

Georgia State Panthers Men's Tennis



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Georgia State (12-2) vs. Southern Illinois (3-5)
 Mar. 17 - 10:00 a.m.
 Blackburn Tennis Center

2011-12 Men's Tennis Schedule

Jan. 20	Lipscomb	W, 6-1
Jan. 21	Old Dominion	W, 6-1
Jan. 28	vs. Elon	W, 6-1
Jan. 29	at South Carolina	L, 1-6
Feb. 2	vs. #64 ETSU	W, 5-2
Feb. 8	at #29 Georgia Tech	L, 1-6
Feb. 19	Austin Peay	W, 7-0
Feb. 24	Winthrop	W, 4-0
Feb. 26	at College of Charleston	W, 5-2
Feb. 29	at South Carolina State	W, 4-3
Mar. 3	Gardner-Webb	W, 6-1
Mar. 4	UNC Asheville	W, 7-0
Mar. 4	Georgia Southwestern State	W, 7-0
Mar. 10	vs. Stetson	Canceled
Mar. 11	at Georgia Southern	W, 7-0
Mar. 17	Southern Illinois	10 a.m.
Mar. 18	Morehouse	10 a.m.
Mar. 18	Florida A&M	7 p.m.
Mar. 25	Brown	1 p.m.
Mar. 30	Sun Belt Shoot-Out	TBA
Apr. 6	Presbyterian	1 p.m.
Apr. 6	Alabama State	6 p.m.
Apr. 8	UNC Wilmington*	1 p.m.
Apr. 14	at Troy	1 p.m.
Apr. 19	CAA Championships	All Day
May 12	NCAA 1st & 2nd Rounds	All Day
May 18	NCAA Tennis Championships	All Day

ON THE PROWL

Georgia State is red-hot entering today's match with an eight-match winning streak. The Panthers, with three wins this weekend, could set a record for consecutive wins under third-year head coach Chase Hodges. An 11-match winning streak would best GSU's previous best of 10 straight wins set last season. Georgia State's all-time record for consecutive wins is 14

NOSTRA-THOMAS?

Want to figure out if Georgia State will win today? Try watching GSU sophomore **Thomas Cook** in his singles match. The Lilburn, Ga., native has an uncanny ability to set the tone for Georgia State victories. Since he first became a regular last season in the Panthers' lineup, Cook has 26 victories in singles play. In those 26 matches where Cook triumphs in his singles match, GSU owns a 25-1 record as a team.



Thomas Cook

A LOOK AT THE SALUKIS

Southern Illinois, a member of the Missouri Valley Conference, is 3-5 this season. The Salukis boast the reigning MVC Rookie of the Year in sophomore **Jorge Cavero**. The team is completing a week-long spring break road trip today after a 5-2 loss at SC State on Monday and a 6-1 win vs. George Mason on Wednesday.

ALL SYSTEMS GO

Every single member of the Georgia State men's tennis owns a winning streak heading into today's match. The longest of which belongs to freshman **Matias Hatem**, whose incredible rookie campaign has led him to a 13-1 record and ten straight victories. Cook has won eight-consecutive matches and junior **Victor Valente** has won six straight matches.



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Georgia State Panthers Roster/Coaching Staff



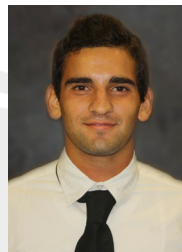
SOFIANE CHEVALLIER
Freshman
Paris, France
CNED



THOMAS COOK
Sophomore
Lilburn, Ga.
Parkview High School



JUAN PABLO GUTIERREZ
Senior
Guayaquil, Ecuador



MATIAS HATEM
Freshman
San Miguel de Tucuman, Argentina
Instituto Cervantes



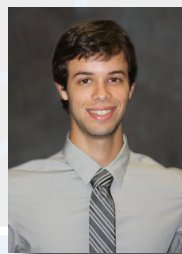
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Freshman
Casablanca, Morocco
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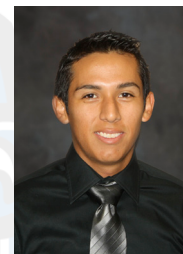
JOSE ORTIZ
Freshman
Madrid, Spain
Ies Ortego y Gassete



LUCAS SANTANA
Junior
Brasilia, Brazil



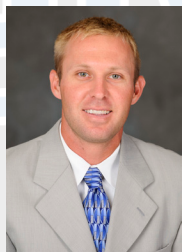
VICTOR VALENTE
Junior
Sao Paulo, Brazil



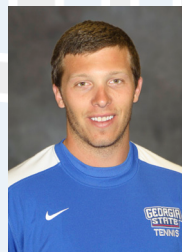
MICHAEL VALLEJO
Sophomore
Lima, Peru
Homeschooled



CHASE HODGES
Head Coach (Third Year)
Hickory, N.C.
UNC Wilmington ('98)



SCOTT CURRY
Assistant Coach (First Year)
Hickory, N.C.
UNC Wilmington ('05)



BRADLEY COX
Volunteer Assistant Coach (First Year)
Duluth, Ga.
Kentucky ('11)

Southern Illinois Salukis Roster/Coaching Staff

Name	Year	Hometown/High School
Martijn Admiraal	Freshman	Lutjebroek, Holland
Jorge Cavero	Sophomore	Lima, Peru/Nivel A
Badr Cherradi	Junior	Lyon, France/Shorter University
Rafael Cuadrillero	Sophomore	Madrid, Spain/La Salle Maravillas
Brandon Florez	Junior	McKinney, Texas/McKinney North
Szymon Opieczzonek	Freshman	Naklow, Poland
Stanislas Rodier	Senior	Paris, France/Tyler Junior College
Jordan Snyder	Junior	St. Louis, Mo./Missouri
Orhan Spahic	Junior	Sarajevo, Bosnia/Druga Gimnazija

Head Coach: Dann Nelson (Seventh Season)

Graduate Assistant Coach: Hugo Vidal