



## Brent Bowen

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**Professional Standing:** Certified Professional (Teaching & Coaching) - PGA of America  
(Member since 1/2000)

**Employed (since 1/05/1999):** Duke University Golf Club, Durham, NC

**Position:** PGA Head Golf Professional

### Carolinas PGA Section Awards and Recognitions:

2000 CPGA Assistant Professional of the Year

### Teaching Related History:

2009-Present Impact Zone Signature Golf Schools  
2006-2010, 2016 Notre Dame Boy's Golf School

### TEACHING CERTIFICATIONS & Education:

Impact Zone Golf Advanced Instructor / US Kids Golf Certified Coach

PGA Teaching & Coaching Summit Attendee: (2015, 2017, 2019)

PGA Mentors: Ed Ibarguen and Bobby Clampett

## Brent Bowen Lesson Opportunities and Programs

September 2020

I'm in my 21<sup>st</sup> year at the 'Getting Better Every Day' Duke University Golf Club and have shared the title of PGA Head Professional since 2005. I have been a lifelong Duke University sports fan, so when the opportunity arose to attain a position as an Assistant professional in January 1999, I jumped at the chance. I had previously worked for two years at Crooked Creek Golf Club in Fuquay-Varina, NC, following my graduation in 1996 from Methodist University where I majored in Business Administration with a concentration in professional golf management and a minor in economics. I achieved my Class 'A' PGA membership in January 2000 and shortly thereafter was awarded the prestigious Carolinas PGA Assistant Professional of the Year by my peers. My daily responsibilities at the Duke University Golf Club include golf shop operations, tournament operations, and teaching. I've always had a deep passion for the game and have studied the art and science of teaching/coaching Golf for the past two decades. In 2009, I was certified in the **Impact Zone** and completed the **Advanced Impact Zone Certification** in 2013. I have a special interest in the area of junior golf instruction and advanced my knowledge in this area by achieving the ranking of **US Kids Golf Certified Coach** in 2016. I truly enjoy helping young people develop their skills and abilities in the game and in life. I agree wholeheartedly with the legendary instructor, Bill Strausbaugh, when he stated, "*Those who seek to teach must never cease to learn.*" To that end, I am always looking for opportunities to continue to improve my abilities as a PGA teacher/coach. I have attended the last three national PGA Teaching and Coaching Summits where the world's best instructors gather to share ideas and methodologies. I am also in the process of attaining my certification in the **BioSwing Dynamics** program developed by Mike Adams and EA Tischler – a program that matches the golf swing to a person's physical make-up and abilities. As an active teacher on the Duke PGA professional staff, I teach all ages and skill levels in all areas of the game of golf. I believe in the KISS theory, where learning golf is always fun and the process of learning is simplified so that the student can easily transfer what they learned from the lesson tee to playing on the golf course.

I'm a local native of Clayton, NC, and live in Durham with my wife, Kelly. We enjoy traveling around the world including attending two recent Ryder Cups in Chicago and Paris. In my spare time, I enjoy playing in Carolinas PGA events, and attending Duke athletic events (to date I have attended over 500 Duke basketball games!).

Lessons are given within a private teaching area on the Duke University practice range. Lessons may be arranged by calling 919.681.2288 or email at [bbowen@duke.edu](mailto:bbowen@duke.edu).

**Adults:**

Individual Hourly Rate:	\$150 per hour (US Dollars).
Pre-Paid Hourly Packages:	10 Hours = \$ 1,250 (\$125 per)
-	5 Hours = \$ 700 (\$140 per)

**Duke Affiliations:**

Individual Hourly Rate:	\$135 per hour (US Dollars)
Pre-Paid Hourly Package:	10 Hours = \$ 1,100 (\$110 per)
Pre-Paid Hourly Package:	5 Hours = \$ 625 (\$125 per)

**Juniors:**

Individual Hourly Rate:	\$115 per hour (US Dollars).
Pre-Paid Hourly Package:	10 Hours = \$900 (\$90 per)
Pre-Paid Hourly Package:	5 Hours = \$525 (\$105 per)