

HEAD COACH DANNY SANCHEZ



Danny Sanchez enters his fourth season as the head coach of the University of Colorado women's soccer team. He was named the third head coach in the history of the program on December 19, 2011.

In three seasons with the Buffaloes, Sanchez has led the team to a 36-22-7 overall record and several program firsts. In his first season, the Buffs opened the season with a record-setting three straight shutouts on their way to a

3-0-2 start, marking the first time CU began the season on a five-game unbeaten streak. The team shattered those new records the following year, beginning the season with five straight shutouts and six wins.

It took Sanchez just eight games to record five wins with the program, faster than either of his predecessors. Sanchez has helped the Buffs to an astounding 24-6-2 non-conference record. Over the past two seasons, he gave the Buffs a strong home field advantage with an 18-5-1 record at Prentup Field, and last season coached a CU defense that only surrendered 10 goals at home in 14 matches.

The Buffs have also improved in conference play under Sanchez each year, highlighted by a program best third place finish in the Pac-12 last season. CU finished 2014 with a 6-4-1 conference mark, the program's first winning record since it joined the Pac-12 four years ago. In 2012, CU earned its first back-to-back Pac-12 road victories with shutouts over USC and Arizona. In 2013, the Buffs continued their success, doubling their conference wins, and earning their first Pac-12 home victories with back-to-back wins over Oregon State and Oregon.

From September 6, 2013 all the way through to the postseason, Colorado received votes in the weekly NSCAA/Continental Tire poll. CU capped a stellar 2013 campaign with its first 14 win season and NCAA appearance since 2008. The Buffs matched their best post-season finish, defeating No. 15 Denver and No. 19 BYU on their way to the Sweet 16. In 2014, Sanchez led the Buffs to their second straight postseason appearance as CU advanced to the second round of the NCAA Tournament after defeating 15th-ranked BYU, 2-0, in snowy, frigid conditions at Prentup Field, giving Sanchez his 200th win at the Division I level.

Sanchez also earned his 300th career victory earlier last season, when the Buffs defeated Arizona State at home.

Sanchez has continued to help the Buffs to academic excellence, with 22 players earning Pac-12 All-Academic honors and the team earning back-to-back-to-back NSCAA Team Academic Awards for averaging a 3.0 grade-point average. Additionally, Hayley Hughes has earned academic honors from both CoSIDA and the NSCAA, while Lizzy Herzl became the first Buff to receive NSCAA Scholar All-America honors.

He has coached two players to professional careers. In 2012, Amy Barczuk became just the second Buff to be drafted by a professional team, getting chosen by the Western New York Flash in the second round of the inaugural National Women's Soccer League Draft. In her rookie season, Barczuk and the Flash went all the way to the championship game. Barczuk became a member of the Boston Breakers in 2014 and is also a volunteer assistant coach under Sanchez. After graduating in 2013, Annie Brunner signed a professional contract with FC Neunkrich of the Switzerland Nationaliga A. Brunner returned to her alma mater in 2015 and serves as the coordinator of performance analysis and camp operations on Sanchez's staff.

Sanchez's career spans 21 years with Wyoming, Metro State and Mesa Community College, where he coached both men's and women's programs. He has amassed a 303-82-30 record, including a pair of NCAA Division II National Championships while at Metro State.

In his time away from the Centennial State, Sanchez spent four seasons with the University of Wyoming, compiling a 36-34-11 record. In his final season with the Cowgirls, the team posted a 12-6-4 record, its best in school history, including a 3-1-2 record in Mountain West Conference play for a third-place regular season finish. That season, Sanchez was named the MWC Coach of the Year.

After a 0-3 start, Wyoming allowed just 12 goals in its final 19 games, with one of its wins including a 1-0 decision against Colorado in Boulder. In the MWC tournament, the Cowgirls defeated TCU and San Diego State before falling to New Mexico in the championship.

Sanchez gave the Cowgirls their first winning record in four years, going 9-8-3 in his second season with the team. He coached eight All-Mountain West Conference performers and all four of his teams were recognized with the NSCAA Team Academic Award.

Before joining the Cowgirls, Sanchez spent six seasons as the head women's coach at Denver's Metro State College. He posted an impressive 128-11-7 record (a .901 winning percentage) with the Roadrunners, where he won Division II national



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titles in 2004 and 2006 and reached the Final Four in 2002 and the Elite Eight five times. Sanchez and the Roadrunners also claimed five Midwest Region Championships.

At Metro State, the Roadrunners won the Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference (RMAC) championship, and advanced to the NCAA Division II Tournament all six seasons he was at the helm. He was also named the RMAC's Coach of the Year all six years. Sanchez was the 2004 NCAA Division II National Coach of the Year, a four-time NSCAA Midwest Region Coach of the Year and was named the RMAC's All-Time Top Coach.

In his time at Metro State, the Roadrunners established two of the most impressive records in Division II history: a 59-game unbeaten streak (58-0-1) and 61 consecutive home wins. MSCD produced two Division II National Players of the Year and 14

NSCAA All-Americans in his tenure.

Prior to taking over at Metro, Sanchez served as the head men's and women's soccer coach at Mesa (Ariz.) Community College from 1995-2001. In eight seasons, he led the women's team to a 103-15-5 (.858) overall record and the men to a 96-36-7 (.716) mark, producing 12 All-Americans in that span between the two. The women won four National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) Region I Championships and five Arizona Community College Athletic Conference (ACCAC) Championships. In 2001, he was the ACCAC and NJCAA Region I Men's and Women's Coach of the Year, as well as the NSCAA Junior College Central Region Coach of the Year. He also won the NJCAA Region I Women's Coach of the Year award in 1996 and 1999.

Sanchez has also been very active in coaching around the Rocky Mountain region. He has served as a staff coach and licensing instructor for the Colorado State Youth Soccer Association and has worked as a coach for U.S. Youth Soccer Region IV staff. Sanchez holds a United States Soccer Federation (USSF) «A» License, a USSF National Youth License, an NSCAA Advanced National Diploma and a KNVB Dutch Advanced Certificate.

After graduating from Scottsdale's (Ariz.) Coronado High School, where he lettered in soccer, football and baseball, he began his collegiate career at nearby Mesa CC. Later, he transferred to the University of Connecticut and led the Huskies to the 1989 Big East Conference Championship and an NCAA Tournament berth, ranking in the New England Region's top 10 in scoring that season. Following his collegiate career, he played in the Western Soccer League for the Arizona Condors and in the U.S.I.S.L. for the Arizona Cotton.

Sanchez earned a bachelor's degree in economics from Connecticut in 1991. He and wife Beth, a physical education teacher, have two sons, Cole (16) and Drew (12).

ON THE PITCH

Overall Career Record 303-82-30 (20 Seasons)
NCAA Record 200-67-25 (13 seasons)

University of Colorado 22-15-6 (2012-)

7 All-Pac-12 performers

Year	Record	Pac-12	Playoffs
2014	14-7-1	6-4-1 (3rd)	NCAA Second Round
2013	14-7-2	4-5-2 (t-6th)	NCAA Sweet 16
2012	8-8-4	2-7-2 (t-11th)	

University of Wyoming 36-34-11 (2007-11, 4 seasons)

8 All-MWC performers

Year	Record	MWC	Playoffs
2011	12-6-4	3-1-2 (3rd)	MWC Runner-up
2010	7-10-3	1-3-3 (6th)	MWC First Round
2009	9-8-3	3-3-1 (5th)	MWC First Round
2008	8-10-1	2-5 (7th)	

Metro State College 128-11-7 (2002-06, 6 seasons)

6 RMAC Championships

5 Midwest Region Championships

2 Division II National Players of the Year

14 NSCAA All-Americans

Year	Record	RMAC	Playoffs
2007	16-4-3	10-1-1 (1st)	NCAA DII Tournament
2006	24-2-0	12-0-0 (1st)	NCAA DII Champions
2005	23-0-1	14-0-0 (1st)	RMAC Tourney Champions, NCAA DII Elite Eight
2004	25-1-0	14-0-0 (1st)	RMAC Tourney Champions, NCAA DII Champions
2003	21-1-1	14-0-0 (1st)	NCAA DII Elite Eight
2002	19-3-3	12-0-2 (1st)	RMAC Tourney Champions, NCAA DII Final Four

Mesa Community College (1995-2001, 7 seasons)

12 All-Americans

Women 103-15-5

Year	Record	ACCAC	Playoffs
2001	21-2	16-0 (1st)	ACCAC Co-Champs, Region I & District A Champs
2000	17-3-2	13-2-1 (2nd)	ACCAC & Region I Champs
1999	21-2	14-0 (1st)	Region I & District A Champs
1998	17-3-2	10-2-2 (2nd)	ACCAC, Region I, District A Champs
1997	15-2	9-1 (1st)	Region I Champions
1996	12-3-1	7-2-1 (2nd)	ACCAC & Region I Champs

Men 93-36-7

Year	Record	ACCAC	Playoffs
2001	17-3	16-2 (2nd)	Region I Semi-Final
2000	15-8	13-5 (3rd)	Region I Runner-Up
1999	15-4-3	13-3-2 (3rd)	Region I Semi-Final
1998	16-4	13-3 (2nd)	Region I Semi-Final
1997	12-5-2	9-4-1 (3rd)	Region I Semi-Final
1996	11-5-1	10-3-1 (2nd)	Region I Semi-Final
1995	10-7-1	8-5-1 (3rd)	Region I Runner-Up

As A Player

Mesa (Ariz.) Community College
University of Connecticut (1991)
Arizona Condors (Western Soccer League)
Arizona Cotton (USISL)

Coaching Honors

2011 MWC Coach of the Year
RMAC All-Time Top Coach
2004 NCAA Division II National Coach of the Year
6-time RMAC Coach of the Year
4-time NSCAA Midwest Region Coach of the Year
2001 ACCAC Men's and Women's Coach of the Year
2001 NJCAA Region I Men's and Women's Coach of the Year
2001 NSCAA Junior College Central Region Coach of the Year
1999, '96 NJCAA Region I Women's Coach of the Year

ASSISTANT COACHES



Jason Green enters his fourth year as an assistant with the University of Colorado soccer team. He was promoted to associate head coach in August 2015. Green serves as the Buffaloes' goalkeeper director.

In his first three seasons with the Buffs, he helped the team to a 36-22-7 combined record and its best defensive starts in program history. In 2012, the Buffs set a record with three shutouts at the start of the season. In 2013, the Buffs shattered that record by shutting out their first five opponents,

on their way to nine total clean sheets (tying for fifth best all-time). Last season, CU's defense was clutch once again, tying a program record with 12 shutouts.

Green has helped the Buffs to back-to-back 14 win seasons and two straight NCAA Tournament appearances. In 2013, the Buffs matched their best postseason finish, defeating back-to-back ranked opponents on their way to the Sweet 16 and last season, CU advanced to the second round of the NCAA Tournament after defeating 15th-ranked BYU, 2-0, in cold, snowy conditions at Prentup Field.

As the goalkeeper director, Green has helped the net minders to a combined goals-against average of 1.10 or better. Last season, CU's goalies combined for a stellar 0.76 average. Green's work has solidified Annie Brunner as one of the program's best keepers. In his two seasons working with Brunner, her stats drastically improved in every category. Her GAA went from 1.69 in 2011 to 1.11 in 2013 and her save percentage increased from .635 in '11 to .770 in '13. Brunner also more than doubled her total saves from 40 in 2011 to 87 in 2013. With Green's assistance, Brunner claimed two Pac-12 Defensive Player of the Week honors and earned a spot in the top five of every career goalkeeping statistical category at CU. Last year, Green helped develop Kate Scheele into one of the top goalkeepers in the Pac-12 during the 2014 season. Scheele shutout 11 opponents, third-best in the conference and ranked in the Pac-12's top six in save percentage (.821), saves (22), and goals-against average (0.76).

"Because of Jason's complete understanding of the game, he brings a refreshing perspective to goalkeeping," Brunner said. "Too many coaches these days focus on just the technique of our position and end up losing sight of the bigger picture – keeping the ball out of the net. While those coaches end up criticizing your every move, Jason uniquely understands that with repetition and feedback I'll make the most progress. He offers advice based off his knowledge of field player behavior combined with goalkeeper technique, which together elevate my understanding of the position and help me to perform my best on game day."

Prior to joining the Buffs, he was an assistant for Danny Sanchez at the University of Wyoming. In Green's four year tenure at Wyoming, the Cowgirls were 36-34-11. He helped coach 18 Academic All-Mountain

West Conference and nine Conference Scholars. In 2011, he helped coach the Cowgirls to a school record 12 wins and the program's first ever spot in the MWC Tournament championship game.

At Wyoming, Green brought the goalkeeping position to a new level, as almost every record was broken while he was training the goalkeepers. Under Green's tutelage, Courtney Merkle ended her collegiate career ranked at the top of school season and career record books for GAA and minutes played. Merkle also ranks second all-time in saves.

Green was also on Sanchez's staff at Mesa Community College and the duo has worked together on a number of club teams and summer camps.

He has held two high school head coaching jobs, the first at Skyline High School in Mesa, Ariz., and the second at Chandler (Ariz.) High School. Green was named Region Coach of the Year at both posts and at Chandler his teams won three straight NSCAA National Academic Awards.

In his 17 year coaching career in college, high school and club soccer, Green has coached five state championship teams, six region champions, four district champions and five conference titlists.

He was mentored by Aidan Davison, a former goalkeeper in the English Premier League and the first team coach in the English Premier League.

"Having worked with Jason I have seen firsthand the quality he brings to the program, he has an added dimension of understanding the goalkeeping role and the requirements of the position," Davison said. "Jason is a bright young coach with a big future."

Green holds a United States Soccer Federation "A" License and a USSF National Goalkeeping License. He also has attended the Manchester United Coaches Symposium.



Green started his collegiate playing career at Mesa C.C. under Sanchez where they were ranked as high as second in the nation. He continued his career at Grand Canyon (Ariz.) University, where he helped lead the team to a No. 2 national ranking and to the championship game of the California Collegiate Athletic Association Tournament.

He earned his bachelor's in physical education from Ottawa (Ariz.) University in 2003 and completed his master's in physical education from Arizona State University in 2008.

ASSISTANT COACHES



Dave Morgan enters his first season as an assistant soccer coach and recruiting coordinator at the University of Colorado.

Morgan joined the Buffaloes' staff after spending 13 seasons as an assistant with the Metro State Roadrunners women's soccer team and is reunited with CU head coach Danny Sanchez after the duo spent six seasons together at Metro.

During Morgan's tenure with the Roadrunners, he helped the program win two national championships and eight Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference (RMAC) regular season championships. He also helped guide Metro State to an impressive 12 Division II NCAA Tournament appearances in 12 years.

In 2011, Morgan was inducted into the Metro State Athletics Hall of Fame with the 2004 National Championship team.

In addition to coaching collegiately, the Colorado native has extensive experience at the club level, where he has served as the College Advisory Program Director and ECNL Director for the Colorado Storm Soccer Association, and has been the Director of Coaching U15-U18 girls since 2006.

Prior to joining the Storm, Morgan coached for the Colorado Xtreme Soccer Club where he won five state championships. He also served as a head Olympic Development Program state coach for ten years and a U.S. Soccer Federation's Region IV Olympic Development Program staff coach for 12 years.

From 1988-94, Morgan was the head coach for the men and women's varsity team at Wheat Ridge High School where he guided the program to a Jefferson County League Championship in 1991 and qualified for the State playoffs multiple years. During his tenure he earned multiple awards including Jeffco 5A Women's Soccer Coach of Year, Jeffco 5A Men's Soccer Coach of the Year and State 5A Men's Soccer Coach of the Year.

Before his days in coaching got underway, Morgan earned multiple honors playing at the high school and collegiate levels, and played on several club teams. He was a member of the Northglenn High School varsity soccer team from 1980-83 and was a 1983 All American High School selection by the National Soccer Coaches Association of America.

After high school, he continued his playing career at Metro State from 1983-87. As a student-athlete for the Roadrunners, Morgan was named a two-time NCAA/NAIA All-Star Selection in 1986-87 and a NAIA All-American in 1986. He won three straight State Championships from 1987-89 with the Colorado Comets U23 Men's team before spending two seasons with the Colorado Comets Amateur Soccer Club. Beginning in 1988, he played semi-professionally with SISL/USISL Colorado Comets Soccer Club where he earned a spot on the USISL All-Star Team twice.

Morgan is a Metro State graduate with a degree in sports club administration. He has also earned an Advanced National Diploma, National Diploma and Premier Diploma from the National Soccer Coaches Association (NSCAA) and holds a USSF "C" license as well as an ACEP Leader Level Certificate.

STAFF

ASSISTANT COACHES



University of Colorado alumna and former soccer Buff, Amy Barczuk enters her second season as a volunteer assistant coach.

During her time at Colorado, Barczuk recorded 23 points off 10 goals and three assists. She is one of only eight players in program history to start at least 76 of 78 games played, and one of four Buffs to have played in every one of the team's

games in her four-year collegiate tenure. Barczuk ranks in the all-time top 12 in games played and started and shots attempted.

Barczuk received multiple honors at CU. As a freshman, she earned a spot on the Big 12 All-Newcomer team. The following season, she was an All-Big 12 Second Team selection. Her junior season, the Buffs' first in the Pac-12 Conference, she was an all-conference honorable mention. She had a stellar senior season, serving as the team captain and earning spots on the All-Pac-12 Second Team and the NSCAA All-Pacific Region team. She was also a USWNT U-23 Training Camp selection and a member of the U-23 player pool.

She shined in the classroom, graduating from CU in 2013 with a business degree. She was selected to the Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll in back-to-back seasons and was an Academic All-Big 12 First Team selection in 2010 and an Academic All-Pac-12 honorable mention in '11 and '12.

Barczuk, a midfielder on the Boston Breakers began her professional career in 2013 when she was selected by the Western New York Flash in the second round (the 14th overall pick) of the National Women's Soccer League draft. In her rookie season, she saw action in seven regular season games. The Flash claimed the regular season title and ended its season with a runner-up finish at

the inaugural NWSL championship game, where Barczuk made her fourth professional start. The Breakers acquired Barczuk via trade prior to the 2014 season. She went on to play in 19 matches, making nine starts and logged 886 minutes.

Before joining the Buffs, Barczuk had a successful prep career at Arapahoe High School. She led her team to the state semi-finals as a sophomore and senior, and to the quarterfinals as a junior. Barczuk was named second-team All-League as a sophomore, and earned first-team All-league, 5A All-State and All-Colorado selections as a senior. On the club side, Barczuk played for the Riverside Renegades and helped them to three State Cup Championships, one regional semifinal and one quarterfinal. Despite her team dropping the State Cup final match in 2009, Barczuk was still crowned the State Cup MVP for the tournament.

Barczuk also excelled on the basketball court, lettering four years and wrapping up her prep career as a McDonald's All-American Finalist. She was a three-time all-state honorable mention and first-team all-league selection, and was all-league second team as a freshman. A heavily recruited athlete in both sports, Barczuk was recognized with the 2008 Sportswomen of Colorado "All-Around" Award.

Born on October 28, 1990, Barczuk is the daughter of Mark and Lynn Barczuk of Centennial, Colo.



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SUPPORTING STAFF



Annie Brunner enters her first season as coordinator of performance analysis and camp operations at the University of Colorado, returning to her alma mater as a member of the soccer staff on June 15, 2015.

Brunner will be responsible for managing camp logistics and collaborating with the coaching staff to organize and edit video while also monitoring and analyzing player performance.

A standout goalkeeper for the Buffaloes from 2010-13, Brunner most recently served as a back-up goalkeeper for the Western New York Flash and a Graduate Assistant Coach at Troy University.

Brunner worked as the graduate assistant goalkeeper coach from 2014-2015 for Troy's women's soccer team, while pursuing a Master's degree in international business administration, which she will complete next summer. During her tenure, she created curriculum and trained the goalkeepers. In addition to coaching, she helped with recruiting and the team's residential, ID and summer day camps.

Prior to her time spent at Troy, Brunner also played on an international stage when she signed a professional contract with FC Neunkirch of the Swiss Women's National League A at the beginning of 2014.

She was also an assistant goalkeeper coach with the Goalkeepers Union for four years, assisting in the development of youth keepers (U7-U18) in the Denver metro area.

The Arvada, Colo. native proved herself as one of the program's greatest goalkeepers of all-time during her career at CU. Brunner played two years under Sanchez from 2012-13 and as a co-captain during the 2013 season, she helped lead the Buffs to the NCAA Sweet 16 – matching the best finish in program history as she concluded her senior year ranked in the nation's top 100 in saves and shutout percentage.

Brunner is only one of only two Buffs in school history to have at least nine shutouts in a single season and record at least seven in back-to-back seasons. She ranks second all-time in saves, wins, ties and shutouts. Her stellar 1.22 goals-against average and 6,956 minutes played rank fifth, while her 75 starts and 77 games played also rank in CU's all-time top 15.

Her impressive performance on the field earned her several awards, including CU Freshman Female Athlete of the Year and Team MVP in 2010 along with Defensive MVP honors in 2013. She excelled in the classroom as well being named a Pac-12 All-Academic Honorable mention her junior and senior year.

Her career as a student-athlete went beyond the playing field and classroom as well as she was involved with various community service projects throughout her four years on campus, including Buff Hugs, Read with the Buffs, Healthy Kids Day, the Special Olympics and the Boulder Shelter for the Homeless and was a team representative on the CU Student-Athlete Advisory Committee during her senior year.

A CU graduate in December 2013, Brunner earned her Bachelor's degree in business administration with an emphasis in operations and information management. She also has a National Soccer Coaches Association diploma in goalkeeping (level one) and a USAW Certification (level one).



Ryan Kataoka

Academic Coordinator
Sixth Season



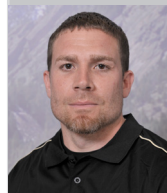
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Director of Operations
Fourth Season



Kari Kebach

Assistant Athletic Trainer
Second Season



Steve Englehart

Speed-Strength and
Conditioning Assistant Director
Fifth Season



Ryan Newman

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