

# MEN'S VOLLEYBALL

**'99-'01** NATIONAL CHAMPIONS

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### **BYU Record**

2004: 7-3 overall, 5-1 conference (3-1 home, 4-2 away, 0-0 neutral) All-time : 235-141 (since 1990) Coach Peterson: 30-10

### 2003 Schedule/Results

	Date	Opp/Event 1	Time/Results
	1/9	@ Pepperdine Tournament	L, 0-3
	1/10	@ Pepperdine Tournamnet	L, 0-3
	1/16	No. 5 CAL STATE NORTHRIDG	E* W, 3-0
	1/17	No. 5 CAL STATE NORTHRIDG	E* L, 2-3
	1/23	@ No. 12 Ohio State	W, 3-0
	1/24	@ No. 12 Ohio State	W, 3-1
	1/28	@ No. 2 Long Beach State*	W, 3-2
	1/30	@ No. 2 Long Beach State*	W, 3-2
	2/6	No. 12 PACIFIC*	W, 3-0
	2/7	No. 12 PACIFIC*	W, 3-0
	2/20	No. 9 STANFORD*	7 p.m.
	2/21	No. 9 STANFORD*	7 p.m.
	2/26	@ UC Irvine*	7 p.m.
	2/28	$\overline{}$	4 p.m.
	3/5	SANTA BARBARA*	7 p.m.
	3/6		7 p.m.
	3/12		7 p.m.
	3/13		7 p.m.
	3/18		7 p.m.
	3/20	@ Hawai`i*	7 p.m.
	3/26	LEWIS	9 p.m.
	3/27	GEORGE MASON	7 p.m.
	4/2	@ UC San Diego*	7 p.m.
	4/3	@ UC San Diego*	7 p.m.
	4/8	@ UCLA*	7 p.m.
	4/9	@ UCLA*	7 p.m.
	4/15		7 p.m.
	4/17		7 p.m.
	4/24		TBA
	4/29		TBA
	5/1	MPSF Final	TBA
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\* MPSF Opponents \*HOME GAMES IN CAPS



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7-3 5-1 MPS

5-9, 3-7 MPSF

Friday, Feb. 20 @ 7 p.m. (MST) - Live on BYUTV and KBYU Saturday, Feb. 21 @ 7 p.m. (MST) - Live on CSTV

#### Weekend Clash with the Cardinal...

After a week off, the fourth-ranked BYU men's volleyball team (7-3, 5-1 MPSF) host No. 11 Stanford (5-9, 3-7 MPSF) in a conference match-up, beginning at 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday at the Smith Fieldhouse. The Cougars swept No. 12 Pacific, 3-0 (30-25, 30-25, 30-23) on Feb. 6 and 3-0 (30-27, 30-22, 30-27) on Feb. 7 to stretch their winning streak to six.

#### A Quick Look at the Cougars

After sweeping the Tigers the night before, the fourth-ranked men's volleyball team blocked 12th-ranked Pacific on Feb. 7 in a match lasting only an hour and a half. With the win, BYU extends its overall record over Pacific to 13-4 and 9-0 at home. The Cougars had the advantage over the Tigers, with 10 blocks to four and hitting .386 to Pacific's .196 percentage. BYU only had one player in double-digit kills, but the team spread the offense around with four players recording eight kills each. Leading the Cougars was All-American Jonathan Alleman with 11 kills, hitting .562 and committing only two errors. Alleman also led the Cougars with 16 kills on 21 attempts (.667) on Feb. 6, while Fernando Pessoa, the MPSF Player of the Week for Feb. 2-6, recorded his seventh straight double-digit performance with 12 kills. Alleman led all scorers with 18 points, followed by Pessoa with 15. Victor Batista had six kills, three assisted blocks and a team-leading three aces.

### Cougars vs. Cardinal

The match up with Stanford will be the 23th meeting between the two teams, as BYU leads the series 14-8 overall, including 6-2 in Provo. Last season, the Cougars took both

matches at Stanford in five games for the first two wins of the 2003 season.

#### **Quotes from Coach Tom Peterson**

"Stanford is a good team. We have to win these matches at home to stay competitive in the conference. Stanford is a big name school in volleyball and we cannot take them lightly. We'll need to minimize our mistakes and keep up our defense and blocking."

USA	TODAY/AVCA Division POLL #2: Ja			15
Rank	School (First-Place Votes)	Total Points	2004 Record	Last Week
1	Hawai`i (12)	235	8-2	2
2	UCLA (3)	213	11-2	1
3	Long Beach State (1)	210	11-3	5
4	BYU	206	7-3	3
5	Pepperdine	166	7-3	4
6	Cal State-Northridge	161	9-5	6
7	UC Santa Barbara	151	8-4	7
8	UC Irvine	117	6-8	8
9	Ball State	98	8-2	10
10	IPFW	91	6-1	11
11	Stanford	73	5-9	9
12	Penn State	72	6-4	12
13	UC San Diego	44	5-7	14
14	Lewis	30	7-6	13
15	Pacific	27	4-9	15

#### **BYU Quick Facts**

Location: Provo, Utah 84602 Enrollment: 32,122 (Daytime)

Founded: Oct. 15, 1875, by The Church of Jesus Christ

of Latter-day Saints Colors: Blue and White Nickname: Cougars Mascot: Cosmo (the Cougar) Affiliation: NCAA Division I

Conference: Mountain Pacific Sports Federation

Arena: Smith Fieldhouse (5,000) President: Cecil O. Samuelson Athletic Director: Val Hale

Ticket Office Phone: (801) 378-BYU1 or

1-800-322-BYU1

#### **Volleyball Staff:**

Head Coach: Tom Peterson (BYU, 1978) BYU Record/Years: 30-10/2nd season Office Phone: (801) 422-8291 Career Record/years: 276-139/12

Assistant Coaches:

Grayson DuBose (BYU, 1993) Shawn Patchell (BYU, 1993)

Volunteer Coach:

Greg Jorgensen (Utah State, 2002)

Trainer: Blain Empey

### **Volleyball Facts:**

2003 Overall Record: 23-7

Conference Record/Finish: 17-5 / 2nd in MPSF

Final National Ranking: 2nd Starters Returning (3):

Jon Alleman, 6-4, Sr., OH/OPP Carlos Moreno, 6-4, So., S

Fernando Pessoa, 6-4, Jr., LIB/OH

Starters Lost (3):

Rafael Paal (NCAA All-Tourn. Team, 3rd Team MPSF) Jaime Mayol (2.79 kpg, .325 hitting percentage) Luka Slabe (1.53 kpg, .219 hitting percentage)

Other Letterwinners Returning (3):

Joe Hillman, 6-7, Sr., OPP

David Hyte, 6-8, Sr., MB

Shawn Olmstead, 6-2, Sr., LIB

Top Newcomers (2):

Victor Batista, 6-5, Fr., OH, Dominican Republic Danillo Lampariello, 6-7, Fr., MB, Sao Paulo, Brazil

All-Conference Performers:

Carlos Moreno (2003 Second Team) Jonathan Alleman (2003 Second Team) Fernando Pessoa (2003 Honorable Mention) Michael Burke (2003 Honorable Mention)

#### **AVCA National Player of the Week**



Senior Fernando Pessoa earned the Sports Imports/AVCA National Player of the Week for Jan.19-23 after leading the Cougars 3-0 over Cal State Northridge on Jan.16 and recording his career-best 18 kills Jan.17. Since switching positions from libero to outside hitter, Pessoa helped BYU to a 1-1 record in two matches versus No. 5 CS Northridge. His 18 kills and 10 digs in the five-game loss on Jan. 17

marked his first double-double in kills and digs.

#### Pessoa Pumps it Up

After breaking his career high once again with 22 kills in Friday's match against LBSU, Pessoa was named Molten MPSF Player of the Week (Feb. 2-6). Friday's performance marked his sixth straight double-digit kill performance including 20 kills in Wednesday's match. He led BYU in kills last week at 42 in two matches (.309).

BYU No	merical Roste	er				
Num.	<u>Name</u>	<u>Ht.</u>	Wt.	Pos.	Class	<u>Hometown</u>
2	Steffin Rangel	6-5	175	OH	So.	Huntington Beach, Calif.
5	Carlos Moreno	6-4	185	S	Jr.	Sao Paulo, Brazil
6	Aaron Ferre	6-8	210	MB	Fr.	Sandy, Utah
7	Chris Gorny	6-6	195	OH/MB	Sr.	Palmdale, Calif.
8	David Hyte	6-8	200	MB	Sr.	Las Vegas, Nev.
10	Cory Carpenter	6-7	200	MB	Sr.	Alpine, Utah
11	Joe Hillman	6-7	195	Орр	Sr.	Las, Vegas, Nev.
12	Jon Alleman	6-3	200	OH	Sr.	Yorba Linda, Calif.
13	Danillo Lampariello	6-7	185	MB	So.	Sao Paulo, Brazil
14	Rob Neilson	6-3	180	S	So.	Pacific Palisades, Calif.
15	Shawn Olmstead	6-2	195	LIB	Sr.	Carpinteria, Calif.
17	Fernando Pessoa	6-4	190	OH	Sr.	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
18	Victor Batista	6-5	165	MB	Fr.	Tamayo, Dominican Republic
19	Enoc Cardona	6-6	190	OH/Opp	Fr.	Aguada, Puerto Rico
20	Taylor Evans	6-2	175	OH/Opp	So.	Alamo, Calif.
	Brian Rowley	6-0	165	LIB	So.	San Diego, Calif.
	Michael Burke	6-8	230	MB	Jr.	Salt Lake City, Utah

### **The Peterson File**

Tom Peterson, BYU alum and 1994 NCAA Coach of the Year, enters his second year as the head coach of the Cougar men's volleyball program. Peterson led the Cougars last season to a 23-7 record and a 2nd-place finish at the NCAA Tournament. BYU came back from a 2-0 deficit to beat No. 1 Pepperdine in the finals of the MPSF Tournament, which earned him MPSF Co-Coach of the Year. After defeating Penn State in the NCAA Semifinals, Peterson led BYU to the National Championships for the third time in five years. In the emotional match lasting nearly **Head Coach Tom Peterson** 



three hours, the Lewis Flyers edged BYU in five games with both teams playing to the final two points of game five. Peterson came to BYU in 2002 with over 20 years of volleyball coaching experience, including 17 years of collegiate head-coaching experience.

#### Alleman Making His Mark

Senior opposite hitter Jonathan Alleman led the Cougars in both matches against Pacific, hitting solid percentages at .562 and .667. He also added seven digs on Feb. 6, hitting 16 and 11 kills for the conference sweep over the Tigers. All-American Alleman has hit double-digit kills in eight of ten matches and ranks second on BYU's roster with 3.46 kills per game and 1.49 digs per game behind Fernando Pessoa.

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### **MPSF STANDINGS** (Rankings as of Feb. 11)

	MPS	F	0	ver	all	
Team	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
UCLA	5	1	.833	10	1	.909
BYU	5	1	.833	7	3	.700
Hawai'i	3	1	.750	6	2	.750
Long Beach State	4	2	.667	9	3	.750
Pepperdine	3	2	.600	7	2	.778
CS Northridge	4	3	.571	8	4	.667
UC Santa Barbara	3	3	.500	7	4	.636
UC San Diego	2	3	.400	5	5	.500
Stanford	3	5	.375	5	7	.417
Pacific	2	6	.333	3	9	.250
UC Irvine	2	5	.286	4	7	.363
USC	1	5	.167	2	10	.167

#### **BREAKDOWN BY POSITION**

SETTERS	
Carlos Moreno	Jr.
Rob Neilson	So.
Reed Chilton#	Fr.
Joe Klein#	Fr.
LIBEROS	
Shawn Olmstead	Sr.
Rob Congelleire	Jr.
Brian Rowley	So.
OUTSIDE HITTERS	
Jonathan Alleman	Sr.
Fernando Pessoa	Sr.
Chris Gorny	Sr.
Matt Heyes	Fr.
Steffin Rangel	So.
Joshua Jergensen#	Fr.
Ivan Perez#	Fr.
Andrew Stewart#	Fr.
Mat Taylor#	Fr.
Kent Tuttle#	Fr.
MIDDLE BLOCKERS	
Michael Burke*	Jr.
Cory Carpenter	Sr.
Victor Batista	Fr.
Danillo Lampariello	Fr.
Agron Ferre	Fr.
David Hyte	Sr.
Russel Holmes#	Fr.
OPPOSITE SIDE	
Joe Hillman	Sr.
Taylor Evans	So.
Enoc Cardona	Fr.
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#### Moreno Watch

Junior All-American Carlos Moreno, joins the Cougar squad for another run at the NCAA tournament. Moreno's career assists (3,385) rank fourth on BYU's all-time list. He needs 348 more assists to move ahead of Chris Pitzak (3,733). Moreno is averaging 13.12 assists per game and ranks fourth in MPSF play with 13.71.

BYU ASSISTS LEADERS 4,649 - Jason Watson ('91-'94) 4,378 - Hector Lebron ('97-'01) 3,733 - Chris Pitzak ('97-'00) 3,385 – Carlos Moreno ('02-'04) 2,724 - Jesse Gant (1992-95)

#### **Newcomers**

With the addition of two international players, the Cougars hope to become a top rated team and improve their record on the road. Victor Batista of the Dominican Republic joined BYU's squad at the beginning of January and has already contributed in conference action. Batista hit six of seven against fifthranked CS Northridge with no errors at .857 percentage. He also hit solid in both matches against Long Beach State at 18 kills each, adding 13 total blocks for two matches. Sao Paulo, Brazil native Danillo Lampariello arrived in Provo five weeks ago and has been practicing with the team in the middle position.

#### **Batista Blocks Opponents**

Batista has immediately contributed to the Cougar offense, as he ranks third for hitting percentage in MPSF play with .500 behind BYU's Chris Gorny. He leads the Cougars in total blocks with 35, five solos and 30 assists, and 1.21 blocks per game. He has secured a starting middle position and has learned fast in the Cougar rotation, recording 77 kills and hitting .473 on the season.

### **Gorny Joins the Pack**

Since Chris Gorny has returned from injury to play in the last four matches, he has made an immediate impact for BYU. On Jan. 28, he hit .588 in the upset over LBSU for 12 kills in 17 attempts. He also tied his career-high in blocks with nine in the Cougars' second win over the Beach. Gorny has the experience in the middle and has lifted the Cougars to their six-match winning streak. He leads BYU in 1.44 blocks per game and is hitting a .515.

#### **Injury Shuffles the Lineup**

The middle blocker position was hit with a huge blow and has be shuffled around this season due to injuries. Mike Burke was returning as an All-MPSF selection, has missed part of the season due to a shoulder injury but the coaches are expecting him back for the match-up against Pepperdine.

#### **Home Record**

The Cougars overall record at home stands at 138-52 (.726) and since 1997, BYU has won 99 matches and has only loss 13 (.884). Since men's volleyball became a NCAA-sanctioned sport in 1990, BYU has won 10 of 14 (.643) home openers at the Smith Fieldhouse. The 1999 National Champions lost their only match at home against Long Beach State, 2-3, but defeated the 49ers in the championship match on May 8, 1999. The year before, 1998, was the only year the Cougars went undefeated at home with a 11-0 record.

#### **Next Week for the Cougars**

The Cougars will hit the road against Mountain Pacific Sports Federation opponent UC Irvine on Feb. 26 and 28. The Anteaters are currently ranked eighth on the AVCA Poll. BYU then returns home against UCSB and Pepperdine.



**Coaching Staff:** 

**Head Coach:** Don Shaw, 5th season **Career Record:** 74-48/5 (Men), 440-70/16

(Women)

Stanford Record: same

Assistant Coach: John Kosty, Al Roderiques

2003 Record: 17-12 2003 MPSF Record: 14-8/4th Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 9/6 Starter Returning/Lost: 2/5

#### **Scouting Stanford**

The No. 9 Stanford University men's volleyball team fell to the No. 2 Hawai'i Warriors, 3-0 Saturday night in Maples Pavilion. Game scores for the match were 30-21, 30-18 and 30-24. The Cardinal fall to 5-9 on the season and 3-7 in Mountain Pacific Sports Federation play. With the win, the Warriors improve to 8-2 overall and 5-1 in MPSF play. The University of Hawai'i proved why it is the No. 2 men's volleyball team in the country by also defeating Stanford, 3-0 on Friday. Game scores for the match were 30-19, 30-14, and 30-19.

#### Stat Leaders

For Friday's match, junior outsider hitter David Vogel led the Cardinal with eight kills, while redshirt junior Pat Bomhack added seven. Sophomore outside hitter Ben Reddy and junior middle blocker Craig Buell each added four kills. On Saturday, Buell paced Stanford with 6-of-9 kills with no errors and redshirt junior setter Kevin Hansen added 5-of-9 kills with no errors. Redshirt sophomore William Clayton contributed six kills and Reddy paced the Cardinal with three kills. Vogel, Bomhack and Buell each added two kills in the game.

DATE	<u>OPPONENT</u>	SCORE	W/L	ATT.	KILL LEADER	ASSIST LEADER	BLOCK LEADER	RECORD	<b>MPSF</b>
Jan. 9	Pepperdine	3-0	ī	.186	Hillman17	Moreno35	Carpenter6	0-1	0-0
Jan. 10	Pepperdine	3-0	L	.224	Hillman11	Moreno30	Carpenter3	0-1	0-0
lan. 16	No. 5 CAL STATE NORTHRIDGE*	3-0	W	.357	Hillman21	Moreno42	Carpenter6	1-2	1-0
Jan. 17	No. 5 CAL STATE NORTHRIDGE*	3-2	L	.262	Pessoa18	Moreno60	Batista6	1-3	1-1
Jan. 23	No. 12 Ohio State	3-0	W	.375	Pessoa19	Neilson41	Carpenter4	2-3	1-1
Jan. 24	No. 12 Ohio State	3-1	W	.305	Alleman16	Moreno52	Batista9	3-3	1-1
Jan. 30	No. 2 Long Beach State	3-2	W	.379	Pessoa20	Moreno71	Alleman/Batista/Moreno5	4-3	2-1
Jan. 31	No. 2 Long Beach State	3-2	W	.292	Pessoa22	Moreno73	Gorny9	5-3	3-1
Feb. 6	No. 12 Pacific	3-0	W	.433	Alleman16	Moreno42	Alleman/Gomy/Batista/Hillman(3)	6-3	4-1
Feb. 7	No. 12 Pacific	3-0	W	.386	Alleman11	Moreno41	Gorny8	7-3	5-1
Feb. 20	No. 9 Stanford								
Feb. 21	No. 9 Stanford								
Feb. 26	UC Irvine								
Feb. 28	UC Irvine								
Mar. 5	UC Santa Barbara								
Mar. 6	UC Santa Barbara								
Mar. 12	Pepperdine								
Mar. 13	Pepperdine								
Mar. 18	Hawai`i								
Mar. 20	Hawai`i								
Mar. 26	Lewis								
Mar. 27	George Mason								
Apr. 2	UC San Diego								
Apr. 3	UC San Diego								
Apr. 8	UCLA								
Apr. 9	UCLA								
Apr. 15	USC								
Apr. 17	USC								

2004 BYU Men's Volleyball Stats BRIGHAM YOUNG Overall Team Statistics (as of Feb. 2, 2004)

Overall record: 5-3 Conf: 3-1 Home: 1-1 Away: 4-2 Neutral: 0-0

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SET	Assists Assists/Go	ıme		548 14.5	502 13.6		
SERVE	Aces Errors Aces/Gam			31 172 0.8	39 160 1.1		
SERVE RECEPT					0.1		
DEFENCE	Errors Errors/Ga	me		38 1.0	31 0.8		
DEFENSE	Digs Digs/Gam	ie		297 8.0	283 7.6		
BLOCKING	Block Solo Block Assi Total Bloc Blocks Per Block Erro	ist :ks r Game		24 174 111.0 3.0 26	19 132 85.0 2.3 34		
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MATCH WINS BY # BRIGHAM YOUNG Opponents	#GAMES	1 0 0	2 0 0	3 4 2	4 1 0	5 2 1	Total 7 3
GAMES WON BY G	AME	1 7	2 7	3 5 5	4 2 2	5 2 1	Total 23 14
BRIGHAM YOUNG Opponents		3	3	)	Z	1	

### **Season Outlook**

As the BYU men's volleyball team enters its second season under Tom Peterson, the Cougars already have experience at the Final Four. Last season the team (23-7) showed tremendous composure, beating Penn State in the NCAA semifinals and battling Lewis in the championship match. Lewis edged the Cougars in the last two points of the fifth game, earning its first NCAA title.

"My first year at BYU was a great experience, a great year," Peterson said. "Although it's disappointing to lose, and it will hurt for awhile after seeing such good players lose, the players made it great for me to be here."

And the team is looking good going into the 2004 season. Even with the loss of three outside hitters, Rafael Paal, Jaime Mayol and Luka Slabe, the biggest strength for the Cougars this year continues to be their depth. BYU returns nine letterswinners and four players with significant starting experience. The Cougars hope to continue its winning tradition and return to the NCAA finals.

"I'm excited about the team cohesion and depth in place before the season starts," Peterson said. "We have strong leadership from our seniors and if we can stay healthy, we will be in position as a top team."

The following position-by-position look at the 2004 Cougars illustrates the potential for this year's team:

#### **Outside Hitter**

This position has suffered a loss with graduating seniors, but will be filled with a number of players: Jon Alleman, Fernando Pessoa and Steffin Rangel.

Jon Alleman, a second-team All-American and All-MPSF selection, was also a large contributor for BYU last year, recording double-digit kills in 25 of 30 matches. He led BYU in kills per game and kills on the season as an opposite-side hitter and posted two 30-kill matches. As a senior, Alleman returns to the squad as an experienced force for the Cougars, as he was a member of the 2001 national championship team and will be a potential starter in the outside-hitter position

**Fernando Pessoa**, an All-MPSF selection and member of the 2001 national championship team, is another candidate to play outside hitter this season. Pessoa, a senior from Brazil, started as libero for the Cougars last season and led the team in digs per game (2.20). According to Peterson, "he has been working hard on the outside, plus he's one of our best passers."

Steffin Rangel is a sophomore who saw limited action last season, but his tremendous jumping ability will allow him to be a valuable asset for the Cougars. With more experience, Rangel will rotate in the line-up and add depth for the outside position. Opposite

Senior Joe Hillman leads the parade of opposite-side hitters, as he will replace Alleman on the rightside. Hillman will be joined by redshirt freshman Enoc Cardona and sophomore Taylor Evans, making this position a strength to the Cougar offense.

Hillman, a transfer from Utah Valley State College, returns his senior year as the probable starter in the opposite position. Hillman competed in 21 games last season and recorded a personal-best .667 hitting percent (7-1-9) against Concordia. As a left-handed hitter, he has an advantage because the rightside saves him from having to hit across his body.

Redshirt freshman **Enoc Cardona** joins BYU for his first season. Cardona, a native of Puerto Rico, played for the San Juan club team back home and was a part of the 2002 Puerto Rican National Team. Peterson says Cardona is one of the most physical players on the team who could reach over 11'9" when he first came to BYU.

**Taylor Evans**, a sophomore who had shoulder surgery last season, has seen some playing time with the Cougars in preseason matches. Evans is one of the shorter players on the team but makes up for it with his jumping ability and power. He is a versatile player who can play outside or opposite and will be able to step in where he is needed in the line-up.

#### Middle Biccker

The middle blocker position was hit with a huge blow and will be shuffled around this season due to injuries. Seniors Dave Hyte and Cory Carpenter as well Aaron Ferre will be competing for time on the court this season.

**Dave Hyte** will be contributing in the middle and has experience playing last season when Chris Gorny broke his hand. Hyte registered a personal-best .750 hitting percentage against Penn State and has worked hard despite injuries in the preseason. **Cory Carpenter** joins Hyte in the middle position and is gaining experience fast throughout the preseason matches. Carpenter has limited time playing in matches but has used his athleticism to learn fast and be a contributor for the Cougars.

#### Setter

All-American Carlos Moreno performed well as the starting setter for the Cougars for his second year, and will be a huge strength for the Cougars. As a sophomore, Moreno recorded the second-highest assists (1567) in BYU men's volleyball history for a single season. He also finished second on the team in serving with 33 aces, and added 123 digs and 102 kills.

Peterson is looking for Moreno to be even better this season with the experience he gained from last year and continue to be a leader on the court. Sophomore **Rob Neilson** will compete for playing time behind Moreno and might see time this year.

#### Libero

Senior **Shawn Olmstead** did very well last season as libero alongside Fernando Pessoa, but will probably be the lone libero for the 2004 season. Olmstead, a member of the 2001 National Championships team, registered 14 assists and 70 digs last season and recorded a season-best 12 digs against Pacific. He finished last season averaging 1.43 digs per game and will be a strong force behind the Cougar defense for the 2004 season.

Peterson said injuries have hindered some players in preseason practice, but others have stepped up to contribute to the team. And with so much depth at every position, Peterson will be able to pick from a variety of athletes to fill each position. During the preseason the team has worked with different lineups, and the coaches are still deciding which will work the best for them.

"I'm not that concerned about our offense," Peterson said. "We run a complicated offense with many options for hitting. If we can get guys to stay healthy and compete in practice, we will be able rank as a top team in the nation."

The depth at each position will prove beneficial on long road trips and when the team plays a lot of matches in a short period of time. The Cougars face a tough schedule in a tough conference, with matches lined up against defending national champion Lewis University, Pepperdine, USC and Stanford at home. In addition to facing top teams like Long Beach State and Hawai'i on the road, BYU will visit UC San Diego, UCLA, Ohio State and UC Irvine.

"The team chemistry has grown to be a strength for us and will help us this season," Peterson said. ""The conference competition is brutal, but if we put it all together at the right time, we have as good a chance as anybody."

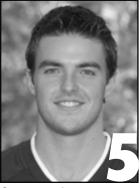
## Carlos Moreno • 6-4 • Junior • Setter • Sao Paulo, Brazil

- · One of two returning All-Americans and the only starter to play in the same position from last season.
- Moreno's career assists (3,385) rank fourth on BYU's all-time list. He needs 348 more assists to move ahead of Chris Pitzak (3,733).
- Moreno is averaging 13.12 assists per game and is tied for second on BYU's roster at 29 blocks on the season.

#### Season Averages

Games played: 34 Kills per game: 0.88 Assists per game: 13.12 Aces per game: 0.12 Digs per game: 1.24 Blocks per game: 0.85 Points per game: 1.46

#5 CA	RLOS MORENO	2004	Mat	ch-by-	Matcl	h											
			ATT	ACK			SET	SERVE		PASS	DEF	В	LOCK		G	EN	
Date Jan 9, 2004 Jan 10, 2004 Jan 16, 2004 Jan 17, 2004 Jan 17, 2004 Jan 22, 2004 Jan 28, 2004 Jan 30, 2004 Feb 6, 2004 Feb 6, 2004 Feb 28, 2004 Feb 28, 2004 Mar 18, 2004 Mar 18, 2004 Mar 18, 2004 Mar 18, 2004 Mar 26, 2004 Mar 27, 2004 Apr 3, 2004 Apr 8, 2004 Apr 8, 2004 Apr 17, 2004 Apr 15, 2004 Apr 17, 2004	Opponent of Pepperdine of Pepperdine No. 5 CAL STATE NORTHRIDGE* No. 5 CAL STATE NORTHRIDGE* of No. 12 Opio State of No. 12 Opio Beach State* No. 12 Pacific* No. 12 Pacific* No. 12 Pacific* No. 12 Pacific* No. 9 Stanford Ox. 9 Stanford Ox. 9 Stanford Ox. 9 Stanford UC Irvine UC Santa Barbara UC Santa Barbara UC Santa Barbara Pepperdine Hawai'i Hawai'i Lewis George Mason UC San Diego UC SC USC	GP 3 3 5 4 5 5 5 3 3	All II 3 3 4 4 6 4 4 2 3 3 3 2 2	E 2 0 0 3 1 1 2 1 1	TA 6 5 7 114 5 7 111 8 3 3	Pct .167 .600 .571 .214 .600 .143 .019 .250 .333	A 35 30 42 60 52 71 73 42 41	SERVE SA 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 1	SE 3 3 2 2 5 4 4 3 3 4 4 4	PASS RE 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	DIG 00 2 6 6 6 6 6 3 8 7 4	BS 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	BA 3 0 3 2 7 5 4 1 2 2	BE 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0	Total 3.0 0.0 3.0 3.0 3.0 5.0 5.0 1.0 2.0	Points 4.5 3.0 5.5 9.0 8.5 6.0 4.5 4.0	Team Hif% 183 224 229 262 305 379 292 433 .386
Totals		34	30	11	66	.288	446	4	31	0	42	2	27	2	29.0	49.5	.314



Season and Career Highs

#### Kills

Season: 6 vs CS Northridge, 1/17/04 Career: 7 (twice) 1/31/03, 3/7/03

#### Attempts

Season: 14 vs CS Northridge, 1/17/04 Career: 14 (twice) 1/18/03, 1/17/04

#### Hitting Percentage

Season: .600 (twice), 1/10/04, 1/24/04 Career: 1.000 (5 of 5) vs USC, 1/25/02 Assists

### Season: 73 at Long Beach, 1/30/04

Career: 84 vs. Stanford, 4/20/02 Digs

Season: 8 at Long Beach, 1/30/04 Career: 13 vs UCLA, 2/23/02 Block Solo

Season: 1 (twice) 1/17/04, 1/30/04 Career: 2 vs Penn State, 3/7/03 **Block Assist** 

### Season: 7 at Ohio State, 1/24/04

Career: 7 at Ohio State, 1/24/04 Total Blocks Season: 7 at Ohio State, 1/24/04

#### Career: 7 at Ohio State, 1/24/04 Aces

Season: 1(four times)

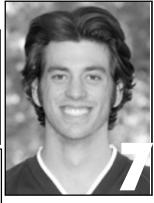
Career: 4 (twice), 2/1/02, 3/21/03

## Chris Gorny • 6-4 • Senior • MB/OH • Palmdale, Calif.

- · Returning middle blocker from last year's NCAA Runner-up team, Gorny recorded 90 total blocks and 1.02 per game in 2003.
- Gorny missed the first six matches due to an injury.
- He averaged 2.30 kills per game in the two matches against LBSU.

#### Season Averages

Games played: 16 Kills per game: 2.50 Assists per game: 0.00 Aces per game: 0.00 Digs per game: 0.31 Blocks per game: 1.44 Points per game: 3.31



#### Season and Career Highs

Season: 12 at Long Beach, 1/28/04 Career: 16 vs Stanford, 1/12/02 Attempts

#### Season: 22 at Long Beach, 1/30/04 Career: 26 vs Stanford, 1/12/02

### Hitting Percentage

Season: .667 vs. Pacific. 2/6/04 Career: .846 vs. Hawai'i, 4/24/03

#### Assists Season: 0

Block Solo

Career: 2 vs. Hawai'i, 4/24/03

#### Digs

Season: 4 at Long Beach, 1/30/04 Career: 5 (twice) 2/8/03, 4/11/03

#### Season: 2 vs Pacific, 1/7/04

#### Career: 3 at Long Beach, 2/8/02

Block Assist Season: 8 at Long Beach, 1/30/04 Career: 9 vs Ball State, 3/16/02

#### Total Blocks Season: 9 at Long Beach, 1/30/04

Career: 9 (three times)

#### Aces

Career: 4 (twice) 5/1/03, 1/18/02

#7 Chr	is Gorny 2004	Match-by-	Match	1												
Date Jan 28, 2004 Jan 30, 2004 Feb 6, 2004 Feb 7, 2004 Feb 26, 2004 Feb 26, 2004 Feb 26, 2004 Feb 28, 2004 Mar 6, 2004 Mar 6, 2004 Mar 13, 2004 Mar 13, 2004 Mar 20, 2004 Mar 27, 2004 Apr 2, 2004 Apr 3, 2004 Apr 3, 2004 Apr 17, 2004 Apr 17, 2004	Opponent of No. 2 Long Beach State* of No. 2 Long Beach State* No. 12 Pacific* No. 9 Stanford* No. 9 Stanford* No. 9 Stanford* of UC Irvine* of UC Irvine* UC Santa Barbara* UC Santa Barbara* Howai' i* Howai' i* Howai' i* Lewis George Mason UC San Diego* UC San Diego* UCLA* UCLA* USC*	GP 5 5 3 3	A K 12 11 9 8	JTACK E 2 2 1 1	TA 17 22 12 15	Pct .588 .409 .667 .467	SET A 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	SERVE SA 0 0 0 0	SE 0 1 1 3 3	PASS RE 0 0 0 0	DEF DIG 0 4 1 0	BLO BS 0 1 0 2	CK BA 3 8 3 6	BE 0 0 0 0 0 0	GEN Total 3.0 9.0 3.0 8.0	Points 13.5 16.0 10.5 13.0
Totals		10	23	4	39	.487	0	0	1	0	4	1	11	0	12.0	29.5

## Cory Carpenter • 6-7 • Senior • MB • Alpine, Utah

- · First year playing with the Cougars
- · Starting middle blocker for seven matches this season
- He is averaging 0.93 blocks per game, third best on the BYU's roster .

#### Season Averages

Games played: 28 Kills per game: 0.86 Assists per game: 0.04 Aces per game: 0.04 Digs per game: 0.14 Blocks per game: 0.93 Points per game: 1.46

#10 C	ORY CARPENTER	200	)4 M	latch-b	y-Mat	ch										
				ATTACK			SET	SER'	VE	PASS	DEF	BLC	CK		GEN	
Date	Opponent	GP	K	E	TA	Pct	Α	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	Total	Points
lan 09, 2004	at Pepperdine Waves	3	1	3	8	250	0	1	0	0	1	1	5	0	6.0	5.5
lan 10, 2004	at Pepperdine Waves	3	3	3	8	.000	0	0	4	0	0	3	0	1	3.0	6.0
lan 16, 2004	CAL STATE NORTHRIDGE	3	3	1	6	.333	0	0	2	0	2	0	6	1	6.0	6.0
lan 17, 2004	CAL STATE NORTHRIDGE	5	6	5	13	.077	0	0	5	0	0	0	4	1	4.0	8.0
lan 23, 2004	at Ohio State	3	5	0	6	.833	0	0	1	0	1	1	3	2	4.0	7.5
lan 24, 2004	at Ohio State	4	5	2	13	.231	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	2.0	6.5
lan 28, 2004	at Long Beach State	3	1	1	3	.000	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1.0	1.5
lan 30, 2004	at Long Beach State	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
eb 6, 2004	Pacific*	1	0	0	1	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
eb 7, 2004	Pacific*	2	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
eb 20, 2004	Stanford															
eb 21, 2004	Stanford															
eb 26, 2004	at UC Irvine															
eb 28, 2004	at UC Irvine															
Mar 5, 2004	UC Santa Barbara															
Mar 6, 2004	UC Santa Barbara															
Mar 12, 2004	Pepperdine															
Mar 13, 2004	Pepperdine															
Mar 18, 2004	Hawai`i															
Mar 20, 2004	Hawai`i															
Mar 26, 2004	Lewis															
Mar 27, 2004	George Mason															
Apr 2, 2004	UC San Diego															
Apr 3, 2004	UC San Diego															
Apr 8, 2004	UCLA															
Apr 9, 2004	UCLA															
Apr 15, 2004	USC															
Apr 17, 2004	USC															
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#### Season and Career Highs

#### Kills

Season: 6 vs CS Northridge, 1/17/04 Career: 6 vs CS Northridge, 1/17/04 Attempts

Season: 13 (twice) 1/17/04, 1/24/04 Career: 13 (twice) 1/17/04, 1/24/04

#### Hitting Percentage

Season: .833 at Ohio State, 1/23/04 Career: .833 at Ohio State, 1/23/04 Assists

Season: 1 at Ohio State, 1/23/04 Career: 1 at Ohio State, 1/23/04

Career: 1 at Ohio State, 1/23/04
Digs

#### Season: 2 vs CS Northridge, 1/16/04 Career: 2 vs CS Northridge, 1/16/04

Season: 3 at Pepperdine, 1/10/04 Career: 3 at Pepperdine, 1/10/04

### Block Assist

Season: 6 vs CS Northrige, 1/16/04 Career: 6 vs CS Northrige, 1/16/04

#### Season: 6 (twice), 1/09/04, 1/16/04 Career: 6 (twice), 1/09/04, 1/16/04

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Season: 1 at Pepperdine, 1/9/04 Career: 1 at Pepperdine, 1/9/04

## Joe Hillman • 6-7 • Senior • OPP • Las Vegas, Nevada

- Second year playing with the Cougars, first year starting as opposite side hitter
- Transfer from Utah Valley State College
- Third on BYU roster with 3.38 kills per game
- Tied for first for BYU with eight aces for the season, 0.24 per game

#### Season Averages

Games played: 34 Kills per game: 3.38 Assists per game: 0.35 Aces per game: 0.24 Digs per game: 0.88 Blocks per game: 0.79 Points per game: 4.04



#### Season and Career Highs

#### Kills

Season: 21 vs CS Northridge,1/16/04 Career: 21 vs CS Northridge,1/16/04 Attempts

#### Season: 33 at Pepperdine, 1/9/04 Career: 33 at Pepperdine, 1/9/04 **Hitting Percentage**

Season: .389 at Pepperdine, 1/10/04 Career: .667 vs Concordia, 3/5/03

#### Assists Season: 4 vs Pacific, 2/6/04

Career: 4 vs Pacific, 2/6/04

### Digs

Season: 6 at Ohio State, 1/24/04 Career: 6 at Ohio State, 1/24/04 Block Solo

#### Season: 1 at Ohio State, 1/24/04 Career: 1 at Ohio State, 1/24/04

Block Assist
Season: 6 at Long Beach, 1/30/04
Career: 6 at Long Beach, 1/30/04

## Total Blocks Season: 6 at Long Beach, 1/30/04 Career: 6 at Long Beach, 1/30/04

Season: 4 at Ohio State, 1/23/04 Career: 4 at Ohio State, 1/23/04

#11 Jo	oe Hillman 2004	Match-l	by-Ma	tch												
Date Jan 09, 2004 Jan 10, 2004 Jan 10, 2004 Jan 12, 2004 Jan 24, 2004 Jan 23, 2004 Jan 28, 2004 Jan 28, 2004 Feb 20, 2004 Feb 20, 2004 Feb 21, 2004 Feb 22, 2004 Feb 28, 2004 Mar 5, 2004 Mar 12, 2004 Mar 18, 2004 Mar 18, 2004 Mar 18, 2004 Mar 20, 2004 Mar 20, 2004 Mar 20, 2004 Mar 3, 2004 Apr 3, 2004 Apr 9, 2004 Apr 15, 2004 Apr 15, 2004 Apr 15, 2004	Opponent at Pepperdine Waves at Pepperdine Waves CAL STATE NORTHRIDGE* CAL STATE NORTHRIDGE* at Ohio State at Long Beach State* through Beach State Pacific* Stanford* at UC Irvine* at UC Irvine* at UC Isanta Barbara* UC Santa Barbara* UC Santa Barbara* Howai i* Lewis George Mason UC San Diego*	GP 3 2 2 3 4 4 3 4 5 4 4 3 3 3	AT K 17 11 11 13 10 10 10 14 4 7 7 8	TACK E 5 4 111 5 5 7 4 5 4 4 4	TA 33 18 37 26 24 28 29 18 13 17	Pct .364 .389 .270 .308 .208 .107 .345056 .231 .235	SET A 0 0 1 0 2 0 1 2 4 2 2	SERV SA 0 0 0 1 1 0 4 4 0 0 2 2 1 1 0 0 0	E SE 1 1 1 2 3 4 1 2 2 2 1	PASS RE 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	DEF DIG 4 2 2 1 0 6 5 4 4 4 2	BLO BS 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 1 1	CK BA 2 1 3 1 0 2 3 6 3 4	BE 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1	GEN Total 2.00 1.00 1.00 3.00 3.00 6.00 5.00	Points 18.5 11.5 23.5 13.5 14.0 17.5 8.0 8.5 11.0
Totals		34	115	54	243	.251	12	8	18	1	30	2	25	2	27.0	137.5

## Jonathan Alleman • 6-4 • Senior • OH • Yorba Linda, Calif.

- All-American Alleman returns as a veteran player and member of the 2001 National Championship team
- Led BYU last season with 3.93 kills per game
- Third on BYU roster with 1.49 digs per game
- Has played in all 37 games this year, second on team in kills (3.46)

#12 JONATHAN ALLEMAN 2004 Match-by-Match

#### Season Averages

Games played: 37 Kills per game: 3.46 Assists per game: 0.46 Aces per game: 0.03 Digs per game: 1.49 Blocks per game: 0.62 Points per game: 3.82

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			A <sup>-</sup>	TACK			SET	SER\	VΕ	PASS	DEF	BLC	CK		GEN	
Date	Opponent	GP	K	E	TA	Pct	Α	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	Total	Points
Jan 09, 2004	at Pepperdine Waves	3	10	4	21	.286	0	0	3	2	6	0	1	0	1.0	10.5
Jan 10, 2004	at Pepperdine Waves	3	5	1	10	.400	1	0	3	2	1	0	0	0	0.0	5.0
Jan 16, 2004	CAL STATE NORTHRIDGE*	3	13	4	27	.333	5	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1.0	13.5
Jan 17, 2004	CAL STATE NORTHRIDGE*	5	16	7	35	.257	1	0	2	1	5	0	5	1	5.0	18.5
Jan 23, 2004	at Ohio State	3	4	3	20	.050	0	0	0	4	5	0	0	0	0.0	4.0
Jan 24, 2004	at Ohio State	4	16	2	31	.452	2	0	1	1	7	0	2	0	2.0	17.0
Jan 28, 2004	at Long Beach State*	5	17	7	32	.312	3	1	1	0	7	0	5	0	5.0	20.5
Jan 30, 2004	at Long Beach State*	5	20	6	44	.318	2	0	3	3	11	1	4	2	5.0	23.0
Feb 6, 2004	Pacific*	3	16	2	21	.667	3	0	2	1	7	1	12	0	3.0	18.0
Feb 7, 2004	Pacific*	3	11	2	16	.562	0	0	2	0	5	0	1	0	1.0	11.5
Feb 20, 2004	Stanford*															
Feb 21, 2004	Stanford*															
Feb 26, 2004	at UC Irvine*															
Feb 28, 2004	at UC Irvine*															
Mar 5, 2004	UC Santa Barbara*															
Mar 6, 2004	UC Santa Barbara*															
Mar 12, 2004	Pepperdine*															
Mar 13, 2004	Pepperdine*															
Mar 18, 2004	Hawai`i*															
Mar 20, 2004	Hawai`i*															
Mar 26, 2004	Lewis															
Mar 27, 2004	George Mason															
Apr 2, 2004	UC San Diego*															
Apr 3, 2004	UC San Diego8															
Apr 8, 2004	UCLA*															
Apr 9, 2004	UCLA*															
Apr 15, 2004	USC*															
Apr 17, 2004	USC*															
Totals		37	128	38	257	.350	17	1	18	14	55	2	51	3	23.0	141.5



### Season and Career Highs

Season: 20 at Long Beach, 1/30/04 Career: 30 (twice) 1/17/03, 1/18/03

#### Season: 44 at Long Beach, 1/30/04

Career: 48 at Stanford, 1/17/03 Hitting Percentage Season: .667 vs Pacific. 2/6/04

Career: .684 at USC, 3/1/03

#### Assists

Season: 5 vs CS Northridge, 1/16/04 Career: 5 (twice), 1/16/04, 1/18/03

Season: 11 at Long Beach, 1/30/04 Career: 13 vs Hawai'i (2003 MPSF Tourn)

Block Solo Season: 1 at Long Beach, 1/30/04 Career: 2 vs UCLA, 2/1/03

#### Block Assist

Season: 5 (twice), 1/17/04, 1/28/04 Career: 6 (twice), 3/21/03, 3/28/03 Total Blocks

#### Season: 5 (three times)

Career: 6 (twice), 3/21/03, 3/28/03

### Aces

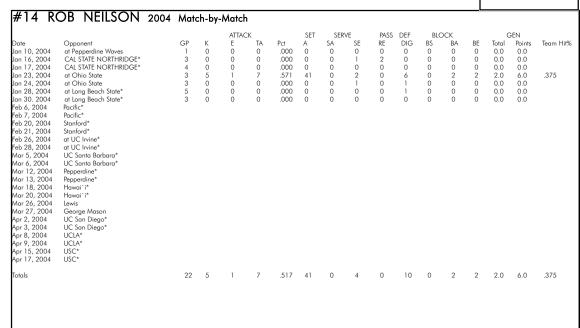
Season: 1 at Long Beach, 1/28/04 Career: 5 vs UC San Diego, 2/9/01

## Rob Neilson • 6-3 • Soph. • Setter • Pacific Palisades, Calif.

- Neilson is BYU's back-up setter to Moreno
- Recorded his career-high 41 assists against Ohio State this seaon
- Comes in as a serving specialist
- Has played in all 22 games this year

#### Season Averages

Games played: 22 Kills per game: 0.23 Assists per game: 1.86 Aces per game: 0.00 Digs per game: 0.45 Blocks per game: 0.09 Points per game: 0.27





#### Season and Career Highs

Season: 5 at Ohio State, 1/23/04 Career: 5 at Ohio State, 1/23/04

Season: 7 at Ohio State 1/23/04 Career: 7 at Ohio State, 1/23/04 Hitting Percentage

#### Season: .571 at Ohio State. 1/23/04 Career: .571 at Ohio State, 1/23/04

Season: 41 at Ohio State, 1/23/04 Career: 41 at Ohio State, 1/23/04

Season: 6 at Ohio State, 1/23/04 Career: 6 at Ohio State, 1/23/04

Block Solo Season: 0

#### Career: 0 **Block Assist**

Season: 2 at Ohio State, 1/23/04 Career: 2 at Ohio State, 1/23/04 Total Blocks

Season: 2 at Ohio State, 1/23/04 Career: 2 at Ohio State, 1/23/04

Aces Season: 0 Career: 0

## Shawn Olmstead • 6-2 • Senior • LIB • Carpinteria, Calif.

- Olmstead returns for the 2004 season as the lone libero
- Member of the 2001 National Championship team
- Recorded his season-high 10 digs against Long Beach
- Leads BYU in digs, with 58 on the season and 1.57 digs per game
- Has played in all 37 games this year

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#### Season Averages

Games played: 37 Kills per game: 0.00 Assists per game: 0.30 Aces per game: 0.00 Digs per game: 1.57 Blocks per game: 0.00 Points per game: 0.00

#15 SH	HAWN OLMSTEAD	2004	Mat	ch-by-	Matc	ch										
			AT	TACK			SET	SERVE		PASS	DEF	BLOC	K		GEN	
Date	Opponent	GP I	Κ /		TA	Pct	A.	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	Total	Points
Jan 09, 2004	at Pepperdine Waves				0	.000	1	0	0	2	5	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
Jan 10, 2004	at Pepperdine Waves	3	0	0	1	.000	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
Jan 16, 2004	CAL STATE NORTHRIDGE*	3	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	1	6	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
Jan 17, 2004	CAL STATE NORTHRIDGE*	5	0	0	0	.000	2	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
Jan 23, 2004	at Ohio State	3	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	3	6	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
Jan 24, 2004	at Ohio State	4	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
Jan 28, 2004	at Long Beach State*	5	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	4	7	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
Jan 30, 2004	at Long Beach State*			0	0	.000	1	0	0	2	10	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
Feb 6, 2004	Pacific*				0	.000	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
Feb 7, 2004	Pacific*	3	0	0	0	.000	2	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
Feb 20, 2004	Stanford*															
Feb 21, 2004	Stanford*															
Feb 26, 2004	at UC Irvine*															
Feb 28, 2004	at UC Irvine*															
Mar 5, 2004	UC Santa Barbara*															
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Mar 18, 2004	Hawai`i*															
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Apr 8, 2004	UCLA*															
Apr 9, 2004	UCLA*															
Apr 15, 2004	USC*															
Apr 17, 2004	USC*															
Totals		37	0	0	1	.000	11	0	0	13	58	0	0	0	0.0	0.0



Season and Career Highs

Season: 2 vs CS Northridge, 2/17/04 Career: 3 (twice), 1/31/03, 2/7/03

Season: 10 at Long Beach, 1/30/04 Career: 12 at Pacific, 1/21/03

Block Solo Season: 0 Career: 0

**Block Assist** Season: 0 Career: 0

Total Blocks Season: 0 Career: 0

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## Fernando Pessoa • 6-4 • Senior • OH • Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

- · Pessoa has switched positions from libero to outside hitter this season
- Member of the 2001 National Championship team
- Recorded his career-high 22 kills against Long Beach last week
- Leads BYU in kills with 3.77 per game, 132 kills for the season
- Second on BYU in digs, with 53 on the season and 1.51 digs per game
- AVCA National Player of the Week (Jan. 19-23)
- MPSF Player of the Week (Feb. 2-6)

#### Season Averages

Games played: 35 Kills per game: 3.77 Assists per game: 0.34 Aces per game: 0.20 Digs per game: 1.51 Blocks per game: 0.63 Points per game: 4.33



### Season and Career Highs

Season: 22 at Long Beach, 1/30/04 Career: 22 at Long Beach, 1/30/04 Attempts

Season: 45 at Long Beach, 1/30/04 Career: 45 at Long Beach, 1/30/04 Hitting Percentage

Season: .500 vs CS Northridge,1/17/04 Career: .500 vsCS Northridge.1/17/04

Season: 4 vs CS Northridge, 1/17/04

Career: 5 at UCLA, 2/23/02

Digs

Season: 10 vs CS Northridge, 1/17/04 Career: 16 at UCLA, 2/23/02

Block Solo

Season: 2 at Long Beach, 1/28/04 Career: 2 at Long Beach, 1/28/04 Block Assist

Season: 4 (twice) 1/16/04. 1/17/04 Career: 4 (twice) 1/16/04, 1/17/04 Total Blocks

Season: 4 (three times) Career: 4 (three times)

Season: 2 (twice) 1/28/04, 2/6/04 Career: 2 at Long Beach, 1/28/04

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or 8, 2004 or 9, 2004 or 15, 2004 or 17, 2004 or 17, 2004	UCLA* UCLA* USC*	35	132	50	247	.332	12	7	34	6	53	3	19	3	22.0	151.5

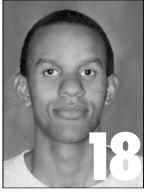
## Victor Batista • 6-6 • Soph. • MB • Tamayo, Dominican Rep.

- · Joined the team in January
- · Hit two solid matches against Long Beach, 18 kills each
- Ranked 2nd in MPSF play for hitting percentage, .522
- · Second at BYU in blocking with 1.21 per game

#### Season Averages

Games played: 23 Kills per game: 2.74 Assists per game: 0.13 Aces per game: 0.22 Digs per game: 0.57 Blocks per game: 1.35 Points per game: 3.47

# 18 VICT	OR BATISTA	2003	М	atch-by-	Match	ı										
Jan 17, 2004 CAL S' Jan 23, 2004 dt Ohi Jan 28, 2004 dt Lon, Jan 30, 2004 dt Lon, Jan 30, 2004 dt Lon, Jan 30, 2004 Pacific Feb 7, 2004 Pacific Feb 20, 2004 Stantol Feb 22, 2004 dt UC Feb 28, 2004 dt UC Feb 28, 2004 UC Sa Mar 12, 2004 War 18, 2004 War 18, 2004 War 20, 2004 Mar 26, 2004 UC Sa Mar 27, 2004 Georg Mar 27, 2004 Georg Apr 2, 2004 UC Sa	perdine Waves 'ATE NORTHRIDGE 'S State 'S State 'B Beach*  d* d* d* invine* invine* into Barbara* dine* dine* j*	GP 1 5 3 4 5 5	K 3 6 9 9 18 18	ATTACK E 2 0 0 2 2 3 3 3	TA 7 7 7 14 20 26 36	Pct .143 .857 .643 .350 .577 .417	SET A 0 0 0 0 3 3 0 0 0	SERVE SA 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	SE 3 2 2 3 5 5 6 4	PASS RE 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	DEF DIG 1 2 1 2 2 5	BLO BS 0 0 0 1 2 2 0 2 2	CK BA 0 6 2 7 5 6	BE 1 1 1 1 1 0 0	GEN Total 0.0 6.0 5.0 8.0	Points 3.0 10.0 12.0 15.5 24.0
Totals		23	63	10	110	.482	3	5	23	1	13	5	26	5	31.0	86.0



#### Season and Career Highs

#### Kille

Season: 18 (twice) Long Beach Career: 18 (twice) Long Beach

#### Attempts

Season: 36 at Long Beach, 1/30/04 Career: 36 at Long Beach, 1/30/04

#### Hitting Percentage

Season: .577 at Long Beach, 1/28/04 Career: .577 at Long Beach, 1/28/04

### Assists Season: 3 at Ohio State. 1/24/04

Career: 3 at Ohio State, 1/24/04

#### Digs

Season: 5 at Long Beach,1/30/04 Career: 5 at Long Beach,1/30/04 Block Solo

#### Season: 2 twice, 1/24/04, 1/30/04 Career: 2 twice, 1/24/04, 1/30/04

#### Block Assist

Season: 7 at Ohio State, 1/24/04 Career: 7 at Ohio State, 1/24/04 Total Blocks

#### Season: 9 at Ohio State, 1/24/04 Career: 9 at Ohio State, 1/24/04

Aces

Season: 1 (five times) Career: 1 (five times)

## Aaron Ferre • 6-8 • Freshman • MB • Sandy, Utah

- First year with the Cougars, rotated in as middle at the beginning of the season
- Recorded 3 kills against Cal State Northridge at home, Jan. 16

### Season Averages

Games played: 12 Kills per game: 0.50 Assists per game: 0.00 Aces per game: 0.08 Digs per game: 0.50 Blocks per game: 0.42 Points per game: 0.79



#### Season and Career Highs

#### Kills

Season: 3 vs CS Northridge, 1/16/04 Career: 3 vs CS Northridge, 1/16/04 Attempts

#### Season: 9 vs CS Northridge, 1/16/04 Career: 9 vs CS Northridge, 1/16/04 Hitting Percentage

#### Season: .200 at Pepperdine, 1/9/04 Career: .200 at Pepperdine, 1/9/04

### Career: .200 at Pepperdine Assists

#### Season: 1 vs CS Northridge, 1/16/04 Career: 1 vs CS Northridge, 1/16/04 Digs

#### Season: 3 vs CS Northridge, 1/16/04 Career: 3 vs CS Northridge, 1/16/04 Block Solo

#### Season: 0 Career: 0

### Block Assist

Season: 3 vs CS Northridge, 1/16/04 Career: 3 vs CS Northridge, 1/16/04 Total Blocks

#### Season: 3 vs CS Northridge, 1/16/04 Career: 3 vs CS Northridge, 1/16/04 Aces

Season: 1 vs CS Northridge, 1/16/04 Career: 1 vs CS Northridge, 1/16/04

#6 AAI	RON FERRE 2004	Match-	-by-M	atch												
Date Jan 09, 2004 Jan 10, 2004 Jan 16, 2004 Jan 17, 2004 Jan 23, 2004 Jan 24, 2004 Feb 6, 2004 Feb 7, 2004 Feb 20, 2004	Opponent at Pepperdine Waves at Pepperdine Waves at Pepperdine Waves CAL STATE NORTHRIDGE* at Ohio State at Ohio State at Ohio State Pacific* Pacific* Stanford*	GP 3 2 3 2 1 1	K 2 1 3 0 0 0	E 1 1 3 2 0 0	ATTAC TA 5 3 9 2 0	CK SET Pct .200 .000 .000 -1.00 .000	A 0 0 1 0 0	SERVE SA 1 0 0 0 0	PA SE 3 0 4 2 0	SS DEF RE 0 1 0 0 0	DIG 2 0 3 1 0 0	BLC BS 0 0 0 0 0	DCK BA 1 0 3 1 0	BE 0 0 0 0 0	GEN Total 1.0 0.0 3.0 1.0 0.0	Points 3.5 1.0 4.5 0.5 0.0 0.0
Feb 21, 2004 Feb 28, 2004 Mar 5, 2004 Mar 5, 2004 Mar 12, 2004 Mar 13, 2004 Mar 18, 2004 Mar 20, 2004 Mar 20, 2004 Mar 27, 2004 Apr 2, 2004 Apr 3, 2004 Apr 8, 2004 Apr 9, 2004 Apr 15, 2004 Apr 17, 2004	Stanford* at UC Irvine* at UC Irvine* UC Santa Barbara* UC Santa Barbara* Pepperdine* Pepperdine* Hawai' i* Lewis George Mason UC San Diego* UC San Diego* UCLA* UCLA* USC*															
Totals		12	6	7	19	053	1	1	9	1	6	0	5	0	5.0	9.5

## Taylor Evans • 6-2 • Soph. • OPP/OH • Alamo, Calif.

- · First year to play with the Cougars, sat out last season because of shoulder surgery
- Hit a person-best six kills against Cal State Northridge
- · Rotates in behind Joe Hillman

#### Season Averages

Games played: 13 Kills per game: 1.00 Assists per game: 0.15 Aces per game: 0.08 Digs per game: 0.69 Blocks per game: 0.31 Points per game: 1.27

#20 T/	AYLOR EVANS	2004 Ma	atch-b	y-Mate	ch											
Date Jan 09, 2004 Jan 17, 2004 Jan 17, 2004 Jan 23, 2004 Jan 28, 2004 Jan 28, 2004 Jan 28, 2004 Jan 28, 2004 Feb 20, 2004 Feb 72, 2004 Feb 22, 2004 Mar 5, 2004 Mar 12, 2004 Mar 18, 2004 Mar 18, 2004 Mar 18, 2004 Mar 20, 2004 Mar 20, 2004 Mar 20, 2004 Apr 3, 2004 Apr 3, 2004 Apr 9, 2004 Apr 9, 2004 Apr 17, 2004 Apr 17, 2004	Opponent of Pepperdine Waves CAL STATE NORTHRIDGE* of Ohio State of Ohio State of Long Beach State* at Long Beach State* Pacific* Stanford* of UC Irvine* of UC Irvine* of UC Irvine* of UC Santa Barbara* UC Santa Barbara* UC Santa Barbara* Howai'i* Howai'i* Lewis George Mason UC San Diego* UCLA* USC*	GP 2 4 2 1 1 3	K 3 6 0 0 0 4	E 2 5 0 2 0 2 2	ATTAC TA 8 14 0 2 0 9 9	K SET Pct .125 .071 .000 -1.000 .000 .222	SI A 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 1	ERVE SA 1 0 0 0 0 0	PA: SE 1 0 1 0 0	SSS DEF RE 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	DIG 2 2 2 1 0 2 2	BLC BS 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	DCK BA 1 1 0 0 0 0	BE 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	GEN Total 2.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 1.0	Points 5.5 6.5 0.0 0.0 0.0 4.5
Totals		13	13	11	33	.061	2	1	2	0	9	1	3	0	4.0	16.5

#### Season and Career Highs

#### Kills

Season: 6 vs CS Northridge, 1/17/04 Career: 6 vs CS Northridge, 1/17/04

#### Attempts

Season: 14 vs CS Northridge, 1/17/04 Career: 14 vs CS Northridge, 1/17/04

#### Hitting Percentage

Season: .071 vs CS Northridge, 1/17/04 Career: .071 vs CS Northridge,1/17/04

#### Assists

Season: 1 twice Career: 1 twice Digs

### Season: 2 (four times)

Career: 2 (four times)

#### Block Solo

Season: 1 at Pepperdine, 1/9/04 Career: 1 at Pepperdine, 1/9/04

### **Block Assist**

Season: 1 (three times) Career: 1 (three times)

#### Total Blocks

Season: 2 at Pepperdine, 1/9/04 Career: 2 at Pepperdine, 1/9/04

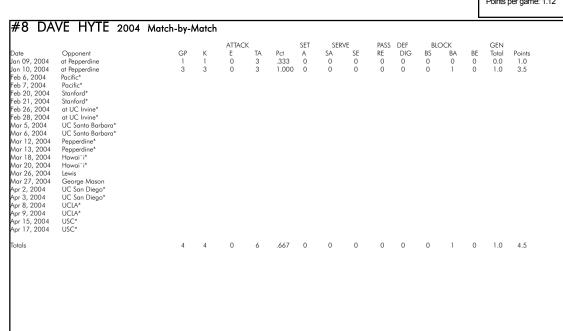
Season: 1 twice Career: 1 twice

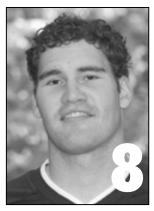
## Dave Hyte • 6-8 • Sr. • MB • Las Vegas, Nev.

- Has missed matches this season due to injury
- Hit a person-best 12 kills against Penn State last season
- Rotates in middle position

#### Season Averages

Games played: 4 Kills per game: 1.00 Assists per game: 0.00 Aces per game: 0.00 Digs per game: 0.00 Blocks per game: 0.25 Points per game: 1.12





#### Season and Career Highs

Season: 3 at Pepperdine, 1/10/04 Career: 12 vs Penn State, 3/8/03 Attempts

#### Season: 3 (twice)

Career: 16 (twice), 3/8/03, 3/14/03

#### Hitting Percentage

Season: 0 Career: .750 vs Penn State, 3/8/03

#### Assists

Season: 0 Career: 1 vs UC Irvine, 3/14/03

#### Season: 0 Career: 4 at CS Northridge, 3/22/03

**Block Solo** 

#### Season: 0

Career: 1 Penn State 3/7/03

#### Block Assist

Season: 1 at Pepperdine, 1/10/04

#### Career: 5 (twice)

Total Blocks

### Season: 1 at Pepperdine, 1/10/04

Career: 5 (twice)

### Aces

Season: 0

Career: 1 (three times)

## Steffin Rangel • 6-5 • Soph. • OH • Huntington Beach, Calif.

- · Second year with the Cougars, outside hitter reserve
- Recorded his best 5 kills against Concordia last year

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#### Season Averages

Games played: 9 Kills per game: 1.00 Assists per game: 0.11 Aces per game: 0.11 Digs per game: 0.78 Blocks per game: 0.33 Points per game: 1.33

#2 Ste	ttin Rangel 2004	Match-	by-Mo	atch												
					ATTAG	CK SET	SF	ERVE	P.A	ASS DEF	:	BIC	OCK		GEN	
Date	Opponent	GP	K	E	TA	Pct	Α	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	Total	Points
Jan 09, 2004	at Pepperdine Waves	2	0	1	2	500	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
Jan 10, 2004	at Pepperdine Waves	1	0	1	2	500	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
Jan 16, 2004	CAL STATE NORTHRIDGE	2	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
Jan 23, 2004	at Ohio State	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	1.0	0.5
Jan 24, 2004	at Ohio State	1	2	2	6	.000	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0.0	2.0
Feb 6, 2004	Pacific*															
Feb 7, 2004	Pacific*															
Feb 20, 2004	Stanford*															
Feb 21, 2004	Stanford*															
Feb 26, 2004	at UC Irvine*															
Feb 28, 2004	at UC Irvine*															
Mar 5, 2004	UC Santa Barbara*															
Mar 6, 2004	UC Santa Barbara*															
Mar 12, 2004	Pepperdine*															
Mar 13, 2004	Pepperdine* Hawai`i*															
Mar 18, 2004 Mar 20, 2004	Hawai`i*															
Mar 26, 2004	Lewis															
Mar 27, 2004	George Mason															
Apr 2, 2004	UC San Diego*															
Apr 3, 2004	UC San Diego*															
Apr 8, 2004	UCLA*															
Apr 9, 2004	UCLA*															
Apr 15, 2004	USC*															
Apr 17, 2004	USC*															
Totals		7	2	4	10	200	0	0	4	0	3	0	1	0	1.0	2.5
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Season and Career Highs

Season: 2 at Ohio State, 1/24/04 Career: 5 vs Concordia, 3/5/03

#### Attempts

Season: 6 at Ohio State, 1/24/04 Career: 9 vs Concordia, 3/5/03

#### Hitting Percentage

Season: .000 Career: .333 vs Concordia, 3/5/03

#### Assists

Season: 0 Career: 0 Digs Season: 2 (twice)

Career: 2 (twice) Block Solo Season: 0

#### Career: 0 Block Assist

Season: 1 at Ohio State, 1/24/04 Career: 1 at Ohio State, 1/24/04

#### Total Blocks

Season: 1 at Ohio State, 1/24/04 Career: 1 at Ohio State, 1/24/04

#### Aces

Season: 1 vs Concordia, 3/5/03 Career:1 vs Concordia, 3/5/03

## Enoc Cardona · 6-6 · Freshman · OPP · Aguada, Puerto Rico

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· Redshirt freshman, first year with the Cougars

at Pepperdine Waves
CAL STATE NORTHRIDGE

Pacific\* Pacific\* Stanford'

Stanford\* at UC Irvine\*

Pepperdine\*

Lewis George Mason UC San Diego\* UC San Diego\* UCLA\*

UCLA\*

UC Santa Barbara

UC Santa Barbara\* Pepperdine\*

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Feb 6, 2004 Feb 7, 2004 Feb 20, 2004

Feb 21, 2004 Feb 26, 2004 Feb 28, 2004

Mar 5, 2004 Mar 6, 2004 Mar 12, 2004 Mar 13, 2004

Mar 18, 2004 Mar 20, 2004 Mar 26, 2004 Mar 27, 2004

Apr 2, 2004 Apr 3, 2004 Apr 8, 2004

Apr 9, 2004

Totals

Apr 15, 2004 Apr 17, 2004

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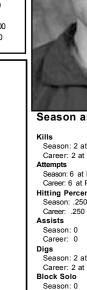
#### Season Averages

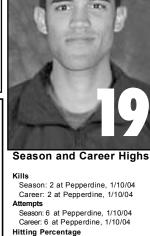
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GEN Total 0.0

0.0

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### Season: 2 at Pepperdine, 1/10/04 Career: 2 at Pepperdine, 1/10/04 Season: 6 at Pepperdine, 1/10/04 Career: 6 at Pepperdine, 1/10/04 Hitting Percentage Season: .250 at Pepperdine, 1/10/04 Career: .250 at Pepperdine, 1/10/04 Season: 2 at Pepperdine, 1/10/04 Career: 2 at Pepperdine, 1/10/04 Season: 0 Career: 0 **Block Assist** Season: 0 Career: 0 Total Blocks Season: 0 Career: 0