

FIELD HOCKEY

THE
UNIVERSITY
OF
IOWA





If you are dedicated to excellence as a player, as a student, and as a person, The University of Iowa is for you."

Beth Beglin
Head Field Hockey
Coach

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hat Makes Iowa Special?

"On the Iowa field hockey team there is a great closeness. If I have a bad day, I go to practice and we really have a good time. After practice I feel so much better, because I've been with my friends." ■

Christy Shindler

"Being a part of The University of Iowa is great because you really feel special about what you're doing and the athletic department is so supportive of all the teams. I really love being here." ■

Andrea Weiland

"I'm very proud to be at Iowa and on the team. Being dedicated to a successful team carries into your academics and you want to be successful in both. It makes you proud of yourself and everyone else proud of you also." ■

Aileen Trendler

"When I came to The University of Iowa, I didn't want to just play sports, I wanted to get an education. I've found the athletic department not only supports your sport, but your academics, too." ■

Melissa Sanders

"The team is very close; everyone is involved. That's what made us number one. A lot of people think you only have to be friends with your teammates on the field, but we are friends off the field, too." ■

Erica Richards

"The nice thing about being at Iowa is that there are lots of Iowans, but there are also many people from the rest of the country, so you meet a variety of people. Academically Iowa is a great school, and we have a great field hockey team." ■

Michelle Margulies



Core Loucks (dark) felt her ability, too, before a '90



Senior captain Michelle Margulies leads the aggressive team attack.

Junior Chris Pätzle compared to the 1988 U.S. Junior National Team.



THE PARENT'S VIEW

"When he visited the team locker room, the father here in the middle of the last night said he'd be going to sleep — it was late at night. I had to say that I agree with her. The University's academic atmosphere is well integrated with the fine City community. The games are fun and exciting. ... He didn't forget, after four years at Iowa, Eli has really grown up — she's learned responsibility. Her decision proved to be very beneficial." ■

John Tinius
Father of Loren Finkbe
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"When Melissa decided to attend The University of Iowa, we were a bit apprehensive. 'Who would' be when sending their daughter so far away? But after attending our first game, and seeing the coaches, players, and school, we discovered what a very special place Iowa was. Academically, that which is truly worthy of attention for all Iowans. As for field hockey, we're just one of our nation's best, so sending the boys on the first game. We are very happy eye expect more boys." ■

Ms. Sharon Gentry
Mother of Melissa Sanders