

ATHLETIC ADMINISTRATION



**DR. THOMAS KENT
"T.K." WETHERELL**
PRESIDENT, FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY

Dr. Thomas Kent "T.K." Wetherell became the 13th president of Florida State University on January 6, 2003. He is the first university alumnus to serve as president of Florida State. A career educator with more than 30 years of experience in the State of Florida's

educational system, Dr. Wetherell is also the only FSU president with experience in all four major divisions within higher education, having held positions in the offices of academic affairs, student services, business affairs, and college development. He has held leadership positions in two-year as well as four-year colleges, and he has served as a faculty member in both public and private institutions of higher education.

Dr. Wetherell is recognized as a high-energy, student-oriented president. He is an innovator who challenges faculty, staff and administrators to set high professional and personal standards. During his tenure as president, Florida State realized its dream of establishing, receiving full accreditation and graduating the first class of the nation's first public new allopathic medical school in the last 25 years.

Under Dr. Wetherell's leadership Florida State has undertaken the university's most extensive construction program, adding three new residence halls, a general purpose classroom building, new food services facilities, parking garages, an alumni center, research facilities, massive renovation projects, a Heritage Walk system throughout campus, as well as the construction of a new medical school.

Dr. Wetherell established the Pathways to Excellence program designed to enhance Florida State University's stature as a public graduate research university. The Pathways to Excellence program is designed with the Association of American Universities evaluation criteria as its basis. In addition to issuing a challenge to the university's community to reach a higher level academically, Dr. Wetherell also made available online data that will allow the public and individual faculty to monitor the university's and their respective academic department's success in this endeavor.

Dr. Wetherell is an outstanding advocate for higher education and has been called the state's most "politically astute president." In addition to his political insight, Dr. Wetherell is expert in resource development and led the university to successfully complete Florida State's second major capital campaign. During the campaign Dr. Wetherell gave the largest gift a seated president of a public research university has ever given to an institution in the United States. As president, Dr. Wetherell has also been the university's most vocal advocate for a community service program as part of students' college experience.

Dr. Wetherell has been inducted into Florida State University's Hall of Fame and was the recipient of the prestigious Moore-Stone Award, the Circle of Gold Award and the university's Distinguished Service Award. In addition, he has also been awarded an honorary Doctorate of Letters from Flagler College.

Dr. Wetherell served in the Florida House of Representatives from 1980 to 1992, the last two years as Speaker of the House. During his tenure in the

House he served as chairman of the appropriations committee and the higher education committee. The Miami Herald named him one of the Top Ten Legislative Leaders in the House each year from 1987 until 1992. During his years in the legislative process Florida enacted some of the most progressive education legislation in America.

A third-generation Floridian, Dr. Wetherell was born on December 22, 1945 in Daytona Beach, Florida. He attended Port Orange Elementary School and Mainland Senior High School, where he was active in service clubs, student government and athletics. He attended Florida State University on a football scholarship and played on the 1963-67 football teams. He still holds the record for the longest kickoff return in Florida State University history. He earned his bachelor's and master's degrees in social studies education from FSU in 1967 and 1968 respectively. He earned a doctorate in education administration from FSU in 1974.

Dr. Wetherell is married to Virginia B. Wetherell, who was appointed by Governor Chiles as Secretary of the Florida Department of Environmental Protection from 1991 to 1998. She previously served as a state legislator representing Pensacola. She currently is president of Wetherell Consulting Services. They are the parents of three children: Kent, Blakely, and Page, and have two grandchildren: Emily and Tyler. Wetherell's personal interests include outdoor recreation, travel and aviation.



DAVE HART, JR.
DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS

His peers use terms and words such as class, integrity, respect, visionary and national leader to describe Dave Hart, Jr. Bolstered by his leadership and vision, the current and future state of a still young athletics program at Florida State University is vibrant and inspiring. Hart is widely viewed as one of the nation's top athletics directors. It is a reputation he has earned.

Dave Hart begins his 12th year as Florida State's Athletics Director. Hart has led the FSU athletics program since 1995 with comprehensive success in mind. The athletics department budget has doubled from 20 to more than 40 million dollars since Hart arrived, with a high percentage of that increase going towards the growth and development of women's athletics programs at FSU. Student-athletes have reached new heights in academic performance within University, Conference and national circles. Community service participation by student-athletes is at an all-time high with every team giving back to the community throughout the year. Florida State student-athletes, coaches, administrators and teams are being recognized nationally on a regular basis for honors and awards. Excellence in competition is evidenced across the board with the Seminoles finishing in the Top 20 nationally in the Directors' Cup this past year. Facility enhancements are remarkable and serve as a collective point of pride for current and former student-athletes, coaches, staff, alumni and fans.

In recognizing Hart's position within intercollegiate athletics, ACC Commissioner John Swofford said, "Dave Hart is one of the best and most respected athletics directors in the business. He thoroughly understands the nuances of major college athletics, and he has superb values to go along with his vast experience in the field. He is a proven leader within our conference as well as at the national level."

Hart has served on several prestigious committees at conference and national levels during his career in athletics administration. He has been a member of the NCAA Council, the NCAA Honors and Awards Committee and the NCAA Special Events and Postseason Bowls Committee as well as a consultant to the NCAA Student-Athlete Advisory Council.

Hart has also held positions of considerable influence within conference and national circles. He served as President of both the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics and the Division I-A Athletics Directors' Association. Hart has been recognized by his peers in intercollegiate administration with the honor of being named Athletics Director of the Year in the Southeast Region in 2000 and 2005. In the seven year existence of the AD of the Year Award, he is one of only three athletics directors' in Division I-A to receive the regional award twice. He has also received the Robert R. Neyland Award for lifetime achievement in his profession as well as the Athletics

UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATION

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Directors' Award for advancing the quality and progress of student-athletes and the athletics program while at Florida State. He currently is a member of the NCAA Football Board of Directors where he represents NACDA and serves with commissioners of Division I-A conferences as well as NCAA President, Myles Brand. He is also one of eleven athletics directors nationally who serve as an advisory group to presidents and conference commissioners in ongoing meetings and discussions regarding BCS format options and related issues. In addition to serving in prominent leadership roles nationally, Hart has been directly involved in the renegotiations of the ACC's football and basketball television contracts, which are considered to be the nation's best. He has chaired the ACC Television Committee as well as the ACC Men's Basketball and Football committees. A long-time advocate of conference expansion, Hart played an instrumental role in the Atlantic Coast Conference expansion process which resulted in the addition of three new members in Miami, Virginia Tech and Boston College while immediately elevating the national profile of the ACC.

A popular speaker at the national level, Hart has made numerous speaking presentations nationally and presented seminars on such topics as student-athlete welfare, marketing, gender equity, facility master planning, negotiation skills and personnel transition. He was an instructor at the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics Management Institute for ten years and currently is an annual presenter at the Division I-A Athletics Directors' Institute sharing with peers his knowledge and experiences relating to athletics administration.

Since his arrival at Florida State, Hart has negotiated unprecedented multi-million dollar contracts for the department totaling in excess of 100 million dollars while planning and guiding the development and implementation of an extensive and comprehensive facilities master plan for athletics which totals more than 125 million dollars. He initiated a multi-faceted Student Development/Life Skills program for all student-athletes at FSU, which has been recognized nationally as a "Program of Excellence" by the Division I-A Athletics Directors' Association. He spearheaded the rewriting of the department's mission statement to put the student-athlete at the core of everything the athletics department does in its goal to build comprehensive excellence throughout the many components of the department.

Hart took a leadership role in the athletics department's first major Capital Campaign, in concert with Seminole Boosters, which raised over 75 million dollars for athletics facilities and endowed athletics scholarships for all sports at Florida State. Within the Facilities Master Plan, the Soccer/Softball facility was the first new facility to be built and remains one of the nation's finest. Major renovations to the Tennis and Volleyball facilities have also been completed. The state-of-the-art Golf Facility and Teaching Center and the Basketball Training Center are among the nations very best. The Dick Howser Baseball Stadium and the new Moore Athletics Center, have few, if any, peers. A new aquatics facility and completion of the renovation to the Mike Long Track building are underway. The planned "Legacy Walk" will ultimately showcase FSU tradition and Athletics heritage around the University Center.

Hart has made major hires within coaching and administrative areas of the department, while dramatically increasing exposure for all Seminole Athletics since his arrival at FSU. Through the negotiation of television contracts with Sun Sports as well as ACC contracts with regional sports carriers and ABC and ESPN, Florida State enjoys outstanding visibility in all sports on an annual basis.

Under Hart's direction, FSU formalized a varsity club to encourage the participation of former student-athletes in athletics department activities and a new focus has been placed on the growth of women's athletics at FSU. That commitment is reflected in the increased allocation of funding, competitive success and facility improvements. Also during Hart's tenure, FSU has been home to the inaugural National Student-Athlete of the Year, a State of Florida Woman of the Year recipient and a Rhodes Scholar. A record number of FSU student-athletes have made the ACC Academic Honor Roll, been recipients of NCAA post-graduate scholarship awards and obtained degrees during the past ten years. Student-athlete community service involvement has become a priority since Hart's arrival. Student-athletes at FSU contributed over 5,000 hours this past year to community outreach projects with the women's golf team winning the Athletics Director's Cup for community service.

A 1971 graduate of Alabama, Hart played basketball for the Crimson Tide and earned a master's degree in 1972 while serving as a graduate assistant basketball coach. He coached and taught at the high school level before joining the East Carolina athletics program in 1983 where his vision and leadership

enabled that program to reach goals thought to be unattainable.

Hart met his wife, the former Pam Humble, while at Alabama and they have three children, Rick, Jamie and Kelly. The Harts' also have three grandchildren, Trevor, Caroline and McKinley.



DR. JOSEPH BECKHAM, J.D.
ATHLETICS COMMITTEE CHAIR

Dr. Joseph Beckham was appointed as Florida State University's Faculty Representative to the NCAA and Atlantic Coast Conference in 2006 and currently chairs the University's Athletic Committee.

Dr. Beckham joined Florida State in 1980 and specializes in education law, policy and finance. He was named Allan Tucker Professor of Educational Leadership and Policy Studies at Florida State University in 2001 and was awarded the Ross Oglesby Award for contributions to FSU in 1999.

He holds both a Ph.D. in educational administration and policy and a Juris Doctorate. In the mid-1970s, he served as administrative counsel to Connecticut Lt. Governor Peter Cashman, and assisted in the development of youthful offender programs that coordinated services across the Connecticut departments of education, corrections, higher education and youth services. While completing his Ph.D., he was a National Education Finance Project research fellow and later joined the faculty of the Graduate School of Education at the University of Pennsylvania.

Dr. Beckham has served as head of the Department of Educational Leadership (1988 to 1993), chair of that department (1999 to 2001), and interim chair (2005-06). In addition to his appointment to a number of state and national boards representing educators and attorneys, he was president of the National Organization on Legal Problems of Education in 1991 and was awarded the McGhehey Award for contributions to the field of education law by the Education Law Association in 1996.

From 2000 to 2005, Dr. Beckham was a member of FSU's Athletic Board serving on the equity and academics committees and chairing the budget subcommittee.

**ATHLETIC ADMINISTRATION
EXECUTIVE STAFF**



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ATHLETIC ACADEMIC SUPPORT PROGRAM

ATHLETIC ACADEMIC SUPPORT MISSION STATEMENT:
THE PRIMARY FOCUS OF THE ATHLETIC ACADEMIC SUPPORT PROGRAM IS TO PROVIDE AN ENVIRONMENT WHICH FACILITATES THE ACADEMIC SUCCESS OF EACH STUDENT-ATHLETE. STUDENT SUCCESS IS ENCOURAGED THROUGH COMPETENT ACADEMIC COUNSELING, STUDY SKILLS DEVELOPMENT, INDIVIDUALIZED ASSESSMENT AND SUPPORT, AND A WIDE ARRAY OF TUTORIAL SERVICES.

AN OVERVIEW OF AN AWARD-WINNING ACADEMIC SUPPORT PROGRAM

Academic, personal and professional support is essential to college success. At The Florida State University, an outstanding support program has been developed that enables student-athletes to reach their full potential.

Florida State Athletic Academic Support Program Director, Mark Meleney states, "Our philosophy is to offer an academic support program integrated with the total University that will assist all student-athletes with the transition into college and provide continued support in all phases of academic and professional development, culminating with graduation, job placement or graduate school."

FSU's program operates on a "proactive" rather than "reactive" approach. The academic staff does not wait for crises to occur. They gather important background information on each entering student-athlete, build an academic profile, and develop individualized support programs which are tailored to the unique needs of each student-athlete. They also stay informed on the daily progress of the student-athletes through consistent communication with the Florida State faculty.

In the summer of 2004, the Academic Support Program moved into their new home, a state-of-the-art facility in the newly constructed Moore Athletic Center. The multi-million dollar structure, which is located in the north end zone of Doak Campbell Stadium, is the new home of Florida State athletics. Some of features of the new academic support area include a 32-station computer lab for student-athletes, 10 private tutorial rooms, the use of two 50-seat classrooms, and a five-station "Learning Center" for student-athletes with learning deficiencies and/or disabilities. The compliance, student services, business, sports information and athletics marketing offices are also housed in the facility, providing a more efficient and functional department, thus allowing student-athletes the opportunity for balance and improved time-management.

The academic support staff is comprised of a director, associate director, administrative assistant, six academic counselors, two learning specialists, several graduate assistants and approximately 50 tutors and mentors.

Meleney was named the program's Director in 1997 and brings 20 years of advising experience to the position. Over the past 10 years, Meleney has played an integral role in the development of a comprehensive program of student-athlete support, which has won the "Program of Excellence" award from Athletic Management Magazine.

TUTOR & MENTOR PROGRAM

The athletics department at Florida State University has made a commitment to providing the student-athletes with one of the finest and most comprehensive tutorial and mentor programs in the nation. The tutorial program is just one of several key support services that is available to all student-athletes as they progress towards their ultimate goal of obtaining a college degree. FSU hires approximately 50 tutors a year, from a variety of academic departments, who are committed to providing a proactive, individualized approach in assisting student-athletes with course comprehension and study skills. In addition, mentors are academic role models who have demonstrated the ability to teach and give guidance in areas of academic developmental skills. They are responsible for providing assistance in the development of skills such as note taking, test preparation and communication with faculty. In essence, mentors become an extension of the academic counselor as they keep the academic performance of their student-athletes under close observation and report to the academic counselors each week. The tutors and mentors are usually seniors or graduate level students who have outstanding academic backgrounds.

STUDY HALL

In an effort to help ensure the academic success of the student-athletes, professionally supervised study sessions for each athletic team are organized. The main focus of the study hall program is to help students develop consistent and appropriate study patterns by providing a structured setting to work on class assignments and to provide tutorial assistance before academic problems arise. Although the criteria for study hall is left to the discretion of each academic counselor, typically most freshmen, first year transfers, and upperclassmen who have not yet achieved a satisfactory cumulative grade point average are asked to attend study hall.

MATT SCHMAUCH ACADEMIC COMMITMENT AWARD



Defensive End Darrell Burston was honored with the third annual Matthew Schmauch Academic Commitment Award in a presentation at halftime of the 2006 spring game.

This award has been established in honor and memory of former Academic Support Assistant Director Matt Schmauch, who passed away in June 2003, and is given annually to a deserving football student-athlete. Defensive end Eric Moore, now with the New York Giants, was the first recipient of the Matt Schmauch Academic Commitment Award in 2004. Defensive end Willie Jones was the 2005 recipient. In 2006, defensive end Darrell Burston was honored with the award.

"We will look for the student-athlete who best represents the things that Matt represented," Director Mark Meleney said. "We want to honor the person who is accountable and responsible in the classroom and who is working every day to be a better student. This is not an award that will go to the highest GPA. It will go to the player who is dedicated to getting a degree and who is accountable and responsible in the classroom."

ACADEMIC HONORS & AWARDS

Florida State University student-athletes have achieved great success in obtaining recognition for academic excellence. More than \$350,000 in Postgraduate Scholarship monies has been granted to FSU student-athletes over the past 12 years, as well as numerous other academic honors and awards. During the 2005-06 academic year, six Seminole student-athletes were named National



Chris Hope won the CFA Post-Graduate Scholarship in 2001.

Academic All-Americans — David Castillo (football), Natasha Jacob (softball), Garrett Johnson (track & field), Tom Lancashire (track & cross country), Javier Garcia-Tunon, (track & field), and Lacy Janson (track & field). This is the first time that six Seminoles have been bestowed this honor in the same academic year. In addition, Garrett Johnson was named ESPN The Magazine Academic University Player of the Year.

Florida State University named a record 194 student-athletes to the 2006 Atlantic Coast Conference Honor Roll. At the conclusion of the 2005-2006 school year, eight of Florida State's athletic teams had a 3.0 or better cumulative grade point average. In the spring 2006 semester 202 Seminoles achieved a minimum 3.0 semester GPA while the average team semester GPA was a 2.941.

David Castillo (football), Andrew Diakos (track & field) and LaKendra McColumn (track & field) were among the 36 Atlantic Coast Conference scholar-athletes to be named recipients of the ACC Weaver James Corrigan Postgraduate Scholarship in 2005-06 while Garrett Johnson (track & field) earned the ACC Scholar Award.

Eight Seminole student athletes earned the prestigious Arthur Ashe Junior Sports Scholar Award and Castillo was named the Arthur Ashe Junior National Male Scholar Athlete of the Year. The Arthur Ashe Jr. Sports Scholar Awards were established in 1992 and serve to honor minority student athletes who exhibit academic excellence and community activism, as well as athletic prowess.

FSU also boasted one NCAA Postgraduate Scholarship finalist, 11 District Academic All-Americans and six National Academic All-Americans.

The Academic Support Program is committed to recognizing the academic success of all student-athletes. The athletics department, in conjunction with Seminole Boosters, Inc., puts on the annual "Golden Torch Gala," a black-tie academic awards banquet, each fall. The ACC Honor Roll student-athletes, as well as the individuals with the highest GPA on their respective teams, and the men's and women's teams with the highest GPA are recognized at this event.

Team meetings are held each year, during which time student-athletes are notified of potential honors and awards and are encouraged to apply. Combining a strong grade point average with athletic accomplishments, community service activities and leadership experiences make for a student-athlete capable of obtaining unlimited academic honors, awards and postgraduate opportunities.

ACADEMIC AWARD WINNERS

ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS

(Selected by the College Sports Information Directors of America)

FIRST TEAM

- 1972 Gary Huff (QB)
- 1979 Phil Williams (WR),
Keith Jones (DB), Scott Warren (DE)
- 1980 Keith Jones (DB)
- 1981 Rohn Stark (P)
- 1994 Derrick Brooks (OLB)
- 1996 Daryl Bush (LB)
- 1997 Daryl Bush (LB)
- 2000 Chris Hope (FS)
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SECOND TEAM

- 1957 Ron Schomburger (E)
- 1981 Phil Williams (WR)
- 1985 Martin Mayhew (CB)
- 1989 Dave Roberts (TE)
- 1993 Ken Alexander (ILB),
Derrick Brooks (OLB)
- 2005 David Castillo (C)

CFA POST-GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

- 1993 Ken Alexander (LB)
- 1994 Derrick Brooks (LB)
- 1995 Danny Kanell (QB)
- 1997 Daryl Bush (LB)
- 2000 Chris Weinke (QB)
- 2001 Chris Hope (FS)

CFA POST-GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

- 1993 Ken Alexander (LB)

NATIONAL FOOTBALL FOUNDATION POST GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

- 2005 David Castillo (C)

ACC JAMES E. TATUM AWARD

(TOP FOOTBALL SENIOR STUDENT ATHLETE)

- 1996 Daryl Bush (LB)
- 2006 David Castillo (C)

ACC SCHOLAR ATHLETE AWARD

- 2001 Chris Weinke (QB)
- 2002 Chris Hope (FS)

NACDA JOHN McLENDON MINORITY POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

- 2002 Chris Hope (FS)

NCAA POST-GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

- 1980 Phil Williams (WR)
- 1987 David Palmer (ILB)
- 1990 Dave Roberts (TE)
- 1993 Ken Alexander (ILB)
- 1994 Derrick Brooks (OLB)
- 1995 Danny Kanell (QB)
- 2000 Chris Weinke (QB)

FSU'S ACC ALL-ACADEMIC SELECTIONS

1992

- C Robbie Baker
- OLB Derrick Brooks
- OLB Reggie Freeman
- QB Charlie Ward

1993

- CB Clifton Abraham
- ILB Ken Alexander
- OLB Derrick Brooks
- FS Richard Coes
- QB Charlie Ward

1994

- LB Daryl Bush
- LB Derrick Brooks
- DB Steve Gilmer

1995

- OL Lewis Tyre
- LB Daryl Bush
- LB Todd Rebol

1996

- OL Justin Amman
- LB Daryl Bush
- RB Warrick Dunn
- C Kevin Long
- LB Kwaesi Palmer
- DB Jason Poppell

1997

- WR E.G. Green
- C Kevin Long
- DE Andre Wadsworth
- DT Jerry Johnson
- MLB Daryl Bush
- S Dexter Jackson

1998

- P Keith Cottrell
- DB Chris Hope
- OL Jason Whitaker
- QB Chris Weinke

1999

- FS Chris Hope
- TE Ryan Sprague
- QB Chris Weinke

2000

- OG Justin Amman
- FS Chris Hope
- TE Ryan Sprague
- QB Chris Weinke

2001

- LB Marcello Church
- FS Chris Hope

2002

- LB Michael Boulware
- DE Kevin Emanuel
- WR Robert Morgan
- OT Brett Williams

2003

- LB Allen Augustin
- LB Michael Boulware
- C David Castillo
- RB Greg Jones
- CB Bryant McFadden
- OL Matt Meinrod

2004

- C David Castillo
- P Chris Hall
- QB Wyatt Sexton
- DE Kamerion Wimbley

2005

- C David Castillo
- RB Antone Smith
- QB Drew Weatherford

THE FOOTBALL ACADEMIC SUPPORT STAFF



MARK P. MELENEY

Mark Meloney begins his 10th year as the Director of the Athletic Academic Support Program. He brings to the position 20 years of advising experience at FSU. Over the years, Meloney has played an integral role in the development of a comprehensive program of academic support for student-athletes which includes a staff of six professional academic counselors, three educational services specialists, and an administrative assistant.

In addition to his duties directing the Academic Support Program, Meloney coordinates the evaluation of all recruits for their academic potential, monitors academic progress and eligibility for student athletes, and serves as a liaison to the academic community. He also serves as a member of the administrative team for both the Athletic Department and the Division of Undergraduate Studies.

A native of Iowa, Meloney began his college education at Buena Vista University. Upon transferring to Florida State University, he earned bachelor's degrees in management and finance in 1986 and received his M.S. degree in athletic administration in April 1997.

A member of the National Association of Academic Advisors for Athletes (N4A), Meloney is married to the former Sarah Cawthon and they have a 13-year-old daughter, Montana Shea.



DR. BRENDA MONK

Dr. Brenda Monk begins her sixth year with the Athletic Academic Support Program. Dr. Monk serves as an Assistant Director of the Academic Support Program. As a learning specialist, she works hands-on with all student-athletes, especially those with learning needs.

Dr. Monk implements an Educational Services Program that is designed to meet the needs of student-athletes diagnosed with moderate academic deficiencies and assist with their progress towards graduation.



This includes providing individual assessments of student needs, coordinating the tutorial needs of students, and providing one-on-one services to the students.

Mark Meloney, Program Director, describes Dr. Monk's contribution as one that, "greatly enhances our student-athlete retention rates." Florida State University is one of a handful of schools nationally to have a learning specialist on staff within the Athletic Academic Support Program. Florida State University continues to lead the nation in its services to students with learning difficulties.

A native Mississippian, Dr. Monk served in a variety of educational positions throughout her career. She came to Florida State after serving as a principal, special education teacher and supervisor and school psychologist in the Rankin County School District in Brandon, Mississippi. She earned her bachelor's and master's degrees in education from the University of Mississippi.

Dr. Monk also earned an educational specialist degree in 1986 from Jackson State University, and in 1993, earned a Ph.D. in education administration from Mississippi State University.

Dr. Monk is a member of the Association of Supervision and Curriculum Development, Association on Higher Education and Disability, and the National Association of Academic Advisors for Athletics. She has three children, daughter Julie (and husband Scott) Loftin, son Josh (and wife Tiffany) Monk, daughter Allison Monk, an FSU Senior, and grandson Will Loftin, age 2.



JASON FOUNTAIN

Jason Fountain joined the Florida State Athletic Academic Support staff in December 2003. He came to FSU as an academic counselor for football. Currently he serves as Assistant Director/Educational Services Specialist. His responsibilities include academic oversight for football, coordinating academic programs for all at-risk student-athletes, and supervising all educational services. Jason is very hands-on with the football program and spearheads the "Summer Bridge" program for freshmen football student-athletes.

Fountain came to FSU from Mississippi State and Troy State University, where he served as an athletic academic counselor. He holds bachelor's degrees in mathematics from Troy State University and in math education from Athens State University. Fountain also earned his master's degree in educational leadership from the University of South Alabama.

Before beginning his career in athletic academic advising, Fountain taught mathematics in Baldwin County, Ala., for seven years. Fountain, 34, a native of East Brewton, Ala., is a member of the National Association of Academic Advisors for Athletics (N4A).

STUDENT SERVICES & PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

THE N.O.L.E.S. PROGRAM: NEW OPPORTUNITIES FOR LEADERSHIP, EDUCATION & SERVICE

LIFE SKILLS

Developed by the Florida State University Department of Athletics, the NOLES program represents a commitment to the total growth and development of the student-athlete. This program establishes an administrative commitment to academic and athletic excellence. Those efforts will be supported with programs and services in personal development, career development and community service.



PAM OVERTON
Associate Athletics
Director/
Senior Woman
Administrator

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

Fostering the development of personal growth is a fundamental component of the NOLES program. These support programs ensure that the student-athlete will be provided opportunities to focus on personal growth issues such as values clarification, goal setting, fiscal planning, decision-making and personal responsibility. Programming focuses on helping student-athletes develop a healthy lifestyle while



JOHN LATA
Director

they are at Florida State and habits that will benefit them for life.

CAREER DEVELOPMENT

Preparing for life after college sports is a major focus of the NOLES Career Development program.



JASON WILLIAMS
Assistant Director

The program is designed to work cooperatively with the FSU Career Center to acquaint students with the job search process, provide networking opportunities and ultimately assist with job placement. This program places a priority on the development of the total person, with the goal of developing individuals who will have rewarding careers and productive lifestyles after

they leave Florida State.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Serving the community is the focus of our Seminole Spirit program. Student-athletes are challenged to give service to our community and individuals who are in need. With a clearly defined program of service, student-athletes are given the opportunity to develop the foundation for a lifelong commitment to volunteerism. The Seminole Spirit Student-Athlete Speakers' Bureau enables student-athletes to improve their speaking skills, develop effective communication and impact the lives of others through their service as role models in our community.



Linebacker Lawrence Timmons, and several of the Seminoles, donate their time in the community and often serve as featured guest speakers at area schools.

LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

The Football Leadership Council is comprised of twenty members of the Florida State football team who have been identified as having qualities of leadership and are committed to maintaining the tradition of excellence for FSU football both on and off the field. The purpose of the council is to provide leadership to the football team in all aspects of the NOLES program. The members of this council serve as the liaison between the athletics administration and the football program.

The Florida State University Department of Athletics is committed to developing programs of excellence that foster leadership development. The foundation of the leadership development program is the Seminole Leadership Institutes that are held four times a year. These institutes offer student-athletes the opportunity to learn skills that will benefit them as students, as athletes, and as they pursue their goals after leaving Florida State. The Institutes have the opportunity to use the values and work ethic taught by athletic participation as the framework for their leadership development. The Institutes attract outstanding guest speakers who challenge Seminole student-athletes to achieve their greatest potential and use their leadership skills to positively influence others.

The Student-Athlete Advisory Council (SAAC) serves as the advisory board to the NOLES program and the athletics administration. The prestigious board, comprised of two representatives of each athletic team at FSU, also recommends programming and serves as a liaison between student-athletes and the athletics administration. The Advisory Council plans and implements various events for student-athletes and serves as the department's most visible ambassadors. The SAAC hosts the annual Golden Nole banquet and plans such events as orientation for incoming student-athletes.



The Student Athlete Advisory Council participates in a retreat each fall which helps build leadership skills.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Giving back to the community is a priority for all of Florida State's student-athletes. The Seminole football team performs countless hours of community service each year. Here's a look at some of the places and events that members of the FSU football team donated their time over the last year:

- FCAT Pep Rally – Roberts Elementary
- Buck Lake Elementary School – Bobcat Dash
- Sabal Palm Elementary School – Classroom Volunteer
- Relay For Life – Student Athlete Car Wash
- Pineview Elementary School FCAT Pep Rally
- Bobby Bowden Luncheon
- FYE Class Speaker
- Seminole Boosters – Tour Guide
- Study Skills at Kappa Delta House
- Dick Howser Center commercial
- Celebrity Waiter Dinner
- Chili Cookoff
- Soap Box Derby Races in Southwood
- Florida High Field Day
- Delivering Mascot books
- Ruediger Elementary School Summer Reading Program
- Florida High Day Camp Sports Day
- Florida American Legion Boys State
- National Youth Sports Program
- Community Service video
- Caroline Brevard Back to School Kickoff
- Caroline Brevard Field Day
- George Moore Elementary

- Pineview Elementary School – Guest Reader
- Senior Send Off
- Trinity Methodist Church – Homeless Children for the Holidays
- Juvenile Detention Center – Motivational Speaking
- Bellevue Middle School – Speaker on importance of education and athletics
- Red Ribbon Week – Say No To Drugs
- Legends Day
- Brynwood Center – Seminoles Appreciation Day
- Able Trust Leadership Conference
- Sabal Palms Elementary School Awards Assembly
- Alumni Village – playing football with kids
- Wesson Elementary School – Red Ribbon Week
- Powerpoint Luncheon
- Aucilla Christian School – Guest Speaker
- Talavana Christian School – Guest Speaker
- FCA Annual High School Awards Banquet – Pensacola
- Suwanne Elementary school – Guest Speaker
- P.A.L. Banquet in Live Oak
- Seminole Boosters Board of Director's Meeting
- Fort Braden School Honor Roll Awards Assembly
- Joe DiMaggio Hospital Visit
- Quincy Elementary School – Reading to kids
- Caroline Brevard Classroom Volunteer





FSU SPORTS HALL OF FAME

BASEBALL

DICK HOWSER (1977)
 JEFF HOGAN (1980) (and Basketball)
 RON FRASER (1981)
 DANNY LITWHILER (1981)
 WOODY WOODWARD (1981)
 TERRY KENNEDY (1982)
 JOHN GRUBB (1983)
 JIM LYTTLE (1984)
 MAC SCARCE (1985)
 MIKE FUENTES (1987)
 TONY AVITABLE (1991)
 GENE AMMANN (1991)
 JEFF A. LEDBETTER (1991)
 JEFF GRAY (1991)
 JODY REED (1991)
 LUIS R. ALICEA (1993)
 MIKE LOYND (1993)
 RICHIE LEWIS (1995)
 PAUL SORRENTO (1997)
 PAUL WILSON (2000)
 BOB CLEM (2001)
 DOUG MIENTKIEWICZ (2002)
 J.D. DREW (2003)
 KEN SUAREZ (2005)

BASKETBALL

DAVE COWENS (1977)
 J.K. "BUD" KENNEDY (1977)
 RON HARRIS (1978)
 JIMMY OLER (1979)
 HUGH DURHAM (1980)
 DAVE FEDOR (1981)
 PAUL "HAM" WERNKE (1982)
 DICK ARTMEIER (1984)
 GARY SCHULL (1985)
 ROWLAND GARRETT (1986)
 RON KING (1988)
 SUE GALKANTAS (1989)
 REGGIE ROYALS (1991)
 OTTO PETTY (1991)
 MITCHELL WIGGINS (1994)
 HARRY DAVIS (1998)
 TIA PASCHAL (1999)
 BOB SURA (2003)
 SAM CASSELL (2004)

CIRCUS

ADRIAN CATARZI (1977)
 JACK HASKIN (1979)

CROSS COUNTRY

KEN MISNER (1977)

FOOTBALL

FRED BILETNIKOFF (1977)
 DR. COYLE E. MOORE (1977)
 BURT REYNOLDS (1977)
 RON SELLERS (1977)
 DR. MODE L. STONE, SR. (1977)
 LEE CORSO (1978)
 KIM HAMMOND (1978)
 BILL PETERSON (1979)
 BARRY SMITH (1979)
 JAMES "J.T." THOMAS (1979)
 HUGH ADAMS (1980)

BUDDY STRAUSS (1980)
 STEVE TENSI (1981)
 BUD WHITEHEAD (1981)
 BOBBY CRENSHAW (1982)
 VAUGHN MANCHA (1982)
 FRED PICKARD (1982)
 WALT SUMNER (1982)
 DEL WILLIAMS (1982)
 BILL DAWKINS (1983)
 GARY HUFF (1983)
 TOM NUGENT (1983)
 BILL CAPPLEMAN (1984)
 LARRY KEY (1984)
 DALE McCULLERS (1984)
 BOBBY RENN (1984)
 DICK HERMANN (1985)
 JIMMY JORDAN (1985)
 GENE McDOWELL (1985)
 WALLY WOODHAM (1985)
 RALPH CHAUDRON (1986)
 RON SIMMONS (1986)
 ROHN STARK (1986)
 BOBBY BUTLER (1987)
 KEN LANIER (1987) (and Track and Field)

LEE NELSON (1987)
 WYATT "RED" PARISH (1987)
 WILLIE JONES (1988)
 VIC PRINZI (1988)
 TONY ROMEO (1988)
 WINFRED BAILEY (1989)
 REGGIE HERRING (1989)
 PAUL PIUROWSKI (1989)
 GREG ALLEN (1990) (and Track & Field)

BILL CAPECE (1990)
 ALPHONSO CARREKER (1990)
 T.K. WETHERELL (1991)
 JAMIE DUKES (1991)
 MIKE SHUMANN (1991)
 JOHN CROWE (1991)
 BILLY RHODES (1991)
 BILL "RED" DAWSON (1993)
 AL MAKOWIECKI (1993)
 BOBBY JACKSON (1993)
 PAUL McGOWAN (1994)
 DEION SANDERS (1994)
 RON SCHOMBURGER (1994)
 MONK BONASORTE (1995)
 DAVE CAPPELEN (1995)
 DANNY McMANUS (1995)
 LAWRENCE DAWSEY (1997)
 DEREK SCHMIDT (1997)
 DR. SCOTT WARREN (1997)
 WAYNE McDUFFIE (1998)
 PETER TOM WILLIS (1998)
 CHARLIE WARD (1999)
 CASEY WELDON (1999)
 CLAY SHIVER (2001)
 LEROY BUTLER (2001)
 DERRICK BROOKS (2000)
 MARVIN JONES (2000)
 WARRICK DUNN (2002)
 TERRELL BUCKLEY (2003)
 PETER BOULWARE (2004)
 ANDRE WADSWORTH (2004)
 EDGAR BENNETT (2005)
 KEZ McCORVEY (2005)

GOLF

HUBERT GREEN (1977)

DOWNING GRAY (1979)
 JACK VEGHTE (1983)
 PAUL AZINGER (1988)
 JANE GEDDES (1988)
 JEFF SLUMAN (1989)
 KENNY KNOX (1990)
 LISA YOUNG-WALTERS (1990)
 COLLEEN WALKER (1991)
 BARBARA BUNKOWSKY (1994)
 NOLAN HENKE (1997)
 MICHELE GUILBALT (1998)

GYMNASTICS

BILL ROETZHEIM (1977)
 DR. HARTLEY PRICE (1978)
 DON HOLDER (1982)
 DICK GUTTING (1983)
 JACK MILES (1984)
 CHIC CICIO (1991)
 JOHN D. "JACK" SHARP (1997)
 JAY ASHMORE (1998)

SOFTBALL

DARBY COTTLE VEAZEY (1988)
 JULIE LARSEN-BAKER (1995)
 SUSAN PAINTER (2000)
 SHAMALENE WILSON-BRONER (2002)
 LISA DAVIDSON (2005)

SWIMMING & DIVING

PHIL BOGGS (1977)
 BIM STULTS (1978)
 CURT GENDERS (1979)
 BUCKY HILES (1980)
 RON SLATER (1994)
 MIKE KOWALSKI (1995)
 MIKE TSCHIRRET (1998)
 BRENDON DEDEKIND (2004)

TENNIS

ALEXANDER T. "LEX" WOOD (1982)
 DR. RAY BELLAMY (1991)
 PAUL HAARHUIS (1993)
 BUFFY BAKER (1997)
 JOEY RIVE (1999)
 LORI SOWELL (2003)

TRACK & FIELD

MIKE LONG (1978)
 MIKE KELLY (1979)
 MIKE CONLEY (1980)
 DANNY SMITH (1981)
 JESSE FORBES (1983)
 BRADLEY COOPER (1984)
 MIKE ROBERSON (1985)
 WALTER McCOY (1986)
 RANDY GIVENS (1989)
 MICHELLE FINN (1990)
 DON MERRICK (1990)
 MARITA PAYNE (1991)
 CARLOS FRAUNDORFER (1993)
 JIM CASTEEL, JR. (1995)
 KIM BATTEN (1997)
 RONALD O. HARRISON (1997)

JERRY McDANIEL (1998)
 ALLEN WILLIAMS (1999)
 ANGELA WRIGHT (2001)
 LEANDER McKENZIE (2002)
 HOLLY KELLY-THOMPSON (2004)
 TERRY LONG (2005)

VOLLEYBALL

DR. KATHERINE MONTGOMERY (1977)
 JAMES McFATTER (1985)
 MARGIE WESSEL SCOTT (1988)
 GABRIELLE REECE (1997)
 MAGGIE PHILGENCE (1998)

COACHES & ADMINISTRATORS

DR. DOAK S. CAMPBELL (1977)
 DR. VON VELLER (1984)
 H. DONALD LOUCKS (1985)
 BILL ODENEAL (1985)
 DON FAULS (1986)
 BOB HARBISON (1987)
 ED WILLIAMSON (1987)
 DICK ROBERTS (1989)
 CHARLIE ARMSTRONG (1994)
 GEORGE McCLOUD (1994)
 DR. BILLIE JONES (1998)
 FRED HATFIELD (1999)
 DR. WILLIAM LEE PROCTOR (1988)
 CHARLES R. DURBIN (1989)
 JOHN D. BRIDGERS (1990)
 PATRICK W. HOGAN (1990)
 KEN MILLER (1991)
 DEE FRYE-DAVIS (1997)

DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS

VAUGHN MANCHA (1982)
 BARBARA JO PALMER (1990)

MOORE-STONE AWARD

LEROY COLLINS (1981)
 DAISY PARKER FLORY (1982)
 J. EDWIN WHITE (1983)
 F. WILSON CARRAWAY (1984)
 GEORGE LANGFORD (1985)
 GODFREY SMITH (1986)
 RAINEY CAWTHON (1987)
 HERB MORGAN (1988)
 LOUIS HILL (1989)
 BILLY PARKER (1990)
 T.K. WETHERELL (1991)
 DR. BERNARD SLIGER (1992)
 SYDE PATRICK DEEB (1993)
 WELDON "BABE" STARRY (1994)
 DR. JAMES P. JONES (1995)
 DR. RICHARD BAKER (1997)
 DR. GRACE FOX (1998)
 DR. GREGG PHIFER (1999)
 DR. JOE CAMPS (2000)
 GENE DECKERHOFF (2002)
 JIM KING (2003)
 JOHN THRASHER (2003)
 SEMINOLE TRIBE (2005)

