

HEAD GORCH JIMBO FISHER







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- · Head Coach
- 24th Season
- 2nd Year as Head Coach at FSU (5th Year Overall)

Hard work was a family value in the Clarksburg, West Virginia home where Jimbo Fisher was raised; the oldest son of a coal miner and a teacher. Applying those lessons instilled at an early age served Fisher well both athletically and professionally and ultimately delivered him to Florida State University, where he was elevated to head football coach on January 5, 2010.

A veteran of 22 seasons as a college assistant, including three as FSU's offensive coordinator, Fisher succeeded Bobby Bowden – the second winningest coach in major college football – as the Seminoles' ninth head coach and first new one in 35 years.

In just over a year, he has helped deliver the Seminoles back to a place of national prominence. Boasting a final ranking of No. 16 in the USA Today Coaches Poll, Fisher led his team to the 2010 Chick-fil-A Bowl Championship with a 26-17 win over then No. 19 South Carolina. His first season also included a season sweep of in-state rivals Miami and Florida, an ACC Atlantic Division title and the program's first 10-win season since 2003 as the Seminoles finished 10-4. In just his first season as a head coach, Fisher won the most games (10) by a first-year coach in Florida State history and the third-most by a rookie coach in ACC history. He was named the 2010 Football Writer's Association of America's Freshman All-America Team Coach.

Three of his players in 2010 earned All-America honors in offensive guard Rodney Hudson (consensus All-America selection), defensive end Brandon Jenkins and cornerback Xavier Rhodes. Rhodes was named the ACC Rookie of the Year and National Defensive Freshman of the Year. Fisher capped off the 2010 season with three seniors selected in the 2011 NFL Draft led by quarterback Christian Ponder – the No. 12 overall pick in the draft by the Minnesota Vikings. Ponder became the highest offensive player to go for the 'Noles since offensive lineman Alex Barron in 2005. Before Ponder, Gary Huff was the highest drafted FSU QB as the 33rd overall pick in the second round of the 1973 draft.

Fisher carried the success of his first season onto the recruiting trail as he put together a 2011 recruiting class ranked either first or second nationally by ESPN.com, Scout.com and Rivals.com.

"It is not a common man that I introduce you to today as our head football coach," FSU Director of Athletics Randy Spetman said at Fisher's formal introduction. "A common man would not have the courage, patience and determination to follow the greatest college football coach in history. A common man would find it too challenging to accept the coach-in-waiting role and ignore openings at other top-flight programs. A common man could not have rekindled the Seminoles spirit, excitement and vision so quickly."

Few embody the "unconquered spirit" that defines the Seminole Nation as well as Fisher, whose best attributes include a relentless work ethic, the passionate pursuit of perfection, a keen vision for the long range future as well as a sense of place for his faith, family and football.

"I've been preparing for this day for a long time," Fisher said at his introductory press conference. "I've been fortunate in my life to be around a lot of successful people that I have learned many, many things from. But I think the greatest thing that I've learned from them is I have to be myself. I must do things the way I want to do them, do what got me here and remember the reasons why I am here."

Fisher has not wasted any time putting his stamp on the Seminoles. From assembling a staff of energetic, ambitious assistants, to dramatically overhauling the program's infrastructure, he has left no stone unturned. His attention to every aspect of the program – from strength & conditioning, nutrition, mental training, academic support, talent evaluation and recruiting, player development and peer mentoring among teammates – is centered on establishing an unshakeable foundation that emphasizes the whole development of each player.

"You have to remember, there are so many good athletes out there," Fisher said during his first spring tour of Seminole Booster clubs. "I believe the key is player development. We must develop our players as people first, then everything else will take care of itself."

Fisher has carefully crafted his vision for the Seminoles through 19 seasons as a

full-time, college assistant. Nick Saban and Bobby Bowden, each of whom have won two national championships and authored perfect seasons, have been the most influential coaches in his career.

Yet the greatest influences in Fisher's life have been his parents, John James and Gloria Fisher. His late father, a coal miner and farmer who demanded accountability from sons Jimbo and Bryan, helped them understand the value of hard work from an

"I really have a lot of confidence in Jimbo. He is one of the sharpest coaches, young coaches I have seen. He will hire well and he will recruit well. I think he will do good."

- BOBBY BOWDEN

early age. Those lessons extended beyond the family farm and home and onto the fields and courts as a promising young football, basketball and baseball player.

"My dad was probably as much an influence as anyone because he always tried to make me think the game," Fisher said. "I was always a kid that when I played youth sports, I always played up (an age group). I was the young guy who always had to play against the older kids. Everybody would say, 'Well, they're bigger and faster.' I said, 'So? All you have to do is win. Out-think them.'

"At an early age I was always intrigued about why things happened. I wasn't the kid that just played and forgot it. I always wanted to know why it worked. I thought about it all the time."

By the time Fisher reached junior high school and became the starting quarterback, he was calling plays in the huddle. And win or lose, the car rides home with his father always included a critique of what transpired on the field.

"My feet were to the fire every time I played because my father was like that," Fisher said. "He never let you dwell on the things you did well. He'd remind you that you did well, but would ask, 'Why did you do that?' ... He was always honest. He never told me what I wanted to hear. He always told me the truth. That's a message I try to tell our players."

Fisher learned about tough-love from his father, but his future was also shaped by his mother, Gloria, who just completed her 51st year teaching high school chemistry. It was Gloria who made sure that her son escaped from a life in the coal mines and followed his dream after an all-state career at Liberty High School.

"I always knew I was going to play or coach," Fisher said. "I've known it as far back as I can remember."

HEAD COACH

After a one-semester stop at Clemson, where he was going to play baseball, Fisher returned home to Salem College in West Virginia. He starred for three seasons at quarterback, establishing a school and conference record for career passing yardage. A two-time conference player of the year and an All-American in his final season at Salem, Fisher transferred to Samford College in Birmingham, Alabama for his final season of eligibility. He enjoyed a record-setting season in 1987 with the Bulldogs, earning NCAA Division III National Player of the Year honors, which he parlayed into a season with the Chicago Bruisers of the Arena Football League.

In 1993, Fisher joined the staff at Auburn and over the next 14 seasons, including stops at Cincinnati and LSU, he built a reputation as a keen play-caller whose development of quarterbacks was second-to-none in major college football. His list of standout pupils included record-setters Stan White, Patrick Nix and Dameyune Craig, who is the lone 3,000-yard passer in Auburn history. After guiding Cincinnati to one of its most prolific seasons in a one-year stint, he joined Saban's staff at LSU. Over the course of a

"We worked together for five years. He did a fabulous job for us at LSU as the offensive coordinator. I think he's got all the right stuff to be a great head coach. I know he's turned down other opportunities to stay at Florida State and we're happy he's getting the opportunity as a head coach."

- ALABAMA HEAD COACH NICK SABAN

seven-year run with the Tigers, quarterbacks Josh Booty, Rohan Davey, Craig Nall, Matt Mauck, JaMarcus Russell and Matt Flynn were selected in the NFL Draft. Russell, who was the first player selected in the 2007 NFL Draft, and Davey remain the only 3,000-yard passers in LSU history.

LSU made seven consecutive bowl appearances, won two SEC titles, posted a 70-20 record and won the 2003 BCS National Championship with Fisher as its

offensive coordinator. He was a finalist for the 2001 Frank Broyles Award, presented to the nation's top assistant coach.

Fisher accepted Bobby Bowden's invitation to join the Florida State staff as offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach in January 2007 and by the end of his first year, was tabbed as Bowden's successor upon retirement. The quick ascent followed a similar arc to the Seminoles' offense, which has improved statistically in each of his four seasons.

Along the way he has significantly impacted FSU's recruiting, been instrumental in the development of quarterbacks Christian Ponder and EJ Manuel and set the table for the inevitable transition to the seat occupied by Bowden since 1976. The time as a coachin-waiting allowed him the opportunity to closely evaluate the players and program as a whole; what changes needed to be made and how to work the proper channels to get that accomplished.

"Sometimes it takes (new coaches) a year to figure out who has control of what; whose toes you're stepping on and what has to change," Fisher said. "The timetable (provided) and the ability to know where to go and how to handle each situation was one of the biggest benefits to me."

Fisher moved swiftly assembling his staff, retaining four assistants – Rick Trickett, James Coley, Lawrence Dawsey and Odell Haggins – while adding five new ones. Eddie Gran, Mark Stoops, Greg Hudson, Dameyune Craig and D.J. Eliot clearly reflect Fisher's image: young and energetic with proven track records for recruiting and a history of winning. Collectively the average age of his staff is just under 40 and yet brings nearly 80 years of experience to the table. They have coached in four of the six BCS conferences – SEC, Pac-12, Big Ten and Big East – as well as Conference USA, WAC and Notre Dame.

Fisher had crossed paths with many of them throughout his career, including strength & conditioning coach Vic Viloria, who heads up a large staff dedicated to football; more than tripling the size of the previous staff.

Fisher and all of his assistants coaches are married with children so having family involved with the football program is a priority to the second-year head coach.

"Family is very important to me," said Fisher. "My wife and my children are the reasons I am able to do what I do."

Candi Fisher and their sons, Trey and Ethan, are regular visitors in the football office and on the practice field. So, too are the spouses and children of other members of the FSU coaching staff.

"I think a coach's family is the key to good coaching," Fisher said. "When you have a happy family and they're important, it makes for better coaches.

"Our staff is a big family and a lot of times it's the only family you have, because in this world of coaching the staff and their families have to stick together. We're people who have a lot of the same values and principles about family. It just seems to work better. Family is a huge part of my life and I look at our staff as our extended family."

In the same sense, Fisher treats his players very much like his own, challenging, praising, even admonishing, when necessary. It is all in an attempt to help each and every one reach their full potential as student-athletes and responsible young adults, thus strengthening the team one player at a time.

He firmly believes that it takes a keen ability to focus on the task at hand to fulfill, not only their individual potential, but the collective result as teammates.

"The biggest thing a player has to understand is that he has to control what he can control," Fisher said. "He can't get caught up in the outside distractions. As crazy as it sounds – and it's contradictory to a point – you can't worry about winning. We're competing to win, but how do we win? ...

"We all say there is no 'l' in team, but there is an 'l' in win. You have to be the best you can be and do your job so you can be accountable, so your team can win. Then you start affecting other players."

Fisher wants relentless competitors to define his Florida State program; players who are immune to adversity.

As a hands-on head coach who will continue to work with the quarterbacks and call plays, Fisher will remain a vocal presence on the field, while balancing a myriad of off-the-field responsibilities as he continues to shape the Florida State program in his own image.

Fisher will do that with a sense of responsibility and appreciation for Florida State's rich past and the men – Bowden and the players who have come before those he coaches today – who have built the program. Not surprisingly, he has welcomed those players back with open arms in an effort to bridge the past with the present and future.

"There is such a great desire to be successful here," Fisher said. "That feeling is shared by our family, our student body, our alumni, our players and the ex-coaches that have made it that way. We won't be any different. I have stated before, there are many approaches to doing things. I will have my own philosophies on things. I will do things in many different ways, but as long as the core values and

Jimbo Fisher as its head coach. He is an outstanding football coach and a tremendous family man. I had the opportunity to work with him for a short time and learned a great deal working alongside him. He was ready to be a head coach at that time, and I know he is even more prepared today. He has a big job in following one of the true legends of our sport in Coach Bowden, but I know Jimbo is prepared for the challenge."

"Florida State is fortunate to have

- NEBRASKA HEAD COACH BO PELINI

principles don't change, to me, then tradition doesn't change."

It's that rich tradition that drew Fisher to Florida State and his time under Bowden. Now it is time to build on it.

"History is our greatest teacher and it always will be," Fisher said. "We're not asking to do things that have never been done here before. We're just asking to go back where they should be. With a little bit of hard work, as an old guy used to tell me, the secret to success is that there is no secret. The secret to success is hard work. Have your plan, be yourself, do what you think is right, do what got you here. That won a guy 389 games. Hopefully it will win me a bunch."





HEAD COACH

- Named the 2010 Football Writer's Association of America's Freshman All-America Team Coach
- Won the most games (10) by a first-year coach in Florida State history and the thirdmost by a rookie coach in ACC history

THE FISHER FILE

5th at Florida State (2nd as Head Coach)

Coaching Experience:

Birthdate:

Family:

Head Coach

24th season,

Clarksburg, WV

October 9, 1965

Salem (W.Va.) '89

wife Candi Fisher; sons Trey (10) and Ethan (6)

- Put together a 2011 recruiting class ranked either first or second nationally by ESPN.com, Scout.com and Rivals.com
- Led FSU to its 29th consecutive bowl appearance - the longest active streak in the nation and second all-time to Nebraska's 35.

season sweep by the Seminoles

- Led FSU to first ACC Atlantic
 Division title since 2005 and first
 season sweep of Miami and Florida since 1999. In posting the first season sweep of
 in-state rivals Florida and Miami, joined former Florida coaches Ray Graves (1960)
 and Galen Hall (1985) to pull off the feat as a first-year coach. The 52-point combined
- Guided FSU to its best home record (6-1) since posting 6-0 marks at Doak Campbell Stadium in 1999 and 2000

margin of victory over the rival Hurricanes and Gators was the widest margin in a

- By winning six of his first seven games, joined former FSU coaches Don Veller ('48) and Larry Jones ('71) to notch that feat as a first-year coach with the 'Noles.
- Responsible for developing FSU QB Christian Ponder who, as a second-year starter, led the ACC in total offense and passing yards per game in 2009. Ponder capped off his senior season in 2010 by becoming the 12th overall pick of the Minnesota Vikings in the 2011 NFL Draft.
- As FSU's offensive coordinator from 2007-09, the Seminoles improved each season to rank among the ACC leaders in total offense
- Offensive coordinator for the 2003 National Champion LSU Tigers
- Coached three LSU players selected in the first round of the 2007 NFL Draft including No. 1 overall pick JaMarcus Russell
- Five LSU quarterbacks in seven years were NFL Draft picks (Josh Booty, Rohan Davey, Craig Nall, Matt Mauck and JaMarcus Russell)
- Tigers posted a 70-20 record and went to seven bowl games with Fisher as offensive coordinator. The 70 wins and seven bowl appearances are the most in any sevenyear stretch in LSU history
- While at LSU, the Tigers won two SEC titles and played in three BCS Bowl games
- Named a finalist for the 2001 Frank Broyles Award as the nation's top assistant coach
- Coached the only two 3,000-yard passers in LSU history (Russell and Davey)
- In 1999, his offense at Cincinnati was ranked 16th in the NCAA
- Coached the only 3,000-yard passer in the history of Auburn football (Dameyune Craig)

Voor	School	Position	NG LEDG W-L-T	
Year				Postseaso
1988	Samford	SA/QB	5-6	
1989	Samford	SA/QB	4-7	
1990	Samford	GA/QB	6-4-1	
<u>1991</u>	Samford	OC/QB	12-2	NCAA I-A
<u>1992</u>	Samford	OC/QB	9-3	NCAA I-A
1993	Auburn	QB	11-0	
1994	Auburn	QB	9-1-1	
1995	Auburn	QB	8-4	Outbac
1996	Auburn	QB	8-4	Independent
1997	Auburn	QB	10-3	Peac
1998	Auburn	QB	3-8	
1999	Cincinnati	OC/QB	3-8	
2000	LSU	OC/QB	8-4	Peac
2001	LSU	OC/QB	10-3	Sug
2002	LSU	OC/QB	8-5	Cotto
2003	LSU	OC/QB	13-1	Sug
2004	LSU	OC/QB	9-3	Capital Or
2005	LSU	OC/QB	11-2	Peac
2006	LSU	OC/QB	11-2	Sug
2007	Florida State	OC/QB	7-6	Music Ci
2008	Florida State	OC/QB	9-4	Cham
2009	Florida State	OC/QB	7-6	Gat
2010	Florida State	HC	10-4	Chick-fil-
Total	23 yrs	Asst	181-86-2	
	1 yr	НС	10-4	

JIMBO FISHER SECURES HISTORIC FIRST FSU VICTORY

Jimbo Fisher, the ninth coach in Florida State's 64-year football history, became just the fourth man to make a winning debut when the Seminoles opened the 2010 season with a 59-6 victory over Samford on Sept. 4. That's something a pair of College Football Hall of Famers - Bobby Bowden and Darrell Mudra - did not accomplish. Neither did Ed Williamson, Tom Nugent or Perry Moss. Prior to Fisher's opening triumph, the last coach to lead FSU to victory in his first game was Larry Jones, whose Seminoles defeated Southern Miss, 24-9 on Sept. 11, 1971.







JAMES COLEY

- · Offensive Coordinator/Tight Ends
- 15th Season
- 4th at Florida State
- James Coley is in his fourth season at Florida State second as the offensive coordinator and fourth as tight ends coach. In 2010, the Seminoles ranked among the ACC leaders in total offense, rushing offense and scoring offense. Coley helped direct the Seminoles' offense which was led by 2011 NFL first round selection Christian Ponder (Minnesota Vikings).
- In 2010, FSU was the fourth-best scoring offense in the ACC averaging 31.4 points per games and ranked fourth in rushing offense with 171.4 yards per game. FSU ran for more than 200 yards five times as a team including a 298-yard performance against in-state rival Miami which capped off a string of four consecutive 200-yard rushing games BYU (278), Wake Forest (201), Virginia (256) and Miami (298). FSU ran for 218 yards in the Chick-fil-A bowl win over SEC East Champion South Carolina. FSU also led the league in third down conversions (47.6 percent).
- Coley's work on the field has been instrumental in bringing the tight end position back to a place of prominence for the Seminoles. Florida State's tight ends combined for more than 200 yards receiving in 2010. In 2009, tight ends Caz Piurowski and Beau Reliford

THE COLEY FILE

Position: Offensive Coordinator/Tight Ends

Madison (3); son, Brady (6 months in July)

15th Season

Miami, FL

April 14, 1973

4th at Florida State

Florida State, 1997

wife, Kenia Coley; daughter,

Coaching Experience:

Hometown:

Alma Mater

- combined for 24 receptions, 283 yards and four TDs. Those totals were tempered by Piurowski's seasonending knee injury at mid-year. The four TDs were the most for the `Noles from the tight end position since 1994.
- As the recruiting coordinator at Florida State in 2008 and 2009, Coley was instrumental in the Seminoles landing back-to-back Top 10 signing classes, which have helped re-stock FSU's talent pool. He was the named the top recruiter in the ACC in 2010 by ESPN.com. Coley's boundless

energy on the recruiting trail earned him a huge fan following on his @CoachColey twitter account.

- Coley was the offensive coordinator at Florida International in 2007 and spent six seasons in the Miami high school ranks, including a three-year run as offensive coordinator at Norland, which won a state title. A two-year offensive graduate assistant at LSU, where he worked alongside coordinator Jimbo Fisher, was followed by two seasons on the offensive staff with the Miami Dolphins under Nick Saban.
- Prior to arriving at FSU, Coley spent one season as the offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach at FIU. The Miami native completely overhauled the Golden Panthers offense and established new standards for rushing yardage, as the unit doubled its production over the second half of the season.
- In two seasons as an offensive assistant with Saban's Miami Dolphins, Coley had an opportunity to work with running backs Ricky Williams and Ronnie Brown ('05) when they boasted the NFL's seventh-rated rushing attack. In 2006 he worked with the receivers, Including All-Pro Chris Chambers and Wes Welker, and was responsible for breaking down opposing defenses and self-scouting as the quality control coach.
- Coley's first foray into the college game came as a graduate assistant at LSU on offensive coordinator Jimbo Fisher's staff in 2003 and 2004. The Tigers won the 2003 SEC Title and National Championship and played in the 2004 Capital One Bowl.
- Coley initially crossed paths with Fisher while coaching high school football in Miami from 1997-2002. His first job was as the quarterbacks coach at Miami Senior, where he spent three seasons and worked with current NFL standouts Andre Johnson and Roscoe Parrish.
- He moved to Norland in 2000 as assistant head coach/offensive coordinator and coached several players who had outstanding collegiate careers, including Dwayne Bowe (LSU), Kareem Brown (Miami), Alexander Bostic III (FIU) and Antwan Barnes (FIU) during a three-year run which culminated with the school winning the 6A state title in 2002.
- After graduating from Florida State in '97, Coley received his master's degree in kinesiology from LSU in 2004.



	COLEY'S	COACHING	LEDGER	
Year	School	Position	W-L	Postseason
1997	Miami Senior	QB		
1998	Miami Senior	QB		
1999	Miami Senior	QB		
2000	Miami Norland	AHC/OC/QB		
2001	Miami Norland	AHC/OC/QB		
2002	Miami Norland	AHC/OC/QB		
2003	LSU	GA	13-1	Sugar
2004	LSU	GA	9-3	Capital One
2005	Miami Dolphins	OA	9-7	
2006	Miami Dolphins	OQC	6-10	
2007	Florida International	OC/QB	1-11	
2008	Florida State	TE/RC	9-4	Champs
2009	Florida State	TE/RC	7-6	Gator
2010	Florida State	OC/TE	10-4	Chick-fil-A





FOOTBALL

COACHING STAFF



MARK STOOPS

- Defensive Coordinator/Secondary
- 22nd Season
- 2nd at Florida State
- Mark Stoops is in his 22nd season of coaching and his second year as Florida State's
 defensive coordinator and secondary coach. Hired by Jimbo Fisher is January of 2010 to
 replace the venerable Mickey Andrews, Stoops came to FSU from Arizona, where he spent six
 seasons serving the Wildcats in the same capacity under his brother head coach Mike Stoops.
 He is also the brother of Oklahoma head coach Bob Stoops.
- Stoops is credited with overhauling the Seminoles' defense in his first season as Florida State's defensive coordinator in 2010. The 'Noles yielded 19.6 points per game which was third best in the ACC and 20th in the nation. The Seminoles ranked 42nd nationally in total defense after ranking 108th in 2009 and ranked sixth in the ACC in 2010 after ranking last in the league in total defense in 2009. Florida State improved its overall defense by more than 80 total yards per game, mainly by limiting opponents to 75 less rushing yards per game. The Seminoles ranked third in the nation in quarterback sacks and 21st in tackles for loss led by second team All-American Brandon Jenkins who finished with 13.5 sacks (third-most in the ACC

THE STOOPS FILE

Position: Defensive Coordinator/Secondary

Coaching Experience:

Hometown:

Alma Mater:

Birthdate:

Family:

22nd Season

Iowa, '89

July 9, 1967

2nd at Florida State

wife, Chantel Stoops;

sons Will (4) and Zack (1)

Youngstown, OH

and sixth nationally) and 21.5 tackles for loss. FSU tied with Boise State for the national lead with 48 total sacks. In the secondary, he coached Xavier Rhodes to ACC Defensive Rookie of the Year honors and National Defensive Freshman of the Year honors. In 2011, he returns eight starters from a defense which helped produce wins over two SEC East powers in Florida and South Carolina.

 Stoops was instrumental in turning Arizona into one of the finest defensive units in the Pac-10 during his six-year stint. Arizona ranked 25th nationally in

total defense in 2009 and was ranked among the top three in the conference in five statistical categories as the Wildcats finished with a second consecutive 8-5 season.

- Stoops built an impressive resume by developing nationally elite units, especially in the secondary. Prior to his six-year run at Arizona, he spent three seasons at the University of Miami as the secondary coach. His 2002 and 2003 units led the nation in pass defense, while the 2001 Hurricanes which won the national championship led the nation in pass efficiency defense, scoring defense and turnover margin.
- He spent the 2000 season as co-defensive coordinator at Houston, following a three-year run at Wyoming as the secondary coach. His first full-time college job came in 1996 when he was hired by USF to help with the start-up of the program.
- A proponent of zone schemes, Stoops' pass defenses have been especially proficient and extraordinary at takeaways. The 2001 Miami team established a single-season school record with 27 interceptions and 45 takeaways. Miami's 2002 secondary tied an NCAA record by allowing just 9.5 yards per completion. The 2003 Hurricanes were second in total defense and fourth in scoring defense and pass efficiency defense. The 1997 Wyoming secondary contributed significantly to its school-record 24 interceptions.

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		STOOPS	COACHIN	G LEDGER	
	Year	School	Position	W-L	Postseason
	1990	Iowa	GA	8-4	Rose
	1991	Iowa	GA	10-1-1	Holiday
	1992	Nordonia Hills	DB		
	1993	Nordonia Hills	DB		
	1994	Nordonia Hills	DB		
	1995	Nordiona Hills	DB		
	1996	USF	DB		
	1997	Wyoming	DB	8-5	
	1998	Wyoming	DB	8-3	
	1999	Wyoming	DB	7-4	
	2000	Houston	CODC/DB	3-8	
	2001	Miami (FL)	DB	12-0	Rose
	2002	Miami (FL)	DB	12-1	Fiesta
	2003	Miami (FL)	DB	11-2	Orange
	2004	Arizona	DC/DB	3-8	
	2005	Arizona	DC/DB	3-8	
	2006	Arizona	DC/DB	6-6	
	2007	Arizona	DC/DB	5-7	
	2008	Arizona	DC/DB	8-5	Las Vegas
	2009	Arizona	DC/DB	8-5	Holiday
	2010	Florida State	DC/DB	10-4	Chick-fil-A

 Stoops recruited and developed some of the finest defensive backs in the nation over the past decade, many of who have gone on to enjoy outstanding NFL careers. Among the

notable are Ārizona's Antoine Cason and Michael Johnson, Miami's Philip Buchanon, Kelly Jennings, Brandon Merriweather, Ed Reed, Antrel Rolle, Mike Rumph, Sean Taylor, and Wyoming's Brian Lee.

 Like his brothers, Stoops played collegiately in the secondary at lowa for Hall of Fame coach Hayden Fry. Fry hired Stoops as graduate assistant for the 1990 and 1991 seasons. The Hawkeyes won the 1990 Big Ten title and



played in the Rose Bowl; duplicating feats Stoops also achieved as a player during a four-year career.

- As a player and a coach, he has taken part in 12 bowls, including his first season at Florida State and both of his final two seasons at Arizona.
- Before launching his collegiate coaching career, Stoops followed in his father's footsteps as a high school football coach. He spent four years at Ohio's Nordonia Hills as an assistant and the school's athletic director.
- Raised in Youngstown, Ohio, Stoops played high school football at Cardinal Mooney.



EDDIE GRAN

- Associate Head Coach/Running Backs/Special Teams
- 25th Season
- 2nd at Florida State
- Eddie Gran is in his 25th season of collegiate coaching and his second season at Florida State, where he will serve as associate head coach, coach the running backs and coordinate special teams. Gran spent 11 seasons as a running backs coach and special teams coordinator in the SEC, including 10 years at Auburn, followed by a stop at Tennessee before coming to Florida State in 2010.
- Gran helped develop Florida State's running game into one of the strongest in the ACC in his first season in Tallahassee in 2009. The Seminoles averaged nearly 5.0 yards per carry and ranked third in the league in rushing touchdowns with 27. The Seminoles ranked fourth in the league in scoring as compared to sixth the year before Gran's arrival. In 2010, three Seminole running backs gained more than 400 yards rushing on the ground led by FSU's leading rusher Chris Thompson, who gained 845 yards. It was only the sixth time in FSU history that a trio gained more than 400 yards in a season. FSU

THE GRAN FILE

Position: As	ssociate Head Coach			
Running E	Backs/Special Teams			
Coaching Experience:	25th Season/			
	2nd at Florida State			
Hometown:	Escondido, CA			
Alma Mater:	Cal Lutheran, '87			
Birthdate:	July 21, 1965			
Family: wife, Rosemary Gran; daughte				
Hannah (17), Dillan (14), Sydn				
and Lucy Grace (

ran for more than 200 yards five times as a team including a 298-yard performance against instate rival Miami which capped off a string of four consecutive 200-yard rushing games – BYU (278), Wake Forest (201), Virginia (256) and Miami (298). FSU ran for 218 yards in the Chickfil-A bowl win over SEC East Champion South Carolina.

Gran is considered to be one of the top special teams coaches in all of college football as
evidenced by the Seminoles ranking as the ACC leaders in punting, kickoff coverage, field goals
made and PAT percentage. He will work with arguably the top two kickers in college football
in kicker Dustin Hopkins and punter Shawn Powell and the most dangerous punt and kickoff
return man in the nation Greg Reid.

	GRAN'S	COACHIN	G LEDGER	
Year	School	Position	W-L	Postseason
1987	Cal Lutheran	WR	4-6	
1988	Cal Lutheran	WR	2-8	
1989	SE Missouri State	RB	0-0	
1989	East Carolina	GA	5-5-1	
1990	Miami (FL)	GA	10-2	Cotton
1991	Miami (FL)	GA	12-0	Orange
1992	Cincinnati	WR	3-8	
1993	Cincinnati	WR	8-3	
1994	Idaho State	WR	6-5	
1995	Ole Miss	RB/ST	6-5	
1996	Ole Miss	RB/ST	5-6	
1997	Ole Miss	RB/ST	8-4	Motor City
1998	Ole Miss	RB/ST	6-5	Independence
1999	Auburn	RB/ST	5-6	
2000	Auburn	RB/ST	9-4	Citrus
2001	Auburn	RB/ST	7-4	Peach
2002	Auburn	RB/ST	9-4	Capital One
2003	Auburn	RB/ST	8-5	Music City
2004	Auburn	RB/ST	13-0	Sugar
2005	Auburn	RB/ST	9-3	Capital One
2006	Auburn	RB/ST	11-2	Cotton
2007	Auburn	RB/ST	9-4	Chick-fil-A
2008	Auburn	RB/ST	5-7	
2009	Tennessee	RB/ST	7-6	Chick-fil-A
2010	Florida State	RB/ST	10-4	Chick-fil-A



- Gran has a strong record for developing backfield talent. During his 14 seasons as the assistant to Tommy Tuberville at Ole Miss and Auburn, he sent eight running backs to the NFL, including former Tigers Carnell Williams, Ronnie Brown, Rudi Johnson, Brandon Jacobs, Heath Evans and Kenny Irons. They were preceded by former Rebels Deuce McCallister and John Avery.
- Tennessee's Mario Hardesty (1,345 yards) added his name to the lengthy list of 1,000-yard rushers Gran has worked with over the course of his career in '09. Hardesty, who did not fumble on 282 carries from scrimmage in 2009, was a second-round draft pick of the Cleveland Browns in 2010. He was selected one slot after Auburn's Ben Tate (Houston Texans), whom Gran coached in 2008.
- Gran's tenure as a special teams coach included oversight of Auburn kicker John Vaughn, who was the SEC Special Teams Player of the Year in 2006. With his hands-on approach in all facets of special teams play, Gran is widely regarded as one of the most meticulous in tutoring the game's critical "third phase."
- Beyond the playing field, Gran has established himself as one of the nation's top recruiters. He has spent the better part of two decades recruiting Miami and greater South Florida as his primary territory, where he first crossed paths with Jimbo Fisher. The fertile ground has remained his primary recruiting area with the Seminoles and he helped the Seminoles attract the nation's No. 1 recruiting class in 2011. He and fellow assistant coach Lawrence Dawsey were named two of ESPN.com's Top 25 Recruiters of the Year in 2011.
- Gran and his wife, Rosemary, are deeply involved in the community for a cause that has changed their lives and continues to impact others. The Sydney Gran Foundation is a charity designed to support children's hospitals and other families whose children are facing serious illness. Sydney, the third of the Gran's four daughters, was born with the rare disease called Holoprosnecephaly. She passed away just shy of her sixth birthday in 2005. Additional information is available at www.sydneygranfoundation.org.
- Gran's 25 seasons in the college ranks includes stops from coast-to-coast. It began at his alma mater Cal Lutheran, where he played four seasons as a wide receiver. Like fellow FSU staff members Mark Stoops and D.J. Eliot, Gran also served on the staff at the University of Miami.







RICK TRICKETT

- Assistant Head Coach/Offense/Offensive Line
- · 39th Season
- 5th at Florida State
- One of the top and most respected offensive line coaches in all of college football, Rick Trickett enters his fifth season at Florida State and his 39th overall. He is nationally recognized for his ability to identify, recruit and develop talent, he has transformed the Seminoles' offensive line into one of the finest units in the nation.
- Trickett coached Rodney Hudson throughout his career at Florida State. Hudson closed his
 career as the most decorated offensive lineman in school and ACC history, earning unanimous
 first team All-American honors in 2010. Hudson was one of three finalists for the Outland Trophy,
 won his second consecutive Jacobs Blocking Trophy as the ACC's most dominant lineman and
 was only the second lineman in league history to be selected All-ACC four times.
- In 2010, Trickett's unit led the way for three Seminole running backs who gained more than 400 yards rushing on the ground. It was only the sixth time in FSU history that a trio gained more than 400 yards in a season. FSU ran for more than 200 yards five times as a team including a 298-yard performance against in-state rival Miami which capped off a string of four consecutive 200-yard rushing games BYU (278), Wake Forest (201), Virginia (256) and Miami (298). FSU ran for 218 yards in the Chick-fil-A bowl win over SEC East Champion South Carolina. Center Ryan McMahon finished his career as the all-time leader in career starts (53) after Trickett converted the defensive tackle into a mainstay on the offensive line for four years. Going into 2011, his bookends left tackle Andrew Datko and right tackle Zebrie Sanders are already garnering preseason honors. The two have a combined 73 career starts.
- In 2009, Trickett's unit allowed just 20 sacks the fewest by an FSU team since 1997 as the `Noles averaged 271.8 yards a game through the air. In 2008, the `Noles averaged 179.1 yards a game on the ground; the best by an FSU team since 2002.
- All five Florida State starting offensive linemen in 2009 were nominated for All-ACC honors by opposing league coaches, marking a first in Trickett's distinguished career.

THE TRICKETT FILE

Position: Assistant Head Coach - Offense/

Travis (27), Chance (24) and Clint (20)

Coaching Experience:

Hometown:

Alma Mater

Birthdate

Family:

Offensive Line

5th at Florida State

Morgantown, WV

39th Season

Glenville, '72

March 23, 1948

wife, Tara Trickett; sons,

- Trickett has coached seven All-American offensive linemen in his storied career at some of the nation's top schools, including Hudson, who earned the distinction from the Football Writers Association of America in 2009 and was a unanimous All-American selection in 2010
- He has been nominated for the Frank Broyles Award twice which goes to the nation's top assistant coach. He was nominated in 2006 and 2009.
- Three FSU linemen guard Rodney Hudson, center Ryan McMahon and current tackle Andrew Datko – garnered Freshman All-American honors while Having for Trickott Lab has casehold 15.

playing for Trickett. He has coached 15 players that have been named either first or second team freshmen All-Americans.

- Trickett has a track record for developing strong units quickly. FSU improved its per game rushing yards average by more than 70 yards after two seasons. After one season at West Virginia, the Mountaineer running game improved from 35th in the nation to second in 2002. From 2002-2006, West Virginia finished among the top 15 rushing offenses and three times were among the top five nationally.
- In 2006 as the offensive line coach at West Virginia, the Mountaineers were second in the nation in rushing, third in scoring offense and fifth in total offense. Only two other schools in the previous 10 years had finished in the top five of each of those categories.
- At Auburn, he coached four linemen Wayne Gandy, Willie Anderson, Victor Riley and Kendall Simmons who were selected in the first round of the NFL Draft.
- More than 30 players Trickett has coached have gone on to play in the NFL.
- More than 30 players have won all-conference honors under Trickett, including four of his five linemen at West Virginia in 2005 and 2006. At LSU in 2000, three of his players earned All-SFC honors.
- Trickett earned his undergraduate degree in 1972 from Glenville (W.Va.), where he was an allconference strong safety. He received his master's degree from Indiana (Pa.) in 1975.



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- Trickett is a U.S. Marine Corps and Vietnam War veteran.
- The Tricketts have been a fixture on the FSU campus since Rick's 2007 arrival in Tallahassee. Two of Tara and Rick's sons have been involved in the football program with Travis serving as an offensive graduate assistant in 2010 after serving as a videographer. He received his master's degree from FSU and is now an assistant coach for tight ends.



and slot receivers at Samford. Clint is a redshirt freshman quarterback with the Seminoles and Chance graduated in spring 2011 with his bachelor's degree.





Assistant Head Coach-Defense/Linebackers

THE HUDSON FILE

Position: Assistant Head Coach-Defense/

Coaching Experience:

Hometown:

Linebackers

21st Season

2nd at Florida State Cincinnati, OH

Notre Dame, '90

February 4, 1967

- 21st Season
- 2nd at Florida State
- · Greg Hudson is in his 21st season of collegiate coaching and second as Florida State's assistant head coach and linebackers coach. He is one of the architects of Florida State's rapidly improving defense. In particular, the Seminoles' linebackers were considered to be one of Florida State's most improved units in 2010.
- Florida State's defense in 2010 was rated as the 42nd best out of 120 Division I teams after ranking 108th the season before Hudson's arrival in Tallahassee. The Seminoles ranked 20th in the nation in scoring defense in 2010 after ranking 94th nationally in 2009. The Seminoles allowed more than 80 fewer yards defensively in 2010 than it did in 2009. Hudson coached two of the team's three leading tacklers in Nigel Bradham (98 tackles) and Kendall

Smith (97 tackles). Bradhman returns in 2011 as Hudson will be challenged in grooming a very talented corps of linebackers with limited playing experience in Vince Williams, Christian Jones, Telvin Smith, Nigel Terrell, Jeff Luc and Holmes Onwukaife.

· During his tenure at East Carolina, where he worked for one-time FSU graduate assistant Skip Holtz, for excellence. ECU posted four consecutive winning seasons for the first time in 30 years and made four

Alma Mater: Birthdate Pirates set new standards wife, Kelly Hudson; sons, Garrett (16) and Jack (11); daughters Kacey (15) and Kayla (13)

consecutive bowl appearances for the first time in school history. The Pirates also became the first team to win consecutive Conference USA championship games, pulling off the feat in 2008 and 2009 and knocking off two of the nation's top rated offenses in Tulsa (2008) and Houston (2009).

· Hudson's ECU defenses earned a reputation for turning over opponents, coming up with 145 takeaways in five seasons - an average of 29 per season - which ranks among the top 10 of all FBS programs in that stretch.

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1995	Connecticut	OL	8-3	
1996	Connecticut	OL	5-6	
<u>1997</u>	Cincinnati	TE/OL	8-4	<u>Humanitarian</u>
<u>1998</u>	Cincinnati	RB	2-9	
1999	Cincinnati	AHC/LB	3-8	
2000	Cincinnati	AHC/LB	7-5	Motor City
2001	Minnesota	RC/LB	4-7	
2002	Minnesota	DC/RB/LB	8-5	Motor City
2003	Minnesota	DC/RC/LB	10-3	Sun
2004	Minnesota	DC/RC/LB	7-5	Music City
2005	East Carolina	DC/LB	5-6	
2006	East Carolina	DC/LB	7-6	PapaJohns.com
2007	East Carolina	DC/LB	8-5	Hawaii
2008	East Carolina	DC/LB	9-5	Liberty
2009	East Carolina	DC/LB	9-5	Liberty
2010	Florida State	AHC/LB	10-4	Chick-fil-A



- The Pirates finished in the top 10 nationally in four defensive categories in 2009 fumbles recovered (3rd, 17), red zone defense (7th, 0.71 pct), turnovers gained (4th, 34) and turnover margin (10th, +0.79). They also led CUSA in scoring defense (21.93) and turnover margin.
- In 2008, Hudson's ECU defense led CUSA in total defense and scoring defense, despite losing several key players to injury. He earned national recognition for his work when the Pirates shut down No. 8 West Virginia's spread offense, led by quarterback Pat White, in a 24-3 victory. ECU also defeated eventual ACC champion Virginia Tech to open the 2008
- · Hudson has coached on both sides of the football over the course of his career, which began at the University of Redlands (Cal.) with the linebackers in 1991. He worked with the offensive line as a graduate assistant at Notre Dame in 1993 and was on the sideline for the historical "Game of the Century," when the Fighting Irish hosted Florida State. Hudson's first full-time post in the major college ranks came at Connecticut, where he had oversight of the offensive line. He held the same position during his first season at Cincinnati. Hudson returned to defense and worked with linebackers at both Cincinnati and Minnesota.
- A product of the legendary high school powerhouse Cincinnati Moeller, he was inducted into the Moeller Sports Hall of Fame in February 2011. Hudson attended Notre Dame and played linebacker for the Irish. He was also a catcher on the Notre Dame baseball team.









DAMEYUNE CRAIG

- Recruiting Coordinator/Quarterbacks
- 8th Season
- 2nd at Florida State
- Dameyune Craig began to make his mark as Florida State's recruiting coordinator and quarterbacks coach as he reached two very big milestones in 2010: The Seminoles attracted the nation's No. 1 recruiting class and Christian Ponder the Seminoles' quarterback in Craig's first season was selected in the first round of the NFL Draft. Ponder became the first Florida State quarterback to be selected in the first round of the NFL Draft.
- Craig will be charged with helping head coach Jimbo Fisher develop Florida State's next all-star caliber quarterback, EJ Manuel in 2011 as well as back-up quarterbacks Will Secord, Clint Trickett and Jacob Coker. In 2010, FSU shined in passing efficiency with Ponder (135.7 passing efficiency) ranking third in the ACC and 44th nationally. Ponder and Manuel combined to throw for 2,905 yards while Ponder completed 61.5 percent of his passes and Manuel completed 69.9 percent of his passes.

THE CRAIG FILE

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Position:	Recruiting Coordinator/
	Quarterbacks
Coaching Experience	ce: 8th Season
	2nd at Florida State
Hometown:	Prichard, AL
Alma Mater:	Auburn, '02
Birthdate:	April 19, 1974
Family:	wife, Neke Craig;
sons, Devin (12)	and Drake Christian (8)

- Craig is in his eighth season as a college coach and came to Florida State after a strong twoyear run at South Alabama where he directed the wide receivers for Joey Jones. Jones made Craig his first hire when he was charged with starting the Jaguars' football program, which played its first season in 2009 and is in the process of becoming a Football Championship Subdivision program.
- Craig played quarterback under Jimbo Fisher's watchful eye for four seasons at Auburn. He still holds numerous Auburn passing records, including completions (216) and passing yards (3,227) in a season as well as a single-game record for most net yards gained (445 vs. Army in 1996; 75 rush, 370 pass). The two were reunited at LSU when Craig began his collegiate coaching career as an offensive graduate assistant on Nick Saban's staff, which included Fisher as the offensive coordinator. He also spent one season with Saban as a special teams assistant with the Miami Dolphins.
- •After spending four years in the NFL, Craig returned to the college ranks and helped Tuskegee to a two-year record of 22-2. As the Golden Tigers' quarterbacks coach he was instrumental in fine-tuning an impressive offense and also earned the reputation as an outstanding recruiter. Tuskegee won a pair of SIAC titles and defeated Virginia Union in the Pioneer Bowl X to cap a 12-0 season in 2007 by winning the Black College National Championship.

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Year	School	Position	W-L	Postseason
2003	Blount (Ala.)	AC	2-8	
2004	LSU	GA	9-3	Capital One
2005	Miami Dolphins	STA	9-7	
2006	Tuskegee	QB	10-2	
2007	Tuskegee	QB	12-0	
2008	South Alabama	WR	0-0	
2009	South Alabama	WR	7-0	

• At South Alabama, Craig was instrumental in implementing a run-based, spread offense that put up prolific numbers during its seven-game inaugural season in 2009. The Jaguars (7-0) averaged 45.9 points and 439 yards of total offense in 2009.

10-4

Chick-fil-A

Florida State

- Craig also brings professional experience as a player to the Seminoles. He signed as a free agent quarterback with the NFL's Carolina Panthers and appeared in six games over a four-year stretch. Craig gained his greatest acclaim on the field as a pro with the Scottish Claymores in NFL Europe, where he passed for a single-game league record 611 yards against Frankfort and matched another league mark with five touchdown passes in a game. He finished his professional playing career in 2002 with Indiana of the Arena Football League.
- Craig began his coaching career at his high school alma mater, Blount, near Mobile, Ala., where he was an assistant coach in 2003.





LAWRENCE DAWSEY

- Passing Game Coordinator/Wide Receivers
- 11th Season
- 5th at Florida State
- Lawrence Dawsey is in his fifth season on the Florida State staff and his second season as the Seminoles' passing game coordinator and receivers coach. Dawsey added passing game coordinator to his title in 2010 and helped the Seminole receivers flourish as one of the deepest and best coached units on the field for the Seminoles.
- Florida State's receivers have prospered under Dawsey's direction. In 2010, four receivers caught at least 30 passes and Florida State ranked fifth in the ACC in pass receptions and sixth in receiving yards. Senior wide receiver Bert Reed enters the 2011 season ranked third on the ACC career active leaders' list in pass receptions (141) and ninth in receiving yards (1,619). Reed is sixth in career receptions and 19th in career receiving yards in FSU history. Dawsey returns three of his top four receivers in 2011 in Reed, Willie Haulstead and Rodney Smith who combined for 127 receptions, 1,649 yards and 11 touchdowns last season. A young talented group of receivers is ready to take the next step in Greg Dent, Christian Green, Jarred Haggins and Kenny Shaw who all are coming off very productive spring practices.
- In 2009, Dawsey tutored Rod Owens and Bert Reed who became the first pair of Seminole receivers to collect at least 60 receptions each in the same season since 1995. Owens (61) and Reed (60) joined the prolific '95 tandem of Andre Cooper (71) and E.G. Green (60) as the only duos to match that standard in program history.
- · Dawsey has helped build productive depth in the receiving corps. Five Seminoles in 2009
- Owens, Reed, Jarmon Fortson (45),
 Taiwan Easterling (35) and Richard Goodman (27) - caught at least 20 passes. FSU had not had five receivers with 20 or more catches since the 1992 season.
- The production of Dawsey's receivers has helped the Seminoles improve in total offense over each of the past four seasons, including its average of 421.7 yards per game in 2009 which was the best season at FSU since 2001. FSU's wideouts had a hand in quarterbacks Christian Ponder and EJ Manuel completing 67.7 percent of their pass attempts, which was the highest by the 'Noles since Charlie Ward's 1993 Heisman Trophy winning and National Championship campaign.

THE DAWSEY FILE

Position:	Passing Game Coordinator/
	Wide Receivers
Coaching Exp	erience: 11th Season
	5th at Florida State
Hometown:	Dothan, AL
Alma Mater:	Florida State, '91
Birthdate:	November 16, 1967
Family:	wife, Chantal Dawsey;
	son, Lawrence, Jr.;
stepdaug	hter, Dominique Moffitt, M.D.
and so	n-in-law Michael Moffitt, M.D.

- In Dawsey's first two seasons at Florida State he helped Greg Carr climb the charts as one of the most productive receivers in school history. Greg Carr finished his career with 148 catches for 2,574 yards and 29 career touchdowns.
- In 2007, Dawsey's first season, Florida State boasted three receivers Preston Parker, De'Cody Fagg and Carr with 700 or more receiving yards for the first time in school history.
- Dawsey's first coaching job came as a high school assistant at Tampa Catholic in 1998. He did not return to the sideline until serving as a training camp assistant coach with the NFL's St. Louis Rams in 2001 and returned to the high school ranks in 2002 at Blake in Tampa.
- He spent the 2003 season as a graduate assistant on Nick Saban's LSU staff, where he
 worked with Jimbo Fisher and also crossed paths with fellow graduate assistant and current
 FSU assistant James Coley. The Tigers posted a 13-1 record and won the BCS National
 Championship.
- Dawsey had the opportunity to work with LSU receiver Michael Clayton, who later became the No. 1 selection of the Tampa Bay Buccaneers and broke several of Dawsey's rookie receiving records with the club.
- The season at LSU opened the door for Dawsey's first, full-time college position as he returned to Tampa as the wide receivers coach at USF from 2004-2006. As a recruiter, he was instrumental in landing the talent which helped the Bulls break on to the national scene. USF's passing offense also took flight during Dawsey's three seasons and ranked among the best in the Big East.



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Year Scho	ol Pos	ition W-L	Postseason
1998 Tamp	a Catholic AC		
2002 Blake	High School AC		
2003 LSU	GA	13-1	Sugar
2004 USF	WR	4-6	
2005 USF	WR	6-6	Meineke Car Care
2006 USF	WR	9-4	PappaJohns.com
2007 Florid	a State WR	7-6	Music City
2008 Florid	a State WR	9-4	Champs
2009 Florid	a State WR	7-6	Gator
<u>2010</u> Florid	a State PGC	C/WR 10-4	Chick-fil-A

- Dawsey was an integral part of the Seminole football dynasty as a player. His four seasons at
 wide receiver corresponded with the first four 10-win, top-five poll finishes by FSU. As a player,
 he was known for his work ethic, accountability, precision route-running, down-field blocking
 and the ability to rise to the occasion in big games. Those are the same qualities he has instilled
 in his current group of receivers.
- A third-round selection by the Tampa Bay Buccaneers in 1991, Dawsey enjoyed a sevenseason NFL career. He also played for the New York Giants (1996), Miami Dolphins (1997) and New Orleans Saints (1999).
- Dawsey was named the NFL Rookie of the Year by Sports Illustrated and named to the All-Rookie Team by Pro Football Weekly in 1991 after he led Tampa Bay with 55 receptions and set the club's rookie record with 818 receiving yards. Dawsey also led the team in receptions (60) and receiving yards (776) in 1992.
- Beyond the playing field, Dawsey too has established himself as one of the nation's top recruiters. He's picked up the Seminoles' efforts in the Tampa area and helped the Seminoles attract the nation's No. 1 recruiting class in 2011. He was named one of ESPN.com's Top 25 Recruiters of the Year in 2011. Dawsey was also named the 2011 ACC Recruiter of the Year by SI.com and one of the Top 25 recruiters in the nation in 2011 by Rivals.com. Dawsey's family also has enjoyed success as well. His daughter Dominique and son-in-law Michael Moffitt, both Florida State graduates, have each earned their M.D. at Meharry Medical College in Nashville, Tenn. Dominique is a clinical resident in Anesthesiology at Brigham and Women's Hospital a Harvard University Hospital.







D.J. ELIOT

- Defensive Ends
- 14th Season
- 2nd at Florida State
- DJ. Eliot is in his 14th season of coaching and second season as defensive ends coach at Florida State. In his first season at Florida State, Eliot's defensive ends were one of the most improved units in all of college football. Led by All-ACC First Team selection Brandon Jenkins, the Seminoles were tied for the national lead with 48 sacks, ranked third with a 3.4 sacks per game and were tied for 11th in total tackles for loss. Jenkins, one of the top defensive ends in all of college football in 2010, was the biggest contributor to the Seminoles' sack and tackle for loss totals. Jenkins totaled 13.5 sacks and 21.5 tackles for loss to rank among the national leaders in both categories. He also was

instrumental in the development of right end Markus White, who doubled his production from his junior to senior year and was a seventh round pick of the Washington Redskins in 2011.

• Eliot came to Tallahassee from Rice in 2010, where he spent three seasons as the recruiting coordinator and defensive line coach. At Rice, Eliot had oversight of the recruiting process; a challenge given the schools' stringent academic standards. He identified and helped

THE ELIOT FILE

Position:	Defensive Ends
Coaching Experience:	14th Season
	2nd at Florida State
Hometown:	Edmond, OK
Alma Mater:	Wyoming, '99
Birthdate:	April 14, 1976
	liot; son, Dawson (6);
daughters, I	Drue (4) and Page (1)

develop two true freshmen defensive ends - Scott Solomon (63 tackles) and Cheta Ozougwu (61) - who led all CUSA linemen with 124 combined tackles. They combined for 21 tackles for loss and 11 sacks.

- Eliot was a member of the 2008 Rice staff which guided the Owls to a 10-3 record, capped by a Texas Bowl victory over Western Michigan. It was the program's first 10-win season since 1949 and first bowl triumph since the 1950 Cotton Bowl.
- He is one of three FSU assistants who spent time on the coaching staff at the University of Miami, where he served as a graduate assistant working with defensive backs and special teams in 2002. Mark Stoops was the Hurricanes' secondary coach while Eliot was with the Hurricanes. Eddie Gran also did a graduate assistant stint at Miami a decade earlier.
- Eliot earned his first full-time position at Texas State under David Bailiff, coaching defensive backs one season before a two-year stint with the linebackers. Texas State won the Division I-AA Southland Conference in '05 and qualified for the postseason. Bailiff later hired Eliot to join his staff at Rice.

	ELIOT'S	COACHIN	G LEDG	ER
Year	School	Position	W-L	Postseason
1998	Wyoming	SA	8-3	
1999	Wyoming	GA	7-4	
2000	Houston	GA	3-8	
2001	Houston	GA	0-11	
2002	Miami (FL)	GA	12-1	Fiesta
2003	Texas State	DB	4-8	
2004	Texas State	LB	5-6	
2005	Texas State	LB	11-3	NCAA 1-AA Playoffs
2006	Tulsa	LB	8-5	Armed Forces
2007	Rice	RC/DL	3-9	
2000	Rice	RC/DL	10-3	Texas
2009	Rice	RC/DL	2-10	
2010	Florida State	DE	10-4	Chick-fil-A



- Eliot's coaching career also led to a season as the linebackers coach at Tulsa, where he was instrumental in developing CUSA Defensive Player of the Year Nick Bunting as well as all conference standouts Nelson Coleman and Chris Chamberlin. Tulsa earned a berth in the Armed Forces Bowl that same year.
- On the field, Eliot played linebacker for three seasons at Wyoming before joining the Cowboys' coaching staff as a student assistant. He moved into a graduate assistant role in 1999 after earning his undergraduate degree in natural science and was a zoology minor.





ODELL HAGGINS

- Defensive Tackles
- 18th Season
- 18th Season at Florida State
- Odell Haggins is in his 18th season as an assistant coach at Florida State, where he starred on the defensive line from 1986-89. Haggins, who coaches the interior defensive line, is the longest tenured member of the FSU staff. He began his career as a tight ends/ offensive line coach in 1994 with the Seminoles and took over the interior defensive line duties in 1996, where he has remained a fixture.
- Haggins' helped produce one of the best defensive lines in the nation in 2010 as the Seminoles ranked third in the nation in quarterback sacks, 21st in tackles for loss and

Position:

Hometown

Alma Mater

Birthdate

Family:

Coaching Experience:

THE HAGGINS FILE

Defensive Tackles

Florida State, '93

February 27, 1967

wife, Robin Haggins;

daughter Amelia Grace (5)

18th Season at Florida State

18th Season

Bartow, FL

42nd in total defense. The Seminoles tied with Boise State for first nationally in total sacks with 48 sacks. Three of his defensive tackles – Everett Dawkins, Anthony McCloud and Jacobbi McDaniel - were among the top 15 tacklers on the team and 14.5 tackles for loss.

• Named one of the six best defensive line coaches in college football by CBS Sports columnist Dennis Dodd in 2008, Haggins has repeatedly turned

out top-flight talent. Since the 2000 season he has coached eight defensive tackles that have been selected in the NFL Draft.

- The litany of standouts that Haggins has coached includes four first round draft picks: Broderick Bunkley (2006), Travis Johnson (2005), Corey Simon (2000) and Andre Wadsworth (1998). Wadsworth began his career at the nose guard position before moving to defensive end. The No. 3 overall pick (Arizona) in the 1998 draft, Wadsworth remains the highest drafted player in FSU history.
- In addition to the first-rounders, Haggins' pupils have also included Pro Bowler Darnell Dockett (third round) whom he recruited and mentored Larry Smith (second), Andre Fluellen (third), Jerry Johnson (fourth), Julian Pittman (fourth) and Letroy Guion (fifth). Six of those Haggins' former charges are still active in the NFL heading into the 2011 season.
- Haggins has won at every level as a player and a coach. He was on the front end of Florida State's dynasty years, starring at nose guard for the Seminoles. FSU posted a 39-8-1 record with Haggins in the lineup from 1986-89 and he was part of four bowl-winning teams. He earned Kodak, Walter Camp and UPI All-American honors as a senior in 1989.

	HAGGIN	S' COACHII	NG LEDGER	
Year	School	Position	W-L	Postseason
1994	Florida State	TE/OL	10-1-1	Sugar
1995	Florida State	TE/OL	10-2	Orange
1996	Florida State	DT	11-1	Sugar
1997	Florida State	DT	11-1	Sugar
1998	Florida State	DT	11-2	Fiesta
1999	Florida State	DT	12-0	Sugar
2000	Florida State	DT	11-2	Orange
2001	Florida State	DT	8-4	Gator
2002	Florida State	DT	9-5	Sugar
2003	Florida State	DT	10-3	Orange
2004	Florida State	DT	9-3	Gator
2005	Florida State	DT	8-5	Orange
2006	Florida State	DT	7-6	Emerald
2007	Florida State	DT	7-6	Music City
2008	Florida State	DT	9-4	Champs
2009	Florida State	DT	7-6	Gator
2010	Florida State	DT	10-4	Chick-fil-A



- A ninth-round pick in the 1990 NFL Draft by the San Francisco 49ers, Haggins went on to play for the Buffalo Bills during their 1991 Super Bowl season. Following a three-year NFL career, he returned to Florida State, completed his degree and joined Bobby Bowden's staff following the Seminoles 1993 national championship season.
- As an assistant coach, Haggins has established himself as an outstanding recruiter, developer of talent and a role model to his players. He was named one of the top 25 recruiters in 2011 by Rivals.com. He has been a part of FSU staffs which have posted a 160-55 record with 17 consecutive bowl appearances.
- Haggins' 1999 defensive front included future NFL standouts Corey Simon and Jerry Johnson, who were instrumental in FSU's 12-0 run to the national championship.
- The Seminoles boasted the nation's top-ranked defense in 1998 and the No. 1 rushing defense in 1996 and 1997. The 2008 defense ranked first nationally in tackles for loss.







VIL VILORIA

- Head Strength and Conditioning Coach/Football
- 8th Season
- 2nd at Florida State
- Vic Viloria is in his second season at Florida State having joined coach Jimbo Fisher's staff in 2010. He came to Florida State from SMU – his alma mater – where he was the strength and conditioning coach for three seasons.
- Viloria was at LSU for two years before going to SMU where he worked under the supervision of Tom Moffitt.
 While at LSU he worked with the Tigers' nationally ranked football and baseball programs as well as the swimming and golf teams.
- A disciple of renowned weightlifting coach Gayle Hatch, Viloria endorses the "Hatch System" which develops functional and explosive strength in players through the use of free weights, plyometrics and jumping drills.

THE VILORIA FILE

Position: Head Strength and Conditioning Coach/Football
Coaching Experience: 8th Season 2nd at Florida State
Alma Mater: Southern Methodist, '02
Birthdate: July, 22, 1979
Family: wife, Randi Viloria; daughters, Taylor Ann (3) and Mady (1)

- Viloria was a four-year letter winner at linebacker for SMU and a three-time member of the All-Western Athletic Conference team. He led the Mustangs in tackles each of final three seasons and recorded at least 10 tackles in 21 games over the course of his career.
- · He was a member of the NFL Europe's Scottish Claymores.
- · Viloria is certified by USA Weightlifting.
- He is married to former SMU sprinter, Randi Taylor.







BOB LaCIVITA

- Director of Player Personnel
- 5th season at Florida State
- Bob LaCivita is in his fifth season at Florida State where he is responsible for all administrative duties related to football recruiting and the day-to-day administration of the football office as assigned by head coach Jimbo Fisher.
- The Seminoles have landed four consecutive top 10 nationally ranked recruiting classes including last year's No. 1 ranked class since LaCivita arrived in Tallahassee after he spent the previous seven years as the Director of Player Personnel at NC State and the University of Florida. From 1996 to 1998 he served as assistant to head coach Terry Bowden at Auburn

- LaCivita was the point person in the development and creation of Florida State's FeartheSpear.com website – an information site utilized by prospective football recruits.
- LaCivita also worked in recruiting and football administration at the University of Pittsburgh from 1983-85 and the University at Akron from 1986-95.



- LaCivita earned his undergraduate degree in 1971 in psychology from Indiana University of Pennsylvania where he played football. He also earned a master's degree and PhD from the University of Pittsburgh.
- · LaCivita and his wife Michelle, have one son, Bryan.



KOREM

- Director of Football Operations
- 2nd season at Florida State
- Erik Korem is in his first season as the Seminoles' Director of Football operations. He joined the Florida State strength & conditioning staff in February 2010 as the speed and nutrition specialist to the football program, after spending the previous two years at Mississippi State.
- Korem is responsible for helping coordinate all home game operations, in addition to helping the football team's road game and postseason travel plans.
- At Mississippi State, Korem served as an assistant strength & conditioning coach and was also a professor in the Exercise Science Department.
- Korem's resume includes extensive work with world-class track & field sprinters, including five-time Olympic medalist and six-time World Championship medalist Vernoica Campbell-Brown. He also served as a speed development consultant for Tyson Gay during the 2008 Olympic year when he broke the American record in the 100-meter dash (9.69).



Korem spent a year as the Director of Athletic Performance at the University of the Pacific, which followed a short stint as the head strength & conditioning coach at Fort Valley State University.

- Korem served an internship and was a graduate assistant at the University of Arkansas while completing his master's degree in exercise science from 2004-2006.
- As an undergraduate, Korem played football for four seasons at Texas A&M, where he earned his degree in applied exercise physiology.
- · He is married to former Mississippi State softball player, Hayle Guess.



STUART PEARCE

- Asst. Director of Events/Game Operations Manager
- 11th season at Florida State
- Stuart Pearce is in his 11th season with the Facilities Operations/Event Management Department and his first as the Gameday Operations Manager. He is responsible for coordinating game operations at home football games.
- During his tenure at Florida State, Pearce has coordinated all facets of support for 15 of the Seminoles' 20 NCAA sports. He has served as the tournament director for three ACC Championships and NCAA Tournaments in Soccer, Volleyball and Track and Field. Pearce served as the event manager and facility coordinator for the 2001 and 2002 Florida High School Football Championships at Doak Campbell Stadium on the Florida State campus.
- Pearce served as a member of the construction committee and worked closely with the construction firm on all aspects of the \$6.1 million renovation and expansion of the McIntosh Track and Field Building.

- The Tallahassee, Fla., native earned his bachelor's degree in sport management and his master's degree in sport administration from Florida State. He also worked as an intern with the event management and facilities department before being hired full time.
- Pearce has been married to his wife Kerri for 10 years and they are the proud parents of four children (Libby (6),

Bryant (5), Jimmy (2) and Halley (10 months in July) and are expecting their fifth during the 2011 football season.





ALL-TIME ASSISTANT COACHES

2011 GRADUATE ASSISTANTS







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Tionaa Olato 2007	Durimodii 2007
Hugh Adams	1955 (GA), 1956
Jody Allen	2000-01 (GA), 2002-09
Chuck Amato	1982-1999, 2007-09
Mickey Andrews	1984-2009
Charlie Armstrong	1948-51
Ned Ashton	1976 (GA)
Joe Avezzano	1968
Art Baker	1984
Don Blackwelder	1970
Monk Bonasorte	1982-83 (GA)
Bobby Bowden	1963-65
Jeff Bowden	1986 (GA), 1994-06
Terry Bowden	1982 (GA)
Tommy Bowden	1982 (GA)
Billy Joe Breakhouse	1974
Don Breaux	1966-67
Mack Brown	1974
Jerry Bruner	1976-78
Terrell Buckley	2009 (GA)
Wally Burnham	1985-93
Billy Canty	1971-73
Aaron Carter	1984 (GA)
Dexter Carter	2007-09
Doug Carter	1984 (GA)
John Coatta	1958-64
John Coatta, Jr.	1984
James Coley	2008-present
James Colzie	2004-06 (GA)
John Conlin	1972-73
Al Conover	1966-67 (GA), 1968-70
Lee Corso	1958-59
Ronnie Cottrell	1989 (GA), 1990-97
Billy Cox	1970
Dameyune Craig	2010-present
Bill Crutchfield	1964-66
Dave Darovec	1975 (GA)
Lawrence Dawsey	2007-present
Frank DeBord	1974-75
Chris Demarest	1998-99 (GA)
John Devlin	1971-72
Daryl Dickey	1989 (Vol.), 2001-06
Jim Donnan	1972-73
Ron Dugans	2006 (GA)
John Eason	1981-93
D.J. Eliot	2010-present
Sam Elliott	1974
Ed Feely	1973-74
Jeff Ferrington	1984 (GA)
Jimbo Fisher	2007-09

Dick Flowers	1959-62
Scott Fountain	1996 (GA)
Mike Fox	1980 (GA)
Steve Gabbard	1997-99 (GA)
Dan Gayton	2011 (GA)
Joe Gibbs	1967-68
Vince Gibson	1956-57 (GA), 1958-63
Jim Gladden	
	1975 (GA), 1976-2001
Jake Gonos	1980 (GA), 1982
Eddie Gran	2010-present
Gary Grouwinkel	1975
J.E. Gundersheimer	1975 (GA)
Greg Guy	1991 (GA)
George Haffner	1976-78
Doug Hafner	1967-68
Franklin Hagenbeck	1977-78 (GA)
Odell Haggins	1994-present
Owen Hale	1954
Doug Hanlon	1991 (GA)
Bob Harbison	1948-72, 1974-85
Steve Hardin	1977 (GA) 1981-82 (GA),1986-2004
Jimmy Heggins	
Gene Henderson	1971-73
Dan Henning	1968-70, 1974
George Henshaw	1976-82
Clark Herman	1992 (GA)
Jack Hines	1985-86 (GA)
Pat Hodgson	1971
Larry Holton	1972
Skip Holtz	1987-88 (GA)
Dick Hopkins	1980 (GA)
Max Howell	1988 (GA)
Greg Hudson	2010-present
Bobby Jackson	1965 (GA), 1966-69
Don James	1959-65
Bobby Johns	1985 (GA).
Cal Jones	1974-75
Willie Jones	1988 (GA)
Garin Justice	2008 (GA)
Steve Kalenich	
	1954 (GA)
Joe Kines	2000-02
Nick Kish	1976-78 (GA), 1979-82
Mikhal Kornegay	2010 (GA)
Mike Kruczek	1982-83
Charlie LaPradd	1956 (GA), 1957-61
Clint Ledbetter	1988-89 (GA), 1990-91
John Lies	1975 (GA)
John Lilly	1996-97 (GA), 1997-2007
Mike Long	1953-54
Erik Losey	2009 (GA)
Vaughn Mancha	1951-56
Dana Martin	1983-84 (GA)
Gene McDowell	1965-66 (GA), 1967-69, 1974-84
Wayne McDuffie	1971-72 (GA), 1973, 1983-89
Bubba McGowan	1959-63
John McGregor	1968 (GA), 1969
Mark McHale	2005-06
Ken McLean	1951-52, 1963-67
Ken Meyer	1959-62
Jimmy Messinese	1954 (GA)
Pat Milligan	1987-88 (GA)
John Mooney	1975 (GA)
Roger Mosure	1975 (GA)

Ben Odom	2004-05 (GA)
Paul Odom	1955 (GA), 1956
Joe Ostaszewski	2002-03 (GA)
Mike Owens	1989-90 (GA)
Bill Parcells	1970-72
Larry Pecatiello	1970
Larry Pendleton	1973-74 (GA), 1975
Jay Perkins	1985-87 (GA)
Jim "Red" Phillips	1972-73
Donald "Deek" Pollard	1974-75
Mike Pope	1970 (GA), 1971-74
Don Powell	1959 (GA), 1964-66
Bill Proctor	1962 (GA), 1963-65
Bill Ragans.	1993-95 (GA)
Vince Ragunas	1953-54
Barry Rice	1980-82 (GA)
-), 1987-88 (VA), 1990-2001
Gerald Riopelle	1987 (GA)
Pete Rodriguez	1974-75
Mark Salva	1990-93 (GA)
Bob Sanders	1972-73
Neil Schmidt	1964-67
Rick Schachner	1974-75
Jeff Schaum	1985 (GA)
Kent Schoolfield	1976-80
Joe Scola	2011-Present
Brad Scott	1984 (GA), 1985-93
Billy Sexton	1977 (GA), 1979-06
Bill Shaw	1972-74 (GA), 1979-81
Kenneth Shipp	1959
Stan Shiver	1991-92 (GA)
Winston Siegfried	1953-54
Steve Sloan	1971
Hank Small	1972
Kirby Smart	2002-03 (GA)
Moyer Smith	1973
David Snell	1976 (GA)
Mike Spencer	1989-90 (GA)
Phil Spooner	1970 (GA)
David Stallworth	1992 (GA)
	1973, 1976-83
Jack Stanton	
Kevin Steele Bob Stinchcomb	2003-06
	1985-86 (GA)
Mark Stoops	2010-present
Chris St. John	2007-08 (GA)
Hugh Taylor	1956
Mark Thomas	1980 (GA)
Frank Toomey	1953-56
Rick Trickett	2007-present
Travis Trickett	2010 (GA)
Bob Vogt	1964-67
Frank Vohun	1976 (GA)
Will Walls	1959
Tom Wheeler	1991-92 (GA)
Bud Whitehead	1969-70
Oscar Williams	1994-95 (GA)
David Wilson	1992 (GA)
Eddie Wilson	1975
Kyle Wilson	2000-01 (GA)
Jason Woodman	2007 (GA)
Charlie Wright	1969
Gary Wyant	1966 (GA), 1967-69

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Team Chaplin

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John Bagnardi Team Security

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