



WILL MUSCHAMP

Head Coach Third Year at South Carolina



MUSCHAMP

Full Name: William Larry Muschamp

Born: August 3, 1971

Hometown: Rome, Ga.

Wife: Carol

Children: Jackson and Whit

College: Georgia (1994)

Auburn (1996)

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2016-18 South Carolina Head Coach

2015 Auburn Defensive Coord.

2011-14 Florida Head Coach

2008-10 Texas DC/Linebackers **2006-07** Auburn DC/Defensive Backs

2005 Miami (NFL) AHC/Defense

2001-04 LSU DC/Linebackers

2000 Valdosta State DC/DBs

1999 Eastern Kentucky Def. Backs

1998 West Georgia Def. Backs

1995-96 Auburn Graduate Assistant

BOWL EXPERIENCE

2018	Outback
2016	Birmingham
2013	Sugar
2012	Gator
2010	BCS National Championship
2009	Fiesta
2007	Chick-fil-A
2007	Cotton
2005	Capital One
2004	Sugar/National Championship
2003	Cotton
2002	Sugar
1996	Independence
1996	Outback
1993	Citrus
1991	Independence

Will Muschamp begins his third season directing the Gamecocks' football fortunes in 2018. Muschamp was introduced as the University of South Carolina's 34th head football coach on December 7, 2015.

In his first season in Columbia, Muschamp guided the Gamecocks to a 6-7 mark and a spot in the Birmingham Bowl. The Gamecocks doubled their win total from the previous season while increasing their SEC wins from one to three. The Gamecocks started as many true freshman (7) as any school in the country, and were the only Division I school to have true freshmen lead the team in both passing (Jake Bentley) and rushing (Rico Dowdle). Seventy-six of the Gamecocks' 113-man Birmingham Bowl roster (67.3 percent) were either freshmen or sophomores in Muschamp's first campaign.

His second season brought more success, as the team won nine games for just the seventh time in school history, was the only Power 5 school to have a multiple win total increase in each of the last two seasons, finished second in the SEC East and earned a second-straight bowl appearance. The season culminated with an Outback Bowl victory over Michigan on New Year's Day.

Regarded as an outstanding defensive mind, Muschamp is a 23-year coaching veteran, including 15 years in the Southeastern Conference. In six seasons as a head coach, all in the SEC, Muschamp owns a 43-32 record, a .573 winning percentage. With a 15-11 mark at South Carolina, he matched Joe Morrison and Steve Spurrier for the most wins in their first two seasons at the helm. His previous head coaching experience came at the University of Florida where he posted a 28-21 record from 2011-14. He led the Gators to three bowl games in his four seasons in



Gainesville and was recognized as the SEC Coach of the Year in 2012 after guiding Florida to an 11-2 record and a Top-10 finish.

As an assistant coach, the Rome, Ga., native has worked in two national championship games (2003 and 2009), winning with LSU in 2003, and coached in a pair of BCS bowl games following the 2008 and 2012 seasons. He has coached in and won three conference championship games, twice in the SEC and once in the Big 12. He was a finalist for the 2007 Broyles Award, presented to the nation's top assistant coach.

Prior to his arrival in Columbia, Muschamp most recently served as the defensive coordinator at Auburn University in 2015, his third stint as an SEC defensive coordinator. He also held that title with Auburn from 2006-07 and at LSU from 2002-04. In his six seasons as an SEC defensive coordinator, Muschamp's units ranked among the nation's Top-10 in total defense and in scoring defense five times.

Muschamp's first full-time coaching experience in the SEC came at LSU. He was the Tigers' linebacker coach for one season before being elevated to defensive coordinator from 2002-04. His 2003 defense helped the Tigers to the national championship by leading the nation both in scoring defense (11.0 ppg) and total defense (252.0 ypg), while finishing second nationally in pass efficiency defense (89.8) and third in rushing defense (67.0 ypg).

Prior to taking the reins at Florida, Muschamp served as the defensive coordinator at Texas from 2008-10. Under his guidance, the Longhorn defense ranked No. 1 in the nation with 119 sacks and ranked in the Top-10 nationally allowing 2.9 yards per rushing attempt (third), 96.7 rushing yards per game (fourth) and 297.4 yards per

game (seventh), all Big 12 bests during that span. In 2009, Texas played in the BCS National Championship game. Under Muschamp's tutelage, Brian Orakpo won the 2008 Rotary Lombardi, Bronko Nagurski and Ted Hendricks awards. In the 2009 and 2010 NFL Drafts, Muschamp had a combined eight players drafted, seven in the first four rounds, including first-rounders Brian Orakpo and Earl Thomas.

In four of his nine seasons as an FBS defensive coordinator, his teams have allowed less than 100 rushing yards per game and twice led the nation in rushing defense. His 2003 LSU defense led the country by allowing 67 yards per game on the ground, the best mark by an SEC team in the 2000s, while Texas gave up just 73.1 yards on the ground in 2009 to pace the nation.

A 1994 Georgia graduate, Muschamp moved immediately into coaching, working as a GA at Auburn from 1995-96, while earning his master's degree. He served as a secondary coach at West Georgia (1998) and Eastern Kentucky (1999) before moving into his first defensive coordinator position at Valdosta State for the 2000 season, where he helped the Blazers to a 10-2 record and the Gulf South title.

Muschamp also logged a stint in the NFL, working as the Miami Dolphins Assistant Head Coach for Defense in 2005 under Nick Saban.

During his playing career at Georgia, Muschamp earned his way from walk-on to scholarship player by the spring of his redshirt freshman season and eventually was named co-captain as a senior. A safety on the gridiron, he earned a spot on the SEC Academic Honor Roll in 1993.

Born August 3, 1971, Muschamp and his wife, the former Carol Davis, have two sons, Jackson and Whit.



Muschamp Head Coach Year-by-Year Overall Conference Conference School Record Record Finish **Bowl** Year Florida 3rd in East Taxslayer Gator 2011 7-6 3-5 2012 Florida 11-2 7-1 T1st in East Sugar <u>201</u>3 Florida 4-8 3-5 5th in East Florida 6-5 4-4 3rd in East 2014 2016 South Carolina 6-7 3-5 5th in East Birmingham 5-3 2nd in East Outback South Carolina 9-4 **TOTALS** 43-32 25-23

	Muschamp vs	s. Opponents
Alabama	0-2	Louisville
Arkansas	2-0	Massachusetts
Auburn	0-1	Miami (Fla.)
Bowling Green	1-0	Michigan
Clemson		Mississippi State
East Carolina	1-0	Missouri
Eastern Kentucky	1-0	NC State
Eastern Michigan	1-0	Ohio State
Florida Atlantic		South Carolina
Florida	1-1	Tennessee
Florida State	1-3	Texas A&M
Furman	1-0	Toledo
Georgia	1-5	UAB
Georgia Southern	0-1	USF
Jacksonville State		Vanderbilt
Kentucky	4-2	Western Carolir
Louisiana	1-0	Wofford
LSU	1-3	TOTALS
Louisiana Tech	1-0	

Texas A&M 1-2 Toledo 1-0 UAB 1-0 USF 0-1 Vanderbilt 5-1 Western Carolina 1-0
Wofford

Muschamp	vs. the SEC
Alabama	Mississippi S Missouri South Caroli Tennessee Texas A&M
Kentucky 4-2 Louisiana State 1-3 Mississippi 0-0	Vanderbilt TOTALS

Mississippi State	0-1
Missouri	
South Carolina	1-3
Tennessee	6-0
Texas A&M	1-2
Vanderbilt	5-1
TOTALS	25-23

		<u>Muschamp</u>	in Bowl Games (10	0-6)	
Year	Team	Position	Bowl	Opponent	Result
1991	Georgia	Safety	Independence	Arkansas	W, 24-15
1993	Geogia	Safety	Citrus	Ohio State	W, 21-14
1996	Auburn	Grad. Asst.	Outback	Penn State	L, 14-43
1996	Auburn	Grad. Asst.	Independence	Army	W, 32-29
2002	LSU	Linebackers	Sugar	Illinois	W, 47-34
2003	LSU	Def. Coord.	Cotton	Texas	L, 30-35
2004	LSU	Def. Coord.	Sugar/Nat'l Champ.	Oklahoma	W, 21-14
2005	LSU	Def. Coord.	Capital One	Iowa	L, 25-30
2007	Auburn	Def. Coord.	Cotton	Nebraska	W, 17-14
2007	Auburn	Def. Coord.	Chick-fil-A	Clemson	W, 23-20
2009	Texas	Def. Coord.	Fiesta	Ohio State	W, 24-21
2010	Texas	Def. Coord.	National Championship	Alabama	L, 21-37
2012	Florida	Head Coach	Gator	Ohio State	W, 24-17
2013	Florida	Head Coach	Sugar	Louisville	L, 23-33
2016	S. Carolina	Head Coach	Birmingham	USF (o	t) L, 39-46
2018	S. Carolina	Head Coach	Outback	Michigan	W, 26-19

Did you know...

Will Muschamp has coached 85 players who have been drafted in the NFL, including 15 first-round picks: Marcus Spears, Nick Fairley, Brian Orakpo, Earl Thomas, Kenny Vaccaro, Sharrif Floyd, Matt Elam, Dominique Easley, Dante Fowler Jr., D.J. Humphries, Vernon Hargreaves III, Keanu Neal, Jarrad Davis Hayden Hurst and Taven Bryan. He has also coached a pair of players - Junior Seau and Jason Taylor - who have been inducted in the NFL Hall of Fame.

NFL Drafted Players Coached by Will Muschamp

NFL	Drafted Players	Coached by	Will	Musch	amp
School	Player	Position	Year	Rd. Pick	Team
LSU	Bradie James	Linebacker	2003	4 103	Cowboys
LSU	Norman Lejeune	Defensive Back	2003	7 244	Eagles
LSU	Marquise Hill	Defensive End	2004	2 63	Patriots
LSU	Chad Lavalais	Defensive Tackle	2004		Falcons
LSU LSU	Marcus Spears Corey Webster	Defensive End Cornerback	2005	1 11 2 43	Cowboys Giants
LSU	Travis Daniels	Defensive Back	2005	4 104	Dolphins
LSU	Claude Wroten	Defensive Tackle	2006	3 68	Rams
LSU	Kyle Williams	Defensive Tackle	2006		Bills
LSU	Melvin Oliver	Defensive End	2006		49ers
Auburn	Will Herring	Linebacker	2007	5 161	Seahawks
Auburn	David Irons	Cornerback	2007	6 194	Falcons
Auburn Auburn	Quentin Groves Patrick Lee	Defensive End Cornerback	2008	2 52 2 60	Jaguars Packers
Auburn	Pat Sims	Defensive Tackle	2008	3 77	Bengals
Auburn	Jonathan Wilhite	Cornerback	2008	4 129	Patriots
Auburn	Sen'Derrick Marks	Defensive Tackle	2009	2 62	Titans
Auburn	Jerraud Powers	Cornerback	2009	3 92	Colts
Auburn	Walter McFadden	Cornerback	2010	5 138	Raiders
Auburn	Nick Fairley	Defensive Tackle	2011	1 13	Lions
Auburn	Zach Clayton	Defensive Tackle	2011	7 212	Titans
Texas Texas	Brian Orakpo Roy Miller	Defensive End Defensive Tackle	2009	1 13 3 81	Redskins Buccaneers
Texas	Henry Melton	Defensive End	2009	4 105	Bears
Texas	Earl Thomas	Safety	2010	1 14	Seahawks
Texas	Sergio Kindle	Defensive End	2010	2 43	Ravens
Texas	Lamarr Houston	Defensive End	2010	2 44	Raiders
Texas	Roddrick Muckelroy	Linebacker	2010	4 131	Bengals
Texas	Aaron Williams	Cornerback	2011	2 34	Bills
Texas	Curtis Brown	Cornerback	2011	3 95 4 103	Steelers
Texas Texas	Sam Acho Chykie Brown	Defensive End Cornerback	2011	4 103 5 164	Cardinals Ravens
Florida	Jave Howard	Defensive Tackle	2012	4 114	Seahawks
Texas	Keenan Robinson	Linebacker	2012	4 119	Redskins
Florida	Chris Rainey	Running Back	2012	5 159	Steelers
Texas	Emmanuel Acho	Linebacker	2012	6 204	Browns
Texas	Kheeston Randall	Defensive Tackle	2012	7 215	Dolphins
Texas	Kenny Vaccaro	Safety	2013	1 15	Saints
Florida	Sharrif Floyd	Defensive Tackle	2013	1 23	Vikings
Florida Florida	Matt Elam Jonathan Bostic	Safety Linebacker	2013	1 32 2 50	Ravens Bears
Florida	Jordan Reed	Tight End	2013	3 85	Redskins
Texas	Alex Okafor	Defensive End	2013	4 103	Cardinals
Florida	Jelani Jenkins	Linebacker	2013	4 104	Dolphins
Florida	Mike Gillislee	Running Back	2013	5 164	Dolphins
Florida	Caleb Sturgis	Kicker	2013	5 166	Dolphins
Florida	Josh Evans	Safety	2013	6 169	Jaguars
Florida Florida	Dominique Easley	Defensive Tackle	2014 2014	1 29 4 101	Patriots
Florida	Jaylen Watkins Ronald Powell	Cornerback Linebacker	2014	5 169	Eagles Saints
Florida	John Halapio	Offensive Guard	2014	6 179	Patriots
Florida	Dante Fowler Jr.	Linebacker	2015	1 3	Jaguars
Florida	D.J. Humphries	Offensive Tackle	2015	1 24	Cardinals
Florida	Chaz Green	Offensive Tackle	2015	3 91	Cowboys
Florida	Matt Jones	Running Back	2015	3 95	Redskins
Florida	Max Garcia	Center	2015	4 133	Broncos
Florida Florida	Neiron Ball	Linebacker	2015	5 161 7 221	Raiders
Florida	Andre Dubose Trent Brown	Wide Receiver Offensive Tackle	2015	7 221 7 244	Raiders 49ers
Florida	Vernon Hargreaves III		2016	1 11	Buccaneers
Florida	Keanu Neal	Safety	2016		Falcons
Florida	Jonathan Bullard	Defensive End	2016		Bears
Florida	Antonio Morrison	Linebacker	2016	4 125	Colts
Florida	Demarcus Robinson	Wide Receiver	2016		Chiefs
Auburn	Blake Countess	Cornerback	2016		Eagles
Florida	Kelvin Taylor	Running Back Linebacker	2016		49ers
Florida Florida	Alex McCalister Jarrad Davis	Linebacker	2016	7 240 1 21	Eagles Lions
Florida	Quincy Wilson	Cornerback	2017	2 46	Colts
Florida	Teez Tabor	Cornerback	2017	2 53	Lions
Florida	Marcus Maye	Safety	2017	2 39	Jets
Florida	Alex Anzalone	Linebacker	2017	3 76	Saints
Auburn	Montravius Adams	Defensive Tackle	2017	3 93	Packers
Auburn	Carl Lawson	Outside Linebacker		4 116	Bengals
Florida	David Sharpe	Offensive Tackle	2017	4 129	Raiders
Florida Auburn	Caleb Brantley Rudy Ford	Defensive Tackle Safety	2017 2017	6 185	Browns Cardinals
Florida	Joey Ivie	Defensive Tackle	2017	7 228	Cowboys
Auburn	Joshua Holsey	Defensive Back	2017	7 235	Redskins
	Hayden Hurst	Tight End	2018	1 25	Ravens
Florida	Taven Bryan	Defensive Tackle	2018	1 29	Jaguars
Florida	Duke Dawson	Cornerback	2018	2 56	Patriots
Auburn	Carlton Davis	Cornerback	2018	2 63	Buccaneers
Florida	Johnny Townsend	Punter	2018	5 173	Raiders
Florida	Marcell Harris	Safety	2018	6 184	49ers

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BOBBY **BENTLEY**

Running Backs Coach Third Year at South Carolina



BENTLEY

Full Name: Bobby Bentley
Born: August 30, 1968
Hometown: Duncan, S.C.

Wife: Paulette

Children: Chas, Shuler, Jake,
Brooks, Emily
College: Presbyterian (1990)

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2016-18 South Carolina Asst. Coach 2014-15 Auburn Offensive Analyst 2013 Byrnes (HS) Head Coach 2009-12 Byrnes (HS) AD/Off. Coord. 2007-08 Presbyterian Head Coach 1995-06 Byrnes (HS) Head Coach 1990-94 Byrnes (HS) Asst. Coach

BOWL EXPERIENCE

2018	Outback
2016	Birmingham
2015	Outback

Bobby Bentley begins his third season at the University of South Carolina in 2018. Bentley joined Will Muschamp's coaching staff on December 8, 2015 when he was named running backs coach.

In his first season in Columbia in 2016, Bentley developed a pair of freshmen running backs in Rico Dowdle and A.J. Turner into the squad's top two rushers. In fact, 78 percent of the rushing yards were by freshmen, with Dowdle and Turner combining for over 1,200 yards.

Bentley's second season proved to be a case of running back by committee. The sophomore quartet of Rico Dowdle, A.J. Turner, Ty'Son Williams and Mon Denson, all had strong moments. In addition, Bentley mentored his son, Jake, for the 2018 Outback Bowl, following the dismissal of quarterbacks coach Kurt Roper.

A South Carolina native, Bentley returned to the Palmetto State after two seasons as an offensive analyst at Auburn under Gus Malzahn. In 2014, the Tigers posted an 8-5 record, including a loss to Wisconsin in the Outback Bowl. During his time at Auburn, Bentley worked with a trio of running backs, Cameron Artis-Payne, Corey Grant and Peyton Barber, all of whom went on to play in the NFL.



Prior to his stint at Auburn, Bentley was the head coach at James F. Byrnes High School in Duncan, S.C. where he was one of the most successful high school coaches in the country. He served as an assistant for the Rebels from 1990-94 before being named head coach in 1995. He compiled a 119-54 record at Byrnes in two stints (1995-2006 and 2013) and won four-consecutive state championships from 2002-05. The Rebels posted a 57-2 record during the title streak run. Following the team's fourth state title, Bentley was honored as the 2005 Nike National Coach of the Year. He also was named as the South Carolina Football Coaches Association Coach of the Year in 2006.

He was the Rebels' head coach for one additional season (2013) when he logged a 12-2 record and garnered a Region II-4A title. During his time at Byrnes, Bentley had the opportunity to coach Marcus Lattimore, who went on to an outstanding collegiate career at South Carolina before injuries derailed his career.

Bentley was named head coach at his alma mater, Presbyterian College in 2007, becoming the first NCAA Football Championship Subdivision head football coach in PC's history.

In his first year at PC, the Blue

Hose ranked third nationally in both passing yards and total offense and finished in the top 15 in both scoring and passing efficiency while logging a 6-5 record. In two seasons at Presbyterian he posted a 10-13 mark. During his time at PC, the Blue Hose set school records in points scored in a season (404), yards in a season (5,290), passing yards in a game (648) and passing efficiency. Bentley also signed and coached NFL Pro Bowl cornerback Justin Bethel.

On January 5, 2009, Bentley resigned as head football coach of the Blue Hose. He accepted a new position with Spartanburg School District 5 as the district wide athletic director and public information officer.

A 1986 Byrnes alumnus, Bentley played football at Presbyterian before graduating in 1990.

He and his wife, the former Paulette West, are the parents of five children: Chas, Shuler, Jake, Brooks and Emily. Shuler, a redshirt senior quarterback, is the returning starter at Murray State after spending three years at Old Dominion, while Jake is a junior quarterback on the Gamecocks' squad. Chas works in the South Carolina weight room as a strength and conditioning graduate assistant.





COLEMAN HUTZLER

Special Teams Coordinator/ Linebackers Coach Third Year at South Carolina



HUTZLER

Full Name: Coleman Hutzler

Born: May 5, 1984

Hometown: Las Vegas, Nev.

Wife: Cobey

Children: Micah and Leila College: Middlebury College (2006)

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2016-18	South Carolina Asst. Coach
2015	Boston College Asst. Coach
2014	Florida Assistant Coach
2012-13	New Mexico Assistant Coach
2010-11	Florida Assistant Coach
2008-09	Stanford Assistant Coach
2007	Stanford Recruiting Assistant
2006	San Diego Assistant Coach

BOWL EXPERIENCE

2018	Outback
2016	Birmingham
2014	Birmingham
2011	Outback
2009	Sun

Coleman Hutzler begins his third season at South Carolina in 2018. Hutzler was added to head coach Will Muschamp's first Gamecock coaching staff on December 18, 2015. He coordinates the special teams efforts and coaches the line-backers.

In 2017, Hutzler was one of 56 nominees for the Broyles Award, which goes to the nation's top assistant coach. Punter Joseph Charlton logged one of the school's top single-season punting average at 43.5 yards per kick, while ranking among the nation's top 30. Deebo Samuel returned each of his two kickoffs for touchdowns in the season's first two games.

Defensively, linebackers Skai Moore and T.J. Brunson were the team's top two tacklers, logging over 180 stops between them. Moore, who led the team in tackles in all four of his seasons for the Gamecocks, earned All-SEC accolades.

Under Hutzler's tutelage, the South Carolina kickoff return team led the SEC and ranked eighth in the nation, averaging 25.8 yards per return in 2016. A trio of players, Deebo Samuel, A.J. Turner and Rashad Fenton, all returned a kick at least 50 yards, with Samuel taking one to the house from 100 yards away. Placekicker Elliott Fry became the school's all-time leading scorer, while snapper Drew Williams was recognized as a fourth-team All-American.

Hutzler spent the 2015 season as the special teams coordinator and



outside linebackers coach at Boston College. During his year in Chestnut Hill, freshman Michael Walker ranked in the top 10 in the nation in kick return average, while the Eagles were second in the nation in punt return defense, allowing just 1.66 yards per return. BC also blocked three punts on the year. Hutzler was also part of a staff that produced the nation's stingiest defense, as the Eagles allowed just 254.3 yards per game and 24.1 percent of third down conversions and were second in rushing defense at 82.8 yards per contest.

Previously, Hutzler logged two stints at Florida, first from 2010-11 as Assistant to Linebackers and Special Teams Coordinator, then again for the 2014 season, handling special teams and outside linebackers.

In 2014, Florida had the secondbest punt return average in the SEC and the 17th-best unit in the nation. UF punter Kyle Christy earned AP second-team All-SEC honors after averaging 44.3 yards per punt, the nation's 14th-best average. As the Gators outside linebackers coach, Hutzler coached Dante Fowler, Jr. to a first-team Coaches All-SEC selection.

Between his stints in Gainesville, Hutzler was the special teams coordinator and outside linebackers coach at New Mexico from 2012-13. He coached punter Ben Skaer to first-team All-Mountain West accolades and returner Carlos Wiggins to MWC Special Teams Player of the Year and a second-team All-

America honors in 2013. Wiggins returned three kickoffs for touchdowns, and the Lobos were first in the conference and 15th in the nation in kickoff returns. The Lobos improved from 112th nationally to 25th in net punting, and their puntreturn defense improved to No. 19 from 106th.

Hutzler began his coaching career at the University of San Diego, working as a defensive assistant in 2006. He moved to Palo Alto to become a recruiting assistant at Stanford in 2007. He was an assistant to co-defensive coordinators Ron Lynn and Andy Buh and to DJ Durkin at Stanford in 2008 and 2009.

The Las Vegas, Nevada, native played football at Middlebury College in Vermont, earning his degree in psychology. A linebacker on the team from 2002-05, he was a team captain as a senior and left the program second in career tackles. He also was a three-year catcher on the baseball team.

Hutzler and his wife, Cobey, have a son, Micah, and a daughter, Leila.

Cobey is a former director of volleyball operations at Stanford and was the Florida Class 3A Coach of the Year in 2011 while working at P.K. Yonge High. She played volleyball at UNLV and Michigan and is the daughter of long time University of Hawai'i women's volleyball coach, Dave Shoji, who recently retired as the second all-time winningest coach in NCAA Division 1 history.





KYLE Krantz

Nickels/ SAM Linebackers Coach Third Year at South Carolina



KRANTZ

Full Name: Kyle Krantz Born: May 2, 1987

Hometown: Denver, Colo.

Wife: Brittany

College: Northern Colorado (2009)

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2018	South Carolina Asst. Coach
2016-17	SC Defensive Analyst
2015	Auburn Defensive Analyst
2013-14	Florida Quality Control
2011-12	Kentucky Graduate Asst.
2011	Northwestern Quality Control
2009-10	Northern Colorado Asst. Coach

BOWL EXPERIENCE

2018	Outback
2016	Birmingham
2015	Birmingham
2015	Birmingham

Kyle Krantz is the newest member of the South Carolina on-field coaching staff, as he was promoted into the newly-created tenth on-field assistant coaching position in early January 2018. Krantz will serve as the special teams assistant and will coach the Nickels/Sam linebackers.

Krantz owns nine years of coaching experience, including seven seasons in the SEC as part of three different programs. He has spent the past two years as a defensive analyst for the Gamecocks.

"Kyle has been with me for the past five years and thinks like we do," said Coach Muschamp. "He has a coordinator's mentality and is an outstanding young coach."



A 2009 graduate of the University of Northern Colorado with a degree in sociology, Krantz began his career as a student assistant for the defense at UNC from 2007-08 before becoming the linebackers coach at his alma mater from 2009-10. During the summer of 2011, he worked as an offensive quality control volunteer at Northwestern.

Krantz joined the Kentucky staff just prior to the start of the 2011 season, serving as a graduate assistant for the Wildcats. After two seasons in Lexington, he moved on to the University of Florida, where he was placed in charge of quality control for the offense in 2013, working primarily with the wide receivers,

and for the defense in 2014, working with the defensive backs under Coach Muschamp.

Krantz spent the 2015 season as a defensive analyst on Gus Malzahn's staff at Auburn, working again with Coach Muschamp and secondary coach Travaris Robinson, before reuniting with Muschamp and Robinson in Columbia.

A native of Denver, Colo., Krantz is married to the former Brittany Hauck.



BRYAN MCCLENDON

Offensive Coordinator/ Wide Receivers Coach Third Year at South Carolina



MCCLENDON

Full Name: Bryan McClendon Born: December 28, 1983 Hometown: Chicago, Ill.

Wife: Amber

Children: Bryan, Brooke and Brayden College: Georgia (2005)

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2016-18 South Carolina Asst. Coach
2015 Georgia Interim Head Coach
2009-15 Georgia Assistant Coach
2007-08 Georgia Graduate Assistant

BOWL EXPERIENCE

Outback
Birmingham
TaxSlayer
Belk
Gator
Capital One
Outback
Liberty
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Sugar

Bryan McClendon joined the Carolina staff on December 23, 2015. In his first two seasons, McClendon served as the co-offensive coordinator and tutored the Gamecocks' wide receiving corps. He was put in charge of the offense and called the plays for the 2018 Outback Bowl and, in early January 2018, was named the full-time offensive coordinator.

In 2017, McClendon had a very young stable of receivers, with no seniors on the roster. After an early season injury took standout Deebo Samuel out of the mix, McClendon groomed sophomore Bryan Edwards and true freshmen OrTre Smith and Shi Smith into a formidable unit. McClendon also had success on the recruiting trail, placing 25th on 247Sports recruiter rankings.

Under McClendon's guidance, Samuel and Edwards, developed into one of the SEC's finest receiving duos during the 2016 campaign. Samuel paced the team with 59 receptions for 783 yards, while Edwards turned in the second-best true freshman season in Gamecock history, behind only Alshon Jeffery, logging 44 catches for 590 yards. McClendon was also recognized as one of the nation's top 25 recruiters for the 2017 cycle by Rivals.com.

McClendon came to Columbia following a stint at his alma mater, the University of Georgia. A former Bulldog wide receiver, McClendon held several titles during the 2015



season, including wide receivers coach, assistant head coach and passing game coordinator. He was named interim head coach on Dec. 3, 2015, and served in that capacity in the 2016 TaxSlayer Bowl, a 24-17 win over Penn State. From 2009-2014, he was the Bulldogs' running backs coach. McClendon also served as recruiting coordinator in 2014-15.

While he was a member of the full-time coaching staff, Georgia teams won 64 games and two SEC Eastern Division titles. McClendon was part of an offensive staff that led Georgia to the 2014 SEC scoring offense title (41.3 ppg) and three consecutive record-setting seasons: total yards in a season (6,547 in 2012, 6,294 in 2013, 5,964 in 2014); average yards per game (467.64 in 2012, 484.2 in 2013, 458.8 in 2014); and most TDs in a season (72 in 2012, 58 in 2013, 70 in 2014).

He has coached some of the country's top tailbacks including Todd Gurley (2015 1st round draft choice of the St. Louis Rams), 2014 Freshman All-American Nick Chubb, and 2011 SEC Freshman of the Year Isaiah Crowell.

McClendon was a four-year letterman with the Bulldogs (2002-05) and his senior class won 44 gamesmost by any class in Georgia history. During his tenure, the Bulldogs won three Southeastern Conference Eastern Division titles (2002, '03, '05), two SEC championships (2002,

'05), and played in four bowl games (2003 Nokia Sugar, '04 Capital One, '05 Outback, '06 Nokia Sugar), winning three of them.

McClendon's career blossomed in 2005, when the Bulldogs won the SEC championship. The Atlanta, Ga., native caught 35 passes with six going for touchdowns. He caught the game-winning TD pass in the closing minutes against Georgia Tech, and then blocked a punt in the SEC Championship game, which led to the Bulldogs' third TD in the 34-14 victory over LSU.

Following his Georgia career, Mc-Clendon signed a free agent contract with the NFL's Chicago Bears. After one summer with the Bears, he returned to Georgia as a graduate assistant from 2007-08.

Born December 28, 1983, Mc-Clendon graduated from Georgia in December 2005, with a degree in Recreation and Leisure Studies. He is the son of former Georgia tailback Willie McClendon, 1978 SEC Player of the Year and running back for the Chicago Bears.

McClendon was a prep standout at Mays High School where he was a PrepStar All-American and a SuperPrep All-Dixie team. He played in the Georgia-Florida high school all-star game following his senior season.

Bryan is married to the former Amber Arnold of Atlanta, Ga. They have three children, Bryan, Brooke and Brayden McClendon.





MIKE **PETERSON**

Outside Linebackers Coach Third Year at South Carolina



PETERSON

Full Name: Porter Michael Peterson

Born: June 17, 1976

Hometown: Gainesville, Fla.

Wife: Chantal

Children: Mike Jr. and Gavin College: Florida (2013)

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2016-18 South Carolina Asst. Coach 2014-15 Florida Asst. Director S&C

BOWL EXPERIENCE

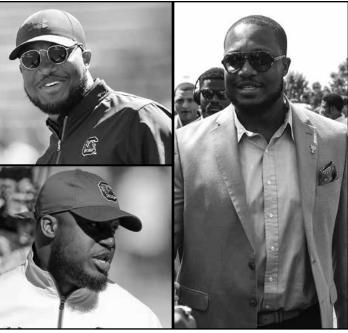
2018	Outback
2016	Birmingham
2016	Citrus
2014	Birmingham

Mike Peterson is in his third season in Columbia, serving as the outside linebackers coach. Peterson was named to the post on January 26, 2016.

Peterson was instrumental in the continued development of sophomore D.J. Wonnum, who was twice named SEC Defensive Lineman of the Week and ranked tied for seventh in the SEC in tackles for loss with 13.0, while leading the team with 6.0 sacks.

With Peterson's mentoring, senior Darius English turned in his finest season for the Garnet & Black in 2016, garnering 9.0 sacks to move him into both the single-season and career (15.0) sacks top-10 lists in school history while earning second-team All-SEC accolades.

After retiring from a 14-year NFL playing career, Peterson returned to his alma mater at the University of Florida in 2013 where he finished his degree while working as an undergraduate assistant coach on the Gators' strength & conditioning staff. Upon his graduation, he was named to a full-time position as a strength & conditioning coordinator.



"Mike's another great example for our student-athletes at the University of South Carolina for what he's accomplished," said Coach Muschamp at the time of his hiring. "He played at a high level and demonstrated great character and class throughout the time that we worked together at Florida. His vast NFL experience and knowledge of our schemes will complement our staff."

Peterson played linebacker on head coach Steve Spurrier's Florida Gators from 1995-98. He was a member of the 1996 Gators team that finished 12-1 and won the college football national championship. As a senior in 1998, he served as a team captain, earned first-team All-SEC and All-America honors and was selected as the Gators' most valuable player by his teammates. He was inducted into the University of Florida Athletic Hall of Fame as a "Gator Great" in 2011.

Peterson was a second-round pick (36th pick overall) of the Indianapolis Colts in the 1999 NFL Draft and played professional for the Colts (1999-2002), Jacksonville Jaguars (2003-08) and Atlanta Falcons (2009-12). He earned second-team

All-Pro honors in 2005.

During his NFL career, Peterson logged 883 tackles in 196 games with 21.5 sacks and 19 interceptions.

Born June 17, 1976 in Gainesville, Fla., Peterson is the older brother of former Chicago Bears running back Adrian Peterson.

Porter Michael Peterson and his wife, Chantal, have two sons, Mike Jr. and Gavin. His father was a long-time coach in the Gainesville area.

Peterson and his wife established the Mike Peterson Foundation in 2004. The foundation was constituted in an attempt to support and benefit under-served youth and socio-economically challenged families in Peterson's hometown of Alachua, Florida and his NFL cities of Jacksonville and Atlanta. Since its inception, the Mike Peterson Foundation has already served over 15,000 youth and families through several community events and programs, most notably the Top Dog Readers Club literacy program at the Grove Park Elementary School in Atlanta.



TRAVARIS ROBINSON

Defensive Coordinator/ Defensive Backs Coach Third Year at South Carolina



ROBINSON

Full Name: Travaris Robinson
Born: September 1, 1981
Hometown: Miami, Fla.
Wife: Mandisa

Children: Tyson, Travis and Jordyn College: Auburn (2007)

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2016-18	South Carolina Asst. Coach
2015	Auburn Assistant Coach
2011-14	Florida Assistant Coach
2010	Texas Tech Assistant Coach
2009	Southern Miss Asst. Coach
2008	Western Kentucky Asst. Coach
2006-07	Auburn Graduate Assistant

BOWL EXPERIENCE

2018	Outback
2016	Birmingham
2015	Birmingham
2014	Birmingham
2013	Sugar
2012	Gator
2010	TicketCity

Travaris Robinson was one of the first hires made by head coach Will Muschamp when he began assembling his first coaching staff at South Carolina. Now in his third season in Columbia, Robinson serves as the Gamecocks' defensive coordinator and defensive backs coach.

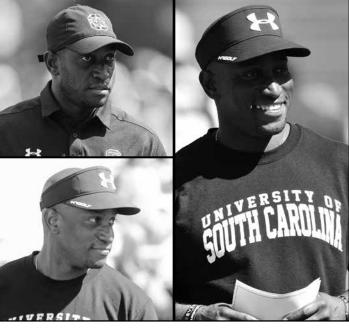
Carolina led the SEC and ranked ninth in the country with 28 turn-overs forced, while ranking 25th in points allowed per game at 20.7 in 2017. The Gamecocks held 11 of 13 opponents to fewer points than its season average.

Carolina tied for 10th in the nation in turnovers forced with 27 during the 2016 campaign, including 15 interceptions.

Regarded as one of the top recruiters in the country, T-Rob spent the previous five seasons coaching defensive backs under Muschamp, first at Florida (2011-14), then at Auburn (2015). The former Tiger standout began his coaching career at Auburn under Muschamp, first as a staff assistant in 2006 while finishing up his undergraduate degree, then as a GA in 2007.

A Miami, Fla. native, Robinson spent one season each as a defensive backs coach at Western Kentucky (2008), Southern Miss (2009) and Texas Tech (2010) before reuniting with Muschamp on his staff at Florida.

In his first season at Florida in 2011, Robinson guided a UF secondary that ranked seventh in the



nation in pass defense (166.8), while the Gator defense ranked eighth nationally in total defense (299.5).

Robinson led a secondary that was one of the best in the nation in 2012, ranking No. 2 in pass efficiency defense (95.55) and allowing just seven touchdown passes, the second-fewest in the nation. Florida had 20 interceptions on the season, good for seventh nationally while safety Matt Elam was a first-team All-America selection and first-round draft pick.

In 2013, Robinson's secondary was seventh nationally in passing defense and eighth in passing efficiency defense, while the defensive unit was eight in total defense. Under Robinson, Vernon Hargreaves III was a freshman All-SEC and freshman All-America pick while being named the National Freshman Defensive Player of the Year by College Football News.

In 2014 at Florida, Robinson again tutored Hargreaves III, who was a first-team All-SEC pick and named first-team All-America. Jalen Tabor received freshman All-America and freshman All-SEC honors. The Gators defense finished the 2014 regular season ranked ninth nationally in total defense, 14th in pass efficiency defense and 23rd in passing defense.

At Texas Tech, he helped the Red Raiders to an 8-5 record and a TicketCity Bowl victory over Northwestern. In his one season at Tech, Robinson had two defensive backs earn All-Big 12 Honorable Mention recognition and a third that was named a freshman All-America honorable mention.

His 2009 Southern Miss squad finished in the top four in Conference USA in pass efficiency defense, interceptions and yards per pass attempt, and he coached First Team All-C-USA selection Eddie Hicks.

Before embarking on his coaching career, Robinson played two seasons in the NFL with the Atlanta Falcons and Tampa Bay Buccaneers.

Auburn posted a 30-19 record during his playing career, including a Top-20 ranking in the final polls after his senior season. He was selected the MVP of the Iron Bowl after recording 12 tackles and breaking up a pair of passes to help the Tigers to a 13-9 victory over Alabama, as they would go on to defeat Penn State in the Capital One Bowl. He was a first-team AP All-SEC selection after collecting 92 total tackles, second on the squad, with four interceptions. He concluded his collegiate career with 166 tackles and five picks.

Robinson was born in Miami, Fla. and attended Coral Park High where he was a four-year letterman and earned all-state honors as a defensive back and wide receiver. He received his bachelor's degree in mass communications from Auburn in 2007. He is married to the former Mandisa Skyers. Their family includes sons, Tyson Jerod and Travis Jerod, and daughter, Jordyn.





LANCE Thompson

Asst. Head Coach - Defense/ Defensive Line Coach Third Year at South Carolina



THOMPSON

Full Name: James Lance Thompson

Born: June 4, 1964

Hometown: Riverdale, Ga.

Wife: Mary Ann

Children: Allie, Christina and Lane Thompson; Alli and Taylor

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College: The Citadel (1987)

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2016-18 South Carolina Asst. Coach 2015 Auburn Assistant Coach

2012-14 Alabama Assistant Coach

2009-11 Tennessee Assistant Coach

2007-08 Alabama Assistant Coach

2004-06 UCF Assistant Coach

2002-03 LSU Assistant Coach2001 Georgia Tech Assistant Coach

1999-00 Alabama Assistant Coach

1995-98 Georgia Tech Assistant Coach

1992-94 Georgia Tech Dir.-FB Ops.

1990-91 Georgia Tech Volunteer Asst.

1988-89 Georgia Tech Graduate Asst.

BOWL EXPERIENCE

2018	Outback
2016	Birmingham
2015	Birmingham
2015	Sugar
2014	Sugar
2013	BCS National Championship
2010	Music City
2009	Chick-fil-A
2009	Sugar
2007	Independence
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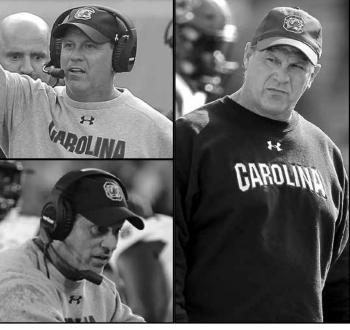
Lance Thompson begins his third year in Columbia. Head football coach Will Muschamp named Thompson as the Gamecocks' assistant head coach of defense and defensive line coach on December 31, 2015.

In his second year, Thompson helped groom Dante Sawyer into a second-team All-SEC selection, while senior Taylor Stallworth had his finest season for the Garnet & Black. Additionally, junior college transfer Javon Kinlaw developed into a force to be reckoned with over the next two seasons.

Thompson is a proven winner. A member of national championship staffs at Alabama, Georgia Tech and LSU, Thompson has been a member of four SEC championship coaching staffs, two ACC championship staffs and one Conference USA divisional winner.

Additionally, Thompson has either coached or recruited players who have participated in nine National Championship games, winning eight of those contests (Georgia Tech, LSU twice and Alabama five times).

"I'm excited to have Coach Thompson join our staff," said Coach Muschamp at the time of Thompson's hiring. "He did a great



job calling the Auburn defense in their bowl win over Memphis. He has coached multiple positions throughout his career and has a great understanding of our defensive system. He will be an outstanding addition to our staff."

Ranked as the No. 1 recruiter in the nation on the Ultimate ESPN 300 recruiting power rankings for 2014 when he was coaching at Alabama, and named Rivals National Recruiter of the Year in 2008, also with the Crimson Tide, Thompson was reunited with Muschamp on Gus Malzahn's Auburn staff in 2015, where he coached the linebackers. Thompson and Muschamp also worked together as assistant coaches at LSU from 2002-2003.

Thompson worked at Alabama three different times, from 1999-2000, 2007-08 and 2012-14. He helped Alabama's 2013 defense to hold opponents to 13.9 points per game, the fifth-best mark in Division I college football. His Alabama recruits included Julio Jones, A.J. McCarron, Mark Barron, D.J. Fluker and Trent Richardson.

Thompson worked with Nick Saban at both Alabama and LSU. He was the assistant head coach in charge of recruiting and the tight ends coach when LSU won the 2003 national title. He also coached the defensive line at LSU.

Thompson also logged stints at Tennessee (2009-11), Georgia Tech (1988-98, 2001), and Central Florida, where he was defensive coordinator from 2004-06. In 2005, UCF won the Conference USA Eastern Division title. At Georgia Tech, he held various roles, including defensive line coach, defensive ends coach, tight ends coach, recruiting coordinator and director of football operations. He began his coaching career as a graduate assistant with the Yellow Jackets in 1988.

Thompson has coached and/or recruited several players who have been selected highly in the NFL Draft, including such notables as Jones, Barron, Richardson, Fluker, Chance Warmack, Marco Coleman, Cornelius Griffin, Marquise Hill, Laron Landry, Tyson Jackson, Coutney Upshaw and Coleman Rudolph.

Thompson is a 1987 graduate of The Citadel, where he was a four-year letterwinner as a defensive lineman, and earned his bachelor's degree in education and mathematics.

A native of Riverdale, Ga., he is married to the former Mary Ann Guzy. Thompson has five children -- Allie, Christina and Lane Thompson, and Alli and Taylor Guzy.



Citrus

1991



WASHINGTON

Tight Ends Coach Third Year at South Carolina



WASHINGTON

Full Name: Patrick Washington
Born: October 12, 1963
Hometown: Mobile, Ala.
Wife: Claudette
Children: Tyson and Justin

College: Auburn (1987)

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2016-18 South Carolina Asst. Coach
2013-15 Missouri Assistant Coach
2012 Kentucky Assistant Coach
2009-11 Southern Miss Asst. Coach
2007-08 Mississippi State Asst. Coach
2006 Kansas State Assistant Coach
1995-05 Tennessee Assistant Coach
1994 Baylor Assistant Coach
1992-93 TCU Assistant Coach
1989-91 La.-Lafayette Asst. Coach
1987-88 Auburn Graduate Assistant

BOWL EXPERIENCE

2018	Outback
2016	Birmingham
2015	Citrus
2014	Cotton
2011	Hawai'i
2010	Beef 'O' Brady's
2009	New Orleans
2007	Liberty
2006	Texas
2005	Cotton
2004	Peach
2002	Peach
2002	Citrus
2001	Cotton
2000	Fiesta
1999	Fiesta
1998	Orange
1997	Citrus
1996	Citrus
1994	Alamo
1989	Sugar
1988	Sugar

Pat Washington, a 30-year collegiate coaching veteran, begins his third season at South Carolina serving as the tight ends coach.

Under Washington's watch, Hayden Hurst went from a former walk-on to a first-team All-SEC tight end, ranking second on the squad in both receptions and yards receiving during the 2017 campaign.

In his first season in Columbia, Washington was responsible for the development of sophomore standouts Hurst and K.C. Crosby. Hurst set school tight end records with 48 receptions and 616 receiving yards, while Crosby tied for the team lead with four TD receptions.

Washington has 20 years of experience under his belt on five different SEC staffs, including an 11-year stint as wide receivers coach at Tennessee (1995-2005), which included an undefeated 1998 season and a national title. He came to South Carolina from Missouri, where he has served as the receiving coach from 2013-15. The Tigers captured the SEC Eastern Division title and played in the SEC Championship game in both 2013 and 2014.

Senior receiver Bud Sasser was named first-team All-SEC in 2014, becoming Missouri's first first-team all-conference wide receiver since 2009.

Mizzou's wideouts enjoyed a banner year in 2013 and played a critical role as the Tigers became one of the most improved offensive attacks





in the nation. Leading the way was Dorial Green-Beckham, who earned second-team All-SEC honors by the Associated Press after catching 59 passes for 883 yards and 12 touchdowns -- the latter of which tied for most in the SEC in 2013. Washington's receivers solid downfield blocking also helped spring the Tiger ground game for a 3,000-yard season as part of MU's 12-2 campaign.

Washington has enjoyed success throughout his career, as he's coached on teams that have reached bowl games 19 times. Tennessee posted a 105-31 record during his tenure that featured 10 bowl appearances -- including three Citrus Bowls, two Fiesta, Peach and Cotton Bowls, and one Orange Bowl. The Volunteers also reached the SEC Championship Game four times with Washington on staff. A win in the 1998 SEC title game vaulted UT to the 1999 Fiesta Bowl, where the Vols downed Florida State, 23-16, to cap an undefeated season and a national championship.

During his tenure at Tennessee, Washington developed several standout receivers, including Peerless Price, Donte Stallworth, Joey Kent, Marcus Nash, Robert Meachem and Cedrick Wilson, among others. Nash, Stallworth and Meachem were first-round draft picks, and all six enjoyed NFL careers.

Washington's coaching career began at Auburn, where he served his alma mater as a GA from 1987-88.

After the Tigers reached bowl games both years, Washington landed his first full-time position as the receivers coach at Louisiana-Lafayette (1989-91), and that was followed by a two-year stop at TCU (1992-93) as receivers coach. He spent one year at Baylor (1994) as running backs coach, and the Bears reached the 1994 Alamo Bowl during his time there, before he left to join Tennessee the following year.

Following his time at UT, Washington coached receivers at Kansas State in 2006, helping the Wildcats to a berth in the Texas Bowl. He then returned to the SEC as the receivers coach at Mississippi State from 2007-08. The Bulldogs broke a six-year postseason drought, winning the 2007 AutoZone Liberty Bowl. From 2009-11, Washington coached running backs at Southern Mississippi, and his backfield played an integral role in Southern Miss' Conference USA Championship in 2011. He spent the 2012 season at Kentucky as wide receivers coach and passing game coordinator.

A native of Mobile, Ala., Washington played quarterback at Auburn from 1982-85. He guided the Tigers to a combined 17-8 record in his final two seasons years and to 1984 Liberty Bowl and 1986 Cotton Bowl appearances.

Washington earned a management degree from Auburn in 1987. He and his wife, Claudette, are the parents of sons Tyson and Justin.





DAN WERNER

Quarterbacks Coach First Year at South Carolina



WERNER

Full Name: Daniel Eric Werner **Born:** February 7, 1959 Hometown: Dowagiac, Mich.

Wife: Caysie

Children: Maya and Ian College: Western Michigan (1983)

COACHING EXPERIENCE

South Carolina Asst. Coach
Alabama Offensive Analyst
Ole Miss Assistant Coach
North Delta (Miss.) HS AC_
Ole Miss Assistant Coach
Miami (Fla.) Assistant Coach
Murray State Assistant Coach
Auburn Offensive Consultant
James Madison Asst. Coach
Louisiana Tech Asst. Coach
Miami Southridge HS AC
UNLV Assistant Coach
Miami (Fla.) Volunteer Asst.
Miami (Fla.) Graduate Asst.
Cornell Assistant Coach
Countryside (Fla.) HS AC
Tarpon Springs (Fla.) HS AC

BOWL EXPERIENCE

2018	National Championship
2018	Sugar
2016	Sugar
2014	Peach
2013	Music City
2013	BBVA Compass
2005	Peach
2004	Peach
2004	Orange
2003	Fiesta
2002	Rose/National Championship
1990	Sugar/National Championship
1989	Orange
1988	Orange/National Championship

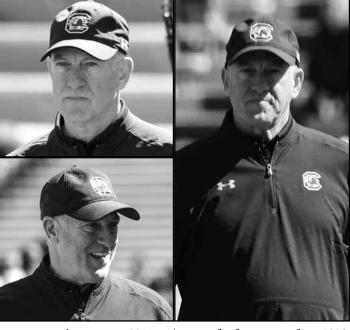
Dan Werner, a highly-successful veteran offensive mind, was named the Gamecocks' quarterback coach in January 2018. Werner comes to Columbia after one season as an offensive analyst at Alabama under Nick Saban. He spent the previous five years as the co-offensive coordinator/quarterbacks coach at the University of Mississippi under head coach Hugh Freeze.

In 2016, Ole Miss led the SEC in passing offense (314.9 yards per game), was third in total offense (464.3 ypg) and fourth in scoring offense at 32.6 points per game.

In 2015, Ole Miss set program records for scoring (531), touchdowns (68), total offense (6,731), passing yards (4,351), passing touchdowns (35), 50+ point games (4) and games with more than 600 yards of offense (3). The Rebels led the SEC and were top-10 nationally in scoring (40.8), total offense (517.8 ypg) and passing (334.7 ypg), garnering Werner his second nomination for the Broyles Award as the nation's top assistant coach.

Under Werner's tutelage, Bo Wallace broke Ole Miss school records for career total offensive yards (10,478), 300-yard passing games (11), completion percentage (63.0) and pass efficiency (140.8) and went 24-15 as the Rebels' starting quarterback from 2012-14. In just three years as a starter, Wallace ranked in the SEC's top 10 all-time in total offense and passing yards.

In 2012, Werner helped turn around a Rebel offense that ranked at or near the bottom of the SEC in



every statistical category in 2011 to rank top five in the SEC and top 50 in the nation in scoring, total offense and passing.

Werner boasts three decades of coaching experience, including a total of eight years in two terms at the University of Miami, when he tutored outstanding quarterbacks and directed some of the best offenses in college football. He helped Miami to eight bowls, four national championship games and three national titles during his combined tenure. He also played an integral part in the development of several of the Hurricanes' greatest quarterbacks, including 2001 Maxwell Award winner Ken Dorsey, 1992 Heisman Trophy winner Gino Torretta as well as Heisman candidates Steve Walsh and Craig Erickson.

Over his last five seasons (2001-05) at Miami, Hurricane quarterbacks threw for more than 14,500 yards and 114 touchdowns under Werner, giving balance to an offensive philosophy predicated on equality between the run and the pass.

Werner's second stint in Coral Gables was preceded by a spectacular 2000 season as offensive coordinator at Murray State. He built the Racers' offense into one of the most potent on the FCS level, as the team ranked 11th nationally in total offense (452 yards/game) and 13th in passing yardage (276 yards/game).

Werner was an offensive consultant to Tommy Tuberville at Auburn during the 1999 season. Before the job at Auburn, Werner was an assistant coach at James Madison University for four seasons from 1995-98. He began his tenure at JMU as assistant head coach/quarterback coach/passing game coordinator in 1995. In 1997, he was promoted to offensive coordinator/assistant head coach. From 1991-94, Werner coached at Louisiana Tech, where he was an assistant coach in charge of running backs and inside receivers. In 1993, he was promoted to offensive coordinator/quarterback coach.

Werner joined the coaching staff at UNLV in the spring of 1990. At UNLV, he was an assistant coach in charge of quarterbacks. In the fall of 1990, Werner left the college game for one season to serve as offensive line coach at Miami's Southridge High School.

As a graduate assistant at Miami during the 1987-88 seasons, Werner worked with UM quarterbacks Steve Walsh, Craig Erickson and Gino Torretta during a n era in which the Hurricanes went 23-1 and won the 1987 national championship. In 1989, he was a volunteer assistant coach working with the wide receivers on another Miami national championship team.

Werner began his college coaching career in 1986 as an assistant at Cornell University. Prior to that, he coached three seasons on the high school level.

Werner graduated from Western Michigan University with a Bachelor of Arts degree in education in 1983. He attended Parkway Central High School in Missouri.

Werner's wife's name is Caysie. He has two children, Maya and Ian.





ERIC Wolford

Offensive Line Coach Third Year at South Carolina



WOLFORD

Full Name: Eric Wolford
Born: April 5, 1971

Hometown: Youngstown, Ohio

Wife: Melinda

Children: Stone, Marlee College: Kansas State (1994)

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2017-18 South Carolina Asst. Coach2015-16 San Francisco (NFL) AssistantOffensive Line Coach

2010-14 Youngstown St. Head Coach

2009 South Carolina Asst. Coach2007-08 Illinois Assistant Coach

2007-08 Hilliois Assistant Coach
2004-06 Arizona Assistant Coach

2003 North Texas Assistant Coach

2000-02 Houston Assistant Coach 1997-99 USF Assistant Coach

1995-96 Emporia St. Assistant Coach

1994 Kansas St. Graduate Assistant

BOWL EXPERIENCE

2018	Outback
2009	Birmingham
2008	Rose
2003	New Orleans
1994	Aloha
1993	Copper

Offensive line coach Eric Wolford begins his second year on Will Muschamp's staff and his third year overall in Columbia. Wolford previously served on Steve Spurrier's staff during the 2009 campaign.

Despite numerous injuries that forced nine different players into the starting front five, Carolina's offensive line, under Wolford's direction, allowed 28 sacks in 2017, 13 fewer than they allowed in 2016. Wolford was also named a top-25 recruiter by Rivals following the 2018 February signing date.

Before coming back to Carolina, Wolford spent the previous two seasons in the NFL as the San Francisco 49ers assistant offensive line coach.

Prior to his stint with the 49ers, Wolford logged 19 seasons as a coach at the collegiate level, including five (2010-14) as the head coach at Youngstown State. After a 3-8 mark in his first season, the Penguins compiled a 28-18 mark over his final four campaigns, were ranked in the top-10 three times, and broke 32 school records during his tenure. Highlights included a 2012 win over Pitt - the first win over a BCS team in school history, and a 2011 win over top-ranked North Dakota State, while overseeing the squad's highest GPA on record for four-consecutive seasons.

Wolford served as South Carolina's run game coordinator and offensive line coach in 2009 after a two-year stint at Illinois where he held a



similar post. Under Wolford's tutelage, the Illini, which played in the 2008 Rose Bowl game, led the Big Ten in rushing (2007) and passing (2008), while topping the 5,000yard mark in total offense for just the third and fourth times in school history. Wolford was considered a Rivals Top-20 National Recruiter in 2008.

Wolford spent three seasons (2004-06) at Arizona as the offensive line coach. UA led the league in fewest sacks allowed in 2004 and was second in 2005. He was also an integral part of back-to-back top-25 recruiting classes.

Wolford spent the 2003 season at North Texas, where his offensive line paved the way for tailback Patrick Cobbs. He rushed for a leaguerecord 1,690 yards, earning the Sun Belt Offensive Player of the Year Award. Cobbs averaged 152 yards and 11.5 points per game, leading the NCAA. The offensive line blocked for a rushing average of 177.5 yards per game, which ranked 35th nationally, allowed only 18 sacks during the season and posted an 88 percent efficiency rating in the redzone. Wolford also helped lead UNT to its third-consecutive bid to the New Orleans Bowl.

Before joining North Texas, Wolford enjoyed three-year stints at both Houston and South Florida. While at Houston, he coached a number of positions, spanning offense, defense and special teams. In 2002, Hous-

ton enjoyed a dramatic turnaround, going from a winless season to five victories. The team also ended on a high note, defeating nationally-ranked Louisville in the finale. During that time, Wolford coached five all-conference players.

Wolford had the unique experience of coaching in the first three seasons of the South Florida football program, helping to lead the Bulls to two winning seasons in three years. In year two of the building process, the offense put up over 400 yards per game, including 191.5 rushing yards per contest. Running back Dyral McMillan became the school's first 1,000-yard rusher that year.

Wolford began his coaching career at his alma mater, Kansas State, where he served as a GA and worked with the offensive line under John Latina. He then spent two years as the offensive line and strength coach at Emporia State.

Wolford was a four-year starter at K-State under Bill Snyder, and his teams laid the groundwork for the program's emergence on the national stage. During his senior year, the Wildcats won the school's first bowl game in the 1993 Copper Bowl. He earned a bachelor's degree in 1994 in social sciences with a focus on monetary policy and banking. Wolford signed a free agent contract with Buddy Ryan's Arizona Cardinals.

Wolford and his wife, Dr. Melinda Wolford, have a son, Stone, and a daughter, Marlee.





JEFF **DILLMAN**

Director -Strength & Conditioning Third Year at South Carolina



DILLMAN

Full Name: Jeffrey Dillman
Born: September 10, 1976

Hometown: Rockingham, N.C.

Wife: Jeanne

Children: Cole and Olivia
College: Appalachian State (2001)

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2016-18 South Carolina Dir. S&C
2015 Alabama Asst. Director S&C
2012-14 Florida Director S&C
2006-09 Appalachian State Dr. S&C
2003-05 LSU Asst. Director S&C
2001-02 La.-Monroe Asst. Dir. S&C

BOWL EXPERIENCE

2018	Outback
2016	Birmingham
2016	BCS National Championship
2014	Birmingham
2012	Sugar
2005	Peach
2005	Capital One
2004	BCS National Championship

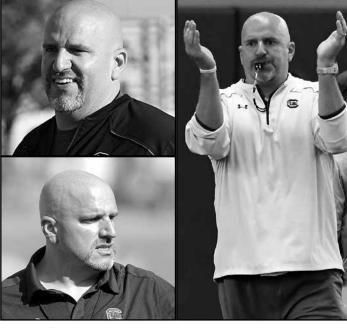
FCS POSTSEASON

2009	National Semifinals
2008	National Quarterfinals
2007	National Champions
2006	National Champions

Jeff Dillman is in his third year in Columbia guiding the strength and conditioning program for South Carolina Football. Dillman was named Director of Football Strength and Conditioning on December 14, 2015.

Dillman joined the Gamecocks after spending one season as an assistant strength & conditioning coach at Alabama. He was part of the staff that helped the Crimson Tide to the 2016 national championship. Prior to that, he worked on Head Coach Will Muschamp's staff at the University of Florida for three years as the Director of Strength & Conditioning.

Prior to his arrival in Gainesville, Dillman worked at the IMG Performance Institute in Bradenton. As the Head of Physical Conditioning at IMG Academies, Dillman oversaw the strength and conditioning



programs for all youth, adult, collegiate and professional athletes who trained at the Academy, including NBA and NFL offseason workouts, NFL Combine training and the Madden Football Academy.

Dillman's professional career began as an assistant strength and conditioning coach at UL-Monroe beginning in 2001, working with nine different teams over his tenure with the Warhawks.

In 2003, he was hired as an assistant strength and conditioning coach at LSU and helped the Tigers to several notable achievements, including an SEC and BCS National Championship for the football team, Final Four appearances for both the men's and women's basketball teams and a College World Series trip for the baseball team. He also worked with men's and women's tennis and gymnastics.

In 2006, Dillman took over the strength and conditioning program at his alma mater, Appalachian State. He helped the football program to two-straight Division I-AA national championships (2006-07) and the historic upset of No. 5-ranked Michigan in 2007.

A native of Rockingham, N.C., Dillman was a football letterman at Elon College before he transferred to Appalachian State University, where he completed his football eligibility. He earned a bachelor's degree in exercise science in 2001.

Dillman is a member of the Collegiate Strength & Conditioning Coaches Association and the American Football Coaches Association. He is certified by the National Strength & Conditioning Coaches Association (NSCA).

He and his wife, Jeanne, have two children, twins Cole and Olivia.



KRISTIN COGGIN

Director - Football Nutrition Second Year at South Carolina

Kristin Coggin joined the Gamecocks in May 2017 as the Director - Football Nutrition. As team Dietitian she is responsible for managing all aspects of performance nutrition for the team which includes coordinating all meals throughout the year, counseling athletes, and analyzing the athletes body compositions and hydration needs. She collaborates with the coaching and training staffs to provide updates on nutrition concerns, priorities, and accomplishments for each individual player.

Coggin previously served on the Alabama staff as a Registered Dieti-

tian/Performance Nutrition Coordinator for two years. She worked closely with football, men's basketball, softball and several other sports. The Crimson Tide reached CFP National Championship in both years.

Coggin graduated from Tennessee with degrees in psychology in 2012 and in nutrition in 2014, which lead to a dietetic internship at Cal Poly-Pomona.

The Pulaski, Tenn., native had a successful athletic career as part of the Lady Vols rowing team. She won two conference titles and competed for an NCAA Championship.



CHARLES JACKSON JR.

Director - Character and Life Skills Third Year at South Carolina

Reverend Charles B. Jackson, Jr. is in his third season as the Director of Character and Life Skills.

A Columbia native, Jackson graduated from South Carolina State with a business management degree.

Jackson continued his education at the Morehouse School of Religion on the campus of the ITC in Atlanta where earned the Master of Divinity degree with a concentration in Homiletics. Jackson is also clinically certified by Palmetto Health, having completed an extensive unit of Clinical Pastoral Education.

Jackson received his license to preach the Gospel in 2001 and was ordained into the ministry in 2002. He is presently the pastor of the New Laurel Street Missionary Baptist Church.

Jackson and his wife, Iva, have four children, Charles III ("Tre"), Caleb, Carter and Kayla.



JESSICA **JACKSON**

Director - On-Campus Recruiting Third Year at South Carolina

Jessica Jackson has served as Director On-Campus Recruiting since January 2016. Her responsibilities include coordination of all official and unofficial visits as well as managing recruiting compliance records.

Jackson served as a football recruiting and operations assistant while attending Alabama as an undergrad, where she was a part of the 2011 and 2012 National Championship staff and contributed to four-

consecutive No. 1-ranked recruiting classes. Jackson was part of the event staff and helped coordinate the 2014 Chick-fil-A Peach Bowl's inaugural year in the College Football Playoff.

A Fayetteville, Ga., native, she graduated with honors in 2014 with a degree in kinesiology and a minor in psychology. She was a member of the rowing and weightlifting teams and the Theta Sigma Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.



MARCUS **LATTIMORE**

Director - Player Development First Year at South Carolina

Former Gamecock standout Marcus Lattimore was named Director of Player Development on January 12, 2018.

Lattimore is one of the most beloved Gamecocks to don the Garnet and Black. After one of the most decorated careers in South Carolina high school football history, the Duncan, S.C., native burst onto the scene in 2010 when he rushed for 1,197 yards, leading the Gamecocks to their first SEC Eastern Division title and earning SEC Freshman of the Year accolades. His sophomore and junior seasons were abbreviated after sustaining major knee injuries. Despite his limited time on the field. he set the school record for career rushing touchdowns with 38, while

ranking sixth in school history with 2,677 career rushing yards.

Despite the knee injuries, Lattimore was a fourth-round pick in the 2013 NFL Draft by the San Francisco 49ers, but never played in an NFL game.

He is the founder of the Marcus Lattimore Foundation, which is committed to the youth and initiatives which emphasize Christian values, character, life-skills development, education, and health and wellness in South Carolina, and has most recently served as the head football coach at Heathwood Hall prep school in Columbia.

He is married to the former Miranda Bailey.



MATT LINDSEY

Director - Player Personnel Second Year at South Carolina

Matt Lindsey was named the South Carolina Football program's Director of Player Personnel on February 13, 2017.

Lindsey directs the recruiting efforts of South Carolina Football. He oversees all recruiting services and recruiting videos and identifies potential student-athletes for the coaching staff. In addition, he assists with camps, clinics, on-campus visits and other football related events.

In 2017, Lindsey was recognized by 247Sports in its "30Under30" list of rising stars in college football.

Lindsey came to Columbia after a stint with the Philadelphia Eagles. He joined the Eagles' organization in 2013 as a scouting assistant, working with the pro and college scouting departments. The Eagles reached the NFC Playoffs following the 2013 regular season.

Lindsey was promoted to College Scouting Coordinator for the Eagles in 2014. In that role, Lindsey served as the liaison between the scouting staff and the front office and handled day-to-day scheduling and organization of the scouting efforts for college all-star games, the NFL Combine. Lindsey was also responsible for scouting both college and proplayers throughout the year.

A native of Tuscaloosa, Ala., Lindsey earned a degree in consumer sciences from the University of Alabama in 2013. He assisted all efforts of the football recruiting department as an undergraduate. The Crimson Tide earned three national championships during his tenure.

Lindsey is married to the former Kellie Roscia.





JOE **LISLE**

Assistant Athletics Director -Video Operations 22nd Year at South Carolina

Joe Lisle is in his 22nd year as the Football Video Coordinator. In 2012, he was promoted to Assistant AD/Video Operations.

Lisle, who was named Teammate of the Year in 2008-09, has twice been honored as the Collegiate Sports Video Association's Outstanding SEC Video Coordinator.

Lisle came to Carolina from Memphis where he was video coordinator for two years.

Lisle received his degree in mass communications with an empha-

sis in broadcast production from Middle Tennessee State in 1990. He assumed the role of video coordinator at his alma mater while in his last year of undergraduate study. Lisle also coached kickers at MTSU, including four who earned all-conference honors and one All-American.

Lisle was a placekicker for four years. He led the nation in field goals during his senior season.

He and his wife, Anne, have three children, Mark, Gordon and Maggie Grace.



KRISTIN **Sheetz**

Director - Football Creative Services Fourth Year at South Carolina

Kristin Sheetz is in her third season as Director - Football Creative Services, and in her fourth year working solely with football.

Sheetz works with the football recruiting office conceptualizing and designing graphics to be released on social media and distributed to recruits. In addition, she collaborates with other departments within Carolina Athletics to create content and develop a cohesive brand.

Sheetz got her start in athletics in 2014, working as a graphic design

intern with the Carolina athletics media relations department, designing preview, in-game and post-game graphics. In addition, she assisted with the design of several publications. She moved over to work with the football department exclusively in 2015.

Sheetz graduated cum laude from South Carolina in 2015 with a bachelor's degree in journalism and mass communications, with a major in visual communications and a minor in graphic design.



LARRY **WATERS**

Director - Football Equipment Operations Third Year at South Carolina

Larry Waters joined the Carolina football staff in 2016 as Director – Football Equipment Operations.

Waters came to Columbia following a five-year stint as an assistant equipment manager for football at Alabama. During that time, the Crimson Tide won a pair of football national championships.

Waters, who hails from Collins, Miss., earned a degree in political science from Mississippi State in 2010. While an undergrad, he served as a football student manager.

In 2010, Waters worked first as an equipment intern for the New Orleans Saints in the NFL, before being named a full-time equipment assistant for the Saints upon graduation. He left the Saints in 2012 to join the Alabama football equipment staff.



CLYDE Wrenn

Director - High School Relations 17th Year at South Carolina

Clyde Wrenn returned to the football offices in 2016 after working for the previous three years in the development arm of the Gamecocks' athletics department. He has more than 30 years of high school, college and professional experience to his credit.

Wrenn spent 11 years at South Carolina as an Assistant Athletics Director from 1993-2004, first as Football Recruiting Coordinator and later for High School Relations, before leaving to pursue other opportunities. Prior to his return to

Columbia, he spent one year as the director of football operations at Southern Miss under Ellis Johnson.

A native of Chester, S.C., Wrenn was a football coach at the high school level for seven years and worked as the recruiting coordinator on the football staff at Clemson for 11 seasons. He also spent two years as a scout with the NFL's Denver Broncos.

Wrenn earned his bachelor's degree from NC State in 1965. He later received a master's degree from Western Carolina in 1969.



GEORGE **Wynn**

Director - Football Operations First Year at South Carolina

George Wynn was named Director of Football Operations on February 1, 2018.

Wynn has logged three previous stops as DFO over the past 19 years. He served at Arizona State from 1999-2005, assisting head coaches Bruce Snyder and Dirk Koetter; was the Assistant AD of Football Operations at Texas from 2005-2011 under head coach Mack Brown; and most recently, as the Assistant AD for Football Operations at Florida from 2011-2017, where he worked with Coach Muschamp and Jim McElwain.

Wynn oversees the logistics relating to the spring, preseason and postseason practices, serves as the liaison to the compliance office and several other athletics and university departments, coordinates team travel arrangements and oversees the football budget. Wynn was a four-year studentathlete in football, including three years as a starter, at Georgia. A team captain as a senior, Wynn earned his bachelor's degree in criminal justice in 1992. He played football professionally for two seasons in the CFL with the Saskatchewan Roughriders.

Following his retirement as a player, Wynn returned to Georgia, where he earned a master's degree in sports management in 1995 while serving as a recruiting coordinator assistant for the Bulldog football team. He then logged a stint as a compliance services intern for the NCAA before taking a position as a regional marketing director for the Harlem Globetrotters working with Geese Ausbie from 1996-1999.

Wynn is married to the former Leesha Hadley. The couple has two children, Royce and Lena.





ANDREW BELLUOMINI

Analyst - Offense Second Year at South Carolina

Andrew Belluomini joined the Gamecock staff in April 2017 as an analyst for the offense.

Belluomini most recently worked as a quality control coordinator at Florida, a position he held since 2012. He assisted with the offensive skill position players under offensive coordinators Brent Pease, Kurt Roper and Doug Nussmeier.

Prior to his arrival in Gainesville, Belluomini spent one year in an offensive/special teams quality control role at Northwestern and one year as the running backs coach at Butler.

Belluomini earned a bachelor's degree in physical education from Boise State in 2010. During his time in Boise, he worked as a student assistant on both the offensive (2005-09) and defensive (2009-10) sides of the ball for the Broncos.

The Westchester, Ill. native was a three-year varsity starter, two-time captain and all-area selection as a quarterback at St. Joseph High.



LOGAN **Haii**

Assistant Director -Player Personnel Fourth Year at South Carolina

Logan Hall became a full-time member of the South Carolina football staff in April 2017. He serves as assistant director - player personnel.

Hall works with the recruiting staff with a focus on identifying prospective student-athletes for the offensive side of the ball.

Hall began his collegiate journey at Coastal Carolina, where he was a quarterback on the 2010 Big South Conference championship squad. He transferred to South Carolina, where he joined the program as a student assistant in 2012 while earn-

ing a degree in physical education in 2015. He worked for one season as an offensive assistant, then moved into the recruiting office in 2016, serving as a recruiting assistant.

A native of Gray Court, S.C., Hall graduated from Laurens High School, where he earned all-region honors on the gridiron and as a golfer. He was also recognized as the school's Wendy's Heisman nominee and and class president.

Hall is married to the former Molly Stanton of Charleston, S.C.



LANDON MARTIN

Analyst - Offense Third Year at South Carolina

Landon Martin was named to an analyst position in February 2018 after spending the previous two years as a graduate assistant working with the Gamecocks' offensive line.

In his role, the Pelzer, S.C., native monitors opponent and self-scout analytics, compiles breakdowns into various scouting reports and observes historical and modern offense for evolving offensive strategies. Martin is a 2016 graduate of Newberry College with a degree in physical education. He was a three-year starter at right tackle and a two-year captain for the Division II Wolves. Martin was a two-time All-South Atlantic Conference performer, earned a spot on the All-Eastern College Athletic Conference squad and was tabbed to Don Hansen's All-Super Region II team.



DEMARCO MCNEIL

Analyst - Defense Third Year at South Carolina

Demarco McNeil is in his third season as an analyst for the the South Carolina football program.

McNeil spent the previous three seasons at Alabama State, working with the defensive tackles. McNeil molded the Hornets' defensive line into one of the top defensive fronts in the SWAC.

ASU's defensive front finished the 2014 season with 72 tackles behind the line of scrimmage, accounting for 193 yards lost. They also combined for 28 sacks (-190 yards), 10 pass break ups, 26 quarterback hurries, nine forced fumbles and six fumble recoveries.

He entered the coaching ranks as a graduate assistant at Auburn (2007-08). He spent two seasons as the defensive line coach at Birmingham Southern (2009-10) before serving as a coaching intern at the University of Tennessee in 2011.

McNeil was an All-SEC defensive tackle at Auburn, where he was a four-year starter and was named to Auburn's All-Decade team. McNeil was named Alabama's Mr. Football coming out Mattie T. Blount High in Prichard, Ala.

McNeil and his wife, Lanicia, have two daughters, Madison and Allison.



SETH Strickland

Analyst - Offense Sixth Year at South Carolina

Former University of South Carolina quarterback Seth Strickland begins his sixth season working with the Gamecock football program. He was named an offensive analyst on Will Muschamp's staff in February 2016.

In his current role, Strickland monitors opponent and self-scout analytics, compiles breakdowns into various scouting reports and observes historical and modern offense for evolving offensive strategies.

Strickland first joined the Gamecock staff in 2013 as a graduate assistant in the video department. After two years in that role, he served for one season as an offensive graduate assistant.

Strickland earned a bachelor's degree in political science from South Carolina in 2012. He was a three-year football letterman, was a three-time member of the SEC Academic Honor Roll, and a six-time member of the Athletic Director's Honor Roll. A member of the National Football Foundation Hampshire Society, Strickland was the MVP of the inaugural SC College All-Star Bowl game.





RYAN **Belleros**e

Assistant Director -Strength & Conditioning Third Year at South Carolina

Ryan Bellerose became a full-time assistant strength and conditioning coach at South Carolina in the summer of 2018.

Bellerose originally came to Columbia in 2016 as a strength and conditioning intern. He also served as a part-time assistant with the athletic training staff and as a football nutrition intern before becoming a strength and conditioning graduate assistant in January 2018.

A native of Hudson, N.H., Bellerose graduated from Plymouth State University in 2016 with a bachelor's

degree in physical education. He was a three-year starter on the offensive line, a two-time captain and an Academic All-American for the Panthers. He was also a recipient of the John C. Foley Senior Leadership Awards for his performance in the classroom, in the community and on the field. While an undergrad, he logged stints on the strength and conditioning staffs at his alma mater and at Ball State University.

He is a certified CSCS by the National Strength and Conditioning Coaches Association (NSCA).



MARK **CAMPBELL**

Assistant Director -Strength & Conditioning First Year at South Carolina

Mark Campbell joined the Gamecock strength & conditioning staff in the summer of 2018.

Campbell came to Carolina after serving in a similar role at the University of Florida since January 2002.

Campbell began his career under the tutelage of a pair of Master Strength & Conditioning Coaches: Rob Glass, who was his strength coach as a football player at Florida; and Mick Marotti.

Campbell received his degree in Parks and Recreation from UF in 1995 following a successful career on the gridiron for the Gators. A three-year starter, Campbell served as a team captain during his senior season and went on to play three seasons in the NFL for the Denver Broncos, Arizona Cardinals and Indianapolis Colts.

He is a member of the Collegiate Strength and Conditioning Coaches Association (CSCCA) and is a certified master strength and conditioning coach.

Originally from Jamaica, Campbell and his wife, Kim, have two children, Camryn Nicole and Caiden Nicolas.



JOHN **GRIFFIN**

Assistant Director -Strength & Conditioning Second Year at South Carolina

John Griffin joined the Game-cocks' strength and conditioning staff in 2017.

Prior to his arrival in Columbia, Griffin most recently served as associate director of athletic performance and operations at Baylor University, a position he held since 2015.

Griffin starred at running back for Northeastern University for three seasons including being a 2009 first team All-Colonial Athletic Association selection and leading the CAA in rushing. He completed his collegiate career at UMass in 2010.

Griffin spent parts of three seasons from 2011-13 in the NFL with the Cincinnati Bengals and New York Jets.

A native of Austin, Texas, Griffin earned a bachelor's degree from Northeastern in 2013.

He is certified by the Collegiate Strength and Conditioning Coaches Association (CSCCA).



COREY MILLER

Assistant Director Strength & Conditioning
Second Year at South Carolina

Corey Miller, a former Byrnes (S.C.) High School standout, begins his second season with the Gamecocks as an assistant strength and conditioning coach.

Miller played defensive end at Byrnes High under current Gamecock assistant coach Bobby Bentley. He played his college football at the University of Tennessee from 2010-13, logging 82 career tackles, including 16 tackles for loss and 9.5 sacks. After a stint playing professional football for Lazio Marines American Football Team in Rome, Italy, Miller returned to Knoxville where he has served as a personal trainer at D1 Sports Training since 2015.

He is certified by the National Strength and Conditioning Coaches Association (NSCA).



CHAS DODD

Graduate Assistant Strength & Conditioning Third Year at South Carolina



CLINT HAGGARD

Head Football Athletic Trainer Tenth Year at South Carolina

Clint Haggard is in his tenth season at the University of South Carolina. He was named head football athletic trainer on July 22, 2009.

Prior to his arrival in Columbia, Haggard served as the Assistant Athletics Director for medical services/ head athletic trainer at Rice University, a position he held from 2006-

Haggard began his professional career as a graduate assistant athletic trainer at Alabama for two years, before working as an assistant football athletic trainer for the Crimson Tide for two years. While at Alabama, he developed and implemented the Alabama Sports Medicine Workshop that provided learning opportunities for high school athletic trainers across the Southeast.

In the fall of 2001, Haggard served as coordinator of medical services for the Georgia State Flag Football Championships, providing medical coverage for more than 700 athletes. He also served internships for the Indianapolis Colts and the Cincinnati Reds.

Haggard received his bachelor's degree in exercise and sport science for the University of Georgia in 2002 and his master's degree in health sciences from Alabama in

In addition to his duties with Carolina Football, Haggard serves as an adjunct instructor in the Athletic Training Education Program and serves on the program committee for the South Carolina Athletic Trainers Association. He has been a speaker at numerous conferences around the country, has published many articles and has successfully procured several athletic training-related grants. He also serves as the coordinator of the SEC officials physicals and is President of the SEC Sports Medicine Committee.

Haggard is certified by the National Athletic Trainers Association and is certified as an emergency medical technician-basic. He holds memberships with numerous national, state and district athletic training associations.

Haggard and his wife, Erin, have a daughter, Reagan, and a son, Brewer.

DARYL **FAULKNER**

Assistant Athletic Trainer Fifth Year at South Carolina

Daryl Faulkner is in his fifth full season with the Gamecocks, serving as an assistant athletic trainer.

Faulkner played defensive back for the Kentucky Wildcats from 2006-09 while earning his bachelor's degree in kinesiology.

In the summer of 2011, Daryl interned with the athletic training staff at Western Kentucky University, assisting with the football program. He also completed an internship with the Tennessee Titans.

After receiving his master's degree in athletic training from Tennessee-Chattanooga in 2012, Faulkner joined the Gamecocks' athletic training staff as an intern. During his first stint in Columbia, he provided coverage at Gray Military Academy along with several high schools and colleges in the metropolitan area.

In 2013, Faulkner accepted his first full-time position as an assistant athletic trainer at Houston Baptist University in Texas, with primary responsibilities for the men's basketball program. He also worked with the soccer, golf, women's basketball and football programs while at



RACHEL SHARPE

Assistant Athletic Trainer Eighth Year at South Carolina

Rachel Sharpe enters her eighth season as an assistant athletic trainer at the University of South Carolina. She works primarily with the football team and provides secondary coverage to the cheerleading squad.

Prior to being hired full time, Sharpe served as a graduate assistant athletic trainer from 2009-11 while working towards her master's in physical education with a concentration in athletic training. As a graduate assistant, she assisted with coverage of the USC football team (2009-10) and served as the head athletic trainer at WJ Keenan High School in Columbia (2010-11). During the summer of 2010, she completed a preseason internship with the Tennessee Titans of the

In November 2013, Sharpe was asked to be a part of the NCAA Mental Health Task Force - a group created to discuss the numerous mental health issues currently facing student athletes. Since this meeting, she has presented to numerous groups on the role of athletic trainers in caring for student athletes' mental wellness and written a chapter for the newly published NCAA mental health resource - "Mind, Body and Sport - Understanding and Supporting Student-Athlete Mental Wellness." She continues to work with a group within the athletic department seeking to ensure the mental wellness of Gamecock student athletes.

Originally from Jefferson City, Tenn., Sharpe received her bachelor's degree in athletic training from Samford University in 2008. She is a certified member of the National Athletic Trainers Association and South Carolina Athletic Trainers Association.

Team Doctors



Jeff Guy Orthopaedic Surgery
Chris Mazou
Team Physician





Chris Mazoue Tenley Murphy Team Physician



Matt Pollack Team Physician



John Walsh Team Physician



Timothy Malone Evan Cohen Director of Wellness Team Chiropractor



MONTELL
ALLEN
Graduate Assistant -

Graduate Assistant -Football - Defense Second Year at South Carolina



NIESHA LOVE

Academic Advisor First Year at South Carolina



KATIE Christensen

Academic Advisor Third Year at South Carolina



BRENT MCCLENDON

Graduate Assistant -Football - Offense Second Year at South Carolina



KIM FIELDS

Assistant to the Head Coach/ Asst. Director FB Operations 14th Year at South Carolina



PAUL MCGEE

Video Coordinator 16th Year at South Carolina



ZACH FREHSE

Assistant Director -Football Creative Services First Year at South Carolina



MONICA POPE

Academic Advisor Fifth Year at South Carolina



CARINA HARGREAVES

Coordinator -Football Administration Third Year at South Carolina



CAROLINE RIETKOVICH

Coordinator -Offensive Operations Second Year at South Carolina



SHULER **HAYES**

Assistant Director -Football Equipment Third Year at South Carolina



BENJI RUSSELL

Graduate Assistant -Football - Defense Second Year at South Carolina



TAYLOR LAMB

Graduate Assistant -Football - Offense First Year at South Carolina



PATRICK CHINE

Coordinator -Performace Analytics 17th Year at South Carolina

