

On Dec. 23, 2002, Tim Collins was named the first head coach in Lady Blues soccer history and he brings the experience and winning traditions from the high school ranks to the Washburn campus.

Entering the fourth year of the program, the fruits of Collins' labor turned the Lady Blues into a second place conference team in year No. 3. The 2005 Lady Blues recorded the first winning season in Washburn's history and Collins picked up MIAA Coach of the Year honors.

Collins has compiled a 20-29-8 record in his two seasons as the Lady Blues coach. In their second season of existence, Collins coached the Lady Blues from an eighth place finish from the first season to a fifth place finish in the MIAA standings.

In his two seasons at the helm of the Lady Blues program, he has coached six Washburn soccer players who have earned all-MIAA honors. Collins' enthusiasm has led to increased attendance at Lady Blues matches as Washburn led the NCAA Division II ranks in attendance last season, including setting a new Division II single-match attendance record of 1,848 against Missouri Southern.

Collins previously coached the Seaman boys team to a fourth-place 5A state finish and a Regional Championship after finishing second in the Centennial League race. Before coaching at Seaman, Collins headed the boys and girls programs at Topeka West High School for 10 years. In 2001, he coached the girls' program to the Class 5A State Championship. He also coached Charger teams to seven regional championships, two tournament championships and two state finalists. He was named the Topeka City Coach of the Year four times and the Kansas Coach of the Year once.

Since 1995 Collins has been the girls director of coaching for the Kansas State Olympic Development Program organizing tryouts and managing camps. Collins also has his National Class "A" Coaching License.

Collins is a 1991 graduate Ottawa University where he was a four-year letter-winner for the Braves' soccer team. He was the team's MVP and captain his junior and senior seasons while garnering first team all-conference and all-district accolades.

Collins and his wife, Tina, have two boys Nico and CJ.



Tim Collins
Head Coach

Blue Notes

Coaching Experience

- Washburn Head Coach (2003-present)
- Topeka Seaman High School (2001-2002)
- Topeka West High School (1992-2001)
- Kansas State Olympic Development Program Director (1995-present)

Playing Experience

- Ottawa University (1988-1991)

Playing/Coaching Honors

- Two-time Ottawa team MVP
- 2001 5A State Championship Coach
- Seven Regional Championships
- Two state finals
- Six all-MIAA Honorees



Collins' Year-by-Year Coaching Record at Washburn

Year	School	Overall				MIAA				Finish
		W	L	T	Pct.	W	L	T	Pct.	
2003	Washburn	4	13	1	.250	2	11	1	.178	8th
2004	Washburn	5	11	3	.342	3	9	2	.286	5th
2005	Washburn	11	5	4	.650	7	3	4	.692	T2nd
3-season total		20	29	8	.421	12	23	7	.369	

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WASHBURN HEAD COACH TIM COLLINS