



LEE ANDERSON Assistant Coach ♦ First Season Ottawa, 1998

Lee Anderson is in his first season as the assistant women's volleyball coach at Ferris State.

A native of Renfrew (Ontario), Canada, Anderson served as head coach the last three seasons (2000-03) at Lakehead University in Thunder Bay, Ontario. The 28-year old Anderson assists in all phases of the program including on-floor coaching responsibilities, recruiting duties and administrative functions.

Anderson guided Lakehead to a 13-38 (.342) overall record in the Ontario University Athletics East Division during his three seasons at the helm, including a fifth-place finish in 2002-03. He also directed volleyball sport development camps and organized department media conferences during his tenure. In addition to his coaching duties, Anderson served as a practical instructor in the school's kinesiology department.

From June-July 2000, Anderson worked as a personal mental trainer for Finland's 800-meter run national champion Wilson Kirwa. A National

Coaching Certification Program (NCCP) Level III Accredited Volleyball Coach, Anderson was an assistant women's volleyball coach and professor's assistant at the University of Calgary (Alberta) in 1998-99.

Besides his collegiate coaching experience, Anderson has also coached various midget, youth and high school teams since earning a bachelor of science degree in human kinetics from the University of Ottawa (Ontario) in 1998. His previous head coaching positions included Henry Wisewood High School (1999) in Calgary, Ottawa's Immaculata High School (1995-98) along with both the Northwestern Ontario Under-18 (2002) and Under-17 (2001-02) teams.

As a prepster, Anderson earned Most Valuable Player Award accolades three times (1990, 93-94) in volleyball at Renfrew Collegiate Institute School. The four-time (1989-94) team captain also competed in basketball, soccer, golf, tennis along with track and field. He was active in the school's choir, concert and jazz bands.

A 1994 graduate of Renfrew Collegiate Institute, Anderson attained a masters of kinesiology degree in the art and science of coaching from Calgary in 2000 and is currently working towards a masters of sport psychology degree at Lakehead.

BULLDOG ASSISTANT COACHES

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| LEE ANDERSON | 2003-PRESENT |
| AIVARS APSITE | 1979 |
| JILL BEHRNS | 2000-01 |
| STEVE BELCHER | 1989 |
| BOB BOND | 1991-93 |
| MONICA FOLSKE | 1983-84 |
| TOM HANNA | 1994-95 |
| BETH LAUNIERS | 1985-87 |
| ANDREA LEONARD | 1996-97 |
| DIANE LUBBERTS | 1988 |
| J.J. O'CONNELL | 1998-99 |
| KIM REEFER | 1990 |
| JASON SMITH | 2001-02 |
| DOMINIC YODER | 2000 |

VOLLEYBALL SUPPORT STAFF



MICHAEL BLACKBURN
Asst. Trainer, ATC



ROB BENTLEY
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SARAH DEHRING Second Assistant Coach Second Season

Former Ferris State volleyball player Sarah Dehring is in her second season as an assistant coach in the Bulldog program.

A defensive specialist, Dehring saw action in 24 matches while registering 31 digs and four assists during an injury-plagued 2001 campaign.

In her three-year collegiate career, the Mackinac

Island, Mich., native appeared in 38 games and compiled 39 career digs, three service aces and two kills. She began her Bulldog career as a redshirt in 1999.

The daughter of Jack and Dorothy Dehring, Sarah was a four-time All-Northern Lights Conference selection at Mackinac Island High School. She led the Lakers to four league championships and was a three-time team Most Valuable Player Award recipient.

Dehring, who is completing her degree in elementary education, also assists with the program's administrative aspects.



YEAR-BY-YEAR NCAA TOURNAMENT RESULTS

| YEAR | OPPONENT | W/L | SCORE | GAME RESULTS | NCAA ROUND | SITE |
|------|---------------------------|-----|-------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 2002 | Wheeling Jesuit | L | 2-3 | 30-26, 30-24, 30-32, 28-30, 13-15 | Regional Quarterfinal | Allendale, Mich. |
| 1999 | Northern Kentucky | L | 1-3 | 15-13, 3-15, 9-15, 11-15 | Regional Semifinal | Highland Heights, Ky. |
| 1992 | Northern Michigan | L | 0-3 | 10-15, 6-15, 6-15 | Regional Final | Marquette, Mich. |
| | New Haven | W | 3-1 | 13-15, 16-14, 15-9, 15-7 | Regional Semifinal | Marquette, Mich. |
| 1990 | Mankato State | L | 2-3 | 8-15, 15-10, 15-12, 17-19, 12-15 | Regional Final | Fargo, N.D. |
| 1989 | Sacramento State | L | 0-3 | 7-15, 17-19, 8-15 | National Quarterfinal | Bakersfield, Calif. |
| | Gannon | W | 3-0 | 15-12, 16-14, 15-7 | Regional Final | Big Rapids, Mich. |
| 1987 | California St.-Northridge | L | 1-3 | 4-15, 15-11, 4-15, 3-15 | Third-Place Match | Omaha, Neb. |
| | Nebraska-Omaha | L | 2-3 | 15-11, 15-11, 6-15, 4-15, 14-16 | National Semifinal | Omaha, Neb. |
| | North Dakota State | W | 3-2 | 11-15, 16-14, 8-15, 15-12, 15-10 | Regional Final | Big Rapids, Mich. |
| | Wayne State | W | 3-1 | 17-15, 9-15, 15-9, 15-5 | Regional Semifinal | Big Rapids, Mich. |
| 1986 | Grand Valley State | L | 1-3 | 12-15, 15-8, 10-15, 7-15 | Regional Semifinal | Allendale, Mich. |
| 1985 | New Haven | L | 0-3 | 13-15, 12-15, 10-15 | Regional Semifinal | Omaha, Neb. |
| 1984 | Sam Houston State | L | 1-3 | 12-15, 15-6, 3-15, 6-15 | Regional Final | Lakeland, Fla. |
| | Tampa | W | 3-2 | 15-9, 11-15, 15-13, 8-15, 15-5 | Regional Semifinal | Lakeland, Fla. |
| 1983 | Nebraska-Omaha | L | 1-3 | 9-15, 16-14, 17-19, 2-15 | Regional Final | Omaha, Neb. |
| | Wright State | W | 3-0 | 15-11, 15-2, 15-5 | Regional Semifinal | Omaha, Neb. |
| 1982 | California-St.-Sacramento | L | 0-3 | 11-15, 6-15, 13-15 | Regional Final | Big Rapids, Mich. |
| | Nebraska-Omaha | W | 3-1 | 4-15, 15-13, 15-9, 15-11 | Regional Semifinal | Big Rapids, Mich. |