VS. Miami Hurricanes (2-0)

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## 10 NCAA Appearances | 1 Final Four | 6 SEC Championships | 3 SEC Tournament Titles | 18 Postseason Appearances

## Series Information

## Series: 2-2

Home: Miami leads, 1-0
Away: MSU leads, 1-0
Neutral: Tied, 1-1
Last Meeting: 64-58, Miami (12-13-07)
Mississippi State Coach: Ben Howland MSU Record: 1-1, 1st year
Career Record: 402-207, 20th year
vs. Miami: 3-3
Miami Coach: Jim Larranaga
Miami Record: 563-383, 32nd year
Career Record: 93-49, 5th year

## Game Information

When: Thursday, November 19, 2015
Time: 4 p.m. CT
Location: San Juan, Puerto Rico
Arena: Coliseo Roberto Clemente
TV: ESPN2
PxP: Rich Hollenberg
Analyst: LaPhonso Ellis

## MSU Radio Network:

PxP: Bart Gregory
Analyst: Richard Williams
Sirius/XM: NA

## WHAT TO NOTE AS MSU PLAYS MIAMI . . .

- In Puerto Rico, Mississippi State is 5-4 all-time, with a 3-3 mark in San Juan and a 2-1 record in Guaynabo.
- The last time the Bulldogs played in Puerto Rico was December of 2005 at the San Juan Shootout, where they beat Liberty (78-67), lost to Akron (83-72) and beat Holy Cross (76-75).
- The Bulldogs are 30-49 against the teams that currently comprise the ACC. MSU has faced 13 of the 15 teams (haven't faced Notre Dame or Boston College).
- The ACC team MSU has faced the most is Georgia Tech (13-16). The last ACC team the Bulldogs faced was Florida State last year, a 62-55 win in Starkville.
- In its first two games, Mississippi State had six players make its Maroon \& White debuts. Against Southern, freshman guard Malik Newman was the latest. In 17 minutes, he totaled 6 points, 3 assists and 2 rebounds.
- Both Aric Holman (knee) and Joe Strugg (foot) have missed the first two games due to injuries.
- With the loss to Southern, MSU is now 24-4 against teams from the SWAC.
- Against the Jaguars, the Bulldogs were 11-31 beyond the arc. It was the most made 3-pointers since also making 11 against New Orleans (1-3-13) and the most attempts since also have 31 against UMass (3-13-12) in the NIT.
- Gavin Ware, who was tabbed SEC Player of the Week, ranks 15th all-time with 671 rebounds and is 60 points shy of becoming the 35th player in school history to score 1,000 for a career.
- MSU will face either Utah or Texas Tech in the second round. The Bulldogs are 1-0 against Utah (78-64, 3-19-95) and 0-1 against Texas Tech (77-73, 11-29-08).


## MSU BY THE NUMBERS

10 - Against Southern, Travis Daniels had a career-high 10 rebounds.
18 - Mississippi State has won 18 in regular-season tournaments.
89 - The Bulldogs are 89-78 in regular-season tournaments.

| NOVEMBER |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 13 | EASTERN WASHINGTON (SECN) | W, 106-88 |
| 16 | SOUTHERN (SEC+) | L, 76-72 |
|  | PUERTO RICO TIPOFF |  |
| 19 | vs. Miami (ESPN2) | 4 p.m. |
| 20 | vs. Texas Tech/Utah (TBA) | TBA |
| 22 | vs. TBA | TBA |
| 28 | TENNESSEE MARTIN | Noon |
| DECEMBER |  |  |
| 2 | TEXAS SOUTHERN (SECN) | 7 p.m. |
| 12 | at Missouri-Kansas City (ASN) | 4 p.m. |
| 16 | at Florida State (ESPN2) | 8 p.m. |
| 19 | TULANE (SECN) | 3 p.m. |
| 23 | Northern Colorado (SECN)^ | 7 p.m. |
| 31 | NORTH CAROLINA CENTRAL (SEC+) | 1 p.m. |

## JANUARY

| 6 | TEXAS A\&AM (SECN) | $7: 30$ p.m. |
| ---: | :--- | ---: |
| 9 | at Arkansas (SECN) | $2: 30$ p.m. |
| 12 | at Kentucky (ESPN/SECN) | 6 p.m. |
| 16 | TENNESSEE (SECN) | $2: 30$ p.m. |
| 19 | at Florida (ESPNU) | 6 p.m. |
| 23 | OLE MISS (SECN) | 1 p.m. |
| 26 | at South Carolina (SECN) | 6 p.m. |
| 30 | at Missouri (SECN) | $7: 30$ p.m. |

## FEBRUARY

| 2 ALABAMA (SECN) | 8 p.m. |
| :---: | :---: |
| 6 at LSU (ESPN2) | 5 p.m. |
| 9 ARKANSAS (SECN) | 8 p.m. |
| 13 GEORGIA (SECN) | 7 p.m. |
| 16 VANDERBILT (SECN) | 8 p.m. |
| 20 at Alabama (SECN) | 1:30 p.m. |
| 24 at Texas A\&M (ESPN2) | 6 p.m. |
| 27 South Carolina (SECN) | 1:30 p.m. |
| MARCH |  |
| 2 at Ole Miss (SECN) | 6 p.m. |
| 5 AUBURN (SECN) | 1:30 p.m. |
| 2015 SEC Tournament |  |
| 9-13 TBA + | TBA |
| ^ - Jackson, Miss (Mississippi Coliseum) <br> + - Nashville (Bridgestone Arena) |  |

## MISSISSIPPI STATE PROJECTED STARTING 5



2015-16 MISSISSIPPI STATE NUMERICAL ROSTER

| No. Name | Pos. | Ht. | Wt. | Yr. | Exp. | Hometown |  |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1 | Fred Thomas | G | $6-5$ | 210 | Sr. | 3L | Jackson, MS (Jim Hill HS) |
| 2 | Demetrius Houston | G | $6-7$ | 201 | So. | 1 L | Montgomery, AL (G.W. Carver HS) |
| 4 | Johnny Zuppardo | F | $6-8$ | 226 | Sr. | JC | Bay St. Louis, MS (Jones Junior College) |
| 5 | Joe Strugg | F | $6-9$ | 192 | Fr. | HS | Montgomery, AL (G.W. Carver HS) |
| 10 | Carter Holmes | G | $6-0$ | 185 | So. | HS | Jackson, MS (Jackson Academy) |
| 11 | Quinndary Weatherspoon | G | $6-4$ | 202 | Fr. | HS | Canton, MS (Velma Jackson HS) |
| 13 | Xavian Stapleton | G | $6-7$ | 203 | So. | TR | Flora, MS (Louisiana Tech) |
| 14 | Malik Newman | G | $6-3$ | 190 | Fr. | HS | Jackson, MS (Callaway HS) |
| 15 | I.J. Ready | G | $5-11$ | 170 | Jr. | $2 L$ | North Little Rock, AR (Parkview HS) |
| 20 | Gavin Ware | F | $6-9$ | 260 | Sr. | 3L | Starkville, MS (Starkville HS) |
| 21 | Reggie Patterson | G | $6-4$ | 168 | Jr. | JC | Baldwyn, MS (Baldwyn HS) |
| 22 | Fallou Ndoye | F | $6-10$ | 242 | So. | 1L | Taif, Senegal (Findlay Prep) |
| 23 | Travis Daniels | G | $6-7$ | 225 | Sr. | $1 L$ | Tuscaloosa, AL (Shelton State CC) |
| 24 | Jett Jobe | G | $6-4$ | 181 | Fr. | HS | Tuttle, OK (Tuttle HS) |
| 32 | Craig Sword | G | $6-3$ | 197 | Sr. | 3L | Montgomery, AL (G.W. Carver HS) |
| 35 | Aric Holman | F | $6-10$ | 212 | Fr. | HS | Owensboro, KY (Owensboro HS) |

Head Coach:
Assistant Coaches:

| Assistant Coaches: | George Brooks (Mississippi State, 1997; 6th year) |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | Korey McCray (Mercer, 2001; 1st year) |
|  | Ernie Zeigler (Cleary College, 1994; 1st year) |
| Director of Basketball Operations: | Jason Ludwig |
| Director of Basketball Performance: | David Deets |
| Graduate Assistant Coaches: | Donovan Castro |
|  | Jalen Courtney |
| VIDEO: | Michael Moynihan |
| TRAINER: | Ryan Dotson |

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: $\qquad$ Starkville, MS Founded: $\qquad$ February 28, 1878
Enrollment: $\qquad$
$\qquad$
$\qquad$ Nickname: $\qquad$ Bulldogs Colors: ................................. Maroon \& White Arena:.............. Humphrey Coliseum $(10,500)$ President: $\qquad$ Athletics Director: $\qquad$ Dr. Mark E. Keenum Web Site: $\qquad$ www.hailstate.com Twitter: $\qquad$ @HailStateMBK

## BASKETBALL HISTORY

First Year of Basketball:.....................1908-09 All-Time Record:......... 1,348-1,143/103 years All-Time SEC Record: ......................564-738 Total Number of Head Coaches: ................ 20 Humphrey Coliseum Record: ............409-167 20-Win Seasons: $\qquad$17
NCAA Tournament Appearances: .. 10 (11-10)
NCAA Tournament Final Fours:... .....  1 (1996)
NIT Appearances: .....  8 (7-8)
NIT Final Fours: ..... 1 (2007)
SEC Championships: 6
(2004, 1991, 1963, 1962, 1961, 1959)
SEC Tournament Championships: .....  3
(2009, 2002 and 1996)
SEC Tournament Record ..... 28-50
SEC Western Division Titles: .....  7
(2010, 2008, 2007, 2004, 2003, 1996, 1995)
TEAM INFORMATION
2014-15 Overall Record

$\qquad$ ..... 13-19
2014-15 SEC Record ..... 6-12, T11th
National Ranking: ..... n/a
Starters Returning/Lost: ..... 5/0
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: ..... $7 / 4$
Newcomers: .....  9
Roster (Sr./Jr/So./Fr.): ..... (5/2/4/5)

## MEDIA INFORMATION

## Credentials

-Media members may obtain both season credentials and game-by-game passes by contacting Gregg Ellis at 662.325.3595.

## SEC Teleconference

-The SEC's weekly teleconference is every Monday and will be coordinated through the SEC media relations office. To partcipate, contact Craig Pinkerton of the SEC at 205-458-3038. Ben Howland is scheduled for 11:17 a.m. CT.

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## Mississippi State TV/Radio Roster



1 Fred Thomas SR|G|6-5|210 Jackson, MS


11 Quinndary Weatherspoon FR | G | 6-4 | 202 Canton, MS


21 Reggie Patterson JR | G | 6-4 | 168 Baldwyn, MS


35 Aric Holman FR|F|6-10| 212 Owensboro, KY


2 Demetrius Houston SO | F | 6-7 | 201 Montgomery, AL


13 Xavian Stapleton SO | G | 6-7 | 203 Flora, MS


22 Fallou Ndoye
SO | F | 6-10 | 242
Taif, Senegal


Ben Howland Head Coach 1st Year


4 Johnny Zuppardo SR | F | 6-8| 226 Bay St. Louis, MS


14 Malik Newman FR | G | 6-3 | 190 Jackson, MS


23 Travis Daniels SR | G | 6-7 | 225 Tuscaloosa, AL


George Brooks Assistant Coach 6th Year


5 Joe Strugg
FR | F | 6-9| 192
Montgomery, AL


15 I.J. Ready
JR | G | 5-11| 170
North Little Rock, AR


24 Jett Jobe
FR | G | 6-4 | 181 Tuttle, OK


Korey McCray Assistant Coach 1st Year


10 Carter Holmes SO | F | 6-0 | 185 Jackson, MS


32 Craig Sword
SR | G | 6-3 | 197 Montgomery, AL


Ernie Zeigler Assistant Coach 1st Year

## TALE OF THE TAPE

| 2015-16 STATS | PPG | FG\% | 3FG $\%$ | FT\% | RB | RBM | A | T | S | B |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Mississippi State (1-1) | 89.0 | 50.8 | 33.3 | 72.3 | 42.0 | +12.5 | 13.0 | 16.0 | 4.0 | 4.5 |
| Miami (2-0) | 89.5 | 48.7 | 40.7 | 71.7 | 38.0 | +2.0 | 15.5 | 9.0 | 6.0 | 2.0 |


| Leaders | Scoring | Rebounds | Assists | Steals | Blocks |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| MSU | Ware, 19.5 | Ware, 8.5 | Ready, 5.5 | Three players, 1.0 | Ware/Sword, 1.5 |
| Miami | McClellan, 17.0 | Jekiri, 8.0 | Rodriguez, 5.5 | McClellan, 2.0 | Four players, 0.5 |


| Last Time Out For Miami |
| :--- |
| $\checkmark$ Beat Louisiana 93-77. |
| $\checkmark$ Led $43-27$ at the break. |
| $\checkmark$ Davon Reed had a team-high 19 points, |
| while Angel Rodriguez had 18. |
| $\checkmark$ Miami was 31-55 shooting, 12-23 beyond |
| the arc. |
| $\checkmark$ Louisiana won the battle of the boards, |
| 38-31. |
| $\checkmark$ The Hurricanes forced 13 turnovers and |
| had 6 steals. |

## Last Time Out For Mississippi State

$\checkmark$ Dropped a $76-72$ decision to Southern
$\checkmark$ Craig Sword had 16 points, while Gavin Ware totaled 13.
$\checkmark$ MSU forced 8 turnovers but had 19.
$\checkmark$ MSU won the battle of the boards, 44-34.
$\checkmark$ Travis Daniels had a game-high and careerbest 10 rebounds.
$\checkmark$ MSU was $23-60$ shooting (38.3 percent) and 11-31 beyond the arc, while Southern was 29-62 ( 46.8 percent).

## Series Notes

$\checkmark$ Series tied at 2-apiece.
$\checkmark$ The two teams last met in 2008, with Miami claiming a 64-58 win.
$\checkmark$ MSU's last win came in Miami of 2007, a 70-52 win.

| A LOOK AT THE SEC |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2015-16 SEC Standings |  |  |  |  | Recent Scores | Upcoming Games |
|  | SEC |  | Overall |  | November 14 South Carolina 84, Norfolk State 69 No. 2 Kentucky 87, NJIT 57 | November 17 (Tuesday) Alabama at Dayton, noon Colorado at Auburn, 2 p.m. Missouri at Xavier, 5:30 p.m. Kentucky vs. Duke, 6:30 p.m. |
| Alabama | 0-0 | . 000 | 1-0 | 1.000 |  |  |
| Arkansas | 0-0 | . 000 | 1-0 | 1.000 |  |  |
| Auburn | 0-0 | . 000 | 1-0 | 1.000 | November 15 <br> Missouri 73, Maryland Eastern Shore 55 |  |
| Florida | 0-0 | . 000 | 2-0 | 1.000 | November 16 <br> Georgia Tech 69, Tennessee 67 <br> South Carolina 84, Oral Roberts 66 Florida 104, N.C. A\&T 54 Southern 76, Mississippi State 72 Ole Miss 82, Georgia Southern 72 Texas A\&M 100, SE Louisiana 58 No. 17 Vanderbilt 98, Gardner-Webb 62 No. 23 LSU 91, Kennesaw State 69 | November 18 (Wednesday) Akron at Arkansas, 7 p.m. |
| Kentucky | 0-0 | . 000 | 2-0 | 1.000 |  |  |
| LSU | 0-0 | . 000 | 2-0 | 1.000 |  | November 19 (Thursday) <br> Ole Miss vs. George Mason, 11 a.m. |
| Ole Miss | 0-0 | . 000 | 2-0 | 1.000 |  | Mississippi State vs. Miami 4 p.m. |
| Missouri | 0-0 | . 000 | 2-0 | 1.000 |  | Marshall at Tennessee, 6 p.m. <br> A\&M-Corpus Christi at Texas A\&M, 7 pm . |
| South Carolina | 0-0 | . 000 | 2-0 | 1.000 |  | Stony Brook at Vanderbilt, 7 p.m. |
| Texas A\&M | 0-0 | . 000 | 2-0 | 1.000 |  | South Alabama at LSU, 8 p.m. |
| Vanderbilt | 0-0 | . 000 | 2-0 | 1.000 |  |  |
| Mississippi State | 0-0 | . 000 | 1-1 | . 500 |  |  |
| Tennessee | 0-0 | . 000 | 1-1 | . 500 |  |  |
| Georgia | 0-0 | . 000 | 0-1 | . 000 |  |  |
| As of November 17, | 2015 |  |  |  |  |  |

## Next 5 For MSU . . .

November 20
Who: Texas Tech/Utah Where: Puerto Rico Time: 4 p.m. or 6 p.m. TV: ESPNU

November 22
Who: TBA
Where: Puerto Rico
Time: TBA
TV: TBA

November 28
Who: UT-Martin
Where: Starkville, MS
Time: TBA
TV: SEC Network+

## December 2

Who: Texas Southern Where: Starkville, MS Time: 7 p.m. TV: SEC Network

## December 12

Who: Missouri-Kansas City Where: Kansas City, Mo.
Time: 4 p.m.
TV: ASN

## Humphrey Coliseum History

First Game:...... Dec. 1, 1975; MSU 85, Indiana St. 82 Overall Record:
ce Record:
................. 409-167 (.710) Non-Conference Record: 202-35 (.852) SEC Record:

## :......

 .207-132 (.611)Humphrey Coliseum Yearly Records

| Humphrey Coliseum Yearly Records |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Year | Attn. | Avg. | Record (SEC) |
| $1975-76$ | 70,081 | 5,006 | $0-4(5-4)$ |
| $1976-77$ | 76,232 | 5,082 | $11-4(5-4)$ |
| $1977-78$ | 72,025 | 5,540 | $11-2(8-1)$ |
| $1978-79$ | 99,906 | 7,136 | $11-3(7-2)$ |
| $1979-80$ | 67,209 | 6,721 | $6-4(5-4)$ |
| $1980-81$ | 48,214 | 4,018 | $6-6(3-6)$ |
| $1981-82$ | 56,414 | 4,030 | $7-7(3-6)$ |


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| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $1982-83$ | 68,416 | 5,263 | $11-2(7-2)$ |


| $1983-84$ | 61,508 | 4,393 | $6-8(3-6)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $1984-85$ | 89,370 | 6,384 | $11-3(7-2)$ |


| $1985-86$ | 43,927 | 3,379 | $4-9(3-6)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $1986-87$ | 40,715 | 2,908 | $7-7(3-6)$ |


| $1986-87$ | 40,715 | 2,908 | $7-7(3-6)$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $1987-88$ | 54,074 | 4,160 | $9-4(5-4)$ |
| $1988-89$ | 74,344 | 5,719 | $9-4(5-4)$ |


| $1989-90$ | 74,623 | 5,740 | $9-4(5-4)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $1990-91$ | 102,072 | 7,852 | $12-1(8-1)$ |


| $1990-91$ | 102,072 | 7,852 | $12-1(8-1)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $1991-92$ | 72,142 | 5,549 | $8-5(4-4)$ |
| $1092-93$ | 61,172 | 4,706 | $10-3(5-3)$ |


| $1992-93$ | 61,172 | 4,706 | $10-3(5-3)$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $1993-94$ | 88,687 | 6,335 | $10-4(5-3)$ |
| $1994-95$ | 80,681 | 6,723 | $11-1(7-1)$ |


| $1995-96$ | 97,996 | 7,538 | $10-3(6-2)$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $1996-97$ | 74,275 | 5,305 | $10-4(5-3)$ |
| 1 |  |  |  |


| $1997-98$ | 77,954 | 5,996 | $7-6(2-6)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $1998-99$ | 70,257 | 5,018 | $12-2(6-2)$ |


| $1999-00$ | 61,764 | 4,412 | $10-4(4-4)$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $2000-01$ | 77,654 | 4,568 | $13-4(6-2)$ |
| $2001-02$ | 79,642 | 5,689 | $13-1(7-1)$ |


| $2002-03$ | 98,312 | 7,022 | $12-2(7-1)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $2003-04$ | 111,940 | 7,996 | $12-2(6-2)$ |


| $2004-05$ | 103,031 | 7,925 | $11-2(6-2)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $2005-06$ | 90,875 | 5,680 | $11-5(5-3)$ |


| $2006-07$ | 123,736 | 6,512 | $16-3(6-2)$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $2007-08$ | 106,672 | 7,111 | $12-3(7-1)$ |


| $2008-09$ | 157,111 | 8,728 | $13-5(5-3)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $2009-10$ | 116,919 | 6,878 | $13-4(6-2)$ |


| $2010-11$ | 97,069 | 5,710 | $12-5(5-3)$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |


| $2011-12$ | 152,363 | 8,019 | $15-4(6-2)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $2012-13$ | 94,092 | 6,721 | $7-7(3-6)$ |


| $2013-14$ | 123,743 | 6,875 | $11-7(3-6)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $2014-15$ | 106,946 | 6,291 | $9-8(3-6)$ |
| $2015-16$ | 15,826 | 7,913 | $1-1$ |

vs. SEC Opponents

| Opponent | GP | W | L | PCT. | Str. |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alabama | 39 | 22 | 17 | .564 | L2 |
| Arkansas | 23 | 17 | 6 | .739 | L2 |
| Auburn | 39 | 27 | 12 | .692 | W5 |
| Florida | 28 | 14 | 14 | .500 | L2 |
| Georgia | 29 | 18 | 11 | .621 | L 3 |
| Kentucky | 29 | 9 | 20 | .310 | L 4 |
| LSU | 29 | 24 | 15 | .615 | W1 |
| Missouri | 3 | 2 | 1 | .667 | W1 |
| Ole Miss | 40 | 32 | 8 | .800 | L1 |
| S. Carolina | 12 | 9 | 3 | .750 | L 1 |
| Tennessee | 29 | 14 | 15 | .483 | L 2 |
| Texas A\&M | 2 | 1 | 1 | .500 | W 1 |
| Vanderbilt | 28 | 19 | 9 | .669 | W 1 |

## MSU KNOWS HOW TO WIN GAMES AT ‘THE HUMP’

Over the course of the last decade, Mississippi State's Humphrey Coliseum has become a difficult venue for opposing teams. Last year, MSU was 9-8, including a 6-2 mark against non-conference foes. This year, the MSU is 1-1.

The Bulldogs have compiled a 41-season composite record of 409-167 (.710) at "The Hump" since Mississippi State's basketball facility opened prior to the 1975-76 campaign.

| TRACKING MSU'S HOME SUCCESS UNDER BEN HOWLANDOverall |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Season | Record | Win \% | Record | Win \% | Record | Win \% |
| 2015-16 | 1-1 | . 500 |  |  | 1-1 | . 500 |
| Totals | 1-1 | . 500 |  |  | 1-1 | . 500 |

## A LOOK AT THE HISTORY OF HUMPHREY COLISEUM



| LARGEST CROWDS <br>  <br>  <br>  <br> AT THE HUMP |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | ---: |
| Crowd | Opponent |  |
| 10,788 | Kentucky | $2-16-10$ |
| 10,735 | Ole Miss | $2-7-04$ |
| 10,645 | Ole Miss | $2-23-02$ |
| 10,541 | Florida | $1-7-03$ |
| 10,458 | Auburn | $3-2-04$ |
| 10,437 | Alabama | $2-21-04$ |
| 10,432 | Alabama | $3-5-05$ |
| 10,432 | Kentucky | $1-13-04$ |
| 10,429 | Ole Miss | $2-15-03$ |
| 10,421 | Ole Miss | $1-26-08$ |
| 10,412 | Ole Miss | $1-13-09$ |
| 10,364 | Ole Miss | $2-9-12$ |
| 10,338 | Florida | $1-24-07$ |
| 10,315 | Kentucky | $1-9-96$ |
|  |  |  |


| INDIVIDUAL MSU |
| :--- |
| RECORDS AT THE HUMP |
| Most Points Scored |
| 40, Rickey Brown (Auburn, 3-7-77) |
| Most Rebounds |
| 24, Wiley Peck (Alabama, 1-27-79) |
| Most Assists |
| 15, Al Perry (Vanderbilt, 1-29-77) |
| REAM MSU |
| RECRDS AT THE HUMP |
| Most Points Scored |
| 123, Troy State (12-5-95) |
| Most Rebounds |
| 75, Mississippi Valley St. (11-21-00) |
| Most Consecutive Wins |
| 14, 1-22-03 to 1-10-04 |

## PRESEASON ALL-SEC \& POLL

- In the preseason polls voted on by the media, freshman Malik Newman was tabbed secondteam All-SEC. Last March, senior guard Craig Sword earned second-team honors but didn't make the preseason list this year.

As a team, the Bulldogs were picked to finish 8th under first-year coach Ben Howland after concluding the 2015 campaign tied for 11th.

Last week, the coaches poll was released and both Sword and Newman were named secondteam All-SEC.

## Preseason Poll

1. Kentucky
2. Vanderbilt
3. Texas A\&M
4. LSU
5. Georgia
6. Florida
7. South Carolina
8. Mississippi State
9. Ole Miss
10. Auburn
11. Arkansas
12. Tennessee
13. Alabama
14. Missouri

## ALABAMA ROSTER FLAVOR

■ A quick glance at Mississippi State's roster reveals one very strong common thread - the state of Alabama.

Player wise, the roster features four players from Alabama - Travis Daniels, Demetrius Houston, Joe Strugg and Craig Sword.

In addition, the coaching staff has one tie in George Brooks.

Brooks is a native of Lafayette, Ala.

## WARE MAKING REBOUNDING MOVES

■ Senior forward Gavin Ware currently has 671 rebounds, the 15th most in school and 42 shy of tying Jerry Graves for the 10th most in school history.

| Rebounding Chart |  |
| :--- | ---: |
| 1. Bailey Howell | 1,277 |
| 2. Jarvis Varnado | 1,096 |
| 3. Rickey Brown | 1,092 |
| 10. Jerry Graves | 713 |
| 11. Leland Mitchell | 705 |
| 12. Charles Rhodes | 691 |
| T13. Jamont Gordon | 677 |
| T13. Tang Hamilton | 677 |
| 15. Gavin Ware | 671 |
| 16. Charles Hull | 661 |
| 17. Lawrence Roberts | 654 |

## SWORD STEALing RECORD

■ Senior guard Craig Sword currently has 146 career steals, which ranks 9th all-time in MSU history. Ray White (1976-79) owns the record with 217.

| Steals Chart |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1. Ray White | 217 |
| 2. Derrick Zimmerman | 205 |
| 3. Dee Bost | 193 |
| 4. Chuck Evans | 165 |
| 5. Barry Stewart | 162 |
| 6. Timmy Bowers | 161 |
| 7. Tony Watts | 154 |
| 8. Winsome Frazier | 147 |
| 9. Craig Sword | 146 |
| 10. Darryl Wilson | 140 |

## A CLOSER LOOK AT MSU

## SWORD CLIMBING SCORING CHARTS

- Last year, Craig Sword became the 34th player in school history to score 1,000 points for career.

He currently ranks 31st all-time with 1,114.
He needs just two more points to tie W.D. "Red"
Stroud for the 20th most in MSU history.
Here's a closer look at Mississippi State's scoring history . . .

| Scoring Leaders |  |
| :--- | ---: |
| 1. Jeff Malone | 2,142 |
| 2. Bailey Howell | 2,030 |
| 3. Jim Ashmore | 1,918 |
| 4. Rickey Brown | 1,838 |
| 5. Ray White | 1,652 |
| 10. Jerry Jenkins | 1,503 |
| 20. Jerry Graves | 1,245 |
| 25. Marckell Patterson | 1,168 |
| 26. Gary Hooker | 1,144 |
| 27. Wiley Peck | 1,136 |
| 28. Greg Carter | 1,123 |
| 29. Tyrone Washington | 1,119 |
| 30. W.D. "Red" Stroud | 1,116 |
| 31. Craig Sword | 1,114 |
| 32. Larry Fry | 1,079 |
| 33. Lawrence Roberts | 1,048 |
| 34. Greg Lockhart | 1,042 |

## BULLDOGS SIGN 6

$\square$ Mississippi State took advantage of the early signing period on Nov. 11 and signed six players - one 5-star and five 4-stars - to give MSU one of its best classes in school history.

5-star standout Mario Kegler, a Mississippi native and former Callaway teammate with Malik Newman, is in his final year at Oak Hill Academy in Virginia. He is joined by heralded 4-stars Abdul Ado (Chattanooga, Tenn.), Tyson Carter (Starkville, Miss.), Lamar Peters (New Orleans), Eli Wright (Owensboro, Ky.) and Schnider Herard (Plano, Texas).

## WARE CLOSING IN ON 1,000 POINTS

- Currently, only four players in Mississippi State history have totaled 900 rebounds and 1,000 points.

However, senior forward Gavin Ware is on pace to join that group.

The four players who have achieved that feat are hall of famer Bailey Howell (2,030 pts, 1,277 rbs), Jarvis Varnado ( 1,403 pts, 1,096 rbs), Rickey Brown ( 1,838 pts, 1,092 rbs) and Wiley Peck (1,136 pts, 964 rbs).

Ware now has 927 points and 667 rebounds.

## COACHING DEBUTS

■ Since 1948, Mississippi State has had 10 head coaches. Of the group, only five have had winning seasons in their first year at the helm.

And of that group, only one had 20 wins, and that was Rick Stansbury in 1999 when the Bulldogs posted a 20-13 ledger en route to advancing to the NIT, where they lost to Colorado State in the opening round, 69-56

| Coaching | Debuts in Modern Era |  |
| :---: | :--- | ---: |
| 1948 | Paul Gregory | $6-12$ |
| 1956 | Babe McCarthy | $12-12$ |
| 1966 | Joe Dan Gold | $14-11$ |
| 1971 | Kermit Davis | $15-10$ |
| 1978 | Ron Greene | $18-9$ |
| 1979 | Jim Hatfield | $19-9$ |
| 1982 | Bob Boyd | $8-19$ |
| 1987 | Richard Williams | $7-21$ |
| 1999 | Rick Stansbury | $20-13$ |
| 2013 | Rick Ray | $10-22$ |

## A LOOK AT MSU vs. RANKED FOES

■ Entering the 2015-16 campaign, Mississippi State has lost 10-straight games to ranked opponents and 12 out of the last 16 after the setback to Kentucky

Below is a closer look at those games.

| Date | Team | Score | Rank |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | ---: |
| $02-25-15$ | Kentucky | L, 74-56 | 1 |
| $02-21-15$ | Arkansas | L, 65-61 | 17 |
| $01-20-14$ | Florida | L, 62-51 | 3 |
| $01-08-14$ | Kentucky | L, 85-63 | 14 |
| $02-09-13$ | Florida | L, 83-55 | 2 |
| $02-06-13$ | Ole Miss | L, 93-75 | 23 |
| $01-26-13$ | Florida | L, 82-47 | 7 |
| $11-19-12$ | North Carolina | L, 95-49 | 11 |
| $02-21-12$ | Kentucky | L, 73-64 | 1 |
| $02-28-12$ | Florida | L, 69-57 | 13 |
| $11-18-11$ | Arizona | W, 67-57 | 15 |
| $11-17-11$ | Texas A\&M | W, 69-60 | 18 |
| $02-29-11$ | Florida | W, 71-64 | 24 |
| $02-27-11$ | Vanderbilt | L, 81-74 | 19 |
| $03-14-10$ | Kentucky | L, 75-74 (ot) | 2 |
| $03-13-10$ | Vanderbilt | W, 62-52 | 20 |

## FIVE SENIORS RETURN

- Mississippi State's roster features five seniors - Travis Daniels, Craig Sword, Fred Thomas, Gavin Ware and Johnny Zuppardo.

Only Zuppardo hasn't played an official game.
In the SEC, only Texas A\&M has more seniors with six.

## HOWLAND LOOKING TO JOIN ELITE CLUB

■ Ben Howland enters his first season at Mississippi State looking to achieve a feat only 12 coaches have ever done, and that's lead four different teams to the NCAA Tournament.

Howland has already guided Northern Arizona, Pittsburgh and UCLA to the Big Dance.

The first 12 coaches to do so are Lon Kruger, Steve Alford, John Beilein, Lefty Driesell, Cliff Ellis, Larry Eustachy, Jim Harrick, Fran McCaffery, Tom Penders, Tubby Smith, Rick Pitino and Eddie Sutton.

## MSU SHOOTS LIGHTS OUT VS. EWU

- Against the Eastern Washington, MSU shot 62.1 percent (41-66) from the floor. It was the first time it shot 60 percent or better since hitting 60.4 percent (29-48) against Auburn on Feb. 4, 2012.


## 100-PLUS POINTS

■ MSU scored 100 points in a season opener for the first time since opening the 1998-99 campaign with a 105-53 win against Arkansas-Pine Bluff.

## SEASON-OPENING SELLOUT

$\square$ Mississippi State ushered in the Ben Howland era with a sellout against Eastern Washington.

It was the Bulldogs' first sellout since Feb. 21, 2012, against Kentucky.
MSU's game against the Eagles also feature a double-digit rally from 10 points down. Only once last year did MSU overcome a double-digit deficit to post a win - 12 vs. Vanderbilt.

## 2015-16 MISSISSIPPI STATE MISCELLANEOUS STATS/SEC STANDINGS

| Charting The Bulldogs |
| :---: |
| Dunks |
| Gavin Ware 5 |
| Craig Sword 2 |
| Fred Thomas 1 |
| Fallou Ndoye 1 |
| Travis Daniels 1 |
| Charges Drawn |
| Johnny Zuppardo 1 |
| Fred Thomas 1 |
| Point Distribution (\%) |
| Senior 120 (67.4) |
| Junior 34 (19.1) |
| Sophomore $2(1.1)$ |
| Freshman 22 (12.4) |
| TOTAL: 178 |
| First Sub |
| Johnny Zuppardo 2 |
| Quinndary Weatherspoon 1 |
| Malik Newman 1 |
| Scored First Points |
| Gavin Ware 1 |
| Craig Sword 1 |
| How First Points Were Scored 3-pointer |
| Jumper 1 |
| Layup 1 |
| Dunk |
| Free Throw |
| Final Three Minutes From FT Line |
| Craig Sword $\quad 2-2(1.000)$ |
| I.J. Ready 2-2 (1.000) |
| $\begin{array}{lr}\text { Fred Thomas } & \text { 2-2 } \\ \text { Malik Newman } & 0-2(.000)\end{array}$ |
| Malik Newman $0-2(.000)$ |
| TOTAL 6-8 (.750) |


| DIFFERENCE <br> Wins |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Stat |  |


| BULLDOGS IN SEC |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| CATEGORY | RANK |
| Scoring offense |  |
| Scoring defense. |  |
| FG\% .. |  |
| FG\% defense. |  |
| 3PT FG\%................. |  |
| 3PT FG\% defense... |  |
| FT\%.. |  |
| Rebounds |  |
| Rebounds allowed.. |  |
| Rebound margin ............. |  |
| Assists.........................1...era |  |
| Blocked shots |  |
| Steals. |  |
| Turnover margin |  |
| Assist/Turnover ratio. |  |

SEASON AND CAREER TOTALS

| Double-Digit Scoring | 2015-16 | Career |  | 2015-16 | Career |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | 3+3-Pointers |  |  |
| Gavin Ware | 2 (1-1) | 46 (21-25) | Fred Thomas | 1 (0-1) | 18 (810) |
| Craig Sword | 1 (0-1) | 53 (23-30) | I.J. Ready |  | 4 (0-4) |
| Fred Thomas | 1 (1-0) | 40 (21-19) | Travis Daniels | 1 (0-1) | 3 (1-2) |
| I.J. Ready | 1 (1-0) | 17 (8-9) | Craig Sword |  | 4 (1-3) |
| Travis Daniels | 1 (1-0) | 9 (5-4) |  |  |  |
| Quinndary Weatherspoon | 1 (1-0) | 1 (1-0) | 10+3-Point Attempt G | nes |  |
| Fallou Ndoye |  | 1 (0-1) | Thomas |  | 1 (0-1) |
| 20+ Points |  |  | 3+ Steal Games |  |  |
| Gavin Ware | 1 (1-0) | 5 (5-0) | I.J. Ready |  | 8 (5-3) |
| Craig Sword |  | 12 (5-7) | Fred Thomas |  | 14 (8-6) |
| Fred Thomas |  | 2 (2-0) | Craig Sword |  | 17 (7-10) |
| Travis Daniels |  | 1 (1-0) | Gavin Ware |  | 1 (1-0) |
| I.J. Ready | 1 (1-0) | 1 (1-0) | Demetrius Houston |  | 2 (1-1) |
| 30+ Points |  |  | 5+ Block Games |  |  |
| Craig Sword |  | 1 (0-1) | Ware | 1 (1-0) | 2 (1-1) |
|  |  |  | 5+ Made Free Throws |  |  |
| 10+ Rebounds |  |  | Craig Sword | 1 (0-1) | 23 (12-11) |
| Gavin Ware | 1 (1-0) | 17 (13-4) | Fred Thomas |  | 12 (8-4) |
| Travis Daniels | 1 (0-1) | 1 (0-1) | Gavin Ware |  | 11 (6-5) |
| Double-Doubles |  |  | Travis Daniels |  | 2 (1-1) |
| Gavin Ware | 1 (1-0) | 14 (10-4) | I.J. Ready | 1 (1-0) | 2 (2-0) |
|  |  |  | Note: Record in games in () |  |  |



## Ben Howland <br> 20th Season Overall <br> 1st Season At Mississippi State <br> 402-207 (1-1 at MSU)

- On March 23, 2015, Ben Howland was named the 20th head coach in Mississippi State history.
- In four different stints as a head coach, Howland has a 402-207 record - Northern Arizona (79-59), Pittsburgh (89-40), UCLA (233-107) and Mississippi State (1-1).
- Led UCLA to three-consecutive Final Fours.
- In 2006, the Bruins played Florida for the national championship.
- In 2008, Howland became one of three coaches in NCAA Division I history to win at least 30 games in three-straight seasons, joining Adolph Rupp (Kentucky 1947-49) and John Calipari (Memphis, 2006-08).
- During his 10-year tenure at UCLA, the Bruins went to the NCAA Tournament seven times and won four Pac-10 regular-season crowns, while having 18 players drafted by NBA teams.
- His 97 victories from 2006-08 stand as the most by any UCLA head coach in a three-year span.
- Has been a Conference Coach of the Year in the Pac-10, Big East and Big Sky.
- His final two years at Pitt, the Panthers went 57-11 and reached the Sweet 16 both years.
- In 2003, Pittsburgh won the Big East Tournament crown and held the nation's No. 2 ranking for eight weeks in the Associated Press poll before ending the year at No. 4.
- In 2002, Howland guided the Panthers to a school-record 29 wins en route to becoming the school's first coach in 26 years to garner National Coach of the Year honors.
- Howland's first coaching gig was at Northern Arizona, where his last three teams posted 20-plus win seasons.
- In 1997, the Lumberjacks had a school-record 21 victories, captured the Big Sky regular-season title and played in the NIT.
- In 1998, Howland guided NAU to its first NCAA Tournament after capturing the Big Sky Tournament championship and second-straight regular-season crown.
- Howland spent one year as a graduate assistant at Gonzaga (1981) before becoming an assistant at California-Santa Barbara from 1982-94.
- Played two years at Santa Barbara College before transferring to Weber State, where he earned his degree in physical education in 1979.
- Howland and his wife, Kim, a former Weber State cheerleader, have two children - Meredith and Adam (Brittney) - and one grandson, Benjamin Clark Howland II.


| Alabama | 1-0 | Northern Arizona | 1-0 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Albany | 1-0 | Notre Dame | 5-8 |
| Appalachian State | 1-0 | Oakland | 2-0 |
| Arizona | 14-11 | Occidental College | 1-0 |
| Arizona State | 17-8 | Ohio State | 2-0 |
| Arkansas | 0-1 | Oral Roberts | 0-2 |
| Arkansas-Pine Bluff | 1-0 | Oregon | 12-8 |
| Belmont | 1-0 | Oregon State | 16-4 |
| Boise State | 0-4 | Pacific | 1-0 |
| Boston College | 4-2 | Penn State | 2-1 |
| Butler | 0-1 | Pennsylvania | 1-0 |
| BYU | 2-0 | Pepperdine | 4-0 |
| Cal Poly | 2-2 | Pittsburgh | 1-0 |
| Cal State Bakersfield | 1-0 | Portland | 0-1 |
| Cal State Fullerton | 1-1 | Portland State | 5-3 |
| Cal State Northridge | 9-2 | Prairie View A\&M | 2-0 |
| CSU San Bernardino | 1-0 | Providence | 3-1 |
| California | 17-10 | Rhode Island | 2-0 |
| Central Conn. State | 1-0 | Richmond | 1-0 |
| Chaminade (Hawaii) | 3-0 | Robert Morris | 4-0 |
| Chicago State | 1-0 | Rutgers | 6-1 |
| Cincinnati | 0-1 | Sacramento State | 7-2 |
| Co. of Notre Dame | 1-0 | Sam Houston State | 2-1 |
| Colorado | 2-0 | San Diego | 0-3 |
| Colorado College | 2-0 | San Diego State | 0-1 |
| Colorado State | 1-0 | San Jose State | 1-0 |
| Concordia (Calif.) | 0-1 | Savannah State | 1-0 |
| Connecticut | 2-3 | Seton Hall | 5-2 |
| Coppin State | 1-0 | Sonoma State | 1-0 |
| Davidson | 1-0 | South Florida | 0-1 |
| Delaware State | 2-0 | Southeast Louisiana | a 1-0 |
| DePaul | 1-0 | Southern University | 0-1 |
| Drexel | 1-0 | Southern Cal | 14-9 |
| Duquesne | 3-1 | Southern Illinois | 1-0 |
| East Carolina | 0-1 | Southern Utah | 3-1 |
| Eastern Illinois | 1-0 | Southwest Texas | 0-1 |
| Eastern Washington | 11-1 | St. Bonaventure | 2-0 |
| Elon | 1-0 | St. Francis (N.Y.) | 2-0 |
| Florida | 0-3 | St. Francis (Pa.) | 4-0 |
| Florida International | 2-1 | St. Johns | 2-3 |
| Fresno State | 1-0 | St. Martin's | 1-0 |
| George Mason | 1-0 | Stanford | 14-7 |
| George Washington | 1-0 | Stephen F. Austin | 1-1 |
| Georgetown | 5-4 | Syracuse | 4-5 |
| Georgia | 1-1 | Temple | 1-0 |
| Georgia Tech | 1-0 | Tennessee | 0-1 |
| Gonzaga | 1-0 | Texas | 1-3 |
| Idaho | 1-3 | Texas A\&M | 2-0 |
| Idaho State | 8-3 | Texas Arlington | 1-1 |
| Illinois State | 1-0 | Texas Tech | 0-1 |
| Indiana | 2-0 | Texas Pan American | n 2-0 |
| Indiana State | 1-0 | UC Davis | 3-0 |
| IUPUI | 1-0 | UC Irvine | 5-1 |
| James Madison | 1-0 | UC Riverside | 2-0 |
| Kansas | 1-3 | UC Santa Barbara | 0-1 |
| Kent State | 0-1 | UCLA | 0-1 |
| Kentucky | 1-1 | UNLV | 0-1 |
| Long Beach State | 3-1 | Utah | 2-1 |
| Louisiana Tech | 1-0 | Vermont | 1-0 |
| Loyola Marymount | 3-2 | Villanova | 3-3 |
| LSU | 1-0 | VCU | 1-3 |
| Marist | 1-0 | Virginia Tech | 2-0 |
| Marquette | 0-1 | Wagner | 2-0 |
| Maryland | 1-0 | Washington | 10-11 |
| McNeese State | 1-0 | Washington State | 18-3 |
| Memphis | 1-2 | Weber State | 3-9 |
| Mercer | 1-0 | West Virginia | 5-4 |
| Miami | 3-3 | Western Illinois | 2-0 |
| Miami (OH) | 1-0 | Western Kentucky | 1-0 |
| Michigan | 4-3 | Western Oregon | 1-0 |
| Michigan State | 3-1 | Wright State | 1-0 |
| Middle Tenn. State | 0-1 | Wyoming | 1-0 |
| Minnesota | 0-1 | Xavier | 1-0 |
| Mississippi State | 0-2 | Yale | $1-0$ |
| MVSU | 1-0 | Youngstown State | 1-0 |
| Missouri | $1-0$ | TOTAL: 402-207 |  |
| Montana | 6-5 |  |  |
| Montana State | 9-3 |  |  |
| Montana Tech | 1-0 |  |  |
| Morgan State | 1-0 |  |  |
| Morris Brown | 1-0 |  |  |
| N. Mexico Highlands | 1-0 |  |  |
| Nebraska | 1-1 |  |  |
| Nevada | 1-0 |  |  |
| New Mexico State | 2-0 |  |  |
| New Orleans | 2-0 |  |  |
| Norfolk State | 2-0 |  |  |
| North Carolina AT\&T | 1-0 |  |  |

## Mississippi State By The Numbers

| GAME-BY-GAME SPECIALTY STATS (MSU First) |  |  |  |  |  | GAME-BY-GAME LEAD/DEFICIT |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Opponent | Paint | Off TO | 2nd Chance | Fast Break | Bench | Opponent | Largest Lead | Largest Deficit | Final Score |
| Eastern Washington 5 | 54/52 | 17/12 | 19/10 | 12/4 | 20/8 | Eastern Washington 21 | 21 (95-74, 2nd) | 10 (33-43, 1st) | W, 106-88 |
| Southern | 20/34 | 10/24 | 8/10 | 2/10 | 16/23 | Southern 4 | 4 (61-57, 2nd) | 8 (61-69, 2nd) | L, 76-72 |
| Miami |  |  |  |  |  | Miami |  |  |  |
| Utah/Texas Tech |  |  |  |  |  | Utah/Texas Tech |  |  |  |
| TBA |  |  |  |  |  | TBA |  |  |  |
| UT Martin |  |  |  |  |  | UT Martin |  |  |  |
| Texas Southern |  |  |  |  |  | Texas Southern |  |  |  |
| UMKC |  |  |  |  |  | UMKC |  |  |  |
| Florida State |  |  |  |  |  | Florida State |  |  |  |
| Tulane |  |  |  |  |  | Tulane |  |  |  |
| Northern Colorado |  |  |  |  |  | Northern Colorado |  |  |  |
| North Carolina Central |  |  |  |  |  | North Carolina Central |  |  |  |
| Texas A\&M |  |  |  |  |  | Texas A\&M |  |  |  |
| Arkansas |  |  |  |  |  | Arkansas |  |  |  |
| Kentucky |  |  |  |  |  | Kentucky |  |  |  |
| Tennessee |  |  |  |  |  | Tennessee |  |  |  |
| Florida |  |  |  |  |  | Florida |  |  |  |
| Ole Miss |  |  |  |  |  | Ole Miss |  |  |  |
| South Carolina |  |  |  |  |  | South Carolina |  |  |  |
| Missouri |  |  |  |  |  | Missouri |  |  |  |
| Alabama |  |  |  |  |  | Alabama |  |  |  |
| LSU |  |  |  |  |  | LSU |  |  |  |
| Arkansas |  |  |  |  |  | Arkansas |  |  |  |
| Georgia |  |  |  |  |  | Georgia |  |  |  |
| Vanderbilt |  |  |  |  |  | Vanderbilt |  |  |  |
| Alabama |  |  |  |  |  | Alabama |  |  |  |
| Texas A\&M |  |  |  |  |  | Texas A\&M |  |  |  |
| South Carolina |  |  |  |  |  | South Carolina |  |  |  |
| Ole Miss |  |  |  |  |  | Ole Miss |  |  |  |
| Auburn |  |  |  |  |  | Auburn |  |  |  |
| SECT |  |  |  |  |  | SECT |  |  |  |


| Mississippi State Scoring By <br> 1st Half | The Half <br> 2nd Half |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Team |  |$\quad 48$| Eastern Washington | 40 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Southern | 32 |

[^0]| Opponent Scoring By The Half |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 1st Half |  |$\quad$| 2nd Half |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |

## Lowest First Half: 45, Southern

Highest First Half: 51, Eastern Washington
Lowest 2nd Half: Southern, 31
Highest 2nd Half: Eastern Washington, 37

## Mississippi State By The Numbers



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| OVERTIME FOES |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| TEAM RECORD | TEAM RECORD |
| Alabama ............................................6-6 | Morehead State ..................................1-0 |
| Alaska-Fairbanks................................1-0 | Northeastern Louisiana ........................0-1 |
| Arkansas...........................................2-1 | Northwestern State.............................0-1 |
| Auburn ..............................................6-4 | Oklahoma .........................................1-0 |
| Baylor ..............................................1-0 | Ole Miss............................................6-3 |
| BYU .................................................0-1 | Old Dominion.....................................0-1 |
| California ..........................................0-1 | San Diego.........................................0-1 |
| Drake ..............................................1-0 | Santa Clara.......................................2-0 |
| Florida..............................................0-3 | Southern Mississippi...........................1-0 |
| Florida State ......................................1-0 | Southwestern Louisiana .......................1-0 |
| Georgia............................................3-3 | South Alabama ..................................1-0 |
| Georgia Tech .....................................1-0 | South Carolina...................................3-0 |
| Houston .............................................0-1 | Tennessee .........................................6-2 |
| Idaho................................................0-1 | Texas ...............................................1-0 |
| Kentucky...........................................4-5 | Texas A\&M........................................1-1 |
| Loyola ................................................1-0 | Troy ..................................................2-0 |
| LSU..................................................3-4 | Tulane...............................................0-1 |
| Memphis ..........................................1-0 | UAB .................................................0-1 |
| Missouri-Kansas City...........................0-1 | UMass ..............................................0-1 |
| Montana...........................................1-0 | Vanderbilt..........................................2-5 |

## The Last Time . . .

THE LAST TIME AN MSU PLAYER ...
Scored 30 or more points in a game:
32, Ravern Johnson vs. Tenn. St. (11-12-10)
Scored 33 or more points in a game: 33, Craig Sword at LSU (2-19-14)
Scored 34 or more points in a game: 34, Arnett Moultrie vs. UMass (3-13-12)
Scored 35 or more points in a game: 36, Jeff Malone at Ole Miss (2-19-83)
Scored 37 or more points in a game: 39, Jeff Malone vs. Alabama (1-31-83)
Scored 40 or more points in a game: 40, Rickey Brown vs. Auburn (3-7-77)
Scored 20+ points in back-to-back games: Craig Sword (26 at South Carolina 2-28-15; 20 at Vanderbilt (3-04-15)
Scored 20+ points in three-consecutive games: Craig Sword (24 vs. Loyola, 12-01-13; 24 vs. TCU, 12-05-13; 22 vs. SELA, 12-13-13)
Scored $20+$ points in five-consecutive games: Jeff Malone, 1982-83 (11 consecutive)
Scored 30+ points in back-to-back games: Jeff Malone ( 36 at Ole Miss \& 30 vs. Georgia, 1982-83)
Scored 30+ points in three-consecutive games: Jeff Malone ( 33 at LSU; 36 at Ole Miss \& 30 vs. Georgia, 1982-83)
Two players score 20+ points in same game: Gavin Ware, 26; I.J. Ready, 25, vs. Eastern Washington (11-13-15)
Made 10 field goals in a game: 10, Craig Sword at South Carolina (2-28-15)
Made 11 field goals in a game: 11, Gavin Ware E. Washington (11-13-15)
Made 12 field goals in a game: 12, Arnett Moultrie vs. UMass (3-13-12)
Made 13 field goals in a game: 13, Horatio Webster vs. SW Missouri St. (11-23-97)
Made 14 field goals in a game: 14, Cameron Burns at Georgia (1-17-90)
Made 15 or more field goals in a game: 16, Raymond Brown vs. Florida (3-2-85)
Attempted 20 field goals in a game: 20, Ravern Johnson vs. St. Mary's (12-29-10)
Attempted 21 or more field goals in a game: 21, Dee Bost vs. Kentucky (2-16-10)
Attempted 23 or more field goals in a game: 23, Arnett Moultrie vs. UMass (3-13-12)
Attempted 25 field goals in a game: 25 , Chuck Evans at Alabama (3-6-93)
Attempted 26 field goals in a game: 26, Tony Watts at Ole Miss (2-22-92)
Attempted 27 or more field goals in a game: 28, Jeff Malone vs. Vanderbilt (1-8-83)
Made six 3-pointers in a game: 6, Dee Bost vs. Old Dominion (11-28-09)
Made seven 3-pointers in a game: 7, Dee Bost vs. Troy (12-10-11)
Made eight or more 3-pointers in a game: 8, Winsome Frazier vs. UMKC (11-23-04)
Attempted 11 3-pointers in a game: 11, Dee Bost vs. Detroit (12-17-11)
Attempted 12 3-pointers in a game: 12, Ravern Johnson vs. ETSU (12-11-10)
Attempted 13 or more 3-pointers in a game: 13, Dee Bost vs. Troy (12-10-11)
Attempted 16 or more 3-pointers in a game: 17, Darryl Wilson vs. Alabama (3-4-95)
Made 14 or more free throws in a game: 14, Trivante Bloodman vs. Auuburn (2-15-14)
Made 15 or more free throws in a game: 15, Craig Sword vs. Ole Miss (1-11-14)
Attempted 17 free throws in a game: 17, Jarvis Varnado at Houston (12-19-09)
Attempted 18 free throws in a game: 18, Craig Sword vs. Ole Miss (1-11-14)

Attempted 19 free throws in a game: 19, Carl Nichols vs. SE La. (12-1-88)
Had 16 rebounds in a game:
16, Gavin Ware vs. Maryland ES (1-2-14)
Had 17 rebounds in a game:
17, Gavin Ware at Auburn (1-21-15)
Had 18 or more rebounds in a game:
21, Wesley Morgan vs. SE La. (11-28-05)
Had 22 or more rebounds in a game:
23, Rickey Brown vs. Vanderbilt (12-6-79)
Had 24 or more rebounds in a game:
24, Wiley Peck vs. Alabama (1-27-79)
Had 10 or more offensive rebounds in a game: 11, Arnett Moultrie vs. Northwestern State (12-22-11)
Had 10 or more defensive rebounds in a game: 10, Gavin Ware vs. LSU (1-31-15)
Had 13 or more defensive rebounds in a game: 13, Colin Borchert (3-9-13)
Had 15 or more defensive rebounds in a game: 15, Jarvis Varnado at San Diego (12-31-09) Had 10 assists in a game:

10, Dee Bost vs. LSU (1-25-11)
Had 11 assists in a game:
11, Dee Bost vs. Vanderbilt (3-11-11)
Had 13 assists in a game:
13, Dee Bost vs. Ole Miss (2-9-12)
Had 14 assists in a game:
14, Gary Ervin vs. Florida A\&M (12-20-04)
Had 15 or more assists in a game:
16, Chuck Evans at UMKC (2-23-93)
Had 10 or more turnovers in a game:
10, Charles Rhodes vs. Nicholls (11-11-06)
Had five or more blocks in a game:
5, Gavin Ware at Loyola (12-15-12)
Had seven blocks in a game:
7, Jarvis Varnado at LSU (2-20-10)
Had eight blocks in a game:
8, Jarvis Varnado vs. Alabama (2-24-10)
Had nine blocks in a game:
9, Jarvis Varnado at Vanderbilt (2-3-10)
Had 10 blocks in a game:
10, Jarvis Varnado vs. Arkansas (1-14-10)
Had 10+ blocks in two consecutive games: Jarvis Varnado ( 10 vs. Georgia \& 10 vs. Kentucky, 2007-08)
Had five steals in a game:
5, Fred Thomas vs. Clayton State (11-24-14)
Had six or more steals in a game:
7, Craig Sword vs. Ole Miss (1-11-14)
LAST TIME AN MSU TEAM...
Scored 100 or more points: 106 vs. Eastern Washington (11-13-15)
Scored 100 or more points in an SEC game: 105 vs. Auburn (3-2-04)
Allowed 100 or more points in an SEC game: 115 at Arkansas (2-20-93)
Allowed 100 or more points in non-SEC play: 101 vs. UMass (3-13-12)
Was held to 52 points or less: 51 vs. Alabama (2-10-15)
Was held to 50 points:
50 vs. Alabama (2-25-12)
Was held to 49 points or less: 47 vs. Florida (1-10-15)
Was held to 45 points or less: 41 at Georgia (2-7-15)
Was held to 40 points or less: 36 vs. Missouri (2-13-13)
Was held to 35 points or less: 31 vs. Vanderbilt (2-23-13)
Was held to fewer than 10 points in a half: 9 at Arkansas, first (2-7-15)
Held opponent to 59 points or less: 59 vs. Oregon State (12-13-14)
Held opponent to 56 points or less: 56 at Vanderbilt (3-4-15)

Held opponent to 55 points or less: 55 vs. Alabama (2-10-15)
Held opponent to 50 points or less: 47 vs. Jacksonville (12-23-14)
Held opponent to 45 points or less: 45 vs. MVSU (12-28-09)
Held opponent to 42 points or less: 42 vs. Texas-San Antonio (12-4-12)
Held opponent to 39 points or less: 39 at LSU (1-9-08)
Shot 50 percent or better from the field: .500 [26-52] vs. Auburn SECT (3-11-15)
Shot 55 percent or better from the field: .561 [23-41] at Missouri (2-14-15)
Shot 60 percent or better from the field: .621 [41-66] vs. E. Washington (11-13-15)
Shot 65 percent or better from the field: .660 [35-53] vs. Western Kentucky (1-5-09)
Was held to less than 35 percent from the field: .311 [14-45] at Arkansas (2-7-15)
Was held to less than 30 percent from the field: .283 [17-60] vs. North Carolina (11-19-12)
Was held to less than 25 percent from the field: .175 [7-40] vs. Vanderbilt (2-23-13)
Held opp. to 35 percent or less from the field: .327 [17-52] vs. Arkansas (2-10-15)
Held opp. to 30 percent or less from the field: . 273 [15-55] vs. Texas-San Antonio (12-4-12)
Opponent shot 50 percent or better: .508 [33-65] Eastern Washington (11-13-15)
Opponent shot 60 percent or better: .623 [33-53] Missouri (3-1-14)
Made 35 or more field goals: 35 vs. Mississippi Valley State (11-19-13)
Made 40 or more field goals: 41 vs. Eastern Washington (11-13-15)
Made fewer than 15 field goals: 14 at Arkansas (2-7-15)
Attempted 70 or more shots from the field: 71 vs. Troy (12-10-11)
Attempted 80 or more shots from the field: 80 at Alabama (2-21-09)
Attempted just 40 shots from the field: 40 vs. Vanderbilt (2-23-13)
Attempted 39 or fewer shots from the field: 39 at Vanderbilt (3-4-15)
Attempted 35 or fewer shots from the field: 34 vs. Tennessee (2-3-15)
Made 10 or more 3-pointers: 11 vs. Southern University (11-16-15)
Made 12 3-pointers: 12 vs. Auburn (2-4-12)
Made 15 3-pointers: 15 vs. North Carolina A\&T (12-12-10)
Made 16 3-pointers: 16 vs. Troy (12-10-11)
Did not make a 3-pointer: [ $0-10$ ] at Arkansas (2-7-15)
Made just one 3-pointer: vs. Tennessee (1-7-15)
Made just two 3-pointers: vs. Kentucky (2-25-15)
Attempted nine 3-pointers or less: 9 vs . Tennessee (1-7-15)
Attempted six 3-pointers or less: 6 at Ole Miss (1-29-03)
Attempted 25 3-pointers: 25 vs. Georgia (2-14-12)
Attempted 26 3-pointers: 26 vs. South Carolina (3-5-11)
Attempted 27 or more 3-pointers: 29 vs. Ole Miss (1-18-12)
Attempted 30 or more 3-pointers: 31 vs. Southern University (11-16-15)
Attempted 35 or more 3-pointers: 35 vs. Kentucky (2-16-10)
Made 31 or more free throws: 31 vs. Auburn (1-22-14)

## The Last Time (continued)

Made 40 or more free throws: 41 vs. LSU (2-11-09)
Made 50 or more free throws: 52 vs. LSU (2-11-09)
Made fewer than five free throws: 4 at Vanderbilt (2-1-14)
Made fewer than four free throws: 3 vs. Baylor (12-28-11)
Made only 1 free throw: 1 vs. Florida (1-30-14)
Attempted 30 or more free throws: 34 vs. Auburn SECT (3-11-15)
Attempted 35 or more free throws: 35 vs. Tennessee (2-3-15)
Attempted 40 or more free throws: 44 vs. Tennessee (1-7-15)
Attempted 45 or more free throws: 45 vs. Florida A\&M (12-17-13)
Attempted fewer than 10 free throws: 6 , vs. Florida (1-30-14)
Had 50 or more rebounds: 51 vs. Prairie View (11-8-13)
Had 55 or more rebounds: 58 vs. Troy (12-10-05)
Had 59 or more rebounds: 59 at Houston (12-19-09)
Had fewer than 25 rebounds:
21 vs. McNeese State (12-30-14)
Had 20 or fewer rebounds:
19 at Vanderbilt (3-4-15)
Had 20 or more assists: 20 vs. Louisiana-Monroe (11-21-11)

Had 21 or more assists:
21 vs. Auburn (2-4-12)
Had 25 or more assists:
25 vs. St. Bonaventure (12-05-09)
Had 30 or more assists:
30 vs. Troy (12-10-11)
Had 5 Assists:
5, Alabama (2-10-15)
Had Fewer Than 5 Assists:
4, Tennessee (1-2-15)
Had 20 or more turnovers:
20 vs. South Carolina (3-6-13)
Had 21 or more turnovers:
21 vs. Jacksonville (12-23-14)
Had 23 or more turnovers:
23 vs. Arkansas (2-21-15)
Had 24 or more turnovers:
24 at Arkansas (2-7-15)
Had 25 turnovers:
26 vs. Mississippi Valley State (11-17-14)
Had 29 or more turnovers: 29 at Arkansas (1-23-13)
Had 30 or more turnovers: 31 at Kentucky (1-7-97)
Had 34 or more turnovers: 34 at Evansville (12-17-75)
Had fewer than 10 turnovers: 8 vs. Kentucky (2-25-15)
Had five or fewer turnovers:
5 vs. Florida Atlantic (11-30-10)
Forced 25 or more turnovers
26 vs. Kennesaw State (11-14-13)

Had 10 blocked shots:
10 vs. Tennessee (1-12-12)
Had 11 blocked shots:
11 at Alabama (2-21-09)
Had 12 blocked shots:
12 vs. Troy (11-26-10)
Had 13 blocked shots:
13 vs. Arkansas (1-14-10)
Had 14 blocked shots:
14 vs. Texas-Pan American (11-24-09)
Had 16 blocked shots:
16 vs. Georgia (1-12-08)
Had 10 steals:
10 vs. Auburn (1-21-15)
Had 11 steals:
11 at Clayton State (11-24-14)
Had 12 steals:
12 vs. LSU (1-31-15)
Had 13 or more steals:
14 vs. South Carolina (1-9-13)
Had 15 or more steals:
15 vs. Florida Gulf Coast (12-19-13)
Had 17 or more steals:
17 vs. Florida Atlantic (11-13-12)
Had 20 or more steals:
20 vs. Nicholls State (11-17-01)
Had 1 steal or less:
1 vs. Vanderbilt (3-11-11)

## 1 Fred Thomas



## Season Highs

Points: 10, Eastern Washington, 11-13-15 FGM: 3, twice, last vs. Southern, 11-16-15 FGA: 6, twice, last vs, Southern, 11-16-15 3FGM: 3, Southern, 11-16-15
3FGA: 6, Southern, 11-16-15
FTM: 4, Eastern Washington, 11-13-15 FTA: 4, Eastern Washington, 11-13-15 Rebounds: 7, Southern, 11-16-15 Assists: 1, twice, last vs. Southern, 11-16-15 Blocks: 1, Eastern Washington, 11-13-15 Steals: 1, Southern, 11-16-15 Minutes: 35, Eastern Washington, 11-13-15

## Career Highs

Points: 21, South Carolina, 3-13-13
FGM: 7, twice, last vs. Missouri, 3-1-14
FGA: 15, Marquette, 11-20-12
3FGM: 4, 10x, last vs. Tennessee, 2-3-15
3FGA: 10, twice, last vs. Providence, 12-1-12 FTM: 8, Florida, 1-26-13
FTA: 9 , twice, last vs. Utah State, 11-22-14 Rebounds: 9, Oregon State, 12-13-14 Assists: 4, twice, last vs. USC, 3-6-13 Blocks: 3, four times, last vs. Auburn, 1-22-14 Steals: 7, Florida, 1-26-13 Minutes: 41, Texas A\&M, 1-18-14

## 2015-16 Game-By-Game

| Opponent | MIN FG | Pct. | 3FG | Pct. | FT | Pct. | O-D-R | PF | A | то | B S | PTS |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| N13 Eastern Washington | 35 3-6 | . 500 | 0-2 | . 000 | 4-4 | 1.000 | 2-3-5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 10 |
| N16 Southern University | 32 3-6 | . 500 | 3-6 | . 500 | 0-0 | . 00 | 0-7-7 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 01 | 9 |
| N19 Miami |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| N20 Texas Tech/Utah |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| N22 TBA |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| N28 UT Martin |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| D2 Texas Southern |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| D12 UMKC |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| D16 Florida State |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| D19 Tulane |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| D23 Northern Colorado |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| D31 North Carolina Central |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J6 Texas A8M |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J9 Arkansas |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 312 Kentucky |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J16 Tennesee |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J19 Florida |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J23 Ole Miss |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 226 South Carolina |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J30 Missouri |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F2 Alabama |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F6 LSU |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F9 Arkansas |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F13 Georgia |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F16 Vanderbilt |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F20 Alabama |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F24 Texas A8M |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F27 South Carolina |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| M2 Ole Miss |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| M5 Auburn |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| M9 SEC Tournament |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Thomas' Notes . . .
$\checkmark 10$ points in season opener vs. EWU.
$\checkmark$ Tallied 9 points, 7 rebounds vs. SU.

| Year | GP-GS | Min/Avg | CAREER |  | TATS <br> 3FM-3GA | FOR FRED THOMAS |  |  |  |  | Ast | TO | B/k | Stl | Pts/Avg |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | FG-FGA | Pct |  | Pct | FT-FTA | Pct | Rebs | PF-D |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2012-13 | 32-19 | 917/28.7 | 103-314 | . 328 | 41-172 | . 238 | 62-78 | . 195 | 112-3.5 | 45-1 | 43 | 49 | 27 | 56 | 309/9.7 |
| 2013-14 | 31-23 | 927/29.9 | 99-259 | . 382 | 46-144 | . 319 | 45-72 | . 625 | 91-2.9 | 56-0 | 44 | 40 | 23 | 31 | 289/9.3 |
| 2014-15 | 31-16 | 757/24.4 | 84-223 | . 377 | 47-137 | . 343 | 67-85 | . 788 | 111-3.6 | 58-0 | 25 | 47 | 15 | 23 | 282/9.1 |
| 2015-16 | 2-2 | 67/33.5 | 6-12 | . 500 | 3-8 | . 375 | 4-4 | 1.000 | 12-6.0 | 1-0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 19/9.5 |
| TOTAL | 96-60 | 2668/27.8 | 292-808 | . 361 | 137-461 | . 297 | 178-239 | . 745 | 326-3.4 | 160-1 | 114 | 138 | 66 | 111 | 899/9.4 |

## 2 Demetrius Houston



## Career Highs

Points: 9, twice, last vs. Missouri 3-7-15
FGM: 3, 5x, last vs. Missouri, 3-7-15
FGA: 7, Kentucky, 2-25-15
3FGM: 1, 4x, last vs. Florida, 1-10-15
3FGA: 3, Utah State, 11-22-14
FTM: 1, Missouri, 3-7-15
FTA: 8, Tennessee, 1-7-15
Rebounds: 7, twice, last vs. MVSU, 11-17-14
Assists: 2, Kentucky, 2-25-15
Blocks: 1, 6x, last vs. Arkansas, 2-21-15
Steals: 3 , twice, last vs. Tennessee, 2-3-15 Minutes: 22, Western Carolina 11-14-14

## 2015-16 Game-By-Game

| Opponent | MIN FG | Pct. | 3FG | Pct. | FT | Pct. | O-D-R | PF | A | T0 | B | S | PTS |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| N13 Eastern Washington | $6 \quad 1-1$ | 1.000 | --- | --- | --- | --- | $0-0-0$ | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| N16 Southern University | -DNP- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| N19 Miami |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| N20 Texas Tech/Utah |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| N22 TBA |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| N28 UT Martin |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| D2 Texas Southern |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| D12 UMKC |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| D16 Florida State |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| D19 Tulane |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| D23 Northern Colorado |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| D31 North Carolina Central |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J6 Texas A\&M |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| j9 Arkansas |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J12 Kentucky |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J16 Tennesee |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J19 Florida |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J23 Ole Miss |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J26 South Carolina |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J30 Missouri |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F2 Alabama |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F6 LSU |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F9 Arkansas |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F13 Georgia |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F16 Vanderbilt |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F20 Alabama |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F24 Texas A\&M |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F27 South Carolina |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| M2 Ole Miss |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| M5 Auburn |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| M9 SEC Tournament |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Houston's Notes . . .

$\checkmark 2$ points in 6 minutes vs. EWU.

## Career Stats For Demetrius Houston



## 4 Johnny Zuppardo



## 2015-16 Game-By-Game

| Opponent | MIN | FG | Pct. | 3FG | Pct. | FT | Pct. | O-D-R | PF | A | TO | B | S | PTS |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | ---: |
| N13 Eastern Washington | 15 | $3-3$ | 1.000 | $0-0$ | .000 | $0-0$ | .000 | $2-6-8$ | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| N16 Southern University | 9 | $2-6$ | .333 | $1-3$ | .333 | $1-2$ | .500 | $3-2-5$ | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 6 |

## N19 Miami

N20 Texas Tech/Utah
N22 TBA
N28 UT Martin
D2 Texas Southern
D12 UMKC

D16 Florida State
D19 Tulane
D23 Northern Colorado
D31 North Carolina Central
J6 Texas A\&M
J9 Arkansas
J12 Kentucky
J16 Tennesee
J19 Florida
J23 Ole Miss
J26 South Carolina
J30 Missouri
F2 Alabama
F6 LSU
F9 Arkansas
F13 Georgia
F16 Vanderbilt
F20 Alabama
F24 Texas A\&M
F27 South Carolina
M2 Ole Miss
M5 Auburn
M9 SEC Tournament

## Zuppardo's Notes . . .

$\checkmark$ Had 6 points, 8 rebounds in MSU debut.
$\checkmark$ Had 6 points vs. Southern, including hitting his first three-pointer of the year.

Career Stats For Johnny Zuppardo


## 5 Joe Strugg



Strugg's Notes . . .
$\checkmark$ Missed all of preseason with a foot injury.

Year 2015-16 GP-GS Min/Avg

## 10 Carter Holmes



Holmes' Notes . . .
$\checkmark$ Made his debut against EWU.

## Career Stats For Carter Holmes



## 11 Quinndary Weatherspoon



Weatherspoon's Notes . . .
$\checkmark 12$ points and 2 rebounds in MSU debut.
$\checkmark$ Tallied 4 points against Southern, including his first collegiate free throws.

N22 TBA
N28 UT Martin
D2 Texas Southern
D12 UMKC

D19 Tulane
D23 Northern Colorado
J6 Texas A\&M
J12 Kentucky
J 16 Tennesee
J19 Florida

J26 South Carolina
J30 Missouri

F6 LSU
F9 Arkansas
F13 Georgia

F20 Alabama
F24 Texas A\&M
F27 South Carolina
Ole Miss

M9 SEC Tournament

| $\underline{Y}$ | GP-GS | Min/Avg | FG-FGA | Pct | 3FM-3GA | Pct | FT-FTA | Pct | Rebs | PF-D | Ast | $\underline{\text { TO }}$ | B | Stl | Pts/Avg |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 20 | 2-0 | 40/2 | 6-12 | 0 | 2-4 | . 500 | 2-3 | 7 | 5 | -0 |  | 3 |  | 1 | 16/8.0 |

## 14 Malik Newman



Career Stats For Malik Newman

| Year | GP-GS | Min/Avg | FG-FGA | Pct | 3FM-3GA | Pct | FT-FTA | Pct | Rebs | PF-D | Ast | TO | Blk | Stl | Pts/Avg |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2015-16 | 1-0 | 17/17.0 | 2-8 | . 250 | 1-5 | . 200 | 1-6 | . 167 | 2-2.0 | 0-0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 6/6.0 |

## 15 I.J. Ready



## Season Highs

Points: 25, Eastern Washington, 11-13-15 FGM: 8, Eastern Washington, 11-13-15 FGA: 16, Eastern Washington, 11-13-15 3FGM: 1, twice, last vs. Southern, 11-16-15 3FGA: 5 , twice, last vs. Southern, 11-16-15 FTM: 8, Eastern Washington, 11-13-15 FTA: 9, Eastern Washington, 11-13-15 Rebounds: 3, Southern, 11-16-15 Assists: 6, Eastern Washington, 11-13-15 Blocks: ---
Steals: 1, twice, last vs. Southern, 11-16-15 Minutes: 35 , Eastern Washington, 11-13-15

## Career Highs

Points: 25, Eastern Washington, 11-13-15
FGM: 8, Eastern Washington, 11-13-15
FGA: 16, $2 x$, last vs. E. Washington, 11-13-15
3FGM: 4, Georgia, 1-24-15
3FGA: 7, $6 x$, last vs. Auburn, 3-11-15
FTM: 8, Eastern Washington, 11-13-15
FTA: 9, Eastern Washington, 11-13-15
Rebounds: 8, twice, last vs. Auburn, 1-21-15
Assists: 7, 3x, last vs. South Carolina, 3-7-15
Blocks: --
Steals: 5, Florida Gulf Coast, 12-19-13 Minutes: $35,2 x$, last vs. E. Washington, 11-13-15

## 2015-16 Game-By-Game

| Opponent | MIN | FG | Pct. | 3FG | Pct. | FT | Pct. | O-D-R | PF | A | TO | B | S | PTS |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| N13 Eastern Washington | 35 | 8-16 | . 500 | 1-5 | . 200 | 8-9 | . 889 | 0-2-2 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 25 |
| N16 Southern University | 32 | 3-13 | . 231 | 1-5 | . 200 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 0-3-3 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 9 |
| N19 Miami |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| N20 Texas Tech/Utah |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| N22 TBA |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| N28 UT Martin |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| D2 Texas Southern |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| D12 UMKC |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| D16 Florida State |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| D19 Tulane |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| D23 Northern Colorado |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| D31 North Carolina Central |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J6 Texas A\&M |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J9 Arkansas |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J12 Kentucky |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J16 Tennesee |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J19 Florida |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J23 Ole Miss |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J26 South Carolina |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| J30 Missouri |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F2 Alabama |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F6 LSU |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F9 Arkansas |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F13 Georgia |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F16 Vanderbilt |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F20 Alabama |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F24 Texas A\&M |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| F27 South Carolina |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| M2 Ole Miss |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| M5 Auburn |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| M9 SEC Tournament |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Ready's Notes . . .

$\checkmark$ Career-high 25 points vs. EWU in opener en route to collecting 400thcareer point.
$\checkmark 9$ points, 5 assists vs. Southern.

## Career Stats For I.J. Ready

| Year | GP-GS | Min/Avg | FG-FGA | Pct | 3FM-3GA | Pct | FT-FTA | Pct | Rebs | PF-D | Ast | T0 | Blk | Stl | Pts/Avg |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2013-14 | 26-21 | 626/24.1 | 59-159 | . 371 | 17-48 | . 354 | 18-21 | . 857 | 55-2.1 | 31-1 | 69 | 41 | 0 | 32 | 153/5.9 |
| 2014-15 | 29-21 | 744/25.7 | 87-218 | . 399 | 28-95 | . 295 | 37-42 | . 881 | 57-2.0 | 46-0 | 71 | 41 | 0 | 37 | 239/8.2 |
| 2015-16 | 2-2 | 67/33.5 | 11-29 | . 379 | 2-10 | . 200 | 10-11 | . 909 | 5-2.5 | 2-0 | 11 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 34/17.0 |
| Totals | 57-44 | 1437/25.2 | 157-406 | . 387 | 47-153 | . 307 | 65-74 | . 878 | 117-2.1 | 79-1 | 151 | 87 | 0 | 71 | 426/7.5 |

## 20 Gavin Ware



## Career Highs

Points: 26, Eastern Washington, 11-13-15
FGM: 11, Eastern Washington, 11-13-15
FGA: 15, Arkansas, 2-7-15
3FGM: --
3FGA: -
FTM: 8, Kentucky, 2-8-14
FTA: 11, MVSU, 11-19-13
Rebounds: 17, Auburn, 1-21-15
Assists: 2, Arkansas, 1-23-13
Blocks: 5, Loyola, 12-15-12
Steals: 3, Kennesaw State, 11-14-13
Minutes: 36, Texas A\&M, 1-30-13

## 2015-16 Game-By-Game

| Opponent | MIN | FG | Pct. | 3FG | Pct. | FT | Pct. | O-D-R | PF | A | TO | B | S | PTS |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | ---: |
| N13 Eastern Washington | 30 | $11-14$ | .786 | $0-0$ | .000 | $4-7$ | .571 | $6-7-13$ | 2 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 26 |
| N16 Southern University | 29 | $5-9$ | .556 | $0-0$ | .000 | $3-4$ | .750 | $3-1-4$ | 5 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 13 |

## N19 Miami

N20 Texas Tech/Utah
N22 TBA
N28 UT Martin
D2 Texas Southern

D12 UMKC
D16 Florida State
D19 Tulane
D23 Northern Colorado
D31 North Carolina Central
J6 Texas A\&M
J9 Arkansas
J12 Kentucky
J16 Tennesee
J19 Florida
J23 Ole Miss
J26 South Carolina
J30 Missouri
F2 Alabama
F6 LSU
F9 Arkansas
F13 Georgia
F16 Vanderbilt
F20 Alabama
F24 Texas A\&M
F27 South Carolina
M2 Ole Miss
M5 Auburn
M9 SEC Tournament

## Ware's Notes . . .

$\checkmark$ 14th career-double with career-high 26 points and 13 rebounds vs. EWU.
$\checkmark 13$ points, 4 rebounds vs. Southern.
$\checkmark$ Is 60 points shy of being the 35 th
player in school history to have 1,000 for a career


## 21 Reggie Patterson



|  | Season Highs |
| :--- | :--- |
| Points: --- |  |
| FGM: --- |  |
| FGA: --- |  |
| 3FGM: --- |  |
| 3FGA: --- |  |
| FTM: --- |  |
| FTA: --- |  |
| Rebounds: --- |  |
| Assists: --- |  |
| Blocks: --- |  |
| Steals: --- |  |
| Minutes: 1, Eastern Washington, 11-13-15 |  |

Patterson's Notes . . . $\checkmark$ Made MSU debut vs. EWU.

## 2015-16 Game-By-Game

| Opponent | MIN FG | Pct. | 3FG | Pct. | FT | Pct. | O-D-R | PF | A | TO | B | S | PTS |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| N13 Eastern Washington | 1 | $0-0$ | .000 | $0-0$ | .000 | $0-0$ | .000 | $0-0-0$ | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| N16 Southern University | -DNP- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| N19 Miami |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## N22 TBA

N28 UT Martin
D2 Texas Southern
D12 UMKC
D16 Florida State
D19 Tulane
D23 Northern Colorado
D31 North Carolina Central
J6 Texas A\&M
J9 Arkansas
J12 Kentucky
J16 Tennesee
J19 Florida
J23 Ole Miss
J26 South Carolina
J30 Missouri
F2 Alabama
F6 LSU
F9 Arkansas
F13 Georgia
F16 Vanderbilt
F20 Alabama
F24 Texas A\&M
F27 South Carolina
M2 Ole Miss
M5 Auburn
M9 SEC Tournament

## 22 Fallou Ndoye



## Career Highs

Points: 11, South Carolina Upstate, 12-20-14 FGM: 4, South Carolina Upstate, 12-20-14
FGA: $5,3 x$, last vs. LSU, 1-31-15
3FGM:
3FGA: --
FTM: 3, twice, last vs. USC Upstate, 12-20-14 FTA: 4, South Carolina Upstate, 12-20-14 Rebounds: 5, 4x, last vs. LSU, 1-31-15 Assists: 1, 7x, last vs. EWU, 11-13-15 Blocks: 1, 9x, last vs. Arkansas, 2-21-15 Steals: 1, 8x, last vs. Ole Miss, 2-19-15 Minutes: 29, McNeese, 12-30-14

## 2015-16 Game-By-Game

| Opponent | MIN FG | Pct. | 3FG | Pct. | FT | Pct. | O-D-R | PF | A | TO | B | S | PTS |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| N13 Eastern Washington | 7 | $0-0$ | .000 | $0-0$ | .000 | $0-0$ | .000 | $0-2-2$ | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| N16 Southern University | 7 | $0-0$ | .000 | $0-0$ | .000 | $0-0$ | .000 | $2-0-2$ | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

## N19 Miami

N20 Texas Tech/Utah
N22 TBA
N28 UT Martin
D2 Texas Southern
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D19 Tulane
D23 Northern Colorado
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J6 Texas A\&M
j9 Arkansas
J12 Kentucky
J16 Tennesee
J19 Florida
J23 Ole Miss
J26 South Carolina
J30 Missouri
F2 Alabama
F6 LSU
F9 Arkansas
F13 Georgia
F16 Vanderbilt
F20 Alabama
F24 Texas A\&M
F27 South Carolina
M2 Ole Miss
M5 Auburn
M9 SEC Tournament

## Ndoye's Notes . . .

$\checkmark 2$ rebounds vs. EWU.
$\checkmark 2$ offensive rebounds vs. Southern.

Career Stats For Fallou Ndoye

| Year | GP-GS | Min/Avg | FG-FGA | Pct | 3FM-3GA | Pct | FT-FTA | Pct | Rebs | PF-D | Ast | $\underline{10}$ | Blk | Stl | Pts/Avg |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2014-15 | 30-6 | 372/12.4 | 26-54 | . 481 | 0-0 | . 000 | 11-21 | . 524 | 55-1.8 | 67-4 | 5 | 27 | 7 | 6 | 63/2.1 |
| 2015-16 | 2-0 | 14/7.0 | 0-0 | . 000 | 0-0 | . 000 | 0-0 | . 000 | 4-2.0 | 7-0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0/0.0 |
| TOTALS | 32-6 | 386/12.1 | 26-54 | . 481 | 0-0 | . 000 | 11-21 | . 524 | 59-1.8 | 74-4 | 6 | 28 | 7 | 6 | 63/2.0 |

## 23 Travis Daniels



## Career Highs

Points: 21, St. Louis, 11-28-14
FGM: 8, St. Louis, 11-28-14
FGA: 16, Texas A\&M, 1-13-15
3FGM: 4, $4 x$, last vs. Texas A\&M, 1-13-15
3FGA: 8, Texas A\&M, 1-13-15
FTM: $5,4 \mathrm{x}$, last vs. Ole Miss, 2-19-15
FTA: 7, twice, last vs. Tulane, 12-6-14
Rebounds: 10, Southern, 11-16-15
Assists: 3, vs. Ole Miss, 1-28-15
Blocks: $1,5 \mathrm{x}$, last vs. Ole Miss, 2-19-15
Steals: 2 , twice, last vs. Florida State, 1-2-15
Minutes: 35 , Texas A\&M, 1-13-15

## Daniels' Notes . .

$\checkmark 16$ points vs. EWU.
$\checkmark$ Had 9 points and a career-high 10
rebonds vs. Southern


## 24 Jett Jobe



Jobe's Notes ...
$\checkmark$ Made MSU debut vs. EWU.

2015-16 Game-By-Game

N28 UT Martin
D12 UMKC
D19 Tulane
D23 Northern Colorado
D31 North Carolina Central
J9 Arkansas
J12 Kentucky

J19 Florida
J26 South Carolina
J30 Missouri
F2 Alabama
F6 LSU
F9 Arkansas
F13 Georgia
F16 Vanderbilt

F24 Texas A\&M
F27 South Carolina
M2 Ole Miss

M9 SEC Tournament

Career Stats For Jett Jobe

| Year | GP-GS | Min/Avg | FG-FGA | Pct | 3FM-3GA | Pct | FT-FTA | Pct | Rebs | PF-D | Ast | TO | BIk | Stl | Pts/Avg |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2015-16 | 1-0 | 1/1.0 | 0-1 | . 000 | 0-0 | . 000 | 0-0 | . 000 | 0-0.0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0-0 |

## 32 Craig Sword



## Sword's Notes . . .

$\checkmark$ Preseason second-team All-SEC selection by the league coaches.
$\checkmark 9$ points vs. EWU.
$\checkmark$ Had 16 points vs. Southern, putting him two away from tying W.D. "Red" Stroud for the 30th most in MSU history.

| CAREER STATS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Year | GP-GS | Min/Avg | FG-FGA | Pct | 3FM-3GA | Pct | FT-FTA | Pct | Rebs | PF-D | Ast | $\underline{10}$ | B/k | Stl | Pts/Avg |
| 2012-13 | 32-30 | 854/26.7 | 120-296 | . 405 | 13-67 | . 194 | 82-148 | . 554 | 92-2.9 | 92-8 | 75 | 127 | 14 | 55 | 335/10.5 |
| 2013-14 | 32-32 | 900/28.1 | 157-324 | . 485 | 12-44 | . 273 | 111-179 | . 620 | 120-3.8 | 93-4 | 88 | 96 | 15 | 60 | 437/13.7 |
| 2014-15 | 28-22 | 695/24.8 | 97-215 | . 451 | 27-75 | . 360 | 96-137 | . 701 | 79-3.2 | 70-2 | 48 | 71 | 11 | 29 | 317/11.3 |
| 2015-16 | 2-2 | 49/24.5 | 7-19 | . 368 | 3-12 | . 250 | 8-9 | . 889 | 7-3.5 | 8-1 | 5 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 25/12.5 |
| TOTALS | 94-86 | 2498/26.6 | 381-854 | . 446 | 55-198 | . 278 | 297-473 | . 628 | 298-3.2 | 263-15 | 216 | 304 | 43 | 146 | 1114/11.9 |

## 35 Aric Holman



Holman's Notes . . .
$\checkmark$ Missed all of preseason with a knee injury.

2015-16 Game-By-Game

| Opponent | MIN | FG | Pct. | 3FG | Pct. | FT | Pct. | O-D-R | PF | A | TO | B |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | S $\quad$ PTS

N16 Southern University -DNP
N19 Miami
N22 TBA
N28 UT Martin
D2 Texas Southern
D12 UMKC
D16 Florida State
D19 Tulane
D23 Northern Colorado $\qquad$
D31 North Carolina Central
J6 Texas A\&M
J9 Arkansas
J12 Kentucky
J16 Tennesee
J19 Florida
J23 Ole Miss
J26 South Carolina
J30 Missouri
F2 Alabama
F6 LSU
F9 Arkansas
F13 Georgia
F16 Vanderbilt
F20 Alabama
F24 Texas A\&M
F27 South Carolina
M2 Ole Miss
M5 Auburn
M9 SEC Tournament

Career Stats For Aric Holman
$\frac{\text { Year }}{2015-16}$ GP-GS Min/Avg FG-FGA Pct 3FM-3GA Pct FT-FTA Pct Rebs PF-D Ast TO Blk Stl Pts/Avg

Exhibition 1 - Nov. 6, 2015

| Mississippi State | 95 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Fort Valley State | 56 |

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Fort Valley State

| Fort Valley | State |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
| Bell | f | $1-3$ | $0-0$ | $3-5$ | 2 | 1 | 5 | 1 |
| 22 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wilson | c | $3-15$ | $0-3$ | $3-4$ | 4 | 2 | 9 | 0 |
| 28 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Thomas | g | $0-0$ | $0-0$ | $0-0$ | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| 11 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Bryant | g | $1-4$ | $1-1$ | $0-0$ | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| 11 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Franklin | g | $3-7$ | $1-1$ | $2-3$ | 1 | 1 | 9 | 1 |
| 16 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Hansberry | $2-4$ | $0-1$ | $0-0$ | 0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 16 |
| Edwards | $5-7$ | $0-0$ | $0-3$ | 0 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 13 |
| Fluellen | $0-2$ | $0-2$ | $0-1$ | 5 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 16 |
| McMillan | $2-4$ | $0-1$ | $1-2$ | 2 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 12 |
| Broner | $0-1$ | $0-0$ | $1-2$ | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 12 |
| Duke | $2-6$ | $1-4$ | $1-2$ | 3 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 20 |
| Warren | $2-4$ | $0-0$ | $0-2$ | 6 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 12 |
| Mobley | $0-3$ | $0-3$ | $0-0$ | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 |
| TOTALS | $\mathbf{2 1 - 6 0}$ | $\mathbf{3 - 1 6}$ | $\mathbf{1 1 - 2 4}$ | $\mathbf{3 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 7}$ | $\mathbf{5 6}$ | $\mathbf{4}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 0}$ |

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A Min |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Ware | f | $6-6$ | $0-0$ | $0-0$ | 6 | 3 | 12 |
| 0 | 17 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Daniels | f | $2-2$ | $0-0$ | $0-0$ | 1 | 5 | 4 |
| 0 | 11 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Thomas | g | $4-9$ | $2-7$ | $1-1$ | 3 | 0 | 11 |
| 2 | 29 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ready | g | $7-14$ | $3-5$ | $0-0$ | 4 | 2 | 17 |
| 9 | 23 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sword | g | $5-10$ | $1-3$ | $3-5$ | 10 | 2 | 14 |
| 4 | 31 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Houston | $1-3$ | $0-0$ | $3-4$ | 5 | 1 | 5 | 1 |
| 14 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Zuppardo | $5-6$ | $1-2$ | $1-1$ | 10 | 4 | 12 | 2 |
| 25 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Holmes | $0-1$ | $0-1$ | $0-0$ | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| W'spoon | $5-11$ | $3-5$ | $2-3$ | 1 | 2 | 15 | 6 |
| 19 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Patterson | $0-0$ | $0-0$ | $0-0$ | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

TOTALS 37-69 10-25 11-16 $51 \quad 23 \quad 9526200$
Halftime: MSU 47, FVSU 27. FG\%: MSU 53.6\%, FVSU 35.0. 3FG\%: MSU 40.0\%, FVSU 18.8\%. FT\%: MSU 68.8\%, FVSU 45.8\%. Turnovers: MSU 17 (Sword 4), FVSU 18 (Franklin 4). Blocked Shots: MSU 2 (Thomas), FVSU 1 (Fluellen). Steals: MSU 11 (Ready 4), FVSU 6 (Franklin 2). Officials: Tony Greene, Marc Ellard, Todd Austin. Attendance: 3,300.

## Game 3 - Nov. 19, 2015

Mississippi State
Miami
Roberto Clemente Coliseum • Puerto Rico

| Game 1 - Nov. 13, 2015 |  |
| :--- | ---: |
| Mississippi State | 106 |
| Eastern Washington | 88 |

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| Eastern Washington |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
| Bliznyuk | f 7-14 | 1-2 | 6-7 | 2 | 4 | 21 | 1 | 30 |
| Von Hofe | f 7-13 | 5-10 | 2-3 | 2 | 1 | 21 | 0 | 37 |
| Jois | f 5-7 | 0-0 | 2-5 | 7 | 3 | 12 | 0 | 30 |
| Washington | g 5-7 | 0-1 | 1-2 | 2 | 4 | 11 | 1 | 22 |
| McBroom | g 6-15 | 0-4 | 3-3 | 2 | 0 | 15 | 5 | 36 |
| Gibson | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 17 |
| Henderson | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Ferris | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2-2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Benzel | 0-1 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Nuno | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 5 |
| Reid | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 7 |
| Hunt | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 8 |
| TOTALS | 33-65 | 6-22 | 16-22 | 25 | 20 | 88 | 9 | 200 |
| Mississippi State |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
| Ware f | 11-14 | 0-0 | 4-7 | 13 | 2 | 26 | 0 | 30 |
| Daniels | 7-9 | 1-3 | 1-1 | 0 | 2 | 16 | 1 | 21 |
| Thomas g | 3-6 | 0-2 | 4-4 | 5 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 35 |
| Ready g | 8-16 | 1-5 | 8-9 | 2 | 2 | 25 | 6 | 35 |
| Sword g | 3-8 | 1-4 | 2-3 | 4 | 3 | 9 | 3 | 25 |
| Houston | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 6 |
| Zuppardo | 3-3 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 8 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 15 |
| Holmes | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | , |
| W'spoon | 5-8 | 2-3 | 0-0 | 2 | 4 | 12 | 1 | 23 |
| Patterson | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Ndoye | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 7 |
| Jobe | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

TOTALS $\quad 41-66$ 5-17 19-24 402110613200
Halftime: EWU 51, MSU 48. FG\%: MSU 62.1\%, EWU 50.8. 3FG\%: MSU 29.4\%, EWU 27.3\%. FT\%: MSU $79.2 \%$, EWU 72.7\%. Turnovers: MSU 13 (Ready 5), EWU 11 (Jois 3). Blocked Shots: MSU 7 (Ware 3), EWU 0. Steals: MSU 4 (Sword 2), EWU 8 (Bliznyuk 3). Officials: Pat Adams, Antinio Petty, Brent Hampton. Attendance: 9,931.

## Game 4 — Nov. 20, 2015 <br> Mississippi State Texas Tech/Utah <br> Roberto Clemente Coliseum • Puerto Rico

| Game 2 - Nov. 16, 2015 |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Southern | 76 |
| Mississippi State | 72 |

Humphrey Coliseum • Starkville, MS
Southern

| Player |  | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A Min |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Sam | f | $4-6$ | $0-0$ | $2-4$ | 8 | 3 | 10 | 2 |
| 30 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Allen | f | $3-3$ | $0-0$ | $0-0$ | 2 | 5 | 6 | 0 |
| 9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Hyder | g | $1-7$ | $0-0$ | $1-2$ | 4 | 1 | 3 | 4 |
| 36 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Rodgers | g | $6-15$ | $4-6$ | $0-2$ | 5 | 1 | 16 | 0 |
| Banks | g | $5-14$ | $1-5$ | $7-10$ | 2 | 5 | 18 | 4 |
|  | 35 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Thomas | $3-5$ | $0-0$ | $0-0$ | 2 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 15 |
| Prudhomme | $3-7$ | $1-3$ | $2-2$ | 3 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 25 |
| Nunn | $4-5$ | $0-0$ | $0-0$ | 4 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 15 |
| TOTALS | $\mathbf{2 9 - 6 2}$ | $\mathbf{6 - 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 2 - 2 0}$ | $\mathbf{3 4}$ | $\mathbf{2 0}$ | $\mathbf{7 6}$ | $\mathbf{1 0}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 0}$ |

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A Min |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Ware | f | $5-9$ | $0-0$ | $3-4$ | 4 | 5 | 13 | 0 |
| 29 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Daniels | f | $3-3$ | $3-3$ | $0-0$ | 10 | 2 | 9 | 1 |
| 33 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Thomas | g | $3-6$ | $3-6$ | $0-0$ | 7 | 1 | 9 | 1 |

TOTALS $\quad 23-60$ 11-31 15-23 $4419 \quad 7212200$
Halftime: SU 45, MSU 40. FG\%: MSU 38.3\%, SU 46.8. 3FG\%: MSU $35.5 \%$, SU $42.9 \%$. FT\%: MSU $65.2 \%$, SU 60.0\%. Turnovers: MSU 19 (Sword 7), SU 8 (Hyder, Prudhomme 2). Blocked Shots: MSU 2 (Sword, Zuppardo), SU 7 (Nunn 5). Steals: MSU 4 (Ware, Thomas, Ready, Weatherspoon), SU 10 (Prudhomme 4). Officials: Olandis Poole, Joe DeRosa, John Hampton. Attendance: 5,895.

## Game 5 - Nov. 22, 2015

Mississippi State
TBA
Roberto Clemente Coliseum • Puerto Rico

## 2015-16 MISSISSIPPI STATE PLAYER BREAKDOWN



| RECORD: | OVERALL | HOME | AWAY | NEUTRAL |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ALL GAMES | $1-1$ | $1-1$ | $0-0$ | $0-0$ |
| CONFERENCE | $0-0$ | $0-0$ | $0-0$ | $0-0$ |
| NON-CONFERENCE | $1-1$ | $1-1$ | $0-0$ | $0-0$ |


|  |  | Total |  |  |  |  | 3-Point |  | F-Throw |  | Rebounds |  |  |  | pf dq |  | a | to | blk | stl | pts | avg |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \# | Player | gp-gs | min |  | fg-fga | fg\% | $3 \mathrm{fg}-\mathrm{fg} \mathrm{a}$ | 3fg\% | ft -fta | ft\% | off | def | tot | avg |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 01 | Fred Thomas | 2-2 |  | 33.5 | 6-12 | . 500 | 3-8 | . 375 | 4-4 | 1.000 | 2 | 10 | 12 | 6.0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 19 | 9.5 |
| 02 | Demetrius Houston | 1-0 | 6 | 6.0 | 1-1 | 1.000 | 0-0 | . 000 | 0-0 | . 000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2.0 |
| 04 | Johnny Zuppardo | 2-0 |  |  | 5-9 | . 556 | 1-3 | . 333 | 1-2 | . 500 | 5 | 8 | 13 | 6.5 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 12 | 6.0 |
| 10 | Carter Holmes | 1-0 | 1 | 1.0 | 0-0 | . 000 | 0-0 | . 000 | 0-0 | . 000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 11 | Q. Weatherspoon | 2-0 |  |  | 6-12 | . 500 | 2-4 | . 500 | 2-3 | . 667 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 2.5 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 16 | 8.0 |
| 14 | Malik Newman | 1-0 | 17 |  | 2-8 | . 250 | 1-5 | . 200 | 1-6 | . 167 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2.0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 6.0 |
| 15 | I.J. Ready | 2-2 | 67 |  | 11-29 | . 379 | 2-10 | . 200 | 10-11 | . 909 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 2.5 | 2 | 0 | 11 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 34 | 17.0 |
| 20 | Gavin Ware | 2-2 | 59 | 29.5 | 16-23 | . 696 | 0-0 | . 000 | 7-11 | . 636 | 9 | 8 | 17 | 8.5 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 39 | 19.5 |
| 21 | Reggie Patterson | 1-0 | 1 | 1.0 | 0-0 | . 000 | 0-0 | . 000 | 0-0 | . 000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 22 | Fallou Ndoye | 2-0 | 14 | 7.0 | 0-0 | . 000 | 0-0 | . 000 | 0-0 | . 000 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 2.0 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 23 | Travis Daniels | 2-2 | 54 |  | 10-12 | . 833 | 4-6 | . 667 | 1-1 | 1.000 | 4 | 6 | 10 | 5.0 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 25 | 12.5 |
| 24 | Jett Jobe | 1-0 |  |  | 0-1 | . 000 | 0-0 | . 000 | 0-0 | . 000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 32 | Craig Sword | 2-2 |  |  | 7-19 | . 368 | 3-12 | . 250 | 8-9 | . 889 | 2 | 5 | 7 | 3.5 | 8 | 1 | 5 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 25 | 12.5 |
|  | Team |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5 | 4 | 9 |  |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |
|  | Total.......... | 2 | 400 |  | 64-126 | . 508 | 16-48 | . 333 | 34-47 | . 723 | 29 | 55 | 84 | 42.0 | 40 | 2 | 26 | 32 | 9 | 8 | 178 | 89.0 |
|  | Opponents... | 2 | 400 |  | 62-127 | . 488 | 12-36 | . 333 | 28-42 | . 667 | 18 | 41 | 59 | 29.5 | 40 | - | 19 | 19 | 7 | 18 |  | 82.0 |


| TEAM STATISTICS | MS | OPP |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| SCORING | 178 | 164 |
| Points per game | 89.0 | 82.0 |
| Scoring margin | +7.0 | - |
| FIELD GOALS-ATT | $64-126$ | $62-127$ |
| Field goal pct | .508 | .488 |
| 3 POINT FG-ATT | $16-48$ | $12-36$ |
| 3-point FG pct | .333 | .333 |
| 3-pt FG made per game | 8.0 | 6.0 |
| FREE THROWS-ATT | $34-47$ | $28-42$ |
| Free throw pct | .723 | .667 |
| F-Throws made per game | 17.0 | 14.0 |
| REBOUNDS | 84 | 59 |
| Rebounds per game | 42.0 | 29.5 |
| Rebounding margin | +12.5 | - |
| ASSISTS | 26 | 19 |
| Assists per game | 13.0 | 9.5 |
| TURNOVERS | 32 | 19 |
| Turnovers per game | 16.0 | 9.5 |
| Turnover margin | -6.5 | - |
| Assist/turnover ratio | 0.8 | 1.0 |
| STEALS | 8 | 18 |
| Steals per game | 4.0 | 9.0 |
| BLOCKS | 9 | 7 |
| Blocks per game | 4.5 | 3.5 |
| ATTENDANCE | 15826 | 0 |
| Home games-Avg/Game | $2-7913$ | $0-0$ |
| Neutral site-Avg/Game | - | $0-0$ |


| Score by Periods | 1st | 2nd | Totals |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Mississippi State | 88 | 90 | 178 |
| Opponents | 96 | 68 | 164 |

Mississippi State Basketball
Mississippi State Game-by-Game Highs (as of Nov 16, 2015)
All games

| Opponent | Date | Score | Points | Rebounds | Assists | Steals |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| EASTERN WASHINGTON | $11-13-15$ | $106-88$ | 26-Gavin Ware | 13-Gavin Ware | 6-I.J. Ready | 2-Craig Sword |
| SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY | $11-16-15$ | $72-76$ | 16-Craig Sword | 10-Travis Daniels | 5-I.J. Ready | 1-Q. Weatherspoon shots |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1-Johnny Zuppardo |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | Gavin Ware | Craig Sword |
|  |  |  |  | Fred Thomas |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Mississippi State Basketball
Mississippi State Team Game-by-Game Comparison (as of Nov 16, 2015)

## All games

| Opponent | 1st | 2nd | Score | Mar | Total FG | FG Pct | 3-Pointers | 3FG Pct | Free Throws | FT Pct | Rebo | unds | Assist | T/Over | Block | Steal | Fouls |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| EASTERN WASHINGTON | 48/51 | 58/37 | 106-88 | +18 | 41-66/33-65 | .621/.508 | 5-17/6-22 | .294/.273 | 19-24/16-22 | .7921.727 | 40/25 | +15 | 14/9 | 13/11 | 710 | 4/8 | 21/20 |
| SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY | 40/45 | 32/31 | 72-76 | (4) | 23-60/29-62 | . $383 / .468$ | 11-31/6-14 | . 3551.429 | 15-23/12-20 | . 6521.600 | 44/34 | +10 | 12/10 | 19/8 | $2 / 7$ | 4/10 | 19/20 |

Note: Game totals are displayed in the format TEAM/OPPONENT for each category


[^0]:    Lowest First Half: 40, Southern
    Highest First Half: 48, Eastern Washington
    Lowest 2nd Half: 32, Southern
    Highest 2nd Half: 58, Eastern Washington

