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2009 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

OVERALL: 0-0-0 BIG EAST: 0-0-0

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	TIME
Tue.	Sept. 1	at Dayton	7 p.m.
FRI.	SEPT. 4	CANISIUS	7 P.M.
SUN.	SEPT. 6	WRIGHT STATE	5 P.M.

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FRI.	SEPT. 11	WESTERN ILLINOIS	7:30 P.M.
SUN.	SEPT. 13	AKRON	3:30 P.M.
FRI.	SEPT. 18	PITTSBURGH*	5 P.M.
SUN.	SEPT. 20	WEST VIRGINIA*	1 P.M.
Fri.	Sept. 25	at Marquette*	8 p.m.
Sun.	Sept. 27	at Notre Dame*	3:30 p.m.
WED.	SEPT. 30	XAVIER	7 P.M.
Sat.	Oct. 3	at USF*	7:30 p.m.
WED.	OCT. 7	DE PAUL*	7 P.M.
SAT.	OCT. 10	VILLANOVA*	7 P.M.
WED.	OCT. 14	MICHIGAN	7 P.M.
Sat.	Oct. 17	at Rutgers*	7 p.m.
SAT.	OCT. 24	ST. JOHN'S*	7 P.M.
Wed.	Oct. 28	at Louisville*	7 p.m.
Sat.	Oct. 31	at Syracuse*	7 p.m.

BIG EAST Tournament

Thur.	Nov. 4	First Round	TBA
Sun.	Nov. 7	Quarterfinals	TBA
Fri.	Nov. 13	Semifinals	TBA
Sun.	Nov. 15	Final	TBA

* Denotes BIG EAST Conference match. Home games in BOLD CAPS. All times Eastern and subject to change.

BEARCATS QUICK FACTS

2008 Record	7-10-2
Head Coach	Hylton Dayes (Wright State, '88)
Record at UC	72-63-21 (9th season)
Overall Record	168-148-41 (19th season)
Associate Head Coach	Dan Ensley
Assistant Coach	Jared Micklos
Volunteer Assistant	Denny McCaughey
'08 Points Leader	Branden Stelmak, 9 points
'08 Goals Leader	Branden Stelmak, 4 goals
'08 Assists Leader	Matt Bahner, 2 assists

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MATCH #1: CINCINNATI (0-0-0) AT DAYTON (0-0-0)

When: Sept. 1, 2009, 7 p.m.
 Where: Baujan Field, Dayton, Ohio
 Series: UC leads, 13-10-1
 Last Meeting: Sept. 4, 2005 - L, 3-2



STORY LINES

- The University of Cincinnati men's soccer team opens its 2009 season against regional rival Dayton on Tuesday, Sept. 1, at UD's Baujan Field. The Bearcats are coming off a 7-10-2 season in 2008 and return 10 starters from last year's squad.
- Head coach **Hylton Dayes** is in his ninth season at Cincinnati and 19th season as a head coach overall. Dayes is 168-148-41 overall and 72-63-21 at UC. His 72 wins at Cincinnati rank in a second-place tie with Jim McDowell for coaching wins in program history.
- UC wrapped up its 2009 exhibition slate with a 1-1-0 mark. The Bearcats dropped the opening match at Ohio State before rebounding with a 5-1 win against Cincinnati State in Gettler Stadium. Alex Fernandes scored twice for UC in the drubbing of the Surge and five Bearcats scored in the preseason.
- The Bearcats return 10 starters from last year's squad, including leading scorer **Branden Stelmak** (*Broadview Heights, Ohio/Brecksville-Broadview Heights*) and goalkeeper **Matt Williams** (*Portland, Maine/Cheverus*), who posted nine shutouts a season ago.
- The Bearcats have experience in goal as Williams - the 2008 starter - and **Miguel Rosales** (*Aurora, Colo./Smoky Hill*), who started all but one match in 2007, return this season. Williams holds a career 1.17 goals against average, while Rosales' sparkling 0.81 GAA in the 2007 season shows the Bearcats have strength in numbers between the pipes.
- Cincinnati needs to replace a third-team all-BIG EAST defender Brad Simpson, a four-year starter at central defense. Senior captain **Luke Henke** (*Wauwatosa, Wis./Milwaukee Lutheran*), who missed a portion of 2008 with an injury, will be key in solidifying a young and talented defensive unit.
- UC is looking for its fifth consecutive trip to the BIG EAST Tournament. The Bearcats have qualified for the conference tourney in each of the first four years of affiliation with the powerful soccer league. UC won the school's first BIG EAST regular season title in 2006.

LAST TIME OUT

- Fernandes scored a pair of goals to lead UC to a 5-1 win over Cincinnati State in its final exhibition contest on Aug. 25 in Gettler Stadium. UC wrapped up the exhibition slate with a 1-1-0 mark.
- **Mark Konitsch** (*Clarence, N.Y./Clarence Senior*), **Chris Mitchell** (*Pickering, Ontario/SUNY Plattsburgh*), and **Nick Weightman** (*Lanark, Scotland/Webber International*) also tallied for the Bearcats.
- The Bearcats allowed an own goal, but the defense held Cincinnati State to just three shots, outshooting the Surge, 21-3.

UP NEXT

- The Bearcats will take on Canisius in the 2009 home opener at 7 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 4. Sunday, Sept. 6, UC will welcome regional foe Wright State to Gettler Stadium for a 5 p.m. tilt.

HEAD COACH - HYLTON DAYES



Hylton Dayes has compiled a diverse background of experience as both a successful coach and an accomplished player.

Dayes is in his ninth season as head coach at Cincinnati but his 24th in the college coaching ranks. He led the Bearcats to their third-ever appearance in the NCAA championships after winning the program's first BIG EAST title in 2006. As an assistant coach, Dayes helped develop teams that made three appearances in the NCAA championships. As a player, he earned all-

America honors in all four seasons of competition as Wright State University.

In four seasons in the BIG EAST, one of the nation's top soccer conferences, the Bearcats have won a division title, earned eight postseason all-conference awards, and made an NCAA appearance. Dayes has authored seven wins against nationally-ranked opponents over the last four seasons, including a victory against No. 1 Connecticut in 2005.

Dayes led UC to just its second NCAA Tournament appearance in school history and a regular season C-USA title in 2003, garnering C-USA Coach of the Year honors. He produced a winning conference record in each of his first four years at UC.

A 1988 graduate of Wright State, Dayes compiled a 32-37-8 record in four years as head coach of his alma mater's men's team, highlighted by an 11-7-3 slate and the program's first ever appearance in the Midwestern Collegiate Conference Tournament final in 1998.

Dayes began his coaching career at Wright State, serving as the men's assistant in 1986 and the head women's coach from 1987-1994. During his tenure, the Raiders amassed a 64-48-11 slate.

In 1994, Dayes left Wright State to become the men's assistant at James Madison, helping direct the Dukes to a 51-13-6 record and three straight NCAA Tournament appearances, including trips to the Elite Eight in both 1994 and 1995. Dayes returned to Wright State in 1997 to head up the men's program.

Prior to joining the coaching ranks, Dayes enjoyed a distinguished playing career at Wright State from 1982-1985. A four-time all-Mideast, all-Ohio and team MVP selection, Dayes is the only athlete in school history to be named all-American all four years of his career. He also is one of three student-athletes to have his jersey retired at the school.

Dayes played on the professional level for the Dayton Dynamo of the National Professional Soccer League for two seasons and the Orlando Lions of the American Professional Soccer League for one year.

A native of Kingston, Jamaica, Dayes graduated with a degree in electrical systems engineering. He is a former chair of the NSCAA board and chairman of the Black Soccer Coaches Committee, as well as a Region II Olympic Development Program coach. He is accredited with the NSCAA Advanced National Coaching diploma, the USSF National A license, as well as being a member of the NSCAA National Academy Coaching Staff.

UC HEAD COACHING RECORDS

Coach	Record	Years
Bob Muro	114-111-13 (.506)	1984-95
Hylton Dayes	72-63-21 (.529)	2001-pr.
Jim McDowell	72-70-10 (.507)	1975-83
Jeff Cook	43-42-13 (.505)	1996-2000
Dick Kleinschmidt	16-15-3 (.515)	1973-74

2009 Cincinnati Bearcats Numerical Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht./Wt.	Cl./Elig.	Hometown/High School/Last School
0	Miguel Rosales	GK	6-1/160	Jr./So.	Aurora, Colo./Smoky Hill
1	Peter Steve	GK	6-3/170	So./Fr.	Dallas, Pa./Dallas Senior
3	Peter Jannelli	F	5-10/145	Fr./Fr.	Springfield, Pa./Springfield
4	Ryan Lavigne	MF	5-10/185	Fr./Fr.	Cincinnati, Ohio/Sycamore
5	Christian Myton	F/MF	5-7/165	Fr./Fr.	Vandalia, Ohio/Chaminade Julienne
6	Will Davis	D/MF	6-2/160	So./So.	Sydney, Australia/Reddam House
7	Nick Weightman	F	5-10/160	Jr./Jr.	Lanark, Scotland/St. Aidans
8	Alex Fernandes	MF	6-0/165	So./So.	Orlando, Fla./Dr. Phillips
9	Kit North	D	6-2/175	So./Fr.	Columbus, Ohio/Bishop Watterson
10	Mark Konitsch	MF	5-7/145	Jr./Jr.	Clarence, N.Y./Clarence Senior
11	Darren Weber	F/MF	5-10/150	So./Fr.	Highland Park, Ill./Highland Park
12	Branden Stelmak	F	5-11/175	Jr./Jr.	Broadview Heights, Ohio/Brecksville-Broadview Heights
13	Sam Klosterman	D	6-0/165	So./So.	Belleville, Ill./Belleville West
14	Chris Mitchell	MF	5-9/150	Jr./Jr.	Pickering, Ontario/Notre Dame Catholic/SUNY Plattsburgh
15	Judson McKinney	D/MF	6-1/165	Sr./Sr.	Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio/Cuyahoga Valley Christian Acad.
16	Austin Cook	D	5-11/155	So./Fr.	Akron, Ohio/St. Vincent-St. Mary
17	Matthew Bahner	F	6-0/170	So./So.	West Chester, Ohio/Lakota West
18	Zach Patterson	D	6-0/165	Fr./Fr.	Mason, Ohio/Mason
19	Francesco Furio	F/D	6-1/190	So./So.	Barrington, Ill./Barrington
20	Dan Cooperider	MF	5-11/160	Fr./Fr.	Sylvania, Ohio/Sylvania Northview
21	Jabari Shaw	MF/F	5-9/145	So./Fr.	Lawrenceville, Ga./Brookwood
22	Tristan Watson	F	6-5/200	Jr./Jr.	Brampton, Ontario/St. Augustine/Lakeland C.C.
23	Luke Henke	D	5-10/160	Sr./Sr.	Wauwatosa, Wis./Milwaukee Lutheran
24	D.J. Albert	MF	6-0/175	So./So.	Park City, Ill./College of Lake County
25	Kashmar Briscoe	D	6-4/175	So./Fr.	May Pen, Jamaica/Glenmuir
30	Matthew Williams	GK	6-4/185	Sr./Jr.	Portland, Maine/Cheverus
31	Joey Barnard	GK	6-2/175	So./Fr.	McKinney, Texas/McKinney

Head Coach: Hylton Dayes

Associate Head Coach: Dan Ensley Assistant Coach: Jared Micklos

Volunteer Assistant Coach: Denny McCaughey Manager: Mark Hamad



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