



HORST RICHARDSON

50 Seasons of Coaching Winning Soccer at Colorado College

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Horst Richardson embarked upon his 50th season with the Colorado College men's soccer program in 2014, a milestone no other Tigers coach has come close to matching and momentous among soccer coaches nationwide. Since joining the CC program in 1965 under Bill Boddington, then taking the head coaching position a year later, Richardson compiled an amazing record of 552 wins, 300 defeats and 69 ties.

Richardson led the Tigers to the NCAA Division III playoffs 19 times and guided his teams to six conference titles in the Rocky Mountain Conference. Heading into the 2014 season, CC's 8th year in the Southern Collegiate Athletic Conference, Richardson ranked among the top 10



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collegiate soccer coaches of all-time with his 552 victories. His Tigers received four NCAA Tournament bids since 2000. In 2004, with All-American and NCAA Division III Player of the Year Patrick McGinnis leading the way, the Tigers finished 16-4-1. His teams were 144-68-16 during the 1990s, including an 18-2-2 mark and a trip to the national semifinals in 1992.

He graduated from the University of California-Riverside in 1963, playing on the varsity soccer team and winning four letters. He earned a Ph. D. from the University of Connecticut and served as a member of the CC faculty in the German Department for 45 years.