

appeared in the 2005 postseason in five of the first seven contests. Overall, UC will play 17 games vs. teams which appeared in the NCAA or NIT tourneys last March, eight contests vs. Top 25 squads, 20 against teams which finished in the top 1000 of the computer ratings, 11 of those vs. teams from the top 50.



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Chadd, Devan, Dominic, and Ryan Patzwald give us other perimeter options".

"Chadd can be our best on-ball defender, but a lot of things with him are contingent with his health. He is a senior who will be counted on for providing energy and leadership".

"We feel very good about our incoming players. They are all capable of contributing in a variety of ways. Cedric McGowan, our lone junior college recruit, will bring a level of physical and mental maturity necessary to step in from day one. DeAndre Coleman is a combo forward capable of helping us at multiple positions. Abdul Herrera gives us legitimate size at the basket and Ronald Allen is a real-life Cinderella story. At 6'9 and 225 pounds, he is an added bonus."

"As we approach the upcoming season, we realized we are competing in one the best college basketball conferences in the nation. From top to bottom, the quality of teams in the Big East present a very difficult challenge. Our players will be reminded of this daily as we look forward to the opportunities that lie ahead."

2005-06 Cincinnati Roster

Alphabetical

No.	Name	Pos	Ht.	Wt.	Class	Exp	Hometown (High School/JC)
23	Ronald Allen	F-C	6-9	225	Jr.	Tr	Los Angeles, Calif. (Artesia/L.A. College/tr-Xavier La.)
32	DeAndre Coleman	F	6-6	225	Fr.	HS	Stone Mountain, Ga. (Stephenson)
3	Devan Downey	G	5-10	175	Fr.	HS	Chester, S.C. (Chester)
54	Abdul Herrera	C	6-10	255	Fr.	HS	Miami, Fla. (Miami Senior)
14	Eric Hicks	F	6-6	245	Sr.	3L	Greensboro, N.C. (Dudley)
33	Armein Kirkland	F-G	6-8	205	Sr.	3L	Tyler, Texas (Lee)
30	Cedric McGowan	F	6-6	230	Jr.	JC	Miami, Fla. (Northwestern/Kilgore)
20	Branden Miller	G	6-4	180	Fr.	HS	Cincinnati, Ohio (Indian Hill)
1	Chadd Moore	G	6-2	175	Sr.	3L	Huntsville, Ala. (Oak Hill Acad.)
13	Jihad Muhammad	G	5-11	175	Sr.	1L	Plainfield, N.J. (Plainfield/San Jacinto)
51	Erick Murray	F	6-5	230	Jr.	1L	Westerville, Ohio (North)
53	Ryan Patzwald	G	5-11	190	So.	1L	Cincinnati, Ohio (Anderson)
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KEY: 1L—one letter, 2L—two letters, etc.; JC—junior college; HS—high school; TR—transfer; 1sq—one year on squad.

Pronunciation

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