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2024-25 MEN'S BASKETBALL ROSTER



**0 | CONNOR
ESSEGIAN**
Jr. | G | 6-4 | 190



**1 | SAM
HOIBERG**
Jr. | G | 6-0 | 185



**2 | AHRON
ULIS**
Sr. | G | 6-3 | 190



**3 | BRICE
WILLIAMS**
Sr. | G | 6-7 | 214



**4 | JUWAN
GARY**
Sr. | F | 6-6 | 226



**5 | BRADEN
FRAGER**
Fr. | F | 6-7 | 220



**8 | JEFFREY
GRACE III**
Jr. | G | 6-3 | 200



**9 | BERKE
BÜYÜKTUNCEL**
So. | F | 6-10 | 244



**12 | GAVIN GRIF-
FITHS**
So. | G | 6-7 | 193



**20 | JUSTIN
BOLIS**
So. | F | 6-8 | 225



**23 | ANDREW
MORGAN**
Sr. | F | 6-10 | 242



**24 | ROLLIE
WORSTER**
Sr. | G | 6-5 | 210



**25 | NICK
JANOWSKI**
Fr. | G | 6-4 | 208



**31 | CALE
JACOBSEN**
So. | G | 6-4 | 195



**34 | BRAXTON
MEAH**
Sr. | C | 7-1 | 265



**35 | HENRY
BURT**
So. | F | 6-7 | 222



**51 | RIENK
MAST**
Sr. | F | 6-10 | 260



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ADAM HOWARD
Assistant Coach



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Assistant Coach



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Graduate Manager

2024-25 NEBRASKA MEN'S BASKETBALL

NOV. 4	TEXAS-RIO GRANDE VALLEY	7:00 PM CT	BIG+
NOV. 9	BETHUNE-COOKMAN	7:00 PM CT	BIG+
NOV. 13	FARLEIGH DICKINSON	7:00 PM CT	BIG+
NOV. 17	VS. ST. MARY'S	12:00 PM CT	BIG NETWORK.
NOV. 22	AT CREIGHTON	7:00 PM CT	FS1
NOV. 27	SOUTH DAKOTA	5:30 PM CT	BIG NETWORK.
DEC. 1	NORTH FLORIDA	3:00 PM CT	BIG NETWORK.
DEC. 7	AT MICHIGAN STATE	11:00 AM CT	BIG NETWORK.
DEC. 13	INDIANA	7:00 PM CT	FOX
DEC. 22	VS. MURRAY STATE	8:00 PM CT	ESPN 2
DEC. 23	VS. TBD	TBD	ESPN 2
DEC. 25	VS. TBD	TBD	TBD
DEC. 30	SOUTHERN	8:00 PM CT	BIG NETWORK.
JAN. 4	UCLA	1:00 PM CT	FOX
JAN. 7	AT IOWA	7:00 PM CT	peacock
JAN. 12	AT PURDUE	11:00 AM CT	BIG NETWORK.
JAN. 16	RUTGERS	8:00 PM CT	FS1
JAN. 19	AT MARYLAND	11:00 AM CT	BIG NETWORK.
JAN. 22	USC	8:00 PM CT	BIG NETWORK.
JAN. 26	AT WISCONSIN	12:00 PM CT	BIG NETWORK.
JAN. 30	ILLINOIS	7:30 PM CT	FS1
FEB. 2	AT OREGON	6:30 PM CT	BIG NETWORK.
FEB. 5	AT WASHINGTON	9:30 PM CT	BIG NETWORK.
FEB. 9	OHIO STATE	1:00 PM CT	BIG NETWORK.
FEB. 13	MARYLAND	7:30 PM CT	BIG NETWORK.
FEB. 16	AT NORTHWESTERN	2:00 PM CT	BIG NETWORK.
FEB. 19	AT PENN STATE	5:30 PM CT	BIG NETWORK.
FEB. 24	MICHIGAN	7:00 PM CT	FS1
MAR. 1	MINNESOTA	1:00 PM CT	BIG NETWORK.
MAR. 4	AT OHIO STATE	8:00 PM CT	peacock
MAR. 9	ICWA	11:30 AM CT	FOX

2024-25 WOMEN'S BASKETBALL ROSTER



2
Logan Nissley
6-0, Sophomore, Guard
Bismarck, North Dakota



3
Allison Weidner
5-10, R-Junior, Guard
Humphrey, Nebraska



4
Kennadi Williams
5-4, Freshman, Guard
Lincoln, Nebraska



5
Alberte Rimdal
5-9, Senior, Guard
Koge, Denmark



12
Jessica Petrie
6-2, Sophomore, Forward
Gold Coast, Australia



14
Callin Hake
5-8, Junior, Guard
Victoria, Minnesota



15
Kendall Moriarty
6-1, Senior, Guard
Wheaton, Illinois



22
Natalie Potts
6-2, Sophomore, Forward
O'Fallon, Missouri



23
Britt Prince
5-11, Freshman, Guard
Omaha, Nebraska



32
Kendall Coley
6-2, Graduate, Guard
Minneapolis, Minnesota



33
Amiah Hargrove
6-2, Freshman, Forward
Christopher, Illinois



40
Alexis Markowski
6-3, Senior, Center
Lincoln, Nebraska



44
Petra Bozan
6-3, Freshman, Center
Split, Croatia



Eddie Praley
Video Coordinator
Second Season



Amanda Hart
Director of Operations
Ninth Season



Jace Henderson
Director of Player Personnel
Second Season



Julian Assibey
Assistant Coach
Second Season



Tandem Mays
Assistant Coach
Ninth Season



Jessica Keller
Assistant Coach
Third Season



Amy Williams
Head Coach
Ninth Season

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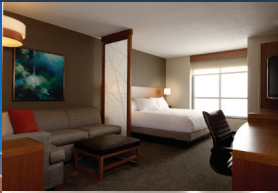
2024-25 WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

OCT. 27	DOANE (exhibition)	PINNACLE BANK ARENA	6 PM (BIG+)
NOV. 4	OMAHA (Life Skills Pep Rally)	PINNACLE BANK ARENA	NOON (BIG+)
NOV. 9	SOUTHEASTERN LOUISIANA	PINNACLE BANK ARENA	1 PM (BIG+)
NOV. 12	SOUTHERN	PINNACLE BANK ARENA	7 PM (BIG+)
NOV. 16	VS. SOUTH DAKOTA	SIoux FALLS, S.D.	5 PM (BTN)
NOV. 19	NORTH ALABAMA	PINNACLE BANK ARENA	7 PM (BIG+)
NOV. 22	@CREIGHTON	OMAHA, NEB.	4 PM
NOV. 26	KANSAS CITY	PINNACLE BANK ARENA	7 PM (BIG+)
DEC. 3	LINDENWOOD	PINNACLE BANK ARENA	7 PM (BIG+)
DEC. 8	MINNESOTA	PINNACLE BANK ARENA	1 PM (BTN)
DEC. 11	TARLETON	PINNACLE BANK ARENA	7 PM (BIG+)
DEC. 15	CHATTANOOGA	PINNACLE BANK ARENA	NOON (BIG+)
DEC. 21	@GEORGIA TECH	ATLANTA, GA.	TBA
DEC. 29	@UCLA	LOS ANGELES, CALIF.	4 PM (BIG+)
JAN. 1	@USC	LOS ANGELES, CALIF.	2 PM (BTN)
JAN. 5	PENN STATE	PINNACLE BANK ARENA	2 PM (BIG+)
JAN. 8	MICHIGAN STATE	PINNACLE BANK ARENA	7 PM (BIG+)
JAN. 12	@RUTGERS	PISCATAWAY, N.J.	1 PM (BIG+)
JAN. 16	@IOWA	IOWA CITY, IOWA	6 PM (BTN)
JAN. 20	WISCONSIN	PINNACLE BANK ARENA	7 PM (BTN)
JAN. 26	OHIO STATE	PINNACLE BANK ARENA	2 PM (BIG+)
JAN. 30	@PURDUE	WEST LAFAYETTE, IND.	6 PM (BIG+)
FEB. 2	@INDIANA	BLOOMINGTON, IND.	11 AM (FSI)
FEB. 6	MICHIGAN	PINNACLE BANK ARENA	7 PM (PEACOCK)
FEB. 10	IOWA	PINNACLE BANK ARENA	7 PM (BTN)
FEB. 13	@MARYLAND	COLLEGE PARK, MD.	5:30 PM (BTN)
FEB. 16	@ILLINOIS	CHAMPAIGN, ILL.	4:30 PM (BTN)
FEB. 19	OREGON	PINNACLE BANK ARENA	7 PM (BIG+)
FEB. 23	WASHINGTON	PINNACLE BANK ARENA	2 PM (BIG+)
MARCH 2	@NORTHWESTERN	EVANSTON, ILL.	2 PM (BTN/BIG+)
MARCH 5-9	@BIG TEN TOURNAMENT	INDIANAPOLIS, IND.	TBA
MARCH 16	NCAA SELECTION SHOW	TBA	(ESPN)
MARCH 19-20	@NCAA FIRST FOUR	CAMPUS SITES	TBA
MARCH 21-24	@NCAA 1ST & 2ND ROUNDS	CAMPUS SITES	TBA
MARCH 28-31	@NCAA REGIONALS	BIRMINGHAM, ALA.; SPOKANE, WASH.	TBA
APRIL 4 & 6	@NCAA WOMEN'S FINAL FOUR	TAMPA, FLA.	TBA

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2024-25 NEBRASKA ROSTER

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	VL	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown	Previous School
0		Connor Essegian	G	6-4	190	Jr.	Fort Wayne, Ind.	Wisconsin
1	**	Sam Hoiberg	G	6-0	185	Jr.	Lincoln, Neb.	Pius X HS
2		Ahron Ulis	G	6-3	190	Sr.	Chicago, Ill.	Iowa
3	*	Brice Williams	G	6-7	214	Sr.	Huntersville, N.C.	Charlotte
4	**	Juwan Gary	F	6-6	226	Sr.	Columbia, S.C.	Alabama
5		Braden Frager	F	6-7	220	Fr.	Lincoln, Neb.	Southwest HS
8	**	Jeffrey Grace III	G	6-3	200	Jr.	Elmhurst, Ill.	Arizona State
9		Berke Büyüktuncel	F	6-10	244	So.	Bursa, Türkiye	UCLA
12		Gavin Griffiths	G	6-7	193	So.	Simsbury, Conn.	Rutgers
20		Justin Bolis	F	6-8	225	So.	Lincoln, Neb.	Southeast CC
23		Andrew Morgan	F	6-10	242	Sr.	Waseca, Minn.	North Dakota State
24		Rollie Worster	G	6-5	210	Sr.	Missoula, Mont.	Utah
25		Nick Janowski	G	6-4	208	Fr.	Pewaukee, Wis.	Pewaukee HS
31	*	Cale Jacobsen	G	6-4	195	So.	Ashland, Neb.	Ashland-Greenwood HS
34		Braxton Meah	C	7-1	265	Sr.	Layton, Utah	Washington
35	*	Henry Burt	F	6-7	222	So.	Omaha, Neb.	Elkhorn South HS
51	*	Rienk Mast	F	6-10	260	Sr.	Groningen, Netherlands	Bradley

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	VL	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown	Previous School
20		Justin Bolis	F	6-8	225	So.	Lincoln, Neb.	Southeast CC
35	*	Henry Burt	F	6-7	222	So.	Omaha, Neb.	Elkhorn South HS
9		Berke Büyüktuncel	F	6-10	244	So.	Bursa, Türkiye	UCLA
0		Connor Essegian	G	6-4	190	Jr.	Fort Wayne, Ind.	Wisconsin
5		Braden Frager	F	6-7	220	Fr.	Lincoln, Neb.	Southwest HS
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23		Andrew Morgan	F	6-10	242	Sr.	Waseca, Minn.	North Dakota State
2		Ahron Ulis	G	6-3	190	Sr.	Chicago, Ill.	Iowa
3	*	Brice Williams	G	6-7	214	Sr.	Huntersville, N.C.	Charlotte
24		Rollie Worster	G	6-5	210	Sr.	Missoula, Mont.	Utah

*-Letters earned

COACHES AND STAFF

HEAD COACH:

Fred Hoiberg, sixth season (Iowa State, 1995)

At Nebraska: 63-94 (five seasons)

Career college record: 178-150 (10 seasons)

ASSISTANT COACHES:

Adam Howard, third season (Western Kentucky, 2008)

Nate Loenser, fourth season (Iowa State, 2002)

Ernie Zeigler, third season (Cleary, 1994)

SUPPORT STAFF:

Director of Men's Basketball Strength & Conditioning: Kurt Joseph

Dir. of Basketball Strategies & Business Operations: Luca Virgilio

Assistant Director of Basketball Operations: Sheryl Burbach

Director of Player Development: Emmanuel Tommy

Video Coordinator: Michael Bania

Recruiting Coordinator: Pady Borders

Graduate Managers: Josiah Allick, Nihilo Ibarra,

Justin Moore, Triston Simpson

Athletic Trainer: Andrew McCabe

Team Nutritionist: Jake Blattner

Sports Psychologist: Heather Kiefer

NAPL Director: Matt Thome

Equipment Manager: Pat Norris



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TEAM BREAKDOWN

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Name	Pronunciation
Josiah Allick	AL-ick
Berke Büyüktuncel	BEAR-keh buh-YOOK-toon-jell
Connor Essegian	eh-SEE-jin
Juwan Gary	Juh-WAHN
Nate Loenser	Len-zer
Rienk Mast	RINK
Braxton Meah	MEE-uh
Ahron Ulis	YOU-liss
Rollie Worster	raw-lee Wooster
Ernie Zeigler	Zig-ler

ROSTER BY SEASON (ATHLETIC ELIGIBILITY INCLUDED)

Sixth Season (3):	Juwan Gary (Sr.); Rienk Mast (Sr.);
	Brice Williams (Sr.)
Fifth Season (3):	Braxton Meah (Sr.); Ahron Ulis (Sr.);
	Rollie Worster (Sr.)
Fourth Season (3):	Jeffrey Grace III (Jr.);
	Sam Hoibeg (Jr.); Andrew Morgan (Sr.)
Third Season (3):	Henry Burt (So.);
	Connor Essegian (Jr.); Cale Jacobson (So.)

Second Season (3): Justin Bolis (So.),

Berke Büyüktuncel (So.), Gavin Griffiths (So.)

First Season (2): Braden Frager (Fr.), Nick Janowski (Fr.)

BY STATE/COUNTRY

United States (15)

Connecticut (1): Gavin Griffiths
 Indiana (1): Connor Essegian
 Illinois (2): Jeffrey Grace III; Ahron Ulis
 Minnesota (1): Andrew Morgan
 Montana (1): Rollie Worster
 North Carolina (1): Brice Williams
 Nebraska (5): Justin Bolis, Henry Burt, Braden Frager
 Sam Hoiberg; Cale Jacobson
 South Carolina (1): Juwan Gary
 Utah (1): Braxton Meah
 Wisconsin (1): Nick Janowski

International (2)

Türkiye (1): Berke Büyüktuncel
 Netherlands (1): Rienk Mast

2024-25 NEBRASKA SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Location	Television/Internet	Time (Central)
Sun., Oct. 13	Red/White Scrimmage	Lincoln, Neb. (Bob Devaney Sports Center)	-	2 p.m.
Sun., Oct. 27	Grand Valley State (Exhibition)	Lincoln, Neb. (Pinnacle Bank Arena)	B1G+	1 p.m.
Mon., Nov. 4	UT Rio Grande Valley	Lincoln, Neb. (Pinnacle Bank Arena)	B1G+	7 p.m.
Sat., Nov. 9	Bethune Cookman	Lincoln, Neb. (Pinnacle Bank Arena)	B1G+	7 p.m.
Wed., Nov. 13	FDU	Lincoln, Neb. (Pinnacle Bank Arena)	B1G+	7 p.m.
Sun., Nov. 17	vs. Saint Mary's	Sioux Falls, S.D. (Sanford Pentagon)	BTN	Noon
Fri., Nov. 22	at Creighton	Omaha, Neb. (CHI Health Center)	FS1	7 p.m.
Wed., Nov. 27	South Dakota	Lincoln, Neb. (Pinnacle Bank Arena)	BTN	5:30 p.m.
Sun., Dec. 1	North Florida	Lincoln, Neb. (Pinnacle Bank Arena)	BTN	3 p.m.
Sat., Dec 7	at Michigan State *	East Lansing, Mich. (Breslin Center)	BTN	11 a.m.
Fri., Dec. 13	Indiana *	Lincoln, Neb. (Pinnacle Bank Arena)	FOX	7 p.m.

HAWAIIAN AIRLINES DIAMOND HEAD CLASSIC

Sun., Dec. 22	vs. Murray State	Honolulu, Hawaii (Stan Sheriff Center)	ESPN2	8 p.m.
Mon., Dec. 23	vs. Hawai'i/Charlotte	Honolulu, Hawaii (Stan Sheriff Center)	ESPN2	10:30p.m./12:30 a.m. on 12/24
Wed., Dec. 25	vs. TBA	Honolulu, Hawaii (Stan Sheriff Center)	TBD	TBD
Mon., Dec. 30	Southern	Lincoln, Neb. (Pinnacle Bank Arena)	BTN	8 p.m.
Sat., Jan. 4	UCLA *	Lincoln, Neb. (Pinnacle Bank Arena)	FOX	1 p.m.
Tues., Jan. 7	at Iowa *	Iowa City, Iowa (Carver-Hawkeye Arena)	Peacock	7 p.m.
Sun., Jan. 12	at Purdue *	West Lafayette, Ind. (Mackey Arena)	BTN	11 a.m.
Thurs., Jan. 16	Rutgers *	Lincoln, Neb. (Pinnacle Bank Arena)	FS1	8 p.m.
Sun., Jan. 19	at Maryland *	College Park, Md. (XFINITY Center)	BTN	11 a.m.
Wed., Jan. 22	USC *	Lincoln, Neb. (Pinnacle Bank Arena)	BTN	8 p.m.
Sun., Jan. 26	at Wisconsin *	Madison, Wis. (Kohl Center)	BTN	Noon
Thurs., Jan. 30	Illinois *	Lincoln, Neb. (Pinnacle Bank Arena)	FS1	7:30 p.m.
Sun., Feb. 2	at Oregon *	Eugene, Ore. (Matthew Knight Arena)	BTN	6:30 p.m.
Wed., Feb. 5	at Washington *	Seattle, Wash. (Alaska Airlines Arena)	BTN	9:30 p.m.
Sun., Feb. 9	Ohio State *	Lincoln, Neb. (Pinnacle Bank Arena)	BTN	1 p.m.
Thurs., Feb. 13	Maryland *	Lincoln, Neb. (Pinnacle Bank Arena)	BTN	7:30 p.m.
Sun., Feb. 16	at Northwestern *	Evanston, Ill. (Welsh Ryan Arena)	BTN	2 p.m.
Wed., Feb. 19	at Penn State *	University Park, Pa. (Bryce Jordan Center)	BTN	5:30 p.m.
Mon., Feb. 24	Michigan *	Lincoln, Neb. (Pinnacle Bank Arena)	FS1	7 p.m.
Sat., March 1	Minnesota *	Lincoln, Neb. (Pinnacle Bank Arena)	BTN	1 p.m.
Tues., March 4	at Ohio State *	Columbus, Ohio (Schottenstein Center)	Peacock	8 p.m.
Sun., March 9	Iowa *	Lincoln, Neb. (Pinnacle Bank Arena)	FOX	11:30 a.m.

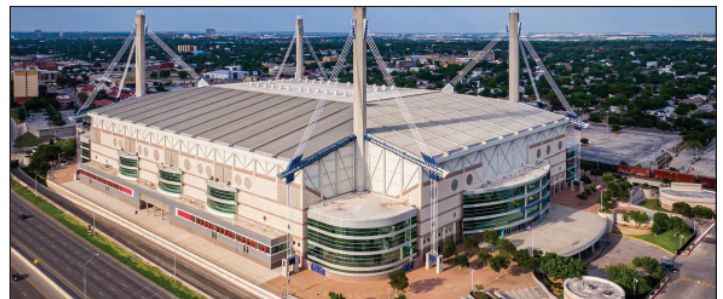
BIG TEN TOURNAMENT

Wed., March 12	Big Ten Tournament First Round	Indianapolis, Ind. (Gainbridge Fieldhouse)	Peacock	2:30/5:30/8 p.m.
Thurs., March 13	Big Ten Tournament Second Round	Indianapolis, Ind. (Gainbridge Fieldhouse)	BTN	11 a.m./1:30/5:30/8 p.m.
Fri., March 14	Big Ten Tournament Quarterfinals	Indianapolis, Ind. (Gainbridge Fieldhouse)	BTN	11 a.m./1:30/5:30/8 p.m.
Sat., March 15	Big Ten Tournament Semifinals	Indianapolis, Ind. (Gainbridge Fieldhouse)	CBS	Noon/2:30 p.m.
Sun., March 16	Big Ten Tournament Championship	Indianapolis, Ind. (Gainbridge Fieldhouse)	CBS	2:30 p.m.

NCAA TOURNAMENT

Tues.-Wed., March 18-19	NCAA First Four	Dayton, Ohio (UD Arena)	TruTV	TBA
Thurs.-Fri., March 20-21	NCAA First Round	Various Sites	CBS/TNT/TBS/TruTV	TBA
Sat.-Sun., March 22-23	NCAA First Round	Various Sites	CBS/TNT/TBS/TruTV	TBA
Thurs.-Fri., March 27-28	NCAA Sweet 16	Various Sites	CBS/TBS	TBA
Sat.-Sun., March 29-30	NCAA Elite Eight	Various Sites	CBS/TBS	TBA
Sat., April 5	NCAA Final Four	San Antonio, Texas (San Antonio, Texas)	CBS	TBA
Mon., April 7	National Championship Game	San Antonio, Texas (San Antonio, Texas)	CBS	TBA

Schedule as of Oct. 9, 2024; **Home games** in red and bold; All times listed are Central; *-Big Ten games; All games carried on the Playfly Huskers Radio Network, on Huskers.com and on the official Huskers app.



The 2025 Big Ten Tournament will take place at the Gainbridge Fieldhouse (left) in Indianapolis while the Alamodome in San Antonio will host the 2025 NCAA Men's Final Four.

2024-25 NEBRASKA ROSTER



The 2024-25 Nebraska Women's Basketball Team: Back row (from left): Kendall Coley, Natalie Potts, Alexis Markowski, Petra Bozan, Jessica Petrie, Amiah Hargrove, Kendall Moriarty. Front row (from left): Kennadi Williams, Britt Prince, Callin Hake, Allison Weidner, Alberte Rimdal, Logan Nissley.

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Player	Yr.	Ht.	Pos.	Hometown (High School/Other School)
2	Logan Nissley*	So.	6-0	G	Bismarck, N.D. (Bismarck Century)
3	Allison Weidner**	RJr.	5-10	G	Humphrey, Neb. (Humphrey St. Francis)
4	Kennadi Williams	Fr.	5-4	G	Lincoln, Neb. (Lincoln Southwest)
5	Alberte Rimdal	Sr.	5-9	G	Koge, Denmark (Marselisborg Gymnasium/Florida)
12	Jessica Petrie*	So.	6-2	F	Gold Coast, Australia (Centre of Excellence)
14	Callin Hake**	Jr.	5-8	G	Victoria, Minn. (Chanhassen)
15	Kendall Moriarty***	Sr.	6-1	G	Wheaton, Ill. (Benet Academy)
22	Natalie Potts*	So.	6-2	F	O'Fallon, Mo. (Incarnate Word Academy)
23	Britt Prince	Fr.	5-11	G	Omaha, Neb. (Elkhorn North)
32	Kendall Coley****	Gr.	6-2	G	Minneapolis, Minn. (St. Louis Park)
33	Amiah Hargrove	Fr.	6-2	F	Christopher, Ill. (Christopher)
40	Alexis Markowski***	Sr.	6-3	C	Lincoln, Neb. (Lincoln Pius X)
44	Petra Bozan	Fr.	6-3	F/C	Split, Croatia (V. Gimnazija Vladimir Nazor)

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

Player	No.	Yr.	Ht.	Pos.	Hometown (High School/Other School)
Bozan, Petra	44	Fr.	6-3	F/C	Split, Croatia (V. Gimnazija Vladimir Nazor)
Coley, Kendall****	32	Gr.	6-2	G	Minneapolis, Minn. (St. Louis Park)
Hake, Callin**	14	Jr.	5-8	G	Victoria, Minn. (Chanhassen)
Hargrove, Amiah	33	Fr.	6-2	F	Christopher, Ill. (Christopher)
Markowski, Alexis***	40	Sr.	6-3	C	Lincoln, Neb. (Lincoln Pius X)
Moriarty, Kendall***	15	Sr.	6-1	G	Wheaton, Ill. (Benet Academy)
Nissley, Logan*	2	So.	6-0	G	Bismarck, N.D. (Bismarck Century)
Petrie, Jessica*	12	So.	6-2	F	Gold Coast, Australia (Centre of Excellence)
Potts, Natalie*	22	So.	6-2	F	O'Fallon, Mo. (Incarnate Word Academy)
Prince, Britt	23	Fr.	5-11	G	Omaha, Neb. (Elkhorn North)
Rimdal, Alberte	5	Sr.	5-9	G	Koge, Denmark (Marselisborg Gymnasium/Florida)
Weidner, Allison**	3	RJr.	5-10	G	Humphrey, Neb. (Humphrey St. Francis)
Williams, Kennadi	4	Fr.	5-4	G	Lincoln, Neb. (Lincoln Southwest)

Position Legend: G--Guard; F--Forward; C--Center; *--denotes letter earned at Nebraska

NEBRASKA COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Amy Williams (Nebraska, 1998)

Assistant Coaches: Julian Assibey (William Penn, 2005), Tandem Mays (Tulsa, 2007), Jessica Keller (Quincy, 2009)

Director of Basketball Operations: Amanda Hart (Dakota Wesleyan, 2014)

Video & Creative Content Coordinator: Eddie Praley (Guilford College, 2015)

Director of Player Personnel, Development & Influence: Jace Henderson (Montana, 2019)

Graduate Assistant Manager: Taylor Edwards (Montana State-Billings, 2019)

Strength & Conditioning Coach: Alex Jardine (Colorado, 2012)

Athletic Trainer: Ben Huver (Colorado Mesa, 2015)

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Julian Assibey	ah-SEE-bay
Petra Bozan	PET-ruh BO-jahn
Kendall Coley	COAL-ee
Callin Hake	CAL-in HAKE
Amiah Hargrove	uh-MY-uh
Jace Henderson	JASE
Ben Huver	HOOV-er
Alex Jardine	JAR-deen
Alexis Markowski	MAR-cow-skee
Kendall Moriarty	MORE-ee-AR-tee
Logan Nissley	NISS-lee
Jessica Petrie	PEE-tree
Alberte Rimdal	AI-BERT-ee RIM-doll
Allison Weidner	WIDE-ner

HUSKERS BY CLASS

Graduate (1): Kendall Coley

Seniors (3): Alexis Markowski, Kendall Moriarty, Alberte Rimdal

Redshirt Junior (1): Allison Weidner

Junior (1): Callin Hake

Sophomores (3): Logan Nissley, Jessica Petrie, Natalie Potts

Freshmen (4): Petra Bozan, Amiah Hargrove, Britt Prince, Kennadi Williams

HUSKERS BY MAJOR

Graduate Major

Journalism & Mass Communications: Kendall Coley

Undergraduate Majors

Advertising & Public Relations: Kendall Moriarty

Biological Sciences: Amiah Hargrove

Business Administration: Natalie Potts

Child, Youth & Family Studies:

Logan Nissley, Alberte Rimdal, Allison Weidner

Communication Studies: Jessica Petrie

Finance: Petra Bozan

Management: Callin Hake, Alexis Markowski

Marketing: Callin Hake

Sports Media & Communication: Kendall Moriarty

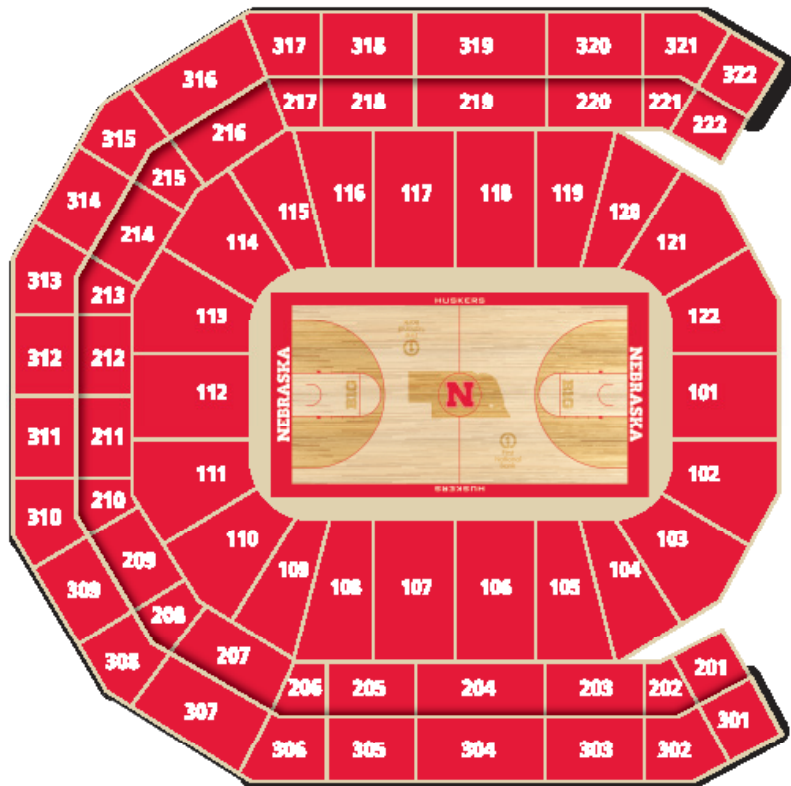
Undeclared: Britt Prince, Kennadi Williams

2024-25 NEBRASKA SCHEDULE

Date	Day	Opponent	Site	Time (CT)
Oct. 4	Friday	Opening Night	Railyard	7 p.m.
Oct. 27	Sunday	Doane (exhibition) [B1G+]	Pinnacle Bank Arena	6 p.m.
Nov. 4	Monday	Omaha (Life Skills Pep Rally) [B1G+]	Pinnacle Bank Arena	Noon
Nov. 9	Saturday	Southeastern Louisiana [B1G+]	Pinnacle Bank Arena	1 p.m.
Nov. 12	Tuesday	Southern [B1G+]	Pinnacle Bank Arena	7 p.m.
Nov. 16	Saturday	vs. South Dakota [BTN]	Sioux Falls, S.D.	5 p.m.
Nov. 19	Tuesday	North Alabama [B1G+]	Pinnacle Bank Arena	7 p.m.
Nov. 22	Friday	at Creighton	Omaha, Neb.	4 p.m.
Nov. 26	Tuesday	Kansas City [B1G+]	Pinnacle Bank Arena	7 p.m.
Dec. 3	Tuesday	Lindenwood [B1G+]	Pinnacle Bank Arena	7 p.m.
Dec. 8	Sunday	Minnesota [BTN]	Pinnacle Bank Arena	1 p.m.
Dec. 11	Wednesday	Tarleton [B1G+]	Pinnacle Bank Arena	7 p.m.
Dec. 15	Sunday	Chattanooga [B1G+]	Pinnacle Bank Arena	Noon
Dec. 21	Saturday	at Georgia Tech	Atlanta, Ga.	TBA
Dec. 29	Sunday	at UCLA [B1G+]	Los Angeles, Calif.	4 p.m.
Jan. 1	Wednesday	at USC [BTN]	Los Angeles, Calif.	2 p.m.
Jan. 5	Sunday	Penn State [B1G+]	Pinnacle Bank Arena	2 p.m.
Jan. 8	Wednesday	Michigan State [B1G+]	Pinnacle Bank Arena	7 p.m.
Jan. 12	Sunday	at Rutgers [B1G+]	Piscataway, N.J.	1 p.m.
Jan. 16	Thursday	at Iowa [BTN]	Iowa City, Iowa	6 p.m.
Jan. 20	Monday	Wisconsin [BTN]	Pinnacle Bank Arena	7 p.m.
Jan. 26	Sunday	Ohio State (Pack PBA) [B1G+]	Pinnacle Bank Arena	2 p.m.
Jan. 30	Thursday	at Purdue [B1G+]	West Lafayette, Ind.	6 p.m.
Feb. 2	Sunday	at Indiana [FS1]	Bloomington, Ind.	11 a.m.
Feb. 6	Thursday	Michigan [Peacock]	Pinnacle Bank Arena	7 p.m.
Feb. 10	Monday	Iowa [BTN]	Pinnacle Bank Arena	7 p.m.
Feb. 13	Thursday	at Maryland [BTN]	College Park, Md.	5:30 p.m.
Feb. 16	Saturday	at Illinois [BTN]	Champaign, Ill.	4:30 p.m.
Feb. 19	Wednesday	Oregon [B1G+]	Pinnacle Bank Arena	7 p.m.
Feb. 23	Sunday	Washington [B1G+]	Pinnacle Bank Arena	2 p.m.
March 2	Sunday	at Northwestern [BTN/B1G+]	Evanston, Ill.	2 p.m.
March 5-9	Wed.-Sunday	at Big Ten Tournament	Indianapolis, Ind.	TBA
March 16	Sunday	NCAA Selection Show [ESPN]	TBA	TBA
March 19-20	Wed.-Thurs.	at NCAA First Four	Campus Sites	TBA
March 21-24	Friday-Monday	NCAA First & Second Rounds	16 Campus Sites	TBA
March 28-31	Friday-Monday	at NCAA Regionals	Birmingham, Ala.; Spokane, Wash.	TBA
April 4	Friday	at NCAA Women's Final Four	Tampa, Fla. [Amalie Arena]	TBA
April 6	Sunday	at NCAA Championship [ABC]	Tampa, Fla. [Amalie Arena]	TBA

*Big Ten opponent. All times central and subject to change.

Home games in bold at Pinnacle Bank Arena. Visit [Huskers.com](https://huskers.com) for schedule updates.



SCHEDULE NOTES

HUSKERS HUNT FOR BIG CROWDS TO WATCH BIG GAMES IN BIG TEN

The Nebraska women's basketball team returns for its 12th season at Pinnacle Bank Arena in the Haymarket District of downtown Lincoln.

Since the opening of Pinnacle Bank Arena on Nov. 8, 2013, the Huskers have averaged well over 5,000 fans per game at PBA, including 6,088 fans per game in 2023-24 to rank 15th nationally. Overall, the Big Red have ranked among the top 25 teams in NCAA Division I women's basketball in average home attendance for 14 consecutive seasons.

Nebraska celebrated its first sellout of PBA for women's basketball with 15,042 fans witnessing an 82-79 win over No. 2 Iowa (Feb. 11, 2024).

BIG RED REGULAR SEASON TIPS WITH LIFE SKILLS SPORTSMANSHIP PEP RALLY BEFORE OPENER

Nebraska tips off its 2024-25 regular season against Omaha on Monday, Nov. 4 at Pinnacle Bank Arena. The game features a noon (CT) tip, which follows the Nebraska Life Skills Sportsmanship Pep Rally. Last season, more than 3,300 middle grades students and accompanying adults from 62 schools around the state of Nebraska experienced a field trip to Pinnacle Bank Arena for the annual program promoting leadership and sportsmanship. The program will begin at 9:30 a.m. and will feature current and former Husker student-athletes. The event, which is co-sponsored by Nebraska Athletics and the Nebraska High School Sports Hall of Fame, attracted 7,065 fans for a 90-42 win over Northwestern State a year ago.

BEST OF BIG TEN WOMEN'S HOOPS ON DISPLAY ALL SEASON AT PBA

Nebraska's 17-game regular-season home schedule features nine Big Ten contests, including eight against teams that advanced to the postseason in 2024. WNIT runner-up Minnesota (Dec. 8) tips Nebraska's home Big Ten season, before WBIT semifinalist Penn State (Jan. 5) and NCAA Tournament qualifier Michigan State (Jan. 8) come to Lincoln. WNIT quarterfinalist Wisconsin (Jan. 20) travels to PBA ahead of NCAA qualifier Ohio State (Jan. 26), before NCAA qualifier Michigan (Feb. 6) and NCAA runner-up Iowa (Feb. 10). Big Ten newcomer Oregon makes its first-ever trip to Lincoln (Feb. 19), before Nebraska celebrates Senior Day against WBIT qualifier Washington (Feb. 23).

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FRED HOIBERG

HEAD COACH | SIXTH SEASON

ALMA MATER (YEAR): IOWA STATE (1995)

NCAA RECORD: 178-150 (10 SEASONS)

Fred Hoiberg's career has revolved around the sport of basketball. The grandson of a professional basketball player and collegiate coach, Hoiberg has followed a similar path, spending three decades as a player, coach or executive in Division I basketball and the National Basketball Association.

Hoiberg is in his sixth season as Nebraska's men's basketball coach in 2024-25. Hoiberg, who was born in Lincoln, is the 28th coach in program history, a fraternity that includes his grandfather, Jerry Bush, who guided the Husker program for nine seasons from 1955 to 1963. Hoiberg's ties run deep to Nebraska as his other grandfather, Otto Hoiberg, was a history professor at the University, while his father, Eric, received his doctorate degree from Nebraska.

Hoiberg has experienced immense success at the collegiate level. He won more games than any other player during his time as a Cyclone guard and then returned to post the top winning percentage of any coach in Iowa State history. He won four NCAA Tournament games at Iowa State – a program record – and developed four players who eventually became NBA Draft picks and four All-Americans in his five seasons. At Nebraska, he has improved the Huskers' record in each of the past three seasons, culminating in one of the most successful seasons in program history in 2023-24.

Last season, Nebraska went 23-11, the second-highest win total in school history, and reached the NCAA Tournament for the first time since 2014. The Huskers, who were picked 12th in the preseason, tied for third in the Big Ten, marking the program's best conference finish in more than 30 years. Nebraska averaged 77.7 points per game, a



Hoiberg earned Big Ten and National Coach-of-the-Year honors after guiding Nebraska to a 23-11 record and an NCAA Tournament berth in 2024.

total which was the program's highest average since 1995-96, while leading the Big Ten with 9.5 3-pointers per game. NU's season was highlighted by a pair of top-10 wins, including an 88-72 win over No. 1 Purdue, which was NU's first win over a No. 1 team since 1982. That was another full circle moment for Hoiberg, as his grandfather, Jerry Bush was the architect behind the Huskers' first-ever win over a No. 1 team back in 1958.

For Nebraska's efforts, Hoiberg shared Big Ten Coach of the Year honors by both the coaches and media, while Keisei Tominaga (second team) and Rienk Mast (third team) were all-conference honorees. It was the first time since 1998 that Nebraska had multiple people selected to the top three all conference teams. Hoiberg also was honored as the Jim Phalen National Coach of the Year and was tabbed as the NABC District VII Coach of the Year.

The 2022-23 season saw Nebraska make significant steps by winning 16 games and posting a 9-11 mark in Big Ten play. The nine conference wins were NU's highest total since 2017-18, despite having a pair of starters suffer season-ending injuries in January. Behind All-Big Ten performers Derrick Walker and Keisei Tominaga, the Huskers won six of their last eight regular-season games. NU also posted its second top-10 road win in as many years with a 10-point win at No. 7 Creighton in non-conference action, the first top-10 non-conference road win in school history.

In 2021-22, Nebraska averaged 73.3 points per game, a total which was fourth in the Big Ten. Freshman Bryce McGowens was named Big Ten Newcomer of the Year by the Associated Press and a third-team all-conference pick, while Alonzo Verge Jr. led the Big Ten with 5.5 assists per game. The Huskers had an NBA Draft pick for the second straight year, as Bryce McGowens was the No. 40 pick in the 2022 NBA Draft, the highest drafted Nebraska player since 1998. McGowens is the 12th Hoiberg-coached player to reach the NBA.

The 2020-21 season saw the Huskers climb to 40th nationally in defensive efficiency, despite a lineup which featured four new starters. NU ranked second in school history with 8.44 3-pointers per game while facing a top-10 schedule for the second straight season. Dalano Banton was a second-round pick by the Toronto Raptors in the 2021 NBA Draft after leading the Huskers in both assists and rebounds.

In his first season, the Huskers began to adapt to Hoiberg's system, ranking in the top three of the Big Ten in both 3-pointers per game (third) and turnover margin (second). NU which had one returning letterwinner, posted wins over Purdue and Iowa.

CHICAGO BULLS HEAD COACH

Hoiberg was named an NBA head coach just five years into his coaching career. He led Chicago to immediate success, as the Bulls finished with a 42-40 record in his first year in 2015-16, when Hoiberg became just the fifth coach in franchise history to have a winning record in his debut season. The next season, Hoiberg took Chicago to the Eastern Conference Playoffs. The No. 8 seed Bulls went on the road and won the first two games of a first-round series against the top-seed Boston Celtics, becoming the first No.

HOIBERG'S COLLEGIATE COACHING RECORD

Year	School	Overall Record	Pct.	Conf. Record	Pct.	Conf. Finish	Postseason
2010-11	Iowa State	16-16	.500	3-13	.188	12th	None
2011-12	Iowa State	23-11	.676	12-6	.677	T-3rd	NCAA Third Round
2012-13	Iowa State	23-12	.657	11-7	.611	T-4th	NCAA Third Round
2013-14	Iowa State	28-8	.778	11-7	.611	T-3rd	NCAA Sweet 16
2014-15	Iowa State	25-9	.735	12-6	.677	T-2nd	NCAA Second Round
2019-20	Nebraska	7-25	.219	2-18	.100	14th	None
2020-21	Nebraska	7-20	.259	3-16	.158	14th	None
2021-22	Nebraska	10-22	.313	4-16	.200	T-13th	None
2022-23	Nebraska	16-16	.500	9-11	.450	T-10th	None
2023-24	Nebraska	23-11	.676	12-8	.600	T-3rd	NCAA First Round
Totals		178-150	.543	79-108	.422		Five NCAA Tournament Appearances

8 seed to take a 2-0 lead against a No. 1 seed since 1993. Hoiberg became the fifth coach in NBA history to have each of his first two career playoff victories come on the road. The 2017 playoffs also marked the first time Chicago had won the first two games of a playoff series on the road since the 1993 NBA Finals. Overall, Chicago won more than 40 games in two of Hoiberg's three full seasons.

IOWA STATE HEAD COACH

Hoiberg led a resurgence at his alma mater, leaving a lasting legacy in five seasons. He guided Iowa State to a 115-56 record – including a 99-40 mark in his final four seasons – to post the top winning percentage (.673) in Cyclone history. Hoiberg led Iowa State to a program-record four consecutive NCAA Tournament appearances, while tying the school record with four NCAA Tournament coaching victories. Hoiberg also posted the top conference winning percentage (.557) in ISU history and guided Iowa State to back-to-back Big 12 Tournament titles in 2014 and 2015.

Hoiberg inherited a Cyclone program that had not made the NCAA Tournament or had a winning conference record in five years. But after just one rebuilding year, Hoiberg guided the Cyclones to four consecutive NCAA Tournaments before leaving for the NBA. His 115 wins were the most by any coach in a five-year span in Iowa State history.

After a 16-16 debut season, Hoiberg led the Cyclones to a 23-11 record and the third round of the 2012 NCAA Tournament. ISU went 12-6 in Big 12 play in Hoiberg's second season, winning nine more conference games than the previous season to post the biggest one-year turnaround in Big 12 history. Hoiberg was named the Big 12 Co-Coach of the Year for his efforts.

Hoiberg guided the Cyclones to another 23-win season in his third year, when Iowa State advanced to the third round of the NCAA Tournament for the second straight year. In his fourth season, the Cyclones finished 28-8, won the 2014 Big 12 Tournament and advanced to the Sweet 16. In Hoiberg's final season, Iowa State defended its Big 12 Tournament title and earned a No. 3 seed for the NCAA Tournament.

Hoiberg oversaw one of the nation's top offenses during his tenure at Iowa State. The Cyclones led the Big 12 with an average of 77.9 points per game in Hoiberg's final four seasons, ranking in the top 10 nationally in scoring twice in those four seasons. His Cyclones led the Big 12 in 3-pointers in four of his five seasons and in his final season at ISU, his team led the conference in scoring offense (77.8), field goal percentage (.476) assists per game (16.1), turnovers per game (11.0) and 3-pointers per game (7.7).

Hoiberg also excelled at player development at Iowa State, producing four players who were selected in the NBA Draft. He also coached four All-Americans and 12 All-Big 12 players, including 2014 Big 12 Player of the Year Melvin Ejim, in his Iowa State tenure.

MINNESOTA TIMBERWOLVES FRONT OFFICE

After spending the final two seasons of his 10-year NBA career in Minnesota, Hoiberg transitioned into the Timberwolves' front office. Hoiberg served as the team's vice president of basketball operations in his final season, overseeing the day-to-day operations of basketball programs including college and pro scouting, salary cap management and NBA Draft preparations. He served as the Timberwolves' assistant general manager in his first three seasons in the front office, where he helped Minnesota orchestrate a draft-day trade for five-time all-star Kevin Love in 2008.

NBA PLAYING CAREER

Hoiberg was a 10-year NBA veteran, playing for the Indiana Pacers (four seasons), Chicago Bulls (four seasons) and Minnesota Timberwolves (two seasons). Hoiberg played in 541 games in his NBA career and was a member of three playoff teams, including a Timberwolves team that reached the 2004 Western Conference Finals. Hoiberg scored 2,944 points in his NBA career, and he was a 40 percent career 3-point shooter. Hoiberg

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

COACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2024 Jim Phalen National Coach of the Year
- 2024 Big Ten Co-Coach of the Year (Coaches/Media)
- 2024 NABC District 7 Coach of the Year
- 2012 Big 12 Co-Coach of the Year
- 2011 Basketball Times' National Rookie Coach of the Year
- 2013 Reese's College All-Star Game Coach
- 2017 NBA Playoffs Appearance
- 2014 and 2015 Big 12 Tournament Champions
- Five NCAA Tournament Appearances, including an NCAA Sweet 16 Appearance in 2014
- 28 Career Wins over Top-25 Teams
- 11 Career Wins over Top-10 Teams

AS A PLAYER

- 1995 NBA Second-Round Draft Pick
- 10-Year NBA Career
- 1995 Big Eight Co-Male Athlete of the Year
- 1995 Third-Team All-American
- Two-Time All-Big Eight Selection
- 1992 Big Eight Freshman of the Year
- 2016 College Sports Communicators Academic All-America Hall of Fame Inductee
- Two-Time CSC Academic All-American



FORMER NBA COACHES AT DIVISION I SCHOOLS

Fred Hoiberg is one of eight active NCAA coaches to have coached in the NBA, as he spent three-plus seasons with the Chicago Bulls from 2015 to 2018. Hoiberg's 270 regular-season NBA games rank third among the eight former NBA coaches in the collegiate ranks.

Coach, School	NBA Head Coach, Years
John Calipari, Arkansas	New Jersey, 1996-99
Leonard Hamilton, Florida State	Washington, 2000-01
Fred Hoiberg, Nebraska	Chicago, 2015-18
Eric Musselman, USC	Golden State, 2002-04; Sacramento, 2006-07
Rick Pitino, St. John's	New York, 1987-89; Boston, 1997-2001
Reggie Theus, Bethune-Cookman	Sacramento, 2007-09
Darrell Walker, Arkansas Little Rock	Toronto, 1996-98; Washington, 1999-2000
Mike Woodson, Indiana	Atlanta 2004-2010; New York, 2011-14

led the NBA in 3-point shooting percentage in his final season in 2004-05 (48.3 percent) and was fourth in 2003-04 (44.2 percent). His pro career ended abruptly at the age of 33 after undergoing open-heart surgery to repair an aneurysm in his aortic root. Hoiberg was a second-round pick in the 1995 NBA Draft, when the Indiana Pacers chose him with the 54th overall selection.

IOWA STATE AND HIGH SCHOOL PLAYING CAREER

Hoiberg was a four-year starter at Iowa State from 1991 to 1995. He is a member of the ISU Hall of Fame and his No. 32 jersey was retired in 1997. Hoiberg is also a member of the CoSIDA Academic All-America Hall of Fame. Hoiberg was a two-time academic All-America selection as a player, including a first-team honoree as a senior. On the court, Hoiberg was recognized as a two-time All-Big Eight selection in addition to being named the 1992 Associated Press Big Eight Freshman of the Year and the 1995 Co-Big Eight Male Athlete of the Year. Hoiberg was also named a third-team All-American as a senior, averaging 19.9 points per game to help the Cyclones win a then-school-record 23 games.

Hoiberg started 123 of his 126 games as a Cyclone with career averages of 15.8 points, 6.9 rebounds, 2.8 assists and 1.6 steals per game. The Iowa State record holder for consecutive made free throws (34) and steals in a game (7), Hoiberg currently ranks fourth on the Cyclones' all-time scoring chart (1,993 points) and is in the top 10 in five other categories. He made 183 3-pointers in his career and won 78 games, both of which were the most in school history at the time of his graduation.

Hoiberg was a standout athlete for Ames High School before remaining in his hometown to attend Iowa State. As a senior, Hoiberg was Iowa's Mr. Basketball and he was also the Iowa Gatorade Player of the Year in football. On the basketball court, Hoiberg averaged 38.1 points per game in six tournament games while leading Ames to a state championship as a senior. On the gridiron, Hoiberg turned down a football scholarship offer from Nebraska head coach Tom Osborne to play basketball at Iowa State.

PERSONAL

The son of an Iowa State professor, Hoiberg earned his degree in finance from Iowa State in 1995. He was born in Lincoln on Oct. 15, 1972, and his grandfather, Jerry Bush, was Nebraska's men's basketball head coach for nine seasons from 1955 to 1963. Fred and his wife, Carol, have four children: one daughter, Paige; and three sons, Jack and twins Sam and Charlie.



AMY WILLIAMS

Head Coach Ninth Season Nebraska (1998)

A proven program builder, Amy Williams completed her eighth season at Nebraska by guiding the Huskers to their most successful season in a decade. The Big Red captured a first-round NCAA Tournament victory over Texas A&M after claiming a No. 6 seed in March Madness. The victory followed Nebraska's run to its first Big Ten Championship Game appearance since 2014.

The tough Huskers secured a win over Purdue before notching double-digit wins over NCAA Tournament-bound Michigan State and Maryland to set up a third showdown with No. 3 Iowa in the title game. The Huskers controlled the action in much of the contest and took the Hawkeyes to overtime before falling 94-89 in the championship. Despite the setback, the Huskers booked their second NCAA Tournament ticket in the past three seasons while making their fourth consecutive postseason tournament appearance.

Nebraska finished with a 23-12 overall record that included an 11-7 Big Ten mark to take fifth in the final conference regular-season standings. Nebraska's regular season was highlighted by an 82-79 win over then-No. 2 Iowa in front of a sellout crowd of more than 15,000 at Pinnacle Bank Arena (Feb. 11). The victory over the Hawkeyes matched the highest-ranked team the Huskers have ever defeated. It was one of five wins over NCAA Tournament teams the Huskers notched from Feb. 6 through the end of the season, as Nebraska went 9-4 down the stretch with road losses to No. 2 Ohio State and No. 12 Oregon State, along with a loss to No. 3 Iowa in Minneapolis. NU's only other setback was a one-point loss at Illinois, which won the WBIT Championship.

During Nebraska's late-season surge, the Huskers completed a season sweep of NCAA Tournament-bound Michigan (Feb. 6) and their first-ever sweep of NCAA-bound Maryland (March 9) in the Big Ten Tournament. The Huskers also locked up a season sweep of NCAA Tournament-bound Michigan State (March 8), and a three-game season sweep of WNIT Great Eight participant Purdue (Feb. 17, March 7). The Big Red added a 19-point home win over WNIT semifinalist Minnesota (Feb. 24).

The Huskers finished No. 25 in the NET rankings with 17 of their 23 wins coming against postseason qualifiers, including eight over NCAA teams, three

over WBIT qualifiers and six over WNIT teams.

Nebraska's success in 2023-24 came despite losing projected starting guard Allison Weidner to a season-ending injury in mid-October, and an injury to returning starter and graduate guard Maddie Krull prior to the start of the season. Krull's injury not only kept her out of the first three games, it limited her contributions throughout the season. The Huskers also were hindered by an injury to reserve post Annika Stewart that limited her training and kept her out of the lineup for eight games early in the season.

Despite the challenges, Nebraska continued to improve throughout the season in large part to the consistency of first-team All-Big Ten center Alexis Markowski and the leadership of second-team All-Big Ten guard Jaz Shelley. Two of the top players at their positions in the country, Markowski and Shelley both claimed All-Big Ten honors for the third consecutive seasons before earning spots on the Big Ten All-Tournament Team. Shelley went on to be the No. 29 pick in the WNBA Draft by the Phoenix Mercury.

Nebraska's most experienced players also got help from a pair of award-winning freshmen. Natalie Potts emerged as the Big Ten Freshman of the Year after capturing eight Big Ten Freshman-of-the-Week awards during the season. She added honorable-mention All-Big Ten accolades from the conference media while being joined on the Big Ten All-Freshman Team by Logan Nissley.

In addition to the individual awards won by the Huskers, Nebraska's success also came out in the record book, including a school-record 292 made three-pointers while ranking second in school history with a plus-7.8 rebound margin. The 2023-24 Huskers also ranked fifth in school history with 2,533 points, fourth in rebounds (1,431) and third in assists (580).

Nebraska also continued to be one of the biggest draws in all of women's college basketball with an average home attendance of 6,088 to rank 15th in NCAA Division I. It marked the 14th consecutive season the Huskers have ranked in the top 25 nationally in average home attendance. Every game in the 2024 Big Ten Tournament drew more than 18,000 fans at the Target Center in Minneapolis, while NU's Big Ten Tournament Championship Game appearance attracted 4.77 million viewers on CBS - the highest TV ratings for a women's basketball game on the network in well over two decades.

Williams, who earned a contract extension through the 2028-29 season, also led Nebraska to the Big Dance in 2022, after the Huskers ran to a 24-9 record that included a final No. 23 NET ranking and a trip to the 2022 Big Ten Tournament semifinals. In 2022-23, the Huskers overcame multiple season-ending injuries to starting guards to advance to the WNIT Super 16 and finish with an 18-15 overall record.

Shelley earned first-team All-Big Ten honors, while Markowski captured second-team All-Big Ten accolades for the second straight year in 2023. Three-time honorable-mention All-Big Ten forward Isabelle Bourne also helped Nebraska meet its challenges head on before embarking on her professional career in Australia.

In 2021-22, the Huskers put one of the most complete teams in school history on the floor, ranking 10th nationally in scoring (77.8 ppg), 13th in assists (17.4 apg), 18th in scoring margin (+13.5 ppg), while leading the Big Ten, setting a school record and ranking 21st nationally in three-pointers made per game (8.5). NU also led the Big Ten and ranked 23rd in the nation in rebounding (41.8 rpg), while leading the Big Ten in field goal percentage defense (.385).

Nebraska fans also showed up in droves to watch their beloved Big Red despite continued challenges caused by the COVID pandemic, as the Huskers

COACHING HIGHLIGHTS

- Head Coach, Nebraska (2016-Present)
- NCAA Tournament (Nebraska, 2018, 2022, 2024)
- Naismith National Coach of the Year Semifinalist (1 of 10, 2018)
- Big Ten Coach of the Year (2018)
- Summit League Coach of the Year (2015, 2016)
- 2016 WNIT Champions
- 2016 Summit League Regular-Season Champions
- 2014 NCAA Tournament (South Dakota)
- 2014 Summit League Tournament Champions
- Four Summit League Championship Game Appearances
- Head Coach, South Dakota (2012-16)
96-44 Record (4 Seasons)
- Head Coach, Rogers State (2008-12)
97-65 (5 Seasons)
- Assistant Coach, Tulsa (2005-07)
- Assistant Coach, Oklahoma State (2002-05)
- Assistant Coach, Texas-San Antonio (2001)
- Graduate Assistant, Nebraska-Kearney (1999-2000)
- Four-Year Letterwinner Nebraska (1995-98)

WILLIAMS' YEAR-BY-YEAR RECORD

Season	School	Record	Pct.	Conf.	Pct.
2007-08	Rogers State (NAIA)	13-18	.419	9-13	.409
2008-09	Rogers State (NAIA)	18-14	.563	11-11	.500
2009-10	Rogers State (NAIA)	21-11	.656	12-10	.545
2010-11	Rogers State (NAIA)	23-10	.697	15-7	.682
2011-12	Rogers State (NAIA)	22-12	.647	14-8	.636
5 Seasons	Rogers State Record	97-65	.599	61-49	.555
2012-13	South Dakota	19-16	.543	10-6	.625
2013-14	South Dakota	19-14	.576	7-7	.500
2014-15	South Dakota	26-8	.765	13-3	.813
2015-16	South Dakota	32-6	.842	15-1	.938
2016-17	Nebraska	7-22	.241	3-13	.188
2017-18	Nebraska	21-11	.656	11-5	.688
2018-19	Nebraska	14-16	.467	9-9	.500
2019-20	Nebraska	17-13	.567	7-11	.389
2020-21	Nebraska	13-13	.500	9-10	.474
2021-22	Nebraska	24-9	.727	11-7	.611
2022-23	Nebraska	18-15	.545	8-10	.444
2023-24	Nebraska	23-12	.657	11-7	.611
12 Seasons	NCAA Division I Record	233-155	.601	114-89	.562
17 Seasons	Career Record	330-220	.600	175-138	.559

ranked 14th nationally in total home attendance (76,317) and 18th nationally in average home attendance (4,489) in 2021-22.

The Husker faithful went home happy night after night from Pinnacle Bank Arena, as Nebraska tied a school record with 16 home victories, including a trio of home wins over 2022 NCAA Sweet Sixteen qualifiers (Indiana, Michigan, Creighton). Overall, Nebraska notched four wins on the year against Sweet Sixteen teams, including a victory over Michigan in the Big Ten Tournament quarterfinals.

Nebraska's three wins over top-10 teams (No. 8 Michigan, 79-58, Jan. 4; No. 5 Indiana, 72-55, Feb. 14; No. 10 Michigan, 76-73, March 4) marked just the second time in school history the Big Red posted multiple wins over top-10 teams in the same season. Nebraska's 21-point home win over the Wolverines matched the largest victory margin in NU history over a top-10 foe, while the 17-point win over the Hoosiers marked Nebraska's largest margin ever against a top-five opponent.

Four Huskers earned All-Big Ten honors in 2021-22, led by newcomers Shelley (Second Team/All-Defensive) and Markowski (Second Team/Big Ten Freshman of the Year) and captains Sam Haiby and Isabelle Bourne, who both claimed honorable-mention accolades.

Nebraska, which continues to feature a 100 percent Graduation Success Rate in women's basketball, also set a program record with nine Academic All-Big Ten selections in 2021-22. They added eight Academic All-Big Ten picks in both 2022-23 and 2023-24.

Williams, who proved herself as a winner and a program builder in her first nine seasons as a collegiate head coach, returned to her alma mater to lead a new stage in the Husker program when she was hired as Nebraska's head coach on April 11, 2016.

In her second season with the Big Red, Williams showed she could get a program moving forward in a hurry. Williams captured 2018 Big Ten Coach-of-the-Year honors after leading the nation's biggest turnaround. The Huskers earned a bid into the 2018 NCAA Tournament and finished with a 21-11 record - a nation-leading 14-game turnaround in the win column over 2016-17.

Nebraska was plus-eight in the win column in Big Ten play, finishing with an 11-5 mark and claiming the No. 3 seed in the Big Ten Tournament. The Huskers then knocked off No. 24 Michigan in the league tournament quarterfinals to advance to the conference semifinals for the first time since 2014.

Defensively, Nebraska led the Big Ten with a school-record field goal percentage defense (.371) while also leading the conference in three-point field goal percentage defense (.299). The Huskers improved 12.7 points per game defensively over the 2016-17 campaign and were six points per game better on the offensive end.

In 2019-20, Williams led the Huskers back to post-season eligibility with a 17-13 overall record before the season abruptly ended because of the COVID-19 outbreak. Nebraska's 17 wins represented a three-game improvement in the win column, despite facing a Big Ten Conference that produced its strongest collection of teams in a decade. The Big Ten was poised to send eight teams to the NCAA Tournament and several more to the WNIT, as 11 teams finished in the top 64 in the Massey Ratings.

Nebraska revamped its roster and continued to battle the best teams in the Big Ten, notching five victories over top-25 Big Ten teams in an abbreviated 2020-21 season. The Huskers were anchored inside by Kate Cain. The 6-5 center was an honorable-mention All-Big Ten performer as a senior in 2020-21. Nebraska's career leader in blocked shots (352), Cain also claimed her third appearance on the Big Ten All-Defensive Team. She was a three-time Lisa Leslie Award candidate and one of 15 finalists for the Naismith National Defensive Player of the Year award.

Cain, who completed her fourth season on the court at Nebraska following her early graduation in the summer of 2020, signed a free agent training camp contract with the WNBA's Las Vegas Aces in



2021 before starting her professional career overseas in 2021-22.

Haiby and Bourne joined Cain in collecting All-Big Ten honors in 2020-21. Nebraska's MVP, Haiby captured second-team All-Big Ten accolades as the only player to rank among the conference's top 15 in scoring (11th, 16.8 ppg), rebounding (15th, 6.8 rpg) and assists (8th, 4.4 apg). Haiby's game-winning putback at the buzzer against Northwestern was named ESPN SportsCenter's Top Play on New Year's Eve, giving Nebraska one of its five wins on the year against top-25 opponents.

Bourne, a 6-2 forward from Canberra, Australia, also produced a breakout season for the Big Red by earning honorable-mention All-Big Ten recognition. Bourne averaged 13.6 points, 7.5 rebounds and 2.5 assists while proving herself as one of the most versatile players in the Big Ten.

Williams was a four-year letterwinner (Amy Gusso, 1995-96-97-98) at Nebraska, playing for coaches Angela Beck and Paul Sanderford before embarking on a career in coaching. The academic All-Big 12 honoree earned her bachelor's degree from Nebraska as a biology and mathematics major in 1998, before earning her master's degree in sports administration from Nebraska-Kearney in 2002.

Williams spent four successful seasons (2013-16) as the head coach at South Dakota, where she led the Coyotes to four straight postseason appearances. She led USD to a 32-6 record that culminated with a WNIT Championship in 2015-16. The Coyotes won the Summit League regular-season title with a 15-1 mark, and she was named the Summit League Coach of the Year for the second consecutive season.

Her gritty pack of Coyotes posted a Division I school-record 32 wins (32-3), surpassing the 26 her Yotes totaled in 2014-15, when she won her first Summit League Coach-of-the-Year award. Over Williams' final two seasons at USD, her teams went 58-14 (.806), including 28-4 in the Summit League with a pair of regular-season conference crowns.

She led USD to a school-record 16 straight wins before falling to South Dakota State in the Summit League title game. The Coyotes defeated the same SDSU team that advanced to the NCAA Tournament second round twice during the season. Five of USD's six losses in 2015-16 came to teams that advanced to postseason play, including a loss to NCAA Women's Final Four qualifier Washington.

Williams' team rolled to a WNIT title with six straight wins, including wins over Creighton, Minnesota, Northern Iowa, Western Kentucky and

a whopping 34-point victory over Oregon before beating Florida Gulf Coast.

She finished her four-year stint in Vermillion with the second-most victories in program history (96), averaging 24 victories per year in her first stop as an NCAA Division I head coach. She led the Coyotes to four straight Summit League championship games.

In 2014-15, Williams guided USD to a 26-8 mark that included a trip to the second round of the WNIT. The Coyotes went 13-3 on their way to a Summit League regular-season title. Their 2014-15 success represented a seven-game improvement in the win column over 2013-14 (19-14), when they won the Summit League Tournament title. That team earned an automatic bid to the 2014 NCAA Tournament before falling to Stanford in the first round.

In her first season at South Dakota, Williams finished with a 19-16 record and earned a trip to the Women's Basketball Invitational semifinals.

Williams began her head coaching career with a unique opportunity at Rogers State in Oklahoma. She was named the first-ever head women's basketball coach for the fledgling program in 2007-08 and built the program from the ground up. Her stay at the Claremore, Okla., school culminated with a trip to the NAIA Elite Eight in 2011-12. In five years with the Hillcats, Williams went 97-65, including the school's first trip to the NAIA Tournament in 2010-11.

Williams started her coaching career as a graduate assistant at Nebraska-Kearney (1998-99 to 1999-2000), before earning a full-time assistant coaching role at the University of Texas San Antonio in 2000-01. She spent four seasons as an assistant coach and recruiting coordinator at Oklahoma State (2001-02 to 2004-05), before working in a similar role at Tulsa (2005-06 to 2006-07).

Williams helped the Golden Hurricane claim its first Conference USA regular-season and tournament championships in 2006. The Hurricane also earned its first trip to the NCAA Tournament and won its first tournament game on its way to a 26-6 record.

Williams served as the top assistant and recruiting coordinator at Oklahoma State, and brought the 2003 Big 12 Newcomer of the Year to Stillwater in a class that was ranked No. 19 by All-Star Girls Report. A native of Spearfish, S.D., Williams and her husband, Lloyd, have two daughters Kennadi and Bentli. Kennadi is expected to be a freshman women's basketball and softball student-athlete at Nebraska beginning in 2024-25.

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MICHIGAN STATE DEC. 7 | LINCOLN, NEB.

GENERAL INFO

Location East Lansing, Mich.
 Founded 1855
 Enrollment 50,023
 Nickname Spartans
 Colors Green and White
 President: Kevin Guskiewicz
 Athletics Director Alan Haller
 Conference Big Ten
 Arena Breslin Center (14,797)
 Website msuspartans.com
 MBB on X/Instagram @MSU_Basketball

TEAM INFORMATION

2023-24 Record 20-15 (10-10, t-6th)
 Postseason Finish NCAA Second Round
 Starters R/L 1/4
 Lettermen R/L 8/6

HEAD COACH

Head Coach (Year) Tom Izzo (Northern Michigan, 1977)
 Record at School 707-295 (29 seasons)
 Overall Record Same

MEDIA RELATIONS

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INDIANA DEC. 13 | LINCOLN, NEB.

GENERAL INFO

Location Bloomington, Ind.
 Founded 1820
 Enrollment 48,514
 Nickname Hoosiers
 Colors Cream and Crimson
 President Pamela Whitten
 Athletics Director Scott Dolsen
 Conference Big Ten
 Arena Simon Skjodt Assembly Hall (17,222)
 Website IUhoosiers.com
 MBB on X/Instagram @IndianaMBB

TEAM INFORMATION

2023-24 Record 19-14 (10-10, t-6th)
 Postseason Finish None
 Starters R/L 3/2
 Lettermen R/L 6/6

HEAD COACH

Head Coach (Year) Mike Woodson (Indiana, 1980)
 Record at School 63-40 (Three seasons)
 Overall Record Same

MEDIA RELATIONS

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UCLA JAN. 4 | LINCOLN, NEB.

GENERAL INFO

Location Los Angeles, Calif.
 Founded 1919
 Enrollment 46,000
 Nickname Bruins
 Colors Blue & Gold
 Chancellor-designate Julio Frenk
 Athletics Director Martin Jarmond
 Conference Big Ten
 Arena Pauley Pavilion (13,800)
 Website uclabruins.com
 MBB on X/Instagram @UCLAMBB

TEAM INFORMATION

2023-24 Record (Conf. Record) 16-17 (10-10, 5th, Pac-12)
 Postseason Finish None
 Starters R/L 4/1
 Lettermen R/L 7/7

HEAD COACH

Head Coach (Year) Mick Cronin (Cincinnati, 1997)
 Record at School 115-53 (Five seasons)
 Overall Record 480-224 (21 seasons)

MEDIA RELATIONS

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IOWA JAN. 7 | IOWA CITY, IOWA MARCH 9 | LINCOLN, NEB.

GENERAL INFO

Location Iowa City, Iowa
 Founded 1847
 Enrollment 31,452
 Nickname Hawkeyes
 Colors Gold and Black
 President Barbara J. Wilson
 Athletics Director Beth Goetz
 Conference Big Ten
 Arena Carver-Hawkeye Arena (15,056)
 Website hawkeyesports.com
 MBB on X/Instagram @IowaHoops

TEAM INFORMATION

2023-24 Record 19-15 (10-10, t-6th)
 Postseason Finish NIT Second Round
 Starters R/L 3/2
 Lettermen R/L 10/6

HEAD COACH

Head Coach (Year) Fran McCaffery (Pennsylvania, 1982)
 Record at School 280-191 (14 seasons)
 Overall Record 531-368 (28 seasons)

MEDIA RELATIONS

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PURDUE JAN. 12 | WEST LAFAYETTE, IND.

GENERAL INFO

Location West Lafayette, Ind.
 Founded 1869
 Enrollment 55,119
 Nickname Boilermakers
 Colors Old Gold & Black
 President Mung Chiang
 Athletics Director Mike Bobinski
 Conference Big Ten
 Arena Mackey Arena (14,876)
 Website purduesports.com
 MBB on X/Instagram @BoilerBall

TEAM INFORMATION

2023-24 Record 34-5 (17-3, 1st)
 Postseason Finish NCAA Runner-up
 Starters R/L 3/2
 Lettermen R/L 7/6

HEAD COACH

Head Coach (Year) Matt Painter (Purdue, 1993)
 Record at School 447-203 (19 seasons)
 Overall Record 472-208 (20 seasons)

MEDIA RELATIONS

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SCOUTING THE BIG TEN - MEN'S BASKETBALL

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MARYLAND
JAN. 19 | COLLEGE PARK, MD.
FEB. 13 | LINCOLN, NEB.

GENERAL INFO

Location College Park, Md.
 Founded 1856
 Enrollment 40,700
 Nickname Terrapins, Terps
 Colors Red, White, Black and Gold
 President Dr. Darryll J. Pines
 Athletics Director Damon Evans
 Conference Big Ten
 Arena XFINITY Center (17,950)
 Website umterps.com
 MBB on X/Instagram @TerrapinHoops

TEAM INFORMATION

2023-24 Record 15-17 (7-13, t-12th)
 Postseason Finish None
 Starters R/L 3/2
 Lettermen R/L 8/7

HEAD COACH

Head Coach (Year) Kevin Willard (Pittsburgh, 1997)
 Record at School 38-30 (Two seasons)
 Overall Record 308-240 (17 seasons)

MEDIA RELATIONS

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PURDUE
JAN. 12 | WEST LAFAYETTE, IND.

GENERAL INFO

Location West Lafayette, Ind.
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 Enrollment 55,119
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 Overall Record 472-208 (20 seasons)

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USC
JAN. 22 | LINCOLN, NEB.

GENERAL INFO

Location Los Angeles, Calif
 Founded 1880
 Enrollment 47,000
 Nickname Trojans
 Colors Cardinal & Gold
 President Dr. Carol L. Folt
 Athletics Director Jen Cohen
 Conference Big Ten
 Arena Galen Center (10,258)
 Website usctrojans.com
 MBB on X/Instagram @USC_Hoops/@uschoops

TEAM INFORMATION

2023-24 Record (Conf. Record) 15-18 (8-12, t-9th, Pac-12)
 Postseason Finish None
 Starters R/L 0/5
 Lettermen R/L 1/10

HEAD COACH

Head Coach (Year) Eric Musselman (San Diego, 1987)
 Record at School 0-0 (First season)
 Overall Record 221-93 (Nine seasons)

MEDIA RELATIONS

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RUTGERS
JAN. 16 | LINCOLN, NEB.

GENERAL INFO

Location Piscataway, N.J.
 Founded 1766
 Enrollment 67,200
 Nickname Scarlet Knights
 Color Scarlet
 President Jonathan Holloway
 Interim Athletics Director Ryan Pisarri
 Conference Big Ten
 Arena Jersey Mike's Arena (8,000)
 Website scarletknights.com
 MBB on X/Instagram @RutgersMBB

TEAM INFORMATION

2023-24 Record 15-17 (7-13, t-12th)
 Postseason Finish None
 Starters R/L 1/4
 Lettermen R/L 3/13

HEAD COACH

Head Coach Steve Pikiell (Connecticut, 1990)
 Record at School 132-123 (Eight seasons)
 Overall Record 329-297 (20 seasons)

MEDIA RELATIONS

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WISCONSIN
JAN. 26 | MADISON, WIS.

GENERAL INFO

Location Madison, Wis.
 Founded 1848
 Enrollment 50,662
 Nickname Badgers
 Colors Cardinal and White
 Chancellor Jennifer Mnookin
 Athletics Director Chris McIntosh
 Conference Big Ten
 Arena Kohl Center (17,071)
 Website UWBadgers.com
 MBB on X/Instagram @BadgerMBB

TEAM INFORMATION

2023-24 Record 22-14 (11-9, 5th)
 Postseason Finish NCAA First Round
 Starters R/L 2/3
 Lettermen R/L 9/7

HEAD COACH

Head Coach (Year) Greg Gard (UW-Platteville, 1995)
 Record at School 186-107 (Nine seasons)
 Overall Record Same

MEDIA RELATIONS

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SCOUTING THE BIG TEN - MEN'S BASKETBALL

ILLINOIS
JAN. 30 | CHAMPAIGN, ILL.

GENERAL INFO

Location Champaign, Ill.
 Founded 1867
 Enrollment 59,238
 Nickname Fighting Illini
 Colors Orange and Blue
 Chancellor Robert J. Jones
 Athletics Director Josh Whitman
 Conference Big Ten
 Arena State Farm Center (15,544)
 Website Fightingillini.com
 MBB on X/Instagram @IlliniMBB

TEAM INFORMATION

2023-24 Record 29-9 (14-6, 2nd)
 Postseason Finish NCAA Elite Eight
 Starters R/L 1/4
 Lettermen R/L 3/10

HEAD COACH

Head Coach (Year) Brad Underwood (Kansas State, 1986)
 Record at School 143-88 (Seven seasons)
 Overall Record 252-115 (11 seasons)

MEDIA RELATIONS

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OHIO STATE
FEB. 9 | LINCOLN, NEB.
MARCH 4 | COLUMBUS, OHIO

GENERAL INFO

Location Columbus, Ohio
 Founded 1870
 Enrollment 60,540
 Nickname Buckeyes
 Colors Scarlet and Gray
 President Walter "Ted" Carter Jr.
 Athletics Director Ross Bjork
 Conference Big Ten
 Arena Value City Arena (18,809)
 Website ohiostatebuckeyes.com
 MBB on X/Instagram @OhioStateHoops

TEAM INFORMATION

2023-24 Record 22-14 (9-11, t-9th)
 Postseason Finish NIT Quarterfinals
 Starters R/L 2/3
 Lettermen R/L 7/8

HEAD COACH

Head Coach (Year) Jake Diebler (Valparaiso, 2009)
 Record at School 8-3 (One season)
 Overall Record Same

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OREGON
FEB. 2 | EUGENE, ORE.

GENERAL INFO

Location Eugene, Ore.
 Founded 1876
 Enrollment 23,000
 Nickname Ducks
 Colors Green and Yellow
 President John Karl Scholz
 Athletics Director Rob Mullens
 Conference Big Ten
 Arena Matthew Knight Arena (12,364)
 Website goducks.com
 MBB on X/Instagram OregonMBB

TEAM INFORMATION

2023-24 Record (Conf. Record) 24-12 (12-8, 4th)
 Postseason Finish NCAA Second Round
 Starters R/L 3/2
 Lettermen R/L 7/7

HEAD COACH

Head Coach (Year) Dana Altman (Eastern New Mexico, 1980)
 Record at School 345-152 (14 seasons)
 Overall Record 735-395 (35 seasons)

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NORTHWESTERN
FEB. 16 | EVANSTON, ILL.

GENERAL INFO

Location Evanston, Ill.
 Founded 1851
 Enrollment 8,367
 Nickname Wildcats
 Colors Purple and White
 President Michael Schill
 Athletics Director Mark Jackson
 Conference Big Ten
 Arena Welsh-Ryan Arena (7,039)
 Website NUsports.com
 MBB on X/Instagram @NUMensBball

TEAM INFORMATION

2023-24 Record 22-12 (12-8, t-3rd)
 Postseason Finish NCAA Second Round
 Starters R/L 3/2
 Lettermen R/L 9/3

HEAD COACH

Head Coach (Year) Chris Collins (Duke, 2000)
 Record at School 177-174 (11 seasons)
 Overall Record Same

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WASHINGTON
FEB. 5 | SEATTLE, WASH.

GENERAL INFO

Location Seattle, Wash.
 Founded 1861
 Enrollment 50,097
 Nickname Huskies
 Colors Purple and Gold
 President Ana Mari Cauce
 Athletics Director Pat Chun
 Conference Big Ten
 Arena Alaska Airlines Arena (9,268)
 Website gohuskies.com
 MBB on X/Instagram @UW_MBB

TEAM INFORMATION

2023-24 Record (Conf. Record) 17-15 (9-11, t-6th)
 Postseason Finish None
 Starters R/L 1/4
 Lettermen R/L 5/12

HEAD COACH

Head Coach (Year) Danny Sprinkle (Montana State, 2000)
 Record at School 0-0 (First season)
 Overall Record 109-50 (Five seasons)

MEDIA RELATIONS

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PENN STATE
FEB. 19 | UNIVERSITY PARK, PA.

GENERAL INFO

Location University Park, Pa.
 Founded 1855
 Enrollment 48,535
 Nickname Nittany Lions
 Colors Blue and White
 President Neeli Bendapudi
 Athletics Director Patrick Kraft
 Conference Big Ten
 Arena Bryce Jordan Center (15,261)
 Website GoPSUsports.com
 MBB on X/Instagram @PennStateMBB

TEAM INFORMATION

2023-24 Record 16-17 (9-11, t-9th)
 Postseason Finish None
 Starters R/L 3/2
 Lettermen R/L 5/10

HEAD COACH

Head Coach (Year) Mike Rhoades (Lebanon Valley, 1995)
 Record at School 16-17 (One season)
 Overall Record 389-206 (20 seasons)

MEDIA RELATIONS

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SCOUTING THE BIG TEN - MEN'S BASKETBALL

MICHIGAN FEB. 24 | LINCOLN, NEB.

GENERAL INFO

Location Ann Arbor, Mich.
 Founded 1817
 Enrollment 51,225
 Nickname Wolverines
 Colors Maize & Blue
 President Santa J. Ono
 Athletics Director Warde Manuel
 Conference Big Ten
 Arena Crisler Center (12,707)
 Website mgoblue.com
 MBB on X/Instagram @umichbball

TEAM INFORMATION

2023-24 Record 8-24 (3-17, 14th)
 Postseason Finish None
 Starters R/L 1/4
 Lettermen R/L 10/5

HEAD COACH

Head Coach (Year) Dusty May (Indiana, 2000)
 Record at School 0-0 (First season)
 Overall Record 126-69 (Six seasons)

MEDIA RELATIONS

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MINNESOTA MARCH 1 | LINCOLN, NEB.

GENERAL INFO

Location Minneapolis, Minn.
 Founded 1851
 Enrollment 52,376
 Nickname Golden Gophers
 Colors Maroon and Gold
 President Dr. Rebecca Cunningham
 Athletics Director Mark Coyle
 Conference Big Ten
 Arena Williams Arena (14,625)
 Website gophersports.com
 MBB on X/Instagram @GopherMBB

TEAM INFORMATION

2023-24 Record 19-15 (9-11, t-9th)
 Postseason Finish NIT Second Round
 Starters R/L 2/3
 Lettermen R/L 5/9

HEAD COACH

Head Coach (Year) Ben Johnson (Minnesota, 2005)
 Record at School 41-54 (Three seasons)
 Overall Record Same

MEDIA RELATIONS

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SCOUTING THE BIG TEN - WOMEN'S BASKETBALL



Illinois Fighting Illini

Location (Population)..... Urbana-Champaign, Ill. (236,072)
Colors Orange & Blue
Home Arena State Farm Center (15,544)
Head Coach.....Shauna Green (Canisius, 2002)
Record at Illinois41-25 (2 seasons)
Career Record197-100 (10 seasons)
2023-24 Record (Postseason)19-15 (WBIT Champion)
2023-24 Big Ten Record/Finish8-10/9th

Nebraska vs. Illinois (Nebraska leads, 20-7)

Lincoln: Nebraska leads, 9-2 (last, Nebraska 56, Illinois 48, Jan. 11, 2024)
Champaign-Urbana: Nebraska leads, 9-3 (last, Illinois 74, Nebraska 73, March 3, 2024)
Neutral: Series tied, 2-2 (last, Nebraska 92, Illinois 74, March 3, 2022)
Last Meeting: Illinois 74, Nebraska 73, March 3, 2024 (Urbana-Champaign)
First Meeting: Nebraska 89, Illinois 86, March 3, 1982 (Lincoln)



Indiana Hoosiers

Location (Population).....Bloomington, Ind. (79,107)
Colors Crimson & Cream
Home Arena Simon Skjodt Assembly Hall (17,222)
Head Coach.....Teri Moren (Purdue, 1992)
Record at Indiana226-99 (10 seasons)
Career Record425-229 (21 seasons)
2023-24 Record (Postseason)26-6 (NCAA Sweet 16)
2023-24 Big Ten Record/Finish15-3/T2nd

Nebraska vs. Indiana (Indiana leads, 12-6)

Lincoln: Indiana leads, 5-4 (last, Indiana 91, Nebraska 69, Jan. 7, 2024)
Bloomington: Indiana leads, 7-2 (last, Indiana 74, Nebraska 62 OT, Jan. 1, 2023)
Neutral: None
Last Meeting: Indiana 91, Nebraska 69, Jan. 7, 2024 (Lincoln)
First Meeting: Indiana 83, Nebraska 80 (OT), Nov. 26, 1994 (Lincoln)



Iowa Hawkeyes

Location (Population)..... Iowa City, Iowa (75,233)
Colors Black & Gold
Home ArenaCarver-Hawkeye Arena (14,998)
Head Coach.....Jan Jensen (Drake, 1991)
Record at Iowa0-0 (First season)
Career Record0-0 (First season)
2023-24 Record (Postseason) ..34-5 (NCAA Runner-up)
2023-24 Big Ten Record/Finish15-3/T2nd

Nebraska vs. Iowa (Iowa leads, 24-16)

Lincoln: Iowa leads, 9-7 (last, Nebraska 82, Iowa 79, Feb. 11, 2024)
Iowa City: Iowa leads, 11-4 (last, Iowa 92, Nebraska 73, Jan. 27, 2024)
Neutral: Nebraska leads, 5-4 (last, Iowa 94, Nebraska 89 OT, March 10, 2024)
Last Meeting: Iowa 94, Nebraska 89, March 10, 2024 (Minneapolis)
First Meeting: Nebraska 71, Iowa 63, Jan. 13, 1978 (Warrensburg, Mo.)



Maryland Terrapins

Location (Population).....College Park, Md. (34,190)
ColorsRed, White, Black & Gold
Home ArenaXfinity Center (17,950)
Head Coach.....Brenda Frese (Arizona, 1993)
Record at Maryland582-161 (22 seasons)
Career Record639-191 (25 seasons)
2023-24 Record (Postseason)19-14 (NCAA 1st)
2023-24 Big Ten Record/Finish9-9/T6th

Nebraska vs. Maryland (Maryland leads, 16-3)

Lincoln: Maryland leads, 7-1 (last, Nebraska 87, Maryland 81, Dec. 31, 2023)
College Park: Maryland leads, 7-1 (last, Nebraska 90, Maryland 67, Dec. 4, 2022)
Neutral: Maryland leads, 2-1 (last, Nebraska 78, Maryland 68, March 9, 2024)
Last Meeting: Nebraska 78, Maryland 68, March 9, 2024 (Minneapolis)
First Meeting: Maryland 76, Nebraska 64, March 25, 2008 (College Park)



Michigan Wolverines

Location (Population).....Ann Arbor, Mich. (119,875)
Colors Maize & Blue
Home ArenaCrisler Center (12,707)
Head Coach.....Kim Barnes Arico (Montclair State, 1993)
Record at Michigan261-133 (12 seasons)
Career Record531-339 (28 seasons)
2023-24 Record (Postseason)20-14 (NCAA 1st)
2023-24 Big Ten Record/Finish9-9/T6th

Nebraska vs. Michigan (Nebraska leads, 18-9)

Lincoln: Nebraska leads, 9-4 (last, Nebraska 62, Michigan 43, Jan. 17, 2024)
Ann Arbor: Nebraska leads, 7-4 (last, Nebraska 65, Michigan 59, Feb. 6, 2024)
Neutral: Nebraska leads, 2-1 (last, Nebraska 76, Michigan 73, March 4, 2022)
Last Meeting: Nebraska 65, Michigan 59, Feb. 6, 2024 (Ann Arbor)
First Meeting: Nebraska 118, Michigan 92, Nov. 28, 1980 (Lincoln)



Michigan State Spartans

Location (Population).....East Lansing, Mich. (47,340)
Colors Green & White
Home ArenaBreslin Center (14,759)
Head Coach.....Robyn Fralick (Davidson, 2004)
Record at Michigan State22-9 (1 season)
Career Record214-85 (9 seasons)
2023-24 Record (Postseason)22-9 (NCAA 1st)
2023-24 Big Ten Record/Finish12-6/4th

Nebraska vs. Michigan State (Nebraska leads, 12-6)

Lincoln: Nebraska leads, 6-0 (last, Nebraska 71, Michigan State 67, Feb. 2, 2023)
East Lansing: Michigan State leads, 5-4 (last, Nebraska 80, Michigan State 74, Dec. 9, 2023)
Neutral: Nebraska leads, 2-1 (last, Nebraska 73, Michigan State 61, March 8, 2024)
Last Meeting: Nebraska 73, Michigan State 61, March 8, 2024 (Minneapolis)
First Meeting: Michigan State 73, Nebraska 53, Feb. 23, 2012 (East Lansing)



Minnesota Golden Gophers

Location (Population).....Minneapolis, Minn. (3.7 million)
Colors Maroon & Gold
Home ArenaWilliams Arena (14,625)
Head Coach.....Dawn Plitzuweit (Michigan Tech, 1995)
Record at Minnesota20-16 (1 season)
Career Record385-157 (17 seasons)
2023-24 Record (Postseason) ...20-16 (WNIT Runner-up)
2023-24 Big Ten Record/Finish5-13/T11th

Nebraska vs. Minnesota (Nebraska leads 18-14)

Lincoln: Nebraska leads, 13-4 (last, Nebraska 70, Minnesota 51, Feb. 24, 2024)
Minneapolis: Minnesota leads, 10-3 (last, Minnesota 62, Nebraska 58, Jan. 14, 2024)
Neutral: Nebraska leads, 2-0 (Nebraska 72, Minnesota 61, March 10, 2021)
Last Meeting: Nebraska 70, Minnesota 51, Feb. 24, 2024 (Lincoln)
First Meeting: Nebraska 68, Minnesota 67 (OT), Dec. 30, 1977 (Lincoln)



Northwestern Wildcats

Location (Population).....Evanston, Ill. (75,544)
Colors Purple & White
Home ArenaWelsh-Ryan Arena (7,039)
Head Coach.....Joe McKeown (Kent State, 1979)
Record at Northwestern258-240 (14 seasons)
Career Record768-414 (37 seasons)
2023-24 Record (Postseason)9-21 (None)
2023-24 Big Ten Record/Finish4-14/13th

Nebraska vs. Northwestern (Nebraska leads, 16-8)

Lincoln: Nebraska leads, 8-3 (last, Nebraska 75, Northwestern 50, Feb. 20, 2024)
Evanston: Nebraska leads, 7-5 (last, Nebraska 78, Northwestern 66, Feb. 6, 2023)
Neutral: Nebraska leads, 1-0 (last, Nebraska 88, Northwestern 56, March 1, 2012)
Last Meeting: Nebraska 75, Northwestern 50, Feb. 20, 2024 (Lincoln)
First Meeting: Nebraska 65, Northwestern 64, Nov. 29, 1980 (Lincoln)



Ohio State Buckeyes

Location (Population).....Columbus, Ohio (2.1 million)
Colors Scarlet & Gray
Home ArenaSchottenstein Center (18,809)
Head Coach.....Kevin McGuff (St. Joseph's, Ind., 1992)
Record at Ohio State198-106 (11 seasons)
Career Record453-205 (22 seasons)
2023-24 Record (Postseason)26-6 (NCAA 2nd)
2023-24 Big Ten Record/Finish16-2/1st

Nebraska vs. Ohio State (Ohio State leads, 14-9)

Lincoln: Ohio State leads, 6-4 (last, Ohio State 76, Nebraska 67, Jan. 14, 2023)
Columbus: Ohio State leads, 8-4 (last, Ohio State 80, Nebraska 47, Feb. 14, 2024)
Neutral: Nebraska leads, 1-0 (last, Nebraska 71, Ohio State 57, March 3, 2012)
Last Meeting: Ohio State 80, Nebraska 47, Feb. 14, 2024 (Columbus)
First Meeting: Nebraska 63, Ohio State 54, Dec. 2, 1990 (Columbus)



Oregon Ducks

Location (Population).....Eugene, Ore. (177,923)
Colors Green & Yellow
Home ArenaMatthew Knight Arena (12,364)
Head Coach.....Kelly Graves (New Mexico, 1987)
Record at Oregon223-99 (10 seasons)
Career Record605-261 (27 seasons)
2023-24 Record (Postseason)11-21 (None)
2023-24 Pac-12 Record/Finish2-16/12th

Nebraska vs. Oregon (Oregon leads, 1-0)

Lincoln: Never met
Eugene: Oregon leads, 1-0 (last, Oregon 73, Nebraska 67, Jan. 3, 1985)
Neutral: Never met
Last Meeting: Oregon 73, Nebraska 67, Jan. 3, 1985 (Eugene)
First Meeting: Oregon 73, Nebraska 67, Jan. 3, 1985 (Eugene)

SCOUTING THE BIG TEN - WOMEN'S BASKETBALL



Penn State Lady Lions

Location (Population)..... University Park, Pa. (158,425)
 Colors Blue & White
 Home Arena Bryce Jordan Center (15,261)
 Head Coach..... Carolyn Kieger (Marquette, 2006)
 Record at Penn State 63-86 (5 seasons)
 Career Record 162-150 (10 seasons)
 2023-24 Record (Postseason) 22-13 (WBIT Semifinals)
 2023-24 Big Ten Record/Finish 9-9/T6th

Nebraska vs. Penn State (Nebraska leads, 11-9)

Lincoln: Nebraska leads, 8-2 (last, Nebraska 80, Penn State 51, Jan. 11, 2023)
University Park: Penn State leads, 6-3 (last, Penn State 82, Nebraska 73, Jan. 21, 2024)
Neutral: Penn State leads, 1-0 (last, Penn State 83, Nebraska 64, Dec. 30, 2002)
Last Meeting: Penn State 82, Nebraska 73, Jan. 21, 2024 (University Park)
First Meeting: Penn State 102, Nebraska 66, Jan. 2, 1993 (University Park)



Purdue Boilermakers

Location (Population)..... West Lafayette, Ind. (45,060)
 Colors Old Gold & Black
 Home Arena Mackey Arena (14,876)
 Head Coach..... Katie Gearlds (Purdue, 2007)
 Record at Purdue 51-45 (3 seasons)
 Career Record 279-95 (11 seasons)
 2023-24 Record (Postseason) 15-19 (WNIT Great 8)
 2023-24 Big Ten Record/Finish 5-13/T11th

Nebraska vs. Purdue (Nebraska leads, 11-10)

Lincoln: Nebraska leads, 5-4 (last, Nebraska 68, Purdue 54, Jan. 31, 2024)
West Lafayette: Nebraska leads, 5-3 (last, Nebraska 77, Purdue 65, Feb. 17, 2024)
Neutral: Purdue leads, 3-1 (last, Nebraska 64, Purdue 56, March 7, 2024)
Last Meeting: Nebraska 64, Purdue 56, March 7, 2024 (Minneapolis)
First Meeting: Nebraska 93, Purdue 89 (3OT), Feb. 2, 2012 (West Lafayette)



Rutgers Scarlet Knights

Location (Population)..... Piscataway, N.J. (60,467)
 Colors Scarlet
 Home Arena Jersey Mike's Arena (The RAC) (8,000)
 Head Coach..... Coquese Washington
 Record at Rutgers 20-44 (2 seasons)
 Career Record 229-213 (14 seasons)
 2023-24 Record (Postseason) 8-24 (None)
 2023-24 Big Ten Record/Finish 2-16/14th

Nebraska vs. Rutgers (Rutgers leads, 8-5)

Lincoln: Nebraska leads 4-2 (last, Rutgers 71, Nebraska 70, Feb. 3, 2024)
Piscataway: Rutgers leads, 5-1 (last, Rutgers 57, Nebraska 45, Jan. 7, 2023)
Neutral: Rutgers leads, 1-0 (Rutgers 66, Nebraska 63, March 3, 2016)
Last Meeting: Rutgers 71, Nebraska 70, Feb. 3, 2024 (Lincoln)
First Meeting: Rutgers 46, Nebraska 43, Feb. 5, 2015 (Piscataway)



UCLA Bruins

Location (Population)..... Los Angeles, Calif. (18.4 million)
 Colors Blue & Gold
 Home Arena Pauley Pavilion (13,800)
 Head Coach..... Cori Close (UC Santa Barbara, 1993)
 Record at UCLA 287-140 (13 seasons)
 Career Record 287-140 (13 seasons)
 2023-24 Record (Postseason) 27-7 (NCAA Sweet 16)
 2023-24 Pac-12 Record/Finish 13-5/T2nd

Nebraska vs. UCLA (UCLA leads, 4-3)

Lincoln: Series tied 1-1 (last, Nebraska 77, UCLA 49, Nov. 8, 2013)
Los Angeles: UCLA leads, 2-1 (last, Nebraska 71, UCLA 66, Nov. 28, 2014)
Neutral: Series tied, 1-1 (last, Nebraska 83, UCLA 70, March 23, 2010)
Last Meeting: Nebraska 71, UCLA 66, Nov. 28, 2014 (Los Angeles)
First Meeting: UCLA 68, Nebraska 53, Jan. 11, 1977 (Los Angeles)



USC Trojans

Location (Population)..... Los Angeles, Calif. (18.4 million)
 Colors Cardinal & Gold
 Home Arena Galen Center (10,258)
 Head Coach..... Lindsay Gottlieb (Brown, 1999)
 Record at USC 62-32 (3 seasons)
 Career Record 297-160 (14 seasons)
 2023-24 Record (Postseason) 29-6 (NCAA Elite 8)
 2023-24 Pac-12 Record/Finish 13-5/T2nd

Nebraska vs. USC (Nebraska leads, 5-3)

Lincoln: Nebraska leads 2-0 (last, Nebraska 68, USC 50, Nov. 18, 2011)
Los Angeles: Series tied, 2-2 (last, Nebraska 74, USC 65, Nov. 23, 2012)
Neutral: Series tied, 1-1 (Nebraska 67, USC 54, Nov. 29, 2019)
Last Meeting: Nebraska 67, USC 54, Nov. 29, 2019 (Las Vegas)
First Meeting: USC 72, Nebraska 70 OT, Jan. 12, 1977 (Los Angeles)



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2025 BIG TEN TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

First Round, Wednesday, March 5

Game 1: No. 12 Seed vs. No. 13 Seed, 2 p.m. (Peacock)
Game 2: No. 10 Seed vs. No. 15 Seed, 4:15 p.m. (Peacock)
Game 3: No. 11 Seed vs. No. 14 Seed, 6:30 p.m. (Peacock)

Second Round, Thursday, March 6

Game 4: No. 8 Seed vs. No. 9 Seed, 11 a.m. (BTN)
Game 5: Winner Game 1 vs. No. 5 Seed, 1:15 p.m. (BTN)
Game 6: Winner Game 2 vs. No. 7 Seed, 5:30 p.m. (BTN)
Game 7: Winner Game 3 vs. No. 6 Seed, 7:45 p.m. (BTN)

Quarterfinals, Friday, March 8

Game 8: Winner Game 4 vs. No. 1 Seed, 11 a.m. (BTN)
Game 9: Winner Game 5 vs. No. 4 Seed, 1:15 p.m. (BTN)
Game 10: Winner Game 6 vs. No. 2 Seed, 5:30 p.m. (BTN)
Game 11: Winner Game 7 vs. No. 3 Seed, 7:45 p.m. (BTN)

Semifinals, Saturday, March 9

Game 12: Winner Game 8 vs. Winner Game 9, 5:30 p.m. (BTN)
Game 13: Winner Game 10 vs. Winner Game 11, 7:45 p.m. (BTN)

Championship Game, Sunday, March 10

Game 14: Winner Game 12 vs. Winner Game 13, Noon (CBS)
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Ticket Information

Nebraska Ticket Block - Huskers.com or 1-800-8-BIG-RED
 General Tickets - www.BigTen.org



Washington Huskies

Location (Population)..... Seattle, Wash. (4 million)
 Colors Purple & Gold
 Home Arena Alaska Airlines Arena at Hec Edmundson Pavilion (10,000)
 Head Coach..... Tina Langley (West Alabama, 1996)
 Record at Washington 42-46 (3 seasons)
 Career Record 168-107 (9 seasons)
 2023-24 Record (Postseason) 16-15 (WBIT 1st)
 2023-24 Pac-12 Record/Finish 6-12/10th

Nebraska vs. Washington (Series tied, 2-2)

Lincoln: Nebraska leads, 2-0 (last, Nebraska 89, Washington 86, Dec. 6, 1999)
Seattle: Washington leads, 1-0 (last, Washington 69, Nebraska 57, Dec. 6, 2000)
Neutral: Washington leads, 1-0 (last, Washington 101, Nebraska 70, Dec. 30, 1984)
Last Meeting: Washington 69, Nebraska 57, Dec. 6, 2000 (Seattle)
First Meeting: Nebraska 98, Washington 81, Dec. 4, 1982 (Lincoln)



Wisconsin Badgers

Location (Population)..... Madison, Wis. (272,900)
 Colors Cardinal & White
 Home Arena Kohl Center (17,287)
 Head Coach..... Marisa Mosely (Boston U., 2004)
 Record at Wisconsin 34-58 (3 seasons)
 Career Record 79-87 (6 seasons)
 2023-24 Record (Postseason) 15-17 (WNIT Quarterfinals)
 2023-24 Big Ten Record/Finish 6-12/10th

Nebraska vs. Wisconsin (Nebraska leads, 16-7)

Lincoln: Nebraska leads, 9-2 (last, Nebraska 82, Wisconsin 54, Dec. 7, 2022)
Madison: Nebraska leads, 7-5 (last, Nebraska 69, Wisconsin 57, Jan. 4, 2024)
Neutral: None
Last Meeting: Nebraska 69, Wisconsin 57, Jan. 4, 2024 (Madison)
First Meeting: Wisconsin 79, Nebraska 74, Jan. 5, 1979 (Madison)

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Athletic Director First Season Northern Iowa (1989)

athletes earned 49 All-America honors, a national championship, 21 conference championships and 41 postseason appearances.

In 2022-23, Tulane football won its first American Athletic Conference football championship and won the Cotton Bowl over USC, which was ranked ninth in the nation at that time. The men's basketball program won 20 regular-season games for the first time in two decades. Additionally, men's tennis advanced to its sixth NCAA Tournament in seven years, both bowling and beach volleyball finished ranked in the top 20, and baseball won the conference championship.

Tulane's football program participated in an unprecedented three consecutive bowl games from 2018 to 2020, winning back-to-back bowl games for the first time in 128 years of football at the University.

In the classroom, Tulane student-athletes excelled at a high-level. At the end of the 2022-23 academic year, over 68 percent of Green Wave student-athletes earned a 3.0 GPA or better, with a 93 percent Graduation Success Rate and a record-setting department Academic Progress Report of 992, with seven teams earning a perfect 1000 APR score.

Dannen spearheaded fundraising efforts and numerous capital projects at Tulane. He helped secure the largest unrestricted gift in Tulane Athletics history, an endowment gift that funded the operation of a new sport (sailing), and a \$10 million lead gift for capital renovations, which was the second-largest

NEBRASKA ATHLETIC DIRECTORS

1928-1931	H.D. Gish
1932-1936	Dana X. Bible
1937-1942	Lawrence McCeney "Biff" Jones
1942-1947	A.J. Lewandowski
1948-1953	George "Potsy" Clark
1954-1960	J.W. "Bill" Orwig
1961*	Charles Miller & Joseph Soshnik
1962-1966	W.H. "Tippy" Dye
1967-1992	Bob Devaney
1993-2002	Bill Byrne
2003-2007	Steve Pederson
2007-2012	Tom Osborne
2013-2017	Shawn Eichorst
2017-2021	Bill Moos
2021-2024	Trev Alberts
2024-Present	Troy Dannen
*Interim Co-Directors	

gift in department history. In addition, marketing and licensing revenue grew four-fold, and in 2022-23, Tulane football, basketball and volleyball set ticket sales and revenue records. Under Dannen's leadership, the Green Wave Club Annual Fund grew by 40 percent in terms of donors, and 45 percent in terms of dollars.

Increases in fundraising and major gift donors positively impacted capital project development and completion. A \$13 million renovation to the Reilly Natatorium, home of the swimming and diving program, as well as \$8 million in renovations to locker rooms and the sports medicine area inside the Wilson Center were completed in 2023. Dannen also oversaw construction of a new dining facility, weight room, basketball and volleyball locker rooms. Tulane also completed a \$2.4 million academic center renovation and a \$5 million television and digital production center.

Dannen came to Tulane after serving eight years as the Director of Athletics at the University of Northern Iowa (UNI) from 2008 to 2015. During his tenure, the Panthers enjoyed success at both the conference and national levels, highlighted by an NCAA Sweet 16 appearance in 2010 by the UNI men's basketball team. During his eight-year tenure, UNI was recognized with 39 All-Americans, 13 Coaches of the Year and nine Missouri Valley Conference (MVC) Players of the Year. UNI football, men's basketball, women's basketball, volleyball and softball combined to reach 15 NCAA tournaments and 20 postseason berths during that stretch. For his efforts, Dannen was recognized as NACDA's FCS Athletic Director of the Year in 2014.

Prior to his time at UNI, Dannen served as the Iowa Girls High School Athletic Union's Executive Director for seven years, overseeing 400 high schools and 10 sports.

Dannen grew up on a farm just outside Marshalltown, Iowa, and graduated from UNI in 1989 with a degree in communications. He is married to Amy, and has four children: Elle, Emily, Holly and William.

Troy Dannen, a leading voice in collegiate athletics with extensive experience as an athletic director and deep ties to the Midwest, is in his first year as Nebraska's Director of Athletics. Dannen was hired on March 20, 2024, and has hit the ground running in Lincoln.

Nebraska Athletics enjoyed success during Dannen's first championship season, as the Husker baseball program won its first Big Ten Tournament title and reached the 40-win plateau for the first time since 2014 while the Husker track teams put together impressive showings. The Husker men won the Big Ten Outdoor title and earned their best NCAA Championship finish since 2016 with a 13th-place finish, while the Husker women posted their second straight top-10 NCAA finish and placed ninth at the national meet. Nebraska finished 22nd in the final 2023-24 Learfield Director's Cup, the program's highest finish since 2010.

Dannen has been a leader in charting the course for a new era of collegiate athletics, serving from 2021 to 2023 as a member of the NCAA Constitution Committee and the Division I Transformation Committee. Dannen also previously served as the chair of the NCAA Football Competition Committee and was an Executive Committee member of the Football Oversight Committee. In total, Dannen has served on seven NCAA committees.

In 2022, Dannen was a finalist for Sports Business Journal's Athletic Director of the Year award, and he received the Distinguished American Award from the Sugar Bowl Chapter of the National Football Foundation.

Dannen came to Lincoln after serving as Director of Athletics at the University of Washington. He helped guide the Huskies' transition to the Big Ten Conference and oversaw a football program that reached the College Football Playoff National Championship Game in January of 2024.

He arrived at Washington in the fall of 2023 after serving as Director of Athletics at Tulane University since 2015. While at Tulane, Green Wave student-

