

GCU**MEN'S BASKETBALL // NOTES**Josh Hauser, Assistant A.D. for Communications // E-mail: josh.hauser@gcu.edu

DATE	DEC 17	TIME	7:00 PM MST	VENUE	DREAMSTYLE ARENA 15,411	CITY	ALBUQUERQUE NEW MEXICO
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**NEW MEXICO
LOBOS**
(10-2)

» Head Coach: **Paul Weir** (3rd at UNM, 43-35, .551)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS
JaQuan Lyle 17.6 ppg	Carlton Bragg Jr. 10.6 rpg	J.J. Caldwell 5.4 apg

VS

**GRAND CANYON
LOPES**
(4-8)

» Head Coach: **Dan Majerle** (7th at GCU, 127-80, .614)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS
Alessandro Lever 14.3 ppg	Carlos Johnson 5.4 rpg	Jovan Blacksher Jr. 3.3 apg

STREAM

LISTEN

STATS

Mountain West Network

1580 The Fanatic
99.3 FM & 95.9 FM
1580thefanatic.com

Michael Potter (play-by-play)
Paul Coro (analysis)

GCUStats.com

SERIES HISTORY

- » vs. **New Mexico** (5th meeting)
GCU record in series: 1-3
At GCU: 1-0 | At New Mexico: 0-3
Last: GCU wins 68-65 on 12/23/14 in Phoenix, Ariz.

Full series history available on page 3.

LAST GAME'S STARTERS

- » **Jovan Blacksher Jr.** | G | Fr. | 5-11 | Oakland, Calif.
11.2 ppg 4.8 rpg 3.3 apg 39% FG 21% 3P 80% FT
- » **Isiah Brown** | G | R-Jr. | 6-2 | Seattle, Wash.
11.6 ppg 4.6 rpg 1.8 apg 46% FG 34% 3P 88% FT
- » **Carlos Johnson** | G | Sr. | 6-4 | Centralia, Ill.
13.0 ppg 5.4 rpg 2.0 apg 40% FG 28% 3P 69% FT
- » **Bryce Okpoh** | F | Fr. | 6-7 | The Colony, Texas
1.1 ppg 2.5 rpg 0.0 apg 31% FG 0% 3P 50% FT
- » **Alessandro Lever** | C | Jr. | 6-10 | Bolzano, Italy
14.3 ppg 4.8 rpg 2.0 apg 50% FG 36% 3P 70% FT

BY THE NUMBERS

		GCU
77.6	POINTS	66.3
70.3	POINTS ALLOWED	71.8
+ 7.3	MARGIN	- 5.5
48.2	FG PCT.	42.9
42.4	FG PCT. DEFENSE	45.6
31.4	3PT PCT.	27.8
73.2	FT PCT.	74.9
37.8	REBOUNDS	31.7
15.8	ASSISTS	11.3
15.6	TURNOVERS	11.7
8.0	STEALS	5.3
2.9	BLOCKS	1.3

THIS GAME

- » GCU is 4-3 in its seven most recent matchups against the Mountain West Conference with wins over San Diego State, Boise State and New Mexico.
- » New Mexico is the third team of a challenging three-game stretch of opponents with two or fewer losses. The combined record of the three opponents is 35-3 (.921).

TRENDS

- » Of the four remaining unbeaten teams, GCU has faced two (Liberty, San Diego State). Opponents GCU has previously played are 79-49 (.617).
- » **Alessandro Lever** scored his 1,000th career point on Dec. 8, joining DeWayne Russell and Joshua Braun as GCU's 1,000-point scorers at the Division I level.
- » **Alessandro Lever** is the only WAC player to average over 13.0 ppg while also shooting over 45% from the field.
- » **Jovan Blacksher Jr.** (7th), **Carlos Johnson** (11th), and **Isiah Brown** (14th) rank in the top 15 in total minutes.
- » GCU ranks 41st in the country in fewest turnovers (11.7) and 50th in free throw percentage (74.9%).

LAST GAME

- » GCU went down 11-0 and never recovered in 24-point loss.

STORYLINES

- » Last year, the Lopes won 20 games for the fourth straight season, one of just 29 D-I teams to accomplish the feat.
- » GCU Arena was the fullest venue in college basketball at 102.43% of capacity, averaging 7,170 fans.
- » The Lopes return their two leading scorers for the first time in four years in Preseason All-WAC picks **Carlos Johnson** (14.3 ppg) and **Alessandro Lever** (12.5 ppg).
- » In one offseason, Majerle has gone from having his tallest roster (6' 6.13") to his shortest (6' 4.46").
- » New assistants Marvin Menzies and Isaac Chew join the staff as assistant coaches, joining Chris Crevellone.

2019-20 SCHEDULE

4-8 0-0 3-4 0-1 1-3

OVERALL	WAC	H	A	N
WED 10/30	CSU SAN BERNARDINO^			W 87-60
TUE 11/5	DAVENPORT			L 82-73
FRI 11/8	ILLINOIS			L 83-71
WED 11/13	SAN DIEGO STATE			L 86-61
SAT 11/16	ARKANSAS-PINE BLUFF			W 67-54
TUE 11/19	MONTANA STATE			W 69-56

PARADISE JAM (ST. THOMAS, US VIRGIN ISLANDS)

FRI 11/22	VALPARAISO			L 78-74
SAT 11/23	FORDHAM			L 70-58
MON 11/25	ILLINOIS STATE			W 68-63

SAT 11/30	PURDUE FORT WAYNE			L 71-60
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TUE 12/3	MOUNT ST. MARY'S			W 75-67 OT
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SUN 12/8	LIBERTY COLANGELO CLASSIC			L 70-61
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THU 12/12	NORTHERN IOWA			L 82-58
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TUE 12/17	NEW MEXICO			7:00 PM
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SAT 12/21	EASTERN ILLINOIS			6:00 PM
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SAT 1/4	CSU BAKERSFIELD*			8:00 PM
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SAT 1/11	CBU CALIFORNIA BAPTIST*			6:00 PM
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THU 1/16	CHICAGO STATE*			6:00 PM
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SAT 1/18	KANSAS CITY*			6:00 PM
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THU 1/23	SEATTLE U*			7:00 PM
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SAT 1/25	UTAH VALLEY*			6:00 PM
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THU 1/30	UT RIO GRANDE VALLEY*			6:00 PM
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SAT 2/1	NEW MEXICO STATE*			7:00 PM
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SAT 2/8	CBU CALIFORNIA BAPTIST*			8:00 PM
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THU 2/13	KANSAS CITY*			7:00 PM
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SAT 2/15	CHICAGO STATE*			6:00 PM
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THU 2/20	SEATTLE U*			8:00 PM
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SAT 2/22	UTAH VALLEY*			2:00 PM
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THU 2/27	NEW MEXICO STATE*			7:00 PM
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SAT 2/29	UT RIO GRANDE VALLEY*			6:00 PM
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SAT 3/7	CSU BAKERSFIELD*			6:00 PM
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WAC TOURNAMENT (ORLEANS ARENA, LAS VEGAS, NEV.)

3/12-14	WAC	TBA
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* denotes WAC game ^ denotes exhibition home away**2****NOTABLE NUMERAL**

Teams GCU has faced that remain unbeaten of just four remaining nationally

THURSDAY, DEC. 12 | HOME



NORTHERN IOWA

82

GRAND CANYON

58



[QUOTED]

HEAD COACH DAN MAJERLE

"You saw what happened. It was ugly. We started on an 11-0 run. We couldn't make a shot, couldn't stop anybody and just snowballed. Overall just a poor performance. That's it.

"They knew this was a big game, and we started off again by missing a lot of jump shots and not stopping anybody. They are a really good team and do a good job, but we're just not, for whatever reason, we're just not getting it done.

"I told our guys, we're going to go through stretches where we can't score, but you've still got to be able to stop the other team from scoring. I thought we had a good couple day of practice. Our guys were ready to go, and we just didn't have it. I don't know what to tell you.

"There is no such thing. I mean teams pack the paint against us because they know we can't shoot. We're going to throw it into Ale, and they're going to double-team. So there's gonna be no easy 2s, because they're gonna pack in the paint, and then we have to be tougher going in there, driving and taking contact."

SUNDAY, DEC. 8 | COLANGELO CLASSIC



LIBERTY

70

GRAND CANYON

61



[QUOTED]

HEAD COACH DAN MAJERLE

"Disappointed. Liberty is a really good team obviously, 11-0, really well coached. They are great defensively and really good offensively.

"I thought we had our chances, we went a stretch there in the second half where we had a lot of good looks and couldn't knock them down. But I thought we fought and, although disappointed, I think that we can continue to work on the things that we have to.

"I thought we got a little bit better today. Disappointed in the loss, but I saw some positive things also. I thought our guys battled and we'll move forward with that and continue to get ready for the conference season."

JUNIOR GUARD ISIAH BROWN

"Like coach said, I think there were things we could take from this game and take it as progress. Disappointed in the loss all-in-all, there are no moral victories per se. But we definitely did some good things on both sides of the ball that I think we can take into the next game and try to continue to improve on."

Official Basketball Box Score - Final
UNI at Grand Canyon
 12/13/19 GCU Arena, Phoenix
 2019-20 Men's Basketball
 Game Time: 2:00 AM
 Game Duration: 1:58
 Attendance: 7,186
 Officials: Randy McCall, Gerry Pottard, Bert Smith

UNI - 82 Record: 10-1

NO.	Name	Min	FG	3P	FT	Rebounds	Fouls	TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks	+/-	Shooting By Period
			M-A	M-A	M-A	OR DR TOT	PF FD					BS BA		1st FG% 3PT% FT%
50	Austin Phye	F 29:16	5-6	0-0	3-4	2 4 6	1 5	13	4	5	0	1 1	31	1st FG% 6-16 37.5% 3PT% 0-0 0.0% FT% 3-4 75.0%
4	AJ Green	G 31:39	7-11	4-7	7-7	1 5 6	3 5	25	1	2	2	0 0	21	2nd FG% 10-20 50.0% 3PT% 5-11 45.5% FT% 14-14 100%
11	Trae Berhow	G 36:05	6-11	2-6	4-4	1 4 5	2 2	18	3	2	1	0 0	25	3PT% 5-11 45.5% FT% 14-14 100%
24	Isiah Brown	G 34:44	2-5	1-4	0-0	1 10 11	3 0	5	1	3	0	0 0	21	GM FG% 26-49 53.1% 3PT% 11-27 40.7% FT% 19-20 95.0%
30	Spencer Haldean	G 31:28	3-9	3-8	3-3	0 6 6	2 1	12	2	0	0	0 0	21	Dead Ball Rebounds: 1, 0
3	Tywhon Pickford	17:28	1-3	1-1	0-0	0 1 1	0 0	3	1	1	0	0 1	9	
15	Justin Dahl	09:36	2-3	0-0	2-2	1 1 2	1 1	6	0	1	0	0 1	7	
22	Antwan Kimmons	04:28	0-1	0-1	0-0	0 0 0	0 0	0	0	1	1	0 0	0	
35	Noah Carter	03:00	0-0	0-0	0-0	0 0 0	0 0	0	0	0	0	0 0	0	
12	Lincoln Conrey	01:08	0-0	0-0	0-0	0 0 0	0 0	0	0	0	0	0 0	0	
34	Luke McDonnell	01:08	0-0	0-0	0-0	0 1 1	1 0	0	0	0	0	0 0	0	
Team						2 3 5		0	0	0	0			
Totals			26-49	11-27	19-20	8 35 43	13 14	82	13	15	3	1 3	24	

Technical Fouls: NONE

Grand Canyon - 58 Record: 4-8

NO.	Name	Min	FG	3P	FT	Rebounds	Fouls	TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks	+/-	Shooting By Period
			M-A	M-A	M-A	OR DR TOT	PF FD					BS BA		1st FG% 3PT% FT%
24	Bryce Okpoh	F 17:11	0-0	0-0	1-2	2 1 3	1 2	1	0	0	0	1 0	-16	1st FG% 10-32 31.3% 3PT% 2-13 15.4% FT% 4-4 100%
25	Alessandro Lever	C 32:52	4-10	1-5	0-0	0 4 4	2 2	9	2	2	0	1 0	-20	2nd FG% 13-30 43.3% 3PT% 2-11 18.2% FT% 4-7 57.1%
1	Isiah Brown	G 34:00	4-13	0-5	2-2	0 2 2	3 1	10	3	2	1	1 1	-13	GM FG% 23-62 37.1% 3PT% 4-24 16.7% FT% 8-11 72.7%
10	Jovan Blacksher Jr.	G 30:18	5-15	0-6	2-3	1 6 7	1 3	12	1	0	4	0 0	-13	Dead Ball Rebounds: 1, 0
23	Carlos Johnson	G 31:08	2-8	1-4	0-0	0 0 0	3 2	5	1	0	3	0 0	-19	
13	Lorenzo Jenkins	26:54	6-10	2-4	1-1	1 2 3	2 1	15	2	0	0	0 0	-9	
00	J.J. Rhymes	18:28	1-5	0-0	1-1	0 0 0	2 1	3	0	1	0	0 0	-21	
5	Louis Bangai	03:03	1-1	0-0	1-2	1 0 1	0 1	3	0	0	0	0 0	-3	
15	Raef Gerdes	03:03	0-0	0-0	0-0	0 0 0	0 0	0	0	0	0	0 0	-3	
31	Ethan Spry	03:03	0-0	0-0	0-0	0 0 0	0 0	0	0	0	0	0 0	-3	
Team						1 0 1		0	0	0	0			
Totals			23-62	4-24	8-11	6 15 21	14 13	58	9	5	8	3 1	-24	

Technical Fouls: NONE

	UNI	GCU	Points from Turnovers	UNI	GCU	Period by Period Scoring	
						1st 2nd TOT	
Biggest lead	26 (2 nd 0:25)	0 (1 st 20:00)	9	10			
Best Scoring Run	11 (1 st 16:36)	6 (1 st 13:16)	30	26	UNI	43 39 82	
Lead Changes	0		Second Chance	14	8	GCU	26 32 58
Times Tied	0		Fast Breaks	5	4		
Time with Lead	39:20	00:00	Bench	9	21		

Official Basketball Box Score - Final
Liberty at Grand Canyon
 12/08/19 Talking Stick Resort Arena, Phoenix, Ariz.
 2019-20 Men's Basketball
 Game Time: 11:30 PM
 Game Duration: 1:53
 Attendance: 5,406
 Officials: Eric Curry, Deldre Carr, Greg Nixon

Liberty - 70 Record: 11-0

NO.	Name	Min	FG	3P	FT	Rebounds	Fouls	TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks	+/-	Shooting By Period
			M-A	M-A	M-A	OR DR TOT	PF FD					BS BA		1st FG% 3PT% FT%
31	Scottie James	F 18:15	1-3	0-0	0-2	1 2 3	2 3	2	1	3	0	0 1	-1	1st FG% 11-26 42.3% 3PT% 5-12 41.7% FT% 5-9 55.6%
1	Caleb Homesley	G 26:32	5-14	0-2	7-11	1 4 5	2 6	17	0	2	1	1 0	6	2nd FG% 11-22 50.0% 3PT% 3-7 42.9% FT% 13-19 68.4%
2	Darius McGhee	G 33:53	3-5	2-3	2-2	0 5 5	2 4	10	2	1	0	0 0	5	GM FG% 22-48 45.8% 3PT% 8-19 42.1% FT% 18-28 64.3%
10	Elijah Cuffee	G 30:21	4-6	3-5	0-0	0 3 3	3 0	11	4	0	0	0 0	-3	Dead Ball Rebounds: 5, 0
11	Georgie Pacheco-Ortiz	G 34:21	2-7	2-5	2-2	1 4 5	3 2	8	4	0	1	0 1	8	
0	Myo Baxter-Bell	20:47	4-6	0-0	7-11	3 2 5	2 6	15	0	1	1	0 1	11	
22	Kyle Rode	23:23	1-5	1-4	0-0	0 3 3	1 0	3	2	1	0	0 0	-7	
33	Shiloh Robinson	11:49	2-2	0-0	0-0	0 1 1	0 0	4	0	1	0	0 0	-7	
15	Colton Reed	00:35	0-0	0-0	0-0	0 0 0	0 0	0	0	0	0	0 0	-1	
55	Brendan Newton	00:04	0-0	0-0	0-0	0 0 0	0 0	0	0	0	0	0 0	0	
Team						1 1 2		0	0	0	0			
Totals			22-48	8-19	18-28	7 25 32	15 21	70	13	9	3	1 3	9	

Technical Fouls: NONE

Grand Canyon - 61 Record: 4-7

NO.	Name	Min	FG	3P	FT	Rebounds	Fouls	TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks	+/-	Shooting By Period
			M-A	M-A	M-A	OR DR TOT	PF FD					BS BA		1st FG% 3PT% FT%
24	Bryce Okpoh	F 19:28	0-1	0-0	1-2	2 2 4	4 1	1	0	0	0	0 0	-8	1st FG% 10-24 41.7% 3PT% 0-8 0.0% FT% 8-11 72.7%
25	Alessandro Lever	C 21:58	5-10	3-5	1-2	2 3 5	5 3	14	1	2	0	0 0	7	2nd FG% 13-29 44.8% 3PT% 5-13 38.5% FT% 2-3 66.7%
1	Isiah Brown	G 34:24	6-13	0-4	4-4	1 7 8	4 3	16	1	2	0	0 0	-10	GM FG% 23-53 43.4% 3PT% 5-21 23.8% FT% 10-14 71.4%
10	Jovan Blacksher Jr.	G 38:01	3-8	0-3	0-0	1 4 5	3 1	6	4	4	0	0 1	-8	Dead Ball Rebounds: 1, 0
23	Carlos Johnson	G 37:44	5-9	1-5	0-1	0 4 4	5 4	11	2	3	0	2 0	-3	
13	Lorenzo Jenkins	27:42	4-8	1-4	4-5	1 3 4	0 3	13	0	0	0	0 0	-11	
0	J.J. Rhymes	20:43	0-4	0-0	0-0	0 1 1	0 0	0	0	1	0	0 0	-12	
Team						1 0 1		0	0	0	0			
Totals			23-53	5-21	10-14	8 24 32	21 15	61	8	11	2	3 1	-9	

Technical Fouls: NONE

	LIB	GCU	Points from Turnovers	LIB	GCU	Period by Period Scoring	
						1st 2nd TOT	
Biggest lead	14 (2 nd 4:07)	4 (1 st 19:02)	16	8			
Best Scoring Run	15 (2 nd 4:07)	6 (1 st 13:05)	26	30	LIB	32 38 70	
Lead Changes	7		Second Chance	10	8	GCU	28 33 61
Times Tied	10		Fast Breaks	1	4		
Time with Lead	24:49	09:48	Bench	22	13		



SCOUTING THE LOBOS

2018-19 NOTES

Record	14-18 (7-11)
Conf. finish	t-7th
Postseason	MW Tournament (1-1)

SCHOOL NOTES

Location	Albuquerque, N.M.
Conference	Mountain West
Enrollment	22,792

2019-20 NOTES

Record	10-2
Home	7-0
Away	2-1
Neutral	1-1

COACH NOTES

Head coach	Paul Weir
Season	3rd
Record at school	43-35 (.551)
Career record	71-41 (.634)

AT-A-GLANCE

- » New Mexico is off to it's best start since the 2012-13 season (12-0).
- » The Lobos are in the midst of a four-game homestand and are 7-0 at home for the first time since the 2016-17 season.
- » Head coach Paul Weir is in his third season with the Lobos after guiding New Mexico State to a 28-win season and an NCAA tournament berth in his lone season at the helm in Las Cruces in 2016-17.
- » New Mexico ranks 35th in field goal percentage, shooting at a 48.2% clip.
- » The Lobos also get to the free throw line often, ranking second in the country in total free throw attempts (302) and attempts made (221).
- » Carlton Bragg ranks fifth in the NCAA in total rebounds with 127.

LAST TIME OUT

- » New Mexico completed the season sweep of New Mexico State, defeating the Aggies 69-62 at home in front of 14,000 fans.
- » It is the first time that the Lobos have swept New Mexico State since 2015-16.
- » Carlton Bragg led the Lobos with his fifth double-double of the season, scoring 17 points while grabbing 17 rebounds with four steals.
- » New Mexico outscored the Aggies 38-29 in the second half after being down by two at halftime.

CONNECTIONS

- » Lobos sophomore Vante Hendrix was on the Utah roster when the Lopes faced the Utes in the Wooden Legacy last year, although Hendrix did not see action.
- » Weir spent nine seasons on GCU associate head coach Marvin Menzies' staff at New Mexico State. Brandon Mason served on Menzies' staff at NMSU and UNLV.
- » Weir was 1-1 against GCU in his time as head coach at New Mexico State in 2016-16 with the teams trading 12-point home victories.

2019-20 CONFERENCE STANDINGS

SCHOOL	CONFERENCE		OVERALL	
San Diego State	2-0	1.000	10-0	1.000
New Mexico	2-0	1.000	10-2	.833
Utah State	2-0	1.000	10-2	.833
Nevada	1-0	1.000	7-4	.636
UNLV	1-0	1.000	4-7	.364
Boise State	1-1	.500	6-4	.600
Air Force	1-1	.500	5-6	.455
Colorado State	0-2	.000	7-6	.538
Fresno State	0-2	.000	3-7	.300
San Jose State	0-2	.000	3-8	.273
Wyoming	0-2	.000	3-8	.273

SERIES HISTORY



GCU RECORD	STREAK	H	A	N
1-3	GCU, W1	1-0	0-3	--

FIRST MATCHUP	LATEST MATCHUP
L 78-68 Dec. 11, 1979 Albuquerque, N.M.	W 68-65 Dec. 23, 2014 Phoenix, Ariz

MEASURED

» Longest GCU win streak	W1 (12/23/14)
» Largest GCU win	3 points, 12/23/14
» Largest UNM win	25 points, 1/4/83
» Dan Majerle vs. UNM	1-1
» Paul Weir vs. GCU	--

SERIES NOTES

- » This will be the third meeting between the Lopes and Lobos as Division I opponents. GCU first played New Mexico as a Division II team in 1979.

LAST TIME THEY MET

- » In just the second season of Division I play for the Lopes, GCU picked up a signature win against New Mexico at home.
- » The Lopes never trailed after a Daniel Alexander free throw put GCU up 45-44 with 9:45 remaining.
- » Joshua Braun led the way for GCU, scoring 18 points with four rebounds, four steals and three blocks. Daniel Alexander scored 17 points off the bench.
- » Up by three with four seconds left, a steal by Braun sealed the win for GCU.

ALL-TIME MEETINGS

12/11/79	Away	L	78-68	Albuquerque, N.M.
1/4/83	Away	L	76-51	Albuquerque, N.M.
12/23/13	Away	L	80-68	Albuquerque, N.M.
12/23/14	Home	W	68-65	Phoenix, Ariz.



SUMMED UP

WAC placing	t-1st
Current streak	L-2
Longest winning streak	2 games, 11/16 - 11/19
Longest losing streak	3 games, 11/5-13
Last 5	2-3
Last 10	4-6
In weekend games	2-3
In weekday games	2-5

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UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

School	Grand Canyon University
Location	Phoenix, Ariz.
Founded	1949
Enrollment	22,000
President	Brian Mueller
VP of Athletics (Interim)	Jamie Boggs
Affiliation	NCAA Division I
Nickname	Lopes
Mascot	Thunder
Colors	Purple, Black & White
Conference	Western Athletic Conference (WAC)
Athletics website	www.GCULopes.com

PROGRAM HISTORY

First year	1949-50
All-Time record	1,143-731 (.611)
Division I	127-80 (.620)
WAC	59-29 (.670)
Conference titles (Div. I / Div. II)	0 / 2
National championships (NAIA)	3

NUMERICAL ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS	HT	WT	YR	HOMETOWN	HIGH SCHOOL / PREV.
1	Isiah Brown	G	6-2	180	R-Jr.	Seattle, Wash.	Lakeside / Northwestern
3	Mikey Dixon	G	6-2	165	R-Jr.	New Castle, Del.	Sanford / St. John's
4	Oscar Frayer	F	6-7	195	Sr.	Oakland, Calif.	Moreau Catholic FRAY-er
5	Louis Bangai	C	6-10	230	R-Jr.	Yaounde, Cameroon	Scotland Perf. Inst. / UNLV LOU-ee
10	Jovan Blacksher Jr.	G	5-11	155	Fr.	Oakland, Calif.	Shadow Mountain BLACK-sheer
11	Jaylen Fisher	G	6-2	195	Jr.	Memphis, Tenn.	Bolton / TCU
13	Lorenzo Jenkins	F	6-7	215	Sr.	Naples, Fla.	First Baptist Acad. / Colo. State
15	Raef Gerdes	F	6-7	180	So.	Lee's Summit, Mo.	Summit Christian GERR-diss
23	Carlos Johnson	G	6-4	220	Sr.	Centralia, Ill.	Findlay Prep / Washington
24	Bryce Okpoh	F	6-7	190	Fr.	The Colony, Texas	The Colony OAK-poh
25	Alessandro Lever	C	6-10	225	Jr.	Bolzano, Italy	Grissin Bon Reggio LAY-ver
30	Gabe McGlothan	F	6-8	220	So.	Gilbert, Ariz.	Basha
31	Ethan Spry	F	6-6	200	Fr.	Scottsdale, Ariz.	Scottsdale Christian Academy

Head Coach

Dan Majerle | *Central Michigan (1988) | 123-72 | 7th season*

Associate Head Coach

Marvin Menzies | *UCLA (1987) | 1st season*

Assistant Coach

Isaac Chew | *Avila (1999) | 1st season*

Assistant Coach

Chris Crevelone | *Adams State (2007) | 7th season*

Director of Operations

Dylan Hidalgo | *Kansas Wesleyan (2016) | 2nd season*

Special Assistant to the Head Coach

Johnny Hill | *UT Arlington (2015) | 3rd season*

Video Coordinator

Matt Lopez | *Grand Canyon (2018) | 2nd season*

Graduate Assistant

Carlton Brown | *Colorado (2012) | 1st season*

Graduate Assistant

Matt Nash | *Arizona (2014) | 1st season*

Athletic Trainer

Geordie Hackett

Strength & Conditioning Coach

Gabe Bourland

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G • 6-4 • 205 • R-Jr.
Phoenix, Ariz. / Hutchinson CC



1

ISIAH BROWN

G • 6-2 • 175 • R-Jr.
Seattle, Wash. / Northwestern



3

MIKEY DIXON

G • 6-2 • 170 • R-Jr.
New Castle, Del. / St. John's



4

OSCAR FRAYER

F • 6-7 • 190 • Sr.
Oakland, Calif.



5

LOUIS BANGAI

C • 6-10 • 230 • R-Jr.
Yaonde, Cameroon / UNLV



10

JOVAN BLACKSHER JR.

G • 5-10 • 165 • Fr.
Oakland, Calif.



11

JAYLEN FISHER

G • 6-2 • 200 • Jr.
Memphis, Tenn. / TCU



13

LORENZO JENKINS

G/F • 6-7 • 210 • Sr.
Naples, Fla. / Colorado State



15

RAEF GERDES

F • 6-7 • 185 • So.
Lee's Summit, Mo.



23

CARLOS JOHNSON

G • 6-3 • 215 • Sr.
Centralia, Ill. / Washington



24

BRYCE OKPOH

F • 6-7 • 190 • Fr.
The Colony, Texas



25

ALESSANDRO LEVER

C • 6-10 • 230 • Jr.
Bolzano, Italy



30

GABE MCGLOTHLAN

F • 6-7 • 225 • So.
Gilbert, Ariz. / SE Mo. State



31

ETHAN SPRY

F • 6-8 • 215 • Fr.
Scottsdale, Ariz.



DAN MAJERLE

Head Coach
7th season



MARVIN MENZIES

Associate Head Coach
1st season



ISAAC CHEW

Assistant Coach
1st season



CHRIS CREVELONE

Assistant Coach
7th season



DYLAN HIDALGO

Director of Operations
2nd season



JOHNNY HILL

Special Assistant to the HC
3rd season



MATT LOPEZ

Video Coordinator
2nd season



CARLTON BROWN

Graduate Assistant
1st season



GEORDIE HACKETT

Athletic Trainer
Director of Sports Medicine



GABE BOURLAND

Strength Coach
Director of Sports Performance



» LEVER JOINS 1K CLUB

With a 14-point performance against Liberty on Dec. 8 at Talking Stick Resort Arena, **Alessandro Lever** became the third GCU player to reach 1,000 career points at the Division I level.

With a year and a half remaining in his GCU career, Lever is on pace for approximately 1,700 career points and could close in on Joshua Braun's D-I record for career points.



Lever

GCU 1,000-POINT CLUB (D-I)

PLAYER	YEARS	POINTS
Joshua Braun	2014-18	1,716
DeWayne Russell	2014-17	1,249
Alessandro Lever	2017-Pres	1,011

20-point performances have become commonplace for Lever.

In a Nov. 30 outing, Lever hit the 20-point mark on an efficient 7-for-10 shooting clip. His efficiency combined with scoring output has put him in rarified air this season. He's the only WAC player to score 13.0+ ppg while shooting at least 45%.

LEVER BY THE NUMBERS

YEAR	20-PT. GAMES	PPG	FG%
2017-18 (Fr.)	9	12.2	45.3
2018-19 (So.)	4	12.5	44.7
2019-20 (Jr.)	3	14.3	49.6
TOTALS	16	12.6	45.6

» CRASHING THE BOARDS

With a shorter roster this season, GCU has been tasked with gang rebounding rather than relying on one or two bigs to constantly crash the glass.

After struggling to begin the season, GCU has matched or outrebounded five of its last six opponents and has four players averaging at least 4 boards: Carlos Johnson (5.9), Alessandro Lever (4.9), Isiah Brown (4.8), and Jovan Blacksher Jr. (4.6).

REBOUNDING (LAST SIX GAMES)

GAME	GCU REB.	OPP. REB.	MARGIN	RESULT
Nov. 22 vs. Valparaiso	34	31	+3	L by 3
Nov. 23 vs. Fordham	30	33	-3	L by 12
Nov. 25 vs. Illinois State	39	33	+6	W by 5
Nov. 30 vs. Purdue Fort Wayne	30	28	+2	L by 11
Dec. 3 vs. Mount St. Mary's	38	35	+3	W by 8
Dec. 8 vs. Liberty	32	32	E	L by 9

» LOGGING THE MINUTES

As the Lopes await second-semester eligibility for additional student-athletes, its currently limited rotation is logging heavy minutes. GCU is the only school in the nation to have three players rank in the nation's top 10 in total minutes played.

LOPES MINUTES LOAD

PLAYER	TOTAL MINUTES	RANK NATIONALLY
Jovan Blacksher Jr.	428:05	7th
Carlos Johnson	420:25	11th
Isiah Brown	416:05	14th

» GOOD TO BE BACK HOME

GCU's wild home court advantage has been well documented. In the first home game following a road or neutral-site game, GCU is 34-7 since making the transition to D-I.

2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	D1 Era
4-3	6-0	6-0	6-0	5-2	6-1	1-2	34-8



FUTURE LOPES

LIAM LLOYD - G - Spokane, Wash.

- » Two-time state champion and all-league player
- » Averaged 16 points per game as a junior
- » Father is 19-year Gonzaga assistant Tommy Lloyd

Lloyd: "I always liked how it's an upcoming program and an upcoming school. I really liked how the following was. When I went to Midnight Madness, the atmosphere was super-cool and super-unique. I like Coach Majerle a lot and the kind of vibes he gave off. With what they want to do as a team to succeed, I thought I'd fit in pretty well."



CHANCE McMILLIAN - G - Vallejo, Calif.

- » Currently playing at a post-grad school and averaging 13.2 points.
- » Athletic playmaker.

McMillian: "I chose GCU because the coaching staff showed a lot of love to me. They really welcomed me into their program as if I was already in it and that's what stood out to me. On top of that, when I went to the Midnight Madness, I fell in love. It blew my mind off my shoulders."



RASHAD SMITH - G - Chandler, Ariz.

- » A sophomore at Pima CC, averaged 13 points last year.
- » Averaged 14.0 points, 4.4 rebounds, 3.6 assists and 2.5 steals as a Hamilton senior.

Smith: "It's home. I know a lot of people on the team. We grew up together. Coach Majerle and the whole coaching staff seemed like another family. The business school and the education throughout the school is really good."



QUINCY URBINA - F - Los Angeles, Calif.

- » Redshirted 2017-18 season at San Jose State.
- » Playing at City College of San Francisco, averaged 10.7 points and 4.6 rebounds for a 31-2 team last season.

Urbina: "I chose GCU because of the atmosphere, the coaching staff and the amazing support from every single person at the university, from the academic counselor to the athletic trainers to the strength and conditioning coach. Everyone is locked in, no matter what, all the time. I wanted a school with that to get me to the next level. Having Coach Majerle, the assistant coaches, Jerry Colangelo and everyone on the staff is going to help me achieve my goals. And I loved the campus."





» BLACKSHER PLUGS IN PERFECTLY

Freshman guard **Jovan Blacksher Jr.** has slid into an immediate starting role for GCU, and he has done so aptly.



Blacksher

Blacksher was the first Lopes freshman to start his career with double-figure scoring in his first two games. He added a double-double to his early ledger with 14 points and 10 rebounds at San Diego State. Against Montana State, he had 10 assists and one turnover, the only freshmen in the nation to accomplish that feat against a D-I school.

"He's going to be the face of this program for a long time," Majerle said. "He is going to have some growing pains as a freshman, especially at the point guard position."

More experienced teammates have picked up on Blacksher's poise.

"He's a stud," junior guard Isiah Brown said. "The kid is going to continue to get better. He's just going to continue to learn. He's going to make shots. He's going to be a pest on defense. He's going to create opportunities for our offense."

» RETURNING SCORERS

For the first time in four years, Grand Canyon returns its top two scorers for the 2019-20 season. **Carlos Johnson** led the Lopes with 14.5 points per game while **Alessandro Lever** averaged 12.5 points. Not by surprise, both Johnson and Lever earned spots on the Coaches Preseason All-WAC first team.



Johnson



Lever

The last time GCU returned its top two leading scorers, Joshua Braun and DeWayne Russell returned for the 2015-16 season to lead the Lopes to their winningest D-I campaign at 27-7.

LEADING SCORERS IN D-I ERA

YEAR	TOP SCORER	RETURN?	2ND SCORER	RETURN?
2013-14	Killian Larson (17.2)	No	Demetrius Walker (16.9)	No
2014-15	DeWayne Russell (14.2)	Yes	Joshua Braun (11.8)	Yes
2015-16	Joshua Braun (16.5)	Yes	Grandy Glaze (14.0)	No
2016-17	DeWayne Russell (21.2)	No	Joshua Braun (17.5)	Yes
2017-18	Alessandro Lever (12.2)	Yes	Joshua Braun (11.4)	No
2018-19	Carlos Johnson (14.3)	Yes	Alessandro Lever (12.5)	Yes

» BIGGEST TO SMALLEST

With the departure of six players that measured in at 6-foot-6 or taller, the Lopes will see a distinct shift from the WAC's tallest team in 2018-19 to a quicker, guard-heavy team in 2019-20.

In one offseason, GCU goes from having its tallest team in the Division I / Dan Majerle era to the shortest.

"We've never been better at the guard position, so we're really excited about it," Majerle said. "We've got a lot of depth. We've got a lot of new guys when we put them into the mix. I'm really happy with our team. We're going to work hard and see where we go."

AVERAGE ROSTER HEIGHT UNDER MAJERLE

YEAR	AVERAGE HEIGHT	RANK
2013-14	6' 4.80"	4
2014-15	6' 5.06"	3
2015-16	6' 4.65"	6
2016-17	6' 4.71"	5
2017-18	6' 5.67"	2
2018-19	6' 6.13"	1
2019-20	6' 4.46"	7

» HOME SWEET HOME

Grand Canyon's busiest month of the season is behind it with nine games in the books in November. The Lopes have a lighter December that features just five games.

MONTH BREAKDOWN

MONTH	GAMES	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
November	9	5	1	3
December	5	3	1	1
January	7	3	4	0
February	8	4	4	0
March	1	1	0	0
TOTALS	30	16	10	4

» HOMETOWN KIDS

The 2019-20 Lopes have the deepest Arizona ties for a GCU roster in recent seasons. Four players either call Arizona home or attended high school in the state.

The Arizona connection can be traced even deeper to Phoenix's Shadow Mountain High School, where GCU's **Jovan Blacksher Jr.** and **Carlos Johnson** attended.



Blacksher



Johnson

Gabe McGlothan returns to the Grand Canyon State, where he attended Basha High School, after attending Putnam Science Academy (Conn.) and Southeast Missouri State. **Ethan Spry** comes to GCU from Scottsdale.



McGlothan



Spry

GCU PLAYERS WITH ARIZONA TIES

PLAYER	CITY	CONNECTION
Jovan Blacksher Jr.	Phoenix, Ariz.	High school
Carlos Johnson	Phoenix, Ariz.	High school
Gabe McGlothan	Gilbert, Ariz.	Hometown / high school
Ethan Spry	Scottsdale, Ariz.	Hometown / high school

» 'LOS SHOOTING SURGE

It took time for **Carlos Johnson** to find his shooting touch in his debut season at GCU. After suffering through an early-season shooting slump, Johnson found his groove at the midway point of the season to become GCU's leading scorer at 14.3 points per game.



Johnson

Johnson's second-half shooting surge propelled him to major honors including All-WAC, All-District and All-WAC Tournament team.

JOHNSON'S SHOOTING SPLITS

PERIOD	3-PT SHOOTING	FIELD GOAL SHOOTING
First 18 games	7-for-38 (18.7%)	69-for-158 (43.7%)
Last 16 games	25-for-60 (41.7%)	97-for-181 (53.6%)

"Carlos really came on at the end," Majerle said. "This is his senior year. He's going to be a guy that we have to go to and look to score for us and be a leader. I think he's excited for the year."



» TO THE BRIM

GCU Arena has gained a reputation as one of the toughest places to play in college basketball. The frenzy hit an all-time high in 2018-19 when it was the fullest venue in the nation.



2018-19 HIGHEST PERCENT CAPACITY

VENUE	SCHOOL	AVERAGE	CAPACITY	PCT. CAPACITY
GCU Arena	Grand Canyon	7,170	7,000	102.43
Pinnacle Bank Arena	Nebraska	15,341	15,000	102.28
Siegel Center	VCU	7,637	7,500	101.83
Breslin Center	Michigan State	14,797	14,797	100.00
Cameron Indoor	Duke	9,314	9,314	100.00
McCarthy Center	Gonzaga	6,000	6,000	100.00

Average attendance for GCU men's basketball games has steadily increased since the jump to Division I, going from 4,373 fans per game in 2013-14 to its highest mark yet of 7,170 in 2018-19.

» LIGHTER LEVER LOOKS LIMBER

Primed for his junior season, **Alessandro Lever** is handling the intensity of GCU's practices with more ease. The center changed his eating habits after last season and dropped at least 20 pounds before practices began in September.



Lever

"I definitely feel a difference," Lever said. "I feel like I can run faster, jump higher, move quicker. I feel way better."

GCU director of sports performance Gabe Bourland said Lever did not need to lose weight, but he prompted Lever to see what improved nutrition could do for him.

"Alé has been unbelievable," GCU head coach Dan Majerle said. "He's had a great offseason, so I'm expecting him to have a really good year."

Lever made his change by learning how to cook and avoid fast-food temptations.

"I quit eating the stuff my body didn't need," Lever said. "I'm trying to keep to more lean food. I cut out burgers, McDonald's, Chick-fil-A and those places that don't help me as a basketball player. It was a lot of diet and a little bit of a workout."

» ELITE COMPANY FOR 20-WIN SEASONS

GCU has won 20 or more games in four consecutive seasons, putting itself in elite company across the national landscape.

SCHOOLS WITH 20+ WINS IN FOUR STRAIGHT SEASONS

Belmont	Cincinnati	Creighton
Duke	East Tennessee State	Florida
Florida State	Fresno State	Gonzaga
Grand Canyon	Houston	Kansas
Kentucky	Louisville	Michigan
Michigan State	Nevada	New Mexico State
North Carolina	Oregon	Purdue
Saint Mary's	Seton Hall	Vermont
Villanova	Virginia	Virginia Tech
Wichita State	Wright State	

» NEW FACES ADD EXPERIENCE

Dan Majerle added significant D-I experience to his bench in the offseason.

Marvin Menzies was named associate head coach and brings with him 12 seasons of head coaching experience at the D-I level. Menzies was most recently the head coach at UNLV for three seasons following a nine-year stint as the head coach at New Mexico State.



Menzies



Chew

Isaac Chew was hired as an assistant coach and has 12 years of D-I assistant coach experience including stops at Texas A&M, Virginia Tech, Marquette, Missouri and Murray State.

Menzies and Chew join Chris Crevelone (seventh season) as assistant coaches.

For more information on the GCU staff, visit page 20.

» GCU AND THE MOUNTAIN WEST

Another pair of Mountain West foes are on GCU's schedule once again in 2019-20, continuing a seven-year trend of the Lopes facing schools from the conference.



This year's contests both come on the road but also come in the form of home-and-home series with return trips scheduled for next year.

GCU travels to San Diego State on Nov. 13 and visits New Mexico on Dec. 17.

LOPES VS. THE MOUNTAIN WEST

YEAR	OPPONENTS	RECORD
2013-14	at New Mexico (L)	0-1
2014-15	vs. New Mexico (W)	1-0
2015-16	at San Diego State (W)	1-0
2016-17	vs. San Diego State (W)	1-0
2017-18	at Boise State (L)	0-1
2018-19	vs. Nevada (L), vs. Boise State (W)	1-1
2019-20	at San Diego State (L), at New Mexico	0-1
		4-4

» GOAL: SCORE 70

GCU's defensive success has been well documented in the Dan Majerle era. Because of the Lopes' solid play on the defensive side of the ball, their record when scoring 70 or more points is impressive. The 70-point mark represents a major milestone when it comes to determining a GCU win vs. loss.

SCORING OVER/UNDER 70 POINTS (D-I ERA)

CATEGORY	RECORD
0-69 points scored	25-54 (.316)
70+ points scored	102-25 (.803)



» DEEPER 3's NOT 'BIG DEAL AT ALL'

The NCAA Playing Rules Oversight Panel voted in June to move the 3-point arc to the international competition distance of 22 feet, 1 3/4 inches, which is 1 feet and 4 3/4 inches farther than where the line has been since 2008. The new distance was used as an experiment during the past two NITs.



"I think guys will shoot when they shoot anyway," Majerle said. "It might spread the floor a little bit more but I don't think it's a big deal at all."

"For most 3-point shooters, we'll shoot the 3 wherever the line is," **Isiah Brown** said. "I don't think it'll affect how many 3s are shot. It'll probably make it a little easier for guys to transition from college to the pros, and the spacing will be a little bit better, too, and make it a little more like the pro game."

Alessandro Lever, who was second on the team behind **Oscar Frayer** in attempted 3s last season, will be the least affected by the change. Growing up in Italy, Lever played with an international line for most of his life, continues to play with it for his national team in offseason competition and takes long 3s at GCU anyway.

"It's going to be more normal for me than shooting closer to the basket," Lever said. "I have been playing my whole life with the international FIBA, one so I'm more used to it. I'm more comfortable with the longer one."

» TOURNEY TIME

For five straight seasons, the Lopes have participated in a nonconference tournament or showcase game. In 2019-20, they'll do both once again.

GCU headed to St. Thomas in the U.S. Virgin Islands for the **Paradise Jam** on Nov. 22-25. The Lopes fell to Valparaiso and Fordham before salvaging the tournament with a win against Illinois State in the finale.



And for the third time in as many years, the Lopes will make the short trip downtown to play at Talking Stick Resort Arena, home to the Phoenix Suns. The Lopes will be matched up with Liberty in the final game of a **Colangelo Classic** tripleheader.



HISTORY IN NONCONFERENCE TOURNAMENTS / FEATURE GAMES

YEAR	EVENT	OPPONENT(S)
2015-16	Global Sports Classic (Campus / Las Vegas)	Southern (W), Omaha (L), vs. Houston (W), vs. Marshall (W)
2016-17	Hall of Fame Tip-Off (Campus / Uncasville, Conn.)	at Duke (L), at Penn State (L), vs. Albany (W), vs. Marist (W)
2017-18	Valley of the Sun Shootout (TSR Arena, Phoenix)	vs. St. John's (L)
2018-19	Wooden Legacy (Fullerton, Calif.)	vs. Seton Hall (L), vs. Utah (L), vs. La Salle (W)
2018-19	Colangelo Classic (TSR Arena, Phoenix)	vs. Nevada (L)
2019-20	Paradise Jam (St. Thomas, U.S. V.I.)	vs. Valparaiso (L), vs. Fordham (L), vs. Illinois State (W)
2019-20	Colangelo Classic (TSR Arena, Phoenix)	vs. Liberty (L)



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PROGRAM RECORD WATCH

OFFENSE

» POINTS (D-I)

Rank	Player	Years	Mark
1	Joshua Braun	2014-18	1,716
2	DeWayne Russell	2014-17	1,249
3	Alessandro Lever	2017-present	1,011
4	Keonta Vernon	2015-18	836
5	Oscar Frayer	2016-present	812

» BLOCKS (D-I)

Rank	Player	Years	Mark
1	Joshua Braun	2014-18	74
2	Oscar Frayer	2016-present	73
3	Keonta Vernon	2015-18	71
4	Daniel Alexander	2013-15	58
5	Gerard Martin	2015-19	36

» GAMES PLAYED (D-I)

Rank	Player	Years	Mark
1	Joshua Braun	2014-18	122
2	Gerard Martin	2015-19	119
3	Matt Jackson	2014-19	116
4	Keonta Vernon	2015-18	99
5	Oscar Frayer	2016-present	97

» STEALS (D-I)

Rank	Player	Years	Mark
1	DeWayne Russell	2014-17	119
2	Gerard Martin	2015-19	113
3	Oscar Frayer	2016-present	104
4	Joshua Braun	2014-18	91
5	Keonta Vernon	2015-18	80

» GAMES STARTED (D-I)

Rank	Player	Years	Mark
1	Joshua Braun	2014-18	115
2	DeWayne Russell	2014-17	84
3	Oscar Frayer	2016-present	83
4	Keonta Vernon	2015-18	73
5	Alessandro Lever	2017-present	72

NATIONAL MARKS

OFFENSE

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DEFENSE

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OFFENSE

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DEFENSE

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LOPES
IN THE
PROS
HIGHLIGHTS

**DeWAYNE
RUSSELL**
Crailsheim
Germany
Years pro: 3



**CASEY
BENSON**
Korihait Basket Sharks
Finland
Years pro: 2



**JOSHUA
BRAUN**
Eisbaeren Bremerhaven
Germany
Years pro: 1



**TREY
DRECHSEL**
KK Mladost Admiral
Serbia
Years pro: 1



**MICHAEL
FINKE**
Legia Warsaw
Poland
Years pro: 1



**GRANDY
GLAZE**
Sudbury Five
France
Years pro: 3



**DANIEL
ALEXANDER**
BC Lulea
Sweden
Years pro: 3



**KEONTA
VERNON**
Toulouse
France
Years pro: 2


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Consecutive seasons reaching the WAC Tournament Final

3

1,000-point scorers at the D-I level with Lever joining the list

29

One of just 29 schools to win 20+ games in four straight seasons

STARTING LINEUPS

TRACKER

Date	Opponent	1	2	3	4	5
Nov. 5	Davenport	Blacksher Jr.	Brown	Johnson	Jenkins	Lever
Nov. 8	Illinois	Blacksher Jr.	Brown	Johnson	Jenkins	Lever
Nov. 13	at San Diego State	Blacksher Jr.	Brown	Johnson	Jenkins	Lever
Nov. 16	Arkansas-Pine Bluff	Blacksher Jr.	Brown	Johnson	Jenkins	Lever
Nov. 19	Montana State	Blacksher Jr.	Brown	Johnson	Jenkins	Lever
Nov. 22	vs. Valparaiso (PJ1)	Blacksher Jr.	Brown	Johnson	Jenkins	Lever
Nov. 24	vs. Fordham (PJ2)	Blacksher Jr.	Brown	Johnson	Jenkins	Lever
Nov. 25	vs. Illinois State (PJ3)	Blacksher Jr.	Brown	Rhymes	Okpoh	Lever
Nov. 30	Purdue Fort Wayne	Blacksher Jr.	Brown	Rhymes	Johnson	Lever
Dec. 3	Mount St. Mary's	Blacksher Jr.	Brown	Johnson	Okpoh	Lever
Dec. 8	vs. Liberty	Blacksher Jr.	Brown	Johnson	Okpoh	Lever
Dec. 12	Northern Iowa	Blacksher Jr.	Brown	Johnson	Okpoh	Lever
Dec. 17	at New Mexico	--	--	--	--	--
Dec. 21	Eastern Illinois	--	--	--	--	--
Jan. 4	at CSU Bakersfield	--	--	--	--	--
Jan. 11	California Baptist	--	--	--	--	--
Jan. 16	at Chicago State	--	--	--	--	--
Jan. 18	at Kansas City	--	--	--	--	--
Jan. 23	Seattle U	--	--	--	--	--
Jan. 25	Utah Valley	--	--	--	--	--
Jan. 30	at UT Rio Grande Valley	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 1	at New Mexico State	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 8	at California Baptist	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 13	Kansas City	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 15	Chicago State	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 20	at Seattle U	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 22	at Utah Valley	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 27	New Mexico State	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 29	UT Rio Grande Valley	--	--	--	--	--
March 7	CSU Bakersfield	--	--	--	--	--

COMBINATIONS

4 combinations used

Rank	Combination	Times used	GCU record	Last used
1	Blacksher Jr. / Brown / Johnson / Jenkins / Lever	7	2-5	11/23 vs. Fordham
2	Blacksher Jr. / Brown / Johnson / Okpoh / Lever	3	1-2	12/12 vs. Northern Iowa
3	Blacksher Jr. / Brown / Rhymes / Okpoh / Lever	1	1-0	11/25 vs. Illinois State
	Blacksher Jr. / Brown / Johnson / Rhymes / Lever	1	0-1	11/30 vs. Purdue Ft. Wayne

STARTING STREAKS & TOTALS

Player	Streak	2019-20	Career	GCU career	WAC
J.J. Rhymes	--	2	74	2	--
Isiah Brown	12	12	14	12	--
Mikey Dixon	--	--	21	--	--
Oscar Frayer	--	--	83	83	35
Louis Bangai	--	--	--	--	--
Jovan Blacksher Jr.	12	12	12	12	--
Jaylen Fisher	--	--	56	--	--
Lorenzo Jenkins	--	7	16	7	--
Raef Gerdes	--	--	--	--	--
Carlos Johnson	4	11	31	27	6
Bryce Okpoh	3	4	4	4	--
Alessandro Lever	18	12	72	72	29
Ethan Spry	--	--	--	--	--

NOTE IT: GCU's D-I record for career starts is 115 games, held by Joshua Braun.

LOPES RANKED

TEAM STATS IN THE TOP 50

Category	Stat	GCU rank
Free throw percentage	74.9	50th
Turnovers per game	11.7	41st

PLAYER STATS IN THE TOP 100

Category	Player	Stat	Rank
Minutes per game	Jovan Blacksher Jr.	35:40	39th
	Carlos Johnson	35:02	59th
	Isiah Brown	34:40	72nd
Field goal attempts	Carlos Johnson	146	70th
Field goals made	Alessandro Lever	67	73rd
Total minutes	Jovan Blacksher Jr.	428	7th
	Carlos Johnson	420	11th
	Isiah Brown	416	14th
Total steals	Alessandro Lever	382	67th
	Jovan Blacksher Jr.	22	43rd

QUICKEST TO...

Points	GCU	Opponent
First	19:46, 1st half	19:56, 1st half
	12/8 vs. Liberty	11/22 vs. Valparaiso
10	16:01, 1st half	16:36, 1st half
	11/13 at San Diego State	12/12 vs. Northern Iowa
20	12:31, 1st half	13:01, 1st half
	11/22 vs. Valparaiso	11/8 vs. Illinois
30	5:43, 1st half	7:55, 1st half
	11/8 vs Illinois	11/13 at San Diego State
40	0:02, 1st half	2:17, 1st half
	11/22 vs Valparaiso	12/12 vs. Northern Iowa
50	14:50, 2nd half	17:55, 2nd half
	11/22 vs Valparaiso	11/8 vs Illinois
60	10:48, 2nd half	12:35, 2nd half
	11/22 vs Valparaiso	11/8 vs. Illinois
70	1:35, 2nd half	7:09, 2nd half
	11/22 vs Valparaiso	12/12 vs. Northern Iowa
80	--	3:38, 2nd half
	--	11/13 at San Diego State



NONCON TRACKER

Opponent	Date/Result	Record	NET
CSU San Bernardino	W 87-60	--	n/a
Davenport	L 82-73	7-4	n/a
Illinois	L 83-71	8-3	32
San Diego State	L 86-61	10-0	3
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W 67-54	1-8	342
Montana State	W 69-56	6-3	220
Valparaiso	L 78-74	6-4	136
Fordham	L 70-58	5-5	258
Illinois State	W 68-63	4-6	151
Purdue Fort Wayne	L 71-60	7-7	261
Mount St. Mary's	W 75-67 (OT)	3-7	278
Liberty	L 70-61	12-0	19
Northern Iowa	L 82-58	10-1	28
New Mexico	Dec. 17	10-2	57
Eastern Illinois	Dec. 21	6-4	202

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What they're saying about GCU

"It's a program that is very special. This is a special place. Grand Canyon can be very proud of what they're building. The home court atmosphere is everything that it's been rumored to be. [It was] my first time here, it was impressive."

- **Brad Underwood, Illinois head coach**

"I wouldn't be surprised if, at the end of the year, if you looked up and Grand Canyon is competing to put themselves in the NCAA tournament. He (Majerle) is a good coach and they've got good talent. When they get all their pieces set, they're going to be really hard to play against."

- **Brian Dutcher, San Diego State head coach**

"This will be the deepest backcourt coach Dan Majerle has had since he began leading the Antelopes during their NCAA Division I transition six years ago."

- **Richard Obert, Arizona Republic**

"This kind of smile was on my face the entire time. It is electric. I've been to a game at Duke, you've been to a game at Duke. Edge: here."

- **Nick King, Arizona's Family**

"Majerle has done a terrific job at the helm of the new Division I program, escalating expectations quickly, and he continues to bring in high-level talent to mount challenges against NMSU. This year is no different."

- **Jim Root, Three Man Weave**

NET TRACKER

LOPES BY WEEK

Date	NET
Dec. 16	249
Dec. 23	--
Dec. 30	--
Jan. 6	--
Jan. 13	--
Jan. 20	--
Jan. 27	--
Feb. 3	--
Feb. 10	--
Feb. 17	--
Feb. 24	--
March 2	--
March 9	--
March 16	--

NOTE IT: GCU's final 2018-19 NET was 104.

OPPONENTS IN TOP 150

Previously played	NET then	NET now
San Diego State	3	3
Liberty	19	19
Northern Iowa	28	28
Illinois	32	32
Valparaiso	136	136

To be played	Date of game	NET
New Mexico	Dec. 17	57

AP TOP 25

Released Dec. 16, 2019

Rank	Team
1.	Kansas
2.	Gonzaga
3.	Louisville
4.	Duke
5.	Ohio State
6.	Kentucky
7.	Maryland
8.	Oregon
9.	Virginia
10.	Baylor
11.	Memphis
12.	Auburn
13.	Dayton
14.	Michigan
15.	Michigan State
16.	Arizona
17.	Butler
18.	Villanova
19.	Florida State
20.	San Diego State
21.	Tennessee
22.	Washington
23.	Penn State
24.	Texas Tech
25.	West Virginia

RV: North Carolina 41, Xavier 40, Wichita State 31, Purdue 30, **Liberty 25**, Marquette 23, Indiana 23, Virginia Commonwealth 21, Utah State 14, Saint Mary's 13, **Northern Iowa 12**, Colorado 12, Texas 10, Florida 7, DePaul 6, Georgetown 3, Richmond 3, Virginia Tech 3, LSU 3, Stanford 3, Seton Hall 3, Oklahoma State 2, Duquesne 1, BYU 1, Arkansas 1

MID-MAJOR TOP 25

Released Dec. 9, 2019

Rank	Team
1.	Gonzaga (29)
2.	Liberty (1)
3.	Northern Iowa
4.	Saint Mary's (1)
5.	ETSU
6.	Bowling Green
7.	Belmont
8.	Kent State
9.	Stephen F. Austin
10.	Furman
11.	Yale
12.	UNCG
13.	Vermont
14.	Delaware
15.	Toledo
16.	BYU
17.	Wright State
18.	Harvard
19.	Buffalo
20.	Evansville
21.	UCSB
22.	Drake
23.	San Francisco
24.	Northern Kentucky
25.	Colgate

RV: Penn 71, Sacramento State 64, Santa Clara 52, Akron 31, **New Mexico State 29**, North Dakota State 28, Eastern Michigan 26, Rider 22, Arkansas State 18, Central Michigan 18, Murray State 18, Bradley 15, Hofstra 14, South Dakota 11, Pacific 10, Hawaii 9, Western Carolina 9, Georgia State 6, Loyola Chicago 6, Stony Brook 6, Georgia Southern 5, UC Irvine 4, Charleston 3, Ohio 3, Eastern Washington 3, Ball State 2



LOPES BY MONTH

Month	Record	PPG	Opp. PPG	Margin	FG%	Opp. FG%	3P%	Opp. 3P%	RPG	APG
November	3-6	66.8	71.4	-4.6	43.0	46.1	29.8	37.1	32.1	11.9
December	1-2	64.7	73.0	-8.3	42.6	44.3	22.2	37.2	30.3	8.7
January	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
February	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
March	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

SPECIALTY STATS

Date	Opponent	PAINT		OFF TURNOVER		2ND CHANCE		FAST BREAK		BENCH	
		GCU	Opp.	GCU	Opp.	GCU	Opp.	GCU	Opp.	GCU	Opp.
Nov. 5	Davenport	36	26	17	13	9	7	11	5	6	37
Nov. 8	Illinois	32	44	20	8	6	15	4	16	10	13
Nov. 13	at San Diego State	16	38	4	16	7	10	8	8	8	32
Nov. 16	Arkansas-Pine Bluff	34	36	14	15	4	13	7	10	7	13
Nov. 19	Montana State	26	30	21	4	10	5	7	6	6	14
Nov. 22	vs. Valparaiso (PJ1)	34	22	9	14	9	11	4	12	2	13
Nov. 24	vs. Fordham (PJ2)	30	32	11	16	4	10	5	2	4	18
Nov. 25	vs. Illinois State (PJ3)	24	30	6	21	12	7	0	9	4	20
Nov. 30	Purdue Fort Wayne	22	40	5	17	7	6	3	8	2	15
Dec. 3	Mound St. Mary's	32	24	9	10	5	7	8	7	13	24
Dec. 8	vs. Liberty	30	26	8	16	8	10	4	1	13	22
Dec. 12	Northern Iowa	26	30	10	9	8	14	4	5	21	9
Dec. 17	at New Mexico	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Dec. 21	Eastern Illinois	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Jan. 4	at CSU Bakersfield	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Jan. 11	California Baptist	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Jan. 16	at Chicago State	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Jan. 18	at Kansas City	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Jan. 23	Seattle U	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Jan. 25	Utah Valley	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Jan. 30	at UT Rio Grande Valley	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 1	at New Mexico State	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 8	at California Baptist	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 13	Kansas City	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 15	Chicago State	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 20	at Seattle U	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 22	at Utah Valley	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 27	New Mexico State	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 29	UT Rio Grande Valley	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
March 7	CSU Bakersfield	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
When GCU leads category...		1-3		1-3		2-2		1-3		1-0	

LAST THREE GAMES

	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG	MPG	FG	FG%	3PT	3P%	FT	FT%	
25	Lever, Alessandro	13.0	5.0	2.0	0.0	32.0	16-32	50.0%	6-14	42.9%	1-2	50.0%
23	Johnson, Carlos	11.3	4.3	2.0	1.7	37.0	13-32	40.6%	3-14	21.4%	5-8	62.5%
1	Brown, Isiah	13.3	5.7	2.0	1.3	36.3	15-35	42.9%	2-14	14.3%	8-8	100.0%
10	Blacksher Jr., Jovan	8.3	5.0	1.7	2.3	33.3	9-30	30.0%	0-11	0.0%	7-9	77.8%
13	Jenkins, Lorenzo	11.3	3.0	1.0	0.3	25.3	12-23	52.2%	3-10	30.0%	7-9	77.8%
0	Rhymes, J.J.	3.3	1.3	0.0	0.0	20.0	3-12	25.0%	0-0		4-5	80.0%
24	Okpoh, Bryce	3.0	4.7	0.0	0.0	21.3	3-4	75.0%	0-0		3-6	50.0%
5	Bangai, Louis	3.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	1-1	100.0%	0-0		1-2	50.0%
3	Dixon, Mikey	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0-0		0-0		0-0	
4	Frayar, Oscar	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0-0		0-0		0-0	
11	Fisher, Jaylen	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0-0		0-0		0-0	
15	Gerdes, Raef	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	0-0		0-0		0-0	
31	Spry, Ethan	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	0-0		0-0		0-0	
TOTALS	68.0	31.8	12.4	5.8	205	121-274	44.2%	28-98	28.6%	70-93	75.3%	

RECORD BY GAME TIME

Time	When GCU leads	When opponent leads	When tied
10:00, 1st half	3-1	1-7	--
Halftime	2-0	2-7	0-1
10:00	4-2	0-6	--
5:00	3-0	1-8	--
2:00	3-0	0-8	1-0
1:00	3-0	0-8	1-0

HALF SPLITS

GCU	Most points	Fewest points
1st Half	40, 11/22 vs. VALPO	24, 11/13 at SDSU
2nd Half	45, 11/5 vs. DAV	27, 11/23 vs. FORD
Overtime	14, 12/3 vs. MSM	14, 12/3 vs. MSM

OPPONENTS	Most points	Fewest points
1st Half	43, 12/12 vs. UNI	22, 11/16 vs. UAPB
2nd Half	47, 11/5 vs. DAV	26, 11/19 vs. MSU
Overtime	6, 12/3 vs. MSM	6, 12/3 vs. MSM

HALFTIME MARGIN

Biggest lead	7 points, 11/16 vs. UAPB
Biggest deficit	17 points, 12/12 vs. UNI

OPENING TIP

Result	Record
GCU controls	2-2
Opponent controls	2-6

FIRST OFF BENCH

Player	Times
Bryce Okpoh	4
Lorenzo Jenkins	4
J.J. Rhymes	3
Carlos Johnson	1

DOUBLE-DOUBLES

Player	Date/Opp.	Stat line
Carlos Johnson	11/5 vs. DAV	22 pts / 10 reb
Jovan Blacksher Jr.	11/13 at SDSU	14 pts / 10 reb
Alessandro Lever	11/23 vs. FORD	19 pts / 10 reb



AROUND THE WAC

WAC PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Nov. 11	Xavier Johnson, Chicago State
Nov. 18	Myles Carter, Seattle U
Nov. 25	T.J. Washington, Utah Valley
Dec. 2	Milan Acquah, California Baptist
Dec. 9	Milan Acquah, California Baptist
Dec. 16	Trevelin Queen, New Mexico State
Dec. 23	
Dec. 30	
Jan. 6	
Jan. 13	
Jan. 20	
Jan. 27	
Feb. 3	
Feb. 10	
Feb. 17	
Feb. 24	
March 2	
March 9	

PRESEASON COACHES POLL

First Team

Milan Acquah	G	California Baptist
Terrell Brown	G	New Mexico State
Terrell Brown	G	Seattle U
CARLOS JOHNSON	G	Grand Canyon
ALESSANDRO LEVER	C	Grand Canyon

Second Team

Ivan Aurrecoechea	F	New Mexico State
Myles Carter	G	Seattle U
A.J. Harris	G	New Mexico State
Javon Levi	G	UT Rio Grande Valley
Trevelin Queen	G	New Mexico State

PAST CHAMPIONS

Year	Regular Season	Tournament
2018-19	New Mexico State	New Mexico State
2017-18	New Mexico State	New Mexico State
2016-17	CSU Bakersfield	*New Mexico State
2015-16	New Mexico State	*CSU Bakersfield
2014-15	New Mexico State	*New Mexico State
2013-14	Utah Valley	*New Mexico State

* GCU not eligible for tournament participation

CONFERENCE STANDINGS

SCHOOL	CONFERENCE			OVERALL			H	A	N	STRK	SOS
	W-L	PCT	GB	W-L	PCT						
CBU California Baptist	--	--	--	6-4	.600		5-2	1-2	--	W 3	275
SU Seattle U	--	--	--	6-5	.545		6-1	0-4	--	W 4	319
ASU NM State	--	--	--	6-6	.500		3-1	1-5	2-0	L 1	131
KC Kansas City	--	--	--	5-7	.417		3-0	0-6	2-1	L 3	254
UTRGV UTRGV	--	--	--	4-6	.400		4-2	0-4	--	L 1	331
CS Chicago State	--	--	--	4-7	.364		3-1	1-4	0-2	L 1	348
CSU CSU Bakersfield	--	--	--	4-8	.333		4-3	0-5	--	L 3	294
GCU Grand Canyon	--	--	--	4-8	.333		3-5	0-1	1-3	L 2	172
UV Utah Valley	--	--	--	4-8	.333		2-3	2-5	--	L 5	252

CONFERENCE LEADERBOARDS

Scoring Offense

Team	G	W-L	Pts	Avg/G
1. California Baptist	10	6-4	802	80.20
2. Seattle U	11	6-5	809	73.55
3. CSU Bakersfield	12	4-8	878	73.17
4. UTRGV	11	4-7	786	71.45
5. Utah Valley	12	4-8	845	70.42
6. Chicago St.	11	4-7	774	70.36
7. Kansas City	12	5-7	830	69.17
8. New Mexico St.	12	6-6	805	67.08
9. Grand Canyon	12	4-8	795	66.25

Scoring Defense

Team	G	Pts	Avg/G
1. New Mexico St.	12	773	64.42
2. UTRGV	11	744	67.64
3. Kansas City	12	817	68.08
4. Seattle U	11	776	70.55
5. CSU Bakersfield	12	852	71.00
5. Utah Valley	12	852	71.00
7. Grand Canyon	12	862	71.83
8. California Baptist	10	721	72.10
9. Chicago St.	11	904	82.18

Scoring Margin

Team	G	Off	Def	Margin
1. California Baptist	10	80.20	72.10	+8.10
2. UTRGV	11	71.45	67.64	+3.82
3. Seattle U	11	73.55	70.55	+3.00
4. New Mexico St.	12	67.08	64.42	+2.67
5. CSU Bakersfield	12	73.17	71.00	+2.17
6. Kansas City	12	69.17	68.08	+1.08
7. Utah Valley	12	70.42	71.00	-0.58
8. Grand Canyon	12	66.25	71.83	-5.58
9. Chicago St.	11	70.36	82.18	-11.82

Free Throw Percentage

Team	G	FTM	FTA	Pct.
1. California Baptist	10	166	214	.776
2. Seattle U	11	189	248	.762
3. Grand Canyon	12	152	203	.749
4. Utah Valley	12	134	183	.732
5. Chicago St.	11	172	240	.717
6. Kansas City	12	123	176	.699
7. UTRGV	11	138	199	.693
8. CSU Bakersfield	12	161	233	.691
9. New Mexico St.	12	131	198	.662

Field Goal Percentage

Team	G	FGM	FGA	Pct.
1. CSU Bakersfield	12	331	732	.452
2. Kansas City	12	314	702	.447
3. California Baptist	10	267	605	.441
4. Chicago St.	11	265	606	.437
5. Utah Valley	12	311	719	.433
6. Grand Canyon	12	288	671	.429
7. UTRGV	11	290	677	.428
7. New Mexico St.	12	290	677	.428
9. Seattle U	11	277	676	.410

Field Goal Percentage Defense

Team	G	FGM	FGA	Pct.
1. Seattle U	11	77	272	.283
2. California Baptist	10	56	192	.292
3. Kansas City	12	66	209	.316
4. Utah Valley	12	60	187	.321
5. Chicago St.	11	94	267	.352
5. CSU Bakersfield	12	276	629	.439
6. Kansas City	12	277	623	.445
7. UTRGV	11	254	567	.448
8. Grand Canyon	12	309	677	.456
9. Chicago St.	11	312	681	.458

3-Point FG Percentage

Team	G	3FG	FGA	Pct.
1. California Baptist	10	102	271	.376
2. Chicago St.	11	72	202	.356
3. Kansas City	12	79	233	.339
4. UTRGV	11	68	202	.337
5. Utah Valley	12	89	293	.304
6. New Mexico St.	12	94	310	.303
7. CSU Bakersfield	12	55	187	.294
8. Grand Canyon	12	67	241	.278
9. Seattle U	11	66	239	.276

3-Point FG Percentage Defense

Team	G	3FG	FGA	Pct.
1. Seattle U	11	77	272	.283
2. California Baptist	10	56	192	.292
3. Kansas City	12	66	209	.316
4. Utah Valley	12	60	187	.321
5. Chicago St.	11	94	267	.352
6. UTRGV	11	67	189	.354
7. New Mexico St.	12	74	208	.356
8. Grand Canyon	12	104	280	.371
9. CSU Bakersfield	12	102	266	.383



DAN MAJERLE
7TH SEASON

HEAD COACHING LEDGER

Year	Team / School	Record
2013-14	Grand Canyon	15-15
2014-15	Grand Canyon	17-15
2015-16	Grand Canyon	27-7
2016-17	Grand Canyon	22-9
2017-18	Grand Canyon	22-12
2018-19	Grand Canyon	20-14
2019-20	Grand Canyon	4-8
127-80 (.614)		

Dan Majerle, a former NBA All-Star and Olympian, is in his seventh year at the helm of GCU men's basketball in 2019-20 after taking over the program on March 18, 2013, as the program's 13th head coach.

It has been quite an impressive run in the Valley for the former Phoenix Suns star, broadcaster and assistant coach. In six years at GCU, Majerle has amassed 123 wins and five postseason berths on the sideline. His teams have posted the 31st-best winning percentage (.684) in Division I over the past four seasons and is one of 29 programs to win 20 or more games in each of those seasons. In each of the past two seasons, the Lopes came within one win of an NCAA tournament berth in their first two years of full Division I postseason eligibility.

Majerle has made his mark with teams that have finished in the top three of the WAC in each of his six seasons. Majerle also has attracted many high-profile opponents during his tenure, including Kentucky, Duke, Arizona, Nevada, Texas, Seton Hall, West Virginia and a home-and-home series with Louisville.

Behind Majerle's presence and a rising team, GCU Arena has been among the fullest venues in college basketball in recent years. In 2018-19, GCU led all Division I programs for attendance capacity percentage (102.4) and topped the WAC with 7,170 fans per game. The average attendance has increased every season as a Division I program, including a spike of 3,343 fans for Majerle's first season -- a 325 percent bump from the previous season.

Majerle completed his first year at GCU in 2013-14 by being named a finalist for the Joe B. Hall Award, which is given to the most outstanding first-year Division I head coach. He had guided the team to a 15-15 record in its first year of reclassification to Division I. The Lopes, tabbed to finish eighth in the WAC, used a 10-6 conference mark to claim third place. GCU also received a bid to its first Division I postseason tourney, the CollegeInsider.com Postseason Tournament.

Before starting his tenure at GCU, Majerle spent five seasons (2008-13) as an assistant coach and four years as a broadcast analyst (2002-06) with the NBA's Phoenix Suns. "Thunder Dan" is one of the most popular figures in Suns history, having been inducted into the Suns Ring of Honor in 2003 for his eight playing seasons (1988-95, 2001-02) with Phoenix.

Majerle played 14 seasons in the NBA and averaged 11.4 points over 955 career games. He made three All-Star appearances and was named to the 1990-91 and 1992-93 All-Defensive second team. He led the league in 3-pointers made (192) in 1993-94.

Majerle, the 14th overall selection in the 1988 NBA Draft by the Suns, was runner-up by one vote to the Indiana Pacers' Detlef Schrempf

for the NBA Sixth Man Award in 1990-91, when he averaged 13.6 points and 5.4 rebounds. He averaged a career-best 17.3 points during the 1991-92 season, his first All-Star season.

Majerle made his second consecutive trip to the All-Star Game in 1992-93, also a NBA Finals season for Phoenix, and finished tied for the league lead in 3-pointers with 167. He set a Suns record with eight 3-pointers made on Jan. 30, 1993, and did it again in Game 5 of the Western Conference Finals against Seattle.

Following the 1993-94 season, Majerle was named to Dream Team II, the U.S. squad that won gold at the 1994 World Championship in Ontario, Canada. This was Majerle's second time representing his country. Before his NBA rookie season, he was part of the U.S. team that won the bronze medal at the 1988 Olympics in Seoul, South Korea, where he played for coaching great John Thompson. That same year, he was named the Olympic Athlete of the Year.

He was chosen as a starter for his third All-Star Game in 1994-95 after averaging 17.4 points in the first half of the season, becoming the first reserve to be voted as an All-Star starter since fan balloting began in 1975.

Majerle, originally from Traverse City, Mich., played collegiately at Central Michigan, where he averaged more than 20 points in three of his four seasons and was an All-Mid-American Conference selection each year. During his senior season, he averaged 23.7 points and 10.8 rebounds while hitting 52.2 percent from the field. He completed his career at CMU ranked second for career points, steals and field goal percentage.

Since 2003, the Suns have handed out the Dan Majerle Hustle Award to the player who most personifies the hustle and determination displayed by Majerle in his playing career.

MILESTONE VICTORIES

OVERALL CAREER

- 1 11/16/13.....vs. Western New Mexico..... W 91-41
- 50 1/23/16.....at Kansas City..... W 85-78
- 100 2/24/18vs. Utah ValleyW 60-59

OTHER NOTABLES

- 1st road win 1/9/14.....at CSU Bakersfield W 66-63
- 1st Division I win..... 11/22/13...vs. Savannah State.....W 72-71
- 1st postseason win..... 3/14/16....vs. South Carolina St... W 78-74
- 1st WAC win..... 1/2/14vs. Texas Pan American .. W 91-85

ASSISTANT COACHES AND SUPPORT STAFF



MARVIN MENZIES

Associate Head Coach, 1st season

- » 12 seasons as D-I head coach
- » 198-111 (.641) in 9 seasons at NM State
- » 48-48 (.500) in 3 seasons at UNLV
- » 5 NCAA tournament appearances
- » Assistant at Louisville, USC, San Diego State



ISAAC CHEW

Assistant Coach, 1st season

- » 12 seasons as D-I assistant coach
- » Experience at Murray State, Missouri, Marquette, Virginia Tech and Texas A&M
- » Multiple nationally-ranked recruiting classes
- » Four consecutive conference titles (2010-13)



CHRIS CREVELONE

Assistant Coach, 7th season

- » Has been by Majerle's side for all seven of GCU's D-I seasons
- » Spent four seasons on staff at Texas, where he worked with six NBA draft picks
- » Played collegiately at Adams State



DYLAN HIDALGO

Director of Operations, 2nd season

- » First season in new position after spending 2018-19 as graduate assistant
- » Spent two seasons as assistant coach at Pima Community College
- » Three-year starting PG at Kansas Wesleyan



JOHNNY HILL

Special Assistant, 3rd season

- » Second season in position after serving one season as graduate assistant
- » Coached one season at Northwestern Ohio
- » Played collegiately at Purdue, Texas-Arlington and Illinois State



MATT LOPEZ

Video Coordinator, 2nd season

- » In second season as full-time video coordinator after serving as student manager for two seasons
- » 2018 GCU graduate
- » Served as video coordinator at Glendale CC



Capacity 7,000
Record 115-28 (.804)
Opened 2011



TOP FIVE CROWDS

- 7,521 Jan. 11, 2018 New Mexico State
- 7,502 Feb. 25, 2017 Kansas City
- 7,498 Nov. 8, 2019 Illinois
- 7,497 Mar. 2, 2019 CSU Bakersfield
- 7,495 Feb. 9, 2019 New Mexico State

FULLEST VENUES 2018-19, DIVISION I

- 102.4 **GCU** Grand Canyon
- 102.3 **N** Nebraska
- 101.8 **VCU** Virginia Commonwealth
- 100.0 **M** Michigan State
- 100.0 **D** Duke
- 100.0 **G** Gonzaga

* not included: teams without singular home venue

Grand Canyon University Arena is Phoenix's premier mid-sized indoor venue and serves as the primary home of Lopes men's and women's basketball and men's and women's volleyball teams as well as a wide assortment of university-sponsored and outside events.

The arena has provided the Lopes a definitive home-court advantage since opening its doors before the 2011-12 basketball season. With a seating capacity of 7,000 and a prime location on campus, the venue is regularly packed to the rafters with students and fans, providing an electric atmosphere ripe for success. Since its opening, the men's basketball team has been dominant in the arena, posting an overall record of 112-24 (.830), including five seasons of at least 15 wins.

GCU Arena hit new levels in 2018-19. With an average crowd of 7,170 fans, GCU Arena was the fullest venue in college basketball with a percent capacity of 102.42%.

Home attendance has tripled since the arrival of the arena, with a per-game average of over 7,100 fans coming through the doors in 2018-19. While crowds of over 7,000 used to represent milestones, it has become a common occurrence at GCU Arena. All but two non-conference games were filled above the arena's 7,000-seat capacity in the 2018-19 season.

The facility originally broke ground in the summer of 2010 and was completed before the start of the following basketball season. It is owned and operated by the university.



The Havocs are some of the most dedicated and rowdy fans in all of collegiate sports. Over 4,000 students strong, they turn GCU athletic venues into some of the rowdiest environments in all of college sports.

Known for their constant energy, support and pride, the Havocs support and encourage GCU athletic teams, promote school spirit and build Lope pride.

Tabbed as the "Biggest Party in College Basketball," the Havocs bring the noise and excitement every game with different cheers and chants to give every team a competitive advantage when playing at home. In 2018, GCU Arena was ranked 22nd in the country for best college basketball atmospheres, and was quoted as "easily one of the rowdiest fan bases in the entire country."



The Havocs mission is to be the most spirited, energetic and disruptive student section in the country. Havocs strive to create the most unique game day experience in college basketball and a sense of camaraderie for all students.

The Havocs cheer at more than just home events, sending droves of students to rival New Mexico State and to the WAC Tournament in Las Vegas. The support has garnered national attention over the past five years including being featured on ESPN's Scott Van Pelt's SportsCenter show.



WHAT THEY'RE SAYING

"In college basketball, in my 40-plus years, this was the toughest crowd I've ever faced. Awesome ... you've got something special here. Really special."

- Rick Pitino, former Louisville Head Coach

"GCU created college basketball's rowdiest secret with stunning quickness ... home to possibly the best student section in college basketball.

Duke has the Cameron crazies. Kansas has the Phog. GCU has the Havocs."

- Andrew Joseph, USA Today

"This is not a college basketball game. It's a Miami nightclub in the desert."

- Myron Medcalf, ESPN.com

"The Havocs are the biggest party in college basketball." - SB Nation



RECORD WHEN

GAME TYPE	2019-20	D1 ERA
Home	3-4	85-25
Road	0-1	29-41
Neutral site	1-3	13-11
Overtime games	1-0	3-2
AT THE HALF	2019-20	D1 ERA
Leading	2-0	104-23
Trailing	2-7	19-55
Tied	0-1	6-2
WHEN SCORING	2019-20	D1 ERA
Less than 60 points	0-2	2-25
60-69 points	2-3	23-30
70-79 points	2-3	48-20
80-89 points	0-0	38-4
90-99 points	0-0	15-0
100+ points	0-0	1-1
SCORING MARGIN	2019-20	D1 ERA
1-5 points	1-1	29-29
6-9 points	1-2	20-13
10-15 points	2-3	34-19
16+ points	0-2	43-15
REBOUNDING	2019-20	D1 ERA
Less than 20 rebounds	0-0	2-2
20-24 rebounds	0-1	1-12
25-29 rebounds	0-1	14-19
30-34 rebounds	2-6	32-25
35-39 rebounds	2-0	37-16
40+ rebounds	0-0	35-6
50+ rebounds	0-0	6-0
SHOOTING PERCENTAGE	2019-20	D1 ERA
GCU shoots better than opponent	2-2	101-12
GCU shoots worse than opponent	2-6	25-64
Same shooting percentage	0-0	1-0
GCU shoots over 50%	0-1	42-5
GCU shoots 45-49.9%	2-1	36-10
GCU shoots 40-44.9%	1-4	34-27
GCU shoots under 40%	1-2	15-38
TURNOVERS	2019-20	D1 ERA
GCU has fewer than opponent	3-3	79-27
GCU has more than opponent	1-4	38-45
Same number of turnovers	0-1	9-8
FOULS	2019-20	D1 ERA
GCU has fewer than opponent	4-5	97-27
GCU has more than opponent	0-3	21-46
Same number of fouls	0-0	10-7
MISCELLANEOUS	2019-20	D1 ERA
Record coming off a win	1-3	80-45
Record coming off a loss	3-4	46-28
vs. AP Top 25	0-0	0-6

SUPERLATIVES

GCU HIGHS		
Points	75	12/3, vs. Mount St. Mary's
Field goals made	30	11/22, vs. Valparaiso
Field goal attempts	62	2x, last, 12/12, vs. Northern Iowa
Field goal percentage	51.7	11/22, vs. Valparaiso
3-pointers made	10	11/22, vs. Valparaiso
3-pointers attempted	24	12/12, vs. Northern Iowa
Free throws made	19	11/13, at San Diego State
Free throws attempted	25	11/13, at San Diego State
Free throw percentage	85.7	2x, last, 11/25, vs. Illinois State
Rebounds	39	11/25, vs. Illinois State
Assists	20	11/16, vs. Arkansas- Pine Bluff
Steals	8	2x, last, 12/12, vs. Northern Iowa
Blocked shots	3	2x, last, 12/12, vs. Northern Iowa
Turnovers	18	11/22, vs. Valparaiso
Fouls	23	11/8, vs. Illinois
GCU LOWS		
Points	58	2x, last, 12/12, vs. Northern Iowa
Field goals made	19	11/13, at San Diego State
Field goal attempts	49	11/23, vs. Fordham
Field goal percentage	36.5	11/13, at San Diego State
3-pointers made	2	11/5, vs. Davenport
3-pointers attempted	17	11/30, vs. Purdue Fort Wayne
Free throws made	4	11/22, vs. Valparaiso
Free throws attempted	6	11/22, vs. Valparaiso
Free throw percentage	56.3	11/8, vs. Illinois
Rebounds	21	12/12, vs. Northern Iowa
Assists	5	11/23, vs. Fordham
Steals	2	2x, last, 12/8, vs. Liberty
Blocked shots	0	3x, last, 11/23, vs. Fordham
Turnovers	4	11/19, vs. Montana State
Fouls	11	11/25, vs. Illinois State
OPPONENT HIGHS		
Points	86	11/13, at San Diego State
Field goals made	35	11/13, at San Diego State
Field goal attempts	64	2x, last, 11/13, at San Diego State
Field goal percentage	55.1	11/30, vs. Purdue Fort Wayne
3-pointers made	15	11/5, vs. Davenport
3-pointers attempted	32	12/3, vs. Mount St. Mary's
Free throws made	21	2x, last, 11/22, vs. Valparaiso
Free throws attempted	30	11/8, vs. Illinois
Free throw percentage	95.0	12/12, vs. Northern Iowa
Rebounds	52	11/8, vs. Illinois
Assists	25	11/13, at San Diego State
Steals	13	11/16, vs. Arkansas- Pine Bluff
Blocked shots	5	2x, last, 11/19, vs. Montana State
Turnovers	18	11/5, vs. Davenport
Fouls	21	2x, last, 12/3, vs. Mount St. Mary's
OPPONENT LOWS		
Points	54	11/16, vs. Arkansas- Pine Bluff
Field goals made	22	4x, last, 12/8, vs. Liberty
Field goal attempts	46	11/19, vs. Montana State
Field goal percentage	36.1	12/3, vs. Mount St. Mary's
3-pointers made	3	11/16, vs. Arkansas- Pine Bluff
3-pointers attempted	13	11/8, vs. Illinois
Free throws made	1	11/25, vs. Illinois State
Free throws attempted	2	11/25, vs. Illinois State
Free throw percentage	42.9	11/13, at San Diego State
Rebounds	28	11/30, vs. Purdue Fort Wayne
Assists	8	11/19, vs. Montana State
Steals	2	11/19, vs. Montana State
Blocked shots	0	2x, last, 11/23, vs. Fordham
Turnovers	7	11/13, at San Diego State
Fouls	12	11/22, vs. Valparaiso



TEAM

Scored 90+ points	vs. Eastern New Mexico (95), 2/27/19	Won game decided by one point	vs. Utah Valley (W 60-59), 2/24/17
Scored 90+ points (WAC)	vs. California Baptist (91), 2/21/19	Last game decided by one point	vs. Chicago State (L 56-55), 1/31/15
Scored 100+ points	vs. Morgan State (100), 12/23/17	Two consecutive games decided by one point	Never happened
Scored 100+ points (WAC)	Never happened	Two consecutive games decided by five points or less	2 games, 2/7/19-2/9/19
Scored 110+ points	Never happened	Three consecutive games decided by five points or less	3 games, 1/31/15 - 2/7/15
Scored 110+ points (WAC)	Never happened		
Scored less than 50 points	at Kentucky (45), 11/14/14	Came back from 15-point deficit	vs. UMKC (WAC Quarterfinal) (16), 3/8/18
Scored less than 50 points (WAC)	Never happened	Came back from 18-point deficit	at UTRGV (19), 2/6/16
		Came back from 20-point deficit	vs. CSU Bakersfield (20), 2/8/14
Allowed 90+ points	at Texas (98), 12/15/18	Pulled down 45 rebounds	at Seattle U (46), 3/9/19
Allowed 90+ points (WAC)	Never happened	Pulled down 50 rebounds	vs. Jacksonville (52), 11/12/18
Allowed 100+ points	vs. Nebraska-Omaha (108), 12/13/15	Pulled down 55 rebounds	Never happened
Allowed 100+ points (WAC)	Never happened		
Allowed less than 50 points	vs. Chicago State (46), 1/17/19	Back-to-back 50 rebound games	vs. Delaware State and Jacksonville 11/10-12/18
Allowed less than 50 points (WAC)	vs. Chicago State (46), 1/17/19	Out-rebounded opponent by 15+	at Kansas City (+16), 2/14/19
		Out-rebounded opponent by 20+	vs. Jacksonville (+27), 11/12/18
Shot 60% from the field	vs. William Jessup (65.4%), 1/23/18	Out-rebounded opponent by 25+	vs. Jacksonville (+27), 11/12/18
Shot 65% from the field	vs. William Jessup (65.4%), 1/23/18		
Shot 70% from the field	Never happened	Won an overtime game	vs. Mount St. Mary's (OT), 12/3/19
Shot less than 30% from the field	at CSU Bakersfield (28.8%), 3/4/17	Lost an overtime game	at Seattle U (OT), 3/9/19
		Won an overtime game (WAC)	at Chicago State (20T), 1/28/17
Allowed 60% shooting	Never happened	Lost an overtime game (WAC)	at Seattle U (OT), 3/9/19
Allowed 65% shooting	Never happened	Played two overtimes	at Boise State (20T), 12/13/17
Allowed 30% or less shooting	vs. Delaware State (27.8%), 11/10/18	Played consecutive overtime games	Never happened
Allowed 25% or less shooting	vs. Coppin St. (24.5%), 11/25/16		
Shot 90%+ from FT line (min. 10 FTA)	vs. California Baptist (90%, 18-20), 2/21/18	Committed 20+ turnovers	vs. Kansas City (20), 1/19/19
Shot 100% from FT line (min. 10 FTA)	vs. NAU (100%, 11-11), 3/28/15	Committed less than 10 turnovers	vs. Northern Iowa (5), 12/12/19
Shot 50% or less from FT line (min. 10 FTA)	at Chicago St. (46.7%, 7-15), 2/16/19	Committed less than 8 turnovers	vs. Northern Iowa (5), 12/12/19
		Committed less than 5 turnovers	vs. Montana State (4), 11/19/19
Attempted 40 free throws	vs. Nebraska-Omaha (40), 12/13/15	Scored 40+ in a half	vs. Valparaiso (40, 1st), 11/22/19
Attempted five or less free throws	vs. Jackson State (5), 3/17/16	Scored 45+ in a half	vs. Seattle U (WAC Quarterfinal) (49, 2nd), 3/14/19
Made 30 free throws	vs. Nebraska-Omaha (31), 12/13/15	Scored 50+ in a half	vs. Eastern New Mexico (52, 2nd), 2/27/19
Made 10 3-pointers	vs. Valparaiso (Paradise Jam) (10), 11/22/19		
Made 12 3-pointers	at Chicago State (13), 2/16/19		
Made 15 3-pointers	Never happened		
Made 16 3-pointers	Never happened		
Made 17 3-pointers	Never happened		
Scored 90+ in consecutive games	at Chicago St., vs CBU, vs ENMU 2/16-27/19		
Scored 90+ in three consecutive games	at Chicago St., vs CBU, vs ENMU 2/16-27/19		
Scored 100+ in consecutive games	Never happened		
Won game by 30 points or more	vs. Eastern New Mexico (31), 2/27/19		
Won game by 35 points or more	vs. Delaware State (42), 11/10/18		
Won game by 40 points or more	vs. Delaware State (42), 11/10/18		
Won game by 45 points or more	vs. Western New Mexico (50), 11/16/13		
Won game by 50 points or more	vs. Western New Mexico (50), 11/16/13		
Lost game by 30 points or more	vs. New Mexico State (WAC Final) (32), 3/16/19		
Lost game by 40 points or more	at Louisville (48), 12/5/15		



INDIVIDUAL

IN ANY GAME...

Scored 25 Points	Carlos Johnson, 27, 11/22/19, vs. Valparaiso (Paradise Jam)
Scored 30 Points	Carlos Johnson, 35, 3/15/19, vs. Utah Valley (WAC Semifinal)
Scored 35 Points	Carlos Johnson, 35, 3/15/19, vs. Utah Valley (WAC Semifinal)
Scored 40 Points	DeWayne Russell, 42, 12/3/16, vs. Louisville

Scored 20 points in a half	Carlos Johnson, 20, 1st, 11/22/19 vs. Valparaiso
Scored 25 points in a half	Michael Finke, 27, 2nd, 2/27/19 vs. Eastern New Mexico

Two players had 20 points	Lever (25) and Brown (21), 11/25/19, vs. Illinois State
Two players had 25 points	M. Finke (38) and Johnson (25), 2/27/19, vs. Eastern N.M.
Three players had 20 points	never happened

Scored 20 points in two straight games	Carlos Johnson (3), 3/9/19 - 3/15/19
Scored 20 points in three straight games	Carlos Johnson (3), 3/9/19 - 3/15/19
Scored 20 points in four straight games	Alessandro Lever (4), 1/18/18 - 1/27/18
Scored 20 points in five straight games	never happened
Scored 30 points in two straight games	never happened

Scored double figures in 10 straight games	DeWayne Russell (33), 3/1/16 - 3/4/17
Scored double figures in 15 straight games	DeWayne Russell (33), 3/1/16 - 3/4/17
Scored double figures in 20 straight games	DeWayne Russell (33), 3/1/16 - 3/4/17

Five players scored in double figures	at Utah Valley (5), 3/7/19
Six players scored in double figures	vs. Arkansas State (6), 11/16/18
Four players scored 15 or more points	never happened

Double-double	Alessandro Lever, 11/23/19, 17p/10r, vs. Fordham (Paradise Jam)
Double-double (points / assists)	Casey Benson, 1/23/18, 12p/10a, vs. William Jessup
Double-double in two straight games	Keonta Vernon, 1/11/18 - 1/13/18
Double-double in three straight games	Grandy Glaze (4), 2/6/16 - 2/18/16
Double-double in four straight games	Grandy Glaze (4), 2/6/16 - 2/18/16
Two players with double-double	Vernon (24p/15r) & Frayer (12p/12r), 1/28/17 at Chicago State
Triple-double	never happened

20 points, 10 rebounds	Alessandro Lever, 11/23/19, 17p/10r, vs. Fordham (Paradise Jam)
30 points, 10 rebounds	Alessandro Lever, 2/20/18, 30p/10r, vs. Seattle U
20 points, 10 assists	DeWayne Russell, 21p/11a, 1/7/17 vs. Utah Valley

Made 10 FG in a game	Carlos Johnson (12) 11/22/19, vs. Valparaiso (Paradise Jam)
Made 12 FG in a game	Carlos Johnson (12) 11/22/19, vs. Valparaiso (Paradise Jam)
Made 15 FG in a game	Michael Finke (16) 2/14/19, at Kansas City

Attempted 15 FG in a game	Jovan Blacksher Jr. (15), 12/12/19, vs. Northern Iowa
Attempted 17 FG in a game	Alessandro Lever (21), 11/25/19, vs. Illinois State
Attempted 20 FG in a game	Alessandro Lever (21), 11/25/19, vs. Illinois State

Made five 3-pointers in a game	Isiah Brown (5), 11/25/19, vs. Illinois State
Made six 3-pointers in a game	Michael Finke (6), 2/17/19, vs. Eastern New Mexico
Made seven 3-pointers in a game	Josh Braun (9), 2/23/17, vs. Chicago State
Made eight 3-pointers in a game	Josh Braun (9), 2/23/17, vs. Chicago State
Made nine 3-pointers in a game	Josh Braun (9), 2/23/17, vs. Chicago State
Attempted 10 3-pointers in a game	Michael Finke (11), 2/17/19, vs. Eastern N.M.
Attempted 12 3-pointers in a game	Josh Braun (19), 2/23/17, vs. Chicago State

IN A CONFERENCE GAME...

Scored 25 Points	Michael Finke, 26, 3/2/19, vs. CSU Bakersfield
Scored 30 Points	Michael Finke, 36, 2/14/19, at Kansas City
Scored 35 Points	Michael Finke, 36, 2/14/19, at Kansas City
Scored 40 Points	never happened

Scored 20 points in a half	Michael Finke, 24, 2nd, 3/2/19 vs. CSU Bakersfield
Scored 25 points in a half	never happened

Two players had 20 points	M. Finke (22) and Johnson (21), 2/16/19, at Chicago State
Two players had 25 points	Garrison (31) and Larson (27), 2/27/14, vs. Kansas City
Three players had 20 points	never happened

Scored 20 points in two straight games	Michael Finke (2), 2/14/19 - 2/16/19
Scored 20 points in three straight games	Carlos Johnson (3), 1/19/19 - 2/2/19
Scored 20 points in four straight games	never happened
Scored 20 points in five straight games	never happened
Scored 30 points in two straight games	never happened

Scored double figures in 10 straight games	DeWayne Russell (15), 3/5/16 - 3/4/17
Scored double figures in 15 straight games	DeWayne Russell (15), 3/5/16 - 3/4/17
Scored double figures in 20 straight games	never happened

Five players scored in double figures	at Utah Valley (5), 3/7/19
Six players scored in double figures	never happened
Four players scored 15 or more points	never happened

Double-double	Michael Finke, 3/2, 26p/10r, vs. CSU Bakersfield
Double-double (points / assists)	DeWayne Russell, 1/7/17, 21p/11a, vs. Utah Valley
Double-double in two straight games	Keonta Vernon, 1/11/18 - 1/13/18
Double-double in three straight games	Grandy Glaze (3), 2/6/16 - 2/18/16
Double-double in four straight games	never happened
Two players with double-double	Vernon (24p/15r) & Frayer (12p/12r), 1/28/17 at Chicago State
Triple-double	never happened

20 points, 10 rebounds	Michael Finke, 3/2, 26p/10r, vs. CSU Bakersfield
30 points, 10 rebounds	Alessandro Lever, 2/20/18, 30p/10r, vs. Seattle U
20 points, 10 assists	DeWayne Russell, 21p/11a, 1/7/17 vs. Utah Valley

Made 10 FG in a game	Michael Finke (16) 2/14/19, at Kansas City
Made 12 FG in a game	Michael Finke (16) 2/14/19, at Kansas City
Made 15 FG in a game	Michael Finke (16) 2/14/19, at Kansas City

Attempted 15 FG in a game	Michael Finke (22) 2/14/19, at Kansas City
Attempted 17 FG in a game	Michael Finke (22) 2/14/19, at Kansas City
Attempted 20 FG in a game	Michael Finke (22) 2/14/19, at Kansas City

Made five 3-pointers in a game	Damari Milstead (5), 1/12/19, at UT Rio Grande Valley
Made six 3-pointers in a game	Josh Braun (9), 2/23/17, vs. Chicago State
Made seven 3-pointers in a game	Josh Braun (9), 2/23/17, vs. Chicago State
Made eight 3-pointers in a game	Josh Braun (9), 2/23/17, vs. Chicago State
Made nine 3-pointers in a game	Josh Braun (9), 2/23/17, vs. Chicago State
Attempted 10 3-pointers in a game	Josh Braun (11), 2/10/18, at New Mexico State
Attempted 12 3-pointers in a game	Josh Braun (19), 2/23/17, vs. Chicago State



INDIVIDUAL

IN ANY GAME...

Made a 3-pointer in 10 straight games	Josh Braun (21), 1/7/17 – 11/25/17
Made a 3-pointer in 15 straight games	Josh Braun (21), 1/7/17 – 11/25/17
Made a 3-pointer in 20 straight games	Josh Braun (21), 1/7/17 – 11/25/17

Made 10 free throws	Michael Finke (10), 3/2/19, vs. CSU Bakersfield
Made 15 free throws	Josh Braun (17), 1/16/16 vs. Utah Valley
Made 16 free throws	Josh Braun (17), 1/16/16 vs. Utah Valley
Made 17 free throws	Josh Braun (17), 1/16/16 vs. Utah Valley
Attempted 15 free throws	Alessandro Lever (17), 3/8/18, vs UMKC (WAC Quarter)
Attempted 18 free throws	Josh Braun (19), 1/16/16 vs. Utah Valley
Attempted 19 free throws	Josh Braun (19), 1/16/16 vs. Utah Valley
Attempted 20 free throws	Jerome Garrison (20), 1/23/14 vs. Idaho

12 rebounds	Trey Drechsel (12), 3/9/19 at Seattle U
13 rebounds	Trey Drechsel (14), 1/5/19 vs. Seattle U
14 rebounds	Trey Drechsel (14), 1/5/19 vs. Seattle U
15 rebounds	Oscar Frayer (15), 3/8/18 vs UMKC (WAC Quarterfinal)
16 rebounds	Killian Larson (20), 2/22/14 at Idaho
20 rebounds	Killian Larson (20), 2/22/14 at Idaho

10 rebounds in a half	Trey Drechsel (10, 1st), 1/5/19, vs Seattle U
11 rebounds in a half	Killian Larson (12, 2nd), 1/30/14, vs Chicago State
12 rebounds in a half	Killian Larson (12, 2nd), 1/30/14, vs Chicago State
13 rebounds in a half	never happened

10+ rebounds in two straight games	Keonta Vernon (2), 1/11/18 – 1/13/18
10+ rebounds in three straight games	Grandy Glaze (3), 3/14/16 – 3/23/16
10+ rebounds in four straight games	Grandy Glaze (4), 2/6/16 – 2/18/16
Two players had 10 rebounds	Vernon (15) & Frayer (12), 1/28/17 at Chicago State
Three players had 10 rebounds	never happened

6 assists	Jovan Blacksher Jr. (10), 11/19/19, vs. Montana State
7 assists	Jovan Blacksher Jr. (10), 11/19/19, vs. Montana State
8 assists	Jovan Blacksher Jr. (10), 11/19/19, vs. Montana State
9 assists	Jovan Blacksher Jr. (10), 11/19/19, vs. Montana State
10 assists	Jovan Blacksher Jr. (10), 11/19/19, vs. Montana State
11 assists	DeWayne Russell (11), 1/7/17, vs. Utah Valley
12 assists	DeWayne Russell (12), 12/13/15 vs. Nebraska-Omaha

7+ assists in two straight games	Damari Milstead (3), 2/21/19 – 3/2/19
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4 blocks	Roberts Blumbergs (4), 2/7/19 vs. UT Rio Grande Valley
5 blocks	Daniel Alexander (5), 2/8/14 vs. CSU Bakersfield
6 blocks	never happened

4 steals	Jovan Blacksher Jr. (4), 12/12/19 vs. Northern Iowa
5 steals	Gerard Martin (5), 2/2/19 at CSU Bakersfield
6 steals	Gerard Martin (7), 11/28/16 vs. SIUE

Played every minute	Carlos Johnson (40), 11/8/19 vs. Illinois
Fouled out	Alessandro Lever & Carlos Johnson, 12/8/19, vs. Liberty
Two players fouled out	Alessandro Lever & Carlos Johnson, 12/8/19, vs. Liberty

IN A CONFERENCE GAME...

Made a 3-pointer in 10 straight games	Josh Braun (22), 2/27/16 – 1/20/18
Made a 3-pointer in 15 straight games	Josh Braun (22), 2/27/16 – 1/20/18
Made a 3-pointer in 20 straight games	Josh Braun (22), 2/27/16 – 1/20/18

Made 10 free throws	Michael Finke (10), 3/2/19, vs. CSU Bakersfield
Made 15 free throws	Josh Braun (17), 1/16/16 vs. Utah Valley
Made 16 free throws	Josh Braun (17), 1/16/16 vs. Utah Valley
Made 17 free throws	Josh Braun (17), 1/16/16 vs. Utah Valley
Attempted 15 free throws	Alessandro Lever (15), 2/22/18, vs. Seattle U
Attempted 18 free throws	Josh Braun (19), 1/16/16 vs. Utah Valley
Attempted 19 free throws	Josh Braun (19), 1/16/16 vs. Utah Valley
Attempted 20 free throws	Jerome Garrison (20), 1/23/14 vs. Idaho

12 rebounds	Trey Drechsel (12), 3/9/19 at Seattle U
13 rebounds	Trey Drechsel (14), 1/5/19 vs. Seattle U
14 rebounds	Trey Drechsel (14), 1/5/19 vs. Seattle U
15 rebounds	Keonta Vernon (15), 1/13/18 vs. UTRGV
16 rebounds	Killian Larson (20), 2/22/14 at Idaho
20 rebounds	Killian Larson (20), 2/22/14 at Idaho

10 rebounds in a half	Trey Drechsel (10, 1st), 1/5/19, vs Seattle U
11 rebounds in a half	Killian Larson (12, 2nd), 1/30/14, vs Chicago State
12 rebounds in a half	Killian Larson (12, 2nd), 1/30/14, vs Chicago State
13 rebounds in a half	never happened

10+ rebounds in two straight games	Keonta Vernon (2), 1/11/18 – 1/13/18
10+ rebounds in three straight games	Grandy Glaze (4), 2/6/16 – 2/18/16
10+ rebounds in four straight games	Grandy Glaze (4), 2/6/16 – 2/18/16
Two players had 10 rebounds	Vernon (15) & Frayer (12), 1/28/17 at Chicago State
Three players had 10 rebounds	never happened

6 assists	Damari Milstead (7), 3/2/19, vs. CSU Bakersfield
7 assists	Damari Milstead (7), 3/2/19, vs. CSU Bakersfield
8 assists	Damari Milstead (8), 1/3/19, vs. Utah Valley
9 assists	Casey Benson (9), 1/20/18, at UMKC
10 assists	DeWayne Russell (11), 1/7/17, vs. Utah Valley
11 assists	DeWayne Russell (11), 1/7/17, vs. Utah Valley
12 assists	never happened

7+ assists in two straight games	Damari Milstead (2), 2/21/19 – 3/2/19
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4 blocks	Roberts Blumbergs (4), 2/7/19 vs. UT Rio Grande Valley
5 blocks	Daniel Alexander (5), 2/8/14 vs. CSU Bakersfield
6 blocks	never happened

4 steals	Damari Milstead (4), 2/16/19 at Chicago State
5 steals	Gerard Martin (5), 2/2/109 at CSU Bakersfield
6 steals	never happened

Played every minute	DeWayne Russell / Josh Braun (40), 3/4/17 at CSU Bakersfield
Fouled out	C. Johnson & A. Lever, 3/9/19 at Seattle U
Two players fouled out	C. Johnson & A. Lever, 3/9/19 at Seattle U


Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	4-8	3-4	0-1	1-3
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	4-8	3-4	0-1	1-3

Team Box Score

No.	Player				Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds											
		GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
25	LEVER, Alessandro	12-12	382:10	31.8	67-135	.496	14-39	.359	23-33	.697	18	40	58	4.8	37	3	24	26	1	6	171	14.3
23	JOHNSON, Carlos	12-11	420:25	35.0	58-146	.397	18-64	.281	22-32	.688	13	52	65	5.4	36	2	24	29	6	16	156	13.0
1	BROWN, Isiah	12-12	416:06	34.7	51-111	.459	15-44	.341	22-25	.880	5	50	55	4.6	37	0	22	19	4	14	139	11.6
10	BLACKSHER JR., Jovan	12-12	428:06	35.7	47-122	.385	9-44	.205	31-39	.795	5	53	58	4.8	21	0	39	24	0	22	134	11.2
13	JENKINS, Lorenzo	12-7	308:22	25.7	39-87	.448	11-43	.256	23-26	.885	6	26	32	2.7	15	0	9	13	1	4	112	9.3
00	RHYMES, J.J.	12-2	273:48	22.8	21-52	.404	0-4	.000	23-32	.719	13	30	43	3.6	19	0	14	20	1	1	65	5.4
24	OKPOH, Bryce	12-4	167:54	14.0	4-13	.308	0-1	.000	5-10	.500	13	17	30	2.5	22	0	0	4	2	1	13	1.1
5	BANGAI, Louis	6-0	18:09	3.0	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	3-6	.500	5	1	6	1.0	3	0	0	2	0	0	5	0.8
15	GERDES, Raef	3-0	04:58	1.7	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
31	SPRY, Ethan	4-0	05:02	1.3	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0.0
Team											12	21	33					3				
Total		12	2425		288-671	.429	67-241	.278	152-203	.749	90	290	380	31.7	191	5	133	140	15	64	795	66.3
Opponents		12	2425		309-677	.456	104-280	.371	140-202	.693	108	321	429	35.8	201	-	158	154	32	67	862	71.8

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
Grand Canyon	358	423	14	795
Opponents	418	438	6	862



Opponent	Date	Score		Total		3-Pointers		Free throws		Rebounds				PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
				FG-FGA	PCT	3FG-FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG							
Davenport	11/05/2019	73-82	L	28-62	.452	2-19	.105	15-19	.789	8	25	33	33.0	15	13	12	1	7	73	73.0
Illinois	11/08/2019	71-83	L	27-61	.443	8-19	.421	9-16	.563	6	20	26	29.5	23	12	11	0	4	71	72.0
at San Diego St.	11/13/2019	61-86	L	19-52	.365	4-18	.222	19-25	.760	9	23	32	30.3	14	8	12	0	4	61	68.3
Ark.-Pine Bluff	11/16/2019	67-54	W	24-51	.471	5-20	.250	14-19	.737	6	27	33	31.0	15	20	15	1	6	67	68.0
Montana St.	11/19/2019	69-56	W	22-59	.373	7-23	.304	18-21	.857	10	22	32	31.2	15	16	4	2	8	69	68.2
vs Valparaiso	11/22/2019	74-78	L	30-58	.517	10-22	.455	4-6	.667	5	29	34	31.7	21	11	18	1	2	74	69.2
vs Fordham	11/23/2019	58-70	L	22-49	.449	3-18	.167	11-13	.846	5	25	30	31.4	12	5	16	0	4	58	67.6
vs Illinois St.	11/25/2019	68-63	W	24-60	.400	8-22	.364	12-14	.857	12	27	39	32.4	11	9	14	1	5	68	67.6
Purdue Fort Wayne	11/30/2019	60-71	L	20-50	.400	6-17	.353	14-21	.667	10	20	30	32.1	14	13	11	1	7	60	66.8
Mount St. Mary's	12/03/2019	75-67	Wot	26-54	.481	5-18	.278	18-24	.750	5	33	38	32.7	16	9	11	2	7	75	67.6
vs Liberty	12/08/2019	61-70	L	23-53	.434	5-21	.238	10-14	.714	8	24	32	32.6	21	8	11	3	2	61	67.0
UNI	12/12/2019	58-82	L	23-62	.371	4-24	.167	8-11	.727	6	15	21	31.7	14	9	5	3	8	58	66.3
Total		795		288-671	.429	67-241	.278	152-203	.749	90	290	380	31.7	191	133	140	15	64	795	66.3
Opponents		862		309-677	.456	104-280	.371	140-202	.693	108	321	429	35.8	201	158	154	32	67	862	71.8

Grand Canyon Averages

Games Played	Points/game	FG Pct	3FG Pct	FT Pct	Rebounds/game	Assists/game	Turnovers/game	Assist/Turnover ratio	Steals/game	Blocks/game
12	66.3	42.9	27.8	74.9	31.7	11.1	11.7	1.0	5.3	1.3



Team Statistics

	GCU	OPP
Scoring	795	862
Points per game	66.3	71.8
Scoring margin	-5.6	-
Field goals-att	288-671	309-677
Field goal pct	.429	.456
3 point fg-att	67-241	104-280
3-point FG pct	.278	.371
3-pt FG made per game	5.6	8.7
Free throws-att	152-203	140-202
Free throw pct	.749	.693
F-Throws made per game	12.7	11.7
Rebounds	380	429
Rebounds per game	31.7	35.8
Rebounding margin	-4.1	-
Assists	133	158
Assists per game	11.1	13.2
Turnovers	140	154
Turnovers per game	11.7	12.8
Turnover margin	+1.2	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.0	1.0
Steals	64	67
Steals per game	5.3	5.6
Blocks	15	32
Blocks per game	1.3	2.7
Winning streak	0	-
Home win streak	0	-
Attendance	49449	10440
Home games-Avg/Game	7-7064	1-10440
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	4-1352

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
Grand Canyon	358	423	14	795
Opponents	418	438	6	862



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STATISTICS

5.4	3.6	1.2	40.4%	71.9%	0.0%
PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	FT%	3P%

TRACKING

	Season	GCU career
10+ points	1	1
10+ rebounds	0	0
5+ assists	1	1
Double-doubles	0	0
Led GCU in points	0	0

CAREER HIGHS

PREVIOUS SCHOOL

POINTS 41 at Butler Dec. 6, 2017	REB. 12 at Butler Feb. 11, 2017	ASSISTS 9 vs. Seward County Jan. 17, 2018	3-PT M 5 at Barton Dec. 10, 2016
FT M 12 2 times, last: vs. Cloud County March 1, 2018	STEALS 4 at Cloud County Nov. 15, 2017	BLOCKS 2 2 times, last: at Seward County Nov. 11, 2017	MINUTES 43 at Cloud County Nov. 15, 2017

SEASON HIGHS

POINTS 10 vs. Illinois St. Nov. 25	REB. 9 vs. Ark.-PB Nov. 16	ASSISTS 7 vs. Ark.-PB Nov. 16	3-PT M -- -- --
FT M 6 vs. Illinois St. Nov. 25	STEALS 1 vs. Purdue FW Nov. 30	BLOCKS 1 vs. Mt. St. Mary's Dec. 3	MINUTES 29 vs. Purdue FW Nov. 30

CAREER STATS

Year	GP	GS	MIN	MPG	FG	FGA	PCT	3PM	3PA	3PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	AST	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2016-17 (Fr.)	37	37	1,121	30.3	199	417	47.7	20	75	26.7	173	248	69.8	70	100	170	4.6	70	98	2.6	71	9	22	591	16.0
2017-18 (So.)	36	35	1,225	34.0	245	522	46.9	19	64	29.7	197	271	72.7	55	85	140	3.9	63	108	3.0	94	11	36	706	19.6
2019-20 (R-Jr.)	12	2	274	22.8	21	52	40.4%	0	4	0.0%	23	32	71.9%	13	30	43	3.6	19	14	1.2	20	1	1	65	5.4
Total	85	74	2620	30.8	465	991	46.9	39	143	27.3	393	551	71.3	138	215	353	4.2	152	220	2.6	185	21	59	1362	16.0

NOTES

THIS SEASON

- » **FIRST START, FIRST DOUBLE DIGITS:** Rhymes earned his first GCU start in a win over Illinois State in the Paradise Jam finale. He scored 10 points for the first time on 6-of-7 shooting from the foul line.
- » **MILESTONE:** Became the first GCU D-I player to post a stat line of 5 points / 9 rebounds / 7 assists in win over Ark.-Pine Bluff on Nov. 16.
- » **BACK IN ACTION:** Rhymes saw his first action since March 21, 2018 (588 days), and played in his first ever Division I game during GCU's season opener on Nov. 5.

OTHER NOTES

- » **ALL-TIMER:** Finished seventh all-time in Hutchinson CC's career scoring records with 1,295 points in two years.
- » **SHADOW MOUNTAIN SQUAD:** Rhymes was teammates of Carlos Johnson (2012-13 and 2013-14) and Jovan Blacksher Jr. (2015-16). Rhymes won two state titles with the Matadors (sophomore in 2013-14, senior in 2015-16).
- » **ALL-AMERICAN PEDIGREE:** Was an NJCAA D-I All-American as a sophomore in 2017-18, averaging 19.6 points.

GAME LOG

Opponent	Date	GS	Min	SHOOTING				REBOUNDING				PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG	
				FG	3PT	FT	O	D	T	A									
Davenport	Nov. 5	22	1-5	.200	0-1	.000	4-5	.800	0	3	3	3.0	4	2	2	0	0	6	6.0
Illinois	Nov. 8	27	4-6	.667	0-1	.000	1-3	.333	1	2	3	3.0	1	1	3	0	0	9	7.5
San Diego State	Nov. 13	23	3-8	.375	0-1	.000	2-2	1.000	4	1	5	5.0	1	0	2	0	0	8	7.7
Arkansas Pine Bluff	Nov. 16	25	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	3-4	.750	2	7	9	5.0	3	7	3	0	0	5	7.0
Montana State	Nov. 19	23	3-6	.500	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	0	1	1	4.2	0	0	2	0	0	6	6.8
Valparaiso	Nov. 22	18	1-3	.333	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	2	2	4	4.2	0	1	0	0	0	2	6.0
Fordham	Nov. 23	22	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	0	5	5	4.3	2	1	0	0	0	3	5.6
Illinois State	Nov. 25 *	25	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	6-7	.857	2	2	4	4.3	1	0	4	0	0	10	6.1
Purdue Fort Wayne	Nov. 30 *	29	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	2-4	.500	2	3	5	4.3	3	2	1	0	1	6	6.1
Mount St. Mary's	Dec. 3	21	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	3-4	.750	0	3	3	4.2	2	0	1	1	0	7	6.2
Liberty	Dec. 8	21	0-4	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	3.9	0	0	1	0	0	0	5.6
Northern Iowa	Dec. 12																		
New Mexico	Dec. 17																		
Eastern Illinois	Dec. 21																		
CSU Bakersfield	Jan. 4																		
California Baptist	Jan. 11																		
Chicago State	Jan. 16																		
Kansas City	Jan. 18																		
Seattle U	Jan. 23																		
Utah Valley	Jan. 25																		
UTRGV	Jan. 30																		
New Mexico State	Feb. 1																		
California Baptist	Feb. 8																		
Kansas City	Feb. 13																		
Chicago State	Feb. 15																		
Seattle U	Feb. 20																		
Utah Valley	Feb. 22																		
New Mexico State	Feb. 27																		
UTRGV	Feb. 29																		
CSU Bakersfield	March 7																		

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STATISTICS

11.6	4.6	1.8	45.9%	88.0%	34.1%
PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	FT%	3P%

TRACKING

	Season	GCU career
10+ points	8	8
10+ rebounds	0	0
5+ assists	0	0
Double-doubles	0	0
Led GCU in points	2	2

CAREER HIGHS

POINTS 21 vs. Illinois St. Nov. 25, 2019	REB. 8 vs. Liberty Dec. 8, 2019	ASSISTS 6 vs. Lewis Dec. 19, 2017	3-PT M 5 vs. Illinois St. Nov. 25, 2019
FT M 7 vs. IUPUI Dec. 20, 2016	STEALS 2 10 times, last: vs. Liberty Dec. 8, 2019	BLOCKS 2 vs. Dayton Dec. 17, 2016	MINUTES 40 vs. Mt. St. Mary's Dec. 3, 2019

SEASON HIGHS

POINTS 21 vs. Illinois St. Nov. 25	REB. 8 vs. Liberty Dec. 8	ASSISTS 4 2 times, last: vs. Purdue FW Nov. 30	3-PT M 5 vs. Illinois St. Nov. 25
FT M 4 vs. Liberty Dec. 8	STEALS 2 5 times, last: vs. Liberty Dec. 8	BLOCKS 1 4 times, last: vs. UNI Dec. 12	MINUTES 40 vs. Mt. St. Mary's Dec. 3

CAREER STATS

Year	GP	GS	MIN	MPG	FG	FGA	PCT	3PM	3PA	3PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	AST	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2016-17 (Fr.)	35	2	519	14.8	70	211	33.2%	19	67	28.4%	63	82	76.8%	10	32	42	1.2	58	41	1.2	39	7	19	222	6.3
2017-18 (So.)	25	0	270	10.8	32	81	39.5%	7	26	26.9%	27	31	87.1%	5	17	22	0.9	38	30	1.2	25	0	9	98	3.9
2019-20 (R-Jr.)	12	12	415	34.6	51	111	45.9%	15	44	34.1%	22	25	88.0%	5	50	55	4.6	37	22	1.8	19	4	14	139	11.6
Total	72	14	1204	16.7	153	403	38.0	41	137	29.9	112	138	81.2	20	99	119	1.7	133	93	1.3	83	11	42	459	6.4

(SHADING DENOTES PREVIOUS SCHOOL)

NOTES

THIS SEASON

- » **NEW CAREER HIGH:** Brown had his best game in a GCU uniform against Illinois State in the Paradise Jam finale. Brown connected on 5 of 8 3-pointers, scoring 21 points in a GCU win.
- » **BACK IN ACTION:** Saw first action since March 1, 2018 (608 days), after redshirting 2018-19 season due to transfer rules. Last played for Northwestern in a loss to Penn State in the 2018 Big Ten Tournament.

OTHER NOTES

- » **ALASKA -> ARIZONA:** Brown was born in Anchorage, Alaska, before his family moved to Seattle following his seventh-grade year to help him better pursue basketball.
- » **TOURNEY TESTED:** Was the fifth-leading scorer and top freshmen scorer on a 2016-17 Northwestern team that advanced to its first NCAA tournament in the program's 112-year history.
- » **WASHINGTON'S FINEST:** Brown was recognized as the 2015-16 Gatorade Player of the Year, awarded to the top boys basketball player in the state.

GAME LOG

Opponent	Date	GS	Min	SHOOTING				REBOUNDING				PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG								
				FG	3PT	FT	O	D	T	A																
Davenport	Nov. 5	*	36	7-14	.500	0-2	.000	1-1	1.000	1	6	7	7.0	3	4	0	0	2	15	15.0						
Illinois	Nov. 8	*	35	6-9	.667	3-4	.750	3-4	.750	2	4	6	6.5	3	2	1	0	0	18	16.5						
San Diego State	Nov. 13	*	36	4-9	.444	0-1	.000	2-2	1.000	0	1	1	4.7	1	1	2	0	2	10	14.3						
Arkansas Pine Bluff	Nov. 16	*	35	3-8	.375	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	0	3	3	4.3	4	0	2	0	1	8	12.8						
Montana State	Nov. 19	*	25	1-6	.167	0-2	.000	3-4	.750	0	3	3	4.0	4	0	1	0	2	5	11.2						
Valparaiso	Nov. 22	*	28	3-5	.600	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0	5	5	4.2	4	2	2	1	0	7	10.5						
Fordham	Nov. 23	*	34	1-4	.250	0-1	.000	3-4	.750	0	3	3	4.0	2	1	4	0	0	5	9.7						
Illinois State	Nov. 25	*	39	7-10	.700	5-8	.625	2-2	1.000	0	5	5	4.1	2	2	2	0	1	21	11.1						
Purdue Fort Wayne	Nov. 30	*	38	4-11	.364	2-5	.400	0-0	.000	1	4	5	4.2	3	4	1	1	2	10	11.0						
Mount St. Mary's	Dec. 3	*	40	5-9	.556	2-5	.400	2-2	1.000	0	7	7	4.5	4	2	1	0	1	14	11.3						
Liberty	Dec. 8	*	34	6-13	.462	0-4	.000	4-4	1.000	1	7	8	4.8	4	1	1	1	2	16	11.7						
Northern Iowa	Dec. 12	*	35	4-13	.308	0-5	.000	2-2	1.000	0	2	2	4.6	3	3	2	1	1	10	11.6						
New Mexico	Dec. 17																									
Eastern Illinois	Dec. 21																									
CSU Bakersfield	Jan. 4																									
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Utah Valley	Feb. 22																									
New Mexico State	Feb. 27																									
UTRGV	Feb. 29																									
CSU Bakersfield	March 7																									



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MIKEY DIXON

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NEW CASTLE, DEL.
SANFORD / ST. JOHN'S

STATISTICS

0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	FT%	3P%

TRACKING

	Season	GCU career
10+ points	0	0
10+ rebounds	0	0
5+ assists	0	0
Double-doubles	0	0
Led GCU in points	0	0

CAREER HIGHS

PREVIOUS SCHOOLS

POINTS	REB.	ASSISTS	3-PT M
29	12	7	5
vs. Canisius Jan. 20, 2017	at Manhattan Feb. 19, 2017	2 times, last: vs. Manhattan Jan. 7, 2017	2 times, last: at Rider Feb. 11, 2017
FT M	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
12	3	1	39
vs. Canisius Jan. 20, 2017	vs. Wagner Dec. 16, 2018	3 times, last: vs. UMS Nov. 27, 2018	2 times, last: vs. Fairfield Feb. 17, 2017

SEASON HIGHS

POINTS	REB.	ASSISTS	3-PT M
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FT M	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
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NOTES

THIS SEASON

» **RETURN TO ACTION:** Due to a midseason transfer last year, Dixon will first be eligible to suit up for GCU against New Mexico on Dec. 17. It will mark Dixon's first appearance since Jan. 1.

OTHER NOTES

- » **SUPERB SCORER:** Dixon was the 12th-highest scoring freshman in Division I for Quinnipiac in 2016-17, averaging 16.5 points. He was the Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference Rookie of the Year.
- » **FROM DISTANCE:** Shot 43.3% (13 for 30) from 3-point range during his shortened redshirt sophomore season at St. John's in 2018-19. It's the highest single-year mark from any current Lopes player outside of Jaylen Fisher.

GAME LOG

Opponent	Date	GS	Min	SHOOTING			REBOUNDING				PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
				FG	3PT	FT	O	D	T	A							
Davenport	Nov. 5																
Illinois	Nov. 8																
San Diego State	Nov. 13																
Arkansas Pine Bluff	Nov. 16																
Montana State	Nov. 19																
Valparaiso	Nov. 22																
Fordham	Nov. 23																
Illinois State	Nov. 25																
Purdue Fort Wayne	Nov. 30																
Mount St. Mary's	Dec. 3																
Liberty	Dec. 8																
Northern Iowa	Dec. 12																
New Mexico	Dec. 17																
Eastern Illinois	Dec. 21																
CSU Bakersfield	Jan. 4																
California Baptist	Jan. 11																
Chicago State	Jan. 16																
Kansas City	Jan. 18																
Seattle U	Jan. 23																
Utah Valley	Jan. 25																
UTRGV	Jan. 30																
New Mexico State	Feb. 1																
California Baptist	Feb. 8																
Kansas City	Feb. 13																
Chicago State	Feb. 15																
Seattle U	Feb. 20																
Utah Valley	Feb. 22																
New Mexico State	Feb. 27																
UTRGV	Feb. 29																
CSU Bakersfield	March 7																

CAREER STATS

(SHADING DENOTES PREVIOUS SCHOOL)

Year	GP	GS	MIN	MPG	FG	FGA	PCT	3PM	3PA	3PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	AST	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2016-17 (Fr.)	31	20	924	29.8	171	377	45.4%	60	162	37.0%	110	128	85.9%	35	81	116	3.7	59	72	2.3	68	2	23	512	16.5
2018-19 (R-So.)	14	1	243	17.4	31	67	46.3%	13	30	43.3%	7	16	43.8%	4	14	18	1.3	16	15	1.1	10	1	9	82	5.9
2019-20 (R-Jr.)	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	45	21	1167	25.9	202	444	45.5	73	192	38.0	117	144	81.3	39	95	134	3.0	75	87	1.9	78	3	32	594	13.2



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LOUIS BANGAI

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YAOUNDE, CAMEROON
SCOTLAND PERFORM. INST. / UNLV

STATISTICS

0.8	1.0	0.0	33.3%	50.0%	0.0%
PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	FT%	3P%

TRACKING

	Season	GCU career
10+ points	0	0
10+ rebounds	0	0
5+ assists	0	0
Double-doubles	0	0
Led GCU in points	0	0

CAREER HIGHS

POINTS 3 vs. UNI Dec. 15, 2019	REB. 2 vs. Fordham Nov. 23, 2019	ASSISTS --	3-PT M --
FT M 1 3 times, last: vs. UNI Dec. 15, 2019	STEALS --	BLOCKS --	MINUTES 6 at San Diego St. Nov. 13, 2019

SEASON HIGHS

POINTS 3 vs. UNI Dec. 15	REB. 2 vs. Fordham Nov. 23	ASSISTS --	3-PT M --
FT M 1 3 times, last: vs. UNI Dec. 15	STEALS --	BLOCKS --	MINUTES 6 at San Diego St. Nov. 13

CAREER STATS

Year	GP	GS	MIN	MPG	FG	FGA	PCT	3PM	3PA	3PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	AST	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2019-20 (R-Jr.)	6	0	18	3.0	1	3	33%	0	0	0.0	3	6	50%	5	1	6	1.0	3	0	0.0	2	0	0	5	0.8
Total	6	0	18	3.0	1	3	33.3	0	0	0.0	3	6	50.0	5	1	6	1.0	3	0	0.0	2	0	0	5	0.8

NOTES

THIS SEASON

» **DEBUT:** Made collegiate debut with a four-minute stint against Illinois on Nov. 8.

OTHER NOTES

» **WITH MENZIES:** Bangai spent the 2018-19 season as a redshirt on Marvin Menzies' roster at UNLV.

GAME LOG

Opponent	Date	GS	Min	SHOOTING				REBOUNDING				PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG	
				FG	3PT	FT	O	D	T	A									
Davenport	Nov. 5	DNP - coach's decision																	
Illinois	Nov. 8	4	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	1	0	1	1.0	1	0	2	0	0	1	1.0
San Diego State	Nov. 13	6	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0.5
Arkansas Pine Bluff	Nov. 16	DNP - coach's decision																	
Montana State	Nov. 19	0+	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.3
Valparaiso	Nov. 22	DNP - coach's decision																	
Fordham	Nov. 23	5	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	1	1	2	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0.5
Illinois State	Nov. 25	DNP - coach's decision																	
Purdue Fort Wayne	Nov. 30	DNP - coach's decision																	
Mount St. Mary's	Dec. 3	DNP - coach's decision																	
Liberty	Dec. 8	DNP - coach's decision																	
Northern Iowa	Dec. 12	3	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	1	0	1	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.0
New Mexico	Dec. 17																		
Eastern Illinois	Dec. 21																		
CSU Bakersfield	Jan. 4																		
California Baptist	Jan. 11																		
Chicago State	Jan. 16																		
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CSU Bakersfield	March 7																		

(SHADING DENOTES PREVIOUS SCHOOL)



10 JOVAN BLACKSHER JR.

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 PHOENIX, ARIZ.
 SHADOW MOUNTAIN HS

STATISTICS

11.2	4.8	3.3	38.5%	79.5%	20.5%
PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	FT%	3P%

TRACKING

	Season	GCU career
10+ points	7	7
10+ rebounds	1	1
5+ assists	2	2
Double-doubles	1	1
Led GCU in points	0	0

CAREER HIGHS

POINTS 18 vs. Purdue FW Nov. 30, 2019	REB. 10 at San Diego St. Nov. 13, 2019	ASSISTS 10 vs. Montana St. Nov. 19, 2019	3-PT M 3 2 times, last: vs. Purdue FW Nov. 30, 2019
FT M 7 at San Diego St. Nov. 13, 2019	STEALS 4 vs. UNI Dec. 15, 2019	BLOCKS -- --	MINUTES 39 2 times, last: vs. Montana St. Nov. 19, 2019

SEASON HIGHS

POINTS 18 vs. Purdue FW Nov. 30	REB. 10 at San Diego St. Nov. 13	ASSISTS 10 vs. Montana St. Nov. 19	3-PT M 3 2 times, last: vs. Purdue FW Nov. 30
FT M 7 at San Diego St. Nov. 13	STEALS 4 vs. UNI Dec. 15	BLOCKS -- --	MINUTES 39 2 times, last: vs. Montana St. Nov. 19

CAREER STATS

Year	GP	GS	MIN	MPG	FG	FGA	PCT	3PM	3PA	3PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	AST	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2019-20 (Fr.)	12	12	428	35.7	47	122	38.5%	9	44	20.5%	31	39	79.5%	5	53	58	4.8	21	39	3.3	24	0	22	134	11.2
Total	12	12	428	35.7	47	122	38.5	9	44	20.5	31	39	79.5	5	53	58	4.8	21	39	3.3	24	0	22	134	11.2

NOTES

THIS SEASON

- » **DISTRIBUTING:** Nation's only freshman to have 10-assist, 1-turnover game vs. a D-I opponent, doing so against Montana State on 11/19.
- » **DOUBLE-DOUBLE:** Blacksher recorded his first career double-double at San Diego State with 14 points and 10 rebounds.
- » **DAY 1 SCORER:** Blacksher is the first GCU freshman in the D-I era to score in double figures in his first two games.
- » **DAY 1 STARTER:** Blacksher's start in the season opener made him just the fourth true freshman to start first career game in GCU's D-I era. Previously, only Roberts Blumbergs, Oscar Frayer and Matt Jackson started their first career game.

OTHER NOTES

- » **FOUR-PEAT:** Blacksher helped lead Phoenix's Shadow Mountain HS to state championships in all four years of high school.
- » **SHADOW MOUNTAIN SQUAD:** Joins teammates J.J. Rhymes and Carlos Johnson as former Shadow Mountain HS players on the GCU roster. Blacksher shared the court with Rhymes as a freshman in 2015-16.

GAME LOG

Opponent	Date	GS	Min	SHOOTING				REBOUNDING				PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG							
				FG	3PT	FT	O	D	T	A															
Davenport	Nov. 5	*	38	7-11	.777	0-3	.000	1-3	.333	0	3	3	3.0	1	3	3	0	3	15	15.0					
Illinois	Nov. 8	*	34	6-15	.400	0-1	.000	2-3	.667	1	2	3	3.0	4	3	1	0	1	14	14.5					
San Diego State	Nov. 13	*	39	3-9	.333	1-3	.333	7-9	.778	0	10	10	5.3	0	2	0	0	1	14	14.3					
Arkansas Pine Bluff	Nov. 16	*	32	2-6	.333	0-2	.000	2-2	1.000	0	5	5	5.3	0	5	4	0	2	6	12.3					
Montana State	Nov. 19	*	39	2-9	.222	1-3	.333	2-2	1.000	1	4	5	5.2	1	10	1	0	2	7	11.2					
Valparaiso	Nov. 22	*	38	6-12	.500	3-7	.429	2-2	1.000	0	6	6	5.3	4	3	1	0	1	17	12.2					
Fordham	Nov. 23	*	35	3-6	.500	0-2	.000	2-2	1.000	1	2	3	5.0	3	3	7	0	1	8	11.6					
Illinois State	Nov. 25	*	38	4-13	.308	1-7	.143	1-1	1.000	0	6	6	5.1	1	4	1	0	2	10	11.4					
Purdue Fort Wayne	Nov. 30	*	35	5-11	.455	3-5	.600	5-6	.833	0	2	2	4.8	1	1	0	0	2	18	12.1					
Mount St. Mary's	Dec. 3	*	32	1-7	.143	0-2	.000	5-6	.833	0	3	3	4.6	2	0	2	0	3	7	11.6					
Liberty	Dec. 8	*	38	3-8	.375	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	1	4	5	4.6	3	4	4	0	0	6	11.1					
Northern Iowa	Dec. 12	*	30	5-15	.333	0-6	.000	2-3	.667	1	6	7	4.8	1	1	0	0	4	12	11.2					
New Mexico	Dec. 17																								
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LORENZO JENKINS

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NAPLES, FLA.

FIRST BAPTIST ACAD. / COLORADO STATE

STATISTICS

9.3	2.7	0.8	44.8%	88.5%	25.6%
PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	FT%	3P%

TRACKING

	Season	GCU career
10+ points	7	7
10+ rebounds	0	0
5+ assists	0	0
Double-doubles	0	0
Led GCU in points	3	3

CAREER HIGHS

POINTS	REB.	ASSISTS	3-PT M
20	10	3	4
vs. Montana St. Nov. 19, 2019	vs. Louisiana Nov. 19, 2018	vs. Louisiana Nov. 19, 2018	2 times, last: vs. Montana St. Nov. 14, 2018
FT M	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
8	2	1	37
vs. Montana St. Nov. 19, 2019	2 times, last: vs. Illinois Nov. 8, 2019	7 times, last: vs. Sam Houston St. Dec. 8, 2018	2 times, last: vs. Montana St. Nov. 19, 2019

SEASON HIGHS

POINTS	REB.	ASSISTS	3-PT M
20	6	2	3
vs. Montana St. Nov. 19	vs. Illinois Nov. 8	vs. Ark.-PB Nov. 16	vs. Illinois Nov. 8
FT M	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
8	2	--	37
vs. Montana St. Nov. 19	vs. Illinois Nov. 8	--	2 times, last: vs. Montana St. Nov. 19

CAREER STATS

(SHADING DENOTES PREVIOUS SCHOOL)

Year	GP	GS	MIN	MPG	FG	FGA	PCT	3PM	3PA	3PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	AST	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2015-16 (Fr.)	1	0	7	7.0	1	4	25.0%	1	1	100.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	2	2	2.0	0	1	1.0	0	0	0	3	3.0
2017-18 (R-So.)	31	1	423	13.6	39	97	40.2%	22	54	40.7%	11	20	55.0%	15	49	64	2.1	35	5	0.2	20	3	3	111	3.6
2018-19 (R-Jr.)	11	8	207	18.8	27	70	38.6%	17	42	40.5%	7	8	87.5%	8	20	28	2.5	12	7	0.6	8	4	7	78	7.1
2019-20 (R-Sr.)	12	7	309	25.8	39	87	44.8%	11	43	25.6%	23	26	88.5%	6	26	32	2.7	15	9	0.8	13	1	4	112	9.3
Total	55	16	946	17.2	106	258	41.1	51	140	36.4	41	54	75.9	29	97	126	2.3	62	22	0.4	41	8	14	304	5.5

NOTES

THIS SEASON

- » **CLUTCH GENE:** Hit the game-tying bucket with under :05 to play in Dec. 3 game vs. Mt. St. Mary's that GCU would win in OT.
- » **CAREER HIGH:** The date of 11/19 has been kind to him. Jenkins set career-high with 20 pts, breaking previous high of 17 set on 11/19/18.
- » **GRAD TRANSFER:** After past stops at Arkansas and Colorado State, Jenkins transferred to GCU as a graduate student, negating the need for a redshirt season.

OTHER NOTES

- » **FROM DISTANCE:** Jenkins had the best career 3-point percentage of any current GCU player entering this year, connecting on 40 of his 97 career attempts (41.2%) prior to this season.
- » **FAMILIAR FOES:** Has past experience against 2019-20 GCU opponents in New Mexico State (11/22/17), San Diego State (1/2/18 and 1/24/18), New Mexico (1/27/18 and 2/28/18), Arkansas-Pine Bluff (11/10/18) and Montana State (11/14/18).

GAME LOG

Opponent	Date	GS	Min	SHOOTING				REBOUNDING				PERFORMANCE								
				FG	3PT	FT		O	D	T	A	PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG		
Davenport	Nov. 5	*	23	3-5	.600	0-2	.000	4-4	1.000	0	3	3	3.0	1	0	1	0	0	10	10.0
Illinois	Nov. 8	*	35	4-11	.364	3-6	.500	1-1	1.000	1	5	6	4.5	3	1	0	0	2	12	11.0
San Diego State	Nov. 13	*	37	5-11	.455	2-7	.286	3-4	.750	2	2	4	4.3	1	0	2	0	0	15	12.3
Arkansas Pine Bluff	Nov. 16	*	22	2-7	.286	0-4	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	3.8	1	2	0	0	0	4	10.3
Montana State	Nov. 19	*	37	5-9	.556	2-6	.333	8-8	1.000	1	4	5	4.0	3	1	0	1	1	20	12.2
Valparaiso	Nov. 22	*	31	6-8	.750	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	3.5	2	1	4	0	0	12	12.2
Fordham	Nov. 23	*	26	2-7	.286	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	0	2	2	3.3	0	0	2	0	0	5	11.1
Illinois State	Nov. 25		9	0-3	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	2.9	1	0	2	0	0	0	9.8
Purdue Fort Wayne	Nov. 30		12	0-3	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	2.6	0	1	1	0	0	0	8.7
Mount St. Mary's	Dec. 3		22	2-5	.400	0-2	.000	2-3	.667	0	2	2	2.5	1	1	1	0	1	6	8.4
Liberty	Dec. 8		27	4-8	.500	1-4	.250	4-5	.800	1	3	4	2.6	0	0	0	0	0	13	8.8
Northern Iowa	Dec. 12		27	6-10	.600	2-4	.500	1-1	1.000	1	2	3	2.7	2	2	0	0	0	15	9.3
New Mexico	Dec. 17																			
Eastern Illinois	Dec. 21																			
CSU Bakersfield	Jan. 4																			
California Baptist	Jan. 11																			
Chicago State	Jan. 16																			
Kansas City	Jan. 18																			
Seattle U	Jan. 23																			
Utah Valley	Jan. 25																			
UTRGV	Jan. 30																			
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Utah Valley	Feb. 22																			
New Mexico State	Feb. 27																			
UTRGV	Feb. 29																			
CSU Bakersfield	March 7																			



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RAEF GERDES

FORWARD • SOPHOMORE

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LEE'S SUMMIT, MO.

SUMMIT CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

STATISTICS

0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	FT%	3P%

TRACKING

	Season	GCU career
10+ points	0	0
10+ rebounds	0	0
5+ assists	0	0
Double-doubles	0	0
Led GCU in points	0	0

CAREER HIGHS

POINTS	REB.	ASSISTS	3-PT M
6	--	1	2
vs. Cal Baptist Feb. 21, 2019	--	2 times, last: vs. Eastern N.M. Feb. 28, 2019	vs. Cal Baptist Feb. 21, 2019
FT M	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
1	--	--	5
2 times, last: vs. Kansas City Jan. 19, 2019	--	--	vs. Chicago St. Jan. 17, 2019

SEASON HIGHS

POINTS	REB.	ASSISTS	3-PT M
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FT M	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
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CAREER STATS

Year	GP	GS	MIN	MPG	FG	FGA	PCT	3PM	3PA	3PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	AST	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2018-19 (Fr.)	7	0	19	2.7	3	8	37.5%	3	7	42.9%	2	4	50.0%	0	0	0	0.0	0	2	0.3	0	0	0	11	1.6
2019-20 (So.)	3	0	5	1.7	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	10	0	24	2.4	3	8	37.5	3	7	42.9	2	4	50.0	0	0	0	0.0	0	2	0.2	0	0	0	11	1.1

NOTES

THIS SEASON

» **WALK-ON:** Is one of two walk-ons on the Lopes roster, along with Ethan Spry.

OTHER NOTES

» **FRESHMAN SEASON:** Saw 19 minutes of action as a freshman, connecting on 3 of his 7 3-point attempts. Knocked down a pair of 3-pointers against California Baptist on Feb. 21, 2019 for a career-high six points.

GAME LOG

Opponent	Date	GS	Min	SHOOTING				REBOUNDING				PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG								
				FG	3PT	FT	O	D	T	A																
Davenport	Nov. 5																									
Illinois	Nov. 8																									
San Diego State	Nov. 13																									
Arkansas Pine Bluff	Nov. 16	1	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
Montana State	Nov. 19																									
Valparaiso	Nov. 22																									
Fordham	Nov. 23																									
Illinois State	Nov. 25																									
Purdue Fort Wayne	Nov. 30	1	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
Mount St. Mary's	Dec. 3																									
Liberty	Dec. 8																									
Northern Iowa	Dec. 12	3	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
New Mexico	Dec. 17																									
Eastern Illinois	Dec. 21																									
CSU Bakersfield	Jan. 4																									
California Baptist	Jan. 11																									
Chicago State	Jan. 16																									
Kansas City	Jan. 18																									
Seattle U	Jan. 23																									
Utah Valley	Jan. 25																									
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Chicago State	Feb. 15																									
Seattle U	Feb. 20																									
Utah Valley	Feb. 22																									
New Mexico State	Feb. 27																									
UTRGV	Feb. 29																									
CSU Bakersfield	March 7																									



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STATISTICS

13.0	5.4	2.0	39.7%	68.8%	28.1%
PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	FT%	3P%

TRACKING

	Season	GCU career
10+ points	8	37
10+ rebounds	1	2
5+ assists	0	1
Double-doubles	1	2
Led GCU in points	3	12

CAREER HIGHS

POINTS	REB.	ASSISTS	3-PT M
35	12	5	6
vs. Utah Valley March 15, 2019	vs. Arizona St. Feb. 16, 2017	2 times, last: vs. New Mexico St. March 16, 2019	vs. Utah Valley March 15, 2019
FT M	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
10	4	2	42
at CSU Bakersfield Feb. 2, 2019	at Utah Valley March 7, 2019	14 times, last: vs. Liberty Dec. 8, 2019	vs. Mt. St. Mary's Dec. 3, 2019

SEASON HIGHS

POINTS	REB.	ASSISTS	3-PT M
27	10	3	5
vs. Valparaiso Nov. 22	vs. Davenport Nov. 5	5 times, last: vs. Mt. St. Mary's Dec. 3	vs. Valparaiso Nov. 22
FT M	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
5	3	2	42
vs. Mt. St. Mary's Dec. 3	vs. UNI Dec. 12	vs. Liberty Dec. 8	vs. Mt. St. Mary's Dec. 3

CAREER STATS

(SHADING DENOTES PREVIOUS SCHOOL)

Year	GP	GS	MIN	MPG	FG	FGA	PCT	3PM	3PA	3PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	AST	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2016-17 (Fr.)	31	4	555	17.9	71	175	40.6%	7	32	21.9%	33	54	61.1%	45	47	92	3.0	72	21	0.7	38	7	9	182	5.9
2017-18 (So.)	17	0	144	8.5	25	44	56.8%	2	6	33.3%	13	22	59.1%	6	18	24	1.4	21	3	0.2	12	1	3	65	3.8
2018-19 (Jr.)	34	16	786	23.1	166	339	49.0%	32	98	32.7%	121	155	78.1%	47	91	138	4.1	89	53	1.6	92	5	32	485	14.3
2019-20 (Sr.)	12	11	421	35.1	58	146	39.7%	18	64	28.1%	22	32	68.8%	13	52	65	5.4	36	24	2.0	29	6	16	156	13.0
Total	94	31	1906	20.3	320	704	45.5	59	200	29.5	189	263	71.9	111	208	319	3.4	218	101	1.1	171	19	60	888	9.4

NOTES

THIS SEASON

- » **OPENING STAR:** Johnson tallied 22 points in Nov. 5's season opener, the most by an individual in a home opener in the Lopes' seven D-I seasons.
- » **PRESEASON ALL-WAC:** Johnson was a preseason All-WAC pick of both the coaches and the media, coming after all-district, all-conference and All-WAC Tournament selections last season.

OTHER NOTES

- » **30 PIECE:** Johnson had a pair of 30-point performances to open the 2019 WAC Tournament and was one of just six D-I players to have back-to-back 30-point performances in 2018-19. He scored 31 against Seattle U and 35 against Utah Valley.
- » **HEATING UP:** Started the 2018-19 season 7 of 38 (18.4%) from 3-point range in first 18 games before flipping the script to go 25 for 58 (43.1%) in final 16 games.
- » **QUICK WELCOME:** Johnson's 485 points in his debut Lopes season ranked fifth for points in a GCU D-I season. DeWayne Russell's 593 in 2016-17 is the leading mark.

GAME LOG

Opponent	Date	GS	Min	SHOOTING				REBOUNDING				PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG							
				FG	3PT	FT	O	D	T	A															
Davenport	Nov. 5	*	37	8-21	.381	2-8	.250	4-4	1.000	3	7	10	10.0	3	2	4	1	2	22	22.0					
Illinois	Nov. 8	*	40	2-10	.200	1-5	.200	0-2	.000	0	4	4	7.0	5	3	1	0	1	5	13.5					
San Diego State	Nov. 13	*	35	3-11	.273	1-6	.167	3-6	.500	1	5	6	6.7	4	3	4	0	1	10	12.3					
Arkansas Pine Bluff	Nov. 16	*	34	7-12	.583	2-7	.286	1-2	.500	1	6	7	6.8	3	2	3	1	2	17	13.5					
Montana State	Nov. 19	*	32	5-12	.417	3-7	.429	3-4	.750	1	4	5	6.4	3	0	0	1	2	16	14.0					
Valparaiso	Nov. 22	*	36	10-16	.625	5-6	.833	2-2	1.000	0	3	3	5.8	3	2	6	0	1	27	16.2					
Fordham	Nov. 23	*	37	7-14	.500	1-6	.167	2-2	1.000	0	2	2	5.3	2	0	1	0	2	17	16.3					
Illinois State	Nov. 25		23	2-7	.286	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	2	6	8	5.6	1	3	1	1	0	4	14.8					
Purdue Fort Wayne	Nov. 30	*	36	1-11	.091	0-4	.000	2-2	1.000	4	3	7	5.8	1	3	3	0	0	4	13.6					
Mount St. Mary's	Dec. 3	*	42	6-15	.400	1-5	.200	5-7	.714	1	8	9	6.1	3	3	3	0	2	18	14.0					
Liberty	Dec. 8	*	38	5-9	.556	1-5	.200	0-1	.000	0	4	4	5.9	5	2	3	2	0	11	13.7					
Northern Iowa	Dec. 12	*	31	2-8	.250	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	0	0	0	5.4	3	1	0	0	3	5	13.0					
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BRYCE OKPOH

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STATISTICS

11	2.5	0.0	30.8%	50.0%	0.0%
PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	FT%	3P%

TRACKING

	Season	GCU career
10+ points	0	0
10+ rebounds	0	0
5+ assists	0	0
Double-doubles	0	0
Led GCU in points	0	0

CAREER HIGHS

POINTS	REB.	ASSISTS	3-PT M
7	8	--	--
vs. Mt. St. Mary's Dec. 3, 2019	vs. Illinois St. Nov. 25, 2019	--	--
FT M	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
2	1	1	29
vs. Ark.-PB Nov. 16, 2019	vs. Purdue FW Nov. 30, 2019	2 times, last: vs. UNI Dec. 12, 2019	vs. Illinois St. Nov. 25, 2019

SEASON HIGHS

POINTS	REB.	ASSISTS	3-PT M
7	8	--	--
vs. Mt. St. Mary's Dec. 3	vs. Illinois St. Nov. 25	--	--
FT M	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
2	1	1	29
vs. Ark.-PB Nov. 16	vs. Purdue FW Nov. 30	2 times, last: vs. UNI Dec. 12	vs. Illinois St. Nov. 25

CAREER STATS

Year	GP	GS	MIN	MPG	FG	FGA	PCT	3PM	3PA	3PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	AST	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2019-20 (Fr.)	12	4	168	14.0	4	13	30.8%	0	1	0.0%	5	10	50.0%	13	17	30	2.5	22	0	0.0	4	2	1	13	1.1
Total	12	4	168	14.0	4	13	30.8	0	1	0.0	5	10	50.0	13	17	30	2.5	22	0	0.0	4	2	1	13	1.1

NOTES
THIS SEASON

- » **REBOUND RECORD:** Earning his first career start in GCU's Paradise Jam finale against Illinois State, Okpoh became the first GCU player to have eight or more rebounds in his first collegiate start (D-I era).
- » **COLLEGIATE POINTS:** Knocked down a pair of free throws in GCU's win over Ark.-Pine Bluff on Nov. 16 for first collegiate points.
- » **FRESHMEN FEW:** One of three true freshmen on GCU's roster, alongside Jovan Blacksher and Ethan Spry.

OTHER NOTES

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GAME LOG

Opponent	Date	GS	Min	SHOOTING				REBOUNDING				PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG	
				FG	3PT	FT	O	D	T	A									
Davenport	Nov. 5	7	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	1.0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0.0
Illinois	Nov. 8	9	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
San Diego State	Nov. 13	4	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	0.7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Arkansas Pine Bluff	Nov. 16	13	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	0	0	0	0.5	1	0	2	0	0	2	0.5
Montana State	Nov. 19	9	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2	0	2	0.8	2	0	0	0	0	0	0.4
Valparaiso	Nov. 22	14	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	1.0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0.3
Fordham	Nov. 23	6	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.3
Illinois State	Nov. 25	* 29	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	3	5	8	1.8	3	0	0	0	0	0	0.3
Purdue Fort Wayne	Nov. 30	14	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	0	2	2	1.8	2	0	1	0	1	2	0.4
Mount St. Mary's	Dec. 3	* 27	3-3	1.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	2	5	7	2.3	2	0	0	1	0	7	1.1
Liberty	Dec. 8	* 20	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	2	2	4	2.5	4	0	0	0	0	1	1.1
Northern Iowa	Dec. 12	* 17	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	2	1	3	2.5	1	0	0	1	0	1	1.1
New Mexico	Dec. 17																		
Eastern Illinois	Dec. 21																		
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CSU Bakersfield	March 7																		



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ALESSANDRO
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GRISSIN BON REGGIO

STATISTICS

14.3	4.8	2.0	49.6%	69.7%	35.9%
PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	FT%	3P%

TRACKING

	Season	GCU career
10+ points	8	45
10+ rebounds	1	5
5+ assists	1	2
Double-doubles	1	4
Led GCU in points	4	22

CAREER HIGHS

POINTS	REB.	ASSISTS	3-PT M
30	10	5	4
vs. Seattle U Feb. 22, 2018	5 times, last: vs. Fordham Nov. 23, 2019	2 times, last: vs. Montana St. Nov. 19, 2019	at Chicago St. Feb. 16, 2019
FT M	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
14	2	2	41
2 times, last: vs. Seattle U Feb. 22, 2018	2 times, last: vs. Illinois St. Nov. 25, 2019	2 times, last: vs. Utah Valley March 9, 2018	vs. Mt. St. Mary's Dec. 3, 2019

SEASON HIGHS

POINTS	REB.	ASSISTS	3-PT M
25	10	5	3
vs. Ark.-PB Nov. 16	vs. Fordham Nov. 23	vs. Montana St. Nov. 19	vs. Liberty Dec. 8, 2019
FT M	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
6	2	1	41
vs. Ark.-PB Nov. 16	vs. Illinois St. Nov. 25	vs. UNI Dec. 12	vs. Mt. St. Mary's Dec. 3, 2019

CAREER STATS

Year	GP	GS	MIN	MPG	FG	FGA	PCT	3PM	3PA	3PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	AST	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2017-18 (Fr.)	34	27	724	21.3	140	309	45.3%	26	81	32.1%	108	141	76.6%	42	107	149	4.4	90	40	1.2	59	14	12	414	12.2
2018-19 (So.)	34	33	846	24.9	153	342	44.7%	40	113	35.4%	80	107	74.8%	42	103	145	4.3	110	47	1.4	57	2	14	426	12.5
2019-20 (Jr.)	12	12	382	31.8	67	135	49.6%	14	39	35.9%	23	33	69.7%	18	40	58	4.8	37	24	2.0	26	1	6	171	14.3
Total	80	72	1952	24.4	360	786	45.8	80	233	34.3	211	281	75.1	102	250	352	4.4	237	111	1.4	142	17	32	1011	12.6

NOTES

THIS SEASON

- » **1K CLUB:** Scored his 1,000th point on Dec. 8 against Liberty to join DeWayne Russell and Joshua Braun in GCU's 1,000-point club at the D-I level.
- » **PRESEASON HONORS:** Lever joined Carlos Johnson on the Coaches Preseason All-WAC first team, making GCU the only school with two players on the team.
- » **LEANER LEVER:** Changed diet to weigh in over 20 pounds lighter than last season, primed for the quicker style of play.

OTHER NOTES

- » **SOPHOMORE SEASON:** Improved his scoring average (12.2 to 12.5), 3-point percentage (32.1 to 35.4) and turnover numbers (8.1 per 100 minutes to 6.7 per 100 minutes).
- » **FRESHMAN PHENOM:** Lever took the WAC by surprise during his freshman campaign in 2017-18, averaging 12.2 points and 4.4 rebounds to be chosen as the conference's freshman of the year and a first-team All-WAC selection.

GAME LOG

Opponent	Date	GS	Min	SHOOTING				REBOUNDING				PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG								
				FG	3PT	FT	O	D	T	A																
Davenport	Nov. 5	*	37	2-5	.400	0-2	.000	1-2	.500	1	2	3	3.0	2	2	1	0	0	5	5.0						
Illinois	Nov. 8	*	16	5-8	.625	1-2	.500	1-1	1.000	0	0	0	1.5	5	2	3	0	0	12	8.5						
San Diego State	Nov. 13	*	20	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	0	2	2	1.7	5	2	2	0	0	4	7.0						
Arkansas Pine Bluff	Nov. 16	*	37	9-12	.750	1-1	1.000	6-9	.667	2	4	6	2.8	2	4	1	0	1	25	11.5						
Montana State	Nov. 19	*	35	6-16	.375	1-5	.200	2-2	1.000	4	3	7	3.6	2	5	0	0	1	15	12.2						
Valparaiso	Nov. 22	*	35	4-14	.286	1-4	.250	0-2	.000	1	7	8	4.3	4	2	4	0	0	9	11.7						
Fordham	Nov. 23	*	35	8-13	.615	1-5	.200	2-2	1.000	3	7	10	5.1	2	0	2	0	1	19	12.7						
Illinois State	Nov. 25	*	37	9-21	.429	2-5	.400	3-3	1.000	1	2	3	4.9	2	0	3	0	2	23	14.0						
Purdue Fort Wayne	Nov. 30	*	34	7-10	.700	1-1	1.000	5-8	.625	2	2	4	4.8	4	1	4	0	1	20	14.7						
Mount St. Mary's	Dec. 3	*	41	7-12	.583	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	2	4	6	4.9	2	3	2	0	0	16	14.8						
Liberty	Dec. 8	*	22	5-10	.500	3-5	.600	1-2	.500	2	3	5	4.9	5	1	2	0	0	14	14.7						
Northern Iowa	Dec. 12	*	33	4-10	.400	1-5	.200	0-0	.000	0	4	4	4.8	2	2	2	1	0	9	14.3						
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ETHAN SPRY

FORWARD • FRESHMAN

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SCOTTSDALE, ARIZ.

SCOTTSDALE CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

STATISTICS

0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	FT%	3P%

TRACKING

	Season	GCU career
10+ points	0	0
10+ rebounds	0	0
5+ assists	0	0
Double-doubles	0	0
Led GCU in points	0	0

CAREER HIGHS

POINTS	REB.	ASSISTS	3-PT M
--	--	1	--
--	--	vs. Purdue FW Nov. 30, 2019	--
FT M	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
--	--	--	3
--	--	--	vs. UNI Dec. 12, 2019

SEASON HIGHS

POINTS	REB.	ASSISTS	3-PT M
--	--	1	--
--	--	vs. Purdue FW Nov. 30	--
FT M	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
--	--	--	3
--	--	--	vs. UNI Dec. 12

CAREER STATS

Year	GP	GS	MIN	MPG	FG	FGA	PCT	3PM	3PA	3PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	AST	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2019-20 (Fr.)	4	0	5	1.3	0	2	0.0%	0	2	0.0%	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	1	1	0.3	0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	4	0	5	1.3	0	2	0.0	0	2	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	1	1	0.3	0	0	0	0	0.0

NOTES

THIS SEASON

- » **ON THE STAT SHEET:** In limited time, picked up his first career assist on a pass to Isiah Brown who knocked down a 3-pointer against Purdue Fort Wayne on Nov. 30.
- » **FRESHMEN FEW:** One of three true freshmen on GCU's roster; alongside Jovan Blacksher and Bryce Okpoh.

OTHER NOTES

- » **TITLE TEAM:** Ended high school career by averaging 17.6 points and 10.4 rebounds while shooting 45% from 3-point range to help lead Scottsdale Christian to the Class 2A state championship.

GAME LOG

Opponent	Date	GS	Min	SHOOTING				REBOUNDING				OTHER				PTS	AVG								
				FG	3PT	FT		O	D	T	A	PF	A	TO	BLK			STL							
Davenport	Nov. 5																								
Illinois	Nov. 8	0+	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
San Diego State	Nov. 13																								
Arkansas Pine Bluff	Nov. 16	1	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Montana State	Nov. 19																								
Valparaiso	Nov. 22																								
Fordham	Nov. 23																								
Illinois State	Nov. 25																								
Purdue Fort Wayne	Nov. 30	1	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Mount St. Mary's	Dec. 3																								
Liberty	Dec. 8																								
Northern Iowa	Dec. 12	3	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
New Mexico	Dec. 17																								
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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5 | HOME OPENER



DAVENPORT

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GRAND CANYON

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PTS		REB	
22	C. Rollons	7	T. Beckford
17	R. Bramhill	6	C. Pearl
12	E. Hines	4	3 tied
AST		STL	
4	2 tied	3	C. Pearl

29-59	49.2%	FG	28-62	45.2%
15-30	50.0%	3P%	2-19	10.5%
36 (29/7)		REB (D/O)	33 (25/8)	
18		TO	12	

"This is probably a good thing for us that we got spanked this way so maybe it'll open some eyes." - **DAN MAJERLE**

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8 | HOME



ILLINOIS

83

GRAND CANYON

71



PTS		REB	
23	K. Cockburn	14	K. Cockburn
21	A. Feliz	7	D. Williams
9	2 tied	6	3 tied
AST		STL	
6	A. Dosunmu	2	A. Feliz

29-64	45.3%	FG	27-61	44.3%
4-13	30.8%	3P%	8-19	42.1%
52 (30/20)		REB (D/O)	26 (20/6)	
17		TO	11	

"It's well done and kudos to everybody that has participated in that. It's a special place and it's a great home-court advantage." - **BRAD UNDERWOOD**

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13 | AWAY



GRAND CANYON

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SAN DIEGO STATE

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PTS		REB	
15	L. Jenkins	10	J. Blacksher
14	J. Blacksher	6	C. Johnson
10	2 tied	5	J. Rhymes
AST		STL	
3	C. Johnson	2	I. Brown

19-52	36.5%	FG	35-64	54.7%
4-18	22.2%	3P%	13-27	48.1%
32 (23/9)		REB (D/O)	37 (29/8)	
12		TO	7	

"I wouldn't be surprised, at the end of the year, if you looked up [they're] competing to put themselves in the NCAA tournament. When they get all their pieces set, they're going to be really hard to play against." - **BRIAN DUTCHER**

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16 | HOME



ARKANSAS-PINE BLUFF

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GRAND CANYON

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PTS		REB	
12	S. Doss	7	D. Morris
12	T. Banyard	6	T. Banyard
9	D. Morris	5	M. Bell
AST		STL	
2	S. Doss	3	2 tied

22-56	39.3%	FG	24-51	47.1%
3-14	21.4%	3P%	5-20	25.0%
35 (24/11)		REB (D/O)	33 (27/6)	
16		TO	15	

"We still have a ton of work to do, and our guys know that, but I am happy with the win. Hopefully, we can take some positives out of this." - **DAN MAJERLE**

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19 | HOME



MONTANA STATE

56

GRAND CANYON

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PTS		REB	
17	J. Belo	7	H. Fray
14	H. Fray	5	3 tied
8	A. Adamu		
AST		STL	
4	H. Fray	1	2 tied

22-46	47.8%	FG	22-59	37.3%
4-16	25.0%	3P%	7-23	30.4%
34 (28/6)		REB (D/O)	32 (22/10)	
17		TO	4	

"That was a gutsy, gutsy win against a really good team that is playing well. Our guys really buckled down. As my mom would say, 'Pleased as punch.'" - **DAN MAJERLE**

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22 | PARADISE JAM



VALPARAISO

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GRAND CANYON

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PTS		REB	
22	J. Freeman-Liberty	6	J. Freeman-Liberty
16	N. Robinson	6	N. Robinson
12	D. Sackey	6	D. Sackey
AST		STL	
4	2 tied	3	2 tied

23-59	39.0%	FG	30-58	51.7%
11-30	36.7%	3P%	10-22	45.5%
31 (23/8)		REB (D/O)	34 (29/5)	
10		TO	18	

"It's hard when a team goes to the line 26 times and we go six and we're trying to be just as physical." - **DAN MAJERLE**



SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23 | PARADISE JAM

FORDHAM
70

PTS		REB	
15	C. Ohams	9	O. Eyisi
10	3 tied	8	C. Ohams
		3	2 tied

AST		STL	
4	2 tied	2	J. Cobb

26-61 42.6%	FG
8-23 34.8%	3P%
33 (22/11)	REB (D/O)
10	TO

GRAND CANYON
58

PTS		REB	
19	A. Lever	10	A. Lever
17	C. Johnson	5	J. Rhymes
8	J. Blacksher Jr.	3	3 tied

AST		STL	
3	J. Blacksher Jr.	2	C. Johnson

22-49 44.9%	FG
3-18 16.7%	3P%
30 (25/5)	REB (D/O)
16	TO

"We've just got to keep fighting. I thought we took a step forward (Friday). This was a huge step back." - **DAN MAJERLE**

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30 | HOME

PURDUE FORT WAYNE
71

PTS		REB	
28	J. Godfrey	6	D. Carl
9	B. Patrick	5	M. Holba
7	M. Holba	5	M. DeBerry

AST		STL	
3	D. Black	2	2 tied

27-49 55.1%	FG
7-23 30.4%	3P%
28 (23/5)	REB (D/O)
11	TO

GRAND CANYON
60

PTS		REB	
20	A. Lever	7	C. Johnson
18	J. Blacksher	5	3 tied
10	I. Brown		

AST		STL	
4	I. Brown	2	2 tied

20-50 40.0%	FG
6-17 35.3%	3P%
30 (20/10)	REB (D/O)
11	TO

"In spurts, we play OK and then we hit a wall and make a couple mistakes and then it all goes because they don't trust [the system]." - **DAN MAJERLE**

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8 | COLANGELO CLASSIC

LIBERTY
71

PTS		REB	
17	C. Homesley	5	4 tied
15	M. Baxter-Bell		
11	E. Cuffee		

AST		STL	
4	2 tied	1	3 tied

22-48 45.8%	FG
8-19 42.1%	3P%
32 (25/7)	REB (D/O)
9	TO

GRAND CANYON
60

PTS		REB	
16	I. Brown	8	I. Brown
14	A. Lever	5	A. Lever
13	L. Jenkins	5	J. Blacksher Jr.

AST		STL	
4	J. Blacksher Jr.	2	I. Brown

23-53 43.4%	FG
5-21 23.8%	3P%
32 (24/8)	REB (D/O)
11	TO

"I thought we got a little bit better today, disappointed in the loss, but I saw some positive things also. I thought our guys battled..." - **DAN MAJERLE**

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25 | PARADISE JAM

ILLINOIS STATE
63

PTS		REB	
21	Z. Copeland	7	J. Hillsman
10	D. Brown	5	Z. Copeland
8	R. Torres	5	M. Chastain

AST		STL	
5	M. Chastain	2	A. Ndiaye

26-61 42.6%	FG
10-26 38.4%	3P%
33 (26/7)	REB (D/O)
11	TO

GRAND CANYON
68

PTS		REB	
25	A. Lever	8	B. Okpoh
21	I. Brown	8	C. Johnson
10	2 players	6	J. Blacksher

AST		STL	
4	J. Blacksher Jr.	2	2 players

24-60 40.0%	FG
8-22 36.4%	3P%
39 (27/12)	REB (D/O)
14	TO

"A big time win for our fellas. We faced a really desperate Illinois State team, just like us. I thought we jumped out with tremendous energy." - **DAN MAJERLE**

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3 | HOME

MOUNT ST. MARY'S
67

PTS		REB	
23	D. Chong Qui	7	N. Opoku
9	J. Gibbs	5	M. Jefferson
7	O. Habwe	4	4 tied

AST		STL	
4	D. Chong Qui	3	D. Chong Qui

22-61 36.1%	FG
10-32 31.3%	3P%
35 (25/10)	REB (D/O)
13	TO

GRAND CANYON
75

PTS		REB	
18	C. Johnson	9	C. Johnson
16	A. Lever	7	I. Brown
14	I. Brown	7	B. Okpoh

AST		STL	
3	2 tied	3	J. Blacksher Jr.

26-54 48.1%	FG
5-18 27.8%	3P%
38 (33/5)	REB (D/O)
11	TO

"All of the guys have been great. They have been taking a lot of hard coaching lately. A lot of watching film and showing, and they have responded." - **DAN MAJERLE**

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12 | HOME

NORTHERN IOWA
82

PTS		REB	
25	A. Green	11	I. Brown
18	T. Berhow	6	3 tied
13	A. Phye		

AST		STL	
4	A. Phye	2	A. Green

26-49 53.1%	FG
11-27 40.7%	3P%
43 (35/8)	REB (D/O)
15	TO

GRAND CANYON
58

PTS		REB	
15	L. Jenkins	7	J. Blacksher
12	J. Blacksher	4	A. Lever
10	I. Brown	3	2 tied

AST		STL	
3	I. Brown	4	J. Blacksher

23-62 37.1%	FG
4-24 16.7%	3P%
21 (15/6)	REB (D/O)
5	TO

"It's because we don't have the right mindset. It'll change, trust me." - **DAN MAJERLE**

		SEASON / CAREER STATS							CAREER HIGHS (4-yr schools)				PLAYER QUICK NOTES	
	J.J. RHYMES Guard R-Jr. • 6-4 • 200 Phoenix, Ariz.	Year	GP	GS	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3P%	FT%	PTS	10, vs. Illinois State, 11/25/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> » FIRST: vs. Illinois State (11/25), first GCU start, first double-digit points » MILESTONE: Became the first GCU D-I player to post a stat line of 5 points / 9 rebounds / 7 assists in win over Ark.-Pine Bluff on Nov. 16. » ALL-TIMER: Finished seventh all-time in Hutchinson CC's career scoring records with 1,295 points in two years. 	
		2019-20	12	2	5.417	3.583	1.167	40.4%	0.0%	71.9%	REB	9, vs. Ark.-Pine Bluff, 11/16/19		
		Career*	12	2	5.417	3.583	1.167	40.4%	0.0%	71.9%	AST	7, vs. Ark.-Pine Bluff, 11/16/19		
												STL		1, vs. Purdue FW, 11/30/19
	ISIAH BROWN Guard R-Jr. • 6-2 • 180 Seattle, Wash.	Year	GP	GS	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3P%	FT%	PTS	21, vs. Illinois State, 11/25/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> » NEW CAREER HIGH: Brown had his best game in a GCU uniform against Illinois State in the Paradise Jam finale on Nov. 25. Brown connected on 5 of 8 3-pointers, scoring 21 points in a GCU win. » TOURNEY TESTED: Fifth-leading scorer and top freshmen scorer on 2016-17 Northwestern team that went to its first NCAA tournament. 	
		2019-20	12	12	11.583	4.583	1.833	45.9%	34.1%	88.0%	REB	7 (2x), last vs. Mount St. Mary's, 12/3/19		
		Career	72	14	6.4	1.7	1.3	38.0	29.9	81.2	AST	6, vs. Lewis, 12/19/17		
												STL		2 (9x), last vs. Purdue FW, 11/30/19
	MIKEY DIXON Guard R-Jr. • 6-2 • 165 New Castle, Del.	Year	GP	GS	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3P%	FT%	PTS	29, vs. Canisius, 1/20/17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> » RETURN TO ACTION: Due to a midseason transfer last year, Dixon will first be eligible to suit up for GCU on Dec. 17. It will be Dixon's first appearance since Jan. 1. » SUPERB SCORER: Dixon was the 12th-highest scoring freshman in Division I for Quinnipiac in 2016-17, averaging 16.5 points. 	
		2019-20	0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	REB	12, at Manhattan, 2/19/17		
		Career	45	21	13.2	3.0	1.9	45.5	38.0	81.3	AST	7 (2x), last vs. Manhattan, 1/7/17		
												STL		3, vs. Wagner, 12/16/18
	OSCAR FRAYER Forward Sr. • 6-7 • 195 Oakland, Calif.	Year	GP	GS	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3P%	FT%	PTS	23, at New Mexico State, 2/10/18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> » BLOCK PARTY: Frayer needs one block to tie Joshua Braun's mark of 74 blocks for most in a career (D-I era). » SENIOR SEASON: Is the lone fourth-year Lope on the roster. » EXPERIENCE: Has most collegiate games under his belt of any GCU player. He enters the year having played 97 games. 	
		2019-20	0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	REB	15, vs. Kansas City, 3/8/18		
		Career	97	83	8.4	4.7	1.0	43.6	32.2	58.6	AST	5, vs. Utah Valley, 3/9/18		
												STL		4 (3x), last at UTRGV, 2/8/18
	LOUIS BANGAI Center R-Jr. • 6-10 • 230 Yaounde, Cameroon	Year	GP	GS	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3P%	FT%	PTS	1 (2x), last vs. Fordham, 11/23/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> » DEBUT: Made collegiate debut with a four-minute stint against Illinois on Nov. 8. » WITH MENZIES: Bangai spent the 2018-19 season as a redshirt on Marvin Menzies' roster at UNLV. 	
		2019-20	6	0	0.8	1.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.5	REB	2, vs. Fordham, 11/23/19		
		Career	6	0	0.833	1	0.0	0.333	0.0	0.5	AST	--		
												STL		6, at San Diego St., 11/13/19
	JOVAN BLACKSHER Guard Fr. • 5-11 • 155 Oakland, Calif.	Year	GP	GS	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3P%	FT%	PTS	18, vs. Purdue FW, 11/30/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> » DISTRIBUTING: Nation's only freshman to have 10-assist, 1-turnover game vs. a D-I opponent, doing so against Montana State on 11/19. » DOUBLE-DOUBLE: Recorded 14 pts and 10 reb at San Diego St. on 11/13. » DAY 1 STARTER: Blacksher's start in season opener made him =the fourth true freshman to start first career game in GCU's D-I era. 	
		2019-20	12	12	11.2	4.8	3.3	38.5%	20.5%	79.5%	REB	10, at San Diego St., 11/13/19		
		Career	12	12	11.167	4.833	3.25	0.385	0.205	0.795	AST	10, vs. Montana State, 11/19/19		
												STL		3 (2x), last vs. Mount St. Mary's, 12/3/19
	JAYLEN FISHER Guard Jr. • 6-2 • 195 Memphis, Tenn.	Year	GP	GS	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3P%	FT%	PTS	22, at Oklahoma, 1/13/18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> » TRANSFERS TO GCU: Announced commitment to Grand Canyon on July 2, 2019, after transfer from TCU. » FROM DISTANCE: Has most career 3-pointers made of any current GCU player, connecting on 113 of his 276 career attempts (40.9%). Averaged 3.3 made 3-pointers in first nine games of last season. 	
		2019-20	0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	REB	6, vs. Central Michigan, 12/30/18		
		Career	61	56	10.9	1.9	4.2	42.5	40.9	79.2	AST	11, vs. Iowa State, 1/14/17		
												STL		4, vs. St. Thomas, 11/11/16
	LORENZO JENKINS Forward R-Sr. • 6-7 • 215 Naples, Fla.	Year	GP	GS	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3P%	FT%	PTS	20, vs. Montana State, 11/19/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> » CLUTCH GENE: Hit game-tying bucket to send game to OT on Dec. 3. » CAREER HIGH: The date of 11/19 has been kind to him. Jenkins set career-high with 20 pts, breaking previous high of 17 set on 11/19/18. » GRAD TRANSFER: After past stops at Arkansas and Colorado State, Jenkins transferred to GCU as a graduate student. 	
		2019-20	12	7	9.3	2.7	0.8	44.8%	25.6%	88.5%	REB	10, vs. Louisiana, 11/19/18		
		Career	55	16	5.5	2.3	0.4	41.1	36.4	75.9	AST	3, vs. Louisiana, 11/19/18		
												STL		2 (2x), last vs. Illinois, 11/8/19
	RAEF GERDES Forward So. • 6-7 • 180 Lee's Summit, Mo.	Year	GP	GS	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3P%	FT%	PTS	6, vs. California Baptist, 2/21/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> » WALK-ON: Is one of two walk-ons on roster, along with Ethan Spry. » FRESHMAN SEASON: Saw 19 minutes of action as a freshman, connecting on 3 of his 7 3-point attempts. Knocked down a pair of 3-pointers against California Baptist on Feb. 21, 2019 for a career-high six points. 	
		2019-20	3	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	REB	--		
		Career	10	0	1.1	0.0	0.2	37.5	42.9	50.0	AST	1 (2x), last vs. E. New Mexico, 2/28/19		
												STL		--
	CARLOS JOHNSON Guard Sr. • 6-4 • 220 Centralia, Ill.	Year	GP	GS	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3P%	FT%	PTS	35, vs. Utah Valley, 3/15/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> » PRESEASON ALL-WAC: A preseason All-WAC pick, coming after all-district, all-conference and All-WAC Tournament selections last year. » 30 PIECE: Had a pair of 30-point performances to open the 2019 WAC Tournament, one of six D-I players to have back-to-back 30-point games in 2018-19. He scored 31 against Seattle U and 35 against UVU. 	
		2019-20	12	11	13.0	5.4	2.0	39.7%	28.1%	68.8%	REB	12, vs. Arizona State, 2/16/17		
		Career	94	31	9.4	3.4	1.1	45.5	29.5	71.9	AST	5 (2x), last vs. New Mexico State, 3/16/19		
												STL		4, at Utah Valley, 3/7/19
	BRYCE OKPOH Forward Fr. • 6-7 • 190 The Colony, Texas	Year	GP	GS	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3P%	FT%	PTS	7, vs. Mount St. Mary's, 12/3/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> » REBOUND RECORD: Earning his first career start in GCU's Paradise Jam finale against Illinois State, Okpoh became the first GCU player to have eight or more rebounds in his first collegiate start (D-I era). » COLLEGIATE POINTS: Knocked down a pair of free throws in GCU's win over Ark.-Pine Bluff on Nov. 16 for first collegiate points. 	
		2019-20	12	4	1.1	2.5	0.0	31%	0%	50%	REB	8, vs. Illinois State, 11/25/19		
		Career	12	4	1.083	2.5	0.0	31%	0%	50%	AST	--		
												STL		1, vs. Purdue FW, 11/30/19
	ALESSANDRO LEVER Center Jr. • 6-10 • 225 Bolzano, Italy	Year	GP	GS	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3P%	FT%	PTS	30, vs. Seattle U, 2/22/18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> » 1K CLUB: Scored 1,000th career point on Dec. 8 against Liberty, joining DeWayne Russell and Joshua Braun as GCU's 1,000-point scorers in D1. » PRESEASON HONORS: Preseason All-WAC first team pick. » LEANER LEVER: Changed diet to weigh in 20 pounds lighter than last season, primed for the quicker style of play of the 2019-20 Lopes. 	
		2019-20	12	12	14.25	4.833	2	49.6%	35.9%	69.7%	REB	10 (5x), last vs. Fordham, 11/23/19		
		Career	80	72	12.6	4.4	1.4	45.8	34.3	75.1	AST	5 (2x), last vs. Montana State, 11/19/19		
												STL		2 (2x), last vs. Illinois State, 11/25/19
	GABE MCGLOTHAN Forward RS • 6-8 • 220 Gilbert, Ariz.	Year	GP	GS	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3P%	FT%	PTS	27, vs. Tennessee Tech, 2/7/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> » REDSHIRTING 2019-20: Due to NCAA transfer rules, McGlothan will redshirt the season and be eligible to see action next season. 	
		2019-20	12	2	5.417	3.583	1.167	40.4%	0.0%	71.9%	REB	16 (2x), last vs. Tennessee Tech, 2/7/19		
		Career*	12	2	5.417	3.583	1.167	40.4%	0.0%	71.9%	AST	3 (2x), last vs. Belmont, 3/2/19		
												STL		3, at Belmont, 1/31/19
	ETHAN SPRY Forward Fr. • 6-6 • 200 Scottsdale, Ariz.	Year	GP	GS	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3P%	FT%	PTS	--	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> » DEBUT: Saw first action in GCU's loss to Illinois on Nov. 8. » FRESHMEN FEW: One of three true freshmen on GCU's roster. » TITLE TEAM: Ended high school career by averaging 17.6 points and 10.4 rebounds while shooting 45% from 3-point range to help lead Scottsdale Christian to the Class 2A state championship. 	
		2019-20	4	0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0%	0%	0.0	REB	1, vs. Purdue FW, 11/30/19		
		Career	4	0	0.0	0.0	0.25	0	0	0.0	AST	--		
												STL		1 (2x), last vs. Purdue FW, 11/30/19