



LOUGHBOROUGH  
SPORT



Loughborough  
University



UNIVERSITY OF THE  
YEAR FOR SPORT  
Times and Sunday Times  
Good University Guide 2022



UNIVERSITY  
RANKED 7TH  
Complete University  
Guide

**NO. 1**

**BEST UNIVERSITY IN THE WORLD FOR  
SPORTS-RELATED SUBJECTS FOR THE  
6TH YEAR RUNNING**

QS World University Rankings by Subject 2022

## THE PROGRAMME

At Loughborough University we have an outstanding track record of developing our tennis players as both people and athletes. There are a vast amount of opportunities to represent Loughborough, with 5 men's and 5 women's teams all of which compete in British Universities and Colleges Sports (BUCS).

Our coaches recruit for teams year-round, with the opportunity for prospective students to attend tennis specific experience days. Teams are selected at trials which take place during the first week of each academic year. The values of our programme are based on commitment, consistency, and a willingness to learn and develop.

## LOUGHBOROUGH UNIVERSITY

Loughborough University consistently ranks in the Top 10 of every National University League Table. Our reputation across sport, business and engineering courses is known globally, but we actually offer over 140 undergraduate and 120 postgraduate courses across 26 different subject areas. Our award-winning student experiences ensures that all students are catered for across our beautiful 523-acre single site campus.





## UNBEATEN BUCS CHAMPIONS FOR 41 YEARS RUNNING (2022)

British Universities and Colleges  
Sport (BUCS)

### A TYPICAL WEEK

- 1 game (October - March (BUCS))
- Up to 16 hours on court
- 4 strength and conditioning sessions
- Performance analysis
- Individual coaching sessions

### PERFORMANCE SUPPORT

Our performance team receive access to strength and conditioning, physiotherapy, nutrition, psychology, and performance lifestyle support. This support is available year round, led by the head coach and delivered in an interdisciplinary fashion, ensuring optimum team performance.

### COACHING TEAM

- **Tom Kisiel** Head Coach. Tom has led the tennis programme at Loughborough to its most successful time in history, including winning the Women's National League and Cup double in 2021-2022. Tom is current coach of Lloyd Glasspool and Olivia Nicholls who are both in the top 100 of their respective ATP and WTA doubles rankings.
- **Joe Newman-Billington** Tennis Co-Ordinator. Joe is a Loughborough University sport psychology graduate and was an integral part of the Loughborough men's tennis first team who won the National League in 2018 & 2019 and Championship Cup in 2021 & 2022.

### FACILITIES

Our state-of-the-art tennis centre boasts: 10 indoor acrylic courts, 3 outdoor hardcourts, performance analysis cameras, 3 state of the art meeting rooms and physiotherapy and performance analysis suites.

With two world-class gyms on campus, Powerbase and Holywell Fitness Centre, whatever your fitness goals, experience or level of ability there is something for everyone.

### CURRENT STUDENTS AND NOTABLE ALUMNI

- **Lloyd Glasspool** Master of Business Administration (MBA) student. Current and career high ATP doubles ranking of 19.
- **Olivia Nicholls** BSc Sport Science with Management graduate 2016. Current and career high WTA doubles ranking of 64.
- **George Houghton** BSc Sport and Exercise Science graduate 2020. Career high ATP singles ranking of 1157.
- **Nadia Rawson** BSc Sport and Exercise Science graduate 2022. Career high WTA doubles ranking of 784.





*"I think Loughborough has a unique culture where you are constantly surrounded by top level athletes that are all striving for success, this collective mindset really motivates you to be the best you can be. We're a close-knit group here so it's a great feeling knowing you've got your teammates supporting you and vice versa. We're always there for each other on and off the court as I think that shows in the attitude that we have on court."*

**Ryan Golesworthy, BSc Finance and Management**

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