



PETE GERONAZZO

All-American Scoring Star for Colorado College Hockey Teams

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Pete Geronazzo came to Colorado College from Trail, British Columbia, as a walk-on and watched the 1991-1992 Tiger ice hockey team from the stands. He then proceeded to become an All-American, Hobey Baker top-ten finalist, and one of the school's most productive players in history.

After collecting just seven goals and seven assists his official freshman season in 1992-93, when the Tigers finished dead last in the Western Collegiate Hockey Association and won only eight of 34 games overall, Geronazzo was instrumental in a remarkable turn-around that saw Colorado College soar to an unprecedented three consecutive regular-season titles in the WCHA. During those 1993-94, 1994-95 and 1995-96 campaigns under head coach Don Lucia, CC posted 86 victories in 124 outings. Geronazzo was credited with the game-winning goal in 20 of the victories. In 1995-96, when



the Tigers reached the NCAA Frozen Four title game against the University of Michigan, losing a 4-3 overtime defeat and finishing 33-5-4, Geronazzo was one of eight Colorado College players to garner All-WCHA accolades, joining goaltender Ryan Bach on the league's elite First Team before both raked in All-America honors.

Geronazzo, who tied with linemate Colin Schmidt for the CC scoring lead with 57 points (29 goals, 28 assists) as a junior (1994-95), also led the team in scoring his senior year (1995-96) with 69 (36 goals, 33 assists) points in 42 games. He completed his collegiate career with 91 goals and 87 assists in 146 games. As of 2014, his 178 points ranked him 13th on the program's all-time chart.