



GEORGIA STATE

2017 FOOTBALL



GEORGIA STATE
STADIUM

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SHAWN ELLIOTT
HEAD COACH

2017 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

GEORGIA STATE PANTHERS



TENNESSEE STATE (ESPN3)

Aug. 31 | 7 p.m. | Georgia State Stadium



TROY (Homecoming)*

Oct. 21 | TBA | Georgia State Stadium



at PENN STATE (BTN)

Sept. 16 | 7:30 p.m. | State College, Pa.



SOUTH ALABAMA (ESPNU)*

Oct. 26 | 7:30 p.m. | Georgia State Stadium



at CHARLOTTE

Sept. 23 | TBA | Charlotte, N.C.



at GEORGIA SOUTHERN*

Nov. 4 | TBA | Statesboro, Ga.



MEMPHIS

Sept. 30 | TBA | Georgia State Stadium



at TEXAS STATE*

Nov. 11 | TBA | San Marcos, Texas



at COASTAL CAROLINA*

Oct. 7 | TBA | Conway, S.C.



APPALACHIAN STATE*

Nov. 25 | TBA | Georgia State Stadium



at UL MONROE*

Oct. 14 | TBA | Monroe, La.



IDAHO*

Dec. 2 | TBA | Georgia State Stadium

Subject to change | All times Eastern
*Sun Belt Conference game



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For intercollegiate athletics to promote the character development of participants, to enhance the integrity of higher education and to promote civility in society, student-athletes, coaches, and all others associated with these athletics programs and events should adhere to such fundamental values as respect, fairness, civility, honesty and responsibility. These values should be manifest not only in athletics participation, but also in the broad spectrum of activities affecting the athletics program.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Full Name	Georgia State University
Location	Atlanta, Ga.
Founded	1913
Enrollment	50,000
Nickname	Panthers
Colors	Blue & White
Affiliation	NCAA Division I FBS
Conference	Sun Belt Conference
Home Field	Georgia State Stadium
Capacity	25,000
Surface	FieldTurf
First Season	2017
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TEAM INFORMATION

First Season of Football	2010
First Season of FBS	2013
All-Time Record	20-62 (7 years)
2016 Record	3-9, 2-6 Sun Belt (9th)
Last Bowl Game	2015 AutoNation Cure Bowl



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STAFF DIRECTORY

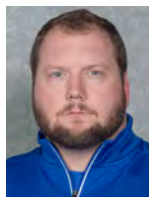

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INAUGURAL GAME

Sept. 2, 2010: Georgia State 41, Shorter 7

30,237 FANS AT GEORGIA DOME

FOOTBALL TIMELINE

Nov. 2006: Football Feasibility Study completed.

April 15, 2007: Former NFL head coach Dan Reeves named Football Consultant.

April 17, 2008: Georgia State University officially announces its will start an NCAA Division I football program.

June 12, 2008: Bill Curry introduced as Georgia State's first head football coach.

Aug. 2008: First six assistant coaches hired: John Bond, John Thompson, George Pugh, Anthony Midget, Chris Ward, Mike Riddle.

Oct. 15, 2008: First tryout at Hallford Stadium.

Nov. 20, 2008: Ground-breaking for practice facility at 188 MLK.

Jan. 4, 2009: First scholarship football student-athlete, Mark Hogan, enrolled at GSU.

Feb. 4, 2009: Georgia State signed its first recruiting class.

Aug. 11, 2009: First team of 71 players reported to campus.

Aug. 14, 2009: First football practice at NFL YET facility.

Sept. 2, 2009: Inaugural scheduled was announced.

Fall 2009: First team conducted 60 practices at three sites: NFL YET, Lakewood Stadium and Georgia Dome.

March 23, 2010 Inaugural scheduled announced.

March 27, 2010 First workout on new fields at GSU Practice Complex at 188 MLK.

April 19, 2010: Over 3,000 fans watch GSU's inaugural Spring Scrimmage at Georgia Dome.

Aug. 3, 2010: Inaugural team reports for preseason.

Aug. 4, 2010: First practice of inaugural season.

Aug. 23, 2010: Before ever playing a game, Georgia State football is featured on the cover of ESPN the Magazine.



Sept. 2, 2010: INAUGURAL GAME - Georgia State 41, Shorter 7, before 30,237 fans at Georgia Dome.

Nov. 19, 2010: First game vs. FBS opponent at defending national champion Alabama.

Dec. 23, 2010: PK Iain Vance recognized as GSU's first All-American by the Sports Network.

Aug. 2011: Panthers move into GSU Practice Complex.

2011 Season: Georgia State plays as FCS Independent.



FIRST BOWL

Dec. 19, 2015: AutoNation Cure Bowl



April 9, 2012: Georgia State announces move to FBS, accepts invitation to join the Sun Belt Conference on July 1, 2013.

April 21, 2012: Christo Bilukidi is first Panther drafted by NFL (Oakland Raiders, 6th Round).

2012 Season: GSU begins FBS transition and plays its only season of CAA Football.

Sept. 10, 2012: Christo Bilukidi is first GSU football alumnus to play in NFL regular-season game.

Nov. 10, 2012: First head coach Bill Curry coaches his final game at Maine.

Dec. 3, 2012: Trent Miles is introduced as Georgia State's second head coach.

July 1, 2013: Georgia State officially joins Sun Belt Conference.

Aug. 30, 2013: GSU plays its first game as an FBS program. vs. Samford.

Oct. 12, 2013: Panthers play inaugural Sun Belt Conference game. vs. Troy at Georgia Dome.

2014 Season: After completing two-year transition, Georgia State is full FBS member and eligible for postseason bowl games.

Aug. 27, 2014: Georgia State defeats Abilene Christian 38-37 for first win as an FBS program.

Sept. 12, 2015: Georgia State wins 34-32 at New Mexico State for first Sun Belt Conference win.

Dec. 19, 2015: Georgia State plays in its first bowl game, the AutoNation Cure Bowl vs. San Jose State in Orlando, Fla.

Dec. 9, 2016: Shawn Elliott introduced as Georgia State's third head coach.

Jan. 5, 2017: Georgia State University finalizes the acquisition of former Turner Field property.

Aug. 31, 2017: First game at Georgia State Stadium.



GEORGIA STATE STADIUM



PANTHERS FIELD

PANTHERS



GEORGIA STATE STADIUM

MAKE SOME NOISE



UNDER ARMOUR



GEORGIA STATE

GEORGIA STATE PANTHERS



GSU 24

6:25 2nd

GS 11



GEORGIA STATE

GEORGIA STATE STADIUM
PANTHERS FIELD

GEORGIA STATE

PANTHERS FIELD

GEORGIA STATE STADIUM



THE 2017 SEASON marks the inaugural year of Georgia State stadium, the former Turner Field and venue for Major League Baseball's Atlanta Braves that has been converted into the new home of Panther football.

When Georgia State hosts Tennessee State in the first game at Georgia State Stadium on Thursday, Aug. 31, 2017, the facility will feature 25,000 seats and a FieldTurf playing surface. The conversion process incorporated the existing seating areas on the north, west and south sides of the stadium with a new grandstand constructed on the east side, formerly the baseball outfield.

Future phases of the redevelopment of this iconic property will include a new Georgia State baseball stadium, to be constructed on the footprint of the former Atlanta-Fulton County stadium. Residential, retail and corporate facilities will be developed by Carter and Associates.

Georgia State Stadium was originally constructed as the 85,000-seat Centennial Olympic Stadium and used for the 1996 Centennial Olympic Games, including the Opening and Closing Ceremonies and the track and field competition. Following the Olympic Games, much of the north end of the stadium was removed in order to convert it to the 49,000-seat baseball park that served as the home of the Atlanta Braves from 1997 through 2016.

The first baseball game at Turner Field was played on April 4, 1997 as the Braves defeated the Chicago Cubs 5-4. The stadium hosted the National League Division Series a total of 11 times (1997–2005, 2010, 2013) and the NL Championship Series four times (1997–1999, 2001), as well as one World Series (1999), one NL Wild Card Game (2012, the first in baseball history), and the 2000 MLB All-Star Game.

The Braves played their final game at Turner Field, a 1-0 victory over the Detroit Tigers, on Oct. 2, 2016. In November 2016, the Board of Regents approved Georgia State University's purchase of 38 acres of the 68-acre site for \$22.8 million, and the conversion process began in early 2017.





GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY



Georgia State University is an enterprising urban public research institution centered in the historic, cultural and financial hub of downtown Atlanta. With seven campuses throughout metro Atlanta, the university provides more than 50,000 students with unsurpassed connections to the city's business, government, nonprofit and cultural organizations.

Dedicated to ensuring its students' success through graduation and beyond, Georgia State provides a rich co-curricular experience with award-winning housing, hundreds of student organizations and one of the most diverse student bodies in the country. Students, faculty and alumni enjoy a unique campus personality and culture based on ambition, hard work, dedication and perseverance.

ONE OF ONLY FOUR public research universities in the state, Georgia State offers 100 fields of study with 250 degree programs — the widest variety in Georgia. Students can choose from more than 50 nationally and internationally ranked programs.

Founded in 1913, Georgia State is the largest institution in the University System of Georgia with more than 50,000 students, representing every county in Georgia and every state in the U.S. as well as 170 countries.

COLLEGES AND SCHOOLS:

Andrew Young School of Policy Studies
Byrdine F. Lewis School of Nursing & Health Professions
College of the Arts and Sciences
College of Education & Human Development
College of Law
Honors College
J. Mack Robinson College of Business
Perimeter College
School of Public Health

Georgia State has received national recognition as:

- **No. 4 most innovative university in the U.S.***
- **No. 14 best undergraduate teaching in the U.S.***
- **One of the most diverse institutions in the U.S.***
- **No. 1 public or nonprofit university in the U.S. to confer undergraduate degrees to African-Americans****
- **No. 1 public or nonprofit university in Georgia to confer undergraduate and graduate degrees to African-Americans, Asians and Latinos****

Sources:

* U.S. News & World Report (2017)

** Diverse: Issues in Higher Education (2017)





PANTHER FACTS



Georgia State ranks among the **NATION'S MOST DIVERSE INSTITUTIONS** and is the **4th MOST INNOVATIVE UNIVERSITY** in the U.S.

(U.S. News & World Report)

Students from **EVERY COUNTY** in Georgia, **EVERY STATE** in the nation and **168 COUNTRIES**



BY THE NUMBERS

100 **FIELDS** of study with **250** **DEGREE** programs

2.45 Billion Georgia State's annual **ECONOMIC** impact on metro Atlanta

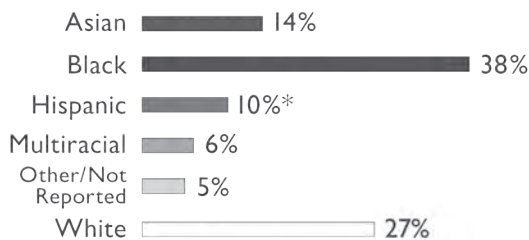
240,276 **DEGREES CONFERRED** since founding year in **1913**

5 **GRAMMY AWARDS** won by the Georgia State School of Music faculty and students

66 **BUILDINGS** on Georgia State's Atlanta Campus

22%
POINT INCREASE in Georgia State's **GRADUATION RATE** over a 10-year span

50,000+ STUDENTS



*Because ethnicity is reported separately from race, and because race is sometimes unreported, the sum of the percentages above may not equal 100%.

AWARD-WINNING RESIDENCE HALLS

5,200
STUDENTS LIVING ON CAMPUS

PHI KAPPA PHAN
PIEDMONT NORTH

AEΔ
PATTON HALL

PIEDMONT CENTRAL

UNIVERSITY COMMONS

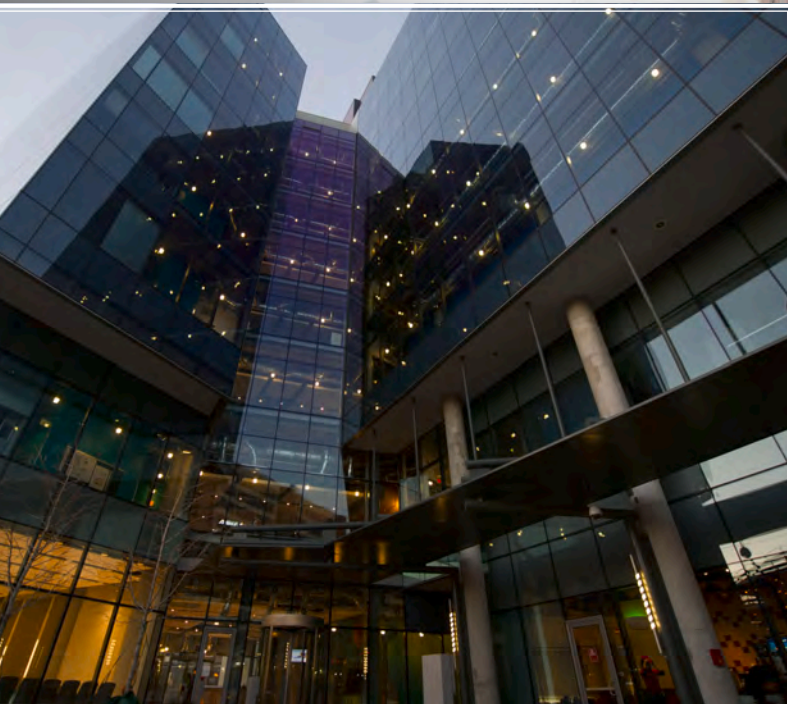
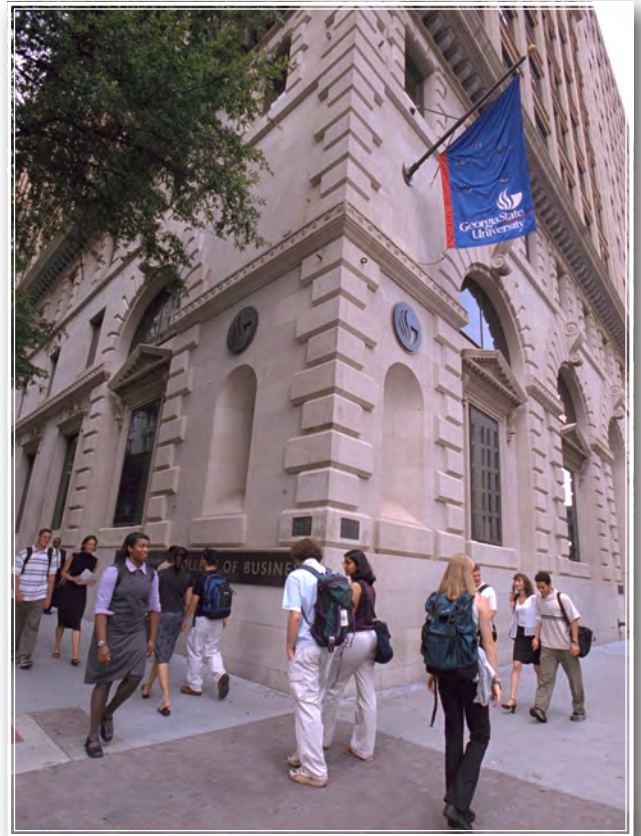
THE LOFTS

GEORGIA STATE CAMPUS

LOCATED IN THE HEART of one of America's great cities, the Georgia State University campus has a profound influence on the changing landscape of downtown Atlanta.

While the building blocks of the university will always be high-achieving students, world-class faculty and ground-breaking research, Georgia State boasts an ever-expanding and improving campus to accommodate that foundation.

With new construction adjacent to historic structures and adaptive reuses, the Georgia State campus continues to grow hand in hand with downtown Atlanta.



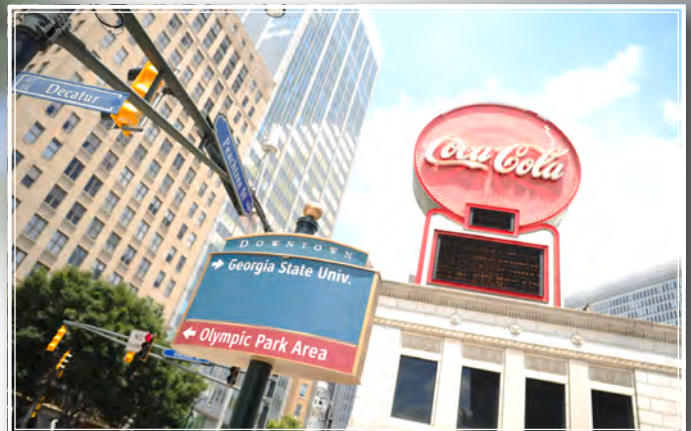
CITY OF ATLANTA



ATLANTA IS INTEGRAL TO Georgia State's educational experience. Students and faculty are part of a living laboratory where they study and create solutions for the challenges of the 21st century.

Atlanta is third in the nation among cities with Fortune 500 company headquarters. Attending school downtown provides students with unparalleled access to internships and jobs. There are more than 120,000 Georgia State alumni in the Atlanta area, giving students ample networking opportunities.

Georgia State students also can take advantage of the university's easy access to Atlanta's rich creative environment, diversity of cultures and lifestyles, and wide variety of indoor and outdoor activities, all within walking distance or a short ride from campus.



CAMPUS HOUSING

SOME OF THE FINEST HOUSING FACILITIES in the nation are on the Georgia State campus. On-campus housing continues to grow, and more than 5,200 GSU students will now live on campus with a variety of options — traditional dorms, apartment-style or loft living.

Georgia State's nationally-recognized and award-winning on-campus housing provides students with opportunities to connect with the university community with educational, cultural, recreational and social programs.

The University Commons, opened in 2007, is a 4.2-acre complex of four buildings surrounding a landscaped courtyard. All units come with fully-equipped kitchens, furnished bedrooms and spacious living areas.

The fall of 2009 saw the opening of Patton Hall, which is suite-style for 325 residents and includes an on-site dining facility.

In 2010, GSU opened its first Greek housing, which consists of nine fraternities and sororities housed in three-story townhomes.

Opened in 2011, the Piedmont North Complex houses approximately 1,200 residents and offers a traditional residence hall lifestyle with all the amenities one would expect from a premier housing program, including a dining facility.

The University Lofts, opened in 2002, contain fully-furnished, loft-style apartments that blend urban style with modern features.

Opened in 2016 is Piedmont Central, is the newest facility and houses 1,152 students and a dining facility.

All residence halls feature a full range of amenities including study and community lounge areas, laundry facilities, 24/7 security patrols, on-site or nearby parking and more.

UNIVERSITY COMMONS



NO. 1 IN THE NATION

Georgia State University's residence halls have been ranked No. 1 in the nation by Dormsplash.com.

PIEDMONT CENTRAL



UNIVERSITY LOFTS



PIEDMONT CENTRAL



PATTON HALL



GREEK HOUSING



ACADEMICSUCCESS

3.03

THE GEORGIA STATE FOOTBALL TEAM set a program record by achieving a 3.03 grade point average for the spring 2017 semester.

Sixty-one Panthers earned academic honors with a spring semester GPA of 3.0 or higher, earning recognition on the President's List (1), Dean's List (29) or Athletic Director's Honor Roll (21).

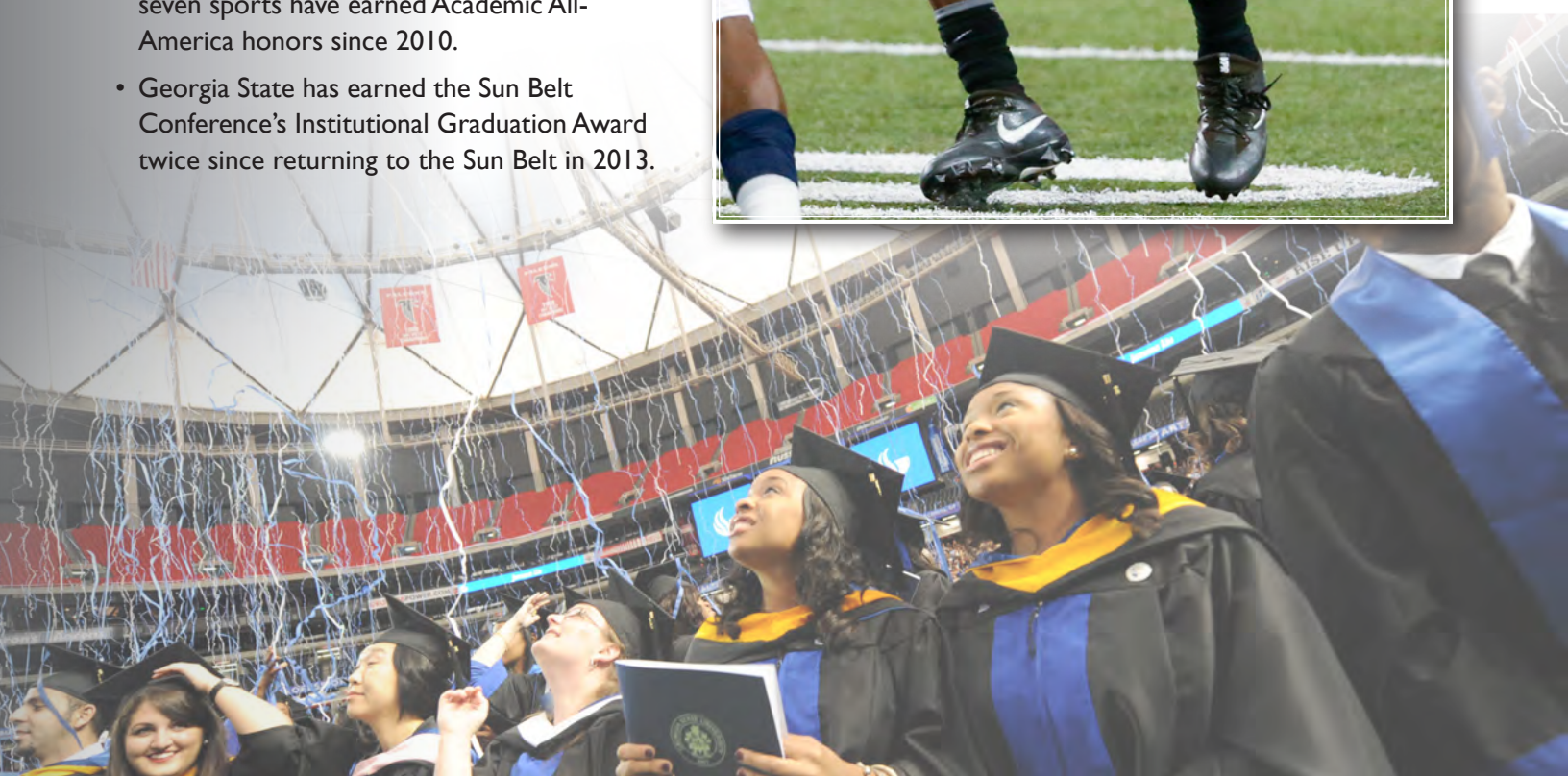
More on Georgia State's academic success:

- Panther athletic teams have combined for a 3.0 grade-point average or higher (semester or cumulative) for 18 consecutive semesters.
- The athletic department achieved a 3.30 GPA for the spring 2017, the highest figure on record.
- A total of 13 student-athletes representing seven sports have earned Academic All-America honors since 2010.
- Georgia State has earned the Sun Belt Conference's Institutional Graduation Award twice since returning to the Sun Belt in 2013.



CHANDON SULLIVAN

Two-time CoSIDA
Academic All-District



SUN BELT CONFERENCE

THE SUN BELT CONFERENCE is in its fifth decade as a vibrant and vigorous part of the collegiate landscape, and has never shied away from taking a leadership role among conferences in its efforts to provide better experiences for its member schools, its student-athletes and coaches, and for its fans and followers.

The 2016-17 athletic season also showed that the Sun Belt Conference takes a back seat to no other league in its competitive balance and in proving itself deserving of its status a member of the NCAA's highest conference tier.

Last season, Sun Belt members participated in six bowl games, a 50 percent increase in the league's former high-water mark. More importantly, Sun Belt teams didn't just get to bowl games ... they won them, again in record numbers.

The league finished 4-2 in the postseason, with more bowl wins than leagues such as the Big Ten and Pac-12. Only two leagues (the ACC and the SEC) won more games, and only the ACC's 8-3 bowl record ranked higher than the Sun Belt's winning percentage. Had ACC member Clemson not won the College Football Playoff Championship game, the Sun Belt would have shared the country's best bowl win ratio.

The Sun Belt also had the most wins and best win percentage among the "Group of Five" peer conferences, including victories over teams in the two top-rated leagues in the final computer rankings.

The bowl success was the crowning jewel of a season full of football successes for a conference that only began the sport in the 2001 season and became the first and still only already-existing league to inaugurate football. The Sun Belt ranked third in the final conference computer rankings among the "Group of Five" - ranking well ahead of the Mid-American Conference and Conference USA, and giving the league a significant financial boost through payouts from the College Football Playoff. The league also moved into third among the five in the four-year average computer ranking of conferences.

Troy became the first league school to crack the Associated Press Football Top 25 during the season, reaching No. 25 on Nov. 14. South Alabama also provided a milestone with a victory over a nationally-ranked opponent over No. 19 San Diego State on the road.

All that success comes as the league finalizes its football transition this season, with Idaho and New Mexico State's football-only memberships ending at the conclusion of the 2017 season and new league member Coastal Carolina becoming a full-fledged football member this fall. Next



year, the Sun Belt will compete in football divisions for the first time and will stage its first-ever championship game at the end of the 2018 season.

The Sun Belt gained much notoriety and notice during the past football season, but that was by no means the league's only hallmark during the past year. Men's basketball - the league's symbol of success in its formative years - had its highest conference RPI in more than a decade with a No. 13 national finish, and conference members found success in several NCAA postseason events.

Individual opportunities also extend between the lines and on the fields and courts of competition. The Sun Belt had 40 players on active NFL rosters during the past season, with representation on 23 of 32 NFL clubs. The league became one of seven conferences nationwide to have back-to-back first-round selections in the NBA Draft when Louisiana's Elfrid Payton went No. 10 overall to the Orlando Magic in 2014 and Georgia State's R. J. Hunter was the No. 28 pick of the Boston Celtics the following year.

Just as important as on-field success, the Sun Belt's commitment to academic excellence remains a league symbol. The league's record book for grade-point averages and academic honors is a constantly-changing document, seemingly with each year's success outdoing the previous year. This past spring, a record 23 league programs were recognized for outstanding performance in the classroom, with those teams earning NCAA Public Recognition Awards for APR scores in the top 10 percent nationally. It was the third consecutive year the Sun Belt has broken its record for teams honored.

During the recent 2015-16 academic year, Sun Belt member institutions awarded over \$50 million in scholarships to more than 3,100 student-athletes, while also providing life experiences such as team building, domestic and foreign travel, community service, mentoring and recognition through honors and awards.

The strength of any league is its membership, and the Sun Belt added to its strength when Coastal Carolina joined in all sports except football in July 2016. CCU is in the middle of a transition to the Football Bowl Subdivision and will be in its first year of full FBS membership in 2018, but will compete for the Sun Belt football championship this season.

Coastal joins Appalachian State, Arkansas State, Georgia Southern, Georgia State, Louisiana, ULM, South Alabama, Texas State and Troy to give the league 10 football members and enable the Sun Belt to inaugurate divisional football play and stage a conference championship game in 2018. Little Rock and UTA compete as Sun Belt members in all sports other than football, helping give the conference a mix of the "old" and the "new." Long-time league members, including charter member South Alabama's distinction in being a Sun Belt member since its founding in 1976, continue to have success, and a solid corps of conference newcomers continue to make their marks on league and national levels.

SUN BELT CONFERENCE BOWL TIE-INS

R&L Carriers New Orleans Bowl vs. Mountain West
Dec. 16, Mercedes-Benz Superdome, New Orleans

Dollar General Bowl vs. MAC
Dec. 23, Ladd-Peebles Stadium, Mobile, Alabama

Raycom Media Camellia Bowl vs. MAC
Dec. 16, Cramton Bowl, Montgomery, Alabama

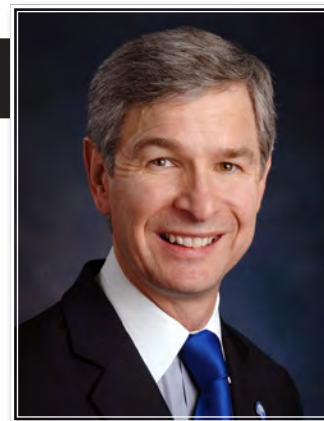
AutoNation Cure Bowl vs. American Athletic
Dec. 16, Camping World Stadium, Orlando, Florida

NOVA Home Loans Arizona Bowl vs. Mountain West
Dec. 30, Arizona Stadium, Tucson, Arizona



MARK P. BECKER

SINCE BEGINNING HIS TENURE as Georgia State University's seventh president in January 2009, President Mark P. Becker has pursued an ambitious vision for the future of the institution and has led it into an unparalleled period of growth and advancement.



Reflecting his vision of the modern public research university, Georgia State adopted a dynamic 10-year strategic plan that has fueled its emergence as one of the nation's premier urban research universities. Dr. Becker was named one of America's 10 most innovative university presidents by Washington Monthly in 2015, and the university was ranked the fourth most innovative university in the country by U.S. News & World Report magazine in 2017.

As a first-generation college student who began his educational career at a community college, Dr. Becker is personally and professionally committed to ensuring that students of all economic backgrounds succeed. In a 10-year period the university's graduation rates have increased by 22 percentage points. Georgia State's graduation rate has already increased by 10 percent, and the university has become a widely recognized national leader in the introduction of innovative programs and initiatives to foster student success. It leads the nation in eliminating disparities in graduation rates based on race or ethnicity, and as one of the most diverse universities in America, is first in the nation among non-profit institutions in graduating African-American students.

The university has set a series of records for enrollment, graduation rates and total graduates. Dr. Becker has placed a high priority on ensuring financial support for students, and need- and merit-based scholarship funds distributed by the university have tripled since his arrival. Under his leadership, Georgia State has set fund-raising records.

Georgia State's consolidation with Georgia Perimeter College (GPC) in 2016 brought the university's student enrollment to more than 50,000, making it the largest university in Georgia and one of the largest in the nation. In mandating the consolidation, the University System of Georgia Board of Regents said it anticipated Georgia State's highly successful student success initiatives would have a major impact on the performance of students at GPC, a two-year college.

Dr. Becker's passion for student success has been matched by his commitment to increasing multidisciplinary research and economic development through the creation

of new research centers. The Second Century and Next Generation initiatives have focused on hiring senior faculty members in interdisciplinary research clusters. This commitment has brought the university to new heights of research accomplishment, as reflected in university records for sponsored research funding.

Global engagement is another important component of Dr. Becker's vision for the modern research university. He has positioned Georgia State faculty and students to thrive in an increasingly complex and global landscape, and has worked with faculty leaders and international partners to enhance Georgia State's global profile. He is particularly committed to developing strong partnerships with universities in rapidly growing economies. The university is strengthening relationships with counterparts in Brazil, China, South Africa, South Korea and Turkey.

Dr. Becker has aggressively advanced the physical development of the university's Atlanta campus, and Georgia State is widely acknowledged as a major catalyst in the revitalization of downtown Atlanta. The university has made major additions to campus housing and dining, research and academic facilities, and intramural and athletics facilities. In 2010 the university added football to its athletics program, and in 2013 introduced beach volleyball and moved to the Sun Belt Conference to advance into the Division I Football Bowl Subdivision level of NCAA competition. With MLB's Atlanta Braves' decision to vacate Turner Field in downtown Atlanta, he led the university's acquisition and renovation of the stadium that became the home for Georgia State football in 2017. In 2017-18, Dr. Becker begins a two-year term as President of the Sun Belt Conference.

Prior to his appointment as president of Georgia State, Dr. Becker was executive vice president for academic affairs and provost at the University of South Carolina and dean of the School of Public Health and assistant vice president of public health preparedness and emergency response at the University of Minnesota. From 1989 to 2000, Dr. Becker was a professor in the University of Michigan's School of Public Health, where he also was

associate dean for academic affairs. He has held academic appointments at the University of Washington, the University of Florida and Cornell University.

Trained as a statistician, Dr. Becker has had a distinguished career in biostatistics and public health sciences. For most of his professorial career he was a member of the faculty in the Department of Biostatistics at the University of Michigan, where he also held appointments in the Institute for Social Research and the Department of Statistics. He was made a Fellow of the American Statistical Association and the American Association for the Advancement of Science. Dr. Becker has been principal investigator on research grants from the National Institutes of Health and the National Science Foundation. He has published extensively in leading journals, and his doctoral students have gone on to successful careers in leading higher education institutions and with multinational companies. He has served on numerous editorial boards, was co-editor of Sociological Methodology, and was a guest editor for Sociological Methods and Research and the Journal of the American Statistical Association.

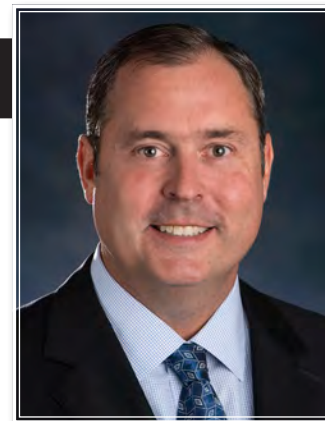
Throughout his career, Dr. Becker has served on boards and committees of civic, government and professional organizations. He serves on the boards of the Coalition of Urban Serving Universities, World Affairs Council of Atlanta, Georgia Chamber of Commerce, Georgia Aquarium, Georgia Research Alliance, Woodruff Arts Center and the Atlanta Committee for Progress. He also serves on the executive committees of the Metro Atlanta Chamber of Commerce, Atlanta Regional Council for Higher Education (chair) and Central Atlanta Progress.

Dr. Becker attended Harford (Md.) Community College, earned his bachelor's degree in mathematics from Towson State University in 1980 and his doctor's degree in statistics from the Pennsylvania State University in 1985. He grew up in Havre de Grace, Md., near Baltimore.



CHARLIE COBB

GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY President Mark P. Becker ushered in a new era of Panther Athletics when he named veteran athletic administrator and “proven program builder” Charlie Cobb as Director of Athletics on Aug. 15, 2014.



Charlie Cobb enters his fourth year at the helm of the Georgia State Department of Athletics, leading a transformation for the program throughout campus and the city of Atlanta.

Cobb was hired in August of 2014 to build a winning program “the right way” per President Mark Becker. Since his hire, multiple new facilities have opened, while student-athletes maintained above a 3.0 grade point average for the ninth-straight year, including a record 3.3 GPA in spring 2017. Georgia State also received the Sun Belt’s Institutional Graduation Award twice since returning to the Sun Belt in 2013.

Among Cobb’s biggest projects has been participating in the acquisition and purchase of Turner Field, transforming the former home of the Atlanta Braves to Georgia State Stadium. Phase One of the project will be complete in August 2017 and includes new east side seating and an artificial surface field for the football team. Phase Two of the five-phase plan will include a new baseball stadium and additional renovations to the stadium as part of a 300-million dollar plan to transform the 68-acre site.

Cobb has overseen the construction of a new weight room at the football practice complex along with a practice facility for

basketball and volleyball next to the Sports Arena. Next on the list is the University’s concept for redeveloping Turner Field into a mixed-use area inclusive of sporting venues.

On the field, the Panthers have garnered unprecedented success as football earned its first-ever appearance in a bowl game in 2015, just months after the men’s basketball team pulled off a shocking upset in the NCAA tournament. Georgia State programs have combined to five Sun Belt Conference championships in his first three seasons, including men’s golf and men’s tennis this past year.

Before returning to Atlanta, Cobb spent nine years as the Director of Athletics at Appalachian State.

Previously he worked for six years honing his business acumen with the Atlanta Sports Council, the Chick-Fil-A Peach Bowl and the Georgia Dome, before his first venture into college athletics as an administrator at his alma mater, NC State.

Through the implementation of the department’s strategic plan, Cobb is focused on building a Culture of Success at Georgia State based on five themes: Academic Achievement, Competitive Greatness, Ethical Behavior, Social Responsibility, and Community Engagement.

Those ideals helped him build and maintain a high-performing program at App State. The Mountaineers won three consecutive Football Championship Subdivision (FCS) national championships, the first three-peat in FCS history. They also brought home eight consecutive Commissioner’s Cup championships (top men’s sports program in the Southern Conference) and four Germann Cup championships (top women’s program). Together, they earned the men’s and women’s awards in the same academic year four times.

At App State, Cobb helped create \$50 million in facilities improvements as the Mountaineers’ fundraising efforts reached all-time highs, including surpassing the \$3 million mark. The jewel of the construction projects was the seven-story Appalachian Athletics Center and the campaign also produced new homes for Mountaineer baseball, softball and soccer, as well as a new indoor practice facility.

The 49-year-old Cobb was a four-year letterwinner as a football player at NC State. He graduated with honors with a bachelor’s degree in business administration in 1990 and earned a master’s degree in sports administration from Ohio in 1992. As a senior center, he was named to the All-ACC second team and was an All-ACC academic selection. He was awarded the prestigious Atlantic Coast Conference’s Jim Tatum Award, which recognizes the senior football player with the highest GPA.

Cobb and his wife, Lindsay, have a son and daughter, 20-year-old Harrison, a sophomore basketball player at Hampden Sydney College, and 17-year-old Branan, who is a high school junior softball player. Lindsay Cobb was an All-ACC goalkeeper for the NC State women’s soccer team from 1988-90.





SEASON PREVIEW

The Georgia State football program enters its eighth season of play with a new stadium, a new coach and a new attitude.

Head coach Shawn Elliott takes the reins of the Panthers, bringing 20 years of experience in winning programs as an assistant coach at South Carolina and Appalachian State.

Elliott's first game at Georgia State will also be the Panthers' first at Georgia State Stadium as the former Major League Baseball venue has been transformed into the home of GSU football.

The Panthers welcome back 51 letterwinners and 17 starters, including nine starters on offense, seven on defense and one specialist.

Offensively, Georgia State returns quarterback Conner Manning, who led the Sun Belt Conference in passing yards per game, and talented pass catchers Penny Hart, the Sun Belt's leading receiver in 2015, and Todd Boyd return from injuries to boost the receiving corps. The Panthers will look to establish a more productive running game behind an offensive line that returns four starters. Seniors Glenn Smith and Kyler Neal are the top returning ball-carriers.

Defensively, the Panthers' strength is a secondary that features one of the best cornerback tandems in the Sun Belt in senior Chandon Sullivan and junior Jerome Smith.

The top play-makers among the front seven are junior outside linebacker Michael Shaw and senior defensive end Mackendy Cheridor. That quartet helped the Panthers lead the Sun Belt in 2016 with 4.9 yards per play allowed.

The Panthers will christen Georgia State Stadium by hosting Tennessee State on Thursday, Aug. 31. The inaugural season in the new venue also features a visit from Conference USA foe Memphis and a Thursday night, nationally-televvised game against Sun Belt Conference foe South Alabama (Oct. 26). GSU's road slate is highlighted by a Sept. 16 game at Penn State.

QUARTERBACKS

Returns: CONNER MANNING, Jaquez Parks, Aaron Winchester

Key Losses: None

Newcomers: Joshua Shim (redshirt freshman), Jack Walker (freshman)

Senior Conner Manning returns after leading the Sun Belt Conference with 268.4 yards passing per game. The graduate transfer (Utah) passed for 2,684 yards in 10 games and tied for second in the league with 16 touchdown passes.

Competition at the quarterback position comes from sophomore Aaron Winchester and junior Jaquez Parks. Winchester started two games last fall when Manning was injured, including a victory over UT Martin.

He passed for 271 yards on 24 completions on the season and was GSU's second-leading rusher with 258 yards (4.2-yard average).

Parks only saw action as the holder in his first year with the program after transferring from Hinds C.C., where he passed for 1,427 yards and 16 touchdowns in 2015.

The Panthers have also added highly-regarded freshman Jack Walker, a 6-3 pro-style quarterback from Madison, Miss. Redshirt freshman Joshua Shim adds depth.

RUNNING BACKS

Returns: GLENN SMITH, Tra Barnett, Taz Bateman (injured in 2016), Kyler Neal, Darius Stubbs

Key Losses: None

Newcomers: None

Due to injuries, the Panthers utilized several backs in 2016, and all return this season, led by seniors Glenn Smith and Kyler Neal. The versatile Smith has bounced between running back and receiver depending on where he was needed most, but he will concentrate on running back this fall. He has more than 2,000 career all-purpose yards, including 509 yards rushing, 745 yards receiving and 779 yards on kickoff returns.

Neal is a physical runner and strong blocker with 946 career rushing yards and eight touchdowns. He rushed for 314 yards and two scores a year ago.



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Sophomores Darius Stubbs and Tra Barnett both contributed as true freshmen last season. Stubbs gained 146 yards with two touchdowns, while Barnett added 109 yards, plus a 90-yard kickoff return for a touchdown.

Although GSU did not add any players at this position, the Panthers welcome the return of Taz Bateman, who missed the 2016 season with a knee injury. He averaged 5.1 yards per carry in 2015 as he rushed for 270 yards and caught 11 passes for 119 yards in just six games.

WIDE RECEIVERS

Returns: TODD BOYD, PENNY HART, Kendrick Dorn (RB in 2016), Devin Gentry, Jawan Nobles

Key Losses: ROBERT DAVIS

Newcomers: Bryson Duckworth (redshirt freshman), Eric Elder (redshirt freshman), Jonathan Ifedi (redshirt freshman), Matlin Marshall (redshirt freshman), Camryn Johnson (freshman), Tamir Jones (freshman)

The wide receiver position graduated one of the top players in school history in Washington Redskins' draftee Robert Davis. Returning standouts Penny Hart and Todd Boyd are both coming off injuries but should be ready for fall camp.

Now a redshirt sophomore, Hart was named Sun Belt Conference Freshman of the Year, first-team All-Sun Belt and a Freshman All-American in 2015 as he led the league in receptions (5.5 pg) and receiving yards (84.5 pg), but he was limited to two games in 2016 before a season-ending foot injury.

Boyd was enjoying a strong 2016 campaign with 33 receptions for 352 yards when he suffered a season-ending knee injury in Game 9. He has 66 career catches for 767 and five touchdowns.

With Hart and Boyd injured, Jawan Nobles and Devin Gentry saw action as true freshmen. Nobles caught nine passes for 179 yards and two scores, and Gentry had one catch while playing primarily on special teams.

The Panthers redshirted four receivers in 2016 in Jonathan Ifedi, Matlin Marshall, Bryson Duckworth and Eric Elder, and two true freshmen join the fold in Camryn Johnson and Tamir Johnson.

TIGHT ENDS

Returns: Ari Werts, Jacob Nesmith, Emiere Scaife

Key Losses: KEITH RUCKER, Bill Teknipp

Newcomers: Roger Carter (freshman)

The Georgia State offense has featured

outstanding tight end play the last three years but has graduated two-time all-conference performer Keith Rucker. Stepping in is junior Ari Werts, who had 21 receptions for 329 yards and three touchdowns in 2016, averaging 16.8 yards per catch.

Werts is backed up by senior Jacob Nesmith, a strong blocker, and former quarterback Emiere Scaife. Freshman Roger Carter joins the mix this fall.

OFFENSIVE LINE

Returns: HUNTER ATKINSON (T), GABE MOBLEY (C), ALEX STOEHR (G), SEBASTIAN WILLER (T), Lucas Johnson, Davis Moore

Key Losses: MICHAEL IVORY (T), Akil Hawkins, Tyler Simonsen

Newcomers: Shamarious Gilmore (redshirt freshman), Nick Meyer (redshirt freshman), Pat Bartlett (freshman), Jalen Jackson (freshman), Kevin Kwapis (junior college transfer), Connor Robbins (freshman), Chris Sibilia (freshman), Malik Sumter (freshman)

Georgia State returns four starters on the offensive line in senior right guard Alex Stoehr, senior right tackle Sebastian Willer, junior center Gabe Mobley and sophomore left tackle Hunter Atkinson.

Stoehr has started every game the last three seasons, a total of 37 straight starts. Mobley is a two-year starter, while Atkinson and Willer moved into the starting five last season.

Redshirt freshmen Shamarious Gilmore and Nick Meyer should make an impact on the line. Gilmore could earn a starting berth at left guard, while Meyer got plenty of action at tackle during the spring.

In addition to the two redshirt freshmen, the Panthers also welcome junior college

transfer Kevin Kwapis as well as incoming freshmen Chris Sibilia, who enrolled in January, Pat Bartlett, Jalen Jackson Connor Robbins and Malik Sumter.

DEFENSIVE LINE

Returns: MACKENDY CHERIDOR, JULIEN LAURENT, Marterious Allen, Clifford Amazan, DeQuezman Kelley, Terry Thomas, Javonte Lain, Malik Ricks
Key Losses: SHAWANYE LAWRENCE, Jalen Lawrence, Tevin Jones, Carnell Hopson, Will Cunningham

Newcomers: Hardrick Willis (freshman), Dontae Wilson (freshman)

Four-year starting defensive end Shawanye Lawrence and several key backups have graduated, but the Panthers return standout defensive end Mackendy Cheridor and starting noseguard Julien Laurent, as well as lettermen Marterious Allen, Terry Thomas and Clifford Amazan.

Cheridor is a three-year starter on defense with 7.5 career sacks and 21 tackles for loss. Laurent is 300-pounder who can anchor the middle.

Sophomore Javonte Lain and seniors Malik Ricks and DeQuezman Kelley add depth on the front line. A pair of promising freshmen could also get in the mix in defensive end Hardrick Willis and tackle Dontae Wilson.

INSIDE LINEBACKERS

Returns: TREY PAYNE, Ed Curney (injured in 2016), Chase Middleton, Charlie Patrick, Demarcus Kirk (RB in 2016)

Key Losses: ALONZO MCGEE, Kaleb Ringer
Newcomers: Jalen Wade (junior college transfer), Trajan Stephens-McQueen (freshman)



FOUR STARTERS RETURN ON THE
OFFENSIVE LINE



SEASONPREVIEW


**CHANDON
SULLIVAN**

One of the top cornerback tandems in the Sun Belt Conference


**JEROME
SMITH**

The Panthers return senior Trey Payne, who is GSU's active leader with 196 career tackles, which ranks eighth in school history. He was fourth on the team with 66 tackles a year ago.

Candidates to fill the other starting role, where the Panthers graduated all-conference linebacker Alonzo McGee, include junior Chase Middleton, who made 47 tackles as a backup in 2016. Sophomore Ed Curney returns after missing the 2016 due to injury, and junior DeMarcus Kirk could make an impact after moving from running back.

Georgia State could look to junior college transfer Jalen Wade for immediate help, along with freshman Trajan Stephens-McQueen.

OUTSIDE LINEBACKERS

Returnees: MICHAEL SHAW, Niemus Bryant, James Traylor, Malik Ricks

Key Losses: ANDREW EVERETT, Jameel Spencer

Newcomers: Kendrec Grady (redshirt freshman), Victor Heyward (freshman), Jhi'Shawn Taylor (freshman)

Outside linebacker Michael Shaw is one of the Panthers' top playmakers on defense. The junior was third on the team in tackles with 76 while leading the squad with 12

tackles for loss and three sacks. He now has 19 career tackles for loss.

Veteran James Traylor and Niemus Bryant return, and redshirt freshman Kendrec Grady moved to outside linebacker from safety in the spring. The Panthers have also added freshmen Victor Heyward and Jhi'Shawn Taylor.

CORNERBACKS

Returnees: CHANDON SULLIVAN, JEROME SMITH, B.J. Clay, Cedric Stone

Key Losses: Bruce Dukes

Newcomers: Trey Chapman (redshirt freshman), Kerryon Richardson (freshman)

With senior Chandon Sullivan and junior Jerome Smith, Georgia State has one of the top cornerback tandems in the Sun Belt Conference. They anchor a GSU secondary that finished sixth in FBS in pass efficiency defense and eighth in passing yards allowed while not allowing any pass longer than 37 yards.

Sullivan has earned accolades on and off the field as two-time All-Sun Belt Conference selection and CoSIDA Academic All-District honoree. He is Georgia State's career leader with six interceptions and 19 passes defended.

Last season, he collected 43 tackle and three interceptions.

Smith is a two-year starter with four career interceptions, including three in 2016.

Senior B.J. Clay is a veteran backup who had three interceptions of his own last year, including one returned for a touchdown. Sophomore Cedric Stone is another solid corner.

SAFETIES

Returnees: BRYAN WILLIAMS, Antreal Allen, Ronald Peterkin

Key Losses: BOBBY BAKER, Cloves Campbell, Trent Hill

Newcomers: DeAndre Applin (junior college transfer), Chris Bacon (freshman), Jaylon Jones (freshman)

The safety position graduated all-conference performer Bobby Baker but returns Bryan Williams, who was granted a sixth season of eligibility by the NCAA in a first for Georgia State football. Williams was fifth on the team with 61 tackles in 2016.

Veteran backups Antreal Allen and Ronald Peterkin also return, and the Panthers will look for incoming junior college transfer DeAndre Applin to make an immediate contribution.



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LETTERMEN RETURNING (51) Offense (22 Lettermen, 9 Starters)

QB: CONNER MANNING, Aaron
Winchester, Jaquez Parks

RB: KYLER NEAL, GLENN SMITH (WR in
2016) Darius Stubbs, Tra Barnett, Taz
Bateman (Injured in 2016)

WR: PENNY HART (Injured in 2016),
TODD BOYD, Kendrick Dorn (RB in
2016) Jawan Nobles, Devin Gentry,
Chancellor Triplett

TE: Ari Werts, Jacob Nesmith, Emiere Scaife

OL: ALEX STOEHR (G), GABE MOBLEY
(C), HUNTER ATKINSON (T),
SEBASTIAN WILLER (T), Lucas Johnson,
Davis Moore, Jamal Paxton (DL in 2016)

Defense (27 Lettermen, 9 Starters)

DL MACKENDY CHERIDOR, JULIEN
LAURENT, Marterious Allen, Terry
Thomas, DeQueszman Kelley, Clifford
Amazan, Javonte Lain

LB: MICHAEL SHAW, TREY PAYNE,
Chase Middleton, Ed Curney (Injured in
2016), Niemus Bryant, James Traylor,
Charlie Patrick, Malik Ricks, Demarcus
Kirk (RB in 2016)

CB: CHANDON SULLIVAN, JEROME
SMITH, B.J. Clay, Cedric Stone

S: BRYAN WILLIAMS, Antreal Allen,
Ronald Peterkin

Specialists (4 Lettermen, 1 Starter)

P: BRANDON WRIGHT, Oliver
Holdenson

PK: BRANDON WRIGHT

LS: Seth-Patrick Holman, Daniel Zeigler

LETTERMEN LOST (21)

Offense (6 Lettermen, 3 Starters)

QB: None

RB: None

WR: ROBERT DAVIS

TE: KEITH RUCKER, Bill Teknipp

OL: MICHAEL IVORY (G), Akil Hawkins
(G), Tyler Simonson (G)

Defense (14 Lettermen, 4 Starters)

DL: SHAWANYE LAWRENCE, Jalen
Lawrence, Tevin Jones, Carnell Hopson,
Will Cunningham

LB: ANDREW EVERETT, ALONZO
McGEE, Kaleb Ringer, Jameel Spencer,
Justin Otiwu

CB: Robert Dowling

S: BOBBY BAKER, Cloves Campbell,
Trent Hill

Specialists (1 Letterman, 1 Starter)

P: None

PK: ROGIER TEN LOHUIS



SPECIALISTS

Returns: P-PK Brandon Wright, P Oliver
Holdenson, LS Seth-Patrick Holman, LS
Daniel Zeigler

Key Loss: PK Rogier ten Lohuis

Newcomers: PK Shavi Bash (transfer), PK
Barry Brown (redshirt freshman), P Jeff
Hollingsworth (redshirt freshman)

Georgia State will look to establish more
consistency in its special teams, which were
an Achilles heel at times last season.

Sophomore Brandon Wright averaged
39.8 yards per punt while handling kickoffs,
but he can also kick placements. sophomore
Oliver Holdenson is a rugby-style punter
from Australia. Placekicker Shavi Bash, a
transfer from Morehead State who sat out last
year, will also compete.

Georgia State was the only FBS
team in the nation that did not
allow any play from scrimmage
of at least 50 yards. The longest
pass allowed was 37 yards and
the longest run was 46 yards.



PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

PLAYERS:

Antreal Allen an-TRELL
Clifford Amazan like Amazon
Tra Barnett TRAY
Niemus Bryant NEE-mus
Mackendy Cheridor muh-KEN-dee
CHER-uh-door
Ruggiero DeLuca roo-ZHEE-do
Jonathan Ifedi ee-FED-ee
Tamir Jones tuh-MEER
DeQueszman Kelley duh-KWEZ-man
Michael Kouassi co-AH-see
Julien Laurent la-RENT
Gabe Mobley .. MAH-blee (not MOBE-lee)
Malik Ricks muh-LEEK
Emiere Scaife a-MEER SKAFE
Chris Sibilia suh-BEE-la
Alex Stoehr STORE
Jhi'Shawn Taylor juh-SHAWN

COACHES:

Nate Fuqua FEW-quay



ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Cl.	Hometown	High School/Previous School
21	Antreal Allen	S	5'11	190	Sr.	Auburn, Ala.	Auburn
95	Marterious Allen	DE	6'2	270	Jr.	Hartwell, Ga.	Hart County
99	Clifford Amazan	NG	6'2	320	So.	Dacula, Ga.	Archer
36	Khai Anderson	CB	5'10	185	R-So.	Atlanta, Ga.	Riverwood
24	DeAndre Applin	S	6'1	210	Jr.	Adairsville, Ga.	Adairsville/Georgia Military
67	T.J. Arnold	LB	6'0	210	R-Fr.	Rome, Ga.	Model
76	Hunter Atkinson	T	6'4	285	R-So.	Flowery Branch, Ga.	West Hall
3	Chris Bacon	S	6'1	180	Fr.	Atlanta, Ga.	Westlake
61	Steven Banks	DL	6'0	290	Fr.	Grayson, Ga.	Grayson
5	Tra Barnett	RB	5'10	180	So.	Elberton, Ga.	Elbert County
64	Pat Bartlett	OL	6'4	295	Fr.	Newtown, Pa.	Council Rock North
96	Shavi Bash	PK	6'3	195	R-Jr.	Roswell, Ga.	Roswell/Morehead State
8	Taz Bateman	RB	5'8	190	R-Jr.	Inglewood, Calif.	Junipero Serra/Long Beach City College
43	Deandre Bowman	RB	5'10	180	R-Fr.	Columbus, Ga.	Pacelli
15	Todd Boyd	WR	5'11	185	Sr.	Moultrie, Ga.	Colquitt County
94	Barry Brown	PK	6'4	180	R-Fr.	Dublin, Ga.	Dublin
34	Niemus Bryant	OLB	6'0	220	R-Jr.	Columbus, Ga.	Carver
41	Blane Cannon	CB	5'9	170	R-Fr.	Houston, Texas	Westfield
45	Roger Carter	TE	6'2	245	Fr.	Columbia, S.C.	Blythewood
22	Trey Chapman	DB	5'11	190	R-Fr.	Madison, Ga.	Morgan County
5	Mackendy Cheridor	DE	6'5	275	R-Sr.	Decatur, Ga.	Columbia
29	B.J. Clay	CB	6'0	190	Sr.	Dacula, Ga.	Dacula
2	Ed Curney	LB	5'11	225	R-So.	Atlanta, Ga.	Carver
97	Ruggiero DeLuca	DE	6'3	225	R-Jr.	Cincinnati, Ohio	Roger Bacon/Miami (Ohio)
1	Kendrick Dorn	WR	6'0	205	R-Sr.	Fontana, Calif.	Los Osos/San Bernardino Valley
86	Bryson Duckworth	WR	6'4	215	R-Fr.	Riverdale, Ga.	Drew
85	Eric Elder	WR	6'1	185	R-Fr.	Stone Mountain, Ga.	Stephenson
59	Deshawn Faltz	LB	6'1	215	R-Sr.	Smithfield, Va.	Smithfield/Louisburg
60	Jaylen Fareed	OL	6'1	310	R-Sr.	Decatur, Ga.	Southwest DeKalb/Georgia Military
71	Chandler Feralin	OL	6'3	240	Fr.	Dalton, Ga.	Southeast Whitfield
14	Devin Gentry	WR	5'10	190	So.	Louisville, Ky.	Male
75	Shamarious Gilmore	G	6'3	285	R-Fr.	Riverdale, Ga.	Drew
26	Kendrec Grady	OLB	6'2	215	R-Fr.	Norcross, Ga.	Norcross
49	Brandon Hamilton	TE	6'2	230	R-Sr.	Riverdale, Ga.	Riverdale, Ga.
18	Penny Hart	WR	5'8	180	R-So.	Buford, Ga.	King's Ridge Christian
37	Victor Heyward	OLB	6'2	210	Fr.	Dacula, Ga.	Mill Creek
48	Oliver Holdensen	P	5'11	210	R-So.	Melbourne, Australia	
98	Jeff Hollingsworth	P	5'7	175	R-Fr.	Lawrenceville, Ga.	Mountain View
66	Seth-Patrick Holman	LS	5'11	200	Jr.	Marietta, Ga.	Walton
14	Ben Hood	CB	5'8	185	R-So.	Atlanta, Ga.	Eagles Landing Christian/Auburn
6	Jonathan Ifedi	WR	6'0	195	R-Fr.	Charlotte, N.C.	Vance
65	Jalen Jackson	OL	6'3	305	Fr.	Duluth, Ga.	Grayson
87	Camryn Johnson	WR	6'4	180	Fr.	Orangeburg, S.C.	Calhoun County
69	Lucas Johnson	T	6'4	285	Jr.	Cartersville, Ga.	Cass
27	Jaylon Jones	S	5'11	175	Fr.	Dacula, Ga.	Dacula
81	Tamir Jones	WR	6'0	180	Fr.	Norcross, Ga.	Norcross
92	DeQueszman Kelley	DE	6'0	295	R-Sr.	Buena Vista, Ga.	Marion County/Coffeyville (Kan.) CC
38	Demarcus Kirk	LB	6'0	206	R-Jr.	Dora, Ala.	Dora/UAB
89	Michael Kouassi	TE	6'4	220	R-Fr.	Lawrenceville, Ga.	Archer
78	Kevin Kwapis	OL	6'8	320	Jr.	Commerce, Mich.	Walled Lake Central/Iowa Western
30	Javonte Lain	OLB	6'2	230	So.	Fayetteville, Ga.	Sandy Creek
76	Justin Lamphear	LB	6'2	235	R-Sr.	North Sutton, N.H.	Kearsage/New England College
48	Maurice Lauchner	RB	5'9	205	R-Jr.	Raleigh, N.C.	Leesville Road/Winston-Salem State



ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Cl.	Hometown	High School/Previous School
91	Julien Laurent	NG	6'4	310	R-Sr.	Toronto, Canada	New Mexico Military Institute
40	Remy Lazarus	S	6'0	190	R-So.	Alpharetta, Ga.	King's Ridge Christian
58	Mark Lancaster	LB	6'1	222	Fr.	Johns Creek, Ga.	Johns Creek
7	Conner Manning	QB	6'1	205	R-Sr.	Lake Forest, Calif.	El Toro/Utah
80	Matlin Marshall	WR	5'9	190	R-Fr.	Evans, Ga.	Evans
28	Mahze McQueen	WR	6'2	180	R-So.	Decatur, Ga.	Arabia Mountain
57	Warren McWilliams	LB	6'0	210	R-Jr.	Norcross, Ga.	Norcross
73	Nick Meyer	T	6'5	260	R-Fr.	Cincinnati, Ohio	St. Xavier
39	Chase Middleton	LB	6'2	235	Jr.	Lilburn, Ga.	Brookwood
72	Gabe Mobley	C	6'2	280	R-Jr.	Moultrie, Ga.	Colquitt County
63	Davis Moore	G	6'4	299	R-Sr.	Loganville, Ga.	Loganville
25	Kyler Neal	RB	5'11	215	R-Sr.	Dallas, Ga.	East Paulding
46	Jacob Nesmith	TE	6'3	270	R-Sr.	Cumming, Ga.	Forsyth Central/Presbyterian
4	Jawan Nobles	WR	6'3	180	So.	Smyrna, Ga.	Campbell
2	Jaquez Parks	QB	6'1	205	R-Jr.	Griffin, Ga.	Griffin/Hinds (Miss.) C.C.
13	Charlie Patrick	LB	6'0	225	R-Fr.	Atlanta, Ga.	Mays
50	Jamal Paxton	C	6'0	280	R-Jr.	Scottdale, Ga.	Tucker
42	Trey Payne	LB	6'0	225	R-Sr.	Warner Robins, Ga.	Northside
31	Ronald Peterkin	S	6'0	185	R-Jr.	Stone Mountain, Ga.	Stephenson
25	Kyndall Phillips	DB	6'0	190	R-So.	Cumming, Ga.	West Forsyth
19	Kerryon Richardson	CB	5'10	160	Fr.	West Columbia, S.C.	Airport
32	Malik Ricks	DE	6'1	235	Sr.	Lithonia, Ga.	Stephenson
79	Connor Robbins	OL	6'9	330	Fr.	St. Augustine, Fla.	Menendez
12	Emiere Scaife	TE	6'2	230	R-So.	Charlotte, N.C.	Mallard Creek
20	Elijah Shah	WR	5'7	160	Fr.	Snellville, Ga.	Grayson
44	Michael Shaw	OLB	6'4	230	R-Jr.	Suwanee, Ga.	Lanier
68	Mitchell Shea	DE	5'10	225	R-Jr.	Norcross, Ga.	Greater Atlanta Christian/Berry
16	Joshua Shim	QB	6'0	205	R-Fr.	Loganville, Ga.	South Gwinnett
70	Chris Sibilia	T	6'7	292	Fr.	Suwanee, Ga.	North Gwinnett
17	Glenn Smith	RB	6'1	200	Sr.	Warner Robins, Ga.	Northside
16	Jerome Smith	CB	5'10	180	R-Jr.	Atlanta, Ga.	Mays
51	Trajan Stephens-McQueen	ILB	6'1	215	Fr.	Charlotte, N.C.	West Mecklenburg
56	Alex Stoehr	G	6'2	299	Sr.	Suwanee, Ga.	North Gwinnett
9	Cedric Stone	CB	5'10	185	So.	Charlotte, N.C.	Independence
23	Darius Stubbs	RB	5'10	200	So.	Riverdale, Ga.	Luella
10	Chandon Sullivan	CB	5'11	195	Sr.	Winder, Ga.	Winder-Barrow
62	Malik Sumter	OL	6'1	280	Fr.	Irmo, S.C.	Dutch Fork
47	Jhi'Shawn Taylor	OLB	6'3	201	Fr.	Cordele, Ga.	Crisp County
55	Terry Thomas	DE	6'3	265	So.	McDonough, Ga.	Luella
33	James Traylor	OLB	6'3	230	Sr.	Columbus, Ga.	Columbus
82	Chancellor Triplett	WR	6'0	180	Sr.	Fayetteville, Ga.	Sandy Creek
53	Jalen Wade	ILB	6'3	210	Jr.	Lincolnton, Ga.	Lincoln County/Georgia Military
10	Jack Walker	QB	6'3	228	Fr.	Madison, Miss.	Madison Central
88	Ari Werts	TE	6'4	225	Jr.	Stone Mountain, Ga.	Stephenson
18	David West	DB	6'1	185	R-So.	Cumming, Ga.	West Forsyth
74	Sebastian Willer	T	6'5	285	R-Sr.	Calhoun, Ga.	Calhoun
20	Bryan Williams	S	6'3	212	6-Sr.	Miami, Fla.	Miramar
23	Nygee Williams-Mitchell	S	5'11	185	R-Fr.	Hoschton, Ga.	Mill Creek
90	Hardrick Willis	DE	6'3	228	Fr.	Jonesboro, Ga.	Mundy's Mill
52	Dontae Wilson	DT	6'0	280	Fr.	Jefferson, Ga.	Jefferson
11	Aaron Winchester	QB	6'2	190	R-So.	Lawrenceville, Ga.	Mount Pisgah
93	Brandon Wright	P-PK	5'10	180	R-So.	Atlanta, Ga.	KIPP Atlanta Collegiate
54	Daniel Zeigler	LS	6'5	240	R-Sr.	Snellville, Ga.	South Gwinnett



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No.	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Cl.	Hometown	High School/Previous School
1	Kendrick Dorn	WR	6'0	205	R-Sr.	Fontana, Calif.	Los Osos/San Bernardino Valley
2	Ed Curney	LB	5'11	225	R-So.	Atlanta, Ga.	Carver
2	Jaquez Parks	QB	6'1	205	R-Jr.	Griffin, Ga.	Griffin/Hinds (Miss.) C.C.
3	Chris Bacon	S	6'1	180	Fr.	Atlanta, Ga.	Westlake
4	Jawan Nobles	WR	6'3	180	So.	Smyrna, Ga.	Campbell
5	Tra Barnett	RB	5'10	180	So.	Elberton, Ga.	Elbert County
5	Mackendy Cheridor	DE	6'5	275	R-Sr.	Decatur, Ga.	Columbia
6	Jonathan Ifedi	WR	6'0	195	R-Fr.	Charlotte, N.C.	Vance
7	Conner Manning	QB	6'1	205	R-Sr.	Lake Forest, Calif.	El Toro/Utah
8	Taz Bateman	RB	5'8	190	R-Jr.	Inglewood, Calif.	Junipero Serra/Long Beach City College
9	Cedric Stone	CB	5'10	185	So.	Charlotte, N.C.	Independence
10	Chandon Sullivan	CB	5'11	195	Sr.	Winder, Ga.	Winder-Barrow
10	Jack Walker	QB	6'3	228	Fr.	Madison, Miss.	Madison Central
11	Aaron Winchester	QB	6'2	190	R-So.	Lawrenceville, Ga.	Mount Pisgah
12	Emiere Scaife	TE	6'2	230	R-So.	Charlotte, N.C.	Mallard Creek
13	Charlie Patrick	LB	6'0	225	R-Fr.	Atlanta, Ga.	Mays
14	Devin Gentry	WR	5'10	190	So.	Louisville, Ky.	Male
14	Ben Hood	CB	5'8	185	R-So.	Atlanta, Ga.	Eagles Landing Christian/Auburn
15	Todd Boyd	WR	5'11	185	Sr.	Moultrie, Ga.	Colquitt County
16	Joshua Shim	QB	6'0	205	R-Fr.	Loganville, Ga.	South Gwinnett
16	Jerome Smith	CB	5'10	180	R-Jr.	Atlanta, Ga.	Mays
17	Glenn Smith	RB	6'1	200	Sr.	Warner Robins, Ga.	Northside
18	Penny Hart	WR	5'8	180	R-So.	Buford, Ga.	King's Ridge Christian
18	David West	DB	6'1	185	R-So.	Cumming, Ga.	West Forsyth
19	Kerryon Richardson	CB	5'10	160	Fr.	West Columbia, S.C.	Airport
20	Elijah Shah	WR	5'7	160	Fr.	Snellville, Ga.	Grayson
20	Bryan Williams	S	6'3	212	6-Sr.	Miami, Fla.	Miramar
21	Antreal Allen	S	5'11	190	Sr.	Auburn, Ala.	Auburn
22	Trey Chapman	DB	5'11	190	R-Fr.	Madison, Ga.	Morgan County
23	Darius Stubbs	RB	5'10	200	So.	Riverdale, Ga.	Luella
23	Nygee Williams-Mitchell	S	5'11	185	R-Fr.	Hoschton, Ga.	Mill Creek
24	DeAndre Applin	S	6'1	210	Jr.	Adairsville, Ga.	Adairsville/Georgia Military
25	Kyler Neal	RB	5'11	215	R-Sr.	Dallas, Ga.	East Paulding
25	Kyndall Phillips	DB	6'0	190	R-So.	Cumming, Ga.	West Forsyth
26	Kendrec Grady	OLB	6'2	215	R-Fr.	Norcross, Ga.	Norcross
27	Jaylon Jones	S	5'11	175	Fr.	Dacula, Ga.	Dacula
28	Mahze McQueen	WR	6'2	180	R-So.	Decatur, Ga.	Arabia Mountain
29	B.J. Clay	CB	6'0	190	Sr.	Dacula, Ga.	Dacula
30	Javonte Lain	OLB	6'2	230	So.	Fayetteville, Ga.	Sandy Creek
31	Ronald Peterkin	S	6'0	185	R-Jr.	Stone Mountain, Ga.	Stephenson
32	Malik Ricks	DE	6'1	235	Sr.	Lithonia, Ga.	Stephenson
33	James Traylor	OLB	6'3	230	Sr.	Columbus, Ga.	Columbus
34	Niemus Bryant	OLB	6'0	220	R-Jr.	Columbus, Ga.	Carver
36	Khai Anderson	CB	5'10	185	R-So.	Atlanta, Ga.	Riverwood
37	Victor Heyward	OLB	6'2	210	Fr.	Dacula, Ga.	Mill Creek
38	Demarcus Kirk	LB	6'0	206	R-Jr.	Dora, Ala.	Dora/UAB
39	Chase Middleton	LB	6'2	235	Jr.	Lilburn, Ga.	Brookwood
40	Remy Lazarus	S	6'0	190	R-So.	Alpharetta, Ga.	King's Ridge Christian
41	Blane Cannon	CB	5'9	170	R-Fr.	Houston, Texas	Westfield
42	Trey Payne	LB	6'0	225	R-Sr.	Warner Robins, Ga.	Northside
43	Deandre Bowman	RB	5'10	180	R-Fr.	Columbus, Ga.	Pacelli
44	Michael Shaw	OLB	6'4	230	R-Jr.	Suwanee, Ga.	Lanier
45	Roger Carter	TE	6'2	245	Fr.	Columbia, S.C.	Blythewood



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No.	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Cl.	Hometown	High School/Previous School
46	Jacob Nesmith	TE	6'3	270	R-Sr.	Cumming, Ga.	Forsyth Central/Presbyterian
47	Jhi'Shawn Taylor	OLB	6'3	201	Fr.	Cordele, Ga.	Crisp County
48	Oliver Holdensen	P	5'11	210	R-So.	Melbourne, Australia	
48	Maurice Lauchner	RB	5'9	205	R-Jr.	Raleigh, N.C.	Leesville Road/Winston-Salem State
49	Brandon Hamilton	TE	6'2	230	R-Sr.	Riverdale, Ga.	Riverdale, Ga.
50	Jamal Paxton	C	6'0	280	R-Jr.	Scottdale, Ga.	Tucker
51	Trajan Stephens-McQueen	ILB	6'1	215	Fr.	Charlotte, N.C.	West Mecklenburg
52	Dontae Wilson	DT	6'0	280	Fr.	Jefferson, Ga.	Jefferson
53	Jalen Wade	ILB	6'3	210	Jr.	Lincolnton, Ga.	Lincoln County/Georgia Military
54	Daniel Zeigler	LS	6'5	240	R-Sr.	Snellville, Ga.	South Gwinnett
55	Terry Thomas	DE	6'3	265	So.	McDonough, Ga.	Luella
56	Alex Stoehr	G	6'2	299	Sr.	Suwanee, Ga.	North Gwinnett
57	Warren McWilliams	LB	6'0	210	R-Jr.	Norcross, Ga.	Norcross
58	Mark Lancaster	LB	6'1	222	Fr.	Johns Creek, Ga.	Johns Creek
59	Dashaun Faltz	LB	6'1	215	R-Sr.	Smithfield, Va.	Smithfield/Louisburg
60	Jaylen Fareed	OL	6'1	310	R-Sr.	Decatur, Ga.	Southwest DeKalb/Georgia Military
61	Steven Banks	DL	6'0	290	Fr.	Grayson, Ga.	Grayson
62	Malik Sumter	OL	6'1	280	Fr.	Irmo, S.C.	Dutch Fork
63	Davis Moore	G	6'4	299	R-Sr.	Loganville, Ga.	Loganville
64	Pat Bartlett	OL	6'4	295	Fr.	Newtown, Pa.	Council Rock North
65	Jalen Jackson	OL	6'3	305	Fr.	Duluth, Ga.	Grayson
66	Seth-Patrick Holman	LS	5'11	200	Jr.	Marietta, Ga.	Walton
67	T.J. Arnold	LB	6'0	210	R-Fr.	Rome, Ga.	Model
68	Mitchell Shea	DE	5'10	225	R-Jr.	Norcross, Ga.	Greater Atlanta Christian/Berry
69	Lucas Johnson	T	6'4	285	Jr.	Cartersville, Ga.	Cass
70	Chris Sibilia	T	6'7	292	Fr.	Suwanee, Ga.	North Gwinnett
71	Chandler Feralin	OL	6'3	240	Fr.	Dalton, Ga.	Southeast Whitfield
72	Gabe Mobley	C	6'2	280	R-Jr.	Moultrie, Ga.	Colquitt County
73	Nick Meyer	T	6'5	260	R-Fr.	Cincinnati, Ohio	St. Xavier
74	Sebastian Willer	T	6'5	285	R-Sr.	Calhoun, Ga.	Calhoun
75	Shamarious Gilmore	G	6'3	285	R-Fr.	Riverdale, Ga.	Drew
76	Hunter Atkinson	T	6'4	285	R-So.	Flowery Branch, Ga.	West Hall
76	Justin Lamphear	LB	6'2	235	R-Sr.	North Sutton, N.H.	Kearsage/New England College
78	Kevin Kwapis	OL	6'8	320	Jr.	Commerce, Mich.	Walled Lake Central/Iowa Western
79	Connor Robbins	OL	6'9	330	Fr.	St. Augustine, Fla.	Menendez
80	Matlin Marshall	WR	5'9	190	R-Fr.	Evans, Ga.	Evans
81	Tamir Jones	WR	6'0	180	Fr.	Norcross, Ga.	Norcross
82	Chancellor Triplett	WR	6'0	180	Sr.	Fayetteville, Ga.	Sandy Creek
85	Eric Elder	WR	6'1	185	R-Fr.	Stone Mountain, Ga.	Stephenson
86	Bryson Duckworth	WR	6'4	215	R-Fr.	Riverdale, Ga.	Drew
87	Camryn Johnson	WR	6'4	180	Fr.	Orangeburg, S.C.	Calhoun County
88	Ari Werts	TE	6'4	225	Jr.	Stone Mountain, Ga.	Stephenson
89	Michael Kouassi	TE	6'4	220	R-Fr.	Lawrenceville, Ga.	Archer
90	Hardrick Willis	DE	6'3	228	Fr.	Jonesboro, Ga.	Mundy's Mill
91	Julien Laurent	NG	6'4	310	R-Sr.	Toronto, Canada	New Mexico Military Institute
92	DeQueszman Kelley	DE	6'0	295	R-Sr.	Buena Vista, Ga.	Marion County/Coffeyville (Kan.) CC
93	Brandon Wright	P-PK	5'10	180	R-So.	Atlanta, Ga.	KIPP Atlanta Collegiate
94	Barry Brown	PK	6'4	180	R-Fr.	Dublin, Ga.	Dublin
95	Marterious Allen	DE	6'2	270	Jr.	Hartwell, Ga.	Hart County
96	Shavi Bash	PK	6'3	195	R-Jr.	Roswell, Ga.	Roswell/Morehead State
97	Ruggiero DeLuca	DE	6'3	225	R-Jr.	Cincinnati, Ohio	Roger Bacon/Miami (Ohio)
98	Jeff Hollingsworth	P	5'7	175	R-Fr.	Lawrenceville, Ga.	Mountain View
99	Clifford Amazan	NG	6'2	320	So.	Dacula, Ga.	Archer





SHAWN ELLIOTT

Shawn Elliott, formerly the co-offensive coordinator and offensive line coach at South Carolina and a coaching veteran with 20 years of experience in winning programs, was introduced as Georgia State's third head football coach by President Mark Becker and Director of Athletics Charlie Cobb on Dec. 9, 2016.

Elliott takes over a Georgia State program that has been playing football for just seven seasons but is positioned for growth with the move into Georgia State Stadium, coupled with the university's continued rise in size and stature.

Before he even coaches his first game at Georgia State, Elliott's impact on the program has been immediately felt. On the recruiting trail, he and his staff quickly assembled an impressive 2017 recruiting class that was the most highly-regarded group of GSU signees yet. And in the classroom, his Panthers achieved an all-time high with a 3.03 grade-point average for the spring semester.

Elliott worked the last seven seasons at South Carolina under Will Muschamp and Steve Spurrier, highlighted by three consecutive 11-win seasons from 2011-13 during the most successful run in the Gamecocks' history. In addition to coaching the offensive line, he was the running game coordinator in 2010 and 2011, was elevated to co-offensive coordinator in 2012, and then served as the interim head coach following

Spurrier's retirement midway through the 2015 season.

Before going to South Carolina in 2010, Elliott served 13 seasons as an assistant coach at Appalachian State. He was an integral part of App State's three consecutive NCAA titles from 2005-07 as well as the Mountaineers' historic upset at Michigan in 2007.

In 20 seasons as a Division I assistant coach, Elliott has been a part of 19 winning seasons and helped coach 16 teams to the NCAA playoffs or a bowl game.

Elliott originally joined the South Carolina staff in 2010 and helped the Gamecocks reach five straight bowl games while coaching some of the most prolific and balanced offenses in school history. The Gamecocks turned in the program's best offensive season, statistically, in 2013, averaging 34.1 points while rolling up a school-record 452.3 yards per game, including 198.5 yards on the ground and 253.8 through the air.

South Carolina's 2014 unit scored nearly 33 points per game while averaging over 440 yards of offense as All-America

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Three consecutive NCAA FCS titles from 2005-07



HEADCOACH



HEAD COACH SHAWN ELLIOTT

Full name: Shawn Hardwick Elliott

Born: June 26, 1973

Hometown: Camden, S.C.

Alma Mater: Appalachian State, 1996

Family: Wife Summer, daughter Maddyn, son Max

COACHING CAREER

1997-09, Appalachian State, assistant coach

2010-16, South Carolina, assistant coach

2015, South Carolina, interim head coach

2017-present, Georgia State, head coach

and All-Southeastern Conference offensive guard A.J. Cann paved the way. In 2010, Elliott's first season in Columbia, his offensive line blocked for record-setting running back Marcus Lattimore, the National Freshman of the Year.

In addition to Cann, a third-round draft pick by the Jacksonville Jaguars in 2015, Elliott developed future NFL linemen Corey Robinson, Ronald Patrick, Brandon Shell, T.J. Johnson and Rokevious Watkins.

Prior to his arrival in Columbia, Elliott coached his entire career at Appalachian State. Beginning in 1997, he worked two seasons as a defensive assistant (1997-98) and then two seasons as the tight ends coach (1999-00) before taking over the offensive line in 2001.

In nine seasons as the Mountaineers' offensive line coach, Elliott's players earned All-America distinction on 12 occasions, including four different

In his first semester as head coach, Elliott's Panthers set a program record by achieving a 3.03 grade point average for the spring 2017 term.

linemen who received first-team All-America accolades. He also coached All-American and future NFL tight end Daniel Wilcox in 2000. In 2003, offensive lineman Wayne Smith was the first pick in the Canadian Football League Draft. From 2005-07, Elliott coached three-consecutive Southern Conference Jacobs Blocking Trophy recipients.

Elliott helped lead the Mountaineers to 10 NCAA playoff berths in 13 seasons with two trips to the national semifinals and three appearances in the quarterfinals

in addition to the three championships.

Elliott was one of three App State coaches to earn the NCAA's Award of Valor for their efforts in rescuing two individuals from a car accident in 2000.

As a player, Elliott was the first player in Mountaineer annals to appear in the NCAA Division I-AA playoffs four separate seasons. He was a four-year letterwinner, helping the Mountaineers to two Southern Conference titles and a combined record of 36-16. He served as a co-captain of the 1995 Appalachian State squad that finished 12-1 while earning all-league distinction as a defensive end.

A native of Camden, S.C., Elliott earned his bachelor's degree from Appalachian State in 1996. He is married to the former Summer Scruggs, also an App State grad and a standout tennis player for the Mountaineers, and the couple has two children, Maddyn and Max.

**COACHINGSTAFF****NATE FUQUA****Defensive Coordinator / Outside Linebackers*****First Year at GSU******@OLBeastCoach03***

Nate Fuqua, formerly the defensive coordinator at FCS quarterfinalist Wofford, is in his first season as Georgia State's defensive coordinator under head coach Shawn Elliott. Fuqua also coaches the outside linebackers, as he did at Wofford.

Helping Wofford to a 10-4 record in 2016, Fuqua directed a defense that ranked fifth in the nation in total defense (287.2 ypg), sixth in scoring defense (17.1 ppg) and 12th in rushing defense (101.8 ypg). The Terriers, who fell to Youngstown State in double overtime in the FCS quarterfinals, posted three shutouts during the season.



Fuqua spent the last 12 seasons at Wofford, his alma mater, including the last three years as defensive coordinator. In each of his three seasons running the defense, the Terriers led the Southern Conference in rushing defense while ranking fourth in the FCS in 2014 and 12th in 2016.

He originally joined the Wofford staff in 2005, assisting with the linebackers for two seasons before taking over as the outside linebackers coach in 2007.

Among the top players he coached was All-American and three-time all-conference outside linebacker Alvin Scioneaux.

He tutored numerous other all-conference and all-freshman selections during his time at Wofford.

A nose tackle in college, Fuqua was a two-time All-American for the Terriers, including first-team recognition as a senior in 2002. He was elected to the Wofford College Athletic Hall of Fame in 2008.

Fuqua (pronounced FEW-quay), 36, is a native of Danville, Ky., where he was an all-state player at Danville High School. He is married to the former Tiffany Webb and the couple has a daughter, Natalie Marie, and a son, Webb Kirkland.

**COACHINGSTAFF****TRAVIS TRICKETT****Offensive Coordinator / Quarterbacks***First Year at GSU**@CoachTTrickett*

Travis Trickett, formerly the offensive coordinator at Florida Atlantic and Samford, is the offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach on head coach Shawn Elliott's first Georgia State staff.

Trickett spent the 2016 season as the Florida Atlantic offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach. Despite an injury-riddled offensive line and inexperienced quarterbacks in a new system, Trickett's offensive unit set school records for rushing yards and rushing touchdowns while the Owls receiving corps produced seven 100-yard efforts.

Before going to FAU, Trickett served five seasons at Samford, including the last three as offensive coordinator. He helped the Bulldogs record five straight winning seasons, highlighted by a Southern Conference championship and NCAA FCS playoff berth in 2013.

That year, Trickett's first as offensive coordinator, he mentored record-setting quarterback Andy Summerlin, the SoCon Player of the Year who passed for a



school-record 3,640 yards.

Samford's 2014 offense averaged more than 30 points per game while posting the program's largest margin of victory in a Southern Conference game (45-0 at Furman) and the program's largest output in a SoCon game (63 vs. VMI).

In 2015, Trickett employed a quarterback duo who led the nation in completion percentage (69.7 percent) while combining for 3,662 yards and 22 touchdowns. The Bulldogs had a season high 752 yards vs. Florida A&M.

Trickett originally went to Samford in 2011 and coached the slot receivers and tight ends.

Trickett's coaching experience includes graduate assistantships with two of college football's most storied programs at Alabama and Florida State. He spent one year (2007-08) as offen-

sive graduate assistant on Nick Saban's staff at Alabama, and then three seasons (2008-10) with the Seminoles, working under both Bobby Bowden and Jimbo Fisher.

During these two stints, he worked with standout quarterbacks John Parker Wilson and Greg McElroy at Alabama, and Christian Ponder and E.J. Manuel at FSU.

Trickett began his coaching career as a student assistant at West Virginia from 2003-07, where he served under head coach Rich Rodriguez and had the opportunity to work with quarterback Pat White.

He earned a bachelor's degree in administration and marketing from West Virginia in 2007 and a master's degree sports administration from Florida State in 2009.

Trickett, 32, was born in Hattiesburg, Miss. He and his wife Tiffany have two children, Maverick and Camilla. His father, Rick, is currently the offensive line coach at Florida State.



**COACHINGSTAFF****CHRIS COLLINS****Safeties*****First Year at GSU******@CoachC_Collins***

Chris Collins joined the Georgia State staff in 2017 to coach the safeties after one season at Western Carolina, where he coached the linebackers.

Collins spent the 2015 season as a defensive graduate assistant coach at Appalachian State, helping the Mountaineers to an 11-2 record and a victory in the Raycom Media Camellia Bowl.

He previously spent two seasons (2013-14) as the secondary coach and special teams coordinator at Catawba College in Salisbury, N.C., while also serving as the academic coordinator for the NCAA Division II program. In his first season at Catawba, Collins coached All-America defensive back L.J. McCray, who went on to play two seasons for the San Francisco 49ers after signing as a free agent.

In 2015, Collins participated in the NFL-NCAA Coaches Academy.

Collins began his coaching career at Western Carolina, his alma mater, by serving as a student assistant in 2010 and then a defensive assistant in 2011-12.

The High Point, N.C., native was an All-Southern Conference defender for the Catamounts who finished with more than 300 career tackles. He was also a three-time selection to the SoCon Academic Honor Roll before earning his B.S. in construction management with a minor in business administration from Western Carolina in 2010.

He is married to the former Kiara Crutchfield.



**COACHINGSTAFF****SKYLOR MAGEE****Defensive Line*****First Year at GSU******@MageeCoach***

Skylor Magee joined the Georgia State football staff as defensive line coach in 2017 after serving in the same capacity at Charleston Southern.

Magee spent the last four years at Charleston Southern, helping the Buccaneers to back-to-back Big South Conference championships and FCS playoff berths while featuring one of the nation's top defenses. CSU averaged nine wins per season in his four years there.

Magee's defensive line was the foundation of a Charleston Southern defense that led the Big South and ranked among the FCS leaders in total defense the last three years.

Last fall, Magee's line helped CSU rank seventh nationally in total defense,



allowing just 294.1 yards per game. The unit was particularly strong in the playoffs, allowing just 185 total yards and 2.9 yards per rush to Wofford, the nation's third-best rushing team. CSU defensive end Anthony Ellis earned All-America honors and was named Big South Player of the Year.

In 2015, the Charleston Southern defense finished No. 10 in the nation, helping the Bucs to their first outright Big South title and FCS playoff berth. In 2013's 10-3 campaign, CSU led the Big South with 27 sacks.

Magee went to Charleston Southern in 2013 with head coach Jamey Chadwell after serving the 2012 season on Chadwell's staff at Delta State in Cleveland, Miss. He also worked under Chadwell

as defensive line coach and co-defensive coordinator at North Greenville in 2009. In between, Magee spent two years as the defensive line coach at Petal (Miss.) High School, highlighted by a runnerup finish in the MHSAA state playoffs.

Magee began his coaching career as a graduate assistant under Steve Spurrier at South Carolina in 2005, and then spent two years as the defensive line coach at Nicholls State in Thibodaux, La.

He was a standout defensive lineman at Southern Miss, where he was a Freshman All-American (2001), a three-time All-Conference USA Academic selection and a CoSIDA Academic All-District honoree.

Magee earned his bachelor's degree in human performance and physiology from Southern Miss in 2005. He and his wife Leslie have two children, Kayla and Gabby.

**COACHINGSTAFF****TRENT McKNIGHT****Receivers*****First Year at GSU******@CoachTMcKnight***

Trent McKnight, who helped coach highly-productive offenses at Samford, joined the Georgia State staff in 2017 as the wide receivers coach for head coach Shawn Elliott.

McKnight filled several roles on the offensive staff in four seasons at Samford, which he helped to four straight winning seasons, highlighted by a Southern Conference championship and NCAA FCS playoff berth in 2013.

He served as run game coordinator and tight ends coach for the 2015 season, when the Bulldogs ranked No. 7 in the nation in total offense (479.7 ypg) and No. 3 in passing offense while leading the SoCon in scoring with 34.6 points per game.

As Samford's passing game coordinator and wide receivers coach in 2014, McKnight tutored all-conference



wide receiver Karel Hamilton, the SoCon's top pass catcher that year who went on to earn first-team All-America honors in 2016 while leading the nation with 10.1 receptions per game.

Hamilton was one of four receivers and tight ends who earned all-conference or all-freshman recognition under McKnight.

For the 2012 and 2013 seasons, McKnight coached the Samford tight ends and inside receivers, helping the 2013 Bulldogs lead the SoCon in passing offense while ranking second in

total offense and scoring en route to the conference title and playoff bid.

He returned to Samford, his alma mater, after one season (2011) as the wide receivers coach at Georgia Military College in Milledgeville.

McKnight served as a student assistant coach at Samford for the 2009 and 2010 seasons, working primarily on defense but also with running backs and special teams. He worked as a recruiting intern at Alabama (2007-08) before beginning his coaching career as an assistant at Oak Mountain High School in Birmingham (2008).

McKnight, who played safety for the Bulldogs in 2006 and 2007, earned his degree in business administration from Samford in 2010.

He and his wife, Ashley, have one son, Beau, born in 2016.



**COACHINGSTAFF****SAM SHADE****Cornerbacks*****First Year at GSU******@Coach_Sam_Shade***

Sam Shade, an assistant coach at Samford the last eight years and a former National Football League defensive back, coaches the Georgia State cornerbacks under head coach Shawn Elliott.

Shade worked with the Samford secondary for the last eight seasons, and in 2014, he was put in charge of the Bulldogs special teams and was named the defensive passing game coordinator.

In 2014, the Samford defense led the nation in passing yards allowed (139.1 per game) and ranked seventh in pass

efficiency defense. The following year, the Bulldogs led the Southern Conference with 16 interceptions (No. 17 in FCS). Samford ranked first or second in the SoCon in pass efficiency defense the last four years.

During his tenure, the Samford secondary produced three NFL draftees: James Bradberry, a rookie for the Carolina Panthers who was drafted in the second round last spring; Jaquiski Tarrt, a 2015 second-round draft pick by the San Francisco 49ers; and Corey White, a 2012 fifth-round pick by New Orleans who

now plays for Buffalo.

Shade himself played eight years in the NFL for the Cincinnati Bengals (1995-98) and Washington Redskins (1999-02). He was the Bengals' leading tackler in 1997 while ranking second on the team in 1998, and then he led the Redskins in 1999.

During his NFL career, his defensive coordinators included NFL Hall of Fame coach Dick LeBeau as well as Mike Nolan, Ray Rhodes and Marvin Lewis.

In April of 2000, Shade received the Redskins' Unsung Hero Award for commitment and community service involvement.

Shade played collegiately at Alabama, where he was a member of the Crimson Tide's 1992 national championship team and was named a team captain as a senior in 1994. He was selected by the Bengals in the fourth round of the 1995 NFL Draft.

Following his retirement from the NFL, Shade began his coaching career as a volunteer coach at Briarwood Christian School in Birmingham, Ala., from 2004-08 before moving to Samford. He also worked as a television commentator in 2003-04.

Shade, 43, is a Birmingham native who attended Wenonah High School, where he was the recipient of the prestigious Bryant Jordan Scholar Athlete Award, given to the state's top student-athlete.

Shade earned his degree from Alabama in business administration and finance.

He and his wife Jacquetta have four children: son Justin and Jacoby and daughters Jaila and Jamyia.



**COACHINGSTAFF****JOSH STEPP****Running Backs / Tight Ends*****First Year at GSU*****@Coach_Stepp**

Josh Stepp, formerly the head football coach and athletic director at Lexington (S.C.) High School, joined Shawn Elliott's Georgia State staff in 2017 as running backs and tight ends coach.

In four seasons at Lexington, Stepp posted a 36-17 record from 2013-16, despite inheriting a program that had gone 3-8 the year before he arrived. The Wildcats posted winning records and reached at least the second round of the playoffs in each of his four seasons.

The highlight of his tenure came in 2015, when he led his squad to a 13-game winning streak and a berth in the state championship game. Along the way, Lexington knocked off top-seeded



and nationally-ranked Spartanburg to advance to the Class 4A, Division II state finals for the first time in 15 years. Stepp was honored as 4A Lower State Coach of the Year and Region V Coach of the Year.

He began his coaching career as an assistant at Pelion (S.C.) High School, his alma mater, in 2007 and continued with assistant coaching assignments at Blythewood High School (2008) and Spring Valley High School, where he served as offensive coordinator in 2009.

Stepp earned his first head coaching position at Dreher High School, where he coached three seasons (2010-12) before taking over as head coach and athletic director at Lexington. He led Dreher to an 8-2 mark in 2012 for the school's best season in more than a decade.

A three-sport standout at Pelion, including all-state honors in football and

baseball, Stepp began his career at Furman. He transferred to Newberry (S.C.) College and enjoyed a record-setting three-year career at quarterback (2004-06), including All-America and National Player of the Week honors. He finished his career as Newberry's all-time leader in passing yards and touchdowns, and he was recently inducted into the school's Athletic Hall of Fame. He is also a member of the Pelion High School Hall of Fame.

He graduated cum laude from Newberry in 2007 with a B.S. degree in physical education and then added a master's in education from the University of Phoenix.

Stepp and his wife Caryn have two daughters, Rilee Hope (9) and Emma Paisley (3). He has a twin brother, Justin, who is the receivers coach at SMU.

**COACHINGSTAFF****CEDRIC WILLIAMS****Offensive Line*****First Year at GSU*****@Coach_CWilliams**

Cedric Williams, a former staff member at South Carolina, joined head coach Shawn Elliott's first Georgia State staff as the offensive line coach.

Williams spent the 2016 season as an assistant strength and conditioning coach at South Carolina following five seasons as the offensive line coach at Newberry (S.C.) College, which he helped lead to NCAA Division II playoff berths in 2013 and 2015.

Williams had five different Newberry players earn all-conference recognition during his tenure. In 2011, the Wolves ranked second nationally in Division II for fewest sacks allowed, giving up only five sacks in 10 games.



In addition to coaching the Newberry offensive line, Williams was elevated to assistant head coach in 2013.

Williams went to Newberry after one season (2010) as the offensive line coach at Mississippi Valley State. After allowing 58 sacks in the year prior to Williams' arrival, the Delta Devils improved to 24 sacks in the 2010 season, one of the biggest turnarounds in Division I-FCS history.

In 2009, Williams served as the offensive line coach at Tennessee State, and his unit led the Ohio Valley Conference in fewest sacks allowed.

Williams has also interned with three National Football League teams as part of the Bill Walsh NFL Minority Coaching Fellowship Program. He participated in the program with the Panthers (2012), Steelers (2013) and Vikings (2015).

Williams began his coaching career as a graduate assistant for the Gamecocks from 2006-08. He served as the interim offensive line coach for the 2008 Outback Bowl.

A four-year starter on the offensive line at South Carolina (1999-02), Williams was a first-team All-SEC performer in 2000 and helped his team to Outback Bowl victories following the 2000 and 2001 seasons.

The Charleston, S.C., native earned his bachelor's degree from the University of South Carolina in sport and entertainment management. He is married to the former Richelle Grant, and the couple has one daughter, Nina.

**COACHINGSTAFF****RUSTY WRIGHT****Inside Linebackers / Recruiting Coordinator*****First Year at GSU******@CoachRustyW***

Rusty Wright, formerly the linebackers coach and special teams coordinator at Chattanooga, coaches the Georgia State inside linebackers on head coach Shawn Elliott's first staff. He also serves as the Panthers' recruiting coordinator.

Wright spent the last four years (2013-16) at Chattanooga in his second stint at his alma mater. In addition to coaching the linebackers all four years, he took on the role of special teams coordinator in 2015.

He helped coach the Mocs to three straight appearances in the FCS playoffs, including a quarterfinals berth in 2014, four consecutive seasons of eight or more wins and one Southern Conference title and two SoCon co-championships.

In 2016, Wright coached All-America



linebacker Nakevion Leslie. During his tenure at UTC, five of his linebackers earned first-team all-conference honors, including two selections in 2016. Punt returner Tommy Hudson, tutored by Wright in 2014, earned All-America recognition.

Before returning to UTC, Wright worked two years helping build a new program at NAIA-member Reinhardt University in Waleska, Ga., where he was the defensive coordinator.

Wright served four years (2005-08) as an assistant at Miami (Ohio), where he was the special teams coach and defensive assistant for two years before becoming the defensive line coach his final two years there. In 2007, the Miami defense led the Mid-American Conference in rushing defense, total

defense, scoring defense and quarterback sacks. The Red Hawks won MAC East titles in 2005 and 2007.

In 2004, Wright served as the defensive coordinator at Butler. He also spent one season coaching defensive line at Gardner-Webb (2009), and one year as the linebackers coach at Furman (2010).

Wright was a four-year letterman at Chattanooga from 1992-95. He caught more than 50 passes as a tight end in his career, playing on offensive units that included future NFL players Terrell Owens, Jerry Ellison and Marrio Grier.

He began his coaching career on the Mocs staff, serving seven seasons (1996-02) in various roles, coaching the linebackers, tackles, tight ends, special teams and the junior varsity squad.

The native of Petticoat Junction, S.C., earned his degree in sports administration from Chattanooga in 1996. Wright is married to the former Kelley Black, who was a volleyball letterwinner at UTC, and the couple has one daughter, Madison, a basketball player at Belmont.





SCOTT HOLSOPPLE

Head Strength Coach

Scott Holsopple is in his third year as Georgia State's head strength coach, joining the program in 2015 after three years as the director of football strength and conditioning at Kansas.

Before going to Kansas, Holsopple spent five years at Florida, where he worked as the top assistant with the Gator football program. At Florida, Holsopple worked under the highly-regarded Mickey Marotti, who is now the assistant athletic director for football sports performance for Ohio State.

During Holsopple's time at Florida, the Gators won the 2008 BCS National Championship while compiling a 50-17 record in his five years. Florida appeared in five straight bowl games with two BCS bowl appearances, and Holsopple helped mentor 18 athletes who went on to be drafted into the NFL, including six first-round draft picks.

Holsopple spent the 2006-07 season working with the men's basketball program at Kentucky.

That followed a six-year stint at Marquette, where he began working with the men's basketball program in the fall of 2000 before he was elevated to head strength and conditioning coach for his final five years. In that position, Holsopple was responsible for all 14 of the Golden Eagles' Division I athletic programs.

He worked with Dwayne Wade as the future NBA star led Marquette to the 2003 NCAA Final Four.

Before going to Marquette, Holsopple served as a strength and conditioning assistant at Penn State, his alma mater, where he helped develop and implement a comprehensive, year-round strength, conditioning and agility program for the school's 28 athletic teams.

Holsopple began his career in the field as an intern at Notre Dame under Marotti. He also served the strength and conditioning coordinator at Ken Chertow's Olympian Wrestling Camp.

A native of Happy Valley, Pa., Holsopple earned his bachelor's degree in kinesiology from Penn State in 2000. He earned All-America recognition as a boxer at Penn State.



BOB MURPHY

Associate AD for Sports Medicine & Nutrition

Bob Murphy, associate director of athletics for sports medicine and nutrition, is entering his 11th year at Georgia State.

In addition to serving as the head athletic trainer for football, he oversees all aspects of the sports medicine and nutrition departments.

He originally came to Georgia State in 2007 as head athletic trainer and was elevated to assistant athletic director in 2008 and then to associate athletic director in 2011. He previously worked directly with the men's and women's basketball programs.

Murphy joined the GSU staff from the United States Military Academy in West Point, N.Y., where he served as assistant athletic trainer, working with the football, men's basketball and baseball teams.

He serves as secretary and treasurer for the College Athletic Trainers' Society.

Murphy earned his bachelor of science degree in sports medicine at Marietta College in 1998, and then he completed his master of science degree in exercise science at Syracuse in 2000.

A native of Cleveland, Ohio, Murphy is married to the former Josephine Lee, and the couple has two sons, Benjamin and Jason.



STEVE WOJCIKOWSKI

Assistant AD for Football Operations

Steve Wojcikowski, a member of the Georgia State Athletics staff since 2013, was named assistant athletic director for football operations in July 2016.

Wojcikowski originally joined the GSU staff as assistant athletic director for facilities and operations. In that role for three-plus years, he was responsible for all GSU athletics facilities as well as event management for all sports.

Prior to joining GSU, Wojcikowski served as the director of athletic events Marshall in Huntington, W.Va., in his second stint there. He was the game operations manager for all sports and the event coordinator and facility manager for the football and basketball venues.

He began at Miami (Fla.) as assistant director of athletic events.

He earned his master's degree in sport administration from Marshall in 2008 while working as a graduate assistant in the athletic facilities management and game day operations department.

Wojcikowski graduated from Medaille College in Buffalo, N.Y., with a bachelor's degree in sport management in 2005. He is married to the former Amanda Smith.



NICHOLAS VOGT

Equipment Manager

Nicholas Vogt enters his fifth season with the Georgia State program as the equipment manager. He joined the GSU staff in 2013 after five years at Indiana.

At Indiana, Vogt spent his last two years as the assistant football equipment manager after serving as the equipment manager for Olympic sports.

Before his stint with the Hoosiers, Vogt worked one year as the assistant director of equipment operations at Montana State and one year as the assistant equipment manager at The Citadel. He also served internships with a pair of National Football League teams, the Houston Texans (2006) and Indianapolis Colts (2004).

Vogt is a 2006 graduate of Indiana, where he worked with the football program as a student equipment manager. He is a certified member of the Athletic Equipment Managers Association.

Vogt is married to the former Liz White.



DANIEL WILCOX

**Director of Player
Personnel & Recruiting**

Former National Football League player Daniel Wilcox is in his first year as Georgia State's Director of Player Personnel and Recruiting.

A nine-year NFL veteran, Wilcox joined head coach Shawn Elliott's first staff at Georgia State in February 2017 after one season as an assistant coach at Georgia Military College, the highly successful junior college program in Milledgeville, Ga. He previously coached four years at the prep level as an assistant at Decatur, Tucker and Grady High Schools in the Atlanta area.

After a standout playing career as a tight end at Appalachian State, Wilcox signed with the New York Jets as an undrafted free agent in 2001. He moved to the Tampa Bay Buccaneers in 2002, and was a member of the Super Bowl XXXVII champions.

A stint in NFL Europe with the Rhein Fire followed before he began a five-year run with the Baltimore Ravens in 2004, enjoying his most productive seasons with the Ravens. His NFL statistics include 76 career receptions for 576 yards and eight touchdowns. He was a finalist Byron "Whizzer" White NFL Man of the Year Award by the National Football League Players Association in 2008.

Wilcox completed the NFL/NCAA Coaching Academy in 2009 and the NFL's Broadcast Bootcamp in 2007.

An Atlanta native, Wilcox attended Decatur High School and Georgia Military College before going to Appalachian State, where he earned All-America honors in 2000. He was inducted into the Appalachian State Athletics Hall of Fame in 2015.

Wilcox earned his degree from Appalachian State in communication/advertising in 2010. He is married to the former Shauna Chin and has two sons, Julian, 7, and Tristan, 12.



GINNY THOMPSON

**High School Relations
Recruiting Coordinator**

Ginny Thompson was named Georgia State football's High School Relations Recruiting Coordinator in March 2017.

Thompson joined head coach Shawn Elliott's staff from Appalachian State, where she served as assistant director of athletic development from 2015-17. She spent a total of five years on the Mountaineers' development staff, previously serving as an intern and then development assistant. During her time there, she worked extensively with event planning and fund-raising.

Thompson earned her bachelor's degree in recreation management-tourism management from Appalachian State in 2011 and then added a master's degree in higher education, community college and university leadership in 2014, also from App State.

A native of Johns Creek in suburban Atlanta, Thompson was a student-athlete for the Mountaineers, serving as a co-captain for the women's golf team.



MATT AXELROD

Football Video Coordinator

Matt Axelrod enters his fifth year as Georgia State's football video coordinator.

He was named the 2016-17 Sun Belt Conference Video Coordinator of the Year by the Collegiate Sports Video Association.

Axelrod began working with the GSU program as an intern in 2011 and was elevated to coordinator before the 2013 season.

As an undergraduate student at Florida State, he worked with the Seminole athletic department as an assistant student videographer.

Axelrod earned his bachelor's degree in American history from Kennesaw State in 2013. He is married to the former Michelle Porter.



TYLER NEMEC
Graduate Assistant



TRAVIAN ROBERTSON
Graduate Assistant



SUSAN EDWARDS
Administrative Assistant



BRANDON DOBO
Assistant Athletic Trainer



RON MOSES
Director of Football Academics



PLAYER PROFILES

**ANTREAL
ALLEN**

S • 5-11, 190 • Sr.
Auburn, Ala.
Auburn HS

21**ACADEMIC HONORS:**

- Sun Belt Conference Commissioner's List, 2014-15
- Sun Belt Conference Honor Roll, 2015-16
- Dean's List, Fall 2014, Spring 2015
- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Fall 2015; Spring 2016, Fall 2016, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Three-year letterwinner who has been a key backup in the secondary ... Played cornerback his first two seasons before moving to safety in 2016.

2016: Played in 10 games as a backup in the secondary and special teams contributor ... Made 10 tackles on the season.

2015: Finished with 10 tackles and an interception ... Grabbed an interception in the fourth quarter of GSU's win at Texas State ... Made one of the key defensive plays in 34-32 win at New Mexico State with pass breakup in the end zone on NMSU's try for a game-tying, two-point conversion in the fourth quarter ... Career-high five tackles at Oregon.

2014: Earned playing time as a true freshman ... Played in eight games, including a start in the season finale vs. Texas State ... Credited with six tackles, with a high of three in the Texas State game.

HIGH SCHOOL: A consensus three-star prospect by 247Sports, Rivals, ESPN and Scout ... Earned first-team all-state honors in Class 6-A from the Alabama Sports Writers Association ... Collected 38 solo tackles, 42 total tackles and six interceptions as a senior ... Helped Auburn High School to a 13-2 record and a berth in the Class 6-A state championship game ... Coached by Tim Carter ... Also played basketball and baseball.

PERSONAL: Full name is Antreal Raheem Allen ... Born April 30, 1995 ... Son of James Coley ... Majoring in computer information systems.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	PB	FR	FF
2014	8	6-0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
2015	10	7-3	10	0	0	1-1	0	0	0
2016	10	8-1	9	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	28	21-4	25	0	0	1-1	0	0	0

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 5 vs. Oregon, 2015

**MARTERIOUS
ALLEN**

DE • 6-2, 270 • Jr.
Hartwell, Ga.
Hart County HS

95

AT GEORGIA STATE: Two-year letterwinner on the defensive line who has played inside and outside.

2016: Started eight games at either noseguard or defensive end ... Finished with 41 tackles ... Made one of the most memorable defensive plays of the season when he recovered a fumble in the backfield and returned it 23 yards for a touchdown in 31-6 win over UT Martin. Also broke up a pass in the game ... Had a sack vs. Texas State ... Career-high seven tackles at Idaho, plus six tackles vs. Wisconsin, Texas State and Troy.

2015: True freshman who saw his first action in Game 3 at Oregon and played in every game from there ... Backup at defensive end who also played on kickoff return ... Had tackles for loss vs. Oregon and Georgia Southern.

HIGH SCHOOL: Earned honorable mention all-state recognition in Class AAA from the Atlanta Journal-Constitution ... First-team all-region (8-AAA) ... Collected 77 tackles with six sacks as a junior at Hart County High School.

PERSONAL: Full name is Marterious Narier Allen ... Born Oct. 20, 1996 ... Parents are Mario Allen and Consuelo Mattison ... Majoring in interdisciplinary studies.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	PB	FR	FF
2015	11	2-2	4	2-2	0	0	0	0	0
2016	12	22-19	41	1.5-6	1-4	0	1	1-23	0
Total	23	24-21	45	3.5-8	1-4	0	1	1-23	1

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	Blk
Ball State	2-1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Air Force	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wisconsin	4-2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
App State	2-2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Texas State	4-2	6	1-4	1-4	0	0	0	0	0
Troy	5-1	6	0	0.5-2	0	0	0	0	0
UT Martin	1-1	2	0	0	0	(td) 1-23	0	1	0
South Ala.	0-1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ark State	4-0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ULM	0-2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GS	1-3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Idaho	5-2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

2015	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	Blk
Charlotte	DNP	DNP							
NMSU	DNP	DNP							
Oregon	0-1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liberty	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
App State	1-1	2	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	0



PLAYER PROFILES

Ball State.....	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arkansas State.....	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ULL	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Texas State.....	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
USA.....	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Troy	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ga Southern... 1-0		1	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	0
SJS.....	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 7 vs. Idaho, 2016

Fumble Recoveries: 1 vs. UT Martin, 2016 (23-yard TD)



CLIFFORD AMAZAN

NG • 6-2, 320 • So.
Dacula, Ga.
Archer HS

99

ACADEMIC HONORS:

- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Massive defensive lineman who signed with the Panthers in 2016 ... Earned limited playing time as a true freshman, seeing action in two games ... Made two tackles, both against UT Martin.

HIGH SCHOOL: Helped Archer High School to a three-year record of 33-4 in Class AAAAAA, Georgia largest classification, including a state runner up finish in 2014 and an appearance in the final eight in 2015 ... Honorable mention all-county by the Touchdown Club of Gwinnett ... Chosen for the Rivalries of Gwinnett all-star game in December ... Played for coach Andy Dyer.

PERSONAL: Clifford Amazan was born Feb. 24, 1998 ... Son of Charles and Claudinette Amazan ... Last name pronounced like "Amazon."

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	PB	FR	FF
2016.....	2	2-0	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 2 vs. UT Martin, 2016



KHAI ANDERSON

CB • 5-10, 185 • R-So.
Atlanta, Ga.
Riverwood HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Backup in the secondary ... Redshirted in 2016 ... Played running back as a freshman ... Joined the program in 2015 and was pressed into service after injuries decimated the backfield ... Played in two games (Appalachian State, Ball State) and carried the ball three times.

HIGH SCHOOL: Two-time all-region selection as a defensive back at Riverwood High School ... Earned first-team honors as a junior and second-team accolades as a senior in Region 7-A AAAA.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	Att	Yds	TD	LP	Rec	Yds	TD	LP
2015.....	2	3	-2	0	7	0	0	0	0
2016.....			Redshirted						
Total.....	2	3	-2	0	7	0	0	0	0



DEANDRE APPLIN

S • 6-1, 210 • Jr.
Adairsville, Ga.
Adairsville HS / Georgia Military

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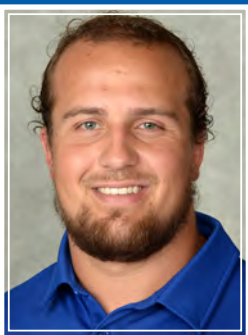
AT GEORGIA STATE: Junior college transfer who signed with the Panthers in 2017 and could make an immediate impact at safety.

JUNIOR COLLEGE/HIGH SCHOOL: Made 42 tackles, three sacks, six tackles for loss, one forced fumble and three pass breakups at Georgia Military College in 2016 ... Coached by Bert Williams ... Honorable mention all-state in Class AAA by the Atlanta Journal-Constitution in 2014 as a senior at Adairsville High School, when he recorded 56 tackles, four tackles for loss, three interceptions, 10 pass breakups, and four forced fumbles ... All-Area by the Rome News-Tribune ... Two-time All Region 5-AAA.

PERSONAL: Full name is DeAndre Deshawn Applin ... Son of Andre and Nicole Applin ... Born Jan. 29, 1997.



PLAYER PROFILES


**HUNTER
ATKINSON**

T • 6-4, 285 • R-So.
Oakwood, Ga.
West Hall HS

76

ACADEMIC HONORS:

- Dean's List, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Returning starter at left tackle ... Started every game after moving from tight end to offensive tackle in the spring of 2016 ... Joined the program in 2015 after originally signing with Georgia in 2014 ... Practiced with the team in 2015 while red-shirting.

HIGH SCHOOL: All-state tight end as a senior at West Hall High School ... First-team all-state in Class AAA in 2013 by the Georgia Sports Writers Association ... Also earned honorable mention all-state honors from the Atlanta Journal-Constitution ... Named the Region 7-AAA Offensive Player of the Year ... Rivals.com three-star prospect...Scout.com three-star prospect, No. 47 tight end nationally ... 247Sports.com three-star prospect, No. 15 TE nationally, No. 39 player in the state ... Played in the GACA North-South game ... Caught 51 passes for 704 yards and 11 touchdowns during his senior season ... Coached by Tony Lotti.

PERSONAL: Full name is Codi Hunter Atkinson ... Born Sept. 9, 1995 ... Parents are Chris and Mary Atkinson ... Major is undeclared.


**CHRIS
BACON**

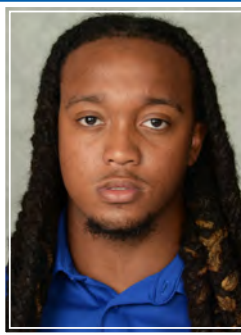
S • 6-1, 180 • Fr.
Atlanta, Ga.
Westlake HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Safety prospect in the 2017 signing class.

HIGH SCHOOL: Three-star prospect by Rivals and 247Sports ... First-team All-Region 2-A-A-A-A-A-A-A ... Helped Westlake High School reach the state semifinals in Class A-A-A-A-A-A-A, Georgia's largest classification.

PERSONAL: Christopher J. Bacon was born April 20, 1999 ... Son of Cynthia Taylor.


**TRA
BARNETT**

RB • 5-10, 180 • So.
Elberton, Ga.
Elbert County HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Speedy running back and return specialist who earned playing time as a true freshman ... 2016 signee.

2016: Played in eight games as a true freshman, rushing for 107 yards on 22 carries (4.9 yard per carry) ... Averaged 24.5 yards on 13 kickoff returns with one touchdown ... Also caught three passes for 29 yards ... Saw his first action in Game 5 vs. Texas State, when he had three carries for 31 yards and two kickoff returns for 33 yards ... Returned a kickoff 90 yards for a touchdown vs. Arkansas State ... Added a 32-yard return vs. ULM.

HIGH SCHOOL: Helped lead Elbert County High School to the state quarterfinals in Class AAA ... Earned all-county honors as a running back from the Elberton Star ... Also played safety and returned punts and kickoffs ... Four-year letterwinner for coach Sid Fitts.

PERSONAL: Full name is LaTravias Keyshawn Barnett but goes by Tra (pronounced TRAY) ... Born Sept. 14, 1997 ... Parents are LaJarvon Keith Barnett and Sherry Fortson Browner ... Majoring in marketing.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	Att	Yds	Avg	TD	LP	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	LP
2016	8	22	107	4.9	0	13	3	29	9.7	0	12

Year	G	KOR	Yds	Avg	TD	LP	AIIP
2016	8	13	318	24.5	1	90	454

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016	Att	Yds	TD	LP	Rec	Yds	TD	LP	KR	Yds	LP	All-P	TD
Texas State	3	31	0	13	0	0	0	0	2	33	21	64	
Troy	5	20	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	
UT Martin	6	23	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	
South Ala	0	0	0	0	1	9	0	9	2	36	18	45	
Ark State	3	11	0	5	2	20	0	12	1	90	90	121	90KR
ULM	2	9	0	5	0	0	0	0	4	80	32	89	
GS	2	6	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	
Idaho	1	7	0	7	0	0	0	0	4	79	29	86	

CAREER HIGHS

Rushing Attempts: 6 vs. UT Martin, 2016
Yards Rushing: 31 vs. Texas State, 2016
Receptions: 2 vs. Arkansas State, 2016
Yards Receiving: 20 vs. Arkansas State, 2016
Points: 10 vs. VMI, 2015; Butler, 2015



PLAYER PROFILES



PAT BARTLETT

OL • 6-5, 295 • Fr.
Newtown, Pa.
Council Rock North HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Offensive line prospect who signed with the Panthers in 2017.

HIGH SCHOOL: Earned a three-star rating and was tabbed the No. 32 player in Pennsylvania by 247Sports Helped Council Rock North High School amass over 1,500 yards rushing in 2016 while allowing only nine sacks in nine games ... First-team All-Suburban One League ... Selected to play in the Blue-Grey All-American Bowl at AT&T Stadium in Arlington, Texas ... Team captain for coach Matt McHugh.



SHAVI BASH

PK • 6-3, 195 • R-Jr.
Roswell, Ga.
Roswell HS / Morehead State

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ACADEMIC HONORS:

- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Placekicker who transferred from Morehead State ... After sitting out the 2016 season, he has two years of eligibility beginning in 2017.

AT MOREHEAD STATE: Honorable mention All-Pioneer Football League in 2015 ... Hit 13-of-19 field goals, with a long of 41 yards vs. Jacksonville ... Was 34-of-37 on PATs ... Averaged 58.7 yards on 59 kickoffs ... Hit a game-winning 23-yard field goal in the third overtime vs. Drake ... Appeared in nine games as kickoff specialist in 2014 and had four touchbacks ... Made two tackles in 2015 and six in 2014.

HIGH SCHOOL: All-region kicker at Roswell High School ... Connected on 8-of-9 field goals as a senior ... Also a soccer standout

PERSONAL: Shavi Bash was born May 7, 1996 in Argentina ... Parents are David and Estela Bash.

CAREER STATISTICS (at Morehead State)

Year	G	PAT	FG	0-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LG	Pts
2014	9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0
2015	11	34-37	13-19	5-7	7-9	1-3	0-0	41	73
Total	20	34-37	13-19	5-7	7-9	1-3	0-0	41	73

FIELD GOALS (2015): [29VMI], [31VMI], 28KentuckyChristian, [25Davidson], 41Davidson, [39Davidson], [41Jacksonville], [32Jacksonville], [37Butler], [21Butler], [36Campbell], 41Drake, 37Drake, [23Drake], [37Dayton], 37Marist, 26Marist, [25Marist], [37Marist]

CAREER HIGHS

PAT: 5 vs. Drake, 2015

Field Goals: 2 vs. VMI, 2015; Davidson, 2015; Butler, 2015; Marist, 2015

FG Attempts: 4 vs. Marist, 2015

Long Field Goal: 41 vs. Jacksonville, 2015

Points: 10 vs. VMI, 2015; Butler, 2015



TAZ BATEMAN

RB • 5-8, 190 • R-Jr.
Inglewood, Calif.
Junipero Serra HS / Long
Beach City College

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Versatile skill player with speed and explosiveness but has been hampered by injuries ... Sat out the 2016 season after suffering a knee injury (torn ACL) on the first day of preseason camp ... Missed six games in 2015 with a broken arm ... Enrolled for the summer 2015 after one season at Long Beach City College ... Changed to jersey No. 8 after wearing No. 22 in 2015.

2015: Made an impact at running back in his first year with the program, despite missing six games due to injury ... Was off to a great start before suffering a broken arm in Game 2 vs. New Mexico State. Missed six games ... Finished the season with 270 yards rushing and 11 receptions for 118 yards ... Averaged 5.1 yards per carry ... Scored one touchdown rushing and one receiving.

Caught a 24-yard touchdown pass vs. Charlotte in his GSU debut. Totalled 100 all-purpose yards with nine rushes for 63 yards and three catches for 37 yards ... Made an immediate impact in his return vs. Texas State (Game 9), rushing for 51 yards on eight carries, including a 5-yard touchdown run ... Rushed for 52 yards on 10 attempts and caught two passes in win over Troy ... Had a season-long 45-yard reception in win over Georgia Southern.

JUNIOR COLLEGE/HIGH SCHOOL: Averaged 161.7 all-purpose yards per game in one season at Long Beach (Calif.) City College ... Played running back and rushed for 1,135 yards and eight touchdowns, averaging 103.2 yards per game ... Added 36 receptions for 452 yards and three scores ... Also returned 16 punts for 130 yards, including one touchdown, and three kickoffs for 62 yards ... Earned all-state honors for coach Brett Peabody ... Played at Junipero Serra High School, where he suffered an ankle



PLAYER PROFILES

injury as a senior in 2012 ... Also attended Blair Academy prep school.

PERSONAL: Given name is Anterio DeAndre Bateman but goes by Taz ... Son of Tamara Latta ... Born April 30, 1995 ... Majoring in managerial science.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	Att	Yds	Avg	TD	LP	Rec	Yds	TD	LP
2015	7	50	253	5.1	1	24	11	118	1	45

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2015	Rsh	Yds	TD	LP	Rec	Yds	TD	LP	All-P	TD
Charlotte	9	63	0	24	3	37	1	24	100	24 (rec)
NMSU	6	36	0	11	1	6	0	6	42	
<i>Injured, missed 6 games</i>										
Texas State	8	51	1	23	1	2	0	2	25	5 (rush)
USA	7	16	0	6	1	1	0	1	17	
Troy	10	52	0	14	2	11	0	8	63	
GS	8	24	0	10	2	52	0	45	76	
SJS	2	11	0	9	1	9	0	9	20	

CAREER HIGHS

Rushing Attempts: 10 vs. Troy, 2015

Yards Rushing: 63 vs. Charlotte, 2015

Long Run: 24 vs. Charlotte, 2015

Receptions: 3 vs. Charlotte, 2015

Yards Receiving: 52 vs. Georgia Southern, 2015

Long Run: 45 vs. Georgia Southern, 2015



DEANDRE BOWMAN

RB • 5-10, 180 • R-Fr.
Columbus, Ga.
Pacelli HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS:

- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Running back who joined the program in 2016 ... Redshirted while recovering from a knee injury.

HIGH SCHOOL: Two-time all-state running back in Class A by the Atlanta Journal-Constitution, including first-team honors as a junior and honorable mention recognition as a senior at Pacelli High School ... First-team all-region as a junior and senior, following second-team accolades his sophomore season.

PERSONAL: DeAndre Lamont Bowman II ... Parents are DeAndre and Chari Bowman ... Born Dec. 27, 1997.



TODD BOYD

WR • 5-11, 185 • Sr.
Moultrie, Ga.
Colquitt County HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS:

- Sun Belt Conference Honor Roll, 2015-16
- Dean's List, Spring 2016
- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Fall 2015, Fall 2016, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Veteran receiver who ranks seventh in GSU history in career receiving yards (767), eighth in receptions (66) and tied for ninth in touchdown receptions (5).

2016: Starting receiver who was second on the team with 33 catches for 352 yards but suffered a season-ending knee injury in Game 9 vs. Arkansas State ... Had a career day vs. Troy with nine catches for 122 yards, including a 25-yard touchdown. Had a six-yard reception to convert on 4th-and-5 at the Troy 27 to set up his touchdown ... Seven catches for 87 yards vs. Arkansas State. On GSU TD drive, he had a spectacular, one-handed 28-yard reception and a 19-yard catch down to the 11-yard line ... Opened the season with five catches vs. Ball State and also had five in win over Texas State.

2015: Team's fifth-leading receiver with 25 receptions for 296 yards and two touchdowns ... Started in four-receiver sets ... Career high of four catches in consecutive games vs. Oregon and Liberty ... Caught a 14-yard TD pass at Oregon ... Had 28-yard reception at Ball State to help set up a field goal on final play of first half ... Three catches for 63 yards in win over Texas State, including career-long 45-yard reception and a 15-yard grab on 3rd-and-13 ... Caught a 19-yard touchdown pass to give Georgia State a fourth-quarter lead over San Jose State in the AutoNation Cure Bowl. Finished with three catches for 56 yards in the game.

2014: Finished his rookie season with eight receptions for 119 yards (14.9-yard average) and two touchdowns ... Enjoyed his best game at Troy with three catches for 91 yards, including his first touchdown on a 21-yard reception. Also had a 38-yard reception ... Had three catches for 18 yards, including a 7-yard touchdown, in season finale vs. Texas State ... Made his first catch in the season-opening win over Abilene Christian, when he had a five-yard reception at the 14-yard line to set up a fourth-quarter touchdown ... Added one reception at Clemson ... Enrolled in August and immediately earned playing time at receiver and on special teams.

HIGH SCHOOL: Earned first-team All-Region 1-A-A-A-A-A-A accolades in Georgia's largest classification ... Added honorable mention all-region honors as a junior ... Helped Colquitt County High School reach the Class A-A-A-A-A-A state semifinals his junior and senior seasons, falling to eventual champion Norcross both years ... Also ran track.

PERSONAL: Full name is Toddarian Dy'Quwan Boyd ... Son of Todd Thomas and Funder Boyd ... Born April 11, 1996 ... Majoring in exercise science.



PLAYER PROFILES

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	LP	Att	Yds	LP
2014	11	8	119	14.9	2	38	0	0	0
2015	13	25	296	11.8	2	45	1	9	9
2016	9	33	352	10.7	1	35	0	0	0
Total	33	66	767	11.6	5	45	1	9	9

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016	Rec	Yds	TD	LP	Touchdowns
Ball State	5	29	0	11	
Air Force	2	12	0	6	
Wisconsin	0	0	0	0	
App State	2	19	0	11	
Texas State	5	47	0	15	
Troy	9	122	1	29	25
UT Martin	1	35	0	35	
South Alabama	2	1	0	4	
Arkansas State	7	87	0	28	
2015	Rec	Yds	TD	LP	Touchdowns
Charlotte	3	26	0	11	
New Mexico State	1	7	0	7	
Oregon	4	29	1	14	14
Liberty	4	38	0	19	
App State	3	13	0	5	
Ball State	1	28	0	28	
Arkansas State	0	0	0	0	
UL Lafayette	1	15	0	15	
Texas State	3	63	0	45	
South Alabama	2	21	0	13	
Troy	0	0	0	0	
Georgia Southern	0	0	0	0	
San Jose State	3	56	1	33	

CAREER HIGHS

Receptions: 9 vs. Troy, 2016

Yards: 122 vs. Troy, 2016

Long Reception: 45 vs. Texas State, 2015



NIEMUS BRYANT

OLB • 6-0, 220 • R-Jr.
Columbus, Ga.
Carver HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Two-year letterwinner at outside linebacker ... Redshirted in 2014, when he likely could have earned playing time had he not suffered a broken hand in the preseason.

2016: Played in five games at linebacker and was credited with one tackle.

2015: Played in every game as an outside linebacker and special teams contributor ... Made four tackles on the season ... At No. 12 Oregon, he forced a fumble on the opening kickoff of the second half that GSU recovered at the Ducks 32 to set up a touchdown ... Had two tackles vs. San Jose State in the AutoNation Cure Bowl.

HIGH SCHOOL: Four-year letterwinner as a linebacker and tight end at Carver High School ... Second-team All-Bi-City selection by the Columbus Ledger-Enquirer ... Tallied 38 tackles, two sacks and seven quarterback pressures as a junior ... Chosen for the 2012 Rising Seniors all-star game following his junior season ... Listed as a three-star prospect by Scout.com.

PERSONAL: Niemus Bryant was born Jan. 19, 1996 ... First name pronounced NEE-muss ... Parents are Norman and Lisa Bryant ... Major is interdisciplinary studies.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	PB	FR	FF
2015	13	3-1	4	0	0	0	0	0	1
2016	5	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	18	4-1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0



ROGER CARTER

TE • 6-2, 245 • Fr.
Columbia, S.C.
Blythewood HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Tight end in the 2017 signing class.

HIGH SCHOOL: The No. 40 prospect in South Carolina according to 247Sports ... Caught 18 passes for 351 yards and three touchdowns as a senior at Blythewood High School ... North-South All-Star Game in Myrtle Beach ... Played his junior season at Ridge View High School, where he caught two touchdowns.

PERSONAL: Roger M. Carter Jr. is the son of Roger Carter and Monique Courts ... Born May 31, 1999.



TREY CHAPMAN

DB • 5-11, 190 • R-Fr.
Madison, Ga.
Morgan County HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Fall 2016, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Secondary prospect in the 2016 signing class ... Versatile athlete who redshirted in 2016.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played running back for coach Bill Malone at Morgan County High School ... All-region selection ... Chosen



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for the Fellowship of Christian Athletes Area All-Star Game, in which he scored a touchdown.

PERSONAL: Full name is Eddie Moses Chapman III but goes by Trey ... Parents are Eddie and Stacy Chapman ... Born July 7, 1998 ... Majoring in health and physical education.



MACKENDY CHERIDOR

DE • 6-5, 275 • R-Sr.
Decatur, Ga.
Columbia HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2015, Spring 2016

ATHLETIC HONORS

- Sun Belt Defensive Student-Athlete of the Week, Oct. 10, 2016

AT GEORGIA STATE: Three-year starter on defense including two years at defensive end, where he moved in 2015 after playing outside linebacker his first two seasons ... Has moved into second place in GSU history with 7.5 career sacks (Record: 9) and third with 21 TFL (Record: 22) ... Tied for GSU career lead with four forced fumbles ... Has eight career pass breakups and 113 tackles ... Switched to jersey No. 5 in 2014 after wearing No. 43 in 2013.

2016: Second on the team with 2.5 sacks and six tackles for loss but missed four games due to injury. Made 32 tackles with three pass breakups and two forced fumbles ... Named Sun Belt Defensive Student-Athlete of the Week after outstanding game vs. Texas State with seven tackles, 3.5 tackles for loss including 2.5 sacks and a forced fumble. After a turnover gave Texas State the ball at the GSU 31, he had a sack and forced fumble on third down to regain possession for the Panthers ... Career-high nine tackles and pass breakup vs. Ball State ... Caused a fumble vs. UTM that GSU returned for a touchdown. Also had a TFL and a pass breakup in the 31-6 win ... Six tackles with a TFL at Appalachian State. ... Missed Air Force and Wisconsin games and then the Arkansas State and ULM contests with ankle injuries.

2015: Fourth on the team with 6.5 tackles for loss, including three sacks ... Collected 34 tackles and two pass breakups ... Had five tackles with two tackles for loss and a caused fumble in win at Ball State. Sacked the quarterback and caused him to fumble on third down at the GSU 29 ... In 24-10 win over South Alabama, he tipped a pass at the line, enabling Tarris Batiste to grab a crucial fourth-quarter interception at the GSU 37-yard line ... Had six tackles and a sack vs. San Jose State in the AutoNation Cure Bowl.

2014: Started the first four games of the season and made 13 tackles ... Opened the season with six tackles vs. Abilene Christian ... Had four tackles with a sack vs. Air Force ... Broke up a pass against New Mexico State ... Suffered a season-ending knee injury in Game 4 at Washington and received a medical redshirt.

2013: Played in all 12 games, starting seven, as a true freshman ... Second on the team with 7.5 tackles for loss, along with 34 tackles ... Made his first start vs. Troy and had a career-high seven tackles, two tackles for loss, one sack and a forced fumble ... Had two tackles for loss against ULL ... Added four tackles with 1.5 TFL at ULM and six tackles at Arkansas State ... Also had tackles for loss against West Virginia and Jacksonville State ... Also saw some snaps at tight end early in the season before concentrating on defense ... One of 15 true freshmen to see action and one of 14 to start at least one game.

HIGH SCHOOL: Defensive end/outside linebacker who was an All-DeKalb County selection at Columbia High School ... Chosen for the East-West All-Star Game.

PERSONAL: Mackendy Cheridor ... Born Sept. 20, 1994 ... Son of Julienne Lacouronne and the late Antione Cheridor ... Majoring in economics.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	PB	FR	FF
2013	12	20-14	34	7.5-12	1-1	0	0	0	1
2014	4	8-5	13	1-10	1-10	0	1	0	0
2015	13	26-8	34	6.5-31	3-22	0	2	0	1
2016	8	23-9	32	6-28	2.5-13	0	3	0	2
Total	37	77-36	113	21-81	7.5-46	0	8	0	4

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	BK
Ball State	7-2	9	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Air Force		DNP-Injured							
Wisconsin		DNP-Injured							
App State	3-3	6	0	1-7	0	0	0	0	0
Texas State	5-2	7	2.5-13	3.5-17	1	0	0	0	0
Troy	4-1	5	0	0.5-0	0	0	0	1	0
UT Martin	2-0	2	0	1-4	1	0	0	1	0
USA	1-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ark State		DNP-Injured							
ULM		DNP-Injured							
GS	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Idaho	0-1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

2015	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	BK
Charlotte	1-0	1	1-4	1-4	0	0	0	0	0
NMSU	1-1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oregon	0-2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liberty	1-1	2	0	0.5-1	0	0	0	0	0
App State	1-0	0	0	1-4	0	0	0	0	0
Ball State	4-1	5	1-7	2-9	1	0	0	0	0
Ark State	3-0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ULL	3-1	4	0	1-2	0	0	0	0	0
Texas State	2-2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
USA	2-0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Troy	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
GS	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SJS	5-1	6	1-11	1-11	0	0	0	0	0

2014	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	BK
ACU	3-3	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NMSU	3-0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Air Force	2-2	4	1-10	1-10	0	0	0	0	0
Washington	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0



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2013.....	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	BK
Samford.....	0-1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UTC.....	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WVU.....	1-1	2	0	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Jax State.....	1-0	1	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	0
Alabama.....	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Troy.....	4-3	7	1-1	2-3	1	0	0	0	0
Texas St.....	3-1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ULM.....	2-2	4	0	1.5-2	0	0	0	0	0
WKU.....	1-2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ULL.....	2-0	2	0	2-3	0	0	0	0	0
Arkansas St.....	2-4	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
USA.....	3-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 9 vs. Ball State, 2016

Sacks: 2.5 vs. Texas State, 2016

TFL: 3.5 vs. Texas State, 2016



**B.J.
CLAY**

CB • 6-0, 190 • Sr.
Dacula, Ga.
Dacula HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Three-year letterwinner at cornerback who is a key backup in the secondary ... Three career interceptions and seven pass breakups.

2016: Tied for the team lead with three interceptions, along with five pass breakups ... Filling in for injured starter Jerome Smith, he had a remarkable game vs. UT Martin with interceptions on consecutive possessions in the second half. Returned the first one 38 yards for a touchdown and then grabbed a pick in the end zone. Tied school record held by five other players with two interceptions in a game. Also broke up three other passes in the game, two of them on third down plays, and had three tackles ... Grabbed his third interception in two games against South Alabama on a fake punt attempt. Also broke up a pass in the end zone ... Started three games on the season.

2015: Saw action in 12 games ... Made five tackles on the season ... Season-high three tackles in win at Texas State ... Also credited with tackles vs. Liberty and Appalachian State.

2014: Played in 10 games, including starts in three of the final four contests ... Collected 17 tackles and two pass breakups ... Career-high four tackles at Clemson ... Also had four tackles and a pass breakup at South Alabama ... Added three tackles and a breakup at Troy and three tackles vs. Arkansas State ... Enrolled at Georgia State for the spring 2014 semester.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played at Dacula High School in the football hotbed of Gwinnett County ... Made 55 tackles as a senior in 2012, with one interception, one fumble recovery and three tackles for loss ... Had had 43 tackles with five pass breakups, two sacks and a forced fumble as a junior in 2011, when he helped Dacula reach the state semifinals ... Coached by Jared Zito.

PERSONAL: Given name is Franklin Bruce Clay Jr. ... Born Jan. 18, 1995 ... Parents are Franklin Sr. and Tammy Clay ... Earned his degree in psychology in May 2017.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	PB	FR	FF
2014.....	10	13-4	17	0-0	0	0	2	0	0
2015.....	12	5-0	5	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
2016.....	11	5-5	10	0-0	0	3-38	5	0	0
Total.....	33	23-9	32	0-0	0	3-38	7	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016.....	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	BK
Ball State.....	0-1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Air Force.....	0-1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wisconsin.....	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
App State.....	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Texas State.....	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Troy.....	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UT Martin.....	3-0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2-38	3
USA.....	1-2	3	0	0	0	0	0	1-0	1
Ark State.....	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ULM.....	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GS.....	0-1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Idaho.....	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 4 vs. Clemson, 2014

Interceptions: 2 vs. UT Martin, 2016



**ED
CURNEY**

LB • 5-11, 225 • R-So.
Atlanta, Ga.
Carver HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Dean's List, Spring 2015, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Linebacker who sat out the 2016 season with a shoulder injury that required surgery ... Was expected to be a key contributor before the injury.

2015: Made 17 tackles as the backup to senior all-conference linebacker Joseph Peterson ... Also played on several special teams units and recovered a fumbled kickoff to set up a touchdown at Oregon ... Career-high six tackles in win at Ball State ... Started the UL Lafayette game when Peterson was injured and made four tackles ... Slowed by a foot injury over the final five games ... Originally signed with Georgia State in 2014 but delayed his enrollment until January 2015 due to an injury.

HIGH SCHOOL: Earned preseason first-team all-state recognition entering his senior season (2013) ... Played for coach



PLAYER PROFILES

Darren Myles at the New Schools at Carver as a senior, after transferring from Creekside High School ... All-area selection by the Atlanta Journal-Constitution as a junior ... Helped Carver earn a berth in the state playoffs in Class AAAA in 2013 ... Chosen for the 2012 Rising Seniors all-star game following his junior season.

PERSONAL: Ed Curney III was born Nov. 7, 1995 ... Parents are Traci and Ed Curney Jr. ... Majoring in interdisciplinary studies.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	PB	FR	FF
2015	10	7-10	17	0	0	0	0	1-0	0
2016	INJURED								

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2015	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	Blk
Charlotte	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NMSU	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oregon	0-0	0	0	0	0	1-0	0	0	0
Liberty	2-0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
App State	0-2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ball State	3-3	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ark State	2-1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ULL	2-2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Texas State	DNP-INJURED								
USA	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Troy	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GS	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SJS	DNP								

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 6 vs. Ball State, 2015



KENDRICK DORN

WR • 6-0, 205 • R-Sr.
Fontana, Calif.
Los Osos HS / San Bernardino
Valley CC

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ACADEMIC HONORS:

- Sun Belt Conference Honor Roll, 2015-16
- President's List, Spring 2016; Fall 2016
- Dean's List, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Returning letterwinner who moved from running back to receiver in the spring ... Former junior college standout at San Bernardino Valley (Calif.) C.C. ... Medical redshirt in 2015.

2016: Rushed for 110 yards on 31 carries with one touchdown ... Added 11 receptions for 66 yards ... Scored his first touchdown on a 2-yard run at Air Force ... Carried five times for 24 yards and caught four passes for 17 yards in win over Texas State ... Four catches for 32 yards and six rushes for 24 yards vs. Troy ... Suffered an ankle injury vs. Arkansas State and missed the final three games.

2015: Enrolled for the spring of 2015 and was expected to be a key contributor at running back before a preseason knee injury sidelined him for the 2015 season.

JUNIOR COLLEGE/HIGH SCHOOL: A 1,000-yard rusher at San Bernardino Valley ... Gained 1,088 yards on 218 carries in 2014 ... Led the American Division Mountain Conference with 15 touchdowns rushing ... Averaged 108.8 yards per game (second in American Division Mountain Conference) and 5.0 yards per carry ... Had eight games of 100 or more yards with a high of 163 vs. Mt. San Jacinto ... Added 10 receptions for 80 yards ... Rushed for 327 yards and four touchdowns on just 62 carries in 2013 ... Averaged 5.3 yards per carry ... Also caught six passes for 31 yards ... Attended Los Osos High School.

PERSONAL: Kendrick Dorn was born June 27, 1995 ... Son of Rick and Kimberly Dorn ... Major is interdisciplinary studies.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	Att	Yds	Avg	TD	LP	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	LP
2016	9	31	110	3.5	1	12	11	66	6.0	0	17

Year	G	KOR	Yds	Avg	TD	LP	AIIP
2016	7	2	21	10.5	0	14	63

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016	Att	Yds	TD	LP	Rec	Yds	TD	LP	KR	Yds	LP	All-P	TD
Ball State	3	8	0	6	0	0	0	0	1	14	14	14	
Air Force	5	15	1	4	1	7	0	7	0	0	0	22	2
Wisconsin	2	5	0	3	1	7	0	7	1	7	7	19	
App State	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Texas State	5	24	0	9	4	17	0	7	0	0	0	41	
Troy	6	24	0	12	4	32	0	17	0	0	0	56	
UTM	2	5	0	5	1	3	0	3	0	0	0	8	
USA	6	20	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	
Ark State	2	9	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	

CAREER HIGHS

Rushing Attempts: 6 vs. Troy, 2016
Yards Rushing: 24 vs. Texas State, 2016; Troy, 2016
Receptions: 4 vs. Texas State, 2016; Troy, 2016
Yards Receiving: 32 vs. Troy, 2016



BRYSON DUCKWORTH

WR • 6-4, 215 • R-Fr.
Riverdale, Ga.
Drew HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Tall receiver who signed with the Panthers as part of the 2016 recruiting class and took a redshirt year.

HIGH SCHOOL: First-team all-region selection in 4-A-A-A-A-A ... Named to the All-Southern Crescent Buzz all-area first team ... Played in the Florida vs. Georgia Rivalry Game in



PLAYER PROFILES

Boynton Beach, Fla. ... Also played in the Clayton County Senior Bowl ... Caught six touchdown passes as a senior at Drew High School, which reached the state quarterfinals in Class AAAAA ... Also a basketball standout.

PERSONAL: Full name is Bryson Lovell Rice Duckworth ... Son of Craig Woullard and Evelyn Duckworth ... Born Jan. 1, 1998.



ERIC ELDER

WR • 6-1, 185 • R-Fr.
Stone Mountain, Ga.
Stephenson HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Receiver prospect in the 2016 freshman class ... Redshirted in 2016.

HIGH SCHOOL: Four-year letterwinner for coach Ron Gartrell at Stephenson High School ... Helped Stephenson reach the state playoffs in Class AAAAA ... Joins three other current Panthers from the strong Stephenson program.

PERSONAL: Full name is Eric D'undre Elder ... Born Dec. 26, 1997 ... Parents are Deandre and Erica Elder.



DEVIN GENTRY

WR • 5-10, 190 • So.
Louisville, Ky.
Male HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Versatile receiver with good speed ... Now No. 14 after wearing No. 81 in 2016.

2016: Earned playing time as a true freshman, primarily on special teams ... Made one tackle on kickoff coverage ... Caught one pass with a 15-yard completion at Troy.

HIGH SCHOOL: Earned all-metro and honorable mention all-state honors as a running back ... Led Louisville's Male High School to a 14-0 record, the Class 6-A Kentucky state title and a No. 8 national ranking by USA Today ... Rushed for over 1,000 yards and 19 touchdowns as a senior, along with 350 yards and five touchdowns receiving; had 1,500 all-purpose yards ... Four-year letterwinner as a running back, receiver, safety and kick returner for coach Chris Wolfe ... Also a track standout, he was state runner up in the long jump (22-7) and triple jump (45-7.25) as a senior ... As a sophomore he was Class 3-A state runner up in 100-meter dash and long jump. As a junior he finished among the top 12 in

four events — triple jump (fourth), 100 (fifth), long jump (ninth) and 200 (12th) ... Was second in state in the long jump three out of four years.

PERSONAL: Full name is Devin Louis Gentry ... Born Oct. 18, 1997 ... Parents are Donald and Yvette Gentry ... Uncle is long-time NFL coach Sherman Lewis.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	LP	Att	Yds	LP
2016	12	1	15	15.0	0	15	0	0	0

CAREER HIGHS

Receptions: 1 vs. Troy, 2016

Receiving Yards: 15 vs. Troy, 2016



SHAMARIOUS GILMORE

G • 6-3, 285 • R-Fr.
Riverdale, Ga.
Drew HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Promising offensive lineman who signed with the Panthers in 2016 ... Worked at guard in the spring and will compete for a starting berth.

HIGH SCHOOL: First-team all-region (4-AAAAA) offensive lineman for Drew High School ... All-Metro (Southside) by the Atlanta Journal-Constitution ... Named to the All-Southern Crescent Buzz all-area first team ... Chosen to play for Team Georgia in the Florida vs. Georgia Rivalry Game in Boynton Beach, Fla. ... Also played in the Clayton County Senior Bowl ...

PERSONAL: Given name is Shamarius Gilmore but nicknamed Quion (pronounced KWON).



PLAYER PROFILES

**KENDREC GRADY**

OLB • 6-2, 215 • R-Fr.
Norcross, Ga.
Norcross HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Young defender who signed with the Panthers in 2016 and took a redshirt year ... Began his career as a safety but moved to outside linebacker in the spring.

HIGH SCHOOL: All-county selection (honorable mention) by the Touchdown Club of Gwinnett ... Had 44 tackles and one interception as a senior at Norcross High School ... Helped Norcross to Class AAAAA state title in 2013 ... Three-year letterwinner for coach Keith Maloof ... Also participated in basketball and track.

PERSONAL: Full name is Kendrec De'Joshua Grady ... Born Nov. 8, 1997 in Charlotte, N.C. ... Parents are Kendrick and Veronica Grady.

**PENNY HART**

WR • 5-8, 180 • R-So.
Buford, Ga.
King's Ridge Christian

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ATHLETIC HONORS:

- 2015 Sun Belt Freshman of the Year
- 2015 All-Sun Belt Conference (first team)
- 2015 Freshman All-American (247 Sports)

AT GEORGIA STATE: Freshman All-America and Sun Belt Freshman of the Year in 2015 who missed most of 2016 with a season-ending foot injury, taking a medical redshirt year ... Explosive slot receiver who was the leading receiver in the Sun Belt as a true freshman ... Already ranks in the top six in GSU history in career receptions, receiving yards and touchdown receptions.

2016: Played just two halves due to injuries ... After playing sparingly in the opener due to a preseason hamstring injury, he sat out Games 2 and 3 ... Returned for Game 4 vs. Appalachian State but suffered a broken foot early in the game and was lost for the season ... Had eight receptions 61 yards on the season, including a 14-yard touchdown vs. Ball State ... Preseason All-Sun Belt Conference (first team) and Preseason Watch List for the

Biletnikoff Award as the outstanding collegiate receiver.

2015: Named Sun Belt Conference Freshman of the Year and first-team All-Sun Belt as he led the Sun Belt in receptions (5.5 pg) and receiving yards (84.5 pg) while ranking third with eight touchdown receptions ... Freshman All-American by FWAA and 247 Sports ... Second among all FBS freshmen in receiving yards and touchdown receptions and fourth in receptions ... Tied the Georgia State season records with 71 receptions and eight touchdown catches and set a Sun Belt freshman record with 1,099 receiving yards, the second-highest season total in GSU history ... Named to the Biletnikoff Award Watch List at mid-season.

Recorded five 100-yard games ... Averaged 15.5 yards per catch, including seven receptions of 40-plus yards ... Made an immediate impact with a 53-yard touchdown reception on his first collegiate catch vs. Charlotte in the season opener ... Tied the GSU single-game record with 11 receptions for 150 yards (seventh-best in GSU history, most by a freshman) and two TDs vs. New Mexico State. Caught touchdowns of 15 and 24 yards and also had a 45-yard reception against the Aggies ... Had nine catches for 128 yards at No. 12 Oregon ... Added a 58-yard touchdown vs. Liberty.

Five catches for 73 yards in win at Ball State ... Seven receptions for 128 yards at Arkansas State with catches of 42 and 48 yards ... Recorded his fourth 100-yard game with six catches for 113 yards and one touchdown (17 yards) vs. Texas State ... Just missed another 100-yard effort with five catches for 97 yards vs. UL Lafayette ... Finished the regular season with eight catches for 129 yards, including a 63-yard touchdown—his longest reception—in bowl-clinching win over Georgia Southern.

HIGH SCHOOL: Began his senior season as a slot receiver and running back but moved to quarterback for the final three games ... Four-year starter for coach Jeff Pickren at King's Ridge Christian ... All-Area for North Fulton County ... Two-time first-team all-region, recognized at running back as a junior and as an athlete for his senior season ... Had a remarkable performance in his final high school game when he rushed for 390 yards and scored seven touchdowns in a 56-40 victory over Strong Rock Christian; also passed for 162 yards.

PERSONAL: Full name is Marjahn Penny Mathias Hart ... Born July 5, 1996 ... Son of Millard and Reva Hart ... Majoring in exercise science.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	LP	Att	Yds	LP
2015	13	71	1099	15.5	8	63	3	11	5
2016	2	8	61	7.6	1	24	0	0	0
Total	15	79	1160	14.7	9	63	3	11	5

Year	G	PR	Yds	Avg	TD	LP	AIIP
2015	13	0	0	0.0	0	0	1110
2016	2	1	0	0.0	0	0	48
Total	15	21	0	0.0	0	0	1158

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016	Rec	Yds	TD	LP	PR	Yds	TD	LP	Touchdowns
Ball State	5	48	1	24	1	0	0	0	14
Air Force	DNP								
Wisconsin	DNP								
App State	3	13	0	12	0	0	0	0	



PLAYER PROFILES

2015.....	Rec	Yds	TD	LP	Touchdowns
Charlotte	1	53	1	53	53
New Mexico State	11	150	2	45	15, 24
Oregon.....	9	128	0	44	
Liberty.....	3	62	1	58	58
App State	5	47	0	27	
Ball State	5	73	0	25	
Arkansas State.....	7	128	0	48	
UL Lafayette.....	5	97	0	34	
Texas State.....	6	113	1	34	17
South Alabama	7	77	1	31	11
Troy	5	38	1	12	12
Georgia Southern	6	119	1	63	63
San Jose State	1	14	0	14	

CAREER HIGHS

Receptions: 11 vs. New Mexico State, 2015

Yards: 150 vs. New Mexico State, 2015

Long Reception: 63 vs. Georgia Southern, 2015 (TD)

TD Receptions: 2 vs. New Mexico State, 2015



VICTOR HEYWARD

OLB • 6-2, 210 • Fr.
Dacula, Ga.
Mill Creek HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Linebacker prospect who signed with the Panthers in 2017.

HIGH SCHOOL: First-team All-Region 6-AAAAAAA at Mill Creek High School ... First-team All-Gwinnett County by the Gwinnett Daily Post and the Touchdown Club of Gwinnett ... Three-star prospect by 247Sports ... Helped Mill Creek reach the state semifinals in Georgia's largest classification the last two years ... Made 72 tackles as senior with 10 sacks, nine tackles for loss, 12 quarterback hurries, two caused fumbles, two fumble recoveries, four interceptions and two pass breakups ... Coached by Shannon Jarvis.

PERSONAL: Full name is James Victor Heyward ... Son of Anita and Victor Heyward ... Born Nov. 25, 1998.



OLIVER HOLDENSON

P • 5-11, 210 • R-So.
Melbourne, Australia

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Dean's List, Fall 2016, Spring 2017
- Enrolled in Georgia State's Honors College

AT GEORGIA STATE: Left-footed, rugby-style punter from Australia who joined the program for the fall of 2016.

2016: Played in three games and punted six times for a 37.5-yard average ... Career-long 64-yard punt at Air Force, which equals the fourth-longest punt in school history ... Also punted against ULM and Georgia Southern.

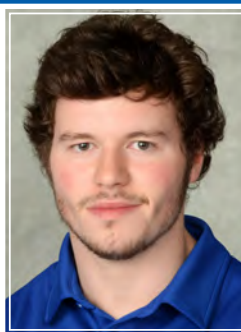
BACKGROUND: Attended Melbourne Grammar School ... Member of ProKick Australia, a punting academy based in Melbourne and run by Nathan Chapman and John Smith ... Australian Rules Football player who also participated in swimming, diving and water pol.

PERSONAL: Full name is Oliver Charles Reid Holdenson ... Born Oct. 15, 1996 ... Son of Paul and Penny Holdenson.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	No.	Yds	Avg	LP	TB	FC	I20	50+
2016.....	3	6	225	37.5	64	1	0	1	1

2016.....	Punts	Yds	Avg	LP	TB	I20	50+
Air Force.....	3	134	44.7	64	1	0	1
ULM.....	2	65	32.5	36	0	0	0
GS.....	1	26	26.0	26	0	1	0



SETH-PATRICK HOLMAN

LS • 5-11, 200 • Jr.
Marietta, Ga.
Walton HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS:

- Sun Belt Conference Honor Roll, 2015-16
- Dean's List, Spring 2016, Spring 2017
- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Fall 2015

AT GEORGIA STATE: Two-year letterwinner as a long-snapper ... Limited to five games in 2016 season due to injury ...

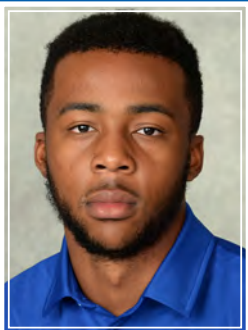


PLAYER PROFILES

Snapped on punts as a true freshman in 2015 ... Credited with two tackles on punt coverage in his career ... Joined the program for the fall of 2015 and earned the job in preseason.

HIGH SCHOOL: Three-year letterwinner at Walton High School ... Played tight end and fullback back in addition to long-snapping for coach Rocky Hidalgo ... Helped Walton reach the playoffs each year, including a berth in the Class AAAAAA state finals in 2011 ... Graduated in 2014 and spent a post-graduate year at the Atlanta Sports Academy.

PERSONAL: Full name is Seth-Patrick Holman ... Born June 5, 1996 ... Son of Patrick and Grania Holman.



JONATHAN IFEDI

WR • 6-0, 195 • R-Fr.
Charlotte, N.C.
Vance HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS:

- Dean's List, Spring 2017
- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2016, Fall 2016

AT GEORGIA STATE: Wide receiver in the 2016 signing class ... Graduated high school in December 2015 and enrolled in January 2016 ... Redshirted in 2016.

HIGH SCHOOL: All-conference receiver at Zebulon B. Vance High School, which was quarterbacked by his younger brother, Kingsley ... Caught 12 touchdowns passes as a senior and 11 as a junior, totalling nearly 1,800 yards receiving ... Coached by Aaron Brand ... National Honor Society member ... Also played basketball and ran track.

PERSONAL: Jonathan Ifedi was born Oct. 25, 1997 ... Son of Ike and Victoria Ifedi.



JALEN JACKSON

OL • 6-3, 305 • Fr.
Duluth, Ga.
Grayson HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Offensive line standout in the 2017 signing class.

HIGH SCHOOL: Standout for 2016 Class AAAAAAA state champion and 2015 state semifinalist Grayson High School ...

First-team All-Region 8-AAAAAAA ... Three-star prospect by Rivals and 247Sports, which also rated him a Top 150 player in Georgia ... One of five 2017 signees from football hotbed Gwinnett County.

PERSONAL: Full name is Jalen Crisjon Jackson ... Born Aug. 31, 1999 ... Parents are Tammy Patterson and Fredrick Jackson.



CAMRYN JOHNSON

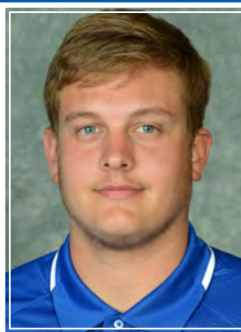
WR • 6-4, 180 • Fr.
Orangeburg, S.C.
Calhoun County HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Freshman receiver who signed with the Panthers in 2017.

HIGH SCHOOL: First-team all-region wide receiver by the Orangeburg Times and Democrat ... Named to the Times and Democrat's preseason Elite 11 ... Caught 52 passes for 813 yards with eight touchdowns as a senior at Calhoun County High School ... Honored as Player of the Week by the Orangeburg Touchdown Club ... Also a basketball standout ... Recorded 45 receptions for 825 yards as a junior at Lake Marion High School.

PERSONAL: Camryn Terelle Johnson was born March 20, 1999 ... Parents are Chris Johnson and April Sproggins ... Cousin Jadar Johnson played safety on Clemson's national championship team and signed free agent contract with New York Giants in 2017.



LUCAS JOHNSON

T • 6-4, 285 • Jr.
Cartersville, Ga.
Cass HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Two-year letterwinner at tackle ... Played in 10 games off the bench in 2016 ... Earned some playing time as a true freshman in 2015, seeing action in five games ... Enrolled in January 2015 after originally signing with the Panthers in 2014.

HIGH SCHOOL: Preseason, first-team all-state selection in Class AAAA by Georgia High School Football Daily ... Three-year starter at tackle for coach Rick Casco at Cass High School ... Qualified for the state track meet in the discus.

PERSONAL: Lucas Johnson was born Aug. 12, 1996 ... Son of Chuck Johnson and Christine Fletcher.



PLAYER PROFILES

**JAYLON JONES**

S • 5-11, 175 • Fr.
 Dacula, Ga.
 Dacula HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Safety prospect in the 2017 freshman class.

HIGH SCHOOL: All-state selection in Class AAAAAA, earning second-team honors from the Georgia Sportswriters Association and honorable mention recognition from the Atlanta Journal-Constitution ... Three-star rating from Rivals, Scout and 247 Sports ... Top 150 in Georgia by 247 Sports ... Preseason all-state by the AJC ... First-team All-Metro (Gwinnett) by the AJC ... First-team All-Region 8-AAAAAA ... Two-time all-county by the Touchdown Club of Gwinnett ... Made 90 tackles with seven tackles for loss and 15 pass breakups as a senior.

PERSONAL: Jaylon Jones is the son of T.A. and Felecia Jones ... Born July 19, 1999.

**TAMIR JONES**

WR • 6-0, 180 • Fr.
 Norcross, Ga.
 Norcross HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Speedy receiver in the 2017 freshman class.

HIGH SCHOOL: Earned second-team All Region 7-AAAAAAA honors ... All-county selection by the Touchdown Club of Gwinnett ... Helped Norcross High School to a 10-0 regular season and an 11-1 final record in Georgia's largest classification ... Had 26 receptions for 489 yards and four touchdowns. Averaged 18.8 yards per catch ... Coached by Keith Maloof.

PERSONAL: Tamir Lindell Jones is the son of Lola Jones and Carlton Grimes ... Born April 30, 1999.

**DEQUESZMAN KELLEY**

DE • 6-0, 295 • R-Sr.
 Buena Vista, Ga.
 Marion County HS
 Coffeyville CC

92**ACADEMIC HONORS:**

- Sun Belt Conference Honor Roll, 2015-16
- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Fall 2016

AT GEORGIA STATE: Returning letterwinner as a backup on the defensive line ... Did not see any action during the 2016 season due to a foot injury ... Junior college addition who enrolled in January 2015 ... Georgia native who played at Coffeyville (Kan.) Community College.

2015: Played in nine games off the bench ... Credited with one tackle at Arkansas State.

JUNIOR COLLEGE/HIGH SCHOOL: Made 57 tackles with 3.5 sacks and 4.5 tackles for loss for Coffeyville CC in 2014 ... Two-time, first-team all-state selection in Class A by the Georgia Sportswriters Association at Marion County High School ... Added honorable mention all-state recognition from the Atlanta Journal-Constitution as a senior ... Two-time all-region choice ... Made 77 tackles with 12 tackles for loss and five sacks as a senior.

PERSONAL: Full name is Dequeszman Waltquenthus Kelley ... Born March 8, 1995 ... Son of Walter Freeman and Kimberly Kelley ... Major is interdisciplinary studies.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	PB	FR	FF
2015	9	0-1	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
2016			Injured						
Total	9	0-1	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0

**DEMARCUS KIRK**

LB • 6-0, 206 • R-Jr.
 Dora, Ala.
 Dora HS / UAB

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Moved to linebacker in the spring after lettering the last two years at running back ... Changed jersey numbers from 28 to 38 ... UAB transfer who enrolled in January 2015 ... Spent the 2014 season as a redshirt at UAB.



PLAYER PROFILES

2016: Played in 10 games and rushed for 104 yards on 36 carries ... Scored on a 2-yard run at South Alabama, when he carried 10 times for 30 yards ... Had 29 yards vs. Arkansas State and 21 vs. ULM.

2015: Started three games at running back ... Rushed for 320 yards on 75 carries (4.3-yard average) and scored two touchdowns. Also caught eight passes for 84 yards.

Made his GSU debut vs. New Mexico State, after injuries to top three backs, and rushed for 49 yards on 12 carries, all in the second half, to help the Panthers to the 34-32 win ... Added 42 yards on just six carries at No. 12 Oregon, highlighted by a 20-yard run ... Rushed for 23 yards and had career highs with five receptions for 48 yards in win at Ball State ... Scored his first touchdown on a 2-yard run at Arkansas State, when he rushed for 32 yards and had two catches for 28 yards ... Career-high 85 yards rushing on 14 attempts vs. ULL. Had a 33-yard run down to the 3-yard line to set up a touchdown ... Scored the go-ahead touchdown in win over South Alabama on a 1-yard run in the fourth quarter.

HIGH SCHOOL: Attended Dora High School, playing running back and defensive end for coach Johnny Kirk ... Rushed for 1,300 yards and 19 touchdowns as a junior at Dora but was injured as a senior ... Also played basketball.

PERSONAL: Full name is Demarcus Laquan Kirk ... Son of Vera Parker ... Majoring in interdisciplinary studies.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	Att	Yds	Avg	TD	LP	Rec	Yds	TD	LP
2015	10	75	320	4.3	2	33	8	84	0	21
2016	10	36	104	2.9	1	17	1	4	0	4
Total	20	111	424	3.8	3	33	9	88	0	4

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016	Rsh	Yds	TD	LP	Rec	Yds	TD	LP	All-P	TD
Ball State	1	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	4	
Air Force	4	12	0	4	0	0	0	0	12	
Wisconsin	2	-1	0	1	0	0	0	0	-1	
App State	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
UT Martin	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
South Ala.	10	30	1	11	0	0	0	0	30	2
Arkansas St.	8	29	0	9	0	0	0	0	29	
ULM	7	21	0	17	1	4	0	4	25	
GS	3	9	0	4	0	0	0	0	9	
Idaho	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
2015	Rsh	Yds	TD	LP	Rec	Yds	TD	LP	All-P	TD
NMSU	12	49	0	10	0	0	0	0	49	
Oregon	6	42	0	20	0	0	0	0	42	
Liberty	1	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	3	
App State	6	26	0	15	0	0	0	0	26	
Ball State	12	27	0	10	5	48	0	16	71	
Arkansas State	9	32	1	11	2	28	0	21	60	2
UL Lafayette	14	85	0	33	0	0	0	0	85	
Texas State	10	47	0	10	0	0	0	0	47	
South Alabama	4	8	1	3	1	8	0	8	16	1
Troy	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	

CAREER HIGHS

Rushing Attempts: 14 vs. UL Lafayette, 2015
Yards Rushing: 85 vs. UL Lafayette, 2015
Long Run: 33 vs. UL Lafayette, 2015



KEVIN KWAPIS

OL • 6-8, 320 • Jr.
 Commerce, Mich.
 Walled Lake Central HS
 Iowa Western CC

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Adds size and experience to the offensive line after joining the Panthers from very strong junior college program at Iowa Western, which has produced numerous FBS players.

JUNIOR COLLEGE/HIGH SCHOOL: Helped Iowa Western to an 11-1 record in 2016 ... Coached by Scott Strohmeier ... All-conference, all-area and all-state performer at Walled Lake Central (Mich.) High School ... Honorable mention All-North by the Detroit Free Press ... Three-time all-conference selection.

PERSONAL: Full name is Kevin Michael Kwapis ... Parents are Dean and Candy Kwapis ... Born Sept. 12, 1996.



JAVONTE LAIN

DE • 6-2, 230 • So.
 Fayetteville, Ga.
 Sandy Creek HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS:

- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Returner at defensive end who saw some limited playing time last fall as a true freshman ... Played in seven games and made one tackle in the win over Georgia Southern ... Joined the program for the spring 2016 semester ... Member of 2015 recruiting class but did not enroll.

HIGH SCHOOL: Standout for coach Chip Walker at Sandy Creek High School ... Played on Class AAAA state championship team as a sophomore in 2012.

PERSONAL: Full name is Javonte Wellington Lain ... Parents are Wellington and Andrea Lain ... Born June 8, 1997 ... Sister Akeila plays volleyball at Buffalo.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	FR	FF	BK
2016	7	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0



PLAYER PROFILES


**JULIEN
LAURENT**

NG • 6-4, 310 • R-Sr.
Toronto, Canada
New Mexico Military Institute

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ACADEMIC HONORS:

- Dean's List, Spring 2015, Spring 2017
- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2016, Fall 2016

AT GEORGIA STATE: Returning starter and two-year letter-winner at noseguard ... Joined the program in 2015 after one season of junior college football at New Mexico Military Institute.

2016: Started nine games at noseguard but missed three contests with an ankle injury ... Made 28 tackles on the season ... Career-high eight tackles at Air Force ... Had one of GSU's five sacks vs. Arkansas State.

2015: Backup noseguard who saw plenty of action ... Credited with 11 tackles with one tackle for loss ... Blocked an extra point vs. New Mexico State that proved to be a key play in GSU's 34-32 win ... Tackle for loss against Appalachian State ... Season-high three tackles at Oregon.

JUNIOR COLLEGE: Made 21 tackles and one interception in six games in 2014 at New Mexico Military Institute ... Native of Canada who played for ESC Renaissance ... Relative newcomer to football who has been compared to former Georgia State defensive lineman Christo Bilukidi, another Canadian, who went on to the NFL.

PERSONAL: Julien Laurent was born March 17, 1993 ... Son of Jean-Marc and Yvonne Laurent ... Brother Mathieu plays soccer at UAB ... Majoring in speech.

CAREER STATISTICS

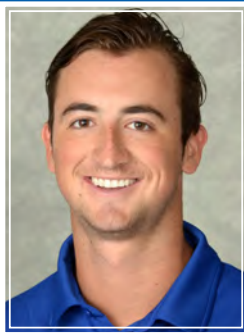
Year	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	FR	FF	BK
2015	12	7-4	11	1-1	0	0	0	0	1
2016	9	14-14	28	1-7	1-7	0	0	0	0
Total	21	21-18	39	2-8	1-7	0	0	0	0

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 8 vs. Air Force, 2016

TFL: 1 vs. Appalachian State, 2015; Arkansas State, 2016

Sacks: 1 vs. Arkansas State, 2016


**CONNER
MANNING**

QB • 6-1, 205 • R-Sr.
Lake Forest, Calif.
El Toro HS / Utah

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ACADEMIC HONORS:

- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2017

ATHLETIC HONORS

- 2016 Sun Belt Conference All-Newcomer

AT GEORGIA STATE: Returning starter at quarterback who joined the program in 2016 as a graduate transfer ... Spent three seasons at Utah, including a redshirt year in 2013 ... Played in one game as a backup for the Utes, completing two passes for 28 yards against Arizona in 2014.

2016: Led the Sun Belt with 268.4 passing yards per game ... Tied for second in the league with 16 touchdown passes (in 10 games) and second in total offense (268.1 pg) ... Passed for 2,684 yards on 207-of-373 completions in 10 games ... Averaged 302.4 yards passing with 13 TD passes in his seven Sun Belt games, first in the league in both categories ... Connected with five different receivers for 100-yard games (only one FBS team had more) ... In the last three games (ULM, Georgia Southern and Idaho) after recovering from injury, he threw for 1006 yards and seven touchdowns while averaging 16.2 yards per completion ... Missed two games (UT Martin, South Alabama) with a shoulder injury.

Making his first start vs. Ball State, he completed 21 of 32 passes for 163 yards, including a 14-yard TD pass to Penny Hart ... Tossed a 22-yard TD pass to Ari Werts on the opening drive vs. Air Force ... Completed 20-29 for 269 yards and one TD as GSU held a 17-13 fourth-quarter lead at Wisconsin before falling 23-17 ... Went 82 passes without an interception from the Ball State game until the Appalachian State game ... Passed for 340 yards in win over Texas State with two touchdown passes and one touchdown rushing ... Followed with career high 28 completions for 381 yards and three touchdowns at Troy ... Missed the UT Martin and South Alabama games after injuring his arm in practice ... Returned vs. Arkansas State because his backup was also injured and passed for 237 yards on 22 completions with one touchdown.

Passed for a career-high 422 yards and three TDs on just 19 completions vs. ULM, the second-highest single-game total in GSU history. Threw a 58-yd TD to Robert Davis, a 61-yd TD to Jawan Nobles and a 78-yard completion to Glenn Smith. All three receivers topped 100 yards, a first in school history ... Threw for 318 yards and accounted for three touchdowns in win over Georgia Southern. Had TD passes of 28 yards to Robert Davis and 15 yards to Glenn Smith and scored on a 1-yard run ... Threw two TD passes at Idaho.

HIGH SCHOOL: Record-setting prep passer at El Toro High School in Southern California, where he threw for 9,449 career yards to rank second in Orange County history behind former USC quarterback Matt Barkley ... Threw 88 career touchdown



PLAYER PROFILES

passes with just 26 interceptions ... Set the Orange County season record with 4,219 yards passing as a junior in 2011, when he was Orange County Offensive Player of the Year, CIF Southwest division co-Offensive Player of the Year and Sky View League MVP ... As a senior in 2012, he completed 65 percent of his pass attempts (319-of-490) for 4,062 yards and 41 TDs (10 interceptions) ... Set set the county's single-game passing mark with 613 yards, along with seven touchdowns passes, that year vs. Valhalla High School ... Added 1,168 yards passing with six touchdowns as a sophomore ... First-team All-Orange County as a junior and senior ... 2011 first-team Max Preps California Division II all-state and Cal Hi Sports first-team all-state underclassman ... 2012 second-team Max Preps California Division I all-state ... 2012 Rivals.com all-Southern section first team ... Two-year team captain.

PERSONAL: Full name is Conner Stanley Manning ... Son of Steve and Patty Manning ... Born Sept. 11, 1994 ... Brother Kyle played quarterback at Arkansas-Monticello and brother Chris played college baseball at Valparaiso ... Earned his bachelor's degree in sociology from Utah and is pursuing a master's in sports administration at Georgia State.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G-GS	Cm-Att	Int	Pct	Yds	TD	LP	Sack	PG
2014 (Utah)	1-0	2-6	1	.333	28	0	0	1	28.0
2016	10-10	207-373	13	.555	2684	16	78	10	268.4

Year	Rsh	Yards	Avg	TD	LP	Ply	Total	TDR	PG
2014 (Utah)	1	-5	--	0	--	7	23	0	23.0
2016	27	-3	--	2	18	400	2681	18	268.1

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016	C-A	Yds	TD	Int	LP	Rsh	Yds	TD	LP	TO-TD	Sck
Ball State	21-32	163	1	1	24	2	-9	0	--	154-0	1
Air Force	8-24	135	1	0	40	0	0	0	0	135-1	0
Wisconsin	20-29	269	1	0	60	1	-15	0	--	254-1	1
App State	19-44	153	0	4	20	1	2	0	2	155-0	0
Texas State	27-40	340	2	0	55	6	11	1	8	351-3	1
Troy	28-52	381	3	2	65	5	1	0	18	382-3	3
UT Martin	DNP-Injured										
South Alabama	DNP-Injured										
Ark State	22-46	237	1	2	28	2	-9	0	0	228-1	1
ULM	19-22	422	3	0	78	4	-2	0	5	420-3	2
GS	21-39	318	2	0	44	2	-12	1	1	306-3	1
Idaho	22-37	266	2	4	63	4	30	0	11	296-2	0

CAREER HIGHS

Yards Passing: 422 vs. UL Monroe, 2016
Pass Completions: 28 vs. Troy, 2016
Pass Attempts: 52 vs. Troy, 2016
Touchdown Passes: 3 vs. Troy, 2016; UL Monroe, 2016
Long Pass: 78 vs. UL Monroe, 2016
Total Offense: 420 vs. UL Monroe, 2016
TDR: 3 vs. Troy, 2016; UL Monroe, 2016; Georgia Southern, 2016



MATLIN MARSHALL

WR • 5-9, 190 • R-Fr.
 Evans, Ga.
 Evans HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS:

- Dean's List, Spring 2016

AT GEORGIA STATE: Versatile athlete who enrolled in January 2016 after originally signing with the Panthers in 2015 ... Former high school quarterback who is now at receiver.

HIGH SCHOOL: All-region and all-county selection at Evans High School ... Member of Augusta Chronicle "Dream 16" team ... Played quarterback as a senior, passing for 1,539 yards and 14 touchdowns while rushing for 358 yards and six scores ... Also played defensive back and grabbed one interception ... Coached by Marty Jackson.

PERSONAL: Full name is Matlin Ali Marshall ... Son of Marvin and LaScotia Marshall ... Born Sept. 12, 1996 ... Father is a member of the Hall of Fame at South Carolina State and went on to play in the NFL for three seasons with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers. He later coached in the NFL and is now a high school coach.



NICK MEYER

T • 6-5, 260 • R-Fr.
 Cincinnati, Ohio
 St. Xavier HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Young offensive lineman who will compete for playing time at tackle after a redshirt year in 2016.

HIGH SCHOOL: Standout for strong prep program at St. Xavier High School ... Second-team All-Greater Catholic League ... Played for coach Steve Specht.

PERSONAL: Nicholas Paul Meyer was born April 30, 1998 ... Parents are Dave and Debbie Meyer.



PLAYER PROFILES



CHASE MIDDLETON

LB • 6-2, 235 • Jr.
Lilburn, Ga.
Brookwood HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS:

- Dean's List, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Two-year letterwinner at inside linebacker who was a key backup in 2016.

2016: Seventh on the team with 47 tackles, including 2.5 tackles for loss and two sacks ... Made 15 tackles at Air Force, equalling the fourth-highest single-game total in school history ... Had three tackles with a sack and a pass breakup at South Alabama. ... Added another sack the next game vs. Arkansas State ... Also a special teams standout.

2015: Played in every game, working on several specials teams units ... Collected nine tackles ... Season-high three tackles with one tackle for loss in the win at Georgia Southern ... Also had three tackles vs. Appalachian State.

HIGH SCHOOL: Led the state in solo tackles in his senior season at Brookwood High School ... Credited with 112 total tackles, averaging 11.2 per game, along with two sacks and two interceptions ... Made 70 tackles with 11 tackles for loss and five sacks as a junior, when he split time at linebacker and defensive end ... Team captain for coach Mark Crews.

PERSONAL: Full name is Chase Mathis Middleton ... Son of Keith and Ramona Middleton ... Born March 24, 1997 ... Father played basketball at Bowling Green.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	PB	FR	FF
2015	13	7-2	9	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
2016	12	26-21	47	2.5-15	2-14	0	1	0	0
Total	25	33-23	56	3.5-18	2-14	0	1	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	Blk
Ball State	1-1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Air Force	6-9	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wisconsin	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
App State	0-1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Texas State	3-2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Troy	3-1	4	0	0.5-1	0	0	0	0	0
UT Martin	4-1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
USA	2-1	3	1-6	1-6	0	0	0	1	0
Ark State	1-1	2	1-8	1-8	0	0	0	0	0
ULM	3-1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GS	2-2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Idaho	1-1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 15 vs. Air Force, 2016



GABE MOBLEY

C • 6-2, 280 • R-Jr.
Moultrie, Ga.
Colquitt County HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Sun Belt Conference Commissioner's List, 2015-16
- Sun Belt Academic Conference Honor Roll, 2014-15
- President's List, Fall 2015
- Dean's List, Fall 2014, Spring 2016, Spring 2017
- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2015

AT GEORGIA STATE: Two-year starter at center after earning the starting berth as a redshirt freshman ... Has made 23 career starts, including Georgia State's last 22 games ... One of three current Panthers from South Georgia prep power Colquitt County.

2016: Started every game at center and played nearly every snap ... Named to 2016 Preseason and Fall Watch Lists for the Rimington Trophy.

2015: Moved into the starting lineup for Game 2 at New Mexico State and played nearly every snap the rest of the season ... Snapped to record-setting quarterback Nick Arbuckle and was a key part of the Sun Belt's top passing attack ... Member of 2014 signing class who took a redshirt year.

HIGH SCHOOL: Earned first-team all-state honors in Georgia's largest classification by the Georgia Sports Writers Association ... Also claimed honorable mention all-state recognition from the Atlanta Journal-Constitution ... First-team All-Region 1-A ... Helped Colquitt County High School reach the Class AAAAAA state semifinals before falling to eventual champion Norcross ... Played in the GACA Senior All-Star Game following his senior season.

PERSONAL: Full name is Gabriel Alexander Mobley (last name pronounced MAH-blee) ... Parents are Bubba and Cathy Mobley ... Born Nov. 18, 1995 ... Earned his degree in history in May 2017.



PLAYER PROFILES

**DAVIS
MOORE**

G • 6-4, 299 • R-Sr.
Loganville, Ga.
Loganville HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Three-year letterwinner on the offensive line ... Backup guard with four career starts ... Redshirted in 2013.

2016: Saw action in six games off the bench.

2015: Played in every game, including two starts at left guard at New Mexico State and Oregon ... Saw action on the PAT-FG unit.

2014: Played in seven of the last nine games of the season ... Started at left guard for the final two contests vs. Clemson and Texas State.

HIGH SCHOOL: Earned first-team all-region honors in 8-A AAAA as a senior at Loganville High School ... Added second-team all-region accolades in 7-A AAAA as a junior.

PERSONAL: Full name is Garvin Davis Moore ... Born Oct. 26, 1994 ... Son of Gary and Tiffany Moore.

**KYLER
NEAL**

RB • 5-11, 215 • R-Sr.
Dallas, Ga.
East Paulding HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Sun Belt Conference Academic Honor Roll, 2013-14, 2014-15
- Dean's List, Spring 2014, Spring 2017
- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Fall 2013, Fall 2014, Spring 2015
- Earned degree in history, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Veteran running back with 946 career yards rushing and eight touchdowns ... Ranks fourth in GSU history career rushing yards and third in touchdowns ... Physical runner, strong blocker and capable receiver out of the backfield.

2016: GSU's leading rusher with 314 yards and two touchdowns, but missed three full games and most of two others. Averaged 4.2 yards per carry ... Career-high 89 yards on 13 carries vs. Texas State, including a 3-yard touchdown ... His 9-yard touchdown run gave GSU a 17-13 fourth-quarter lead at No. 9 Wisconsin ... Missed the UT Martin and South Alabama games with a left ankle injury suffered vs. Troy ... Returned briefly against Arkansas

State and had a 35-yard run on his first carry, the longest run of his career, but could not continue ... Also missed the ULM game ... Rushed 11 times for 29 yards in win over Georgia Southern, including three straight carries late in the game for a key first down that helped seal the victory.

2015: Team's second-leading rusher with 336 yards on 83 carries. Also caught 11 passes for 87 yards ... Rushed for five touchdowns ... Rushed for 76 yards on a career-high 17 carries and scored two touchdowns in win at New Mexico State ... In win at Ball State, he rushed for 28 yards with a 4-yard touchdown run before leaving the game in the second quarter with a knee injury that caused him to miss the next two games (Arkansas State, UL Lafayette) ... Scored two fourth-quarter touchdowns in the bowl-clinching, 34-7 win at Georgia Southern on a 1-yard run and a 28-yard run. Rushed six times for 37 yards in the game.

2014: Starter at running back before suffering a season-ending knee injury in Game 4 at Washington ... Received for a medical redshirt ... Rushed for 209 yards on 40 carries, averaging 5.2 yards carry ... Added five receptions for 107 yards.

Totalled 180 all-purpose yards vs. Air Force with 80 yards rushing on 10 carries and three receptions for 91 yards, all career highs ... Scored his first touchdown against Air Force on a 25-yard run and had a 73-yard reception down to the 2-yard line for the seventh-longest pass in school history ... Had 46 yards rushing plus one reception for 11 yards in season opener vs. Abilene Christian ... Gained 57 yards on a career-high 16 carries at Washington but was injured in the game.

2013: Saw action in 10 games as a true freshman ... Rushed 24 times for 96 yards ... Also caught two passes, including a 28-yard reception in the season finale vs. South Alabama ... Season-high 40 yards on nine carries at Arkansas State ... Added 34 yards yards on just five attempts at UL Monroe, including a season-long 20-yard run ... The bulk of his playing time came over the final five games.

HIGH SCHOOL: First-team all-state by the Georgia Athletic Coaches Association (GACA) ... Honorable mention all-state in Class AAAA by the Atlanta Journal-Constitution ... Offensive Player of the Year in Region 5-A AAAA ... A 1,000-yard rusher for coach Chuck Goddard ... Helped East Paulding High to an undefeated regular season and a No. 10 final ranking in Class AAAA ... Second-team all-region as a junior (5-A AAAA North).

PERSONAL: Full name is Stephan Kyler Neal ... Born Aug. 4, 1995 ... Son of Raymond and Stephanie Neal ... Earned his degree in history in May 2017.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	Rush	Yds	Avg	TD	LP	Rec	Yds	TD	LP
2013	10	24	96	4.0	0	20	2	24	0	20
2014	4	40	209	5.2	1	25	5	107	0	73
2015	11	83	327	3.9	5	28	11	87	0	16
2016	9	75	314	4.2	2	35	3	28	0	16
Total	34	222	946	4.3	8	35	23	246	0	73

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016	Rsh	Yds	TD	LP	Rec	Yds	TD	LP	All-P	TD
Ball State	2	3	0	2	1	16	0	16	19	
Air Force	2	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	
Wisconsin	15	41	1	9	0	0	0	0	41	9
App State	12	46	0	8	1	8	0	8	54	
Texas State	13	89	1	32	1	4	0	4	93	3
Troy	3	20	0	16	0	0	0	0	20	



PLAYER PROFILES

UT Martin.....	DNP-INJURED								
South Alabama...	DNP-INJURED								
Ark State.....2	39	0	35	0	0	0	0	39	
ULM.....	DNP-INJURED								
GS.....11	29	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	
Idaho.....15	46	0	9	0	0	0	0	46	

2015.....Rsh	Yds	TD	LP	Rec	Yds	TD	LP	All-P	TD
Charlotte.....10	35	0	21	3	32	0	16	67	
NMSU.....17	76	2	17	0	0	0	0	0	2, 5
Oregon.....13	30	0	7	1	-2	0	--	28	
Liberty.....7	30	0	5	1	9	0	9	39	
App State.....9	47	0	17	3	18	0	9	65	
Ball State.....9	28	0	1	0	0	0	0	28	4
Arkansas State.....	DNP-INJURED								
UI Lafayette.....	DNP-INJURED								
Texas State.....0	0	0	0	1	14	0	0	14	
USA.....3	11	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	
Troy.....5	27	0	13	0	0	0	0	27	
GS.....6	37	2	28	1	7	0	7	44	1, 28
SJS.....4	6	0	4	1	9	0	9	15	

2014.....Rsh	Yds	TD	LP	Rec	Yds	TD	LP	All-P	TD
ACU.....8	46	0	15	1	11	0	11	57	
NMSU.....6	26	0	11	1	5	0	5	31	
Air Force.....10	80	1	25	3	91	0	73	171	25
Washington.....16	57	0	9	0	0	0	0	57	

CAREER HIGHS

Rushing Attempts: 17 vs. New Mexico State, 2015

Yards Rushing: 89 vs. Texas State, 2016

Long Run: 32 vs. Texas State, 2016

Receptions: 3 vs. Air Force, 2014; Appalachian State, 2015; Charlotte, 2015

Yards Receiving: 91 vs. Air Force, 2014

Long Reception: 73 vs. Air Force, 2014



JACOB NESMITH

TE • 6-3, 270 • R-Sr.
Cumming, Ga.
Forsyth Central HS / Presbyterian

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Sun Belt Conference Commissioner's List, 2015-16
- President's List, Fall 2015, Fall 2016, Spring 2017
- Dean's List, Spring 2016

AT GEORGIA STATE: Backup tight end and versatile special teams contributor ... Played in every game as was credited with two special teams tackles in 2016 ... Transfer from Presbyterian who enrolled in the fall of 2015 and sat out a year in residence.

AT PRESBYTERIAN: Two-year letterwinner as an offensive lineman ... Played in all 11 games, starting nine, in 2014 ... Part of the offensive line that helped PC rush for 1915 yards, third in the Big South ... Saw action in seven games as a freshman in 2013.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played offensive tackle, tight end, defensive end and fullback at North Forsyth High School ... Recorded 52 tackles and more than 70 knockdowns as a senior ... Also blocked five goals ... Participated in the North Fulton/Forsyth All-Star Game Graduated in 2012 and spent one semester at the Air Force Academy Prep School ... Also earned honors a heavyweight wrestler and a thrower on the track and field team.

PERSONAL: Son of Glenn and Diane Nesmith ... Born Nov. 30, 1993, in Gainesville, Ga. ... Brother of former Panther offensive lineman Nicholas Nesmith (2010-13) ... Major is interdisciplinary studies.



JAWAN NOBLES

WR • 6-3, 180 • So.
Smyrna, Ga.
Campbell HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Returning letterwinner at receiver after earning some playing time as a true freshman ... Former high school quarterback.

2016: Had nine receptions for 179 yards and two touchdowns, all in the final three games as he moved into the starting lineup following season-ending injury to Todd Boyd ... In his first start, he caught five passes for 103 yards vs. ULM, highlighted by a 61-yard touchdown catch from Conner Manning. One of GSU's three 100-yard receivers in that game ... Added four catches at Idaho, including a 63-yard touchdown catch.

HIGH SCHOOL: All-county (honorable mention) by the Marietta Daily Journal ... Quarterback, wide receiver and kick returner for coach Ryan Brady at Campbell High School ... Top game was 242 yards rushing vs. Lakeside, including 181 yards in the first half ... Also a standout in track ... Region champ in the 200 and 400 meters ... Cobb County champion in the 100 meters (10.79) and 200 meters (21.79) as a junior ... Top times of 20.9 in the 200 and 47.2 in the 400.

PERSONAL: Full name is Jawan Alexander Nobles ... Parents are James Nobles and Felicia Lee ... Born Oct. 7, 2016 ... Cousin of Georgia State teammate Chase Middleton.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	LP
2016	9	9	179	19.9	2	63

CAREER HIGHS

Receptions: 5 vs. UL Monroe, 2016

Yards Receiving: 103 vs. UL Monroe, 2016

TD Receptions: 1 vs. UL Monroe, 2016; Idaho, 2016

Long Reception: 63 vs. Idaho, 2016 (TD)



PLAYER PROFILES


**JAQUEZ
PARKS**

QB • 6-1, 205 • R-Jr.
Griffin, Ga.
Griffin HS / Hinds C.C.

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- President's List, Fall 2016
- Dean's List, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Quarterback who joined the program in the fall of 2016 after one season at Hinds (Miss.) C.C. ... Former Georgia prep player of the year who originally signed with Kennesaw State ... Took a redshirt year at KSU in 2014-15, the year before the program began play ... Has three seasons at Georgia State, beginning in 2016.

2016: Backup quarterback behind Conner Manning and Aaron Winchester ... Played in every game as the holder on PAT-FG ... Saw his first action at quarterback for a kneel down against UT Martin. Then came in for one play, a 6-yard rush, at South Alabama.

JUNIOR COLLEGE: Played one season at Hinds in 2015 ... Parks passed for 1,427 yards in nine games, throwing 16 touchdown passes with just four interceptions while completing 55 percent of his passes. He added 208 yards rushing and five touchdowns.

HIGH SCHOOL: Georgia all-classification Player of the Year by the Georgia Sportswriters Association and Atlanta Journal-Constitution as a senior in 2013 ... Led Griffin High School to a 15-0 record and the Class AAAA state title ... Twice rallied the Bears back from 14-point deficits ... Amassed 554 total yards during 56-35 victory over Carrollton in Class AAAA championship game. Completed 16 of 21 passes for 338 yards and four touchdowns while rushing 16 times for a 216 yards and a TD ... Led 32-26 fourth-quarter comeback victory against No. 1-ranked Sandy Creek in the state quarterfinals, overcoming a 26-17 deficit in the final seven minutes.

Threw for more than 7,000 yards and 59 touchdowns in three seasons at Griffin ... Passed for 3,640 yards and 28 touchdowns while rushing for 1,329 yards and 17 scores (4,969 total offense, 45 TDR) as a senior in 2013 ... Added 2,186 yards and 18 touchdowns passing in 2012 and 1,215 yards and 13 TDs in 2011 ... 2013 Class AAAA, Region 4 Player of the Year ... Named to the Florida-Georgia High School All-Star Game ... Also earned all-region honors as a junior ... Coached by Steve Devoursney ... Played point guard on the basketball team and competed in the 4x100 relay, hurdles, long jump, high jump and triple jump in track.

PERSONAL: Born October 23, 1995 in Griffin, Ga. ... Parents are Cassandra and O.J. Parks.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G-GS	Cm-Att	Int	Pct	Yds	TD	LP	Sack	PG
2016	12-0	0-0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0.0

Year	Rsh	Yards	Avg	TD	LP	Ply	Total	TDR
2016	1	6	6.0	0	6	1	6	0

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016	C-A	Yds	TD	Int	LP	Rsh	Yds	TD	LP	TO-TD	Sck
South Ala	0-0	0	0	0	0	1	6	0	6	6-0	0


**CHARLIE
PATRICK**

LB • 6-0, 225 • So.
Atlanta, Ga.
Mays HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Backup linebacker who played in three games as a freshman in 2016 ... Made six tackles at Air Force ... Also appeared in games vs. Ball State and Georgia Southern ... Enrolled for the spring 2016 semester after originally signing as part of the 2015 class.

HIGH SCHOOL: Two-way standout as a linebacker and running back for Class AAAAA state runner-up Benjamin E. Mays High School ... Two-time all-region selection ... First-team All-Region 6-AAAAA (Division B) at running back as a senior ... Rushed for more than 600 yards, averaging better than six yards per carry, and scored 12 touchdowns ... Also earned first-team all-region honors at linebacker as a junior while playing at Carver-Atlanta.

PERSONAL: Full name is Charlie Owens Patrick ... Son of Dimetrius Jones ... Born June 19, 1997.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	PB	FR	FF
2016	3	3-5	8	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 6 vs. Air Force, 2016



PLAYER PROFILES



JAMAL PAXTON

C • 6-0, 280 • R-Jr.
 Scottsdale, Ga.
 Tucker HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Fall 2016

AT GEORGIA STATE: Moves to center for the 2017 season after two seasons as a backup on the defensive line ... Played in two games in 2016 ... Joined the program in 2015 after one season at Campbellsville (Ky.) University ... Made 30 tackles, three sacks and two forced fumbles in 2014 at Campbellsville.

HIGH SCHOOL: Four-year letterwinner as a two-way lineman at Tucker High School ... Helped Tucker to state runner-up finish in Class AAAAA in 2013 ... Played in DeKalb County All-Star game.

PERSONAL: Jamal Paxton is the son of Nathaniel and Hnede Paxton ... Born Jan. 24, 1996 ... Older brother Nate played for the Panthers from 2012-15.



TREY PAYNE

LB • 6-0, 225 • R-Sr.
 Warner Robins, Ga.
 Northside HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Sun Belt Conference Academic Honor Roll, 2014-15
- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Fall 2014, Spring 2015
- Earned his degree in economics in May 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Three-year letterwinner and returning starter at inside linebacker ... Georgia State's active tackling leader with 196, which ranks eighth in GSU history.

2016: Starting inside linebacker who was fourth on the team in tackles with 66 in 10 games ... Pressed into service as a long-snapper due to injuries ... Eight tackles and a pass breakup at No. 9 Wisconsin ... Six tackles and his first career interception in 31-6 win over UT Martin. Also handled long-snapping and fielded a pooch kickoff and returned it 11 yards ... Season-high 11 tackles at South Alabama.

2015: Top backup at inside linebacker who also made three starts at midseason ... Also served as the long-snapper on field goals and extra points ... Totalled 42 tackles on the season with four tackles for loss ... Opened 2015 with five tackles, including one sack, and a forced fumble vs. Charlotte ... Tied his career high with 12 tackles and a pass breakup in win at Ball State. Had a tackle for loss in the red zone to help hold the Cardinals to a field goal ... Missed the UL Lafayette game with a hamstring injury.

2014: Second on the team in tackles with 88, at the time the third-highest season total in GSU history. Also second with 6.5 tackles for loss ... Had five games with 10 or more tackles ... Played in 11 games, starting nine ... Moved into the starting lineup at inside linebacker in Game 4 vs. Washington ... Made 10 tackles vs. Air Force and then a career-high 13 at Washington in his first start ... Finished the season with 12 tackles, including one tackle for loss, vs. Texas State ... Had 10 tackles and a sack at South Alabama and 11 tackles at Appalachian State ... Made six tackles with a tackle for loss and fumble recovery vs. Arkansas State.

HIGH SCHOOL: First-team all-state in Class AAAA as a junior ... First-team all-region in 2011 and 2012 ... Three-time All-Middle Georgia pick by the Macon Telegraph ... Finished his senior season with 85 tackles, nine tackles for loss, four fumble recoveries, two forced fumbles and two interceptions ... Returned a fumble 73 yards for a touchdown in a state playoff game ... Chosen for the GACA North-South All-Star Game, played in December in Columbus ... Three-year starter for coach Kevin Kinsler at Northside High School.

PERSONAL: Full name is Horace George Payne III ... Son of George and Ophelia Payne ... Born Jan. 27, 1995 ... Earned his degree in economics in May 2017.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	PB	FR	FF
2014	11	56-32	88	6.5-6	1-1	0	0	1-0	1
2015	12	22-20	42	4-8	1-4	0	1	0	1
2016	10	35-31	66	0-0	0-0	1-3	1	0	0
Total	33	113-83	196	10.5-14	2-5	1-3	2	1-0	2

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	Blk
Wisconsin	7-1	8	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
App State	4-4	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Texas State	4-1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Troy	5-2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UT Martin	3-3	6	0	0	0	0	1-3	0	0
USA	3-8	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ark State	3-1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ULM	5-2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GS	1-1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Idaho	4-3	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2015	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	Blk
Charlotte	4-1	5	1-4	1-4	1	0	0	0	0
NMSU	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oregon	1-3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liberty	1-3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
App State	1-3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ball State	5-7	12	0	1-2	0	0	0	1	0
Ark State	5-1	6	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	0
UL Lafayette									

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PLAYER PROFILES

Texas State.....	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
USA.....	2-2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Troy.....	1-0	1	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	0
GS.....	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SJS.....	0-2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

2014.....	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	Blk
NMSU.....	1-4	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Air Force.....	8-2	10	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	0
UW.....	10-3	13	0	1-1	1	0	0	0	0
ULL.....	5-0	5	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	0
Arkansas St.....	4-3	6	0	1-1	0	1-0	0	0	0
USA.....	3-7	10	1-1	1-1	0	0	0	0	0
GS.....	5-0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
App State.....	3-8	11	0	0.5-0	0	0	0	0	0
Troy.....	3-3	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clemson.....	5-0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Texas St.....	9-3	12	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	0

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 13 vs. Washington, 2013



RONALD PETERKIN

S • 6-0, 185 • R-Jr.
Stone Mountain, Ga.
Stephenson HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Returning letterwinner at safety ... Played in the final six games of 2016 ... Credited with five tackles, including two vs. ULM ... Saw action in one game (South Alabama) in 2015 ... Signed as part of the 2014 class and took a redshirt year.

HIGH SCHOOL: Made 35 tackles and one interception as a senior at Stephenson High School ... Played cornerback and safety for coach Ron Gartrell ... Helped Stephenson to a berth in the state playoffs.

PERSONAL: Full name is Ronald Tyrone Peterkin ... Parents are Ronald and Traunder Peterkin ... Born Nov. 29, 1995 ... Majoring in marketing.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year.....	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	PB	FR	FF	BK
2015.....	1	0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
2016.....	6	4-1	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
Total.....	7	4-1	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0



KYNDALL PHILLIPS

DB • 6-0, 190 • R-So.
Cumming, Ga.
West Forsyth HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Dean's List, Spring 2017
- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Fall 2016

AT GEORGIA STATE: Reserve defensive back in his third year in the program after joining the team in 2015.

HIGH SCHOOL: Three-year letterwinner at West Forsyth High School ... Three-time all-county and all-region selection ... In his three seasons, Phillips recorded 86 tackles, one interception, one fumble recovery, and 18 pass break-ups ... Best single-game performance included three pass deflections, six solo tackles, and one interception ... Helped team to win the region in 2012.

PERSONAL: Full name is Kyndall Phillips ... Born February 26, 1997 ... Parents are Kevin and Virginia Phillips ... Majoring in criminal justice.



KERRYON RICHARDSON

CB • 5-10, 160 • Fr.
West Columbia, S.C.
Airport HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Speedy athlete in the 2017 freshman class who will play cornerback ... Could also be used as a return specialist.

HIGH SCHOOL: Two-way standout at Airport High School ... Three-star prospect and the No. 32 player in South Carolina by 247Sports ... As a senior, he caught 23 passes for 511 yards and six touchdowns, rushed for two scores and returned three kickoffs for touchdowns. On defense, he recorded 40 tackles and three interceptions ... Selected to the Shrine Bowl but missed the game with a leg injury suffered during a second-round playoff game.

PERSONAL: Kerryon Malik Richardson is the son of Yalonda Robinson ... Born Oct. 19, 1998.



PLAYER PROFILES


**MALIK
RICKS**

DE • 6-1, 235 • Sr.
Lithonia, Ga.
Stephenson HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Sun Belt Conference Honor Roll, 2014-15 and 2015-16
- Dean's List, Spring 2015
- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Fall 2014, Fall 2015, Spring 2016, Fall 2016, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Backup defender working at defensive end ... Appeared in three games in 2016 and made two tackles ... Did not see any game action in 2015 ... Played inside linebacker as a true freshman ... Saw action in six of the final seven games, primarily on special teams ... Credited with tackles against Arkansas State and South Alabama.

HIGH SCHOOL: Collected 35 tackles with 10 tackles for loss ... Played for coach Ron Gartrell at Stephenson High School ... Helped Stephenson to a berth in the state playoffs.

PERSONAL: Full name is Malik Sherrod Ricks ... Parents are Wayne and Micha Ricks ... Born Feb. 3, 1996 ... Majoring in computer information systems.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	PB	FR	FF	BK
2014	6	1-1	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
2015	0	0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
2016	3	1-1	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	6	1-1	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0


**CONNOR
ROBBINS**

OL • 6-9, 330 • Fr.
St. Augustine, Fla.
Menendez HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Massive offensive tackle in the freshman class ... Standing 6-foot-9, he is the tallest player in Georgia State football history.

HIGH SCHOOL: Consensus three-star prospect by the four major recruiting services ... Two-time all-state in Class 5A, earning second-team honors as a senior following third-team accolades as

a junior at Menendez High School ... Two-time All-First Coast by the Florida Times-Union ... 2015 and 2016 All-District 6 by the Florida Athletic Coaches Association ... First-team All-County by the St. Augustine Record ... Credited with more than 150 pancake blocks in his three seasons ... Did not allow a sack his senior year.

PERSONAL: Full name is Connor Ross Robbins ... Son of Corie and David Robbins ... Born Aug. 21, 1998.


**EMIERE
SCAIFE**

TE • 6-2, 230 • R-Jr.
Charlotte, N.C.
Mallard Creek HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS:

- Sun Belt Conference Commissioner's List, 2014-15
- Sun Belt Conference Honor Roll, 2015-16
- Dean's List, Fall 2014, Spring 2015
- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Fall 2015, Spring 2016, Fall 2016, Spring 2017
- Enrolled in Georgia State's Honors College

AT GEORGIA STATE: Former quarterback who moved to tight end during the 2016 season.

2016: Appeared in three games with two rushing attempts for minus-two yards.

2015: Backup quarterback who appeared in three games (Oregon, Appalachian State, Texas State) but did not complete a pass ... Had a 24-yard run at Oregon ... 2014 signee who competed for playing time in the preseason before taking a redshirt year ... Georgia State's first left-handed quarterback.

HIGH SCHOOL: Comes from nationally-ranked program at Mallard Creek High School, which won North Carolina's 4-AA state title in 2013 ... Missed much of his senior season due to injury ... Passed for more than 2,500 yards and 26 touchdowns while rushing for 400 yards as a junior, when he led Mallard Creek to the state semifinals.

PERSONAL: Emiere Scaife (eh-MEER SKAFE) was born Feb. 12, 1996 ... Son of Myaneka Green ... Majoring in computer information systems ... Enrolled in Georgia State's Honors College.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G-GS	Cm-Att	Int	Pct	Yds	TD	LP	Sack
2015	3-0	0-8	0	.000	0	0	0	1
2016	3-0	0-0	0	.000	0	0	0	0
Total	6-0	0-8	0	.000	0	0	0	1

Year	Rsh	Yds	Avg	TD	LP	Ply	Total	TDR
2015	4	32	8.0	0	24	12	32	0
2016	2	-2	--	0	--	2	-2	0
Total	6	30	5.0	0	24	14	30	0



PLAYER PROFILES



MICHAEL SHAW

LB • 6-4, 230 • R-Jr.
Suwanee, Ga.
Lanier HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Two-year starter at outside linebacker ... Has played both outside linebacker positions ... Member of 2014 signing class who took a redshirt year ... Ranks fifth in GSU history with 19 career TFL and sixth with 5.5 career sacks.

2016: Third on the team in tackles with 76 with a team-leading 12 tackles for loss and three sacks ... Over the last six games he had 10 tackles for loss and three sacks while averaging 7.3 tackles ... Helped the Georgia State defense lead the Sun Belt at 4.9 yards per play ... Had an interception, a tackle for loss and seven tackles at App State ... Eight tackles with 2.5 tackles for loss to help hold UT Martin to just two field goals in 31-6 win ... Also had eight tackles at South Alabama ... Seven tackles with two sacks, forcing a fumble on one of them, vs. Arkansas State ... Tied the GSU single-game record with four tackles for loss, including one sack, vs. ULM, along with a career-high 12 tackles.

2015: Third on the team with seven tackles for loss, including 2.5 sacks ... Finished with 36 tackles ... Had seven tackles with two tackles for loss in win at New Mexico State ... Added four tackles with a TFL vs. Appalachian State ... Sacked South Alabama quarterback by forcing an intentional grounding penalty on fourth down on the Jaguars' final possession in Georgia State's 24-10 win ... Shared a sack with Jerome Smith vs. Troy as they thwarted a trick play with an 8-yard loss on third down that took the Trojans out of field goal range ... Had another sack along with five tackles in win over Georgia Southern, helping hold the Eagles to seven points, 135 yards rushing and school-record 203 total yards ... Three tackles with a TFL vs. San Jose State in the AutoNation Cure Bowl.

HIGH SCHOOL: First-team all-state in Class AAAA by the Georgia Sports Writers Association ... Earned preseason all-state recognition from Georgia High School Football Daily ... One of the leading tacklers in Gwinnett County as a senior at Lanier High School ... Made 170 tackles, which included 130 solo tackles ... Collected 14 tackles for loss, 10 hurries, three sacks, three caused fumbles and one interception. ... Single-game high of 23 tackles, which he achieved twice ... First-team All-Region 8-AAAA ... Second-team all-county by the Gwinnett Daily Post ... Played in the Gwinnett County All-Star Game ... Helped Lanier qualify for the state playoffs ... Played outside linebacker as a junior and had 46 tackles and two sacks ... Coached by Billy Wells.

PERSONAL: Full name is Michael Edward Shaw ... Born May 22, 1996 ... Parents are Derrick and Rosie Shaw ... Majoring in economics.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	PB	FR	FF
2015	13	25-11	36	7-28	2.5-16	0	0	0	0
2016	12	40-36	76	12-55	3-21	1-0	0	0	1
Total	25	65-47	112	19-83	5.5-37	1-0	0	0	1

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	Blk
Ball State	3-2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Air Force	4-3	7	0	1-4	0	0	0	0	0
Wisconsin	2-0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
App State	3-4	7	0	1-1	0	0	1-0	0	0
Texas State	0-4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Troy	3-4	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UT Martin	7-1	8	0	2.5-12	0	0	0	0	0
USA	2-6	8	0	0.5-2	0	0	0	0	0
South Ala	4-3	7	2-16	2-16	1	0	0	0	0
ULM	9-3	12	1-5	4-14	0	0	0	0	0
GS	2-2	4	0	1-6	0	0	0	0	0
Idaho	1-4	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

2015	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	Blk
Charlotte	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NMSU	3-4	7	0	2-6	0	0	0	0	0
Oregon	0-1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liberty	3-0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
App State	4-0	4	0	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Ball State	2-1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ark State	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UL Lafayette	2-0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Texas State	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
USA	2-0	2	1-2	1-2	0	0	0	0	0
Troy	2-2	4	0.5-4	1-4	0	0	0	0	0
GS	3-2	5	1-10	1-10	0	0	0	0	0
SJS	2-1	3	0	1-3	0	0	0	0	0

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 12 vs. UL Monroe, 2016

Tackles for Loss: 4 vs. UL Monroe, 2016

Sacks: 2 vs. Arkansas State, 2016



MITCHELL SHEA

DL • 5-10, 235 • R-Jr.
Norcross, Ga.
Norcross HS / Berry College

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ACADEMIC HONORS:

- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Defensive lineman who joined the program in 2016 ... Played at Berry College in 2014, appearing in one game.

HIGH SCHOOL: Lettered in football at Greater Atlanta



PLAYER PROFILES

Christian School ... Earned Gwinnett County Player of the Month honors ... Helped his teams to three playoff appearances ... Finished fourth in the state as a wrestler.

PERSONAL: Full name is Joseph Mitchell Shea ... Born Sept. 20, 1995 ... Son of Susan and Mark Shea.



JOSHUA SHIM

QB • 6-0, 205 • R-Fr.
Loganville, Ga.
South Gwinnett HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Dean's, Spring 2017
- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Fall 2016

AT GEORGIA STATE: Quarterback who joined the program in 2016 and redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Two-time Gwinnett County Player of the Month at South Gwinnett High School ... Team captain and three-year letterwinner for coach John Small ... Threw for over 1,000 yards each of his three seasons ... Passed for 37 touchdowns in his career.

PERSONAL: Joshua Shim is the son of Chae Min and Jeom Rye Shim ... Born Sept. 18, 1997.



CHRIS SIBILJA

OL • 6-7, 292 • Fr.
Suwanee, Ga.
North Gwinnett HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Dean's, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Offensive lineman in the 2017 recruiting class who enrolled in January 2017 and participated in spring practice.

HIGH SCHOOL: All-state selection in Class AAAAAAA, earning second-team honors from the Georgia Sportswriters Association and honorable mention recognition from the Atlanta Journal-Constitution ... Preseason all-state by the AJC ... First-team All-Metro (Gwinnett) by the AJC ... First-team All-Region 8-AAAAAAA ... First-team all-county as a junior by the Touchdown Club of Gwinnett.



GLENN SMITH

RB • 6-1, 200 • Sr.
Warner Robins, Ga.
Northside HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2015

AT GEORGIA STATE: Versatile athlete who has played both running back and slot receiver and has been used as a kickoff return specialist ... Began his GSU career at receiver, then moved to running back midway through the 2015 season and ended the season as the Panthers' top rusher ... Entered 2016 as the starting running back but had to return to receiver due to injuries ... Former high school quarterback.

Career total of 2,033 all-purpose yards in three seasons, including 509 yards rushing, 745 yards receiving on 64 catches and 779 yards on 36 kickoff returns ... Ranks fourth in GSU history in career all-purpose yards, eighth in receiving yards, ninth in receptions and second in kickoff return yards ... The first GSU player to have 500 yards both rushing and receiving.

2016: Playing both running back and slot receiver, he was the team's second-leading receiver with 40 catches for 547 yards and third-leading rusher with 150 yards ... Averaged a team-leading 90.3 all-purpose yards per game and scored five touchdowns ... Had five receptions for a career-high 131 yards at No. 9 Wisconsin, including had four catches covering 128 yards in second half. Set up one score with catches of 40 and 20 yards, and then he had a 60-yard catch and run down to the 9-yard line to set up touchdown that gave GSU 17-13 lead with 11 minutes to play ... Had an 88-yard kickoff return to set up a touchdown at Air Force. Bounced off the pile around the 20-yard line and cut around the left side and down the sideline until brought down at the 6 ... 159 all-purpose yards vs. Ball State, including 128 yards on five kickoff returns ... Scored on a 32-yard reverse vs. Texas State ... Caught a 7-yard TD pass from Aaron Winchester vs. UT Martin. Also had a 45-yard reception in the game ... One of three 100-yard receivers vs. UL Monroe with four catches for 123 yards. Caught a 31-yard touchdown and a career-long 78-yard reception down to the 13-yard line ... Scored two touchdowns in win vs. Georgia Southern on a 29-yard run and a 15-yard reception. Finished with seven catches for 65 yards and five rushes for 37 yards.

2015: Team's leading rusher with 356 yards on 89 carries and one touchdown, along with 17 receptions for 115 yards ... Moved to running back at midseason following injuries to Taz Bateman and Kyler Neal ... In his first game at running back, he rushed for 82 yards on 16 carries and caught three passes for 28 yards at Arkansas State (Game 7) ... Season-high 87 yards on 19 carries, including a 39-yard touchdown run, in win over Troy. Also had three catches for 17 yards ... Added 83 yards rushing on just 13 carries vs. Georgia Southern, including two 22-yard runs. That gave him 170 yards rushing in the final two regular-season games



PLAYER PROFILES

... On 3rd-and-13 vs. UL Lafayette, he had a 22-yard reception down to the 8-yard line to set up a touchdown ... Rushed for 48 yards on 14 carries in win over South Alabama, gaining all his yards in the second half ... Averaged 21.6 yards on seven kickoff returns with a season-long 32-yard return at Ball State ... Opened the season with six catches vs. Charlotte.

2014: Averaged 18.5 yards on 13 kickoff returns while catching seven passes for 83 yards with one touchdown ... Had his best game in the season finale vs. Texas State, when he caught three passes for 52 yards, including a 39-yard touchdown from Nick Arbuckle ... Added two catches for 17 yards at Washington ... Had a kickoff return for a touchdown nullified by a penalty against Georgia Southern, settling for a season-long 37-yard return ... 2014 signee who played as a true freshman.

HIGH SCHOOL: Player of the Year in Region 2-A AAAA ... Honorable mention all-state selection by both the Atlanta Journal-Constitution and Georgia Sports Writers Association ... First-team All-Middle Georgia by the Macon Telegraph ... Rushed for 1,118 yards and 11 touchdowns and caught 33 passes for 402 yards and five touchdowns as a senior at Northside-Warner Robins High School ... Primarily a quarterback as a junior, when he passed for 1,010 yards and 13 touchdowns while completing 58 percent of his passes and was team's third-leading rusher with 905 yards and eight touchdowns ... Team only lost five games in three seasons.

PERSONAL: Full name is Glenn Neal Smith Jr. ... Born Dec. 28, 1995 ... Son of Glenn and Suzette Smith ... Majoring in economics.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	Att	Yds	Avg	TD	LP	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	LP
2014	12	1	3	3.0	0	3	7	83	11.9	1	39
2015	13	89	356	4.0	1	39	17	115	7.3	0	22
2016	12	41	150	3.7	2	32	40	547	13.7	3	78
Total	37	131	509	3.9	3	39	64	745	11.6	4	78

Year	G	KOR	Yds	Avg	TD	LP	AIRP	PG
2014	12	13	241	18.5	0	37	327	27.2
2015	13	7	151	21.6	0	32	622	47.8
2016	12	16	387	24.2	0	88	1084	90.3
Total	37	36	779	21.6	0	88	2033	54.9

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016	Att	Yds	TD	LP	Rec	Yds	TD	LP	KR	Yds	LP	All-P	TD
Ball State	8	14	0	13	3	17	0	7	5	128	38	159	
Air Force	0	0	0	0	1	17	0	17	3	127	88	144	
Wisconsin	1	5	0	5	5	131	0	60	0	0	0	136	
App State	5	12	0	4	2	23	0	17	0	0	0	35	
Texas State	1	32	1	32	2	10	0	9	0	0	0	42	32
Troy	0	0	0	0	4	33	0	12	4	63	25	96	
UT Martin	0	0	0	0	3	45	1	43	0	0	0	45	7
USA	1	5	0	5	3	55	0	25	1	21	0	81	
South Ala.	12	38	0	14	1	9	0	9	3	48	21	95	
ULM	8	5	0	6	4	123	1	78	0	0	0	123	31
GS	5	37	1	29	7	65	1	15	0	0	0	102	29, 15
Idaho	2	2	0	2	4	19	0	6	0	0	0	21	

2015	Att	Yds	TD	LP	Rec	Yds	TD	LP	KR	Yds	LP	All-P	TD
Charlotte	1	-1	0	--	6	19	0	14	1	27	27	45	
NMSU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	31	20	31	
Oregon	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	3	2	45	25	48	
Liberty	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

App State	0	0	0	0	1	13	0	13	0	0	0	13	
Ball State	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	48	32	48		
Ark State	16	82	0	28	3	28	0	21	0	0	0	110	
ULL	10	6	0	8	1	22	0	22	0	0	0	28	
Texas State	10	31	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	31	
USA	14	46	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	46	
Troy	19	87	1	39	3	24	0	17	0	0	0	111	39
GS	13	83	0	22	1	3	0	3	0	0	0	86	
SJS	6	22	0	8	1	3	0	3	0	0	0	25	

CAREER HIGHS

Rushing Attempts: 19 vs. Troy, 2015

Rushing Yards: 87 vs. Troy, 2015

Long Rush: 39 vs. Troy, 2015 (TD)

Receptions: 7 vs. Georgia Southern, 2016

Receiving Yards: 131 vs. Wisconsin, 2016

Long Reception: 78 vs. UL Monroe, 2016

Kickoff Returns: 5 vs. Ball State, 2016

KOR Yards: 128 vs. Ball State, 2016

Long KOR: 88 vs. Air Force, 2016



JEROME SMITH

CB • 5-10, 180 • R-Jr.
Atlanta, Ga.
Mays HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS:

- Sun Belt Conference Commissioner's List, 2015-16
- Dean's List, Fall 2015, Spring 2017
- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2016

AT GEORGIA STATE: Two-year starter in the secondary and one of the top cornerbacks in the Sun Belt Conference ... Has four career interceptions and 12 pass breakups ... Member of 2014 signing class who took a redshirt year.

2016: Tied for team lead the team with three interceptions ... Key performer in a GSU secondary that finished sixth in the FBS in pass efficiency defense and eighth in passing yards allowed (173.9) and did not allow any pass play longer than 37 yards. Helped GSU lead the Sun Belt with 4.9 yards per play allowed ... Missed UT Martin and South Alabama games with a hand injury; returned vs. Arkansas State with his hand in cast and made seven tackles.

Grabbed interceptions on Ball State's first two possessions in the season opener, returning the first one 48 yards for a touchdown. Two interceptions in a game tied the school record, and his touchdown was just the second pick-six in GSU history ... Made a big play at Appalachian State with a third-down sack that led to a 52-yard field goal attempt that was missed ... Had his third interception vs. Texas State at the Bobcats 46-yard line, setting up a touchdown ... Sacked Georgia Southern QB Favian Upshaw for a 6-yard loss on third down to force a punt ... Career-high eight tackles and a pass breakup vs. Idaho.



PLAYER PROFILES

2015: Starting cornerback who led the team with a school-record 11 pass breakups ... Grabbed one interception, along with 44 tackles, including 2.5 tackles for loss and one sack ... Three pass breakups in win over New Mexico State, including one in final minute on 3rd down at the GSU 32, forcing NMSU to attempt a 39-yd FG that was missed.

Missed the Oregon game after breaking a bone in his hand, and then played the next several games with a cast ... Season-high seven tackles with two pass breakups in win at Ball State ... Had four tackles with a TFL and a pass breakup vs. UL Lafayette.

Two tackles and two pass breakups to help the Panthers hold South Alabama to 282 total yards in 24-10 win ... Grabbed his first interception in win over Troy. Also shared a sack on third down that took the Trojans out of field goal range and had a pass breakup and six tackles ... Had a pass breakup and 0.5 tackles for loss vs. San Jose State in the AutoNation Cure Bowl.

HIGH SCHOOL: Three-year letterwinner for coach Corey Jarvis at Atlanta's Benjamin E. Mays High School ... Two-time all-area selection by the Atlanta Journal-Constitution ... Earned first-team all-region honors (6-A AAAA) as a junior.

PERSONAL: Full name is Jerome Robert Smith ... Born Aug. 7, 1995 ... Parents are Jerome and Nina Smith ... Majoring in interdisciplinary studies.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	PB	FR	FF
2015	12	27-17	44	2.5-17	1-7	1-0	11	0	0
2016	10	34-6	40	2-15	2-15	3-50	0	0	0
Total	22	61-23	84	4.5-32	3-22	4-50	11	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	BK
Ball State	3-0	3	0	0	0	0	2-50	0	0
Air Force	2-1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wisconsin	2-3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
App State	4-0	4	1-9	1-9	0	0	0	0	0
Texas State	1-2	3	0	0	0	0	1-0	0	0
Troy	2-0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

UT MartinDNP-INJURED

South Ala.....DNP-INJURED

Ark State	7-0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ULM	2-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GS	3-0	3	1-6	1-6	0	0	0	0	0
Idaho	8-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0

2015	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	BK
Charlotte	4-2	6	0.5-3	0.5-3	0	0	0	0	0
NMSU	3-2	5	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Oregon	DNP-INJURED								
Liberty	1-3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
App State	1-1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Ball State	4-3	7	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Ark State	3-1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UL Lafayette	3-1	4	0	1-6	0	0	0	1	0
Texas State	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
USA	1-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Troy	4-2	6	0.5-4	0.5-4	0	0	1-0	1	0
GS	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SJS	1-1	2	0	0.5-4	0	0	0	1	0

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 7 vs. Ball State, 2015; Arkansas State, 2016

Interceptions: 2 vs. Ball State, 2016

Pass Breakups: 3 vs. New Mexico State, 2015



TRAJAN STEPHENS-McQUEEN

ILB • 6-1, 215 • Fr.

Charlotte, N.C.

West Mecklenburg HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Prolific linebacker who signed with the Georgia State program in 2017.

HIGH SCHOOL: West Mecklenburg High School standout who was named second-team All-Charlotte Observer ... Three-star rating and Top 50 player in North Carolina by 247Sports ... Had 145 total tackles, including 93 solo stops, with two sacks, six passes broken up, 15 tackles for losses and an interception ... Selected to the Shrine Bowl ... Finalist for top linebacker award from the Charlotte Touchdown Club ... As a junior, was named Player of the Week by the Charlotte Observer after making 14 tackles in an upset win over South Mecklenburg.



ALEX STOEHR

G • 6-2, 299 • Sr.

Suwanee, Ga.

North Gwinnett HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2014

AT GEORGIA STATE: Three-year starter at right guard ... Has started 37 straight games, the only Panther offensive lineman to start every game the last three seasons ... Helped Georgia State lead the Sun Belt in passing in 2014 and 2015 ... Earned his starting berth as a true freshman ... Missed 2015 spring practice due to back surgery ... Originally signed as part of the 2013 recruiting class but suffered a knee injury ... Enrolled in the spring of 2014.

HIGH SCHOOL: Two-time all-state selection ... Named first-team all-state in Georgia's largest classification (Class AAAAAA) by the Atlanta Journal-Constitution in 2012 ... Added second-team honors in 2011 ... First-team all-area ... Rated among the top 200 prospects in Georgia by 247Sports ... Three-year starter had a 92 percent blocking grade with 25 pancakes and 20 knockdowns in



PLAYER PROFILES

2012 ... Two-time all-region and two-time first-team all-county (Gwinnett Daily Post) ... Chosen for the GACA North-South All-Star Game, played in December in Columbus.

PERSONAL: Alex Stoehr (pronounced STORE) was born Jan. 25, 1995 ... Parents are Felix and Denise Stoehr ... Majoring in economics.



CEDRIC STONE

CB • 5-10, 185 • So.
Charlotte, N.C.
Independence HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2016

AT GEORGIA STATE: Returning letterwinner at cornerback after earning playing time as a true freshman ... Member of the 2016 signing class who enrolled for the spring semester after graduating high school in December.

2016: Played in every game off the bench and made 13 tackles ... Season-high six tackles in win over Texas State ... Pass breakups vs. Arkansas State and Georgia Southern ... Had a tackle for loss at Idaho ... Also used as punt returner late in the season.

HIGH SCHOOL: Southwestern 4A Defensive Player of the Year at Charlotte's Independence High School ... First-team All-Charlotte Observer ... Four interceptions as a senior, along with 10 pass breakups and 37 tackles ... Also used as a receiver and returner.

PERSONAL: Cedric L. Stone II was born Oct. 27, 1997 ... Parents are Cedric and Allison Stone.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	PB	FR	FF
2016	12	10-3	13	1-6	0	0	2	0	0

Year	G	PR	Yds	Avg	TD	LP
2016	12	6	10	1.7	0	6

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 6 vs. Texas State, 2017



DARIUS STUBBS

RB • 5-10, 200 • So.
Riverdale, Ga.
Luella HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Talented running back who made an impact as a true freshman.

2016: Rushed for 146 yards and one touchdown on 39 carries ... Added two receptions for 15 yards and two special teams tackles ... Saw his first action in the backfield at Appalachian State, carrying seven times for 28 yards ... Had breakout game vs. UT Martin. Rushed 12 times for 69 yards, highlighted by his 35-yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter. Also had a 13-yard reception ... Injured his hand in the next game vs. South Alabama and was limited to special teams duty vs. Arkansas State ... Rushed six times for 25 yards vs. ULM.

HIGH SCHOOL: Two-time all-region selection at Luella High School ... Named to the Henry County Super 7 ... Second-team all-region in Class AAAAA (Region 4-B) ... Also named all-region as a junior, when he rushed for 681 yards and six touchdowns on just 90 carries while catching six passes for 118 yards ... Coached by Nic Vasilchek.

PERSONAL: Full name is Darius Jamell Stubbs ... Born March 13, 1998 ... Parents are Gminski and Trena Stubbs.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	Att	Yds	Avg	TD	LP	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	LP
2016	10	38	144	3.9	1	35	2	15	7.5	0	13

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016	Att	Yds	TD	LP	Rec	Yds	TD	LP	KR	Yds	LP	All-P	TD
App State	7	28	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28
Texas State	7	13	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
Troy	2	1	0	1	1	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	3
UT Martin	12	69	1	35	1	13	0	13	0	0	0	82	35
USA	1	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
A-State	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ULM	6	25	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25

CAREER HIGHS

Rushing Attempts: 12 vs. UT Martin, 2016

Rushing Yards: 69 vs. UT Martin, 2016

Long Rush: 35 vs. UT Martin, 2016 (TD)



PLAYER PROFILES



CHANDON SULLIVAN

CB • 5-11, 195 • Sr.
Winder, Ga.
Winder-Barrow HS

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ATHLETIC HONORS

- 2016 All-Sun Belt Conference (honorable mention)
- 2015 All-Sun Belt Conference (honorable mention)
- Sun Belt Defensive Student-Athlete of the Week (Nov. 16, 2015)

ACADEMIC HONORS

- 2016 CoSIDA Academic All-District
- 2015 CoSIDA Academic All-District
- Sun Belt Commissioner's List, 2014-15 and 2015-16
- Dean's List, Spring 2015, Fall 2015, Spring 2016; Fall 2016, Spring 2017
- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Fall 2014

AT GEORGIA STATE: Two-time All-Sun Belt Conference-cornerback who has earned accolades on the field and in the classroom the last two seasons ... Three-year starter in the secondary who is GSU's career leader with six interceptions ... Also holds the school record with 19 passes defensed (interceptions plus breakups) ... Career totals also include 136 tackles, six tackles for loss, two fumble recoveries, one forced fumble and one blocked kick.

2016: All-Sun Belt (honorable mention) selection and CoSIDA Academic All-District honoree for the second straight year ... Leader of a GSU secondary that finished sixth in the FBS in pass efficiency defense and eighth in passing yards allowed (173.9) ... Georgia State was THE ONLY FBS TEAM that did not allow any offensive play, rushing or passing, of 50 yards or longer; longest pass play allowed by the Panthers was 37 yards.

Had 43 tackles, three interceptions, four pass breakups, one tackle for loss, a forced fumble and a blocked field goal in 2016 ... Grabbed an interception in the fourth quarter at No. 9 Wisconsin, setting up the touchdown that gave GSU a 17-13 lead with 11 minutes to play ... Had an interception in the end zone and a blocked field goal in the second half of the win over Texas State. The blocked FG prevented a score after GSU had turned the ball over in its own territory ... Broke the GSU career record with a second-quarter interception at Troy ... Helped Georgia State defense lead the Sun Belt with an average of 4.9 yards per play.

2015: All-Sun Belt (honorable mention) selection who was also named to 2015 CoSIDA Academic All-District football team ... Collected two interceptions, 50 tackles, 4.5 tackles for loss, and eight pass breakups on the season.

Named Sun Belt Defensive Student-Athlete of the Week (Nov. 16) after he grabbed his second interception and broke up two other passes with six tackles in a strong defensive effort in win at Texas State ... Returned an interception 25 yards for a touchdown vs. Arkansas State for the first pick-six in Georgia State history.

Also had a third-down sack in the game ... Had a sack, another tackle for loss and two pass breakups in win at New Mexico State ... Four tackles and a pass breakup in win at Ball State ... Four tackles, 0.5 TFL and two pass breakups in the Panthers' outstanding defensive effort in 24-10 win over South Alabama ... Four tackles with a tackle for loss and two pass breakups in win over Troy, in which GSU allowed just 81 yards rushing.

2014: Made an immediate impact as a true freshman, played in every game and starting the final eight ... Collected 43 tackles, an interception, a fumble recovery and a pass breakup ... Entered the starting lineup at cornerback in Game 5 at UL Lafayette, replacing Marcus Caffey, who moved to running back ... Shifted to safety for the final four games and averaged 6.5 tackles over those four contests ... Grabbed his first interception at Clemson and made a career-high eight tackles, with 0.5 tackles for loss ... Added six tackles each against Appalachian State, Troy and Texas State ... Had five tackles and a fumble recovery vs. New Mexico State ... Also used on kickoff returns and had four returns for a 17.5-yard average.

HIGH SCHOOL: Second-team All-Region 8-AAAAA at both cornerback and running back as a senior at Winder-Barrow High School ... All-area by the Athens Banner-Herald ... Northeast Georgia FCA Scholar-Athlete ... Collected over 1,100 all-purpose yards and scored 10 touchdowns as a senior ... Coached by David Wagner ... Also played basketball.

PERSONAL: Full name is Chandon Lamar Sullivan ... Born Aug. 7, 1996 ... Parents are Dexter and Janice Sullivan ... Majoring in journalism.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	PB	FR	FF
2014	12	33-10	43	0.5-1	0	1-0	1	1-0	0
2015	13	42-8	50	4.5-25	2-19	2-25	8	0	0
2016	12	30-12	43	1-7	0	3-0	4	0	1
Total	37	105-31	136	6-33	2-19	6-25	13	1-0	1

Year	G	KOR	Yds	Avg	TD	LP
2014	12	4	70	17.5	0	20
2015	12	4	94	23.5	0	27
Total	24	8	140	20.5	0	27

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	BK
Ball State	4-1	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Air Force	2-0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wisconsin	1-2	3	0	0	0	0	1-0	0	0
App State	5-0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Texas State	1-1	2	0	0	0	0	1-0	0	1
Troy	1-0	1	0	0	1	0	1-0	0	0
UT Martin	3-2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
USA	1-2	3	0	1-7	0	0	0	1	0
Ark State	2-0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
ULM	3-2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GS	6-1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Idaho	1-2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

2015	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	BK
Charlotte	3-0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NMSU	5-0	5	1-10	2-11	0	0	0	2	0
Oregon	3-1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0



PLAYER PROFILES

Liberty.....	5-1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
App State	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ball State.....	2-2	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Ark State.....	4-1	5	1-9	1-9	0	0 (TD)	1-25	0	0
ULL	4-0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Texas State.....	6-0	6	0	0	0	0	1-0	2	0
USA.....	2-2	4	0	0.5-3	0	0	0	1	0
Troy	4-0	4	0	1-2	0	0	0	2	0
GS.....	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SJS.....	2-1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

2014.....	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	BK
ACU.....	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NMSU.....	3-2	5	0	0	0	1-0	0	0	0
Air Force.....	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Washington....	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ULL	4-1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arkansas St....	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
USA.....	0-1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GS.....	3-1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
App State	4-2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Troy	5-1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clemson.....	6-2	8	0	0.5-1	0	0	0	0	0
Texas St.....	6-0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 8 vs. Clemson, 2014

Tackles for Loss: 2 vs. New Mexico State, 2015



MALIK SUMTER

OL • 6-1, 280 • Fr.
Irmo, S.C.
Dutch Fork HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: All-state offensive lineman who signed with the Panthers in 2017.

HIGH SCHOOL: Named to the American Family Insurance ALL-USA South Carolina Football Team ... Played both offensive and defensive line for 2016 state champion Dutch Fork High School, which went 15-0 ... Region 5-5A Offensive Player of the Year ... Three-time all-region ... Selected for the South Carolina Shrine Bowl team ... Made 35 tackles with five tackles for loss on defense ... Four-year letterwinner for coach Tom Knotts.

PERSONAL: Full name is Malik Antwan Sumter ... Born April 10, 1999 ... Parents are Rochelle and Bernard Sumter Sr.



JHI'SHAWN TAYLOR

OLB • 6-3, 201 • Fr.
Cordele, Ga.
Crisp County HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Freshman defender in the 2017 signing class who played safety in high school but projects as an outside linebacker.

HIGH SCHOOL: First-team All-Region 1-AAA for Crisp County High School ... Playing safety, he 97 tackles with eight tackles for loss and two interceptions as a senior ... Helped Crisp County reach the Class AAA state semifinals ... Coached by Shelton Felton.

PERSONAL: Jhi'Shawn Taylor is the son of Montrellus Taylor and Demetris Daniels ... Born Nov. 11, 1998.



TERRY THOMAS

DL • 6-3, 265 • So.
McDonough, Ga.
Luella HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Dean's List, Fall 2016
- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2017
- Enrolled in Georgia State's Honors College

AT GEORGIA STATE: Young defensive lineman with good size and skills ... One of two 2016 signees from Luella High School.

2016: Earned playing time as a true freshman ... Played in 11 games ... Credited with 17 tackles ... Season-high four tackles at Air Force ... Added three tackle at Wisconsin and vs. UT Martin ... Forced a fumble vs. Arkansas State.

HIGH SCHOOL: All-Metro (Southside) by the Atlanta Journal-Constitution ... Three-time all-region selection, including first-team All-Region 4-A-A-A-A-A-A (Subregion B) as a senior at Luella High School ... Three-Named to the All-Southern Crescent Buzz all-area first team ... Set school records with 320 career tackles and 20.5 sacks ... Also had two defensive touchdowns, two interceptions, three fumble recoveries and four forced fumbles ... Three-year letterman and two-time team captain for coach Nic Vasilchek ... Academically, he ranked in top



PLAYER PROFILES

10 percent of his class and was a member of the National Honor Society, BETA Club, Fellowship of Christian Athletes and the Health Occupation Students of America (HOSA-Future Health Professions).

PERSONAL: Full name is Terrence Thomas Jr. ... Born Feb. 6, 1998 ... Son of Terry Sr. and Jacinta Thomas.



JAMES TRAYLOR

OLB • 6-3, 230 • Sr.
Columbus, Ga.
Columbus HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Sun Belt Honor Roll, 2014-15
- Dean's List, Spring 2015
- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2016, Fall 2016, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Three-year letterwinner on defense, playing outside linebacker ... Enrolled in the fall of 2014 and earned playing time as a true freshman ... Changed to jersey No. 33 in 2015 after wearing No. 83 as a freshman.

2016: Played in every game and made 21 tackles ... Season-high five tackles in three games: Air Force, UT Martin and South Alabama ... Shared a sack vs. Texas State and a tackle for loss at Idaho.

2015: Credited with 18 tackles ... Career-high five tackles in back-to-back games against Liberty and Appalachian State ... Also had 1.5 tackles for loss in the App State game ... Added four tackles the following game vs. Ball State ... Injured for the final four games.

2014: Played in four games before missing the final four games due to injury ... Made six tackles on the season ... Had four tackles with tackle for loss and a fumble recovery vs. Arkansas State in his first game ... Added two tackles at Appalachian State ... Began the season at tight end before settling on defense.

HIGH SCHOOL: Honorable mention All-Bi City selection by the Columbus Ledger-Enquirer as a wide receiver ... Collected 30 receptions for 478 yards as a senior at Columbus High School ... Caught four touchdown passes.

PERSONAL: James Traylor was born Dec. 4, 1995 ... Son of Willie and Alicia Taylor ... Majoring in computer information systems.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	PB	FR	FF
2014	4	3-3	6	1-3	0	0	0	1-0	0
2015	9	8-10	18	1.5-2	0	0	0	0	0
2016	12	14-7	21	1-6	0.5-5	0	0	0	0
Total	25	25-20	45	3.5-11	0.5-5	0	0	1-0	0

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 12 vs. Liberty, 2015, Appalachian State, 2015



JALEN WADE

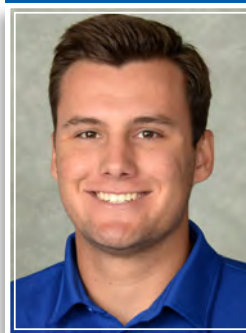
ILB • 6-3, 210 • Jr.
Lincolnton, Ga.
Lincoln County HS
Georgia Military

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Experienced defender who could make an immediate impact at linebacker after transferring from junior college.

JUNIOR COLLEGE/HIGH SCHOOL: Played two seasons at for coach Bert Williams at Georgia Military College ... Collected 45 tackles with 10 tackles for loss and two sacks in 2016 ... Honorable mention all-state by the Atlanta Journal-Constitution as a senior (2014) at Lincoln County High School ... 2014 Defensive Player of the Year in Region 7-A ... Helped Lincoln County reach the state playoffs.

PERSONAL: Full name is Jalen Jerome Wade ... Son of Jerry Wade and Lisa Willingham ... Born Jan. 9, 1996..



JACK WALKER

QB • 6-3, 228 • Fr.
Madison, Miss.
Madison Central HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Highly-regarded pro-style quarterback in the 2017 freshman class.

HIGH SCHOOL: First-team all-state selection in Class 6A by the Mississippi Association of Coaches ... Consensus three-star rating ... Completed 179 of 301 passes (60 percent) for 2,058 yards and 16 touchdowns as a senior at Madison Central High School ... Also rushed for 437 yards and nine touchdowns on 96 carries ... Led Madison Central to Class 6A state semifinals the last two years ... Rushed for 116 yards and two touchdowns and threw a 42-yard TD pass to lead an upset of No. 1 seed Tupelo in the 2016 state quarterfinals ... Coached by Anthony Hart.

PERSONAL: Full name is Jack Holden Walker ... Born May 20, 1998 ... Son of Terri and Kevin Walker ... Father played football at Mississippi State..



PLAYER PROFILES


ARI
WERTS

TE • 6-4, 225 • Jr
 Stone Mountain, Ga.
 Stephenson HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Dean's, Spring 2017
- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2016

AT GEORGIA STATE: Two-year letterwinner at tight end with 26 career receptions for 413 yards and three touchdowns ... After a gray shirt year, he enrolled in January 2015 and earned playing time as a true freshman.

2016: Fifth on the team with 21 receptions for 329 yards. Tied for second with three touchdowns ... Caught his first career touchdown at Air Force on a 22-yard reception from Conner Manning ... Had three catches for 77 yards including a 41-yard reception vs. Texas State ... Career-high four receptions for 60 yards vs. Troy with a 14-yard touchdown catch in the fourth quarter ... Career-long 46-yard reception vs. ULM ... Hauled in a 26-yard pass just shy of the goal line to set up a touchdown vs. Georgia Southern ... Finished the season with four catches for 76 yards vs. Idaho, highlighted by an 11-yard touchdown.

2015: Played on special teams all season and began to see more action at tight end in the second half of the season ... Averaged 16.8 yards on five receptions (84 yards) ... Saw his first playing time on offense vs. Appalachian State and had two catches for 21 yards ... Had three receptions for 63 yards vs. San Jose State in the AutoNation Cure Bowl. Caught passes of 20 and 29 yards on a first-quarter touchdown drive ... Credited with three special teams tackles.

HIGH SCHOOL: All-area (DeKalb County) tight end by the Atlanta Journal-Constitution ... Coached by Ron Gartrell at Stephenson High School ... Helped Stephenson reach the state playoffs.

PERSONAL: Full name is Ari Kaleb Werts ... Born Aug. 7, 1996 ... Son of Larry and Kathy Werts ... Majoring in interdisciplinary studies.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	LP
2015	12	5	84	16.8	0	29
2016	11	21	329	15.7	3	46
Total	23	26	413	15.9	3	46

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016	Rec	Yds	TD	LP	Touchdowns
Ball State	1	2	0	2	
Air Force	1	22	1	22	22
Wisconsin	DNP				
App State	1	7	0	7	

Texas State	3	77	0	41	
Troy	4	60	1	38	14
UT Martin	1	19	0	19	
South Alabama	2	13	0	7	
Arkansas State	0	0	0	0	
UL Monroe	2	55	0	46	
Georgia Southern	2	32	0	26	
Idaho	4	42	1	19	11

CAREER HIGHS

Receptions: 4 vs. Troy, 2016; Idaho, 2016

Receiving Yards: 77 vs. Texas State, 2016

Long Reception: 46 vs. UL Monroe, 2016


DAVID
WEST

DB • 6-1, 185 • R-So.
 Cumming, Ga.
 West Forsyth HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Reserve defensive back who joined the program in 2015.

HIGH SCHOOL: Three-year letterwinner at West Forsyth High School ... Had 15 solo tackles, 28 total tackles, one forced fumble, and 10 pass deflections ... Also ran track.

PERSONAL: Full name is David Allen West III ... Born August 15, 1997 ... Son of David and Pamela West ... Majoring in computer information systems.


SEBASTIAN
WILLER

T • 6-5, 285 • R-Sr.
 Calhoun, Ga.
 Calhoun HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Three-year letterwinner and returning starter at offensive tackle ... Started 11 games in 2016 ... Part-time starter in 2015, when he played in seven games, including four starts at left tackle ... Earned a letter in 2014 playing on the



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PAT-FG unit ... Moved to the offensive line in the spring of 2014 after playing tight end during a redshirt year in 2013.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played offense and defense at Calhoun High School ... Second-team all-area by the Rome News-Tribune following his senior season ... Helped Calhoun win Class AA state title in 2011 ... Named to the Chattanooga Times Free Press preseason "Dynamite Dozen" before the 2012 season ... Coached by Hal Lamb ... Participated in track for the first time as a senior and won Class AA state titles in the discus (150-03) and shot put (51-0.250).

PERSONAL: Sebastian Willer was born March 2, 1994 ... Son of Michael and Christine Willer ... Native of Germany who moved with his family to the U.S. before his junior year of high school ... Majoring in history.



BRYAN WILLIAMS

S • 6-3, 212 • 6-Sr.
Miramar, Fla.
Miramar HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Fall 2016
- Earned his degree in December 2016

AT GEORGIA STATE: Veteran safety who will return for the 2017 season after being granted a sixth season of eligibility by the NCAA ... Will become the first GSU football player to play a sixth year ... Missed nearly two full seasons (2013 and 2014) with a back injury ... Has two career interceptions, 11 pass breakups and 101 tackles ... Changed to jersey No. 20 in 2015 after wearing 36 his first three years.

2016: Starting safety who was fifth on the team with 61 tackles ... Key part of a GSU secondary that finished seventh in the FBS in pass efficiency defense and eighth in passing yards allowed (173.9) and did not allow any pass play longer than 37 yards ... Opened the 2016 season with a career-high 10 tackles with one tackle for loss vs. Ball State ... Made six tackles with a pass breakup and a forced fumble at South Alabama ... Added five tackles and two pass breakups vs. Arkansas State.

2015: Top backup at safety who totalled 22 tackles, one interception and four pass breakups ... Sealed GSU's win at Ball State with an interception with 1:46 to play. Also had two tackles and a QB hurry in the game ... Had a third-down pass breakup in the fourth quarter of the Panthers' 24-10 win over South Alabama, helping to hold the Jaguars to 284 total yards ... Season-high six tackles and a pass breakup in win at New Mexico State ... Had a tackle for loss on third down and a pass breakup in win at Texas State ... Broke up a pass vs. San Jose State in the AutoNation Cure Bowl.

2014: Starter at safety whose season was ended by a back injury ... Played in three of the first four games ... Made a career-high eight tackles against New Mexico State, along with his first career interception and a fumble recovery ... Added four tackles at Washington ... Moved to safety from outside linebacker in spring practice.

2013: Took a redshirt year after undergoing back surgery.

2012: Member of 2012 signing class who earned playing time as a true freshman at outside linebacker ... Played in the final eight games of the season, including a start at William & Mary ... Credited with five tackles ... Named to the 2012 CAA Football Academic All-Conference team.

HIGH SCHOOL: Standout linebacker for coach Damon Cogdell at Miramar High School ... Helped Miramar to a 13-1 record and a berth in the state title game in the Class 8A ... Caused a fumble in the championship game against Tampa Plant ... Totalled 43 tackles, including 33 solo hits, as senior, along with two fumble recoveries, an interception and one touchdown.

PERSONAL: Brother of former GSU tight end Arthur Williams, who played two seasons (2010-11) for the Panthers ... Son of Rita and Arthur Williams ... Born April 20, 1994 ... Criminal justice major who earned his degree in December 2016.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	UA-A	Total	TFL	Sack	Int	PB	FR	FF
2012	8	4-1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
2013	REDSHIRTED								
2014	3	9-4	13	0	0	1-0	1	1-0	0
2015	13	12-10	22	1.5-3	0	1-0	4	0	0
2016	12	37-24	61	1.5-3	0	0	6	0	1
Total	36	62-39	101	3-6	0	2-0	11	1-0	1

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	BK
Ball State	6-4	10	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	0
Air Force	5-3	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wisconsin	3-5	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
App State	1-2	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Texas State	4-3	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Troy	2-1	3	0	0.5-3	0	0	0	0	0
UT Martin	1-1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
USA	5-1	6	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
Ark State	4-1	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
ULM	4-0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
GS	1-1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Idaho	1-2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

2015	UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	BK
Charlotte	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NMSU	1-5	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Oregon	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liberty	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
App State	0-1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ball State	0-2	2	0	0	0	0	1-0	0	0
Ark State	1-1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UL Lafayette	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Texas State	3-0	3	0	1-2	0	0	0	1	0
USA	2-0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Troy	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GS	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SJ	0-1	1	0	0.5-1	0	0	0	1	0



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2014..... UA-A	Total	Sack	TFL	FF	FR	Int	PB	BK
ACU..... 1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NMSU..... 4-4	8	0	0	0	1-0	1-0	1	0
Washington.... 4-0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Tackles: 10 vs. Ball State, 2016



HARDRICK WILLIS

DE • 6-3, 228 • Fr.
Jonesboro, Ga.
Mundy's Mill HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Defensive end prospect in the 2017 freshman class.

HIGH SCHOOL: Two-time all-region defender at Mundy's Mill High School, earning first-team honors in Region 4-A-A-A-A-A as a junior and second-team accolades in 4-A-A-A-A-A as a senior ... Collected 97 tackles as a senior with 11 tackles for loss and four sacks.

PERSONAL: Full name is Hardrick Deon Willis Jr. ... Son of Teona and Hardrick Willis Sr. ... Born Oct. 15, 1998.



DONTAE WILSON

DT • 6-0, 280 • Fr.
Jefferson, Ga.
Jefferson HS

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AT GEORGIA STATE: All-state defensive lineman who signed with the Panthers in 2017.

HIGH SCHOOL: Two-time all-state defensive lineman at Jefferson High School ... 2016 Class AAAA first-team all-state by the Atlanta Journal-Constitution and second-team by the Georgia Sportswriters Association ... 2016 Player of the Year in Region 8-A-A-A-A ... Made 74 tackles as a senior with 14 TFL and six sacks ... Honorable mention all-state in Class AAA by the Georgia Sportswriters Association as a junior ... Two-time all-area by the Gainesville Times, including first-team accolades in 2016 ... Three-time first-team all-region selection.



AARON WINCHESTER

QB • 6-2, 190 • R-So.
Lawrenceville, Ga.
Mount Pisgah Christian

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AT GEORGIA STATE: Athletic quarterback who backed up starter Conner Manning in 2016 after competing for the starting job in the preseason ... Redshirted in 2015.

2016: Made his first start vs. UT Martin, when starter Conner Manning was injured in the Thursday practice before the game. Passed for 119 yards (8-for-16) with a 7-yard TD pass to Glenn Smith. Rushed for 75 yards on 16 carries ... Started the following game at South Alabama, rushing for 64 yards on 21 carries while throwing for 113 yards on 11-for-18 passes ... Came off the bench in the fourth quarter of season opener vs. Ball State and directed a scoring drive, which he capped with a 13-yard TD run. Passed for 32 yards (4-8) and rushed for 59 yards on eight carries ... Unavailable for the Arkansas State and ULM games due to an ankle injury ... Had a strong performance in the Blue-White spring game, when he threw three touchdown passes and rushed for a fourth score ... Redshirted in 2015.

HIGH SCHOOL: Two-time all-state quarterback, including first-team all-state accolades as a senior at Mount Pisgah Christian School ... As a junior, he was a second-team all-state pick by the GSWA and an honorable mention selection by the Atlanta Journal-Constitution ... Also named Offensive Player of the Year in North Fulton and in Region 6-A for both his junior and senior seasons ... Passed for Led Mount Pisgah to the second round state playoffs in 2013 and 2014 ... Threw four touchdown passes and scored a fifth touchdown in first-round victory over Landmark Christian ... Coached by Mike Forester.

PERSONAL: Full name is Aaron Christopher Winchester ... Born Jan. 5, 1997 ... Son of Stacy Winchester and Carrie Wilson ... Majoring in finance.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G-GS	Cm-Att	Int	Pct	Yds	TD	LP	Sack	PG
2016	4-0	24-45	2	.533	271	1	43	7	67.8

Year	Rsh	Yards	Avg	TD	LP	Ply	Total	TDR	PG
2016	48	197	4.1	1	21	93	468	2	117.0

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

2016	C-A	Yds	TD	Int	LP	Rsh	Yds	TD	LP	TO-TD	Sck
Ball State	4-8	32	0	0	18	8	59	0	21	91-0	1
Air Force	1-3	7	0	0	7	3	-1	0	1	6-0	1
UT Martin	8-16	119	1	2	43	16	75	0	18	194-1	1
USA	11-18	113	0	0	25	21	64	0	20	177-0	4



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BRANDON
WRIGHT

P-PK • 5-10, 180 • R-So.
 Atlanta, Ga.
 KIPP Atlanta Collegiate

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Sun Belt Conference Honor Roll, 2015-16
- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Fall 2015, Spring 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Punter who also handles kickoffs ... Joined the program in 2015 as a walk-on ... Redshirted in 2015.

2016: Averaged 39.8 yards on 61 punts, including 11 punts of 50 or more yards and 13 kicks downed inside the 20-yard line ... Had 12 touchbacks on 45 kickoffs ... Went 1-for-2 on field goals and 1-for-2 on extra points when pressed into service.

Averaged 49.2 yards, with a net of 44.5, on four punts vs. Texas State. Also had eight kickoffs, resulting in a starting field position inside the 20-yard line ... Averaged 46.6 yards on seven punts at Appalachian State, including one that went out of bounds at the 1-yard line ... Made three clutch plays in win over Georgia Southern. Called upon as a placekicker for the first time, he booted an extra point and a 27-yard field goal. With time running down, he had a 49-yard punt to the 13-yard line with 1:14 left.

HIGH SCHOOL: Two-year letterwinner at KIPP Atlanta Collegiate ... Coached by Lester Caldwell ... Class AA all-state selection by the Atlanta Journal Constitution ... All-region selection by GHSA.

PERSONAL: Full name is Brandon-Earl Wright ... Born February 18, 1997 ... Parents are Scott Parham and Erica Bracey ... Majoring in chemistry.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	No.	Yds	Avg	LP	TB	FC	I20	50+
2016	12	61	2430	39.8	60	3	10	13	11

Year	G	PAT	FG	0-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LG	Pts
2016	12	1-2	1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	27	4

2016	Punts	Yds	Avg	LP	Ret	TB	I20	50+
Ball State	7	258	36.9	55	2-27	1	1	2
Air Force	4	128	32.0	60	0-0	0	1	1
Wisconsin	5	204	40.8	55	2-15	0	0	1
App State	7	326	46.6	53	2-17	2	2	3
Texas State	4	197	49.2	57	3-12	0	2	2
Troy	5	197	39.4	45	2-21	0	1	0
UT Martin	5	200	40.0	52	3-(-1)	0	0	1
South Alabama	7	236	33.7	47	2-14	0	1	0
Arkansas State	8	339	42.4	53	3-98	0	3	1
ULM	2	53	26.5	36	2-22	0	0	0
GS	5	209	41.8	49	3-67	0	2	0
Idaho	2	83	41.5	43	2-40	0	0	0


DANIEL
ZEIGLER

LS • 6-5, 240 • R-Sr.
 Snellville, Ga.
 South Gwinnett HS

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ACADEMIC HONORS

- Sun Belt Honor Roll, 2014-15 and 2015-16
- Dean's List, Spring 2017
- Athletic Director's Honor Roll, Fall 2014, Spring 2015, Spring 2016
- Earned his degree in May 2017

AT GEORGIA STATE: Two-year letterwinner as the long-snapper on punts and placements ... Missed four games in 2016 (Troy, UT Martin, South Alabama, Arkansas State) due to a concussion ... Also missed the entire 2015 season due to illness ... Handled all snaps on punts and placements in every game in 2014 ... Signed with the Panthers in 2013 as an offensive lineman ... Redshirted in 2013 and then converted to full-time long-snapper in the spring of 2014.

HIGH SCHOOL: Lineman from South Gwinnett High School who was an honorable mention all-county selection by the Touchdown Club of Gwinnett ... Chosen to play in the Rivalries of Gwinnett all-star game ... Earned a 94 percent blocking grade as a senior ... Three-year letterman ... Coached by John Small.

PERSONAL: Daniel Zeigler was born Nov. 11, 1994 ... Son of Jim Zeigler and Tammie Zeigler ... A marketing major, he earned his degree in May 2017.

2016**STATISTICS****2016 Record: 3-9 Overall, 2-6 Sun Belt (9th)****Home: 3-3 • Away: 0-6**

Date	OPPONENT [Rank]	Result	Record	Att
Sept. 2, 2016	BALL STATE (Friday)	L 21-31	0-1	12,233
Sept. 10, 2016	at Air Force	L 14-48	0-2	24,173
Sept. 17, 2016	at Wisconsin (9)	L 17-23	0-3	79,883
Oct. 1, 2016	at Appalachian State	L 3-17	0-4	24,782
Oct. 8, 2016	TEXAS STATE	W 41-21	1-4	13,179
Oct. 15, 2016	at Troy	L 21-31	1-5	23,913
Oct. 22, 2016	UT MARTIN	W 31-6	2-5	15,223
Oct. 29, 2016	at South Alabama	L 10-13	2-6	11,565
Nov. 3, 2016	ARKANSAS STATE (Thursday)	L 16-31	2-7	13,363
Nov. 12, 2016	UL MONROE	L 23-37	3-7	13,106
Nov. 19, 2016	GEORGIA SOUTHERN	W 30-24	3-8	23,513
Dec. 3, 2016	at Idaho	L 12-37	3-9	11,242

TEAM STATISTICS	GSU	OPP
SCORING	239	319
Points Per Game	19.9	26.6
Points Off Turnovers	47	40
FIRST DOWNS	201	267
Rushing	63	138
Passing	120	110
Penalty	18	19
RUSHING YARDAGE	1052	2481
Yards gained rushing	1337	2688
Yards lost rushing	285	207
Rushing Attempts	336	576
Average Per Rush	3.1	4.3
Average Per Game	87.7	206.8
TDs Rushing	10	25
PASSING YARDAGE	2955	2087
Comp-Att-Int	231-419-15	193-355-11
Average Per Pass	7.1	5.9
Average Per Catch	12.8	10.8
Average Per Game	246.2	173.9
TDs Passing	17	8
TOTAL OFFENSE	4007	4568
Total Plays	755	931
Average Per Play	5.3	4.9
Average Per Game	333.9	380.7
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards-TD	32-737-1	31-773-1
Kick Return Average	23.0	24.9
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards-TD	7-10-0	30-373-2
Punt Return Average	1.4	12.4

TEAM STATISTICS	GSU	OPP
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	11-91-2	15-76-0
Interception Return Average	8.3	5.1
FUMBLES-LOST	15-8	15-7
PENALTIES-Yards	73-581	70-623
Average Per Game	48.4	51.9
PUNTS-Yards	68-2655	58-2411
Average Per Punt	39.0	41.6
Net punt average	32.4	40.4
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	25:34	34:26
3RD-DOWN Conversions	65/170	77/197
3rd-Down Pct	38%	39%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	5/14	18/26
4th-Down Pct	36%	69%
SACKS BY-Yards	18-111	16-120
MISC YARDS	-26	79
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	31	37
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	9-17	19-29
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-2	2-3
RED-ZONE SCORES	(23-27) 85%	(42-54) 78%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(15-27) 56%	(30-54) 56%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(26-30) 87%	(36-36) 100%
ATTENDANCE	90617	175558
Games/Avg Per Game	6/15103	6/29260

Score by Quarters.....	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Georgia State	50	57	92	40	0	239
Opponents	63	70	87	99	0	319

2016 **STATISTICS****INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Neal, Kyler	9	75	329	15	314	4.2	2	35	34.9
Winchester, Aaron	5	49	258	54	204	4.2	1	21	40.8
Smith, Glenn	12	41	170	20	150	3.7	2	32	12.5
Stubbs, Darius	11	39	146	2	144	3.7	1	35	13.1
Dorn, Kendrick	9	31	110	0	110	3.5	1	12	12.2
Barnett, Tra	8	22	109	2	107	4.9	0	13	13.4
Kirk, Demarcus	10	36	120	16	104	2.9	1	17	10.4
Boyd, Todd	9	2	9	2	7	3.5	0	9	0.8
Parks, Jaquez	12	1	6	0	6	6.0	0	6	0.5
Scaife, Emiere	3	2	0	2	-2	-1.0	0	0	-0.7
Manning, Conner	10	27	80	83	-3	-0.1	2	18	-0.3
TEAM	11	11	0	89	-89	-8.1	0	0	-8.1
Total	12	336	1337	285	1052	3.1	10	35	87.7
Opponents	12	576	2688	207	2481	4.3	25	46	206.8

Passing	gp	effc	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Manning, Conner	10	123.12	207-373-13	55.5	2684	16	78	268.4
Winchester, Aaron	5	102.36	24-45-2	53.3	271	1	43	54.2
Smith, Glenn	12	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	12	120.60	231-419-15	55.1	2955	17	78	246.2
Opponents	12	104.99	193-355-11	54.4	2087	8	37	173.9

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Davis, Robert	12	67	968	14.4	5	65	80.7
Smith, Glenn	12	40	547	13.7	3	78	45.6
Boyd, Todd	9	33	352	10.7	1	35	39.1
Rucker, Keith	10	32	362	11.3	2	44	36.2
Werts, Ari	11	21	329	15.7	3	46	29.9
Dorn, Kendrick	9	11	66	6.0	0	17	7.3
Nobles, Jawan	9	9	179	19.9	2	63	19.9
Hart, Penny	2	8	61	7.6	1	24	30.5
Barnett, Tra	8	3	29	9.7	0	12	3.6
Neal, Kyler	9	3	28	9.3	0	16	3.1
Stubbs, Darius	11	2	15	7.5	0	13	1.4
Gentry, Devin	12	1	15	15.0	0	15	1.2
Kirk, Demarcus	10	1	4	4.0	0	4	0.4
Total	12	231	2955	12.8	17	78	246.2
Opponents	12	193	2087	10.8	8	37	173.9

All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Smith, Glenn	12	150	547	0	387	0	1084	90.3
Davis, Robert	12	0	968	0	0	0	968	80.7
Barnett, Tra	8	107	29	0	318	0	454	56.8
Rucker, Keith	10	0	362	0	0	0	362	36.2
Boyd, Todd	9	7	352	0	0	0	359	39.9
Neal, Kyler	9	314	28	0	0	0	342	38.0
Werts, Ari	11	0	329	0	0	0	329	29.9
Winchester, Aar	5	204	0	0	0	0	204	40.8
Dorn, Kendrick	9	110	66	0	21	0	197	21.9

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Stone, Cedric	6	10	1.7	0	6
Hart, Penny	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	7	10	1.4	0	6
Opponents	30	373	12.4	2	68

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Sullivan, Chandon	3	0	0.0	0	0
Clay, B.J.	3	38	12.7	1	38
Smith, Jerome	3	50	16.7	1	48
Payne, Trey	1	3	3.0	0	3
Shaw, Michael	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	11	91	8.3	2	48
Opponents	15	76	5.1	0	14

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Smith, Glenn	16	387	24.2	0	88
Barnett, Tra	13	318	24.5	1	90
Dorn, Kendrick	2	21	10.5	0	14
Payne, Trey	1	11	11.0	0	11
Total	32	737	23.0	1	90
Opponents	31	773	24.9	1	99

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
McGee, Alonzo	1	10	10.0	0	10
Allen, Marterious	1	23	23.0	1	23
Total	2	33	16.5	1	23
Opponents	1	53	53.0	1	53



2016 STATISTICS

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Scoring	td	fg	PAT				dpx	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass			
ten Lohuis, Rogier	-	8-15	25-28	-	-	-	-	-	49
Davis, Robert	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
Smith, Glenn	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
Werts, Ari	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Neal, Kyler	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Manning, Conner	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Rucker, Keith	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Nobles, Jawan	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Dorn, Kendrick	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Kirk, Demarcus	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Allen, Marterious	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Winchester, Aaron	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Boyd, Todd	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Hart, Penny	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Smith, Jerome	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Clay, B.J.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Barnett, Tra	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Stubbs, Darius	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Wright, Brandon	-	1-2	1-2	-	-	-	-	-	4
Parks, Jaquez	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	-	-	0
Total	31	9-17	26-30	0-1	-	-	-	-	239
Opponents	37	19-29	36-36	1-1	-	-	-	1	319

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Manning, Conner	10	400	-3	2684	2681	268.1
Winchester, Aaron	5	94	204	271	475	95.0
Neal, Kyler	9	75	314	0	314	34.9
Smith, Glenn	12	42	150	0	150	12.5
Stubbs, Darius	11	39	144	0	144	13.1
Dorn, Kendrick	9	31	110	0	110	12.2
Barnett, Tra	8	22	107	0	107	13.4
Kirk, Demarcus	10	36	104	0	104	10.4
Boyd, Todd	9	2	7	0	7	0.8
Parks, Jaquez	12	1	6	0	6	0.5
Scaife, Emiere	3	2	-2	0	-2	-0.7
TEAM	11	11	-89	0	-89	-8.1
Total	12	755	1052	2955	4007	333.9
Opponents	12	931	2481	2087	4568	380.7

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
ten Lohuis, Rogier	8-15	53.3	0-0	1-2	4-4	3-7	0-2	45	4
Wright, Brandon	1-2	50.0	0-0	1-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	27	0

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Wright, Brandon	61	2430	39.8	60	3	10	13	11	1
Holdenson, Oliver	6	225	37.5	64	1	0	1	1	0
TEAM	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	68	2655	39.0	64	4	10	14	12	1
Opponents	58	2411	41.6	60	3	22	25	12	0

FG Sequence	Georgia State	Opponents
Ball State	-	48,(44)
Air Force	45	(31),(18)
Wisconsin	45,(45)	(41),(28),30,(41)
Appalachian State	51,(43)	52,44,(42)
Texas State	(36),(35)	35
Troy	-	(39),(27),(28)
UT Martin	(23)	(44),(39)
South Alabama	(30),44	(34),42,(30)
Arkansas State	(42),50	42,24,(30)
UL Monroe	27,(30)	47
Georgia Southern	40,(27)	(43)
Idaho	25	(28),44,(23),(45)

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydl
Wright, Brandon	45	2773	61.6	12	2			
ten Lohuis, Rogier	6	284	47.3	3	0			
Total	51	3057	59.9	15	2	24.9	37.4	27
Opponents	63	3830	60.8	26	2	23.0	38.8	26

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

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##	Defensive Leaders	gp	Tackles			tfl/yds	Sacks no-yds	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot			int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
4D	McGee, Alonzo	12	62	35	97	4.5-16	2.0-8	.	1	2	2-10	1	.	.
2	Baker, Bobby	12	55	27	82	0.5-1	.	.	3	.	2-0	.	.	.
44	Shaw, Michael	12	40	36	76	12.0-55	3.0-21	1-0	.	.	.	1	.	.
42	Payne, Trey	10	35	31	66	.	.	1-3	1	1	.	.	.	.
20	Williams, Bryan	12	37	24	61	1.5-3	.	.	6	.	.	1	.	.
49	Lawrence, Shawanye	11	30	26	56	4.5-16	1.0-10	.	3	1	1-0	2	.	.
39	Middleton, Chase	12	26	21	47	2.5-15	2.0-14	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
10	Sullivan, Chandon	12	30	13	43	1.0-7	.	3-0	4	.	.	1	1	.
8	Ringer, Kaleb	12	20	21	41	1.0-2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
95	Allen, Marterious	12	22	19	41	1.5-6	1.0-4	.	1	1	1-23	.	.	.
27	Everett, Andrew	11	19	21	40	0.5-3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
16	Smith, Jerome	10	34	6	40	3.0-19	2.0-15	3-50	1	.	.	.	.	.
5D	Cheridor, Mackendy	8	23	9	32	6.0-28	2.5-13	.	3	2	.	2	.	.
91	Laurent, Julien	9	14	14	28	1.0-7	1.0-7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
97	Lawrence, Jalen	12	12	10	22	2.0-5	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
33	Traylor, James	12	14	7	21	1.0-6	0.5-5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
53	Thomas, Terry	11	10	7	17	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
55	Hopson, Carnell	10	7	7	14	1.0-2	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
9	Stone, Cedric	12	10	3	13	1.0-6	1.0-6	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
38	Spencer, Jameel	4	8	5	13	1.0-5	1.0-5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
29	Clay, B.J.	12	5	5	10	.	.	3-38	5	.	.	.	.	.
14	Campbell, Cloves	12	4	5	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
21	Allen, Antreal	10	8	1	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
13	Patrick, Charlie	3	3	5	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
52	Jones, Tevin	12	3	5	8	0.5-2	0.5-2	.	3	.	1-0	.	.	.
88	Werts, Ari	11	6	1	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
31	Peterkin, Ronald	6	4	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
45	Rucker, Keith	10	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7D	Dowling, Robert	11	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
36	Otiwu, Justin	5	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
23	Stubbs, Darius	11	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
32	Ricks, Malik	3	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
99	Amazan, Clifford	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
46	Nesmith, Jacob	12	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
54	Zeigler, Daniel	8	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
37	Hill, Trent	12	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
17	Smith, Glenn	12	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
15	Boyd, Todd	9	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
66	Holman, Seth-Patrick	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
76	Atkinson, Hunter	12	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
28	Kirk, Demarcus	10	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
34	Bryant, Niemus	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
62	Cunningham, Will	4	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
81	Gentry, Devin	12	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
30	Lain, Javonte	7	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
19	Davis, Robert	12	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
18	Hart, Penny	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
93	Wright, Brandon	12	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total		12	568	372	940	46-204	18-111	11-91	36	9	7-33	9	1	.
Opponents		12	424	228	652	55-216	16-120	15-76	33	9	8-53	7	7	1



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#7 Manning, Conner	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked	Effic
Ball State	21	32	1	65.6	163	1	24	1-7	112.47
Air Force	8	24	0	33.3	135	1	40	0-0	94.33
Wisconsin	20	29	0	69.0	269	1	60	1-15	158.26
Appalachian State	19	44	4	43.2	153	0	20	0-0	54.21
Texas State	27	40	0	67.5	340	2	55	1-9	155.40
Troy	28	52	2	53.8	381	3	65	3-18	126.74
Arkansas State	22	46	2	47.8	237	1	28	1-5	89.58
UL Monroe	19	30	0	63.3	422	3	78	2-9	214.49
Georgia Southern	21	39	0	53.8	318	2	44	1-13	139.26
Idaho	22	37	4	59.5	266	2	63	0-0	116.06
TOTALS	207	373	13	55.5	2684	16	78	10-76	123.12

#11 Winchester, A.	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked	Effic
Ball State	4	8	0	50.0	32	0	18	0-0	83.60
Air Force	1	3	0	33.3	7	0	7	1-3	52.93
UT Martin	8	16	2	50.0	119	1	43	1-5	108.10
South Alabama	11	18	0	61.1	113	0	25	4-36	113.84
TOTALS	24	45	2	53.3	271	1	43	6-44	102.36

#17 Smith, Glenn	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked	Effic
Wisconsin	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0-0	0.00
TOTALS	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0-0	0.00

RUSHING	No-Yds/TD	BALL	AF	WIS	APP	TXST	TROY	UTM	USA	ASU	ULM	GS	IDAHO
Neal, Kyler	75-314/2	2-3/0	2-1/0	15-41/1	12-46/0	13-89/1	3-20/0	DNP	DNP	2-39/0	DNP	11-29/0	15-46/0
Winchester, A.	49-204/1	8-59/1	3--1/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	16-75/0	21-64/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-7/0
Smith, Glenn	41-150/2	8-14/0	-	1-5/0	5-12/0	1-32/1	-	-	1-5/0	12-38/0	6-5/0	5-37/1	2-2/0
Stubbs, Darius	39-144/1	DNP	-	-	7-28/0	7-13/0	2-1/0	12-69/1	1-2/0	-	6-25/0	3-6/0	1-0/0
Dorn, Kendrick	31-110/1	3-8/0	5-15/1	2-5/0	-	5-24/0	6-24/0	2-5/0	6-20/0	2-9/0	DNP	DNP	DNP
Barnett, Tra	22-107/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	3-31/0	5-20/0	6-23/0	-	3-11/0	2-9/0	2-6/0	1-7/0
Kirk, Demarcus	36-104/1	1-4/0	4-12/0	2--1/0	-	DNP	DNP	1-0/0	10-30/1	8-29/0	7-21/0	3-9/0	-
Boyd, Todd	2-7/0	-	-	1-9/0	-	-	1-2/0	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP
Parks, Jaquez	1-6/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-6/0	-	-	-	-
Scaife, Emiere	2--2/0	1-2/0	-	1-0/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Manning, Conner	27--3/2	2--9/0	-	1--15/0	1-2/0	6-11/1	5-1/0	DNP	DNP	2--9/0	4--2/0	2--12/1	4-30/0
TEAM	11--89/0	-	-	1--11/0	DNP	2--4/0	2--27/0	2--6/0	-	2--23/0	1--16/0	1--2/0	-

RECEIVING	No-Yds/TD	BALL	AF	WIS	APP	TXST	TROY	UTM	USA	ASU	ULM	GS	IDAHO
Davis, Robert	67-968/5	8-61/0	3-79/0	8-93/1	5-56/0	9-149/1	5-117/1	1-4/0	1-20/0	9-87/0	5-114/1	4-76/1	9-112/0
Smith, Glenn	40-547/3	3-17/0	1-17/0	5-131/0	3-23/0	2-10/0	4-33/0	3-45/1	3-55/0	1-9/0	4-123/1	7-65/1	4-19/0
Rucker, Keith	32-362/2	2-22/0	1-5/0	6-38/0	4-27/0	3-36/1	DNP	DNP	2-15/0	3-34/1	2-23/0	8-145/0	1-17/0
Boyd, Todd	33-352/1	5-29/0	2-12/0	-	2-19/0	5-47/0	9-122/1	1-35/0	2-1/0	7-87/0	DNP	DNP	DNP
Werts, Ari	21-329/3	1-2/0	1-22/1	DNP	1-7/0	3-77/0	4-60/1	1-19/0	2-13/0	-	2-55/0	2-32/0	4-42/1
Nobles, Jawan	9-179/2	DNP	-	-	DNP	-	-	-	DNP	-	5-103/1	-	4-76/1
Dorn, Kendrick	11-66/0	-	1-7/0	1-7/0	-	4-17/0	4-32/0	1-3/0	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP
Hart, Penny	8-61/1	5-48/1	DNP	DNP	3-13/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Barnett, Tra	3-29/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	1-9/0	2-20/0	-	-	-
Neal, Kyler	3-28/0	1-16/0	-	-	1-8/0	1-4/0	-	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	-	-
Gentry, Devin	1-15/0	-	-	-	-	-	1-15/0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stubbs, Darius	2-15/0	DNP	-	-	-	-	1-2/0	1-13/0	-	-	-	-	-
Kirk, Demarcus	1-4/0	-	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	1-4/0	-	-



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PUNT RETURNS	No-Yds	BALL	AF	WIS	APP	TXST	TROY	UTM	USA	ASU	ULM	GS	IDAHO	
Stone, Cedric	6-10	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-2	1-0	1-1	2-11	-	1-0	
Hart, Penny	1-0	1-0	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
KICK RETURNS	No-Yds	BALL	AF	WIS	APP	TXST	TROY	UTM	USA	ASU	ULM	GS	IDAHO	
Smith, Glenn	16-387	5-128	3-127	-	-	-	4-63	-	1-21	3-48	-	-	-	
Barnett, Tra	13-318	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	2-33	-	-	2-36	1-90	4-80	-	4-79	
Dorn, Kendrick	2-21	1-14	-	1-7	-	-	-	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Payne, Trey	1-11	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-	1-11	-	-	-	-	-	
INT. RETURNS	No-Yds	BALL	AF	WIS	APP	TXST	TROY	UTM	USA	ASU	ULM	GS	IDAHC	
Sullivan, C.	3-0	-	-	1-0	-	1-0	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Smith, Jerome	3-50	2-50	-	-	-	1-0	-	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-	
Clay, B.J.	3-38	-	-	-	-	-	-	2-38	1-0	-	-	-	-	
Shaw, Michael	1-0	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Payne, Trey	1-3	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-	1-3	-	-	-	-	-	
FUMBLE RETURNS	No-Yds	BALL	AF	WIS	APP	TXST	TROY	UTM	USA	ASU	ULM	GS	IDAHC	
Allen, M.	1-23	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-23	-	-	-	-	-	
McGee, Alonzo	1-10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-10	-	
Total Tackles	UA-A	Total	BALL	AF	WIS	APP	TXST	TROY	UTM	USA	ASU	ULM	GS	IDAHO
McGee, Alonzo	62-35	97	7-3	4-4	8-3	6-5	4-4	8-1	3-1	5-7	2-0	4-1	7-3	4-3
Baker, Bobby	55-27	82	1-4	1-6	8-3	5-3	5-0	5-1	2-1	5-5	3-1	8-1	6-0	6-2
Shaw, Michael	40-36	76	3-2	4-3	2-0	3-4	0-4	3-4	7-1	2-6	4-3	9-3	2-2	1-4
Payne, Trey	35-31	66	DNP	DNP	7-1	4-4	4-1	5-2	3-3	3-8	3-1	5-2	1-1	0-8
Williams, Bryan	37-24	61	6-4	5-3	3-5	1-2	4-3	2-1	1-1	5-1	4-1	4-0	1-1	1-2
Lawrence, S.	30-26	56	1-2	3-3	DNP	2-4	3-0	4-2	1-0	3-3	4-3	4-2	4-1	1-6
Middleton, C.	26-21	47	1-1	6-9	-	0-1	3-2	3-1	4-1	2-1	1-1	3-1	2-2	1-1
Sullivan, C.	30-13	43	4-1	2-0	1-2	5-0	1-1	1-0	3-2	1-2	2-0	3-2	6-1	1-2
Allen, M.	22-19	41	2-1	1-0	4-2	0-1	2-2	4-2	1-1	0-1	4-0	0-2	1-3	3-4
Ringer, Kaleb	20-21	41	3-5	1-4	2-2	2-2	0-1	2-1	0-1	2-0	1-0	4-1	3-0	0-4
Everett, Andrew	19-21	40	2-3	1-4	DNP	2-1	3-1	2-2	1-1	1-5	3-3	0-1	2-0	2-0
Smith, Jerome	34-6	40	3-0	2-1	2-3	4-0	1-2	2-0	DNP	DNP	7-0	2-0	3-0	8-0
Cheridor, M.	23-9	32	7-2	DNP	DNP	3-3	5-2	4-1	2-0	1-0	DNP	DNP	1-0	0-1
Laurent, Julien	14-14	28	1-0	5-3	3-1	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-2	2-1	2-3	1-1	0-3
Lawrence, Jalen	12-10	22	0-1	1-1	2-1	3-1	-	1-2	1-0	-	1-0	2-1	0-1	1-2
Traylor, James	14-7	21	-	1-3	1-1	1-0	2-1	-	4-0	-	4-0	0-1	1-0	0-1
Thomas, Terry	10-7	17	DNP	2-2	1-2	0-1	1-1	1-0	2-1	-	1-0	1-0	1-0	-
Hopson, Carnell	7-7	14	1-0	DNP	DNP	-	2-1	-	1-1	2-2	-	1-0	-	0-3
Spencer, Jameel	8-5	13	2-0	2-3	4-2	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-
Stone, Cedric	10-3	13	-	-	-	-	4-2	2-0	2-0	-	0-1	-	1-0	1-0
Clay, B.J.	5-5	10	0-1	0-1	-	-	-	-	3-0	1-2	1-0	-	0-1	-
Campbell, C.	4-5	9	-	0-2	1-0	-	-	-	0-1	-	1-0	1-1	-	1-1
Allen, Antreal	8-1	9	-	3-0	-	-	3-1	-	-	DNP	DNP	-	2-0	-
Jones, Tevin	3-5	8	-	0-1	0-1	1-0	-	-	-	1-0	0-1	0-1	1-0	0-1
Patrick, C.	3-5	8	1-0	1-5	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	DNP
Werts, Ari	6-1	7	-	-	DNP	2-0	1-0	-	-	1-1	1-0	-	-	1-0
Peterkin, R.	4-1	5	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	1-0	1-0	1-1	1-0	-
Dowling, Robert	3-0	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	DNP	2-0
Otiwu, Justin	1-2	3	DNP	0-1	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	1-1
Rucker, Keith	2-1	3	-	-	1-0	1-0	-	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	0-1	-
Zeigler, Daniel	2-0	2	-	-	-	-	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	1-0
Nesmith, Jacob	1-1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	0-1
Hill, Trent	2-0	2	-	-	-	1-0	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Smith, Glenn	2-0	2	-	-	-	1-0	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stubbs, Darius	2-0	2	DNP	-	-	-	1-0	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-
Ricks, Malik	1-1	2	DNP	0-1	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Amazan, C.	2-0	2	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	2-0	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	DNP
Wright, Brandon	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gentry, Devin	0-1	1	-	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Atkinson, H.	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-
Bryant, Niemus	1-0	1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	1-0	DNP	-	-	DNP	-
Boyd, Todd	1-0	1	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP
Kirk, Demarcus	1-0	1	1-0	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cunningham, W.	0-1	1	DNP	DNP	0-1	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Holman, S.	1-0	1	1-0	-	-	-	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Hart, Penny	1-0	1	-	DNP	DNP	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Lain, Javonte	1-0	1	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-	1-0	-

2016**STATISTICS****GAME-BY-GAME TEAM TOTALS BY GEORGIA STATE**

Opponent.....Pts	First Downs (R-P-Pn)	Total Off Ply Yds	Rushing Att Yds TD	Pass Yds	Passes C-A-I TD	Punts No. Avg	Punt Ret No. Yds TD	KO Ret No. Yds TD	PAT	FG	Sacks By Lost	Fum/ Penalty No-Yds	Poss Time
Ball State.....21	19 (6-11-2)	65-272	25 77 1	195	25-40-1 1	7 36.9	1 0 0	6 142 0	3-3	0-2	1-6 3-1	6-52	24:04
Air Force.....14	6 (0-6-0)	41-169	14 27 1	142	9-27-0 1	7 37.4	0 0 0	3 127 0	2-2	0-1	0-0 1-0	5-25	14:46
Wisconsin.....17	12 (2-10-0)	54-302	24 33 1	269	20-30-0 1	5 40.8	0 0 0	1 7 0	2-2	1-2	1-5 1-0	5-45	22:32
Appalachian State.....3	16 (4-10-2)	69-241	25 88 0	153	19-44-4 0	7 46.6	0 0 0	0 0 0	0-0	1-2	1-9 0-0	7-70	24:13
Texas State.....41	23 (9-12-2)	77-536	37 196 3	340	27-40-0 2	4 49.2	0 0 0	2 33 0	5-5	2-2	4-22 3-3	6-59	32:32
Troy.....21	24 (5-16-3)	76-418	24 37 0	381	28-52-2 3	5 39.4	0 0 0	4 63 0	3-3	0-0	0-0 3-1	10-48	25:49
UT Martin.....31	13 (9-4-0)	55-285	39 166 1	119	8-16-2 1	5 40.0	1 -2 0	1 11 0	4-4	1-1	0-0 0-0	7-54	26:02
South Alabama.....10	14 (8-5-1)	58-240	40 127 1	113	11-18-0 0	7 33.7	1 0 0	3 57 0	1-1	1-2	2-8 1-1	5-37	29:30
Arkansas State.....16	19 (7-10-2)	77-331	31 94 0	237	22-46-2 1	8 42.4	1 1 0	4 138 1	1-2	1-2	5-41 1-0	7-65	30:58
UL Monroe.....23	16 (5-11-0)	56-464	26 42 0	422	19-30-0 3	4 29.5	2 11 0	4 80 0	2-2	1-2	1-5 0-0	6-47	24:43
Georgia Southern.....30	20 (4-13-3)	66-391	27 73 2	318	21-39-0 2	6 39.2	0 0 0	0 0 0	3-4	1-2	1-6 0-0	5-49	27:16
Idaho.....12	19 (4-12-3)	61-358	24 92 0	266	22-37-4 2	3 27.7	1 0 0	4 79 0	0-2	0-1	2-9 2-2	4-30	24:27

GAME-BY-GAME TEAM TOTALS BY OPPONENTS

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Ball State.....31	22 (14-8-0)	81-455	52 325 4	130	15-29-2 0	4 47.2	2 27 0	2 48 0	4-4	1-2	1-7 0-0	5-39	35:56
Air Force.....48	30 (28-2-0)	92-531	83 464 5	67	3-9-0 0	2 33.0	0 0 0	1 99 1	6-6	2-2	1-3 2-0	2-30	45:14
Wisconsin.....23	25 (11-13-1)	79-400	49 187 1	213	18-30-1 1	2 36.0	2 15 0	2 60 0	2-2	3-4	1-15 1-1	0-0	37:28
Appalachian State.....17	26 (12-7-7)	73-361	48 218 1	143	13-25-1 0	6 42.7	2 17 0	1 14 0	2-2	1-3	0-0 0-0	9-101	35:47
Texas State.....21	27 (8-17-2)	88-420	41 120 2	300	27-47-2 1	6 44.8	4 19 0	4 74 0	3-3	0-1	1-9 2-1	6-56	27:28
Troy.....31	20 (7-10-3)	79-363	43 128 1	235	20-36-1 2	7 39.7	2 21 0	1 44 0	2-2	3-3	3-18 1-0	10-95	34:11
UT Martin.....6	15 (4-11-0)	71-320	31 110 0	210	20-40-3 0	6 34.8	3 -1 0	4 72 0	0-0	2-2	1-5 1-1	8-60	33:58
South Alabama.....13	19 (11-7-1)	70-306	43 182 1	124	15-27-1 0	5 40.6	2 14 0	3 48 0	1-1	2-3	4-36 3-1	5-44	30:30
Arkansas State.....31	17 (6-10-1)	77-305	41 93 2	212	15-35-0 0	7 48.1	4 98 1	2 51 0	4-4	1-3	1-5 2-1	6-50	29:02
UL Monroe.....37	31 (18-11-2)	85-457	54 264 5	193	17-31-0 0	4 46.5	2 22 0	4 119 0	5-5	0-1	2-9 1-0	3-25	35:17
Georgia Southern.....24	19 (11-7-1)	72-363	46 241 3	122	14-26-0 0	6 38.0	4 68 0	5 101 0	3-3	1-1	1-13 2-2	11-78	32:44
Idaho.....3716	(8-7-1)	65-287	45 149 0	138	16-20-0 3	3 39.3	3 73 1	2 43 0	4-4	3-4	0-0 0-0	5-45	35:33

GAME-BY-GAME STARTING LINEUPS

OFF	BALL	AF	WISC	APP	TXST	TROY	UTM	USA	ARK ST	ULM	GS	IDAHO
QB	Manning	Manning	Manning	Manning	Manning	Manning	Winchester	Winchester	Manning	Manning	Manning	Manning
RB	GSmith	GSmith	Neal	GSmith	Neal	Neal	Barnett	Stubbs	Dorn	Stubbs	Stubbs	Neal
WR	RDavis	RDavis	RDavis	RDavis	RDavis	RDavis	RDavis	RDavis	RDavis	RDavis	RDavis	RDavis
WR	Boyd	Boyd	Boyd	Boyd	Boyd	Boyd	Boyd	Boyd	Boyd	Nobles	Nobles	Nobles
WR	Hart	Werts	GSmith	Hart	GSmith	GSmith	GSmith	Werts (te)	Werts (te)	GSmith	GSmith	GSmith
TE	Rucker	Rucker	Rucker	Rucker	Rucker	Werts	Werts	Rucker	Rucker	Rucker	Rucker	Rucker
LT	Atkinson	Atkinson	Atkinson	Atkinson	Atkinson	Atkinson	Atkinson	Atkinson	Atkinson	Atkinson	Atkinson	Atkinson
LG	Ivory	Ivory	Ivory	Ivory	Ivory	Ivory	Ivory	Ivory	Ivory	Ivory	Ivory	Ivory
C	Mobley	Mobley	Mobley	Mobley	Mobley	Mobley	Mobley	Mobley	Mobley	Mobley	Mobley	Mobley
RG	Stoehr	Stoehr	Stoehr	Stoehr	Stoehr	Stoehr	Stoehr	Stoehr	Stoehr	Stoehr	Stoehr	Stoehr
RT	Willer	Willer	Willer	Willer	Willer	Willer	Hawkins	Willer	Willer	Willer	Willer	Willer
PK	ten Lohuis	ten Lohuis	ten Lohuis	ten Lohuis	ten Lohuis	ten Lohuis	ten Lohuis	ten Lohuis	ten Lohuis	ten Lohuis	ten Lohuis	ten Lohuis

OFF	BALL	AF	WISC	APP	TXST	TROY	UTM	USA	ARK ST	ULM	GS	IDAHO
OLB	Everett	Everett	Thomas	Everett	Everett	Everett	Everett	Everett	Everett	Everett	Everett	Everett
DE	SLawrence	SLawrence	JLawrence	SLawrence	SLawrence	SLawrence	SLawrence	SLawrence	SLawrence	SLawrence	SLawrence	SLawrence
NG	Laurent	Laurent	Laurent	Laurent	JLawrence	Allen	Allen	Allen	Laurent	Laurent	Allen	Allen
DE	Cheridor	Allen	Allen	Cheridor	Cheridor	Cheridor	Cheridor	Cheridor	Allen	Hopson	Cheridor	Cheridor
OLB	Shaw	Shaw	Shaw	Shaw	Shaw	Shaw	Shaw	Shaw	Shaw	Shaw	Shaw	Stone (cb)
ILB	McGee	McGee	McGee	McGee	McGee	McGee	McGee	McGee	McGee	McGee	McGee	McGee
ILB	Ringer	Middleton	Ringer	Payne	Payne	Payne	Payne	Payne	Payne	Payne	Payne	Payne
S	BVWilliams	BVWilliams	BVWilliams	BVWilliams	BVWilliams	BVWilliams	BVWilliams	BVWilliams	BVWilliams	BVWilliams	BVWilliams	BVWilliams
S	Baker	Baker	Baker	Baker	Baker	Baker	Baker	Baker	Baker	Baker	Baker	Baker
CB	JSmith	JSmith	JSmith	JSmith	JSmith	JSmith	Clay	Clay	JSmith	JSmith	JSmith	JSmith
CB	Sullivan	Sullivan	Sullivan	Sullivan	Sullivan	Sullivan	Sullivan	Sullivan	Sullivan	Sullivan	Sullivan	Sullivan
P	Wright	Wright	Wright	Wright	Wright	Wright	Wright	Wright	Wright	Wright	Wright	Wright



2016 STATISTICS



INDIVIDUAL SEASON SUPERLATIVES

MOST RUSHING ATTEMPTS

21, Aaron Winchester at South Alabama

MOST YARDS RUSHING

89, Kyler Neal vs. Texas State

MOST RUSHING TDS

1, 10 Players

LONGEST RUN

35, Darius Stubbs vs. UT Martin; Demarcus Kirk at South Alabama

MOST PASS ATTEMPTS

52, Conner Manning at Troy

MOST PASS COMPLETIONS

28, Conner Manning at Troy

BEST COMPLETION PCT.

.690 (20-29), Conner Manning at Wisconsin

MOST YARDS PASSING

422, Conner Manning vs. ULM

MOST TD PASSES

3, Conner Manning at Troy, vs. ULM

MOST INTERCEPTIONS

4, Conner Manning at Appalachian State, at Idaho

LONGEST PASS COMPLETION

78, Conner Manning to Glenn Smith vs. ULM

MOST RECEPTIONS

9, Robert Davis vs. three teams; Todd Boyd at Troy

MOST YARDS RECEIVING

149, Robert Davis vs. Texas State

MOST RECEIVING TDS

1, 17 players

MOST TOTAL OFFENSE

420, Conner Manning vs. ULM

MOST TDR

3, Conner Manning at Troy, vs. ULM, vs. Georgia Southern

MOST KICKOFF RETURNS

5, Glenn Smith vs. Ball State

MOST KICKOFF RETURN YARDS

128, Glenn Smith vs. Ball State

LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN

90, Tra Barnett vs. Arkansas State (TD)

MOST PUNT RETURNS

2, Cedric Stone vs. ULM

MOST PUNT RETURN YARDS

11, Cedric Stone vs. ULM

LONGEST PUNT RETURN

6, Cedric Stone vs. ULM

MOST ALL-PURPOSE YARDS

159, Glenn Smith vs. Ball State

MOST PUNTS

8, Brandon Wright vs. Arkansas St.

MOST PUNTING YARDS

339, Brandon Wright vs. Arkansas St.

BEST PUNTING AVERAGE

49.2, Brandon Wright vs. Texas State

LONGEST PUNT

64, Oliver Holdenson at Air Force

MOST FIELD GOALS

2, Rogier ten Lohuis vs. Texas State

MOST FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS

2, 7 players

LONGEST FIELD GOAL

45, Rogier ten Lohuis at Wisconsin

MOST PAT

5, Wil Lutz vs. Texas State, 11-14-15

MOST TACKLES

15, Chase Middleton at Air Force

MOST INTERCEPTIONS

2, Jerome Smith vs. Ball State; B.J. Clay vs. UT Martin

LONGEST INTERCEPTION RETURN

48, Jerome Smith vs. Ball State (TD)

MOST SACKS

2.5, Mackendy Cheridor vs. Texas State

MOST TACKLES FOR LOSS

4.0, Michael Shaw vs. ULM

INDIVIDUAL SEASON SUPERLATIVES

TEAM OFFENSE..... HIGH

Points, Game.....	41	Texas State, 10-8-16
First Downs	24	Troy, 10-15-16
Rushing Attempts.....	40	South Alabama, 10-29-16
Yards Rushing	196	Texas State, 10-8-16
TD Rushing	3	Texas State, 10-8-16
Pass Attempts.....	52	Troy, 10-15-16
Pass Completions.....	28	Troy, 10-15-16
Passing Yards	422	ULM, 11-12-16
TD Passes	3	Troy, 10-15-16; ULM, 11-12-16
Total Offense.....	536	Texas State, 10-8-16
Offensive Plays.....	77	Texas State, 10-8-16; Arkansas State, 11-3-16
Interceptions Thrown.....	4	Idaho, 12-3-16; Appalachian State, 10-1-16
Fumbles Lost.....	3	Texas State, 10-8-16
Turnovers.....	6	Idaho, 12-3-16
Penalties.....	10	Troy, 10-15-16
Penalty Yards	70	Appalachian State, 10-1-16
Sacks Allowed.....	4	South Alabama, 10-29-16
Time of Possession.....	32:32	Texas State

TEAM DEFENSE..... LOW

Points Allowed	6	UT Martin, 10-22-16
First Downs	15	UT Martin, 10-22-16
Rushing Attempts.....	31	UT Martin, 10-22-16
Rushing Yards	93	Arkansas State
Pass Attempts.....	9	Air Force, 9-10-16
Pass Completions.....	6	Air Force, 9-10-16
Passing Yards	67	Air Force, 9-10-16
Total Offense.....	287	Idaho, 12-3-16
Offensive Plays.....	65	Idaho, 12-3-16
Interceptions.....	0	Five Games
Turnovers Forced.....	0	Idaho, 12-3-15; ULM, 11-12-16
Sacks.....	0	Three Games

LOW

3	Appalachian State, 10-1-16
6	Air Force, 9-10-16
14	Air Force, 9-10-16
27	Air Force, 9-10-16
0	Five games
16	UT Martin, 10-22-16
8	UT Martin, 10-22-16
113	South Alabama, 10-29-16
0	Appalachian State, 10-1-16; South Alabama, 10-29-16
169	Air Force, 9-10-16
41	Air Force, 9-10-16
0	Six Games
0	Seven Games
0	Four Games
5	Four Games
25	Air Force, 9-16-15
0	Appalachian State, 10-1-16; Idaho, 12-3-16
14:46	Air Force, 9-10-16

HIGH

48	Air Force
31	ULM, 11-12-16
83	Air Force, 9-10-16
464	Air Force, 9-10-16
47	Texas State, 10-8-16
27	Texas State, 10-8-16
300	Texas State, 10-8-16
531	Air Force, 9-10-16
92	Air Force, 9-10-16
3	UT Martin, 10-22-16
4	UT Martin, 10-22-16
5	Arkansas State, 11-4-16



2016 REVIEW

BALL STATE
GEORGIA STATE
31
21
Game 1: Sept. 2, 2016 • 7 p.m. (ASN/ESPN3)
Georgia Dome • Atlanta, Ga.

Ball State downed Georgia State 31-21 in the season opener Friday night at the Georgia Dome.

Georgia State sophomore cornerback Jerome Smith led the Panthers with two interceptions in the game, returning one 48 yards for a touchdown for the Panthers' first score of the 2016 season.

Led by James Gilbert with 160 yards and two touchdowns, Ball State (1-0) rushed for 325 yards, including 267 in the second half.

Smith's return came on the first possession of the game and gave the Panthers a 7-0 lead less than two minutes into the game.

On the next possession, Smith came up with another interception, this at the Ball State 34-yard line after the ball was tipped at the line of scrimmage by Shawanye Lawrence. But the Panthers were unable to convert the short field.

With the game tied at 7-7, junior quarterback Conner Manning, the graduate transfer from Utah making his first start for the Panthers, hit Penny Hart for a 14-yard touchdown pass on the first play of the second quarter.

Manning completed 21 of 32 passes for 163 yards with one touchdown and one interception.

Georgia State held a 14-7 lead until Ball State tied the game on Gilbert's 1-yard, fourth-down plunge with just 10 seconds left in the half.

The Cardinals took their first lead on their first possession of the second half, driving for Morgan Hagee's 44-yard field goal and a 17-14 advantage with 8:25 to play in the third quarter.

After forcing a Georgia State punt, Ball State moved deep in Panther territory to a first-and-goal at the GSU 5. But the Panther defense held on three straight running plays, and then on fourth-and-goal at the 1-yard line, Boydbby Baker broke up Neal's pass in the end zone.

With GSU taking over at its own 1, redshirt freshman Aaron Winchester entered the game for the first time and moved the Panthers out to midfield before GSU had to punt.

Ball State then drove for another touchdown, keyed by quarterback Riley Neal's 46-yard run down to the GSU 15. Then Teddy Williamson's 15-yard scoring run put the Cardinals ahead 24-14.

After the Cardinals scored again on their next possession, Winchester tried to rally the Panthers, directing a 8-play, 79-yard scoring drive, capped by the quarterback's 13-yard run. That pulled Georgia State within 31-21 with 2:24 to play, but the Panthers could not recover the onside kick and Ball State ran out the clock.

Winchester finished with 59 yards rushing on eight carries while completing four passes for 32 yards.

Senior wide receiver Robert Davis led the Panthers with eight receptions for 61 yards as he caught a pass in his 38th consecutive game.

Smith's interception return for touchdown is just the second "pick six" in GSU history. The first was last year by Chandon Sullivan at Arkansas State. He is the fifth Panther to grab two interceptions in a game and third in the last two seasons.

BALL STATE	7	7	3	14	—	31
GEORGIA STATE	7	7	0	7	—	21

SCORING SUMMARY

1st 13:48 GSU - Smith, Jerome 48 interception return (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick)
 3:26 BALL - Gilbert, James 1 run (Hagee, Morgan kick), 9-41 3:44
 2nd 14:52 GSU - Hart, Penny 14 pass from Manning, Conner (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 11-61 3:25
 0:10 BALL - Gilbert, James 1 run (Hagee, Morgan kick), 14-44 6:18
 3rd 8:25 BALL - Hagee, Morgan 44 FG, 8-53 4:07
 4th 8:43 BALL - Williamson, T. 15 run (Hagee, Morgan kick), 4-82 1:32
 4:46 BALL - Green, Darian 8 run (Hagee, Morgan kick), 5-59 2:47
 2:24 GSU - Winchester, Aaron 13 run (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 8-79 2:15

Attendance-12,233

TEAM STATISTICS.....	BALL	GSU
FIRST DOWNS	22	19
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	52-325	25-77
PASSING S (NET)	130	195
Passes Att-Comp-Int	29-15-2	40-25-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	81-455	65-272
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	2-27	1-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-48	6-142
Interception Returns-Yards	1-11	2-50
Punts (Number-Avg)	4-47.2	7-36.9
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	3-1
Penalties-Yards	5-39	6-52
Possession Time	35:56	24:04
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 18	7 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 3	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-6	2-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-7	1-6

RUSHING

BALL: Gilbert, James 29-160; Green, Darian 13-93; Neal, Riley 4-48; Williamson, T. 4-28; TEAM 2-minus 4.
 GSU: Winchester, Aaron 8-59; Smith, Glenn 8-14; Dorn, Kendrick 3-8; Kirk, Demarcus 1-4; Neal, Kyle 2-3; Scaife, Emiere 1-minus 2; Manning, Conner 2-minus 9.

PASSING

BALL: Neal, Riley 15-29-2-130.
 GSU: Manning, Conner 21-32-1-163; Winchester, Aaron 4-8-0-32.

RECEIVING

BALL: Mabon, KeVonn 8-69; Lacanaria, C. 4-41; Hogue, Jordan 1-9; Reece, Devin 1-7; Pinter, Danny 1-4.
 GSU: Davis, Robert 8-61; Hart, Penny 5-48; Boyd, Todd 5-29; Smith, Glenn 3-17; Rucker, Keith 2-22; Neal, Kyle 1-16; Werts, Ari 1-2.

INTERCEPTIONS

BALL: Hall, Corey, 1-11.
 GSU: Smith, Jerome, 2-50.

GEORGIA STATE
AIR FORCE
14
48
Game 2: Sept. 10, 2016 • 2 p.m. ET (MWN-CI)
Falcon Stadium • Colorado Springs, Colo.

Georgia State fell at Air Force 48-14 at Falcon Stadium.

The got off to a strong start with a touchdown on their opening drive, and trailed 20-14 late in the second quarter, but Air Force scored on its final possession of the first half and first two of the second half to take a 41-14 lead.

While GSU struggled offensively, Air Force rushed for 464 yards, led by quarterback Nate Romine with 124 yards, to win its 14th consecutive home game.

JEROME
SMITH

Grabbed two interceptions and returned one for a score vs. Ball State



On Georgia State's first possession, quarterback Conner Manning moved the Panthers down the field with a 34-yard completion to Robert Davis and a 17-yard third-down conversion to Glenn Smith before hitting Ari Werts with a 22-yard scoring pass. Werts' first career touchdown gave the Panthers a 7-0 lead three minutes into the game.

But Air Force answered immediately as Tim McVey returned the ensuing kickoff 99 yards for the tying touchdown.

The Falcons put together two time-consuming drives, but both times the GSU defense forced Air Force to settle for field goals, the second one giving the Falcons a 13-7 lead early in the second quarter.

After Air Force converted a short field into a touchdown to take a 20-7 lead, Glenn Smith delivered an 88-yard kickoff return to set up the Panthers. Smith bounced off a tackler on the right side of the field, cut back to his left and raced down the sideline before he was finally brought down at the 6-yard line. With Aaron Winchester at quarterback, GSU needed just two plays to get into the end zone with Kendrick Dorn taking it in from the 2 for his first career touchdown. That brought the Panthers within 20-14 with nine minutes to play in the first half.

After an exchange of punts, Air Force quarterback Nate Romine completed consecutive passes of 14 and 32 yards to set up the Falcons' final score of the first half, a 10-yard run by Tyler Williams that put the Falcons ahead 27-14.

Late in the half, Manning hit Davis for 40 yards down to the Air Force 28, but after three straight incompletions, GSU missed a 45-yard field goal.

After Air Force scored on the first possession of the second half, the Falcons executed an onside kick to regain possession at the 50-yard line to set up another touchdown and a 41-14 advantage with nine minutes to play in the third quarter.

Davis finished with three catches for 79 yards. The GSU senior topped the 2,500 mark for career receiving yards.

Sophomore linebacker Chase Middleton made 15 tackles, equalling the fourth-highest single-game total in school history and just two fewer than the GSU record.

Georgia State played without standout receiver Penny Hart and starting defensive end Mackendy Cheridor due to injury.



2016REVIEW

GEORGIA STATE.....	7	7	0	0	—	14
AIR FORCE.....	10	17	14	7	—	48

SCORING SUMMARY

1st 13:02	GSU - Werts, Ari 22 pass from Manning, Conner (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 7-75 1:58
12:49	AF - McVey, TIM 99 kickoff return (Strebel, Luke kick) 5:08 AF - Strebel, Luke 31 FG, 14-38 6:51
2nd 13:10	AF - Strebel, Luke 18 FG, 15-87 5:26
9:48	AF - Owens, Jacobi 2 run (Strebel, Luke kick), 6-40 2:26
8:45	GSU - Dorn, Kendrick 2 run (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 2-6 0:48
2:16	AF - Williams, Tyler 10 run (Strebel, Luke kick), 7-63 3:09
3rd 12:58	AF - McVey, TIM 18 run (Strebel, Luke kick), 5-75 2:02
9:21	AF - Williams, Tyler 2 run (Strebel, Luke kick), 9-50 3:37
4th 8:51	AF - Davern, Shayne 5 run (Strebel, Luke kick), 14-80 7:59
Attendance—24,173	

TEAM STATISTICS.....	GSU	AF
FIRST DOWNS	6	30
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	14-27	83-464
PASSING S (NET)	142	67
Passes Att-Comp-Int	27-9-0	9-3-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	41-169	92-531
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-127	1-99
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-37.4	2-33.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-0
Penalties-Yards	5-25	2-30
Possession Time	14:46	45:14
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 12	13 of 19
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	7-8
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	1-3

RUSHING

GSU: Dorn, Kendrick 5-15; Kirk, Demarcus 4-12; Neal, Kyler 2-1; Winchester, Aaron 3-minus 1.
AF: Romine, Nate 20-124; Johnson, D.J. 20-76; Davern, Shayne 16-65; McVey, Tim 4-62; Owens, Jacobi 6-56; Williams, Tyler 5-42; Wilson, Parker 5-29; Stafford, Jacob 4-14; TEAM 3-minus 4.

PASSING

GSU: Manning, Conner 8-24-0-135; Winchester, Aaron 1-3-0-7.
AF: Romine, Nate 3-9-0-67.

RECEIVING

GSU: Davis, Robert 3-79; Boyd, Todd 2-12; Werts, Ari 1-22; Smith, Glenn 1-17; Dorn, Kendrick 1-7; Rucker, Keith 1-5.
AF: Robinette, J. 2-46; Williams, Tyler 1-21.

GEORGIA STATE	17
WISCONSIN	23

Game 3: Sept. 17, 2016 • 12 p.m. ET (BTN)
Camp Randall Stadium • Madison, Wis.

Georgia State led No. 9 Wisconsin 17-13 in the fourth quarter before the Badgers scored the go-ahead touchdown with seven minutes to play and held on for a 23-17 victory at Camp Randall Stadium.

Kyler Neal's 9-yard touchdown run gave Georgia State its first lead at 17-13 with 11:36 left in the fourth quarter.

Neal's scamper was set up by Chandon Sullivan's interception and Glenn Smith's 60-yard reception. Sullivan, the junior cornerback, intercepted Alex Hornibrook on a tipped ball to give the Panthers possession at the GSU 32. On second-and-11, Conner Manning found Smith, who took a short pass

over the middle and cut down the right sideline until he was brought down at the 9-yard line. Neal found the end zone on the next play.

But Wisconsin answered on the ensuing possession, which began at the Badgers' 41-yard line after Dare Ogunbowale's 41-yard kickoff return. Hornibrook, who relieved starter Bart Houston in the third quarter, completed passes of 11 yards to Wheelwright and then Kyle Penniston for 29 yards down to the GSU 17. The Panthers defense forced a third-and-goal at the 1-yard line, but Hornibrook found Penniston for the touchdown pass. That put the Badgers (3-0) ahead 20-17 with 7:25 left.

Georgia State had two more possessions, both starting deep in their own territory, with a chance to take the lead, but the Panthers could not rally. Wisconsin added a field goal with 3:36 left for the final margin.

Manning finished 20-for-29 for 269 yards and one touchdown. Smith, the Panthers' starting running back who moved to the slot in place of injured Penny Hart, had five catches for a career-high 131 yards.

Senior receiver Robert Davis, who scored the Panthers' first touchdown on a 13-yard reception, had eight catches for 93 yards. That raised his career total to 174 receptions, one shy of Albert Wilson's Georgia State career record.

But the story was a Georgia State defense that managed to keep the powerful Badgers in check for most of the game, especially in the first half. On five Wisconsin possessions in the first half, the Panthers forced a fumble, two field goals, a missed field goal and a punt. The Badgers were 2-for-7 on third downs.

For the game, Georgia State forced two turnovers while committing none.

Georgia State trailed just 6-0 at the half. Using its patented power running game, Wisconsin put together long drives on its first two possessions, but both times, the GSU defense held the Badgers to field goals, the second one giving Wisconsin a 6-0 lead with 51 seconds left in the first quarter.

The Badgers looked like the might get into the end zone early in the second quarter after a fumbled snap on a punt gave them the ball at the GSU 23. But one third-and-goal at the 1-yard line, linebacker Alonzo McGee forced a fumble by Bradrick Shaw, which safety Boydby Baker recovered at the 6.



GEORGIA STATE
 Took a 17-13 fourth-quarter lead at No. 9 Wisconsin.

That led to GSU's best scoring chance of the first half as Manning hit Davis for 20 yard and then found tight end Keith Rucker for 15 yard for a first down at the Wisconsin 31. But three plays netted just three yards, and the Panthers' field goal try was blocked.

The Panthers got on the board in the third quarter on a 45-yard field goal by Rogier ten Lohuis, the first field goal in a football game at any level for the former soccer player from the Netherlands. The drive was highlighted by Davis' 38-yard reception and Kyler Neal's fourth-down run for a first down.

After Wisconsin scored its first touchdown on Ogunbowale's 2-yard scoring run, the Panthers answered. Manning connected with Smith for 40 yards to the Wisconsin 34 and then hit him again for 20 yards and first down at the 13. On the next play, Manning found Davis, who crossed the goal line just inside the pylon for his 13th career touchdown, pulling the Panthers within 13-10 with 19 seconds left in the third quarter.

GEORGIA STATE.....	0	0	10	7	—	17
WISCONSIN.....	6	0	7	10	—	48

SCORING SUMMARY

1st 7:20	WIS - Gaglianone, R. 41 FG, 15-52 7:40
0:51	WIS - Gaglianone, R. 28 FG, 10-58 5:09
3rd 6:00	GSU - ten Lohuis, Rogier 45 FG, 10-49 4:25
2:58	WIS - Ogunbowale, D. 2 run (Gaglianone, R. kick), 6-69 2:56
0:19	GSU - Davis, Robert 13 pass from Manning, Conner (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 6-75 2:39
4th 11:36	GSU - Neal, Kyler 9 run (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 3-68 1:06
7:25	WIS - Penniston, Kyle 1 pass from Hornibrook, A. (Gaglianone, R. kick), 8-59 4:03
3:36	WIS - Gaglianone, R. 41 FG, 7-19 2:17
Attendance—79,883	

TEAM STATISTICS..... GSU WIS

FIRST DOWNS	12	25
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	24-33	49-187
PASSING S (NET)	269	213
Passes Att-Comp-Int	30-20-0	30-18-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	54-302	79-400
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	2-15
Kickoff Returns-Yards	1-7	2-60
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-40.8	2-36.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	5-45	0-0
Possession Time	22:32	37:28
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 13	8 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 2	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-3	3-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-5	1-15

RUSHING

GSU: Neal, Kyler 15-41; Boyd, Todd 1-9; Dorn, Kendrick 2-5; Smith, Glenn 1-5; Scaife, Emiere 1-0; Kirk, Demarcus 2-minus 1; TEAM 1-minus 11; Manning, Conner 1-minus 15.
WIS: Ogunbowale, D. 20-65; Shaw, Bradrick 15-62; Deal, Taiwan 7-34; Houston, Bart 3-14; Peavy, Jazz 1-8; Ingold, Alec 1-4; Ramesh, Austin 1-1; Team 1-minus 1.

PASSING

GSU: Manning, Conner 20-29-0-269; Smith, Glenn 0-1-0-0.
WIS: Romine, Nate 3-9-0-67.

RECEIVING

GSU: Davis, Robert 3-79; Boyd, Todd 2-12; Werts, Ari 1-22; Smith, Glenn 1-17; Dorn, Kendrick 1-7; Rucker, Keith 1-5.
WIS: Houston, Bart 10-18-0-91; Hornibrook, A. 8-12-1-122.

INTERCEPTIONS

GSU: Sullivan, Chandon 1-0. WIS: None.
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2016 REVIEW

GEORGIA STATE
APPALACHIAN STATE
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Game 4: Oct. 1, 2016 • 12 p.m. ET (ASN)
Kidd Brewer Stadium • Boydton, N.C.

Despite a strong performance by the Georgia State defense, the Panthers fell 17-3 at Appalachian State in the Sun Belt Conference opener for both teams Saturday at Kidd Brewer Stadium.

Georgia State (0-4, 0-1 Sun Belt) senior receiver Robert Davis became the Panthers' all-time leading receiver on his second catch of the game. Davis had five catches for 56 yards on the day, raising his career total to 179 receptions and surpassing his former teammate Albert Wilson (175, 2010-13).

The GSU defense kept Appalachian State (3-2, 1-0 Sun Belt) off the scoreboard until the third quarter and kept the Panthers close until a Mountaineer touchdown with three minutes left.

The teams played a scoreless first half as the GSU defense came up with a couple of big plays. Linebacker Michael Shaw came up with his first career interception first career interception on a tipped ball near the sideline, and cornerback Jerome Smith's sack on third down that forced App State to settle for a 52-yard field goal attempt that was no good.

Appalachian State scored the game's first points on Jalin Moore's 45-yard touchdown run on the opening possession of the second half.

Georgia State answered with a 43-yard field goal by Rogier ten Lohuis with nine minutes left in the third quarter, but that was all the Panthers could manage.

Moore led the Mountaineers with 159 yards rushing on 29 carries.

Penny Hart, the Panthers' standout receiver, started after missing the last two games with a hamstring injury, but the sophomore sustained a foot injury early in the game and now is likely out for the season.

Georgia State quarterback Conner Manning got off to a hot start, completing eight of his first 10 passes, but he finished 19-for-44 for 153 yards with four interceptions (including a hail mary on the final play of the game).

Manning's first-quarter interception ended his string of 82 straight passes without a pick and was the Panthers' first turnover of any kind since the first quarter of the season opener vs. Ball State.

Kyler Neal rushed for 46 yards on 12 carries, and true freshman Darius Stubbs added 28 yards on seven attempts.

Linebacker Alonzo McGee had a game-high 11 tackles to lead the defense.

Redshirt freshman punter Brandon Wright was a bright spot with seven punts for a 46.6-yard average.

GEORGIA STATE.....	0	0	3	0	—	3
APPALACHIAN STATE.....	0	0	7	10	—	17

SCORING SUMMARY

3rd 13:32 APP - Moore, Jalin 45 run (Rubino, Michael kick), 4-73 1:28
 4th 14:55 APP - Rubino, Michael 42 FG, 7-9 2:19
 9:18 GSU - ten Lohuis, Rogier 43 FG, 8-38 2:18
 3:16 APP - Meadors, S. 12 pass from Lamb, Taylor (Rubino, Michael kick), 14-85 5:57
 Attendance—24,782

TEAM STATISTICS..... GSU APP

FIRST DOWNS	16	26
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	25-88	48-218
PASSING S (NET)	153	143
Passes Att-Comp-Int	44-19-4	25-13-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	69-241	73-361
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	2-17
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	1-14
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	4-27
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-46.6	6-42.7
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	7-70	9-101
Possession Time	24:13	35:47
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 14	5 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-0	2-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-9	0-0

RUSHING

GSU: Neal, Kyler 12-46; Stubbs, Darius 7-28; Smith, Glenn 5-12; Manning, Conner 1-2.
 APP: Moore, Jalin 28-149; Evans, D. 9-33; Lamb, Taylor 10-28; Caruso, J.P. 1-8.

PASSING

GSU: Manning, Conner 19-44-4-153.
 APP: Lamb, Taylor 13-25-1-143.

RECEIVING

GSU: Davis, Robert 5-56; Rucker, Keith 4-27; Smith, Glenn 3-23; Hart, Penny 3-13; Boyd, Todd 2-19; Neal, Kyler 1-8; Werts, Ari 1-7.
 APP: Meadors, S. 3-43; Burns, Barrett 2-42; Capel, Jaquil 2-21; Jones, Dante 2-15; Moore, Jalin 2-15; Adams, Mock 1-14; Evans, D. 1-minus 7.

INTERCEPTIONS

GSU: Shaw, Michael 1-0.
 APP: Gray, Alex 1-11; Williams, Mondo 1-9; Boydgg, Eric 1-7; Pinckney, B. 1-0.

TEXAS STATE
GEORGIA STATE
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Game 5: Oct. 8, 2016 • 3:30 p.m. ET (ESPN3)
Georgia Dome • Atlanta, Ga.

Conner Manning passed for a career-high 340 yards and two touchdowns, including nine passes for 149 yards to Robert Davis, as the Panthers defeated Texas State 41-21 Saturday at the Georgia Dome. The 41 points equal the Panthers' high under head coach Trent Miles; Georgia State also scored 41 at Texas State last year.

The Panthers posted season highs for passing yards (340), rushing yards (196) and total offense (536). Kyler Neal led the rushing attack with a career-best 89 yards on 13 carries, including one touchdown. Davis, the senior standout, tied his career-high with nine catches for 149 yards, highlighted by a 55-yard touchdown catch. He recorded his seventh career 100-yard game, and the touchdown was his eighth career reception of 50-plus yards.

After allowing touchdowns on Texas State's first two possessions, the Georgia State defense was outstanding, forcing three turnovers and collecting four sacks. The Bobcats were 5-for-6 on third downs on their first two drives, but GSU held them to 1-for-13 for the rest of the game.

After falling behind, Georgia State rallied with 24 straight points in the second quarter to take a 24-14 advantage into the locker room and then scored the first 10 points of the second half to take control with a 34-14 lead.

The 24 points in the second quarter are the most Georgia State has ever scored in a single quarter.

Trailing 14-0, the Panthers forced a punt and took over at their own 9-yard line, and Manning directed a 91-yard drive, highlighted by an 18-yard pass to Davis, a 26-yard completion to Ari Werts. Manning picked up a key first down at midfield with a 2-yard scramble and then capped the march with a 1-yard plunge for the score, pulling the Panthers within 14-7 early in the second quarter.

Then the Panthers' defense stepped up as cornerback Jerome Smith intercepted Jones' next pass to give Georgia State possession at the Texas State 46. That led to Manning's 8-yard touchdown pass to tight end Keith Rucker. True freshman Tra Barnett started the drive with a 13-yard run, and Manning hit Davis for 22-yards to the 11 to set up the score and tie the game at 14-14.

After a three-and-out by the Bobcats, Georgia State put together another long drive, this time marching 82 yards. Manning's 21-yard completion to Rucker put the Panthers at the Texas State 32, where GSU pulled out a trick play. Barnett took a handoff and then flipped to Glenn Smith on a reverse, and Smith raced around the right side for the 32-yard score. That gave the Panthers their first lead at 21-14 with six minutes to play in the first half.

On the first play of the second half, Manning hit Davis for a 55-yard touchdown pass and a 31-14 lead for the Panthers.

"The offensive line gave us time to throw the ball, my quarterback gave me a perfect pass, and I did my simple job of catching the ball and getting it into the end zone," Davis said.

After Rogier ten Lohuis hit his second field goal of the day, Neal capped a 76-yard touchdown drive with a 3-yard scoring run for a 41-21 GSU lead with five minutes left in the third quarter.

Georgia State led 41-21 late in the third quarter when the Panthers turned the ball over in their own territory on three straight possessions. But each time, the GSU defense held. First, Chandon Sullivan blocked a field goal, and then the defense held on downs, forcing an incompletion on fourth down. Finally, Mackendy Cheridor forced a fumble while sacking Texas State quarterback Tyler Jones and Tevin Jones recovered for GSU.

Cheridor finished with seven tackles, 3.5 tackles for loss including 2.5 sacks, and a forced fumble.

In addition to blocking the field goal, Sullivan had an interception in the end zone, his second of the season and fifth of his career.

TEXAS STATE.....	14	0	7	0	—	21
GEORGIA STATE.....	0	24	17	0	—	41

SCORING SUMMARY

1st 11:25 TXST - Luna, Eric 19 pass from Jones, Tyler (Sherman, James kick), 12-75 3:35
 6:12 TXST - Jones, Tyler 3 run (Sherman, James kick), 13-83 3:29
 2nd 13:41 GSU - Manning, Conner 1 run (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 11-91 3:17
 10:08 GSU - Rucker, Keith 8 pass from Manning, Conner (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 7-46 1:34
 6:08 GSU - Smith, Glenn 32 run (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 6-82 2:08
 0:55 GSU - ten Lohuis, Rogier 36 FG, 10-62 3:44
 3rd 14:45 GSU - Davis, Robert 55 pass from Manning, Conner (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 1-55 0:15
 11:44 GSU - ten Lohuis, Rogier 35 FG, 6-44 2:02
 8:35 TXST - Jones, Tyler 9 run (Sherman, James kick), 11-78 3:09
 4:46 GSU - Neal, Kyler 3 run (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 8-76 3:49
 Attendance—13,179



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TEAM STATISTICS..... TXST	GSU
FIRST DOWNS	27 23
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	41-120 37-196
PASSING S (NET)	300 340
Passes Att-Comp-Int	47-27-2 40-27-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	88-420 77-536
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0 0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	4-19 0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-74 2-33
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0 2-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-44.8 4-49.2
Fumbles-Lost	2-1 3-3
Penalties-Yards	6-56 6-59
Possession Time	27:28 32:32
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 19 7 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	3 of 4 0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-5 5-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-9 4-22

RUSHING

TXST: Mayberry, S. 26-87; Tutt, Tyler 5-14; Morbley, T. 1-12; Jones, Tyler 9-7.
 GSU: Neal, Kyler 13-89; Smith, Glenn 1-32; Barnett, Tra 3-31; Dorn, Kendrick 5-24; Stubbs, Darius 7-13; Manning, Conner 6-11; TEAM 2-minus 4.

PASSING

TXST: Jones, Tyler 27-47-2-300.
 GSU: Manning, Conner 27-40-0-340.

RECEIVING

TXST: Morbley, T. 6-57; King, Elijah 5-85; Mayberry, S. 5-61; Luna, Eric 4-33; Watts, Tyler 3-35; Schrade, Gabe 3-25; Tutt, Tyler 1-4.
 GSU: Davis, Robert 9-149; Boyd, Todd 5-47; Dorn, Kendrick 4-17; Werts, Ari 3-77; Rucker, Keith 3-36; Smith, Glenn 2-10; Neal, Kyler 1-4.

INTERCEPTIONS

TXST: None
 GSU: Smith, Jerome 1-0; Sullivan, Chandon 1-0

GEORGIA STATE 21

TROY 31

Game 6: Oct. 15, 2016 • 3:30 p.m. ET (ESPN3)
Veterans Memorial Stadium • Troy, Ala.

With 100 yard receiving efforts from Robert Davis and Todd Boyd, Georgia State led Sun Belt Conference leader Troy 14-6 in the second half but the Panthers could not overcome key injuries and special teams plays in a 31-21 loss at Veterans Memorial Stadium.

Boyd posted career highs with nine catches for 122 yards, including a 25-yard touchdown. Davis had his second straight 100-yard game with five receptions for 117 yards, but the senior standout was injured on his 55-yard touchdown in the third quarter.

Georgia State took a 14-6 lead with touchdowns on its first two possessions of the second half.

The Panthers took the opening kickoff and drove 85 yards on nine plays, capped by Manning's 25-yard touchdown pass to Boyd. The junior receiver also had two other big plays on the drive with a 16-yard reception and then a 6-yard catch to convert on 4th-and-5 at the 27-yard line. Two plays late, he hauled in his touchdown over the middle to put the Panthers ahead 7-6.

After the GSU defense forced a punt, the Panthers faced 3rd-and-10 at their own 35 when Manning found Davis over the middle, and he raced to the end zone for the 65-yard touchdown. That put gave the Panthers a 14-6 lead with nine minutes to play in the third quarter.

MACKENDY CHERIDOR

Sun Belt Defensive Player of the Week after he had 3.5 TFL and a forced fumble vs. Texas State.



That was Davis' ninth career reception of 50-plus yards, but he was injured on the play. Already without starting tight end Keith Rucker, the Panthers also lost top rusher Kyler Neal in the first quarter and were down to their third long-snapper.

Troy returned the ensuing kickoff 44 yards to GSU 42 and drove for a first-and-goal at the 2-yard line, but the Panthers' defense turned in a valiant goal-line stand, holding on first, second and third down. On fourth down inside the one, Troy had an apparent touchdown nullified by a holding penalty and was forced to settle for a field goal. After that seven-minute, 14-play drive, GSU still led 14-9 with two minutes in the third quarter.

But Troy managed to recover a pooch kickoff to gain possession again at the GSU 35-yard line, setting up a 3-yard touchdown run by Jordan Chunn, who carried the ball 32 times for 91 yards on the day. The two-point conversion gave the Trojans the lead for good at 17-14 with a minute left in the third quarter.

The Trojans led 31-14 when Manning's 14-yard TD pass to Ari Werts pulled Georgia State within 31-21 with 7:33 still to play. After the GSU defense forced a three-and-out, Manning moved the Panthers out to midfield, but he was sacked and fumbled.

In a defensive battle in the first half, Troy took the opening kickoff and put together a 20-play drive that lasted more than nine minutes, but after two penalties in the red zone, the Trojans had to settle for Ryan Kay's 39-yard field goal.

It appeared that the teams would go into the locker room with that same 3-0 with Georgia State punting from midfield with less than a minute remaining in the half. But an errant snap on the punt gave Troy the ball at the GSU 38-yard line with 40 seconds to play, and the Trojans managed another field goal, a 27-yarder on the final play to go up 6-0 at the half.

Manning completed 28 of 52 passes for a career-high 381 yards and three touchdowns.

Georgia State had two 100-yard receivers in the same game for the seven time in school history. Davis has been involved in five of the seven.

Chandon Sullivan grabbed an interception in the second quarter, his third of the season the sixth of his career, a new Georgia State career record.

For Troy, Brandon Silvers passed for 235 yards and two touchdowns.

GEORGIA STATE.....	0	0	14	7	—	21
TROY.....	3	3	10	14	—	31

SCORING SUMMARY

1st 5:45 TROY - Kay, Ryan 39 FG, 20-53 9:15
 2nd 0:00 TROY - Kay, Ryan 27 FG, 7-28 0:40
 3rd 11:27 GSU - Boyd, Todd 25 pass from Manning, Conner (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 9-85 3:33
 9:03 GSU - Davis, Robert 65 pass from Manning, Conner (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 3-80 0:50
 2:02 TROY - Kay, Ryan 28 FG, 14-31 7:01
 1:08 TROY - Chunn, Jordan 3 run (Johnson, John rush), 3-35 0:54
 4th 13:24 TROY - Anderson, Josh 15 pass from Silvers, B. (Kay, Ryan kick), 3-49 1:23
 9:14 TROY - Douglas, D. 29 pass from Silvers, B. (Kay, Ryan kick), 1-29 0:07
 7:33 GSU - Werts, Ari 14 pass from Manning, Conner (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 5-75 1:41

Attendance—23,913

TEAM STATISTICS..... GSU	TROY
FIRST DOWNS	24 20
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	24-37 43-128
PASSING S (NET)	381 235
Passes Att-Comp-Int	52-28-2 36-20-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	76-418 79-363
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0 0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0 2-21
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-63 1-44
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0 2-9
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-39.4 7-39.7
Fumbles-Lost	3-1 1-0
Penalties-Yards	10-48 10-95
Possession Time	25:49 34:11
Third-Down Conversions	8 of 17 5 of 18
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 4 3 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1 5-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0 3-18

RUSHING

GSU: Dorn, Kendrick 6-24; Neal, Kyler 3-20; Barnett, Tra 5-20; Manning, Conner 5-1; Stubbs, Darius 2-1; Boyd, Todd 1-minus 2; TEAM 2-minus 27.
 TROY: Chunn, Jordan 32-91; Anderson, J. 8-24; Silvers, B. 3-13.

PASSING

GSU: Manning, Conner 28-52-2-381.
 TROY: Silvers, B. 20-35-1-235; TEAM 0-1-0-0.

RECEIVING

GSU: Boyd, Todd 9-122; Davis, Robert 5-117; Werts, Ari 4-60; Smith, Glenn 4-33; Dorn, Kendrick 4-32; Gentry, Devin 1-15; Stubbs, Darius 1-2.
 TROY: Douglas, D. 6-97; Chunn, Jordan 4-34; Thompson, E. 4-32; McCormick, T. 2-37; Anderson, J. 2-24; Johnson, John 1-7; Flakes, Andre 1-4.

INTERCEPTIONS

GSU: Sullivan, Chandon 1-0.
 TROY: Cain, Demetrius 1-9; Melton, Kamryn 1-0.



2016 REVIEW

UT MARTIN
GEORGIA STATE
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Game 7: Oct. 22, 2016 • 3:30 p.m. ET (ESPN3)
Georgia Dome • Atlanta, Ga. • Homecoming

Playing without injured starting quarterback Conner Manning, Georgia State turned to its defense, which scored twice on a fumble return and an interception return in the Panthers' 31-6 victory over UT Martin on Homecoming at the Georgia Dome.

Junior cornerback B.J. Clay grabbed two interceptions, including a 38-yard pick six, and sophomore defensive tackle Marterious Allen returned a fumble 23 yards for a score as Georgia State recorded two defensive touchdowns in a game for the first time in school history.

The six points by UT Martin marked the fewest points allowed in a game in program history, and the Panthers did not allow a touchdown for the first time.

The Panthers (2-5, 1-2 Sun Belt) forced UT Martin (4-4, 3-1 OVC) into four total turnovers which led to 14 points.

Manning, who injured his throwing arm in practice Thursday, was replaced by redshirt freshman Aaron Winchester, who went 8-of-16 for 119 yards and a touchdown. Winchester also rushed for 75 yards on 16 attempts, including a long of 18 yards.

Georgia State led 10-3 in the third quarter when the defense broke the game open with scores on consecutive plays. First Allen busted through the middle of the line, scooped up a fumble caused by Kaleb Ringer and headed for the end zone, dragging several defenders the final five yards for the 23-yard score. That was GSU's first fumble return for a touchdown since 2013.

On UT Martin's next play from scrimmage, Clay, playing for injured starter Jerome Smith, stepped in front of backup quarterback Gunnar Holcombe's pass and returned it 38 yards for the score. That put Georgia State ahead 24-3 with less than five minutes left in the third quarter.

Clay came up with another turnover on the Skyhawks' next possession with an interception in the end zone. He tied a school record held by five other players with two picks in the game.

Winchester started the Panthers' first scoring drive with a 16-yard run down to the UT Martin 35. After he dumped off to running back Darius Stubbs for a 13-yard gain down to the 7, he hit Glenn Smith for a 7-yard touchdown pass to put the Panthers on the board with a minute remaining in the first quarter.

In the second quarter, Winchester's 43-yard pass to Glenn Smith down the middle to the UT Martin 6-yard line set up Rogier ten Lohuis' 23-yard field goal, giving the Panthers a 10-0 lead with 6:33 to play in the half.

The Skyhawks managed a 44-yard field goal late in the second quarter, but for the fourth time in the last five games, the Georgia State defense did not allow a touchdown in the first half.

True freshman Darius Stubbs closed out the scoring with a 35-yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter. Stubbs finished with 69 yards rushing on 12 carries.

Georgia State was playing without several injured starters in addition Manning. On offense, running back Kyler Neal (ankle) and tight end Keith Rucker (ribs) were also out, and standout receiver Robert Davis was limited to one catch by a shoulder injury. On defense, cornerback Jerome Smith (hand) was out.


MARTERIOUS
ALLEN

The defensive tackle (95) returned a fumble 23 yards for a score in the Panthers' win over UT Martin.

UT MARTIN	0	3	0	3	—	6
GEORGIA STATE	7	3	14	7	—	31

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	1:02	GSU - Smith, Glenn 7 pass from Winchester, Aaron (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 7-51 2:53
2nd	6:33	GSU - ten Lohuis, Rogier 23 FG, 6-41 2:02
	0:59	UTM - Mersman, Mitch 44 FG, 11-47 5:34
3rd	4:51	GSU - Allen, Marterious 23 fumble recovery (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick)
	4:41	GSU - Clay, B.J. 38 interception return (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick)
4th	6:48	UTM - Mersman, Mitch 39 FG, 10-54 4:29
	5:34	GSU - Stubbs, Darius 35 run (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 3-45 1:14
Attendance—15,223		

TEAM STATISTICS	UTM	GSU
FIRST DOWNS	15	13
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	31-110	39-166
PASSING S (NET)	210	119
Passes Att-Comp-Int	40-20-3	16-8-2
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	71-320	55-285
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-23
Punt Returns-Yards	3-(-1)	1-(-2)
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-72	1-11
Interception Returns-Yards	2-(-6)	3-41
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-34.8 5-40.0	
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	8-60	7-54
Possession Time	33:58	26:02
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 17	4 of 11
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 2	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-1	2-3
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-5	0-0

RUSHING

UTM: Grayson, Marque 6-38; Boydwe, Jaimiee 14-37; Cook, Troy 2-14; Hollingsworth 4-12; Ray, Najee 3-4; Brown, Ty 1-3; TEAM 1-2.
GSU: Winchester, Aaron 16-75; Stubbs, Darius 12-69; Barnett, Tra 6-23; Dorn, Kendrick 2-5; Kirk, Demarcus 1-0; TEAM 2-minus 6.

PASSING

UTM: Cook, Troy 15-31-1-175; Holcombe, Gunnar 5-9-2-35.
GSU: Winchester, Aaron 8-16-2-119.

RECEIVING

UTM: McKillo, Greg 5-34; Moore, Jaylon 3-39; Axline, Ben 2-34; Kerrick, Kyle 2-19; Boydwe, Jaimiee 2-13; Lee, Londell 2-6; Williams, Rod 1-37; Brown, Ty 1-13; Weathers, Caylo 1-10; Hollingsworth 1-5.

GSU: Smith, Glenn 3-45; Boyd, Todd 1-35; Werts, Ari 1-19; Stubbs, Darius 1-13; Davis, Robert 1-4; Dorn, Kendrick 1-3.

INTERCEPTIONS

UTM: Este, Joseph 1-0; Prather Jr, Kev 1-minus 6
 GSU: Clay, B.J. 2-38; Payne, Trey 1-3.

GEORGIA STATE
SOUTH ALABAMA
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Game 8: Oct. 29, 2016 • 5 p.m. ET (ESPN3)
Ladd-Peebles Stadium • Mobile, Ala.

Gavin Patterson's 30-yard field goal with two seconds left gave South Alabama a 13-10 victory over Georgia State Saturday at Ladd-Peebles Stadium, spoiling another outstanding performance by the Panthers' defense.

Georgia State (2-6, 1-3 Sun Belt), playing its second straight game without starting quarterback Conner Manning, took a 10-3 lead late in the third quarter, but the Jaguars (4-4, 1-4 Sun Belt) tied the game with six minutes left.

With Manning injured, the GSU defense has been stellar the last two games, allowing just one touchdown and 19 points in the two contests, but the Panthers have struggled to move the ball on offense.

With the score tied at 10-all late in the game, Georgia State took over at its own 9-yard line with 1:28 to play. But after the Panthers managed just one first down and South Alabama used its three timeouts, a poor punt gave the Jaguars possession at the GSU 31 with 44 seconds to play to set up the winning field goal.

The Georgia State defense came up with several big stops in the game.

In a 3-3 game in the third quarter, a fumble gave the Jaguars the ball at the GSU 27-yard line, but the defense held. On third-and-3 at the 20, Shawayne Lawrence tackled the ball carrier for a 2-yard loss, forcing a field goal attempt. But the snap was bad, and the Panthers took over at the 29-yard line.

That stop allowed Georgia State to take a 10-3 lead with an 11-play, 71-yard drive. Quarterback Aaron Winchester hit Glenn Smith for 22-yard down to the USA 21 found Robert Davis for 20 yards to the 2. Then Demarcus Kirk took it in for the touchdown with 2:34 left in the third quarter.

The defense turned in another big play on South Alabama's next possession as Bryan Williams caused



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a fumble and Boydbby Baker recovered at the GSU 49. That is the fifth fumble recovery of Baker's career, adding to his GSU record.

Georgia State drove into South Alabama territory but a penalty thwarted the drive and forced a punt. South Alabama drove 92 yards on 14 plays and tied the game on Tyreis Thomas' 2-yard touchdown run. The big play was Dallas Davis' 14-yard completion to Gerald Everett on fourth-and-11 at the GSU 25. That knotted the score at 10-10 with six minutes left.

Georgia State took the opening kickoff and moved down the field for Rogier ten Lohuis' 30-yard field goal, giving the Panthers a 3-0 lead five minutes into the game.

For the fifth time in the last six games, the GSU defense did not allow a touchdown in the first half.

Junior cornerback B.J. Clay grabbed his third interception in the last three games, this one coming at the GSU 12-yard on the Jaguars' fake punt attempt.

Winchester, the redshirt freshman, completed 11 of 18 passes for 113 yards and rushed 21 times for a net of 64 yards, but he was sacked four times.

GEORGIA STATE.....	3	0	7	0	—	10
SOUTH ALABAMA	0	3	0	10	—	13

SCORING SUMMARY

1st 10:05	GSU - ten Lohuis, Rogier 30 FG, 9-69 4:55
2nd 14:56	USA - Patterson, Gavin 34 FG, 7-22 3:30
3rd 2:34	GSU - Kirk, Demarcus 2 run (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 11-71 5:02
4th 6:11	USA - Thomas, Tyreis 2 run (Patterson, Gavin kick), 14-92 4:52
0:02	USA - Patterson, Gavin 30 FG, 6-18 0:24
Attendance—	11,565

TEAM STATISTICS..... GSU USA

FIRST DOWNS	14	19
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	40-127	43-182
PASSING S (NET)	113	124
Passes Att-Comp-Int	18-11-0	27-15-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	58-240	70-306
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-0	2-14
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-57	3-48
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-33.7	5-40.6
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	3-1
Penalties-Yards	5-37	5-44
Possession Time	29:30	30:30
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 14	3 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	1 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	3-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-8	4-36

RUSHING

GSU: Winchester, Aaron 21-64; Kirk, Demarcus 10-30; Dorn, Kendrick 6-20; Parks, Jaquez 1-6; Smith, Glenn 1-5; Stubbs, Darius 1-2.
USA: Johnson, Xavier 18-83; Thomas, Tyreis 10-46; Davis, Dallas 7-31; Ayoola, Dami 6-30; TEAM 2-minus 8.

PASSING

GSU: Winchester, Aaron 11-18-0-113.
USA: Davis, Dallas 15-25-0-124; TEAM 0-1-0-0; Powell, Grant 0-1-1-0.

RECEIVING

GSU: Smith, Glenn 3-55; Rucker, Keith 2-15; Werts, Ari 2-13; Boyd, Todd 2-1; Davis, Robert 1-20; Barnett, Tra 1-9.
USA: Everett, Gerald 4-49; Ayoola, Dami 3-10; Johnson, Xavier 2-17; Thomas, Tyreis 2-8; Williams, Tyrone 1-12; McCray, Jordan 1-11; Francis, Mseiah 1-11; Harris, Sam 1-6.

INTERCEPTIONS

GSU: Clay, B.J. 1-0.
USA: None.

ARKANSAS STATE
GEORGIA STATE31
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Game 9: Thurs., Nov. 3, 2016 • 7:30 p.m.
Georgia Dome • Atlanta, Ga. (ESPN2)

Georgia State fell 31-16 to Arkansas State despite another strong performance by the Panthers' defense in a Thursday night Sun Belt Conference game at the Georgia Dome.

Arkansas State (4-4, 4-0 Sun Belt), which won its 13th straight Sun Belt Conference game, scored two special teams touchdowns on a blocked field goal and a punt return, and the Red Wolves' first offensive touchdown came in the third quarter when they started at the GSU 19-yard line following an errant snap on a punt. Their two offensive touchdowns came on drives that covered a total of 24 yards.

Georgia State (2-7, 1-4) continues to battle injuries on offense. Conner Manning returned to start at quarterback after missing the last two games but was still hampered with an arm injury. Backup Aaron Winchester, who filled in the last two games, was unavailable after suffering an ankle on the final play at South Alabama.

Manning completed 22 of 46 passes for 237 yards and one touchdown. Robert Davis tied his career high with nine receptions for 87 yards, topping the 200-catch milestone for his career, and Todd Boyd added seven catches for 87 yards.

Trailing 10-3 at the half, Georgia State tied the game midway through the third quarter with an 8-play, 66-yard drive. Todd Boyd made a one-handed, 28-yard catch for a first down at the ASU 31 and then had a 19-yard catch down to the 11. Two plays later, Manning hit Keith Rucker over the middle for a 17-yard touchdown, the 10th career score for the GSU tight end.

On its next possession, Georgia State was punting from its own 40, but an errant snap gave the Red Wolves the ball at the GSU 19. The Panthers are down to their third long-snapper after injuries to the starter and his backup.

Arkansas State converted the short field into the go-ahead touchdown on Johnston White's 1-yard run. That put the Red Wolves up 17-10 with 36 seconds left in the third quarter.

Then the teams traded special teams scores as Blaise Taylor returned a punt 68 yards for a score, and then freshman Tra Barnett answered for the Panthers with a 90-yard kickoff return for a touchdown. The GSU extra point was blocked, making the score 24-16 Arkansas State with 13 minutes to play.

Barnett's return is the fifth kickoff return for a touchdown in Georgia State's brief history. The Panthers' also had one last season at Arkansas State by freshman Marquan Greene.

Arkansas State added a late touchdown after Georgia State failed to convert a fourth down deep in its own territory with two minutes to play.

The GSU defense shut out the Red Wolves in the first quarter, forcing two field goals that were both missed, and the Panthers took a 3-0 lead on Rogier ten Lohuis' 42-yard field with three minutes in the quarter.

With the score tied at 3-3, the Panthers drove until Arkansas State territory late in the first half, but the drive stalled at the ASU 33. Ten Lohuis' 50-yard field goal attempt was blocked and returned for a touchdown by Chris Humes, giving the Red Wolves a 10-3 lead with 25 seconds left in the half.

For the sixth time in the last seven games, the Georgia State defense did not allow a first-half

touchdown. In the second half, the Panthers allowed just 56 yards of offense.

The Panthers collected five sacks and eight pass breakups while holding Arkansas State to 305 yards on 76 plays, including 93 yards rushing.

Linebacker Michael Shaw sack ASU quarterback Justice Hansen twice for 16 yards and forced a fumble, along with seven tackles. Defensive end Shawanye Lawrence made a career-high seven tackles with a 10-yard sack and a pass breakup. Julien Laurent and Chase Middleton also had sacks.

ARKANSAS STATE	0	10	7	14	—	31
GEORGIA STATE.....	3	0	7	6	—	16

SCORING SUMMARY

2nd 12:36	GSU - ten Lohuis, Rogier 42 FG, 10-55 3:08
10:22	ASU - Houston, J.D. 30 FG, 7-59 2:14
0:25	ASU - Humes, Chris 57 blocked FG return (Houston, J.D. kick)
3rd 5:57	GSU - Rucker, Keith 17 pass from Manning, Conner (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 8-66 4:20
0:36	ASU - White, Johnston 1 run (Houston, J.D. kick), 5-19 1:26
4th 13:30	ASU - Taylor, Blaise 68 punt return (Houston, J.D. kick)
13:15	GSU - Barnett, Tra 90 kickoff return (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick blocked)
2:06	ASU - White, Johnston 3 run (Houston, J.D. kick), 2-5 0:12
Attendance—	13,363

TEAM STATISTICS..... ASU GSU

FIRST DOWNS	17	19
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	41-93	31-94
PASSING S (NET)	212	237
Passes Att-Comp-Int	35-15-0	46-22-2
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	76-305	77-331
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	4-98	1-1
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-51	4-138
Interception Returns-Yards	2-17	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-48.1	8-42.4
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	6-50	7-65
Possession Time	29:02	30:58
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 16	4 of 17
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 3	0 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-4	2-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-5	5-41

RUSHING

ASU: Wand, Warren 15-49; White, Johnston 13-46; Rollins-Davis 3-19; TEAM 1-minus 2; Hansen, Justice 9-minus 19.
GSU: Neal, Tyler 2-39; Smith, Glenn 12-38; Kirk, Demarcus 8-29; Barnett, Tra 3-11; Dorn, Kendrick 2-9; Manning, Conner 2-minus 9; TEAM 2-minus 23.

PASSING

ASU: Hansen, Justice 15-35-0-212.
GSU: Manning, Conner 22-46-2-237.

RECEIVING

ASU: Bayless, Omar 3-16; Sanders, K. 2-42; Paschal, Dijon 2-34; Stowers, S. 2-34; Murray, Chris 2-30; Wand, Warren 2-19; Boydoker, C. 1-35; White, Johnston 1-2.
GSU: Davis, Robert 9-87; Boyd, Todd 7-87; Rucker, Keith 3-34; Barnett, Tra 2-20; Smith, Glenn 1-9.

INTERCEPTIONS

USA: None. GSU: None.



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UL MONROE
GEORGIA STATE
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Game 10: Nov. 12, 2016 • 2 p.m. (ESPN3)
Georgia Dome • Atlanta, Ga.

Conner Manning passed for a career-high 422 yards and Georgia State had three 100-yard receivers for the first time in school history, but the Panthers fell to UL Monroe 37-23 at the Georgia Dome as the Warhawks' Thomas Koufie rushed for 201 yards and five touchdowns.

Manning was 19-for-30 passing with touchdown to Robert Davis, Glenn Smith and Jawan Nobles, who each topped the century mark. Manning's 422 yards passing are second-most in school history, bettered only by Nick Arbuckle's school-record of 471.

Davis continued to cement his name in the Georgia State history book with five catches for 114 yards, including a 58-yard touchdown. Already GSU's career leader in receptions, he broke the Panthers' career record for receiving yards previously held by Albert Wilson. Davis now has 3,203 career yards, among the top 10 active leaders in FBS, on 209 catches.

Davis also caught a pass in his 47th straight game, the longest current streak among all active FBS players.

Smith caught four passes for a career-high 123 yards, including a 31-yard touchdown and a 78-yard reception down to the 13-yard line.

Nobles, a true freshman seeing his first significant action following a season-ending injury to Todd Boyd, hauled in a 61-yard scoring pass and finished with five catches for 103 yards.

Trailing 9-7 at the half, Georgia State took its first lead just three plays into the third quarter as Manning hit Davis down the left sideline for the 58-yard touchdown and a 13-9 lead.

But ULM returned the ensuing kickoff 60 yards to the GSU 39, setting up Koufie's 18-yard touchdown.

Manning did it again three plays later, this time connecting with Nobles down the right side for the 68-yard score and putting GSU ahead 20-13 less than five minutes into the third quarter.

After ULM (4-6, 3-3 Sun Belt) drove 82 yards for Koufie's third touchdown to move ahead 23-20, it looked like Manning would make it three straight touchdowns as he hooked up Smith down the right sideline, but Smith was knocked out of bounds at the 13-yard line. However, the Panthers could not capitalize and had a 27-yard field goal blocked and returned to the ULM 38-yard line.

The Warhawks converted the short field to take control of the game with a 62-yard scoring drive, capped by Koufie's fourth touchdown.

Georgia State's defense, which has been outstanding for most of the season, held ULM to 76 yards rushing on 19 attempts in the first half, but the Warhawks managed 188 yards on the ground in the second half.

Sophomore linebacker Michael Shaw had a career-high 12 tackles and tied the GSU record with four tackles for loss, including one sack, but all came in the first half.

UL MONROE	2	7	21	7	—	37
GEORGIA STATE	0	7	13	3	—	23

SCORING SUMMARY

1st 10:02	ULM - TEAM safety
2nd 5:59	ULM - Koufie, Thomas 3 run (Ford, Craig kick), 10-64 4:46
1:24	GSU - Smith, Glenn 31 pass from Manning, Conner (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 10-84 4:35
3rd 13:49	GSU - Davis, Robert 58 pass from Manning, Conner (Parks, Jaquez rush failed), 3-80 1:11
11:56	ULM - Koufie, Thomas 18 run (Ford, Craig kick), 5-39 1:53
10:43	GSU - Nobles, Jawan 61 pass from Manning, Conner (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 3-65 1:13
6:23	ULM - Koufie, Thomas 1 run (Ford, Craig kick), 11-82 4:20
1:48	ULM - Koufie, Thomas 1 run (Ford, Craig kick), 6-62 2:25
4th 9:14	ULM - Koufie, Thomas 1 run (Ford, Craig kick), 13-49 6:02
5:23	GSU - ten Lohuis, Rogier 30 FG, 12-44 3:51
Attendance—13,106	

TEAM STATISTICS..... ULM GSU

FIRST DOWNS	31	16
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	54-264	26-42
PASSING S (NET)	193	422
Passes Att-Comp-Int	31-17-0	30-19-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	85-457	56-464
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	2-22	2-11
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-119	4-80
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg).....	4-46.5	4-29.5
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	3-25	6-47
Possession Time	35:17	24:43
Third-Down Conversions	8 of 16	5 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	3 of 3	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	5-6	1-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-9	1-5

RUSHING

ULM: Koufie, Thomas 31-201; Evans, Caleb 13-44; Carter, Duke 5-12; Luckett, Ben 2-7; Green, Marcus 2-5; McCray, Markis 1-minus 5.
GSU: Stubbs, Darius 6-25; Kirk, Demarcus 7-21; Barnett, Tra 2-9; Smith, Glenn 6-5; Manning, Conner 4-minus 2; TEAM 1-minus 16.

PASSING

ULM: Evans, Caleb 17-31-0-193..
GSU: Manning, Conner 19-30-0-422.

RECEIVING

ULM: Holley, Ajalen 6-77; Perrier, Tre' 2-24; Brown, Xavier 2-20; Green, Marcus 2-17; McCray, Markis 2-1; Carter, Duke 1-35; Turner, R.J. 1-12; Osborne, Alec 1-7.
GSU: Davis, Robert 5-114; Nobles, Jawan 5-103; Smith, Glenn 4-123; Werts, Ari 2-55; Rucker, Keith 2-23; Kirk, Demarcus 1-4.

INTERCEPTIONS

ULM: None. GSU: None.

GEORGIA SOUTHERN
GEORGIA STATE
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Game 11: Nov. 19, 2016 • 2 p.m. (ESPN3)
Georgia Dome • Atlanta, Ga.

Bragging rights reside in Atlanta for the second straight year as Georgia State earned a 30-24 win over Georgia Southern at the Georgia Dome. The Panthers won their second straight against their in-state rival as well as their last game in the Georgia Dome, which is scheduled to be demolished next spring.

Conner Manning passed for 318 yards and accounted for three touchdowns, and Glenn Smith scored touchdowns rushing and receiving as Georgia State improved to 3-8 and 2-5 in the Sun Belt.

Manning completed eight of his first 10 passes as Georgia State scored touchdowns on its first three possessions to take a 20-0 lead eight minutes into the game. The Panthers never trailed.

Smith finished with seven catches for 65 yards and five rushes for a team-best 37 yards. His 29-yard run gave the Panthers an early 7-0 lead and his 15-yard TD reception put Georgia State ahead 27-17 midway through the third quarter.

Tight end Keith Rucker led the Panthers with eight catches for 145 yards for his second career 100-yard effort. Rucker is the fifth different Panther to have a 100-yard receiving game this season and fourth in the last two games.

The team awarded the game ball to interim head coach Tim Lappano in his first game.

"It was important for the coaches and me to send our seniors out with bragging rights in this series," Lappano said. "The young guys are going to get to have three or four more years, but the seniors aren't. Georgia Southern hammered us in the Georgia Dome two years ago. Then we went down to Statesboro and got after them. This was the rubber match, and I wanted to make sure we sent our seniors out the right way."

Trailing 30-24, Georgia Southern (4-7, 3-4 Sun Belt) started its final drive at its own 4-yard line with 1:14 to play, but the Panthers' defense held. The Eagles managed one first down at the 17 before Favian Upshaw threw four straight incomplete passes.

Georgia State scored touchdowns on its first three possessions. The Panthers took the opening kickoff and marched 75 yards. Manning opened the game with a 23-yard completion to Rucker and hit five other passes on the drive before Smith covered the final 29 yards for the score.

On Georgia Southern's second play from scrimmage, Shawanye Lawrence stripped Matt Breida and recovered at the Eagles' 26-yard line. On 3rd-and-11, Manning hit Ari Werts, who dove for the end zone but was ruled down just shy of the goal line. On the next play, Manning snuck over for the score and a 13-0 lead less than five minutes into the game.

After the Panthers' defense forced a punt, Manning found Robert Davis for 36 yards down the left sideline, and then two plays later, the two connected over the middle for a 28-yard touchdown pass and a 20-0 lead with seven minutes to play in the first quarter.

Georgia Southern responded in the late in the first quarter, scoring the next 17 points to pull within 20-17 at the half.

The Panthers extended their lead on their first possession of the second half with an 11-play, 83-yard drive. Rucker had a 21-yard reception on the drive, and Smith had three catches, capped by his 15-yard touchdown to put Georgia State ahead 30-27 midway through the third quarter.

Brandon Wright, the Panthers' punter, kicked his first field goal with a 27-yard boot to increase the advantage to 30-17 late in the third quarter.

Georgia Southern pulled within 30-24 on L.A. Ramsby's 1-yard touchdown run with 4:42 to play. On its ensuing possession, the Panthers managed one key first down, forcing Georgia Southern to exhaust its timeouts, and then Wright nailed a 49-yard punt to pin the Eagles deep with just 1:14 to play.

Twenty-two Panther seniors were honored in pregame ceremonies. Two of them, wide receiver Robert Davis and noseguard Jalen Lawrence, played in their 48th game in a GSU uniform, more than any other player in school history.



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GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	7	10	0	7	—	24
GEORGIA STATE.....	20	0	10	0	—	30

SCORING SUMMARY

1st 12:06 GSU - Smith, Glenn 29 run (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 7-75 2:54
 10:10 GSU - Manning, Conner 1 run (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick blocked), 4-26 0:59
 6:55 GSU - Davis, Robert 28 pass from Manning, Conner (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick), 3-70 0:56
 3:40 GS - K. Ellison 24 run (Y. Koo kick), 7-78 3:15
 2nd 14:57 GS - M. Breida 3 run (Y. Koo kick), 4-27 1:29
 0:00 GS - Y. Koo 43 FG, 3-15 0:34
 3rd 7:59 GSU - Smith, Glenn 15 pass from Manning, Conner (Wright, Brandon kick), 11-83 4:25
 1:00 GSU - Wright, Brandon 27 FG, 9-29 2:15
 4th 4:42 GS - L. Ramsby 1 run (Y. Koo kick), 14-87 5:25
 Attendance—23,513

TEAM STATISTICS.....	GS	GSU
FIRST DOWNS	19	20
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	46-241	27-73
PASSING S (NET)	122	318
Passes Att-Comp-Int	26-14-0	39-21-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	72-363	66-391
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-10
Punt Returns-Yards	4-68	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	5-101	0-0
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-38.0	6-39.2
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	0-0
Penalties-Yards	11-78	5-49
Possession Time	32:44	27:16
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 14	7 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 2	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	3-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-13	1-6

RUSHING

GS: K. Ellison 15-101; M. Breida 12-56; F. Upshaw 11-54; S. Shuman 1-15; L. Ramsby 6-15; TEAM 1-0.
 GSU: Smith, Glenn 5-37; Neal, Tyler 11-29; Kirk, Demarcus 3-9; Barnett, Tra 2-6; Stubbs, Darius 3-6; TEAM 1-minus 2; Manning, Conner 2-minus 12.

PASSING

GS: F. Upshaw 11-21-0-91; K. Ellison 3-5-0-31.
 GSU: Manning, Conner 21-39-0-318

RECEIVING

GS: M. Crockett 4-60; B. Johnson 3-24; M. Campbell 3-12; Q. Howard 1-19; R. Alexander 1-7; H. McConnell 1-7; L. Ramsby 1-minus 7.
 GSU: Rucker, Keith 8-145; Smith, Glenn 7-65; Davis, Robert 4-76; Werts, Ari 2-32.

INTERCEPTIONS

GS: None. GSU: None.

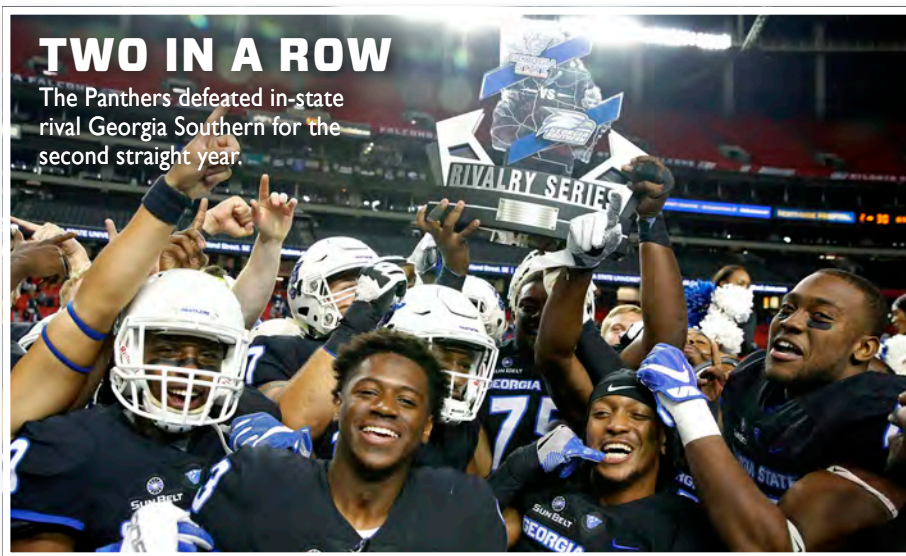
GEORGIA STATE
IDAHO
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Game 12: Dec. 3, 2016 • 5 p.m. ET (ESPN3)
Kibbie Dome • Moscow, Idaho

Georgia State ended its 2016 season with a 37-12 loss at Idaho.

Conner Manning passed for 237 yards and two touchdowns and Robert Davis caught nine passes for 112 yards. Georgia State (3-9, 2-6 Sun Belt) outgained the Vandals 358 yards to 287, but the Panthers hurt themselves with six turnovers, which led to 20 Idaho points.

Idaho won its fourth straight game to improve to 8-4, 6-2 in the Sun Belt. Matt Linehan totalled just 126 yards passing but was 15-for-19 with three touchdowns. Isaiah Saunders rushed for 99 yards.



TWO IN A ROW

The Panthers defeated in-state rival Georgia Southern for the second straight year.

"We came up short today and we didn't play our best game, but I can't say enough about these guys and the way they've handled this transition the last three weeks," interim head coach Tim Lappano said. "They did everything they could to do things the right way these last weeks. We have great young men in this program."

Manning hit Jawan Nobles for a 63-yard touchdown pass midway through the first quarter and then connected with tight end Ari Werts for an 11-yard scoring play early in the second quarter. But Georgia State's special teams woes continued as both extra points were missed, and the Panthers trailed 14-12 before Idaho finished the half with a touchdown and a field goal to take a 24-12 lead.

Nobles' touchdown was the second long scoring play in the last three games for the true freshman, who caught a 61-yard scoring pass against UL Monroe.

In the second half, the Georgia State defense allowed only two field goals, but Idaho blocked a punt for a touchdown. The Vandals managed three interceptions on balls that were tipped into the hands of the defender.

Davis tied his career best with nine catches while recording his 10th career 100-yard effort in his final game for the Panthers. He finished his remarkable career with 222 receptions for 3,391 yards and 17 touchdowns, ranking second in Sun Belt history in receiving yards and fifth in receptions.

The longest play allowed by the Georgia State defense was a 24-yard completion as the Panthers finished the season as the only FBS team in the nation that did not allow an offensive play, passing or rushing, of 50 yards or longer. The longest pass allowed by GSU all season covered 37 yards and the longest run was 46 yards.

GEORGIA STATE.....	6	6	0	0	—	12
IDAHO	14	10	10	3	—	37

SCORING SUMMARY

1st 7:42 UI - Hightower, C 11 yd pass from Linehan, Matt (Rehkov, Austin kick), 2-67 0:50
 5:52 GSU - Nobles, Jawan 63 yd pass from Manning, Conner (ten Lohuis, Rogier kick failed), 5-81 1:44
 1:27 UI - Cowan, Trent 4 yd pass from Linehan, Matt (Rehkov, Austin kick), 7-37 2:26

2nd 12:37 GSU - Werts, Ari 11 yd pass from Manning, Conner (Wright, Brandon kick failed), 9-75 3:50
 8:46 UI - Watson, Deon 17 yd pass from Linehan, Matt (Rehkov, Austin kick), 8-73 3:42
 5:18 UI - Rehkov, Austin 28 yd field goal, 7-19 2:30
 3rd 5:52 UI - Rehkov, Austin 23 yd field goal, 7-25 3:34
 4:16 UI - Hightower, L 25 yd blocked punt return (Rehkov, Austin kick)
 4th 7:33 UI - Rehkov, Austin 45 yd field goal, 12-45 7:27
 Attendance—11,242

TEAM STATISTICS.....	GSU	IDAHO
FIRST DOWNS	19	16
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	24-92	45-149
PASSING YDS (NET)	266	138
Passes Att-Comp-Int	37-22-4	20-16-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	61-358	65-287
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-53
Punt Returns-Yards	1-0	3-73
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-79	2-43
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	4-18
Punts (Number-Avg)	3-27.7	3-39.3
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	0-0
Penalties-Yards	4-30	5-45
Possession Time	24:27	35:33
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 13	8 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-2	5-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-9	0-0

RUSHING

GSU: Neal, Tyler 15-46; Manning, Conner 4-30; Barnett, Tra 1-7; Winchester, Aaron 1-7; Smith, Glenn 2-2; Stubbs, Darius 1-0.
 IDAHO: Saunders, I 22-99; Duckworth, A 9-43; Linehan, Matt 8-5; Lupeanu, T 2-4; Coman, Doug 1-minus 1; Petrino, Mason 3-minus 1.

PASSING

GSU: Manning, Conner 22-37-4-266.
 IDAHO: Linehan, Matt 15-19-0-126; Petrino, Mason 1-1-0-12

RECEIVING

GSU: Davis, Robert 9-112; Nobles, Jawan 4-76; Werts, Ari 4-42; Smith, Glenn 4-19; Rucker, Keith 1-17.
 IDAHO: Frysinger, J 4-44; Sannon, Jacob 3-38; Hightower, C 3-22; Cowan, Trent 3-15; Watson, Deon 1-17; Duckworth, A 1-1; Saunders, I 1-1.

INTERCEPTIONS

GSU: None.
 IDAHO: Ellis, Kaden 1-11; Jordan, J 1-7; Hampton, D.J. 1-0; Hightower, L 1-0



TEAM RECORDS

THE GSU DEFENSE

Set a school record by holding Georgia Southern to 203 total yards in the Panthers' 34-7 win in 2015.



TOTAL OFFENSE - PLAYS

Game: 89 vs. New Mexico St., 2015
Season: 903, 2015

FIELD GOALS MADE

Game: 3 vs. Lamar, 2010
Season: 15, 2010

FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED

Game: 4 vs. Lamar, 2010; UTSA, 2011; Jacksonville State, 2013
Season: 22, 2011

PUNTS

Game: 12 vs. Old Dominion, 2011
Season: 82, 2013

PUNTING AVERAGE

Game: 62.2 vs. S.C. State (5 punts)
Season: 42.76, 2015

INTERCEPTIONS

Game: 4 vs. South Alabama, 2011
Season: 15, 2015

POINTS SCORED

Game: 55 vs. Savannah State, 2010
Season: 350, 2015

POINTS - BOTH TEAMS

Most
Game: 100, Georgia Southern 69, Georgia State 31, 2014

Fewest
Game: 20, Appalachian State 17, Georgia State 3, 2016

POINTS ALLOWED

Most
Game: 69 vs. Georgia Southern, 2014
Season: 520, 2014

Fewest
Game: 6 vs. UT Martin, 2016
Season: 286, 2010

MARGIN OF VICTORY

Game: 34 vs. Shorter, 2010; Savannah State, 2010; Clark Atlanta, 2011; Rhode Island, 2012

MARGIN OF DEFEAT

Game: 56 vs. Alabama, 2010; Houston, 2011

TOUCHDOWNS SCORED

Game: 7 vs. Savannah State, 2010
Season: 45, 2015

DEFENSIVE TOUCHDOWNS

Game: 2 vs. UT Martin, 2016
Season: 3, 2016

FIRST DOWNS

Game: 33 vs. Abilene Christian, 2014
Season: 261, 2015

LONGEST DRIVE

Yards: 97 vs. UTSA, 2011; New Mexico State, 2015
Plays: 18 vs. South Alabama, 2015
Time: 8:08 vs. Campbell, 2011

RUSHING ATTEMPTS

Game: 50 vs. Campbell, 2011
Season: 414, 2011

RUSHING YARDS

Most
Game: 301 vs. Campbell, 2011
Season: 1,847, 2011
Fewest
Game: 7 vs. Appalachian State, 2014
Season: 1,156, 2014

RUSHING YARDS ALLOWED

Most
Game: 613 vs. Ga. Southern, 2014
Season: 3,641, 2014

Fewest
Game: 50 vs. Morehead State, 2010
Season: 1,986, 2011

RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS

Game: 4 vs. UL Lafayette, 2014
Season: 16, 2010 and 2011

PASS ATTEMPTS

Game: 55 vs. Old Dominion, 2010
Season: 496, 2015

PASS COMPLETIONS

Game: 33 vs. Old Dominion, 2010
Season: 308, 2015

PASSING YARDS

Most
Game: 471 vs. Texas State, 2015
Season: 4,367, 2015
Fewest
Game: 54 vs. Appalachian State, 2014
Season: 2039, 2011

PASSING YARDS ALLOWED

Most
Game: 561 vs. Houston, 2011
Season: 2,943, 2013
Fewest
Game: 47 vs. Texas State, 2013; Georgia Southern, 2014
Season: 1,865, 2010

TOUCHDOWN PASSES

Game: 4 vs. eight teams. Most recent: vs. Texas State, 2015
Season: 28, 2015

TOTAL OFFENSE

Most
Game: 643 vs. Texas State, 2015
Season: 5,627, 2015

Fewest
Game: 62 vs. Appalachian State, 2014
Season: 3,453, 2012

TOTAL OFFENSE ALLOWED

Most
Game: 732 vs. Houston, 2011
Season: 4,504, 2014

Fewest
Game: 203 vs. Georgia Southern, 2015
Season: 3,926, 2010

TURNOVERS COMMITTED

Most
Game: 7 vs. William & Mary, 2012
Season: 35, 2012 (23 int, 12 fum)
Fewest
Season: 22, 2011 (14 int, 8 fum)

TURNOVERS FORCED

Game: 5 vs. South Alabama, 2011; Charlotte, 2015
Season: 22, 2015 (15 int, 7 fr)

SACKS BY

Game: 6 vs. Lambuth, 2010
Season: 21, 2011

PENALTIES

Most
Game: 12 vs. Abilene Christian, 2014
Season: 92, 2015
Fewest
Game: 1 vs. Arkansas State, 2014
Season: 51, 2012

PENALTY YARDS

Most
Game: 114 vs. South Alabama, 2015
Season: 852, 2015
Fewest
Game: 5 vs. Arkansas State, 2014
Season: 417, 2012

TIME OF POSSESSION

Most
Game: 38:06 vs. Troy, 2015
Least
Game: 14:46 vs. Air Force, 2016



TEAM RECORDS

TEAM SUPERLATIVES

- OFFENSE -

POINTS SCORED

55	Savannah State, 2010
42	Campbell, 2011
41	Rhode Island, 2012
41	Clark Atlanta, 2011
41	Shorter, 2010
41	Texas State, 2015
41	Texas State, 2016

POINTS SCORED - HALF

34	Savannah State, 2010 (1st)
31	Texas State, 2015 (1st)
28	Campbell, 2011 (2nd)
28	Air Force, 2014 (2nd)
28	Texas State, 2014 (2nd)

POINTS SCORED - QUARTER

24	Texas State, 2016 (2nd)
21	Clark Atlanta, 2011 (2nd)
21	Texas State, 2014 (4th)
21	Oregon, 2015 (3rd)
21	Arkansas State, 2015 (2nd)

MARGIN OF VICTORY

34	Shorter, 2010
34	Savannah State, 2010
34	Clark Atlanta, 2011
34	Rhode Island, 2012
27	Morehead State, 2010
27	Georgia Southern, 2015

TOTAL OFFENSE

643	Texas State, 2015
582	New Mexico State, 2015
566	Abilene Christian, 2014
536	Texas State, 2016
532	Air Force, 2014
519	Troy, 2015
516	Texas State, 2014
514	Campbell, 2011

RUSHING YARDS

301	Campbell, 2011
274	Rhode Island, 2012
244	South Carolina State, 2011
232	Savannah State, 2010
220	South Alabama, 2011
219	West Alabama, 2011
212	Shorter, 2010
210	New Mexico State, 2015

OVERTIME GAMES (2-4)

2010	Jacksonville State	1	L 27-34
2010	N.C. Central	1	W 20-17
2011	South Alabama	2	W 27-20
2011	UTSA	1	L 14-17
2011	St. Francis (Ill.)	1	L 27-30
2013	Jacksonville State	1	L 26-32

PASSING YARDS

471	Texas State, 2015
422	UL Monroe, 2016
419	Old Dominion, 2010
414	Air Force, 2014
413	Abilene Christian, 2014
412	Ball State, 2015
408	Georgia Southern, 2014
394	Liberty, 2015

- DEFENSE -

POINTS ALLOWED

6	UT Martin, 2016
7	Georgia Southern, 2015
7	Shorter, 2010
7	Rhode Island, 2012
7	Clark Atlanta, 2011
10	Morehead State, 2010
10	South Alabama, 2015

TOTAL OFFENSE ALLOWED

203	Georgia Southern, 2015
247	Clark Atlanta, 2011
263	Shorter, 2010
263	Savannah State, 2013
282	South Alabama, 2015
286	San Jose State, 2015
287	Idaho, 2016
288	Rhode Island, 2012
290	Arkansas State, 2013
298	Samford, 2013

RUSHING YARDS ALLOWED

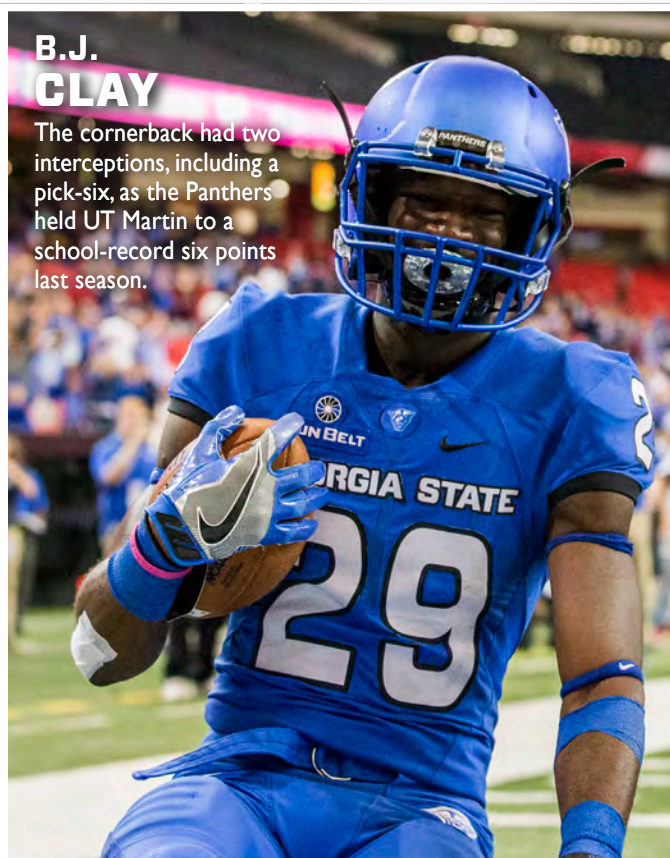
50	Morehead State, 2010
81	Troy, 2015
84	New Mexico State, 2015
84	Lamar, 2010
88	Campbell, 2011
93	Arkansas State, 2016
95	Abilene Christian, 2014

PASSING YARDS ALLOWED

47	Georgia Southern, 2014
47	Texas State, 2013
57	Shorter, 2010
67	Air Force, 2016
68	Georgia Southern, 2015
84	Campbell, 2010
89	San Jose State, 2015
98	Appalachian State, 2014

B.J. CLAY

The cornerback had two interceptions, including a pick-six, as the Panthers held UT Martin to a school-record six points last season.



CONNER MANNING

Passed for 340 yards to help the Panthers pile up 536 total yards in their 2016 win vs. Texas State.





INDIVIDUAL RECORDS



JOSEPH PETERSON

Holds the school records for tackles in a season (116) and career (381).



DONOVAN HARDEN

Set Georgia State records with 11 catches and four touchdowns vs. Georgia Southern in 2014.

RUSHING ATTEMPTS

Game: 27, Marcus Caffey vs. UL Lafayette, 2014
Season: 128, Donald Russell, 2011
Career: 356, Travis Evans, 2010-13

RUSHING YARDS

Game: 201, Donald Russell vs. Rhode Island, 2012
Season: 747, Donald Russell, 2012
Career: 1,500, Travis Evans, 2010-13

RUSHING YARDS PER GAME

Season: 93.4, Donald Russell, 2012
Career: 74.3, Donald Russell, 2011-12

YARDS PER CARRY

Season: 10.46, Albert Wilson, 2013 (minimum 20 attempts)
Career: 7.04, Albert Wilson, 2010-13 (minimum 40 attempts)

RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS

Game: 3, Marcus Caffey vs. UL Lafayette, 2014
Season: 9, Donald Russell, 2011
Career: 12, Donald Russell, 2011-12

PASSING YARDS

Game: 471, Nick Arbuckle vs. Texas State, 2015
Season: 4,368, Nick Arbuckle, 2015
Career: 7,651, Nick Arbuckle, 2014-15

PASSING YARDS PER GAME

Season: 336.0, Nick Arbuckle, 2015
Career: 06.0, Nick Arbuckle, 2014-15

PASS ATTEMPTS

Game: 53, Drew Little vs. Old Dominion, 2010
Season: 486, Nick Arbuckle, 2015
Career: 915, Nick Arbuckle, 2014-15

PASS COMPLETIONS

Game: 32, Nick Arbuckle vs. Texas State, 2014, and New Mexico State, 2015; Drew Little vs. Old Dominion, 2010
Season: 307, Nick Arbuckle, 2015
Career: 566, Nick Arbuckle, 2014-15

COMPLETION PERCENTAGE

Game: .800, Kelton Hill vs. South Alabama, 2011 (12-15)
Season: .632, Nick Arbuckle, 2015 (307-486)
Career: .619, Nick Arbuckle, 2014-15 (566-915)

PASS EFFICIENCY

Season: 152.7, Nick Arbuckle, 2015
Career: 144.2, Nick Arbuckle, 2014-15

TOUCHDOWN PASSES

Game: 4, Kelton Hill vs. Campbell, 2011; Drew Little vs. Morehead State, 2010, Savannah State, 2010; Ronnie Bell vs. Troy, 2013; Nick Arbuckle vs. Abilene Christian, Georgia Southern, Texas State, 2014; Texas State, 2015.
Season: 28, Nick Arbuckle, 2015
Career: 51, Nick Arbuckle, 2014-15

INTERCEPTIONS THROWN

Game: 4, Drew Little vs. Alabama, 2010; Ronnie Bell vs. William & Mary, 2012; Conner Manning vs. Idaho, 2016
Season: 17, Nick Arbuckle, 2014
Career: 29, Nick Arbuckle, 2014-15

CONSECUTIVE PASSES WITHOUT INT.

Season: 202, Drew Little, 2010 (Game 3 through Game 9, 24 quarters)

TOTAL OFFENSE

Game: 496, Nick Arbuckle vs. Texas State, 2015
Season: 4,273, Nick Arbuckle, 2015
Career: 7,566, Nick Arbuckle, 2014-15

TOTAL PLAYS

Game: 57, Conner Manning vs. Troy, 2016
Season: 547, Nick Arbuckle, 2015
Career: 1,049, Nick Arbuckle, 2015

TOUCHDOWN RESPONSIBILITY

Game: 5, Kelton Hill vs. Campbell, 2011
Season: 34, Nick Arbuckle, 2015
Career: 59, Nick Arbuckle, 2014-15

RECEPTIONS

Game: 11, Danny Williams vs. Old Dominion, 2010; Donovan Harden vs. Georgia Southern, 2014; Penny Hart vs. New Mexico State, 2015
Season: 71, Albert Wilson, 2013; Penny Hart, 2015
Career: 222, Robert Davis, 2013-16

RECEPTIONS PER GAME

Season: 5.92, Albert Wilson, 2013
Career: 4.53, Robert Davis, 2013-16

RECEIVING YARDS

Game: 186, Donovan Harden vs. Georgia Southern, 2014
Season: 1,177, Albert Wilson, 2013
Career: 3,391, Robert Davis, 2013-16

RECEIVING YARDS PER GAME

Season: 98.1, Albert Wilson, 2013
Career: 75.9, Albert Wilson, 2010-13



INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

YARDS PER RECEPTION

Season: 20.86, Albert Wilson, 2011
Career: 18.2, Albert Wilson, 2010-13

CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH RECEPTION

Career: 49, Robert Davis, 2013-16

100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES

Season: 6, Albert Wilson, 2013
Career: 13, Albert Wilson, 2010-13

RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS

Game: 4, Donovan Harden vs. Georgia Southern, 2014
Season: 8, Albert Wilson, 2013; Penny Hart, 2015
Career: 23, Albert Wilson, 2010-13

KICKOFF RETURNS

Game: 7, Avery Sweeting vs. Abilene Christian, 2014
Season: 31, Albert Wilson, 2013
Career: 95, Albert Wilson, 2010-13

KICKOFF RETURN YARDS

Game: 176, Albert Wilson vs. Villanova, 2012
Season: 751, Albert Wilson, 2012
Career: 2,338, Albert Wilson, 2010-13

KICKOFF RETURN AVERAGE

Season: 28.1, Albert Wilson, 2010
Career: 24.6, Albert Wilson, 2010-13

KICKOFF RETURNS FOR TD

Game: 1, Albert Wilson vs. Alabama, 2010; vs. Old Dominion, 2012; Darren McCray vs. Campbell, 2010; Marquan Greene vs. Arkansas State, 2015
Season: 1, Albert Wilson, 2010 and 2012; Darren McCray, 2010; Marquan Greene, 2015
Career: 2, Albert Wilson, 2010-13

PUNT RETURNS

Game: 7, Albert Wilson vs. Old Dominion, 2011
Season: 15, Albert Wilson, 2013
Career: 41, Albert Wilson, 2010-13

PUNT RETURN YARDS

Game: 85, Albert Wilson vs. Old Dominion, 2011
Season: 155, Albert Wilson, 2011
Career: 251, Albert Wilson, 2010-13

PUNT RETURN AVERAGE

Season: 11.9, Albert Wilson, 2011
Career: 9.2, Albert Wilson, 2010-13

ALL-PURPOSE YARDS

Game: 296, Albert Wilson vs. Old Dominion, 2012
Season: 2,283, Albert Wilson, 2013
Career: 6,235, Albert Wilson, 2010-13

ALL-PURPOSE YARDS PER GAME

Season: 190.2, Albert Wilson, 2013
Career: 148.5, Albert Wilson, 2010-13

TOUCHDOWNS SCORED

Game: 4, Donovan Harden vs. Georgia Southern, 2014
Season: 9, Donald Russell, 2011; Albert Wilson, 2013
Career: 26, Albert Wilson, 2010-13

POINTS SCORED

Game: 24, Donovan Harden vs. Georgia Southern, 2014
Season: 80, Iain Vance, 2010
Career: 213, Wil Lutz, 2012-15

FIELD GOALS MADE

Game: 3, Iain Vance vs. Lamar, 2010
Season: 15, Iain Vance, 2010
Career: 31, Wil Lutz, 2012-15

FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED

Game: 4, Wil Lutz vs. Jacksonville State, 2014; Matt Ehasz vs. S.C. State, 2012; Christian Benvenuto vs. UTSA, 2011
Season: 19, Wil Lutz, 2015
Career: 46, Wil Lutz, 2012-15

CONSECUTIVE FIELD GOALS MADE

Career: 7, Iain Vance, 2010

PAT

Game: 7, Iain Vance vs. Savannah State, 2010
Season: 42, Wil Lutz, 2015
Career: 120, Wil Lutz, 2012-15

CONSECUTIVE PAT MADE

Career: 73, Wil Lutz, 2013-15

PUNTS

Game: 10, Matt Hubbard vs. four teams
Season: 78, Matt Hubbard, 2013
Career: 214, Matt Hubbard, 2011-14

PUNTING YARDS

Game: 406, Matt Hubbard vs. Old Dominion, 2011
Season: 3,278, Matt Hubbard, 2013
Career: 8,814, Matt Hubbard, 2011-14

PUNTING AVERAGE

Game: 62.2, Matt Hubbard vs. SC State (5 punts)
Season: 44.5, Bo Schlechter, 2010
Career: 42.84, Wil Lutz, 2012-15

TACKLES

Game: 17, Tarris Batiste vs. Liberty, 2015
Season: 116, Joseph Peterson, 2015
Career: 381, Joseph Peterson, 2012-15

TACKLES FOR LOSS

Game: 4, Jake Muasau vs. UTSA, 2011; Jarrell Robinson vs. Abilene Christian, 2014; Alonzo McGee vs. Charlotte, 2015; Michael Shaw vs. ULM, 2016
Season: 12.5, Alonzo McGee, 2015
Career: 22.0, Joseph Peterson, 2012-15

SACKS

Game: 3, Jake Muasau vs. Lambuth, 2010
Season: 5.0, Christo Bilukidi, 2010
Career: 9.0, Christo Bilukidi, 2010-11

INTERCEPTIONS

Game: 2, D'Mario Gunn vs. Murray State, 2011; Demazio Skelton vs. ODU, 2012; Bobby Baker vs. Charlotte, 2015; Tarris Batiste vs. Georgia Southern, 2015; Jerome Smith vs. Ball State, 2016; B.J. Clay vs. UT Martin, 2016
Season: 4, Tarris Batiste, 2015
Career: 6, Chandon Sullivan, 2014-present

INTERCEPTION RETURN YARDS

Game: 73, D'Mario Gunn vs. Old Dominion, 2011 (1)
Season: 84, D'Mario Gunn, 2012
Career: 77, D'Mario Gunn, 2011-12

PASS BREAKUPS

Game: 6, Bruce Dukes vs. New Mexico State, 2015
Season: 11, Jerome Smith, 2015
Career: 16, Demarius Matthews, 2010-13

FUMBLE RECOVERIES

Game: 3, Bobby Baker vs. Charlotte, 2015
Season: 3, Jake Muasau, 2010; Bobby Baker, 2015
Career: 4, Jake Muasau, 2010-11





SINGLE-GAME HIGHS



DANNY WILLIAMS

Caught a school-record 11 passes against Old Dominion during the inaugural 2010 season.

RUSHING YARDS

- 201 Donald Russell vs. Rhode Island, 2012
- 152 Kelton Hill vs. West Alabama, 2011
- 146 Donald Russell vs. Campbell, 2011
- 141 Kelton Hill vs. Campbell, 2011
- 136 Donald Russell vs. South Alabama, 2011
- 125 Krysten Hammon vs. New Mexico St., 2014
- 120 Donald Russell vs. S.C. State, 2012
- 119 Donald Russell vs. Richmond, 2012
- 118 Travis Evans vs. West Virginia, 2013
- 107 Donald Russell vs. W&M, 2012
- 104 Albert Wilson vs. Arkansas State, 2013

RUSHING ATTEMPTS

- 27 Marcus Caffey vs. UL Lafayette, 2014
- 25 Krysten Hammon vs. New Mexico St., 2014
- 24 Donald Russell vs. Richmond, 2012
- 21 Donald Russell vs. W&M, 2012
- 21 Donald Russell vs. Rhode Island, 2012
- 21 Donald Russell vs. UTSA, 2011
- 21 Aaron Winchester vs. South Alabama, 2016

RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS

- 3 Marcus Caffey vs. UL Lafayette, 2014
- 2 Donald Russell vs. Rhode Island, 2012
- 2 Donald Russell vs. Clark Atlanta, 2011
- 2 Donald Russell vs. Murray State, 2011
- 2 Kelton Hill vs. West Alabama, 2011
- 2 Parris Lee vs. Shorter, 2010
- 2 Krysten Hammon vs. New Mexico St., 2014
- 2 Kyler Neal vs. New Mexico State, 2015
- 2 Nick Arbuckle vs. Ball State, 2015
- 2 Kyler Neal vs. Georgia Southern, 2015

RECEIVING YARDS

- 186 Donovan Harden vs. Georgia Southern, 2014
- 179 Donovan Harden vs. Liberty, 2015
- 177 Robert Davis vs. Texas State, 2015
- 175 Albert Wilson vs. South Alabama, 2011
- 167 Albert Wilson vs. Samford, 2013
- 158 Albert Wilson vs. Jacksonville State, 2013
- 154 Keith Rucker vs. Troy, 2015
- 153 Albert Wilson vs. Troy, 2013
- 151 Danny Williams vs. Murray State, 2011

- 150 Albert Wilson vs. UTSA, 2012
- 150 Penny Hart vs. New Mexico State, 2015**
- 177 Robert Davis vs. Texas State, 2016
- 149 Albert Wilson vs. Old Dominion, 2012
- 149 Albert Wilson vs. Arkansas State, 2013
- 146 Albert Wilson vs. Jacksonville State, 2011
- 145 Keith Rucker vs. Georgia Southern, 2016
- 132 Albert Wilson vs. Chattanooga, 2013
- 132 Donovan Harden vs. South Alabama, 2014
- 131 Glenn Smith vs. Wisconsin, 2016**
- 128 Penny Hart vs. Oregon, 2015**
- 128 Penny Hart vs. Arkansas State, 2015**
- 125 Robert Davis vs. Ball State, 2015
- 123 Glenn Smith vs. ULM 2016**
- 122 Todd Boyd vs. Troy, 2016**
- 121 Keith Rucker vs. UL Lafayette, 2013
- 120 Albert Wilson vs. West Alabama, 2011
- 119 Penny Hart vs. Georgia Southern, 2015**
- 118 LynQuez Blair vs. Abilene Christian, 2014
- 117 Robert Davis vs. Texas State, 2014
- 117 Robert Davis vs. Troy, 2016
- 114 Robert Davis vs. ULM, 2016
- 113 Penny Hart vs. Texas State, 2015**
- 112 Robert Davis vs. Idaho, 2016
- 111 Joel Ruiz vs. Abilene Christian, 2014
- 110 Robert Davis vs. South Alabama, 2013
- 108 Robert Davis vs. South Alabama, 2014
- 108 Emmanuel Ogbuehi vs. ODU, 2012
- 105 Albert Wilson vs. New Hampshire, 2012
- 104 Albert Wilson vs. Villanova, 2012
- 103 Danny Williams vs. N.C. Central, 2010
- 103 Jawan Nobles vs. ULM, 2016**
- 102 Danny Williams vs. Old Dominion, 2010
- 101 Danny Williams vs. Morehead State, 2010
- 101 Albert Wilson vs. South Alabama, 2013
- 100 Robert Davis vs. Chattanooga, 2013

RECEPTIONS

- 11 Penny Hart vs. New Mexico State, 2015**
- 11 Donovan Harden vs. Georgia Southern, 2014
- 11 Danny Williams vs. Old Dominion, 2010
- 10 Donovan Harden vs. South Alabama, 2014
- 10 Keith Rucker vs. Troy, 2015
- 9 Todd Boyd vs. Troy, 2016**

100-YARD RECEIVERS - SAME GAME

- ULM, 2016: Glen Smith (123), Robert Davis (114), Jawan Nobles (103)
- Troy, 2016: Todd Boyd (122), Robert Davis (117)
- Texas State, 2015: Robert Davis (177), Penny Hart (113)
- Abilene Christian, 2014: LynQuez Blair (118), Joel Ruiz (111)
- South Alabama, 2014: Donovan Harden (132), Robert Davis (108)
- South Alabama, 2013: Robert Davis (110), Albert Wilson (101)
- Chattanooga, 2013: Albert Wilson (132), Robert Davis (100)
- Old Dominion, 2012: Albert Wilson (149), Emmanuel Ogbuehi (108)

- 9 Robert Davis vs. Texas State, 2016
- 9 Robert Davis vs. Arkansas State, 2016
- 9 Robert Davis vs. Idaho, 2016
- 9 Penny Hart vs. Oregon, 2015**
- 9 Robert Davis vs. Ball State, 2015
- 9 Danny Williams vs. Murray State, 2011
- 9 LynQuez Blair vs. Troy, 2014

RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS

- 4 Donovan Harden vs. Georgia Southern, 2014
- 2 Albert Wilson vs. seven teams
- 2 Kelton Hill vs. Samford, 2013
- 2 Jordan Giles vs. Campbell, 2011
- 2 Arthur Williams vs. Morehead St., 2010
- 2 Joel Ruiz vs. Abilene Christian, 2014
- 2 LynQuez Blair vs. Air Force, 2014
- 2 LynQuez Blair vs. Troy, 2014
- 2 Donovan Harden vs. South Alabama, 2014
- 2 Penny Hart vs. New Mexico State, 2015**
- 2 Keith Rucker vs. Arkansas State, 2015
- 2 Keith Rucker vs. UL Lafayette, 2015
- 2 Donovan Harden vs. Texas State, 2015

PASSING YARDS

- 471 Nick Arbuckle vs. Texas State, 2015
- 422 Conner Manning vs. ULM, 2016**
- 414 Nick Arbuckle vs. Air Force, 2014
- 414 Drew Little vs. Old Dominion, 2010
- 413 Nick Arbuckle vs. Abilene Christian, 2014
- 412 Nick Arbuckle vs. Ball State, 2015
- 408 Nick Arbuckle vs. Georgia Southern, 2014
- 394 Nick Arbuckle vs. Liberty, 2015
- 391 Ronnie Bell vs. Samford, 2013
- 390 Nick Arbuckle vs. Arkansas State, 2015
- 381 Conner Manning vs. Troy, 2016**
- 372 Nick Arbuckle vs. New Mexico State, 2015
- 370 Ronnie Bell vs. Troy, 2013

PASS ATTEMPTS

- 53 Drew Little vs. Old Dominion, 2010
- 52 Conner Manning vs. Troy, 2016**
- 51 Ronnie Bell vs. Samford, 2013
- 50 Ronnie Bell vs. Troy, 2013
- 47 Nick Arbuckle vs. Abilene Christian, 2014
- 46 Conner Manning vs. Arkansas St., 2016**
- 46 Nick Arbuckle vs. Texas State, 2014



SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

PASS COMPLETIONS

- 32 Nick Arbuckle vs. Texas State, 2014
- 32 Nick Arbuckle vs. New Mexico State, 2015
- 32 Drew Little vs. Old Dominion, 2010
- 31 Nick Arbuckle vs. Abilene Christian, 2014
- 29 Nick Arbuckle vs. Troy, 2015
- 28 Conner Manning vs. Troy, 2016**
- 28 Nick Arbuckle vs. Ball State, 2015
- 28 Ronnie Bell vs. Samford, 2013
- 27 Conner Manning vs. Texas State, 2016**
- 26 Ronnie Bell vs. Western Kentucky, 2013
- 26 Nick Arbuckle vs. Air Force, 2014

COMPLETION PERCENTAGE

- .800 Kelton Hill vs. South Alabama 2011 (12-15)
- .765 Drew Little vs. Shorter, 2010 (13-17)
- .744 Nick Arbuckle vs. NMSU, 2015 (32-43)
- .737 Nick Arbuckle vs. Ball State, 2015 (28-38)
- .724 Drew Little vs. Morehead St., 2010 (21-29)
- .722 Bo Schlechter vs. Clark Atlanta, 2011 (13-18)

TOUCHDOWN PASSES

- 4 Nick Arbuckle vs. New Mexico State, 2015
- 4 Nick Arbuckle vs. Abilene Christian, 2014
- 4 Nick Arbuckle vs. Georgia Southern, 2014
- 4 Nick Arbuckle vs. Texas State, 2014
- 4 Ronnie Bell vs. Troy, 2013
- 4 Kelton Hill vs. Campbell, 2011
- 4 Drew Little vs. Morehead State, 2010
- 4 Drew Little vs. Savannah State, 2010

TOTAL OFFENSE

- 496 Nick Arbuckle vs. New Mexico State, 2015
- 438 Nick Arbuckle vs. Abilene Christian, 2014
- 420 Conner Manning vs. ULM, 2016**
- 419 Nick Arbuckle vs. Air Force, 2014
- 417 Drew Little vs. Old Dominion, 2010
- 412 Nick Arbuckle vs. Georgia Southern, 2014
- 394 Ronnie Bell vs. Samford, 2013
- 394 Nick Arbuckle vs. Ball State, 2015
- 382 Conner Manning vs. Troy, 2016**
- 381 Nick Arbuckle vs. New Mexico State, 2015
- 380 Nick Arbuckle vs. Texas State, 2014
- 380 Kelton Hill vs. West Alabama, 2011

TD RESPONSIBILITY (RUSH/PASS)

- 5 Kelton Hill vs. Campbell, 2011 (1/4)
- 4 Nick Arbuckle vs. six teams, 2014-15
- 4 Ronnie Bell vs. Troy, 2013 (0/4)
- 4 Drew Little vs. three teams, 2010

TOUCHDOWNS SCORED

- 4 Donovan Harden vs. Georgia Southern, 2014
- 3 Marcus Caffey vs. UL Lafayette, 2014
- 3 Donald Russell vs. Rhode Island, 2012

POINTS BY KICKING

- 13 Iain Vance vs. Savannah State, 2010
- 11 Iain Vance vs. Shorter, 2010
- 11 Iain Vance vs. Lamar, 2010
- 11 Wil Lutz vs. Texas State, 2015
- 11 Wil Lutz vs. Rhode Island, 2012
- 11 Rogier ten Lohuis vs. Texas State, 2016

FIELD GOALS

- 3 Iain Vance vs. Lamar, 2010
- 2 Christian Benvenuto vs. four teams
- 2 Iain Vance vs. four teams
- 2 Matt Ehasz vs. S.C. State, 2012
- 2 Wil Lutz vs. eight teams
- 2 Rogier ten Lohuis vs. Texas State, 2016

PAT

- 7 Iain Vance vs. Savannah State, 2010
- 6 Matt Ehasz vs. Campbell, 2011
- 5 Iain Vance vs. Shorter, 2010
- 5 Wil Lutz vs. four teams
- 5 Roger ten Lohuis vs. Texas State, 2016

PUNTS

- 10 Matt Hubbard vs. Old Dominion, 2011
- 10 Matt Hubbard vs. Houston, 2011
- 10 Matt Hubbard vs. Troy, 2013
- 10 Matt Hubbard vs. West Virginia, 2013
- 8 Matt Hubbard vs. 10 teams
- 8 Wil Lutz vs. Appalachian State, 2015
- 8 Wil Lutz vs. San Jose State, 2015
- 8 Brandon Wright vs. Arkansas State, 2016

PUNTING YARDS

- 406 Matt Hubbard vs. Old Dominion, 2011
- 398 Matt Hubbard vs. Troy, 2013
- 393 Matt Hubbard vs. West Virginia, 2013
- 380 Wil Lutz vs. San Jose State, 2015
- 372 Matt Hubbard vs. Houston, 2011
- 364 Wil Lutz vs. Appalachian State, 2015

PUNTING AVERAGE (MIN. 3 PUNTS)

- 62.2 Matt Hubbard vs. S.C. State, 2012 (5)
- 55.0 Wil Lutz vs. New Mexico State, 2015 (4)
- 51.0 Bo Schlechter vs. NCCU, 2010 (4)
- 50.0 Bo Schlechter vs. Campbell, 2010 (4)
- 49.0 Wil Lutz vs. Charlotte, 2015 (4)
- 48.1 Matt Hubbard vs. New Hampshire, 2012 (7)

KICKOFF RETURNS

- 7 Avery Sweeting vs. Abilene Christian, 2014
- 5 Glenn Smith vs. Ball State, 2016
- 5 Avery Sweeting vs. Georgia Southern, 2014
- 5 Marquan Greene vs. Arkansas State, 2015
- 5 LynQuez Blair vs. Air Force, 2013
- 5 Albert Wilson vs. Old Dominion, 2011
- 5 Albert Wilson vs. Villanova, 2012
- 5 Albert Wilson vs. West Virginia, 2013

KICKOFF RETURN YARDS

- 176 Albert Wilson vs. Villanova, 2012
- 169 Marquan Greene vs. Arkansas State, 2015
- 156 Albert Wilson vs. Old Dominion, 2012
- 140 Albert Wilson vs. Alabama, 2010
- 131 Avery Sweeting vs. Abilene Christian, 2014
- 129 Darren McCray vs. Campbell, 2010
- 127 Glenn Smith vs. Air Force, 2016
- 125 Albert Wilson vs. South Alabama, 2010

PUNT RETURNS

- 7 Albert Wilson vs. Old Dominion, 2011
- 3 Demarius Matthews vs. Morehead St., 2010

PUNT RETURN YARDS

- 85 Albert Wilson vs. Old Dominion, 2011
- 58 Albert Wilson vs. South Alabama, 2013
- 48 Demarius Matthews vs. Morehead St., 2010

ALL-PURPOSE YARDS

- 296 Albert Wilson vs. Old Dominion, 2012
- 290 Albert Wilson vs. Villanova, 2012
- 283 Albert Wilson vs. Arkansas State, 2013
- 280 Albert Wilson vs. Jacksonville State, 2013
- 268 Albert Wilson vs. Troy, 2013
- 236 Donald Russell vs. Rhode Island, 2012
- 234 Albert Wilson vs. Samford, 2013

TACKLES

- 17 Tarris Batiste vs. Liberty, 2015
- 16 Joseph Peterson vs. Troy, 2013
- 16 Fred Barnes vs. Shorter, 2010
- 15 Joseph Peterson vs. New Mexico State, 2014
- 15 Chase Middleton vs. Air Force, 2016**
- 14 Joseph Peterson vs. Washington, 2014
- 14 Joseph Peterson vs. App State, 2015
- 14 Joseph Peterson vs. Ball State, 2015
- 14 Mark Hogan vs. Old Dominion, 2010
- 14 Nate Simon vs. Georgia Southern, 2014

TACKLES FOR LOSS

- 4.0 Alonzo McGee vs. Charlotte, 2015
- 4.0 Michael Shaw vs. ULM, 2016**
- 4.0 Jake Muasau vs. UTSA, 2011
- 4.0 Jarrell Robinson vs. Abilene Christian 2014
- 3.5 Mackendy Cheridor vs. Texas State, 2016**
- 3.5 Tarris Batiste vs. Clemson, 2014
- 3.0 Tarris Batiste vs. Oregon, 2015
- 3.0 Alonzo McGee vs. Liberty, 2015

SACKS

- 3 Jake Muasau vs. Lambuth, 2010
- 2.5 Mackendy Cheridor vs. Texas State, 2016**
- 2 Christo Bilukidi vs. Murray State, 2011
- 2 Jake Muasau vs. UTSA, 2011
- 2 Joseph Peterson vs. UL Lafayette, 2013
- 2 Bobby Baker vs. Charlotte, 2014
- 2 Jarrell Robinson vs. Abilene Christian 2014

INTERCEPTIONS

- 2 Jerome Smith vs. Ball State, 2016**
- 2 B.J. Clay vs. UT Martin, 2016**
- 2 Tarris Batiste vs. Georgia Southern, 2015
- 2 Bobby Baker vs. Charlotte, 2015
- 2 D'Mario Gunn vs. Murray State, 2011
- 2 Demazio Skelton vs. Old Dominion, 2012

INTERCEPTION RETURN YARDS

- 73 D'Mario Gunn vs. Old Dominion, 2012
- 50 Jerome Smith vs. Ball State, 2016**
- 38 B.J. Clay vs. UT Martin, 2016**
- 34 Tarris Batiste vs. Georgia Southern, 2015
- 31 Robert Ferguson vs. Clark Atlanta, 2011
- 28 Joseph Peterson vs. Abilene Christian, 2014
- 26 Demazio Skelton vs. Clark Atlanta, 2011
- 26 Kail Singleton vs. S.C. State, 2012



CAREER LEADERS

RUSHING YARDS

Player.....	Years	Att	Yds
1. Travis Evans	2010-13	356	1,500
2. Donald Russell.....	2011-12	248	1,412
3. Kelton Hill	2010-13	176	1,076
4. Kyler Neal.....	2013-*	222	946
5. Glenn Smith	2014-*	131	509
6. Demarcus Kirk	2015-*	111	424
7. Marcus Caffey.....	2014-16	93	354
8. Albert Wilson.....	2010-13	47	331
9. Roosevelt Watson	2010-12	81	316

RUSHING ATTEMPTS

Player.....	Years	Att
1. Travis Evans	2010-13	356
2. Donald Russell.....	2011-12	248
3. Kyler Neal.....	2013-*	222
4. Kelton Hill	2010-13	176
5. Nick Arbuckle	2014-15	134

TOUCHDOWNS RUSHING

Player.....	Years	TD
1. Donald Russell.....	2011-12	12
2. Travis Evans	2010-13	10
3. Nick Arbuckle	2014-15	8
4. Kyler Neal.....	2013-*	8
5. Kelton Hill	2010-13	7

PASSING YARDS

Player.....	Years	Yards
1. Nick Arbuckle	2014-15	7,651
2. Ronnie Bell	2012-15	3,124
3. Conner Manning	2016-*	2,684
4. Drew Little.....	2010-11	2,570
5. Ben McLane.....	2012-14	1,982
6. Kelton Hill	2010-13	1,270

PASS ATTEMPTS

Player.....	Years	Att
1. Nick Arbuckle	2014-15	915
2. Ronnie Bell	2012-15	453
3. Drew Little.....	2010-11	389
4. Conner Manning	2016-*	373
5. Ben McLane.....	2012-14	328
6. Kelton Hill	2010-13	159

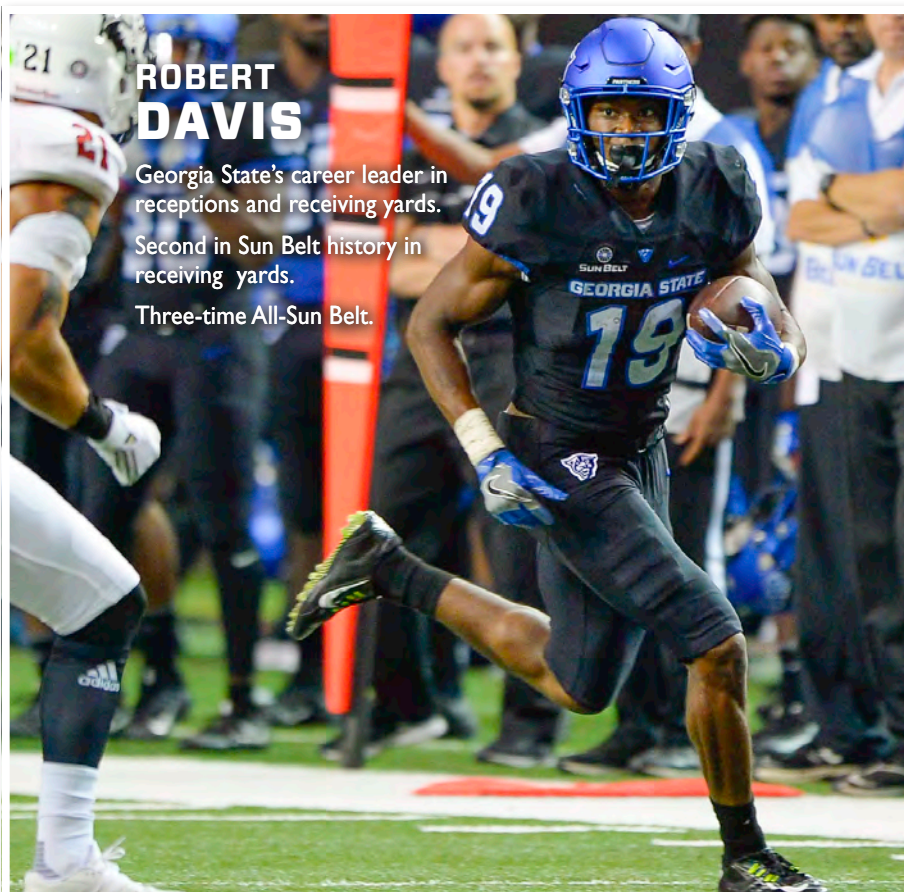
PASS COMPLETIONS

Player.....	Years	Cmp
1. Nick Arbuckle	2014-15	566
2. Drew Little.....	2010-11	227
3. Ronnie Bell	2012-15	225
4. Conner Manning	2016-*	207
5. Ben McLane.....	2012-14	169
6. Kelton Hill	2010-13	82

COMPLETION PERCENTAGE

Player.....	Years	Cmp
1. Nick Arbuckle	2014-15	.619
2. Drew Little.....	2010-11	.584
3. Kelton Hill	2010-13	.516
4. Ben McLane.....	2012-14	.515
5. Ronnie Bell	2012-15	.497

* Indicates active player



ROBERT DAVIS

Georgia State's career leader in receptions and receiving yards.

Second in Sun Belt history in receiving yards.

Three-time All-Sun Belt.

TOUCHDOWN PASSES

Player.....	Years	TD
1. Nick Arbuckle	2014-15	51
2. Drew Little.....	2010-11	18
3. Ronnie Bell	2012-15	18
4. Conner Manning	2016-*	16
5. Kelton Hill	2010-13	12
6. Ben McLane.....	2012-14	12

TOTAL OFFENSE

Player.....	Years	Plays	Yards
1. Nick Arbuckle	2014-15	1049	7,566
2. Ronnie Bell	2012-15	570	3,298
3. Conner Manning	2016-*	400	2,681
4. Drew Little.....	2010-11	418	2,531
5. Kelton Hill	2010-13	335	2,346
6. Ben McLane.....	2012-14	387	1,804

TOUCHDOWN RESPONSIBILITY

Player.....	Years	TDR
1. Nick Arbuckle	2014-15	59
2. Drew Little.....	2010-11	22
3. Ronnie Bell	2012-15	21
4. Kelton Hill	2010-13	19
5. Conner Manning	2016-*	18

RECEIVING YARDS

Player.....	Years	Rec	Yds
1. Robert Davis.....	2013-16	222	3,391
2. Albert Wilson.....	2010-13	175	3,190

3. Donovan Harden	2014-15	99	1,610
4. Danny Williams	2010-13	121	1,605
5. Penny Hart	2015-*	79	1,160
6. Keith Rucker.....	2013-16	90	1,148
7. Todd Boyd	2014-*	66	767
8. Glenn Smith	2014-*	64	745
9. LynQuez Blair	2011-14	68	683
10. Emmanuel Ogbuehi	2010-12	57	581

RECEPTIONS

Player.....	Years	Rec
1. Robert Davis	2013-16	222
2. Albert Wilson	2010-13	175
3. Danny Williams	2010-13	121
4. Donovan Harden.....	2014-15	99
5. Keith Rucker	2013-16	90
6. Penny Hart.....	2015-*	79
7. LynQuez Blair	2011-14	68
8. Todd Boyd.....	2014-*	66
9. Glenn Smith.....	2014-*	64
10. Travis Evans.....	2010-13	58

TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS

Player.....	Years	Rec
1. Albert Wilson.....	2010-13	23
2. Robert Davis.....	2013-16	17
3. Donovan Harden	2014-15	12
4. Keith Rucker.....	2013-16	10
5. Danny Williams	2010-13	9
6. Penny Hart.....	2015-*	9



CAREER LEADERS

KICKOFF RETURNS

Player.....	Years	KOR
1. Albert Wilson.....	2010-13	95
2. Glenn Smith	2014-*	36
3. Parris Lee.....	2010-13	35
4. Avery Sweeting.....	2012-15	31
5. Kelton Hill.....	2010-13	25

KICKOFF RETURN YARDS

Player.....	Years	Yds
1. Albert Wilson.....	2010-13	2,338
2. Glenn Smith	2014-*	779
3. Parris Lee.....	2010-13	664
4. Avery Sweeting.....	2012-15	604
5. Kelton Hill.....	2010-13	436

PUNT RETURNS

Player.....	Years	PR
1. Albert Wilson.....	2010-13	41
2. Donovan Harden.....	2014-15	13
3. Demarius Matthews.....	2010-13	9

PUNT RETURN YARDS

Player.....	Years	Yds
1. Albert Wilson.....	2010-13	376
2. Demarius Matthews.....	2010-13	78
3. Donovan Harden.....	2014-15	76

ALL-PURPOSE YARDS

Player.....	Years	Yards
1. Albert Wilson.....	2010-13	6,235
2. Robert Davis.....	2013-16	3,394
3. Travis Evans.....	2010-13	2,052
4. Glenn Smith	2014-*	2,033
5. Kelton Hill.....	2010-13	1,804



PENNY HART

After just two seasons, he already ranks in the top five in career receptions and yards.

TOUCHDOWNS

Player.....	Years	TD
1. Albert Wilson.....	2010-13	26
2. Robert Davis.....	2013-16	17
3. Donald Russell.....	2011-12	13
Donovan Harden.....	2014-15	12
Travis Evans.....	2010-13	12
6. Kelton Hill.....	2010-13	11

POINTS

Player.....	Years	Points
1. Wil Lutz.....	2012-15	213
2. Albert Wilson.....	2010-13	156
3. Robert Davis.....	2013-16	102
4. Iain Vance.....	2010	80
5. Donald Russell.....	2011-12	78

FIELD GOALS

Player.....	Years	FG
1. Wil Lutz.....	2012-15	31
2. Iain Vance.....	2010	15
3. Christian Benvenuto.....	2011-12	11

PAT

Player.....	Years	PAT
1. Wil Lutz.....	2012-15	120
2. Iain Vance.....	2010	35
3. Rogier ten Lohuis.....	2016	25
4. Christian Benvenuto.....	2011-12	24

PUNTS

Player.....	Years	Punts
1. Matt Hubbard.....	2011-14	214
2. Wil Lutz.....	2014-15	92
3. Brandon Wright	2016-*	61
4. Bo Schlechter.....	2010-11	41

PUNTING YARDS

Player.....	Years	Yards
1. Matt Hubbard.....	2011-14	8,814
2. Wil Lutz.....	2014-15	3,941
3. Brandon Wright	2016-*	2,430
4. Bo Schlechter.....	2010-11	1,739

PUNTING AVERAGE

Player.....	Years	Avg.
1. Wil Lutz.....	2014-15	42.84
2. Bo Schlechter.....	2010-11	42.41
3. Matt Hubbard.....	2011-14	41.19

TACKLES

Player.....	Years	Tackles
1. Joseph Peterson.....	2012-15	381
2. Tarris Batiste.....	2013-15	263
3. Robert Ferguson.....	2010-13	199
4. Trey Payne	2014-*	130
5. Shawanye Lawrence.....	2013-16	172
6. Alonzo McGee.....	2015-16	167
7. Brent McClendon.....	2010-13	166
8. Bobby Baker.....	2015-16	168
9. Mark Hogan.....	2010-12	157
10. Terrance Woodard.....	2010-13	145

INTERCEPTIONS

Player.....	Years	Int
1. Chandon Sullivan	2014-*	6
2. Tarris Batiste.....	2013-15	5
Brent McClendon.....	2010-13	5
Demazio Skelton.....	2011-12	5
5. D'Mario Gunn.....	2011-12	4
Jerome Smith	2014-5-*	4

SACKS

Player.....	Years	Sacks
1. Christo Bilukidi.....	2010-11	9.0
2. Mackendy Cheridor	2013-*	7.5
3. Joseph Peterson.....	2012-15	7.0
Jake Muasau.....	2010-11	7.0
5. Jarrell Robinson.....	2011-14	6.0
6. Michael Shaw	2015-*	5.5
7. Allen McKay.....	2010-13	5.0

TACKLES FOR LOSS

Player.....	Years	TFL
1. Joseph Peterson.....	2012-15	22.0
2. Tarris Batiste.....	2013-15	21.5
3. Mackendy Cheridor	2013-*	21.0
4. Jarrell Robinson.....	2011-14	20.0
5. Michael Shaw	2015-*	19.0
6. Alonzo McGee.....	2015-16	17.0
7. Jake Muasau.....	2010-11	16.5
8. Shawanye Lawrence.....	2013-16	15.0

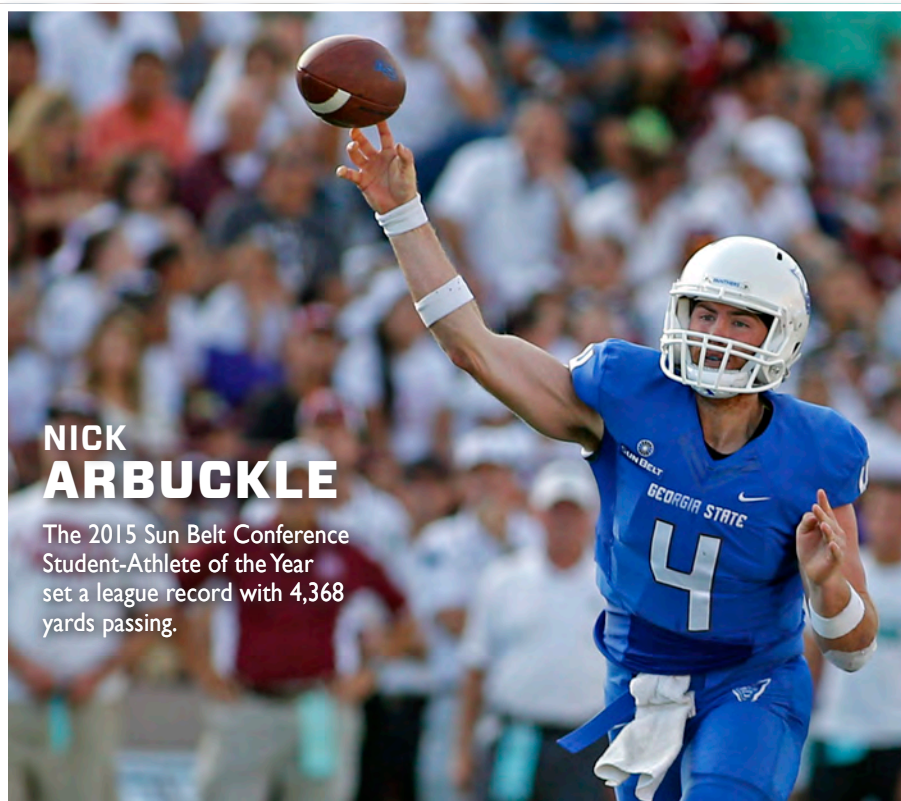


CHANDON SULLIVAN

Georgia State's career leader with six interceptions.



SEASON LEADERS



NICK ARBUCKLE

The 2015 Sun Belt Conference Student-Athlete of the Year set a league record with 4,368 yards passing.

RUSHING YARDS

Player	Year	Yards
1. Donald Russell	2012	747
2. Donald Russell	2011	665
3. Kelton Hill	2011	609
4. Kelton Hill	2010	416
5. Travis Evans	2013	405

RUSHING ATTEMPTS

Player	Year	Att
1. Donald Russell	2011	128
2. Donald Russell	2012	120
3. Travis Evans	2013	115
4. Kelton Hill	2011	103
5. Marcus Caffey	2014	93

RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS

Player	Year	TD
1. Donald Russell	2011	9
2. Nick Arbuckle	2015	6
3. Kyler Neal	2015	5
4. Kelton Hill	2011	4
Drew Little	2010	4
Parris Lee	2010	4

PASSING YARDS

Player	Year	Yards
1. Nick Arbuckle	2015	4,368
2. Nick Arbuckle	2014	3,283
3. Conner Manning	2016	2,684
4. Ronnie Bell	2013	2,573
5. Drew Little	2010	2,102

PASS ATTEMPTS

Player	Year	Att
1. Nick Arbuckle	2015	486
2. Nick Arbuckle	2014	429
3. Ronnie Bell	2013	375
4. Conner Manning	2016	373
5. Drew Little	2010	306

PASS COMPLETIONS

Player	Year	Comp
1. Nick Arbuckle	2015	307
2. Nick Arbuckle	2014	259
3. Conner Manning	2016	207
4. Drew Little	2010	190
5. Ronnie Bell	2013	188

TOUCHDOWN PASSES

Player	Year	TD
1. Nick Arbuckle	2015	28
2. Nick Arbuckle	2014	23
3. Drew Little	2010	18
4. Ronnie Bell	2013	15
5. Conner Manning	2016	16

TOTAL OFFENSE

Player	Year	Plays	Yards
1. Nick Arbuckle	2015	547	4,273
2. Nick Arbuckle	2014	502	3,293
3. Ronnie Bell	2013	455	2,686
4. Conner Manning	2016	400	2,681
5. Drew Little	2010	327	2,078

TOUCHDOWN RESPONSIBILITY

Player	Year	TDR
1. Nick Arbuckle	2015	34
2. Nick Arbuckle	2014	25
3. Drew Little	2010	22
4. Ronnie Bell	2013	18
Conner Manning	2016	18

RECEIVING YARDS

Player	Year	Yards
1. Albert Wilson	2013	1,177
2. Penny Hart	2015	1,099
3. Robert Davis	2015	980
4. Robert Davis	2016	968
5. Albert Wilson	2012	947
6. Donovan Harden	2014	885
7. Albert Wilson	2011	772
8. Robert Davis	2014	732
9. Donovan Harden	2015	725
10. Robert Davis	2013	711

RECEPTIONS

Player	Year	Rec
1. Albert Wilson	2013	71
Penny Hart	2015	71
3. Robert Davis	2016	67
4. Robert Davis	2015	61
5. Donovan Harden	2014	60
6. Danny Williams	2010	54
7. LynQuez Blair	2014	52
8. Robert Davis	2014	50
9. Albert Wilson	2013	48
10. Robert Davis	2013	44

KICKOFF RETURNS

Player	Year	KOR
1. Albert Wilson	2013	31
2. Albert Wilson	2012	29
3. Albert Wilson	2010	22
4. Avery Sweeting	2014	19
5. Kelton Hill	2013	18

KICKOFF RETURN YARDS

Player	Year	Yards
1. Albert Wilson	2012	751
2. Albert Wilson	2012	730
3. Albert Wilson	2010	618
4. Avery Sweeting	2014	396
5. Kelton Hill	2013	306

PUNT RETURNS

Player	Year	PR
1. Albert Wilson	2013	15
2. Albert Wilson	2011	13
3. Albert Wilson	2012	10
4. Demarius Matthews	2010	8
5. Donovan Harden	2014	7

PUNT RETURN YARDS

Player	Year	Yards
1. Albert Wilson	2011	155
2. Albert Wilson	2013	125
3. Albert Wilson	2012	94
4. Donovan Harden	2014	77
5. Demarius Matthews	2010	76



SEASON LEADERS

ALL-PURPOSE YARDS

Player	Year	Yards
1. Albert Wilson	2013	2,283
2. Albert Wilson	2012	1,810
3. Albert Wilson	2011	1,210
4. Penny Hart	2015	1,110
5. Robert Davis	2015	980
6. Donovan Harden	2014	977
7. Robert Davis	2015	968
8. Albert Wilson	2010	932

TOUCHDOWNS SCORED

Player	Year	TD
1. Donald Russell	2011	9
Albert Wilson	2013	9
3. Albert Wilson	2012	8
Penny Hart	2015	8
5. Donovan Harden	2014	7
6. Keith Rucker	2015	6
Robert Davis	2015	6
Nick Arbuckle	2015	6
Albert Wilson	2011	6
Lynquez Blair	2014	6

POINTS

Player	Year	Pts
1. Iain Vance (35 PAT, 15 FG)	2010	80
2. Wil Lutz (42 PAT, 12 FG)	2015	78
3. Wil Lutz (35 PAT, 7 FG)	2014	56
4. Donald Russell (9 TD)	2011	54
Albert Wilson (9 TD)	2013	54
6. Wil Lutz (25 PAT, 8 FG)	2013	49



**DONALD
RUSSELL**

Set season records with
747 yards rushing and
nine touchdowns in 2011.

FIELD GOALS

Player	Years	FG
1. Iain Vance	2010	15
2. Wil Lutz	2015	12
3. Christian Benvenuto	2011	9
4. Wil Lutz	2013	8
Rogier ten Lohuis	2016	8

PAT

Player	Years	PAT
1. Wil Lutz	2015	42
2. Iain Vance	2010	35
Wil Lutz	2014	35
4. Rogier ten Lohuis	2016	28
5. Wil Lutz	2013	25

PUNTS

Player	Years	Punts
1. Matt Hubbard	2013	78
2. Wil Lutz	2015	65
3. Brandon Wright	2016	61
4. Matt Hubbard	2012	59
5. Matt Hubbard	2011	44

PUNTING YARDS

Player	Years	Yards
1. Matt Hubbard	2013	3,278
2. Wil Lutz	2015	2,882
3. Matt Hubbard	2012	2,541
4. Brandon Wright	2016	2,430
5. Matt Hubbard	2011	1,844

PUNTING AVERAGE

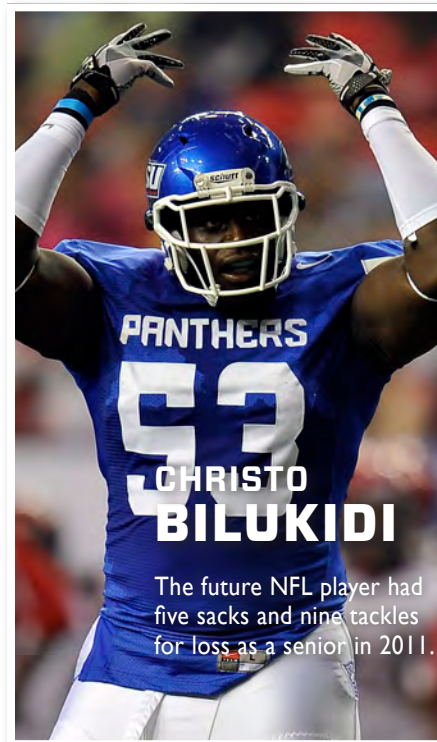
Player	Years	Avg
1. Bo Schlechter	2010	44.52
2. Wil Lutz	2015	44.34
3. Matt Hubbard	2012	43.07
4. Matt Hubbard	2013	42.03
5. Matt Hubbard	2011	41.91

TACKLES

Player	Year	Tkls
1. Joseph Peterson	2015	116
2. Joseph Peterson	2013	103
3. Tarris Batiste	2015	100
4. Joseph Peterson	2014	97
Alonzo McGee	2016	97
6. Trey Payne	2014	88
7. Tarris Batiste	2014	86
8. Fred Barnes	2010	85
9. Bobby Baker	2015	82
10. Tarris Batiste	2013	77

SACKS

Player	Year	Sacks
1. Christo Bilukidi	2010	5
2. Christo Bilukidi	2011	4
Jake Muasau	2010	4
4. Jake Muasau	2011	3
Mackendy Cheridor	2015	3
Joseph Peterson	2015	3
Jarrell Robinson	2013	3



**CHRISTO
BILUKIDI**

The future NFL player had
five sacks and nine tackles
for loss as a senior in 2011.

TACKLES FOR LOSS

Player	Year	TFL
1. Alonzo McGee	2015	12.5
2. Michael Shaw	2016	12.0
2. Tarris Batiste	2013	9.5
3. Joseph Peterson	2015	9.0
4. Jake Muasau	2011	8.5
5. Jake Muasau	2011	8.0
Theo Agnew	2012	8.0
Jarrell Robinson	2014	8.0

INTERCEPTIONS

Player	Year	Int
1. Tarris Batiste	2015	4
2. Chandon Sullivan	2016	3
Jerome Smith	2016	3
B.J. Clay	2016	3
Bobby Baker	2015	3
Demazio Skelton	2012	3
3. Chandon Sullivan	2015	2
Jamal Ransby	2010	2
Brad Chahoy	2010	2
D'Mario Gunn	2011	2
Jake Muasau	2011	2
D'Mario Gunn	2012	2
Brent McClendon	2013	2
Demazio Skelton	2011	2

PASS BREAKUPS

Player	Year	PBU
1. Jerome Smith	2015	11
2. Bruce Dukes	2015	9
3. Demarius Matthews	2011	9
4. Chandon Sullivan	2015	8



LONGEST PLAYS

LONGEST PLAYS FROM SCRIMMAGE

- 93 Pass: Albert Wilson from Ben McLane vs. Old Dominion, 2012 (TD)
- 84 Pass: Albert Wilson from Ben McLane vs. UTSA, 2012 (TD)
- 80 Run: Albert Wilson vs. Arkansas State, 2013 (TD)
- 80 Pass: Robert Davis from Ronnie Bell vs. South Alabama, 2013
- 78 Pass: Albert Wilson from Kelton Hill vs. South Alabama, 2011 (TD)
- 78 Pass: Glenn Smith from Conner Manning vs. ULM, 2016
- 76 Pass: Donovan Harden from Nick Arbuckle vs. Liberty, 2015 (TD)
- 75 Pass: Robert Davis from Nick Arbuckle vs. Texas State, 2014 (TD)
- 75 Pass: Robert Davis from Nick Arbuckle vs. Oregon, 2015 (TD)
- 75 Pass: Albert Wilson from Ronnie Bell vs. Jacksonville State, 2013 (TD)
- 73 Pass: Kyler Neal from Nick Arbuckle vs. Air Force, 2014**
- 70 Pass: Albert Wilson from Kelton Hill vs. Arkansas State, 2013 (TD)
- 68 Pass: Donovan Harden from Nick Arbuckle vs. New Mexico State, 2014 (TD)
- 67 Pass: Robert Davis from Ronnie Bell vs. Western Kentucky, 2013 (TD)
- 66 Pass: Donovan Harden from Nick Arbuckle vs. Arkansas State, 2015
- 65 Pass: Robert Davis from Conner Manning vs. Troy, 2016 (TD)
- 65 Run: Travis Evans vs. West Virginia, 2013 (TD)

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- 75 Robert Davis from Nick Arbuckle vs. Oregon, 2015 (TD)
- 75 Albert Wilson from Ronnie Bell vs. Jacksonville State, 2013 (TD)
- 73 Kyler Neal from Nick Arbuckle vs. Air Force, 2014**
- 70 Albert Wilson from Kelton Hill vs. Arkansas State, 2013 (TD)
- 68 Donovan Harden from Nick Arbuckle vs. New Mexico State, 2014 (TD)

LONGEST RUNS

- 80 Albert Wilson vs. Arkansas State, 2013 (TD)
- 65 Travis Evans vs. West Virginia, 2013 (TD)
- 62 Sidney Haynes vs. Lamar, 2010
- 54 Krysten Hammon vs. New Mexico State, 2014 (TD)



WIL LUTZ

Booted a 53-yard field goal at No. 1 Alabama in 2013.

- 54 Emmanuel Ogbuehi vs. James Madison, 2012 (fake punt)
- 53 Kelton Hill vs. West Alabama, 2011 (TD)
- 53 Kelton Hill vs. Lambuth, 2010
- 52 Kelton Hill vs. St. Francis, 2011
- 52 Donald Russell vs. South Carolina State, 2012
- 52 Donald Russell vs. Richmond, 2012

LONGEST PUNT RETURNS

- 62 Albert Wilson vs. South Alabama, 2013
- 47 Demarius Matthews vs. Morehead St., 2010
- 35 Donovan Harden vs. Appalachian State, 2014
- 31 Demarius Matthews vs. Shorter, 2010
- 31 Donovan Harden vs. Abilene Christian, 2014
- 30 Albert Wilson vs. Old Dominion, 2011
- 26 Albert Wilson vs. UL Lafayette, 2013

LONGEST KICKOFF RETURNS

- 100 Marquan Greene vs. Arkansas State, 2015 (TD)
- 100 Albert Wilson vs. Old Dominion, 2012 (TD)
- 97 Albert Wilson vs. Alabama, 2010 (TD)
- 96 Darren McCray vs. Campbell, 2010 (TD)
- 90 Tra Barnett vs. Arkansas State, 2016 (TD)**
- 88 Glenn Smith vs. Air Force, 2016**
- 71 Albert Wilson vs. Troy, 2013
- 67 Demarius Matthews vs. Jacksonville St., 2011
- 66 Albert Wilson vs. Jacksonville State, 2013
- 61 Albert Wilson vs. Villanova, 2012

LONGEST INTERCEPTION RETURNS

- 73 D'Mario Gunn vs. Old Dominion, 2012
- 48 Jerome Smith vs. Ball State, 2016 (TD)**
- 38 B.J. Clay vs. UT Martin, 2016 (TD)**
- 34 Tarris Batiste vs. Georgia Southern, 2015
- 31 Robert Ferguson vs. Clark Atlanta, 2011
- 28 Joseph Peterson vs. Abilene Christian, 2014
- 27 Nate Simon vs. New Mexico State, 2015
- 26 Demazio Skelton vs. Clark Atlanta, 2011
- 26 Kail Singleton vs. South Carolina State, 2012
- 25 Chandon Sullivan vs. Arkansas St., 2015 (TD)**

LONGEST FUMBLE RETURNS

- 93 Demazio Skelton vs. Old Dominion, 2011
- 88 Robert Ferguson vs. UL Monroe, 2013 (TD)
- 23 Marterious Allen vs. UT Martin, 2016 (TD)**
- 23 Qwontez Mallory vs. Houston, 2011

LONGEST FIELD GOALS

- 53 Wil Lutz vs. Alabama, 2013
- 50 Wil Lutz vs. Charlotte, 2015
- 50 Wil Lutz vs. Ball State, 2015
- 49 Iain Vance vs. Morehead State, 2010
- 48 Wil Lutz vs. UL Lafayette, 2014
- 47 Iain Vance vs. Lamar, 2010
- 46 Iain Vance vs. Savannah State, 2010
- 46 Christian Benvenuto vs. South Alabama, 2011
- 45 Christian Benvenuto vs. Clark Atlanta, 2011
- 45 Christian Benvenuto vs. Murray State, 2011
- 45 Christian Benvenuto vs. South Alabama, 2011
- 45 Rogier ten Lohuis vs. Wisconsin, 2016

LONGEST PUNTS

- 80 Matt Hubbard vs. S.C. State, 2012
- 80 Matt Hubbard vs. Jacksonville State, 2013
- 65 Matt Hubbard vs. Alabama, 2013
- 64 Matt Hubbard vs. UTSA, 2011
- 64 Oliver Holdenson vs. Air Force, 2016**
- 62 Matt Hubbard vs. New Hampshire, 2012
- 63 Wil Lutz vs. Oregon, 2015
- 62 Wil Lutz vs. New Mexico State, 2015
- 62 Bo Schlechter vs. Campbell, 2010

LONGEST DRIVES

- 97 vs. UTSA, 2011 (TD), 8 plays, 4:11
- 97 vs. New Mexico State, 2015 (TD), 6 plays, 2:21
- 96 vs. UL Lafayette, 2014 (TD), 10 plays, 4:52
- 93 vs. Old Dominion, 2012 (TD), 1 play, 0:14
- 91 vs. Washington, 2014 (TD), 13 plays, 6:31
- 91 vs. UL Lafayette, 2014 (TD), 16 plays, 6:38
- 91 vs. Arkansas State, 2015 (TD), 2 plays, 0:32
- 91 vs. Texas State, 2016 (TD), 11 plays, 3:17



DEMAZIO SKELTON

Had a 93-yard fumble return vs. Old Dominion in 2011.



PROGRAM**FIRSTS**

FIRST PLAY

Drew Little pass to Roosevelt Watson, 10 yards vs. Shorter, Sept. 2, 2010

Note: First snap was nullified by penalty

FIRST RUN

Rosevelt Watson rush for 8 yards vs. Shorter, Sept. 2, 2010

FIRST PASS

Drew Little to Roosevelt Watson for 10 yards vs. Shorter, Sept. 2, 2010

FIRST RECEPTION

Rosevelt Watson from Drew Little, 10 yards vs. Shorter, Sept. 2, 2010

FIRST FIRST DOWN

Rosevelt Watson rush for 3 yards vs. Shorter, Sept. 2, 2010

FIRST TOUCHDOWN

Parris Lee rush for 4 yards vs. Shorter, Sept. 2, 2010

FIRST TOUCHDOWN PASS

Drew Little to Emmanuel Ogbuehi for 4 yards vs. Shorter, Sept. 2, 2010

FIRST PAT

Iain Vance vs. Shorter, Sept. 2, 2010

FIRST FG

Iain Vance, 22 yards vs. Shorter, Sept. 2, 2010

FIRST GAME-WINNING FG

Iain Vance, 30 yards, 0:01 left in game at Campbell, Sept. 25, 2010

FIRST PUNT RETURN

Demarius Matthews for 31 yards vs. Shorter, Sept. 2, 2010

FIRST KICKOFF RETURN

Parris Lee for 27 yards (opening kickoff) vs. Shorter, Sept. 2, 2010

FIRST KICKOFF RETURN FOR TD

Darren McCray for 96 yards at Campbell, Sept. 25, 2010 (opening kickoff)

FIRST TACKLE

Jake Muasau tackled Octavious Edge vs. Shorter, Sept. 2, 2010

FIRST SACK

Christo Bilukidi sacked Lambuth's David Ingram for -6 yards, Sept. 11, 2010

FIRST INTERCEPTION

Jake Muasau intercepted Lambuth's Paul Harper, Sept. 11, 2010

FIRST INTERCEPTION RETURN FOR TD

Chandon Sullivan intercepted Arkansas State's Fredi Knighten (25 yds), Oct. 31, 2015

FIRST FORCED FUMBLE

Christo Bilukidi on RB Octavious Edge vs. Shorter, Sept. 2, 2010

FIRST FUMBLE RECOVERY

Olufemi Opanubi vs. Shorter, Sept. 2, 2010

FIRST FUMBLE RETURN FOR TD

Robert Ferguson vs. ULM (TD), Oct. 26, 2013

FIRST PUNT

Bo Schlechter for 38 yards vs. Shorter, Sept. 2, 2010

FIRST BLOCKED KICK

Jordan Giles blocked punt vs. Lamar, Nov. 6, 2010

FIRST PENALTY

Holding on WR Danny Williams (first play) vs. Shorter, Sept. 2, 2010

FIRST SAFETY

Blocked punt out of the end zone vs. West Alabama, Nov. 12, 2011

FIRST OVERTIME GAME

Jacksonville State d. Georgia State 34-27 in one overtime on Sept. 18, 2010, Georgia Dome

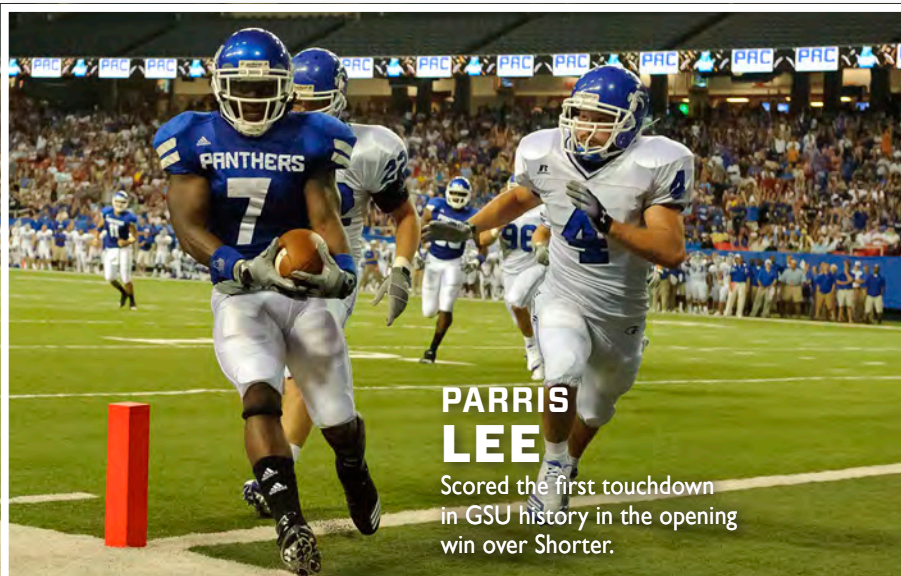
FIRST TELEVISED GAME

Jacksonville State d. Georgia State 34-27 on CSS-TV on Sept. 18, 2010, Georgia Dome



EMMANUEL OGBUEHI

Tight end caught Georgia State's first touchdown pass in the inaugural game vs. Shorter.



PARRIS LEE

Scored the first touchdown in GSU history in the opening win over Shorter.

INAUGURAL GAME / FIRST WIN

Georgia State d. Shorter 41-7, Sept. 2, 2010 at the Georgia Dome. Attendance: 30,237

FIRST GAME vs. FCS OPPONENT

Jacksonville State d. Georgia State 34-27 in overtime, Sept. 18, 2010, Georgia Dome

FIRST GAME vs. FBS OPPONENT

Alabama d. Georgia State 63-7, Nov. 18, 2010, Bryant-Denny Stadium, Tuscaloosa, Ala.

FIRST SUN BELT GAME

Troy d. Georgia State 35-28 on Oct. 12, 2013, Georgia Dome

FIRST WIN vs. FBS / SUN BELT TEAM

Georgia State d. New Mexico State 34-32, Sept. 12, 2015, Aggie Memorial Stadium, Las Cruces, N.M.

FIRST GAME BOWL GAME

AutoNation Cure Bowl: San Jose State d. Georgia State 27-16, Dec. 19, 2015, Orlando Citrus Stadium, Orlando, Fla.



ALLAMERICANS



**IAIN
VANCE, PK**

ALL-AMERICA
Sports Network (3rd team),
2010



**ALBERT
WILSON, WR**

ALL-AMERICA
SI.com (HM), 2013



**PENNY
HART**

**FRESHMAN
ALL-AMERICA**
FWAA, 2015

NATIONAL WEEKLY AWARDS

- Matt Hubbard, P Sept. 3, 2012
Sports Network National Special Teams Player of the Week
CPFA National Punter of the Week
- Albert Wilson, WR-KR Nov. 5, 2012
CFPA National Kick off Returner of the Week
- Joel Ruiz, TE Sept. 1, 2014
John Mackey National Tight End of the Week
- Tarris Batiste, S Dec. 7, 2015
FWAA AutoNation National Defensive Player of Week



**TARRIS
BATISTE**



ACADEMIC HONORS



SUN BELT COMMISSIONER'S LIST

Antreal Allen	2015
Joel Brooks	2014
Kight Dallas	2015
Akil Hawkins	2016
Michael Matthews	2016
Gabe Mobley	2015, 16
David Miller	2014
Jacob Nesmith	2016
Nicholas Nesmith	2014
Emeka Okoye	2015
Justin Otiwu	2015, 16
Mark Ruskell	2015, 16
Emiere Scaife	2015
Jerome Smith	2016
Chandon Sullivan	2015, 16
Bill Teknipp	2014, 15
Anthony Valverde	2016

SUN BELT HONOR ROLL

Antreal Allen	2016
Nick Arbuckle	2015
Bobby Baker	2016
Todd Boyd	2016
Joel Brooks	2015
Cloves Campbell	2016
Kristian Collins	2015
Will Cunningham	2016

COSIDA ACADEMIC ALL-DISTRICT

Michael Hall, LB (1st team)	2011
Kalan Jenkins, DL (1st team)	2011
Michael Davis, OL (1st team)	2012
Mark Hogan, LB (1st team)	2012
Chandon Sullivan, DB (1st team)	2015
Bobby Baker, DB (1st team)	2016
Chandon Sullivan, DB (1st team)	2016



Kight Dallas	2016
Jah-Mai Davidson	2015
Robert Davis	2015, 16
Patrick Dike	2014, 15, 16
Kendrick Dorn	2016
Robert Dowling	2015, 16
Taylor Evans	2016
Garrett Gorringe	2016
Jalen Hamilton	2014, 15
Akil Hawkins	2014, 15
Spencer Haywood	2014, 15
McClain Head	2014, 15
Trent Hill	2016
Deonte Holeman	2015
Seth-Patrick Holman	2016
Gerald Howse	2015
David Huey	2014, 15, 16

Dartez Jacobs	2016
Jonathan Jean-Bart	2015
Sean Jeppesen	2015
Tevin Jones	2015
A.J. Kaplan	2016
DeQueszman Kelley	2016
Giovanni Lugo	2016
Wil Lutz	2014, 15, 16
Ronald Martin	2014, 15
Ben McLane	2014, 15
Kam Meyers	2016
Nathaniel Minor	2015
Kyler Neal	2014, 15
Tyler Nemec	2015
Nate Paxton	2015, 16
Trey Payne	2015
Cristian Perez	2014
Malik Ricks	2015, 16
Joel Ruiz	2015
Emiere Scaife	2016
Brett Sheehan	2016
Tyler Simonsen	2016
Jameel Spencer	2016
D.L. Stephens	2014
Tanner Strickland	2014, 16
Bill Teknipp	2016
James Traylor	2015
Anthony Valverde	2015
Steve Wolgamott	2016
Brandon Wright	2016
Ladarion Young	2016
Daniel Zeigler	2015, 16

FCS ADA ACADEMIC ALL-STAR

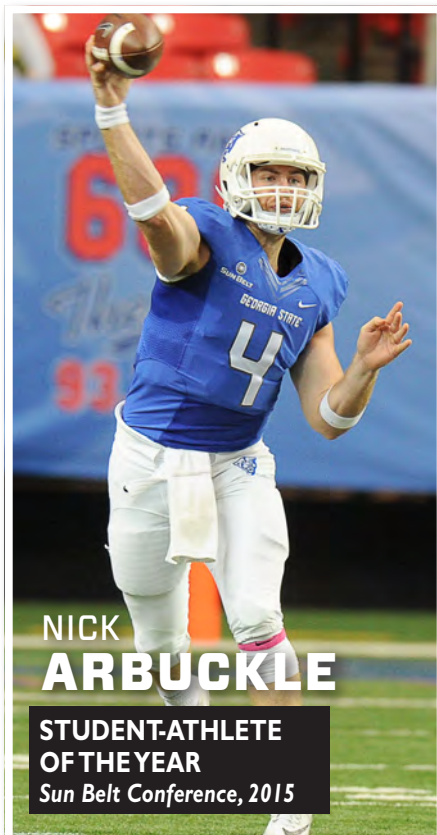
Kalan Jenkins, DL	2011
Michael Davis, OL	2012

CAA ALL-ACADEMIC TEAM

Nate Anthony, DB	2012
Michael Davis, OL	2012
Akeen Felder, LB	2012
Mark Hogan, LB	2012
Davis Knowles, LB	2012
Sean Jeppesen, TE	2012
Arlington Jordan, DB	2012
Darren McCray, WR	2012
David Miller, P-PK	2012
Nathaniel Minor, WR	2012
Emmanuel Ogbuehi, TE	2012
Kail Singleton, DB	2012
Malcolm Smith, RB	2012
Marcus Stetzer, DL	2012
Bryan Williams, LB	2012
Cade Yates, OL	2012



ALLCONFERENCE



SUN BELT PLAYER OF THE YEAR

Nick Arbuckle, QB2016

SUN BELT FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR

Penny Hart, WR2016

SUN BELT COACH OF THE YEAR

Trent Miles2016

ALL-SUN BELT

Robert Davis, WR (1st team)2016
 Bobby Baker, S (1st team)2016
 Shawanye Lawrence, DE (HM)2016
 Alonzo McGee, LB (HM)2016
 Keith Rucker, TE (HM)2016
 Conner Manning, QB (All-Newcomer) ... 2016
 Chandon Sullivan, CB (HM)2016
 Nick Arbuckle, QB (1st team)2015
 Tarris Batiste, S (1st team)2015
 Robert Davis, WR (1st)2015
 Penny Hart, WR (1st team)2015
 Joseph Peterson, LB (2nd team)2015
 Keith Rucker, TE (2nd team)2015
 Wil Lutz, P (2nd team)2015
 Donovan Harden, WR (HM)2015

Shawanye Lawrence, DL (HM)2015
 Alonzo McGee, LB (HM)2015
 Chandon Sullivan, DB (HM)2015
 Bobby Baker, DB (All-Newcomer)2015
 Donovan Harden, WR (1st team)2014
 Joseph Peterson, LB (2nd team)2014
 Joel Ruiz, TE (2nd team)2014
 Nick Arbuckle, QB (HM)2014
 LynQuez Blair, WR (HM)2014
 Robert Davis, WR (HM)2014
 Tim Wynn, C (HM)2014
 Nick Arbuckle (All-Newcomer)2014
 Albert Wilson, WR (1st team)2013
 Albert Wilson, AP (2nd team)2013
 Ulrick John, OL (HM)2013
 Joseph Peterson, LB (HM)2013

ALL-CAA

Albert Wilson, KR2012
Co-Special Teams Player of the Year
 Albert Wilson, KR (1st team)2012
 Albert Wilson, WR (3rd team)2012
 Matt Hubbard, P (2nd team)2012
 Donald Russell, RB (3rd team)2012

ALL-INDEPENDENT

College Sports Madness

Ladeven Kirkland, OL2011
 Demarius Matthews, CB2011
 Jake Muasau, OLB2011
 Donald Russell, RB2011
 Albert Wilson, WR & PR2011

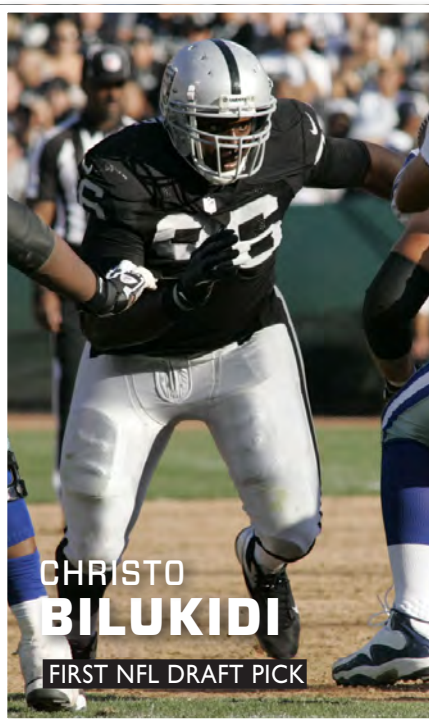
WEEKLY CONFERENCE AWARDS

Matt Hubbard, PSept. 3, 2012
CAA Special Teams Player of the Week
 Donald Russell, RBOct. 15, 2012
CAA Offensive Player of the Week
 Albert Wilson, WR-KRNov. 5, 2012
CAA Special Teams Player of the Week
 Nick ArbuckleSept. 15, 2014
Sun Belt Co-Offensive Player of the Week
 Wil Lutz, PKOct. 6, 2014
Sun Belt Special Teams Player of the Week
 Bobby BakerSept. 7, 2015
Sun Belt Defensive Player of the Week
 Nick ArbuckleOct. 19, 2015
Sun Belt Offensive Player of the Week
 Nick ArbuckleNov. 16, 2015
Sun Belt Offensive Player of the Week
 Chandon SullivanNov. 16, 2015
Sun Belt Defensive Player of the Week
 Nick ArbuckleDec. 7, 2015
Sun Belt Offensive Player of the Week
 Tarris BatisteDec. 7, 2015
Sun Belt Defensive Player of the Week
 Bobby BakerSept. 19, 2016
Sun Belt Defensive Player of the Week
 Mackendy CheridorOct. 10, 2016
Sun Belt Defensive Player of the Week





PROPLAYERS



**CHRISTO
BILUKIDI**

FIRST NFL DRAFT PICK

NFL CHRONOLOGY

Theo Agnew, DL	2014
Atlanta Falcons	
Christo Bilukidi, DL	
Oakland Raiders *	2012-13
Cincinnati Bengals *	2013-14
Baltimore Ravens *	2014-15
Washington Redskins	2016
N.Y. Jets	2016
Robert Davis, WR	
Washington Redskins	2017
Ulrick John, OL	
Indianapolis Colts	2014(IR)-15
Miami Dolphins *	2015-16
Arizona Cardinals *	2016-17
Wil Lutz, PK	
Baltimore Ravens	2016
New Orleans Saints *	2016-17
Jake Muasau, LB	
New York Giants	2012-13
Emmanuel Ogbuehi, TE	
Washington Redskins	2013
Miami Dolphins	2013-14
Cleveland Browns	2014
Baltimore Ravens	2014
Tampa Bay Buccaneers	2015
Donald Russell, RB	
Atlanta Falcons	2013
Albert Wilson, WR	
Kansas City Chiefs *	2014-17

* Played in regular-season game



NFL DRAFT

Christo Bilukidi, DL	2012
Oakland Raiders	6th (189)
Ulrick John, OL	2014
Indianapolis Colts	7th (232)
Robert Davis	2017
Washington Redskins	6th (205)

NFL FREE AGENT SIGNEES

Jake Muasau, LB	2012
New York Giants	
Emmanuel Ogbuehi, TE	2013
Washington Redskins	
Donald Russell, RB	2013
Atlanta Falcons	
Albert Wilson, WR	2014
Kansas City Chiefs	
Theo Agnew, DL	2014
Atlanta Falcons	
Wil Lutz, PK	2016
Baltimore Ravens	



**ULRICK
JOHN**

CANADIAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Nick Arbuckle, QB	2016
Calgary Stampeders (practice squad)	

ARENA FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Brandon Jones, S	2012
Tampa Bay Storm	



GSU teammates
ALBERT WILSON
 (left) and **WIL LUTZ**
 faced each other in 2016
 NFL game between
 Kansas City and New
 Orleans.



YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS

2010 • 6-5

Head Coach: Bill Curry

Inaugural Season (Unclassified)

Inaugural Season (Unclassified)				OFFENSE							DEFENSE						
Date	Opponent	Result	Att	At-Yds	TD	Pass	Cm-Att	TD-I	Ply-TO	At-Yds	TD	Pass	Cm-Att	TD-I	Ply-TO		
S. 2	Shorter (Thur.)	hW	41-7	30,237	35-212	3	154	14-19	2-0	54-366	53-206	1	57	5-11	0-0	64-263	
S. 11	Lambuth	hL	14-23	12,647	17-91	1	92	8-18	1-4	35-183	50-184	2	126	19-26	0-1	76-310	
S. 18	[6/5] Jacksonville State ^{TV1}	(ot) hL	27-34	16,128	22-112	3	227	25-40	0-1	62-339	39-167	3	283	24-32	1-0	71-450	
S. 25	at Campbell	aW	24-21	3,021	26-117	0	163	16-23	2-0	49-280	54-257	2	84	9-18	1-1	72-341	
O. 2	Morehead State ^{TV2}	hW	37-10	15,264	40-152	1	289	22-33	4-2	73-441	21-50	0	230	27-44	1-2	65-280	
O. 9	Savannah State	hW	55-21	14,908	40-232	3	201	19-29	4-0	69-433	44-154	2	109	13-19	1-2	63-263	
O. 16	N.C. Central (HC)	(ot) hW	20-17	13,378	35-112	1	205	16-29	1-0	64-317	43-175	1	154	11-23	1-3	66-329	
O. 23	at Old Dominion ^{TV2}	aL	20-34	19,782	23-58	1	419	33-55	1-0	78-477	43-229	3	152	22-38	1-0	81-381	
O. 30	at South Alabama	aL	34-39	23,446	19-46	3	234	21-35	2-2	54-280	49-293	1	181	12-24	3-0	73-474	
N. 6	Lamar	hW	23-17	14,689	27-133	0	189	22-36	2-1	63-322	29-84	0	273	19-36	1-1	65-357	
N. 18	at [10/12] Alabama (Thur.) ^{TV3}	aL	7-63	101,621	32-91	0	74	5-17	0-4	49-165	45-262	4	216	19-22	3-0	67-478	
TOTALS			302-286		316-1356	16	2247	201-334	19-14	650-3603	470-2061	19	1865	180-293	13-10	763-3926	

Television Legend: TV1-CSS; TV2- Comcast Digital; TV3-ESPNU; National Rankings are Sports Network/FCS Coaches for FCS; AP/USA Today Coaches for FBS.

2011 • 3-8

Head Coach: Bill Curry

Division I FCS Independent

Division I FCS Independent				OFFENSE							DEFENSE						
Date	Opponent	Result	Att	Rush-Yds	TD	Pass	Cm-Att	TD-I	Ply-TO	Rush-Yds	TD	Pass	Cm-Att	TD-I	Ply-TO		
S. 2	Clark Atlanta (Fri.)	hW	41-7	26,273	37-146	2	196	13-18	3-0	55-342	38-140	0	107	10-17	1-2	55-247	
S. 10	Old Dominion ^{TV1}	hL	17-40	11,701	35-85	2	206	16-44	0-3	79-291	54-282	3	126	13-21	1-0	75-408	
S. 17	at [16/17] Jacksonville State ^{TV1}	aL	21-37	17,618	28-116	2	209	17-30	1-1	58-325	58-246	3	155	9-11	1-0	69-401	
S. 24	at Houston ^{TV1}	aL	0-56	32,005	35-108	0	133	12-27	0-1	62-241	39-171	5	561	40-50	3-0	89-732	
O. 18	Murray State	hL	24-48	10,963	34-86	2	281	19-44	1-2	78-367	31-138	3	321	35-46	4-2	77-459	
O. 15	at South Carolina State	aL	13-23	11,517	45-244	1	76	6-20	0-3	65-320	47-155	2	213	16-30	0-0	77-368	
O. 22	South Alabama (HC)	(2ot) hW	27-20	14,086	43-220	1	209	12-15	2-0	58-429	50-178	0	145	14-30	2-4	80-323	
O. 29	at UTSA ^{TV2}	(ot) aL	14-17	25,977	44-164	1	91	6-15	1-0	59-255	35-108	1	189	17-34	0-1	69-297	
N. 5	St. Francis (Ill.)	(ot) hL	27-30	11,565	32-158	1	197	14-24	2-1	56-355	42-258	1	217	21-33	2-1	75-475	
N. 12	at West Alabama	aL	23-30	6,253	31-219	2	228	19-37	1-2	68-447	54-222	2	166	15-21	1-2	75-388	
N. 19	Campbell	hW	42-35	11,125	50-301	2	213	13-22	4-1	72-514	30-88	4	250	21-32	1-1	62-338	
TOTALS			249-343		414-1847	16	2039	147-296	15-14	710-3886	478-1986	24	2450	211-325	16-13	803-4436	

Television Legend: TV1-CSS; TV2- Longhorn Network. National rankings are Sports Network/FCS Coaches.

2012 • 1-10, 1-7 CAA

Head Coach: Bill Curry

Division I FCS / First Year of FBS Transition

Division I FCS / First Year of FBS Transition				OFFENSE							DEFENSE						
Date	Opponent	Result	Att	Rush-Yds	TD	Pass	Cm-Att	TD-I	Ply-TO	Rush-Yds	TD	Pass	Cm-Att	TD-I	Ply-TO		
A. 30	South Carolina State (Thur.) ^{TV1}	hL	6-33	18,921	30-99	0	130	14-28	0-1	58-229	49-188	0	300	19-29	3-2	78-488	
S. 8	at Tennessee ^{TV2}	aL	13-51	87,821	41-87	1	176	18-41	0-1	82-263	43-184	3	374	22-28	4-1	71-558	
S. 15	UTSA	hL	14-38	11,496	23-86	0	221	11-25	2-3	48-307	54-225	3	217	18-25	2-0	79-442	
S. 22	Richmond	hL	14-35	9,476	36-159	1	231	23-37	1-3	73-390	39-144	4	254	21-32	1-0	71-398	
S. 29	at William & Mary ^{TV1}	aL	3-35	11,125	35-92	0	157	13-26	0-4	61-249	57-312	5	101	8-13	0-0	70-413	
O. 6	[14/17] New Hampshire	hL	21-44	9,531	30-56	0	243	13-29	3-3	59-299	42-332	2	292	21-41	4-1	83-624	
O. 13	at Rhode Island	aW	41-7	6,013	34-274	3	217	15-27	2-0	61-491	31-104	0	184	17-35	1-1	66-288	
O. 20	[24/rv] Villanova (HC)	hL	24-49	12,136	29-79	1	230	23-41	2-2	70-309	53-343	2	127	11-15	3-1	68-470	
O. 27	at [9/10] James Madison	aL	21-28	22,813	38-173	1	175	23-38	2-0	76-348	42-221	2	119	11-23	1-1	65-340	
N. 3	[5/5] Old Dominion	hL	27-53	12,293	31-52	2	303	17-37	1-2	68-355	47-205	4	351	28-42	3-3	89-556	
N. 10	at Maine ^{TV3}	aL	7-51	2,979	33-59	0	154	12-30	1-4	63-213	48-332	2	262	11-17	4-0	65-594	
TOTAL			191-424		360-1216	9	2237	182-359	14-23	719-3453	505-2590	27	2581	187-300	26-10	805-5171	

Television Legend: TV1-CSS; TV2-ESPN3/PPV; TV3-WABI, Bangor, Me. National rankings are Sports Network/FCS Coaches.

2013 • 0-12, 0-7 Sun Belt

Head Coach: Trent Miles

Division I FBS / Second Year of FBS Transition

Division I FBS / Second Year of FBS Transition				OFFENSE							DEFENSE						
Date	Opponent	Result	Att	Rush-Yds	TD	Pass	Cm-Att	TD-I	Ply-TO	Rush-Yds	TD	Pass	Cm-Att	TD-I	Ply-TO		
A. 30	Samford (Fri.) ^{TV1}	hL	21-31	17,606	25-72	0	391	28-51	3-2	76-463	36-105	1	193	19-31	1-1	67-298	
S. 7	Chattanooga ^{TV1}	hL	14-42	14,952	17-30	0	273	17-35	2-0	52-303	60-401	2	108	11-15	2-0	75-509	
S. 14	at West Virginia ^{TV2}	aL	7-41	57,440	33-136	1	84	8-18	0-0	51-220	42-245	2	359	25-41	3-1	83-604	
S. 21	Jacksonville State ^{TV1}	(ot) hL	26-32	15,425	42-150	0	250	16-42	2-1	84-400	44-122	4	339	18-32	0-0	76-461	
O. 5	at [1/1] Alabama ^{TV3}	aL	3-45	101,254	22-15	0	160	12-22	0-0	44-175	30-181	1	296	29-34	5-0	64-477	
O. 12	Troy ^{TV4}	hL	28-35	17,732	26-52	0	370	22-50	4-1	76-422	59-249	2	385	25-43	3-2	102-634	
O. 19	at Texas State ^{TV4}	aL	17-24	15,684	35-160	1	208	20-36	1-1	71-368	42-296	3	47	5-12	0-1	54-343	
O. 26	at UL Monroe ^{TV1}	aL	10-38	11,357	33-136	0	108	12-31	0-3	64-244	38-225	1	309	30-44	4-0	82-534	



YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS

N. 2	Western Kentucky ^{TV4}	hL	28-44	15,212	27-85	2	325	26-41	2-2	68-410	46-203	4	241	18-29	2-1	75-444
N. 16	UL Lafayette ^{TV1}	hL	21-35	14,415	39-183	1	298	26-44	2-1	83-481	46-248	1	234	10-16	4-0	62-482
N. 23	at Arkansas State ^{TV1}	aL	33-35	18,512	40-184	2	248	14-26	2-0	66-432	45-138	1	152	14-19	2-0	64-290
N. 30	South Alabama ^{TV1}	hL	17-38	13,697	25-24	2	321	17-34	0-1	59-345	54-242	4	280	19-30	1-0	84-522
TOTAL			225-440		364-1227		9	3036	218-430	18-12	794-4263	542-2655	28	2943	223-346	27-6 888-5598

Television Legend: TV1-ESPN3; TV2-ROOT Sports; TV3-SEC TV; TV4-Sun Belt Network/CSS; National rankings are AP/USA Today Coaches.

Captains: Sean Jeppesen, Joseph Peterson, Albert Wilson

2014 • 1-11, 0-8 Sun Belt

Head Coach: Trent Miles

Division I FBS

		OFFENSE								DEFENSE							
Date	Opponent	Result	Att	Rush-Yds	TD	Pass	Cm-Att	TD-I	Ply-TO	Rush-Yds	TD	Pass	Cm-Att	TD-I	Ply-TO		
A. 27	Abilene Christian (Wed.) ^{TV1}	hW	38-37	10,140	33-153	1	413	31-49	4-2	82-566	36-95	0	403	30-40	4-1	76-498	
S. 6	New Mexico State ^{TV2}	hL	31-34	10,126	39-162	3	294	21-37	1-2	76-456	41-194	0	241	25-44	3-1	85-435	
S. 13	Air Force ^{TV2}	hL	38-48	16,836	26-118	3	414	26-42	2-1	68-532	65-315	4	224	12-15	2-0	80-539	
S. 20	at Washington (rv/rv/na) ^{TV3}	aL	14-45	64,608	41-68	0	205	22-34	2-3	75-273	41-182	2	154	19-27	3-0	68-336	
O. 4	at UL Lafayette ^{TV2}	aL	31-34	24,616	37-138	4	287	20-31	0-0	68-425	32-195	3	266	24-31	2-0	63-461	
O. 11	Arkansas State ^{TV2}	hL	10-52	10,196	34-71	1	198	20-39	0-1	73-269	53-384	4	234	22-30	3-0	83-618	
O. 18	at South Alabama ^{TV2}	aL	27-30	13,186	37-90	1	311	23-40	3-0	77-401	54-321	1	126	11-32	2-0	86-447	
O. 25	Georgia Southern ^{TV2}	hL	31-69	28,427	23-47	0	408	24-38	4-1	61-455	63-613	10	47	5-6	0-0	69-660	
N. 1	at Appalachian State ^{TV2}	aL	0-44	22,643	26-8	0	54	9-19	0-1	45-62	66-469	6	98	9-14	0-0	80-567	
N. 8	at Troy ^{TV2}	aL	21-45	16,418	34-101	0	293	23-37	3-2	71-394	45-324	5	116	18-22	1-0	67-440	
N. 22	at Clemson (rv/rv/22) ^{TV4}	aL	0-28	77,693	33-40	0	115	13-33	0-3	66-155	43-209	3	148	21-33	1-1	76-357	
N. 29	Texas State ^{TV2}	hL	31-54	14,312	27-160	0	356	32-47	4-2	74-516	43-340	3	267	26-32	2-0	75-607	
TOTAL			272-520		390-1156		13	3348	264-446	23-18	836-4504	582-3641	41	2324	222-326	23-3 908-5965	

Television Legend: TV1-ESPNU; TV2- ESPN3; TV3-Pac-12 Network; TV4-RSN. Rankings are AP/USA Today/CF Playoff; Captains: Joseph Peterson, Keith Rucker, Tim Wynn

2015 • 6-7, 5-3 Sun Belt (4th) • AutoNation Cure Bowl

Head Coach: Trent Miles

Division I FBS

		OFFENSE								DEFENSE							
Date	Opponent	Result	Att	Rush-Yds	TD	Pass	Cm-Att	TD-I	Ply-TO	Rush-Yds	TD	Pass	Cm-Att	TD-I	Ply-TO		
S. 4	Charlotte (Fri.) ^{TV1}	hL	20-23	10,252	26-93	0	299	25-43	2-1	69-392	54-164	0	244	19-32	1-2	86-408	
S. 12	at New Mexico State ^{TV2}	aW	34-32	27,201	46-210	2	372	32-43	2-1	89-582	23-84	1	445	31-55	3-1	78-529	
S. 19	at Oregon (12/13) ^{TV3}	aL	28-61	56,859	36-113	1	318	25-40	3-2	76-431	53-311	3	228	23-31	2-0	84-539	
O. 3	Liberty (18-FCS) (HC) ^{TV2}	hL	33-41	11,512	14-11	1	394	18-29	3-1	43-405	49-260	5	242	26-33	0-0	82-502	
O. 10	Appalachian State ^{TV2}	hL	3-37	10,101	21-59	0	166	21-39	0-1	60-225	41-184	0	314	21-28	3-1	69-498	
O. 17	at Ball State ^{TV2}	aW	31-19	7,564	32-33	3	412	28-39	1-0	71-445	40-154	0	218	28-48	2-1	88-372	
O. 31	at Arkansas State ^{TV2}	aL	34-48	18,217	32-101	1	390	23-43	2-1	75-491	52-296	4	224	21-29	3-2	81-520	
N. 7	UL Lafayette ^{TV2}	hL	21-23	10,007	29-78	0	312	23-39	3-1	68-390	41-145	0	162	18-27	1-1	68-307	
N. 14	at Texas State ^{TV2}	aW	41-19	13,238	37-172	1	471	23-35	4-2	72-643	32-186	1	267	29-52	1-2	84-453	
N. 21	South Alabama ^{TV2}	hW	24-10	10,033	34-73	2	311	27-44	1-0	78-394	34-157	1	125	14-34	0-1	68-282	
N. 27	Troy (Fri.) ^{TV2}	hW	31-21	10,113	43-151	2	368	29-41	2-0	84-519	25-81	1	193	21-46	2-1	71-374	
D. 5	at Georgia Southern ^{TV2}	aW	34-7	23,401	37-143	2	346	20-32	3-1	69-489	44-135	1	68	6-19	0-2	63-203	
D. 19	vs. San Jose State (Cure Bowl) ^{TV4}	nL	16-27	18,536	20-23	0	208	14-29	2-1	49-231	54-197	1	89	10-19	1-1	73-286	
TOTAL			350-368		407-1260		15	4367	308-496	28-12	903-5627	542-2354	18	2919	267-453	19-15 995-5273	

Television Legend: TV1-ESPNU; TV2- ESPN3; TV3-Pac-12; Network; TV4-CBS Sports Network. FBS rankings are AP/Coaches

2016 • 3-9, 2-6 Sun Belt

Head Coach: Trent Miles (2-8)/Tim Lappano (1-1)

Division I FBS

		OFFENSE								DEFENSE							
Date	Opponent	Result	Att	Rush-Yds	TD	Pass	Cm-Att	TD-I	Ply-TO	Rush-Yds	TD	Pass	Cm-Att	TD-I	Ply-TO		
S. 2	Ball State (Fri.) ^{TV1}	hL	21-31	12,233	25-77	1	195	25-40	1-1	65-272	52-325	4	130	15-29	0-2	81-455	
S. 10	at Air Force ^{TV2}	aL	14-48	24,173	14-27	1	142	9-27	1-0	41-169	83-464	5	67	3-9	0-0	92-531	
S. 17	at Wisconsin (9/12) ^{TV3}	aL	17-23	79,883	24-33	1	269	20-30	1-0	54-302	49-187	1	213	18-30	1-1	79-400	
O. 1	at Appalachian State ^{TV1}	aL	3-17	24,782	25-88	0	153	19-44	0-4	69-241	48-218	1	143	13-25	1-1	73-361	
O. 8	Texas State ^{TV4}	hW	41-21	13,179	37-196	3	340	27-40	2-0	77-536	41-120	2	300	27-47	1-2	88-420	
O. 15	at Troy ^{TV4}	aL	21-31	23,913	24-37	0	381	28-52	3-2	76-418	43-128	1	235	20-36	2-1	79-363	
O. 22	UT Martin (HC) ^{TV4}	hW	31-6	15,223	39-166	1	119	8-16	1-2	55-285	31-110	0	210	20-40	0-3	71-320	
O. 29	at South Alabama ^{TV4}	aL	10-13	11,565	40-127	1	113	11-18	0-0	58-240	43-182	1	124	15-27	0-1	70-306	
N. 3	Arkansas State (Thu.) ^{TV5}	hL	16-31	13,363	31-94	0	237	22-46	1-2	77-331	41-93	2	212	15-35	0-0	76-305	
N. 12	UL Monroe ^{TV4}	hL	23-37	13,106	26-42	0	422	19-30	3-0	56-464	54-264	5	193	17-31	0-0	85-457	
N. 19	Georgia Southern ^{TV4}	hW	30-24	23,513	27-73	2	318	21-39	2-0	66-391	46-241	3	122	14-26	0-0	72-363	
D. 3	at Idaho ^{TV4}	aL	12-37	11,242	24-92	0	266	22-37	2-4	61-358	45-149	0	138	16-20	3-0	65-287	
TOTAL			239-319		336-1052		10	2955	231-419	17-15	755-4007	576-2481	25	2087	193-355	8-11 931-4568	

Television Legend: TV1-American Sports Network/ESPN3; TV2-Mountain West Network-Campus Insiders; TV3-Big Ten Network; TV4-ESPN3; TV5-ESPNU. FBS rankings are AP/Coaches



COACHING HISTORY

HEAD COACHES

Bill Curry	2008-2012 *	10-23 (3)
Trent Miles	2013-2016	9-38 (4)
Tim Lappano (Interim)	2016	1-1 (1)
Shawn Elliott	2017-present	

* Includes two seasons before the program began play

ALL-TIME ASSISTANT COACHES

Bond, John, 2010-12 (Offensive Coordinator)
 Colbert, Keary, 2013 (Wide Receivers)
 Etheridge, Harold, 2013-16 (Assistant Head Coach/Offensive Line)
 French, Jason, 2010-12 (Outside Linebackers)
 Hamilton, Joe, 2011-12 (Running Backs)
 Harmon, Craig, 2010-12 (Tight Ends)
 Huard, Luke, 2013-16 (Quarterbacks, 2013-15; Offensive Coordinator/QBs, 2016)
 Jackson, Shannon, 2013-14 (Defensive Line)
 Jagodzinski, Jeff, 2013-16 (Offensive Coordinator, 2013-15; Assistant, 2016)
 Knight, Larry, 2015-16 (Outside Linebackers)
 Lappano, Tim, 2014-16 (Wide Receivers)
 Lewis, Eric, 2015-16 (Secondary)
 Lough, Brock, 2014 (Running Backs)
 Midget, Anthony, 2010-12 (Secondary/Special Teams, 2010-11; Defensive Coordinator, 2012)
 Minter, Jesse, 2013-16 (Defensive Coordinator)
 Minter, Rick, 2016 (Defensive Line)
 Perry, Todd, 2010 (Running Backs)
 Pugh, George, 2010-12 (Asst. Head Coach/Recruiting Coord./Wide Receivers)
 Riddle, Mike, 2010-12 (Offensive Line)
 Samuel, Tony, 2015 (Defensive Line)
 Thomas, Ricky, 2012 (Defensive Ends)
 Thompson, John, 2010-11 (Assistant Head Coach/Defensive Coordinator)
 Tiller, Tony, 2013 (Running Backs)
 Volker, P.J., 2013-16 (Linebackers/Recruiting Coordinator)
 Ward, Chris, 2010-12 (Defensive Line)
 Williams, J.D., 2013-14 (Secondary/Special Teams)
 Zimmerman, Ryan, 2010-11 (Specialists/Defensive Assistant)

YEAR-BY-YEAR COACHING STAFFS

2010: Bill Curry, head coach; John Bond, offensive coordinator/quarterbacks; Jason French, outside linebackers; Craig Harmon, tight ends; Anthony Midget, secondary/special teams; Todd Perry, running backs; George Pugh, assistant head coach/recruiting coordinator/receivers; Mike Riddle, offensive line; John Thompson, defensive coordinator; Chris Ward, defensive line; Ryan Zimmerman, defensive assistant.

2011: Bill Curry, head coach; John Bond, offensive coordinator/quarterbacks; Jason French, outside linebackers; Joe Hamilton, running backs; Craig Harmon, tight ends; Anthony Midget, secondary/special teams; George Pugh, assistant head coach/recruiting coordinator/receivers; Mike Riddle, offensive line; John Thompson, defensive coordinator; Chris Ward, defensive line; Ryan Zimmerman, defensive assistant.

2012: Bill Curry, head coach; John Bond, offensive coordinator/quarterbacks; Jason French, outside linebackers; Joe Hamilton, running backs; Craig Harmon, tight ends; Anthony Midget, defensive coordinator/secondary; George Pugh, assistant head coach/recruiting coordinator/receivers; Mike Riddle, offensive line; Ricky Thomas, outside linebackers; Chris Ward, defensive line.

2013: Trent Miles, head coach; Keary Colbert, wide receivers; Harold Etheridge, assistant head coach/offensive line; Luke Huard, quarterbacks; Shannon Jackson, defensive line; Jeff Jagodzinski, offensive coordinator; Jesse Minter, defensive coordinator; P.J. Volker, inside linebackers/recruiting coordinator; J.D. Williams, secondary/special teams.

2014: Trent Miles, head coach; Harold Etheridge, assistant head coach/offensive line; Luke Huard, quarterbacks; Shannon Jackson, defensive line; Jeff Jagodzinski, offensive coordinator; Tim Lappano, receivers; Brock Lough, running backs; Jesse Minter, defensive coordinator; P.J. Volker, inside linebackers/recruiting coordinator; J.D. Williams, secondary/special teams.

2015: Trent Miles, head coach; Harold Etheridge, assistant head coach/offensive line; Luke Huard, quarterbacks; Jeff Jagodzinski, offensive coordinator; Larry Knight, outside linebackers; Tim Lappano, receivers; Eric Lewis, secondary; Jesse Minter, defensive coordinator; Tony Samuel, defensive line; P.J. Volker, inside linebackers/recruiting coordinator.

2016: Trent Miles, head coach; Harold Etheridge, assistant head coach/offensive line; Luke Huard, offensive coordinator/quarterbacks; Jeff Jagodzinski, assistant; Larry Knight, outside linebackers; Tim Lappano, receivers; Eric Lewis, secondary/special teams; Jesse Minter, defensive coordinator; Rick Minter, defensive line; John McDonnell, senior offensive analyst; P.J. Volker, inside linebackers/recruiting coordinator.

SERIES RECORDS

Opponent	W	L	Last
Abilene Christian	1	0	2014
Air Force	0	2	2016
Alabama	0	2	2013
Appalachian State	0	3	2016
Arkansas State	0	4	2016
Ball State	1	1	2016
Campbell	2	0	2011
Charlotte	0	1	2015
Chattanooga	0	1	2013
Clark Atlanta	1	0	2011
Clemson	0	1	2014
Georgia Southern	2	1	2016
Houston	0	1	2011
Idaho	0	1	2016
Jacksonville State	0	3	2013
James Madison	0	1	2012
Lamar	1	0	2010
Lambuth	0	1	2010
Liberty	0	1	2015
Louisiana	0	3	2015
Maine	0	1	2012
Morehead State	1	0	2010
Murray State	0	1	2011
N.C. Central	1	0	2010
New Hampshire	0	1	2012
New Mexico State	1	1	2015
Old Dominion	0	3	2012
Oregon	0	1	2015
Rhode Island	1	0	2012
Richmond	0	1	2012
Samford	0	1	2013
San Jose State	0	1	2015
Savannah State	1	0	2010
Shorter	1	0	2010
South Alabama	2	4	2016
South Carolina State	0	2	2012
St. Francis (Ill.)	0	1	2011
Tennessee	0	1	2012
Texas State	2	2	2016
Troy	1	3	2016
UL Monroe	0	2	2016
UT Martin	1	0	2016
UTSA	0	2	2012
Villanova	0	1	2012
Washington	0	1	2014
West Alabama	0	1	2011
West Virginia	0	1	2013
Western Kentucky	0	1	2013
William & Mary	0	1	2012
Wisconsin	0	1	2016

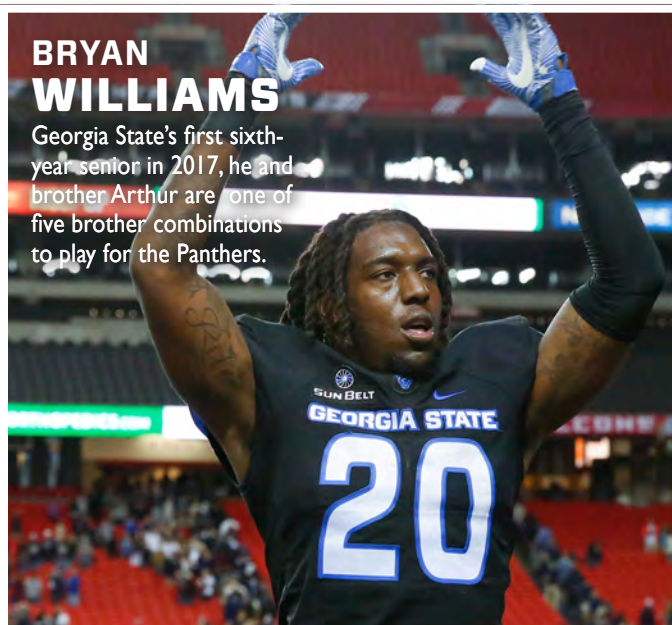


ALL-TIME LETTERWINNERS

Allen, Antreal.....	2014-15-16	Hawkins, Akil.....	2014-15-16
Allen, Marterious.....	2015-16	Haynes, Sidney.....	2010
Amazan, Cliff.....	2016	Haywood, Spencer.....	2014
Agnew, Theo.....	2012-13	Height, Nyiakki.....	2015
Andrews, Octavious.....	2015	Hill, Kelton.....	2010-11-12-13
Anthony, Nate.....	2010-11-12-13	Hill, Trent.....	2013-14-15-16
Arbuckle, Nick.....	2014-15	Hogan, Mark.....	2010-11-12
Atkinson, Hunter.....	2016	Holdenson, Oliver.....	2016
Baker, Bobby.....	2015-16	Holman, Seth-Patrick.....	2015-16
Barnett, Tra.....	2016	Hopson, Carnell.....	2013-14-15-16
Bateman, Taz.....	2015	Howard, Isaiah.....	2010
Batiste, Tarris.....	2013-14-15	Howse, Gerald.....	2014
Barnes, Fred.....	2010	Hubbard, Matt.....	2011-12-13-14
Bell, Ronnie.....	2012-13-14	Hughes, Justin.....	2010
Benvenuto, Christian.....	2011	Huey, David.....	2012-14-15
Bilukidi, Christo.....	2010-11	Ibarrondo, Cliff.....	2011
Blair Lynquez.....	2012-13-14	Ivory, Michael.....	2014-15-16
Bostic, Evan.....	2010-11	Jackson, Star.....	2010
Boyd, Todd.....	2014-15-16	Jacobs, Dartez.....	2014-15
Brooks, Joel.....	2014	Jacoby, Ben.....	2010-11
Bryant, Niemus.....	2015-16	Jean-Bart, Jonathan.....	2013
Burkhalter, Sam.....	2010	Jenkins, Kalan.....	2010-11
Caffey, Marcus.....	2014	Jeppesen, Sean.....	2012-13-14
Campbell, Cloves.....	2015-16	John, Ulrick.....	2010-11-12-13
Cannon, Derrick.....	2015	Johnson, Lucas.....	2015-16
Carter, Bo.....	2010-11-12	Jones, Brandon.....	2010-11
Chastain, Clay.....	2015	Jones, Tevin.....	2013-14-15-16
Chahoy, Brad.....	2010	Jordan, Arington.....	2012-13
Cheatham, Kam.....	2012	Kaplan, A.J.....	2013-14
Cheridor, Mackendy.....	2013-15-16	Karriem, Khiry.....	2010-11
Clay, B.J.....	2014-15-16	Kelly, John.....	2012-13
Clottery, Harrison.....	2010-11-12	Kelley, DeQueszman.....	2015
Collins, Kristian.....	2015	King, Grant.....	2010-11-12-13
Crocker, Dontavis.....	2012	King, Melvin.....	2012-13-14-15
Cunningham, Will.....	2014-15-16	Kirk, Demarcus.....	2015-16
Curney, Ed.....	2015	Kirkland, Ladeven.....	2010-11
Dallas, Kight.....	2013	Knowles, Davis.....	2011-12
Davidson, Jah-Mai.....	2014-15	Lain, Javonte.....	2016
Davis, Hubert.....	2010	Laurent, Julien.....	2015-16
Davis, Michael.....	2011-12	Lawrence, Jalen.....	2013-14-15-16
Davis, Ramell.....	2011-12-13	Lawrence, Shawanye.....	2013-14-15-16
Davis, Robert.....	2013-14-15-16	Lee, Parris.....	2010-11-12-13
Donovan, Michael.....	2010	Little, Drew.....	2010-11
Dorn, Kendrick.....	2016	Lockley, Joe.....	2012
Dowling, Robert.....	2013-14-15-16	Lupo, Brandon.....	2010
Dukes, Bruce.....	2014-15	Lutz, Wil.....	2012-13-14-15
Ehasz, Matt.....	2011-12	Lytle, Jonathan.....	2014-15
Ennis, Trey.....	2010	Mallory, Qwontez.....	2011
Ervin, Isaiah.....	2011	Manning, Conner.....	2016
Evans, Taylor.....	2014-15	Martin, Ronald.....	2012-13-14
Evans, Travis.....	2010-11-12-13	Matthews, Demarius.....	2010-11-12-13
Everett, Andrew.....	2016	May, Jamaal.....	2011-14
Fears, Jocquez.....	2010-11	McClendon, Brent.....	2010-11-12-13
Felder, Akeen.....	2010-11-12	McCray, Darren.....	2010-11-12-13
Ferguson, Robert.....	2010-11-12-13	McGee, Alonzo.....	2015-16
Folau, Kelepi.....	2015	McKay, Allen.....	2010-11-12-13
Garcia, Max.....	2010	McLane, Ben.....	2012-13-14
Gentry, Devin.....	2016	McQueen, Scotty.....	2010-11-12-13
Gilbert, Joseph.....	2010-11	Middleton, Chase.....	2015-16
Gorringe, Garrett.....	2013-14-15	Miller, David.....	2012-13
Greene, Marquan.....	2015	Minor Nathaniel.....	2011-12-14
Gunn, D'Mario.....	2011-12	Mobley, Gabe.....	2015-16
Hall, Michael.....	2010-11	Moody, Dexter.....	2011
Hampton, Gabe.....	2010-12	Moon, Cole.....	2010
Harden, Donovan.....	2014-15	Moore, Davis.....	2014-15-16
Hart, Penny.....	2015-16	Morris, Myles.....	2013

BRYAN WILLIAMS

Georgia State's first sixth-year senior in 2017, he and brother Arthur are one of five brother combinations to play for the Panthers.



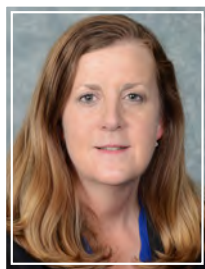
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Muasau, Louie.....	2010	Smith, Glenn.....	2014-15-16
Myers, Kam.....	2015	Smith, Malcolm.....	2010-11-12
Neal, Kyler.....	2013-15-16	Spencer, Jameel.....	2013-14-15-16
Nemec, Tyler.....	2014	Stephens, C.J.....	2011-12
Nesmith, Jacob.....	2016	Stetzer, Marcus.....	2012-14
Nesmith, Nick.....	2013	Stewart, Rashad.....	2012-13
Nobles, Jawan.....	2016	Stoehr, Alex.....	2014-15-16
Ogbuehi, Emmanuel.....	2010-11-12	Stone, Cedric.....	2016
Opanubi, Olufemi.....	2010-11	Strickland, Tanner.....	2013-14-15
Parks, Jaquez.....	2016	Sullivan, Chandon.....	2014-15-16
Patrick, Charlie.....	2016	Sweeting, Avery.....	2015
Paxton, Jamal.....	2016	Teknipp, Bill.....	2014-15-16
Paxton, Nate.....	2013-14-15	ten Lohuis, Rogier.....	2016
Payne, Trey.....	2014-15-16	Thomas, Terry.....	2016
Pearson, Drew.....	2011-12	Thompson, Kevin.....	2011
Peary, Dion.....	2010	Traylor, James.....	2014-15-16
Perez, Cristian.....	2014	Triplett, Chancellor.....	2016
Peterkin, Ronald.....	2016	Truitt, Robert.....	2011
Peterson, Joseph.....	2012-13-14-15	Vance, Iain.....	2010
Portee, A.J.....	2011	Vinson, Mitchell.....	2012
Ransby, Jamal.....	2010-11-12-13	Watson, Rosevelt.....	2010-11-12
Ricks, Malik.....	2014-16	Werts, Ari.....	2015-16
Ringer, Kaleb.....	2015-16	Wilder, Rendell.....	2011-23
Robinson, Jarrell.....	2011-12-13-14	Willer, Sebastian.....	2014-15-16
Roldan, Dom.....	2015	Wiley, Austen.....	2010
Rucker, Keith.....	2013-14-15-16	Williams, Arthur.....	2010-11
Ruiz, Joel.....	2014-15	Williams, Bryan.....	2012-14-15-16
Russell, Donald.....	2011-12	Williams, Danny.....	2010-11-12-13
Sauls, Jon Marshall.....	2010	Wilson, Albert.....	2010-11-12-13
Scaife, Emiere.....	2015	Winchester, Aaron.....	2016
Schlechter, Bo.....	2010-11	Wolgamott, Steve.....	2014-15
Scott, C.J.....	2013	Woodard, Terrance.....	2010-11-12-13
Shaw, Michael.....	2015-16	Woods, Bailey.....	2010-11
Shorter, Demetrious.....	2010	Wright, Brandon.....	2016
Simon, Nate.....	2014-15	Wyatt, Blake.....	2010-11-12
Simonsen, Tyler.....	2015-16	Wynn, Tim.....	2010-12-13-14
Singleton, Kail.....	2010-11-12-13	Yandell, Clyde.....	2010-11
Skelton, Demazio.....	2011-12	Yates, Cade.....	2012-13
Smith, Alex.....	2011-12	Young, LaDarion.....	2013
Smith, Jerome.....	2015-16	Zeigler, Daniel.....	2014-16



MEDIA INFORMATION

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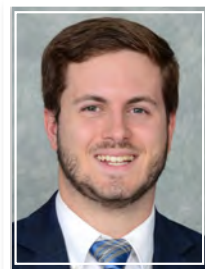
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CREDENTIALS

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GEORGIA STATE STADIUM

The press box at Georgia State Stadium will be located in the same area as the baseball press box at the former Turner Field.

More information on media parking, media will call location, access to the press box and other logistics will be available in August.

MEDIA INTERVIEWS

Requests for interviews with head coach Shawn Elliott or any GSU student-athletes or staff members should be directed to Allison George.

Elliott and GSU players are available following practice on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday mornings. Telephone interviews are available upon request. In addition, Elliott is available on the Sun Belt weekly teleconference on Mondays.

COVERING PRACTICE

Georgia State practices, which are scheduled for mornings, are closed to the media. Video and photography opportunities are available during the first 15 minutes.

The GSU Practice Complex is located at 188 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive SE, Atlanta, GA 30312.

VIDEO FOOTAGE

Game highlights and post-game interviews from selected games will be available via the Georgia State Athletics FTP site. Contact Allison George for log-in credentials.

SUN BELT WEEKLY COACHES' TELECONFERENCE

The Sun Belt Conference coaches will be available on a weekly media teleconference each Monday during the season, beginning Aug. 28. The exact schedule for the coaches will be finalized in August.

To participate, media should contact John McElwain at the Sun Belt Conference for the phone number and password:

mcelwain@sunbeltsports.org / C: 504.234.5434

GEORGIA STATE ON THE RADIO

The flagship radio station for Georgia State football is Atlanta's WIFN-AM 1340/103.7, as part of a multi-year agreement between Georgia State Athletics and Dickey Broadcasting.

Every GSU football game airs live on WIFN-AM 1340/103.7. Selected games will also air on Georgia State's WRAS FM 88.5, and additional network stations will be announced before the season.

Long-time play-by-play announcer Dave Cohen (below far left) returns for his 35th year as the Voice of the Panthers. The broadcast team also includes (from left) "Hometeam" Brandon Leak (left), former NFL player Harper LeBel and Sam Crenshaw.

New for this season is a two-hour pregame show that will originate from the Victory Plaza area of Georgia State Stadium before all home games. Air time for road games is 30 minutes



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ARIZONA CARDINALS
GEORGIA STATE, 2010-13



WIL LUTZ

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS
GEORGIA STATE, 2012-15



ALBERT WILSON

KANSAS CITY CHIEFS
GEORGIA STATE, 2010-13



ROBERT DAVIS

WASHINGTON REDSKINS
GEORGIA STATE, 2013-16





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