

NEW ENGLAND REVOLUTION

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## 2008 ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

#	PLAYER	POS	HT	WT	BIRTHDATE	HOMETOWN	COLLEGE	STATUS
3	Chris Albright	DEF	6-1	180	01/14/1979	Philadelphia, Pa.	Virginia	
7	Adam Cristman	FWD	6-0	180	01/08/1985	Glen Allen, Va.	Virginia	
17	Gary Flood	DEF	5-10	155	09/07/1985	Hauppauge, N.Y.	Hofstra	DEV
8	Joe Franchino	DEF	5-9	165	08/09/1976	Alta Loma, Calif.	Washington	
6	Jay Heaps	DEF	5-9	155	08/02/1976	Longmeadow, Mass.	Duke	
19	Kyle Helton	DEF	5-8	160	05/20/1986	Alpharetta, Ga.	Duke	DEV
2	Amaechi Igwe	M/D	6-0	165	05/20/1988	Belmont, Calif.	Santa Clara	GA
21	Shalrie Joseph	MID	6-3	180	05/24/1978	Brooklyn, N.Y.	St. John's (NY)	
24	Brad Knighton	GK	6-1	180	02/06/1985	Richmond, Va.	UNC-Wilmington	DEV
13	Jeff Larentowicz	M/D	6-1	175	08/05/1983	West Chester, Pa.	Brown	
29	Abdoulie "Kenny" Mansally	F/M	5-10	160	01/29/1989	Banjul, Gambia		INTL
31	Sainey Nyassi	MID	5-8	135	01/31/1989	Bwiam, Gambia		DEV/INTL
15	Michael Parkhurst	DEF	5-11	155	01/24/1984	Cranston, R.I.	Wake Forest	
14	Steve Ralston	MID	5-9	160	06/14/1974	St. Louis, Mo.	Florida International	
1	Matt Reis	GK	6-1	196	03/28/1975	Mission Viejo, Calif.	UCLA	
18	Khano Smith	F/M	6-3	190	01/10/1981	Warwick, Bermuda	Lees-McRae	
27	Wells Thompson	MID	5-10	155	11/25/1983	Winston-Salem, N.C.	Wake Forest	
20	Taylor Twellman	FWD	5-11	170	02/29/1980	St. Louis, Mo.	Maryland	
22	Rob Valentino	DEF	6-3	190	12/25/1985	Cave Creek, Ariz.	San Francisco	GA
12	Doug Warren	GK	6-0	190	03/18/1981	Hoffman Estates, Ill.	Clemson	

## 2008 NUMERICAL ROSTER

#	PLAYER	POS	PRONUNCIATION	PLACE OF BIRTH	LAST TEAM
1	Matt Reis	GK	REESE	Atlanta, Ga.	Los Angeles (MLS)
2	Amaechi Igwe	M/D	ah-MEHCH-ee IG-way	San Francisco, Calif.	Santa Clara
3	Chris Albright	DEF	ALL-bight	Philadelphia, Pa.	Los Angeles (MLS)
6	Jay Heaps	DEF		Nashua, N.H.	Miami (MLS)
7	Adam Cristman	FWD		Washington, D.C.	Virginia
8	Joe Franchino	M/D	fran-CHEE-no	Fontana, Calif.	Los Angeles (MLS)
12	Doug Warren	GK		Palatine, Ill.	D.C. United (MLS)
13	Jeff Larentowicz	M/D	la-REN-toe-witz	Pasadena, Calif.	Brown
14	Steve Ralston	M/D	RAWL-stun	St. Louis, Mo.	Tampa Bay (MLS)
15	Michael Parkhurst	DEF		Providence, R.I.	Wake Forest
17	Gary Flood	DEF		Hauppauge, N.Y.	Hofstra
18	Khano Smith	FWD	KAHN-no	Paget, Bermuda	Dandy Town (BER)
19	Kyle Helton	DEF		Birmingham, Ala.	Duke
20	Taylor Twellman	FWD		Minneapolis, Minn.	1860 Munich (GER)
21	Shalrie Joseph	MID	shall-REE	Saint George, Grenada	N.Y. Freedoms (USL)
22	Rob Valentino	DEF	val-ehn-TEE-no	Hoffman Estates, Ill.	San Francisco
24	Brad Knighton	GK	NIGHT-en	Hickory, N.C.	UNC-Wilmington
27	Wells Thompson	MID		Winston-Salem, N.C.	Wake Forest
29	Abdoulie "Kenny" Mansally	F/M	man-SAL-lee	Banjul, Gambia	Real de Banjul (GAM)
31	Sainey Nyassi	MID	SIGN-nee ny-AH-see	Bwiam, Gambia	Ports Authority FC (GAM)



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ALBRIGHT



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ADAM  
CRISTMAN



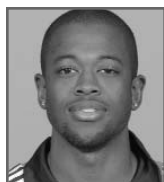
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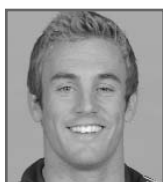
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ROB  
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DOUG  
WARREN



HEAD COACH  
STEVE NICOL



ASSISTANT COACH  
PAUL MARINER



GOALKEEPERS COACH  
GWYNNE WILLIAMS



## HOW THE REVOLUTION WAS BUILT

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YR	MLS SUPERDRAFT	MLS SUPPLEMENTAL DRAFT	MLS "SPECIAL" DRAFTS	TRADES	OFF-SEASON SIGNINGS	MID-SEASON SIGNINGS
2000			Joe Franchino (LA) (Special Draft)			
2001				Jay Heaps (MIA)		
2002	Shalrie Joseph (2nd Rd.) Taylor Twellman (1st Rd.)		Steve Rabston (TB) (Allocation Draft)			
2003				Matt Reis (LA)	Shalrie Joseph*	
2005	Michael Parkhurst (1st Rd.) (GA)	Jeff Larentowicz (4th Rd.)		Doug Warren (DC)		Khano Smith
2007	Adam Crisiman (4th Rd.) Kyle Hellon (4th Rd.) Amaechi Igwe (1st Rd.) (GA) Wells Thompson (1st Rd.)	Gary Flood (2nd Rd.)			Brad Knighton	Abdoulle Mansally (I) Sainey Nyassi (I)
2008	Mathew Briner (3rd Rd.) (I) Joe Germanese (2nd Rd.) Rob Valerinno (1st Rd.) (GA) Michael Vieira (2nd Rd.) Spencer Wadsworth (4th Rd.)	Kyle Allman (2nd Rd.) Kheili Dube (1st Rd.) (I) Saidi Isaacs (3rd R.) (I) Chris Tierney (2nd Rd.)		Chris Albright (LA)		

\* Shalrie Joseph was drafted by the Revolution in the 2002 MLS Super Draft, but played the 2002 season with the New York Freedoms (D3-Pro League). Joseph signed with the Revs prior to the 2003 season.

(I) International player (GA) Generation adidas





## STEVE NICOL HEAD COACH

**N**ow in his seventh season at the helm of the Revolution, Steve Nicol is the longest-tenured coach in Major League Soccer, and is regarded as one of the top tacticians and talent evaluators of soccer talent in this country. His 75 career victories entering the 2008 season have eclipsed the combined win total (73) of the previous four head coaches in Revolution club history.

Nicol was named head coach of the team on November 6, 2002, after serving as the interim head coach for the final 21 games of the 2002 regular season and the post-season.

In each of his six seasons with the Revolution, Nicol has guided the club to the MLS Eastern Conference Championship game - an MLS record - and has four times led the team to MLS Cup (2002, 2005, 2006 & 2007), including each of the last three championship matches. The Revs are one of just three MLS clubs to return to MLS Cup in back-to-back seasons.

Nicol's hiring marked yet another impressive accomplishment in the Scotland native's distinguished career. During his playing days, Nicol, 45, gained worldwide fame while playing for Liverpool FC in England's top division before moving on to play for Notts County, West Bromwich Albion, Sheffield Wednesday and Doncaster Rovers.

Nicol, who was born in the Scottish town of Troon, began his pro career at the age of 18 with Ayr United before being signed by Liverpool in 1981. The £300,000 transfer fee remains the Ayr United club record.

While with Liverpool, Nicol made 467 appearances as a defender and midfielder and scored 46 goals. He was at the heart of a Liverpool side that won four English League Titles, three F.A. Cup Titles and the 1984 European Cup. In 1989, his importance to the team was honored when Britain's soccer writers named him Footballer of the Year. Between 1984 and 1992 Nicol appeared 27 times for the Scottish National Team, and started for his country at the 1986 World Cup in Mexico.

Nicol's coaching career began in 1995 when he was named player/manager at Notts County. Four years later, he arrived in New England as a player/assistant coach with the Boston Bulldogs. In September of that year, he joined the Revs as interim coach for the final two games of the season, both of which were Revolution wins. He returned to the Bulldogs as a player/coach for the 2000 and 2001 season before re-joining the Revs as an assistant coach prior to the 2002 campaign.

Nicol was named the 2002 MLS Coach of the Year after leading the Revolution to within a goal of the MLS Cup, played before a record crowd at the new Gillette Stadium. In 2003 and 2004, he led the Revs to within an extra time goal

and a penalty kick shootout, respectively, of making the league final again. He coached the Revs to his second MLS Cup final in 2005, after winning the Eastern Conference Championship with New England for a second time. Since 2005, Nicol has guided the Revs back to MLS Cup with two more Eastern Conference Championship titles and helped the team set the MLS record for consecutive appearances in the conference championship with six (2002-present).

Nicol was also honored for his coaching excellence in August 2005, when he was chosen to lead the MLS Select XI against Real Madrid at the Santiago Bernabeu Stadium. In 2007, Nicol added to his coaching honors when he led the 2007 MLS All-Stars to a victory over Scottish giant Celtic FC in the 2007 Sierra Mist All-Star Game. Nicol's lineup, including three Revolution starters, defeated Celtic, 2-0, to extend MLS' winning streak against international competition to three straight since the adoption of the current All-Star Game format.

Nicol holds a USSF "A" coaching license. In addition to his coaching duties, Nicol is also a guest analyst for ESPN International.

Nicol resides in the western suburbs of Boston with his wife, Eleanor. The couple has two adult children, Michael and Katy.

### NICOL'S YEAR-BY-YEAR MLS COACHING CAREER

#### REGULAR SEASON

Year	Team	W	L	T	Pct.
1999	Revolution	2	0	0	1.000
2002	Revolution	10	10	1	.500
2003	Revolution	12	9	9	.550
2004	Revolution	8	13	9	.417
2005	Revolution	17	7	8	.708
2006	Revolution	12	8	12	.563
2007	Revolution	14	8	8	.600
<b>Regular-Season Totals</b>		<b>75</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>.556</b>

#### POSTSEASON RECORD

Year	Finish	W	L	T	Pct.
2002	MLS Cup Final	3	2	2	.571
2003	Eastern Conference Final	1	1	1	.500
2004	Eastern Conference Final	1	1	1	.500
2005	MLS Cup Final	2	2	0	.500
2006	MLS Cup Final	2	1	1	.625
2007	MLS Cup Final	2	1	1	.625
<b>Playoff Totals</b>		<b>11</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>.558</b>

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS & HONORS:** 2002 MLS Coach of the Year, 2005 MLS Select Team Head Coach against Real Madrid, 2007 MLS All-Star Team Coach





## PAUL MARINER

ASSISTANT COACH

**P**aul Mariner enters his fifth season as Steve Nicol's top assistant coach in 2007. He has helped lead the Revolution to three straight MLS Eastern Conference Championship games, as well as three consecutive MLS Cup championship game appearances.

Born in Bolton, Lancashire, England, Mariner is remembered by world soccer fans as one of the top center forwards in English football in the late 1970s and early 1980s. He earned 35 international caps playing for his country, and led the England attack in the 1982 FIFA World Cup. He is the co-holder for the England National Team record for goal scoring in consecutive games (6).

After starting his professional club career with Plymouth Argyle, Mariner scored 97 goals in eight seasons for Ipswich Town from 1976-84, before playing three seasons with Arsenal FC in London and finishing his English Leagues career with Portsmouth.

Mariner's many honors as a player include winning the 1978 FA Cup Final with Ipswich Town – a game in which he was named Man of the Match despite not being the goal scorer – in the classic 1-0 over Arsenal. He was also a key member of the 1981 UEFA Cup-winning Ipswich Town team. He scored for England against France in the 1982 World Cup, and also scored in a qualifying match against Hungary on Nov. 18, 1981, a 1-0 victory at Wembley Stadium that put England through to the 1982 World Cup.

Mariner came to the United States in 1988 to coach the Albany Capitals of the APSL, followed by a stint with the league's San Francisco Bay Blackhawks. Before joining the Revolution, Mariner was an assistant to former Revs forward and current Duke University head men's soccer coach John Kerr, Jr. Mariner has also served as Technical Director for the FC Greater Boston Bolts, one of the top youth soccer clubs in the U.S.

Mariner has worked as a color commentator on BBC North West broadcasts of the English Premier League and as a World Cup analyst on New Zealand television and ESPN International.

Mariner and his wife, Dee, live outside of Boston.



## GWYNNE WILLIAMS

GOALKEEPERS COACH

**G**wynne Williams is in his second season as the goalkeepers coach for the New England Revolution. He joined the Revolution coaching staff in February 2007 after 12 seasons on the staff of NCAA Division II soccer powerhouse Lynn University in Boca Raton, Fla.

An NSCAA National Goalkeeping Instructor, Williams is a member of the USSF National Coaching Staff and holds a USSF "A" coaching license.

In 2007, Williams was on the coaching staff that guided the MLS All-Stars to a 2-0 victory over Scottish power Celtic FC at Dick's Sporting Goods Park in Commerce City, Colo., in July. Revs goalkeeper Mat Reis, an MLS All-Star "First XI" selection and All-Star Game starter himself, went on to post 10 shutouts for the third straight season, in addition to three postseason shutouts in the Revs' first three games.

An excellent talent evaluator and instructor, Williams also worked with the Revs' reserve keepers, as Doug Warren posted a 1.00 goals against average in reserve-league action and first-year stopper Brad Knighton had a 1.40 GAA as the pair combined for four shutouts on their way to a second-place finish in the reserve division.

A native of St. Helens, England, Williams has been on the coaching advisory councils of the Canadian Soccer Association and Bermuda Football Association.

Williams earned his certificate of education from Nonington College of Physical Education in 1975, and completed his bachelor of education degree at London University in 1976.





## BRIAN BANFILL

### EQUIPMENT MANAGER

**B**rian Banfill is in his third season as the equipment manager of the New England Revolution.

Banfill's responsibilities include organizing and maintaining the team's uniforms, practice gear and equipment, and overseeing the gameday equipment staff that assists in both the Revs' and visitors' locker rooms and on the field. He also works closely with the technical staff on setting up and equipping training sessions both at home and on the road.

Banfill was honored for his exemplary work when he was selected to be the equipment manager for the 2007 MLS All-Star Team that defeated Scottish giant Celtic FC in July.

Banfill joined the organization as the Revs' equipment manager on Nov. 28, 2005 after three seasons working with the team's volunteer gameday staff, the Revs Brigade. He contributed in many areas during this time, also working in the popular Soccer Celebration pregame interactive entertainment area before joining the gameday staff where he worked both the home and visitors' locker rooms.

Prior to joining the Revolution, Banfill worked for eight years in the sporting goods retail industry. He is an avid ice hockey fan and participates in adult pick-up games in his spare time.

Banfill lives in central Massachusetts with his wife, Melissa, and their son, Kyle.



## SEAN KUPIEC

### HEAD ATHLETIC TRAINER

**S**ean Kupiec, A.T.C., P.E.S., is in his first season with the Revolution as the team's head athletic trainer. In addition to being a certified athletic trainer, Kupiec is also recognized as a performance enhancement specialist by the National Academy of Sports Medicine.

Kupiec's responsibilities with the Revs include overseeing and directing all aspects of the team's medical care and players' rehabilitation and sports performance, both in-season and during the off-season.

Prior to joining the Revs, Kupiec spent the 2006 and 2007 NFL seasons with the New England Patriots as the team's athletic training intern, where he worked closely with the Pats' athletic training and strength and conditioning staffs to maintain the health and fitness of the record-setting 2007 AFC Champions. With the Pats, he also coordinated the daily responsibilities for the season and training camp interns, com-

pleted the team's daily injury and NFL reports, administered the team's IMPACT testing, as well as overseeing several gameday procedures with opposing teams.

Before joining Kraft Sports Group, Kupiec spent two years as a graduate assistant athletic trainer at the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, where he worked with the school's wrestling and men's and women's track and field and cross country teams, and assisted with the football team's care. Kupiec also earned his master's in exercise and sports science in 2006 while at UNC.

A native of Utica, N.Y., Kupiec graduated from Springfield College in 2004 and currently lives west of Boston. He enjoys running, golfing and watching movies in his spare time.



## WAYNE PENNIMAN

### REHABILITATION SPECIALIST

**W**ayne Penniman, P.T., A.T.C., CSCS, is in his second season with the Revolution and in his first in his current position as the team's rehabilitation specialist. In addition to being a certified athletic trainer, Penniman is also a registered physical therapist and certified strength and conditioning specialist and uses that broad-based knowledge to assist Revs players rehabilitate from injuries and surgical procedures. Penniman collaborates with the Revs' medical and athletic training staffs to develop and implement programs that allow Revolution players to return to full fitness as soon as possible. He also works with the medical staff to develop the team's off-season workout plans.

In his first season with the team in 2007, Penniman's work was honored when he was selected to be the athletic trainer for the 2007 MLS All-Star Team, which defeated Celtic FC last July in Colorado.

Penniman came to the Revs from the Bancroft School in Worcester, Mass., where he was the head athletic trainer since 2006, and the Clinton Irish Blizzard of the Eastern Football League, where he has had two stints as the head athletic trainer. Prior to his work at the Bancroft School, Penniman was the Director of Athletic Training Services at Nashoba Valley Medical Center in Ayer, Mass., a staff physical therapist at South County Physical Therapy, and a senior physical therapist at Spaulding Neighborhood Rehabilitation Center in Wellesley, Mass.

In 2007, Penniman completed the requirements for his master's degree in post-professional physical therapy at Oakland University, where he was the head trainer for the men's soccer and baseball teams during the 2002-03 academic year.

Penniman, a native of Maynard, Mass., now lives in the suburbs west of Boston with his wife, Leigh. The couple welcomed their first children - twin boys - during the offseason.



## CHRIS ALBRIGHT

### #3



<b>Position</b>	Defender	<b>Hometown</b>	Philadelphia, Pa.
<b>Height:</b>	6-1	<b>College</b>	Virginia
<b>Weight</b>	180 lbs.	<b>Youth Club Team</b>	Council Rock Dynamo
<b>D.O.B.</b>	Jan. 14, 1979 (Philadelphia, Pa.)	<b>Status</b>	Senior Roster

**How Acquired:** Traded to the Revolution from Los Angeles in exchange for allocation money on Jan. 18, 2008.

*One of MLS' top right backs, Albright joins an already strong Revolution defense after earning in-season and postseason laurels for his play out of the back the last few years in Los Angeles ... a complete package with skill, speed and size in the back ... just 29 years old, Albright is in his 10th MLS season and joins his third club after entering the league in 1999 as a Nike Project-40 player out of Virginia ... after missing most of the 2007 season with a torn right hamstring, Albright will look to return to the form that saw him named to the U.S. squad for the 2006 FIFA World Cup in Germany ... an experienced champion, he has won MLS Cup championships with three teams (D.C. in 1999, L.A. in 2002 and 2005) and one U.S. Open Cup Championship (L.A. in 2005).*

**2007:** Started the first five games of the season before suffering a torn right hamstring in the 15th minute of the team's fifth match – a 1-1 draw against Chivas USA on May 20. Missed the remainder of the regular season after undergoing reconstructive surgery in late May to repair the injury. Rehabbed the rest of the regular-season, but progressed enough to play minutes in all five of the Galaxy's postseason friendlies.

**2006:** His second season as the Galaxy's right back saw him named the club's Defender of the Year and earn a spot in Bruce Arena's U.S. team for the 2006 FIFA World Cup in Germany. Scored two goals and added five assists – his second-high season total – while starting all 23 games he played. Was unavailable from May 10 through June 17 as a result of being in Germany for the World Cup, missing eight games before returning to the lineup on June 24 against Houston.

Started all but one game for L.A. after returning from the World Cup and was named to his third consecutive MLS All-Star Game as the MLS All-Stars defeated EPL juggernaut Chelsea FC, 1-0, in Bridgeview, Ill. Scored his first goal of the season in a 1-1 draw against Chicago on April 8, and netting his second – the go-ahead goal – in a 5-2 victory at D.C. on Aug. 26.

**2005:** Capped the season by earning MLS Best XI honors after garnering MLS All-Star recognition midseason. In his second season as a true right fullback, recorded one goal and added two assists, helping lead the Galaxy to the domestic double of the MLS Cup championship and the Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup. Missed nine games in the middle of the season (May 25-July 9) with a severely sprained right knee. Surpassed the 10,000 career minutes played mark on Sept. 25 in a 2-1 victory over Kansas City. Started all four of the Galaxy's postseason matches, playing all 390 minutes as the Galaxy won MLS Cup 2005 in overtime against the Revolution in Frisco, Texas.

**2004:** Moved to right back prior to the season after making the transition on the National Team under head coach Bruce Arena, and enjoyed his finest season as a professional to date. Posted a career-high six assists as he adjusted to his new position along the right touchline. Earned his first MLS All-Star appearance, starting for the West All-Stars at RFK Stadium. Recorded his first career multiple-assist game on May 8 when he collected two assists in a 3-1 road victory at Dallas. Registered assists in back-to-back games on May 19

#### ALBRIGHT'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
1999	D.C. United	8	4	347	0	1	6	3	7	4	3	0	1	0
2000	D.C. United	25	21	1823	3	0	48	17	45	37	14	3	2	0
2001	D.C. United	23	14	1411	1	1	41	24	30	39	13	0	5	0
2002	Los Angeles	15	9	814	0	1	24	12	14	22	3	0	2	0
2003	Los Angeles	27	23	1966	3	4	48	24	56	38	4	0	5	0
2004	Los Angeles	24	24	2111	1	6	15	6	37	33	1	0	7	1
2005	Los Angeles	22	21	1773	1	2	29	12	34	29	1	0	7	0
2006	Los Angeles	23	23	2036	2	5	18	5	43	24	0	0	5	0
2007	Los Angeles	5	5	375	0	0	9	3	7	5	0	0	1	0
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>172</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>12656</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>273</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>1</b>

#### POSTSEASON

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2002	Los Angeles	5	2	241	1	1	5	4	7	1	1	0	0	0
2003	Los Angeles	2	0	32	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	0
2004	Los Angeles	3	3	270	0	1	3	1	2	7	0	0	0	0
2005	Los Angeles	4	4	390	0	1	3	0	9	1	0	0	2	0
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>14</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>933</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>





and May 22 at D.C. and San Jose, respectively. For the second time in his career, recorded one goal and one assist in a game, helping L.A. post a 3-2 victory over Chicago at home on June 12.

**2003:** In his last year as a forward, he played in a career-best 27 games, earning the starting nod in 23 of them. He scored three goals, tying a career-high and added four assists – his best year as a professional to date. Recorded his first-career two-goal game on June 25 at Colorado, notching both of L.A.'s goals in the 2-2 draw. Followed that performance with his first-career multiple point performance in the team's following game, registering one goal and one assist in the team's 3-0 victory against Dallas on June 28. Earned MLS Player of the Week honors for Week 13 for his performances against the Rapids and Burn. Posted single assists at the MetroStars (April 19), at Kansas City (May 24) and against New England (July 4). Appeared in both of the Galaxy's two playoff games, coming on a second-half substitute in both contests.

**2002:** Traded to the Galaxy with a second-round selection (24th overall) from D.C. in the 2002 MLS SuperDraft on Jan. 11 in exchange for L.A.'s first- and second-round selections in the 2002 MLS SuperDraft and a conditional pick in the 2003 MLS SuperDraft. Appeared in 14 games and made eight starts at forward. Recorded one assist on the season, coming on July 4 in a 2-1 victory against San Jose. Missed 12 games (most of April and May, and the beginning of August) because of injuries. Appeared in five of Los Angeles' six postseason games, starting two, while scoring one goal and adding one assist as the Galaxy won MLS Cup 2002 in Foxborough at Gillette Stadium.

**2001:** Made 23 appearances on the year, including 14 starts for United. Scored one goal – D.C.'s lone goal in a 2-1 loss at Miami on May 30. His lone assist of the season came on June 16 in a substitute appearance in a 3-0 victory at Kansas City.

**2000:** Played in 25 games, making 21 starts for United. Scored three goals, including his first career MLS strike on May 27 in a 3-2 victory over Dallas. Also notched goals in back-to-back games on June 21 (MetroStars) and June 24 (Dallas).

**1999:** Allocated to the Miami Fusion as a Nike Project-40 player, but was traded to D.C. United with John Maessner for

Brian Kamler and future considerations on July 17 before making an appearance. Made his MLS debut eight days later on July 25 at New England and went on to appear in eight games with United. Began his MLS career as a forward. Tallied his first career assist on a Clint Peay goal against the Galaxy on Sept. 25. Was a member of D.C.'s MLS Cup winning squad but missed the playoffs after suffering a torn left MCL in training before United's postseason opener.

**COLLEGE:** Attended college powerhouse Virginia for two seasons (1997-98), earning NSCAA first-team All-America honors as a sophomore in 1998 when he scored 20 goals in 23 games ... helped lead Virginia to the 1997 ACC Tournament championship, earning a spot on the all-tournament team ... later that season, led the Cavaliers to the championship game of the 1997 NCAA College Cup, where the team fell to UCLA ... as a forward at Virginia, scored 31 goals and added 20 assists in 49 games before leaving after his sophomore year to pursue a professional career.

**U.S. NATIONAL TEAM:** Has earned 22 career caps with the National Team as of March 1, 2008 ... was a member of the U.S.' 23-man squad at the 2006 FIFA World Cup, but did not see any game action ... originally named an alternate to the squad, was added after Frankie Hejduk suffered a torn anterior cruciate ligament in the lead-up to the World Cup trip ... in 2005, appeared in a career-high seven games for the U.S., making six starts with one assist ... returned to the National Team pool for the first time since 2001 – almost three years – when he played 78 minutes in a friendly against Denmark on Jan. 19, 2004 ... was a member of the 2000 U.S. Olympic Team in Sydney ... started all six of the U.S.' matches at the Olympics, scoring two goals as the team finished fourth and reached the medal round for the first time ever ... made his debut with the senior national team on Sept. 8, 1999, scoring a goal in the 2-2 draw with Jamaica ... became the 38th player in U.S. history to score a goal in his international debut – and just the fourth since 1992.

**PERSONAL:** Married to Leah ... the couple has one child, Ava (2) ... likes to play golf in his spare time ... while he was in L.A., was active in charity soccer games ... his younger sister Jennifer played tennis at Loyola (Md.), and his younger brother Sean captained American University's soccer team.



## ADAM CRISTMAN

## #7



Position	Forward	Hometown	Glen Allen, Va.
Height	6-0	College	Virginia
Weight	180 lbs.	Youth Club Team	Richmond Strikers
D.O.B.	Jan. 8, 1985 (Washington, D.C.)	Status	Senior Roster

**How Acquired:** Selected by the Revolution in the fourth round (48th overall) in the 2007 MLS SuperDraft

*A late-draft surprise, Cristman was an impact player from the start of the season ... finished second in MLS rookie goal-scoring and second among rookies in assists during his first professional campaign ... a finalist for the 2007 MLS Rookie of the Year award, was elevated to the 18-man senior roster in September ... in the mix for a roster spot on the 2007 U.S. Olympic (Under-23) Team ... led the Revs in preseason scoring, netting five goals and adding four assists in only four games with the team ... a strong target forward, Cristman is known for his ability to hold the ball and power past defenders ... excelled at the club, high school and youth international levels before moving on to Virginia.*

**2007:** Appeared in 28 games, starting 14 at forward. Was one of three finalists for the 2007 MLS Gatorade Rookie of the Year award. Scored four goals and four assists, both totals second among rookie players. Made his professional debut in the Revs' season opener at Chicago on April 7, starting up top next to Taylor Twellman. Scored his first professional goal at Los Angeles on May 12, a go-ahead goal early in the second half. Had his first-career two-goal game against Columbus on June 16. In the postseason, made substitute appearances for Pat Noonan in the team's first three games. Made his first-career postseason appearance, in Game One of the Eastern Conference Semifinal Series in New York on Oct. 27, entering as an 87th minute substitute. Made six appearances with the Revs' reserve squad, scoring a team-high three goals and adding one assist. Against the Real Salt Lake reserves on July 29, had one goal and one assist. Had two goals, including the game-winner, at the New York reserves on Sept. 22.

**COLLEGE:** A two-time NSCAA All-South Atlantic Team and All-ACC Team honoree (2005, 2006) ... in 2006, helped lead Virginia to the NCAA College Cup for the first time since 1997 ... scored 34 career goals, and added 15 career assists, as four-year starter for the Cavs ... as a sophomore, earned ACC All-Tournament honors as the Cavaliers won their ninth ACC conference tournament crown ... also an ACC All-Freshman

Team honoree in 2003 ... earned ACC Player of the Week, Soccer America National Player of the Week and College Soccer News National Player of the Week honors after registering the first UVA hat trick in 142 games in a 3-1 victory over Virginia Tech on Oct. 20, 2006.

**U.S. NATIONAL TEAM:** A member of the U.S. Under-23 (Olympic) Team and is in the player pool for the roster for the 2007 Olympic Games in Beijing ... has two international caps with the U23s, both coming during its February 2007 tour of Japan when he led the team with two goals ... was named to the team's roster for its two-game tour of China in December 2007, but suffered a hamstring injury in training camp and was unable to make the trip ... a former member of the U.S. Under-17 and Under-18 programs ... made six appearances for the U-18s in 2003, scoring one goal.

**PERSONAL:** Married his wife Ashley during the team's bye weekend over Labor Day in 2007 ... son of Clyde and Sandi Cristman ... has one sister, Catherine ... finished his degree at Virginia in sports medicine in three-and-a-half years and plans to attend medical school after his playing career ... enjoys surfing, mountain biking, listening to music and playing the guitar ... his favorite movie is "In God's Hands" ... enjoys cooking, especially Italian cuisine.

### CRISTMAN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2007	New England	28	14	1421	4	4	40	16	41	51	10	0	1	0

### POSTSEASON

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2007	New England	3	0	22	0	0	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0





## GARY FLOOD

## #17

Position	Defender/Midfielder	Hometown	Hauppauge, N.Y.
Height	5-10	College	Hofstra
Weight	155 lbs.	Youth Club Team	HBC Heat
D.O.B.	Sept. 7, 1985 (Hauppauge, N.Y.)	Status	Developmental Roster

**How Acquired:** Selected by the Revolution in the fourth round (48th overall) in the 2007 MLS SuperDraft

*A natural central defender who reads the game well and is a good organizer at the back ... Flood has also played extensively in the central defensive midfield as a member of the Revs, a position into which the technical staff sees him developing in the long term ... was one of just three MLS Supplemental Draft selections in league history to earn a start in his team's season opener the year in which he was drafted ... a technically clean player on the ball who is also a proficient tackler.*

**2007:** Made five appearances with the first team with two starts, all in the defensive midfield. Made his MLS debut at Chicago in the season opener on April 7, playing 80 minutes as Shalrie Joseph missed the game with an injury. Was one of three rookies who started that game, to that point, the most rookies ever started in a game by head coach Steve Nicol. Became just the third Supplemental Draftee in MLS history to start his team's season opener in the same year in which he was drafted. Also started the team's June 30 match at Chivas USA. Started all 12 games and played all 1,080 minutes of the Revs' reserve team schedule. Split his time between central

defense and central midfield with the reserves. Earned an assist on Kyle Helton's stoppage-time goal against the Real Salt Lake Reserves on July 29.

**COLLEGE:** Was one of the Pride's captains for the three-time defending Colonial Athletic Association champions. Appeared in 21 games for Hofstra as a senior, scoring one goal and adding five assists. Was a two-time NSCAA all-region selection, earning All-New York honors as a junior and All-South Atlantic accolades as a senior. Voted most outstanding player of the 2005 CAA Tournament.

**PERSONAL:** Son of Gary and Josephine Flood ... has two brothers, Jonathan and Justin ... Justin plays soccer at Hofstra ... enjoys snowboarding, playing basketball and going to the beach in his spare time ... is a fan of Manchester United ... his favorite movies are "Days of Thunder" and "Cocktail."



### FLOOD'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2007	New England	5	2	197	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0

### POSTSEASON

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2007	New England	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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## JOE FRANCHINO

## #8



Position	Midfielder/Defender	Hometown	Alta Loma, Calif.
Height	5-9	College	Washington
Weight	165 lbs.	Youth Club Team	Arsenal (Alta Loma)
D.O.B.	Aug. 9, 1976 (Fontana, Calif.)	Status	Senior Roster

**How Acquired:** Selected by the Revolution with the second selection in the 2000 MLS Special Draft from Los Angeles.

*A team leader since arriving in New England during the 2000 season, Franchino is the longest-tenured member of the Revolution ... leads by example both on the field, displaying an unparalleled work ethic and consistency ... a dead-ball threat with his left foot, Franchino is also a very good crosser of the ball in open play ... can feature at left-sided midfield, left back and in the central midfield ... in 2006, Franchino set the team's appearances and minutes played records, before Jay Heaps assumed the lead in both categories ... started three of the Revs' MLS Cup appearances (2002, 2005, 2006), and has been a member of five teams that have made trips to the league's championship game (Los Angeles in 1999, New England in 2002, 2003, 2006 and 2007).*

**2007:** Was limited to three first-team appearances, all as second-half substitutes before undergoing season-ending surgery in early July to repair a torn peroneal tendon in his right ankle. Missed much of the early season with the ankle injury and a personal leave of absence. Also made three reserve-team appearances, earning an assist against Chicago (May 6).

**2006:** Appeared in 21 games after a suffering pair of injuries (hamstring strain and ankle sprain) that caused him to miss 10 games. Set all three of New England's club longevity records and briefly held the Revs' career records in appearances, starts and minutes played during the 2006 season. Started all four playoff games in the midfield. Saw time at left back, left

wing and central midfield during the season. Recorded his only assist of the season on Clint Dempsey's game-tying goal against D.C. on Sept. 13 at Gillette Stadium.

**2005:** Again wore the captain's armband for coach Steve Nicol whenever on the field. Recorded three assists, the fifth time in his career he reached that mark. Tallied assists in back-to-back games in September (Sept. 10 vs. Columbus and Sept. 17 at New York.). Started all four of the Revs' postseason games as New England made its second appearance in MLS Cup.

**2004:** Once again served as Revolution club captain. Injuries limited Franchino to 20 regular-season games and kept him out of playoff action. Had arthroscopic surgeries on his left knee and partially detached gluteus medius (hip) muscle on Oct. 15. Scored his only goal of the season on May 1 against his former team, the Los Angeles Galaxy. Made his 100th appearance and 100th start as member of the Revolution on May 22, 2004 against the MetroStars.

**2003:** A steady presence on the left side of the defense, starting 25 games, while collecting a goal and four assists. The lone goal was the game-winner in overtime of the Revs' 3-2 win over Columbus on Sept. 28. A late season calf injury stopped him from setting personal single-season highs in minutes played. Tallied new personal bests in shots (25) and

### FRANCHINO'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
1998	Los Angeles	16	7	736	0	4	7	4	15	13	0	0	4	0
1999	Los Angeles	25	16	1316	0	3	14	5	26	18	1	0	2	0
2000	Los Angeles	8	7	600	0	0	5	0	13	8	0	0	1	0
	New England	22	22	2004	2	2	11	5	37	26	1	0	5	0
2001	New England	23	23	2027	0	1	11	2	41	19	1	0	10	1
2002	New England	23	23	2015	1	5	16	4	45	30	0	1	9	0
2003	New England	25	25	2355	1	4	25	8	48	29	0	9	7	0
2004	New England	20	20	1693	1	0	21	7	31	22	2	1	3	1
2005	New England	24	23	2011	0	3	10	4	40	19	0	1	2	0
2006	New England	21	19	1521	0	1	18	3	28	26	5	2	9	0
2007	New England	3	0	57	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	<b>Totals</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>16278</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>2</b>

### POSTSEASON

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
1998	Los Angeles	4	4	320	0	0	0	0	8	6	0	0	2	0
1999	Los Angeles	3	0	31	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0
2000	New England	3	3	270	0	0	2	0	5	5	0	0	0	0
2002	New England	7	7	673	0	1	4	0	7	7	0	0	3	0
2005	New England	4	4	365	0	0	3	0	3	3	0	0	1	0
2006	New England	4	4	316	0	1	4	1	3	2	0	0	1	0
	<b>Totals</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>1975</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>



shots on goal (8) as the Revs returned to the Eastern Conference Final.

**2002:** His man-marking abilities and physical play shored up the Revs' defense as the Revs made their first-ever appearance in MLS Cup. His leadership qualities and ability to contribute effectively to the attack earned him the captain's armband. Scored one goal and added a career-high five assists while starting all 23 games in which he played. Started all seven postseason games, playing all 673 minutes of the play-offs. Recorded an assist on Taylor Twellman's game-winning goal against Chicago in Game One of the Eastern Conference Semifinals. His presence in the backline helped the Revs to earn a playoff GAA of 0.67.

**2001:** Started all 23 games in which he played. Saw time both on the back line and in the midfield. Recorded one assist on the season - on Andy Williams' goal on Sept. 7 against the MetroStars in what was eventually the final game of the regular season.

**2000:** Selected by the Revolution in the MLS Special Draft and became a starter on the left flank of the team's defense. Appeared in eight games for Los Angeles before moving to New England. Moved from the defensive position to the attacking midfield once with the Revs, where he sparked the attack during the club's late season run to the playoffs. Scored the first two goals of his MLS career in the final game of the regular season, a 4-3 victory against the MetroStars at Foxboro Stadium on Sept. 9. His second strike was the game-winning goal and the victory secured the Revs a berth in 2002 MLS Cup Playoffs.

**1999:** Played 25 games and logged 1,316 minutes, recording three assists. Helped the Galaxy earn a spot in MLS Cup, but did not play as L.A. fell to D.C. United 2-0 at Foxboro Stadium.

**1998:** Drafted by the Los Angeles Galaxy in the third round (30th overall) of the 1998 MLS College Draft out of Washington. Played 16 games - starting seven - as a left and central defender. Recorded four assists in his rookie campaign.

**COLLEGE:** Attended the University of Washington as a junior and senior (1996-97) after transferring from Cal State Fullerton after his sophomore season ... earned third-team All-America honors from the NSCAA as a sophomore in 1995 after recording five goals and five assists in the midfield for the Titans ... was selected to Soccer America's national All-Freshman Team in 1994.

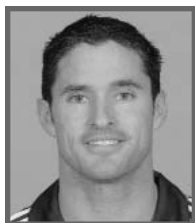
**U.S. NATIONAL TEAM:** Earned his first cap with U.S. National Team in a 2-0 win over Mexico in October 2000 ... was part of the U.S. Under-21 National Team that competed in France in April 1994.

**PERSONAL:** Has one daughter, Kaitryn (4) ... plays golf in spare time ... devotes free time to community work and soccer clinics ... enjoys Mexican food and vacationing in California.



## JAY HEAPS

## #6



Position	Defender	Hometown	Longmeadow, Mass.
Height	5-9	College	Duke
Weight	155 lbs.	Youth Club Team	Boston Eagles
D.O.B.	Aug. 2, 1976 (Nashua, N.H.)	Status	Senior Roster

**How Acquired:** Traded to the Revolution, with a 2003 second-round draft choice, in exchange for Brian Dunseth and a 2003 first-round draft choice on June 20, 2001.

*Heaps has established himself as one of the league's most reliable outside backs ... possesses the speed and aggressiveness to get forward down the flank and join the attack ... an effective and determined tackler and is exceptionally strong in the air ... will play as a right back in a three-man defense and as the right fullback or centrally in a four-man back line ... is a threat on the end of set pieces because of his tremendous leaping abilities ... began his pro career as a midfielder ... an all-out player, Heaps wears his heart on his sleeve ... a native son of New England who remains a fan favorite in Foxborough ... is the active leader in all three Revolution longevity career categories entering 2008: appearances, starts and minutes ... enters 2008 ranked 10th in MLS career minutes played (22,493) ... one of three Revs players who have started and played in each of New England's four MLS Cup appearances (2002, 2005, 2006 & 2007) ... signed a contract extension at the end of the 2007 season.*

**2007:** Started at right back in all 28 games in which he played. Left the game at Kansas City on Aug. 19 in the 45th minute with a calf injury, his first time missed because of injury in his Revolution career. He later missed games against the Red Bulls on Aug. 25 and Dallas on Sept. 15 with the same injury. Scored his first goal since June 25, 2005 when he netted the go-ahead goal at D.C. on Sept. 9 early in the second half. Started and played all 90 minutes in each of the Revs' four postseason games, including his fourth MLS Cup appearance

on Nov. 18 against Houston. At the end of the season, moved into MLS' top 10 for career minutes played (22,493).

**2006:** A standout member of the Revs' record-setting defense that allowed just 35 goals and had a 1.09 goals against average. For the second season, played every minute of all 31 games in which he played, matching career highs in both appearances and minutes. Recorded four assists on the season, including three game-winning helpers, to rank first among Revs defenders. Assisted on Taylor Twellman's game-winning goal - and record-setting 75th career goal - at D.C. on Oct. 7. Started all four of the Revs' MLS Cup Playoff matches, playing all 420 minutes of the 2006 postseason. Established new Revs club records for appearances (160) and minutes played (14,274) during the 2006 season, and shared the New England team record for career starts (155) with Joe Franchino.

**2005:** Had arguably his best season as a pro. With the Revs' switch from a 4-4-2 to a 3-5-2 system, slotted in to the right back role, effectively limiting the league's best attackers week-in and week-out. Established career highs for regular season games played and games started (31) and minutes played (2,790). Scored one goal - a game-tying tally against the MetroStars on June 25 in the 72nd minute - and added five assists.

### HEAPS' CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
1999	Miami	29	28	2511	3	1	34	18	54	34	2	1	7	1
2000	Miami	29	29	2627	5	6	36	15	58	46	10	1	6	2
2001	Miami	13	4	606	0	1	13	4	12	7	7	0	0	0
	New England	15	13	1311	0	3	18	5	34	31	2	0	5	0
2002	New England	27	26	2389	2	6	23	13	46	34	1	0	7	0
2003	New England	28	28	2579	3	1	25	9	50	28	1	4	5	1
2004	New England	28	26	2415	1	2	11	6	23	30	2	0	4	0
2005	New England	31	31	2790	1	5	17	10	37	36	2	0	7	0
2006	New England	31	31	2790	0	4	11	2	33	34	1	0	7	0
2007	New England	28	28	2475	1	0	16	8	31	37	1	0	5	0
	<b>Totals</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>22943</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>278</b>	<b>317</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>4</b>

### POSTSEASON

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
1999	Miami	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	9	7	1	0	0	0
2002	New England	6	6	522	1	0	6	3	11	8	0	0	2	1
2003	New England	3	3	281	0	1	1	0	10	5	0	0	2	0
2004	New England	3	3	300	0	0	0	0	11	5	0	0	1	0
2005	New England	4	4	390	0	0	2	1	6	11	1	0	1	0
2006	New England	4	4	420	0	1	4	1	5	9	0	0	1	0
2007	New England	4	4	360	0	0	1	1	4	5	0	0	0	0
	<b>Totals</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>2453</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>



**2004:** Heaps continued to hold down his place as the starting right back in Steve Nicol's team for most of the 2004 campaign and through the playoffs. Logged 2,415 regular season minutes in 28 appearances. Scored the Revs' first goal of the season at The Home Depot Center in the 2004 opener against the L.A. Galaxy.

**2003:** Totaled a team-best 2,579 minutes while appearing in 28 of the Revs' 30 games. The team's top scoring defender, netting three goals and adding one assist. Was shown the first regular-season red card of his Revolution career. Tied a team-high by tallying two blocks.

**2002:** In his first full season with the club, finished third on the team in scoring with 10 points while playing in 27 of the Revs' 28 games, primarily at right back. Scored two goals and added six assists. An integral part of a defense that posted two clean sheets in the 2002 MLS Cup Playoffs quarterfinal series against Chicago, allowing only one goal in the run of play. In the Eastern Conference Final series, scored the only goal of the game in the Revs' 1-0 Game Two victory against Columbus.

**2001:** Returned to Massachusetts, where he grew up, in a trade from Miami on June 20 for defender Brian Dunseth. Played a total of 28 games in the season, 13 with Miami before seeing time in 15 with New England after the trade. Had four assists on the season, including three for the Revs. Made his Revolution debut on June 20 against Colorado, playing the second half as a substitute. Made his first New England start - as a defender - on July 4 at Dallas.

**2000:** Played 29 games, scoring a career-best five goals and recording six assists and tied for fourth on the Fusion with 16 points. Named an MLS East All-Star, playing the final 45 minutes and scoring one goal and adding one assist in the East's 9-4, come-from-behind victory. Played every minute of the Fusion's action in the Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup. Set the then Miami record for blocked shots in a season with five.

**1999:** Drafted with the second overall pick in the 1999 MLS College Draft by the Miami Fusion. Voted MLS Rookie of the

Year, leading all rookies in minutes played (2,511) and ranking second in goals (3), points (7) and games played (29). Netted three goals and recorded one assist. Scored a goal in his MLS debut against the MetroStars on March 20. Played all 180 minutes for Miami in the Eastern Conference Semifinals against D.C.

**COLLEGE:** As a senior at Duke, won the 1998 Missouri Athletic Club Award as the top collegiate player, and was the NSCAA Scholar-Athlete of the year that same season. Was a three-time Hermann Trophy (national player of the year) finalist, and was a four-time first-team All-ACC pick, four-time ACC All-Tournament performer and a four-time NSCAA All-South Region selection. Left the Duke program ranked third in career goals (45), fourth in career assists (37) and tied for second in career points (127). Was the Soccer America National Freshman of the Year and ACC Freshman of the Year in 1995. Earned a basketball scholarship at Duke University as a walk-on point guard, and played three-and-a-half seasons with the Blue Devils basketball team before leaving midway through his senior season to pursue his soccer career. Named one of Duke's "Top 10 Devils of the Decade" by the Duke Chronicle.

**U.S. NATIONAL TEAM:** Has been called into U.S. National Team camp several times, but has yet to earn a cap ... most recently called into U.S. National Team squad for the World Cup qualifier against Panama on Oct. 12, 2005 ... selected to the gameday roster for the USMNT match against Jamaica on Sept. 9, 1999 ... a former member of the Under-17 and Under-20 National Teams.

**PERSONAL:** Heaps and his wife, Danielle, have two children: John F. "Jack" Heaps IV (3), and Olivia (1) ... hobbies include golf, travel and movies ... his favorite non-soccer sports team is the Duke Blue Devils men's basketball team and his favorite athlete is Grant Hill ... his favorite vacation spots are the Cayman Islands and St. Thomas ... favorite musical group is The Killers and his favorite TV shows are Survivor and The Amazing Race.





## KYLE HELTON

## #19

Position	Defender/Midfielder	Hometown	Alpharetta, Ga.
Height	5-8	College	Duke
Weight	160 lbs.	Youth Club Team	Atlanta Fire
D.O.B.	May 20, 1986 (Birmingham, Ala.)	Status	Developmental Roster

**How Acquired:** Selected by the Revolution in the fourth round (51st overall) in the 2007 MLS SuperDraft.

*Helton proved himself to be a good, solid tough-tackling defender while at Duke ... Signed with the Revs on May 19, 2007 after finishing his degree at Duke and graduating with his public policy degree.*

**2007:** Did not see any first-team action but made eight reserve division appearances – all starts. Played both at right back and in the defensive midfield in the squad's 4-4-2 and 3-5-2 alignments. Earned an assist on fellow Duke alum Chris Loftus' first reserve division goal on May 27 against the Kansas City reserves. Scored a stoppage-time goal against the Real Salt Lake Reserves on July 29. Made his professional debut on July 10 in the third round of the U.S. Open Cup against the Rochester Rhinos, entering the game in the 84th minute in the defensive midfield.

**COLLEGE:** A second-team All-ACC selection as a senior defender. Helped back the Blue Devils' defense that posted an 0.82 goals against average in 2006. Helton recorded four assists as a senior, pushing his career total to 14. He also

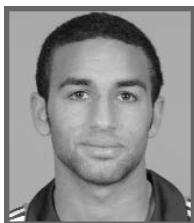
scored two goals in 63 career appearances for Duke. Helped the Blue Devils reach a national ranking of number one late in the 2006 season. A member of the Duke team that won the 2005 ACC Tournament.

**U.S. NATIONAL TEAM:** A former member of the U.S. Under-17 National Team. Played more than 60 matches with the youth national teams in 2002 and 2003.

**PERSONAL:** Son of Mervin and Anita Helton ... has one older brother, Kevin, and one older sister, Charmagne ... plays the piano in his spare time ... finished high school in three years ... began playing soccer at age four.







## AMAECHE IGWE

## #2

Position	Defender/Midfielder	Hometown	Belmont, Calif.
Height	6-0	College	Santa Clara
Weight	165 lbs.	Youth Club Team	none
D.O.B.	May 20, 1988 (San Francisco, Calif.)	Status	Generation adidas (2007)

**How Acquired:** Selected by the Revolution in the first round (12th overall) of the 2007 MLS SuperDraft

*A player who has excelled at the youth international level and was a member of the 2007 U.S. FIFA Under-20 World Cup squad ... Igwe brings the ability to play anywhere on the left side of the field or anywhere across the back ... possesses great speed ... a solid defender who can also get forward, Igwe comes from a family with a strong soccer background ... his father, Tony, had a successful career as a Nigeria international and both of his siblings played soccer at Santa Clara ... Igwe is a member of the 2007 Generation adidas class having signed a contract with MLS after his freshman season at Santa Clara.*

**2007:** Did not make a first-team appearance, but made 11 appearances – all starts – for the Revs' reserves. Scored one reserve-team goal, the eventual game-winner against the Columbus reserves on June 17. Spent large parts of the season playing with the U.S. Under-20 Team in preparations leading up to the 2007 FIFA Under-20 World Cup and then in Canada at the tournament where he made two appearances. Selected to play with MLS' Generation adidas team in its post-season tour of Spain.

**COLLEGE:** Played one season at Santa Clara, garnering All-West Coast Conference honorable mention and All-Freshman Team honors, helping the Broncos advance to the NCAA Tournament quarterfinals. Scored five goals and added three assists playing as a forward.

**U.S. NATIONAL TEAM:** A member of the U.S. Under-20 team that advanced to the quarterfinals of the 2007 Under-20 World Cup in Canada last summer ... has 20 caps and has scored one goal with the U20s ... made two substitute appearances at the U20 World Cup ... had five appearances for the U20s in 2006, scoring one goal ... joined U.S. Soccer's Residency Program at the IMG Soccer Academy (Bradenton, Fla.) in Sept. 2004 ... made 15 appearances - 11 starts - at left back for the U-17s in 2005, scoring five goals and adding two assists ... scored his first international goal against Canada on April 24, 2005.

**PERSONAL:** Son of Tony and Lisa Igwe ... his brother, Kelechi, also played soccer at Santa Clara, while his sister, Chioma, transferred to Santa Clara from Cal in 2006 to play soccer ... is the second member of his family to play for U.S. Soccer as Chioma also has U19 National Team experience ... his father Tony was born in Jos Plateau, Nigeria, and represented his country in the Olympic Games in Mexico City in 1968, and captained the Nigeria National Team during World Cup qualifying tournaments in 1969 and 1973 ... Tony also played collegiate soccer at the University of San Francisco, where he was a member of three national championship teams.



2008 REVIEWS:  
IGWE



## SHALRIE JOSEPH

## #21



Position	Midfielder	Hometown	Brooklyn, N.Y.
Height	6-3	College	St. Johns (N.Y.)
Weight	180 lbs.	Youth Club Team	none
D.O.B.	May 24, 1978 (Saint George, Grenada)	Status	Senior Roster

**How Acquired:** Selected by the Revolution in the second round (14th overall) in the 2002 MLS SuperDraft; Signed on Dec. 3, 2002.

*Joseph is the whole package as a player, controlling the game from his defensive midfield position ... is a perennial MLS MVP candidate and was the 2007 Caribbean Footballer of the Year ... as tenacious a ball-winner and tackler as there is in MLS who is a two-time "Best XI" performer ... Joseph's superior passing touch and good decision making means that he is the trigger-point for the Revs' build-up play ... rarely loses an aerial duel ... a talismanic presence, vocal leader and respected communicator on the field and in the locker room ... one of the team's first-choice penalty-kick takers ... is 6-for-7 from the spot in penalty-kick attempts in his MLS career and now holds a share of the New England club career record in PKs made ... has started in the midfield in each of the Revs' last three appearances in MLS Cup (2005, 2006 & 2007) ... voted to the MLS All-Star Game as a First XI (top vote-getter) selection each of the past two seasons, and is a four-time selection to the All-Star team ... signed a long-term contract extension at the end of the 2007 regular-season after drawing interest from overseas.*

**2007:** An MLS Best XI selection at season's end. Was an MLS All-Star "First XI" honoree and started against Celtic FC at Dick's Sporting Goods Park in July. Started all 27 games in which he played during the regular season, missing two games with injuries and one with a red-card suspension. Scored four goals on the season: three penalty kicks (April 14 vs. TFC, May 26 vs. KC and July 22 vs. HOU) and the game-winner at Houston on May 19. Also added five assists to match his single-season high, four of them game-winning assists. Recorded his first assist in more than a year on May 12 at Los Angeles – on Taylor Twellman's game-winning goal in the 85th minute. Was shown a red card at D.C. on May 3

and sat out the game against Chicago on May 6. Sent Khano Smith in down the left for the game-winning goal in the 1-0 victory against Colorado on Sept. 29. Played a one-two with Steve Ralston against Columbus (Oct. 13), setting up Ralston's then game-tying goal in the 83rd minute. Started and played all 90 minutes in all four of the Revs' postseason games. Recorded two assists in postseason action, setting up the play that led to Taylor Twellman's game- and series-winning goal in Game Two of the Eastern Conference Semifinal Series against New York, and then setting up Twellman's go-ahead goal in the first half of MLS Cup 2007.

**2006:** An MLS All-Star "First XI" selection, but was unable to play in the league's all-star match against EPL champion Chelsea FC because of the Revs' rescheduled game at Chivas USA. Voted Revolution Best Defender by the New England soccer media. Scored three goals and added one assist while controlling the Revs' midfield. Notched two goals on May 6 in the Revs' 4-0 victory over Los Angeles at Gillette Stadium. Missed the final five games of the regular season after undergoing surgery to repair torn ligaments and nerves in his right hand, but returned to start the three postseason games for which he was available. Played all 120 minutes of MLS Cup 2006, converting his shot in the game-deciding penalty kicks.

**2005:** Elected to the league Best XI and All-Star teams and voted Revolution team Most Valuable Player by the New England soccer media. Considered by most observers to have been the MLS Select team's best player in the Trofeo Santiago Bernabeu match at Real Madrid on August 23. Added six goals to his usual tough-tackling, accurate-passing

### JOSEPH'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2003	New England	28	27	2466	2	2	46	17	62	54	1	0	5	0
2004	New England	23	23	2032	0	3	17	4	43	27	0	1	4	1
2005	New England	31	31	2788	6	5	32	18	65	51	0	0	8	0
2006	New England	26	26	2331	3	1	27	7	43	54	1	0	6	0
2007	New England	27	27	2366	4	5	42	14	55	52	5	1	4	1
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>135</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>11983</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>2</b>

### POSTSEASON

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2003	New England	3	3	281	0	0	4	2	10	10	0	0	1	0
2004	New England	3	3	300	0	0	1	1	7	7	0	0	2	0
2005	New England	4	4	390	0	1	5	2	12	6	1	0	2	0
2006	New England	3	3	300	0	0	0	0	7	5	0	0	1	0
2007	New England	4	4	360	0	2	2	0	9	8	0	0	1	0
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>17</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1631</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>



brand of play. Recorded his first-career two-goal game against the MetroStars at Giants Stadium on Sept. 17, also adding an assist in that game.

**2004:** In his sophomore season in MLS, Joseph staked a claim to being the premier contention midfielder in the league. Started and played in 23 regular season matches and all three Revs playoffs games, registering three regular-season assists. Missed two games in June to play in World Cup qualifying with Grenada. Also missed action because of a broken nose (two games) and a hip flexor/quadriceps injury (three games). Accumulated just four regular season yellow cards despite playing an aggressive style, a testament to his good timing and tackling technique. Was a 2004 Sierra Mist MLS All-Star.

**2003:** Joseph became a force in central midfield during his rookie year with the Revolution, appearing in 28 games and finishing second on the club in minutes played with 2,466. Made his MLS debut on April 19 against Columbus at Gillette Stadium when he came on for Daniel Hernandez at halftime. One week later he made his first start in Dallas and was a fixture in Steve Nicol's starting lineup from that point on, missing just one game. Finished the season with two goals and two assists for six points and his strong partnership with José Cancela in central midfield helped spur the Revs to a 6-0-1 record over the final two months of the regular season. Played briefly in goal against Chicago on July 19. Recorded his first-career MLS point (an assist) on May 17 in a 3-0 victory over Chicago at home, then scored his first career MLS goal on Sept. 28 against Columbus in a 3-2, overtime victory at home.

**BEFORE MLS:** Joseph was originally drafted by the Revolution in the second round (14th overall) in the 2002 MLS SuperDraft. Pursued playing opportunities with teams in Italy and Germany before returning to the United States, where he

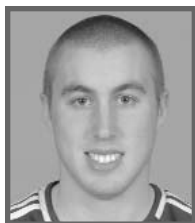
played for the New York Freedoms of the D3 Pro-League during the 2002 season. He scoring seven goals and added one assist with the Freedoms.

**COLLEGE:** Began college career at Bryant & Stratton College in Syracuse, N.Y. for two years before transferring to St. John's University ... earned NSCAA All-America honors at St. John's as a senior in 2001 ... led the Red Storm to the NCAA College Cup semifinals in 2001 where they lost to Pat Noonan's Indiana squad ... a two-time NSCAA all-region and two-time All-BIG EAST selection ... played defense, midfield and forward during his time at St. John's ... his two-year goal total of 21 goals ranked 10th all-time at St. John's ... scored 14 goals and added two assists as a junior playing forward, but retreated to defense as a senior, still managing to post seven goals and four assists in his final season.

**GRENADA NATIONAL TEAM:** The native of Saint George, Grenada has appeared more than 10 times for the Grenada National Team. Played in the Copa Caribe, the pre-qualifying tournament for the 2002 CONCACAF Gold Cup, as well as World Cup Qualifiers. Played in CONCACAF region FIFA World Cup qualifying matches for Grenada in 2004. Named Grenada's Footballer of the Year in 2003.

**PERSONAL:** Trained in Italy and Germany during the 2002 season ... majored in sports management at St. John's ... nicknamed "Charlie," "Chaz" or anything else that sounds like Shalrie ... a citizen of Grenada, but his family moved to Crown Heights, Brooklyn when he was a teenager and Joseph considers himself a New Yorker, as well as a Grenadian ... favorite soccer team other than the Revs is Arsenal ... favorite soccer memory is going to the NCAA Final Four with St. John's ... listens to rap and reggae music ... favorite film is Scarface and favorite TV show is The Wire.





## BRAD KNIGHTON

## #24

Position	Goalkeeper	Hometown	Richmond, Va.
Height	6-1	College	UNC-Wilmington
Weight	180 lbs.	Youth Club Team	Richmond Strikers
D.O.B.	Feb. 6, 1985 (Hickory, N.C.)	Status	Developmental Roster

**How Acquired:** Signed by the Revolution as an undrafted free agent on March 7, 2007.

*An athletic goalkeeper who caught the eyes of the Revolution coaching staff at the team's annual tryout in early February ... went undrafted at the MLS SuperDraft and MLS Supplemental Drafts ... was coached by former Revs goalkeeper Aidan Heaney (1996-97) at UNC-Wilmington ... after impressing on the team's trip to Bermuda, was offered a developmental contract ... made three preseason appearances, starting two games ... earned the win in the 3-1 victory over CD Olimpia, playing 90 minutes after Matt Reis came down with the flu.*

**2007:** Did not make a first-team appearance, but made six appearances for the reserves squad, including four starts. Posted a 1.40 goals against average in 450 minutes of action with the reserves. Was 2-3-0 on the season with one shutout: on July 22 vs. Houston reserves. Made six saves against the Houston reserves and seven saves against the Real Salt Lake reserves (July 29). Combined with Doug Warren for the shutout against the New York Red Bulls reserves on Sept. 22.

**COLLEGE:** A two-time NSCAA All-Southeast Region and All-Colonial Athletic Association selection ... set the school record for single-season goals against average (0.83) in his final season while posting six shutouts ... finished his collegiate career ranked first in UNC-Wilmington history in shutouts (24) and GAA (1.07), and fourth in career saves (295) ... started all but four of UNCW's games in his career ...

**PERSONAL:** Son of Wayne and Bonnie Knighton ... has one brother ... majored in exercise science at UNC-Wilmington ... his collegiate head coach, Aidan Heaney, was an original member of the Revolution (1996-97) ... attended the same high school - Mills Godwin - as Revs teammate Adam Cristman ... his favorite movies are Days of Thunder and Remember the Titans ... his favorite goalkeeper is Oliver Khan ... trained with Middlesboro (EPL) during college.





## JEFF LARENTOWICZ

## #13

<b>Position</b>	Midfielder	<b>Hometown</b>	West Chester, Pa.
<b>Height</b>	6-1	<b>College</b>	Brown
<b>Weight</b>	175 lbs.	<b>Youth Club Team</b>	FC Delco
<b>D.O.B.</b>	Aug. 5, 1983 (Pasadena, Calif.)	<b>Status</b>	Senior Roster

**How Acquired:** Selected by the Revolution in the fourth round (45th overall) in the 2005 MLS Supplemental Draft.

*Larentowicz was arguably MLS' most-improved player from 2006 to 2007, establishing himself as one of the league's top up-and-coming talents in the midfield ... after a 2006 season that saw him earn a regular starting position paired with Shalrie Joseph, Larentowicz developed into a more well-rounded force in 2007, joining into the attack more and establishing new single-season bests for goals and assists ... does not shy away from physical play ... a good communicator, a tough tackler and a strong presence in the aerial game ... named one of Boston's "Most Wanted Singles" by Boston magazine.*

**2007:** Started 28 games in the defensive midfield, missing two with a right eye injury. Scored three goals and added four assists. Had a career day against Chicago on Aug. 6, scoring a goal off a corner and later assisting on Steve Ralston's game-winning goal in the second half for his first-career multiple point game. After recording an assist on Pat Noonan's goal, left at halftime of the Revs' game against Toronto on June 23 after suffering a right eye injury – marking the first minutes he wasn't on the field in the season. Missed both Chivas USA games on June 30 (away) and July 7 (home) with the eye injury, but returned to play 90 minutes at New York on July 14. Garnered international media attention, especially in Great Britain, for the protective eyewear he used while his eye continued to recover. Scored the game-winning goal at RSL on July 29 on a powerful free kick from 24 yards, after assisting on Pat Noonan's goal to open the scoring. Netted the game-tying goal – a low diving header – in first-half stoppage time against Carolina RailHawks in the U.S. Open Cup semifinal on Sept. 4. Scored New England's only goal at Chicago on Oct. 6. Started all four of the Revs' postseason games.

**2006:** Established himself as a presence in the midfield after earning a spot in the lineup due to injuries and international call-ups. Made his first appearance of 2006 on May 6 against Los Angeles and appeared in each of the next 15 games and 26 of the next 28 games, starting 19 total matches. Also

appeared in all four postseason games, starting two in the midfield. Recorded his first-career MLS goal on Aug. 27, netting the game-winning goal against Columbus at Gillette Stadium. Assisted on Andy Dorman's game-tying goal in the Revs' improbable 3-3 draw at Chicago on June 11, helping to cap the Revs' two-goal comeback during stoppage time. Against USL-1 side Rochester Raging Rhinos in the fourth round of the U.S. Open Cup, scored the game-winning penalty kick after a 0-0 game through two extra-time sessions, sending the Revs through to the quarterfinals against the Chicago Fire.

**2005:** Made his MLS debut on May 14 at D.C., entering the match in the 89th minute ... Played in and started 11 Reserve Division matches for the Revs while captaining the squad; his 890 minutes were second on the Revs' reserve squad.

**COLLEGE:** In 66 collegiate appearances, the central defender scored seven goals and six assists ... helped Brown capture two Ivy League Championships ... a two-time second-team NSCAA All-America selection and a four-time All-Ivy performer at Brown.

**PERSONAL:** Son of Ron and Margie Larentowicz ... has one older sister, Laura ... trained with Malmo FF of Allsvenskan, the premier league in Sweden, during the summer between his junior and senior years at Brown, and with Ipswich Town of England's second division in the off-season after the 2005 MLS season ... majored in Public Policy and American Institutions at Brown ... a graduate of Chestnut Hill Academy in Philadelphia, where he lettered in soccer, basketball, and golf ... lists David Bowie, Explosions in the Sky, Radiohead, The Smiths, New Order, The Decemberists and Wu-Tang Clan among his current favorite musical artists ... won back-to-back national championship with FC Delco Arsenal in 2002 and 2003 and returned to the club to help coach during the past Revs off-season ... other hobbies include golf and Wikipedia.

### LARENTOWICZ'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2005	New England	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2006	New England	26	19	1974	1	1	20	5	47	29	1	0	4	0
2007	New England	28	28	2455	3	4	28	9	61	30	0	0	5	0
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>55</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>4430</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>

### POSTSEASON

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2006	New England	4	2	177	0	0	1	1	4	5	0	0	1	0
2007	New England	4	4	360	0	0	4	2	10	4	0	0	1	0
<b>Totals</b>		<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>537</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>

2008 REVS: LARENTOWICZ



## ABDOULIE MANSALLY #29



Position	Forward/Midfielder	Hometown:	Banjul, Gambia
Height	5-10	Youth Club Team	Real de Banjul (GAM)
Weight	160 lbs.	Status	Senior Roster/International
D.O.B.	January 29, 1989 (Banjul, Gambia)	Citizenship	Gambia

**How Acquired:** Signed by the Revolution as a youth international on Sept. 6, 2007.

2008 REVS:  
MANSALLY

*A late-season signee, Mansally is a prospect who has performed well at the youth international level ... a natural forward, but can also play in an attacking role in the midfield if needed ... has good speed and is fearless on the attack ... helped lead Gambia's Under-20 Team to the knockout rounds of the 2007 FIFA Under-20 World Cup.*

**2007:** The late-season signee made his MLS debut on Oct. 6 at Chicago, entering in the 76th minute and playing up top in place of Pat Noonan. Made only one appearance with the first team, but had four appearances with the reserve squad – all starts. Scored two goals for the reserves, including one at New York on Sept. 22. Scored the game-tying goal on a free kick in the 86th minute against the Columbus reserves on Oct. 14.

**GAMBIA NATIONAL TEAM:** Appeared in all four of Gambia's games at the 2007 FIFA Under-20 World Cup in Canada,

starting three in the midfield ... scored the game-winning goal against Portugal that sent Gambia through to the knockout rounds ... also played a key role in Gambia's advancement to the semifinals of the African Youth Championships in 2007.

**PERSONAL:** Prefers to be called by his middle name, "Kenny" ... is one of Ousman Mansally and Kaddy Saijo's seven children ... has three brothers (Omar, Babucarr and Saikou) and three sisters (Yama, Nyanya and Mai) ... his favorite soccer team is Barcelona, and his favorite player is Rivaldo ... listens to reggae music ... favorite movie is 300 ... is an avid video gamer, especially Playstation games ... also plays basketball in his spare time ... his favorite soccer moment is when he scored against Portugal at the 2007 FIFA Under-20 World Cup in Canada.



### MANSALLY'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2007	New England	1	0	14	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0

### POSTSEASON

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2007	New England	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0





## SAINEI NYASSI

### #31

Position	Midfielder/Forward	Hometown	Bwiam, Gambia
Height	5-8	Youth Club Team	Ports Authority (GAM)
Weight	155 lbs.	Status	Developmental Roster/International
D.O.B.	Jan. 31, 1989 (Bwiam, Gambia)	Nationality	Gambia

**How Acquired:** Signed by the Revolution as a youth international on Aug. 31, 2007.

*A prospect who has performed well at the youth international level, Nyassi has exceptional quickness ... can play on either side of the midfield or at forward if needed ... is good technically and is good at taking on defenders in the attacking third of the field ... helped lead Gambia's Under-20 Team to the knockout rounds of the 2007 FIFA Under-20 World Cup.*

**2007:** The late-season signee made his MLS debut at D.C. on Sept. 9, playing the final eight minutes on the right wing. Made just the one MLS appearance with the first team, but made four appearances with the reserve side after his signing. Scored two goals, including his first goal – against the New York reserves – on Sept. 22. Scored again in his next reserve game, this time at Chicago on Oct. 7. Made his first-ever Revs appearance as a substitute winger in the Revs' victory over the Carolina RailHawks in the U.S. Open Cup semifinals on Sept. 4 when he helped create Pat Noonan's game-winning goal in extra time that sent the Revs on to the finals.

**GAMBIA NATIONAL TEAM:** Started all four of Gambia's games at the 2007 FIFA Under-20 World Cup in Canada ... also played a key role in Gambia's advancement to the semifinals of the African Youth Championships ... is a former member of Gambia's Under-17 National Team.

**PERSONAL:** Is the son of Abubacarr Nyassi and Anna Sanneh ... has a twin brother, Sanna, and a younger sister, Nyima (16), and younger brother, Aziz (14) ... his favorite soccer team is Arsenal, and his favorite player is Thierry Henry ... likes to listen to R&B and his favorite movie is "Rush Hour" ... his favorite soccer memory was playing against Brazil with Gambia's Under-17 National Team.



### NYASSI'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2007	New England	1	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

### POSTSEASON

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2007	New England	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

2008 REVIEWS:  
NYASSI



## MICHAEL PARKHURST #15



<b>Position</b>	Defender	<b>Hometown</b>	Cranston, R.I.
<b>Height</b>	5-11	<b>College</b>	Wake Forest
<b>Weight</b>	155 lbs.	<b>Youth Club Team</b>	Bayside United
<b>D.O.B.</b>	Jan. 24, 1984 (Providence, R.I.)	<b>Status</b>	Senior Roster

**How Acquired:** Selected by the Revolution in the first round (ninth overall) in the 2005 MLS SuperDraft

2008 REVIEWS:  
PARKHURST

*One of America's top defenders, Parkhurst is a rarity: an effective central defender who is also a skillful soccer player ... 2007 was truly a career year for Parkhurst, garnering MLS "Best XI" honors, winning both the MLS Defender of the Year and Fair Play awards and earning his first international caps with the U.S. senior national team ... often wins the ball because of his ability to read the play before it unfolds ... possesses a keen sense of tactical understanding and is a heady defender who plays bigger than his physique ... has remarkable passing touch for a back and possesses deceptive speed ... the 2005 MLS Rookie of the Year and 2006 MLS U.S. Soccer Foundation Humanitarian of the Year, Parkhurst devotes a great deal of time to appearances and community service initiatives ... voted to the 2007 MLS All-Star Game as a "First XI" (top vote-getter) selection, marking his second career All-Star nod ... grew up a fan of the Revs and attended the team's first ever home game at Foxboro Stadium in 1996.*

**2007:** An MLS Best XI honoree and the 2007 MLS Visa Defender of the Year. Also won the 2007 MLS Fair Play Award. Started all 25 games for which he was available. Committed just five fouls during the regular-season and went the full season without being cautioned. Scored his first-career MLS goal – on his first-ever MLS shot – at Toronto on Oct. 20 – when he chipped Toronto keeper Kenny Stamatopoulos from behind the midfield line in first-half stoppage time. His goal was one of five finalists for MLS Sierra Mist Goal of the Year. When injuries struck the central midfield, Parkhurst played in the defensive midfield for several games: May 6 vs. Chicago, June 30 at Chivas USA and July 7 vs. Chivas USA. Missed the Revs' first three games with a dislocated left shoulder, suffered during one of the Revs' preseason trips, and also missed two Revs games because of National Team duty. Voted to the MLS All-Star Game "First XI" as one of the top vote-getting defenders, and started against Scottish powerhouse Celtic FC, playing 83 minutes in MLS' 2-0 victory.

Started and played all 90 minutes in each of the Revs' four postseason games on their way to a third-straight appearance in the MLS Cup title game. Anchored the Revs' defense, which allowed just two goals in the postseason and posted three straight shutouts to begin the playoffs.

**2006:** Anchored MLS' best defense that allowed just 35 goals in 32 games for a club record 1.09 goals against average. Honored as MLS' U.S. Soccer Foundation Humanitarian of the Year for his exemplary community involvement. After missing the first two games of the season, played every minute of the remaining 30 regular-season games and all four postseason contests. Was voted to Soccer America's 2006 MLS Cup Playoffs Best XI as the Revs had a team GAA of 0.64 in their four-game run.

**2005:** Won MLS Gatorade Rookie of the Year award. Parkhurst played every minute of every Revolution MLS regular-season game (2880) in 2005, making him one of only five MLS players to do so that year. Committed just six fouls in the course of the entire regular season.

**COLLEGE:** One of the best defenders in the nation while at Wake Forest ... a two-time NSCAA Second-Team All-America performer (2003 and 2004) and a 2004 Soccer America first-team performer ... a two-time NSCAA All-South Region honoree and a three-time All-ACC selection ... voted ACC Defender of the Year as a junior ... started every game in which he appeared in his three seasons at Wake Forest (62 games) ... scored one goal and added two assists as a collegian, all in his junior season ... was a two-time team MVP.

### PARKHURST'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2005	New England	32	32	2880	0	0	0	0	6	19	0	0	2	0
2006	New England	30	30	2700	0	0	0	0	12	23	0	0	1	0
2007	New England	25	25	2197	1	0	1	1	5	10	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>87</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>7777</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>

### POSTSEASON

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2005	New England	4	4	390	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0
2006	New England	4	4	420	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0
2007	New England	4	4	360	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	1	0
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>12</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>1170</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>





**U.S. NATIONAL TEAM:** Has three caps for the U.S. National Team as of March 1, 2008 ... made his international debut at the 2007 CONCACAF Gold Cup, making starts against Trinidad & Tobago and El Salvador ... played in the El Salvador match at Gillette Stadium in the team's final game of Group B play ... before making his international debut in 2007, Parkhurst was twice called into camp for the full U.S. Men's National Team but declined the invitations: early in 2005 by Bruce Arena, and then again in 2006 under then-interim head coach Bob Bradley ... was a member of U.S. Under-17 team while at IMG Soccer Academy.

**PERSONAL:** Married his wife Sam during the off-season before reporting to U.S. National Team Camp ... is the son of

Michael and Marian Parkhurst ... his sister, Molly, was a captain for University of Rhode Island's women's soccer team ... was in the stands for the first ever New England Revolution game at Foxboro Stadium ... was on the Dean's List every semester at Wake Forest and is currently finishing his degree via online classes during the season ... played his club soccer in Rhode Island with Bayside United before going on to attend the IMG Soccer Academy in Bradenton, Fla., at the age of 14 ... holds U.S. and Rep. of Ireland citizenship ... attended the 2001 adidas Elite Soccer Program and was a member of the Generation adidas Class of 2005.



## STEVE RALSTON CAPTAIN #14



<b>Position</b>	Midfielder	<b>Hometown</b>	St. Louis, Mo.
<b>Height</b>	5-9	<b>College</b>	Florida International
<b>Weight</b>	160 lbs.	<b>Youth Club Team</b>	Scott Gallagher
<b>D.O.B.</b>	June 14, 1974 (St. Louis, Mo.)	<b>Status</b>	Senior Roster

**How Acquired:** Selected by the Revolution in the first round (sixth overall) of the 2002 Allocation Draft.

*Arguably the best right-sided midfielder in MLS history, Ralston possesses great technique, tactical knowledge and determination ... debuted in the central attacking midfield role late in the 2007 season and through the playoffs to great effect ... he has also filled in capably as a left-sided midfielder and right fullback during his five seasons with the Revolution ... the MLS "Iron Man," Ralston holds all three of the league's longevity records - minutes played (29,885), career appearances (337) and career starts (335) entering the 2008 season ... also enters 2008 ranked first in MLS career assists (121) and game-winning assists (33) ... set the U.S. record for professional appearances with his start at MLS Cup 2007, collecting his record 371st professional appearance ... is one of three Revs who have started and played in each of the Revs' four MLS Cup appearances (2002, 2005, 2006 & 2007) ... last year, appeared to play like a man years younger with a renewed vigor and energy and was rewarded with his sixth career MLS All-Star nod ... named team captain prior to the 2007 season.*

**2007:** Led MLS in assists (14) and scored four goals. Started all 26 games in which he appeared and played all but three minutes in which he was available this season. Missed two

games while away on U.S. National Team duty for the CONCACAF Gold Cup and two later in August with an illness. Claimed the MLS career assist record as his own with an assist on Andy Dorman's game-winning goal at New York on July 14. Had three multiple-assist games (April 14 vs. Toronto, May 6 vs. Chicago and Sept. 15 vs. Dallas) after not recording a multiple-assist game since Sept. 10, 2005 against Columbus. Scored two goals and added an assist - on Taylor Twellman's game-winning goal in the 90th minute - in the Revs' 4-2 victory over Rochester in the third round of the U.S. Open Cup on July 10. Ralston's goals came on a bending free kick and a stoppage-time penalty kick. Scored the game-winning goal and added two assists against Dallas on Sept. 15. Started at attacking midfield at Chicago on Oct. 6, where he stayed for the rest of the season through the conclusion of the MLS Cup Playoffs. Scored one goal and assisted on the Revs' other goal against Columbus on Oct. 13. Started all four of the Revs' postseason games, recording two assists. Set up Twellman's game-winning goal against New York on Nov. 8 in Game Two of the Eastern Conference Semifinal Series, and Twellman's go-ahead goal in the first half of MLS Cup 2007. Set the U.S. record for professional appearances at MLS Cup 2007, his 371st professional appearance in his 12-year career.

### RALSTON'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
1996	Tampa Bay	31	31	2762	7	2	24	12	25	33	4	4	1	0
1997	Tampa Bay	29	29	2493	5	11	42	19	21	40	6	3	0	0
1998	Tampa Bay	30	29	2521	5	8	44	24	22	42	4	4	1	0
1999	Tampa Bay	32	32	2872	5	18	41	17	20	40	3	121	0	0
2000	Tampa Bay	30	30	2631	5	17	38	18	31	55	5	57	2	0
2001	Tampa Bay	25	25	2221	7	6	18	11	25	43	4	58	1	1
2002	New England	27	27	2460	5	19	27	13	15	42	3	69	6	0
2003	New England	26	25	2348	4	7	29	15	18	24	2	40	1	0
2004	New England	30	30	2700	7	8	25	11	27	31	2	32	3	0
2005	New England	21	21	1857	1	6	29	14	14	17	3	37	1	0
2006	New England	30	30	2683	6	5	23	14	22	28	6	38	0	0
2007	New England	26	26	2337	4	14	33	18	16	29	3	130	1	0
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>337</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>29885</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>424</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>593</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1</b>

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Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
1996	Tampa Bay	5	5	449	1	3	3	2	5	3	1	0	0	0
1997	Tampa Bay	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1999	Tampa Bay	2	2	180	0	0	3	0	4	5	0	7	0	0
2000	Tampa Bay	2	2	180	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	12	0	0
2002	New England	7	7	673	1	0	3	1	5	6	1	8	0	0
2003	New England	3	3	281	0	0	0	0	4	3	1	0	1	0
2004	New England	3	3	300	1	2	2	2	5	4	0	4	0	0
2005	New England	4	4	368	0	0	6	3	3	6	1	15	0	0
2006	New England	3	3	295	0	0	3	3	4	2	2	13	0	0
2007	New England	4	4	348	0	2	3	0	3	2	0	16	0	0
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>34</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>3164</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>



**2006:** Netted six goals and added five assists on the season, marking his ninth professional season with five or more goals. Ralston collected all five of his assists in the final 12 games of the regular season, in which the Revs went 6-2-4. Tied for the MLS lead in game-winning assists (4). Scored the game-tying goal in the final minute of stoppage time in the Revs' 1-1 draw at Kansas City on July 29. His go-ahead, turn-around goal at Chicago on July 8 was an at-large nomination for MLS Sierra Mist Goal of the Year. Set up Pat Noonan for the game-winning goal against the Red Bulls on Sept. 9 at Gillette Stadium. Assisted on Khano Smith's 88th-minute game-winning goal against Columbus on Oct. 14 to help the Revs clinch second place in the Eastern Conference. Spent much time during pre-season training and early season matches shuttling between the Revolution and U.S. Men's National Team camps and friendlies.

**2005:** With his start at Columbus on Sept. 21, Ralston made his 100th appearance in a Revolution uniform, his first having come on March 23, 2002 against the MetroStars. He finished the season with 103 starts, enough for fourth all-time in that category for the Revs. His assist on Taylor Twellman's sixth-minute goal at the MetroStars on May 21 gave him the Revolution record 36th career assist to surpass Joe-Max Moore (35) as he finished the season with 40 career assists. With his assist on Twellman's 39th-minute game-winner against the Crew on Sept. 10, Ralston claimed the Revolution record for game-winning assists with eight, passing Mike Burns (seven GWA in 108 games) and José Cancela (seven GWA in 61 games).

**2004:** Ralston's versatility proved to be a huge asset to New England as Ralston filled-in at right fullback, left midfield and central midfield due to the Revs' injury problems. The Revolution's team MVP, tied for third on the team in goals (7) and tied for second on the team in assists (8). Only member of the team to play every minute of all 30 games in 2004. Was an MLS All-Star selection, his fourth such honor. Started all three of the Revs' playoff contests, scoring one goal and adding two assists. Assisted on Avery John's game-winning goal against Columbus in Game One of the Eastern Conference Semifinals, then converted a penalty kick and assisted on Pat Noonan's 85th-minute, game-tying goal against D.C. in the Eastern Conference Final.

**2003:** Though away on U.S. National Team duty for the middle portion of the MLS season, still put up strong numbers for the Revolution. Started 25 of the 26 games in which he played. Did not start the Revs' July 27 contest against D.C. after returning from national team duty. Converted the game-winning penalty kick vs. D.C. United on October 11 that clinched a playoff spot for New England. Started all three of the Revs' playoff contests.

**2002:** Taken sixth overall by the Revs in the MLS Allocation Draft on Jan. 11, after a six-year stay with the Tampa Bay Mutiny. Ended the season having earned his third MLS Best XI distinction. Led the league with 19 assists. Accounted for assists on slightly less than half (11) of Taylor Twellman's goals on the season (23). Was a starter on the MLS All-Star team, scoring the game winner in the 81st minute. In the decisive Game Three of the Eastern Conference Final against the

Crew, Ralston tallied his first points of the 2002 postseason, scoring in the 17th minute.

**2001:** Tampa Bay's team MVP, netted seven goals and recorded six assists. His seven goals matched his previous career high, which he set as a rookie in 1996. Recorded 20-plus points for the fourth time in his career. Started all 25 games in which he played. Scored goals in three successive games (April 7 at Dallas, April 14 vs. Columbus and April 21 at the MetroStars). Received his first-ever red card for a hand-ball foul on May 19 at Miami, and missed the following game serving the suspension.

**2000:** Earned his second-ever MLS Best XI honors and his second MLS Fair Play Award. Started all 30 of the games he played for the Mutiny, scoring five goals and recording 17 assists. Named to the East team in the MLS All-Star Game. Started all eight of Tampa Bay's MLS Cup Playoffs games.

**1999:** Earned MLS Best XI honors for the first time in his career, was also awarded the MLS Fair Play Award. Scored five goals and had an MLS-high 18 assists, which added up to a career-high 28 points. Was the Mutiny Team MVP. Became the first player in MLS history to play 10,000 career minutes in a 2-1 shootout victory at Columbus on Aug. 22. Became Tampa Bay's all-time leading scorer at D.C. on Oct. 6 with an assist on Ritchie Kotchau's goal in a 4-2 victory. Started both MLS Cup Playoffs games against Columbus.

**1998:** Tallied five goals and recorded eight assists with Tampa Bay. Scored goals in three straight games for the first time in his career (July 29 at D.C., Aug. 6 vs. Miami and Aug. 14 vs. New England). Tied a then team record for four shots on goal - on four shots - against New York/New Jersey on May 3.

**1997:** Started in all 29 games he played for the Mutiny to lead the team. Netted five goals and recorded 11 assists to tie for second on the team in points. His assist total was second on the team only to Carlos Valderrama, who led the league with a then-record-tying 19. Named to the East team at the MLS All-Star Game. Played in one MLS Cup Playoffs game after missing Tampa Bay's first game with an ankle injury.

**1996:** Drafted by Tampa Bay in the second round (18th overall) of the 1996 MLS College Draft. Voted the first-ever MLS Rookie of the Year. Tallied seven goals and recorded two assists in his first professional campaign. His seven goals tied for second on the Mutiny. Five of his goals were game-winners, which tied for third-best in MLS. Was one of only two Tampa Bay players to start 31 games. Recorded three assists in the Mutiny's Eastern Conference Semifinal series against Columbus. Notched Tampa Bay's only goal in its 2-1 loss to D.C. in the Eastern Conference Championship.

**COLLEGE:** Starred for the Golden Panthers for three seasons (1993-95) after transferring from Forest Park Community College in St. Louis after his freshman season ... a two-time All-American at FIU ... led the nation in scoring as a junior with 56 points (19 goals and 18 assists), the second-highest total in school history ... set the FIU single-season assists record that season ... ranks first at FIU in career assists (33) and fourth in career scoring (113 points: 40 goals, 33 assists) and consecutive games with an assist (six), and shares the



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record for hat tricks (3) ... in 1994, Ralston led the Golden Panthers to their second-ever NCAA appearance and final national rankings of No. 14 in the coaches poll and No. 15 by Soccer America.

**U.S. NATIONAL TEAM:** Has earned 36 caps and scored four goals for the U.S. National Team as of January 1, 2008 ... an alternate selection to the U.S.' 2006 FIFA World Cup squad ... scored game-winning goal in 2-0 victory against Mexico on Sept. 3, 2005, as the U.S. claimed a berth to the 2006 FIFA World Cup in Germany ... in the 53rd minute, Eddie Lewis served a free kick to the back post where Oguchi Onyewu rose over his defender and headed the ball off the left post; the ball deflected across the goalmouth to the right side and Ralston had an easy header tap-in for the goal, his fourth with the MNT and his second during 2006 World Cup qualifying ... after a three-year lay-off from the USMNT player pool, became active in national-team events in 2003 and was a force during the 2006 World Cup qualifying cycle ... was a member of the

2005 and 2007 CONCACAF Gold Cup-winning U.S. squads ... was recalled to the National Team in 2007 for the first time since the final games before the 2006 World Cup squad was announced, making three appearances at the Gold Cup ... scored his first goal for the U.S. on Jan. 18, 2003 against Canada in the 4-0 victory ... earned his first U.S. cap on Jan. 17, 1997, starting in the midfield against Peru in San Diego.

**PERSONAL:** Married to Rachel and the couple has two daughters, Anna (7) and Clara (newborn), and one son, Liam (2) ... is an avid fisherman and hunter ... would like to coach soccer after his playing career is finished ... majored in education at Florida International ... his favorite sportsman is pro fisherman Kevin Van Dam ... a St. Louis native, Ralston is a big St. Louis Cardinals fan ... also enjoys Mexican food and country and rock music ... his favorite soccer moment is his goal against Mexico on Sept. 3, 2005, a game the U.S. won to clinch a berth in the 2006 FIFA World Cup.

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RALSTON





## MATT REIS

## #1

Position	Goalkeeper	Hometown	Mission Viejo, Calif.
Height	6-1	College	UCLA
Weight	196 lbs.	Youth Club Team	Pateadores
D.O.B.	March 28, 1975 (Atlanta, Ga.)	Status	Senior Roster

**How Acquired:** Traded to the Revolution from Los Angeles in exchange for Alex Pineda Chacon and a 2004 conditional pick on Jan. 17, 2003.

*Considered by many to be the top goalkeeper in the league, Reis brings an unmatched presence and intelligence to the position ... positionally sound, brave in traffic and excellent with the ball at his feet, Reis is also a strong organizer and communicator ... serves as the team's captain in Steve Ralston's absence ... a fantastic shot-stopper on penalty kicks, and one of head coach Steve Nicol's first selections to take penalty kicks ... holds every New England career goal-keeping record, including games played in goal (122), games started in goal (121), minutes played in goal (10,937), goals against average (1.28), wins (50), saves (485), shutouts (33) and saves percentage (.724) ... has 30 regular-season shutouts since the start of the 2005 season, more than any other MLS goalkeeper ... enters 2008 having started and played every minute (including overtime if played) in each of the Revs' last 78 MLS matches – regular-season and playoffs – dating back to September 2005, a span of 6,910 minutes ... enters 2008 second on MLS' list of consecutive minutes played (regular-season games only), having played in the team's last 6,300 minutes – shy of Pat Onstad's record 6,648-minute stretch (2005-2007) ... is ranked second in MLS career postseason goals against average (0.71) behind former Rev Adin Brown (0.67) ... now has seven career postseason shutouts (six with Revs) ... nominated for 2007 ESPY Award for Best MLS player ... voted to the 2007 MLS All-Star Game as a "First XI" (top vote-getter) selection ... his selection marked his third consecutive All-Star nod.*

**2007:** Started all 30 games and played 90 minutes in every contest for 2,700 total minutes in the season – tied for the second-highest mark in MLS. His 14 wins were his second-highest career total and ranked him second in MLS, two shy of his career-best 16, which he registered in 2005 with the Revs. Posted 10 shutouts in the regular season, his third straight year reaching the 10-shutout mark. Made 120 saves, the second-highest season total in his career, to rank second in MLS. Made five or more saves 11 times during the season. Matched his single-game career high (regular-season) with nine saves at D.C. on May 3, including a diving save of the potential game-winning goal in the final minute of stoppage time. Recorded three shutouts in the postseason, blanking the Red Bulls in both games of the teams' Eastern Conference Semifinal Series (away on Oct. 28 and home on Nov. 3) and then Chicago in the Eastern Conference Championship on Nov. 8. Posted an overall career-high of 10 saves in the Eastern Conference Championship against the Fire. Had an 0.50 goals against average with a league-high 24 saves. Made his third consecutive start in the MLS Cup championship match. Started the MLS All-Star Game against Celtic FC, and played 45 minutes to back the squad to the 2-0 victory over the Scottish giants.

**2006:** Established himself as arguably MLS' top goalkeeper as he was voted 2006 Revolution Honda MVP. Backed the league's best defense, which allowed just 35 goals in 32 games for a team-record 1.09 goals against average. Led

### REIS' CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	SOG	SV	GA	GAA	SHO	PK	PKA	W	L	T
1998	Los Angeles	5	4	336	24	18	5	1.34	0	0	0	2	1	0
1999	Los Angeles	1	0	10	1	1	0	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0
2000	Los Angeles	6	6	559	31	21	10	1.61	1	1	2	2	3	1
2001	Los Angeles	16	15	1405	76	52	22	1.41	6	2	2	8	3	4
2002	Los Angeles	11	10	929	47	33	13	1.26	2	1	1	5	3	2
2003	New England	5	5	458	23	12	10	1.97	0	2	2	1	3	1
2004	New England	24	23	2115	134	97	32	1.36	3	4	4	7	10	7
2005	New England	31	31	2784	162	115	35	1.13	10	4	5	16	7	8
2006	New England	32	32	2880	182	141	35	1.09	10	1	3	12	8	12
2007	New England	30	30	2700	169	120	43	1.43	10	3	3	14	8	8
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>161</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>14176</b>	<b>849</b>	<b>610</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>1.30</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>43</b>

### POSTSEASON

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	SOG	SV	GA	GAA	SHO	PK	PKA	W	L	T
2000	Los Angeles	1	0	51	0	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	1	0	0
2004	New England	3	3	300	17	12	4	1.20	1	0	2	1	1	1
2005	New England	4	4	390	27	22	3	0.69	1	0	0	2	2	0
2006	New England	4	4	420	20	17	3	0.64	1	0	0	2	1	1
2007	New England	4	4	369	27	24	2	0.50	3	0	0	2	1	1
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>16</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1521</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0.71</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>

2008 REVS:  
REIS



MLS in shutouts (10) and his 141 saves outpaced the next closest goalkeeper by 33, matching and setting New England records, respectively. One of two players in MLS to play every minute of every game, tying the MLS and Revolution records and setting new personal single-season marks in both categories. His 1.09 GAA was the best among all full-time MLS goalkeepers and established a new Revolution single-season club record. Stopped two of the three penalty-kick attempts against him during the season to further entrench his reputation as the league's best in PK situations. Made five or more saves 15 times during the season, including two games with eight. Went 5-0-2 with an 0.57 GAA in the final seven games of the regular season, leading the Revs now annual charge into the postseason. Started all four postseason games, earning a 2-1-1 record and 0.64 GAA as he led the Revs to MLS Cup 2006 for the second consecutive season. Was voted to Soccer America's 2006 MLS Cup Playoffs Best XI and was the publication's top goalkeeper in MLS for the 2006 season

**2005:** Reis' second season as the Revs number one goalkeeper was his best yet as a professional. Reis was named to the league All-Star team for the first time in his career and set all-time single-season club marks for wins, saves, shutouts, minutes played in goal and starts in goal. He was also the MLS Select Team's starting goalkeeper for the prestigious Trofeo Santiago Bernabeu match against Real Madrid on Aug. 23. Led MLS in saves with 115, and his 1.13 GAA was tied for second-best in MLS. Ranked second in MLS in wins with 16. His 10 shutouts in 2005 placed him third in MLS in that category. Posted a league-leading 384-minute shutout streak in six matches between April 23 and May 21. On Sept. 10 against Columbus, Reis set a new Revs all-time career mark for wins by a goalkeeper with 22. Also, by playing the full 90 minutes in goal, he took over the top spot for minutes played in goal with 4,817, and also broke the Revs' all-time club mark for saves by tallying his 207th stop. With his start at Colorado on Aug. 20, Reis recorded his 51st start putting him tops for all-time Revs starts in goal. Voted the 2005 U.S. Soccer Revolution Humanitarian of the Year.

**2004:** Posted a 7-10-7 record with a 1.36 GAA and three shutouts. His 24 appearances and 23 starts were both career highs. Was a huge presence between the pipes in the MLS Cup Playoffs, saving two penalty kicks in Game Two of the Eastern Conference Semifinals at Columbus, before saving one attempt and scoring on one of his own attempts in the penalty shootout at D.C. in the Eastern Conference Championship game. Voted the 2004 Revolution Defensive Player of the Year.

**2003:** Was traded from Los Angeles to the Revolution on Jan. 17, 2003 in exchange for Alex Pineda Chicon. Started all five games in which he appeared in his first season with the Revs, posting a 1.97 GAA.

**2002:** Played 11 games for the Galaxy, posting a 1.26 GAA. Started nine of the team's first 10 games of the season going 4-3-2 in that span. Posted two shutouts, and had a 3-0-2 record in overtime games. Won an MLS Cup championship with the Galaxy with a 1-0, overtime victory over the Revolution at Gillette Stadium.

**2001:** Posted an 8-3-4 record while making 16 appearances, including 15 starts. Started 15 of the team's first 20 games. Recorded a 1.41 GAA and added six shutouts. Made 52 saves. Again a member of an L.A. team that played in the league's championship game, MLS Cup 2001.

**2000:** Played six games, posting a 1.61 GAA in Los Angeles. Had a 2-3-1 record in his starts. Earned his first MLS overtime victory on Aug. 16 with a 1-0 victory against Colorado. The 1-0 victory against the Rapids was also his first career shutout, during which he made four saves. Made one postseason appearance for the Galaxy, seeing 51 minutes of action on Sept. 14, earning the win in L.A.'s 1-0 victory at Tampa Bay.

**1999:** Saw the least action of any backup goalkeeper in the MLS as starter Kevin Hartman played in all 32 MLS games, coming out for only 10 minutes in one game. Reis was the starting keeper in every U.S. Open Cup game the team played. A member of the Galaxy team that played in MLS Cup 1999.

**1998:** Originally drafted by Los Angeles in the third round (26th overall) in the 1998 MLS College Draft. Recorded a 1.34 GAA in the five games he played during his MLS rookie season with Los Angeles. Earned his first career victory - a 2-1 triumph - on April 18 at Kansas City.

**COLLEGE:** Finished his college career at UCLA with an NCAA Championship in 1997 ... named 1997 NCAA College Cup Defensive MVP after recording 20 saves - including a school-record 11 in the semifinals - and posting 221 shutout minutes on the way to the title ... named a 1997 All-American by Soccer America and Soccer Times ... posted an 0.64 GAA as a senior starter for the Bruins, his only season as the No. 1 keeper ... also added nine shutouts in 19 appearances while posting a 17-2 overall record.

**U.S. NATIONAL TEAM:** Selected as an alternate for the 2006 U.S. World Cup squad ... has earned two caps as of January 1, 2008, posting a shutout in his first-ever U.S. National Team start, a 0-0 draw with Canada on Jan. 22, 2006 in San Diego ... is 2-0-0 for the Nats ... was on the U.S. squad for its 2-0 win over Panama at Gillette Stadium in World Cup qualifying on October 12, 2005 ... started against Denmark on Jan. 20, 2007 in Carson, Calif., earning the win in the 3-1 victory in honor of former Revolution and UCLA goalkeepers coach David Vanole, who had passed unexpectedly a few weeks prior.

**PERSONAL:** Reis and his wife Nicole (Odom) have one son, Jacob (1) ... son of J.T. and Kathy Reis of Mission Viejo, Calif., and has one older brother, Mike ... started playing soccer at the age of five with the Rowdies ... was a striker until age fifteen ... enjoys playing sports, going to the beach and spending time with friends and loved ones ... his favorite actor is Will Ferrell and his favorite actress is Ashley Judd ... a fan of Clive Cussler's novels ... named the top practical joker in MLS by *90:00 Magazine* ... his wife was an All-America softball shortstop at UCLA (1995-98).





## KHANO SMITH

## #18

Position	Midfielder/Forward	Hometown	Warwick, Bermuda
Height	6-3	College	Lees-McRae
Weight	190 lbs.	Youth Club Team	Dandy Town (BER)
D.O.B.	Jan. 10, 1981 (Paget, Bermuda)	Status	Senior Roster

**How Acquired:** Signed by the Revolution on April 15, 2005 as a youth international.

*A singular force in MLS with his long strides, separation ability and speed that put immense pressure on outside midfielders and defenders ... has developed greatly since his first season (2005) with the Revs under the direction of head coach Steve Nicol and assistant coach Paul Mariner ... plays as an out-and-out striker for the Bermuda National Team. Smith features on the left side of the midfield for the Revs ... can whip crosses in from anywhere on the wing or in traffic ... Smith came to the attention of Revolution head coach Steve Nicol on New England's 2005 preseason trip to Bermuda when he scored for his country in the Revs' 3-2 victory over Bermuda on March 3 in Hamilton.*

**2007:** Started 26 games – and appeared in 29 total games – on the left wing after missing the season opener because of injury. Scored two goals and added a career-high six assists. Established career highs in almost every statistical category, including appearances, starts, minutes (2,210), assists, shots (36), shots on goal (12) and fouls suffered (41). Earned his first assist of the season against Chicago on May 6. Set up Pat Noonan's game-winning goal against Kansas City on Aug. 2 with a cross from the left wing to Taylor Twellman on the far post. Also assisted on Twellman's game-winner at Kansas City on Aug. 19. Had his first-career multiple-point game against Dallas on Sept. 15 when he scored his first goal of the season and added an assist on the first of Noonan's two goals. Netted the game-winning goal against Colorado on Sept. 29 in the 88th minute in the 1-0 victory. Established new postseason career highs, starting and playing all 90 minutes in each of the Revs' four postseason games. Made his first-career start at MLS Cup when he lined up for the opening kick against Houston on Nov. 18.

**2006:** After missing the first four months of the season while rehabbing his left knee from off-season surgery, appeared in 10 of the final 11 matches, mainly as a second-half substitute on the left wing. Started two of the final three games on the

left side of the midfield. Scored his first goal of 2006 in the final regular-season game of the year - the game-winning goal in the 88th minute against Columbus on Oct. 14 to secure second place in the Eastern Conference and home-field advantage in the first round of the MLS Cup Playoffs. Appeared in all four postseason games, assisting on Taylor Twellman's goal in the 113th minute in MLS Cup 2006.

**2005:** Scored his first career MLS goal in his first career start on June 4 against KC in the 17th minute of the match. Tallied for the Revs on Sept. 2 at Real Salt Lake in astonishing fashion, dribbling solo 65 yards on the counterattack and finishing the game-winning goal in the 1-0 victory. Also notched the winning goal in the 83rd minute of Game Two of the Eastern Conference Semifinal Series to complete the Revs comeback from a 2-0 deficit to win the series 3-2 on aggregate. Suffered a season-ending injury to his left knee immediately after scoring his goal against the MetroStars.

**BEFORE MLS:** Played in the USL's D3 Pro League for the Carolina Dynamo after college, and played in Bermuda's Premier League, winning the 2004 league and cup double with Dandy Town Hornets.

**COLLEGE:** Starred for Lees-McCrae College in Banner Elk, N.C., earning Division II first-team All-America honors in 2002 ... began collegiate career at Champlain College in Burlington, Vermont.

**BERMUDA NATIONAL TEAM:** Has 20 caps for the Bermuda National Team as of March 1, 2008, and has scored seven goals for his national team ... participated in the 2006 Digicel Cup, the Caribbean Gold Cup qualifying tournament.

### SMITH'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2005	New England	23	8	928	3	2	27	8	24	12	14	2	4	0
2006	New England	10	2	342	1	0	10	4	9	7	0	0	4	0
2007	New England	29	26	2210	2	6	36	12	42	41	5	1	4	0
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>62</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>3480</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>

### POSTSEASON

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2005	New England	2	0	79	1	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
2006	New England	4	0	170	0	1	3	2	3	6	0	0	0	0
2007	New England	4	4	360	0	0	2	1	5	3	1	0	2	0
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>609</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>

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**PERSONAL:** Has a daughter, Milana... son of Deborah Smith and Wayne Baxter ... also has three siblings ... enjoys hip-hop and reggae music ... favorite film is Dances with Wolves ... his

favorite TV shows are CSI, House, American Idol, Law and Order and SVU ... cites his favorite soccer moment as scoring his first international goal for Bermuda.

2008 REVS:  
SMITH







## WELLS THOMPSON

## #27

<b>Position</b>	Midfielder	<b>Hometown</b>	Winston-Salem, N.C.
<b>Height</b>	5-10	<b>College</b>	Wake Forest
<b>Weight</b>	160 lbs.	<b>Youth Club Team</b>	Winston-Salem Twins
<b>D.O.B.</b>	Nov. 25, 1983 (Winston-Salem, N.C.)	<b>Status</b>	Senior Roster

**How Acquired:** Drafted by the Revolution in the first round (fifth overall) in the 2007 MLS SuperDraft.

*A two-footed, wide midfielder, Thompson excels when running at defenders ... spent his rookie season developing under head coach Steve Nicol, assistant coach Paul Mariner and captain Steve Ralston ... improved significantly at the end of the season, earning the starting right midfield role late in the campaign and through the playoffs ... made his mark as one of the team's top players in the postseason ... uses his outstanding pace to good effect ... also at home mixing it up in a ball-winning role and plays fearlessly ... his game-winning goal in the final of the 2007 Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup gave the Revs their first cup championship in club history.*

**2007:** Made 27 appearances, including 11 starts and then started all four postseason games. Played 90 minutes in six of his regular-season starts. Made his MLS debut on opening day on April 7, starting on the left wing at Chicago and playing 90 minutes. Scored his first professional goal against Chicago on May 6 in the 3-1 victory. Started four straight games (June 16 against Columbus through July 7 against Chivas USA), playing on both the left and right wings. Scored the game-winning goal in the 64th minute in the final of the U.S. Open Cup against Dallas on Oct. 3. Started on the right wing in an altered Revs lineup – with Steve Ralston as the attacking midfielder – in each of the last three MLS games of the regular season and in each of the four playoff games. Was one of the Revs' top players in the 2007 postseason. Earned the assist on Taylor Twellman's spectacular bicycle-kick goal that stood as the game-winner over Chicago in the Eastern Conference Championship on Nov. 8.

**COLLEGE:** Led Wake Forest in goals with seven - including five game-winning strikes - in 2006 ... had 10 career assists as he helped Wake Forest advance to the 2006 NCAA College Cup for the first time in school history ... earned ACC All-Tournament honors as a senior and was also an ACC All-Freshman selection in 2003 ... finished his four-year career with 16 goals, including 14 in his junior and senior seasons combined ... seven of 16 career goals were game-winning strikes, including five as a senior.

**PERSONAL:** Full name is Thomas Wells Thompson ... is the son of Mark and Kathryn Thompson ... has an older brother John Mark and a younger sister Mary Kathryn ... was a political science major at Wake Forest ... was the highest-drafted soccer player out of Wake Forest in program history, and the fourth-highest drafted student-athlete in Demon Deacon Athletics history behind basketball's Tim Duncan (No. 1 in the 1997 NBA draft) and Chris Paul (No. 4 in the 2005 NBA draft) and baseball's Kyle Sleeth (No. 3 in the 2003 MLB draft) ... enjoys hunting and fishing in his spare time ... listens to country music and his favorite movie is "Braveheart" ... his favorite types of food are seafood and Southern cuisine.

### THOMPSON'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2007	New England	27	11	1217	1	0	16	7	26	36	2	0	6	0

### POSTSEASON

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2007	New England	4	4	345	0	1	2	1	5	8	0	0	1	0

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THOMPSON





## TAYLOR TWELLMAN

## #20

<b>Position</b>	Forward	<b>Hometown</b>	St. Louis, Mo.
<b>Height</b>	5-11	<b>College</b>	Maryland
<b>Weight</b>	170 lbs.	<b>Youth Club Team</b>	Scott Gallagher
<b>D.O.B.</b>	Feb. 29, 1980 (Minneapolis, Minn.)	<b>Status</b>	Senior Roster

**How Acquired:** Drafted by the Revolution in the first round (second overall) in the 2002 MLS SuperDraft.

*One of MLS' most lethal scorers ... Twellman remains the league's premier penalty-area predator, combining a diverse arsenal of scoring abilities with fierce determination in front of the goal ... has been on a scoring tear since the tail end of the 2006 season with a total of 22 goals since the start of the 2006 MLS Cup Playoffs (34 games) ... has now reached the 10-goal plateau in five of his six professional seasons and the 15-goal mark four times ... became the youngest player in MLS history to score 75 goals (26 yrs., 221 days) with his game-winning goal at D.C. on Oct. 7, 2006, surpassing Jason Kreis (29 yrs., 168 days) for the record ... is on pace to become the league's youngest 100-goal scorer in 2008 ... in the MLS career records, Twellman is now fifth in career goals (91), fourth in career game-winning goals (26) and tied for third in multiple-goal games (15) ... is tied for sixth on the MLS career postseason scoring chart with 10 goals, six of which have come in the Revs' last seven playoff games dating back to 2006 ... finished third in MLS goal scoring in 2007 despite missing extended time while with the U.S. National Team ... named a 2007 MLS All-Star, marking his fifth career all-star selection.*

**2007:** Appeared in 26 games with 25 starts, missing four games – three while on U.S. National Team duty at the CONCACAF Gold Cup and 2007 Copa America and one with an injury. Scored 16 goals in 2007, the third-highest total in the league, and added three assists. Had three multiple-goal games: April 14 vs. Toronto, May 13 at Los Angeles and Sept. 22 at New York. Five of his 16 goals were game-winners, tying him for second in the league in that category. Before leaving for National Team duty in June, played every minute of every game in which he was available. Made his first substitute appearance since 2003 when he entered the July 7 game

against Chivas USA in the 56th minute, having returned to the Revs late the prior evening from Copa America in Venezuela. Scored two goals – including the game-winner in the 90th minute – of the Revs' 4-2 victory over Rochester in the third round of the U.S. Open Cup on July 10. All three of his assists this season came in three straight games – July 22 vs. Houston, July 28 at RSL and Aug. 2 vs. KC – and all on Pat Noonan goals. Scored his 12th career goal against D.C. on Sept. 9, winning MLS Sierra Mist Goal of the Week for his volley strike. Also won the goal-of-the-week contest in Week 4 with his game-winning goal at Dallas. Had a two-goal effort at New York on Sept. 22 before leaving the game with an injury in stoppage time. Missed the Colorado game on Sept. 29 while still recovering from the injury. Scored the go-ahead goal in the championship game of the U.S. Open Cup at FC Dallas on Oct. 3, his team-best fourth goal of the team's four-game championship run. Closed out the regular-season with a goal at Toronto on Oct. 20. Started and played all 90 minutes in each of the Revs' four games in their run to the title game of MLS Cup 2007. Had three goals in the postseason – the game-winning goals in Game Two of the Eastern Conference Semifinal Series against New York on Nov. 3 and against Chicago in the Eastern Conference Championship on Nov. 8. His goal against the Fire scored ESPN's SportsCenter's "Play of the Day" with his overhead, bicycle kick that sent the Revs on to their third consecutive MLS Cup appearance. Also struck for the game's first goal at MLS Cup 2007, heading in a Steve Ralston cross past Pat Onstad in the 20th minute at RFK Stadium.

**2006:** Led the Revs in goal scoring for the fourth time in his five-year career, netting a team-best 11 goals. Scored his 75th career goal at D.C. on Oct. 7, a goal that was also the game-

### TWELLMAN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2002	New England	28	26	2418	23	6	92	58	55	87	14	0	2	0
2003	New England	22	20	1893	15	4	90	47	34	57	23	1	2	0
2004	New England	23	23	2050	9	1	70	39	30	53	35	0	1	1
2005	New England	25	25	2226	17	7	82	51	32	32	33	0	1	0
2006	New England	32	32	2856	11	5	86	42	40	60	32	0	3	0
2007	New England	26	25	2283	16	3	90	55	13	41	21	0	2	0
<b>Totals</b>		<b>156</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>13726</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>510</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>

### POSTSEASON

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2002	New England	6	6	558	2	0	10	3	9	24	1	0	0	0
2004	New England	3	3	300	2	0	11	5	4	11	7	0	0	0
2005	New England	4	4	390	0	1	3	2	4	16	8	0	0	0
2006	New England	4	4	420	3	0	17	10	6	11	2	0	0	0
2007	New England	4	4	360	3	0	20	10	5	8	2	0	1	0
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>21</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>2028</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>



winning goal in the Revs' 2-1 victory at RFK Stadium. Was one of six MLS players to start all 32 games, and ranked fourth in MLS in minutes played 2,856, setting a new personal single-season best. Was second in MLS in shots (86) and shots on goal (42), while ranking ninth in fouls suffered (60). An MLS All-Star selection, although he was unable to play in the game because of the Revs' rescheduled game at Chivas USA. Twice scored goals in three straight games during the regular season (April 30 vs. Chicago through May 13 vs. Chivas USA and again June 28 vs. Dallas through July 4 at Colorado), and then again in the playoffs. Notched a goal against Chicago in Game Two of the Eastern Conference Semifinal Series to pull the Revs within one goal on aggregate, and after Pat Noonan knotted the series on aggregate later to send the series to a decisive penalty-kick round, Twellman scored the series-clinching penalty kick in the fourth round. Scored a highlight-reel goal - also the game-winning goal - at D.C. in the Eastern Conference Championship to send the Revs to MLS Cup 2006. Netted a goal in the 113th minute against Houston in MLS Cup 2006 - the Revs' first-ever goal in the league's championship game - and later scored in the penalty-kick round. After scoring goals in the Revs' final three playoff games, Twellman was named to Soccer America's 2006 MLS Cup Playoffs Best XI. Spent much of preseason training and the early season going back and forth between the Revolution and U.S. National Team camps and friendlies.

**2005:** Voted MLS Honda MVP and won MLS' Budweiser Golden Boot, while making his second appearance on the end-of-season MLS RadioShack Best XI. An MLS All-Star for the third time in his career, and earned All-Star Game MVP honors after scoring one goal against EPL side Fulham FC. Scored two hat tricks in 2005 - against Dallas on July 16 and against Columbus on Sept. 10 - setting the club record for career three-goal games (3). On April 27 at Soldier Field against the Chicago Fire, Twellman scored his 50th career regular-season goal in a Revolution uniform, making him the first Revs player to reach that milestone. Led MLS in shots on goal (51). Went eight consecutive games with a goal and/or an assist between Aug. 6 and Sept. 24, the longest such streak in MLS in 2005. Earned MLS Player of the Month honors for September, scoring five goals and adding one assist in four games played. Was second in MLS in game-winning goals with six. Was voted the Midnight Riders' Man of the Year, becoming the first player to win the award three times

**2004:** Fought through injuries to appear in 23 games. Emerged from a scoring slump early in the season to finish second on the Revs in goals with nine. Added two vital goals for the Revs in the playoffs: one goal against Columbus in Game Two of the Eastern Conference Semifinals and the first of the Revs' three game-tying goals against D.C. in the Eastern Conference Final. Led MLS in shots on goal (39).

**2003:** Led MLS in points per game (1.55) and goals per game (0.68) and tied Carlos Ruiz atop the goal-scoring chart with 15 goals. Tied for third in MLS in points (34). Voted Revolution Team MVP. Missed games because of sinusitis, walking pneumonia and multiple broken bones in his face. His season

came to an end when he broke his left foot at Dallas on Oct. 4, a game in which he scored two goals. Missed all of the 2003 MLS Cup Playoffs with the broken foot. Was voted the Midnight Riders' Man of the Year, becoming the first player to win the in back-to-back seasons.

**2002:** Runner-up for league MVP and was a RadioShack Best XI selection. The first MLS scoring champion in Revs history, tallying 52 points on 23 goals and six assists. Was voted the Revolution Most Valuable Player as he helped lead the Revs to their first-ever MLS Cup appearance, a 1-0, overtime loss to Los Angeles at Gillette Stadium. Had five multiple-goal games, and netted five game-winning goals. Was awarded the Nickelodeon GAS Play of the Year for his bicycle kick goal against the Kansas City Wizards on June 22. Started all six of the Revs' MLS Cup Playoffs games in which he appeared. Had two tallies in the playoffs, and was second on the team in postseason points to Brian Kamler (six). Both of his goals came against Chicago in the Eastern Conference Semifinals (Game One and Game Three). Was voted the Midnight Riders' Man of the Year.

**BEFORE MLS:** Played two seasons with TSV 1860 Munich in Germany ... in 2001, he declined a two-year option with the club and entered the 2002 MLS SuperDraft ... appeared in more than 40 games for the club's reserve side, including qualifying games for the German Cup.

**COLLEGE:** Played two seasons at Maryland (1998-99) before signing a professional contract in Germany ... scored 28 career goals and added 17 assists for 73 career points in 43 games with the Terrapins ... left the Maryland program ranked 10th in career goals, sixth in career assists and seventh in career points after only two seasons ... was Soccer America's National Freshman of the Year in 1998 after earning a spot on the publication's All-Freshman Team ... was an NSCAA All-American as a sophomore, and was a two-time NSCAA All-South Atlantic and two-time All-ACC performer.

**U.S. NATIONAL TEAM:** Has earned 30 caps and scored six goals for the U.S. National Team as of March 1, 2008 ... accumulated 10 caps with one goal in 2007, while playing in both the CONCACAF Gold Cup and Copa America in Venezuela ... made appearances in all six games at the Gold Cup, scoring one goal and assisting on Clint Dempsey's game-winner against Guatemala (June 7) ... an alternate selection to the U.S.'s 2006 FIFA World Cup squad ... tied with former Revs teammate Clint Dempsey as the USMNT's leading goal scorer in 2006 ... scored a hat trick in the USMNT's 5-0 win over Norway on Jan. 29, 2006 at The Home Depot Center in Carson, Calif., the ninth hat trick all-time for the U.S. ... was named ESPN2's Man of the Match after scoring the game-winning goal and providing two assists in a 3-2 U.S. National Team victory over Japan on Feb. 10, 2006 at SBC Park in San Francisco ... scored his first international goal on Oct. 12, 2005 at Gillette Stadium in the U.S.'s 2-0 victory over Panama in its final match of the qualifying cycle for the 2006 FIFA World Cup ... is a former member of the Under-20 program, and won the Bronze Boot at the 1999 FIFA World Youth Championship.



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**PERSONAL:** Is the oldest son of Tim and Mochie Twellman ... his brother James was drafted by the San Jose Earthquakes in the fourth round (42nd overall) of the 2005 MLS SuperDraft ... his sister Alex was a standout soccer player for St. Louis University ... his father, Tim, played professionally for the Minnesota Kicks, Tulsa Roughnecks and the Chicago Sting (NASL) ... his uncle, Steve Twellman, also played in NASL, including the 1974 season with the Boston Minutemen, while another uncle, Mike, played for the NASL

Chicago Sting ... his grandfather Jim Delsing played 10 seasons of Major League Baseball (and 17 seasons of professional baseball overall), and his uncle Jay Delsing is a member of the PGA Tour ... Twellman was offered a professional baseball contract by the Kansas City Royals but opted for a soccer career instead ... his favorite actor is Kiefer Sutherland ... his favorite soccer memory is playing high school soccer and baseball with his brother ... attended Maryland on a baseball scholarship.

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TWEWMAN





## ROB VALENTINO

## #22

<b>Position</b>	Defender	<b>Hometown</b>	Cave Creek, Ariz.
<b>Height</b>	6-3	<b>College</b>	Univ. of San Francisco
<b>Weight</b>	190 lbs.	<b>Youth Club Team</b>	Serano Soccer Club
<b>D.O.B.</b>	Dec. 21, 1985 (Hoffman Estates, Ill.)	<b>Status</b>	Generation adidas (2008)

**How Acquired:** Selected by the Revolution the first round (13th overall) in the 2008 MLS SuperDraft

*A tall, strong defender, Valentino can play anywhere across the back but is most comfortable in the center of the defense ... is very strong in the air and has a great aerial presence in the back ... missed the entire 2007 collegiate season after suffering a torn anterior cruciate ligament right before the start of the season after gaining the attention of the U.S. Olympic Team coaching staff ... a member of the Generation adidas Class of 2008.*

**COLLEGE:** Played three seasons at San Francisco, but missed the entire 2007 season after suffering a torn anterior cruciate ligament in his left knee during preseason training ... was the 2006 West Coast Conference (WCC) Player of the Year at San Francisco and three-time All-WCC honoree ... played 57 career games for the Dons, scoring five goals and adding eight assists ... captained the team as a junior in 2006 ... left San Francisco with one season of collegiate eligibility remaining ... named to the Hermann Trophy Award (national player of the year) Watch List entering the 2007 campaign ... helped spearhead the Dons' run to back-to-back WCC Championships (2004-05) and helped the team capture three consecutive NCAA Tournament berths.

**U.S. NATIONAL TEAM:** Was a member of the U.S. Under-23 (Olympic) Team that toured Japan in February 2007 ... played in both games of the two-game international series.

**PERSONAL:** Is the son of Barbara and Jim Valentino ... is the youngest of the couple's three children ... has an older brother Jimmy and an older sister Kristyn ... his father played basketball at Idaho ... won the Don McLaughling Service Award at San Francisco, which honors San Francisco's top student who gives back to the community ... also played basketball and baseball as an adolescent ... his favorite movie is Remember the Titans, and likes to listen to R&B ... became the second USF student-athlete to be drafted in the first round of a professional draft during the 2007-08 season, joining Aaron Poreda, who was drafted by the Chicago White Sox in the 2007 Major League Baseball Amateur Draft.



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VALENTINO



## DOUG WARREN

## #12



<b>Position</b>	Goalkeeper	<b>Hometown</b>	Hoffman Estates, Ill.
<b>Height</b>	6-0	<b>College</b>	Clemson
<b>Weight</b>	190 lbs.	<b>Youth Club Team</b>	Chicago Soccers
<b>D.O.B.</b>	March 18, 1981 (Palatine, Ill.)	<b>Status</b>	Senior Roster

**How Acquired:** Traded to the Revolution from D.C. on Jan. 20, 2005 in exchange for New England's natural fourth-round selection in the 2006 MLS SuperDraft

*A tremendous shot-stopper, Warren displays very quick reflexes to produce highlight-reel caliber saves and has worked hard to improve his form under current Revs goalkeeper coach Gwynne Williams – who also worked with Warren as a youth national team player ... provides a very capable backup option to Matt Reis ... displays a tireless mentality whether competing for the first team or the reserves ... Warren played collegiate soccer at Clemson and Indiana ... began his MLS career with D.C. United in 2003 and 2004 ... was a longtime member of the U.S. youth international programs.*

**2007:** Did not see any first-team action this season, but was 4-1-2 for the Revolution reserves with a 1.00 goals against average. Posted two shutouts: 1-0 against the Chicago reserves on May 6 and 3-0 against the Kansas City reserves on May 27. Played 45 minutes to help post a clean sheet with Brad Knighton against New York on Sept. 22. Made eight saves at the Chicago reserves on Oct. 7.

**2006:** Did not see any first team action, but was the Revolution reserve squad's starting keeper. Started eight games for the reserves, posting one shutout - a 0-0 draw against Chivas USA on May 14 - while combining with T.J. Tomasso for a 0-0 draw against the Chicago Fire Reserves on Aug. 21. Made a season-high 13 saves against the Kansas City Reserves on Sept. 23.

**2005:** Traded to the Revolution from D.C. on Jan. 20 in exchange for the Revs' natural fourth-round selection in the 2006 MLS SuperDraft. Made his first-team debut for the Revs on Aug. 17 at Colorado, immediately facing a penalty kick after Matt Reis had been sent off for a foul on the Rapids' Fabrice Noel. Jean Philippe Peguero scored against Warren on the spot kick. Warren started his first match as a Rev on Aug. 27 vs. D.C. United, earning his first-ever MLS victory, recording four saves against his former club. Posted 4-3-3 record for Revolution Reserves with a 1.67 GAA and one shutout.

**2004:** Started one game for D.C. United - a 3-2 loss at the MetroStars on April 17 - before joining New England on July 10 from the MLS emergency goalkeeper pool after Revs goalkeeper Adin Brown was injured. He backed up Reis for the remainder of the season without making any appearances for the Revs.

**2003:** Drafted by D.C. in the second round (14th overall) in the 2003 MLS SuperDraft. Warren appeared in six games for D.C., starting five of those. He posted a record of 0-3-2 with a 1.34 goals against average. In the 2003 MLS Cup Playoffs, Warren started two matches against Columbus - both losses - and made eight saves, allowing four goals.

**COLLEGE:** Spent one season at Indiana - where he played with former Revs teammate Pat Noonan during its 1999 National Championship season - before transferring to Clemson to start his sophomore season ... was a three-time All-ACC performer for the Tigers, and earned first-team All-America honors as a senior in 2002 ... started all 20 of the Tigers games as a sophomore, posting a 1.19 goals against average and four shutouts with 77 saves ... started 22 games in his junior season, recording eight shutouts, an 0.80 goals against average, 76 saves and a .809 save percentage ... had a 1.31 GAA as a senior on his way to All-America honors, while making a career-best 108 saves ... finished his career with 261 saves, fourth on the all-time Clemson career list ... in his one season at Indiana, appeared in nine games, starting eight, while playing 713 minutes and allowing only five goals... had a record of 7-1-0 with a goals against average of 0.63 and recorded four shutouts for the Hoosiers, making 15 saves with a season-high five saves at Brown.

**U.S. NATIONAL TEAM:** Primarily served as the U.S. Under-23 Team's back-up goalkeeper in 2003-04 ... started in goal in all three of the team's exhibitions in 2004 ... appeared in two matches in 2003, posting two shutouts, including a 4-0 deci-

### WARREN' CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	SOG	SV	GA	GAA	SHO	PK	PKA	W	L	T
2003	D.C. United	5	4	404	33	26	6	1.34	0	2	2	0	2	2
2004	D.C. United	1	1	90	10	6	3	3.00	0	0	0	0	1	0
2005	New England	2	1	96	7	4	2	1.88	0	1	1	1	0	0
2006	New England	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0
2007	New England	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>590</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1.68</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>

### POSTSEASON

Year	Team	GP	GS	MIN	SOG	SV	GA	GAA	SHO	PK	PKA	W	L	T
2003	D.C. United	2	2	180	12	8	4	2.00	0	0	0	0	2	0



sion over St. Kitts & Nevis in the second game of the second round of CONCACAF Olympic Qualifying ... appeared in four matches in 2002, including three victories against English reserve teams on a tour in August ... was on the U.S. Under-20 squad that competed in the FIFA World Youth Championships in Argentina in 2001.

**PERSONAL:** Is the son of Chris and Sue Warren ... has one brother, Tom ... was a Parade All-America at Palatine High School, as well as Illinois' player of the year as a senior in high school ... majored in economics at Clemson.



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## KYLE ALTMAN

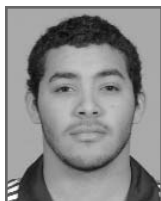
Position	Midfielder/Defender
Height	6-1
Weight	170 lbs.
D.O.B.	Jan. 31, 1986 (Albuquerque, N.M.)
Hometown	Albuquerque, N.M.
College	Trinity (TX)
Youth Club Team	Rio Vista FC

**How Acquired:** Selected by the Revolution in the second round (27th overall) of the 2008 MLS Supplemental Draft.

*Played primarily as a defensive midfielder in his career, but is also comfortable anywhere in the back, especially at center back ... very good with his feet and is solid under pressure ... is strong in the air and is a smart tackler on the ball ... is good in build-up play out of the back.*

**COLLEGE:** A two-time NSCAA First Team All-American (2006, 2007) ... earned conference defensive player of the year honors in both 2006 and 2007 ... a four-year starter at Trinity, he appeared in 87 career games ... scored 23 goals and added 14 assists in his career ... a three-time first-team all-conference selection (2005, 2006, 2007) ... earned NSCAA First Team Scholar All-America honors in 2006 ... as a senior, captained the Tigers to an undefeated regular-season record and the nation's number-one ranking before the team fell in the championship game of the NCAA Division III national tournament.

**PERSONAL:** Son of Alan and Kathy Altman ... has two older brothers who also played collegiate soccer – Kelly (Trinity (TX)) and Ryan (Creighton) ... majored in economics at Trinity ... also wrestled in high school, competing in the 135-pound weight class.



## JOSE ANGULO

Position	Forward
Height	5-11
Weight	180 lbs.
D.O.B.	Jan. 13, 1986 (Barranguilla, Colombia)
Hometown	Prospect Park, N.J.
Youth Club Team	PDA
Pronunciation	hoe-ZAY ann-GOO-low

**How Acquired:** Filed as a Discovery Player in January 2008.

*Considered one of the top prospects out of the American prep system in recent years, Angulo surpassed college to turn professional after his senior high school season ... a strong forward, Angulo owns a powerful shot ... is comfortable running at defenders toward goal, or shooting from distance.*

**HIGH SCHOOL:** A 2007 *Parade* All-American at St. Benedict's in Newark, N.J. ... recorded 76 points in his senior season, scoring 32 goals and adding 12 assists ... scored 117 career goals at St. Benedict's ... helped lead St. Benedict's to the nation's No. 1 ranking in both 2005 and 2006.

**PERSONAL:** Son of Jose Sr. and Alexis Angulo ... has an older sister Maria (21) ... born in Columbia but moved to the U.S. at the age of three, living in both Miami and San Francisco before settling in New Jersey trained with Fulham FC (EPL) while in high school ... his father played professionally in Colombia for Junior FC and was a member of Colombia's National Team (1982-1989) ... after moving to the U.S., his father Jose also won the 1993 U.S. Open Cup with San Francisco D.C. Mexico ... in his spare time, enjoys going to museums, especially New York's Museum of Natural History and the Met.







## SAM BRILL

Position	Defender
Height	6-2
Weight	190 lbs.
D.O.B.	Sept. 6, 1985 (Newton, Mass.)
Hometown	Newton, Mass.
College	Boston College
Youth Club Team	Boston Bolts

*A strong central defender who uses smart positioning and anticipation to help stop the attack ... a tall defender, he is good in the air and a threat on set pieces ... a vocal leader in the back.*

**COLLEGE:** A four-year starter at Boston College, manning the backline from 2003 through 2006 ... appeared in 63 games at BC, starting 58 in his career ... scored six goals and added three assists for the Eagles ... has his best offensive year as a senior, scoring a career-high three goals and adding two assists ... earned All-Big East honors as a sophomore in 2004 as he anchored the Eagles' defense that allowed just 10 goals in 20 matches ... as a senior, helped give the Eagles their first ACC victory scoring the game-tying goal and assisting on the game-winning goal in overtime against Virginia Tech ... his headed goal against Connecticut sent BC past their regional rivals, 1-0, in the second round of the 2004 NCAA Tournament.

**U.S. NATIONAL TEAM:** Called into a pair of Under-18 camps.

**PERSONAL:** Son of Larry and Susan Brill ... is the middle of the couple's three children ... was an NSCAA High School All-American in 2002 out of Newton North High School.



## MATTHEW BRITNER

Position	Defender
Height	6-1
Weight	170 lbs.
D.O.B.	April 17, 1985 (Edmonton, Alberta)
Hometown	Halifax, Nova Scotia
College	Brown
Youth Club Team	Athens United FC
Nationality	Canada

**How Acquired:** Selected by the Revolution in the third round (41st overall) of the 2008 MLS SuperDraft.

*A heady defender who reads the game very well and anticipates the play before it develops... is primarily a central defender, but is comfortable anywhere across the back.*

**COLLEGE:** Was the 2007 Ivy League Player of The Year ... appeared in 54 games during his five year career, starting 53 on defense... scored three goals and added one assist in his career ... earned NSCAA All-Northeast Region honors as a senior and was a two-time All-Ivy selection (2005 and 2007) ... was team captain in both 2005 and 2007 ... missed the entire 2004 season with a left anterior cruciate ligament injury, and all but two games of the 2006 season with right ACL tear.

**CANADA NATIONAL TEAM:** Entered Canada's National Team program in 1999 at the Under-16 level ... was a member of Canada's 2005 Under-20 World Cup squad ... is a current member of Canada's 2008 Olympic Team player pool.

**PERSONAL:** Has one older sister, Kristy (24) and one younger brother, Josh (10) ... graduated from Brown with a degree in history and economics.





## KHELI DUBE

Position	Forward
Height	6-1
Weight	155 lbs.
D.O.B.	August 6, 1983 (Bulawayo, Zimbabwe)
Hometown	Bulawayo, Zimbabwe
College	Coastal Carolina
Youth Club Team	Highlanders FC
Nationality	Zimbabwe
Pronunciation	kelly doo-BAY

**How Acquired:** Selected by the Revolution in the first round (eighth overall) in the 2008 MLS Supplemental Draft.

*Very quick and skillful on the ball ... a prolific goalscorer at the collegiate level ... likes to run at defenders, but is just as adept with his back to goal.*

**COLLEGE:** Was the 2007 Big South Conference Player of the Year and a NSCAA All-South Atlantic performer ... a two-time All-Big South performer and was a member of the 2006 Big South All-Tournament Team ... played two seasons at Coastal Carolina after transferring from NAIA powerhouse Lindsey Wilson ... in his four-year collegiate career, appeared in 76 games, scoring 52 goals and 25 assists, which included 16 goals and 12 assists in 26 games at Coastal Carolina ... missed the first five weeks of his senior season at Coastal Carolina with an injury, but still scored 11 goals.

**ZIMBABWE NATIONAL TEAM:** Is a former member of Zimbabwe's Under-17, Under-20 and Under-23 teams ... played in Olympic Qualifiers for Zimbabwe ahead of the 2004 Olympics.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: Mkhokhehi Dube, but goes by Kheli ... married his wife Senzile in 2006 ... son of Pauline Dube and is the third of her six children, who all still live in Zimbabwe ... majored in communications at Coastal Carolina ... also played tennis as a child.



## JOE GERMANESE

Position	Midfielder
Height	5-10
Weight	165 lbs.
D.O.B.	June 4, 1985 (St. Louis, Mo.)
Hometown	St. Louis, Mo.
College	Duke
Youth Club Team	Scott Gallagher
Pronunciation	ger-man-EESE

**How Acquired:** Selected by the Revolution in the second round (27th overall) of the 2008 MLS SuperDraft.

*A natural outside midfielder with great speed and a steady right touch who can also step inside in more of an attacking midfielder role ... also a strong defender on the ball, Germanese has the ability to close quickly and mark like an outside back ... is expected to join the Revolution in May after finishing finishing his degree requirements and graduating from Duke.*

**COLLEGE:** Spent his final two collegiate seasons at national power Duke after transferring from Vanderbilt after his sophomore season ... appeared in 40 games for the Blue Devils, starting 38, while scoring seven goals and adding 13 assists ... including his two seasons at Vanderbilt, appeared in 76 career games with 64 starts, and scored 18 career goals and recorded 22 career assists ... voted to the ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America Team (second team) in 2007 and also earned NSCAA All-South honors as a senior ... a member of the 2006 All-ACC Tournament Team as the Blue Devils won both the ACC regular-season and tournament titles ... at Vanderbilt, was an All-Missouri Valley Conference selection as a sophomore in 2005 after garnering MVC freshman of the year accolades one year earlier in 2004.

**PERSONAL:** Son of Vince and Jenni Germanese ... has one older brother, Jim, and a twin sister, Jessica ... attended the same high school - St. Louis University High School - as Revs forward Taylor Twellman ... at Duke, majored in economics with certificates in markets and management ... a member of the Dean's List every year in college ... also played basketball, golf, roller hockey, baseball growing up ... lists "Las Vegas" as his favorite vacation spot, and "Green Street Hooligans" as his favorite movie.





## SAIDI ISAACS

Position	Forward
Height	5-8
Weight	160 lbs.
D.O.B.	Oct. 6, 1983 (Eldoret, Kenya)
Hometown	Eldoret, Kenya
College	Winthrop
Nationality	Kenya
Pronunciation	sigh-EE-dee

**How Acquired:** Selected by the Revolution in the third round (41st overall) in the 2008 MLS Supplemental Draft.

*A very quick player with great pace ... has excellent endurance ... plans to join the team in May after his graduation from Winthrop.*

**COLLEGE:** Played three seasons at Winthrop after transferring from Park University (NAIA) after his freshman season ... appeared in 83 career games, scoring 82 goals with 21 assists, including 59 appearances with 46 goals and 16 assists while at Winthrop ... the 2006 Big South Player of the Year ... a two-time NSCAA All-South Atlantic Region honoree (2006, 2007) and a three-time All-Big South performer (2005, 2006, 2007) ... named to the 2007 Hermann Trophy Watch List prior to his senior season ... at Park, earned NAIA All-American honors as a freshman (2004).

**KENYA NATIONAL TEAM:** A former member of Kenya's youth national teams ... scored a goal against South Africa's Under-23 squad in 2004.

**PERSONAL:** Son of Maakai Giro and Ibrahim Issac. ... is one of nine children, with four brothers and four sisters ... played volleyball and ran track growing up ... at Winthrop, majored in business marketing.



## CHRIS TIERNEY

Position	Midfielder
Height	6-0
Weight	180 lbs.
D.O.B.	January 9, 1986 (Boston, Mass.)
Hometown	Wellesley, Mass.
College	Virginia
Youth Club Team	Boston Bolts
Pronunciation	TEAR-nee

**How Acquired:** Selected by the Revolution in the second round (13th overall) of the 2008 MLS Supplemental Draft.

*A left-footed player ... a good crosser of the ball, especially from out wide on the flank ... steady on set pieces, especially free kicks ... has good pace ... is an opportunistic goal scorer ... plans to join the team in May after graduating from Virginia.*

**COLLEGE:** Appeared in 79 games with the Cavaliers, starting 38, and scoring 11 goals and adding 16 assists in his four-year career ... as a senior, scored a career-high seven goals, and assisted on seven more ... voted to the 2007 ACC All-Tournament Team ... helped the Cavs advance to the NCAA College Cup in 2006 for the first time since 1997.

**PERSONAL:** Son of Cathy and Sandy Tierney ... has a brother, Alexander, and a sister, Caitlin ... enjoys skiing ... a psychology major at Virginia ... played his prep soccer at Noble & Greenough in Dedham, Mass.





## MICHAEL VIDEIRA

<b>Position</b>	Midfielder
<b>Height</b>	5-10
<b>Weight</b>	170 lbs.
<b>D.O.B.</b>	Jan. 6, 1986 (Milford, Mass.)
<b>Hometown</b>	Milford, Mass.
<b>College</b>	Duke
<b>Youth Club Team</b>	Boston Bolts
<b>Pronunciation</b>	vid-EAR-ah

**How Acquired:** Selected by the Revolution in the second round (18th overall) of the 2008 MLS SuperDraft.

*A creative attacking midfielder with strong defensive skills, Videira intends to pursue international playing opportunities this summer ... very technical on the ball ... makes tremendous contribution away from the ball ... a player with extensive experience with the U.S. youth national teams, Videira is the top-rated prospects to come out of Massachusetts in many years.*

**COLLEGE:** A four-year starter, Videira played in 80 career games, starting 78 at Duke... scored 17 goals and added 34 assists and finished his career tied for seventh in career assists ... a three-time semifinalist for the Missouri Athletic Club's Hermann Trophy (2005, 2006, 2007) ... an NSCAA All-American in both 2006 and 2007 ... was a four-time All-ACC selection and four-time NSCAA All-South honoree ... voted the All-ACC Tournament MVP as a junior ... was *Soccer America's* national freshman of the year in 2004 ... missed time during his senior season with injuries, but still earned All-America honors.

**U.S. NATIONAL TEAM:** Is a former member of the Under-14, Under-18 and Under-20 Teams ... made four appearances and two starts at the Croix International Tournament in Spain with the U-18 team in 2003, scoring one goal ... played in both the 2003 and 2005 Milk Cups with the Under-20s.

**PERSONAL:** Son of Amilcar and Connie Videira ... has an older sister, Melissa ... holds a Portuguese passport ... played his high school soccer at Noble & Greenough School where he was a *Parade* and McDonald's high school All-American and the Gatorade Massachusetts Player of the Year as a junior ... was a member of the Greater Boston Bolts club team where he played for Revs assistant coach Paul Mariner ... was only the third player in Duke soccer history to earn All-America and Academic All-America honors in the same season, joining former Blue Devils assistant coach Mike Jeffries and current Rev defender Jay Heaps ... graduated from Duke in three-and-a-half years with a degree in sociology and a certificate in markets and management.



## SPENCER WADSWORTH

<b>Position</b>	Midfielder/Forward
<b>Height</b>	5-8
<b>Weight</b>	165 lbs.
<b>D.O.B.</b>	May 10, 1986(Houston, Texas)
<b>Hometown</b>	Dallas, Texas
<b>College</b>	Duke
<b>Youth Club Team</b>	Dallas Texans

**How Acquired:** Selected by the Revolution in the fourth round (55th overall) of the 2008 MLS SuperDraft.

*A natural forward, Wadsworth has also seen great success dropping back into the midfield in an attacking role ... a savvy playmaker, has a keen sense of players' positions on the field, especially in the attacking third ... is a strong finisher, but also involves his teammates in the game as evidenced by his ability to distribute and his resulting goals ... is a factor on set pieces with strong service on both corner kicks and free kicks.*

**COLLEGE:** A four-year starter at Duke, Wadsworth saw his time in the starting lineup limited as a senior after off-season microfracture surgery on his right ankle ... appeared in 86 games, starting 66 during his collegiate career ... scored 25 goals and added 34 assists ... left the program tied for seventh in career assists ... was an NSCAA All-South and All-ACC selection as a junior after leading the nation in assists (14) and was second in assists per game (.609) ... a two-time ACC All-Tournament Team selection, helping the Blue Devils win back-to-back titles in 2005 and 2006 ... made an immediate impact on the college scene, finishing second on Duke's squad in scoring as a freshman (eight goals, 10 assists).

**PERSONAL:** Son of Mike and Becky Wadsworth ... majored in sociology with certificates in markets and management, graduating Duke in three-and-a-half years ... was a McDonald's All-American at Plano West High School as a senior ... also played basketball and football in high school, and also competed in track.





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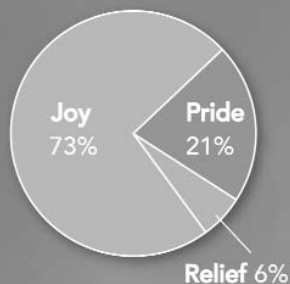
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