



# GYMNASTICS

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## BYU 2018 SCHEDULE

Date	Meet	Score/Result
1/7	at Utah	194.275/2nd
1/12	Cal Berkeley	196.025/1st
1/19	Southern Utah	195.750/1st
1/26	Air Force	196.450/1st
2/3	at Denver	194.875/3rd
2/9	at Southern Utah	196.450/2nd
2/16	Denver, Southern Utah	196.625/1st
2/23	Boise State	196.225/1st
3/2	at Utah State	
3/5	at Oregon State	7 p.m. PST
3/9	Penn State, Utah State, Texas Woman's	7 p.m. MST
3/15	at Washington	6 p.m. PDT
3/24	MRGC Championships	7 p.m. MDT

## 2018 QUICK FACTS

Location . . . . . Provo, Utah 84602  
 Elevation . . . . . 4,553 feet  
 Enrollment . . . . . 33,336  
 Founded . . . . . October 15, 1875  
 Owned . . . . . LDS Church  
 Nickname . . . . . Cougars  
 BYU President . . . . . Kevin J Worthen (BYU, 1979)  
 Athletics Director . . . . . Tom Holmoe (BYU, 1983)  
 Assoc. Athletic Director/SWA . . Liz Darger (BYU, 2000)  
 Arena . . . . . Smith Fieldhouse  
 Conference . . . . . Mountain Rim Gymnastics  
 2017 Regional Finish . . . . . 5th

## PROGRAM TEAM HIGHS

Vault	49.625	3/12/04, Utah State
Bars	49.475	2/16/01, Missouri
Beam	49.675	3/12/04, Utah State
Floor	49.675	3/15/04, Southern Utah
Total	198.025	3/12/04, Utah State

## MRGC WEEKLY AWARDS

### Week 1:

Beam Specialist . . . . . Jill van Merlo  
 Floor Specialists . . . Mackenzie Douglas, Shannon Evans

### Week 2:

Floor Specialist . . . . . Mackenzie Douglas

### Week 3:

Bars Specialists . . . . . Natasha Marsh, Shannon Evans  
 Floor Specialist . . . . . Mackenzie Douglas

### Week 4:

Bars Specialist . . . . . Brittni Hawes

### Week 5:

Bars Specialist . . . . . Shannon Evans

### Week 6:

Floor Specialist . . . . . Shannon Evans

### Week 7:

Vault Specialist . . . . . Angel Zong  
 Bars Specialist . . . . . Shannon Hortman Evans  
 Floor Specialist . . . . . Kyleigh Greenlief

## MEET INFORMATION

Date . . . . . Monday, March 5, 2018 @ 7:00 p.m. PT  
 Location . . . . . Gill Coliseum, Corvallis, Oregon  
 TV . . . . . pac-12.com/womens-gymnastics  
 Live Stats . . . . . osubeavers.com



## OREGON STATE BEAVERS

Head Coach . . . . . Tanya Chaplin  
 Assoc. Head Coach . . . . . Michael Chaplin  
 Assistant Coach . . . . . Brian Amato  
 Volunteer Asst. Coach . . . . . Brittany Harris



## BYU COUGARS

Head Coach . . . . . Guard Young  
 Assistant Coach . . . . . Natalie Broekman  
 Assistant Coach . . . . . Brogan Evanson  
 Volunteer Asst. Coach . . . . . Mary Fredericks

## MEET PREVIEW

PROVO, Utah — No. 24 BYU heads north to Logan, Utah, to take on conference rival Utah State on Friday night in the Aggies' annual Breast Cancer Awareness Pink Meet before traveling to Corvallis, Oregon, to face No. 8 Oregon State on Monday.

"This is a longer weekend for us, so we've been preparing all week," head coach Guard Young said. "We get to have a great, aggressive start with our bar lineup, and we end on beam, so we've got to be able to focus and stay mindful of where we're at and what we're doing."

The Cougars will again wear the pink leotards at USU after they debuted them last week in their home Pink Meet against Boise State. In that meet last Friday night, BYU took down the Broncos, 196.225 to 196.175, with three BYU gymnasts earning Mountain Rim Gymnastics Conference Specialists of the Week honors. Angel Zhong matched her career-high on vault with a 9.850. Shannon Hortman Evans and Kyleigh Greenlief both set new career records that night; Evans with a 9.900 on bars and Greenlief with the highest score of the night, a 9.950 on floor.

Utah State recorded a season-high road score of 195.325 last Friday against Denver, Michigan and Bowling Green. Freshman Mikaela Meyer was named one of the MRGC Vault Specialists of the Week after earning a 9.850 on the event. Another Aggie freshman, Autumn DeHarde, placed first on floor at the meet after matching her career-high 9.925.

Oregon State posted a second season-high road score against UCLA on Sunday, 196.525, as the Beavers exceeded the 49-point mark on all four events. Sophomore Isis Lowery and freshman Kaitlyn Yanish both earned a 9.900 on floor, confirming Oregon State's sixth-place national ranking on the event.

The Cougars will host a fireside while in Oregon on Sunday night. The fireside will be held at 7 p.m. at a LDS Church building in Albany, Oregon. Attendance will be open to the public.

"These firesides are an awesome experience for the girls to give a message to the youth in the area," Young said. "I find it so rewarding to hear the stories of these girls and their trials and everything they struggle with. It really puts things into perspective and reminds me why we're doing all of this."

The national rankings switched to regional qualifying scores (RQS) this weekend, ranking teams by the top six scores instead of overall season average. The top six scores are determined by the three highest away and home scores, putting the Cougars at a No. 24 national ranking.

The meet on Friday starts at 7 p.m. in the Dee Glenn Smith Spectrum in Logan, Utah. Live streaming will be available. The Oregon State meet will be held on Monday, March 5 at 7 p.m. PT/8 p.m. MST, at Gill Coliseum. Live streaming and live stats will be available.

NAME	HT.	YEAR	HOMETOWN
Abby Beeston	5-6	Fr.	Lehi, UT
Avery Bennett	5-3	Fr.	Gilbert, AZ
Abby Boden	5-5	Fr.	Roseville, CA
Allegra Clarkson	5-1	Fr.	American Fork, UT
Helody Cyrenne	5-4	Fr.	Beauharnois, QC, Canada
Jordan Danbury	5-2	Fr.	Killeen, TX
Mackenzie Douglas	5-5	Sr.	Queen Creek, AZ
Kyleigh Greenlief	5-4	Sr.	Sammamish, WA
Brittini Hawes	5-5	Sr.	Idaho Falls, ID
Cheyenne Hill	5-1	Jr.	Las Vegas, NV
Erin McKayla Hilton	5-4	So.	Henderson, NV
Shannon Hortman Evans	5-2	So.	American Fork, UT
Melanie Lockhart	5-3	Fr.	Tustin, CA
Lauren Love	5-3	So.	Gilbert, AZ
Savanna Maradiaga	5-2	Jr.	Tyler, TX
Hannah Miller	5-2	So.	Farmington, UT
Abbey Miner	5-4	Fr.	Mapleton, UT
Briana Pearson	5-3	So.	Los Gatos, CA
Haley Pitou	5-4	Fr.	Park City, UT
Natasha Trejo Marsh	5-0	Jr.	Tucson, AZ
Jill van Mierlo	5-2	Sr.	San Clemente, CA
Aspen Welch	5-3	Fr.	St. George, UT
Jessie Westergard	5-2	Jr.	Norwell, MA
Angel Zhong	5-5	So.	Langley, BC, Canada

**Head Coach:** Guard Young (3rd Season)  
**Assistant Coach:** Natalie Broekman (3rd Season)  
**Assistant Coach:** Brogan Evanson (3rd Season)  
**Volunteer Assistant Coach:** Mary Fredericks (1st Season)

**BYU PRONUNCIATION GUIDE**

HELODY CYRENNE:	Elle-oh-dee / Sy-reen
KYLEIGH GREENLIEF:	Ky-leve / Green-leaf
Savanna MARADIAGA:	Mah-rrah-dee-ah-gah
BRIANA Pearson:	Bree-ah-nuh
Haley PITOU:	Pee-too
Natasha TREJO Marsh:	Tray-hoe
Jill van MIERLO:	Meer-low
Angel ZHONG:	Zong

**Assistant Coach:**  
 Natalie BROEKMAN      Brook-man

**WEEK EIGHT RECAP:  
 BYU AT UTAH STATE**

LOGAN, Utah – Brittini Hawes, Natasha Trejo Marsh and Angel Zhong led No. 24 BYU to victory against Utah State at the Dee Glen Smith Spectrum Friday night.

"The girls were on point," BYU head coach Guard Young said. "They looked great and are ready to go for Oregon. I couldn't be happier with how they performed. They were warriors out there."

Hawes posted the highest score of the night after matching her season high on bars with a 9.925. Marsh also led the Cougars with high scores on beam and floor, 9.900 and 9.825, respectively. Zhong set a new career-high score on vault earning a 9.825.

BYU started the night on uneven bars. Behind Hawes' 9.925, Shannon Hortman Evans and Zhong received scores of 9.850 and 9.825, respectively. The Cougars posted a 49.175 on the event, their second-highest bars score of the season. The Aggies followed close behind after earning a 49.100 on vault.

In the second rotation, BYU received a 49.025 on vault. Avery Bennett earned the highest score on vault for the Cougars with a 9.850 and Evans matched her season-high with a 9.825. Jill van Mierlo also recorded a 9.800 as BYU maintained its lead 98.025 to 98.200.

The Cougars then moved to floor, where Marsh led the team with a 9.825. Van Mierlo and Abbey Miner both earned a 9.800 on the event, leaving BYU in the lead with a 48.950 on floor and a total score of 147.150 after the third rotation. The Aggies trailed with a 146.975.

In the final rotation, the Cougars earned a 49.050 on beam. Marsh earned the highest score of the night on beam with a 9.900, matching her career high. Abby Boden received at 9.875 and Briana Pearson set a career high with a 9.825. BYU finished with the victory over Utah State, 196.200 to 196.100.

BYU heads to Corvallis, Oregon, to take on No. 8 Oregon State on Monday night. The meet is scheduled to begin at 7 p.m. PST at Gill Coliseum. Live streaming and live stats will both be available.

**PROJECTED BYU EVENT LINE-UP**

**VAULT**

1. Abbey Miner
2. Haley Pitou
3. Angel Zhong
4. Shannon Hortman Evans
5. Jill van Mierlo
6. Avery Bennett

**BARS**

1. Abby Boden
2. Angel Zhong
3. Natasha Trejo Marsh
4. Haley Pitou
5. Brittni Hawes
6. Shannon Hortman Evans

**BEAM**

1. Briana Pearson
2. Cheyenne Hill
3. Shannon Hortman Evans
4. Natasha Trejo Marsh
5. Abby Boden
6. Jill van Mierlo

**FLOOR**

1. Briana Pearson
2. Jill van Mierlo
3. Abbey Miner
4. Shannon Hortman Evans
5. Kyleigh Greenlief
6. Natasha Trejo Marsh

**2018 BYU PHOTO ROSTER**



Abby Beeston  
Fr.



Avery Bennett  
Fr.



Abby Boden  
Fr.



Allegra Clarkson  
Fr.



Helody Cyrenne  
Fr.



Jordan Danbury  
Fr.



Mackenzie Douglas  
Sr.



Kyleigh Greenlief  
Sr.



Brittni Hawes  
Sr.



Cheyenne Hill  
Jr.



Erin McKayla Hilton  
So.



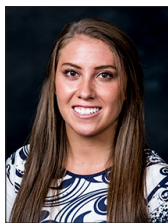
Shannon Hortman Evans  
So.



Melanie Lockhart  
Fr.



Lauren Love  
So.



Savanna Maradiaga  
Jr.



Hannah Miller  
So.



Abbey Miner  
Fr.



Briana Pearson  
So.



Haley Pitou  
Fr.



Natasha Trejo Marsh  
Jr.



Jill van Mierlo  
Sr.



Aspen Welch  
Fr.



Jessie Westergard  
Jr.



Angel Zhong  
So.

## 2018 SEASON SCORES

Meet	Result	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	Total	Ranking
1/5 at Utah	2nd	48.775	47.900	48.700	48.900	194.725	17
1/12 California	1st	48.750	48.925	49.125	49.225	196.025	18
1/19 Southern Utah	1st	48.825	48.925	48.800	49.200	195.570	22
1/26 Air Force	1st	48.925	<b>49.200</b>	49.050	49.275	196.450	18
2/3 Denver	3rd	48.975	49.150	47.550	49.200	194.875	21
2/9 Southern Utah	2nd	49.025	49.075	<b>49.325</b>	49.025	196.450	19
2/16 Denver, SUU	1st	<b>49.050</b>	49.150	49.050	<b>49.375</b>	<b>196.625</b>	18
2/23 Boise State	1st	49.000	49.150	48.750	49.325	196.225	24 (RQS start)
3/2 Utah State	1st	49.025	49.175	49.050	48.950	196.200	24

## BYU PROGRAM AND SEASON HIGHLIGHTS

### Team Records

#### Overall

Program: 198.025, 3/12/04 Season: 196.625, 2/16/18

#### Vault

Program: 49.625, 3/12/04  
Season: 49.050, 2/16/18

#### Bars

Program: 49.475, 2/16/01  
Season: 49.200, 1/26/18

#### Beam

Program: 49.675, 3/12/04  
Season: 49.325, 2/9/18

#### Floor

Program: 49.675, 3/15/04  
Season: 49.375, 2/16/18

### 2018 Season Highlights

- Team overall score of 196.625 against Denver and Southern Utah was highest score in 13 years.
- Team beam score of 49.325 at Southern Utah was highest since 2005 and the 4th highest beam score in program history.
- Team floor score of 49.375 against Denver and SUU was the highest since Young started at BYU in 2015.
- Attendance of 5,112 fans on 1/19/18 against Southern Utah broke BYU gymnastics' home attendance record.

## 2018 INDIVIDUAL SCORES

### Avery BENNETT

- 2014 Junior Olympic NIT qualifier
- 2017 Regional bronze medalist on beam

Date	Team	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
1/5	Utah	9.750				
1/12	California	9.850				
1/19	Southern Utah	9.800				
1/26	Air Force	9.775				
2/3	Denver	<u>9.875</u>				
2/9	Southern Utah	<u>9.875</u>				
2/16	Denver, SUU	<u>9.875</u>				
2/23	Boise State	9.800				
3/2	Utah State	9.850				
<b>Career High</b>		<b>9.875</b>				

### Abby BODEN

- Placed at the 2017 Junior Olympic National Championships
- Started in all 2018 season meets as a freshman

Date	Team	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
1/5	Utah	9.100		9.725		
1/12	California	9.625ex	9.800	9.850		
1/19	Southern Utah	<u>9.650ex</u>	9.775	9.775	9.700ex	
1/26	Air Force		9.825			
2/3	Denver		9.750	9.750		
2/9	Southern Utah		9.775	<u>9.900</u>		
2/16	Denver, SUU		<u>9.850</u>	9.850		
2/23	Boise State		9.750	9.500		
3/2	Utah State		9.825	9.875		
<b>Career High</b>		<b>9.650</b>	<b>9.850</b>	<b>9.900</b>	<b>9.700</b>	

### Helody CYRENNE

- Finished seventh in all-around at 2015 Elite Canada Championships
- Competed at the 2015 Toyota International Cup in Japan

Date	Team	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
1/5	Utah			9.625		
1/12	California			9.200		
1/26	Air Force			<u>9.700ex</u>		
<b>Career High</b>				<b>9.700</b>		

### Mackenzie DOUGLAS

- 2017 All-MRGC Vault Co-Champion and first-team honors
- Earned a 9.800 or higher on vault in 9 of 13 meets in 2017

Date	Team	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
1/5	Utah	9.800			9.775	
1/12	California	9.725	8.900ex		9.900	
1/19	Southern Utah	9.800			9.875	
1/26	Air Force	<u>9.825</u>			<u>9.925</u>	
2/3	Denver	9.750			9.825	
<b>Career High</b>		<b>9.875</b>	<b>9.875</b>		<b>9.925</b>	

### Shannon HORTMAN EVANS

- 2017 MRGC Freshman of the Year, three-time Gymnast of the Week
- Earned a 9.800 or higher on bars in 10 of 13 meets

Date	Team	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
1/5	Utah	9.750	9.800	9.550	9.800	38.900
1/12	California		9.850		9.900	
1/19	Southern Utah	9.675	9.850	9.800	9.625	38.950
1/26	Air Force	9.800	9.875	<u>9.850</u>	9.775	39.300
2/3	Denver	9.725	9.850		9.850	
2/9	Southern Utah	9.800	9.875	<u>9.850</u>	9.875	39.400
2/16	Denver, SUU	<u>9.825</u>	9.825	9.825	<u>9.950</u>	<u>39.425</u>
2/23	Boise State	9.775	<u>9.900</u>	9.825	9.875	39.375
3/2	Utah State	9.825	9.850	9.650	9.675	39.000
<b>Career High</b>		<b>9.875</b>	<b>9.900</b>	<b>9.875</b>	<b>9.950</b>	<b>39.425</b>

### Kyleigh GREENLIEF

- Recorded a 9.800 or higher in six-consecutive meets on floor
- Posted a career-high 9.950 on floor on 2/23 against Boise State

Date	Team	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
1/5	Utah				9.825	
1/12	California				9.800	
1/19	Southern Utah				9.825	
1/26	Air Force				9.825	
2/3	Denver				9.850	
2/9	Southern Utah				9.700	
2/16	Denver, SUU				9.875	
2/23	Boise State				<u>9.950</u>	
3/2	Utah State				9.775	
<b>Career High</b>					<b>9.950</b>	

**2018 INDIVIDUAL SCORES**

**Brittni HAWES**

- Career-high 9.950 ties for second in program history, leads conference
- Recorded a 9.800 or higher on bars in seven meets
- 2017 NACGC/W Scholastic All-American

Date	Team	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
1/5	Utah		9.750			
1/12	California		9.800			
1/19	Southern Utah		9.850			
1/26	Air Force		9.850			
2/3	Denver		<u>9.925</u>			
2/9	Southern Utah		9.825			
2/16	Denver, SUU		9.775			
2/23	Boise State		9.875			
3/2	Utah State		<u>9.925</u>			
<b>Career High</b>			<b>9.950</b>			

**Cheyenne HILL**

- Earned a 9.800 or higher on vault in four meets
- 2016 NACGC/W Scholastic All-American, MRGC All-Academic Team

Date	Team	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
1/26	Air Force			9.725ex		
2/3	Denver			9.125		
2/9	Southern Utah			<u>9.875</u>		
2/16	Denver, SUU			9.700		
2/23	Boise State			9.750ex		
3/2	Utah State			9.800		
<b>Career High</b>		<b>9.825</b>		<b>9.875</b>	<b>9.800</b>	

**Hannah MILLER**

- Posted a career-high 9.800 on beam in the Gem State Invitational
- Earned a 9.700 or higher on beam in six meets

Date	Team	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
1/5	Utah			<u>9.775</u>		
1/12	California	9.450		9.750	9.675ex	
1/19	Southern Utah			9.750		
1/26	Air Force			<u>9.775</u>	9.625ex	
2/3	Denver			9.700	<u>9.700ex</u>	
2/9	Southern Utah			9.725	9.100	
2/23	Boise State			9.075	9.825ex	
3/2	Utah State					
<b>Career High</b>		<b>9.700</b>		<b>9.800</b>	<b>9.825</b>	

**Abbey MINER**

- Placed second on vault and fifth on bars at Nationals in 2014
- State Champion on vault in 2014 and 2017

Date	Team	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
1/5	Utah				9.750	
1/12	California	9.650			9.750	
1/19	Southern Utah	9.675		9.550ex	9.800	
1/26	Air Force	9.750			9.850	
2/3	Denver	9.625			9.700	
2/9	Southern Utah	9.675			<u>9.875</u>	
2/16	Denver, SUU	9.750			9.825	
2/23	Boise State	<u>9.800</u>			9.825	
3/2	Utah State	9.775			9.800	
<b>Career High</b>		<b>9.800</b>			<b>9.875</b>	

**Briana PEARSON**

- 2017 NACGC/W Scholastic All-American
- Earned a 9.800 or higher on floor in five meets

Date	Team	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
1/5	Utah				9.750	
1/12	California			9.750	9.800	
1/19	Southern Utah			9.700	<u>9.850</u>	
1/26	Air Force			9.725	<u>9.850</u>	
2/3	Denver			9.125	<u>9.850</u>	
2/9	Southern Utah			9.800	9.825	
2/16	Denver, SUU			9.700	<u>9.850</u>	
2/23	Boise State		8.950ex		<u>9.850</u>	
3/2	Utah State			<u>9.825</u>	9.750	
<b>Career High</b>				<b>9.825</b>	<b>9.875</b>	

**Haley PITOU**

- Placed third on bars at 2017 Nationals
- 2016 and 2017 State Bar Champion

Date	Team	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
1/5	Utah				9.050	
1/19	Southern Utah				9.700ex	
1/26	Air Force	9.650ex	9.725			
2/3	Denver	9.725ex	<u>9.875</u>			
2/9	Southern Utah		9.850			
2/16	Denver, SUU	<u>9.800</u>	9.850			
2/23	Boise State	9.725	9.850			
3/2	Utah State	9.775	9.750			
<b>Career High</b>		<b>9.800</b>	<b>9.875</b>			

**Natasha TREJO MARSH**

- Earned a 9.800 or higher on beam in seven-consecutive meets
- 2016 NACGC/W Scholastic All-American, MRGC All-Academic Team

Date	Team	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
1/5	Utah			9.675	9.775	
1/12	California			9.725	9.875	
1/19	Southern Utah			9.750	9.775	
1/26	Air Force			<u>9.875</u>	9.800	
2/3	Denver			9.750	9.825	
2/9	Southern Utah			9.750	<u>9.900</u>	
2/16	Denver, SUU			9.800	9.875	9.750
2/23	Boise State				9.825	9.825
3/2	Utah State			9.525	<u>9.900</u>	<u>9.825</u>
<b>Career High</b>			<b>9.875</b>	<b>9.900</b>	<b>9.850</b>	

**Jill VAN MIERLO**

- Placed third in the all-around at the MRGC Championship
- 2015 MRGC Freshman of the Year

Date	Team	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
1/5	Utah	9.750	9.000	9.800	9.725	38.275
1/12	California	9.700	9.750	<u>9.900</u>	9.825	<u>39.175</u>
1/19	Southern Utah	9.775	9.700	9.700	9.850	39.025
1/26	Air Force	9.750		9.875	9.825	
2/3	Denver	<u>9.825</u>	9.800ex	9.150	9.825	
2/9	Southern Utah	<u>9.825</u>			9.750	
2/16	Denver, SUU	9.800	<u>9.825</u>	9.800	<u>9.875</u>	
2/23	Boise State	9.775	9.725	9.875	9.800	39.175
3/2	Utah State	9.800		9.025	9.800	
<b>Career High</b>		<b>9.825</b>	<b>9.900</b>	<b>9.925</b>	<b>9.900</b>	<b>39.325</b>

**Angel ZHONG**

- 2017 All-MRGC Vault First Team selection
- 2017 NACGC/W Scholastic All-American with a 4.0 GPA

Date	Team	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
1/5	Utah	9.725	9.625			
1/12	California	9.825	9.675	9.675ex		
1/19	Southern Utah	9.775	9.700			
1/26	Air Force	9.775	9.775	<u>9.750</u>		
2/3	Denver	9.800	9.750	9.650ex		
2/9	Southern Utah	<u>9.850</u>	9.725			
2/16	Denver, SUU	9.675				
2/23	Boise State	<u>9.850</u>	9.775	9.725		
3/2	Utah State	9.775	<u>9.825</u>			
<b>Career High</b>		<b>9.850</b>	<b>9.825</b>	<b>9.750</b>		

## Guard YOUNG

**BYU Head Coach**  
2015-Present

A former BYU national champion gymnast and Olympic silver medal winner, Young enters his third year at the helm of the BYU gymnastics program.

A member of the BYU Athletic Hall of Fame, he returned to his alma mater in May of 2015.

Young came to BYU from the University of Oklahoma, where he was an assistant men's gymnastics coach from 2000-05 and 2011-15. In nine seasons at OU, Young was part of four NCAA championship teams (2002, 2003, 2005, 2015) and five NCAA runner-up teams (2001, 2004, 2012, 2013, 2014).

Young's passion for gymnastics is equaled by his love for BYU. From 1996 to 2000, he was a member of the BYU men's gymnastics team, winning six All-America awards and two NCAA National Championships on the vault (1999, 2000). As a senior, Young was also the runner-up for the individual all-around at the 2000 NCAA Championships. He was inducted into the BYU Athletic Hall of Fame in 2010.

From 2000 to 2004, Young was a member of the USA Senior National Gymnastics Team, winning a team silver medal at the 2001 World Championships in Ghent, Belgium, and a team silver medal the 2004 Olympic Games in Athens, Greece.

As a junior gymnast, he trained under OU coach Mark Williams at the Bart Conner Gymnastics Academy in Norman, Oklahoma. Young earned the 1996 junior national champion title and three junior national team berths.

Young graduated from BYU in 2001 with a Bachelor of Arts in communications with an emphasis in broadcast journalism. He and his wife, Alisha, have two boys and one daughter (Tyler, Jaxson and Hadley).

His father, Wayne Young, was a BYU gymnast from 1970-1975 and captained the 1976 USA Olympic team. Wayne later became the Cougars men's gymnastics coach from 1979-87 and was inducted into the BYU Athletic Hall of Fame in 1986. In addition, Guard's sister, Jessica Young Wycherly, was a gymnast at BYU from 1995-98.



## YOUNG AT A GLANCE

### Coaching Career

- Led BYU to NCAA regional appearances in first two seasons at BYU
- University of Oklahoma assistant men's gymnastics coach for nine years ('00-'05, '11-'15)
- Coached four NCAA championship teams at OU
- Also coached five NCAA runner-up teams at OU

### Gymnastics Career

- 2010 BYU Hall of Fame Inductee
- 2004 Olympic Silver Medalist in Athens
- Member of USA National Gymnastics Team for 10 years
- Six-time NCAA All-American
- Two-time NCAA Vault Champion ('99, '00)
- Individual all-around title runner-up at 2000 NCAA Championships



## Natalie BROEKMAN

**BYU Assistant Coach**  
**Balance beam coach**  
2015-Present

### Coaching Experience

- Coached at Gold Medal Gymnastics in Chandler, Ariz., under the direction of Olympic gold medalist, Amanda Borden
- Coached for nine years at Arizona Olympian Gymnastics
- Trained at Arizona Twisters under Lisa Spini

### Gymnastics Career

- Member of BYU gymnastics team from 1996-99, coached by Brad and Dawn Cattermole and Shauna Mertz
- Team captain during the 1999 season
- Broke school all-around record in 1999 with a 39.475
- Received the Dale R. McCann Team Spirit Award from the Cougar Club in 1999
- NACGC-W All-American on balance beam in 1996
- Member of the U.S. Elite National Team from 1992-94
- Finished third in the all-around senior national division at the U.S. Classic
- Demonstrator for the United States Gymnastics Federation, the Federation of International Gymnastics and U.S. Synchronized Swimming

### Education

- Bachelor of Science in Family Science, BYU (2000)
- Physical education coaching minor

### Family

- Natalie and her husband, David, have four children — Davis, Brady, Holland and Tate



## Brogan EVANSON

**BYU Assistant Coach**  
**Vault and floor coach, team choreographer**  
2015-Present

### Judging and Coaching Experience

- Level 10 Official for the NCAA and USA Gymnastics since 2007
- Gymnastics Program Director and Head Coach at Peak Athletics in Highlands Ranch, Colo.
- Assistant coach for the Southeast Missouri Redhawks gymnastics team under the direction of Tom Farden (current co-head coach at Utah)
- Named Co-Midwest Independent Conference Assistant Coach of the Year in 2007
- Volunteer assistant coach for BYU in 2005, contributing to Cougars' NCAA National Championship Appearance

### Gymnastics Career

- Member of BYU gymnastics team from 2001-04, coached by Dawn and Brad Cattermole and Shauna Mertz
- Ranked No. 14 nationally on uneven bars
- Scored a 9.975 on bars against Utah to set a new school record in 2004
- Recorded a perfect 10.000 on floor in 2003
- Awarded the BYU Scholar-Athlete Award four straight years
- Nominated for the Lu Wallace Outstanding Senior Female Award in 2004

### Education

- Masters of Art in Athletic Administration, Southeast Missouri State (2007)
- Bachelor of Science in Exercise Science, BYU (2005)
- Personal Training Certification with the American College of Sports Medicine

### Family

- Brogan and her husband, Troy, have three children — Rigden, Tegan and L. Jaclyn