) ... Had an even singles record of 8-8 during the fall ... Won her flight at the Mean Green Invitational ... Won two consolation finals, beating Sun Belt opponent Lena Satge of UL-Monroe at the Stephen F. Austin Invitational and Neila Starratt of Houston at the Rice Classic ... Registered a solid record of 13-4 in doubles overall ... Teamed with Rachel Wilhelm to go 12-2 earning North Texas' best record in doubles for the fall ... Won their finals match against Daiana Negreanu and Nicola Matovicova of UT-Arlington at the Rice Classic ... Went 3-1 at the ITA Southwest Regionals including a win over Texas A&M's team of Sheri Olivier and Lauren Santacroce ... She and Wilhelm won all three of their matches at the North Texas Classic featuring a victory over Ashley Turpin and Stephanie Davidson of Texas A&M.

2007-08

Posted a 10-9 dual record in the '08 Spring ... Went 4-3 in Sun Belt play ... Defeated Laetitia Tan of No. 70 Nevada in straight sets (6-0, 6-2) ... Played most of the season from the No. 5 and 6 spots ... Had records of 6-4 at No. 5 and 4-5 at No. 6 ... In Spring '08 doubles went 9-11 ... Played on the No. 1 team with Madura Ranganathan going 3-5 including a 2-0 record in the Sun Belt ... Went 6-3 with Idalina Franca at the No. 2 and 3 slots including 3-1 in Sun Belt play ... Participated in two tournaments during the fall in singles and recorded a 2-2 record ... Participated in five tournaments for doubles and recorded a 6-8 record ... Defeated Kyla Coleman of Texas Tech and Monica Neveklovska of SMU to start off her North Texas career at the Mean Green Invitational ... Defeated the No. 3 seeded doubles team of Laura Vallverdu and Michaela Kissell (Miami) 8-6 in Midland Tournament with partner Madura Ranganathan ... Finished in first place in flight with partner Ranganathan during the North Texas Classic.

High School

Was ranked No. 4 in singles and No. 1 in doubles in South Africa in the current South African U-18 Girls rankings ... Was ranked in the top ten in her country in all age groups (14's, 16's 18's) ... Was selected to represent South Africa in the Junior African Championships as well as in International tournaments in Europe ... Played on the tennis, hockey and basketball A teams since she was 13 ... Was captain of the tennis team her senior year ... Made the provincial A teams for tennis and B teams for hockey.

Personal

Daughter of Fiona and Ryk Joubert ... Born on June 14, 1989 ... Has one sister, Kendra.

Mean Green Player Profiles & Current Season Results

NADIA LEE • 5-6 • Junior • Pechina, Spain • Lee College

SPRING '11 SINGLES RECORD: 0-0
VS. SUN BELT: 0-0



LEE COLLEGE

Was part of a JUCO Team National Championship in 2008-09 ... Named a JUCO All-American in both '08-09 and '09-10 and was a part of the 2010 national runner-up team ... 2008 and '09 regional singles champion and small college finalist ... Was ranked in the WTA world rankings.

PERSONAL

Daughter of Peter and Anna Lee ... Born Sept. 5, 1988 ... has two brothers, Robert and Tim.



Mean Green Player Profiles & Current Season Results

IRINA PARASCHIV • 5-8 • Junior • Bucharest, Romania • Liceul Mircea Eliade HS

SPRING '11 SINGLES RECORD: 0-0
VS. SUN BELT: 0-0



2009-10

Named co-recipient of the Mean Green Most Valuable Player Award ... Finished the spring season with an 11-9 record from the top two spots in the singles line-up ... Went 7-4 from the No. 2 spot and 4-5 from the No. 1 slot ... Did not lose a singles match during the North Texas run to the Sun Belt Championship, defeating FIU's Christine Seredni in the final to tie the match at 3-3 ... Teamed with Amy Joubert in doubles during the spring, racking up an 11-10 record from the No. 1 and No. 2 slots ... Finished the season ranked 82nd in doubles with Madura Ranganathan ... Took down the ninth ranked duo of Broosova and Borsanyi at the ITA Texas Regional 9-7 in the fall and finished the fall season with a 4-4 record in doubles ... Selected as the first North Texas athlete to compete in the ITA All-American and defeated the 99th ranked singles player in the country AnastasiaPutilina 6-4, 6-2.

2008-09

Finished with a No. 20 singles ranking and No. 13 doubles ranking with Madura Ranganathan in the ITA Southwest Region ... Received a preseason No. 14 singles ranking in the region ... Won Sun Belt Women's Player of the Week award as a freshman ... Was North Texas' No. 1 singles player in the spring ... Tied for second on the squad in singles wins (14) ... Defeated regionally-ranked No. 23 Julie Chao of Rice 6-1, 7-6 (7) ... Won against No. 73 Louisville's Lindsey Jones (4-6, 6-4, 1-0) ... Beat Troy's Rawia Elsis in SBC Quarterfinals and battled the nation's No. 66 player Mallory Voelker of Denver in three sets before falling (4-6, 6-3, 2-6) ... Racked up a 10-9 overall record as part of three doubles teams ... Played on the No. 8 doubles team in the Southwest Region with Madura Ranganathan for the first part of the season ... Played both SBC Tournament matches with Paula Dinuta ... Won over Troy's Annabelle Bares and Gabriella Veiga in 8-6 triumph ... Put up an 11-5 record in singles from the No. 1 position during the fall ... Won her singles flight in her first tournament at the Mean Green Invitational ... Defeated Texas-El Paso's Martina Trierweiler and Ohio State's Cami Hubbs at the North Texas Classic ... Posted wins over tough opponents such as Kelsy Garland and Stephanie Peana of Texas Tech, Zuzana Chamelerova of Baylor, Christie Liles of Texas A&M, Varsha Shiva-Shankar of Rice, and Lucy Forward of Houston ... In a loss, went toe-to-toe with one of the country's best players in Megan Falcon of Louisiana State at the ITA Southwest Regionals ... Posted a 9-4 record with Madura Ranganathan as the No. 1 doubles team ... Won final against UT-Arlington's team at Rice Classic ... She and Ranganathan picked up wins over teams from Houston, No. 10 seeded Baylor, and No. 8 seeded Texas A&M before losing to Texas ... Went 11-5 in doubles overall.

International Play/High School

Reached a high of No. 1 on the U-18 Romanian national rankings and No. 150 on the International Tennis Federation U-18 rankings ... A veteran of international tournaments from Brazil to Japan since the age of 10 ... Advanced to the doubles final and the round of 16 in singles play at the 2005 Eddie Herr International Junior Tennis Championships, considered one of the world's top 10 youth tournaments ... Placed second at the Sturdza Cup in Moldova and third at the Tivoli Trophy in Romania ... Participated in the Australian Open ... Listed as high as No. 18 in the European Tennis Association rankings as a U-16.

Personal

Daughter of Gheorghita and Maria Paraschiv ... Born on January 7, 1990.

Mean Green Player Profiles & Current Season Results

MADURA RANGANATHAN • 5-5 • Senior • Coimbatore, India • Perks Sec. School

SPRING '11 SINGLES RECORD: 0-0
VS. SUN BELT: 0-0

2010 First Team All Conference



2009-10

Named North Texas' first Sun Belt All-Conference player ... Played exclusively from the No. 1 and No. 2 slots in singles ... Collected a 10-11 record in the spring, including a 6-4 record from the No. 2 spot ... Was a big part of the first Mean Green win over a ranked team when she took down Texas Tech's Kelsy Garland 6-2, 7-6 ... Defeated Lafayette's Audra Woodland in the No. 1 spot in tough three set match, 6-3, 4-6, 10-8 ... Teamed up with Narine Kazarova in the Sun Belt Championship to take North Texas' lone doubles win 8-0 ... Finished the spring season 11-9 in doubles, splitting time between Kazarova and Paula Dinuta ... Fought through a tough fall, finishing with a singles record of 2-4 and doubles record of 4-4 ... Took down the ninth-ranked duo of Brosova and Borsanyi at the ITA Texas Regional 9-7 with Irina Paraschiv.

2008-09

Earned a preseason No. 16 singles ranking and a final No. 13 doubles ranking with Irina Paraschiv in the ITA Southwest Region ... Finished with a 10-10 singles record playing mostly from the No. 2 spot during the spring ... Knocked off the nation's No. 58 player Mariana Muci of No. 48 FIU (6-4, 1-6, 6-3) ... Picked up a win in the SBC Tournament versus Troy's Mirte De Bakker ... Played at No. 1 doubles in every match except one ... Turned in a solid record at 14-7 with two partners ... Formed the No. 8 doubles team in the Southwest Region with Irina Paraschiv for the first part of the season ... Grabbed two wins against SBC opponents with Paraschiv ... Tallied a 8-3 mark with Amy Joubert for the second half of the spring ... Finished with a 9-5 singles record in the fall ... Defeated Monika Hadvigerova of Texas-Arlington in the finals at the Rice Classic after dropping the finals match to her at the Mean Green Invitational ... Beat Texas A&M's Stephanie Davidson in the Main Draw at the ITA Southwest Regionals (2-6, 7-5, 6-2) ... Posted wins against Simone Templeton of Texas Tech and Kristen Reid of Southern Methodist at the Mean Green Invitational ... Posted a 9-4 record with Irina Paraschiv as the No. 1 doubles team ... Won final against UT-Arlington's team at Rice Classic ... She and Paraschiv posted wins over teams from Houston, No. 10 seeded Baylor, and No. 8 seeded Texas A&M before losing to Texas.

2007-08

Received a No. 30 ranking in the Southwest Region by the ITA ... Was second on the team in wins (13) ... Knocked off two ranked opponents, Maria Mizyuk of Nevada (7-5, 5-7, 10-7) and Liset Brito of Florida International (3-6, 7-5, 10-8) ... Went 10-9 from the No. 1 spot and 3-0 from the No. 2 spot in the Spring ... Posted a 5-2 record in the Sun Belt ... Won five straight matches twice during the spring ... Played on to No. 1 doubles teams in the spring ... Teamed with Catalina Cruz going 7-5 with a 3-2 Sun Belt record ... Went 3-5 with partner Amy Jouberts registering a 2-0 mark against Sun Belt foes ... Participated in five tournaments during the fall and recorded a 10-6 record in singles ... Her 10 victories were the third most on the team ... Won the "A" Flight Consolation title at the H-E-B Baylor Invitational with a victory against Christina Keesey from Ohio State (7-6, 6-2) to earn her first collegiate crown in only her second tournament ... Defeated players from Kentucky, TCU and UTSA to come back and advance to the finals after losing to Jana Bielikova of Baylor in her opening match ... Finished first place in singles flight with during the North Texas Classic ... Participated in five tournaments for doubles and recorded a 6-8 record.

High School

Attended Perks Secondary School ... Earned a No. 98 World Juniors ranking ... Was previously ranked No.1 ranking in India in U18 Girl's rankings ... Made the finals of clay court nationals and semifinals of hard court nationals ... Was awarded the Most Valuable Player Award by the Tamilnadu Association twice ... Was a member of the Indian Fed Cup Junior Team as well as the International Federation Asian Team that toured Europe ... Upon coming to Denton, was ranked No. 738 in the ITF world women's ranking ... Is the only female from the state to be selected for the month-long camp at the Bolleter Academy in Florida ... Graduated No.2 in her class.

Personal

Daughter of Dr. Usha Elango and Elango Ranganathan ... Born on September 14, 1988 ... Has one brother, Hariram Ranganathan.

Mean Green Player Profiles & Current Season Results

BARBORA VYKYDALOVA • 5-10 • Sophomore • Sumperk, Czech Republic

SPRING '11 SINGLES RECORD: 0-0

VS. SUN BELT: 0-0



2009-10

Named the Mean Green Player to watch ... Compiled an 11-10 record in her first season at North Texas, playing every singles spot but No. 6 ... Won her first ever match with the Mean Green in the season opener at Jacksonville University in straight sets, 6-2, 6-0 ... Was one of four singles victories in the Sun Belt Championship match against No. 49 Florida International ... Teamed with senior Catalina Cruz to collect an 11-10 record in doubles, including wins over duos from No. 73 Texas Tech and No. 38 Florida International ... Arrived in Denton as a January commitment.

International

Competed in ITF Futures tournaments throughout Europe since 2006 ... Appeared at a 2008 tournament in Poland where she won six matches, three qualifying and three in the main draw, en route to a quarterfinal appearance ... Ranked No. 28 in women's singles in 2008 in the Czech Republic national rankings ... Highest junior ranking that she achieved was in 2005 at No. 25.

Personal

Daughter of Alexandra and Vit Vykydalova ... Born August 16, 1989 ... Has one older sister, Nikola Vykydalova.

