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WE ARE EXCITED TO ANNOUNCE FARRIS GOSEA AS A MEMBER OF THE LORIENT PRO TEAM. FARRIS IS A CHARISMATIC AND TALENTED PLAYER ORIGINALLY FROM CARDIFF, WALES. FARRIS PLAYED NO. 1 FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS, WAS RANKED 20TH NATIONALLY IN SINGLES, FIRST-TEAM ALL-BIG TEN (UNANIMOUS), ACADEMIC ALL-BIG TEN, AND WAS NAMED BIG TEN PLAYER OF THE YEAR.

FARRIS WAS JUST THE SIXTH ILLINOIS PLAYER TO CLAIM THE PRESTIGIOUS AWARD OF BIG TEN PLAYER OF THE YEAR AND THE FIRST SINCE KEVIN ANDERSON IN 2007.

IN HIS JUNIOR YEAR FARRIS WENT UNDEFEATED 10-0, AND AS A SENIOR WENT 9-1, IN BIG TEN PLAY. AS A COLLEGE PLAYER, FARRIS PRODUCED SEVERAL CLINCHING MATCH VICTORIES INCLUDING THE UPSET OF NORTH CAROLINA AT HOME AND POSTSEASON VICTORIES OVER IOWA, NORTHWESTERN, GREEN BAY AND DRAKE.

BACK ON THE PRO TOUR, FARRIS FINISHED 2016 WITH 3 DOUBLES TITLES. IN 2017, HE HAS MADE IT TO THE DOUBLES FINALS OF GLASGOW, UK, FOLLOWED BY THE FINALS IN CALABASAS, CA.

