



VIRGINIA TECH

2021 MEN'S SOCCER



9 MLS DRAFT PICKS - 5 CONSECUTIVE NCAA TOURNAMENT APPEARANCES - 2007 COLLEGE CUP - FOUR 'SWEET SIXTEENS' SINCE 2016

MATCHDAY 4

THE MATCHUP

#15 VIRGINIA TECH HOKIES

2-0-1, 0-0 ACC

Head Coach: Mike Brizendine (James Madison, 1999)
Record at Virginia Tech: 90-107-33 (13th Season)
Career Record: 117-131-33 (16th Season)

VS

#20 SETON HALL

2-0-1, 0-0 BIG EAST

Head Coach: Andrea Lindberg (Southampton, 2002)
Record at Seton Hall: 24-18-8 (4th Season)
Career Record: 192-60-30 (16th Season)

MATCHDAY 4 | VIRGINIA TECH vs. SETON HALL - SEPTEMBER 6, 2021 | 11 AM | RALEIGH, NC | DAIL SOCCER FIELD



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QUICK COMPARISON		
2021 Season		2021 Season
7	Goals	7
2.33	Goals/Game	2.33
1.67	Goals Allowed/Game	1.0
15.7	Shots/Game	16.7
.149	Shot Pct.	.140
.468	SOG Pct.	.420



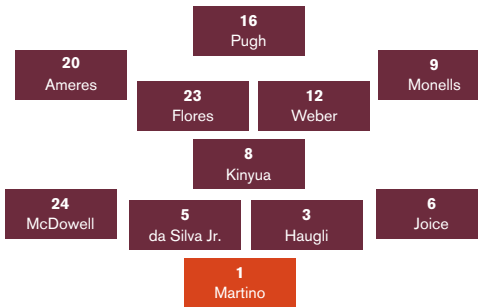
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STARTING XI - LAST MATCH

VIRGINIA TECH

Pos	#	Name	Note
GK	1	Ben Martino	
D	3	Sivert Haugli	ACC Preseason Watch List
D	5	Welnilton da Silva Jr.	Co-Captain with Haugli
D	6	Cameron Joice	
D	24	Kyle McDowell	
MF	8	Mayola Kinyua	
MF	9	Pol Monells	
MF	12	Andrew Weber	
MF	23	Danny Flores	
MF	20	Landon Ameres	
F	16	Conor Pugh	

4-1-4-1 Formation



KEY STORYLINES

DOWN GOES #1

- Virginia Tech defeated No. 1 Marshall on August 29 in Harrisonburg, Va. Trailing 2-0 at the half, a brace from Sivert Haugli and go-ahead PK from Nick Blacklock gave the Hokies their fourth win over a No. 1 opponent in program history.
- Tyler Taber and Ben Martino made their first career starts for Tech in the match.
- The Hokies are 3-0 in the first match following a win against a No. 1 team.

HAUGLI HONORS

- For his performance against Marshall, Haugli earned United Soccer Coaches Player of the Week honors.
- Along with two goals, Haugli anchored the back line that held Marshall to two shots in the second half.

TOUGH TASK AT HAND

- Three of Tech's first four opponents were ranked in the United Soccer Coaches preseason poll: No. 1 Marshall, No. 13 UCF, and No. 10 Seton Hall.
- Following the first week of competition, only Marshall (No. 7) and Seton Hall (No. 20) remain in the top 25, while UCF is receiving votes.

BACK AT IT

- After missing the first two matches of the season due to red card accumulation in 2020-21, Jacob Labovitz made an appearance on Friday against UCF. The forward scored the game-winning goal.

LAST TIME OUT...

- Seton Hall eliminated Tech in the 'Sweet Sixteen' of the 2020 NCAA DI Men's Soccer Championships.

FIVE STRAIGHT

- With its selection to the 2020 NCAA DI Men's Soccer Championship, Virginia Tech qualified for its fifth-consecutive NCAA tournament. Only five other teams can boast that accomplishment: Indiana, Maryland, Stanford, Wake Forest, and Washington.
- Tech's journey to the NCAA Tournament to the postseason was not an easy trip. After excelling in the fall and being ranked as high as No. 4 in the country, the Hokies faced setbacks in the spring due to injury and the loss of Dani Pereira.
- After losing four of its first five matches in the spring, the Hokies finished the regular season on a three-game unbeaten streak, including ACC road wins against #15 UNC and Notre Dame.
- The unseeded Hokies defeated #15 Oregon St. before falling to No. 6 Seton Hall in penalties.

2021 SCHEDULE

RECORD	2-0-1
NON-CONFERENCE	2-0-1
HOME	0-0
AWAY	0-0
NEUTRAL	2-0-1

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
8/13	Charlotte (EXH.)	
8/17	NC State (EXH.)	
8/21	at Georgetown (EXH.)	
8/26	Kansas City ¹	T, 2-2 (OT)
8/29	Marshall ¹	W, 3-2
9/3	UCF ²	W, 2-1
9/6	Seton Hall ²	11 AM
9/11	at Duke*	7 PM
9/17	Virginia*	7 PM
9/21	at William & Mary	7 PM
9/24	Notre Dame*	7 PM
9/28	ETSU	7 PM
10/1	at Boston College*	7 PM
10/8	Louisville*	6 PM
10/12	Davidson	6 PM
10/16	at Wake Forest*	7 PM
10/24	North Carolina*	4 PM
10/29	at Pitt*	7 PM
11/7	ACC Quarterfinal ³	TBA
11/10	ACC Semifinal ³	TBA
11/14	ACC Final (Gary, N.C.)	TBA

* - ACC Game
¹ - JMU Invite
² - NC State Tournament
³ - Played at higher-seeded team
 All Times Eastern & Subject to Change

2020 RESULTS

RECORD	7-6-4
NON-CONFERENCE	5-5-2
HOME	2-1-2
AWAY	0-3-3
NEUTRAL	6-2-0