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2009 - USC

2010 - Butler

2011 - Kansas State

2012 - Arizona

2013 - Iowa State

2014 - George Washington

2015 - Oklahoma

2016 - San Diego State

2017 - USC

2018 - Texas Christian University

2019 - Houston

2020 - Event not held due to COVID-19

2021 - Vanderbilt

Thank you for supporting the Hawaiian Airlines Diamond Head Classic.

Enjoy the games!

A close-up photograph of two women embracing warmly outdoors. The woman on the left is seen from the back, wearing a brown patterned shirt and a lei of white and pink flowers. The woman on the right is smiling broadly, wearing a yellow and white checkered shirt and a lei of yellow flowers. The background is a soft-focus green foliage.

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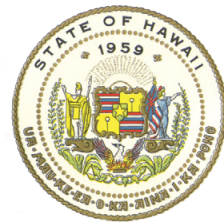
Hawai'i is a unique destination with a long tradition of hospitality, and Aloha takes many forms on our flights. You'll experience it in the genuine smiles that welcome you aboard and in the convenience of no change fees if your travel date should change.* You'll also feel Aloha in our commitment to provide greater comfort in every class, including exclusive lie-flat seats in our Premium Cabin and additional legroom in our Extra Comfort seats.

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We hope to welcome you aboard soon.



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A MESSAGE FROM
GOVERNOR JOSH GREEN

On behalf of the people of Hawai'i, I warmly welcome the organizers, sponsors, players, and attendees of the 13th Annual Hawaiian Airlines Diamond Head Classic. Hawai'i is proud to host this premiere, nationally-televised Division I College basketball tournament, and we are eager to share our aloha spirit with visiting teams and fans once again.

Eight teams are competing at the SimpliFi Arena at the Stan Sherriff Center: George Washington University, Iona College, Pepperdine University, Seattle University, Southern Methodist University, Utah State University, Washington State University, and our very own University of Hawai'i Rainbow Warriors. I encourage fans across the nation to have fun cheering on their favorite teams and invite visitors to experience Hawai'i's unique culture and beauty during our holiday season.

Mahalo nui loa to Hawaiian Airlines, ESPN, and all other local and national sponsors who have contributed to this exciting event.

Best "swishes" to the teams, and to all. Enjoy the games!

Mahalo

Josh Green, M.D.



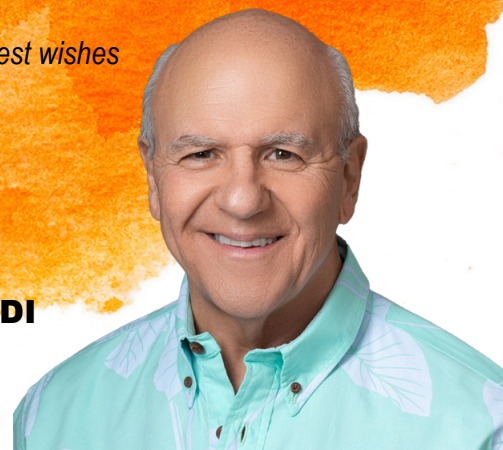
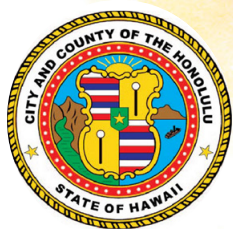
It gives me great pleasure to send my warmest aloha to everyone attending the 13th Annual Hawaiian Airlines Diamond Head Classic.

The Hawaiian Airlines Diamond Head Classic continues to attract strong Division 1 teams from major conferences. The eight-team field, which features George Washington University, University of Hawai'i at Mānoa, Iona University, Pepperdine University, Seattle University, Southern Methodist University, Utah State University and Washington State University, confirms its position as a premier pre-season tournament.

Mahalo to Hawaiian Airlines and ESPN for presenting a highly competitive tournament. Congratulations to the University of Hawai'i on hosting this three-day, 12-game competition. Fans across the nation will enjoy exciting basketball games during the holiday season, coupled with the beautiful backdrop of our islands.

On behalf of the people of the City and County of Honolulu, I extend best wishes to all teams for a successful basketball tournament.

A MESSAGE FROM
MAYOR RICK BLANGIARDI



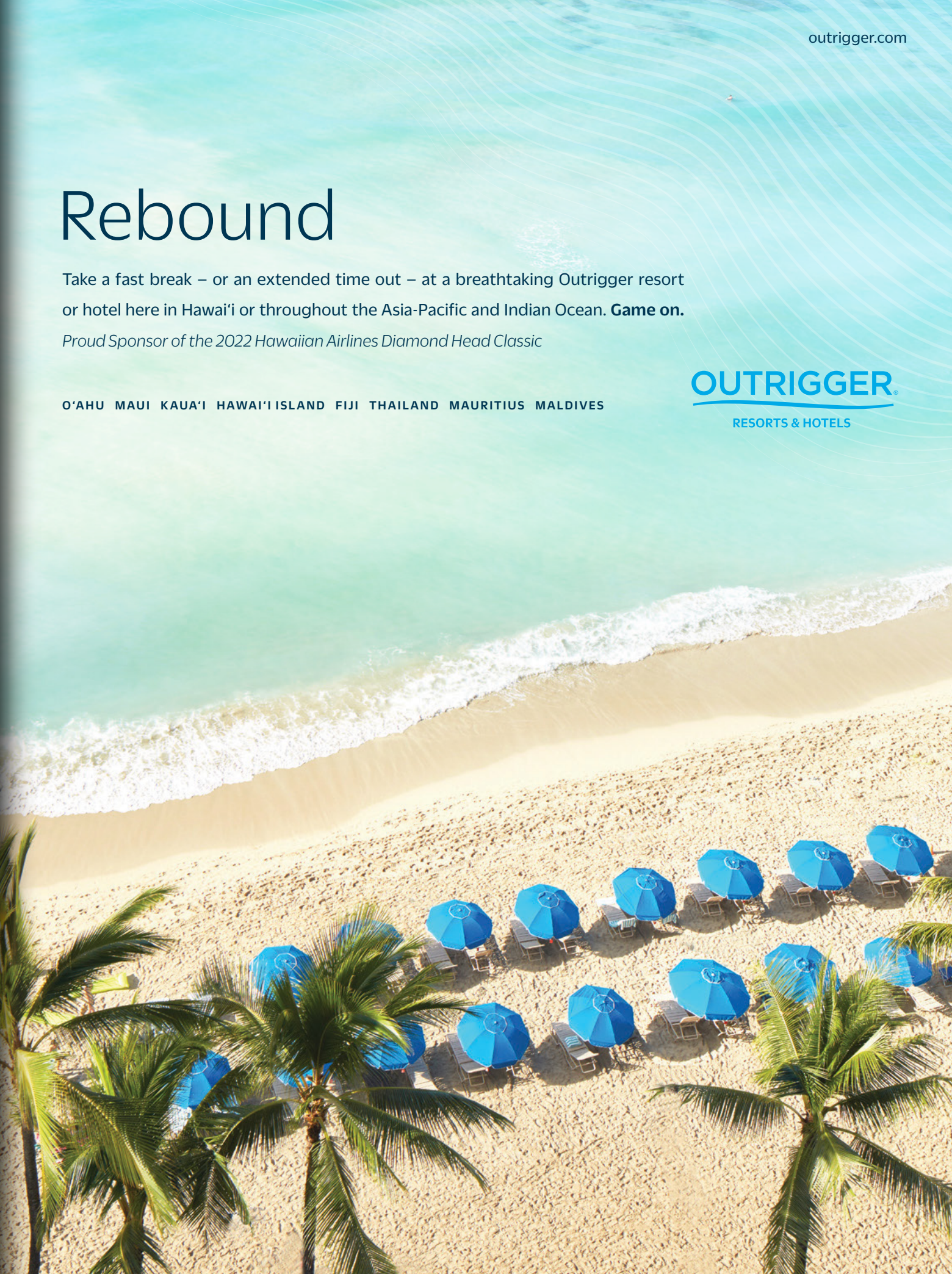
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Together, we're raising thousands of dollars for the American Cancer Society Clarence T.C. Ching Hope Lodge in Honolulu. The Hope Lodge provides a home away from home for cancer patients and their caregivers who need to travel to O'ahu for treatment.

Please join Coaches vs. Cancer in supporting Hope Lodge Hawai'i by calling **1-800-227-2345** or visiting **cancer.org**.



A SEASON FOR GIVING

By Reece Nagaoka

Basketball in Honolulu during the holidays has been a tradition for quite some time, but University of Hawai'i head coach Eran Ganot and the Hawaiian Airlines Diamond Head Classic have created another that runs parallel to the three-day tournament.

Coaches vs. Cancer holds its annual fundraiser in conjunction with the Hawaiian Airlines Diamond Head Classic. The head coaches of the eight teams in the tournament will get together for a fundraiser that benefits the Clarence T. C. Ching Hope Lodge, which provides free support to neighbor island cancer patients and their caregivers while they receive treatment in Honolulu.

"Some (coaches) have been already involved in a more advanced level with Coaches vs. Cancer," Ganot said. "Some have now become involved because of their exposure to each other to this event and to members of the American Cancer Society."

The initial fundraiser started in 2016 when Ganot held a fundraiser at Murphy's Bar and Grill with then-North Carolina coach Roy Williams as a guest. From there, Ganot determined that he needed to do more.

"How can we be more involved? How can we do the best part we can do for us here in Hawai'i?"

Enter the Diamond Head Classic, which has been hosted by the University of Hawai'i since 2009. Ganot saw an opportunity with seven different head coaches each year to increase awareness and raise more money.

"I always appreciate Pete Derzis and ESPN (Events), Daryl Garvin and his team with the Diamond Head Classic," Ganot said. "All the other coaches are all in — we've had 100% commitment from all the coaches."

Coaches vs. Cancer was inspired by Norm Stewart, the head men's basketball coach at the University of Missouri and a cancer survivor. Stewart started the program by challenging fans to pledge an amount for every 3-pointer his team made during a season.

"Raising awareness is a huge deal. The promotion of awareness, the value of screening, early detection — all those things are so important," said Lon Kruger, who is the chair of the Coaches vs. Cancer council.

"Way beyond just the dollars raised, you screen to save lives," Kruger added. "The more we get that message out as to how important that is, then the more lives are saved because early detection is one of the big keys."

Kruger, who coached with Stewart in the Big Eight Conference when he was at Kansas State, has been with the program since the very beginning and the person who got Ganot involved with Coaches vs. Cancer.

As an assistant coach with Hawai'i and Saint Mary's, Ganot was familiar with the work the program does. When he became the head coach at Hawai'i in 2015, he wanted to become more involved with it.

"All of us in one way or another — directly or indirectly — have been affected by cancer," Ganot said.

One of the teams in the Diamond Head that year was Oklahoma, who was coached by Kruger at the time. Ganot talked to someone on Oklahoma's staff and praised the Sooners coach's work with the program.

Kruger called, "literally minutes later," according to Ganot, and the UH coach is now one of 52 members on the council, a group made up of basketball coaches and officials at the high school and college level who work to raise awareness and ensure that Coaches vs. Cancer continues its fight against cancer.

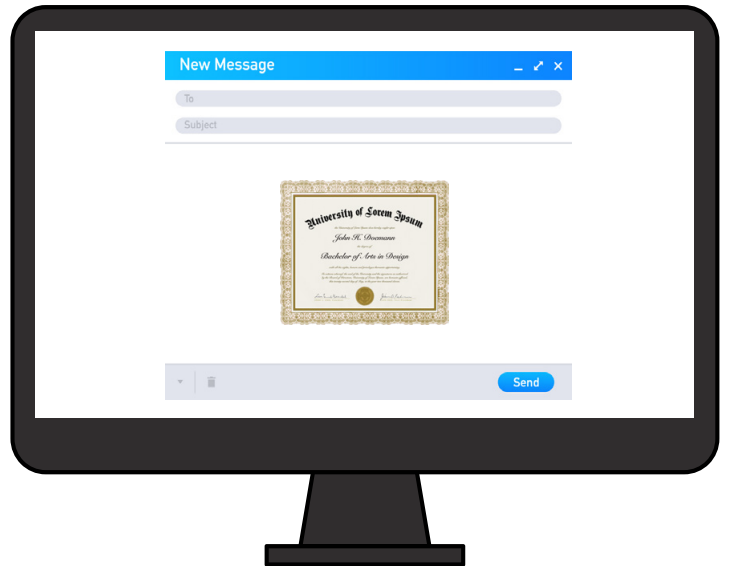
"He's been great in putting together different fundraisers and involving the teams that have come into the tournament," Kruger said about Ganot. "He's been on board from the beginning, and we very much appreciate that."

The fundraiser has progressed from the small get-together at Murphy's in 2016 to more like UH's tipoff event, according to Ganot. The fundraiser has also since gained sponsors like Outrigger Resorts & Hotels, Hawaiian Airlines, Texaco, Coca-Cola Hawai'i, and Hawai'i Pacific Health.

"I think we found a niche for how to best do our part here in Hawai'i, and it's been fun to watch it grow," Ganot said. "It's been fun to see it featured on ESPN during the Diamond Head Classic games, so I'm excited about where it's headed and how far we can take it."



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COACH RICK PITINO RETURNS TO THE ISLANDS

By Reece Nagaoka

After the 1973–74 season, University of Hawai'i head coach Bruce O'Neil needed to fill a graduate assistant position on his staff. He asked a 21-year-old New York native — fresh off a college career at UMass as a point guard — to fill that position instead of playing professionally overseas in Italy.

"I think if it was anyplace other than Hawai'i, I wouldn't have accepted it," Rick Pitino said. "But Hawai'i always fascinated me."

Pitino was hired by O'Neil as someone who could recruit on the East Coast. The 2013 Naismith Basketball Hall of Fame inductee described his time with Hawai'i as spending most of it on the road recruiting, "a wonderful two years for any young man just out of college to get an opportunity to work at the University of Hawai'i."

O'Neil told UH's student newspaper Ka Leo O Hawai'i that Pitino's work recruiting gave UH "the needed assistance as far as recruiting the top players on the East Coast."

"He'll be a fine addition to UH and our program for as long as he decides to stay in Hawai'i," O'Neil said.

Pitino, now the head coach at Iona University in New Rochelle, NY, returns to where his coaching career began when the Gaels play in this year's Hawaiian Airlines Diamond Head Classic. It will be the first time since 2004 that the 70-year-old Pitino will be back in O'ahu — he coached Louisville to an 89-79 win over BYU-Hawai'i in Lāie — and the first time since he departed UH in 1976, he'll be back on the Mānoa campus.

Much of the reason why there are several eyes on Pitino's return is how his time at Hawai'i ended and what proceeded of his career post-Hawai'i. He finished the 1975–76 season as UH's interim head coach over the final six games after O'Neil was forced out of his position.

"He was a young kid then. Very bright as I recall," then-UH president Fujio Matsuda recalled about Pitino to the Honolulu Star-Advertiser. "Kind of brash."

"He was a young coach, so he was trying to establish himself," said Spectrum Sports analyst Artie Wilson, who was an assistant alongside Pitino under O'Neil. "Probably was a little more assertive and aggressive than he needed to be but he was trying to get respect from people."

After Hawai'i, Pitino was an assistant coach for Syracuse at the beginning of Jim Boeheim's career as the Orange head coach — Boeheim is now in his 46th season at Syracuse — before becoming the head coach at Boston University.

He spent a few seasons as an assistant with the National Basketball Association's New York Knicks before leading Providence to a Final Four run in 1987, his second season with the Friars. Pitino then became the head coach of the Knicks for two seasons before taking the head coaching job at Kentucky.

"You always knew he was going to get opportunities because of his East Coast connections," Wilson said. "He parlayed that into having a pretty successful career as a coach... he's coached at the highest level and he's had some success with them."

Pitino won a national championship with Kentucky in 1996 and returned to the NBA as head coach of the Boston Celtics two seasons later. His time with the Celtics lasted four seasons before he went back to the college game as the head coach at Louisville in 2001.

At Louisville, Pitino won more than 300 games over 16 seasons and a national championship in 2013, but the title and 123 wins were vacated and he eventually departed Louisville in 2017.

At that point, Pitino wasn't sure if he would ever coach again.

"I know every coach in America would want me at their practice, but the AD or president may say wait a second," Pitino told the Associated Press in 2018. "That's fine with me. I will go where I'm wanted to help young people become better at basketball. If I can help the coaches in any small way, I'm totally fine with that. I understand an administrator who doesn't know who I am, not wanting me to be there."

Pitino went overseas and coached Greek team Panathinaikos of the EuroLeague, which he enjoyed and said was "a unique and great experience traveling to places (he had) never been before." He also coached the Greece national team before being named the head coach at Iona, now in his third season with the Gaels.

"We're building we think something special, and we'll see what happens with that," Pitino said.

Iona, a member of the Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference, is one of eight teams in this year's Hawaiian Airlines Diamond Head Classic. The Gaels enter this season as the defending MAAC regular season champions and made the NCAA tournament in Pitino's first year after winning the MAAC conference tournament.

"We have a great backcourt of Walter Clayton Jr. and Daniss Jenkins — two terrific basketball players," Pitino said. "We have a nice team and a very tough schedule."

Despite the noise surrounding his return to the islands, Pitino is locked in on what lies ahead of his team on the court.

"My focus is more on basketball than anything else," he said. "Nothing but fond memories living (in Hawai'i), but (we) won't be able to really see or do too much."

"It's a strong field," Pitino said of the tournament field, which consists of Iona, host Hawai'i, George Washington, Pepperdine, Seattle, SMU, Utah State, and Washington State. "Certainly playing SMU is a tough opener, but we've got a good team, so we're looking forward to showing the fans some good basketball from Iona University."



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CLASSIC MOMENTS

World Class Basketball Island Style

By Lance Tominaga

The Hawaiian Airlines Diamond Head Classic has become one of college basketball's premier holiday spectacles, showcasing some of the country's top teams, players and coaches – all competing in the most alluring tropical setting in the world.

The tournament's alumni roster includes NBA All-Star Klay Thompson, who has won four NBA championship rings with the Golden State Warriors. Thompson led the Washington State Cougars to the Hawaiian Airlines Diamond Head Classic championship game in 2010. The list also includes Buddy Hield, who now plays for the Indiana Pacers. The former Oklahoma Sooner at one point held the tournament record for most points (86).

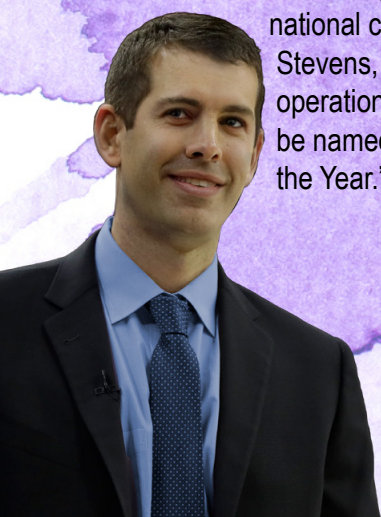
The USC Trojans used a stifling defense and a 16-2 first-half run to upend the No. 20-ranked UNLV Runnin' Rebels, 67-56, and capture the inaugural Hawaiian Airlines Diamond Head Classic championship. The Trojans' lineup also included sophomore forward Nikola Vucevic, now an All-Star performer for the NBA's Chicago Bulls.

2009



2010

The Butler Bulldogs rolled to 84-68 win over Washington State to claim the tournament title. The Bulldogs used the tournament as a springboard for a Cinderella run in the NCAA Tournament, falling to Connecticut in the national championship game. Brad Stevens, now the president of basketball operations for the Boston Celtics, would be named the "Clair Bee Coach of the Year."



2011

Kansas State outscored their three tournament opponents by a combined 50 points, to claim the 2011 title. For Hawai'i fans, however, the tournament highlight was the host team's thrilling 84-82 upset over No. 14-ranked Xavier. Rainbow Warrior forward Joston Thomas dropped in a floater with 1.5 seconds left in overtime to give Hawai'i the win.

2012



Both No. 3-ranked Arizona and No. 17 San Diego State had 11-game winning streaks heading into the tournament's championship game, but it was the Wildcats who pulled out a 68-67 victory. Tournament MVP and future NBA first-round pick Solomon Hill led Arizona with 21 points, and teammate Nick Johnson swatted away a last-second layup attempt to preserve the win.

2013



The Iowa State Cyclones entered the Hawaiian Airlines Diamond Head Classic with a spotless 8-0 record, and their run through the tournament only built on their No. 14 national ranking. Still, it took a 23-point effort by guard DeAndre Kane to seal Iowa State's championship win over Boise State, 70-66.



2014

Yuta Watanabe, a 6-10 freshman from Japan, sparked a furious second-half run to help George Washington upset No. 11-ranked Wichita State in the tournament championship. Watanabe scored 10 points, including a key three-pointer late in the game. He now plays for the NBA's Brooklyn Nets.



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GAME 1
Thu, 12/22
10am HST



GAME 5
Fri, 12/23
11:30am HST

GAME 6
Fri, 12/23
2pm HST



GAME 2
Thu, 12/22
Noon HST



GAME 10
Sun, 12/25
8:30am or 10:30am HST

CHAMPIONSHIP
Sun, 12/25
3:30pm HST



GAME 3
Thu, 12/22
4pm HST



GAME 7
Fri, 12/23
5pm or 7pm HST*

GAME 8
Fri, 12/23
5pm or 7pm HST



GAME 4
Thu, 12/22
6pm HST



GAME 9
Sun, 12/25
8:30am or 10:30am HST*

GAME 11
Sun, 12/25
1:30pm HST

*Hawai'i will play in the 7pm game on 12/23. If in the consolation bracket, Hawai'i will not play in the 8:30am game on 12/25.



Brendan Adams



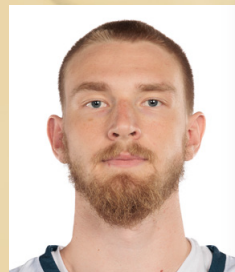
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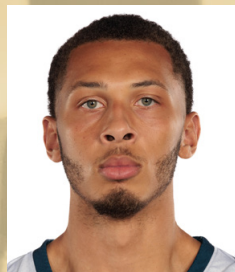
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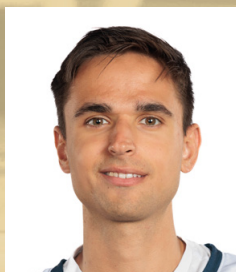
Ricky Lindo Jr.



Daniel Nixon



Qwanzi Samuels



Theofanis Stamoulis



Laziz Talipov



Jabari West Jr.

GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

Nickname: Colonials
Colors: Buff and Blue

NCAA
Tournament
Appearances

11

NIT
Tournament
Appearances

6



2021-2022 Record

12-18

2022-2023 Roster

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	YR.	HOMETOWN / PREVIOUS SCHOOL
0	Laziz Talipov	G	6-1	160	So.	Orlando, FL / Trinity Prep
1	E.J. Clark	G	5-11	165	Gr.	Dallas, TX / McKinney / Alabama State
2	Maximus Edwards	G	6-5	215	R-Fr.	Stratford, CT / Our Savior Lutheran / Kansas State
3	Amir Harris	G	6-5	210	Gr.	Frederick, MD / St. James / Nebraska
4	Ricky Lindo Jr.	F	6-8	220	Sr.	Washington, DC / Woodrow Wilson / Maryland
5	Jabari West Jr.	F	6-8	230	Fr.	Hot Springs, AR / Hot Springs
10	Brendan Adams	G	6-4	205	Gr.	Baltimore, MD / Calvert High College / Connecticut
11	James Bishop IV	G	6-2	185	Sr.	Baltimore, MD / Mount Saint Joseph / LSU
13	Hunter Dean	F	6-10	235	Sr.	Mandeville, LA / Lakeshore / Southern Miss
14	Keegan Harvey	F	6-11	220	R-So.	Newcastle, Australia / Montverde Academy / Coll. of Charleston
20	Qwanzi Samuels	F	6-9	205	Sr.	District Heights, MD / St. John's / Florida Gulf Coast
21	Noel Brown	C	6-11	260	Jr.	Leesburg, VA / Flint Hill
23	Daniel Nixon	F	6-7	225	So.	White Plains, NY / Winston-Salem Christian
34	Theofanis Stamoulis	G	6-3	175	Gr.	Athens, Greece / Long Island Lutheran / Adelphi

PLAYER TO WATCH JAMES BISHOP IV

Bishop started his career at LSU and transferred to GW following his freshman season. Last year, he was a Third Team All-Conference performer and this season he was a Second Team Preseason All-A-10 selection. Bishop entered the year averaging 17.6 points per game in his two years at GW, the eighth-best mark in program history and highest since all-time leading scorer Chris Monroe averaged 18.1 ppg in 2003. He finished second in the A-10 in scoring in each of his first two seasons, averaging 19.1 ppg in 2020-21 and 16.7 ppg in 2021-22. With 502 points last year, Bishop became the first Colonial to score 500 points in a season since Yuta Watanabe, now with the Brooklyn Nets, totaled 538 in 2017-18.



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Chris Caputo, 1st Season

ASSISTANT COACH
Brenden Straughn

ASSISTANT COACH
Dwayne Lee

ASSISTANT COACH
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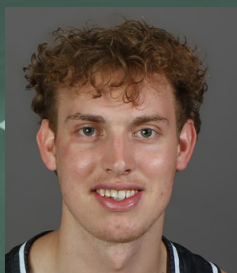
JoVon McClanahan



Juan Munoz



Zoar Nedd



Ryan Rapp



Beon Riley



Harry Rouhliadeff



Mor Seck



Matija Svetozarevic



Kody Williams



PLAYER TO WATCH NOEL COLEMAN

Coleman was a preseason all-Big West selection and was named to the all-conference second team in 2021-22 after averaging 14.8 points per game and ranking among the league's leaders in three-point shooting. He earned the team's Art Woolway Most Outstanding Player Award as well as the Most Improved Award after leading the team in a half dozen categories, including scoring. Coleman was responsible for six out of Hawai'i's top seven scoring games on the season and scored a career-high 31 points on 12-of-19 shooting with six three-pointers versus Vanderbilt during the 2021 Hawaiian Airlines Diamond Head Classic. The game was among three during the season in which he drained at least six three-pointers. A native of Belgium, he transferred to Hawai'i after spending his freshman season at the University of San Diego.

UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII

Nickname: Rainbow Warriors

Colors: Green and Black

NCAA
Tournament
Appearances

5

NIT
Tournament
Appearances

8



2021-2022 Record

17-11

2022-2023 Roster

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	YR.	HOMETOWN / PREVIOUS SCHOOL
0	Kody Williams	G	6-0	190	Fr.	Minnetonka, MN/South Kent HS
1	Amoro Lado	G	6-2	175	Jr.	Nampa, ID/College of Southern Idaho
2	Justus Jackson	G	6-1	170	So.	Surprise, AZ/DME Academy (FL)
3	JoVon McClanahan	G	5-10	170	Jr.	Vallejo, CA/Sheridan (WY) College
4	Noel Coleman	G	6-2	190	Jr.	Leopoldsborg, Belgium/San Diego
5	Bernardo da Silva	F	6-9	215	Jr.	Rio das Ostras, Brazil/Wasatch Academy
10	Beon Riley	G	6-6	225	So.	Chula Vista, CA/Cathedral Catholic HS
13	Matija Svetozarevic	F	6-8	230	So.	Nis, Serbia/Portland
14	Harry Rouhliadoff	F	6-9	220	Fr.	Brisbane, Australia/Villanova College
20	Zoar Nedd	F	6-6	225	Jr.	Kapolei, O'ahu/Kapolei HS
22	Ryan Rapp	G	6-5	195	Jr.	Melbourne, Australia/Washington State
23	Mor Seck	C	7-1	230	Fr.	Ngayene Daour, Senegal/Prolific Prep
32	Samuta Avea	G/F	6-6	200	Sr.	Hau'ula, O'ahu/Kahuku HS
44	Kamaka Hepa	F	6-10	215	Sr.	Utqiagvik, AK/Texas
55	Juan Munoz	G	6-0	170	Gr.	Morrisville, NC /Longwood



COACHING STAFF

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Eran Ganot, 8th Season

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Michael Jefferson



Daniss Jenkins



Nelly Junior Joseph



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Quinn Slazinski



Silas Sunday



Parker Weiss



IONA

Nickname: Gaels

Colors: Maroon and Gold

NCAA
Tournament
Appearances

15

NIT
Tournament
Appearances

6



2021-2022 Record

25-8



COACHING STAFF

HEAD COACH

Rick Pitino, 3rd Season

ASSISTANT COACH

Ricky Johns

ASSISTANT COACH

Taliek Brown

ASSISTANT COACH

Bob Walsh

DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS

Matthew Glovaski

PLAYER TO WATCH

NELLY JUNIOR JOSEPH

Junior Nelly Junior Joseph is a returning All-MAAC First Team Selection and a preseason favorite for MAAC Player of the Year in 2022-23. The Nigeria native averaged 13.0 points, 8.2 rebounds, and 1.5 assists per game in 2021-22 with a league-leading 11 double-doubles. He set a career-high with 28 points in a win over Harvard at home last November. As a freshman in 2020-21, Junior Joseph was named MAAC Rookie of the Year. Prior to Iona he played scholastically at the NBA Academy Africa, located in Senegal. He is a management major enrolled in Iona University's LaPenta School of Business.



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3	Cruz Davis	G	6-3	175	Fr.	Plano, TX / iSchool of Lewisville / Huntington Prep (WV)
4	Parker Weiss	G	6-2	178	Sr.	Naples, FL / Community School of Naples
5	Daniss Jenkins	G	6-4	175	Jr.	Dallas, TX / Odessa Coll. / Pacific / Dallas Hillcrest
11	Quinn Slazinski	F	6-9	225	Sr.	Houston, TX / Louisville
12	Anton Brookshire	G	6-2	175	So.	Springfield, MO / Kickapoo / Missouri
13	Nelly Junior Joseph	F	6-10	245	Jr.	Benin City, Nigeria / NBA Academy Africa (Senegal)
23	Michael Jefferson	F	6-7	210	So.	Sulphur Springs, TX / Sulphur Springs / NW Florida St.
24	Keither Florence	F	6-7	210	Fr.	Wichita, KS / Pro Holmes Sports Acad. / Colorado Prep
33	Silas Sunday	F	7-0	270	Fr.	Lucan, Ireland / Our Saviour Lutheran (NY)
44	James Carey	G	5-10	165	Sr.	Pelham, NY / Gettysburg College (PA)
55	Osborn Shema	F	7-0	215	Sr.	Kanombe, Rwanda / New Mexico Military Inst.





Carson Basham



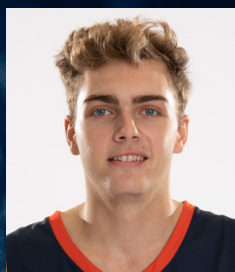
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Maxwell Lewis



David Mager



Houston Mallette



Mike Mitchell Jr.



Malik Moore



Jalen Pitre



Jevon Porter



Cord Stansberry



Jay Yoon



Jan Zidek



PEPPERDINE

Nickname: Waves

Colors: Blue and Orange

NCAA
Tournament
Appearances

13

NIT
Tournament
Appearances

6



2021-2022 Record

7-25



COACHING STAFF

HEAD COACH

Lorenzo Romar, 5th Season

ASSOCIATE HEAD COACH

Ken Bone

ASSISTANT COACH

Curtis Allen

ASSISTANT COACH

Gerald Brown

DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS

John Impelman

2022-2023 Roster

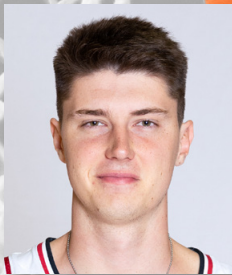
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0	Houston Mallette	G	6-5	185	So.	Alameda, CA/Pacifica Christian HS
1	Mike Mitchell Jr.	G	6-2	185	So.	San Jose, CA/Archbishop Mitty HS
2	Jalen Pitre	F	6-8	220	Fr.	Long Beach, CA/Long Beach Poly HS/Woodstock Academy)
3	Malik Moore	G	6-5	185	Fr.	Ventura, CA/Heritage Christian School
5	Jay Yoon	G	6-4	195	Gr.	Arcadia, CA/Arcadia HS
10	Paul Jordan	F	6-6	200	Fr.	Sea Cliff, NY/Long Island Lutheran HS
11	Carson Basham	C	6-10	240	So.	Phoenix, AZ/AZ Compass Prep
12	Boubacar Coulibaly	F	6-10	215	So.	Bamako, Mali/San Gabriel Academy/USC
13	Cord Stansberry	G	6-3	175	Fr.	Bermuda Dunes, CA/Shadow Hills HS
14	Jevon Porter	F	6-11	220	Fr.	Columbia, MO/Father Tolton Catholic HS
22	Majok Deng	G	6-4	190	Jr.	Tucson, AZ/Salpointe Catholic HS
24	Maxwell Lewis	F	6-7	195	So.	Las Vegas, NV/AZ Compass Prep
31	Jan Zidek	F	6-9	240	Sr.	Prague, Czech Republic/Gymnazium Oty Pavla
33	David Mager	G	6-3	175	Fr.	Englewood, NJ/Dwight-Englewood School
35	Aladji Gassama	F/C	6-9	210	Fr.	Bamako, Mali/De Smet Jesuit HS



PLAYER TO WATCH HOUSTON MALLETTE

Mallette, a sophomore guard, earned preseason All-West Coast Conference honors this year after receiving WCC All-Freshman team status last year. He was the team's top scorer at 13.6 points per game last season (ranking 12th in the WCC), and averaged 15.9 points in league play (ranking eighth overall and best among the league's freshmen). He set a Pepperdine freshman record with 71 three-pointers made, and ended the season on a streak of 26 consecutive games making a three-pointer. Mallette had a 31-point game against BYU, the fourth-best output ever by a Pepperdine freshman. He scored in double-figures 19 times, with eight 20-point games, and scored 20 or more points in five of the last six games of the season. He earned a pair of WCC Freshman of the Week awards.

His father, Wesley Mallette, is UC Riverside's Athletic Director.



Clancy Bird



Brandon Chatfield



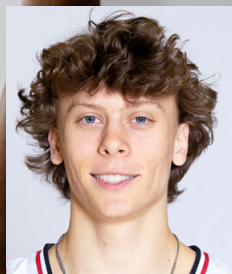
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Grante-Halliday**



Riley Grigsby



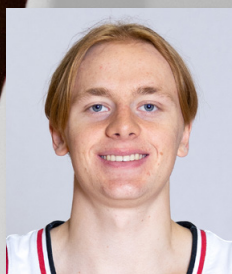
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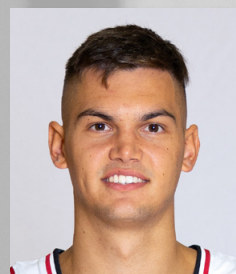
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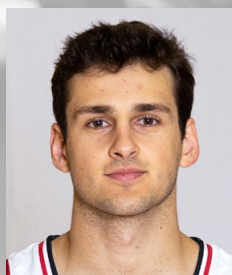
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Vasja Pandža



Dominiq Penn



Viktor Rajković



Seyi Reiley



Alex Schumacher



Cameron Tyson



Emeka Udenyi



Kobe Williamson



SEATTLE UNIVERSITY

Nickname: Redhawks

Colors: Red and White

NCAA
Tournament
Appearances

11

NIT
Tournament
Appearances

2



2021-2022 Record

23-9



COACHING STAFF

HEAD COACH

Chris Victor, 2nd Season

ASSOCIATE HEAD COACH

Alex Pribble

ASSISTANT COACH

Justin Bradley

ASSISTANT COACH

D'Marques Tyson

DIRECTOR OF

OPERATIONS

Matt Jones

2022-2023 Roster

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	YR.	HOMETOWN / PREVIOUS SCHOOL
0	Alex Schumacher	G	6-3	185	Jr.	Vancouver, WA/Skyview HS/Saint Martin's
1	Vasja Pandža	G	6-8	210	So.	Leeds, England/The Hotchkiss School (CT)
2	Paris Dawson	G	6-2	170	So.	Carson, CA/Centennial HS/Portland State
5	Cameron Tyson	G	6-3	190	R-Jr.	Bothell, WA/Bothell HS/Idaho/Houston
10	Anjaylo Lloyd	G	6-2	174	Jr.	Seattle, WA/Kentwood HS/Shorewood CC/Western Washington
11	Riley Grigsby	G/F	6-6	220	Sr.	San Jose, CA/Archbishop Mitty HS
12	Brody Nunn	G	6-1	175	R-Fr.	Melbourne, Australia/Haileybury College
13	Dominic Penn	G	6-2	170	R-So.	Columbus, OH/Hamilton Heights Christian Academy/Washington
14	Louis Grante-Halliday	F	6-7	215	Fr.	London, England/Eastside Catholic HS (WA)
15	Emeka Udenyi	F	6-6	225	Sr.	Oakland, CA/De La Salle HS/City College of San Francisco
21	Viktor Rajković	F	6-6	220	So.	Mill Valley, CA/The Branson School/Golden State Prep
23	Seyi Reiley	F	6-6	205	Jr.	Negril, Jamaica/De La Salle N. Catholic HS/City College of SF
25	Brandton Chatfield	F	6-10	240	R-So.	Orofino, ID/Clarkston HS/Washington State
33	Kobe Williamson	F	6-8	225	So.	Melbourne, Australia/Haileybury College
35	Matthew Levis	G	6-1	175	So.	Portland, Ore./Jesuit HS
41	Jaren Nafarrete	G	5-7	140	R-So.	San Diego, Calif./Foothills Christian HS
45	Clancy Bird	F	6-9	200	R-Fr.	Sydney, Australia/St. Augustine's College

PLAYER TO WATCH CAMERON TYSON

Tyson was named 2022-23 Preseason First Team All-WAC following a standout first year with the Redhawks. In 2021-22, he was named First Team All-WAC, WAC All-Newcomer Team and TicketSmarter WAC Men's Basketball Player of the Week (Jan. 17-23). He started 31 games, averaging 14.7 points and 5.2 rebounds in 29.1 minutes. Tyson earned his season and career-high 30 points at UTRGV (Feb. 16) and shot 10-for-20 from the field, including tying the school record of nine three pointers. He led team in free-throw percentage (85%) and led the WAC in three pointers made (105) and attempted (279). He was tenth in the nation in three-point field goals per game (3.2) and scored 25 points in back-to-back games, scored double digit points 23 times, tied for third all-time at SU for single-season three-point field goals (105), and scored his 1,000th point against Abilene Christian in the WAC Tournament (Mar. 12), becoming the sixth Seattle U player to reach the mark in the modern Division I era.



Franklin Agunanne



Keon
Ambrose-Hylton



Xavier Foster



Jefferson Koulibaly



Emory Lanier



Darius McBride



Mo Njie



Zach Nutall



Efe Odigie



Zhuric Phelps



Jalen Smith



Stefan Todorovic



Trey Utter



Samuell Williamson



Ricardo Wright



Jackson Young



SMU

Nickname: Mustangs

Colors: Red and Blue

NCAA
Tournament
Appearances

12

NIT
Tournament
Appearances

5



2021-2022 Record

24-9



2022-2023 Roster



COACHING STAFF

HEAD COACH

Rob Lanier, 1st Season

ASSISTANT COACH

Chris Kreider

ASSISTANT COACH

Cliff Warren

ASSISTANT COACH

Josten Crow

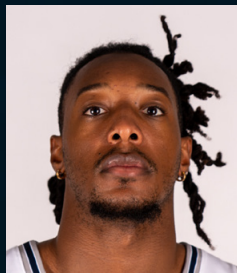
**DIRECTOR OF
OPERATIONS**

Kyle Condon

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	YR.	HOMETOWN / PREVIOUS SCHOOL
0	Jefferson Koulibaly	G	6-3	185	So.	LaSalle Montreal, Quebec/Washington State/Lincoln Prep
1	Zhuric Phelps	G	6-3	175	So.	Midland, TX/Duncanville HS
2	Jalen Smith	G	6-4	175	So.	Orlando, FL/Oak Ridge HS
3	Stefan Todorovic	F	6-8	190	So.	Belgrade, Serbia/Prolific Prep (CA)
5	Ricardo Wright	G	6-4	185	Jr.	Eustis, FL/Marist/The Villages Charter
10	Zach Nutall	G	6-3	185	Sr.	Bryan, TX/Sam Houston State/Bryan HS
11	Samuell Williamson	F	6-7	210	Sr.	Rockwall, TX/Louisville/Rockwall HS
13	Mo Njie	C	6-10	245	So.	Centerville, OH/Eastern Michigan/DME Sports Academy
15	Darius McBride	G	6-4	190	Jr.	Cedar Park, TX/Austin Westlake HS
20	Xavier Foster	F	7-0	230	So.	Oskaloosa, IA/Iowa State/Oskaloosa HS
22	Keon Ambrose-Hylton	F	6-8	215	Jr.	Toronto, Ontario/Alabama Andrews Osborne Academy
23	Efe Odigie	F	6-9	240	Sr.	Houston, TX/Troy/UTEP/Pro-Vision Academy
24	Emory Lanier	G	6-3	180	Jr.	Atlanta, GA/Davidson/Woodward Academy
31	Trey Utter	G	6-0	160	Fr.	Argyle, TX/Argyle HS
33	Franklin Agunanne	F	6-9	245	Sr.	Abuja, Nigeria/Loyola Chicago/La Lumiere (IN)
35	Jackson Young	G	6-2	190	So.	Kerrville, TX/Hawai'i Pacific/Texas A&M/Tivy HS

PLAYER TO WATCH ZACH NUTALL

In the 2021-22 season, Nutall started 29 of 33 games with impressive per game stats, 6.8 points, 3.7 rebounds, and 1.5 assists. He was named 2020-21 Southland Conference Player of the Year and was tapped for the NABC All-District First Team. Additionally, in 2019-20 he was an All-Southland Conference First-Team member.



Dan Akin



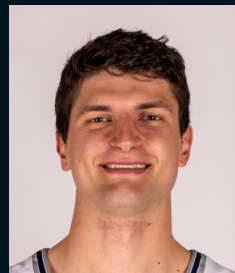
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Trevin Dorius



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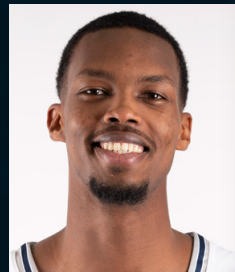
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Taylor Funk



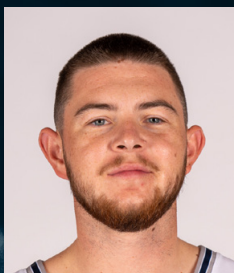
Conner Gillis



Zee Hamoda



Isaac Johnson



Rylan Jones



Connor Odom



Max Shulga



Szymon Zapala



UTAH STATE

Nickname: Aggies

Colors: Navy Blue, White and Pewter Gray



NCAA
Tournament
Appearances

23

NIT
Tournament
Appearances

10

2021-2022 Record

18-16

2022-2023 Roster

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	YR.	HOMETOWN / PREVIOUS SCHOOL
0	Landon Branchley	G	6-4	215	R-Fr.	Providence, UT/Ridgeline HS
2	Sean Bairstow	G	6-8	190	Sr.	Brisbane, Australia/Churchie
3	Steven Ashworth	G	6-1	170	Jr.	Alpine, UT/Lone Peak HS
5	RJ Eytle-Rock	G	6-4	225	Sr.	London, England/UMBC
11	Max Shulga	G	6-4	197	Jr.	Kiev, Ukraine/Basketball School of Excellence
12	Szymon Zapala	C	6-11	240	Jr.	Zaborze, Poland/SMS PZkosz Wladyslawowo
13	Conner Gillis	G	6-2	150	Jr.	Charlotte, NC/Gaston Christian High School
14	Connor Odom	G	5-11	165	Jr.	Annapolis, MD/Archbishop Spalding High School
15	Rylan Jones	G	6-0	178	Sr.	Holladay, UT/Utah
20	Isaac Johnson	C	7-0	235	So.	American Fork, UT/Oregon
21	Mason Falslev	G	6-3	190	Fr.	Benson, UT/Sky View HS
23	Taylor Funk	F	6-9	220	Gr.	Lancaster, PA/Saint Joseph's
24	Zee Hamoda	F	6-7	170	So.	Riffa, Bahrain/Bridgton Academy
30	Dan Akin	F	6-9	225	Gr.	London, England/UMBC/Cal Baptist
32	Trevin Dorius	C	7-1	240	Sr.	Heber City, UT/Wasatch HS



COACHING STAFF



HEAD COACH

Ryan Odom, 2nd Season

ASSISTANT COACH

Nate Dixon

ASSISTANT COACH

Matt Henry

ASSISTANT COACH

Bryce Crawford

DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS

Kelsey Knoche

PLAYER TO WATCH STEVEN ASHWORTH

Junior guard Steven Ashworth has been dominant for the Aggies off the bench this season. Ashworth, who came off the bench in six of USU's first eight games, had three 20-plus outings off the bench. As a reserve, Ashworth scored 28 points against Bradley (Nov. 11), a career-high 30 points against Oral Roberts (11/22) and 27 points against Utah Tech (Dec. 1). The junior has scored in double figures in all but one game this year to help USU have one of the highest-scoring benches in the nation. Ashworth also holds a 4.22 assist-to-turnover ratio after dishing out 38 assists through the first eight games of the year. He has had multiple assists in every game, including a career-best nine at San Diego (Nov. 17).



TJ Bamba



Dylan Darling



Adrame Diongue



Mouhamed Gueye



Mael Hamon-Crespin



Kymany Houinsou



Dishon Jackson



Andrej Jakimovski



Braden Korpela



Shae Korpela



Jabe Mullins



Ben Olesen



Justin Powell



Myles Rice



DJ Rodman



AJ Rohosy



Carlos Rosario

Jack Wilson - Photo Unavailable

WASHINGTON STATE

Nickname: Cougars

Colors: Crimson and Gray



COACHING STAFF

HEAD COACH

Kyle Smith, 4th Season

ASSISTANT COACH

Wayne Hunter

ASSOCIATE HEAD COACH

Jim Shaw

COORDINATOR OF OPERATIONS

Anthony Lorenzo

ASSISTANT COACH

John Andrzejek

NCAA
Tournament
Appearances

6

NIT
Tournament
Appearances

6



2021-2022 Record

22-15

PLAYER TO WATCH MOUHAMED GUEYE

Sophomore power forward Mouhamed Gueye returns for his sophomore season after being named to the Pac-12 All-Freshman Team, while leading the Cougars to a 22-15 record in 2021-22. Gueye earned five Pac-12 Freshman of the Week honors last season while averaging 8.8 points and 5.5 rebounds per game in conference play. The Dakar, Senegal native led the Cougs to Madison Square Garden and the NIT Semifinals for the first time since fellow Cougar Klay Thompson took the team to MSG in the 2010-11 season. A likely NBA Draft pick, Gueye will headline the WSU frontcourt after tallying 33 blocks last season, nearly a block per game and 4th all-time by a Cougar freshman.

2022-2023 Roster

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	YR.	HOMETOWN / PREVIOUS SCHOOL
0	Ben Olesen	G	6-0	160	Sr.	Mill Creek, WA/Jackson HS
2	Myles Rice	G	6-2	175	R-Fr.	Columbia SC/Sandy Creek HS
3	Jabe Mullins	G	6-6	192	Jr.	Snoqualmie, WA/Saint Mary's
4	Shae Korpela	G	6-5	180	Fr.	Aspen, CO/Aspen HS
5	TJ Bamba	G	6-5	215	Jr.	Bronx, NY/Abraham Lincoln HS
10	Dishon Jackson	C	6-10	250	Jr.	Oakland, CA/St. Patrick-St. Vincent
11	DJ Rodman	F	6-6	215	Sr.	Newport Beach, CA/JSerra Catholic
12	Mael Hamon-Crespin	F	6-9	235	Fr.	Paris, France/PFYM INSEP
13	Carlos Rosario	F	6-7	180	Jr.	Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic/Veritas Prep
14	Braden Korpela	G	6-5	170	Fr.	Aspen, CO/Aspen HS
15	Adrame Diongue	C	7-0	190	Fr.	Dakar, Senegal/AZ Compass Prep
20	AJ Rohosy	F	6-8	205	Fr.	San Anselmo, CA/Marin Catholic HS
21	Jack Wilson	C	6-11	325	Sr.	Montara, CA/Idaho
22	Dylan Darling	G	6-2	175	Fr.	Spokane, WA/Central Valley HS
23	Andrej Jakimovski	F	6-8	215	Jr.	Kriva Palanka, North Macedonia/Reale Mutua Torino
24	Justin Powell	G	6-6	197	Jr.	Prospect, KY/Tennessee
31	Kyman Houinsou	G	6-6	195	Fr.	Mulhouse, France/Saint-Quentin BB
35	Mouhamed Gueye	F	6-11	210	So.	Dakar, Senegal/Prolific Prep



CLASSIC MOMENTS

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2015



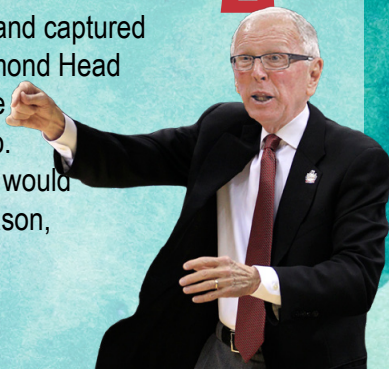
Future NBA Lottery pick Buddy Hield scored 34 points to lead the No.3-ranked Oklahoma Sooners to a convincing 83-71 victory over Harvard in the title game. The Sooners would go on to reach the NCAA Tournament's Final Four, and Hield won several national Player of the Year honors, including the coveted John Wooden Award and Naismith Award.



2016



The San Diego State Aztecs, who arrived in Honolulu with a three-game losing streak, drained a tournament-record 29 three-point shots and captured the Hawaiian Airlines Diamond Head Classic title with a decisive victory over San Francisco. Head Coach Steve Fisher would retire at the end of the season, capping a 27-year head coaching career.



2017



Forward Benny Boatwright poured in a career-high 33 points to lead USC to a 77-72 victory over New Mexico State in the championship game, giving the Trojans their second Hawaiian Airlines Diamond Head Classic tournament title. It was a redeeming performance for Boatwright, who scored only 2 points and was ejected in his team's opening contest against Akron.



2018



Behind senior guard Alex Robinson, the Texas Christian



University Horned Frogs rolled to an 83-69 victory over Indiana State to claim the tournament championship.

Robinson recorded 15 points, 8 rebounds and 4 assists in the game. He set a new tournament record with 26 assists in the three-day event. TCU is coached by former Hawai'i assistant Jamie Dixon.

2019



Trailing by as many as 14 points in the first half, the Houston Cougars rallied to a 75-71 victory over No. 21 Washington to claim their first

Hawaiian Airlines Diamond Head Classic title. Fabian White Jr. and Caleb Mills led the Cougars with 19 points apiece, with White taking "Most Outstanding Player" honors.

Center/forward Isaiah Stewart, now with the Detroit Pistons, paced the Huskies with 25 points and eight rebounds.



2021



The Vanderbilt Commodores were awarded the the Hawaiian Airlines Diamond Head Classic tournament title after the Stanford Cardinals pulled out of the championship game due to COVID-19 concerns. Vanderbilt defeated Hawai'i and BYU to advance to the tournament final, with Scotty Pippen Jr. scoring a combined 44 points in the two contests. Pippen Jr. is now with the Los Angeles Lakers' organization.

ESPN EVENTS

32

Owned and Operated Events

375+

Programming Hours Each Year

4000+

Student-Athletes Served Each Year

2022-23 FOOTBALL EVENTS



CRICKET MEAC/SWAC CHALLENGE

AUGUST 27, 2022 - ESPN
Howard vs. Alabama State
Center Parc Stadium | Atlanta, Georgia
www.meacswacchallenge.com



FCS KICKOFF

AUGUST 27, 2022 - ESPN
Jacksonville State vs. Stephen F. Austin
Cramton Bowl | Montgomery, Alabama
www.fcskickoff.com



BOEING RED TAILS CLASSIC

SEPTEMBER 4, 2022 - ESPN
Tuskegee University vs. Fort Valley State University
Cramton Bowl | Montgomery, Alabama
www.redtailsclassic.com



DULUTH TRADING CURE BOWL

DECEMBER 16, 2022 - ESPN
AAC, Sun Belt, C-USA or MAC
Camping World Stadium | Orlando, Florida
www.curebowl.com



HOMETOWN LENDERS BAHAMAS BOWL

DECEMBER 16, 2022 - ESPN
MAC vs. C-USA
Thomas A. Robinson National Stadium | Nassau, Bahamas
www.bahamasbowl.com



CRICKET CELEBRATION BOWL

DECEMBER 17, 2022 - ABC
MEAC Champion vs. SWAC Champion
Mercedes-Benz Stadium | Atlanta, Georgia
www.thecelebrationbowl.com



FRISCO BOWL

DECEMBER 17, 2022 - ESPN
AAC, C-USA, MAC, MWC, Sun Belt or BYU
Toyota Stadium | Frisco, Texas
www.thefriscobowl.com



NEW MEXICO BOWL

DECEMBER 17, 2022 - ABC
MWC vs. Pool Selection AAC, C-USA, MAC, Sun Belt, BYU
University Stadium | Albuquerque, New Mexico
www.newmexicobowl.com



SRS DISTRIBUTION LAS VEGAS BOWL

DECEMBER 17, 2022 - ESPN
SEC vs. PAC-12
Allegiant Stadium | Las Vegas, Nevada
www.lvfbowl.com



WASABI FENWAY BOWL

DECEMBER 17, 2022 - ESPN
ACC vs. AAC
Fenway Park | Boston, Massachusetts
www.fenwaybowl.com



MYRTLE BEACH BOWL

DECEMBER 19, 2022 - ESPN
AAC, C-USA, MAC, MWC, Sun Belt, BYU
Brooks Stadium | Conway, South Carolina
www.myrtlebeachbowlgame.com



FAMOUS IDAHO POTATO BOWL

DECEMBER 20, 2022 - ESPN
Mountain West vs. MAC
Albertsons Stadium | Boise, Idaho
www.famousidahopotatobowl.com



ROOFCLAIM.COM BOCA RATON BOWL

DECEMBER 20, 2022 - ESPN
AAC, C-USA, MAC, MWC, Sun Belt, BYU
FAU Stadium | Boca Raton, Florida
www.roofclaimbocaratonbowl.com



LOCKHEED MARTIN ARMED FORCES BOWL

DECEMBER 22, 2022 - ESPN
Big 12, ACC, Pac-12, AAC, C-USA, MWC, BYU
Amon G. Carter Stadium | Ft. Worth, Texas
www.armedforcesbowl.com



UNION HOME MORTGAGE GASPARILLA BOWL

DECEMBER 23, 2022 - ESPN
ACC, AAC, Big-12, Pac-12, SEC, C-USA, MAC, MWC, BYU, or Army
Raymond James Stadium | Tampa, Florida
www.gasparillabowl.com



EASYPPOST HAWAII BOWL

DECEMBER 24, 2022 - ESPN
C-USA vs. MW
Clarence T.C. Ching Athletics Complex | Honolulu, Hawaii
www.thehawaiibowl.com



CAMELLIA BOWL

DECEMBER 27, 2022 - ESPN
AAC, C-USA, MAC, MWC, Sun Belt, BYU
Cramton Bowl | Montgomery, Alabama
www.camelliabowl.com



TICKET SMARTER BIRMINGHAM BOWL

DECEMBER 27, 2022 - ESPN
SEC vs. AAC
Protective Stadium | Birmingham, Alabama
www.TicketSmarterBirminghamBowl.com



SERVPRO FIRST RESPONDER BOWL

DECEMBER 28, 2022 - ESPN
ACC, Big12, AAC, C-USA, BYU or Pac12
Gerald J. Ford Stadium | Dallas, Texas
www.firstresponderbowl.com



TAXACT TEXAS BOWL

DECEMBER 28TH, 2022 - ESPN
Big 12 vs. SEC
NRG Stadium | Houston, Texas
www.texasbowl.com

2022 BASKETBALL EVENTS



STATE FARM CHAMPIONS CLASSIC

NOVEMBER 25, 2022
Gainbridge Fieldhouse | Indianapolis, Indiana
Kansas vs. Duke | Kentucky vs. Michigan State



SHRINERS CHILDREN'S CHARLESTON CLASSIC

NOVEMBER 17, 18 & 20, 2022
TD Arena | Charleston, South Carolina
Charleston, Colorado State, Davidson, Furman, Old Dominion, Penn State, South Carolina, Virginia Tech



MYRTLE BEACH INVITATIONAL

NOVEMBER 17, 18 & 20, 2022
HTC Center | Coastal Carolina University
Boise State, Charlotte, Colorado, Loyola (Chicago), UMass, Murray State, Texas A&M, Tulsa



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NOVEMBER 23 & 24
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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

All-Time Results and All-Tournament Teams



2009

ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

Marcus Johnson, USC
Omar Samhan, Saint Mary's
Dwain Williams, Hawai'i
Tre'Von Willis, UNLV

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

Mike Gerrity, USC

Saint Mary's	76	USC	55	UNLV	67	Hawai'i	84
Northeastern (OT)	65	W. Michigan	51	SMU	53	College of Charleston	71

CONSOLATION		CONSOLATION		SEMI-FINAL		SEMI-FINAL	
W. Michigan	75	College of Charleston	72	USC	60	UNLV	77
Northeastern	60	SMU	71	Saint Mary's	49	Hawai'i	53

SEVENTH		FIFTH		THIRD		CHAMPIONSHIP	
Northeastern	73	W. Michigan	66	Saint Mary's	84	USC	67
SMU	62	College of Charleston	63	Hawai'i	75	UNLV	56



2010

ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

LaceDarius Dunn, Baylor
Shelvin Mack, Butler
Chris Singleton, Florida State
Klay Thompson, Washington State

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

Matt Howard, Butler

Washington St.	83	Baylor	83	Butler	74	Florida St.	70
Mississippi St.	57	San Diego	50	Utah	62	Hawai'i	62

CONSOLATION		CONSOLATION		SEMI-FINAL		SEMI-FINAL	
Mississippi St.	69	Hawai'i	68	Washington St.	77	Butler	67
San Diego	52	Utah	55	Baylor	71	Florida St.	64

SEVENTH		FIFTH		THIRD		CHAMPIONSHIP	
San Diego	67	Hawai'i	68	Florida St.	68	Butler	84
Utah	64	Mississippi St.	57	Baylor	61	Washington St.	68



2011

ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

Larry Anderson, Long Beach State
Zane Johnson, Hawai'i
Jamar Samuels, Kansas State
Michael Perez, UTEP

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

Rodney McGruder, Kansas State

UTEP	61	Kansas State	83	Long Beach St.	68	Auburn	65
Clemson	48	S. Illinois	58	Xavier	58	Hawai'i	62

CONSOLATION		CONSOLATION		SEMI-FINAL		SEMI-FINAL	
Clemson	83	Hawai'i	84	Kansas State	78	Long Beach St.	64
S. Illinois	75	Xavier (OT)	82	UTEP	70	Auburn	43

SEVENTH		FIFTH		THIRD		CHAMPIONSHIP	
Xavier	87	Hawai'i	75	UTEP	83	Kansas State	77
S. Illinois	77	Clemson	68	Auburn	76	Long Beach St.	60



2012

ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

Murphy Holloway, Ole Miss
Jake Odum, Indiana State
Chase Tapley, San Diego State
Mark Lyons, Arizona

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

Solomon Hill, Arizona

Indiana State	87	San Diego St.	80	Arizona	73	Miami	73
Ole Miss (OT)	85	San Francisco	58	East Tenn. St.	53	Hawai'i	58

CONSOLATION		CONSOLATION		SEMI-FINAL		SEMI-FINAL	
Ole Miss	85	Hawai'i	84	San Diego St.	62	Arizona	69
San Francisco	78	East Tenn. St.	61	Indiana State	55	Miami	50

SEVENTH		FIFTH		THIRD		CHAMPIONSHIP	
San Francisco	67	Ole Miss	81	Indiana State	57	Arizona	68
East Tenn. St.	47	Hawai'i	66	Miami	55	San Diego St.	67



2013

ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

Anthony Drmic, Boise State
 Melvin Ejim, Iowa State
 George Niang, Iowa State
 Brandon Spearman, Hawai'i

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

Deandre Kane, Iowa State

Iowa State	79	Oregon State	71	S. Carolina	78	Boise State	62
George Mason	67	Akron	83	Saint Mary's	71	Hawai'i	61

CONSOLATION		CONSOLATION		SEMI-FINAL		SEMI-FINAL	
Oregon State	58	Hawai'i	76	Akron	60	Boise State	80
George Mason	54	Saint Mary's	74	Iowa State	83	S. Carolina	54

SEVENTH		FIFTH		THIRD		CHAMPIONSHIP	
George Mason	65	Hawai'i	79	S. Carolina	69	Iowa State	70
Saint Mary's	63	Oregon State	73	Akron	59	Boise State	66

G. Washington	77	Colorado	82	Wichita State	80	Hawai'i	66
Ohio	49	DePaul	68	Loyola M.	53	Nebraska	58

CONSOLATION		CONSOLATION		SEMI-FINAL		SEMI-FINAL	
Ohio	99	Nebraska	50	G. Washington	53	Wichita State	80
DePaul	78	Loyola M. (OT)	42	Colorado	50	Hawai'i (OT)	79

SEVENTH		FIFTH		THIRD		CHAMPIONSHIP	
Loyola M.	72	Nebraska	71	Hawai'i	69	G. Washington	60
DePaul	69	Ohio	58	Colorado	66	Wichita State	54



2014

ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

Ron Baker, Wichita State
 Askia Booker, Colorado
 Isaac Fleming, Hawai'i
 Fred VanVleet, Wichita State

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

Kevin Larsen, George Washington

Auburn	83	Harvard	85	Oklahoma	85	Hawai'i	68
New Mexico	78	BYU	82	Washington St.	60	Northern Iowa	52

CONSOLATION		CONSOLATION		SEMI-FINAL		SEMI-FINAL	
BYU	96	Northern Iowa	63	Harvard	69	Oklahoma	84
New Mexico	66	Washington St.	59	BYU	51	Hawai'i	81

SEVENTH		FIFTH		THIRD		CHAMPIONSHIP	
Washington St.	82	BYU	84	Hawai'i	79	Oklahoma	83
New Mexico	59	Northern Iowa	76	Auburn	67	Harvard	71

Tulsa	74	San Diego St.	66	San Francisco	89	Illinois St.	71
Stephen F. Austin	51	Southern Miss	51	Utah	86	Hawai'i	45



2015

ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

Roderick Bobbit, Hawai'i
 Kareem Canty, Auburn
 Zena Edosomwan, Harvard
 Chase Fischer, BYU

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

Buddy Hield, Oklahoma

CONSOLATION		CONSOLATION		SEMI-FINAL		SEMI-FINAL	
Stephen F. Austin	67	Utah	66	San Diego St.	82	San Francisco	66
Southern Miss	64	Hawai'i	52	Tulsa	63	Illinois St.	58

SEVENTH		FIFTH		THIRD		CHAMPIONSHIP	
Hawai'i	60	Utah	74	Illinois St.	68	San Diego St.	62
Southern Miss	46	Stephen F. Austin	66	Tulsa	56	San Francisco	48



2016

ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

David Collette, Utah
 Deontae Hawkins, Illinois State
 Charles Minlend, San Francisco
 Trey Kell, San Diego State

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

Zylan Cheatham, San Diego State

Middle Tennessee	69	USC	84	New Mexico St.	69	Miami (FL)	75
Princeton	67	Akron	53	Davidson	68	Hawai'i	67

CONSOLATION		CONSOLATION		SEMI-FINAL		SEMI-FINAL	
Princeton	64	Hawai'i	79	USC	89	New Mexico St.	63
Akron	62	Davidson	71	Middle Tennessee	84	Miami (FL)	54

SEVENTH		FIFTH		THIRD		CHAMPIONSHIP	
Davidson	91	Princeton	77	Miami (FL)	84	USC	77
Akron	78	Hawai'i	63	Middle Tennessee	81	New Mexico St.	72



2017

ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

Dewan Huell, Miami
 Jemerrio Jones, New Mexico St.
 Zach Lofton, New Mexico St.
 Chimezie Metu, USC

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

Bennie Boatwright, USC

MOST 3-POINT FIELD GOALS MADE

GAME: 16 San Francisco vs. Utah, 2016; BYU vs. New Mexico, 2015
 TOURNAMENT: 6 Liberty (84 att.), 2021

MOST POINTS SCORED

GAME: 99, Ohio vs. DePaul, 2014
 TOURNAMENT: 262, BYU, 2015

HIGHEST 3-PT. FIELD-GOAL PERCENTAGE

GAME: (min. 10 att.): .692 UTEP (9-13) vs. Auburn, 2011
 TOURNAMENT: (min. 20 att.): .513 Kansas State (20-39), 2011

MOST FIELD GOALS MADE

GAME: 38, Ohio vs. DePaul, 2014
 TOURNAMENT: 91, TCU 2018



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2018

ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

Jordan Barnes, Indiana State

Jaylen Fisher, TCU

Zigmars Raimo, Hawai'i

Nate Sestina, Bucknell

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

Alex Robinson, TCU

Indiana St.	72	UNLV	73	Bucknell	84	TCU	82
Colorado	67	Hawai'i	59	Rhode Island	82	Charlotte	57

CONSOLATION		CONSOLATION		SEMI-FINAL		SEMI-FINAL	
Rhode Island	75	Hawai'i	70	TCU	82	Indiana St.	84
Charlotte	61	Colorado	62	Bucknell	62	UNLV	79

SEVENTH		FIFTH		THIRD		CHAMPIONSHIP	
Colorado	68	Hawai'i	68	Bucknell	97	TCU	83
Charlotte	53	Rhode Island	60	UNLV	72	Indiana St.	69



2019

ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

Derrick Alston, Boise State

Quentin Grimes, Houston

Isaiah Stewart, Washington

Moses Wright, Georgia Tech

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

Fabian White, Jr., Houston

Houston	81	Georgia Tech	74	Hawai'i	67	Washington	85
Portland	56	Boise State	60	UTEP	63	Ball State	64

CONSOLATION		CONSOLATION		SEMI-FINAL		SEMI-FINAL	
Boise State	85	UTEP	71	Houston	70	Washington	72
Portland	69	Ball State	70	Georgia Tech	59	Hawai'i	61

SEVENTH		FIFTH		THIRD		CHAMPIONSHIP	
Ball State	61	Boise State	72	Georgia Tech	70	Houston	75
Portland	46	UTEP	67	Hawai'i	53	Washington	71



2021

ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

Spencer Jones, Stanford

Hunter Maldonado, Wyoming

Scotty Pippen Jr., Vanderbilt

Fousseyne Traore, BYU

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

Darius McGhee, Liberty

Liberty	76	Stanford	66	BYU	54	Vanderbilt	68
Northern Iowa	74	Wyoming	63	South Florida	39	Hawai'i	54

CONSOLATION		CONSOLATION		SEMI-FINAL		SEMI-FINAL	
Wyoming	71	South Florida	76	Stanford	79	Vanderbilt	69
Northern Iowa	69	Hawai'i	69	Liberty	76	BYU	67

SEVENTH*		FIFTH		THIRD		CHAMPIONSHIP**	
Hawai'i		Wyoming	77	BYU	80	Vanderbilt	
Northern Iowa		South Florida	57	Liberty	75	Stanford	

*Canceled due to COVID protocols **Vanderbilt awarded tournament trophy

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

MOST POINTS SCORED

GAME: 41 Darius McGhee, Liberty vs. Stanford, 2021

41 Chase Fischer, BYU vs. New Mexico, 2015

TOURNAMENT: 92 Darius McGhee, Liberty, 2021

MOST ASSISTS

GAME: 12 Jimmy Sotos, Bucknell vs. UNLV, 2018

TOURNAMENT: 26 Alex Robinson, TCU, 2018

MOST FREE THROWS MADE

GAME: 16 Dwain Williams, Hawai'i (18 att.) vs. Saint Mary's, 2009

TOURNAMENT: 29 Roberto Nelson, Oregon State (31 att.), 2013

MOST 3-POINT FIELD GOALS MADE

GAME: 9 Chase Fischer, BYU vs. New Mexico, 2015

TOURNAMENT: 15 Darius McGhee, Liberty (36 att.), 2021

MOST REBOUNDS

GAME: 17 Zigmars Raimo, Hawai'i vs. Colorado, 2018;

Zena Edosomwan, Harvard vs. BYU, 2015

TOURNAMENT: 39 Zena Edosomwan, Harvard, 2015

MOST STEALS

GAME: 6, Frankie Ferrari, San Francisco vs. San Diego State, 2016; Shane Larkin, Miami vs. Arizona, 2012

TOURNAMENT: 10 Zigmars Raimo, Hawai'i 2019; Shane Larkin, Miami, 2012

MOST BLOCKED SHOTS

GAME: 7 David Foster, Utah vs. Butler, 2010

TOURNAMENT: 12 David Foster, Utah, 2010



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