



# MIAMI BASEBALL GAME NOTES

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Home to four National Championships in the last 30 years (1982, 1985, 1991, 2001)

## GAME INFORMATION

Date: Feb. 22-24, 2013

Time: Fri: 7 p.m., Sat: 7 p.m., Sun: 1 p.m.

Site: Coral Gables, Fla. / Alex Rodriguez Park (4,999)

TV: •Canes All-Access (all three games)

Radio: •WQAM 560 AM (Saturday only)  
•WVUM 90.5 FM (all three games)

Live Stats: HurricaneSports.com

Twitter Updates: @CanesBaseball

Postgame Video: TheUBaseball.com

Series: Miami leads, 1-0

Last Meeting: 3/20/2002 – W, 10-3

Last Ten: N/A

Streak: Miami, 1 win

## MIAMI 4-0, 0-0 ACC

2013: 4-0 (0-0 ACC)

Ranking: #20 (Collegiate Baseball) / #23 (NCBWA)

Last Game: Feb. 20, 2013 (Boca Raton, Fla.)  
5-4 win, Florida Atlantic

Head Coach: Jim Morris (Elon, 1973)  
Career: 1,357-588-4 (32nd season)  
at UM: 853-321-3 (20th season)

Twitter: @CanesBaseball / @Coach3Morris

## MILWAUKEE 2-2, 0-0 Horizon

2013: 2-2 (0-0 Horizon)

Ranking: NR

Last Game: Feb. 16, 2013 (Las Cruces, N.M.)  
16-8 loss, New Mexico State

Head Coach: Scott Doffek  
Career: 168-178-1 (6th season)  
at UWM: 168-178-1 (6th season)

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## GAMES 5-7

CORAL GABLES, FLA.



## #20 MIAMI HURRICANES (4-0, 0-0 ACC)

Head Coach: Jim Morris (Elon, 1973)

Career Division I Record: 1,358-588-4 (32nd season) | at UM: 854-321-3 (20th season)

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## NR UW-MILWAUKEE PANTHERS (2-2, 0-0 Horizon)

Head Coach: Scott Doffek

Career Division I Record: 168-178-1 (6th season) | at UWM: 168-178-1 (6th season)

## STORY LINES

- The Miami Hurricanes will take on the visiting Milwaukee Panthers in a three-game series beginning Friday, Feb. 22.
- Missing two of their top arms, the Hurricanes' starters impressed in an opening sweep of Rutgers. LHP **Chris Diaz**, RHP **Javi Salas** and LHP **Andrew Suarez** allowed zero earned runs over 17 innings of work, finishing a combined 2-0.
- Saturday's game against the Panthers has been designated the "Remembering Ron Fraser" game. All proceeds from the game will be donated to The Wizard Fund, established to build a bronze statue in Fraser's honor outside the ballpark.
- Miami enters the weekend with some momentum, capturing their first midweek victory of the season Wednesday over FAU in extra innings. An 11th-inning single from junior third baseman Brad Fieger proved to be the game-winner in Boca Raton.
- A nationally-ranked recruiting class continues to make a difference for the Hurricanes. Freshman David Thompson hit the first homerun of the Canes' season to tie the game in the eighth inning against FAU, and Alex Hernandez has registered a four-game hitting streak to open his career.
- Milwaukee enters the weekend with a 2-2 record, having split a four-game set with New Mexico State on the road.

## STARTING PITCHERS



Fri: Chris Diaz,  
0-0, 0.00 ERA



Sat: Javi Salas  
1-0, 0.00 ERA



Sun: Andrew Suarez  
1-0, 0.00 ERA

### UWM Panthers:

Friday: SR RHP Cale Tassi (0-0)

Saturday: JR LHP Mike Schneider (1-0)

Sunday: SO RHP Eric King (0-1)

## POTENTIAL STARTERS

Pos.	#	Player	AVG.	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB
C	10	Alex San Juan	.385	13	3	5	1	0	0	1	0-0
1B	19	David Thompson	.250	12	3	3	1	0	1	7	0-1
2B	7	Alex Hernandez	.308	13	3	4	1	0	0	1	1-3
SS	51	Brandon Lopez	.250	12	1	3	0	0	0	0	1-1
3B	27	Brad Fieger	.357	14	0	5	1	0	0	4	0-0
LF	9	Tyler Palmer	.231	13	3	3	1	0	0	0	0-1
CF	36	Dale Carey	.200	15	2	3	1	1	0	2	0-0
RF	2	Chantz Mack	.250	16	3	4	2	0	0	2	0-0
DH	8	Michael Broad	.500	8	1	4	0	0	0	0	0-0

## KEY RESERVES

Pos.	#	Player	AVG.	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB
C	40	Garrett Kennedy	1.000	2	0	2	0	0	0	2	0
C	0	Roger Gonzalez	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
1B	17	Chris Barr	.000	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
2B	46	John Lawroski	.000	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3B	14	Esteban Tresgallo	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
OF	41	Ricky Eusebio	1.000	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
OF	24	Grant Heyman	.250	4	0	1	0	0	0	1	N/A

## 2013 SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT
2/15	Rutgers	W, 5-4
2/16	Rutgers	W, 4-1 (7 inn.)
2/17	Rutgers	W, 7-0
2/20	at Florida Atlantic	W, 5-4 (11 inn.)
2/22	Milwaukee	7 p.m.
2/23	Milwaukee	7 p.m.
2/24	Milwaukee	1 p.m.
2/26	Saint Thomas	6 p.m.
2/27	Barry	6 p.m.
3/1	at Florida	7 p.m.
3/2	at Florida	4 p.m.
3/3	at Florida	1 p.m.
3/5	Maine	6 p.m.
3/6	Central Florida	6 p.m.
3/8	Duke*	7 p.m.
3/9	Duke*	7 p.m.
3/10	Duke*	1 p.m.
3/12	Illinois State	6 p.m.
3/13	Illinois State	6 p.m.
3/15	at North Carolina*	7 p.m.
3/16	at North Carolina*	6 p.m.
3/17	at North Carolina*	1 p.m.
3/19	Columbia	6 p.m.
3/20	Columbia	6 p.m.
3/22	Virginia Tech*	7 p.m.
3/23	Virginia Tech*	7 p.m.
3/24	Virginia Tech*	1 p.m.
3/27	Florida Atlantic	6 p.m.
3/29	at Virginia*	6 p.m.
3/30	at Virginia*	1 p.m.
3/31	at Virginia*	1 p.m.
4/3	Bethune-Cookman	6 p.m.
4/5	Florida State*	7 p.m.
4/6	Florida State*	7 p.m.
4/7	Florida State*	12 p.m.
4/10	Stetson	6 p.m.
4/12	at Maryland*	6:30 p.m.
4/13	at Maryland*	TBA
4/14	at Maryland*	1 p.m.
4/17	Bethune-Cookman	6 p.m.
4/19	Clemson*	7 p.m.
4/20	Clemson*	7 p.m.
4/21	Clemson*	1 p.m.
4/24	Florida Atlantic	6 p.m.
4/26	at Boston College*	2:30 p.m.
4/27	at Boston College*	1:30 p.m.
4/28	at Boston College*	1 p.m.
5/3	St. John's	7 p.m.
5/4	St. John's	7 p.m.
5/5	St. John's	1 p.m.
5/10	at Wake Forest*	6 p.m.
5/11	at Wake Forest*	4 p.m.
5/12	at Wake Forest*	1 p.m.
5/16	Georgia Tech*	7 p.m.
5/17	Georgia Tech*	7 p.m.
5/18	Georgia Tech*	1 p.m.

All home games (in bold) played at Alex Rodriguez Park at Mark Light Field

\* indicates Atlantic Coast Conference game

## 2013 ROSTER

#	Name	Yr.	Pos.	B/T.
0	Roger Gonzalez Miami, Fla.   Florida Christian	Fr.	C	S/R
2	Chantz Mack Homestead, Fla.   Archbishop Carroll	Sr.	OF	L/L
4	Alexander Fernandez Southwest Ranches, Fla.   Archbishop McCarthy	Jr.	SS	R/R
7	Alexander Hernandez West Palm Beach, Fla.   Palm Beach Central	Jr.	SS	R/R
8	Michael Broad Fort Lauderdale, Fla.   Nova	Sr.	OF	R/R
9	Tyler Palmer Pembroke Pines, Fla.   University	Jr.	INF	R/R
10	Alex San Juan Miami, Fla.   Christopher Columbus	Sr.	C	R/R
14	Esteban Tresgallo Guaynabo, Puerto Rico   Colegio Marista	Soph.	INF	R/R
16	AJ Salcines Miami, Fla.   Florida Christian	Jr.	LHP	L/L
17	Christopher Barr Royal Palm Beach, Fla.   Royal Palm Beach	Fr.	1B/OF	L/L
18	Chris Diaz Florida City, Fla.   Gulliver Prep	Soph.	LHP	L/L
19	David Thompson Miami, Fla.   Westminster Christian	Fr.	1B/OF	R/R
22	Javi Salas Coral Gables, Fla.   Christopher Columbus	Jr.	RHP	R/R
24	Grant Heyman Pittsford, N.Y.   Pittsford-Sutherland	Fr.	OF	L/R
27	Brad Fieger Naples, Fla.   Naples	Jr.	INF	R/R
28	Jace Herrera Apopka, Fla.   Wekiva	R-Fr.	RHP	R/R
30	Andrew Suarez Miami, Fla.   Christopher Columbus	R-Fr.	LHP	L/L
31	Sam Abrams Miami, Fla.   Killian	R-Soph.	RHP	R/R
32	Adam Sargent Miami, Fla.   Palmetto Senior	Jr.	RHP	R/R
34	Ryan Otero Coral Gables, Fla.   Ransom Everglades	R-Fr.	RHP	R/R
36	Dale Carey Marietta, Ga.   Wheeler	Jr.	OF	R/R
37	Eric Nedeljovic Folsom, Calif.   Sierra College	Sr.	RHP	R/R
40	Garrett Kennedy Davie, Fla.   Archbishop McCarthy	Soph.	C	L/R
41	Ricky Eusebio Homestead, Fla.   Gulliver Prep	Fr.	OF	R/R
42	Edgard Michelangeli Miami, Fla.   Florida Christian	Fr.	INF	R/R
43	Thomas Woodrey Lighthouse Point, Fla.   Cardinal Gibbons	Fr.	LHP	L/L
45	Vince Kossak Lake Worth, Fla.   Trinity Christian	Sr.	RHP	R/R
46	John Lawroski Ocala, Fla.   Birmingham Southern	R-Soph.	INF	R/R
47	Enrique Sosa Panama City, Panama   Academia Interamericana de Panama	Fr.	RHP	R/R
51	Brandon Lopez Miramar, Fla.   American Heritage	Fr.	SS	R/R
52	Eric Whaley Pompano Beach, Fla.   Cardinal Gibbons	Sr.	RHP	R/R
55	Frank Grandinette Orlando, Fla.   Boone	Fr.	RHP	R/R
77	Bryan Radziewski Miami, Fla.   Florida Christian	Jr.	LHP	L/L

## QUICK FACTS

### THE UNIVERSITY

<b>Name of School</b>	University of Miami
<b>City, State, Zip</b>	Coral Gables, FL, 33146
<b>Founded</b>	1925
<b>Enrollment</b>	15,629
<b>Nickname</b>	Hurricanes
<b>School Colors</b>	Orange (1665), Green (3435) & White
<b>Mascot</b>	Sebastian the Ibis
<b>Ballpark</b>	Alex Rodriguez Park at Mark Light Field
<b>Capacity</b>	4,999
<b>Affiliation</b>	NCAA Division I
<b>Conference</b>	Atlantic Coast
<b>President</b>	Dr. Donna E. Shalala
<b>Director of Athletics</b>	Blake James
<b>Ticket Office</b>	(305) 284-2263
<b>Athletics Website</b>	HurricaneSports.com

### PROGRAM HISTORY

<b>First Year of Baseball</b>	1940
<b>All-Time Record</b>	2,365-954-18 (.708)
<b>Years in College World Series/Last College World Series Record</b>	23/2008
<b>National Championships</b>	47-38 (.553)
<b>*1982, 1985, 1999, 2001</b>	
<b>Years in NCAA Regional/Last NCAA Regional Record</b>	41/2012
<b>Years in NCAA Super Regional/Last NCAA Super Regional Record</b>	116-41 (.739)
<b>Last Postseason Opponent</b>	10/2010
	14-10
	Missouri State/2012
	Coral Gables Regional
<b>Result</b>	Lost, 12-2

### TEAM INFORMATION

<b>2012 Overall Record</b>	36-23
<b>2012 Home Record</b>	25-10
<b>ACC Home Record</b>	10-5
<b>2012 Away Record</b>	9-9
<b>ACC Away Record</b>	6-9
<b>2012 Neutral Site Record</b>	2-4
<b>ACC Record/Finish</b>	16-14/3rd (Coastal)
<b>2012 Postseason Record</b>	2-4
<b>ACC Tournament</b>	2-2
<b>NCAA Coral Gables Regional</b>	0-2

### COACHING STAFF

<b>Head Coach</b>	Jim Morris
	Alma Mater Elon, '73
<b>Overall Record (Yrs.)</b>	1,358-588-4 (31)
<b>Record at UM (Yrs.)</b>	854-321-3 (19)
<b>Assistant Coach/Hitting</b>	Gino DiMare
	Alma Mater Miami, '98
<b>Assistant Coach/Pitching</b>	J.D. Arteaga
	Alma Mater Miami, '02
<b>Volunteer Coach</b>	Lou Palmisano
	Alma Mater Broward College, '03

<b>Director of Operations</b>	Robert "G.M." McDaniel
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**3 JIM MORRIS 2001, 1999 & 1994 COACH OF THE YEAR • 2008 ACC COACH OF THE YEAR**



In his 20th season at Miami, no other program nor head coach, has qualified for the College World Series as much as Morris and his Hurricanes. Miami, which has qualified for the NCAA Tournament an NCAA-record 40 consecutive years, has made it to Omaha in 11 of Morris' 19 seasons in Coral Gables. Morris set an NCAA record for guiding a program to the CWS in each of his first six years at UM. In addition, Morris won a record 13 consecutive NCAA Regionals from 1994-2006.

- Morris has directed the Hurricanes to a 854-321-3 (.710) mark since arriving in 1994. Including his 12 seasons at Georgia Tech (1982-93), Morris has forged a 1,358-588-4 (.697) Division I record in 31 years as a head coach. Overall, Morris has been the head coach at the collegiate level for 34 seasons, spending the first four at DeKalb (Ga.) C.C. (now Georgia Perimeter College) from 1976-79, and has recorded a 1,489-629-4 (.706) mark

- In addition to carrying on Miami's great baseball reputation in the last 19 years, Morris personally led the charge in the construction of Alex Rodriguez Park, and logged hundreds of hours raising funds for the stadium project.

**MORRIS IS A REGIONAL REGULAR**

- Jim Morris earned his 28th consecutive NCAA regional bid in 2012 when he guided the Canes to one of 16 host sites for the first round of the postseason. He has led Miami to a regional in each of his 19 seasons (1994-2012), winning 15 of his last 19 appearances. The 13 consecutive regional championships (94-06) was an NCAA record. He also went to nine straight regionals from 1985-93 with Georgia Tech. Additionally, Miami has advanced to nine Super Regionals under Morris.

- Affectionately known as "3" by those surrounding the UM program, Morris led the 2012 Hurricanes to their 40th-straight NCAA Tournament. Five players from the 2012 team were selected in last year's Major League Baseball Draft: E.J. Encinosa, Eric Erickson, Steven Ewing, Peter O'Brien and Stephen Perez.

**MORRIS IN 35th SEASON AS A COLLEGE COACH**

- Morris currently has a 1,358-588-4 (.697) record at the Division I level. As a head coach overall, he has compiled a 1,489-629-4 (.706) record over 30-plus years.

- Jim Morris notched his milestone 1,000th win against his former school, Georgia Tech, with a 16-13 win on April 4, 2004. Thirteen days later, he notched win No. 500 at Miami with a 7-3 win against Florida State on April 17. Morris' 1,000th win as a head coach, including four years at DeKalb Junior College, came in a 5-3 win over Northeastern on March 23, 2001.

- Morris entered 2013 as the fifth-winningest active coach in Division I baseball history with 1,354 wins. His impressive win total ranks him No. 12 all-time for any coach, regardless of division.



**JIM MORRIS MAKING HISTORY**

- The only coach in NCAA history to take a school to the College World Series in each of his first six years at a program. Morris has gone to Omaha with Miami in 11 of 18 seasons and led the Canes to 13 straight NCAA Regional Championships, an NCAA record.
- Named National Coach of the Year five times while at Miami by Baseball America in 1994 and by the ABCA and Collegiate Baseball in 1999 and 2001.

**HONORS AND AWARDS**

• 2008 Atlantic Coast Conference Coach of the Year
• 2006 Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) Citizens Academy
• 2005 Recipient of the Iron Arrow - The highest honor bestowed upon a person by the University of Miami
• 2005 Elected to Orange Bowl Committee Board
• 2004 Golden Key Honor Society
• 2003 Inducted into the University of Miami Athletics Hall of Fame
• 2001 College World Series Champion
• 2001 Collegiate Baseball National Coach of the Year
• 2001 ABCA National and Regional Coach of the Year
• 1999 College World Series Champion
• 1999 Collegiate Baseball National Coach of the Year
• 1999 ABCA National and Regional Coach of the Year
• 1999 Inducted into Georgia Tech Athletics Hall of Fame
• 1998 ABCA Atlantic Region Coach of the Year
• 1997 ABCA Atlantic Region Coach of the Year
• 1996-2001 NCAA Rules Committee Member
• 1994 Baseball America National Coach of the Year



## HURRICANES REMAIN UNDEFEATED

- The Hurricanes overcame the odds with a 5-4 win in Boca Raton Wednesday night. Down 4-2 to FAU in the eighth, a two-run homer from freshman **David Thompson** helped force extras, where **Brad Fieger**'s RBI single won it in the top of the 11th.
- With their dramatic win over FAU, the Hurricanes opened the season a perfect 4-0 for the second consecutive year.
- Wednesday's game marked the first extra-inning game for Miami in 2013, whose last extended game came against Florida State in April 2012 - lost on a single in the bottom of the 10th.

## HOME SWEET HOME

- Miami opens up a five-game homestand Friday when visiting Milwaukee arrives for a weekend series. The Hurricanes play midweek games with Saint Thomas (Feb. 26) and Barry (Feb. 27) before departing for Florida Thursday, Feb. 28.
- 31 of Miami's remaining 49 games will be played inside the friendly confines of Alex Rodriguez Park at Mark Light Field.
- The Hurricanes finished 2012 with a home record of 25-10 (.714), including a 10-5 mark in conference play.

## STARTING OFF STRONG

- Despite missing two top arms due to injury (**Eric Whaley** and **Bryan Radziewski**), the Hurricanes starters put on an impressive showing in their opening series with Rutgers.
- LHP **Chris Diaz**, RHP **Javi Salas** and LHP **Andrew Suarez** combined for 17 innings in three starts, and did not allow any earned runs. Miami will use the same rotation against UWM.
- Diaz** and **Salas** each allowed one unearned run in the Opening Day doubleheader, while **Suarez**, making his first career start as a Hurricane in Sunday's series finale, allowed zero runs in a 7-0 shutout win.

## '13 RECRUITING CLASS IMPRESSES

- The Canes' incoming class was rated among the top groups nationwide by multiple publications, earning the first top 10 distinction from *Baseball America* since 2006 (No. 10) and coming in at No. 9 overall according to *Collegiate Baseball*.
- Thomas Woodrey** made his first career start against FAU, going 4.2 innings. He allowed three runs and struck out five.
- David Thompson** hit the first homerun of the Hurricanes' season to help force extras against FAU, while **Alex Hernandez** extended his hitting streak to four straight games.
- Eight Hurricanes made their debuts in the sweep of Rutgers, while four new Canes recorded their first career hits: **Ricky Eusebio**, **Hernandez**, **Grant Heyman**, **Brandon Lopez** and **Thompson**.

## SCOUTING THE PANTHERS

- Milwaukee was picked to finish second in the 2013 Horizon League preseason baseball poll behind Valparaiso - who was selected as the favorite in a ballot of conference coaches.
- The Panthers (2-2) split a four-game opening set on the road at New Mexico State, a team receiving votes in many collegiate baseball preseason polls.
- Milwaukee returns seven of their nine starters from the 2012 season, including reigning Horizon League Player of the Week **Will Fadness** (.333 AVG, two homeruns, 10 RBI's)

## OPENING DAY RESULTS

### Jim Morris Era

2013	Rutgers	W, 5-4
2012	Rutgers	W, 6-2
2011	Rutgers	W, 2-1
2010	Rutgers	W, 12-1
2009	Rutgers	W, 6-1
2008	Cincinnati	W, 3-1
2007	Mercer	L, 5-6
2006	FIU	W, 17-3
2005	FIU	W, 7-0
2004	Florida	L, 0-3
2003	FIU	W, 12-7
2002	Tennessee	W, 5-4
2001	Florida Atlantic	W, 9-3
2000	Lynn	W, 5-4
1999	Barry	W, 8-3
1998	Barry	W, 9-0
1997	Hawai'i	L, 2-3
1996	Barry	W, 25-0
1995	Florida Atlantic	W, 5-2
1994	Barry	W, 8-0

## OPENING DAY STARTERS

### Past Five Seasons

2013	Chris Diaz vs. Rutgers (W)
2012	Eric Erickson vs. Rutgers (W)
2011	Bryan Radziewski vs. Rutgers (ND)
2010	Eric Erickson vs. Rutgers (W)
2009	Chris Hernandez vs. Rutgers (W)

## The Hurricanes in 2013

Overall	4-0
ACC Record	0-0
Home	3-0
Away	1-0
Neutral	0-0
Day	2-0
Night	2-0
vs. Left-hander	2-0
vs. Right-hander	2-0
In February	4-0
In March	0-0
In April	0-0
In May	0-0
In June	0-0
On Monday	0-0
On Tuesday	1-0
On Wednesday	0-0
On Thursday	0-0
On Friday	0-0
On Saturday	2-0
On Sunday	1-0
1-Run games	2-0
2-Run games	0-0
3-Run games	1-0
4-Run games	0-0
5+ Run games	1-0
In Extra Innings	1-0
Shutouts	1-0
Game 1 of a series	1-0
Game 2 of a series	1-0
Game 3 of a series	1-0

## STARTING NINE...

P	C	1B	2B	SS	3B	LF	CF	RF
18	10	19	7	51	27	8	36	9
22	40	19	7	51	27	9	36	2
30	10	19	7	51	27	9	36	2
43	10	19	7	51	27	9	36	2

## BATTING ORDER...

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
9	7	2	19	36	10	27	8	51
9	7	2	19	36	10	27	51	40
9	7	2	19	36	10	27	51	24
9	7	2	19	36	10	27	8	51

## GAMEWINNING HITS/RBI..

Date	Opponent	Player	Hit	Inn.	Final
2/16	Rutgers	Kennedy	1B	B-9	5-4
2/16	Rutgers	Carey	3B	B-1	4-1
2/17	Rutgers	Mack	G/O	B-3	7-0
2/20	FAU	Fieger	1B	T-11	5-4

## ACTIVE HITTING STREAKS...

Length	Player	Date Started
4 Games	Hernandez	2/16 (G1)
4 Games	San Juan	2/16 (G1)
3 Games	Palmer	2/16 (G2)
3 Games	Mack	2/16 (G2)
3 Games	Fieger	2/16 (G2)

## ACC NOTABLES...

Team Fielding: .987	ACC Rank: 1st
Team ERA: 1.50	ACC Rank: 2nd
Team Batting: .304 AVG	ACC Rank: 4th

David Thompson: 7 RBI's      ACC Rank: T-4th

## MIAMI BASEBALL MEDIA POLICIES

### Releases Available via Email

Media members interested in receiving Miami baseball releases via email should send requests to **Camron Ghorbi** (c.ghorbi@miami.edu)

### Regular Season Media Availability

Players and coaches will be made available to the media each week of the regular season. Details on the availability, including players and coaches available, will be sent out in advance.

### Game Day Media Policies

Working media will be welcomed to the Alex Rodriguez Park at Mark Light Field press box.

- State newspapers by circulation, wire services, national publications, newspapers from opponent's area and student newspapers from UM and opposing schools.
- Other daily newspapers.
- Radio and TV personnel not broadcasting, but considering reporting.
- Non-daily newspapers



# PITCHER PROFILES

## 31 • SAM ABRAMS

RHP

- R/R • 5-9 • 160 • So. • Miami, Fla.
- Returns to the team after a one-year hiatus
- Saw action in seven games as a freshman in 2011, tossing 9.2 innings over the season
- Gives the team a different look out of the bullpen with a sidearm delivery
- Local product, who carried a perfect 4.0 Grade Point Average (GPA) at nearby Killian High School

### CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	ERA	W-L	APP	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	B/AVG
2011	3.72	0-0	7	9.2	9	5	4	4	5	.243

### CAREER HIGHS

Innings: 3.2 (March 4, 2011 vs. Florida)  
 Hits: 2, four times  
 Earned Runs: 4 (March 26, 2011 vs. Georgia Tech)  
 Strikeouts: 2 (March 4, 2011 vs. Florida)

## 18 • CHRIS DIAZ

LHP

- L/L • 6-0 • 195 • So. • Florida City, Fla.
- Served as one of the team's key arms out of the bullpen in his first year as a Hurricane, registering 23 appearances
- Started 2013 Opening Day, going a career-best six innings
- Went three innings in his first career start against Florida Atlantic, striking out two batters in three scoreless frames

### YEAR-BY-YEAR STATISTICS

YEAR	ERA	W-L	APP	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	B/AVG
2013	0.00	1-0	1	6.0	5	1	0	1	5	.238
2012	4.18	2-1	23	32.1	35	17	15	13	20	.287

CAREER 3.52 3-1 24 38.1 40 18 15 14 25

### CAREER HIGHS

Innings: 6.0 (Feb. 16, 2013 vs. Rutgers)  
 Hits: 8 (March 13, 2012 vs. Illinois State)  
 Earned Runs: 4 (March 13, 2012 vs. Illinois State)  
 Strikeouts: 5 (Feb. 16, 2013 vs. Rutgers)

## 4 • ALEX FERNANDEZ

RHP

- R/R • 5-9 • 180 • So. • Southwest Ranches, Fla.
- Makes the permanent move to the mound after serving as both a pitcher and infielder as a freshman in 2012
- Registered nine appearances on the hill in 2012, finishing with a 2-0 record and a 2.84 ERA
- Struck out four batters across 6.1 combined innings of relief, allowing two earned runs on the year
- Registered at-bats in eight different games, finishing the year with two RBI's

### CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	ERA	W-L	APP	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	B/AVG
2012	2.84	2-0	9	6.1	7	2	2	5	4	.318

### CAREER HIGHS

Innings: 1.1 (April 20, 2012 vs. Florida State)  
 Hits: 2, two times  
 Earned Runs: 1, two times  
 Strikeouts: 1, four times

## 55 • FRANK GRANDINETTE

RHP

- R/R • 6-0 • 190 • Fr. • Orlando, Fla.
- Three year letter winner at Boone High School (2010-12)
- His senior season he was 10-1 with 53 strikeouts, to go along with a 0.74 ERA

### CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	ERA	W-L	APP	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	B/AVG
2013	0.00	0-0	2	2.0	2	0	0	0	0	.286

## 28 • JACE HERRERA

RHP

- R/R • 6-4 • 210 • R-Fr. • Apopka, Fla.
- Five-year letterman at Wekiva High (2007-2011)
- Selected by the Red Sox in the 36th round of the 2011 Draft
- Missed 2012 while recovering from Tommy John surgery
- Chosen as the FACA District 10 Class 6A Player of the Year as a senior at Wekiva

## 45 • VINCE KOSSAK

RHP

- R/R • 6-0 • 186 • Sr. • Lake Worth, Fla.
- Transferred to Miami in 2012 from Palm Beach State College
- Served as one of the team's primary long relievers in 2012, finishing with 11.1 innings pitched across eight appearances
- Pitched in the team's series opener against Georgia Tech after a lightning delay, setting a career-high with three innings pitched

### YEAR-BY-YEAR STATISTICS

YEAR	ERA	W-L	APP	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	B/AVG
2013	0.00	0-0	2	4.1	4	1	1	1	4	.250
2012	7.71	0-0	8	11.2	12	10	10	5	7	.255

CAREER 6.19 0-0 10 16.0 16 11 11 6 11

### CAREER HIGHS

Innings: 3.0, twice  
 Hits: 3, twice  
 Earned Runs: 3, three times  
 Strikeouts: 3, twice



## 37 • ERIC NEDELJKOVIC

RHP

- R/R • 6-0 • 175 • Sr. • Folsom, Calif.
- Transferred to Miami in 2012 after spending two seasons at Sierra College in his native California
- Served as one of the team's key relievers out of the bullpen in 2012, splitting late-season closer duties
- Allowed only five runs all of 2012, the fewest among bullpen regulars
- Registered the second-lowest ERA among relievers at 1.78

### YEAR-BY-YEAR STATISTICS

YEAR	ERA	W-L	APP	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	B/AVG
2013	0.00	1-0	2	4.1	2	0	0	1	4	.143
2012	1.78	0-1	29	25.1	27	10	5	6	18	.284

CAREER 1.52 1-1 31 29.2 29 10 5 7 22

### CAREER HIGHS

Innings: 2.1 (Feb. 20, 2013 vs. FAU)  
 Hits: 3 (May 23, 2012 vs. NC State)  
 Earned Runs: 1, five times  
 Strikeouts: 3 (Feb. 22, 2012 vs. Florida Gulf Coast)

## 34 • RYAN OTERO

RHP

- R/R • 6-3 • 185 • R-Fr. • Coral Gables, Fla.
- Redshirted in 2012
- Attended Ransom Everglades School in nearby Coconut Grove and played under coach Pete Perez
- During his senior season, batted .426 with four home runs, 31 RBI and six stolen bases

## 77 • BRYAN RADZIEWSKI

LHP

- L/L • 5-10 • 195 • Jr. • Miami, Fla.
- Recorded five starts before missing the rest of 2012 to season-ending shoulder surgery
- Expected to miss the opening of the 2013 season as he finishes rehab process
- In 2011, named to the *Baseball America* Freshman All-America Second Team

### CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	ERA	W-L	GS	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	B/AVG
2012	3.08	2-0	5	26.1	24	10	9	14	21	.250
2011	3.35	9-2	16	91.1	87	48	34	37	92	.252

CAREER 3.30 11-2 21 117.2 111 58 43 51 113

### CAREER HIGHS

Innings: 7.0, five times  
 Hits: 9, two times  
 Earned Runs: 5, two times  
 Strikeouts: 10 (March 18, 2011 vs. Wake Forest)

## 22 • JAVI SALAS

RHP

- R/R • 6-4 • 227 • Jr. • Coral Gables, Fla.
- Served as a starter for the final four midweek match-ups of the regular season in 2012
- Earned his first win of 2013 with a six-inning showing against Rutgers
- Made 19 appearances as a sophomore, including five starts
- Registered the only double-digit strikeout performance of the year in 2012, a 10-punchout gem against FAU

### CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	ERA	W-L	APP	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	B/AVG
2013	0.00	1-0	1	6.0	4	1	0	1	5	.160
2012	3.21	6-3	19	47.2	48	26	17	16	48	.261
2011	5.59	0-2	21	29.0	31	22	18	8	13	.279

CAREER 3.81 7-5 41 82.2 83 49 35 25 66

### CAREER HIGHS

Innings: 6.2 (April 18, 2012 vs. Stetson)  
 Hits: 7 (April 18, 2012 vs. Stetson)  
 Earned Runs: 4 (May 27, 2012 vs. Georgia Tech)  
 Strikeouts: 10 (April 24, 2012 vs. Florida Atlantic)



## 16 • AJ SALCINES

LHP

- L/L • 6-0 • 202 • Jr. • Miami, Fla.
- 2013 Preseason All-America Third Team (*NCBWA*)
- 2013 NCBWA Stopper of the Year Watch List
- Named 2012 Team MVP after a dominant sophomore season
- Ranked second on the team with seven saves in 2012
- Tied for the Atlantic Coast Conference lead in appearances (39)
- Registered the lowest ERA on the entire pitching staff (1.40)

### CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	ERA	W-L	APP	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	B/AVG
2013	6.75	1-0	2	2.2	6	3	2	3	2	.462
2012	1.40	3-0	39	38.2	26	10	6	11	44	.193
2011	5.27	1-0	18	27.1	33	18	16	13	27	.306

CAREER 3.15 5-0 59 68.2 65 31 24 27 73

### CAREER HIGHS

Innings: 4.0 (March 23, 2011 vs. Florida Gulf Coast)  
 Hits: 4 (May 6, 2011 vs. Hofstra)  
 Earned Runs: 3, three times

# PITCHER PROFILES

## 32 • ADAM SARGENT RHP

- 5-11 • 180 • Jr. • Miami, Fla.
- Served as one of the team's most reliable relievers in 2012, finishing with a 2.81 ERA in 27 appearances
  - Allowed only eight earned runs in 25.2 innings on the hill
  - After allowing runs in his first two appearances, went 9.1 innings spanning 10 appearances where he did not allow an earned run
  - Pitched in both of the team's NCAA Tournament games, throwing 1.2 combined scoreless innings with two strikeouts

### CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	ERA	W-L	APP	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	B/AVG
2012	2.81	0-2	27	25.2	28	11	8	13	24	.267
2011	4.40	2-2	29	30.2	25	16	15	15	25	.227

CAREER 3.69 2-4 56 56.1 53 27 23 28 49

### CAREER HIGHS

Innings: 3.0 (Feb 24, 2011 vs. Appalachian State)

Hits: 5 (April 30, 2012 vs. Virginia)

Earned Runs: 4 (April 13, 2011 vs. Barry)

Strikeouts: 3, four times

## 47 • ENRIQUE SOSA RHP

- 5-9 • 180 • Fr. • Panama City, Panama
- Enrolled as a freshman before the start of the spring semester
  - Attended Academia Interamericana de Panama in his native Panama City



## 30 • ANDREW SUAREZ LHP

- 6-0 • 205 • So. • Miami, Fla.
- Returns for 2013 after missing nearly his entire freshman campaign to season-ending shoulder surgery
  - Made his first career start against Rutgers, throwing five scoreless and earning his first win
  - Started the team's game at Marlins Park in 2012, where he delivered three impressive innings in the stadium-opening exhibition
  - Made only two appearances in the regular season
  - Rated as the team's highest-drafted player after being selected by the Toronto Blue Jays in the ninth round of the 2011 MLB Draft out of nearby Christopher Columbus High School

### CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	ERA	W-L	APP	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	B/AVG
2013	0.00	1-0	1	5.0	5	0	0	1	3	.263
2012	19.29	0-0	2	2.1	6	5	5	1	1	.462

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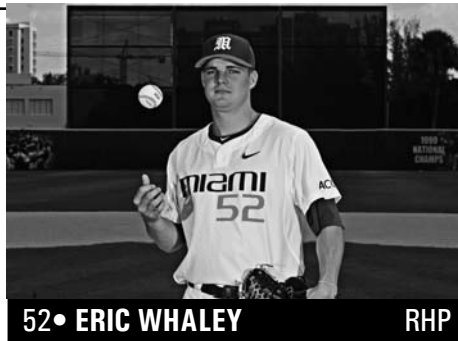
### CAREER HIGHS

Innings: 5.0 (Feb. 17, 2013 vs. Rutgers)

Hits: 5 (Feb. 17, 2013 vs. Rutgers)

Earned Runs: 3 (Feb. 29, 2012 vs. Florida Atlantic)

Strikeouts: 3 (Feb. 17, 2013 vs. Rutgers)



## 52 • ERIC WHALEY RHP

- 6-3 • 190 • Sr. • Pompano Beach, Fla.
- 2012 All-ACC Championship Team**
- 2012 Preseason All-America Third Team (Louisville Slugger)**
- Served as a starter in the weekend rotation for the second consecutive season in 2012
  - Led all starters with a 2.68 ERA, the third-lowest figure of any member of the pitching staff
  - One of two pitchers named to the ACC All-Championship Team in 2012 after a stellar start against Wake Forest on May 25
  - Delivered 12 quality starts on the year in 14 chances

### CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	ERA	W-L	GS	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	B/AVG
2012	2.68	4-4	14	90.2	95	37	27	20	63	.270
2011	2.70	7-5	16	93.1	81	36	28	22	82	.233
2010	4.28	5-1	4	48.1	46	27	23	17	51	.258

CAREER 3.02 16-10 34 232.1 222 100 78 59 196

### CAREER HIGHS

Innings: 3.0 (Feb 24, 2011 vs. Appalachian State)

Hits: 5 (April 30, 2012 vs. Virginia)

Earned Runs: 4 (April 13, 2011 vs. Barry)

Strikeouts: 3, four times

## 43 • THOMAS WOODREY LHP

- 6-3 • 190 • Fr. • Lighthouse Point, Fla.
- Made his first career start against FAU (Feb. 20), allowing three earned runs over 4.2 innings of work
  - Struck out five Owls batters and walked only one
  - Four-year letterman at nearby Cardinal Gibbons
  - Earned First-Team All-Broward recognition as a senior in 2012

### CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	ERA	W-L	APP	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	B/AVG
2013	4.76	0-0	2	5.2	7	3	3	1	6	.292

### CAREER HIGHS

Innings: 4.2 (Feb. 20, 2013 vs. FAU)

Hits: 7 (Feb. 20, 2013 vs. FAU)

Earned Runs: 3 (Feb. 20, 2013 vs. FAU)

Strikeouts: 5 (Feb. 20, 2013 vs. FAU)



## 2012 Hurricanes Pitching Statistics

Category		ACC Rank
Team ERA	3.16	2
Opposing Average	.257	T-7
Batters Struck Out	448	7
Struck Out Looking	139	6
Saves	19	T-2
Runners Picked Off	14	T-4
Hits Allowed	515	7
Sac Bunts Allowed	50	11
Runs Allowed	243	3
Earned Runs Allowed	186	3
Walks Allowed	168	1
Homers Allowed	24	T-3
Triples Allowed	6	1
Wild Pitches	35	4
Balks	10	12

## Key Losses - Pitching

### Eric Erickson

- Drafted by the New York Yankees in 2012
- 2012 All-ACC Second Team selection
- Served as the team's Friday starter in 2012
- Tied for team lead in starts with 16
- 8-6 record, 2.88 ERA, 97.0 innings pitched

### Steven Ewing

- Drafted by the Seattle Mariners in 2012
- Finished with a 3.84 ERA in 16 starts
- Served as the team's Sunday starter in 2012
- 8-6 record, 2.88 ERA, 97.0 innings pitched

### E.J. Encinosa

- Drafted by the San Francisco Giants in 2012
- Ranked fourth on the team with 2.79 ERA
- Served as the team's closer for most of the season, finishing with eight saves
- Recorded a .126 batting average against in 2012

## Returning Statistics

Category		% from 2012
Wins	19	52.7%
Strikeouts	255	56.9%
Innings Pitched	311.2	58.8%
Saves	11	57.8%





# PLAYER PROFILES

## 9 • TYLER PALMER INF/OF

- R/R • 5-11 • 189 • Jr. • Pembroke Pines, Fla.
- Started at four different positions in his first season at Miami, including first base, third base, right field and designated hitter
- Made a game-saving catch against FAU (Feb. 20) in the bottom of the tenth, diving full extension forward to end a scoring threat
- Transferred to Miami after spending his freshmen season at the University of Florida

### CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	AVG	GP-GS	AB	H	R	2B	3B	HR	RBI
2013	.231	4-4	13	3	3	1	0	0	0
2012	.250	46-44	152	38	30	8	0	4	20

<b>CAREER</b>	.248	50-48	165	41	33	9	0	4	20
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### INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

At-bats: 6 (April 7, 2012 vs. North Carolina)  
 Runs: 3 (Feb. 26, 2012 vs. Albany)  
 Hits: 3 (April 7, 2012 vs. North Carolina)  
 RBI: 3 (Feb. 26, 2012 vs. Albany)

## 10 • ALEX SAN JUAN C

- R/R • 5-11 • 200 • Sr. • Miami, Fla.
- Will factor heavily into the team's plans at catcher, after an impressive fall and spring swinging the bat
- Recorded his first career RBI and multihit game Feb. 17 against Rutgers
- Earned six starts on offense in 2012, mostly behind the plate at catcher
- Transferred to Miami after two seasons at Miami-Dade College

### CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	AVG	GP-GS	AB	H	R	2B	3B	HR	RBI
2013	.385	4-4	13	5	3	1	0	0	1
2012	.167	9-6	24	4	1	1	0	0	0

<b>CAREER</b>	.243	13-10	37	9	4	2	0	0	1
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### INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

At-bats: 5 (Feb. 20, 2013 vs. FAU)  
 Runs: 2 (Feb. 17, 2013 vs. Rutgers)  
 Hits: 2 (Feb. 16, 2013 vs. Rutgers)  
 RBI: 1 (Feb. 17, 2013 vs. Rutgers)

## 19 • DAVID THOMPSON 1B

- R/R • 6-2 • 207 • Fr. • Miami, Fla.
- Four year letterman in baseball and football at nearby Westminster Christian - also a quarterback on the Hurricanes' football team
- Hit the team's first homerun of the season against FAU (Feb. 20)
- Led the team with five RBI's during opening weekend against Rutgers, starting all three games in the clean-up spot
- Became the first three time *Miami Herald* Athlete of the Year
- Broke Alex Rodriguez' records as the state homerun leader for a single season (19) and for a career (55)

### CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	AVG	GP-GS	AB	H	R	2B	3B	HR	RBI
2013	.250	4-4	12	3	3	1	0	1	7

## 14 • ESTEBAN TRESGALLO INF

- R/R • 6-1 • 200 • So. • Guaynabo, Puerto Rico
- Opened his career with a 15-game hitting streak, a season-best stretch lasting from Feb. 17 - March 13
- Hit a walkoff homerun in the bottom of the 14th inning against North Carolina, a solo shot that just cleared the leftfield fence
- Drafted by the Seattle Mariners in the 50th round out of HS

### CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	AVG	GP-GS	AB	H	R	2B	3B	HR	RBI
2012	.243	49-42	140	34	22	8	1	3	8

### INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

At-bats: 5, three times  
 Runs: 4 (Feb. 24, 2012 vs. Albany)  
 Hits: 2, seven times  
 RBI: 2, three times



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