

## Jeremy Fishbein

Born: December 29, 1965, Cincinnati, Ohio

High School: Walnut Hills High School, Ohio

College: University of California Santa Barbara BA Economics

University of New Mexico Master's Sports Administration

### High School

- Played soccer.

### College

- 1986 Played soccer at the University of Cincinnati

### Professionally

- Played soccer professionally in New Zealand and Australia
- Head Coach at Ft. Lewis College (Co.)
  - Record 74-27-7
  - 4 Rocky Mountain Conference soccer championships
  - 1997-1998 - Took the Skyhawks to the school's first NCAA Division 2 tournament appearances.
- Head Coach at University of Incarnate Word (Tx).
  - Record 21-13-3
- UNM program's all-time winningest soccer coach and had built New Mexico into a perennial power in college soccer.
  - 2001 – Assistant Soccer Coach
  - 2002-2018 Head Coach 207-79-40 record
  - 2002 – 10<sup>th</sup>-best turnaround in NCAA history taking over team that went from 7-12-2 to 18-4 record.
  - 11 NCAA Tournament appearances. Those appearances include five trips to the NCAA Sweet 16 and a pair of NCAA College Cup appearances in 2005 and 2013. The 2005 Lobos advanced to the national championship match.
  - Career Division 1 Winning percentage of 72.9 and in 2005 were ranked No.1 and advanced to the NCAA Finals.
  - 7 regular conference championships
  - 3 conference tournament championships
  - Over 30 players played professionally.
  - Had 22 All-Americans, 3 Freshman All-Americans and 118 All-Conference players. He also coached 22 47 All-Region players; 22 Academic All-American; Guided a Lobo to NSAA Scholar All-American status 19 times; led the program to 15 United Soccer Coaches Academic Team awards' and 98 Conference Academic AA.
  - Undefeated season in 2011, first in school history.
  - Consistently broke program records for team Grade Point Averages (3.43) out of 4.0
- After UNM dropped the Men's soccer program, Fishbein was asked to develop a World Class Soccer Program for India. As the Director of Football and Academy (Soccer in India), he developed a World Class Football Club and Residential Academy and helped raise the domestic and global profile FC Madras. and to join the ranks of "elite" global football clubs. He developed and implemented a progressive coaching methodology to attain these goals.

## **Honors**

- 1993 NCAA Division II Coach of the Year
- Conference Coach of the Year – 1993, 1997, 1998.
- 5 -Time Conference Coach of the Year (2013,2011,2006,2005,2002)
- 2- Time Far West Region Coach of the Year (2011 and 2005)
- 2004 Soccer America National Soccer Coach of the Year
- Mountain Pacific Sports Federation Coach of the Year – 2002 and 2003
- 11 out 15 season NCAA Tournament appearances
- 8 Conference Championships (2002,2004,2005,2006,2007,2011, 2012,2013)
- 2006 Inducted in the Ft. Lewis College Hall of Fame

## **Community**

- Annually conducted Youth Soccer Camps and had team members volunteer for community projects.
- Volunteered to be a soccer coach for Albuquerque High School.
- Held an Alumni Soccer Scrimmage Match to raise funds for ALS and Pat Grange, who played for Fishbein. The scrimmage raised \$40,000 for ALS on Grange's behalf.
- Coach Fishbein and his staff raised over \$2 million dollars from outside funding that have gone to updating and renovating Lobo Soccer Facilities and enhancing the quality of the state-of-the-art facilities.

## **Family**

- Alicia Meraz Fishbein, wife, was a graduate of UNM and was an All-Conference Tennis player for the Lobos (1993-96).
- 2 daughters, Alisa, and Gabriela.