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2019 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

OVERALL: 3-19 H: 1-4 A: 2-9 N: 0-6 MAAC: 3-9

Date	Opponent	Time/Results
Sat. 8/31	vs. Rhode Island ^l	L, 0-3
Sun. 9/1	vs. New Hampshire ^l	L, 1-3
Sun. 9/1	at Army ^l	L, 0-3
Thur. 9/5	at Connecticut [#]	L, 0-3
Fri. 9/6	vs. Central Connecticut [#]	L, 0-3
Sat. 9/7	vs. Boston College [#]	L, 0-3
Wed. 9/11	at Seton Hall	L, 0-3
Fri. 9/13	vs. Georgetown [^]	L, 0-3
Sat. 9/14	at William & Mary [^]	L, 1-3
Sat. 9/14	vs. UNC Greensboro [^]	L, 2-3
Sat. 9/21	at Rider [*]	L, 0-3
Sun. 9/22	at Saint Peter's [*]	W, 3-0
SAT. 9/28	CANISIUS ^{*@}	L, 1-3
SUN. 9/29	NIAGARA ^{*@}	L, 2-3
Sat. 10/5	at Quinnipiac [*]	L, 1-3
Sun. 10/6	at Fairfield [*]	L, 0-3
Sat. 10/12	at Manhattan [*]	W, 3-0
WED. 10/16	RIDER [*]	L, 1-3
SAT. 10/19	MARIST [*]	L, 1-3
SUN. 10/20	SIENA [*]	W, 3-1
Sat. 10/26	at Niagara [*]	L, 0-3
Sun. 10/27	at Canisius [*]	L, 0-3
FRI. 11/1	FAIRFIELD [*]	7:00 PM
SUN. 11/3	QUINNIPIAC [*]	1:00 PM
WED. 11/6	SAINT PETER'S [*]	7:00 PM
SAT. 11/9	MANHATTAN [*]	1:00 PM
Fri. 11/15	at Marist [*]	7:00 PM
Sat. 11/16	at Siena [*]	1:00 PM

^lArmy Invitational

[^]UConn Challenge

[#]Colonial Classic

^{*}MAAC Games

[@]Played at Monroe College

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IONA VOLLEYBALL STARTS FOUR GAME HOMESTAND

Iona starts the final month of the season with a four-game homestand starting on Friday, Nov. 1 against Fairfield. The Gaels will also host Quinnipiac, Saint Peter's and Manhattan in the coming nine days.

FIRST SET WOES

- Iona has only won two first sets this season against Saint Peter's and Manhattan; both of which were victories.
- The first time Iona won a match this season when losing its first set was this past Sunday, Oct. 20 against Siena.

FAIRFIELD PRIMER

- Stags are good at volleyball. They have resumed their status atop the league. Fairfield has won five of the last seven MAAC Tournament Championships.
- Fairfield leads the conference in seven categories: hitting percentage, assists, kills, aces, opponent hitting percentage, opponent assists, and opponent kills.
- Stags are undefeated in the MAAC with a balanced attack; they have one weekly award winner with Joelle Battles being named the Rookie of the Week.
- Fairfield has only lost two sets all season: at Siena (Sept. 22) and vs. Siena (Oct. 30). The Stags have won 14 matches in a row.
- Stags have a 25-11 all-time series lead against the Gaels. Fairfield has won eight of the last 10 matches.

QUINNIPIAC PRIMER

- The Bobcats defeated the Gaels earlier this season in Hamden, 3-1 (20-25, 16-25, 25-15, 19-25). Iona is 18-3 all-time against Quinnipiac and had won five straight prior to this year's first meeting.
- Quinnipiac's Kaleigh Oates has been named the MAAC Player of the Week once. She leads the MAAC with a .397 hitting percentage.
- Lydia Jones is second in the MAAC averaging 1.00 blocks per set.
- Bobcats are third in the MAAC in blocks per set (1.99), second in opponent hitting percentage (.179), third in opponent assists (10.95), third in opponent kills (11.81) and first in opponent aces (1.19).

FAIRFIELD CATEGORY LEADERS

Name	Category	Total
Joelle Battles	Kills	201
Manuela Nicolini	Assists	763
Jamie Calandro	Assists	27
Manuela Nicolini	Aces	27
Morgan Doll	Digs	260
Kaylie Butts	Blocks	71.0



QUINNIPIAC CATEGORY LEADERS

Name	Category	Total
Maggie Baker	Kills	187
Aryanah Diaz	Assists	424
Aryanah Diaz	Aces	24
Alejandra Rodriguez	Digs	353
Kaleigh Oates	Blocks	55.0

ROSTER REPORT

No.	Name	Cl.	Pos.	NOTES
1	Alexandra Russo	Sr.	DS/L	Serving specialist...2x MAAC All-Academic
4	Samantha Juran	Fr.	S/DS	20+ assists in 3 of last 4 matches...2 aces vs. SIE & NIA
5	Alessandra Brady	So.	OH	4 kills and 5+ points in three of last four games
8	Jessica Paolucci	RS Sr.	DS/L	2nd all-time digs at Iona...Season-high 30 digs vs. QUI
9	Jamie Smith	Jr.	OH/S	Triple-double vs. SIE...2018 All-MAAC Second Team
10	Maile Powell	So.	S	Missed games due to injury...Career-high 38 assists vs. NIA
13	Taylor Cole	Jr.	DS/L	Season-high 14 digs vs. MAR...Season-high 4 aces vs. UNCG
14	Julia Stewart	Sr.	OH/DS	Appeared in 15 matches...4 kills vs. MAR
15	Tess Connolly	Sr.	OH	Season-high 9 kills vs. UConn...Season-high 17 digs vs. CAN
18	Julia Thomas	Fr.	MB	3 matches with 5 blocks...7.5 points per match over last
23	Karla Johnson	Sr.	MB	Career-high 18 kills, 21 PTS and 6 BLK vs. NIA
24	Cassandra Patsos	So.	MB	Season-best 7 digs in first matches vs. CAN & NIA

IONA LEADERS

Name	Stat	Total	Per/Set
Jamie Smith	Kills	207	2.72
Samantha Juran	Assists	247	5.23
Maile Powell	Assists	246	5.23
Jamie Smith	Aces	27	0.36
Jessica Paolucci	Digs	288	3.74
Karla Johnson	Blocks	71.0	0.92



IONA COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL

QUICK FACTS



COLLEGE INFORMATION

School.....Iona College
 City/ZipNew Rochelle, NY / 10801
 Founded.....1940
 Enrollment3,792
 Nickname.....Gael
 Colors.....Maroon & Gold
 Affiliation.....NCAA Division I
 ConferenceMetro Atlantic Athletic Conference
 President.....Dr. Seamus Carey, Ph.D
 Athletics Director.....Matthew Glovaski
 Athletic WebsiteICGaels.com
 Athletic Dept. Phone(914) 633-2654
 Ticket Office Phone.....(914) 633-2672
 Baseball Field.....City Park
 Basketball/Volleyball ArenaHynes Athletics Center
 Soccer/Lacrosse StadiumMazzella Field
 Softball Field.....Donald E. Walsh Field

COACHING STAFF

Head CoachEsai Velez-Perez
University of Puerto Rico ('11)
Universidad del Este ('13) MBA
 Years at Iona.....1st
 Record at Iona3-19, 3-9 MAAC
 Career Record3-19, 3-9 MAAC
 Graduate AssistantCaylie Denham
 Athletic Trainer.....Greg Tozzi
 Strength and Conditioning Coach.....Kelly Shaver

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

4	Samantha Juran	Jur-ann
8	Jessica Paolucci	pah-LOO-chee
10	Maile Powell	Miley
HC	Esai-Velez Perez	S-I-E Velez Perez

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TEAM INFORMATION

2018 Overall Record20-8
 Home/Away/Neutral9-2 / 7-4 / 4-1
 2018 MAAC Record/Finish.....16-2 MAAC / 1st
 2019 MAAC Preseason Selection3rd
 Senior/Junior/Sophomore/Freshman.....5/2/3/2
 Starters Returning From 2017.....4
 Newcomers.....3
 MAAC Tournament Championships.....2
2018, 2004
 NCAA Tournament Appearances (Last)2 (2018)
 MAAC Player Of The Year2
Miki Hogg (2004); Claire Archibald (2018)
 MAAC Defensive Player Of The Year.....2
Chelsea Holly (2005); Allison Nieters (2007, '08)
 MAAC Libero Of The Year2
Allison Nieters (2008, '09)
 MAAC Setter Of The Year.....3
Emily Mansur (2004); Beth Holly (2005); Emma Rose (2018)
 MAAC Rookie Of The Year.....2
Rachelle Wilson (2008); Jamie Smith (2017)
 MAAC Coach Of The Year2
Bob Weiner (2002); Patric Santiago (2018)
 All-MAAC First Team.....14
 All-MAAC Second Team16
 All-Rookie Team.....5

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IONA COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL

QUICK FACTS



Iona College Volleyball
Iona College Combined Team Statistics (as of Oct 27, 2019)
All matches

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	3-19	1-4	2-6	0-9
CONFERENCE	3-9	1-4	2-5	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	0-10	0-0	0-1	0-9

##	Player	sp	Attack					Set		Serve			re	Dig		Blocking						points
			k	k/s	e	ta	pct	a	a/s	sa	se	sa/s		dig	dig/s	bs	ba	total	blk/s	be	bhe	
9	Smith, Jamie	76	207	2.72	91	636	.182	135	1.78	27	28	0.36	2	162	2.13	7	43	50	0.66	3	18	262.5
23	Johnson, Karla	77	167	2.17	49	389	.303	7	0.09	6	23	0.08	0	23	0.30	12	59	71	0.92	5	1	214.5
24	Patsos, Cassandra	75	155	2.07	87	476	.143	7	0.09	5	12	0.07	13	68	0.91	3	19	22	0.29	5	0	172.5
15	Connolly, Tess	70	100	1.43	84	452	.035	12	0.17	9	10	0.13	18	185	2.64	2	13	15	0.21	7	1	117.5
18	Thomas, Julia	65	73	1.12	37	218	.165	5	0.08	0	0	0.00	0	18	0.28	6	35	41	0.63	6	2	96.5
5	Brady, Alessandra	74	78	1.05	68	381	.026	6	0.08	1	2	0.01	12	36	0.49	1	26	27	0.36	2	0	93.0
13	Cole, Taylor	75	6	0.08	7	54	-.01	7	0.09	20	27	0.27	18	150	2.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	1	26.0
8	Paolucci, Jessica	77	0	0.00	2	23	-.08	83	1.08	22	17	0.29	28	288	3.74	0	0	0	0.00	0	2	22.0
14	Stewart, Julia	36	16	0.44	24	101	-.07	5	0.14	1	7	0.03	10	28	0.78	2	4	6	0.17	0	0	21.0
4	Juran, Samantha	52	6	0.12	2	25	.160	247	4.75	11	19	0.21	0	84	1.62	0	2	2	0.04	0	10	18.0
10	Powell, Maile	47	3	0.06	4	34	-.02	246	5.23	10	7	0.21	0	107	2.28	0	4	4	0.09	0	5	15.0
1	Russo, Alexandra	37	0	0.00	1	1	-1.00	1	0.03	2	6	0.05	1	25	0.68	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	2.0
	TEAM	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	IONA COLLEGE	77	811	10.5	456	279	.127	761	9.88	114	158	1.48	123	117	15.2	33	205	135	1.76	28	40	1060
	Opponents	77	969	12.5	372	277	.215	895	11.6	122	121	1.58	115	130	16.8	19	209	123	1.60	37	22	1214

Team Statistics	ION	OPP
ATTACK		
Kills	811	969
Errors	456	372
Total Attacks	2790	2771
Attack Pct	.127	.215
Kills/Set	10.5	12.6
SET		
Assists	761	895
Attempts	2986	2846
Assist Pct	.255	.314
Assists/Set	9.9	11.6
SERVE		
Aces	114	122
Errors	158	121
Attempts	1509	1815
Serve Pct	.895	.933
Aces/Set	1.5	1.6
SERVE RECEPTIO		
Errors	123	115
Errors/Set	1.6	1.5
Attempts	1690	1348
Reception Pct	.927	.915
DEFENSE		
Digs	1174	1300
Digs/Set	15.2	16.9
BLOCKING		
Block Solo	33	19
Block Assist	205	209
Total Blocks	135.5	123.5
Blocks/Set	1.8	1.6
Block Errors	28	37

Date	Opponent	Score	Score by set	Att.
Aug 31	vs Rhode Island	L 0-3	21-25,17-25,20-25	120
Sep 1	vs New Hampshire	L 1-3	16-25,16-25,25-19,8-25	250
Sep 1	vs Army West Point	L 0-3	9-25,12-25,20-25	250
Sep 05	at UConn	L 0-3	23-25,16-25,22-25	279
Sep 06	vs Central Connecticut	L 0-3	13-25,14-25,18-25	130
Sep 07	vs Boston College	L 0-3	21-25,21-25,9-25	108
Sep 11	vs Seton Hall	L 0-3	21-25,22-25,13-25	133
Sep 13	vs Georgetown	L 0-3	24-26,17-25,10-25	45
Sep 14	vs William & Mary	L 1-3	15-25,15-25,27-25,19-25	231
Sep 14	vs UNC Greensboro	L 2-3	13-25,17-25,25-21,25-21,1	91
*Sep 21	at Rider	L 0-3	23-25,19-25,18-25	216
*Sep 22	at Saint Peter's	3-0	25-20,25-16,25-21	87
*Sep 28	CANISIUS	L 1-3	18-25,25-20,21-25,26-28	142
*Sep 29	NIAGARA	L 2-3	18-25,25-23,27-29,25-21,1	157
*Oct 5	at Quinnipiac	L 1-3	20-25,16-25,25-15,19-25	44
*Oct 06	at Fairfield	L 0-3	17-25,21-25,10-25	288
*Oct 12	at Manhattan	3-0	25-23,25-18,25-15	108
*Oct 16	RIDER	L 1-3	16-25,25-21,20-25,10-25	218
*Oct 19	MARIST	L 1-3	13-25,30-26,16-25,13-25	156
*Oct 20	SIENA	3-1	22-25,25-15,25-22,25-20	173
*Oct 26	at Niagara	L 0-3	21-25,28-30,13-25	89
*Oct 27	at Canisius	L 0-3	18-25,24-26,19-25	45

Record in 3-set matches: 2-11
Record in 4-set matches: 1-6
Record in 5-set matches: 0-2

UPCOMING MAAC SCHEDULE		MAAC STANDINGS (as of 10/31/19)					
SATURDAY, NOV. 2		OVERALL		MAAC			
Canisius vs. Rider	12:00 PM	SCHOOL	W	L	%	W	L
Quinnipiac vs. Manhattan	1:00 PM	Fairfield	16	4	.800	11	0
Niagara vs. Saint Peter's	1:00 PM	Canisius	11	12	.478	8	3
		Niagara	9	12	.429	8	3
		Rider	11	13	.458	8	4
		Marist	10	12	.455	8	4
		Quinnipiac	8	12	.400	4	7
		Siena	9	14	.391	4	8
		Manhattan	6	19	.240	3	9
		Iona	3	19	.136	3	9
		Saint Peter's	3	21	.125	1	11
SUNDAY, NOV. 3							
Quinnipiac vs. Iona	1:00 PM						
Fairfield vs. Manhattan	1:00 PM						
Niagara vs. Rider	1:00 PM						
Canisius vs. Saint Peter's	1:00 PM						