

ROSS PAULE
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PERSONAL

Ross married Laurie Paule in 1997
3 children: Jorden 23, Emma 22, and Rossi 18
Current Location: Memphis, TN

COACHING CREDENTIALS

USSF SENIOR A License
USSF Pro B License
FA Talent Identification Level 1 Certificate
NSCAA Player Development Curriculum Diploma

LATEST COACHING POSITION:

CREIGHTON UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S SOCCER

2015 – 2023 (9 seasons)

60 Wins
Big East Women's Soccer Coach of the Year 2020
Big-East Semi-Finalist 2021
Big-East Semi-Finalist 2022

All-BIG EAST Honors: 17 selections (Five First Team)
Big-East Major Award: Big-East Freshman of the year: 1

United Soccer Team Academic Award in eight of nine seasons
(2015, 2016, 2017, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023)

College Sports Communicators Academic All-District: 8+ in eight seasons (2023 not announced)
Dean's List: 178+ athletes in eight seasons (2023 not announced)

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2005: Assistant Coach of Columbus Crew of Major League Soccer

2005-2009: Memphis Futbol Club Youth Academy Director

2006-2011: Adidas ESP National Coach

2009-2011: TN Rush Technical Director

2011-2014: Arlington Soccer Academy Executive Director

2011-2014: Fellowship of Christian Athletes Soccer Executive Director

2007-2014: TN ODP Staff Coach

2014-Current: Team Complete Programs National Director

(Camps) 2016-2020: Region 2 ODP Staff

2015-2023: Creighton University Women's Soccer Head Coach

SOCCKER PLAYING CAREER

Ross was drafted out of college in 1997 by the Colorado Rapids of Major League Soccer-USA. In his nine-year professional career, he played for the Colorado Rapids, NY/NJ MetroStars and the Columbus Crew. His career statistics are as follows:

PROFESSIONAL HIGHLIGHTS:

1997-2005 - Games Played -192; Games Started -155; Goals - 32; Assists - 42

- Twice named to Major League Soccer All-Star Team – 1998 and 1999
- Named “Most Valuable Player” for Columbus Crew - 2003
- Named “Most Valuable Player” for Colorado Rapids - 1998
- 1 of 3 finalists for Major League Soccer “Goal of the Year” - 2004
- Recorded his first career hat trick against Las Angeles Galaxy – September 2004
- Major League Soccer Player of the Month – June 1998
- 1 of 3 finalists for Rookie of the Year – 1997
- Played in MLS Cup Championship as a rookie vs. DC United – 1997
- As a rookie out of Creighton University, the only collegian to declare early for the MLS, he appeared in 19 games and started 7.

US NATIONAL TEAM:

U17 US National Team (1991-92), U20 US National Team (1993-95), US Men’s Full National Team Pool Player (1998-2001)

COLLEGE:

Inducted into Creighton University Athletics Hall of Fame, April 2012

- Declared for the MLS college draft in 1997 after starring at Creighton University from 1994-96.
- Finished his three-year career at Creighton ranked fourth all-time in school history with 77 career points, in 63 games (all starts).
- Ranked fourth in all-time career goals with 28 and added 21 assists.
- Led Creighton to the 1996 NCAA Men’s College Cup, scoring its only goal in a 2-1 loss to eventual champion St. John’s in the national semifinals.
- One of 10 finalists for both the 1996 Hermann Trophy & the Missouri Athletic Club’s Player of the Year.
- Named Missouri Valley Conference Player of the Year in his final season with the Bluejays.
- Named to the NSCAA All-Midwest Region first team as a sophomore, after finishing fourth in the region in scoring with 31 points and tied for second with nine assists.
- Scored the game-winning goal in Creighton’s 2-1 victory over Evansville in the MVC Tournament championship.
- Named to Soccer America’s Freshman All-America team in his first collegiate season in 1994.
- Named MVC “Newcomer of the Year” as a freshman, starting and playing in a school freshman-record 21 matches.

HIGH SCHOOL:

Houston High School-1990-1994

*Most Valuable Player in two State Championships: 1993 and 1994

*Best of Preps winner (Player of the Year)

FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN ATHLETES’ SOCCER FOUNDING EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

2011-2014 Named FCA Soccer Executive Director and currently leading the National Soccer *Ministry to influence and impact our Soccer World.*

*Highlight 2013: Ross has produced soccer-themed Bibles, **THE GOAL**, in multiple languages. **The Goal** has some of the world's best soccer players sharing their faith including many World Cup 2014 players from multiple countries. Ross has compiled a list of 40+ players who have given their life stories in order for FCA Soccer to produce **The Goal** Bibles in many countries including US, Egypt, Africa, Singapore, Japan, Chile, Swaziland, Argentina, Cuba, and more. Each **The Goal** is specific to the language and players from the country's region. www.fcasoccer.org*

Produced and Distributed:

- 12,500 - The Goal New Testaments Produced
- 20,000 - The Goal Arabic Bibles-The excitement and enthusiasm from local leaders and the need expressed for this in this part of the world is hard to put into words.
- 5000 – The Goal Japanese Bibles
- 3,000 – The Goal Singapore Bibles (Gospel Edition)
- 100,000- The Goal Africa: Single Page Tracks (player stories with their picture) printed and handed out in the African Region during the World Cup 2014.

COACHING AND LEADERSHIP SKILLS PERFORMED

- Coaching Games
- Coaching Sessions:
 - Technical Training: Team, Small Groups and Individuals
 - Functional Training
 - Specialty Training
- Scouting Reports:
 - Opponents: All Phases
 - Set Pieces
- Team Development:
 - Individual Development Plans
 - Offensive Effectiveness
 - Defensive Effectiveness
 - Set-Piece Effectiveness
- Platforms Used:
 - Wysout: Analytics, Scouts, Development, Recruiting
 - HUDL: Video, Sportscode, Studio
 - Spideo: Video, Scouting, Analytics
- Leadership Development, Mentoring
- Building Program and Game Model
- Periodization
- Recruiting- Network Worldwide