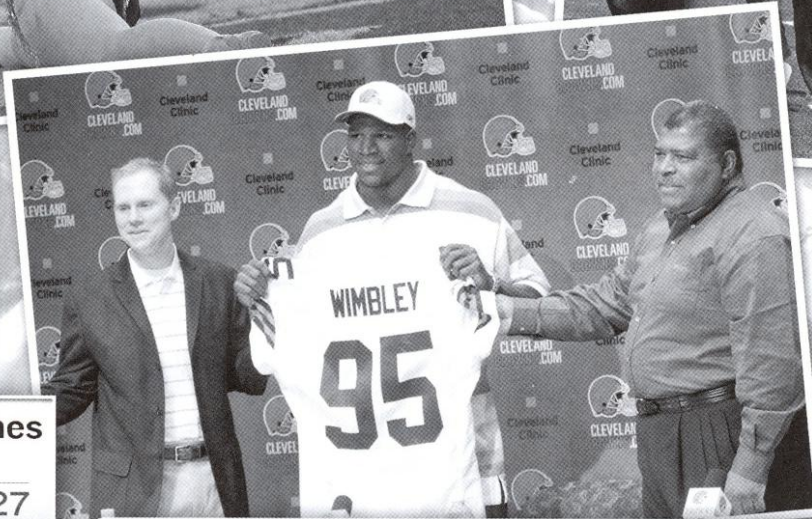




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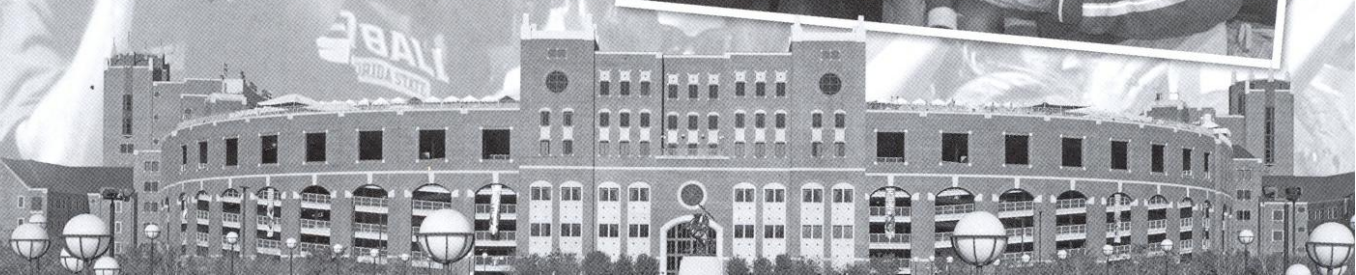
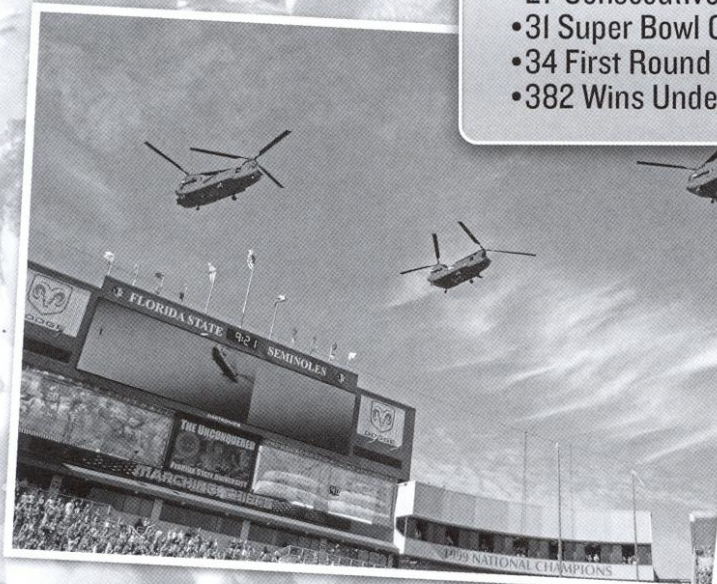
Ohio State	7
USC	7
Oklahoma	7
Florida State	6



### Most Bowl Games Since 1985

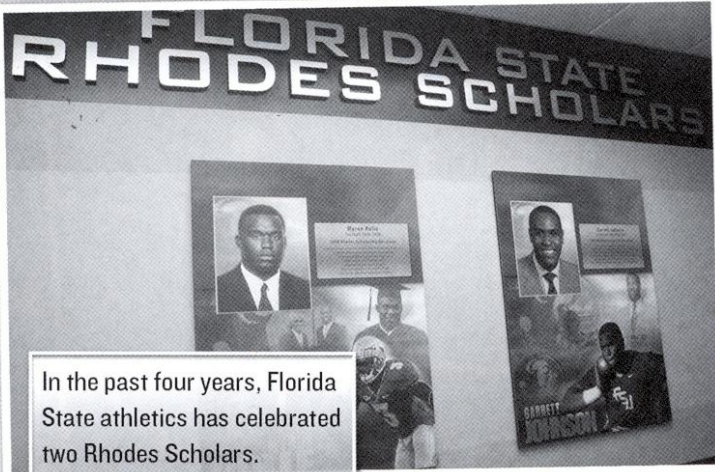
Florida State	27
Michigan	26
Nebraska	22
Ohio State	22
Florida	22
Tennessee	21

- #1 School for Producing Successful NFL Players (*Wall Street Journal*)
- 2 National Championships
- 2 Heisman Trophy Winners
- 12 ACC Championships
- Unprecedented 14-Straight AP Top 5 Finishes From 1987-2000
- 27 Consecutive Bowl Games
- 31 Super Bowl Championships Won by Former Seminoles
- 34 First Round Draft Picks
- 382 Wins Under Hall of Fame Head Coach Bobby Bowden

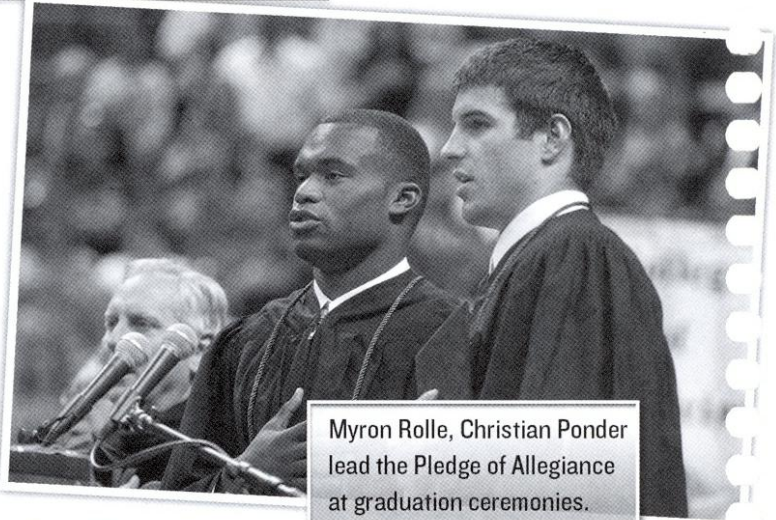




# Student-Athlete Success

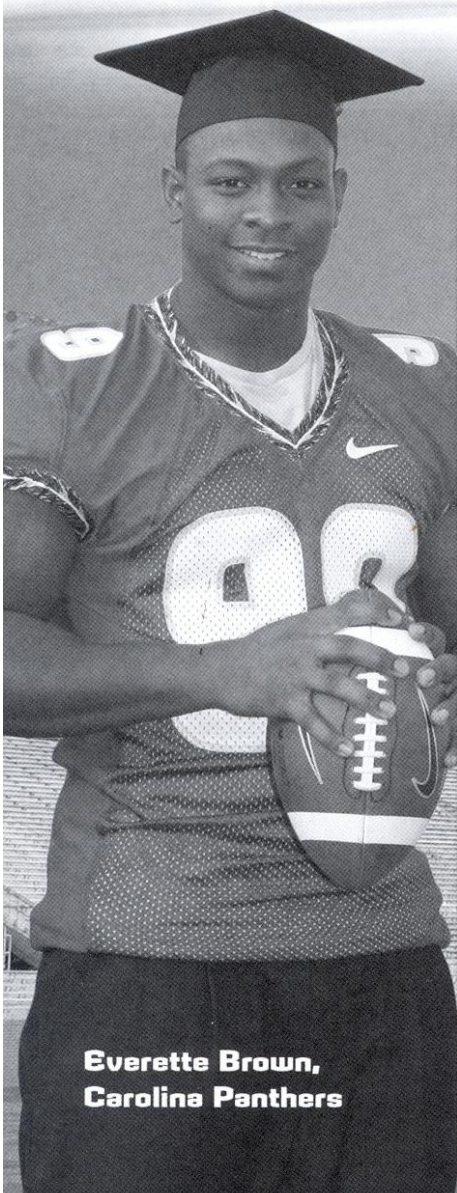


In the past four years, Florida State athletics has celebrated two Rhodes Scholars.



Myron Rolle, Christian Ponder lead the Pledge of Allegiance at graduation ceremonies.

## Because At Florida State... Academics & Athletics Go Hand And Hand



**Everette Brown,  
Carolina Panthers**

**Seminole Football Touts...**

- A Rhodes Scholar
- 19 Academic All-American honors
- 16 Postgraduate Scholarship Awards including six CFA and seven NCAA Postgraduate Scholarship Awards
- 67 ACC All-Academic Team honors since 1992

**Seminole Athletics Touts...**

- Football's Myron Rolle became the second Seminole student-athlete in the past four years to earn the Rhodes Scholarship - one of the oldest and most prestigious awards for international study. It was the first time in nearly 25 years they awarded the scholarship to a prominent college football player.
- Over the past 15 years, more than \$450,000 in Postgraduate Scholarship money has been granted to FSU student-athletes, as well as numerous other academic honors and awards.
- During the 2008-09 academic year, five Seminoles earned CoSIDA Academic All-American honors, 15 Seminole student-athletes were named District Academic All-Americans, 175 Seminole student-athletes were named to the ACC Academic Honor Roll, seven of Florida State's athletic teams had a 3.0 or better cumulative grade point average.
- In the spring 2009 semester, 202 Seminoles achieved a 3.0 GPA or better, 10 athletic teams had a 3.0 or better GPA and the average team semester GPA was a 2.8. Ten student-athletes made the spring 2009 President's List with a perfect 4.0 GPA while 62 student-athletes earned Dean's List status with a GPA of 3.5 or better.

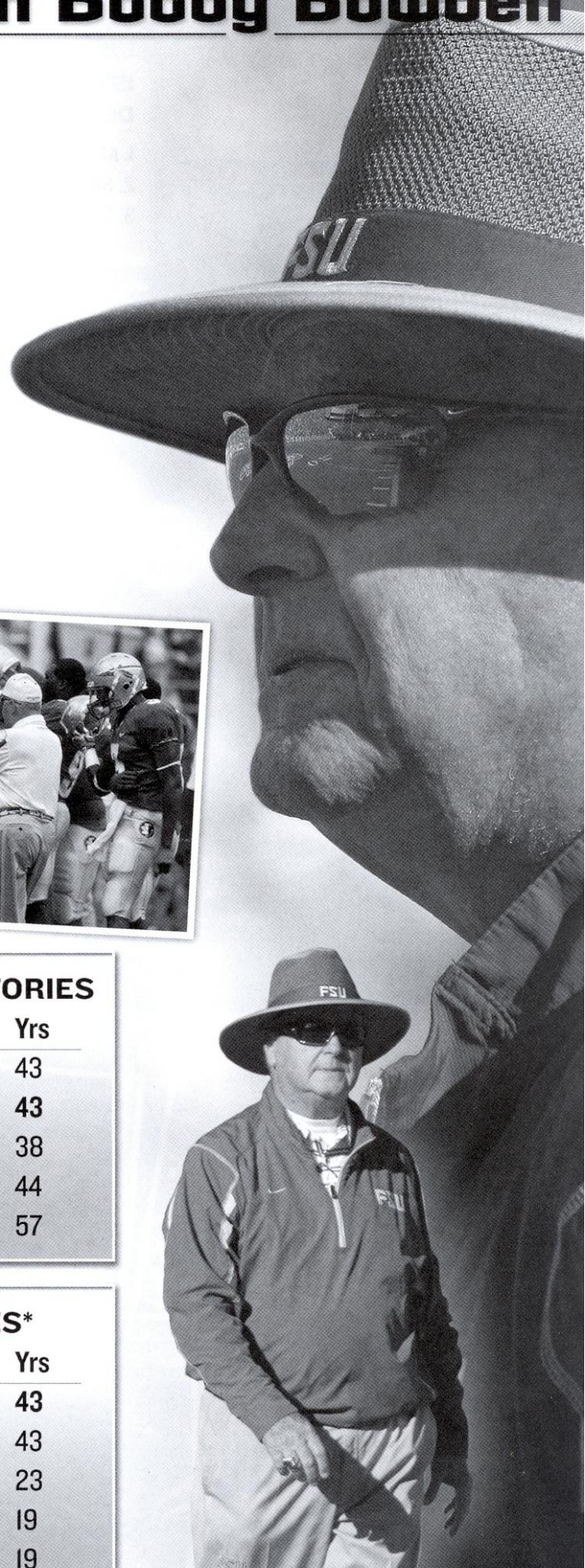
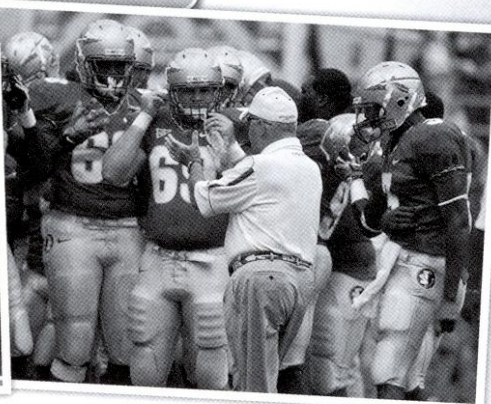


**Myron Rolle,  
Rhodes Scholar**



# Head Coach Bobby Bowden

- Second winningest coach in the history of Division IA Football
- 18 seasons with 10 or more wins
- 30 bowl games in 33 years at FSU including a current streak of 27 in a row
- 2006 inductee into the College Football Hall of Fame
- 382 all-time victories with 309 coming in his 33 years at FSU
- 12 ACC Championships
- The only coach in NCAA history to lead his team to 11 consecutive bowl victories (1985-95)
- Florida State has won more than 83% of its ACC games since joining the league (114-23)



## ALL-TIME DIVISION I-A COACHING VICTORIES

Coach	W-L-T	Win Pct.	Yrs
1. Joe Paterno	383-127-3	.750	43
2. <b>Bobby Bowden</b>	<b>382-123-4</b>	<b>.754</b>	<b>43</b>
3. Paul "Bear" Bryant	323-85-17	.780	38
4. Glenn "Pop" Warner	319-106-32	.733	44
5. Amos Alonzo Stagg	314-199-35	.605	57

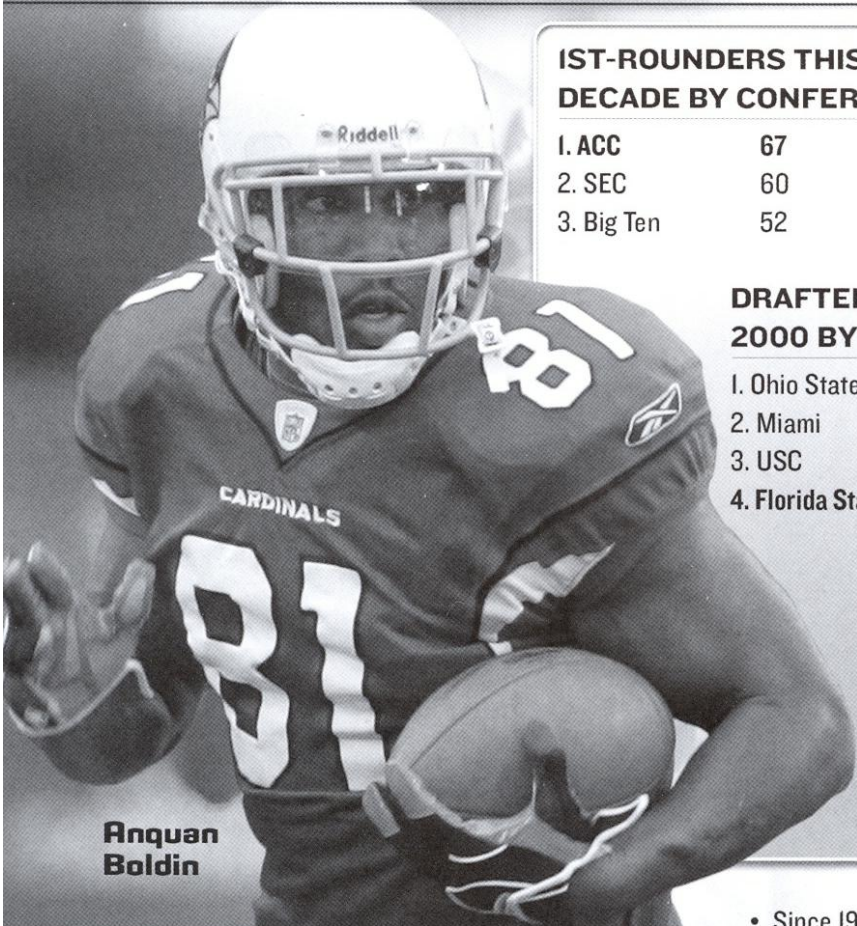
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2. Joe Paterno	383-127-3	.750	43
3. Jim Tressel	218-76-2	.740	23
4. Brian Kelly	159-57-2	.734	19
5. Steve Spurrier	170-62-2	.731	19

\*minimum 100 victories



# Seminoles in the NFL



**Anquan Boldin**

## IST-ROUNDERS THIS DECADE BY CONFERENCE

1. ACC	67
2. SEC	60
3. Big Ten	52

## DRAFTEES SINCE 2000 BY SCHOOL

1. Ohio State	70
2. Miami	64
3. USC	61
4. Florida State	56

## IST-ROUNDERS SINCE 2000 BY SCHOOL

1. Miami	26
2. Ohio State	15
3. Florida State	13

## IST ROUND DRAFT PICKS SINCE THE ACC EXPANDED IN 2004

1. ACC	44
1. SEC	44
3. Big Ten	32
4. Big 12	22
5. Pac 10	20

## PLAYERS ON 2008 OPENING DAY NFL ROSTERS BY CONFERENCE

1. SEC	259
2. ACC	254
3. Big Ten	227

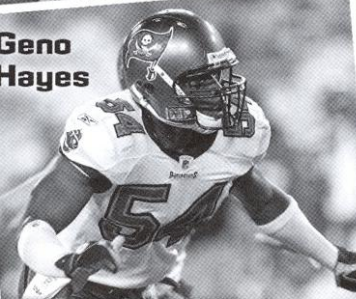
"No contest: Former Seminoles blow away the pack, finishing first by an 11% margin. Scouts say top athletes and an emphasis on teaching fundamentals make the Seminoles great pros." - *Wall Street Journal* article naming FSU the top school for producing the best NFL players.

- Since 1993, 101 Seminoles have been drafted.
- Five Seminoles were selected to play in the 2009 NFL Pro Bowl in Hawaii, marking the third-straight season at least three former FSU players received the honor.
- Florida State has had at least one player taken in the NFL Draft every year since 1984.
- Seven defensive linemen from FSU have been drafted in the last five years, including three in the first round.

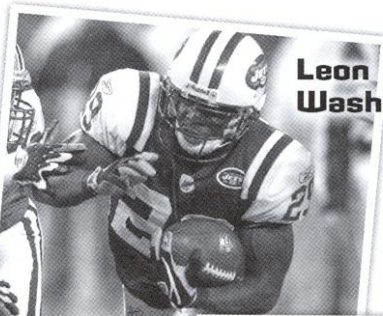
**Lawrence Timmons**



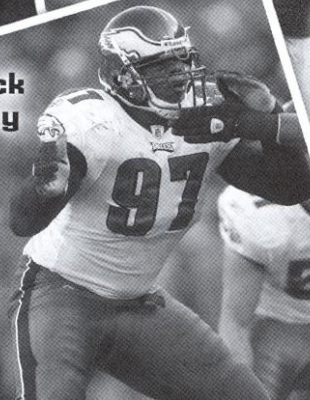
**Geno Hayes**



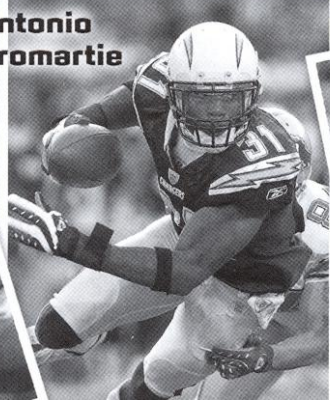
**Leon Washington**



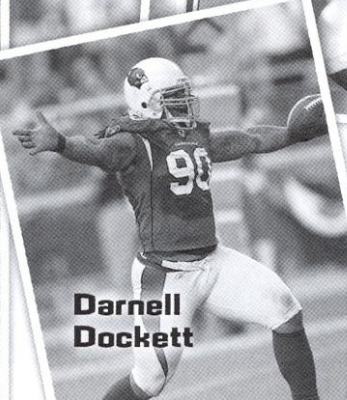
**Brodrick Bunkley**



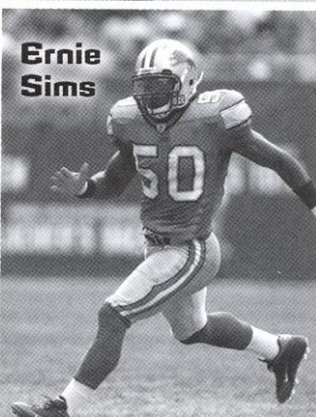
**Antonio Cromartie**



**Darnell Dockett**



**Ernie Sims**





# National Media Exposure

**The next generation of Yankees**  
**Sporting News** SEE A DIFFERENT GAME  
 The NHL's second season  
 NBA playoffs: Best inside-outside combos

**ESCAPE ARTIST**  
 The amazing story behind ANTONIO CROMARTIE, every NFL quarterback's worst nightmare

**ESPN**  
**Signing Day**  
 Your school's football combined ranks on today's list to the future. But the winner behind the rankings is far from sure. See what our experts have to say on signing day. Take that!

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**Scholar Athlete**  
 Myron Rolle may be a football scholar and NFL first-round pick by April. But will he be a scholar and NFL first-round pick by April? Full Story

- ESPN recorded five of the top 15 most-viewed bowl games in 2008, including its second most-viewed bowl game ever, the Champs Sports Bowl with 5,098,000 homes and a 5.2 rating for Florida State's 42-13 victory over Wisconsin.
- Two of the ACC's Bowl Games – the Champs Sports and Emerald – were ESPN's highest-rated bowl games in 2008. In all, the ACC was part of four of ESPN's six top-rated bowl games.
- For the fourth time in the last five years, Florida State has helped set a new attendance record at a bowl game. In the Champs Sports Bowl game against Wisconsin, the attendance was 52,692, the largest ever in Champs Sports Bowl history.
- Two of the most-watched games in the history of the BCS featured Florida State (2000 Sugar Bowl and 2001 Orange Bowl).
- Florida State has played on national TV 172 times including nine times in 2008.
- FSU's appearance in the 2007 Music City Bowl boosted ratings by 80% from the 2006 game.

## MOST TV APPEARANCES ON A MAJOR NETWORK SINCE 1995

Michigan	175
Florida State	172
Penn State	143

**WHOS Hot Not**

**FSU**  
 Not one, not two, but four Florida State defenders—including new Detroit Lions linebacker Ernie Sims (left)—were top 20 picks in the NFL draft. And it was also a good Sarafin day for former Seminole Javeon Walker, who got his wish and was traded from Green Bay to Denver, where he's reportedly close to signing a lucrative six-year deal.

**St. Louis Cardinals**  
 On the east side of Missouri the Cards are 17-8, have won eight of 10, and their pennant slugger, Albert Pujols (right), is drawing intentional walks in the first inning. Said manager Tony La Russa, "We're really playing good baseball, but I've never got the feeling we were a really hot baseball club." Tony, we disagree.

**Carlos Beltran**  
 Ooh la la! Fresh off being named one of Pujols's 100 most beautiful, the outfielder returned from a leg injury to smack a double and a two-run HR in his first two games back for the fire-eating Mets.

**Couches**  
 On a great weekend for tonight and tomorrow—how about a draft with those playoffs?—Chris Coach's 95-year chip sealed his first PGA win.

**USC**  
 Reggie Bush slipped to No. 2 in the draft. Matt Leinart fell to No. 10. Winston Justice tumbled to No. 39, and LenDale White dropped to No. 45. That's the good news compared with this: Freshman QB Mark Sanchez (right) was arrested on suspicion of sexual assault, and the next scandal surrounding Bush could yet cost him his Heisman.

**Kansas City Royals**  
 On the west side of Missouri the Royals are a big-league worst 5-17, got rained out of a game they were (gasp!) leading 5-1 and hit as many homers in April—as all Pujols did. Said Reggie Sanders (left), who's batting .233, "It's just tough... to try to stay upbeat." Reggie, we lost your Royal pain.

**Henrik Lundqvist**  
 He may be one of Pujols's beautiful 100, but New York's number-one goalie got swept out of the playoffs by the Devils. And what would a pretty much when you're always wearing a mask?

**Kite**  
 Who could go fly free with all that tube fare? And Tom Kite fell short in Texas; he's still recovering from a PGA-sanctioned event in his home state.



**COLLEGE FOOTBALL INSIDER**

To the season for rebirth, renewal and really good football players.

**Meet the kings of spring**  
 By Tom Dienhart  
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**All-spring team**

**Quarterback**  
 QB: Arkansas, Tim Lappas (left) is the season's most exciting player. He's a senior, but he's got the makings of a star. He's got the makings of a star. He's got the makings of a star. He's got the makings of a star.

**Running back**  
 RB: Oregon, Deion Branch (right) is the season's most exciting player. He's a senior, but he's got the makings of a star. He's got the makings of a star. He's got the makings of a star.

**Wide receiver**  
 WR: Florida State, Mark Sanchez (right) is the season's most exciting player. He's a senior, but he's got the makings of a star. He's got the makings of a star. He's got the makings of a star.

**Tight end**  
 TE: Florida State, Mark Sanchez (right) is the season's most exciting player. He's a senior, but he's got the makings of a star. He's got the makings of a star. He's got the makings of a star.

**Offensive line**  
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**Defensive line**  
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**Linebacker**  
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**Cornerback**  
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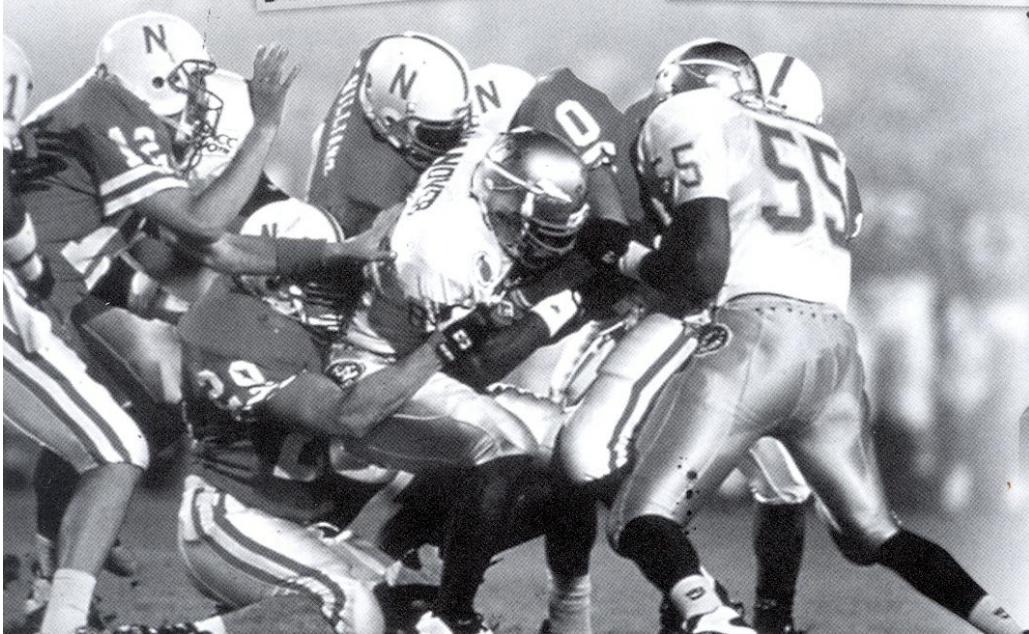
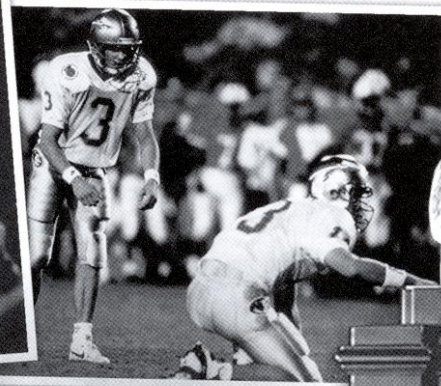
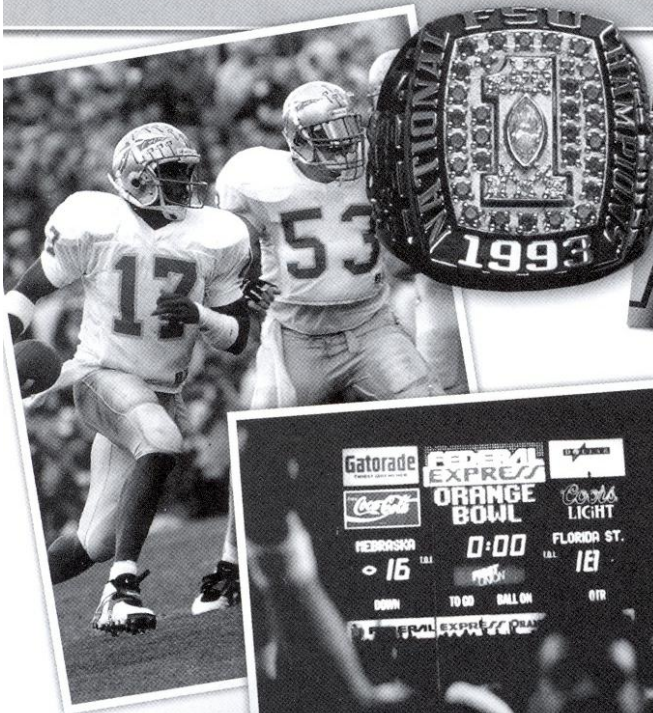
**Punter**  
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**Special teams**  
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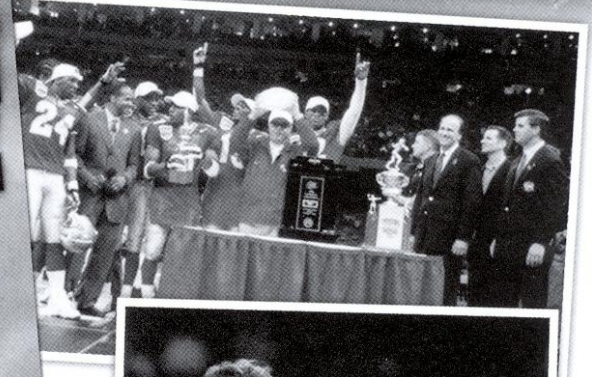
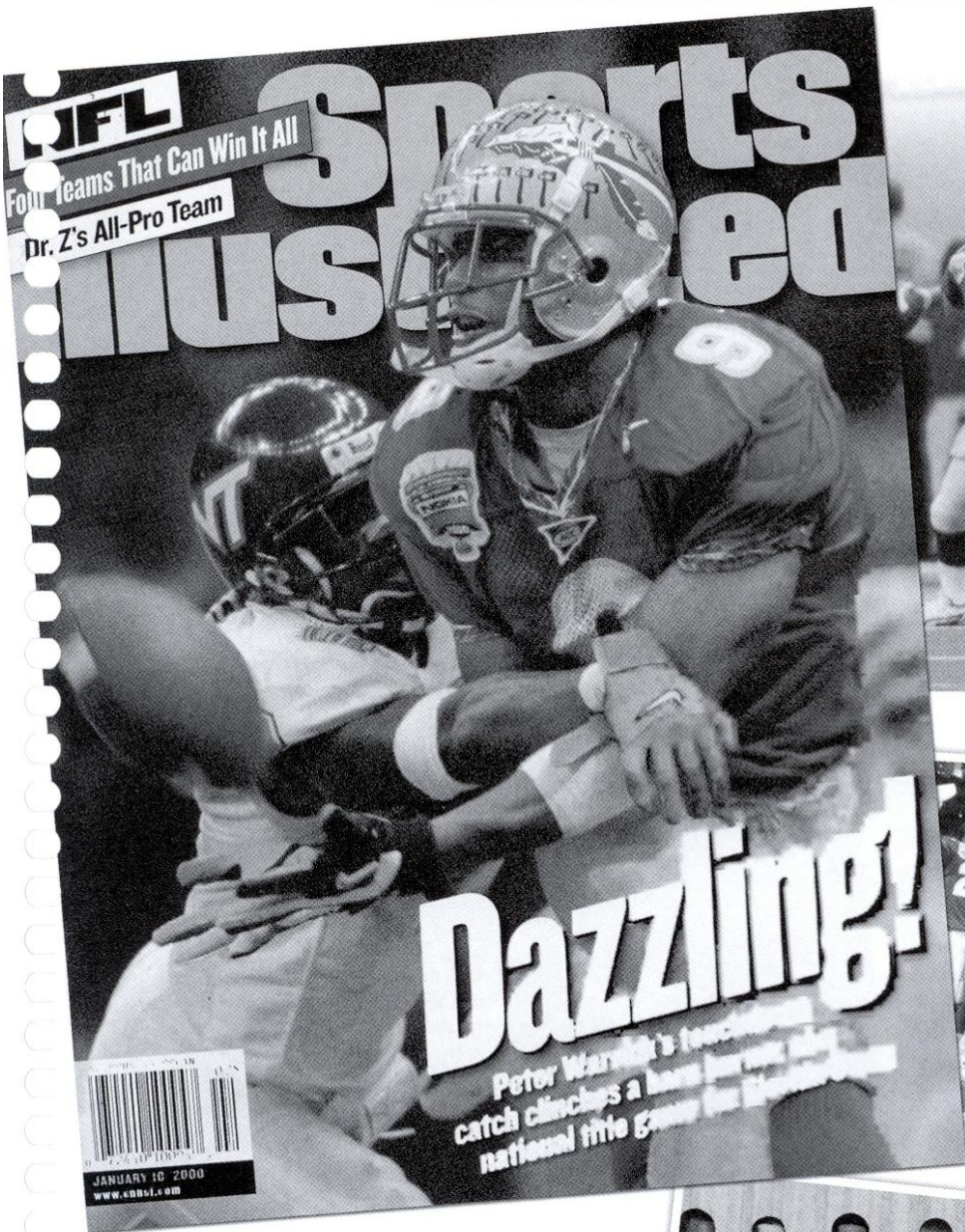
# 1993 National Champions

- Florida State captured the first National Title in school history with an 18-16 win over Nebraska in the Orange Bowl.
- The 1993 National Championship team was the first in eight years to start the season No. 1 and go on to win the title.
- In 1993 FSU quarterback Charlie Ward collected 20 national awards while leading the Seminoles to a National Championship.
- FSU led the nation in scoring offense and defense as the Seminoles outscored their 13 opponents by an average of 34 points per game.

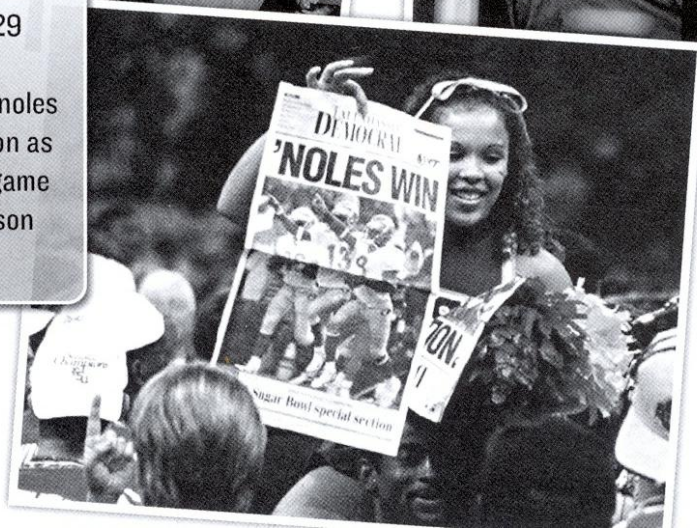




# 1999 National Champions



- The Seminoles became the first team in the history of the Associated Press poll to go wire-to-wire as the No. 1 team in America. Only one other team has ever matched that feat since FSU completed its 12-0 season with a 46-29 Sugar Bowl win over Virginia Tech.
- Not only did Bobby Bowden lead the Seminoles to the NCAA's first-ever wire-to-wire season as the No. 1 team but he also won his 300th game in 1999 and recorded the first perfect season of his career.





# Osceola and Renegade

Perhaps the most spectacular tradition in all of college football occurs in Doak Campbell Stadium when Osceola charges down the field riding an Appaloosa horse named Renegade and plants a flaming spear at midfield to begin every home game. The tradition was born on September 16, 1978 against Oklahoma State when a student led the team from the tunnel riding a horse. Since the beginning of the FSU tradition, five different horses and 13 different riders have actually appeared at a game. The original Osceola and Renegade were Jim Kidder and Reo. In 2003, local businessman Bill Durham, who had trained the riders and horses for 20 years, passed the honor and responsibility to his son Allen, who was a former rider in the 90s. The clothing and rigging that Osceola and Renegade use were designed and approved by the Seminole Indian Tribe of Florida.

## OSCEOLA'S THROUGHOUT FSU HISTORY

- |                      |                           |
|----------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Jim Kidder        | Jacksonville, FL 1987-79  |
| 2. David Mays        | Tallahassee, FL 1980-81   |
| 3. David Williams    | Tallahassee, FL 1982      |
| 4. Jeff Ereckson     | Tallahassee, FL 1983-84   |
| 5. Greg Ereckson     | Tallahassee, FL 1985-86   |
| 6. Jim Fairfield     | Bradenton, FL 1987-88     |
| 7. Tom Sawyer        | W. Palm Beach, FL 1989-91 |
| 8. Allen Durham      | Tallahassee, FL 1992-94   |
| 9. Andy Taylor       | Laurel, MS 1995-96        |
| 10. Jason Mork       | Tallahassee, FL 1997      |
| <b>Alumni Riders</b> |                           |
| 11. Daniel Kennerly  | Bunnell, FL 1999          |
| 12. Lincoln Golike   | Pilot Point, TX 2000-03   |
| 13. Josh Halley      | Chipley, FL 2004-07       |
| 14. Chris Gannon     | Palm Beach, FL 2008       |
| 15. Drake Anderson   | Calera, AL 2009           |

## RENEGADE'S THROUGHOUT FSU HISTORY

- |              |                       |
|--------------|-----------------------|
| Renegade I   | 1978                  |
| Renegade II  | 1979-89               |
| Renegade III | 1989-99               |
| Renegade IV  | 1999-02, 2005-06      |
| Renegade V   | 2003-04, 2007-present |





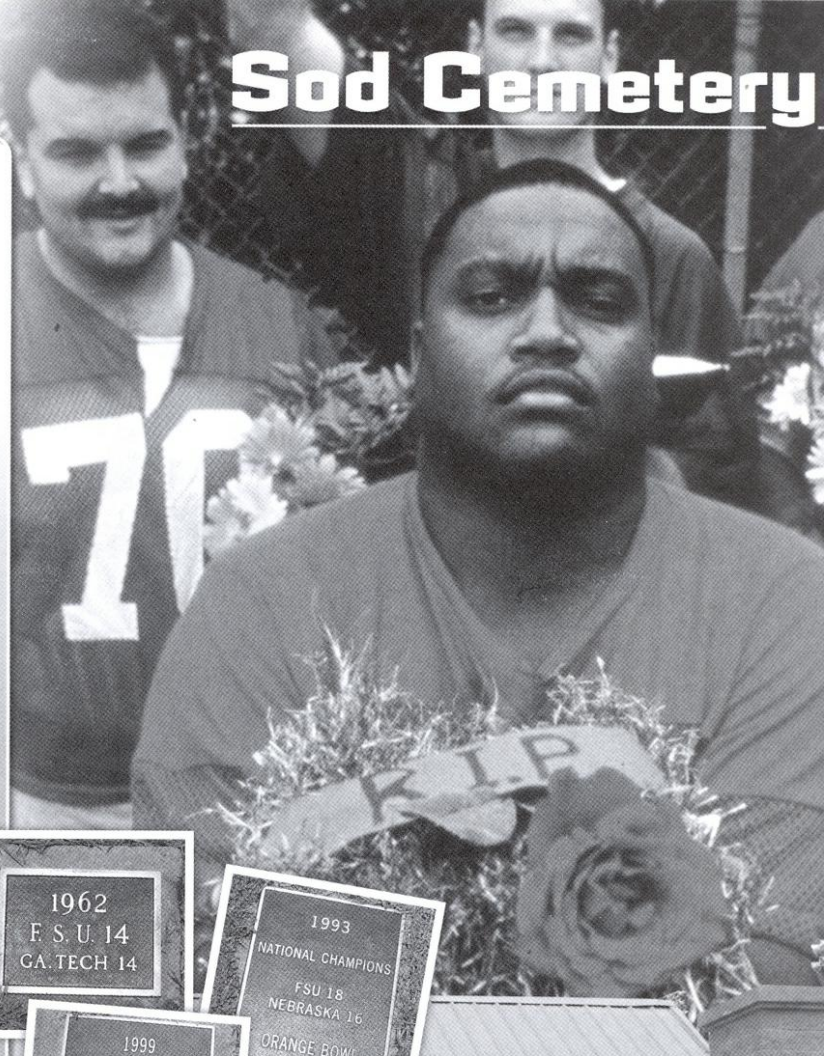
# Sod Cemetery

Florida State University's "sod games" and the Sod Cemetery have become legend in college football. In 1962, the Seminole football team was preparing to play the University of Georgia at Sanford Stadium. At the end of the team practice on Thursday afternoon, Dean Coyle Moore, a long-time professor and Athletic Board member spoke to the team. He challenged them to win this difficult game away from home and "bring back some sod from between the hedges at Georgia."

On Saturday, October 20, 1962, Florida State earned a surprising 18-0 victory over Georgia. After the game, team captain Gene McDowell pulled a small piece of grass from the football field. The team presented the sod to Dean Moore at the next football practice. He and Coach Bill Peterson had the sod buried on this practice field as a symbol of victory. A monument was placed to commemorate the victory and the tradition of the sod game was born.

Since that time, before leaving for games away from home in which Florida State is the underdog, all University of Florida road games and all conference championship and bowl games. Seminole captains gather their teammates at the cemetery to tell them about this tradition. Victorious captains return with a piece of the opponent's turf to be buried.

Sod games represent the most difficult of college football's battles. They are away from home, against the crowd, and against the odds. From the most difficult circumstances, some of the most glorious victories have been engraved.



## Sod Game Victories

Year	Opponent	Score	Site	Year	Opponent	Score	Site
1962	Georgia	18-0	Sanford Stadium	1984	North Carolina	28-3	Atlanta Fulton Cty Stadium
	Georgia Tech	14-14	Grant Field		Miami	38-3	Orange Bowl
	Auburn	14-14	Cliff Hare Stadium		Arizona State	52-44	Sun Devil Stadium
1963	Miami	24-0	Orange Bowl		Georgia	17-17	Citrus Bowl
1964	Georgia	17-14	Sanford Stadium	1985	Nebraska	17-13	Memorial Stadium
	Texas Christian	10-0	Amon G. Carter Stadium		Oklahoma State	34-23	Gator Bowl
	Miami	14-0	Orange Bowl	1986	Indiana	27-13	Legion Field
1965	Oklahoma	36-19	Gator Bowl	1987	Michigan State	31-3	Spartan Stadium
1966	Miami	23-20	Orange Bowl		Auburn	34-6	Jordan-Hare Stadium
	Texas Tech	42-33	Jones Stadium		Florida	28-13	Florida Field
	South Carolina	32-10	Carolina Stadium		Nebraska	31-28	Sun Devil Stadium
1967	Alabama	37-37	Legion Field	1988	Clemson	24-21	Clemson Memorial Stadium
	Memphis State	27-7	Memphis Memorial Stadium		Auburn	13-7	Louisiana Superdome
	Texas A&M	19-18	Kyle Field	1989	Florida	24-17	Ben Hill Griffin Stadium
	Florida	21-16	Florida Field		Nebraska	41-17	Sun Devil Stadium
	Penn State	17-17	Gator Bowl	1990	Penn State	24-17	Joe Robbie Stadium
1968	NC State	48-7	Carter Stadium	1991	Michigan	51-31	Michigan Stadium
	South Carolina	35-28	Carolina Stadium		Texas A&M	10-2	Cotton Bowl
	Houston	40-20	Gator Bowl	1992	Clemson	24-20	Clemson Memorial Stadium
1969	Miami	19-14	Orange Bowl		Georgia Tech	29-24	Bobby Dodd Stadium/Grant Field
	Virginia Tech	10-10	Lane Stadium		Nebraska	27-14	Orange Bowl
1970	South Carolina	21-13	Carolina Stadium	1993	Florida	33-21	Ben Hill Griffin Stadium
	Miami	27-3	Orange Bowl		Nebraska	18-16	Orange Bowl
1976	Boston College	28-9	Alumni Stadium	1994	Notre Dame	23-16	Citrus Bowl
	North Texas State	21-20	Fouts Field		Florida	23-17	Louisiana Superdome
1977	Oklahoma State	25-17	Lewis Field	1995	Notre Dame	31-26	Orange Bowl
	Florida	34-9	Florida Field	1997	North Carolina	20-3	Kenan Stadium
	Texas Tech	40-17	Tangerine Bowl		Ohio State	31-14	Sugar Bowl
1978	Syracuse	28-0	Archbold Stadium	1999	Florida	30-23	Ben Hill Griffin Stadium
1979	Arizona State	31-3	Sun Devil Stadium		Virginia Tech	46-29	Sugar Bowl
	Louisiana State	24-19	Tiger Stadium	2001	Virginia Tech	30-17	Gator Bowl
	Florida	27-16	Florida Field	2003	Florida	38-34	Ben Hill Griffin Stadium
1980	Louisiana State	16-0	Tiger Stadium	2004	West Virginia	30-18	Gator Bowl
	Nebraska	18-14	Memorial Stadium	2005	Boston College	28-17	Alumni Stadium
1981	Ohio State	36-27	Ohio Stadium		Virginia Tech	27-22	Alltel Stadium (ACC Championship)
	Notre Dame	19-13	Notre Dame Stadium	2006	Miami	13-10	Orange Bowl
1982	Miami	24-7	Orange Bowl		UCLA	44-27	Emerald Bowl
	Ohio State	34-17	Ohio Stadium	2007	Boston College	27-17	Alumni Stadium
	West Virginia	31-12	Gator Bowl	2008	Miami	41-39	Orange Bowl
1983	Arizona State	29-26	Sun Devil Stadium		Maryland	37-3	Byrd Stadium
	Louisiana State	40-35	Tiger Stadium		Wisconsin	42-13	Citrus Bowl

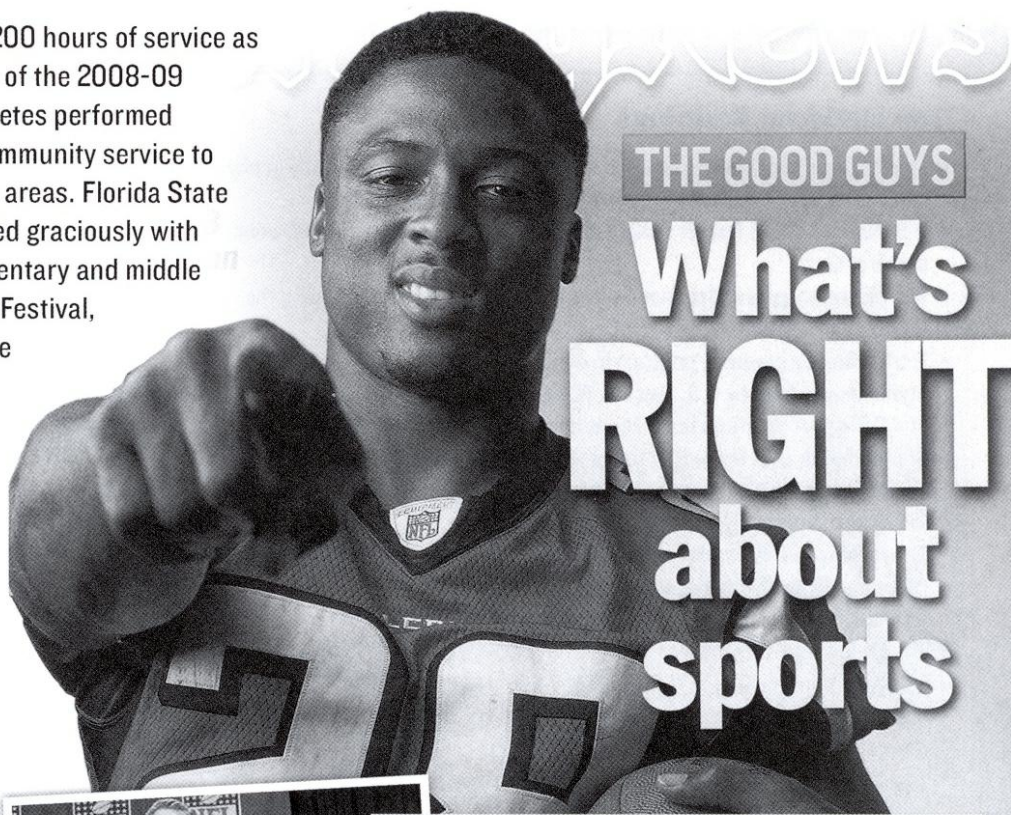






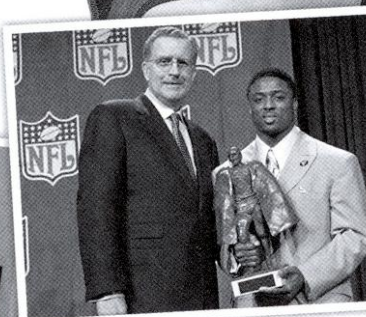
# The Student-Athlete

- Football players donated nearly 200 hours of service as a team last year. Over the course of the 2008-09 academic year, FSU student-athletes performed approximately 3,500 hours of community service to Tallahassee and the surrounding areas. Florida State student-athletes have volunteered graciously with organizations such as local elementary and middle schools, the Tallahassee Fitness Festival, Dick Howser, the Children's Home Society, the Second Harvest Food Bank, Big Brother-Big Sister, the American Cancer Society, United Way and the Special Olympics.
- Florida State's athletics department has twice been honored as the National Consortium of Academics and Sports Outreach program of the year for Division I for reaching over 150,000 youth.



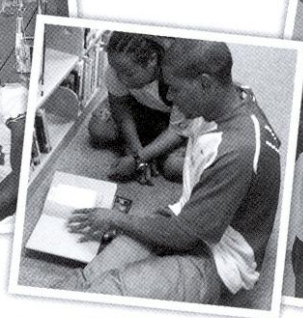
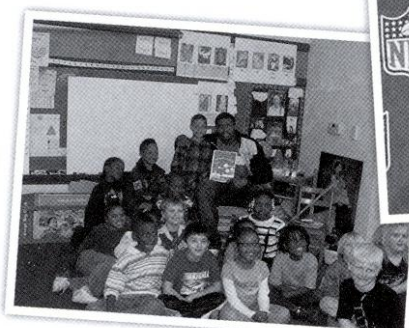
THE GOOD GUYS

## What's RIGHT about sports



### NFL MAN OF THE YEAR BY SCHOOL

Notre Dame	4	Florida State is one of just five colleges to boast two former players who have been named NFL Man of the Year
USC	3	
Alabama	3	
Florida State	2	
Purdue	2	



Flash! The star who did not grab the big money

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## The Sporting News

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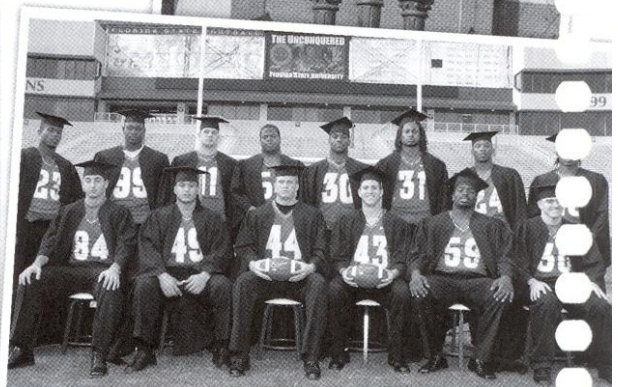




# Florida State University: A Powerhouse University

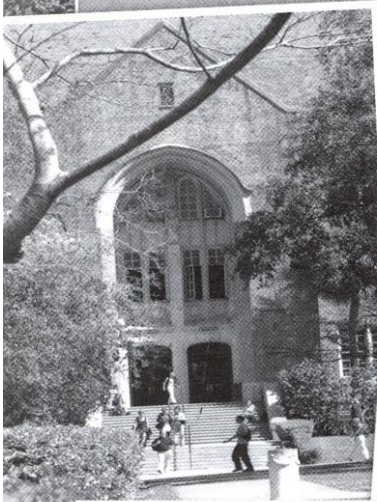
## Top National Rankings

- Florida State consistently ranks in the top 10 universities nationally in physical sciences grants awarded by the National Science Foundation.
- U.S. News & World Report ranks Florida State in the nation's top 50 public universities.
- The Meteorology and Oceanography departments are ranked among the nation's top 10 by the National Research Council.
- Florida State's graduate program in nuclear physics was ranked eighth among public universities by U.S. News & World Report.
- The College of Business is ranked 8th among public universities by U.S. News & World Report. U.S. News also ranks the business school's Real Estate Program 11th in the country and its Risk Management/Insurance Program fourth.
- The College of Information's graduate program ranks in the top 10 nationally by U.S. News & World Report. The college's Children and Youth Services Program is first in the nation.
- The College of Law's Environmental Law Program is ranked 10th best in the nation by U.S. News & World Report, which also ranks the law school in the nation's top tier in terms of academic reputation.
- The College of Motion Picture, Television and Recording Arts, recognized in 2004 by the Directors Guild of America for distinguished contributions to American culture, has won 24 College Television Awards in 17 years. The College of Music graduate program was named fifth best in the nation and its Opera Program third among public universities by U.S. News & World Report.



## Nationally Renowned Faculty

- Nobel Prize winner Sir Harold Kroto, of the Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, is a recipient of the Copley Medal, the highest award of the Royal Society in Britain.
- College of Music Professor Ellen Taaffe Zwilich, also a Florida State graduate, is the first woman to win the Pulitzer in music. She also is a four-time Grammy nominee, is the first woman to earn a doctorate in composition at the Juilliard School and is the first-ever occupant of Carnegie Hall's Composer's Chair.
- Pulitzer Prize-winning author and Florida State English Professor Robert Olen Butler has won two National Magazine Awards in Fiction from the American Association of Magazine Editors.
- Academy Award winner Richard Portman, of the College of Motion Picture, Television and Recording Arts, has received 11 Academy Award nominations for sound work in feature films.
- Our Department of Dance faculty — one of the largest and most accomplished dance faculties in the country — includes legendary ballerina and 2006 Kennedy Honors recipient Suzanne Farrell.
- New York Times bestselling author Mark Winegardner, a Creative Writing professor, was selected by Random House and the Mario Puzo Estate to write the sequel to *The Godfather*.



## Strong Students

- Florida State University has garnered three Rhodes Scholars in the past four years, including two student-athletes — track & field's Garrett Johnson (2005), Joe O'Shea (2007) and football's Myron Rolle (2008). Student have also received numerous other prestigious national scholarships and fellowships, including Truman Scholarships, Fulbright Fellowships, a Goldwater Scholarship, a Pickering Graduate Foreign Affairs Fellowship, a Jack Kent Cooke Scholarship, a Fulbright Hays Award and Rotary International Ambassador Scholarship.
- In 2008, the students entering as freshman in the fall had an average SAT score of 1265 and an average ACT score of 28.
- Florida State graduates find employment with major employers including Ernst & Young, GEICO, Merrill Lynch, PricewaterhouseCoopers and Target.

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Advanced a stage or two upon that road  
Which you must travel in the steps they trod.

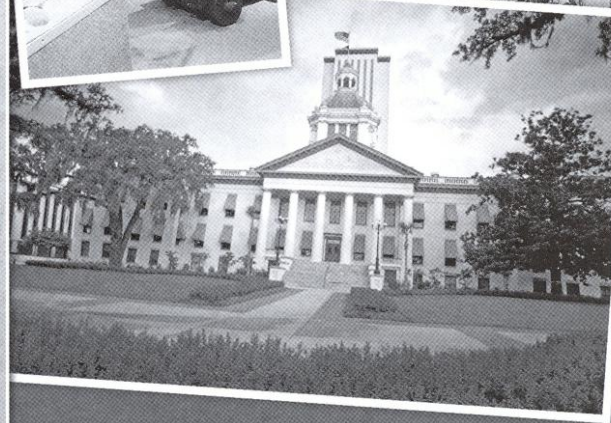
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# This Is Tallahassee

- Nearer to Atlanta than Miami, Tallahassee is "The Other Florida" in attitude, topography, climate and lifestyle.
- With over 5,900 rooms in more than 58 hotels and motels, Tallahassee offers a blend of Southern-style inns, rustic campsites, family-owned economy lodges and impressive corporate hotels. There are also 13 bed & breakfasts and 13 inns in the Tallahassee area.
- From fast food to five-star, Tallahassee serves up an excellent selection of tantalizing restaurants. Tickling the taste buds are specialties ranging from homemade country sausage and melt-in-your-mouth steaks to wild game and succulent seafood fresh from the Gulf.
- The first Christmas celebrated in the United States was in Tallahassee at the encampment of Spanish Explorer Hernando de Soto in 1539.
- Lights, Camera, Action ... Early "Tarzan" movies featuring Johnny Weissmuller and Maureen O'Sullivan were filmed at nearby Wakulla Springs. Also filmed, were "Creature from the Black Lagoon" and "Airport 77."
- George Washington's great grandniece, Catharine Daingerfield-Willis-Gray and Napoleon Bonparte's nephew, Prince Achille Murat, provided the social event of the season when they were married in Tallahassee in 1826. The plantation home of widowed Princess Murat is on exhibit at the Tallahassee Museum.
- Tallahassee lists 122 properties on the National Register of Historic Places.
- Tallahassee offers more than 28 museums, galleries, public art sculptures, monuments and historic sites.
- There are 306.5 miles of hiking/biking & walking trails in and around the Tallahassee area.
- There are eight public pools and 63 recreational parks in Tallahassee/Leon County -- incredible weather, lush gardens, lakes and more.
- America's largest concentration of original plantations -- 300,000 acres, 71 plantations -- exists between Tallahassee and Thomasville, Georgia, just 28 miles away.
- Nearly 60 percent of Tallahassee's population is between the ages of 18-44.
- Average Low - High Temperatures in Tallahassee are 40 to 63 degrees in January and 72 to 91 degrees in July.
- There are over 150,000 people living in Tallahassee and over 300,000 in the metropolitan area.
- The capitol of the State of Florida has been located in Tallahassee since 1823.
- The Gulf of Mexico is just 20 miles south of Tallahassee and the Georgia border is just 14 miles to the north.





# First-Class Facilities



## The Don Fauls Athletic Training Room

- 15,000 Square-Foot Athletic Training Facility
- 2 Examination Rooms
- 24 Treatment Tables
- 3 Separate Rehab Rooms
- Aquatic Rehab Center With Hot and Cold Jacuzzi and 7 Individual Whirlpool Tanks
- 10 Full-Time Certified Athletic Trainers



## The Roger Holler Champions Training Complex

- Lifting Area of 14,000 Square Feet
- 20,000 Square Feet of Functional Training Space.
- 24 Self-Contained Powerlift Work Stations Each Containing 500 Pounds of Free Weights
- Custom-Built FSU Equipment, Platforms and Weights
- More Than 20,000 Pounds of Free Weights



## The Manny Garcia Locker Room

- The Manny Garcia Locker Room recently underwent renovations costing more than two million dollars
- The locker room features a unique semi-circle shape and houses 120 wooden lockers for Seminole football players
- Sealed lockers representing the glorious history of FSU football are featured all around the facility
- FSU's All-Americans are also honored throughout the locker room

