



10 Big Ten Championships | 25 NCAA Tournament Appearances | 84 All-America Selections | 20 20-Win Seasons

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GAME 2

HOST FORDHAM

November 15, 2015 | 2 p.m.
University Park, Pa.
Bryce Jordan Center (15,261)

SCHEDULE / RESULTS

(1-0, 0-0 B1G)

Date	Opponent	TV	Time/Result
N1	CALIFORNIA (PA.) (EX)		W, 84-58
N13	HOLY CROSS		W, 86-82 (OT)
N15	FORDHAM	BTN+	2 p.m.
N18	at Tennessee	SEC Network	8 p.m.
N22	CENTRAL CONN. STATE		2 p.m.
N27	at Cal-State Northridge ¹		10:30 p.m.
N28	vs. BYU/Georgia ¹		5/7:30 p.m.
D3	VIRGINIA TECH ²	BTN	7:30 p.m.
D6	at USF	CBSSN	3 p.m.
D8	YOUNGSTOWN STATE		7 p.m.
D12	at St. Bonaventure		1:30 p.m.
D20	SACRED HEART		2 p.m.
D31	NORTHWESTERN *	BTN+	2 p.m.
J3	at Minnesota *	BTN+	3 p.m.
J7	MICHIGAN STATE *	BTN+	7 p.m.
J10	at Wisconsin *	BTN	4 p.m.
J13	NEBRASKA *	BTN+	7 p.m.
J17	MICHIGAN *	BTN+	2 p.m.
J20	at Iowa *	BTN+	8 p.m.
J23	at Illinois *	BTN+	3 p.m.
J26	MARYLAND *	BTN	7 p.m.
J30	PURDUE *	BTN+	2 p.m.
F2	at Nebraska *	BTN	8 p.m.
F7	RUTGERS *	BTN+	2 p.m.
F11	at Michigan State *	BTN	6:30 p.m.
F14	OHIO STATE *	BTN	2 p.m.
F17	at Northwestern *	BTN+	8 p.m.
F20	at Michigan *	BTN	Noon
F24	IOWA *	BTN+	7 p.m.
F27	at Indiana *	BTN	4 p.m.

B1G TOURNAMENT (Indianapolis, Ind.)

M2	First Round	BTN	--
M3	Second Round	BTN	--
M4	Quarterfinals	BTN	--
M5	Semifinals	BTN	--
M6	Championship	ESPN	7 p.m.

All Times Eastern | * - Big Ten game

1 - Radisson Chatsworth Thanksgiving Classic (Northridge, Calif.)
2 - B1G/ACC Challenge (University Park, Pa.)

FOLLOW ALONG

Radio: Penn State Sports Network
Jerry Fisher & Meredith Monroe
1390AM & GoPSUsports.com

TV: None

Online:
BTN Plus @ BTN2Go.com (\$)
Live Audio @ GoPSUsports.com (Free)

GAME DAY MATCHUP

FORDHAM RAMS

0-0, 0-0 A-10



Head Coach: Stephanie V. Gaitley
Career Record (Yr.): 84-47 (4)
Record at Fordham (Yr.): 548-317 (29)
vs. Penn State: 0-7

Last Game: W, 88-59 vs. Caldwell (EX)

2014-15 Leading Scorer: Hannah Missry, Sr. - 9.3 ppg
2014-15 Leading Rebounder: Samantha Clark, Sr. - 7.6 rpg

PENN STATE LADY LIONS

1-0, 0-0 B1G



Head Coach: Coquese Washington
Career Record (Yr.): 149-105 (9)
Record at Penn State (Yr.): Same
vs. Fordham: 1-0

Last Game: W, 86-82 vs. Holy Cross (OT)

Leading Scorer: Peyton Whitted, Jr. - 22.0 ppg
Leading Rebounder: Peyton Whitted, Jr. - 11.0 rpg



LADY LIONS TRUMP HOLY CROSS IN OVERTIME, 86-82, TO OPEN 2015-16

SERIES NOTES

// Penn State leads the all-time series, 2-0.
// #15/13 Penn State claimed a 78-61 victory over Fordham in the more recent meeting on Nov. 10, 2013 at the Bryce Jordan Center.
// An NCAA Tournament first round meeting on March 16, 1994 went the way of the No. 1-seeded Lady Lions, 91-41, at Rec Hall.

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// Penn State and Fordham's 2013 meeting came in the second game of the season, as well.
// Fordham head coach Stephanie V. Gaitley has met Penn State seven previous times, including the 2013 meeting at Fordham. Six of her seven previous meetings came as head coach of St. Joseph's (1991-2001).

NEWS & NOTES

// Junior **Peyton Whitted** posted a career-high 22 points and 11 rebounds to help the Lady Lions to an 86-82 overtime win over Holy Cross on Friday (Nov. 13). Senior **Brianna Banks** and freshman **Teniya Page** also reached double figures with 20 and 15 points, respectively. **MORE ON PAGE 6**
// Banks and Page, along with freshman **Ashanti Thomas** all made their first starts in the blue and white against Holy Cross in the season opener.
// Senior **Candice Agee** blocked three shots against Holy Cross to move her career total 90 swats in 88 games. **MORE ON PAGE 6**

// Penn State played its third season-opening overtime game in program history. The Lady Lions are 2-1 in those contests, winning in 2015 and 2010 and falling in 1989. **MORE ON PAGE 6**
// All four freshmen played at least five minutes and reached the scoring column vs. Holy Cross in the season opener. Page, Thomas, Jaylen Williams and Amari Carter all made an impact vs. the Crusaders.
// Head coach **Coquese Washington** improved to 9-0 all-time in season openers in her head coaching career, which began in 2007. **BIO ON PAGE 8-9**

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QUICK FACTS

THE UNIVERSITY

Location: University Park, Pa.
Founded: 1855
Enrollment: 46,848
Colors: Blue & White
Nickname: Lady Lions
Conference: Big Ten
President: Eric Barron
Director of Athletics: Sandy Barbour
Senior Woman Administrator: Charmelle Green
Senior Associate AD: Lynn Holleran
Facility (cap.): Bryce Jordan Center (15,104)
All-Time Record at BJC: 221-64 (21st season)

LADY LION BASKETBALL

Head Coach: Coquese Washington
Alma Mater: Notre Dame '92
Overall Record: 149-105 (ninth)
School Record: 149-105 (ninth)
Twitter: @coquesewashing
Basketball Office Phone: 814-863-2672
Basketball Office Fax: 814-863-1221
Best Time To Reach Coach: Through SID
Assistant Coach: Itoro Coleman
Yrs at Penn State: Fifth *
Alma Mater: Clemson '00
** - Two separate stints; 2007-10 & 2014-Pres.*
Assistant Coach: Kia Damon
Yrs at Penn State: Ninth
Alma Mater: Millersville '97
Assistant Coach: Jocelyn Wyatt
Yrs at Penn State: Second
Alma Mater: Appalachian State '06

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TEAM INFORMATION

2014-15 Record: 6-24
Home: 5-11
Away: 1-10
Neutral: 0-3
Big Ten Record (finish): 3-15 (t-13th)
Home: 2-7
Away: 1-8
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 6/5
Starters Returning/Lost: 4/1
Big Ten Tournament: First Round
Postseason: None

THE HISTORY

First Year of Women's Basketball: 1965
All-Time Record: 888-418 (51st season)
All-Time Big Ten Record: 247-137 (22 seasons)
NCAA Tournament Appearances/Last: 25/2014
NCAA Tournament Record: 32-25
NCAA Regional Appearances/Last: 13/2014
NCAA Final Four Appearances/Last: One/2000
Big Ten Regular Season Championships: Eight
Big Ten Tournament Championships: Two

2015-16 ROSTERS

NUMERICAL

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl./Elg.	Ht.	Hometown/High School (Previous School)
1	Candice Agee ***	C	Sr./Sr.	6-6	Victorville, Calif./Silverado
2	Amari Carter	G	Fr./Fr.	5-8	Washington D.C./St. John's College H.S.
3	Brianna Banks	G	Sr./Sr.	5-9	Newnan, Ga./Fayette County (Connecticut)
5	Sierra Moore *	G	Sr./Jr.	5-11	Hanover, Pa./Delone Catholic (Duke)
10	Keke Sevillian **	G	Jr./Jr.	5-7	Goodrich, Mich./Goodrich
11	Teniya Page	G	Fr./Fr.	5-7	Chicago, Ill./Marian Catholic
12	Lindsey Spann *	G	Jr./So.	5-6	Laurel, Md./Good Counsel
15	Kaliyah Mitchell **	F	Jr./Jr.	6-2	Stone Mountain, Ga./Stephenson
22	Leah Knizner	G	Fr./Fr.	5-9	Hempfield, Pa./Hempfield Area
23	Jaylen Williams	F	Fr./Fr.	6-3	Easton, Mass./Archbishop Williams
24	Ashanti Thomas	C	Fr./Fr.	6-4	Lexington, Ky./Lafayette
25	Peyton Whitted **	F	Jr./Jr.	6-3	Suwanee, Ga./North Gwinnett
34	Sarah McMurtry	G	Fr./Fr.	5-6	Pittsburgh, Pa./Upper St. Clair

ALPHABETICAL

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl./Elg.	Ht.	Hometown/High School (Previous School)
1	Candice Agee ***	C	Sr./Sr.	6-6	Victorville, Calif./Silverado
3	Brianna Banks	G	Sr./Sr.	5-9	Newnan, Ga./Fayette County (Connecticut)
2	Amari Carter	G	Fr./Fr.	5-8	Washington D.C./St. John's College H.S.
22	Leah Knizner	G	Fr./Fr.	5-9	Hempfield, Pa./Hempfield Area
34	Sarah McMurtry	G	Fr./Fr.	5-6	Pittsburgh, Pa./Upper St. Clair
15	Kaliyah Mitchell **	F	Jr./Jr.	6-2	Stone Mountain, Ga./Stephenson
5	Sierra Moore *	G	Sr./Jr.	5-11	Hanover, Pa./Delone Catholic (Duke)
11	Teniya Page	G	Fr./Fr.	5-7	Chicago, Ill./Marian Catholic
10	Keke Sevillian **	G	Jr./Jr.	5-7	Goodrich, Mich./Goodrich
12	Lindsey Spann *	G	Jr./So.	5-6	Laurel, Md./Good Counsel
24	Ashanti Thomas	C	Fr./Fr.	6-4	Lexington, Ky./Lafayette
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Head Coach: Coquese Washington (Notre Dame '92)
Assistant Coaches: Itoro Coleman, Kia Damon, Jocelyn Wyatt

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Candice Agee	A-gee
Brianna Banks	
Amari Carter	Uh-marr-E
Kaliyah Mitchell	kuh-LEE-uh
Sierra Moore	Cee-air-uh
Teniya Page	tuh-nye-uh
Keke Sevillian	Key-key Civilian
Lindsey Spann	
Ashanti Thomas	Uh-shawn-tee
Peyton Whitted	Whit-id
Jaylen Williams	JAY-linn

BY MAJOR

Candice Agee	Telecommunications
Brianna Banks	Journalism & Broadcasting
Amari Carter	Criminology & Sociology
Kaliyah Mitchell	Elementary Education
Sierra Moore	Journalism & Broadcasting
Teniya Page	Economics
Keke Sevillian	Journalism & Broadcasting
Lindsey Spann	Advertising & Public Relations
Ashanti Thomas	Human Development & Family Studies
Peyton Whitted	Journalism & Broadcasting
Jaylen Williams	Undecided

MEDIA INFORMATION

Coach Washington's Availability

All interview requests for head coach Coquese Washington should be directed to Greg Campbell in the Strategic Communications office.
 Coach Washington will hold weekly press conferences during the season. A schedule is available by calling the Strategic Communications office.
 Coach Washington will not be available on game day prior to tip-off. Post game press conferences will be held after each game, home and away.

Player Interviews

All player interviews must be arranged through Greg Campbell in the Strategic Communications office at least two days in advance. Players will be available on a weekly basis throughout the season, in conjunction with head coach Coquese Washington's weekly press conference. Interviews will not be granted on game day prior to tip-off.
 Player phone numbers will not be released.
 Following games, requested Penn State players will be brought to the post-game media interview room. The Penn State locker room is closed.

Credentials

Single game and season press credentials are issued to accredited members of the working media only. Requests for credentials should be directed to Greg Campbell, the women's basketball contact. Please submit requests for game credentials at least one week in advance of each game. Press credentials can be picked up at Media Will Call, which is located at the Media/Team entrance, on the south side of the Bryce Jordan Center, near Parking Lot 8.
 Penn State is a member of the Big Ten Conference and all press box and game day policies will conform to Big Ten guidelines.

Photographers

A photo pass must be issued to gain access courtside in the Bryce Jordan Center. Please contact Greg Campbell (gxc35@psu.edu), one week in advance for photo passes.
 Courtside photographers must follow NCAA guidelines, which prohibit entry to the bench areas and the stands. Photographers must remain seated at all times.

Radio Networks

The Penn State Sports Network originates from the first row of Booth C23 in the press area. Visiting radio stations are located on the first row of Booth C22 in the press area. Visiting radio is provided one phone line and one ISDN line.

Press Row Seating

To access the press seating area, turn left out of the media room, walk down the hallway and take the elevator to the Concourse level. Please allow several minutes when taking the elevator to the press room or the media room. When leaving the elevator, turn right. The press area is at Portal 23. Electrical outlets are available throughout press row and in the radio booths. Final statistics and a running play-by-play will be available in the media room following the game.

Game Notes

Game notes will be provided at least one day in advance of each game. Penn State, Big Ten and opposing team game notes will be available in the media room two hours prior to each game. If you would like to receive game notes via email, please contact Greg Campbell in the Penn State Strategic Communications office at 814-865-1759.





TEAM TIDBITS

1

CANDICE AGEE - SR. | C | 6-6

	Gms	PPG	RPG	APG	BPG
2015-16:	1	5.0	8.0	--	3.0
Career:	88	5.3	3.5	0.5	1.0
Career High:	21	11	4	5	

NOTES:

- // Ranks No. 12 on the Penn State career blocks charts with 90 rejections. Only Bethany Collins (92, 1985-88) and Jess Brungo (94, 2001-04) sit between Agee and the top-10.
- // Spent time with the USA Basketball U19 (2013) and U18 (2012) teams, winning gold medals at the FIBA World Championships and FIBA American Championships, respectively.

2

AMARI CARTER - FR. | G | 5-8

	Gms	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG
2015-16:	1	3.0	1.0	--	--
Career:	1	3.0	1.0	--	--
Career High:	3	1	--	--	--

NOTES:

- // Played five minutes and scored two points with one rebound in the season opener vs. Holy Cross.
- // Ranked as a top-35 recruit by all five recruiting services and top-20 by Prospect Nation and Blue Star.
- // Averaged 17.5 points, 4.5 rebounds, 4.0 assists and 2.0 steals as a junior before missing her senior season due to injury.

3

BRIANNA BANKS - SR. | G | 5-9

	Gms	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG
2015-16:	1	20.0	3.0	2.0	3.0
Career:	91	4.6	1.4	0.4	0.9
Career High:	20	7	6	4	

NOTES:

- // Tied her career-high with 20 points vs. Holy Cross, equaling her output from Nov. 28, 2012 vs. Colgate.
- // Moved past the 400 career point mark with a first quarter three-pointer. She has 417 career points.
- // Is in her first season on the court for Penn State, sitting out 2014-15 after transferring from Connecticut, where she played three seasons and won two NCAA Championships.

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SIERRA MOORE - JR. | G | 5-11

	Gms	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG
2015-16:	-	-	-	-	-
Career:	55	7.7	3.2	2.3	0.8
Career High:	21	14	8	2	

NOTES:

- // Will miss the 2015-16 season due to injury (knee) after earning honorable mention All-Big Ten honors last season, her first at Penn State.
- // Averaged 12.1 points, 5.1 rebounds and 3.8 assists per game last season, her first on the court for Penn State after spending the 2013-14 season on the sidelines due to NCAA Transfer Rules.

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KEKE SEVILLIAN - JR. | G | 5-7

	Gms	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG
2015-16:	1	7.0	1.0	--	2.0
Career:	53	2.4	1.0	0.8	0.7
Career High:	10	4	5	4	

NOTES:

- // Created havoc on defense to lead to two steals and seven points vs. Holy Cross.
- // Set career-highs in nearly every statistical category, including points (89), rebounds (41), assists (37) and steals (29). Also shot a career-best .363 from the field.
- // Scored a career-high 10 points at Purdue on Feb. 8, 2015, her birthday, on 3-for-3 shooting.

11

TENIYA PAGE - FR. | G | 5-7

	Gms	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG
2015-16:	1	15.0	2.0	7.0	1.0
Career:	1	15.0	2.0	7.0	1.0
Career High:	15	2	7	1	

NOTES:

- // Opened her career with 15 points and seven assists vs. Holy Cross on Nov. 13.
- // Played in the Jordan Brand Classic following her senior season that featured first team All-State honors from the Associated Press and Chicago Tribune.
- // Ended her prep career 1,617 points, 395 rebounds, 512 assists and 187 points.

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LINDSEY SPANN - SO. | G | 5-6

	Gms	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG
2015-16:	1	5.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
Career:	30	13.0	2.6	3.0	1.2
Career High:	28	7	7	4	

NOTES:

- // Was just the fifth freshman since 1980-81 to lead the team in scoring average, joining Maggie Lucas (2010-11), Tyra Grant (2006-07), Kelly Mazzante (2000-01) and Susan Robinson (1988-89).
- // Finished 2014-15 ranked No. 7 on the Penn State freshman scoring list with 384 points and No. 6 on the Penn State freshman three pointers made list with 37 made triples.

15

KALIYAH MITCHELL - JR. | F | 6-2

	Gms	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG
2015-16:	1	0.0	2.0	1.0	1.0
Career:	62	6.3	5.6	1.1	1.1
Career High:	20	15	4	5	

NOTES:

- // Appeared in all 63 career games with 26 starts.
- // Has four career double-doubles - all coming in 2014-15. Including back-to-back double-doubles vs. Indiana (1/22; 20 pts, 11 rebs) and Northwestern (1/25; 10 pts, 15 rebs).
- // Was one of a school-record seven Lady Lions to earn Academic All-Big Ten.

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LEAH KNIZNER - FR. | G | 5-9

	Gms	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG
2015-16:	-	-	-	-	-
Career:	-	-	-	-	-
Career High:	-	-	-	-	-

NOTES:

- // Joined the team as a walk-on in October.
- // Father, Matt, played football at Penn State from 1985-87 and was a part of the 1986 National Championship team that defeated Miami (Fla.), 14-10, in the Fiesta Bowl to cap a perfect 12-0 season.

23

JAYLEN WILLIAMS - FR. | F | 6-3

	Gms	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG
2015-16:	1	2.0	-	-	-
Career:	1	2.0	--	--	--
Career High:	2	-	-	-	-

NOTES:

- // Scored two points while playing six minutes in the season opener vs. Holy Cross.
- // Rated as the No. 86 overall prospect by Blue Star Basketball and was ranked as the No. 17 post player by ESPN/HoopGurlz coming out of Archbishop Williams.
- // Scored 716 points, with 680 rebound and 300 blocked shots in her prep career.

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ASHANTI THOMAS - FR. | C | 6-4

	Gms	PPG	RPG	APG	BPG
2015-16:	1	7.0	6.0	--	1.0
Career:	1	7.0	6.0	--	1.0
Career High:	7	6	--	1	

NOTES:

- // Totaled seven points, grabbed six rebounds and blocked one shot in the season opener vs. Holy Cross.
- // Ended her prep career with 1,077 points and 933 rebounds.
- // Was a candidate for Kentucky Miss Basketball as a senior, along with being selected to play in the prestigious Indiana-Kentucky All-Star Game.

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PEYTON WHITTED - JR. | F | 6-3

	Gms	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG
2015-16:	1	22.0	11.0	3.0	1.0
Career:	62	4.3	3.6	0.5	0.4
Career High:	22	11	3	3	

NOTES:

- // Posted her first career double-double with a career-high 22 points and 11 rebounds vs. Holy Cross.
- // Has played in 62 of 63 career games, missing only a game vs. Oregon State on Nov. 29, 2013.
- // Tallied four straight 10-plus point outings in 2014-15, setting a career-high on two occasions; with 12 points vs. Indiana (1/22), then with 16 points at Minnesota (1/28).

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SARAH MCMURTRY - FR. | G | 5-6

	Gms	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG
2015-16:	-	-	-	-	-
Career:	-	-	-	-	-
Career High:	-	-	-	-	-

NOTES:

- // Joined the team as a walk-on in October.
- // Father, Severn, played baseball at Penn State from 1982-85.
- // Her entire immediate family - father, mother and two brothers - all graduated from Penn State.





LADY LIONS WHEN...

Playing at home	1-0
Playing on the road	0-0
Playing at a neutral site	0-0
vs. Top 10 teams	0-0
vs. Top 25 teams	0-0
Games decided by 3 points or less	0-0
Games decided by 4-10 points	1-0
Games decided by 11-19 points	0-0
Games decided by 20 points or more	0-0
Leading at the half	1-0
Tied at the half	0-0
Trailing at the half	0-0
Leading with 5:00 remaining	1-0
Trailing with 5:00 remaining	0-0
Tied with 5:00 remaining	0-0
In overtime	1-0
PSU scores less than 49 points	0-0
PSU scores 50-59 points	0-0
PSU scores 60-69 points	0-0
PSU scores 70-79 points	0-0
PSU scores 80 points or more	1-0
PSU shoots 45% or better	0-0
PSU shoots less than 45%	1-0
Opponent shoots better than 45%	1-0
Opponent shoots less than 45%	0-0
PSU shoots better than opponent	0-0
Opponent shoots better than PSU or tied	1-0
Opponent scores less than 39 points	0-0
Opponent scores 40-49 points	0-0
Opponent scores 50-59 points	0-0
Opponent scores 60-69 points	0-0
Opponent scores more than 70 points	1-0
PSU out-rebounds opponent	1-0
Opponent out-rebounds PSU or tied	0-0
PSU commits 14 or less turnovers	0-0
PSU commits 15 or more turnovers	1-0
PSU makes at least five 3-pointers	0-0
PSU makes four 3-pointers or less	1-0
Recording 7 or more steals	1-0
Recording 6 or less steals	0-0
Wearing white uniforms	1-0
Wearing blue uniforms	0-0
Wearing pink uniforms	0-0
Penn State wins the tip	1-0
Penn State loses the tip	0-0
Penn State scores first	0-0
Opponent scores first	0-0
Playing during the day (before 5 p.m.)	0-0
Playing at night	1-0
On Monday	0-0
On Tuesday	0-0
On Wednesday	0-0
On Thursday	0-0
On Friday	1-0
On Saturday	0-0
On Sunday	0-0
In November	1-0
In December	0-0
In January	0-0
In February	0-0
In March	0-0

TEAM COMPARISON

Penn State	(2014-15 Totals)	Fordham
Peyton Whitted (22.0)	Scoring	Hannah Missry (9.3)
Peyton Whitted (11.0)	Rebounding	G'mrice Davis (7.6)
Teniya Page (7.0)	Assists	G'mrice Davis (2.0)
Lindsey Spann (4.0)	Steals	G'mrice Davis (0.8)
Candice Agee (3.0)	Blocks	G'mrice Davis (1.1)
86.0	Scoring Offense	59.3
82.0	Scoring Defense	55.5
+4.0	Scoring Margin	+3.8
.437	Field Goal %	.401
.460	Field Goal % Defense	.370
.190	3-points FG %	.299
.400	3-point FG % Defense	.274
.556	Free Throw %	.698
45.0	Rebounds Per Game	38.5
+6.0	Rebound Margin	+2.8
18.0	Assists Per Game	13.2
20.0	Turnovers Per Game	15.8
-2.0	Assist/Turnover Ratio	-1.8
13.0	Steals Per Game	6.0

SCOUTING FORDHAM

// Fordham head coach Stephanie V. Gaitley has tangled with Penn State on eight occasions, including once in her first four years at Fordham, Gaitley is 0-8 all-time vs. PSU, with six of those meetings coming while she was at St. Joseph's and PSU was a member of the Atlantic 10.

// Fordham finished last season with a 21-12 overall record and advanced to the second round of the WNIT.

// The Rams fell to St. John's, 77-63, in the second rounds of the 2015 WNIT. They defeated Central Connecticut State, 70-67, in the opening round.

// Sophomore G'mrice Davis recorded a double-double with 22 points and 12 rebounds in an exhibition win over Caldwell. She connected on 11-of-13 field goals.

// Senior Samantha Clark was the team's leading rebounder last season, averaging 7.6 boards per game.

// Clark also led the team with 37 blocks in 33 games played.

// Junior Hannah Missry is the team's leading returning scorer, averaging 9.3 points per game in 2015-16. She made a team-best 78 three-pointers, more than twice than her closest teammate.

LAST TIME OUT

Penn State 86, Holy Cross 84 (OT)
Nov. 13, 2015 | University Park, Pa.

// Five Lady Lions made their first career appearances donning the Blue and White; senior Brianna Banks and freshmen Amari Carter, Teniya Page, Jaylen Williams and Ashanti Thomas.

// Additionally, Banks, Page and Thomas made their first career starts for Penn State..

// Junior Peyton Whitted notched a career-best 22 points and 11 rebounds to collect her first career double-double.

// Brianna Banks added a career-high-tying 20 points.

// Freshman Teniya Page handed out seven assists to go along with 15 points.

// Senior Candice Agee swatted three shots to move her career total to 90 blocked shots and move into the No. 12 spot on PSU's all-time charts.

// Penn State improved to 40-12 in season openers and 44-8 in home openers, including a 17-3 mark at the Bryce Jordan Center.

Official Basketball Box Score -- Game Totals -- Final Statistics
Holy Cross vs Penn State
11/13/15 6 p.m. at University Park, Pa.

Holy Cross 82 • 0-1

Player	Total	3-Ptr	Rebounds	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Mn			
	FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Total							
03 T. Thomas-Waheed	4-9	1-4	4-6	0	1	1	5	13	1	0	32		
05 Katie Doherty	4-7	3-4	0-0	0	3	3	4	11	2	1	0	31	
12 Lisa Mifsud	2-14	1-8	0-0	0	5	5	5	8	7	0	2	43	
31 Raquell Scott	12-24	4-6	8-14	3	8	11	4	36	2	8	1	43	
40 Molly Hourigan	2-2	0-0	0-0	0	3	3	5	4	1	2	3	29	
04 Tricia Byrne	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	2	0	11
15 Madelyn Ganser	2-2	0-0	2-2	3	0	3	2	6	0	2	0	0	19
24 Katie Gillespie	2-4	1-3	0-0	1	4	5	1	5	3	1	1	0	17
Team				3	5	8							
Totals	29-63	10-25	14-22	10	29	39	27	82	17	23	4	7	225

FG % 1st Half: 13-28 46.4% 2nd half: 14-27 51.9% OT: 2-8 25.0% Game: 29-63 46.0% Double
3FG % 1st Half: 4-9 44.4% 2nd half: 5-12 41.7% OT: 1-4 25.0% Game: 10-25 40.0% Rebounds
FT % 1st Half: 4-6 66.7% 2nd half: 5-9 55.6% OT: 5-7 71.4% Game: 14-22 63.6% 6

Penn State 86 • 1-0

Player	Total	3-Ptr	Rebounds	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Mn			
	FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Total							
03 Banks, Brianna	8-15	1-4	3-3	2	1	3	5	20	2	3	0	3	32
11 Page, Teniya	6-11	1-3	2-8	0	2	2	2	15	7	4	0	1	38
15 Mitchell, Kalliyah	0-3	0-2	0-0	0	2	2	5	0	1	4	0	1	22
24 Thomas, Ashanti	3-5	0-0	1-7	3	3	6	0	7	0	3	1	0	20
25 Whitted, Peyton	8-15	0-1	6-8	4	7	11	2	22	3	3	0	1	38
01 Agee, Candice	1-5	0-0	3-4	2	6	8	4	5	1	2	3	1	22
02 Carter, Amari	1-2	1-2	0-0	1	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	5
10 Sevellian, Keke	3-6	1-3	0-0	1	0	1	7	0	0	0	2	15	
12 Spann, Lindsey	1-9	0-6	3-4	0	4	4	0	5	4	1	0	4	27
23 Williams, Jaylen	0-0	0-0	2-2	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	6
Team				6	1	7							
Totals	31-71	4-21	20-36	19	26	45	20	86	18	20	4	13	225

FG % 1st Half: 14-36 38.9% 2nd half: 15-29 51.7% OT: 2-6 33.3% Game: 31-71 43.7% Double
3FG % 1st Half: 4-16 25.0% 2nd half: 0-5 0.0% OT: 0-0 0.0% Game: 4-21 19.0% Rebounds
FT % 1st Half: 4-6 66.0% 2nd half: 4-11 36.4% OT: 10-15 66.7% Game: 20-36 55.6% 8

Officials: Jesse Dickerson, An-Jamilah Gregory, Nykisha Thompson
Technical fouls: Holy Cross-None. Penn State-None.
Attendance: 2941

Score by periods	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total	Points	In	Off	2nd	Fast		
Holy Cross	19	15	11	27	10	82	82	Paint	T/O	Chance	Break	Bench	
Penn State	17	21	23	11	14	86	86	PSU	42	24	21	10	22

Last FG - HC: 07-00:35, PSU 07-02:30.
Largest lead - HC by 11:48-06:00, PSU by 18:30-02:00.
HC led for 11:45, PSU led for 31:41. Game was tied for 01:32.

Score tied - 4 times.
Lead changed - 1 time.





INSIDE THE SERIES

SERIES BREAKDOWN

Series: Penn State leads, 2-0

at Penn State: 2-0

at Fordham: --

Neutral Site: --

First Meeting: Mar. 16, 1994 – Penn State 94-41

Last Meeting: Nov. 10, 2013 – Penn State 78-61

Last PSU Win: Nov. 10, 2013 (78-61)

Last Fordham Win: N/A

Last 10 Meetings: Penn State leads, 2-0

Streak: Penn State – W2

ALL-TIME MEETINGS

Date	H/A/N	Score
3/16/94	H	Penn State, 94-41
11/10/13	H	Penn State, 78-61

LAST MEETING

Nov. 10, 2013 | University Park, Pa.

// #15/13 Penn State claimed a 78-61 victory over Fordham on Nov. 10, 2013 at the Bryce Jordan Center.

// Senior Maggie Lucas poured in 23 points on 7-of-14 shooting, including going 4-for-6 from beyond the arc. It was the 48th time that she scored at least 20 points in a game.

// Senior Ariel Edwards scored 17 points on 7-of-12 shooting and added four rebounds and four assists to complete her day.

// Senior guard Dara Taylor totaled 12 points and chipped in two rebounds and two assists.

// Sophomore center Candice Agee tied her career high with eight points and also pulled in seven rebounds.

Fordham 61 • 1-1

#	Player	FG-FGA	3-Ptr	FT-FTA	Rebounds	PF	TP	A	To	Blk	Stl	Min
01	Rooney, Erin	5-14	2-4	8-10	1 5 6	4	20	3	4	0	1	40
11	Regio, Emily	2-3	0-0	2-2	0 2 2	3	6	0	2	0	0	15
24	Clark, Samantha	4-10	2-4	0-0	1 2 3	4	10	3	0	2	0	22
25	Missy, Hannah	2-8	2-8	0-0	1 3 4	2	6	1	0	0	0	19
42	Comins, Abigail	2-9	0-2	0-0	4 6 10	5	4	7	7	0	2	37
03	Gjerkes, Alina	1-4	0-1	3-4	1 1 2	0	5	0	1	0	1	15
12	Nwachukwu, Mary	2-3	0-0	2-2	1 1 2	1	6	0	1	0	0	16
14	Radvano, Danielle	2-4	0-1	0-0	0 1 1	0	4	0	1	0	1	18
22	Burns, Danielle	0-4	0-0	0-0	1 2 3	0	0	0	0	0	2	16
23	Gibson, Khadijah	0-0	0-0	0-0	0 0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Team					3 2 5							
Totals		20-59	6-20	15-18	13 24 37	22	61	14	16	2	7	200
FG % 1st Half:		9-27 33.3%	2nd half:	11-32 34.4%	Game:	20-59 33.9%						Deadball Rebounds
3FG % 1st Half:		3-11 27.3%	2nd half:	3-9 33.3%	Game:	6-20 30.0%						2
FT % 1st Half:		7-8 87.5%	2nd half:	8-10 80.0%	Game:	15-18 83.3%						

Penn State 78 • 2-0

#	Player	FG-FGA	3-Ptr	FT-FTA	Rebounds	PF	TP	A	To	Blk	Stl	Min
01	Agee, Candice	3-5	0-0	2-6	2 5 7	2	8	0	2	0	0	15
02	Taylor, Dara	5-14	2-4	0-0	0 2 2	5	12	2	2	1	2	22
23	Edwards, Ariel	7-12	1-2	2-2	3 1 4	2	17	4	1	0	0	22
33	Lucas, Maggie	7-14	4-6	5-5	1 4 5	2	23	1	1	0	1	29
44	Waldner, Tori	1-5	0-0	0-0	1 2 3	0	2	0	0	0	1	13
09	Ezek, Talia	2-3	0-0	2-2	2 0 2	2	6	2	1	0	0	17
10	Sevillan, Keke	1-4	1-3	0-0	0 2 2	3	3	1	2	0	0	17
11	Harris, Alex	0-2	0-0	0-0	0 6 6	1	0	1	2	1	1	22
15	Mitchell, Kaliyah	1-4	0-0	2-4	5 1 6	0	4	1	1	0	0	21
20	Alston, Infinite	0-0	0-0	0-0	0 0 0	1	0	0	1	0	0	3
25	Whitted, Peyton	0-2	0-1	3-4	2 1 3	3	3	0	0	1	0	10
41	DeGraaf, Jenny	0-1	0-0	0-0	0 2 2	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Team					5 1 6							
Totals		27-67	8-16	16-23	21 27 48	21	78	12	14	4	6	200
FG % 1st Half:		14-32 43.8%	2nd half:	13-35 37.1%	Game:	27-67 40.3%						Deadball Rebounds
3FG % 1st Half:		5-10 50.0%	2nd half:	3-6 50.0%	Game:	9-16 56.3%						2
FT % 1st Half:		5-6 83.3%	2nd half:	11-17 64.7%	Game:	16-23 69.6%						

Officials: Bryan Enterline, Rachelie Jones, Joe Vazity
Technical fouls: Fordham-None; Penn State-None.
Attendance: 384

Score by periods	1st		2nd		Total
	1	2	1	2	
Fordham	28	33	61		
Penn State	38	40	78		

BEST OF THE BEST

Nov. 10, 2013 | University Park, Pa.

// Leading by just three points with 14 minutes left in the first half, Penn State reeled off 11 of the game's next 13 points to increase their lead to double-digits and cruise to a 78-61 victory at the Bryce Jordan Center. Seniors Ariel Edwards (17), Maggie Lucas (23) and Dara Taylor (12) all reached double figures in the game, while sophomore Candice Agee scored eight points to go along with seven rebounds.

March 16, 1994 | University Park, Pa.

// No. 1 seeded Penn State rolled to a 91-41 victory over the Rams in the first round of the NCAA Tournament at Rec Hall. The Lady Lions built a 41-15 halftime lead and opened the second with a 16-0 run. Junior center Missy Masley picked up all nine of her points in the second half and Carla Coleman netted 13 points for the game - 11 coming after break. As a team, Penn State committed a season-low six fouls and limited Fordham to just 0-for-1 from the free throw line.

THINKING B1G

2015-16 STANDINGS

Team	Overall		Big Ten	
	W-L	Pct	W-L	Pct
PENN STATE	1-0	1.000	0-0	.000
Illinois	1-0	1.000	0-0	.000
Indiana	1-0	1.000	0-0	.000
Iowa	1-0	1.000	0-0	.000
Maryland	1-0	.000	0-0	.000
Michigan	1-0	1.000	0-0	.000
Minnesota	1-0	1.000	0-0	.000
Nebraska	1-0	1.000	0-0	.000
Rutgers	1-0	1.000	0-0	.000
Wisconsin	1-0	.000	0-0	.000
Michigan State	0-0	.000	0-0	.000
Northwestern	0-0	.000	0-0	.000
Purdue	0-0	.000	0-0	.000
Ohio State	0-1	.000	0-0	.000

THE WEEK IN THE B1G

Friday, Nov. 13

at Indiana 88, Tennessee State 56 (1)

Rutgers 78, at Saint Joseph's 65

at Minnesota 98, Wofford 54

at #RV/23 Iowa 83, North Dakota 61 (2)

at #2/2 South Carolina 88, #6/10 Ohio State 80

AT PENN STATE 86, HOLY CROSS 82 OT

at Illinois 67, Chicago State 36

Saturday, Nov. 14

at Michigan 90, Binghamton 62

at Nebraska 96, Arkansas-Pine Bluff 46

at #9/6 Maryland 102, UMass Lowell 53

at Wisconsin 79, Louisiana Tech 65

Sunday, Nov. 15

Tennessee-Martin at #RV/23 Iowa 2 p.m.

Michigan at Detroit 2 p.m.

Western Michigan at #24/RV Michigan State 2 p.m.

FORDHAM AT PENN STATE (BTN+) 2 P.M.

Ohio at Illinois 3 p.m.

Howard at #19/24 Northwestern 7 p.m.

Monday, Nov. 16

#1/1 UConn at #6/10 Ohio State (ESPN2) 5:30 p.m.

Howard at #19/24 Northwestern 7 p.m.

Jacksonville State at Purdue (BTN+) 7 p.m.

Rutgers at Seton Hall 7 p.m.

North Florida at Nebraska 8 p.m.

All Times Eastern | Rankings listed AP/USA Today

(1) - Preseason WNIT; Bloomington, Ind.

(2) - Hawkeye Challenge; Iowa City, Iowa

B1G MEDIA SERVICES

Big Ten Weekly Release/Statistics

The Big Ten Conference women's basketball release, with standings and statistics, is available at www.bigten.org.

Big Ten Player of the Week

The Big Ten Conference will announce Players of the Week every Monday during the regular season.

Big Ten Tournament

The 2015 Big Ten Women's Basketball Tournament is scheduled for March 2-6 at Bankers Life Fieldhouse in Indianapolis, Ind. For media credential information, contact the Big Ten Conference office at (847) 696-1010 ext. 146.





MILESTONE WATCH...

500 points

Candice Agee	462
Sierra Moore (career)	425
Brianna Banks (career)	417

400 point

Kalayah Mitchell	394
Lindsey Spann	389
Sierra Moore (PSU)	362

300 points

Peyton Whitted	266
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200 points

Keke Sevillian	127
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400 rebounds

Kalayah Mitchell	351
Candice Agee	306

300 rebounds

Peyton Whitted	221
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200 rebounds

Sierra Moore (career)	176
Sierra Moore (PSU)	152
Brianna Banks (career)	131

100 rebounds

Lindsey Spann	78
Keke Sevillian	54

150 assists

Sierra Moore (career)	128
Sierra Moore (PSU)	116
Brianna Banks (career)	114

100 assists

Lindsey Spann	92
Kalayah Mitchell	72

100 blocks

Candice Agee	90
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100 steals

Brianna Banks (career)	87
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75 steals

Kalayah Mitchell	66
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50 steals

Sierra Moore (career)	47
Keke Sevillian	39
Sierra Moore (PSU)	36
Lindsey Spann	36

Working Overtime

// Penn State opened the season with an 86-82 overtime victory vs. Holy Cross and are now 21-18 all-time in overtime.

// The season opening overtime contest marked just the third time PSU opened a season with extra time.

// The Lady Lions are 2-1 all-time in season opening overtime games. The also won at Dayton, Nov. 12, 2010, but lost, 93-84, to Connecticut on Nov. 25, 1989 in a game played at lowa.

// The overtime victory marked the first overtime victory for PSU since the Nov. 18, 2010 at Oakland (96-89). Penn State had lost three straight overtime contests.

Agee Sending It Back

// Senior **Candice Agee** blocked three shots vs. Holy cross to move into the No. 12 spot all-time at Penn State.

// Her three swats helped her pass the 89 rejections by Kathy Phillips (1989-92) for the No. 12 spot.

// Agee has 25 career contests with two-or-more blocks.

// The Victorville, Calif., native enjoyed a 13-game streak with at least on blocked shot in 2014-15. She rejected shots in each game from Jan. 6 - Feb. 26, 2015.

// Agee recorded a career-high five blocks in a win over Rider on Dec. 14, 2014.

// Agee is looking to become just the 10th player in Penn State history to register 1.0 blocks per game for a career. She is currently at 1.02 bpg.

Washington Wins Openers

// Head coach Coquese Washington has started each of her nine seasons at the helm of the Lady Lions with a victory.

// In seven of the previous eight years, Penn State has began the year with at least two victories.

// Washington is 7-0 in season openers at home and 2-0 in season openers played on the road.

// Washington is unblemished in home openers, as well, winning all nine of her initial games in front of the home crowd since taking over in 2007-08.

Moore Out for 2015-16

// Junior guard **Sierra Moore** will miss the 2015-16 season due to injury (knee).

// Moore averaged 12.1 points, 5.1 rebounds and 3.8 assists, and added 15 blocked shots and 35 steals in 30 games last season.

// After sitting out the 2013-14 season, Moore was the only Lady Lion to start all 30 games and averaged a season-high 34.1 minutes per game.

Whitted Doubling Up

// Junior Peyton Whitted opened her junior season with a 22-point, 11 rebound effort against Holy Cross to collect her first career double-double.

// She set career-highs in points, field goals made (eight), rebounds, assists (three) and minutes played (38).

// Her 6-of-8 effort from the free throw stripe also set career marks for attempts and makes in a game.

// Whitted also posted a double-double in the Lady Lions' exhibition contest vs. Cal (Pa.) with 16 points and 10 rebounds.

Nice Opener for Newcomers

// All five Penn State newcomers saw time on the floor vs. Holy Cross in the season opener.

// Three newcomers; senior Brianna Banks, and freshmen Teniya Page and Ashanti Thomas all started their first games in the blue and white.

// Banks ranked second on the team in scoring with 20 points, while Page also reached double figures with 15 points.

// Page handed out seven assists, grabbed two rebounds and had one steal in the contest.

// Thomas chipped in seven points, six rebounds and one blocked shot in her first collegiate game.

// Freshmen Amari Carter and Jaylen Williams each scored two points in the contest.

2016 Pink Zone at Penn State

// The 10th Annual Pink Zone at Penn State will be held Sunday, January 17 in the Bryce Jordan Center when the Lady Lions take on Michigan. The time for the game will be 2 p.m. ET.

// Last year, the Lady Lions donated \$999,999 after setting a record with \$310,000 raised for breast cancer causes in 2013-14.

// All totaled, the Lady Lions have donated more than \$1.375 million for breast cancer research and awareness in the first nine years.

// Money raised this year will be disbursed to six different beneficiaries: Mount Nittany Medical Center, The Penn State Hershey Cancer Institute, The Kay Yow Cancer Fund, PA Breast Cancer Coalition, JC Blair Memorial Hospital, and Geisinger-Lewistown Hospital.

// For more information on the Pink Zone at Penn State, visit the official Pink Zone website at www.pennsylvaniapinkzone.org.

Three McDonald's All-Americans

// The Lady Lions tout three McDonald's High School All-Americans on their roster this season in Candice Agee, Sierra Moore and Brianna Banks.

// Banks played in the 2011 contest, while Agee and Moore were participants in the 2012 game.

// Prior to Coquese Washington taking the reins, the Lady Lions only had one McDonald's High School All-American in program history.





Record Setting Academics

A school-record seven Lady Lions earned Academic All-Big Ten honors during the 2014-15 academic year.

// The seven academic award winners surpassed the six honorees from the 2003-04, 2008-09 and 2012-13 squads.

// Jenny DeGraaf, Molly Dincher, Kaliyah Mitchell, Sierra Moore, Lindsey Spann, Tori Waldner and Peyton Whitted all earned carried at least a 3.0 cumulative GPA through their competition season.

// Waldner was also named to the Big Ten Distinguished Scholars list, awarded to student-athletes that held a 3.7 or higher GPA during the academic year.

Adding Two for 2016-17

// Head coach Coquese Washington and her coaching staff added a pair of top-25 guards during the early signing period in Siyeh Frazier and Jaida Travascio-Green.

// The 5-foot-11 Frazier averaged 18.5 points and nine rebounds per game as a junior at Renaissance High School in Detroit, Mich.

// She added nearly seven assists and six steals per game to earn AP All-State honors and Detroit Free Press Dream Team.

// An all-conference performer since her freshman year of high school, Travascio-Green garnered all-state honors after averaging 17 points, six rebounds, nearly four assists and two steals per game as a junior.

// A state qualifier and school-record holder in the high jump, Travascio-Green earned 2015 honorable mention all-state from the Chicago Tribune.

BY THE NUMBERS

Double Figure Scoring

Brianna Banks - 1
 Teniya Page - 1
 Peyton Whitted - 1

20-point Performances

Brianna Banks - 1
 Peyton Whitted - 1

30-point Performances

Double-Doubles

Peyton Whitted - 1

10-plus Rebounds

Peyton Whitted - 1

10-plus Assists

none





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COQUESE WASHINGTON

Head Coach • Ninth Season
Notre Dame '92 • Flint, Mich.



Coquese Washington enters her ninth season at the helm of the Penn State women's basketball program. She was introduced as the fifth head coach in the history of the program on April 23, 2007 and is the first female African-American head coach in Penn State history.

The recruiting trail was once again fruitful for the Lady Lions, as Washington and her staff inked its fourth top-25 class and third top-15 class since arriving in Happy Valley. The class featured a pair of five-star guards and two highly recruited post players, earning the No. 15 ranking from ESPN.com/HoopGurlz. The crop of newcomers also got a boost from Connecticut transfer Brianna Banks, who sat out 2014-15 due to NCAA transfer rules.

The 2014-15 season saw the emergence of a pair of first-year players for Penn State, guards Lindsey Spann and honorable-mention All-Big Ten guard Sierra Moore. Spann, who missed 2013-14 due to injury, stepped right into a starting role and responded with double-figure scoring games in each of her first eight career contests, a feat not accomplished by Penn State's top two career scoring leaders, Kelly Mazzante and Maggie Lucas. She ended the season ranked No. 7 on the Penn State freshmen scoring list, with her 37 made three-pointers ranking No. 6 all-time on the freshmen charts. Moore enjoyed success in her first season in the blue and white, starting all 30 games and averaging a team-best 34 minutes per game. Moore ranked among the team leaders in nearly every category, averaging 12.1 points, 5.1 rebounds, 3.8 assists, 1.2 steals and 0.5 blocks per game.

Washington led the 2013-14 Lady Lion squad to a feat that no other Penn State team has accomplished, winning three consecutive conference regular-season titles with a 13-3 record in Big Ten action. Led by the play of a strong senior class, the Lady Lions advanced to the NCAA Sweet Sixteen for the second time in three years. The graduating class of Maggie Lucas, Ariel Edwards, Dara Taylor and Talia East produced 101 wins, which is the second-highest total by a Lady Lion class. The Lady Lions finished the season 13th in the Associated Press poll and 14th in the USA Today Sports Coaches' Poll.

Along the way to collecting her second Big Ten Player of the Year award, Lucas finished second in school history and fourth in Big Ten history in scoring (2,510) and broke the Penn State and Big Ten records for career three-pointers made (365) and career free throw percentage (.907). She was selected in the second round of the 2014 WNBA Draft by the Phoenix Mercury. Edwards became the 36th member of the 1,000-point club en route to collecting All-Big Ten first team accolades. She finished seventh in the Big Ten in scoring (15.7) and was 11th in free throw percentage (.814). Edwards signed a free agent contract with the WNBA's Tulsa Shock. Taylor also had a stellar senior campaign and collected the Big Ten Defensive Player of the Year award after leading the conference in steals. East also earned postseason honors as she was named All-Big Ten honorable mention. In addition, Washington was honored with her third consecutive Big Ten Coach of the Year honor.

The Lady Lions continued their run in the national spotlight in 2012-13 as they collected their second-straight Big Ten regular-season title and seventh overall with a 26-6 overall record and 14-2 mark in conference play. In each of Washington's first six years, Penn State improved its Big Ten win total. The Lady Lions posted their third consecutive 25-win season, joining the 1993-94, 1994-95 and 1995-96 squads as the only teams in program history to accomplish the feat. Penn State also advanced to the second round of the NCAA Tournament with a win over Cal Poly. The Lady Lions were consistently ranked in the Top 10 for most of the season and finished eighth in the Associated Press Top 25 and 12th in the USA Today Sports Coaches' Poll.

With another stellar campaign, the accolades continued to roll in for the Lady Lions. Washington was selected as the Big Ten Coach of the Year by the media

for the second-straight season and became just the fifth mentor in Big Ten history to win back-to-back Coach of the Year accolades. She was also the WBCA Region 6 Coach of the Year and a finalist for WBCA National Coach of the Year for the second-straight season.

The awards also piled up for Penn State's dynamic backcourt of Lucas and Alex Bentley. Lucas was selected as the Big Ten Player of the Year, was a Wade Trophy Finalist and was an All-America choice by four outlets, including the WBCA (honorable mention), Associated Press (second team), USBWA (first team) and Full Court (second team). She is just the third Lady Lion in program history to win Big Ten Player of the Year honors, joining Helen Darling and Kelly Mazzante. Bentley earned her third-straight first team All-Big Ten award and honorable mention All-America bids from the WBCA and Associated Press. She was also selected as the 2013 recipient of the Frances Pomeroy Naismith Award, which is presented to the nation's outstanding female collegian 5-8 and under. Bentley was the third Lady Lion to win the honor, joining Darling and Suzie McConnell. Nikki Greene also capped a stellar career for the Lady Lions with third team All-Big Ten accolades. She also became the first player in school history to accumulate 1,000 points, 900 rebounds and 200 blocks.

Both Bentley and Greene heard their names called on WNBA Draft night. Bentley was selected with the 13th overall pick by the Atlanta Dream to become the highest draft pick for the Lady Lions since Tanisha Wright (12th) in 2005. Greene was the 26th overall selection by the Phoenix Mercury to give Penn State two draft picks for the first time since 2004 (Mazzante, Jess Brungo).

With five graduating seniors in 2012-13, Penn State was stout on the recruiting trail, bringing in a seven-member class that was ranked 14th by ESPN/HoopGurlz. The Lady Lions also added transfer Moore from Duke to complete the eight-player class. The addition of Moore gave the Lady Lions four McDonald's All-Americans on the roster heading into the 2013-14 campaign, with Taylor (2009), Lucas (2010) and Candice Agee (2012).

Washington returned the Lady Lions to Big Ten prominence in her fifth season as she guided Penn State to the Big Ten regular-season title with a 13-3 record in conference play. Additionally, the Lady Lions advanced to the NCAA Tournament Sweet Sixteen with wins over UTEP and LSU en route to a 26-7 overall record. The Lady Lions posted back-to-back 20-win seasons for the first time since 2002-03 and 2003-04. It was also the first Big Ten crown and Sweet Sixteen berth for the Lady Lions since 2003-04. The Lady Lions were ranked throughout the season and finished ninth in the ESPN/USA Today Coaches' Poll and 11th in the Associated Press Top 25.

For her efforts in rebuilding the Penn State program, Washington was honored as the Big Ten Coach of the Year and the WBCA Region 6 Coach of the Year, making her a finalist for WBCA National Coach of the Year. The accolades were not just limited to Washington; all five Lady Lion starters earned All-Big Ten recognition, including first team bids for Bentley and Lucas. Both Bentley and Lucas also garnered honorable mention All-America honors from the WBCA and Associated Press, respectively. Bentley became the 33rd player in school history to reach the 1,000-point plateau and just the 15th junior to reach the milestone. Lucas also joined the 1,000-point club in 2011-12, becoming just the third sophomore in program history to accomplish the feat.

On the recruiting trail, the Lady Lions' 2012 class earned a Top-20 class from Dan Olson's Collegiate Girls Basketball Report. The class included transfer Taylor, who sat out the 2011-12 season due to NCAA transfer rules, and McDonald's High School All-American Agee from California. Additionally, Agee earned a gold medal with the USA Basketball U18 National Team Trials at the 2012 FIBA Americas Championship in August.

The Lady Lions returned to the national stage in

WASHINGTON'S RESUME

COACHING RESUME

2007-pres. - Head Coach, Penn State University
2015-pres. - President, WBCA Executive Committee
2013-15 - VP/President-Elect, WBCA Executive Committee
2013 - Assistant Coach, USA Basketball World University Games
2012-15 - Kay Yow Cancer Fund Board of Directors
2011-15 - NCAA Women's Basketball Issues Committee
2010-13 - Treasurer, WBCA Executive Committee
2008-pres. - WBCA Board of Directors
2009-12 - USA Basketball Women's Junior National Committee
2005-07 - Associate Head Coach, University of Notre Dame
1999-05 - Assistant Coach, University of Notre Dame

PLAYING EXPERIENCE

2002-03 - WNBA's Indiana Fever
2000-02 - WNBA's Houston Comets
1998-99 - WNBA's New York Liberty
1997-98 - ABL's Portland Power
1989-93 - University of Notre Dame

EDUCATION

Notre Dame '92, B.A. History
Notre Dame Law School '97, Juris Doctorate

AWARDS

- » 2012, 2013, 2014 Big Ten Coach of the Year
- » 2012, 2013 WBCA Region 6 Coach of the Year
- » 2012, 2013 WBCA National Coach of the Year Finalist
- » 2011, 2013 WBCA Female Coach of the Year
- » 2009 Greater Flint Hall of Fame Inductee
- » 2008 WBCA "Rising Star" Award Winner

NOTABLE

- » Helped guide Notre Dame to the 2001 NCAA Championship.
- » Notre Dame had four Sweet Sixteen appearances and eight NCAA Tournament berths during Washington's tenure.
- » Point guard for the 2000 WNBA Champion Houston Comets.
- » Founding President, WNBA Players Association, 1999-01.
- » Actively negotiated collective bargaining agreements for the WNBPA, establishing two deals.
- » Two-time team captain as a player at Notre Dame.

FAMILY

Husband: Raynell Brown
Children: Quenton (10), Rhaiyna (6)

WASHINGTON'S YEAR-BY-YEAR

Year	Overall	B1G	Finish	Postseason
2007-08	13-18	4-14	10th	--
2008-09	11-18	6-12	T7th	--
2009-10	17-14	8-10	T6th	WNIT First Round
2010-11	25-10	11-5	2nd	NCAA Second Round
2011-12	26-7	13-3	1st	NCAA Sweet Sixteen
2012-13	26-6	14-2	1st	NCAA Second Round
2013-14	24-8	13-3	T1st	NCAA Sweet Sixteen
2014-15	6-24	3-15	T13th	--
2015-16	1-0	0-0	--	--
Total	149-105	72-64	--	4 - NCAA; 1 - WNIT





WASHINGTON VERSUS...

Albany	0-1
Alcorn State	1-0
Arizona	1-0
Army	1-0
Boston College	0-1
Bucknell	6-0
Buffalo	1-0
Cal Poly	1-0
Cal State Northridge	1-0
Charlotte	1-0
Connecticut	0-4
Coppin State	1-0
Dayton	2-1
Delaware	1-1
DePaul	0-1
Detroit	1-0
Drexel	2-1
Duke	1-0
Fair Dickinson	1-0
Florida	1-0
Fordham	1-0
Florida State	0-1
Georgetown	3-0
Georgia Tech	0-1
Green Bay	0-1
Hartford	2-1
Hofstra	0-1
Holy Cross	2-0
Howard	1-0
Illinois	10-4
Illinois State	1-0
Indiana	8-5
Iowa	7-7
Iowa State	1-0
Lafayette	1-0
Liberty	0-1
LSU	1-1
Maine	1-0
Maryland	0-2
Maryland Eastern Shore	1-0
Miami (Fla.)	0-1
Michigan	10-4
Michigan State	5-9
Middle Tennessee	1-0
Minnesota	7-9
Mississippi	1-0
Monmouth	1-0
Nebraska	3-3
Nevada	1-0
NJIT	2-0
North Carolina	1-0
Notre Dame	0-1
Northwestern	10-1
Oakland	2-0
Ohio State	6-9
Old Dominion	0-1
Oregon State	1-0
Pittsburgh	2-1
Prairie View A&M	1-0
Purdue	5-9
Rider	2-0
Rutgers	0-2
Samford	0-1
Seton Hall	0-1
St. Bonaventure	0-1
St. Francis (Pa.)	1-0
South Carolina	4-1
South Dakota St.	1-1
Stanford	0-1
Stony Brook	1-0
Syracuse	0-2
Texas A&M	2-1
Towson	1-0
UTEP	1-0
Texas Tech	1-1
USF	0-1
Utah	1-0
Virginia Tech	2-0
Wagner	2-0
Washington State	1-0
Wichita State	1-0
Wisconsin	6-8
Xavier	0-1

Washington's fourth year with a second-place finish in the Big Ten regular season standings, a runner-up finish in the Big Ten Tournament and a berth in the NCAA Tournament. Penn State tallied its 23rd 20-win season with a 25-10 overall record and an 11-5 mark in conference play. The Lady Lions worked their way back to the "Big Dance" for the first time since 2004-05 and advanced to the second round for the first time in seven years with a win over Dayton in the first round in front of a raucous Bryce Jordan Center crowd.

Penn State was a dominating force from the perimeter as the Lady Lions tied the school record with 228 three-pointers and led NCAA Division I from deep with a .415 three-point field goal percentage. Pacing the Lady Lions from downtown was Lucas, who broke the Big Ten three-pointers record with 112 triples to go along with a .426 shooting percentage. For her efforts, Lucas was selected as the Big Ten Freshman of the Year and Big Ten Sixth Player of the Year while breaking the Penn State freshman season scoring record (552 pts.). Additionally with Washington's guidance, Bentley became the 11th different player in school history to take home first team All-Big Ten accolades after finishing second in the conference in assists. After outstanding seasons, both Lucas and Bentley were invited to the USA Basketball World University Games Trials.

Washington was also instrumental in the development of Greene, who earned a spot on the Big Ten All-Defensive team and All-Big Ten honorable mention accolades after recording 75 blocks on the year. Julia Trogele also claimed All-Big Ten honorable mention honors to close out her career.

Washington's third season saw the Lady Lions return to the postseason for the first time since 2004-05 with a WNIT berth. The Lions earned their most overall wins (17) and conference wins (8) since the 2004-05 campaign en route to a sixth-place finish in the Big Ten. Penn State picked up a pair of wins over ranked opponents in #15/15 Pittsburgh and #20/23 Michigan State.

Washington led Tyra Grant to back-to-back first team All-Big Ten honors and Associated Press Honorable Mention All-America accolades in her senior season. Grant capped off her career by being selected by the Phoenix Mercury in the second round of the WNBA Draft. The four-time all-conference pick left Penn State third in school history in scoring with 2,044 points. Washington also guided Bentley to third team All-Big Ten honors, as well as a unanimous selection to the Big Ten All-Freshman team.

That year, Washington and the Lady Lions garnered one of the top recruiting classes in the country, finishing 22nd on the ESPN/HoopGurlz recruiting chart. The class included just the second McDonald's High School All-American in Penn State history in Lucas, WBCA High School All-American Ariel Edwards and All-State selection Talia East.

In Washington's second season, the Lady Lions moved up three positions in the Big Ten standings, finishing in a tie for seventh place. Under Washington's guidance in 2008-09, Grant became the 10th different player in school history to earn first team All-Big Ten honors. Grant was also a semifinalist for the Naismith Player of the Year award. Additionally, Brianne O'Rourke closed out her career with All-Big Ten honorable mention accolades and left Penn State as one of just six players in school history with 1,000 points and 500 assists.

Washington's second recruiting class was rated in the Top 20 by many publications, peaking at No. 10 by "Blue Star Basketball." The four-player class featured a pair of All-Americans in Greene and Bentley, as well as All-State performers Gizelle Studevent and Marisa Wolfe.

In May 2009, Washington's protégés Grant and Greene were invited to the USA Basketball Trials for the World University Games and U19 World Championships, respectively.

The Coquese Washington era started in style as the Lady Lions won their first three games of the season, including a win over #20/21 Pittsburgh, to claim the WBCA Classic title. Just three weeks later, Washington guided the Lady Lions to their first ever win over perennial contender and 10th-ranked Duke in the inaugural Big Ten/ACC Challenge, a game that was televised on ESPN2. The Lady Lions also appeared on CBS, earning a road win over Michigan State to kickoff the New Year. Washington was also instrumental in helping Kam Gissendanner sign a free agent contract with the WNBA's Los Angeles Sparks.

Washington came to Happy Valley after eight seasons as an associate head coach and assistant coach under

Muffet McGraw at Notre Dame, her alma mater. During Washington's eight years on the bench, Notre Dame amassed a 188-69 record with eight NCAA Tournament appearances, including four Sweet Sixteen runs and a National Championship in 2001.

One of the top recruiters in the country, Washington was instrumental in helping the Irish to secure eight consecutive Top 25 recruiting classes, according to "Blue Star Index," a feat only accomplished by two other programs in the country (Connecticut and Tennessee).

During her tenure at Notre Dame, Washington coached five All-Americans and had seven players that were drafted into the WNBA. Washington, in her role as the guards coach, was directly responsible for developing three All-Americans and two Frances Naismith Pomeroy Award winners for the nation's top player 5-8 or under, including Niele Ivey and Megan Duffy. Washington also directed Alicia Rataj, who is the NCAA's career three-point field goal percentage leader.

Washington was a four-year starting point guard for Notre Dame under McGraw and was the team captain on Notre Dame's first-ever NCAA Tournament team. She was a two-time All-Midwestern Collegiate Conference (MCC) selection and led Notre Dame to three MCC Tournament titles. Washington led the team in steals in each of her four seasons and was tops on the squad in assists three times. Washington is first on UND's all-time steals per game list (2.7), third in career steals (307), sixth in assists (554).

The epitome of a student-athlete, Washington graduated from Notre Dame in 1992, a full year ahead of schedule, with a bachelor's degree in history. She went on to attain "Double Dorer" status in 1997 after earning her Juris Doctorate from the Notre Dame Law School.

Washington juggled finishing her law degree with the start of her professional basketball career. She returned to the hardwood as a professional in 1997-98, playing for the ABL's Portland Power before spending a two-year stint with the WNBA's New York Liberty (1998-99). Washington moved to Houston for the 2000 season, where she played an instrumental role in leading the Comets to the WNBA title. She had a solid season in 2001 with the Comets and Hall of Fame coach Van Chancellor, finishing ninth in the WNBA in assists and fourth in steals as Houston earned its fifth consecutive playoff berth. Washington started the 2002 campaign with Houston before being traded to the Indiana Fever at the midway point of the season. Washington guided the Fever to their first-ever playoff berth and became the first player in WNBA history to lead three different teams to the postseason. She finished her professional career in 2003 as a member of the Fever.

Utilizing her law degree, Washington was a central figure in helping create the WNBA Players Association (WNBPA), serving as the founding president of the WNBPA from 1999 until 2001. She also served as the Executive Vice President of the WNBPA from 2001 until her retirement in 2003. Washington led negotiations for the association's first collective bargaining agreement as the association's president, and as the executive vice president was a mainstay in the negotiations for the league's second collective bargaining agreement, which brought about the first free agency system in women's professional sports.

In addition to assisting with the efforts of the Pink Zone at Penn State to raise money and awareness for breast cancer, Washington created Coquese's Drive for the Women's Resource Center. Coquese's Drive for the Women's Resource Center has raised more than \$135,000 for the Centre County Women's Resource Center to aid in the fight against domestic violence in its history.

Washington is currently serving as the President of the WBCA Board of Directors 29-member panel, after stints as the Vice President/President-Elect of the Executive

A standout at Central High School in Flint, Mich., Washington was inducted into the Greater Flint Area Sports Hall of Fame in December 2009.

A native of Flint, Mich., Washington and her husband, Raynell Brown, have a son, Quenton (10), and a daughter, Rhayna (6). They reside in Port Matilda, Pa.





2015-16 SEASON STATISTICS

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
OVERALL	1-0	1-0	--	--
BIG TEN	--	--	--	--
NON-CONFERENCE	1-0	1-0	--	--

##	Player	GP-GS	Min	FG-A	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Rebounds		PF-FO	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
										O-D-T	Avg							
25	Whitted, Peyton	1-1	38	8-15	.533	0-1	.000	6-8	.750	4-7-11	11.0	2-0	3	3	0	1	22	22.0
03	Banks, Brianna	1-1	32	8-15	.533	1-4	.250	3-3	1.000	2-1-3	3.0	5-1	2	3	0	3	20	20.0
11	Page, Teniya	1-1	38	6-11	.545	1-3	.333	2-8	.250	0-2-2	2.0	2-0	7	4	0	1	15	15.0
10	Sevillian, Keke	1-0	15	3-6	.500	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	1-0-1	1.0	1-0	0	0	0	2	7	7.0
24	Thomas, Ashanti	1-1	20	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	1-7	.143	3-3-6	6.0	0-0	0	3	1	0	7	7.0
12	Spann, Lindsey	1-0	27	1-9	.111	0-6	.000	3-4	.750	0-4-4	4.0	0-0	4	1	0	4	5	5.0
01	Agee, Candice	1-0	22	1-5	.200	0-0	.000	3-4	.750	2-6-8	8.0	4-0	1	2	3	1	5	5.0
02	Carter, Amari	1-0	5	1-2	.500	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	1-0-1	1.0	0-0	0	0	0	0	3	3.0
23	Williams, Jaylen	1-0	6	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	0-0-0	0.0	1-0	0	0	0	0	2	2.0
15	Mitchell, Kaliyah	1-1	22	0-3	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0-2-2	2.0	5-1	1	4	0	1	0	0.0
TEAM										6-1-7	7.0	0						
PENN STATE		1		31-71	.437	4-21	.190	20-36	.556	19-26-45	45.0	20-2	18	20	4	13	86	86.0
OPPONENTS		1		29-63	.460	10-25	.400	14-22	.636	10-29-39	39.0	27-3	17	23	4	7	82	82.0

SCORE BY QUARTER:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Penn State	17	21	23	11	14	86
Opponents	19	15	11	27	10	82

DEADBALL REBOUNDS:	OFF	DEF	TOTAL
Penn State	8	0	8
Opponents	6	0	6





2014-15 RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	ATTEND	LEADING SCORER	TOP REBOUNDER
11/13/15	HOLY CROSS	Wot	86-82	2941	[22]Whitted, Peyton	[11]Whitted, Peyton
11/15/15	FORDHAM					
11/18/15	at Tennessee					
11/22/15	CENTRAL CONNECTICUT STATE					
11/27/15	at Cal State Northridge					
11/28/15	vs TBA					
12/03/15	VIRGINIA TECH					
12/06/15	at USF					
12/08/15	YOUNGSTOWN STATE					
12/12/15	at St. Bonaventure					
12/20/15	SACRED HEART					
12/31/15	NORTHWESTERN *					
01/03/16	at Minnesota *					
01/07/16	MICHIGAN STATE *					
01/10/15	at Wisconsin *					
01/13/16	NEBRASKA *					
01/17/16	MICHIGAN *					
01/20/16	IOWA *					
01/23/16	ILLINOIS *					
01/26/16	MARYLAND *					
01/30/16	PURDUE *					
02/02/16	NEBRASKA *					
02/07/16	RUTGERS *					
02/11/16	at Michigan State *					
02/14/16	OHIO STATE *					
02/17/16	NORTHWESTERN *					
02/20/16	MICHIGAN *					
02/24/16	IOWA *					
02/27/16	INDIANA *					

ALL CAPS indicates home game

* - Big Ten Conference game

1 - Radisson Chatsworth Thanksgiving Classic (Northridge, Calif.)

2 - B1G/ACC Challenge (University Park, Pa.)

3 - Big Ten Tournament (United Center; Chicago)

2014-15 TEAM STATISTICS

	PSU	OPP
SCORING	1087	1337
Points per game	86.0	82.0
Scoring margin	+4.0	-
FIELD GOALS-ATT	31-71	29-63
Field goal pct	.437	.460
3 POINT FG-ATT	4-21	10-25
3-point FG pct	.190	.400
3-pt FG made per game	4.0	10.0
FREE THROWS-ATT	20-36	14-22
Free throw pct	.556	.636
Free throws made per game	20.0	14.0
REBOUNDS	45	39
Rebounds per game	45.0	39.0
Rebounding margin	+6.0	-
ASSISTS	18	17
Assists per game	18.0	17.0
TURNOVERS	20	23
Turnovers per game	20.0	23.0
Turnover margin	+3.0	-
Assist/turnover ratio	0.9	0.7

STEALS	13	7
Steals per game	13.0	7.0
BLOCKS	4	4
Blocks per game	4.0	4.0
WINNING STREAK	1	-
Home win streak	1	-
ATTENDANCE	2941	0
Home games-Avg/Game	1-2941	0-0
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0





Coquese Washington
Head Coach
9th Year



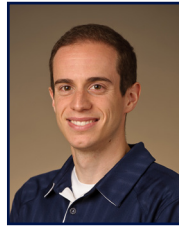
Itoro Coleman
Assistant Coach
5th Year



Kia Damon
Assistant Coach
9th Year



Jocelyn Wyatt
Assistant Coach
2nd Year



Ethan Gelfand
Director of Ops
5th Year



Natalie Meckstroth
Athletic Trainer
4th Year



Brad Pantall
Performance Enhancement
10th Year



1 **CANDICE AGEE**
C | Sr./Sr. | 6-6
Victorville, Calif.



2 **AMARI CARTER**
G | Fr./Fr. | 5-8
Washington, D.C.



3 **BRIANNA BANKS**
G | 5th/Sr. | 5-9
Newnan, Ga.



5 **SIERRA MOORE**
G | Sr./Jr. | 5-11
Hanover, Pa.



10 **KEKE SEVILLIAN**
G | Jr./Jr. | 5-7
Goodrich, Mich.



11 **TENIYA PAGE**
G | Fr./Fr. | 5-7
Chicago, Ill.



12 **LINDSEY SPANN**
G | Jr./So. | 5-6
Laurel, Md.



15 **KALIYAH MITCHELL**
F | Jr./Jr. | 6-2
Stone Mountain, Ga.



22 **LEAH KNIZNER**
G | Fr./Fr. | 5-9
Greensburg, Pa.



23 **JAYLEN WILLIAMS**
F | Fr./Fr. | 6-3
Easton, Mass.



24 **ASHANTI THOMAS**
C | Fr./Fr. | 6-4
Lexington, Ky.



25 **PEYTON WHITTED**
F | Jr./Jr. | 6-3
Suwanee, Ga.



34 **SARAH MCMURRY**
G | Fr./Fr. | 5-6
Pittsburgh, Pa.