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COLUMBIA vs. PENN
APRIL 6, 2018
DICK SAVITT TENNIS CENTER • NEW YORK, N.Y.
COLUMBIA LIONS (9-5, 1-0 IVY LEAGUE) as of April 5, 2018

Name                   Year        Hometown/High School
Paulina Ferrari        First-Year  La Jolla, Calif./La Jolla Country Day School
Sarah Hu               Junior      Oakland, Calif./Skyline
Jennifer Kerr          First-Year  Carlsbad, Calif./San Dieguito Academy
*Andrea Kevakian       Junior      Glendale, Calif./Laurel Springs
Lindsey Mendelson      Senior     Coconut Grove, Fla./Ransom Everglades School
*Adi Milstein          Senior     Boca Raton, Fla./Laurel Springs Independent, Calif.
Ali Pollack            Sophomore  Mequon, Wis./Univ. School of Milwaukee
Sarah Rahman           First-Year  New York, N.Y./Bronx High School of Science
Renee Ren              Sophomore  Vancouver, B.C., Canada/Sir Winston Churchill
Christie Wan           First-Year  Rowland Heights, Calif./Sunny Hills
Brooklynn Williams     Sophomore  Brooklyn, N.Y./Bronx High School of Science

COACHING STAFF
Head Coach: Ilene Weintraub CC’02 (11th year)
Assistant Coach: Dillon Pottish (1st year)
Volunteer Assistant Coach: AJ Nelson (1st year)  *team captain

PENN QUAKERS (7-9, 0-1 IVY LEAGUE) as of April 5, 2018

Name                   Year        Hometown/High School
Nicolette Berkman      Senior      Highland Park, Ill./Highland Park
Marija Cunuc           Freshman    Split, Croatia/I. gimnazija Split
Wallis Hess            Freshman    Palo Alto, Calif./Castilleja
Marta Kowalska         Junior      Krakow, Poland/Stanislawa Wyspians
Lina Quostal           Senior      Rabat, Morocco/Lycee Descartes
Jennifer Richards      Freshman    San Diego, Calif./La Jolla Country Day School
Jimena Rodriguez-Benito Freshman  Miami, Fla./Laurel Springs School
OJ Singh               Junior      Bradenton, Fla./Pendleton School
Ria Vaidya             Senior      Sinagpore, Singapore/Laurel Springs School
Carolyn Xie            Sophomore  San Diego, Calif./Pacific Academy
Ashley Zhu             Sophomore  Vancouver, British Columbia/Phoenix Christian

COACHING STAFF
Head Coach: Sanela Kunovac

COLUMBIA MATCH NOTES

- Columbia (9-5) plays its second Ivy League dual match Friday after defeating defending league champion Cornell 6-1 last Saturday.
- Penn enters Ivy League play with a 7-9 overall and 0-1 Ivy League record. The Quakers fell to Princeton 5-2 in their conference opener after winning back-to-back non-conference matches against Temple (6-1) and St. John’s (4-3).
- Columbia enters its match against Penn on a three-match win streak following wins over Cornell (6-1), LIU Brooklyn (4-1) and Florida Atlantic (4-3).
- In singles, Columbia’s lineup consists of junior Andrea Kevakian (20-4), Jennifer Kerr (16-7), Ali Pollack (14-8), Sarah Hu (13-11), Adi Milstein (11-4) and Christie Wan (9-15). Sarah Rahman (7-8) and Renee Ren (8-3) also have contributed.
- In doubles, Milstein and Wan are 18-8 overall and have previously earned nationally rankings, Kerr and Hu have combined for a 5-1 record and three-match win streak and Kevakian and Ren are 8-1 overall and are on a six-match win streak.
- According to tennisrecruiting.net, Columbia welcomed the nation’s No. 10 ranked incoming 2017 recruiting class in September. The four newcomers include first-years Paulina Ferrari, Jennifer Kerr, Sarah Rahman and Christine Wan. All four were ranked among the nation’s top-100 players in the 2017 recruiting class: Wan (No. 15), Kerr (No. 20), Ferrari (No. 62) and Rahman (No. 71). It ranks as Columbia’s second-highest recruiting class in school history and its third top-25 recruiting class in four years.
- Head Coach Ilene Weintraub, CC’02 is in her 11th season at the helm of the Columbia women’s tennis program. The winningest coach in school history with 107 victories, Weintraub guided the Lions to their first Ivy League Championship in 2013, captured two ECAC Championships (2014 and 2016) and has recruited two national top-10 recruiting classes to Columbia (No. 6 in 2015 and No. 10 in 2017). She was named the ITA Northeast Region Coach of the Year in both 2014 and 2016.