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Sue Semrau on how the team looks to replace two of its top three scorers

"I don't think that we can replace Mara Freshour and Tanae Davis-Cain. The reason I say that is because their experience was beyond anything we have. We don't have that but what we do have is a lot of talent and a lot of hunger that will be interesting to see how we blend. I don't think it will be 'well you step in and you replace Mara, you step in and replace Tanae' I think that it's going to be a complete shift of who we are because we don't have those two anchors. We have different anchors and I think Jacinta Monroe has really stepped up and said 'I want to lead this team'. I think Courtney Ward has had a tremendous offseason and is ready to step into that role at point guard. Our two other seniors are very hungry and willing to do whatever it takes for them to go out in the best fashion they can."



Sue Semrau on the offense

"Last year we thought our inside game was going to open up our outside game and the exact opposite happened because of the lack of experience on the inside. We are going to really need to get people great shots in great positions and it's going to start on the defensive end of the floor like it has the last couple of years for us."





Sue Semrau on the defense

"I think that we are going to be a great defensive team because of who Jacinta is on the interior and who Cierra Bravard is. We have some really great athletes on the perimeter. We will take Alysha Harvin from the four spot and move her to the three spot. Chasity Clayton is a fabulous athlete and not to mention Angel Gray and Christian Hunnicutt. There are a lot of people that can make things happen on the defensive end where we hope we can score in numbers situations rather than having to be a five-on-five execution team. Again, against great teams we are going to have to be a five-on-five execution team and we know that we are going to have to be good in that situation but it will be interesting to see how good we can be on the defensive end."



Sue Semrau on turning into a transition team

"I think this is a team that we have to be committed to that and I believe this is a team that is committed to being a transition team, they showed us that in Africa. It really depends on how we rebound and how well we defend whether we can be committed to being a running team."



Sue Semrau on the frontcourt

"What I see right now is Cint at the four and Cierra at the five. To have the size and the versatility of those two is a great weapon for us and will be dangerous for our opponent. Cierra had a lot of things that she dealt with as a freshman last year. Now having been here a year, spending a summer here and getting in much better shape, she's much more focused on being a great basketball player and that has been great for our team. I think what Cint has done is she has set the bar high for Cierra and given Cierra something to strive for which is very possible. She sees the versatility in Cint's game and she wants to be a versatile player and not just a low-block player."



Sue Semrau on the backcourt

"Courtney Ward has decided that she wants to be a vocal leader as well as someone who gets the offense going. That has been a desire in our coaching staff for her to step up in that way for the last couple of years. I think that will be a huge focal point in how we do this year. I think we are a little unsure on who will be in our starting lineup but I know that we have two seniors who will give us a ton on the floor. I know that we have Alexa Deluzio and Christian who can do a ton of things. We have a great balance of penetrators and people who can stretch the defense and some that can do both. I like the versatility that we have in our backcourt and the fact that all of them are comfortable handling the ball."



Sue Semrau on the team's exhibition trip to South Africa

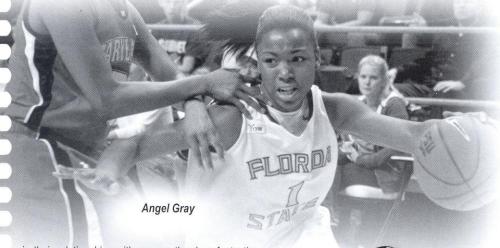
"It was beyond my expectations. I think one of the things that was tremendous for our team, not just the experience of being together, was being together with

"The trip to South Africa was beyond my expectations."

- Sue Semrau

no opportunity to be on a cell phone. I think in this day and age, we are all so tied to our texting and contacting each other that sometimes we are not connected to one another. As a result they grew

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in their relationships with one another in a fantastic way. It really carried through into the preseason in the way that they embraced Chelsea Davis and Leonor Rodriguez, our two freshmen. I think it was a wonderful trip for us in many, many ways."



Sue Semrau on redshirting Chasity Clayton and Alexa Deluzio

"We certainly would not have wanted to redshirt Lex but that was forced. It puts Lex in a much better situation now as far as getting her first year of experience with even more playing time. She's got it in her mind, she was very diligent to stay very engaged mentally. Her training has been fantastic and I think she comes in at a higher level as a freshman than she would have last year. So both she and Chasity have that year of knowledge under their belts, they have a year of training under their belts. Chasity even more so than Lex because Lex was rehabbing and they are not true freshmen so that plays a huge role for us. Again it's the experience you lose and how you replace that. "





Sue Semrau on the true freshmen

I think they have both been tremendous in the preseason. I think they are going to give us even more than I anticipated. Chelsea Davis has been not only a great athlete and player who can finish and really gets it but she's been a workhorse. She'll do anything necessary to win and we are going to need that for her to step in and pick up Cierra in that five spot which will free up Cint to not have to do that as much and put us in a much better situation if we are to encounter foul trouble. Look at our backup point guard situation and you see Lex and Christian. Both of them are more true wing players so with Leonor Rodriguez coming in, who is much more of a true point guard, you have the ability to let those two focus on being the best at what their best at and Leo comes in and gives us a whole new dynamic. She passes the ball maybe better than anybody on our team but she loves to get to the rim. That's really rare where you'll have a point guard that is such a tremendous distributor of the basketball but still has the desire to get to the rim and score.



Sue Semrau on her schedule

I think that the schedule is important for the growth of our team. I think that it's important as we prepare for the ACC to play competition that is going to put us in that situation early. It doesn't hurt, obviously, in your RPI to get out and play those types of teams. We don't want to have just an average RPI, we want to go into the tournament selection with a very high RPI.



Sue Semrau on returning to the tournament

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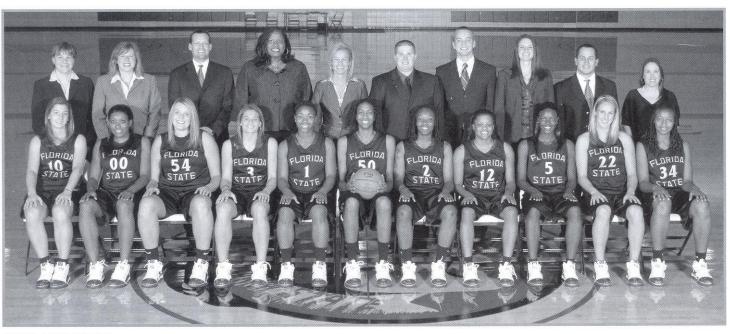
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It's not even pressure, it is an expectation now in our program in that's what we are going to do. It's a great opportunity for us to have the ability to host here. I think that it says a lot about Florida State and the city of Tallahassee that we were honored with this bid and now it's important for us to take care of our business every day so that we are best prepared when that time comes to play our best basketball. It's not a guarantee because we have it here that we will be in it, it's not a guarantee that we have it here and we get home court advantage and win. None of that is a guarantee. We have to take care of business.



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No.	Player	Hgt	Pos	Yr	Hometown (High School/Last School)
00	Chasity Clayton	6-0	F	RFr.	Alexandria, Va. (Edison)
1	Angel Gray	5-9	G	Sr.	Stone Mountain, Ga. (Stone Mountain)
2	Alysha Harvin	5-10	F	Sr.	Dania, Fla. (South Broward)
3	Alexa Deluzio	5-11	G	RFr.	Windemere, Fla. (First Academy)
5	Christian Hunnicutt	5-10	G	Jr.	Jonesboro, Ga. (Landmark Christian)
10	Leonor Rodriguez	5-11	G	Fr.	Canary Islands, Spain (Guaydil)
12	Courtney Ward	5-7	G	Jr.	Montgomery, Ala. (Jefferson Davis)
22	Kayli Keough	6-2	F	So.	Land O' Lakes, Fla. (Land O' Lakes)
34	Chelsea Davis	6-2	F	Fr.	Middletown, Del. (Middletown)
50	Jacinta Monroe	6-5	F	Sr.	Ft. Láuderdale, Fla. (Stranahan)
54	Cierra Bravard	6-4	F	So.	Sandusky, Ohio (Perkins)

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No.	Player	Hgt	Pos	Yr	Hometown (Last School)
54	Cierra Bravard	6-4	F	So.	Sandusky, Ohio (Perkins)
00	Chasity Clayton	6-0	F	RFr.	Alexandria, Va. (Edison)
34	Chelsea Davis	6-2	F	Fr.	Middletown, Del. (Middletown)
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Head Coach:

Associate Head Coach: **Assistant Coaches:**

Director of Basketball Operations: Melissa Bruner

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Angie Johnson, Lance White

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Cierra Bravard	See-air-ah Brah-vard	
Alexa Deluzio	Da-Loo-Zee-O	
Alysha Harvin	A-Leesha	
Kayli Keough	Kee-oh	
Jacinta Monroe	Jah-Cint-tah	
Leonor Rodriguez	Lay-ah-nor Rod-ree-geth	
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BY STATE

Florida	4	Alexa Deluzio (Windermere)
	100	Alysha Harvin (Dania)
		Kayli Keough (Land O' Lakes)
		Jacinta Monroe (Ft. Lauderdale)
Georgia	2	Angel Gray (Stone Mountain)
		Christian Hunnicutt (Jonesboro)
Alabama	1	Courtney Ward (Montgomery)
Delaware	1	Chelsea Davis (Middletown)
Ohio	1	Cierra Bravard (Sandusky)
Virginia	1	Chasity Clayton (Alexandria)
Spain	1	Leonor Rodriguez (Canary Islands)

BY POSITION

5	Alexa Deluzio
i i	Angel Gray
	Christian Hunnicutt
	Leonor Rodriguez
	Courtney Ward
6	Cierra Bravard
	Chasity Clayton
	Chelsea Davis
	Alysha Harvin
	Kayli Keough
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BY HEIGHT

6-5	1	Jacinta Monroe
6-4	1	Cierra Bravard
6-2	2	Chelsea Davis
		Kayli Keough
6-0	1	Chasity Clayton
5-11	2	Alexa Deluzio
		Leonor Rodriguez
5-10	2	Alysha Harvin
		Christian Hunnicutt
5-9	1	Angel Gray
5-7	1	Courtney Ward

BY CLASS

Seniors	3	Angel Gray
		Alysha Harvin
		Jacinta Monroe
Juniors	2	Christian Hunnicutt
		Courtney Ward
Sophomores	2	Cierra Bravard
		Kayli Keough
Redshirt Freshmen	2	Chasity Clayton
		Alexa Deluzio
Freshmen	2	Chelsea Davis
		Leonor Rodriguez

Jacinta Monroe

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As the all-time winningest coach in Florida State women's basketball history, Sue Semrau is used to making a little magic happen with the Seminoles.

This past season was one of the most successful in her 12-year career as Semrau's 2008-09 Seminoles reached the NCAA Tournament for a school-record fifth-consecutive time and achieved the highest national rankings in program history (No. 11 AP and No. 12 USA Today/ESPN).

FSU's journey to the Big Dance occurred during a season in which the team tweaked the record books on more than one occasion.

Not only did the team earn the second-most wins in program history with 27 at year's end, the Seminoles also set a new school record for the highest NCAA Tournament seeding at No. 3. This stellar seeding was thanks to a regular season that saw FSU finish in a tie for first place in the Atlantic Coast Conference for the first time ever as both the Seminoles and Maryland Terrapins finished with 12 league victories.



HEAD COACH

13th Season (UC-San Diego, '85)









Those 12 conference victories are the most in program history and perhaps none was more special than the Feb. 13 victory over the North Carolina Tar Heels. In that game, Semrau coached barefoot in observance of the Samaritan's Feet campaign and her Seminoles pulled off a 77-70 defeat of a UNC squad that was ranked No. 7 in the country at the time.

In addition to tying the school record for wins over ranked opponents with five by beating the Tar Heels, the game's outcome also marked Semrau's illustrious 200th career victory. FSU also beat No. 3 Texas A&M, No. 25 Georgia Tech, No. 14 Virginia and No. 3 Duke last season.

The wins over the Aggies, Tar Heels and Blue Devils set a new school record for most victories over a top-10 opponent in a season.

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EDUCATION:

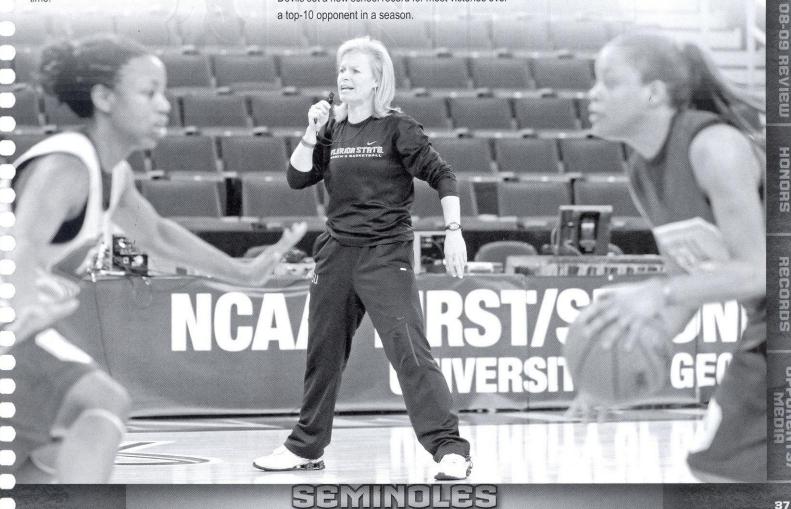
- University of California-San Diego, 1985 Bachelor's degree in communications
- University of Southern California, 1988 Master's degree in athletic administration

COACHING EXPERIENCE:

- Occidental College, 1987-90 Head Coach/Assistant Athletic Director
- Northern Illinois University, 1990-93 Assistant Coach/Recruiting Coordinator
- University of Wisconsin, 1994-97 Assistant Coach/Recruiting Coordinator
- Florida State University, 1997-present Head Coach

PLAYING EXPERIENCE:

- University of Puget Sound, 1982-83
- University of California-San Diego, 1984-85



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For her hard work all season long, Semrau was named the 2008-09 Atlantic Coast Conference Coach of the Year for the third time in her career.

During the five-year run of NCAA Tournament appearances, Semrau has garnered 114 victories, which is the most ever in that span of time at FSU. Semrau's Seminoles have also won 48 ACC games during that stretch, which is also the most in a five-year span for the program. Since the 2004-05 season, only Duke, Maryland and North Carolina have won more overall games and ACC games than FSU.

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Prior to this past season, the Seminoles burst on to the national scene under Semrau during the 2006-07 campaign. The year-long celebration of Semrau's milestone 10th season culminated with Florida State reaching the NCAA Tournament Sweet 16 for the first time in school history.

There was an early indication that the 2006-07 season was going to be a special one for the Seminoles as they started the year by winning 10 of their first 11 games, including a 22-point throttling of in-state rival Florida. A two-game setback at the end of the calendar year only refocused FSU as it started the ACC slate by winning its first four games. The four conference losses came to 2006 National Champion Maryland, 2007 Final Four participant North Carolina, regular-season champion Duke and ACC Tournament finalist NC State.

Semrau's style has been embraced by all who have come in contact with her. She has won the hearts of the Florida State media, fans and -- most importantly -- the student-athletes, which has become very evident in her recruiting success. Semrau and her staff have brought in six of the nation's top recruiting classes since their arrival.

Seven Seminoles have also been drafted into the WNBA under Semrau's tutelage. Last season's seniors, Mara Freshour and Tanae Davis-Cain, were selected in the third round of the 2009 WNBA Draft and former Seminole Britany Miller was picked in the second round after playing overseas for a year.

Semrau's commitment to community service has also been a priority for the program. The Seminoles have performed a variety of services throughout the Tallahassee area and have been known to extend a helping hand when on the road, making visits to the Boys and Girls Club at the Coalition for the Homeless in Orlando and elementary schools in Harlem, N.Y., West Chester and Wadsworth, Ohio and Martinsville, Ind., as well as the Duke Hospital in Durham, N.C.

Prior to coming to FSU, Semrau served three years as an assistant coach and recruiting coordinator at the University of Wisconsin under Jane Albright. While in Madison, she contributed to the Badgers' three-straight winning seasons and two NCAA Tournament appearances, including the program's first ever back-to-back 20-win seasons. Semrau was also noted for her recruiting efforts at Wisconsin with a 1995 recruiting class that ranked eighth in the country by Blue Star Index. Semrau first joined Albright at Northern Illinois in 1991 where she assisted in leading NIU to three consecutive NCAA tournament appearances.

In 2008-09, Semrau was named the ACC Coach of the Year for the third time in her career.







Prior to her hiring at Northern Illinois, Semrau served as head women's basketball coach and assistant athletic director at Occidental College in Los Angeles for four years where she compiled a 51-47 overall record. She also coached soccer for two seasons and was responsible for the administrative duties of fundraising and promotions at the Division III institution. At Occidental, Semrau was a member of the NCAA regional selection committee and chaired the Southern California Intercollegiate Athletic Conference for women's basketball.

Semrau also worked as the public relations and promotions director for the L.A. Heat professional soccer team from 1986-87, and the public relations director for the Seattle Storm soccer team in the previous year.

A native of Seattle, Wash., Semrau is a graduate of Shorecrest High School. She went on to attend the University of Puget Sound for two years. Semrau transferred to the University of California-San Diego in 1984 where she finished her career ranking 13th all-time in scoring and fourth all-time in assists. She graduated in 1985 with a Bachelor's Degree in communications and received her Master's Degree in athletic administration from the University of Southern California in 1988.

An accomplished public speaker, Semrau is a very popular guest speaker in the community as well as with alumni groups from around the state of Florida. She is also active as a volunteer with various ministries.

Currently she serves on the Board of Directors for the Women's Basketball Coaches Association.

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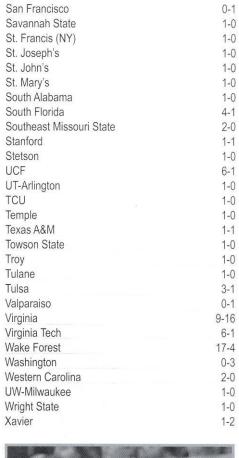
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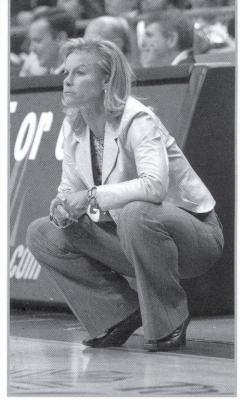
SEMRAU VS. ALL OPPONENTS

Alabama-Birmingham 2-0 Hofstra Alabama State 2-0 Indiana	1-0 2-0
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Arizona State 0-1 IUPUI	1-0
Auburn 0-3 Iowa State	0-1
Austin Peay 1-0 Jacksonville	2-0
Boston College 5-0 Lipscomb	2-0
Cal State Fullerton 1-0 Long Beach State	1-0
Charleston Southern 1-0 LSU	1-3
Charlotte 1-0 Louisiana Tech	1-2
Chattanooga 0-2 Louisville	1-0
Chicago State 2-0 Loyola-Chicago	1-0
Clemson 13-12 Maryland	10-11
Colgate 1-0 Mercer	3-0
College of Charleston 1-0 Miami	9-1
Connecticut 0-4 Miami (OH)	1-0
Coppin State 1-0 Mississippi	1-0
Dayton 1-0 Mississippi State	1-1
DePaul 0-1 Missouri State	0-1
Duke 3-22 Montana	1-1
Duquesne 0-1 Murray State	1-0
East Carolina 1-0 New Orleans	1-0
East Tennessee State 1-0 UNC-Asheville	1-0
Eastern Kentucky 1-0 North Carolina	3-16
Fairfield 1-0 North Carolina A&T	1-0
Fairleigh Dickinson 1-0 NC State	6-15
Florida 4-10 Northern Arizona	0-1
Florida Atlantic 2-0 Northern Colorado	1-0
Florida A&M 2-0 North Florida	2-0
Florida Gulf Coast 2-0 Oakland	2-1
Florida International 3-2 Ohio State	1-0
Fordham 5-0 Oklahoma State	0-1
Georgia 0-3 Old Dominion	1-0
Georgia Southern 1-0 Penn State	1-0
Georgia State 1-0 Pepperdine	0-1
Georgia Tech 12-9 Richmond	1-1
Harvard 1-0 Samford	1-0

SEMRAU	YEAR-BY-YEAR	

Season	Overall Record	ACC Record (Place)	Postseason
1997-98	9-18	5-11 (7th)	
1998-99	7-20	2-14 (9th)	
1999-00	12-17	4-12 (8th)	
2000-01	19-12	9-7 (4th)	NCAA Second Round
2001-02	13-15	4-12 (9th)	
2002-03	17-13	8-8 (4th)	WNIT Second Round
2003-04	15-15	7-9 (5th	WNIT Second Round
2004-05	24-8	9-5 (4th)	NCAA Second Round
2005-06	20-10	10-4 (4th)	NCAA Second Round
2006-07	24-10	10-4 (4th)	NCAA Sweet 16
2007-08	19-14	7-7 (5th)	NCAA Second Round
2008-09	26-8	12-2 (T1st)	NCAA Second Round
Totals	205-160 (.562)	87-95 (.478)	Eight Postseason Appearances





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1997-98

SUE SEMRAU is hired as Florida State's head coach — the program's third new coach in three years. The program is coming off of a 5-22 season, including a winless season in ACC play at 0-16. In her first season at the helm of the program, Sue Semrau leads Florida State to its most victories since 1992-93 (9-18) and its best ACC record (5-11) and finish since 1992-93, including its largest victory by margin over an ACC opponent (88-53 over Georgia Tech). Latavia Coleman was named Second Team All-ACC while Brooke Wyckoff was named to the ACC All-Freshman Team

1998-99

THE SEMINOLES were 5-5 when leading scorer Latavia Coleman was lost for the season with a torn ACL and the team won just two more games the rest of the season and finished 7-20. Sue Semrau and her staff signed the No. 8 ranked recruiting class in the nation. Brooke Wyckoff was named Third Team All-ACC while April Traylor was named to the ACC All-Freshman Team.

1999-00

SUE SEMRAU LED FSU to an 12-18 record while the Seminoles played 12 games against NCAA Tournament teams and eight nationally-ranked teams. The Seminoles were competitive as seven of the team's ACC losses were by five points or less. FSU won its first round game at the ACC Tournament with a 65-60 victory over Maryland marking the first time the Seminoles had won a game in the actual tournament. Latavia Coleman scored 31 points in that game and became the first Seminole since 1993 to earn ACC Tournament First Team honors. For the season, Coleman was named Second Team All-ACC, Brooke Wyckoff was named Third Team All-ACC and to the All-Defensive Team while April Traylor earned Honorable Mention honors. Coleman became the first Seminole to be drafted to the WNBA as a third round selection and the 48th pick overall.

2000-01

IN SUE SEMRAU'S fourth year, she led Florida State to the program's best season in a decade. What a year it was and it started early as the Seminoles practiced 10 days in August before embarking on a 10-day European adventure to France and Switzerland where they played four games and won them by an average of 47 points. The Seminoles went on to record the program's most wins (19-12) in 10 years, advanced to the NCAA Tournament for the first time since the 1990-91 season and had their first winning season since 1991-92. FSU's 9-7 ACC record was the program's best record and finish (tied for 3rd) in league play. FSU finished ranked No. 25 nationally, the program's first national ranking since 1991. Semrau was named ACC Coach of the Year. Brooke Wyckoff was named a First Team All-ACC selection and was the first FSU player since 1992-93 to garner such status. She also earned ACC All-Defensive Team honors for the second straight season. Levys Torres and April Traylor were named Third Team All-ACC. Wyckoff was selected in the second round as the 26th overall pick in the WNBA Draft while Torres was a third round selection (37th pick).

2001-02

THE SEMINOLES once again played some of the nation's toughest opponents with five games against Top 10 opponents, 11 games total against Top 25 teams and 12 games against NCAA Tournament teams. Six of FSU's losses (13-15) were by four points or less. Tasheika Morris earned Third Team All-ACC honors. April Traylor was Honorable Mention All-ACC while Genesis Choice was named to the ACC All-Freshman Team.

2002-03

FLORIDA STATE made its second post-season tournament appearance in three years, playing in the WNIT and advancing to the second round. Sue Semrau guided the Seminoles to another winning season (17-13), the second in three years, and to a fourth-place finish in the ACC, which was rated No. 2 among 32 conferences in RPI rankings. Tasheika Morris earned Second Team All-ACC honors while Ganiyat Adeduntan garnered Honorable Mention ACC All-Freshman Team honors.

2003-04

DESPITE THE LOSS of starter LaQuinta Neely just six games into the season, Sue Semrau led the Seminoles to another WNIT appearance, marking the third postseason tournament appearance in four years and to a 15-15 record. Tasheika (Morris) Allen was named Second Team All-ACC while rookie Shante Williams earned Honorable Mention All-ACC honors and All-Freshman Team accolades.

2004-05

THE FLORIDA STATE women's basketball program suffered a tragedy with the sudden death of rising sophomore Ronalda Pierce in June 2004. Sue Semrau provided the strength and leadership to pull her team through the devastation and introduced Phase Two of the program which was about personal responsibility, selflessness and a championship mentality. The Seminoles flourished in the new system and established the best start in school history (12-0) on their way to the program's first 20-win season (24-8) since 1990-91. With a second round appearance in the NCAA Tournament, FSU made its third straight postseason tournament appearance and fourth in a five-year stretch. FSU spent five weeks nationally-ranked and earned its first Associated Press ranking since 1991. Semrau, who guided FSU to another fourth-place ACC finish, was recognized with her second ACC Coach of the Year award while Roneeka Hodges became the third Seminole to earn First Team All-ACC honors. Ganiyat Adeduntan and Alicia Gladden earned Honorable Mention All-ACC recognition while Gladden was also named to the ACC All-Defensive Team. Hodges earned Kodak Region All-American honors, was a WBCA All Star and became FSU's highest WNBA Draft pick as the first player called in the second round and the 15th pick overall.

2005-06

FOLLOWING A 10-DAY tour of Italy in August in which the Seminoles went 4-0 and averaged 97.8 points per game while holding opponents to 47.8 points per game, FSU continued the success it enjoyed in 2004-05. For just the second time in program history, and first since 1990 and 1991, Florida State participated in back-to-back NCAA Tournaments as Sue Semrau guided the Seminoles to a 20-10 and a second round NCAA Tourney appearance. The Seminoles also enjoyed back-to-back 20-win seasons for just the second time in program history. The Seminoles earned their most ACC wins with a 10-4 record and another fourth-place finish. Semrau became FSU women's basketball's winningest coach by victories. Alicia Gladden earned Third Team All-ACC honors and was named to the ACC All-Defensive Team for the second straight season. Britany Miller garnered ACC All-Freshman Team honors. FSU had a lot to celebrate with the Class of 2006. The first class to lead FSU to seven or more ACC victories in four consecutive seasons. this group led the team to a record fourth-straight postseason appearance and averaged 19 wins per season which is the most in the Semrau era and second most in FSU history.

2006-07

THE 10TH SEASON under Sue Semrau couldn't have been any sweeter as her 2006-07 squad made school history. A 68-61 victory over Stanford in the second round of the NCAA Tournament sent the Seminoles to their first NCAA Tournament Sweet 16. Florida State had its magical run cut short 55-43 by LSU in the semifinals of the Fresno Regional. The Seminoles ended the season with a 24-10 record to mark the first time in school history that the program put together three-straight 20-win seasons and went to the NCAA Tournament three years in a row. Florida State cracked the top 20 of the final USA Today/Coaches Poll as its No. 19 ranking is the highest end-of-year ranking and matched the highest rating ever at any point in the season. Senior Alicia Gladden finished her career as the Seminoles' all-time leader in steals at 275 swipes on her way to her second Third-Team All-ACC selection. Rookie forward Jacinta Monroe swatted 63 balls - the third-highest total in school history - to earn her a spot on the ACC All-Freshman team. Within the league ranks, Florida State matched a program-best by finish the league ledger at 10-4.

2007-08

GOOD TIMES continued to roll along for the Florida State women's basketball program as Sue Semrau led the Noles to their fourth consecutive trip to the NCAA Tournament where they won a first round game for the fourth consecutive season. The Seminoles downed nationally-ranked Ohio State by a score of 60-49 in Des Moines, Iowa to move Semrau to a perfect 5-0 in the NCAA First Round games. FSU had an All-ACC Honorable Mention pick in Tanae Davis-Cain as well as an All-ACC Academic selection in Mara Freshour while also picking up ESPN The Magazine Academic All-District honors as well. The Seminoles began the season ranked 19th in the country and went up to a programbest No. 18 during the course of the campaign. Semrau led the Seminoles to a 7-7 mark in the ACC, which placed them in a tie for fifth place in the league. Those seven victories gave Semrau a total of 75 ACC triumphs for her career, which is the eighthbest mark in the history of the league. In addition, senior Shante Williams broke the school record for career assists with 451, after putting together three seasons in which she tallied at least 100 dishes. Semrau continued to the lead FSU to in-state dominance as the Seminoles won 12 consecutive games against rivals from the Sunshine State, topped by a thrilling 50-49 victory over Miami during the final week of the regular season. Florida State was one of the top three-point shooting teams in the conference and dropped in a school-record 182 three-pointers, besting the old mark by 16. In addition to being prolific, the Seminoles were accurate from behind the arc, hitting 35.7 percent, which is the best rate since the 1988-89 squad set the record of 43.4 percent the year the three-point line was instituted. Setting the record was a team effort as seven players made at least one three pointers and five hit at least 10 three balls during the season.

2008-09

THE SEMINOLES returned to the tournament for a fifth consecutive time and turned in one of the best seasons in school history. Sue Semrau led her squad to a 26-8 record, the most wins in school history since the 1981-82 team won 28 games. Sue Semrau earned her third career ACC Coach of the Year honor for her performance on the bench as she once again helped lead the Seminoles to new heights. FSU reached its highest ranking in school history when the 'Noles were tabbed the No. 12 team in the country at one point. In addition, the Seminoles earned their highest NCAA Tournament seed in Seminole annals as well when they earned the third seed in Trenton Regional. Seniors Mara Freshour and Tanae Davis-Cain wrapped up their impressive careers in 08-09 as the duo went out on top with one of the finest seasons for the Seminole program. Freshour and Davis-Cain each earned ACC All-Tournament Second Team honors for their roles in helping Florida State to the second round of the ACC Tournament. The Seminoles were road warriors in 08-09 as they posted a perfect 10-0 record on the road, including a 7-0 mark in the ACC which helped propel them to a share of the regular season title with Maryland. A number of records fell during the season and a few of them were swatted away as junior Jacinta Monroe set a new school single-season blocks record with 84 and became FSU's all-time blocks leader with 225 in just three years. Monroe would be honored by the ACC when she was named to the ACC All-Defensive teams for her efforts on the defensive end of the floor. Also earning plaudits for the Seminoles was freshman Cierra Bravard who turned in a stellar opening campaign en route to being named to the ACC All-Freshman team. In addition to Monroe's defensive honors she was also named to the All-ACC Second Team, while Mara Freshour and Tanae Davis-Cain each earned third team honors. The Seminoles advanced to the second round of the NCAA Tournament for the seventh consecutive time.



COACHING STAFF



During her first seven years as Florida State's head women's basketball coach, Sue Semrau assembled all the pieces necessary to turn the Seminoles into a perennial NCAA Tournament team. However, there was one piece that was missing. Five years ago, Semrau found the corner piece that anchors the whole puzzle together when she hired Cori Close as her associate head coach in May of 2004.

The easiest correlation between Close's arrival and Florida State's success has come in the form of an unprecedented run of five-straight trips to the NCAA Tournament and six postseason victories during that stretch. In the 21 years prior to her arrival, Florida State had only been to the Big Dance four times and won a pair of games.

One of the best offensive minds in the country, Close hasn't turned Florida State into an offensive juggernaut that strives to put triple figures on the scoreboard but rather she has fine tuned the Seminoles into a more productive team on the offensive end of the floor. One area that has seen a dramatic improvement is the point guard position as FSU's floor leaders have dished out 1,785 assists in the last five years.

In her first year as FSU's full-time starter at the point, Courtney Ward finished the 2008-09 season with the second-most assists in a season in FSU history with 170.

CORI

ASSOCIATE HEAD COACH

Sixth Season (UC-Santa Barbara, '93)







A more efficient offense has allowed for more open shots and a higher shooting percentage. Florida State has shot at least .418 from the field the last five seasons. Behind the three-point line the Seminoles have done something they have never accomplished as for the first time in school history they have shot .308 or better four years in a row.

Last season, FSU was deadly from behind the arc as the team drained a school-record 190 triples while making 38 percent of the shots from that distance.

As offensive coordinator, Close is responsible for developing the offensive schemes that best suit FSU's personnel. Her ability to prepare information and disseminate it to the players has been a perfect recipe for success. It's no coincidence that Roneeka Hodges was the second leading scorer in the ACC in 2004-05 with a rate of 19.2 points per game that was the highest scoring average at Florida State in over a decade.

In addition to her coaching responsibilities, Close is instrumental in recruiting and coordinates the efforts of the Seminole Girls Basketball Camps. She also works closely with the Seminole Sports Marketing department in their efforts to promote the program.



Close -- a lifelong resident of California -- moved cross-country to Florida to join the FSU program after she had spent nine seasons at UC-Santa Barbara, including three years as associate head coach. A demanding, detail-oriented and offensive-minded coach, she has proved to be the perfect compliment to Semrau and her staff.

While at UCSB, Close had the opportunity to expand her knowledge with a wide variety of responsibilities throughout her tenure. Some of her duties included overseeing the skill development of the players, on-court offensive coaching, recruiting and scheduling for the program. Under Close's coordination, UCSB's non-conference slate turned into one of the nation's most challenging each year.

As UCSB's player development coordinator, Close significantly contributed to the mentoring, nurturing and motivating of the student-athletes which led to such achievements as a 98 percent graduation rate, seven WNBA players, 15 professional players overseas, 12 Big West Conference MVPs, nine district All-Americans and one national second team All-American. Close was also responsible for all offensive tactics, offensive instruction and gametime decisions leading to eight NCAA appearances, including three second round appearances and a trip to the Sweet 16, one NIT championship and 10 Big West regular season or tournament championships. Close also helped UCSB achieve three Top 10 recruiting classes.

Close was also instrumental in fostering support and increasing revenue for the UCSB basketball program. She developed and implemented a comprehensive marking plan, designed fundraising initiatives, coordinated speaking, community service and radio/television appearances and created the Fastbreakers booster program. Her efforts resulted in a substantial attendance increase, which made UCSB women's basketball the largest revenue-producing program in the department of athletics.

As a player, Close was a four-year starting point guard and captained Santa Barbara's two NCAA Tournament teams in 1992 and 1993, leading both to the second round. The Milpitas, Calif. native was an All-Big West first team selection and the MVP of the conference tournament in 1993. The first player in UC-Santa Barbara history to record more than 1,000 points and 500 assists in a career, Close ranked among the top 10 in seven Gaucho career statistical categories.

THE CLOSE FILE

EDUCATION:

- University of California-Santa Barbara, 1993
 Bachelor's degree in sociology
- University of California-Los Angeles, 1995
 Master's degree in educational administration

COACHING EXPERIENCE:

- University of California-Los Angeles, 1993-95
 Assistant Coach
- University of California-Santa Barbara, 1996-2004

Assistant Coach (1996-2001) Associate Head Coach (2001-04)

Florida State University, 2004-present
 Associate Head Coach/Recruiting Coordinator

PLAYING EXPERIENCE:

- University of California-Santa Barbara, 1990-93
- First Team All-Big West Conference
- BWC Tournament MVP

Close graduated from UCSB in 1993 after majoring in sociology and was the recipient of UCSB's Distinguished Senior Award. She was a member of the UCLA Bruins' coaching staff for two seasons (1993-95) while earning a Master's Degree in educational administration from UCLA. On April 30, 2005, Close was inducted into the UCSB Athletics Hall of Fame.



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One of the most important jobs in Florida State women's basketball program lies squarely on the shoulders of assistant coach Angie Johnson. Having just completed her 12th season with the Seminoles, Johnson's "get it done" personality has made her the perfect person to head up the Seminoles' recruiting efforts. Her work over the last few seasons has brought some of the best talent in the country to Tallahassee.

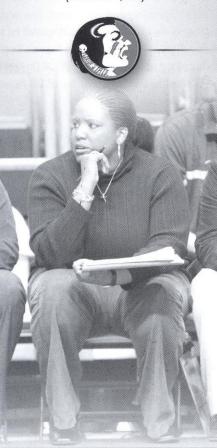
Johnson has seen her role with FSU women's basketball program expand with each season. Prior to the start of the 2004-05 season, head coach Sue Semrau made some changes with the responsibilities of her staff and entrusted Johnson with a vital component of the program when she put her in charge of the recruiting efforts.

As FSU's recruiting coordinator, Johnson organizes all correspondence with prospective student-athletes, coordinates recruiting visits and travel. Johnson scours the country evaluating talent and finding those student-athletes who best fit the Seminole program. Johnson's ability in this effort is obvious as Florida State signed six freshmen for the 2005-06 season, marking the largest recruiting class in the Semrau era. In 2007, Johnson's efforts netted the Seminoles four more highly recruited student-athletes to join the program before the 2008-09 campaign. That recruiting class was ranked as high as eighth nationally heading into the campaign.

ANGIE JOHNSON

ASSISTANT COACH

13th Season (Louisville, '93)





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The last five seasons have seen some of the most fruitful recruitment in school history. Each of the last five years, Florida State has brought in at least two players that were ranked in Top 100 nationally. Antionette Howard was ranked No. 41 in the 2006 class while Brittany Miller was rated as the number two center in the country when she signed with the Seminoles. Alysha Harvin was ranked the 13th-best shooting guard in the country, Jacinta Monroe was the nations' 29th-best center prospect, Courtney Ward was the 59th-best player overall and Chelsea Davis was the 34th-best post player in the country in 2008.

The 2007 class was ranked eighth nationally by HoopGurlz.com and was one of just seven classes nationally that featured a pair of Top 35 signees. Cierra Bravard was ranked No. 7 nationally and was tabbed as the nation's second-best post player while Chasity Clayton earned a No. 32 national ranking and was the country's No. 7 wing player. The class was rounded out by Kayli Keough who was ranked as the nation's 30th-best forward while Alexa DeLuzio is the country's 34th-best guard.

Another aspect of the team that has flourished under Johnson's watch is the Seminoles' work in the classroom. Over the years, she has worked closely with Florida State's athletic academic support staff in monitoring the academic progress of the Seminoles.

Over the past several seasons, FSU women's basketball has carved its place as one of the most successful ACC schools in the classroom. The Seminoles led all conference schools with three players on the 2007 All-ACC Academic Women's Basketball Team, but leading the way academically has been nothing new for Florida State.

Since its inception in 1998, Florida State has had 25 members on the All-ACC Academic Women's Basketball Team. In addition, since 1998, FSU has had 65 ACC Academic Honor Roll selections, which also leads the conference. In 2007-08 and again in 2008-09 Mara Freshour earned Academic All-ACC honors as well as ESPN The Magazine Academic All-District plaudits.

During her tenure at FSU, Johnson has worked closely with the women's basketball support club, the Hoop Troop, had oversight of the team managers and has also assisted with the design and ordering of equipment. She is also active with the Seminole Girls Basketball Camps each summer.

THE JOHNSON FILE

EDUCATION:

University of Louisville, 1991
 Bachelor's degree in biology

COACHING EXPERIENCE:

- Paul G Blazer High School, 1991-94 Assistant Coach
- University of Wisconsin, 1994-97 Assistant Coach
- Florida State University, 1997-present Assistant Coach

PLAYING EXPERIENCE:

University of Louisville, 1987-91

Johnson, like Semrau, came to Florida State in 1997 from the University of Wisconsin, where she served as the Badgers' assistant for three years. Some of her responsibilities at UW included opponent scouting, coordinating video exchange and arranging student-athletes community service. Johnson helped coach and recruit a pair of players who made it to the WNBA, two All-Americans and four All-Big Ten selections.

In her final season at UW, she also served as the team's academic liaison. Johnson was also active with the BadgerBall Booster Club, the Jane's Gem kids club and was co-director of the BadgerBall Girls Hoops Camp for two summers.

Prior to joining the Badger staff, Johnson was the assistant basketball coach at Paul G. Blazer High School in her hometown of Ashland, Ky. She was a four-year letter winner at the University of Louisville from 1987-91. A 6-0 center, she ranked among the Louisville Top 10 in career rebounds (621) and games played (120). Johnson, who earned her degree in biology, was the recipient of the Ed Kallay Senior Award in 1991 and was a Woodford R. Porter Scholar.



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To say that seventh-year assistant coach Lance White has had a profound impact on Florida State's defense may be one of the understatements of the decade. Considered by head coach Sue Semrau as one of the rising stars of the coaching profession when she hired him in June of 2003, White has helped Florida State rise to new heights and has brought an energy to the program that has become contagious.

As defensive coordinator, White facilitates all aspects of the team's defensive efforts, including teaching, reviewing and implementing the defensive philosophy for the program. Additional responsibilities include recruiting, film and opponent breakdown while assisting with the Seminole Girls' Basketball Camp each summer. He also works closely with associate head coach Cori Close on individual skill development.

Florida State saw perhaps the best overall defensive efforts in school history during the 2008-09 season as the team limited opponents to 61.1 points per game -- the lowest average ever in school history. In addition, opposing teams only shot 37.5 percent from the field and 31.3 percent from three-point range. The Seminoles also achieved 263 steals.

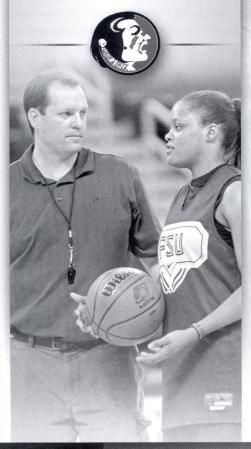
White's star pupil on defense this past season was Jacinta Monroe.

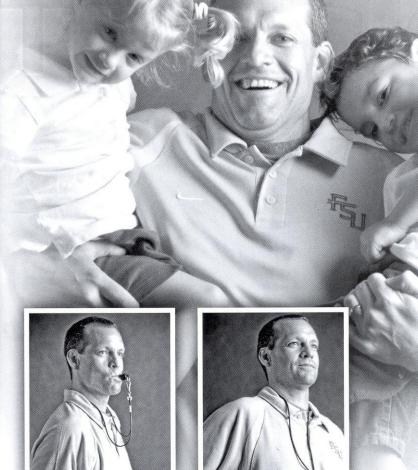
The Seminoles' 6-foot-4 post-player earned FSU's Defensive MVP award at season's end and was also rewarded by the conference with a 2009 All-ACC Defensive Team recognition. As a junior, the Fort Lauderdale, Fla. native set a new school record for blocks in a season with 84 and became the program's all-time leader for blocks in a career with 225. In a game against Georgia Tech midway through the season, Monroe broke the school record for most blocks in a single game with nine.

LANCE

ASSISTANT COACH

Seventh Season (Texas Tech, '96)





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White was well prepared when he arrived at Florida State. He came from Texas Tech where he spent 10 seasons, including seven years as an assistant coach, with the Lady Raiders' Top 10 program.

Some of White's responsibilities at Texas Tech included individual workouts, scouting reports, perimeter and post player development and all aspects of recruiting, including mail correspondence and recruiting visits. White also served as the academic liaison for the women's basketball team, directing study hall and monitoring academic progress while also handling player relations.

During White's tenure, Texas Tech won three Big XII championships and advanced to seven-straight NCAA Tournaments, including five Sweet Sixteen and two Elite Eight appearances. He was a student assistant on Tech's 1993 National Championship team and a graduate assistant coach for two seasons before being elevated to a full-time coach.

While in Lubbock, Texas, White worked with some of the best players the game has ever seen. Among the players he influenced were National Player of the Year and three-time WNBA Player of the Year Sheryl Swoopes and also Plenette Pierson, who was named 2007 WNBA Sixth Woman of the Year.

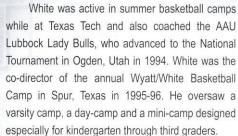
THE WHITE FILE

EDUCATION:

- Texas Tech University, 1996
 Bachelor's degree in exercise and sports science
- Texas Tech University, 1998
 Master's degree in sports administration

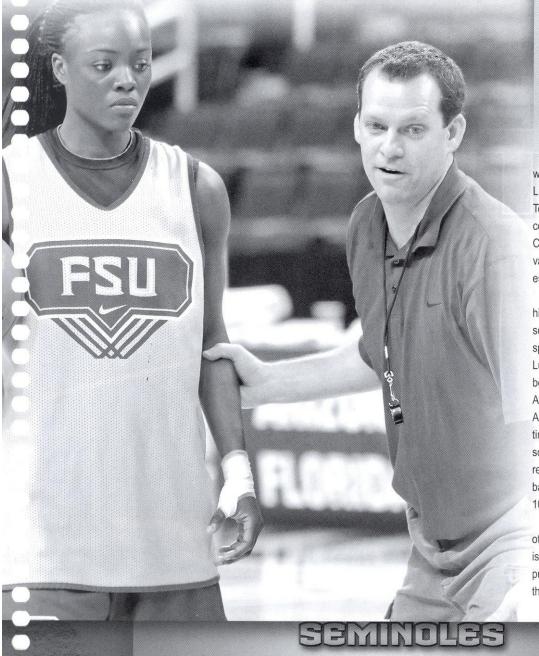
COACHING EXPERIENCE:

- Texas Tech University, 1996-2003
 Graduate Assistant (1996-98)
 Assistant Coach (1998-2003)
- Florida State University, 2003-present Assistant Coach



A 1996 graduate of Texas Tech, White earned his Bachelor's Degree in exercise and sports science. He went on to receive a Master's Degree in sports administration in August of 1998. He attended Lubbock Christian University for three semesters before transferring to Texas Tech in January of 1993. As a high school athlete in Spur, he was a three-time All-District selection, two-time All-Region and two-time third team all-state choice in basketball. His high school basketball and football teams advanced to the regional round both his junior and senior years. As a basketball player, he was listed in the Spalding Top 100 basketball players in 1991.

White is an NCAA certified recruiter and member of the Women's Basketball Coaches Association. He is married to the former Melanie Smith, who is a professor at Florida A&M University. The Whites are the proud parents of Quentin (3) and Vivian (3).



SUPPORT STAFF



MELISSA BRUNER

DIRECTOR OF BASKETBALL OPERATIONS

Fourth Season (Coe College, '94)



In order to ensure that everything is running smoothly away from the basketball court, Florida State needs a "coach" behind the scenes. Having just completed her third season with the FSU women's basketball program, Director of Basketball Operations Melissa Bruner has the daunting task of keeping everyone on the same page.

As the Director of Basketball Operations, Bruner has a wide range of responsibilities in all facets of the program. She coordinates all areas of team travel and is also in charge of facility usage and management of all practices and games.

She assists head coach Sue Semrau with scheduling and serves as the program's liaison with the athletics department's administration. Bruner oversees the equipment operations for the program and assists with the Seminole girls' summer camps. Bruner came to Florida State after serving four seasons as Assistant Athletics Director and head women's basketball coach at Coe College in Cedar Rapids, lowa. The Kohawks reached the IIAC Tournament all four years of her tenure and advanced to the quarterfinals in her final season.

Bruner's players earned six all-conference honors. Bruner and Semrau previously worked together for two seasons at the University of Wisconsin-Madison while Semrau was an assistant coach.

Bruner was Director of Women's Basketball Operations for the Badgers for seven years where she assisted in public relations, team travel and practice arrangements. Prior to her duties at Wisconsin, Bruner

THE BRUNER FILE

EDUCATION:

- Coe College, 1994
 Bachelor's degree in business administration and accounting
- Ohio University, 1995
 Master's degree in physical education

COACHING EXPERIENCE:

- University of Wisconsin, 1995-2002
 Director of Basketball Operations
- Coe College, 2002-06
 Head Coach/Assistant Athletic Director
- Florida State University, 2006-present Director of Basketball Operations

PLAYING EXPERIENCE:

Coe College, 1990-94

earned a Master's Degree in physical education, with a concentration in athletic administration, from Ohio University in June of 1995. She received her business administration and accounting degree with a minor in physical education from Coe College in 1994.

As a Kohawk, Bruner earned Academic All-Midwest Conference honors in softball, basketball, tennis and volleyball.

In recognition for her athletic and academic achievements, she was named a national GTE Academic All-American her senior year of college.



SUPPORT STAFF



JOANNA REITZ

Graduate Assistant Third Season (Convenant College, '06)

Joanna Reitz is entering her third year as a graduate assistant with the Florida State women's basketball program after having previously worked as a student manager. In her role, Reitz assists the coaches in every facet of the game from practice, player development, scouting, recruiting and community relations. In addition, Reitz oversees the team managers as well as the spring league. She is currently pursuing her master's degree in business administration.

Reitz started with the Seminoles as a student manager where she was greatly involved in practice and game-day operations. In addition she coordinated the Seminole Spring League and directed the Future Noles Day Camp. The last two years she has dipped into the coaching realm as a coach for the Tallahassee Parks and Recreation leagues.

Since the fall of 2006, Reitz has been actively involved with the Florida State athletics department. She worked as a volunteer with the FSU event and facility management staff as well as a tutor in the academic support department. Reitz also taught three classes, including Theory and Practice of Coaching Basketball. Excelling in the classroom is nothing new for Reitz as she earned First Team Academic All-State honors in high school and was student body president.

Reitz played four seasons collegiately at Covenant College in Lookout Mountain, Ga. Her coach on the Lady Scots squad was Roy Heintz, who was an assistant coach at Florida State for Sue Semrau for two seasons. Reitz's single-game career high was 33 points, and she earned First Team All-Conference Honors her senior year. She graduated Summa Cum Laude from Covenant in 2006 with a degree in natural science as well as minors in biblical studies and physical education.

During her prep days, Reitz was a standout player at Denver Christian High School. The Crusaders qualified for the state tournament all four years of her career and placed as high as third in 2001. A four-year starter, Reitz earned First Team All-State honors her senior year and was a two-year all-conference selection. In addition, she played four years of volleyball and soccer.



JAMEY GIVENS

Graduate Assistant First Season (Florida State, '08)

Jamey Givens is entering his first season as a graduate assistant for the Florida State women's basketball program.

Givens assists the coaching staff in all phases of the program, including practice, player development, scouting, recruiting, and community relations. A former scout team member, Givens is also in charge of recruiting and managing the Seminoles' current set of practice squad players.

Givens joins the Seminoles after spending a year covering football, basketball and recruiting as a staff writer and publisher for the ESPN Team Site Network. Previously, Givens worked as a sports correspondent during his undergraduate years for the Associated Press, St. Petersburg Times, Miami Herald and the Tallahassee Democrat. While working as a sports writer, Givens gained valuable professional experience, but decided that he would rather be sitting on the bench than at press row.

The Tallahassee native brings a wide range of knowledge and experience to the Seminole staff. Givens has covered recruiting combines for ESPN. com, close to 100 Division I basketball games for some of the biggest news outlets in the country, and reported on ACC basketball for over four years.

Along with his sports writing duties as an undergraduate, Givens spent two summers directing Upward Basketball camps in Tallahassee, and also taught basketball for two summers at Camp Ridgecrest for Boys. Givens joined the scout team, which competes against the players in drills, pickup games, and scrimmages throughout the year, in 2006.

Givens graduated Cum Laude from Florida State in the spring of 2008 with a degree in Communication and minor in Religious Studies. He is currently pursuing a master's degree in Sport Administration.



JULIE BROWN

Director of Special Projects Second Season (Rhodes College, '87)

Beginning her second season with the Florida State women's basketball program as the Director of Special Projects is Julie Brown. Brown is actually in her fifth season of work with the team, as she spent the 2006-07 campaign as a graduate assistant under head coach Sue Semrau and was also a graduate assistant with the Seminoles from 1988-1990.

Brown, a 1987 graduate of Rhodes College in Memphis, Tenn., returns to Tallahassee and will handle all special projects for the team and will be in charge of the program's interns and student workers as well as team scheduling.

After leaving FSU in 1990 having complete all coursework toward a master's degree in Sport Psychology, Brown worked as an assistant coach at Hartford (1990-1992), Ball State (192-1995) and Tulsa (1995-1997) before leaving coaching to become the National Director of Programs and then later National Director of Innovations for the Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA). She later represented the FCA as the network coordinator for the 2002 Winter Olympics for the Utah Games Network.

Brown came to Florida State from Salt Lake City where she earned a Master's degree in Theological Studies in 2004 from Salt Lake Theological Seminary.



VIDEO STAFF



TYLER CLEVERLY

Video Coordinator Third Season (Ball State, '06)

With a wealth of knowledge in video technology after years of experience in professional basketball, as well as his immeasurable enthusiasm for the sport, Tyler Cleverly was an easy selection for Florida State head women's basketball coach Sue Semrau to be the Seminole women's basketball coordinator. Cleverly enters his third season of serving the program's video needs.

In his role with the Seminoles, Cleverly is responsible for the entire film breakdown for both Florida State and its opponents. Through his work with the XOS video editing software, coaches and players will be able to review games and practices almost immediately after their conclusion.

Before joining Florida State Cleverly has been a video intern for both the Indiana Pacers and Indiana Fever. With both organizations he provided breakdowns of teams' games for coaches, players and scouts as well as opponent video for the use in scouting reports.

In addition, he compiled statistical information and wrote personnel reports on opponents. To go along with his video acumen, Cleverly has hands-on experience from the coach's vantage point having coached two years while working on his undergrad and graduate degrees.

Cleverly earned both of his degrees from Ball State University in Muncie, Ind. He graduated in May of 2006 with a bachelor's degree in sport administration with a minor in foundations of management. A year

later he received his master's degree in physical education with an emphasis on sport administration. In addition to his work with the Ball State athletic department and sport administration programs he worked the 2004 Big Ten Men's Basketball Tournament.

A native of Auburn, Ind., Cleverly is married to the former Courtney Oliver. The two were wed in July of 2007 and have a son named Dawson who was born May 12, 2009.



Tyler and Courtney Cleverly with son Dawson





REECE MILLER

Graduate Video Assistant Second Season (Florida State, '08)

Reece Miller is entering his second year as a graduate video assistant with the Florida State women's basketball program.

As a graduate video assistant, Miller assists video coordinator Tyler Cleverly with the video needs related to the women's basketball team. In this position he edits game film of Florida State and opponents, sets up team film prior to practice, edits Florida State's games simultaneously as they play, and serves as an integral part in film exchange.

Prior to becoming a graduate video assistant, Miller spent two years as a manager with the Florida State women's basketball program. As a manager he helped set up daily practices, recorded statistics for the team and filmed practices and games. He shared the same responsibilities when on the road as he travelled with the team to away games.

Miller graduated from Florida State in April 2008 with his bachelor's degree in mass media studies. He is currently pursuing his master's degree in sport administration.

EQUIPMENT STAFF



ERICK

Equipment Manager Third Season (Florida State, '06)

Erick Casto is in his third season as the equipment manager for the basketball program at Florida State. He has been a valued member of the team since 2004 when he began a two-year tenure as the Seminoles' men's basketball manager - a post which prepared him well to move into his current position in 2007. He oversees the equipment operations for both the men's and women's basketball teams at Florida State.

Casto performs numerous tasks that include distribution of all team equipment to the Seminole players and coaches. Before coming to Florida State in 2004 Casto was the head basketball manager at Mississippi State University. Casto's responsibilities included overseeing the managerial staff and completing tasks for the coaching staff and members of the department of athletics. During his career at Mississippi State, Casto helped the Bulldogs earn the SEC Western Division Championship in 2003 and the SEC Championship in 2004. Mississippi State advanced to the NCAA Tournament in both seasons.

Casto was the Head Student Basketball Manager from 2000-2002 for the nationally recognized Okaloosa-Walton Community College men's basketball team. In 2002 the Raiders finished sixth in the nation at the NJCAA Tourney. While at O-W, Casto was responsible for tracking of all the inventory and equipment for the men's basketball program. In addition, Casto worked with the visiting teams and served as the team's videographer at home and on the road.

Casto earned his bachelor's degree in sport management from Florida State in 2006. Casto earned Dean's List recognition and was a member of the National Honor Society throughout his academic career.

In August of 2004 Casto and his wife, Amy, were married.





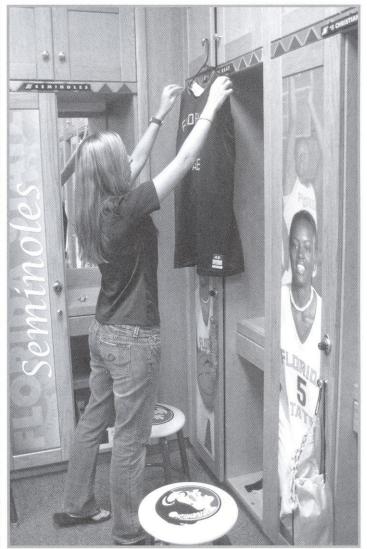
KAILEY HATH

Graduate Assistant Equipment Manager Second Season (Florida State, '08)

In her second season as graduate assistant equipment manager at Florida State is Kailey Hath. She will work with the Seminole basketball programs while working towards a master's degree in Sports Management.

A native of Boca Raton, Fla., where she attended Pope John Paul II High School, Hath began her athletics career during her senior year at FSU by interning with the Facilities and Event Management Department. A 2008 graduate of Florida State, she earned a bachelor's degree in sports management with a minor in communications.

She currently assists Equipment Manager Erick Castro with the total equipment operations for both the men's and women's basketball teams at FSU.





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