



In 2001, Florida State University accepted its first class into the new College of Medicine, which was the first new medical school to open in the United States in 20 years. Longtime FSU assistant football coach Jim Gladden, who moved into administrative work this spring, is proud of his daughter Julie who is a member of that class.

Florida State University

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THIS IS TALLAHASSEE



Among low, rolling hills, down moss-draped canopy roads, within picturesque historical districts, and across seas of flowering azaleas lies a magical part of the Sunshine State—Tallahassee, Florida's capital city. With its intriguing combination of power-play politics and classic character splashed with a twist of Southern beauty and charm, Tallahassee is a side of Florida few expect to find.

With the Gulf of Mexico just 25 miles south and the Georgia border only 14 miles north, Tallahassee rests between the foothills of the Appalachian Mountains

and the juncture of Florida's panhandle and peninsula in an area known as "The Big Bend." Nearer in miles to Atlanta than to Miami, Tallahassee more closely resembles its Georgia neighbor than Florida in topography, climate and lifestyle.

Like the city itself, the story of how Tallahassee was chosen as the state capital is rich in history. In 1823, two explorers set out — one on horseback from St. Augustine and the other by boat from Pensacola — to establish a permanent, central location for the seat of government. The two met at a beautiful site that the Creek and Seminole Indians called

"tallahassee" — derived from the words "talwa," meaning town, and "ahassee," meaning old. This historic meeting place remains Florida's capital today.

Boasting more than 145 properties listed on the National Register of Historic Places, Tallahassee is a living showcase of Florida history and heritage. The crowning jewel of Florida's historic "Capitol Hill" is the Old Capitol, beautifully restored to its 1902 splendor complete with the red-and-white striped awnings, a dome adorned with stained glass, antique furnishings and political memorabilia. The 22nd-floor observatory of the New Capitol Building offers a breathtaking view of this surprising Southern city, awash in flowering azaleas, snowy dogwoods, towering pines, fragrant magnolias, and hundreds of lakes, springs, swamps, rivers and sink holes.

Charming downtown historic districts graced with lush linear parks lead visitors to the Knott House Museum, The Columns, First Presbyterian Church, John G. Riley House Museum and Old City Cemetery. Free walking tours and replica turn-of-the-century street cars carry passengers to antebellum mansions, picturesque churches and other downtown delights. Minutes from downtown lies the lush 52-acre natural habitat and 1880s farm of the Tallahassee Museum of History and Natural Science, home to the rare Florida panther and other furry "natives."

The area surrounding Tallahassee reveals numerous other historic and archaeological treasures, such as De Soto State Archaeological and Historical Site, Lake Jackson State Archaeological Site, Mission San Luis, Natural Bridge Battlefield and San Marcos de Apalache. Visitors can explore prehistoric Florida at the Museum of Florida History, where they are greeted by a giant 12,000-year-old mastodon pulled from nearby Wakulla Springs.

On the shores of Wakulla Springs, alligators still laze under the watchful eyes of "snake birds" perched on twisted cypress trees. The site of many underwater scenes in "Tarzan" movies, it's one of the world's deepest freshwater springs. Glass-bottomed boat tours across these mystical waters are available.

Other sightseeing favorites include the floral masterpiece of Alfred B. Maclay State Gardens; Bradley's Country Store; FAMU Black Archives; and the Tallahassee



TALLAHASSEE

In 1823, the first civilian governor, William Pope DuVal, desired a central location for the legislature to meet. He sent one explorer on horseback from St. Augustine and another by boat from Pensacola — their rendezvous point was declared Florida's capital. Nestled among the rolling foothills of the Appalachian Mountains and located in a region of the Gulf of Mexico known as the Big Bend, the Capital region is known for its Southern characteristics, gracious hospitality and lush topography.



PHYSIOGRAPHY

Tallahassee's rolling landscape, typical of regions further north, is unique among the major cities of Florida. Some areas of the county, including the downtown ridge encompassing the Capitol complex, City Hall and the County Courthouse, exceed elevations of 200 feet. The highest elevation in Leon County is 288 feet, found in the northern part of the county. To the south of the city, the hills yield to the flat terrain that is typical throughout the peninsula of Florida.



Antique Car Museum. Nearby small towns offer fascinating excursions to places such as Pebble Hill Plantation, Florida Caverns State Park, Monticello Opera House and St. George Island.

Tallahassee is almost as rich in cultural treasures as it is in history. A widely-acclaimed collection of art, science and history museums and galleries, year-round festivals and non-stop entertainment at the 14,000-seat Tallahassee-Leon County Civic Center, feed a variety of cultural appetites.

Visitors with a hunger for the great outdoors will find Tallahassee ideal for all types of outdoor recreation—from canoeing down dark, cypress-lined rivers and biking up steep slopes to exploring backcountry wildernesses and hunting for bobwhite quail. Area lakes, rivers, ponds and the Gulf — just 30 minutes away — offer a paradise for boating and fishing. Lakes Jackson and Talquin are renowned in the bass fishing world for yielding the “big ones.” Local wildlife areas, such as the St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge and

TALLAHASSEE-LEON COUNTY CIVIC CENTER

The Tallahassee-Leon County Civic Center is a multi-purpose convention and entertainment facility featuring a 13,500 seat arena, Luxury Suites and Club Seats and over 52,000 sq. ft. of meeting and exhibition space plus an arena view restaurant, Spotlight Grille. The Civic Center hosts a wide variety of concerts, family shows, Broadway shows, ice shows and sporting events including Tallahassee Thunder Arena Football.

It is easy to understand why over one million people a year flock to the Tallahassee-Leon County Civic Center, what with the varied array of attractions it offers. Some people go to the Civic Center to enjoy the sounds of rock, country, pop and urban concerts. Some go for the thrills of basketball, rodeos, arena football and three-ring spectaculars. While others come for conventions, banquets, expositions, or consumer and trade shows.

Located downtown on Pensacola Street, the Civic Center is only two blocks from the Capitol building and right across the street from Florida State University's Center for Professional Development/The Turnbull Center and the FSU Law School.



"Annie Get Your Gun"



"Rent"



"Titanic"

Apalachicola National Forest, are perfect spots for camping, picnicking, swimming, biking and exploring.

And while Tallahassee also features eight golf courses and plenty of places to raise a racquet, it's a wild array of spectator sports that leave the crowds screaming for more. The Florida State Seminoles and Florida A&M Rattlers provide collegiate action while the Tallahassee Thunder is the city's featured arena football team. And always a sure bet are the nearby greyhound races.

For another favorite "sport" — shopping — two large regional malls and many specialty centers offer an array of "playing options," from popular chains to curiosity and antique shops. Unique shopping locales include downtown parks, lakeside cottages and small Southern towns. Tallahassee serves a scrumptious selection of tantalizing restaurants ranging from fast food to five-star. Local specialties include homemade country sausage, melt-in-your-mouth steaks, wild game and succulent seafood fresh from the Gulf.

From luxury to economy, accommodations are plentiful and include restored bed and breakfast's, rustic "gentlemen" lodges, beachside escapes and comfortable chain hotels. For those who choose to follow in the footsteps of early travelers, Tallahassee also boasts 15 beautiful campsites. Continuous air service, Amtrak and four major highways make it easy for visitors to get to Tallahassee. But no matter how you arrive, the history and hospitality of Tallahassee make it difficult to ever leave for long.

CLIMATE

Tallahassee has the mild, moist climate characteristics of the Gulf States and experiences a subtropical summer similar to the rest of Florida. In contrast to the Florida peninsula, however, the panhandle, of which Tallahassee is a part, experiences four seasons.

Annual January temperature: 40-63° F
 Annual July temperature: 79-91° F
 Yearly average maximum temperature: 78.7°
 Yearly average minimum temperature: 55.7°
 Yearly average days above 90 degrees: 91.0
 Yearly average days below 32 degrees: 35.7

POPULATION

City of Tallahassee: 148,400
 Leon County: 243,300



Above: The Black Archives at Carnegie Library; Left: The Tallahassee Museum

MUSEUMS AND CULTURE

The federal Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS) named the Tallahassee Museum of History and Natural Science as one of the nation's exemplary museums on September 19, 2000. The Tallahassee Museum, along with 176 other museums, was selected out of a field of 823 applications from museums throughout the nation in a highly competitive competition. The museum features a 52-acre natural habitat zoo, nature trails, authentic 1880s farmstead, hands-on Discovery Center, birds of prey aviary, reptile exhibits, annual events and more!

Other points of interest include:

MARY BROGAN MUSEUM OF ART & SCIENCE

Interactive hands-on science center and national traveling art and science exhibitions.

MISSION SAN LUIS

Site of Spanish/Indian village settled from 1656-1704. Ongoing excavations/ exhibits/reconstructions.

MUSEUM OF FLORIDA HISTORY

Permanent exhibits include a nine-foot mastodon, Spanish galleon treasures, Civil War memorabilia, reconstructed steamboat and Prehistoric Florida plus traveling exhibits.

OLD CAPITOL MUSEUM

Restored to 1902 appearance featuring red candy-striped awnings, stained glass dome, House and Senate Chambers, Supreme Court and Governor's office.

MACLAY STATE GARDENS

Enchanting floral architecture surrounds 1930s home of NY financier Alfred B. Maclay. Impressive grounds feature 200+ floral varieties plus hiking, biking and nature trails, swimming, fishing and boating.

TALLAHASSEE ANTIQUE CAR MUSEUM

Impressive showroom features award winning Chevys, one-of-a-kind Ford Roadster, 1913 CarNation Tourer, 1931 Duesenberg, 1956 T-Bird, Delorean, Cadillacs, Corvettes and more. Plus two original Bat Mobiles.

THE CAPITOL

One of 5 tower Capitols in the U.S. features panoramic view from 22-floor observatory/art gallery, House and Senate viewing galleries.



TALLAHASSEE'S AN ALL-AMERICA CITY!

On June 26, 1999, judges from the National Civic League named Tallahassee as one of 10 cities to win the prestigious All-America City (AAC) award from the 1999 All-America City conference in Philadelphia. The All-America City award is the most prestigious and coveted award a community can win. The annual award recognizes exemplary, grassroots and problem-solving efforts of communities that cooperatively tackle challenges and achieve measurable results. Judging is based on the overall level of community involvement in solving critical local problems, including public-private partnerships.

"This is clearly one of the most exciting things to ever happen to Tallahassee," said a jubilant Mayor Scott Maddox. "For those of us who call Tallahassee home, the All-America City award verifies what we've known for so long — that we have one of the greatest cities in all of America!"



WHERE'S THE BEACH?

Where sunny days are filled with the great outdoors...where time is measured by tides and life's rhythms move with the surf...beaches are just a short drive from Tallahassee.

ALLIGATOR POINT

Natural dune public beach, 45 miles south of Tallahassee

CARRABELLE

Coarse public beach, featuring swimming and shelling, 60 miles southwest of Tallahassee

DEKLE BEACH

Pristine sandy beach, clear water featuring boating, swimming, picnicking and more, 70 miles east of Tallahassee

MASHES SANDS BEACH

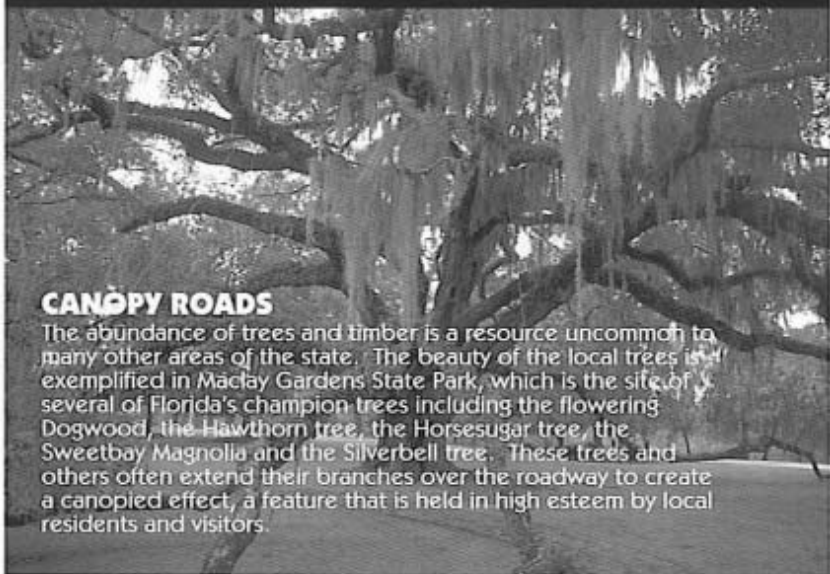
Public beach, shallow bay water featuring swimming and crabbing, 40 miles southwest of Tallahassee

ST. GEORGE ISLAND

Pristine 29-mile barrier island beach, clear water, featuring swimming, shelling, boating, and fishing, 80 miles southwest of Tallahassee

SHELL POINT

Lovely, small peninsula surrounded by St. Marks Wildlife refuge. Secluded beach and clear water that is popular for sailing and windsurfing, 25 miles south of Tallahassee



CANOPY ROADS

The abundance of trees and timber is a resource uncommon to many other areas of the state. The beauty of the local trees is exemplified in Maclay Gardens State Park, which is the site of several of Florida's champion trees including the flowering Dogwood, the Hawthorn tree, the Horsesugar tree, the Sweetbay Magnolia and the Silverbell tree. These trees and others often extend their branches over the roadway to create a canopied effect, a feature that is held in high esteem by local residents and visitors.

THIS IS FLORIDA STATE

Florida State University, a graduate research institution, stands among the nation's elite in both academics and athletics.

Located on the oldest continuous site of higher education in Florida, the university is situated in the heart of the state's capital city. The university's main campus blends Jacobean Revival and modern styles of architecture with the oaks, pines, dogwoods and azaleas of North Florida.

As the university has progressed and grown — from its pre-Civil War beginnings as the Seminary West of the Suwannee, to the Florida State College for Women and, finally, returning to coeducational status as a university in 1947 — it has developed into an acclaimed research institution, a top-ranked competitor in intercollegiate athletics and a standard-setter in the basic sciences and the performing arts.

The university has entered the 21st century with excellence in all areas

of its mission — teaching, research and public service, including many noteworthy milestones.

- ◆ In April 2002, the National Weather Service opened its 121st Weather Forecast Office in a four-story addition to the James J. Love Building, home of the FSU department of meteorology. It is the 14th WFO to be collocated on a university campus and will give FSU meteorology students first-hand experience observing and working with professional meteorologists.
- ◆ In April 2002, WFSU-TV was among nine public television stations praised for their involvement with the PBS Ready To Learn service and early childhood literacy by President George W. Bush and First Lady Laura Bush during a White House ceremony.
- ◆ In February 2002, Florida Gov. Jeb Bush announced the creation of a \$2.5 million FSU center that will develop the best methods to teach reading, to be headed by Joseph K. Torgesen, the FSU Robert M. Gagne Professor of Psychology and Education who is the nation's leading expert on how children learn to read. The center, which will collaborate with the University of Central Florida, will train teachers in what works.
- ◆ In October 2001, FSU began its second capital campaign for private funds. The \$600 million FSU Connect campaign surpassed the halfway mark with \$306 million in May 2002. The university's first

capital campaign, An Investment in Learning, closed in January 1998 with \$301 million, surpassing its original \$200 million goal.

- ◆ From October to November 2001, Pulitzer Prize-winning author Robert Olen Butler, an FSU Francis Eppes Professor who holds the Michael Shaara Chair in Creative Writing, was the first author ever to write a short story live on the Internet. Butler allowed the world to watch him write an original short story, keystroke for keystroke, two hours a day for 19 days.
- ◆ During the fall of 2001, FSU had 257 National Merit Scholars, 88 National Achievement Scholars and 232 Hispanic Scholars enrolled.
- ◆ In June 2001, NBC Nightly News anchor Tom Brokaw donated more than 5,000 collections of World War II memorabilia that had been sent to him as the result of his three-book series on "The Greatest Generation" to the FSU Institute on World War II and the Human Experience. FSU created the institute in 1998 to "save the memories of those who saved the world" by collecting letters, diaries, memoirs and photos from participants in the war effort, in order to preserve the materials for classroom teaching, scholarly research and public viewing.
- ◆ In the blackenterprise.com 2001 "Top Fifty Colleges for African Americans" rankings, FSU was rated 23rd in the nation, up from 26th in 1999.
- ◆ In the March-April 2001 issue of Na-



tional Jurist that rated the nation's "most wired" law schools, the FSU College of Law was ranked 13th.

- ◆ At more than \$343.7 million, FSU's endowment has been ranked 197th in the nation by the National Association of College and University Business Officers, the benchmark of higher education fundraising success, in 2001.
- ◆ In 2000, FSU bought the most powerful university-owned supercomputer in the world. The IBM RS/6000 Supercomputer can perform 2.5 trillion calculations per second. Located in the School of Computational Science and Information Technology, the supercomputer will be used by FSU researchers to predict hurricanes and compare DNA sequences as complex as those of the human genome.
- ◆ The Challenger Learning Center of Tallahassee, a project of the FAMU-FSU College of Engineering, is scheduled to open in March 2003. The center, to be built on Kleman Plaza in downtown Tallahassee, will feature a space mission simulator common to all of the centers, plus a 300-seat IMAX theater and a domed planetarium laser theater. It will serve middle schools in a 66-county area of North Florida, Southeast Alabama and South Georgia.
- ◆ In 2000, the doctoral program in the College of Business had the highest minority enrollment of any Ph.D. business program in the United States. In recent years, it has graduated more minority doctoral students than any other Ph.D. granting institution.
- ◆ In 1999, FSU created the Center for Advanced Power Systems (CAPS) after recognizing the impact of power electronics, the potential impact of superconductivity and the rapidly changing business environment for power systems. CAPS is part of an Office of Naval Research-funded effort to design the U.S. Navy's next generation, all-electric fleet.
- ◆ In December 1999, researchers at the National High Magnetic Field Laboratory used a hybrid magnet to conduct the lab's first research in continuous magnetic fields of 45 tesla, or one million times Earth's magnetic field. The magnet lab — the only one of its kind in the Western Hemisphere — was established in 1990 by the National Science Foundation and is run by FSU in partnership with the University of Florida and the Los Alamos National Laboratory.
- ◆ In 1994, the Carnegie Foundation classified FSU as a "Research University I," placing it among the nation's top research universities. In 2000, the distinction was renamed "Doctoral/Research University-Extensive."

Under the leadership of FSU's 12th president, Talbot "Sandy" D'Alemberte, who took office in January 1994, and its 13-member Board of Trustees, the university continues



to build on the foundation of its history of excellence in scholarship, research and service. The trustees are: Lee Hinkle, Harold Knowles, J. Stanley Marshall and Steven J. Uhlfelder, all of Tallahassee; Erich Bloch of Washington, D.C.; Emily "June" Duda of Oviedo; David Ford of Rosemont, Pa.; Dr. Jessie Furlow of Quincy; Manuel "Manny" Garcia III of Winter Springs; William "Andy" Haggard of Coral Gables; E. Ann McGee of Winter Springs; John Thrasher of Orange Park, and Student Government Association President Michelle Pletch of Aurora, Ill.

A senior member of the State University System, FSU was founded as an institution of higher learning in 1851 by legislative act. It began in Tallahassee with its first class of male students in 1857 and added women in 1858.

FSU's operating budget is \$716 million. Faculty and administrators generate more than \$130 million annually in external funding to supplement state-sponsored research. Three direct-support organizations serve to bolster the university: the Seminole Boosters, the FSU Alumni Association and the FSU Foundation.

The main campus is spread over 463.4 acres in Tallahassee; FSU, which has one of the smallest campuses in the SUS, has been actively acquiring land in the 1990s. FSU encompasses 1,423.2 acres in Leon, Bay, Franklin, Gadsden and Sarasota counties.

Within the state, the university maintains facilities at its 25-acre campus in Panama City, its Marine Laboratory at Turkey Point on the Gulf of Mexico, the Appleton Museum in Ocala and the Asolo Performing Arts Center in Sarasota. The Center for Professional Development and Public Service, housed in the Augustus B. Turnbull III Florida Conference Center on the edge of the campus, provides extensive credit and non-credit continuing education programs statewide.

For years, FSU has reached far beyond Florida through international programs in Switzerland, France, Panama, Costa Rica, Spain, Russia, Vietnam, the Czech Republic,

Greece, Croatia, Ireland, South Africa, Ghana and the Caribbean. FSU's student centers in Florence, Italy, and London, England, are considered by many to be the nation's best in Europe.

Florida State offers 300 graduate and undergraduate degree programs through its nine colleges — Arts and Sciences; Business; Communication; Education; Engineering (operated jointly with Florida A&M University); Human Sciences; Law; Medicine; and Social Sciences (which also incorporates the Reubin O'D Askew School of Public Administration and Policy) — and eight schools — Criminology and Criminal Justice; Information Studies; Motion Picture, Television and Recording Arts; Music; Nursing; Social Work; Theatre; and Visual Arts and Dance.

With 1,956 members, the FSU faculty has included 10 National Academy of Sciences elected members, four American Academy of Arts and Sciences members and five Nobel laureates. It is backed by 5,262 administrative and support staff members.

Library holdings at Florida State include 2.4 million book titles and 6.7 million microforms. The main library facility, the Robert M. Strozier Library, is linked by computer to other state university and national research libraries. The Paul A.M. Dirac Science Library is located at the heart of the university's science research complex. FSU also maintains music, library science and law libraries, and the Mildred and Claude Pepper Library.

FSU's 6,317 graduate students pursue advanced degrees in fields as diverse as business administration and theoretical particle physics. A majority of research done at FSU is the direct result of student effort, culminating in numerous books, monographs and journal articles relating to the whole spectrum of intellectual interests and the practical needs of society.

Of FSU's 35,462-student population, 43.6 percent are male; 56.4 percent are female; 23.1 percent are minorities; and 3.8 percent are foreign students.

UNIVERSITY FACTS

BACKGROUND: The Florida State University is one of eleven units of the Division of Colleges and Universities of the Florida Board of Education...It was established as the Seminary West of the Suwannee by an act of the Florida Legislature in 1851 and first offered instruction at the postsecondary level in 1857...Its Tallahassee campus has been the site of an institution of higher education longer than any other site in the state...In 1905, the Buckman Act reorganized higher education in the state and designated the Tallahassee school as the Florida Female College...In 1909, it was renamed Florida State College for Women...In 1947, the school returned to co-educational status, and the name was changed to The Florida State University...It has grown from an enrollment of 2,583 in 1946 to an enrollment of 35,562 in the Fall Semester 2001.

ENROLLMENT (FALL, 2001): Total, 35,462...76.5% undergrad, 17.8% grad, 5.7% unclassified...74.7% in-state...93.2% from the United States...students from all 50 states and the District of Columbia are in attendance...19 states contributed over 100 students each...12 foreign countries contributed over 50 students each...male, 43.6%...female, 56.4%...minority, 23.1%...international, 3.8%.

ACREAGE: Main Campus: 463.4 acres in Tallahassee, Leon County (main campus)...Panama City Branch: 25.6 acres in Panama City, Bay County...The university owns a total of 1,422.6 acres in Leon, Bay, Franklin, Sarasota, & Gadsden counties...Sites are leased in Marion and Leon counties in Florida, and other locations overseas.

COLLEGES/PROGRAMS: FSU has 17 major academic divisions: the Colleges of Arts and Sciences, Business, Communication, Education, Engineering, Human Sciences, Law, Medicine, and Social Science; and the Schools of Criminology and Criminal Justice, Film (Motion Picture, Television, and Recording Arts), Information Studies, Music, Nursing, Social Work, Theatre, and Visual Arts and Dance.

OPERATING BUDGET (2001-02): \$716,201,478

DEGREE PROGRAMS: As of November 2001, the university offers: 96 degree programs at the Bachelor's degree level; 100 degree programs at the Master's degree level; 30 degree programs at the Advanced Master's/Specialist level; 72 degree programs at the Doctoral degree level; 2 degree programs at the Professional level.

DEGREES AWARDED FOR 2000-01: Bachelor, 5,467...Masters, 1,463...Total, 7,448

ENTERING FRESHMAN FACTS (FALL, 2001): The middle 50 percent High School GPA, 3.4-4.0; SAT score 1100-1300, ACT score 23-28.

RETENTION RATE: First year, 100%...second year, 83.5%...third year, 72.9%...fourth year, 69.6%.

FACULTY/STAFF: Full time 1,596...Part time 360...Total 1,956...FSU's faculty includes some past graduates, such as former astronauts Dr. Norm Thagard, who teaches Electrical Engineering, and Winston Scott who serves as Vice President of Student Affairs...FSU's faculty has included five dynamic Nobel Laureates: 10 members elected to National Academy of Sciences...four members of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences.

EDUCATIONAL ADVANTAGES: Florida State University has a uniqueness in providing programs that are consistent in excellence across the board, from fine arts and humanities to the hard sciences...The balance of programs is based on FSU's long tradition as a leading liberal arts institution combined with its position as one of the top 10 universities in generating research-based revenues...FSU is the most wired campus in Florida, and has been recently ranked 18th most connected university in the nation by Yahoo! Internet Life...In 1998, IBM hired 29 FSU graduates and not just business graduates but also English majors for help in web development and design...Revlon, which recruits primarily at five schools nationwide, expanded in 1998 to include FSU as its sixth school.

EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES ABROAD: FSU is the recognized leader in international education within the State University System of Florida...FSU gives students the opportunity to see the world, while still attaining their college education...FSU's International programs allow students to travel overseas to participate in formal programs in places like Europe, South America, and Asia.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES: FSU has nearly 300 student organizations that allow students to find their own niche.

FINANCIAL AID: FSU offers two types of financial assistance: need-based and merit-based...Over \$160 million is given away for financial assistance each year.

STUDENT/FACULTY RATIO: 18-1...Many of the general education classes are large lecture classes, however, over 80 percent of major classes have less than 40 students.

RESEARCH: Florida State University has built a reputation as a strong research institution in both the sciences and the humanities...Private foundations, industries, and government agencies all provide funding to support research at FSU...In 1994, Florida State was accorded the status of Research I University by the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, an elite distinction that recognizes the university's strengths in doctoral programs and federal funding.

SPONSORED RESEARCH (2000-01): \$130,181,710

LIBRARY HOLDINGS: The Libraries of Florida State are: Strozier Library, Dirac Science Library, Warren D. Allen Music Library, Harold Goldstein Teaching Laboratory Library, Pepper Library, and the FSU Law Library...The Number of Volumes, 2,380,757; Current Serials, 16,449; Microforms Held, 6,758,785; Government Documents, 962,265; Computer Files, 6,447; Manuscripts and Archives (linear feet), 4,352.

10 LEADING STATES OF ORIGIN

(Enrollment)

Florida	26,486
Georgia	948
Texas	433
Virginia	413
New York	361
Pennsylvania	316
California	277
North Carolina	261
Alabama	260
Illinois	248



FAMOUS ALUMNI

RITA COOLIDGE

Rita Coolidge is a two-time Grammy Award winner. She has worked with Joe Cocker (backup singer and soloist) on his "Mad Dog and Englishman" tour. She has also toured and recorded with the likes of Eric Clapton, Jimi Hendrix, Bob Dylan, Leon Russell and Stephen Stills. Coolidge co-wrote "Superstar" which was a huge hit for the Carpenters.

LEE CORSO

Lee Corso, College football Analyst for ESPN. Corso joined ESPN in 1987 after 28 years of football coaching experience at the college and professional levels – including 17 seasons as a head coach – serves as a game analyst for the Thursday night telecasts and as a studio analyst for College GameDay and the half-time and scoreboard shows. He is a member of the FSU Hall of Fame, received four varsity letters in both football and baseball at FSU.

PAUL GLEASON

A teammate of Burt Reynolds, is a very successful actor who has played a number of memorable roles including that of Clarence Beaks, the maligned courier of crop reports in "Trading Places" and the assistant principal in "The Breakfast Club."

BARBARA HARRIS

Barbara Harris is currently the Editor-in-Chief of SHAPE Magazine, the largest national monthly health and fitness publication for women in the United States. SHAPE has a current circulation of 808,634 and over 2.2 million readers. Harris, who lettered in volleyball at FSU from 1974-77, frequently appears on national and local television, radio talk shows, and is interviewed regularly by the newspaper media, sharing her experience in the areas of exercise, health, wellness, and women's issues.

TRAYLOR HOWARD

Traylor Howard, an actress best known for her role as "Sharon" in the hit TV Series "Two Guys and a Girl" (ABC). Howard appeared in more than 30 national commercials before winning the role of Joy on the comedy series "Boston Commons." Her feature film credits include "Me, Myself & Irene," with Jim Carey (2000), "Dirty Work," and "Confessions of a Sexist Pig."

GABRIELLE REECE

Gabrielle Reece is best known for her career in volleyball and as a model. Reece began modeling in 1989 and has appeared on the covers of Women's Sports & Fitness, Outside, SHAPE, Elle, Life and others. She is internationally recognized as a top fashion model and spokesperson for several companies, including Nike. Reece has co-written a book with Karen Karbo (July 1997) about her life as a pro volleyball player "Big Girl in the Middle" and writes a column for Women's Sports & Fitness.

BURT REYNOLDS

Academy award nominee and Golden Globe winner, Burt Reynolds has enjoyed enormous success as an actor and director in feature films, television and stage productions. Some of Burt's most prominent films include: "Mystery Alaska", "Striptease", "Citizen Ruth", "Deliverance", "Stroker Ace", "Smokey and the Bandit" and many more. Reynolds also starred in the hit television series "Evening Shade".

DR. TONEA STEWART

Dr. Tonea Stewart is a professional actress, tenured Professor and Director of Theatre Arts at Alabama State University. As an actor, Dr. Stewart is best known for her recurring role in "In the Heat of the Night" as Aunt Etta Kibbe. Dr. Stewart also had roles in John Grisham's film "A Time To Kill" portraying Samuel L. Jackson's wife. She won an NAACP Image Award nomination as best supporting actress in 1997. Dr. Stewart was the first African American female to receive a doctorate from the FSU School of Theatre and the first McKnight Doctoral Fellow in Theatre Arts.

NORM THAGARD

Former NASA Astronaut, Norm Thagard was a mission specialist on STS-7 in 1983 on Orbiter Challenger, the flight engineer on STS-51B in 1985, also aboard Challenger and STS-30 in 1989, on Orbiter Atlantis. He also served as the payload commander on STS-49 in 1992, aboard the Shuttle Discovery and was the cosmonaut researcher on the Russian Mir 18 mission in 1995, which required he live and train at the Gagarin Cosmonaut Training Center at Star City, Russia for more than one year prior to the mission. He logged over 140 days in space during five space flights.

DeLANE MATTHEWS

DeLane Matthews is an actress best known for her role as Beth Barry on "Dave's World" a television sitcom that aired on CBS 1993-1997. She has worked in regional theatre, on the New York Stage, in film and in television. DeLane has also appeared in the daytime soaps, "Guiding Light" and "Ryan's Hope" for five years. Some of her other roles have included: "The Fugitive" (2001), Evasive Action (1998), "From the Earth to the Moon" (1998), "Every Woman's Dream" (1996).



Lee Corso



Rita Coolidge



Paul Gleason



Barbara Harris



Gabrielle Reece



Dr. Tonea Stewart



Traylor Howard

OTHER FAMOUS ALUMNI:

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 Allan Ball, award-winning writer, received the 1999 Academy Award for Best Original Screenplay for "American Beauty"
 John W. Bradley, actor, "The New Adventures of Robin Hood"
 Clifton Campbell, playwright
 Davis Gaines, performer, "The Phantom of the Opera"
 Jane Geddes, professional golfer
 Parris Glendening, Governor of Kentucky
 Tara Dawn Holland Christensen, Miss America 1997
 Linda Keever, Editor in Chief Florida Trend Magazine
 Tony LaRussa, Manager, St. Louis Cardinals
 Scott Maddox, Tallahassee Mayor
 Michael Piontek, actor
 Henry Polic, actor
 Charles G. Rex, New York Philharmonic
 Victor Rivers, actor and spokesperson for The National Network To End Domestic Violence
 Stephen J. Rothman, theatre director
 Steven Sears, writer and producer
 Randy Ser, theatrical director
 Sonny Shroyer, actor, "The Dukes of Hazard"
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ATHLETICS DEPARTMENT MISSION STATEMENT

The Mission of the Department of Intercollegiate Athletics at Florida State University shall be to produce National Collegiate Athletics Association (NCAA) Division I programs for men and women equally characterized by excellence. It is the philosophy of the Department of Athletics, first and foremost, that our staff and program develop and hold the concept of the student-athlete at the highest level of importance. This important principle will never be compromised. In fact, it must be encouraged and supported. Our student-athletes will be at the core of departmental priorities and decisions. Our student-athletes will be viewed as individuals first, students second, and only then as athletes. The department will focus on producing graduates who are successful, well-rounded people ready to make a positive contribution to society.

The Department shall strive at the same time to be a leader in areas of ethics, non-discrimination, diversity and unquestioned fiscal integrity throughout the campus, the state and the country. A consistent priority is the fulfillment of the student-athletes undergraduate degree. At the same time, student-athletes must be given the best opportunity possible to strive for the highest athletic standards through the best preparation, motivation and support. Excellence in intercollegiate athletics programs is determined by academic achievement in the classroom, as well as the development of character, maturity and a sense of fair play in athletic competition. Such excellence engenders support for the University among its constituent groups including students, faculty, alumni, and friends at all levels of interest. The Department shall subscribe fully to the philosophy and regulations set forth by the National Collegiate Athletic Association and operate within the fiscal regulations and non-discriminatory procedures established by the Florida Board of Regents and the Florida legislature.

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**TALBOT
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D'ALEMBERTE**
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Talbot D'Alemberte was appointed president of The Florida State University on November 29, 1993, by the Florida Board of Regents, and took office on January 3, 1994. D'Alemberte served as the fourth dean of the FSU College of Law from 1984 to 1989 and continues to teach as a member of the University faculty.

President D'Alemberte is an active member of many legal and higher educational committees and boards, including numerous American Bar Association committees, state and regional bar associations, the American College of Trial Lawyers, the Lawyers' Committee on Civil Rights Under Law, the NAACP Legal Defense and Education Fund, the Florida Council of 100, the Business-Higher Education Forum, the Campus Compact Board, the First Amendment Center Board at Vanderbilt University, the Southeastern Universities Research Association Board, the National Association of State Universities and Land Grant Colleges Board, the Mildred and



Claude Pepper Foundation Board, and several FSU committees and boards including the FSU Foundation, the FSU Alumni Association, the Collins Center for Public Policy, the Caribbean Law Institute, and the Seminole Boosters, Inc.

D'Alemberte was the 1991-1992 president of the American Bar Association and the 1982-1984 president of the American Judicature Society. He represented Dade County in the Florida House of Representatives from 1966 to 1972 and

chaired several legislative committees. After leaving the Florida Legislature he chaired the Florida Constitution Revision Commission in 1977-1978 and the Florida Commission on Ethics in 1974-1975.

D'Alemberte practiced law with the Steel Hector & Davis law firm in Miami and Tallahassee where he first began his legal career in 1962 and was named partner in 1965.

D'Alemberte's book, *The Florida Constitution*, was published by Greenwood

Press in 1991. He co-edited the 1990 four-volume work, *The Florida Civil Trial Guide*, and has authored over twenty published articles.

The numerous awards D'Alemberte has won include the 1998 ABA Section of Legal Education Robert J. Kutak Award, the 1998 ABA World Order Under Law Award, 1996 American Judicature Society's Justice Award, the 1996 National Council of Jewish Women's Hannah G. Solomon Award, the 1993 Academy of Florida Trial Lawyers "Perry Nichols" Award, the 1993 Florida Academy of Criminal Defense Lawyers Annual Criminal Justice Award, the 1990 Jurisprudence Award from the Anti-defamation League of South Florida, the 1987 Florida Bar Foundation Medal of Honor, the 1986 National Sigma Delta Chi First Amendment Award, an American Academy of Television Arts and Sciences "Emmy" in 1985 for his work in open government, particularly in the opening of court proceedings to electronic journalists, and the 1984 Florida Civil Liberties Union "Nelson Poynter" Award.

D'Alemberte holds honorary degrees from Cleveland State University, Hofstra University, Nova Southeastern University, Stetson University, the Universities of the South (Sewanee), of Bridgeport, of Denver, the University of the West Indies, and the Open University of Great Britain.





Dave Hart, Jr.



DAVE HART, JR.
Director of Athletics

Dave Hart, Jr., became Florida State's 10th athletics director after a national search selected the former East Carolina athletics director in February 1995. Hart has gained national recognition for his skills in the areas of athletics management,

public relations, student-athlete welfare, marketing and fund-raising. He brought to Florida State an outstanding reputation as one of the country's most respected athletics directors. Prior to being named athletics director at FSU, Hart was the architect of significant growth in East Carolina's athletics program from 1987-1995. Under his leadership, ECU dramatically enhanced its reputation and image while demonstrating marked strides in fund-raising and facilities as well as funding for women's athletics.

Hart has served on several prestigious committees at conference and national levels during his career in athletics administration. He has been a member of the NCAA Council, the NCAA Honors and Awards Committee and the NCAA Special Events and Postseason Bowls Committee as well as a consultant to the NCAA Student-Athlete Advisory Council. Hart has held positions of considerable influence within conference and national circles. He has served as President of both the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics and the Division I-A Athletics Directors Association. He currently is a member of NCAA Football's Board of Directors where he serves with commissioners of Division I-A conferences and the NCAA president. In addition to serving in prominent leadership roles nationally, Hart chaired the Atlantic Coast Conference Television Committee where he played an integral role in the renegotiations of the ACC's football and basketball television contracts, considered to be the nation's best. He has served as Chair of the ACC Men's Basketball Committee as well as the Football Committee.

Three years ago, Hart was honored by his peers in athletics administration when he was awarded the distinction of Athlet-

ics Director of the Year in the Southeast Region at the annual NACDA Convention.

A popular speaker at the national level and the author of a number of articles for national publications, Hart has made numerous speaking presentations to conventions and presented seminars on such topics as program management, student-athlete welfare, marketing, fund-raising and personnel transition. For the past thirteen years, he has been an instructor at the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics' Management Institute.

Just the 10th athletics director in FSU history, Hart begins his eighth year as Florida State's Athletics Director where he oversees the Seminoles 40 million dollar athletics budget. Since his arrival at Florida State, Hart has negotiated unprecedented multi-million dollar contracts for the department totaling more than 35 million dollars, guided the development of an extensive and comprehensive athletics facilities master plan, initiated a multi-faceted Student Development/Life Skills program for all student-athletes at FSU, which was recognized nationally with a "Program of Excellence" award, and spearheaded the rewriting of the department's mission statement to put the student-athlete at the core of everything the athletics department does in its goal to build comprehensive excellence throughout the many facets of the department.

He has taken a leadership role in the athletics department's first major Capital Campaign, in concert with Seminole Boosters, to raise 70 million dollars for athletics facilities and endowed athletics scholarships for all sports at Florida State. The new state-of-the-art Golf Facility and Teaching Center became a reality recently as the latest piece of the facilities master plan to be put in place.

Hart has restructured the athletics department including major hires within coaching and administrative components of the department. Under his guidance, Florida State's Compliance and Academic Support programs have made continued strides and are now considered model programs within intercollegiate athletics. Exposure for all Seminole Athletics has escalated tremendously since Hart's arrival at FSU through the negotiation of television contracts with Sunshine Network as well as ACC contracts with regional sports carriers and ABC and ESPN.

Since Hart's arrival, FSU has formed a Varsity Club to encourage the participation of former student-athletes in current athletics department activities and a new focus has been placed on the growth of women's athletics at FSU. That commitment is reflected in the increased allocation of funding and facility improvements, such as the Soccer/Softball Complex, during Hart's tenure. Also during Hart's tenure, FSU has become home to the inaugural National Student-Athlete of the Year (Daryl Bush) as well as the NCAA's



Dave and Pam Hart

State of Florida Woman of the Year (Casey Jo Custer). A record number of FSU student-athletes have made the ACC Academic Honor Roll and been recipients of NCAA post-graduate scholarship awards during the past seven years. Student-athlete's community service involvement has also become a priority since Hart's arrival. Student-athletes at FSU contributed over 3,800 hours this past year to community outreach projects with the women's golf team winning the Athletics Directors' Cup for community service.

Football and baseball continue to flourish nationally during Hart's tenure as athletics director as evidenced with both the football and baseball programs competing for national championships. The commitment to build men's and women's basketball into a conference and national contender is very tangible. A 20 million-dollar renovation to the Leon County Civic Center is now complete and a new 9 million-dollar practice facility is to be fully operational this fall.

"We've been so fortunate to have Dave leading the university's athletic programs," said President Sandy D'Alemberte. "We hired him because of his record in building successful programs, his commitment to gender equity, his innovative approach to shaping the student behind the athlete, and the stability he offered. He proved us right and has certainly lifted Florida State athletics to a new level."

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

Hart met his wife, the former Pam Humble, while at Alabama and they have three children Rick, Jamie and Kelly. The Harts also have one grandchild, three-year old Trevor.



CHARLES W. EHRHARDT
Athletics Board Chair

As Chair of the FSU Athletics Board, Professor of Law Charles Ehrhardt is an important link for Florida State with the National Collegiate Athletic Association and Atlantic Coast Conference.

He has served as President of the ACC and as a member of the NCAA's Eligibility Committee. For the last several years he has served as chair of the ACC Sportsmanship Committee. Earlier during his tenure as the athletics board chair, he was elected

president of the NCAA's Faculty Athletic Representative Association, was a member of the NCAA President's Commission Liaison Committee and the Special Committee to Study the NCAA Enforcement and Infractions Process. He twice served as president of the Metro Conference. As a Commissioner to the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws, Ehrhardt is involved in drafting legislation for a uniform state law regulating the activities of sports agents.

A highly-respected expert in the field of evidence, Ehrhardt is the Ladd Professor of Evidence in the Florida State University College of Law, where he has taught for over 30 years. He wrote the Florida Evidence Code, passed by the Florida Legislature, which regulates the admissibility of evidence during court trials. Ehrhardt has written books on evidence and trial objections, which are frequently cited and relied upon by courts.

Ehrhardt is in demand as a lecturer and speaker. He works with lawyers and judges nationwide as a consultant on evidence matters. He currently teaches in the areas of torts, evidence, trial advocacy and sports law. He has been honored as the FSU College of Law outstanding professor in six different years. He was the recipient of a University Teaching Award in 1989 and the Professorial Excellence Award in 1997.

A native of Elkader, Iowa, Ehrhardt received a bachelor's degree from Iowa State University. He went on to the University of Iowa, where he earned his law degree in 1964. Before coming to Tallahassee, he was an Assistant United States Attorney.

Ehrhardt and his wife, the former Judy Sutton, have three children.



CHARLIE CARR
Senior Associate Athletics Director

Charlie Carr enters his eighth year as senior associate athletics director at Florida State in 2002. FSU athletics director Dave Hart named his longtime associate shortly after he accepted the job in 1995.

Prior to coming to FSU, Carr served under Hart as an associate athletics director at East Carolina University for four years and was executive director of ECU's educational foundation from 1988 until his elevation to associate AD.

Carr's responsibilities since coming to Florida State include assisting in managing all phases of the department's op-

eration. He serves as the department's spokesman in the AD's absence and acts as the athletics department's contact and liaison for campus and community organizations. He also serves on the NCAA's Baseball Committee.

Carr also is charged with overseeing departmental personnel in addition to the administration of the Seminole baseball, cross country, golf, track and volleyball programs.

A well-known member of the college athletics scene in North Carolina as a player, coach and administrator, Carr was athletics director at Mississippi State from 1985-87.

Carr played football and baseball at North Carolina where he earned his master's degree in 1970. He played two years of professional baseball in the N.Y. Mets organization before becoming an assistant football coach at his alma mater from 1971-75 under Bill Dooley. He then coached at Rice University from 1975-78.

He returned to UNC in 1978 to begin administrative work as senior associate athletics director until his appointment at Mississippi State.

Carr and his wife, Dee, have one daughter Caitlin (18).



CHARLES HURST
Executive Associate Director of Athletics for Internal Affairs

Charles Hurst enters his 16th year with the Florida State athletic department. Hurst was promoted to his present position in 1995 after three years as an associate athletics director, where he oversaw all of the department's financial and business affairs.

In addition to assisting in the daily management of the department, Hurst's duties include supervision of the annual budget, business and ticket office operation, facilities management, personnel records, departmental contracts and negotiations.

The Talladega, Ala., native came to Tallahassee after a stint at the University of Florida, where he was Director of Internal Management Auditing from 1983-87. He was Manager of Internal Auditing at the University of South Alabama from 1981-83.

Hurst received his bachelor's degree from Jacksonville State (Ala.) University with a major in accounting and a minor in economics. He earned CPA status in 1975 while employed by the private firm of Brook and Freeman in Anniston, Ala.

He and his wife, Juanita, have one daughter, Maria.



KIM RECORD
Senior Associate Director of Athletics/
Senior Women's Administrator

Kim Record enters her eighth year as senior associate athletics director and senior women's administrator at Florida State.

Record is a veteran of Atlantic Coast Conference circles having served as an associate athletics director at her alma mater, the University of Virginia, for seven years.

She is the primary administrator over the Seminole basketball, soccer, softball, swimming and tennis programs. Her responsibilities also include coordination and oversight of all multi-media contracts, supervising Title IX and gender equity compliance with the department, and overseeing the areas of sports marketing and sports information.

Prominent on the national scene as well, Record serves on the NACDA's executive committee.

A native of Troy, Va., Record received her bachelor's degree in sociology in 1984 and a master's from FSU in 1999. She has two sons, Kyle (14) and Joshua (9).



BOB MINNIX
Associate Director of Athletics for Compliance & Legal Affairs

News spread quickly in August of 1995 when Bob Minnix, a Director of Enforcement at the NCAA since 1975 and a former star running back at Notre Dame, announced he would leave his post to accept the newly created position of associate athletics director for compliance and legal affairs at Florida State University.

In his role at the NCAA, Minnix oversaw enforcement issues with regard to the NCAA and its member institutions including the preparation and presentation of cases to be heard by the Committee of Infractions. He has served on a number of NCAA committees including the Leadership and Development Training Committee, Special Events Committee, Post-Season Football Subcommittee, and staff task forces that concentrated on public relations, compensation, and employment opportunities for women

and ethnic minorities.

Minnix is currently the president of the Black Coaches Association and he has chaired the NCAA Committee on Sportsmanship and Ethical Conduct and has served on the Board of Directors for the National Association of Athletics Compliance Coordinators.

He frequently participates in panel discussions on current topics at the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics and the American Bar Association.

At Florida State, Minnix is charged with overseeing all departmental compliance issues, implementing and directing FSU's rules education programs, and serving as the department's liaison and contact with university General Counsel as well as other legal interests. He is directly involved in the strategic planning of long range departmental goals regarding student-athlete welfare and life skills training.

Minnix has continued FSU's stance as a pro-active leader in addressing NCAA and ACC issues, and in educating coaches, staff, student-athletes and donors to the serious nature and ramifications of non-compliance.

A native of Spokane, Wash., Minnix attended Notre Dame, where he played in back-to-back Cotton Bowls in 1970 and 1971. He led the Fighting Irish in rushing as a senior in 1971. A 1972 Notre Dame graduate, Minnix attended law school at the University of Washington where he received his Jurist Doctorate degree in 1975.

Minnix and his wife, Genny, have two sons, Brennan (23) and Blair (18).



ANDY URBANIC
Associate Director of Athletics for Football Operations & Special Projects

Andy Urbanic begins his 14th season in charge of football operations at Florida State. He added the responsibility of coordinating special projects within the athletics department three years ago and was elevated to the position of Associate Athletic Director in 2000.

Urbanic is directly responsible for all aspects of football operations, including team travel and home game operations. He also coordinates post-season logistics and travel for all Seminole teams and supervises the equipment, strength and conditioning, and training room staffs.

A member of the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame, Urbanic came to Tallahassee with more than 20 years experience in collegiate athletics (most of which came as an assistant coach at the Division 1 level). Prior to taking the

administrative post at FSU, he was at the University of Akron as offensive backfield coach and recruiting coordinator from 1986-87, and as assistant head football coach and offensive coordinator from 1987-88. From 1980-86, Urbanic was the offensive backfield coach at the University of Pittsburgh. Urbanic is a legendary figure in high school coaching in Pennsylvania, where he coached six undefeated teams and earned eight state championships.

Urbanic is a past president and member of the board of directors of the Pennsylvania State High School Coaches Association and remains active in the American Football Coaches Association.

He and his wife, Dorothy, have two daughters.



PAM OVERTON
Associate Director of Athletics for Student Services and Personal Development

Pam Overton is in her seventh year at Florida State and her second as an Associate Director of Athletics.

As Associate Director of Athletics for Student Services and Personal Development, her responsibilities include administering the total student development program with emphasis on personal and leadership development, community service and career planning and placement for college athletes.

Overton joined the department of athletics at Florida State in 1996 after serving 14 years as an Assistant Director of Athletics at East Carolina University.

Overton was part of the original task force that created the NCAA CHAMPS/Life Skills educational program. Since that time she has served as the secretary for the National Association of Academic Advisors and currently chairs the Division IA Athletic Director's Associations CHAMPS/Life Skills Board of Advisors.

Her extensive writings on student development have appeared in numerous publications on student development. In addition, she has written a training manual for college athlete's speaker's bureaus and a training manual for academic tutors. She serves as a consultant for several universities on student-athlete development and is a frequent lecturer at national conferences. In 1998, *Athletic Management Magazine* named her as an outstanding role model in college athletics.

Overton earned a master's degree and an educational specialist degree in counseling and was a guidance counselor prior to entering college athletics. She is

a certified counselor with a teaching certificate for the learning disabled and gifted, as well as other areas of education.



GREG PHILLIPS
Associate
Director of
Business,
Tickets and
Information
Technology

Greg Phillips enters his 17th year with Florida State Athletics and his second as Associate Director. Phillips oversees the department's business operations encompassing budgeting, financial reporting, contracts, travel, payroll, purchasing and accounting. He also manages information technology, including responsibility for generating new revenue streams through the development and execution of the department's online strategy.

Since assuming additional oversight responsibility for ticket sales and operations in 1999, Phillips has led a strategic restructuring of the Ticket Office and has developed, and led the implementation of, a quality service initiative. He has also managed 12 NCAA postseason baseball tournaments, the 1996 NCAA Women's Tennis Championships and various regional and ACC events in his role as director of hosted championships.

Recognized by his peers in 2000 as the nation's top financial administrator, Phillips has made numerous presentations at national conferences on revenue generation, cost containment and emerging technologies, and he has authored a number of published articles on those topics. He recently completed a term as Presi-

dent of the College Athletics Business Management Association, and he is currently a member of that organization's executive and nominating committees. Phillips also serves on the Atlantic Coast Conference Finance Committee, and he is an active member of NACDA and NACMA.

The Bartow, Fl. native joined the Athletics staff in 1986 after graduating with bachelor's and master's degrees in accounting from Florida State. He also earned a master's degree in sports administration from the United States Sports Academy.

Phillips and his wife Deanna have a son, Payton (8), and a daughter, Kathryn (6).



BERNIE WAXMAN
Assistant
Athletic
Director for
Facility
Planning,
Operations
and Event
Management

In his 29th year with Florida State University and his 12th year with the Athletics Department, Bernie Waxman continues to be one of the busiest people at FSU. With the Howser Stadium renovation, the Mike Long Track renovation, and the north end zone facility renovation underway, Waxman is helping FSU reach its goal of having the nation's best athletic facilities. In addition, Waxman continues the planning and development of the new Aquatics Center and the second phase of the Mike Long Track renovation.

Waxman oversees event management for most of the nineteen sports in which FSU competes at the NCAA level. The

scheduling and maintenance of the athletic facilities to include Mike Long Track, Dick Howser Stadium, Doak Campbell Stadium, the Basketball practice facility, the practice football fields, athletics wing of the new golf facility, and the soccer/softball complex also fell under his umbrella.

A 1971 graduate of Florida State University, Waxman earned three letters as a member of the FSU track and field team and captained the 1972 squad. He also earned his Master's Degree from Florida State that year.

After nearly 17 years with the intramural program Waxman moved over to the athletics department in 1991. During his tenure at the intramural office, Waxman served as a master official for track and field and as the head statistician for all Florida State men's and women's basketball and football games.

Waxman, currently sits on the Board of Directors of the Stadium Managers Association. He and his wife Lisa have a 13-year-old daughter, Gabrielle.



ROB WILSON
Assistant
Athletic
Director for
Media and
Public
Relations

Rob Wilson is in his 16th year on the Florida State athletics staff and his eighth in charge of all publicity and public relations matters concerning intercollegiate athletics at FSU. A 1983 graduate of Florida State, Wilson returned to his alma mater in 1986 as assistant sports information director after serving in the same role at East Carolina for three years. He served as the primary contact for the Seminoles' men's basketball program from 1987-94, before succeeding Wayne Hogan as sports information director.

A native of San Diego, Calif., Wilson graduated from Niceville High School in Niceville, Fla. and was a wide receiver at Ole Miss under Steve Sloan in 1979. He received his AA degree from Okaloosa-Walton Community College before enrolling at FSU where he majored in communications with a minor in chemistry.

The FSU Sports Information Office has won 34 awards during Wilson's tenure for excellence in its publications, including Football and Basketball Media Guides judged best in the nation on two occasions. He received the 2001 Scoop Hudgens Lifetime Achievement Award last spring in recognition of outstanding performance in the field of sports information and sports journalism.

Wilson, 41, and his wife Sherrill have two sons Preston and Parker.



STUDENT SERVICES & ACADEMIC SUPPORT

ATHLETIC ACADEMIC SUPPORT MISSION STATEMENT

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

AN OVERVIEW OF AN AWARD-WINNING ACADEMIC SUPPORT PROGRAM

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

Director, Mark Meleney states, "Our philosophy is to offer an academic support program integrated with the total University that will assist all student-ath-

letes with the transition into college and provide continued support in all phases of academic and professional development, culminating with graduation, job placement or graduate school."

Our program operates on a "proactive" rather than "reactive" approach. Our academic staff does not wait for crises to occur. We gather important background information on each entering student athlete, build an academic profile, and develop individualized support programs which are tailored to the unique needs of

each student-athlete. We also stay informed on the daily progress of the student-athletes through consistent communication with our faculty.

The academic support unit is housed in the \$126 million dollar, state-of-the-art University Center Complex. It includes private study carrels, a tutorial study area, and a computer lab outfitted with 20 IBM compatible computers and laserjet printers. In addition, the athletic skyboxes are used for group and individualized tutorial instruction. The academic support staff is

THE ACADEMIC SUPPORT STAFF



Mark P. Meleney

Mark Meleney begins his seventh year as the Director of the Athletic Academic Support Program. He brings to the position 14 years of advising experience at FSU.

Over the past eight years, Meleney has played an integral role in the development of a comprehensive program of student athlete support, which in 1996 won an "Award of Excellence" (from *Athletic Management Magazine*). Meleney directs a staff of five professional counselors, two graduate assistants, and an administrative assistant.

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

A native of Iowa, Meleney began his college education at Buena Vista College, where he earned varsity letters in football and baseball. Upon transferring to Florida State University, he earned Bachelor's degrees in Management and Finance in 1986 and received his M.S. degree in Athletic Administration in April 1997. He is currently pursuing his Ph.D. in Athletic Administration as well. A member of the National Association of Academic Advisors for Athletes (N4A), Meleney is married to the former Sarah Cawthon and they have a nine-year-old daughter, Montana Shea.



Matt Schmauch

Matt Schmauch is the Academic Counselor for the defensive football student-athletes. Schmauch, a native of Allen Park, Mich., has been a member of the FSU Athletic Academic Support Staff since the

Fall of 1996. He earned a Bachelor's Degree in Finance from Florida State in 1995 and went on to receive a Master's Degree in Athletic Administration from FSU in 1996.

A former student-athlete himself, Schmauch was an all-conference swimmer for FSU. During his undergraduate career, he earned ACC Honor Roll and Academic All-America status. Schmauch emphasizes accountability and responsibility, while assisting the football student-athletes with registration, course selection, major selection and monitoring their day-to-day progress.



Walter Goffigan

Walter Goffigan is in his third year as the Academic Counselor for the offensive football student-athletes. He earned his Bachelor's of Science Degree in Social Sciences from the University of Wyoming in 1986, where he was

an All-Conference and All-American football player. Goffigan went on to play professional football for both the Denver Broncos and the Dallas Cowboys. He is working towards his Master's Degree at Florida State University and is a member of the National Association of Academic Advisors for Athletes (N4). He is married to the former Julie Maron and they have four children, Ryan (16), Joshua (14), Alyssa (13) and Spencer (10).



Dr. Brenda Monk

Dr. Brenda Monk begins her second full year with the Athletic Academic Support Program. Dr. Monk serves as an Assistant Director of the Academic Support Program and works hands-on with student-athletes

with individualized learning needs. Dr. Monk has implemented an Educational Services Program that is designed to meet the needs of student-athletes diagnosed with moderate academic deficiencies and assist with their progress towards graduation. "We feel that the hiring of Dr. Monk will greatly enhance our student-athlete graduation and retention rates," said Program Director Mark Meleney. "We are one of a handful of schools nationally to have a Learning Specialist on staff within the Athletic Academic Support Program. We feel this hire distinguishes Florida State as one of the leaders nationally in the area of Support Programs for student-athletes."

Dr. Monk comes to Florida State after serving as a Principal, Special Education Assistant Supervisor, and School Psychologist for Rankin County School District in Brandon, Mississippi. She earned her Bachelor's and Master's Degrees in Education from the University of Mississippi. Dr. Monk also earned an Educational Specialist Degree in 1986 from Jackson State University, and in 1993, earned a Ph.D. in Education Administration from Mississippi State University.

Dr. Monk is a member of the Association of Supervision and Curriculum Development, Association on Higher Education and Disability, and the National Association of Academic Advisors for Athletics. She is married to Tony and has three children, Julie (26) and Scott Loftin, Josh (25) and Allison (17).

comprised of a Director, an Administrative Assistant, five Academic Counselors, several graduate assistants, individualized learning specialists and a cadre of approximately 50 tutors and mentors.

Mark Meleney was named the program's Director in 1997 and brings 12 years of advising experience to the position. Over the past eight years, Meleney has played an integral role in the development of a comprehensive program of student-athlete support, which in 1996 won the "Program of Excellence" award from *Athletic Management Magazine*.

TUTOR & MENTOR PROGRAM

The Athletic Department at Florida State University has made a commitment to providing our student-athletes with one of the finest and most comprehensive tutorial and mentor programs in the nation. The tutorial program is just one of several key support services that is available to all student athletes as they progress towards their ultimate goal of obtaining a college degree. We hire approximately 50 tutors a year, from a variety of academic departments, who are committed to providing a proactive, individualized approach in assisting student athletes with course comprehension and study skills. In addition, Mentors are academic role models who have demonstrated the ability to teach and give guidance in areas of academic developmental skills. They are responsible for providing assistance in the development of skills such as note taking,

test preparation and communication with faculty. In essence, mentors become an extension of the academic counselor as they keep the academic performance of their student-athletes under close observation and report to the academic counselors each week. The tutors and Mentors are usually seniors or graduate level students who have outstanding academic backgrounds.

STUDY HALL

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

ACADEMIC HONORS & AWARDS

Florida State University student-athletes have achieved great success in obtaining recognition for academic excellence. More than \$200,000 in postgraduate monies has been granted to FSU's

student athletes over the past six years, as well as a number of other academic honors and awards.

Florida State University named 187 student-athletes to the 2002 Atlantic Coast Conference Honor Roll. In the 2001-2002 academic year alone, Florida State boasted two ACC Weaver-James-Corrigan Postgraduate Scholarship Winners, an ACC Scholar Athlete Award Winner, a NACDA Minority \$10,000 Postgraduate Scholarship Award Winner and FSU's sixth National Football Foundation \$18,000 Postgraduate Scholarship Winner.

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

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

ACADEMIC AWARD WINNERS

ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS

(Selected by the College Sports Information Directors of America)

FIRST TEAM

1972 Gary Huff (QB)
 1979 Phil Williams (WR),
 Keith Jones (DB), Scott Warren (DE)
 1980 Keith Jones (DB)
 1981 Rohn Stark (P)
 1994 Derrick Brooks (OLB)
 1996 Daryl Bush (LB)
 1997 Daryl Bush (LB)
 2000 Chris Hope (FS)
 2001 Chris Hope (FS)

SECOND TEAM

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

CFA POST-GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

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

ACC SCHOLAR ATHLETE AWARD

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

NACDA JOHN MCLENDON MINORITY POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

2002 Chris Hope (FS)

NCAA POST-GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

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

FSU'S ACC ALL-ACADEMIC SELECTIONS

1992
 C Robbie Baker
 OLB Derrick Brooks
 OLB Reggie Freeman
 QB Charlie Ward
 1993
 CB Clifton Abraham
 ILB Ken Alexander
 OLB Derrick Brooks
 FS Richard Coes
 QB Charlie Ward
 1994
 LB Daryl Bush
 LB Derrick Brooks
 DB Steve Gilmer
 1995
 OL Lewis Tyre

LB Daryl Bush
 LB Todd Rebol
 1996
 OL Justin Amman
 LB Daryl Bush
 RB Warrick Dunn
 C Kevin Long
 LB Kwaesi Palmer
 DB Jason Poppell
 1997
 WR E.G. Green
 C Kevin Long
 DE Andre Wadsworth
 DT Jerry Johnson
 MLB Daryl Bush
 S Dexter Jackson
 1998
 P Keith Cottrell
 DB Chris Hope
 OL Jason Whitaker
 QB Chris Weinke
 1999
 FS Chris Hope
 TE Ryan Sprague
 QB Chris Weinke
 2000
 OG Justin Amman
 FS Chris Hope
 TE Ryan Sprague
 QB Chris Weinke
 2001
 LB Marcello Church
 FS Chris Hope

STUDENT DEVELOPMENT & LIFE SKILLS



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

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



JOHN LATA
Coordinator

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

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



AMY MAGNUSON
Sports Nutritionist

gramming focuses on helping student-athletes develop a healthy lifestyle while they are at Florida State and habits that will benefit them for life.

CAREER DEVELOPMENT

Preparing for life after college sports is a major focus of the NOLES Career Development program. The program is designed to work cooperatively with the University's Career Services to acquaint students with the job search process, provide networking opportunities and ultimately assist with job placement. This program places a priority on the development of the total person, with the goal of developing individuals who will have rewarding careers and productive lifestyles after they leave Florida State.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

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



PAM OVERTON, Associate Athletics Director

LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

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

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

