

## CHUCK O'CONNELL, ASSISTANT COACH



Chuck O'Connell is in his second season of a second stint as an assistant coach with the Washington and Lee men's lacrosse program.

O'Connell's responsibilities include working with the goalkeepers and attackmen and assisting with the coordination of the extra-man offense.

O'Connell has been involved with Washington and Lee athletics for 35 years as a coach and administrator. He served as assistant lacrosse coach from 1974-83 and was an assistant football coach from 1973-90.

O'Connell was promoted to assistant athletic director and served in that position from 1993-2002 until he was again promoted to associate athletic director. He was named the school's director of physical education in 2002 and served the 2006-07 school year as the interim athletic director. He officially retired following the 2007-08 school year where he served as a consultant for the athletics department.

During his time at W&L, O'Connell has coached seven All-America goalkeepers, five men and two women. He is a 1965 graduate of Denison University, where he was a two-time All-American and a member of the school's athletic hall of fame. He is also a member of the Ohio and Maryland Lacrosse Halls of Fame.

O'Connell is the past president of the USILA and the US Lacrosse Coaches Association.