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2011-12 SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	TV TI	ME/SCORE
11/03	Florida Southern (ex	hibition)	7:30 p.m.
11/11	Tennessee Tech		7 p.m.
11/15	Rutgers	ESPN3	7 p.m.
11/19	North Florida		7 p.m.
11/22	Florida Gulf Coast	RSN	7 p.m.
11/25	at Ole Miss	FSN	4 p.m.
11/29	at Purdue!	ESPN2	9 p.m.
12/03	Massachusetts	ESPNU	1 p.m.
12/06	Memphis	ESPN2	9 p.m.
12/10	at West Virginia	ESPN2	7 p.m.
Orange	Bowl Classic		
12/17	vs. Florida Atlantic +	FSN	12 p.m.
12/22	at Charlotte		TBA
12/30	Appalachian State		7 p.m.
01/02	UNC Greensboro	RSN	9 p.m.
01/07	at Virginia *	ESPNU	6 p.m.
01/10	at North Carolina *	Raycom/ESPN3	9 p.m.
01/18	Clemson *	RSN/ESPN3	7 p.m.
01/22	NC State *	ACCN/ESPN3	12 p.m.
01/24	at Georgia Tech *	ESPNU	9 p.m.
01/29	at Boston College *	Raycom/ESPN3	1 p.m.
02/01	Maryland *	Raycom/ESPN	3 8 p.m.
02/05	at Duke *	ESPNU	3 p.m.
02/09	Virginia Tech	TBA/ESPN3	9 p.m.
02/11	at Florida State *	Raycom/ESPN3	1 p.m.
02/15	North Carolina	TBA/ESPN3	7 p.m.
02/18	Wake Forest *	RSN	1 p.m.
02/21	at Maryland *	Raycom/ESPN3	8 p.m.
02/26	Florida State *	ESPNU	6 p.m.
02/29	at NC State *	RSN/ESPN3	9 p.m.
03/03	Boston College	Raycom/ESPN3	2:30 p.m.
NOTES:			

All home games are played at the BankUnited Center

Game times are subject to change

* ACC game

+MetroPCS Orange Bowl Basketball Classic, Sunrise, Fla.

! Big Ten/ACC Challenge

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COACH JIM LARRANAGA ERA BEGINS AT UM



MIAMI HURRICANES

RETURNING LEADERS

Scoring per Game
Malcolm Grant, 14.8
Durand Scott, 13.6
Rebounds per Game
Reggie Johnson, 9.6
Assists per Game
Malcolm Grant, 3.2

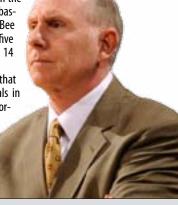
NEWCOMERS

Trey McKinney Jones, Jr., G Kenny Kadji, Jr., F Bishop Daniels, Fr., G Shane Larkin, Fr. G

HEAD COACH

Jim Larranaga Overall: 470-344 (28th) Division I: 443-308 (26th) At UM: 0-0 (1st) A new era began at the University of Miami with the hiring of Jim Larranaga as the head coach of the basketball program on April 22, 2011. The 2006 Clair Bee Coach of the Year, Larranaga comes to UM with five NCAA Tournament and three NIT appearances in 14 years at George Mason.

Miami returns 11 players from its 12-man roster that went 21-15 and advanced to the NIT quarterfinals in 2011. The Hurricanes return 80 percent of their scoring, including 90 percent of their free throws and 67 percent of their three-pointers, 89 percent of their assists, 69 percent of their blocked shots, 85 percent of their steals and 79 percent of their rebounding.



2010-11 SEASON WRAP

Record: 21-15 | Home: 13-4 | Away: 4-9 | Neutral: 4-2

Conference: 6-10 | Home: 4-4 | Away: 2-6

Conference Finish: 9th

Non-conference: 15-5 | Home: 9-0 | Away: 2-3 | Neutral: 4-2

ACC Championship: 1-1 | W, 69-62 (ot) vs. Virginia | L, 61-59 vs. UNC **NIT:** 2-1 | W, 85-62 vs. FAU | W, 81-72 vs. Missouri State | L, 79-64 at Alabama

THE **RETURNERS**

Three statistical leaders return for the Hurricanes, led by **Malcolm Grant** and **Durand Scott**. **Reggie Johnson** will return to the court for ACC play after injuring his knee in the offseason.

Last season **Grant** recorded an ACC-high 2.6 three-pointers per game at a league-best 42.3 percent (19th in the nation), while converting an ACC-best 85.3 percent from the charity stripe.

As a sophomore, **Scott** averaged 13.6 points (12th in the ACC), 4.2 rebounds and 3.1 assists per game, shooting 44.5 percent from the field, 39.1 percent from beyond the arc and 83.7 percent (third in the ACC) from the charity stripe.

Johnson, who earned 2011 All-ACC Honorable Mention accolades, tested the NBA waters but returned to UM after averaging 11.9 points (20th in ACC), a team-high 9.6 rebounds (fourth in ACC) and a team-best 1.3 blocks per game as a sophomore.

THE **NEWCOMERS**

Four playmakers have been added to the 2011-12 roster, a pair of junior transfers and a duo of freshmen guards. **Kenny Kadji** played in 42 games at the University of Florida before transferring to UM last fall. **Trey McKinney Jones** transferred from UMKC where he averaged 10.9 points and shooting a team-best 47.6 percent in his sophomore season. **Bishop Daniels** is a sharpshooter with tremendous jumping ability who came to Miami from Raleigh's Word of God Christian Academy and **Shane Larkin** led Orlando's Dr. Phillips High to a 27-6 record his senior season by averaging 18.8 points, 6.3 assists and 3.5 steals per game.

THE COACH

Miami: Head coach Jim Larranaga is entering his 28th season as a head coach and first at Miami. He has posted a 470-344 overall record and is currently No. 17 on the list of winningest active Division I head coaches with a 443-308 record in DI games. Coach L was the head coach of DII American International two years.



HEAD COACH JIM LARRANAGA

First Season | Providence, 197

Hometown: Bronx, N.Y. | Head Coach: American International, 1977-79 | Bowling Green, 1986-97 | George Mason, 1997-2011 | Miami, 2011-present

LARRANAGA'S CAREER

Head Coach

2011-pres. University of Miami
1997-2011 George Mason University
1986-97 Bowling Green State University
1977-79 American International College

Assistant

1979-86 University of Virginia1971-76 Davidson College

Player / Coach

1977 Geronemo Basketball Club (Belgium)

EDUCATION

Providence College, 1971 B.A. Economics Archbishop Malloy High School, 1967

NCAA APPEARANCES

2011 - George Mason

2008 - George Mason

2006 - George Mason (Final Four)

2001 - George Mason

1999 - George Mason

NIT APPEARANCES

2009 - George Mason

2004 - George Mason

2002 - George Mason

1997 - Bowling Green

1991 - Bowling Green

1990 - Bowling Green

PLAYING CAREER

Geronemo Basketball Club (Belgium) 1976-77 Providence College, 1967-71 Archbishop Molloy, 1963-67

MISCELLANEOUS

Clair Bee Coach of the Year, 2006 CAA Coach of the Year, 2011 CAA Coach of the Year, 1999

PERSONAL

Hometown: Bronx, N.Y. Born: Oct. 2, 1949 Wife: Liz Sons: Jay and Jon

COACH LARRANAGA ON TWITTER

Follow Coach Larranaga @CanesCoachL on Twitter as he provides news from inside the program walls, insights on his life away from the court and regular updates about his appearances at camps with Dwyane Wade, Erik Spoelstra and many others.

Jim Larranaga was named the 12th head coach of the University of Miami men's basketball program on April 22, 2011.

Larranaga comes to Miami after serving as the head coach at George Mason for 14 seasons. He guided the program to five NCAA Tournament appearances (2011, 2008, 2006, 2001, 1999) — including an unprecedented run to the 2006 Final Four that captured

the nation's attention, defeating Michigan State, North Carolina, Wichita State and Connecticut along the way. Following that run, he was selected the 2006 Clair Bee Coach of the Year.

Larranaga built the Patriots' program into a perennial contender in the highly-regarded Colonial Athletic Association, winning more games than any other coach in program and conference history (273) en route to three conference titles (2008, 2001, 1999).

A two-time CAA Coach of the Year honoree, Larranaga earned the accolade in 2011, leading the Patriots to a 27-7 overall record and 16-2 conference mark en route to the CAA regular-season title and their fifth NCAA Tournament appearance under his leadership. Seeded a program-best eighth in the NCAA Tournament, George Mason rallied from a double-digit deficit to defeat ninth-seeded Villanova, 61-57, before falling to overall No. 1 seed Ohio State in the third round.

Larranaga's teams are known for their offensive efficiency and a frenetic defense dubbed the "Scramble." Last season, his Patriots — who were ranked 24th in the final RPI — finished the season 11th in the nation in three-point field goal percentage (39.5), 18th in scoring margin (10.3), 22nd in turnovers (11.1), 26th in assist-to-turnover ratio (1.28) and 37th in scoring defense (62.5). During its 16-game win streak — which catapulted Mason to No. 25 in the ESPN/USA Today Coaches Poll on Feb. 28 — all but four victories came by a double-digit margin. That streak included the 71-51 win at VCU on Feb. 15, with Mason holding the Rams to a season-low offensive output.

He became Mason's all-time leader in men's basketball victories with his 131st win on January 22, 2005, with a 77-58 decision at James Madison. He became the CAA's all-time leader in wins on February 4, 2006, when the Patriots defeated UNC Wilmington. His Mason teams went 182-89 in CAA play.

In 2006, Larranaga became the first coach at a mid-major

school to take his team to the Final Four in 27 years and earned an at-large berth for a CAA team for the first time in 20 years. Along the way, he led Mason to a school record in wins, the school's first-ever national ranking, George Mason's first-ever appearance in the Top 10 and the school's first wins over Top 10 teams.

The Patriots finished the year with a 27-8 record and a No. 8 ranking in the final USA Today/ ESPN Coaches Poll. Earlier that season, Mason cracked the polls at No. 25, but NCAA tournament wins over Michigan State, No. 10 North Carolina, Wichita State and No. 2 Connecticut vaulted Mason up the poll, into the national conscience and made Larranaga a household name.

The remarkable run at George Mason began just two years into Larranaga's tenure. After going 9-18 in his first year with the Patriots in 1997-98, Larranaga guided the 1999 Patriots'

WINNINGEST ACTIVE DIVISION I HEAD COACHES

	Name	Wins
1.	Mike Krzyzewski	900-284
2.	Jim Boeheim	856-301
3.	Jim Calhoun	855-367
4.	Roy Williams	643-163
5.	Bob Huggins	620-227
6.	Cliff Ellis	614-384
7.	Mike Montgomery	611-281
8.	Rick Pitino	597-220
9.	Bobby Cremins	567-367
10.	Stew Morrill	542-241
11.	Rick Barnes	524-257
12.	Rick Majerus	491-208
13.	Lon Kruger	479-304
14.	John Calipari	467-150
15.	Tubby Smith	467-198
16.	Bill Self	444-151
17.	Jim Larranaga	443-308

LARRANAGA'S CAREER RECORDS

School	Years	Overall	Conference
American Internation	onal1977-1979	27-26	none
Bowling Green	1986-1997	170-144	101-85
George Mason	1997-2011	273-164	165-79
Miami	2011-pres.		
Overall		470-334	266-164

COACH JIM LARRANAGA AT A GLANCE

2006 Clair Bee Coach of the Year 2001 CAA Coach of the Year 1999 CAA Coach of the Year 1997 MAC Coach of the Year Six 20-win seasons Five NCAA Tournament appearances 2011, 2008, 2006, 2001, 1999 Six postseason NIT appearances 2009, 2004, 2002, 1997, 1991, 1990

28 All-Colonial Athletic Conference selections

Coached George Evans, who was a three-time CAA Player of the Year, the CAA Rookie of the Year, a three-time CAA Defensive Player of the Year and on the CAA All-Defensive Team three times.

Two AP All-America (honorable mention) players

Nine CAA All-Defensive Team selections

Eight CAA All-Rookie Team selections

Three Dean Ehlers Award winners - given to the CAA player who best meets the criteria of academic achievement, leadership and community service.

12 All-MAC Conference selections

Coached Antonio Daniels - MAC Player of the Year and MAC Freshman of the Year

Two MAC Freshman of the Year selections Four MAC All-Freshman Team selections

Victory	Date	Opponent	Score	School
50	02/10/88	Miami (Ohio)	65-59	Bowling Greer
100	02/23/91	Kent State	84-57	Bowling Greer
150	12/22/94	at Ohio State	59-50	Bowling Greer
200	12/27/97	Northeastern	66-60	George Mason
250	12/20/00	Coastal Carolina	81-65	George Mason
300	12/02/03	East Carolina	76-65	George Mason
350	01/26/06	William & Mary	81-58	George Mason
400	02/27/08	William & Mary	68-59	George Mason
450	12/08/10	Loyola (Md.)	66-52	George Masor

squad to a 19-11 overall record and a 13-3 CAA mark. That season, he earned his first Coach of the Year accolades in the CAA and NABC District 4 after making a 10-game improvement and leading the program to its first-ever conference regular season championship, its second CAA Tournament title and first NCAA Tournament appearance since 1989.

The Patriots followed that with another 19-11 overall mark in 1999-2000, tying for first place in the CAA at 12-4 and earning the top seed in the conference tournament. In 2000-01, the Patriots finished 18-12 overall and 11-5 in the CAA, good for a tie for second place, and they won the CAA Tournament title and advanced to the NCAA Tournament for the second time in three years. The Patriots produced another solid campaign with a 19-10 overall record (13-5 in the CAA) and a NIT berth in 2001-02. Mason's 2002-03 roster was hampered by injuries, but managed to pull together a 16-12 record (11-7 in the CAA), and a fourth-place CAA finish.

In 2003-04, Larranaga led the Patriots to a 7-2 non-conference record and to a school-record 23-win season, as Mason finished 23-10 on the year, its first 20-or-more win campaign in 14 years. Gaining an NIT berth (the Patriots fourth postseason appearance in six years), Larranaga led Mason to two consecutive postseason

victories for the first time in school history, and in the process, earned his first postseason.

Under Larranaga, the Patriots won three CAA titles, including the 2008 championship when Mason went 23-11. The Patriots have appeared in the postseason each of the past four seasons for the first time in Mason history, advancing to the NCAA Tournament in 2008, the NIT in 2009, the CollegeInsider.com Postseason Tournament in 2010 and back to the NCAA Tournament in 2011.

With 28 years of head coaching experience, the native of Bronx, N.Y., previously served as the head coach at Bowling Green for 11 seasons (1986-1997) and at Division II American International for two seasons (1977-79).

At Bowling Green, he made an immediate impact in his first season. In 1986-87, the Falcons were the nation's most improved team under a first-year head coach that took over a program with a losing record, posting a 15-14 record for an eight-game improvement over the previous season. Larranaga went on to record a 170-144 mark in 11 years at Bowling Green, earning the 1997 Mid-American Conference Coach of the Year honors after leading Bowling Green to a 22-10 record, a conference regular season co-championship and a berth in the National Invitation Tournament. The 22 victories were the most by a Bowling Green team in 47 years and the 13 conference wins were the second-highest total in Falcon history.

Larranaga's 170 victories at Bowling Green ranked second all-time on the Falcons' coaching list and he was only the second coach to record consecutive postseason appearances. Larranaga led his squad to NIT berths in 1990 (18-11) and again in 1991 (17-13), the first time the Falcons enjoyed back-to-back postseason appearances since the early '60s. Bowling Green won better than 61 percent of its games in Larranaga's last four years, recording a 70-44 mark during that stretch. The Falcons finished fourth or better in the MAC in five of Larranaga's 11 seasons and he is among the winningest coaches in MAC history.

Larranaga received his first head coaching position in 1977 when he was named to the post at American International, a Division II program in Springfield, Mass. Taking over a team that had suffered through five consecutive losing seasons prior to his arrival, Larranaga turned AIC into a winning program in his first year and compiled a 28-25 mark in two seasons.

A 1971 graduate of Providence College with a degree in economics, Larranaga was a four-year letterman for the Friars. As the team captain in his senior season, he led Providence to a 20-8 record and an NIT appearance. He graduated as the school's fifth all-time leading scorer with 1,258 points and was selected in the sixth round of the draft by the Detroit Pistons of the National Basketball Association. He was the team's top scorer as a sophomore and junior and was named New England's Division I Sophomore of the Year in 1969. He was inducted into the Providence College Hall of Fame in 1991.

His first coaching opportunity came at Davidson College, where he served as an assistant coach to Terry Holland. Davidson captured three Southern Conference regular-season championships and an NIT berth in his five years there, and he compiled a 47-12 record doubling as the freshman team coach. In 1976, he left Davidson and spent one season as player-coach for the Geronemo Basketball Club in Belgium.

After his two-year stint at American International, Larranaga was reunited with Holland at the University of Virginia in April 1979. An assistant coach under Holland for seven seasons from 1979-86, he helped the Cavaliers reach the NCAA Final Four on two occasions (1981, 1984), finish in the top five of the AP and UPI polls and average more than 24 victories per season. The Cavaliers were 169-62, won three regular-season Atlantic Coast Conference championships and made four NCAA Tournament appearances. Virginia also made a pair of NIT appearances, winning the NIT Championship in 1980. Larranaga was on the staff during the careers of three-time National Player of the Year Ralph Sampson and NBA first-round draft choice Olden Polynice.

Larranaga, 62, and his wife, Liz, have two sons — Jay, who played for his father at Bowling Green and is the head coach of the NBDL's Erie Bayhawks, and Jon, who was a member of his father's George Mason teams from 1999-2003 — and four grandchildren.

		Overall	Confe	rence	Post-
Year	School	W-L	W-L	Finish	Season
1977-78	American International	14-13			
1978-79	American International	13-13			
1986-87	Bowling Green	15-14	10-6	3	
1987-88	Bowling Green	12-16	7-9	t-5	
1988-89	Bowling Green	13-15	6-10	t-6	
1989-90	Bowling Green	18-11	9-7	t-3	NIT 0-1
1990-91	Bowling Green	17-13	9-7	t-4	NIT 0-1
1991-92	Bowling Green	14-15	8-8	5	
1992-93	Bowling Green	11-16	8-10	t-6	
1993-94	Bowling Green	18-10	12-6	t-2	
1994-95	Bowling Green	16-11	10-8	t-5	
1995-96	Bowling Green	14-13	9-9	t-6	
1996-97	Bowling Green	22-10	13-5	t-1	NIT 0-1
1997-98	George Mason	9-18	6-10	6	
1998-99	George Mason	19-11	13-3	1	NCAA 0-
1999-00	George Mason	19-11	12-4	t-1	
2000-01	George Mason	18-12	11-5	3	NCAA 0-
2001-02	George Mason	19-10	13-5	2	NIT 0-1
2002-03	George Mason	16-12	11-7	4	
2003-04	George Mason	23-10	12-6	3	NIT 2-1
2004-05	George Mason	16-13	10-8	6	
2005-06	George Mason	27-8	15-3	t-1	NCAA 4-
2006-07	George Mason	18-15	9-9	5	
2007-08	George Mason	23-11	12-6	2	NCAA 0-
2008-09	George Mason	22-11	13-5	2	NIT 0-1
2009-10	George Mason	17-15	12-6	4	CIT 0-1
2010-11	George Mason	27-7	16-2	1	NCAA 1-
2011-12	Miami				
	Overall	470-334	266-1	64	



Malcolm **GRANT**

Sr. | G | 6-1 | 188 Brooklyn, N.Y. Winchendon Academy (Mass.) Villanova

2011 All-ACC Third Team Led the ACC in 3-pt percentage, 3-pt made and FT percentage

Grant Career Highs

Points

26, vs. West Virginia 12/4/10

Rebounds

7, at Memphis 11/15/10

Assists

9, vs. McNeese State 11/24/10

Steals

4, vs. North Carolina 3/11/11 **Blocked Shots**

1 (3x), last at Memphis 11/15/10

Field Goals

9, at NC State 1/23/11 Field Goal Attempts

16 (2x), last vs. Virginia 3/10/11

Free Throws

13, vs. West Virginia 12/4/10

Free Throw Attempts

14, vs. West Virginia 12/4/10

3-Point Field Goals

6 (2x), last vs. Rice 12/22/10

3-Point Field Goal Attempts 11 (2x), last vs. Virginia 3/10/11

Foul Disqualifications

Minutes

40, vs. Virginia 3/10/11

Among Miami's 11 returners is leading scorer and All-ACC Third Team pick Malcolm Grant (14.8 ppg, 3.2 apg, 1.8 rpg). Of the 15 All-ACC picks in 2011, just five will return to the collegiate ranks in 2012, with Grant the only one not suiting up for the Tar Heels. Last season Grant hit an ACC-high 2.6 three pointers per game, at a league-high 42.3 percent (19th in the nation), while converting an ACC-best 85.3 percent from the charity stripe.

In his second season with Miami, Grant was among just two players to lead the ACC in as many as three different statistical categories — leading the league in three-point field goal percentage, three-point field goals made and free throw percentage. At the time this honor was received, Grant's three point percentage ranked 14th among all Division I players, while his free throw percentage was 30th. Starting all 36 games last season, the 6-1 Brooklyn, N.Y., native has posted a team-high 29 double-figure scoring efforts, with eight games of 20-plus points, including a career-high 26 points in a win over West Virginia. In that game, he hit 13-of-14 free throw attempts and went 3-of-6 from long range.

Grant hit two three-pointers in the NIT game against Alabama to extend his three-point streak to an ACC-long 23-straight games, the fifth-longest streak in Miami history. With 155 career threes in just two seasons as Hurricane, Grant is in 10th place all-time in program history in triples made, while his 94 three-pointers last season were tied for second-best in Miami history. His 222 attempts in a season were the third most tries from deep in a season for a Hurricane. Grant, who led the ACC in three-point field goal percentage, three-pointers per game and free throw percentage, hit a three in 33-of-36 games last season.

Grant and Durand Scott are the first teammates to notch consecutive 100-assists seasons since Thomas Hocker and Kevin Presto achieved the feat in both 1987-88 and 1988-89. In 2009-10, Grant and Scott became the first UM duo since 1992-93 to collect 100 assists in the same season and the fourth pair of teammates to do so in UM history.

CAREE	R STA	TIST	ICS			Total		:	3-Point		Fi	ree Thr	ows		Rebo	ounds								Scoring
Season	GP	GS	Min.	Avg.	FG	FGA	Pct.	FG	FGA	Pct.	FT	FTA	Pct.	Off.	Def.	Tot.	Avg.	PF	F0	Ast.	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts. Avg.
2009-10	33	8	813	24.6	99	252	.393	61	148	.412	59	78	.756	5	57	62	1.9	43	0	117	66	2	20	318 9.6
2010-11	36	36	1165	32.4	158	378	.418	94	222	.423	122	143	.853	12	53	65	1.8	49	0	115	92	1	31	532 14.8
TOTAL	69	44	1978	28.7	257	630	.408	155	370	.419	181	221	.819	17	110	127	1.8	92	0	232	158	3	51	850 12.3



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Durand SCOTT

Jr. | G | 6-5 | 202

New York, N.Y. Rice High

2010 ACC All-Rookie Team 2010 ACC All-Tournament First Team

Scott Career Highs

Points

29, at North Carolina 3/2/10

Rebounds

12, at UNCG 2/15/11

Assists

10, vs. NC Central 11/14/09

Steals

4, vs. Minnesota 12/02/09

Blocked Shots

2, at Pepperdine 1/3/10

Field Goals

11, at North Carolina 3/2/10

Field Goal Attempts

17, vs. Minnesota 12/2/09

Free Throws

12 (2x), last at Clemson 1/8/11

Free Throw Attempts

13 (2x), last at Clemson 1/8/11

3-Point Field Goals

4, vs. North Carolina 1/26/11

3-Point Field Goal Attempts 5 (3x), last vs. North Carolina 1/26/11

Foul Disqualifications

7v. last at Florida State 3

7x, last at Florida State 2/26/11 Minutes

38 (3x), last vs. Virginia 3/10/11

Miami also returns second-leading scorer Durand Scott, who had a breakout rookie season in 2010 followed by a solid 2011 campaign, showing major improvement in his shooting percentage from the charity stripe (.670 to .837) and from beyond the arc (.276 to .391) between his first two seasons.

As a sophomore, Scott was ranked among the ACC's leaders in scoring (12th), free throw percentage (3rd, 76th in the nation) and minutes played (6th). He carries a seven-game double-figure scoring streak into next season.

Scott registered 100 assists for the second-straight season, becoming the first Cane to do so since John Salmons in 2001-02. The New York native's 225 career assists rank 15th in program history.

In his second campaign with Miami, he averaged 13.6 points (12th in the ACC), 4.2 rebounds and 3.1 assists per game, shooting 44.5 percent from the field, 39.1 percent from beyond the arc and 83.7 percent (third in the ACC) from the charity stripe. Over three NIT games, his scoring leapt to a team-high 19.3 points per game, converting 50 percent from the field and 89 percent from the line, to go with 3.3 assists and 3.3 rebounds an outing.

He scored 10-plus points 29 times as a sophomore, with six performances of at least 20 points — including back-to-back 20-point games to open his second campaign as a Cane and a season-high 27 points in the win over Ole Miss.

Scott played in all 36 games, with 35 starts, the second most in program history, and his 1,182 minutes on the hardwood rank second-most in program history, just 14 minutes shy of the school record.

CAREER	R STA	TIST	ΓICS			Total			3-Point		Fi	ree Thr	ows		Rebo	ounds								Scoi	ing
Season	GP	GS	Min.	Avg.	FG	FGA	Pct.	FG	FGA	Pct.	FT	FTA	Pct.	Off.	Def.	Tot.	Avg.	PF	F0	Ast.	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts.	Avg.
2009-10	33	28	917	27.8	126	277	.455	16	58	.276	71	106	.670	29	102	131	4.0	69	2	113	73	6	41	339	10.3
2010-11	36	35	1182	32.8	162	364	.445	27	69	.391	139	166	.837	42	110	152	4.2	93	4	112	100	4	43	490	13.6
TOTAL	69	63	2099	30.4	288	641	.449	43	127	.339	210	272	.772	71	212	283	4.1	162	6	225	173	10	84	829	12.0



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Winston-Salem, N.C. Winston-Salem Prep

2011 All-ACC Honorable Mention 2010 ACC All-Tournament Second Team

Johnson Career Highs

Points

25, at Wake Forest 2/9/11

Rebounds

20, vs. FAU 3/16/11

Assists

3 (3x), last vs. Missouri State 3/21/11

Steals

2 (4x), last vs. Georgia Tech 2/3/11

Blocked Shots

5, at NC State 1/23/11

Field Goals

9 (3x), last at NC State 1/23/11

Field Goal Attempts

17, at NC State 1/23/11
Free Throws

9, at Wake Forest 2/9/11

Free Throw Attempts

12, at Wake Forest 2/9/11

3-Point Field Goals

3-Point Field Goal Attempts

Career:

Foul Disqualifications

5x, last at Florida State 2/26/11

Minutes

35, vs. Duke 2/13/11

Big man Reggie Johnson, who earned 2011 All-ACC Honorable Mention accolades, tested the NBA waters after averaging 11.9 points (20th in ACC), a team-high 9.6 rebounds (fourth in ACC) and a team-best 1.3 blocks per game as a sophomore, shooting 59.1 percent from the field, the third-highest single-season percentage in UM history.

Sophomore Reggie Johnson's 347 rebounds last season were the most since 1964-65, when Rick Barry pulled down a school-record 475 rebounds 46 years ago. Overall, it is the sixth highest total for a single season in UM history. His career-high 20 rebounds in the NIT-opening win over FAU was the most for a Hurricane since the return of Miami basketball in 1985-86 and for an ACC player last season.

"Big Reg" earned honorable mention accolades after emerging as one of the league's best big men with 13 double-doubles last season, fourth in the ACC and second most at UM since the return of the program in 1985-86. Hailing from ACC country, the 6-10, 300-pound Winston-Salem, N.C., native ranked third in the conference and 27th in the nation with 9.6 rebounds per game, while his 3.5 offensive boards per game was second in the league and his 6.1 defensive rebounds per game ranked fourth.

Johnson, who appeared in all 36 games last season with 34 starts, was among the league's most improved players in both scoring and rebounding, and had a pair of 20-point, 10-rebound games last season, including a 20-point, 14-rebound effort at NC State. He scored in double-figures 23 times last season, including a career-high 25 points on 8-of-10 shooting from the field and 9-of-12 shooting from the line in his homecoming at Wake Forest, while he grabbed a career-high 20 rebounds to go with 14 points in an NIT win over FAU. Johnson recorded 10-plus boards 15 times and led the team in rebounding in 32 games last season.

After losing more than 25 pounds in the offseason, he is expected to be back on the court in January after tearing the meniscus in his right knee during a pickup game in June of 2011.

CAREER	R STA	TIST	TICS			Total			3-Point		Fi	ree Thr	ows		Rebo	ounds								Scoring
Season	GP	GS	Min.	Avg.	FG	FGA	Pct.	FG	FGA	Pct.	FT	FTA	Pct.	Off.	Def.	Tot.	Avg.	PF	F0	Ast.	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts. Avg.
2009-10	32	6	434	13.6	60	115	.522	0	0	.000	84	107	.785	59	89	148	4.6	70	1	13	24	21	16	204 6.4
2010-11	36	34	935	26.0	165	279	.591	0	0	.000	100	150	.667	126	221	347	9.6	116	4	33	69	45	22	430 11.9
TOTAL	68	40	1369	20.1	225	394	.571	0	0	.000	184	257	.716	185	310	495	7.3	186	5	46	93	66	38	634 9.3



Entering the 2011-12 campaign, assistant coaches Michael Huger, Eric Konkol and Chris Caputo have aided Coach Larranaga for a combined 23 seasons.

Michael Huger

Michael Huger enters his first season at the University of Miami and his fifth season as an assistant coach for head coach Jim Larranaga assisting in all aspects of the program. He brings six seasons of collegiate coaching experience and nearly a dozen years of professional basketball experience to Coral Gables.

In four seasons at George Mason, Huger helped lead the Patriots to the postseason every year, including NCAA berths in 2008 and 2011. In 2011, the team defeated Villanova to advance to the third round of the NCAA Tournament, earned a regular-season CAA title and posted a school-record tying 27 wins. In 2009, he helped Mason to an NIT bid and its secondstraight 20-win season. In 2008, Huger helped the Patriots to their second-highest win total in school history as they beat nationally-ranked Kansas State and won the CAA title for the first time since 2001.

Huger began his coaching career at Longwood University (Va.) under Mike Gillian, a former Mason assistant coach under Larranaga, where he spent two seasons.

Before joining the coaching ranks, Huger played professional basketball in Europe, spending two years in Holland (1994-96) and nine in Belgium (1996-2005). He was selected Dutch League MVP in 1996 after averaging 25.3 points and 5.8 assists, and went on to earn First Team All-Belgium honors in 2000 and 2004 after leading his clubs to Belgium Cup championships in both seasons.

A native of New York City, Huger is a 1994 graduate of Bowling Green State University with a bachelor's degree in education. There he played for Larranaga from 1989-93, helping the Falcons to a pair of NIT appearances. He earned Mid-American Conference honors in his final two seasons, and was a Naismith Award nominee and the runner-up for conference player of the year as a senior. As a prep player, he helped lead Stevenson High School (Bronx) to back-to-back PSAL City Championships in 1988 and 1989.

Huger and his wife, Tonya, are expecting a child in the fall.

Eric Konkol

Eric Konkol enters his first season at the University of Miami and eighth as a member of head coach Jim Larranaga's staff. He assists in all aspects of the program including recruiting, practices, individual player workouts and game preparation.

Konkol previously worked with Larranaga at George Mason from 2002-03 through 2004-05 and 2007-08 through last season, helping to develop 12 All-CAA selections, five CAA All-Rookie honorees and 16 professional players. In the interim, he spent two years coaching at national power Hopkins High School in Minnesota under Ken Novak, Jr. - who was named 2011 ESPN RISE National Boy's Basketball Coach of the Year - and had a short stint on the coaching staff at North Dakota State.

He served as Mason's scouting director from 2002-05 and helped recruit the top non-BCS recruiting class in 2009 according to ESPN.com. Additionally, he monitored the academic progress of the men's basketball student-athletes, graduating 20-of-22 student-athletes who completed their eligibility - with two more students graduating in May 2011. In both 2009 and 2010, the program was recognized by the NCAA with an Academic Progress Rate in the nation's top 10 percent.

Konkol previously worked on Buzz Peterson's staff as a student assistant for NIT champion Tulsa in 2000-01 and as a graduate administrative assistant at Tennessee in 2001-02, earning a master's degree in sport management.

A native of Amherst, Wis., Konkol is a 2000 graduate of the University of Wisconsin at Eau Claire with a bachelor's degree in kinesiology, with an emphasis in exercise management. He played three seasons of basketball for the Division III program - advancing to the national championship game in 2000. He received the team's inspiration award after his junior and senior seasons with the Blugolds, and was an honorary captain as a senior.

He spent his first two years, including one redshirt season, at the University of Wisconsin at Platteville playing for current Wisconsin head coach Bo Ryan. A 1995 graduate of Amherst High School, he was a three-sport athlete (basketball, baseball and cross country) and closed his prep career as the school's all-time leading scorer with 1,871 points.

Konkol and his wife Meagan, have two sons, Ethan and Ryan.

Chris Caputo

Chris Caputo enters his first season with the Hurricanes and his 10th season on head coach Jim Larranaga's staff. Entering his seventh season as an assistant coach, his primary responsibilities include recruiting and scouting the opposition.

Caputo played a major role in George Mason's run to the Final Four in 2006, putting together scouting reports to prepare the Patriots as they played nationally-ranked teams and future NBA players in nearly every round.

He has also helped lead the Patriots to the postseason for a Mason-record four-straight seasons, including NCAA berths in 2008 and 2011. In 2011, the team defeated Villanova to advance to the third round of the NCAA Tournament, earned a regular-season CAA title and posted a school-record tying 27 wins. In 2009, he helped Mason to an NIT bid and its second-straight 20-win season. In 2008, Caputo helped the Patriots to their second-highest win total in school history as they beat nationally-ranked Kansas State and won the CAA title for the first time since 2001.

As an assistant at Mason, Hoopscoop.com named him one of the Top 25 non-BCS assistant coaches in the nation. In 2010, Caputo attended the Villa 7 Consortium, an educational symposium and networking opportunity for some of the nation's top assistants. In 2011 alone, 19 alum of Villa 7 have been hired as head coaches.

Prior to becoming an assistant coach, Caputo worked on Larranaga's staff as the video coordinator, coordinated the staff recruiting database and mailing system, as well as serving in other administrative capacities.

A native of Elmhurst, N.Y., Caputo is a 2002 graduate of Westfield (Mass.) State College with a degree in finance and economics. He was a four-year letterwinner as a point guard for the Division III Owls, and served as captain and earned the team's Outstanding Contributor Award as a senior. A 1998 graduate of Archbishop Molloy High School - Larranaga's alma mater, he too played for legendary head coach Jack Curran.

Caputo and his wife Julie married in May.

2011-12 ROSTER

# Name	Yr.	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown Previous School (s)
0 Shane Larkin	Fr.	G	5-11	160	Cincinnati, Ohio Dr. Phillips (Fla.)
Averaged 18.8 points, 6.4 rel	ounds, 6.3	assists ar	nd 3.5 steal	s per gan	ne as a HS senior Twice was 6A Player of the Year (Fla.) runner up.
1 Durand Scott	Jr.	G	6-5	202	New York, N.Y. Rice
Averaged 19.3 ppg, 3.3 apg &	& 3.3 rpg ov	er three N	VIT games,	convertin	ng 50 percent from the field and 89 percent from the line.
2 Bishop Daniels	Fr.	G	6-3	175	Raleigh, N.C. Word of God Christian Academy
Rated the No. 4 dunker in the	2011 class l	y Rivals	Sat out m	ost of pre	season due to turf toe As a senior, averaged 18 ppg, 5 rpg, 4 apg.
3 Malcolm Grant	Sr.	G	6-1	188	Brooklyn, N.Y. Winchendon Academy (Mass.) Villanova
Was ACC's 2010-11 leader in	3-pt FG per	centage,	FT percenta	age, and 3	3-pt FG per game All-ACC Third Team.
4 Trey McKinney Jones	R-Jr.	G	6-5	216	Milwaukee, Wis. South Milwaukee UMKC
Averaged 10.9 points and 3.8	3 rebounds	in 28.5 m	inutes per	game, sho	ooting a team-best 47.6 percent (110-231) from the field at UMKC.
5 DeQuan Jones	Sr.	G/F	6-8	221	Stone Mountain, Ga. Wheeler
Has played in 88 career game	es for UM	Average	d 4.5 points	s and 2.5	rebounds per game, converting 41.9 percent from the field last year.
10 Raphael Akpejiori	So.	F	6-10	230	Lagos, Nigeria Sunrise Christian Academy (Kan.)
Second-most active player or	n the glass,	pulling d	own 18.5 p	ercent of	rebounds when in the game 12 blocks were third on the team.
11 Ryan Quigtar	Sr.	G	5-11	180	Skyway, Wash. Renton
Saw limited action in five gar	mes last sea	ason Ha	as played ir	n 13 game	es in his three-year career , scoring eight total points.
12 Justin Heller	So.	G	6-2	185	Boca Raton, Fla. West Boca Raton Community
Walked onto the team last se	eason Pra	cticed, bu	ut did not s	ee any ga	me time Among top 30 three-point scorers in Palm Beach County.
15 Rion Brown	So.	G	6-6	194	Hinesville, Ga. Liberty County
Beakout game versus Maryla	ınd (3/2) re	gistering	career high	ns in point	ts (19), field goals made (6), three-pointers made (6) and assists (3).
21 Erik Swoope	So.	F	6-6	230	Lake Elsinore, Calif. Harvard-Westlake
Named to the 2011 ACC All-Ac	cademic Bas	ketball Te	am Mad	le nine sta	arts as a true freshman, including his 13-point outing vs. Pepperdine.
25 Garrius Adams	Jr.	G	6-6	200	Apex, N.C. Middle Creek
Averaged 7.3 points, 3.7 rebo	ounds, 1.8 a	issists and	d 1.0 steal i	n 28.2 mi	inutes per game Scored in double-figures 12 times.
35 Kenny Kadji	R-So.	F/C	6-11	251	Douala, Cameroon Pendleton IMG Academy Florida
Played in 42 games with Flor	rida over tw	o seasons	s, before hi	s 2009-10) season was cut short due to having surgery on his back.
42 Reggie Johnson	Jr.	C	6-10	284	Winston-Salem, N.C. Winston-Salem Prep
Will sit out until January afte	r surgery o	n his righ	t meniscus	in June	. 2011 All-ACC H.M 2010 ACC All-Tournament Second Team.
45 Julian Gamble	Sr.	F/C	6-10	265	Durham, N.C. Southern Durham
Will not play in the 2011-12	season due	to a torn	left ACL in	a pickup (game over the summer Averaged 4.0 points and 3.4 rebounds.

LARRANAGA BY THE NUMBERS

4 In 2006, Larranaga became the first coach at a mid-major school to take his team to the NCAA Final Four in 27 years.

5 Larranaga is no stranger to the ACC. In his seven seasons as an assistant coach at Virginia, the Cavaliers participated in the NCAA Final Four in 1981 and 1984, won three ACC Championships and finished in the top 5 of the AP rankings.

12 Larranaga has made 12 postseason appearances in the past 22 years, including five NCAA Tournaments.

17 With 443 Division I victories, Larranaga ranks No. 17 on the list of winningest active Division I head coaches.

27 Larranaga has 27 years of head coaching experience and has successfully transitioned two institutions into successful programs: Bowling Green and George Mason.

470 Larranaga's overall record is 470-344 in 28 years of being a head coach.

WHAT THEY ARE SAYING ABOUT COACH L

Miami hit a grand slam in getting Jim Larranaga from George Mason. He is a fierce competitor and has loads of contacts. Great hire!

Jim is going to bring a certain spark. He's got a personality. You'll see them playing exciting basketball and, more importantly, with Jim, they'll play winning basketball. You have to get people excited about basketball and, in Miami, they have not been excited about college basketball.

- Dick Vitale

Coach Larranaga is the real deal. He's a winner, an inspirational leader, and he cares deeply about his players and staff. We're delighted to welcome him and his wife as the newest members of the Miami Hurricane family.

-University of Miami President Donna E. Shalala

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You can also follow @CanesHoops for more insight on the Hurricanes basketball team. Through the Twitter feed, fans will gain a great way to see the personality of the program and follow the team.

PRONUNCIATIONS

Players 1 Durand

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10	Ethasor	A-tha-saur
	Akpejiori	AHK-peh-jour-ee
11	Quigtar	KWIG-tar
15	Rion	Ryan
25	Garrius	GARY-us
31	DeQuan	duh-KWAN
32	Swoope	Swope
35	Kadji	KAD-gee

Coaches

Larranaga	LARE-uh-NAY-guh
Huger	HUE-gur

CLASS BREAKDOWN

Seniors	Julian Gamble, Malcolm Grant
	DeQuan Jones, Ryan Quigtar
Juniors	Garrius Adams, Reggie Johnson
	Trey McKinney Jones, Durand Scott
Sophomo	res Raphael Akpejiori,
Rio	n Brown, Justin Heller, Kenny Kadji
Freshmer	Bishop Daniels, Shane Larkin

GEOGRAPHIC BREAKDOWN

CAMEROON
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vouaia	Kenny Kadji
NIGERIA	
Lagos	Raphael Akpejiori
UNITED STA	TES
California	Erik Swoope
Florida	Justin Heller
Georgia	Rion Brown, DeQuan Jones
New York	Malcolm Grant, Durand Scott
North Caroli	na Garrius Adams,
Julian Gamble	, Bishop Daniels, Reggie Johnson
<u>Ohio</u>	Shane Larkin
Washington	Ryan Quigtar
Wisconsin	Trey McKinney Jones

2010-11 ACC FINAL STANDINGS

ZUIU-II ACC	LINWE 314	CDNIIUNI
North Carolina	14-2	29-8
Duke	13-3	32-5
Florida State	11-5	23-11
Clemson	9-7	22-12
Boston College	9-7	21-13
Virginia Tech	9-7	22-12
Maryland	7-9	19-14
<u>Virginia</u>	7-9	16-15
Miami	6-10	21-15
NC State	5-11	15-16
Georgia Tech	5-11	13-18
Wake Forest	1-15	8-24

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2011-12 UM Quick Facts

Location	Coral Gables, Fla.	
Stadium	BankUnited Center	
Press Row	305-284-2111	
Capacity	7,200	
Enrollment	14,078	
Founded	1925	
Colors	Orange, Green, White	
Nickname	Hurricanes	
Mascot	Sebastian the Ibis	
Conference	Atlantic Coast	
President	Dr. Donna E. Shalala	
Director of Athletics	Shawn Eichorst	
Address	5821 San Amaro Drive	
	Coral Gables, Fla. 33146	

Head Coach	Jim Larranaga
Alma Mater	Providence, 1971
Record at UM	0-0 / First season
Overall Record	470-334 / 28th season
2010-11 Overall Record	21-15
2010-11 ACC Record	6-10
2010-11 ACC Finish	9th

STAFF

Eric Konkol (Wisconsin-Eau Claire, '00)
Michael Huger (Bowling Green, '94)
Chris Caputo (Westfield (Mass.) State, '02)
Director of Operations: Mike Summey
Assoc. Director of Operations: Jamie Vathielil
Athletic Trainer: Wes Brown
Strength and Conditioning Coach: Jim Krumpos

HISTORY

First Season of Basketball	1926
Overall All-Time Record	872-670
Year UM Joined ACC	2004-05
NCAA Appearances	Six
1960, 1998, 1999, 200	0, 2002, 2008
Last NCAA Appearance	L, 75-72
Second Round v	s. Texas, 2008
NIT Appearances	10
1961, 1963, 1964	1, 1995, 1997,
2001, 2005, 200	6, 2009, 2011
Last NIT Appearance	L, 79-64
Ouarterfinals vs. A	labama, 2011

KEY RETURNERS

<u>Name</u>	Pts./Reb.	GP/S	Pos.	Yr.
Scott	13.6/4.2	36/35	G	Jr.
Grant	14.8/3.2 apg	36/36	G	Sr.
Johnson*	11.9/9.6	36/34	(Jr.

*Due to injury Johnson will not play until January

The 2011-12 Team

The Hurricanes welcome head coach Jim Larranaga and his staff to guide Miami into its eighth season in the ACC. In 14 years at George Mason, Larranaga led the Patriots to five NCAA Tournament appearances (2011, 2008, 2006, 2001, 1999) — including the 2006 Final Four.

Miami returns 11 players from its 12-man roster that went 21-15 and advanced to the NIT quarterfinals in 2011. The Hurricanes have played games in the postseason in 12 of the past 17 years, five of which were in the NCAA Tournament.

The Hurricanes return 80 percent of their scoring, including 90 percent of their free throws, 67 percent of their three-pointers, 89 percent of their assists, 69 percent of their blocked shots, 85 percent of their steals and 79 percent of their rebounding.

Trio of Starters Return

Among Miami's 11 returners is leading scorer and All-ACC Third Team pick **Malcolm Grant** (14.8 ppg, 3.2 apg, 1.8 rpg), who posted an ACC-high 2.6 three-pointers per game at a league-high 42.3 percent (19th in the nation), while converting an ACC-best 85.3 percent from the charity stripe.

Big man **Reggie Johnson** earned 2011 All-ACC Honorable Mention accolades, averaged 11.9 points (20th in ACC), a team-high 9.6 rebounds (fourth in ACC) and a team-best 1.3 blocks per game as a sophomore, shooting 59.1 percent from the field — the third-highest single-season percentage in UM history. He is expected to be back on the court in January after tearing the meniscus in his right knee during a pickup game in June.

Miami also returns second-leading scorer **Durand Scott**, who averaged 13.6 points (12th in the ACC), 4.2 rebounds and 3.1 assists per game, shooting 44.5 percent from the field, 39.1 percent from beyond the arc and 83.7 percent (third in the ACC) from the charity stripe.

Other Returners

Junior **Garrius Adams** (7.3 ppg, 3.7 rpg) and sophomore **Rion Brown** (4.4 ppg, 2.0 rpg) will add experienced depth to the guard position for the Canes and senior **DeQuan Jones** (4.5 ppg, 2.5 rpg) brings three years of experience at both the guard and forward position

Senior forward **Julian Gamble** (4.0 ppg, 3.4 rpg) will sit out the entire season with a knee injury, so sophomore forward **Raphael Akpejiori** (6-10, 230lbs) will fill in a big body in the paint in the absence of the two returning big men (Johnson and Gamble).

The Newcomers

Four playmakers join the team for the 2011-12 season in **Kenny Kadji** (Florida), **Trey McKinney Jones** (UMKC), **Bishop Daniels** (Word of God) and **Shane Larkin** (Dr. Phillips). Kadji and McKinney Jones each attended UM last season, but had to sit out due to NCAA transfer rules.

Shane Larkin, a 5-11, 160-pound point guard from Orlando, rounds out the Hurricane newcomers. Larkin led Dr. Phillips High to a 27-6 record his senior season by averaging 18.8 points, 6.3 assists and 3.5 steals per game.

Kenny Kadji, a 6-10, 248-pound forward/center, played in 42 games at the University of Florida before transferring to UM in the summer of 2011. Coming out of high school he was the fifth-ranked center in the class of 2008 by both Rivals.com and Scout.com.

Trey McKinney Jones, a 6-5, 205-pound transfer from UMKC, played in 61 games for the Roos, averaging 10.9 points and shooting a

10 THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT CANES HOOPS

3 The Hurricanes have made a three-point basket in 311-straight games and have made at least one trey in 768 of 771 games since the NCAA adopted the three-point shot in 1986.

4 A Hurricane has led the ACC in threepoint field goal percentage in four of the last five seasons — Malcolm Grant in 2011 (.428), Adrian Thomas in 2010 (.421) and Jack McClinton in 2009 (.453, with an ACC-high 3.2 threes per game) and 2007 (.440, with an ACC-high 2.9 threes per game).

5 The Hurricanes have advanced to the postseason five times in seven seasons, with four NIT appearances and one NCAA appearance.

8 Miami is entering its eighth season in the ACC.

10 Miami trails only Duke with 10 All-ACC Academic Men's Basketball Team selections over the last six years.

11 The Hurricanes return 11 players from its 12-man roster that went 21-15 last season.

12 UM has played in the postseason 12 of the past 17 years, five of which were in the NCAA Tournament.

14 In 14 years at Mason, Larranaga led the Patriots to five NCAA Tournament appearances (2011, 2008, 2006, 2001, 1999) - including the 2006 Final Four.

22 The Hurricanes have won 22 consecutive non-conference games at the BankUnited Center and have defeated 37 of its last 40 non-conference opponents at home.

80 The Hurricanes return 80 percent of their scoring, including 67 percent of their three-pointers.

team-best 47.6 percent in his sophomore season. He also dished out 60 assists, the second-most on the team, in his second year.

Bishop Daniels, a 6-2, 175-pound point guard, is a sharpshooter with tremendous jumping ability who came to Miami from Raleigh's Word of God Christian Academy. Daniels was rated the No. 4 dunker in the 2011 class by Rivals.

Take Three for the Team

The Hurricanes have made a three-point basket in 311-straight games and have made at least one trey in 768 of 771 games since the NCAA adopted the three-point shot in 1986. The only three times Miami failed to hit a three-pointer was against Indiana on Dec. 15, 2001 (0-13), versus St. John's on Mar. 5, 2000 (0-13) and against Howard on Dec. 6, 1991 (0-15). The Hurricanes are 2-1 all-time when failing to hit a trey.

22-Straight Non-Conference Wins

The Hurricanes have won 22 consecutive nonconference games at the BankUnited Center and have defeated 37 of their last 40 non-conference opponents at home. Miami's last non-conference home loss came at the hands of Ohio State, 73-68, in the ACC/Big Ten Challenge on Dec. 2, 2008.

Home Sweet Home

The Hurricanes were 13-4 at the BankUnited Center in 2010-11. Over the last four seasons, UM has compiled a 51-14 (.785) record at home, including nine wins over ranked opponents. The Hurricanes have now notched double digit home wins at the BankUnited in four-straight seasons and seven times in eight full seasons calling the arena home. UM has won 22 consecutive nonconference games at home.

2011 All-ACC Academic Men's Basketball Team

John Cahill (BC), Luke Loucks (FSU), Ryan Kelly (DU), Mason Plumlee (DU), Tyrone Garland (VT), Will Regan (UVA), Will Sherrill (UVA), Kyle Singler (DU), Tanner Smith (CU), **Erik Swoope (UM), Adrian Thomas (UM),** Mfon Udofia (GT), Tyler Zeller (NC).

Miami trails only Duke with 10 All-ACC Academic Men's Basketball Team selections over the last six years.

Miami's All-ACC Academic Team Picks

2011: Erik Swoope, Adrian Thomas

2010: Antoine Allen 2009: Jack McClinton 2008: Jack McClinton

2007: Jimmy Graham, Jack McClinton

2006: Brian Asbury, Jimmy Graham, Adrian Thomas

100 Assists for Grant and Scott

Malcolm Grant and Durand Scott were the first teammates to notch consecutive 100-assist seasons since Thomas Hocker and Kevin Presto achieved the feat in both 1987-88 and 1988-89. In 2009, Grant and Scott became the first UM duo since 1992-93 to collect 100 assists in the same season and the fourth pair of teammates to do so in UM history.

In 2010-11 Grant totaled 115 handouts while Scott notched 112 assists. The previous season, Grant totaled 117 while Scott added 113.

Update the Record Books

The 2010-11 Hurricanes set a school record playing in their 35th game of the season. Malcolm Grant also etched his name atop the books by making his 35th start of the season, the most in one campaign in program history.

And not to be outdone, sixth-year player Adrian Thomas appeared in his school-record 131st game as a Hurricane.

Miami is a Top Academic Institution

Already the top academic institution in the state of Florida and a world-renowned research institution, the University of Miami and its Department of Athletics are building upon its reputation for developing world-class students. In the 2012 edition of the U.S. News & World Report's annual issue, the University of Miami has risen to number 38 - up from 47 last year, a nine-point rise. UM remains the highest ranked school in the state of Florida.

Canes Post Second-Best Team GPA

In the spring of 2011, the men's basketball team posted its second-best spring team GPA in the history of the program. Senior Julian Gamble earned a 4.0 GPA for the fall 2010 semester while Eric Swoope, Adrian Thomas, Justin Heller and Ryan Quigtar registered a 3.0 or better to be named to the 55th Annual ACC Honor Roll.

Swoope and Thomas were also listed on the 2011 All-ACC Academic Men's Basketball Team.

2010-11 Review

The Hurricanes closed the 2010-11 season with a 21-15 overall record, having won nine of their last 15 games, and advancing to the quarterfinals of the National Invitation Tournament for the second time in program history.

The 2011 Canes finished at No. 69 in the final NCAA RPI with a strength of schedule ranked No. 41 by RealTimeRPI.com and No. 43 by CollegeRPI.com.

Last season, Miami registered wins over NCAA Tournament teams West Virginia and Akron, as well as NIT teams Boston College (twice), McNeese State, Florida Atlantic and Missouri State.

HURRICANE HOOPS FACILITIES

BankUnited Center

Opened in 2003, the BankUnited Center, which seats 7,200 fans for basketball games, is located on the University of Miami's beautiful Coral Gables campus. The venue also hosts concerts, trade shows, lecture series and sporting events, in addition to serving as the home to the Hurricanes' men's and women's basketball teams.

Over the last three seasons, the Hurricanes have established home court dominance, winning 51 games at the "BUC" — including a school-record 14-2 mark in 2007-08 and memorable victories over No. 4/5 Duke, No. 6/7 Wake Forest and No. 20/20 Georgia Tech.

With its grand opening in January of 2003 — a 64-61 overtime win over North Carolina, the BankUnited Center became the University's first on-campus venue with seating to accommodate large events offering an ideal capacity for concerts, conferences, lecture series, banquets and more. It significantly increases the University of Miami's collegiate experience for its students by allowing on-campus events such as commencements, sports, convocations and pep rallies. The community also benefits from the venue's utilization as a showcase for a host of family shows and other special activities.

The BankUnited Center has 25 suites. Each suite is equipped with 12 box seats with three additional bar stools, a lounge area, television and phones, along with a kitchen area with a bar and refrigerator.

The BankUnited Center is managed by Global Spectrum. The Philadelphia-based company is part of one of the world's largest sports and entertainment companies, Comcast-Spectacor, which also owns the Philadelphia 76ers (NBA) and the Philadelphia Flyers (NHL).

The Fieldhouse

The newest addition to Miami athletics opened in March of 2009, with the debut of the Hurricanes' on-campus practice facility. The 29,000-square foot facility is conveniently located immediately adjacent to the BankUnited Center, alongside the Hurricanes 100 Room north of the arena. The new facility houses several full-size practice courts, as well as a multipurpose room to host a variety of events — including the Miami Heat's 2010 Media Day.

Miami basketball players have access to the secure facility 24 hours a day, allowing the Hurricanes court time at any time all-year round. UM players use the facility for both conditioning and practice sessions, as well as for individual workouts and pick-up games.

The Fieldhouse was also honored for its sustainability components, earning the LEED® Gold designation established by the U.S. Green Building Council and verified by the Green Building Certification Institute (GBCI).

The facility achieved the certification specifically for its energy use, lighting, water and material use as well as incorporating a variety of other sustainable strategies. By using less energy and water, LEED certified buildings save money for businesses and taxpayers; reduce greenhouse gas emissions; and contribute to a healthier environment for residents, workers and the larger community.

2010-11 RECORD: 21-15 (6-10 ACC) NIT

11/12	Jacksonville	W	89-77
11/15	at Memphis	L	68-72
11/19	N.C. Central	W	88-65
11/21	at Rutgers	L	45-61
11/24	McNeese State	W	79-59
11/27	at Florida Gulf Coast	W	87-75
11/30	Ole Miss	W	86-73
12/4	West Virginia	W	79-76
12/12	Stetson!	W	68-54
12/18	vs. UCF^	L	78-84
12/21	vs. Oral Roberts!	W	69-56
12/22	vs. Rice!	W	73-67
12/23	vs. Akron!	W	69-61
12/30	Pepperdine	W	94-59
1/2	at Duke*	L	63-74
1/8	at Clemson*	L	72-79
1/15	Boston College*	W	72-71
1/19	Florida State*	L	53-55
1/23	at NC State*	L	70-72
1/26	North Carolina*	L	71-74
1/30	at Virginia Tech*	L	68-72
2/3	Georgia Tech*	W	59-57
2/5	Virginia*	WOT	70-68
2/9	at Wake Forest*	W	74-73
2/13	Duke*	L	71-81
2/15	at UNC Greensboro	W	78-58
2/20	Clemson*	L	59-63
2/23	at Boston College*	W	73-64
2/26	at Florida State*	L	59-65
3/2	Maryland*	W	80-66
3/6	at Georgia Tech*	L	57-66
3/10	vs. Virginia%	WOT	69-62
3/11	vs. North Carolina%	L	59-61
3/16	Florida Atlantic#	W	85-62
3/21	Missouri State#	W	81-72
3/23	at Alabama#	L	64-79
Season	Totals:	257	79-2433

- * ACC Game
- ! Las Vegas Holiday Hoops Classic
 - (Las Vegas, Nev.)
- ^ Orange Bowl Classic (Sunrise, Fla.)
- % ACC Tournament (Greensboro, N.C.)
- # National Invitation Tournament

Only One Key Loss in Forward Adrian Thomas

Miami lost only one player from the 2010-11 roster, a three-point specialist in Adrian Thomas. He appeared in a school-record 132 games over six years as a Hurricane. Thomas played in all 36 games last year, making 11 starts, including nine straight to close his collegiate career. He averaged 9.1 ppg, 3.7 rpg and 2.6 three-pointers per game - second-best in the ACC behind teammate Malcolm Grant. He also ranked eighth in the ACC, shooting 38.9 percent from long range. Thomas hit a three in 20-straight (1/8-3/21) games for the second-longest active streak in the ACC, and he made a three-pointer in 28 of his last 30 games, and in 78 of his last 87 games. Of his 105 field goals made in 2010-11, 93 were from beyond the arc (.886).

Cardiac Canes

In 2011, the "Cardiac Canes" had an ACC-record eight-straight games decided by four points or less. The Hurricanes saw this trend reemerge in the ACC Tournament, where both of their games were decided in the final moments — the 10-point comeback with 42.5 seconds to go to ultimately defeat Virginia in overtime and the buzzer-beating layup by North Carolina to knock UM out in the ACC quarterfinals.

Long Distance Firepower

Behind the long-distance firepower of the ACC's top-two most prolific three-point shooters in Adrian Thomas and Malcolm Grant, the Hurricanes knocked down a school record 283 three-pointers last season, besting the previous high of 251 set in 2008-09. The duo — both ranking among Miami's top four in single-season three-pointers — accounted for 187 (66 percent) of those treys.

The Hurricanes attempted a program-high 750 three-point field goals last season, surpassing the previous high of 684 set in 2001-02.

Converting 37.7 percent from beyond the arc as a team, the 2011 Hurricanes' conversion rate was second-best in UM history, just behind a program-best 38.5 percent in 2007-08.

Comeback Win Propels Miami in ACC Tournament

The ninth-seeded Miami men's basketball team used an amazing comeback in its ACC Tournament opening round game — overcoming a 10-point deficit with under 40 seconds to go, to force overtime and knock eighth-seeded Virginia out of the ACC Tournament with the 69-62 decision. It is believed to be the biggest comeback in under a minute to play in ACC Tournament history, as the 'Canes erased a 53-43 deficit beginning with a Durand Scott three-pointer with 34 seconds to play in regulation.

2011-12 Record Chasers

CAREER 3-POINT LEADERS

1.	Jack McClinton	(2006-09)	286
2.	Steven Edwards	(1992-96)	265
3.	Darius Rice	(2000-04)	260
4.	Robert Hite	(2002-06)	228
5.	Adrian Thomas	(2005-11)	204
6.	Guillermo Diaz	(2003-06)	174
7.	James Dews	(2006-10)	170
	Kevin Presto	(1985-89)	170
9.	Johnny Hemsley	(1996-00)	164
10.	Malcolm Grant	(2009-pres.)	155
Note	- 3-noint FGs were a	adonted in 1986-87	

CAREER CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH

3-POINT FIELD GOAL MADE1. Jack McClinton, 2008-09

2.	Steven Edwards, 1994-95	32
3.	Jack McClinton, 2007-08	30
4,	Steven Edwards, 1993	26
5.	Malcolm Grant, 2010-pres.	23
	(carries into 2011-12 season)	
6	Adrian Thomas 2010 11	20

6.	Adrian Thomas, 2010-11	20
	Johnny Hemsley, 1998-99	20
	Steven Edwards, 1995-96	20
9.	Marcus Barnes, 2002	17
10.	James Dews, 2007-08	16

11.	Adrian Thomas, 2010	15
	Darius Rice, 2001	15
13.	Malcolm Grant, 2010	14
	Adrian Thomas, 2009	14
	Darius RIce, 2003	14

James Jones, 2001 14
Kevin Presto, 1988-89 14
Steven Edwards, 1994 14
Steve Frazier, 1994 14

CAREER FREE THROW PERCENTAGE

(Minimum 2 FTM Per Game Played)

(IVIIII	imum 2 FTM Per Game Playea)	
1.	Jack McClinton, 2006-09 (332-369)	.900
2.	Dod Hammond, 1959-60 (64-73)	.877
3.	Lance Hurdle, 2007-08 (96-111)	.865
4.	Robert Hite, 2002-06 (245-289)	848
5.	Rick Barry, 1962-65 (665-786)	.846
6.	Rick Jones, 1964-67 (281-337)	.834
7.	Don Curnutt, 1967-70 (380-456)	.833
8.	James Jones, 1999-03 (304-366)	.831
9.	Malcolm Grant, 2009-pres. (181-221)	.819
10.	Johnny Hemsley, 1996-00 (273-339)	.805
	John Salmons, 1998-02 (310-385)	.805

CAREER ASSISTS

1.	Vernon Jennings, 1996-00	520
2.	Kevin Norris, 1994-98	493
3.	John Salmons, 1998-02	429
4.	Kevin Presto, 1985-89	412
5.	Thomas Hocker, 1987-90	384
6.	Anthony Harris, 2002-07	330
7.	Michael Gardner, 1991-94	319
8.	Steven Edwards, 1992-96	312
9.	Mike Simmons, 1998-03	263
10.	Jerome Scott, 1988-92	257
11.	Jack McClinton, 2006-09	239
12.	Guillermo Diaz, 2003-06	238
13.	Dennis Burns, 1985-89	236
14.	Malcolm Grant, 2009-pres.	232
15.	Durand Scott, 2009-pres.	225
	Joel Warren, 1985-89	225