It was not long ago that both Stephanie Taibe and Karolina Krauze were student-athletes at Hunter College. Today, they are coaches of the varsity and junior varsity volleyball teams at the Mary Louis Academy in Jamaica Estates.

Taibe graduated Hunter in 2015 with a bachelor's degree in studio art and was a two sport athlete, competing on both the women's volleyball and basketball teams. She earned her Master's degree in sports science from Hofstra University shortly after and went on to intern at Fordham University as an Assistant Strength and Conditioning Coach. Currently, she teaches physical education at the Mary Louis Academy where she is also the head coach of both the varsity and junior varsity volleyball teams.

Krauze is a 2013 graduate who earned her degree in elementary education and her masters degree in special education in 2014 from Hunter. Currently, she teaches at PS158 Bayard Taylor School on the upper east side and is Taibe's assistant volleyball coach at the Mary Louis Academy.

The duo played two years together on the volleyball team under the direction of then head coach, Ray Bello, during the 2011 and 2012 seasons. In their coaching roles, they recently led the varsity team to two-straight conference championships, while placing third in the state this past season.

Upcoming Events

January 30, 2019
Doubleheader Featuring Men's Volleyball (5:30pm) and Men's Basketball (7:30 pm)

March 13, 2019
National Girls and Women in Sports Day

April 12, 2019
CUNYAC Men's Volleyball Semifinals and Finals hosted by Hunter
Hawk Talk
The Official Hunter Athletic Alumni Newsletter

Winter 2018

From the AD’s Desk

Hawk Alumni and Community,

It’s always an exciting time in athletics during the December/January crossover. It’s always our busiest time of the year and now that the winter break is over, the hallways are buzzing once again with all of our student-athletes.

I want to take this moment to recognize the improvements of our webcast. A lot of work went into upgrading our equipment and it was a team effort to put it into action, but we’re proud of the result. We have more reliable equipment and better graphics to enhance the viewer’s experience. Additionally, we’re streaming it via YouTube which we have received positive feedback. If you have not yet tuned it, be sure to do so to watch the Hawks in action at the Sportsplex.

We’re always looking to improve in every area we can to give our student-athletes and fans the best possible experience. Know that we work tirelessly to make this Athletic Department better each and every day.

Once a Hawk, always a Hawk!

Sincerely,

Terry Wansart
Director of Athletics, Recreation and Intramurals

Hawk Spotlight: Dual Sport Athletes
The Hunter Athletic Department would like to recognize the outstanding work by some of our two-sport athletes. Check them out below.

Noah Dougherty (Soccer/Tennis)

Marlena Budna (Basketball/Volleyball)

George Keener (Basketball/Track and Field)

Miranda Hogan (Volleyball/Track and Field)

Fall 2018 By the Numbers
18-CUNYAC All-Star
10-Player of the Week
2-Rookie of the Week
2-CUNYAC Team Championships
2-Coach of the Year
1-Rookie of the Year
1-Scholar Athlete of the Month
1-CUNYAC Tournament MVP

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