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**Paul Bertuccini**

RH Pitcher  
5-11, 175, R-R, Fr., HS  
Metairie, La. (Rummel HS)

Talented right-handed pitcher who is expected to redshirt in 2006 ... product of same high school as LSU catcher Matt Liuzza.

**High School**

Two-year letterwinner at Rummel High School ... member of two class 5A playoff teams ... coached by David Baudry ... member of the Honor Society.

**Personal**

Full name is Paul Edward Bertuccini ... parents are Dean and Debbie Bertuccini ... has one older sister, Dana ... lists his mother, Debbie, as the biggest influence on his athletic career ... plans to major in pre-nursing at LSU ... born November 3, 1986.



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**Jarred Bogany**

Outfielder  
6-2, 195, R-R, Fr., HS  
Houston, Texas (George Bush HS)

**MLB Draft: 15th Round in 2005 (Pittsburgh)**

One of the most coveted outfield prospects in the nation ... a five-tool player who is expected to start in center field for the Tigers as a freshman ... unique combination of speed and raw power with tremendous defensive coverage in the outfield ... timed at 6.6 seconds in the 60-yard dash ... the 15th-round selection of the Pittsburgh Pirates in the 2005 Major League Baseball Draft ... batted .388 (19-for-49) with a homer and 10 RBI in LSU's fall intrasquad games ... swiped eight bases in 10 tries to lead the squad this fall.

**High School**

A three-time first-team all-state, all-Houston and all-district selection at George Bush High School in Richmond, Texas ... earned four letters in baseball as a centerfielder and three letters in basketball as a forward ... member of the USA Baseball Youth National Olympic gold medal team in 2003 ... collected four hits, scored twice and stole a base in the United States' 11-7 victory over Taiwan in the championship game ... competed in the 2005 High School All-American Baseball Game in Albuquerque, N.M. ... for his high school career, batted .415 with 83 runs scored and 53 stolen bases ... in 2004, hit .405 with three homers and 13 stolen bases ... also maintained a fielding percentage of 1.000 in 113 innings ... coached by Rodney Hernandez.

**Personal**

Full name is Jarred Michael Bogany ... parents are Michael and Barbara Bogany ... lists his mother, Barbara, as the biggest influence on his athletic career ... plans to major in business management at LSU ... born January 4, 1987.



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**Michael Bonura**

RH Pitcher  
6-1, 175, R-R, So., 1L  
Destrehan, La. (St. Charles Catholic HS)

Returns to action this season after receiving a medical redshirt in 2005 (Tommy John surgery on right elbow) ... Outstanding prospect who will contend for a starting role this season after working 34.1 innings as a true freshman in 2004 ... can throw three pitches effectively for strikes.

**2004 Season**

Appeared in 14 games (three starts), posting a 4.46 ERA in 34.1 innings with 22 walks and 31 strikeouts ... worked the final inning of LSU's College World Series game versus South Carolina (June 21), retiring the Gamecocks in order while recording two strikeouts ... earned first collegiate victory on Feb. 17 versus UL-Monroe; working five innings as a starter, he limited the Indians to one run on four hits with three walks and three Ks ... defeated Southeastern Louisiana (May 19) as the starter (eight-inning game), allowing two runs on six hits in 4.2 innings with two walks and two strikeouts ... also posted relief wins at Centenary (March 23) and at New Orleans (March 30).

**High School**

Lettered four years at St. Charles Catholic High School ... Posted a 1.02 ERA and 61 strikeouts in 48 innings as a senior ... helped lead his team to a district title in 2002 ... also a four-year standout in basketball ... named district MVP as a point guard ... honor student and member of the National Honor Society.

**Personal**

Full name is Michael Phillip Bonura ... parents are Victor and Kim Bonura ... has one older brother, Courtney, and one younger brother, Jonathan ... enjoys fishing ... chose to attend LSU because "it is the best baseball program in the country" ... majoring in business administration at LSU ... born Sept. 26, 1984.

**Bonura's LSU Career Statistics**

Year	G-GS	W-L	ERA	SV	CG	SHO	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2004	14-3	4-0	4.46	0	0	0	34.1	33	20	17	22	31

**Bonura's LSU Career Highs**

Innings:	5.0 vs. UL-Monroe (2/17/04)
Strikeouts:	6 at South Carolina (3/20/04)
Hits Allowed:	6 (twice; most recently vs. Southeastern La. (5/19/04)
Runs:	4 at South Carolina (3/20/04)
Earned Runs:	4 at South Carolina (3/20/04)
Walks:	4 (twice; most recently at South Carolina (3/20/04)





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**Steven Broschofsky**

Outfielder  
6-2, 215, R-R, So., Sqd.  
Metairie, La. (Jesuit HS)

**2005 SEC Academic Honor Roll**  
**2004 SEC Academic Honor Roll**

Talented, versatile Louisiana prospect who should contend for playing time in the Tigers' outfield this season . . . redshirted as a true freshman in 2004 . . . named to the SEC Academic Honor Roll in 2004 and 2005 as a business administration major.

**2005 Season**

Played in just one game (Feb. 12 vs. Nicholls State) before suffering a season-ending shoulder injury . . . 1-for-2 at the plate in his only appearance with a double and one run scored as the Tigers posted a 19-2 win over the Colonels.

**High School**

A three-year letterman (outfielder/first base) at Jesuit High School ... named all-American and all-Mid South region by the High School Baseball Coaches Association ... 2003 class 5A all-state, all-metro, all-district selection ... batted .416 with 13 homers and 52 RBI as a senior ... spearheaded the Blue Jays to a 5A state championship title in 2002 ... a National Merit Finalist and three-time national Latin exam gold medalist.

**Personal**

Full name is Steven Michael Broschofsky ... parents are Jerome and Patricia Broschofsky ... has one older sister, Jennifer ... credits his parents for having the biggest influence upon his athletic career ... majoring in business administration at LSU ... born January 16, 1985.



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**Ryan Byrd**

LH Pitcher  
6-1, 165, R-L, Fr., RS  
Denham Springs, La. (Denham Springs HS)

Redshirt freshman southpaw with great location on his pitches ... may have an opportunity to pitch in a relief role this season . . . comes from an established high school program and knows how to win ... known for throwing an effective curveball.

**High School**

Four-year letterwinner at Denham Springs High School ... named all-state and all-district freshman, junior and senior years of high school ... earned 2004 Louisville Slugger All-America honors ... guided the Yellow Jackets to the 2004 Louisiana 5A state tournament, compiling a 8-2 record on the mound with 75 strikeouts and an ERA of 2.20 ... walked only 16 batters in 61.2 innings as a senior ... was a member of four playoff teams ... finished his career with 37 wins, an ERA of 1.71 and 269 strikeouts ... 2004 all-state academic honorable mention.

**Personal**

Full name is Ryan Keith Byrd ... parents are Keith and Rhonda Byrd ... has one younger sister, Lindsey... chose to attend LSU because "of the program's elite status" ... majoring in business administration at LSU ... born January 28, 1986.



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**Chris Cahill**

RH Pitcher  
6-2, 190, R-R, Sr., 1L  
Orlando, Fla. (Florida Gulf Coast University)

Hard-throwing transfer from Florida Gulf Coast University who could take on a larger role this season after pitching on a limited basis for LSU in 2005 . . . completed a solid fall intrasquad season, recording a 3.86 ERA in 18.2 innings of work, recording 14 strikeouts and limiting hitters to a .244 batting average.

**2005 Season**

Made seven appearances (one start), recording no decisions and a 5.52 ERA in 14.2 innings . . . fired one shutout inning in first career LSU appearance versus Nicholls State (Feb. 12), recording one strikeout . . . first career LSU start vs. Western Illinois (March 12) - allowed four earned runs on nine hits in five innings with two walks and four strikeouts . . . blanked New Orleans (March 29) in two relief innings, allowing no hits and recording two Ks . . . threw one shutout inning versus Tennessee (May 15), collecting two strikeouts.



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**2004 Season (at Florida Gulf Coast University)**

Earned the role as a reliable setup man for the Division II Eagles ... held a perfect 3-0 record in 12 appearances, while posting a team-high three saves ... in 23.1 innings, recorded a 3.09 ERA with 27 strikeouts and 14 walks ... allowed only a .198 opponents batting average ... member of squad that completed a 38-18 record in a competitive Division II conference.

**Personal**

Full name is Christopher Cahill ... parents are Tom and Carol Cahill ... product of Dr. Phillips High School in Orlando, Fla. ... led his 2004 Coastal Plains summer league team to first place in the conference standings ... served as a valuable setup man, posting a 4-0 record with a 1.13 ERA and three saves in 21 appearances ... held opponents to a .157 batting average, while striking out 37 and walking only seven ... majoring in general studies at LSU ... born September 13, 1983.

**Cahill's LSU Career Statistics**

Year	G-GS	W-L	ERA	SV	CG	SHO	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2005	7-1	0-0	5.52	0	0	0	14.2	19	14	9	10	14

**Cahill's LSU Career Highs**

Innings:	5.0 vs. Western Illinois (3/12/05)
Strikeouts:	4 vs. Western Illinois (3/12/05)
Hits Allowed:	9 vs. Western Illinois (3/12/05)
Runs:	5 (twice; most recently vs. Western Illinois (3/12/05))
Earned Runs:	4 vs. Western Illinois (3/12/05)
Walks:	5 vs. Arkansas-Little Rock (2/20/05)



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**Nolan Cain**

RH Pitcher  
6-3, 255, R-R, Fr., RS  
Cantonment, Fla. (Tate HS)

Talented prospect from Florida that lends depth to the Tigers' pitching staff this season ... redshirted in 2005 after undergoing Tommy John surgery on his right elbow ... physical presence on the mound with solid fastball.

**High School**

A three-year letterman (pitcher/first base) at Tate High School in Gonzales, Fla. ... Competed at high school that produced two major league players in Travis Fryman and Jay Bell ... Sat out junior year with arm trouble but regained strength towards the beginning of his senior year ... Was the team-high leader in wins with a perfect 5-0 record as a senior ... 2004 4A all-state selection.

**Personal**

Full name is Nolan David Cain ... parents are David and Kim Cain ... has one younger sister, Jessica ... credits his father with giving him a love for the game of baseball ... interests include swimming ... majoring in kinesiology at LSU ... born January 2, 1986.



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**Louis Coleman**

RH Pitcher  
6-3, 195, S-R, Fr., HS  
Schlater, Miss. (Pillow Academy)

**MLB Draft: 28th Round in 2005 (Atlanta)**

One of the top high school pitching prospects out of the state of Mississippi ... polished right-hander who should see time on the mound this season as a true freshman ... good velocity, great control and a superb breaking ball ... was the first player from Mississippi taken on the second day of the 2005 Major League Baseball Draft, a 28th-round selection of the Atlanta Braves.

**High School**

Versatile two-way player at Pillow Academy for four seasons ... compiled a 10-1 record with a 0.51 ERA in 68 innings pitched as a senior ... also struck out 109, walked 12 batters and recorded four complete-game shutouts and one no-hitter ... showed his ability at the plate, posting a team-high .440 average with three homers and 30 RBI in the cleanup spot ... a team leader who helped his club to a 19-5 record and its first playoff appearance in years ... named to the *Jackson Clarion Ledger's* second-team all-state squad ... also earned letters in football, soccer, track and basketball ... all-conference selection as a quarterback.

**Personal**

Full name is Harold Louis Coleman III ... parents are Hal and Kathy Coleman ... has three sisters, Meredith, Lauren and Katy ... lists "helping this team win in any possible way" as his athletic goals ... plans on majoring in business administration at LSU ... born April 4, 1986.



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**Chase Dardar**

RH Pitcher  
5-11, 200, R-R, Sr., 1L  
Marrero, La. (Delgado CC)

**2005 SEC Academic Honor Roll**

**MLB Draft: 16h round in 2004 (Los Angeles Dodgers)**

Talented Louisiana product who should make significant contributions on the mound after making seven appearances for the Tigers in 2005 ... the 16th-round selection of the Los Angeles Dodgers in the 2004 Major League Draft ... a member of the 2005 SEC Academic Honor Roll as a general studies major.

**2005 Season**

Appeared in seven games (two starts), recording a 1-0 mark and a 13.50 ERA in 11.1 innings ... pitched 4.2 innings in first career LSU start vs. Louisiana-Monroe (Feb. 15), allowing six runs on seven hits with two walks and six strikeouts ... earned relief win vs. Western Illinois (March 12), allowing two runs on two hits in one inning of work ... fired one scoreless relief inning vs. New Orleans (March 29), posting one walk and one strikeout.

**Junior College**

A two-year letterwinner at Delgado Community College in New Orleans ... named to the 2004 ABCA and Rawlings National Junior College Division I All-Region team ... in 2004, posted a 5-3 record with a 2.33 ERA in a team-high 60 innings of work ... played shortstop during the 2003 season, batting .301 in 32 games with 18 runs, seven doubles, one homer and 24 RBI ... fanned five batters in six innings in his only pitching appearance of the 2003 season ... was a member of the 2003 and 2004 New Orleans Boosters of the All-American Amateur Baseball Association ... went 3-1 with a 3.39 ERA in five games with four starts and two complete games for the New Orleans squad ... also fanned 33 batters in 31 innings.



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**High School**

Outstanding two-sport athlete at Shaw High School in Marrero, La. ... earned four letters in baseball and football ... Member of two American Legion state championship teams ... an all-metro selection in baseball ... Finished his career with a 32-5 record on the mound ... collected 5A all-state honors in football as a senior free safety ... football teammates with current LSU defensive back Sammy Joseph ... part of a defensive unit that led the Eagles to the 2000 5A state championship game against West Monroe.

**Personal**

Full name is Chase Michael Dardar ... parents are Blake and Lydia Dardar ... has one older brother, Bret ... chose to attend LSU "to lay a foundation for the future" ... lists his father, Blake, as the person who has had the biggest influence upon his athletic career ... majoring in general studies at LSU ... born September 26, 1983.

**Dardar's LSU Career Statistics**

Year	G-GS	W-L	ERA	SV	CG	SHO	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2005	7-2	1-0	13.50	0	0	0	11.1	21	17	17	10	13

**Dardar's LSU Career Highs**

Innings:	4.2 vs. UL-Monroe (2/15/05)
Strikeouts:	6 vs. UL-Monroe (2/15/05)
Hits Allowed:	7 vs. UL-Monroe (2/15/05)
Runs:	6 vs. UL-Monroe (2/15/05)
Earned Runs:	6 vs. UL-Monroe (2/15/05)
Walks:	4 at New Orleans (5/18/05)



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**Will Davis**

Catcher  
6-0, 185, R-R, Jr., 2L  
Baton Rouge, La. (Lee HS)

**2005 SEC Academic Honor Roll**

Two-year letterman that lends valuable depth and experience to LSU's corps of catchers. . . named to the 2005 SEC Academic Honor Roll as an education major.

**2005 Season**

Played in three games in a reserve role, recording one RBI and one walk . . . provided an RBI groundout in LSU's 19-2 win over Nicholls State on Feb. 12 . . . also appeared in games vs. Arizona State (March 13) and Northwestern State (April 12).

**2004 Season**

Earned a varsity letter as he appeared in two games in a reserve role - versus Jacksonville State (Feb. 22) and versus Southeastern Louisiana (May 19) . . . recorded one at-bat with one strikeout.



**High School**

A four-year letterman at Lee High School in Baton Rouge ... started a school record 86 consecutive games at catcher ... batted .354 en route to a district 7-4A title ... three-time team captain and first-team all-district selection in 2002 ... earned second-team all-district honors in 2000 and 2001 ... member of the National Honor Society.

**Personal**

Full name is William Randall Davis, Jr. ... parents are Randy (former Louisiana Tech head coach and LSU graduate assistant) and Cammie Davis ... has one younger brother, Cody, and one younger sister, Lindsey ... interests include watching movies, hunting and weightlifting ... chose to attend LSU because "it is the best baseball program in the country" ... credits his father with having the greatest influence upon his athletic career ... majoring in education at LSU ... born May 29, 1984.

**Davis' LSU Career Statistics**

Year	G-GS	AB	R	H	Avg.	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB-SBA
2004	2-0	1	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	1	0-0
2005	3-0	1	0	0	.000	0	0	0	1	1	0	0-0
<b>Total</b>	<b>5-0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.000</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0-0</b>

**Davis' LSU Career Highs**

At-Bats:	1 (twice; most recently vs. Nicholls State (2/12/05))
Hits:	none
Runs Scored:	none
Doubles:	none
Triples:	none
Home Runs:	none
RBI:	1 vs. Nicholls State (2/12/05)
Stolen Bases:	none



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**Clay Dirks**

LH Pitcher  
6-4, 235, L-L, Jr., 2L  
Hernando, Miss. (Hernando HS)

**2005 Second-Team All-SEC**

**SEC Pitcher of the Week (April 25, 2005)**

**2005 Second-Team All-Louisiana**

**2004 NCBWA Third-Team All-American**

**2004 Collegiate Baseball First-Team Freshman All-American**

**2004 Baseball America Second-Team Freshman All-American**

**2004 SEC All-Freshman Team**

**2004 Louisiana Freshman of the Year**

**2004 Second-Team All-Louisiana**

**National and SEC Pitcher of the Week (March 8, 2004)**

**MLB Draft: 42nd round in 2002 (Philadelphia)**

Outstanding southpaw who earned all-conference honors in 2005 and is scheduled to begin the 2006 season as the Tigers' No. 1 starter . . . named to the Watch List for the 2006 Brooks Wallace Award, which is given to the nation's outstanding collegiate player . . . voted a 2006 third-team preseason all-American by Collegiate Baseball magazine . . . the 42nd round selection of the Philadelphia Phillies in the 2002 major league draft . . . received a medical redshirt in 2003 after undergoing elbow surgery for an injury he suffered in the summer of 2002.

**2005 Season**

Named second-team all-SEC after posting a 10-4 mark and a 3.24 ERA in 94.1 innings with 27 walks and 67 strikeouts . . . finished third in the league in wins and No. 11 in the conference in opponent batting average (.233) . . . limited left-handed hitters to a .211 average; right-handed hitters batted .241 against him . . . 6-2 record in SEC regular-season games with a 3.38 ERA, 16 walks and 41 Ks in 64 innings . . . suffered relief loss in NCAA Baton Rouge Regional vs. Rice (June 6), allowing one run on two hits in 1.2 innings with one strikeout . . . absorbed the loss as a starter in SEC Tournament vs. Tennessee (May 26), surrendering three runs (two earned) on seven hits in four innings with three walks and three Ks . . . earned SEC Pitcher of the Week honors after a brilliant three-hit shutout at Arkansas (April 23) . . . limited the Razorbacks to just three singles while recording one walk and a

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career-best eight strikeouts ... the outing at Arkansas was the best by an LSU pitcher since Brian Wilson shut out the Razorbacks on three hits in 2002 ... posted complete-game win over Tennessee (May 14), limiting the Vols to three runs on 10 hits with no walks and five strikeouts ... also earned a complete-game win over Auburn (March 26), allowing three runs on seven hits with no walks and five Ks ... fired a no-hitter through six innings vs. Alabama-Birmingham (March 5); left the game after the seventh inning, having allowed no runs on one hit with two walks and seven strikeouts.

**2004 Season**

Earned all-America and Freshman all-SEC accolades after making 17 appearances (13 starts) on the year ... posted an 8-2 record and a team-best 3.43 ERA in 81.1 innings with 17 walks and 66 strikeouts ... recorded a 4-2 mark and a 4.56 ERA in SEC regular season games, registering 11 walks and 36 strikeouts in 51.1 innings ... pitched 0.2 inning in LSU's College World Series game versus South Carolina (June 21), allowing one earned run on four hits ... named the National Pitcher of the Week and the SEC Pitcher of the Week after firing a four-hit shutout (one walk, seven Ks) against eighth-ranked Tulane (March 2) at Zephyr Field in Metairie, La. ... pitched 17.1 consecutive innings without allowing an earned run during a three-game stretch from Feb. 22-March 9 ... defeated Mississippi State (March 27) in his first career SEC start, limiting the Bulldogs to two runs on five hits in eight innings with one walk and seven Ks ... pitched brilliantly in complete-game win at Auburn (April 3), allowing three runs on five hits with no walks and seven strikeouts ... defeated Georgia (April 17), limiting the Bulldogs to one run on seven hits in eight innings with two walks and seven Ks ... posted win at Tennessee (April 24), allowing two earned runs on 10 hits in eight innings with one walk and four strikeouts.

**High School**

Product of Hernando (Miss.) High School, where he earned all-state and all-DeSoto County recognition ... named the 2002 Gatorade Mississippi Player of the Year ... worked 62 innings his senior season, posting a 0.92 ERA with 140 strikeouts and 27 walks while allowing just 21 hits ... also recorded a .600 average at the plate as a first baseman and outfielder ... recorded 594 strikeouts in his high school career.

**Personal**

Full name is Clayton E. Dirks ... parents are Cody and Juli Kleine ... has one older brother, Jay, and one older sister, Heather ... interests include weightlifting, basketball and football ... credits his father, his mother and his coaches with having greatest influence upon his athletic career ... majoring in general studies at LSU ... born July 28, 1984.

**Dirks' LSU Career Statistics**

Year	G-GS	W-L	ERA	SV	CG	SHO	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2004	17-13	8-2	3.43	1	2	1	81.1	83	42	31	17	66
2005	17-15	10-4	3.24	1	3	1	94.1	84	44	34	27	67
<b>Total</b>	<b>34-28</b>	<b>18-6</b>	<b>3.33</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>175.2</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>133</b>

**Dirks' LSU Career Highs**

Innings:	9 (five times; most recently vs. Tennessee (5/14/05))
Strikeouts:	8 at Arkansas (4/23/05)
Hits Allowed:	10 (twice; most recently vs. Tennessee (5/14/05))
Runs:	7 (twice; most recently vs. Kentucky (5/7/05))
Earned Runs:	5 vs. Arkansas (4/10/04)
Walks:	4 at Alabama (4/2/05)



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**Eric English**

RH Pitcher  
6-0, 200, R-R, So., 1L  
Weston, Fla. (Cypress Bay HS)

Highly-touted prospect who contributed solid innings for the Tigers in 2005 ... will receive a medical redshirt in 2006 after undergoing Tommy John surgery on his right elbow during the off-season ... can throw three pitches effectively for strikes and will not hesitate to go after hitters ... competitive athlete known for a very efficient power breaking ball.

**2005 Season**

Appeared in 14 games during his true freshman season, posting a 1-0 mark and a 3.82 ERA in 30.2 innings with 16 walks and 26 strikeouts ... limited hitters to just a .204 batting average, as he allowed 23 hits in 113 at-bats ... fired two shutout innings in his first collegiate appearance vs. Nicholls State (Feb. 11), allowing no hits ... first career win on April 6 vs. Rice, as he limited the Owls to no runs on two hits in three relief innings with no walks and two strikeouts ... recorded a career-best five Ks in three innings in first collegiate start vs. New Orleans (March 29) ... impressive relief outing at Tulane (April 19), allowing one run on three hits in 3.2 innings with one walk and three strikeouts ... worked one shutout inning in the NCAA Baton Rouge Regional vs. Marist (June 3), recording two Ks with no hits allowed.

**High School**

Prepped at Cypress Bay High School for four years ... named 2004 Florida 6A All-State Player of the Year for his prolific senior season, in which he compiled an 11-0 record with a 0.29 ERA and 117 strikeouts ... led high school squad to the 6A state title as a senior.

**Personal**

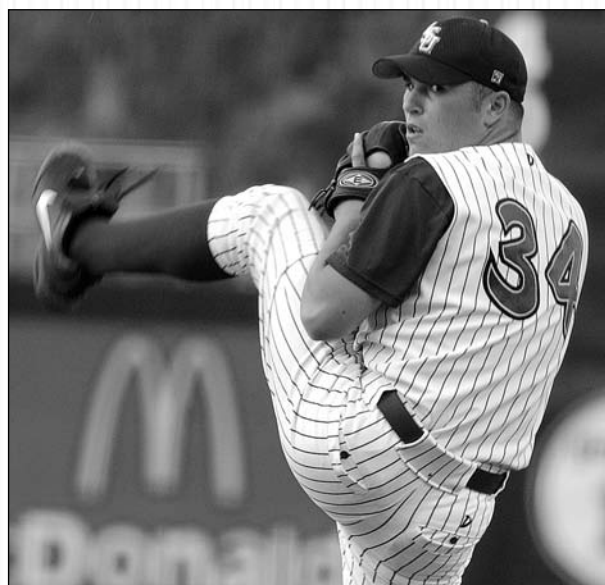
Full name is Eric Matthew English ... parents are Richard and Karen English ... has one older sister, Donna and one older brother, Brett ... credits his father Richard as the biggest influence upon his athletic career ... plans to major in pre-law at LSU ... born December 26, 1985.

**English's LSU Career Statistics**

Year	G-GS	W-L	ERA	SV	CG	SHO	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2005	14-1	1-0	3.82	1	0	0	30.2	23	15	13	16	26

**English's LSU Career Highs**

Innings:	3.2 (twice; most recently at Vanderbilt (4/30/05))
Strikeouts:	5 vs. New Orleans (3/29/05)
Hits Allowed:	7 vs. New Orleans (3/29/05)
Runs:	6 vs. New Orleans (3/29/05)
Earned Runs:	4 vs. New Orleans (3/29/05)
Walks:	2 (three times; most recently vs. Ole Miss (4/15/05))





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**Daniel Forrer**

LH Pitcher  
6-2, 200, R-L, Jr., RS  
Montgomery, Ala. (Chipola College)

**MLB Draft: 17th round in 2004 (Los Angeles Dodgers)**

Excellent southpaw who came to LSU prior to last season and received a medical redshirt after undergoing surgery on his left shoulder . . . expected to contend this season for a berth in the LSU starting rotation . . . transferred to LSU after one season at Auburn and one season at Chipola College ... the 17th-round pick of the Los Angeles Dodgers in the 2004 Major League Baseball Draft ... was also selected in the draft as a high school senior by the Dodgers in the 38th round.

**Junior College**

Competed at Chipola Community College in Marianna, Fla. in 2004 after pitching in 2003 for Auburn . . . worked 14 innings for Auburn in a relief role during the '03 season.

**High School**

Prepped at Jefferson Davis High School in Montgomery, Ala. ... as a senior, posted a 9-1 mark with a 0.91 ERA and 158 strikeouts in 78 innings ... hurled three no hitters and was named the 6A state player of the year ... earned Super 12 all-state honors from the Alabama Sports Writers Association.

**Personal**

Full name is Daniel Atwell Forrer ... mother is Marcia Rucker . . . has one younger sister, Lauren ... majoring in general studies at LSU ... born November 1, 1983.



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**Cade Gautreau**

Catcher  
5-10, 185, L-R, Fr., HS  
Gonzales, La. (East Ascension HS)

Local high school standout who lends depth to the Tigers at catcher.

**High School**

Two-sport athlete at East Ascension High School ... Earned three letters in baseball (catcher) and football (linebacker) ... received 2004 and 2005 first-team all-district 7-4A honors in baseball ... a second-team all-district selection in football ... high school teammates with current LSU infielder Buzzy Haydel ... coached in baseball by Jamie Morgan.

**Personal**

Full name is Cade Matthew Gautreau ... parents are Terry and Kim Gautreau ... has one older brother, Clint ... plans to major in business administration at LSU ... born May 22, 1987.



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**Will Goodwin**

RH Pitcher  
6-0, 225, R-R, So., Sqd.  
Houston, Texas (Episcopal HS)

Promising hurler who will contend for time on the mound ... consistently throws strikes and locates pitches . . . worked nine innings in LSU's fall intrasquad games, recording six strikeouts . . . redshirted as a true freshman in 2004.

**High School**

A two-sport standout in baseball and football ... earned three letters in baseball (pitcher) and two letters in football (linebacker) ... recorded a 9-1 mark with a 1.50 ERA in 2003 ... a three-time all-conference and all-district selection ... named the Episcopal High Male Athlete of the Year ... two-time Who's Who Among American High School Students.

**Personal**

Full name is William Harrison Goodwin ... parents are Guy and Sally Goodwin ... has two sisters, Sarah and Rebekah ... interests include hunting and fishing ... credits his high school pitching coach, Mike Netzel, as the biggest influence upon his athletic career ... majoring in geology at LSU ... born March 19, 1983.



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**Will Harris**

Infielder  
6-3, 240, R-R, Sr., 3L  
Slidell, La. (Slidell HS)

**2004 NCAA Regional All-Tournament Team**

Talented player who has worked as the starter at first base the past two seasons; projected to be the starter at third base in 2006 and he may also serve as a relief pitcher. . . had a productive 2005 fall practice session, as he hit .295 in the Tigers' intrasquad games with two homers and six RBI; on the mound, he recorded a 1.32 ERA in 13.2 innings, firing 12 strikeouts.

**2005 Season**

Appeared in 46 games (42 starts at first base), batting .213 (30-for-141) with seven doubles, four homers, 20 RBI and 23 runs . . . finished third on the LSU club with 24 walks . . . batted .286 (2-for-7) in the NCAA Baton Rouge Regional with one double and one run scored . . . provided a homer and a sac fly to spark LSU to win over Ole Miss (April 17) . . . 2-for-4 with a run and an RBI in April 16 victory over Ole Miss . . . delivered a sixth-inning leadoff homer on April 6 as the Tigers defeated Rice at Zephyr Field in Metairie, La. . . followed up the HR vs. Rice with another dinger in the Tigers' next game vs. South Carolina (April 8) . . . batted .533 (8-for-15) during a four-game stretch from Feb. 15-20 . . . recorded his season-high of three hits vs. Louisiana-Monroe (Feb. 15).



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**2004 Season**

Appeared in 55 games (48 starts at first base), batting .329 (57-for-173) with nine doubles, seven homers, 39 RBI and 38 runs . . . hit .264 (23-for-87) in SEC regular-season games with five doubles, two homers, 19 RBI and 17 runs . . . LSU's leading hitter in its seven NCAA Tournament games, batting .429 (12-for-28) with two doubles, one homer, five RBI and seven runs . . . 3-for-9 in the College World Series with two runs scored . . . 3-for-9 in the NCAA Super Regional vs. Texas A&M with one homer, four RBI and two runs . . . the home run came in the ninth inning of Game 2 of the super regional, a three-run blast that clinched LSU's 4-0 triumph and sent the Tigers to the CWS . . . named to the NCAA Baton Rouge Regional all-tournament team, hitting a team-best .600 (6-for-10) with two doubles, one RBI and three runs . . . 2-for-2 with a grand slam - LSU's only slam in 2004 - versus Southeastern Louisiana (March 12) . . . named Louisiana Player of the Week on March 16 after batting .875 (7-for-8) in a three-game stretch (vs. UL-Monroe and Southeastern La.) with the grand slam and six RBI . . . 4-for-5 with one double, one homer, three RBI and two runs at Kentucky (May 9).

**2003 Season**

Batted .233 (14-for-60) in 26 games (15 starts) with three doubles, two homers, six RBI and 11 runs . . . hit .273 (6-for-22) in SEC regular-season games with one double, one homer, three RBI and six runs . . . did not commit an error in 141 chances at first base . . . teamed with older brother Clay on March 2 at Long Beach State to become the first brother tandem to start a game for LSU since Albert and Terry Belle in 1987 - Will started at first base and Clay started at third base in the Long Beach contest, a 7-2 LSU win . . . launched a two-run shot, his first career homer, at Georgia (March 22) . . . also homered in LSU win over Loyola-New Orleans (May 6).

**High School**

Product of Slidell (La.) High School, where he pitched and played first base . . . earned all-state, all-parish and all-district recognition . . . posted an 8-1 mark as a junior with a 0.98 ERA . . . an honor roll student throughout his entire high school career.

**Personal**

Full name is William Taylor Harris . . . grandparents are Harry and Jeanette Kennedy . . . has one older brother, Clay, and one younger brother, Dylan . . . Clay was an LSU infielder from 2002-2005 and now plays in the Philadelphia Phillies organization . . . Will credits Clay with having the greatest influence upon his athletic career, saying "My brother has paved the way for me my whole life. He has taught me a whole lot by example." . . . Will played very well in the 2003 Valley Baseball League, a summer wooden-bat league in Virginia . . . batted .362 (25-for-69) in the VBL with seven doubles, four homers, 14 RBI and 14 runs . . . majoring in general studies at LSU . . . born August 28, 1984.

**Harris' LSU Career Hitting Statistics**

Year	G-GS	AB	R	H	Avg.	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB-SBA
2003	26-15	60	11	14	.233	3	0	2	6	6	23	0-0
2004	55-48	173	38	57	.329	9	0	7	39	21	29	0-1
2005	46-42	141	23	30	.213	7	0	4	20	24	35	0-0
<b>Total</b>	<b>129-105</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>.270</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>0-1</b>

**Harris' LSU Career Hitting Highs**

At-Bats:	6 at Southern (4/20/04)
Hits:	4 at UL-Monroe (3/9/04); at Kentucky (5/9/04)
Runs Scored:	3 at Ole Miss (5/23/04)
Doubles:	1 (several occasions)
Triples:	none
Home Runs:	1 (several occasions)
RBI:	4 vs. Southeastern La. (3/12/04)
Stolen Bases:	none

**Harris' LSU Career Pitching Statistics**

Year	G-GS	W-L	ERA	SV	CG	SHO	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2004	3-0	0-0	3.00	0	0	0	3.0	4	1	1	3	2

**Harris' LSU Career Pitching Highs**

Innings:	1.0 (three times; most recently vs. Houston (3/5/04))
Strikeouts:	1 (twice; most recently vs. Jacksonville State (2/21/04))
Hits Allowed:	2 vs. Houston (3/5/04)
Runs:	1 vs. Houston (3/5/04)
Earned Runs:	1 vs. Houston (3/5/04)
Walks:	2 vs. Houston (3/5/04)



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**Buzzy Haydel**

Infielder  
5-10, 185, R-R, Fr., HS  
Gonzales, La. (East Ascension HS)

True freshman middle infielder who should contend for playing time in 2006 ... solid range with a winning attitude ... comes from a tradition-rich high school baseball program.

**High School**

Two-time first-team all-state performer at East Ascension High School ... earned four letters in baseball (shortstop/pitcher) and three letters in football (quarterback) ... instrumental in helping the Spartans to the 2003 class 4A state title with a .416 average, five homers and 35 RBI ... as a junior, maintained a perfect 4-0 record on the mound to go along with a 2.13 ERA with seven walks and 30 strikeouts ... named district 7-4A MVP junior and senior seasons ... was a second-team all-district quarterback as a junior ... voted East Ascension Student of the Year in 2004-05.

**Personal**

Full name is Martin Pius Haydel Jr. ... parents are Marty and Pam Haydel ... has one older brother, Dustin and four sisters, Amber, Katie, Brigitte and Mindie ... came to attend LSU because of "academics and the quality of the baseball program" ... lists his dad, Marty, as the biggest influence on his athletic career because "he taught me the game of baseball at a young age and continues to do so" ... plans to major in mass communications at LSU ... born April 6, 1987.



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**Michael Hollander**

Infielder  
5-10, 185, R-R, So., 1L  
Mandeville, La. (Jesuit HS)

An elite Louisiana prospect who started 38 games last season (37 at shortstop, one at third base) as a true freshman ... projected as the starter at shortstop in 2006 ... was ranked in *Baseball America's* Top 300 Prospects of 2004 ... performed well in LSU's fall 2005 intrasquad games, batting .321 with three doubles, one triple, two homers and seven RBI.

**2005 Season**

Appeared in 44 games (38 starts), batting .246 (32-for-130) with six doubles, one homer, 14 RBI, 18 runs and two stolen bases . . . 3-for-5 in NCAA Baton Rouge Regional game vs. Marist (June 3) with two doubles and one RBI . . . hit safely in 21 of his first 25 collegiate games, including a 10-game hit streak from March 25-April 9 . . . first career homer in 18-10 LSU victory over New Orleans (March 29) . . . 3-for-5 vs. Nicholls State (Feb. 12) with two runs and one RBI.

**High School**

A four-year standout at 5A powerhouse Jesuit High School in New Orleans ... as a senior, batted a state-high .505 with seven homers and 34 RBI leading the Blue Jays to their third consecutive district championship and another state tournament appearance ... shined on the mound, recording a 10-0 record and throwing a one-hit shutout in the 5A state quarterfinals ... played on numerous all-star teams, including *Baseball America's* World Wooden Bat squad and the Bill Hood Louisiana All-Star team in June of 2003 ... was invited by *Baseball America* to play at the National Showcase in Lincoln, Neb. ... spearheaded Jesuit to the 2002 5A state title as a starting shortstop ... compiled a .385 batting average on the 2002 season and hit .469 at the state tournament in New Iberia ... also lettered one year in track and field as a javelin thrower.

**Personal**

Full name is Jerry Michael Hollander III ... parents are Mike and Sheila Hollander ... has one younger sister, Melanie and one younger brother, Mitchell ... interests include hunting, fly fishing, surfing and ping-pong ... chose LSU because of "the tradition of winning in athletics and the quality education opportunity" ... majoring in pre-law/business administration at LSU ... born October 30, 1985.

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**Hollander's LSU Career Statistics**

Year	G-GS	AB	R	H	Avg.	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB-SBA
2005	44-38	130	18	32	.246	6	0	1	14	17	23	2-2

**Hollander's LSU Career Highs**

At-Bats:	6 at Alabama (4/3/05)
Hits:	3 vs. Nicholls State (2/12/05); vs. Marist (6/3/05)
Runs Scored:	2 (four times; most recently at Alabama (4/2/05))
Doubles:	2 vs. Marist (6/3/05)
Triples:	none
Home Runs:	1 vs. New Orleans (3/29/05)
RBI:	3 vs. Arkansas-Little Rock (2/19/05)
Stolen Bases:	1 (twice; most recently vs. Rice (4/6/05))



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**Chris Jackson**

Infielder  
5-11, 165, R-R, So., 1L  
River Ridge, La. (John Curtis HS)

**2005 Freshman All-SEC Team**

**2005 NCAA Regional All-Tournament Team**

Talented athlete who also serves as the starting placekicker and punter for the LSU football team ... punted 59 times during the '05 football season for 41.5 yard average, and 26 of his kicks were downed inside the 20 yard line ... connected on 10-of-19 field goals, including a long of 50 yards ... received a redshirt baseball season in 2004 before breaking into the starting lineup in 2005 at third base ... was expected to contend for a starting role in the 2006 LSU infield after earning Freshman All-SEC honors in 2005; however, he underwent Tommy John surgery on his right elbow in January and will likely miss the entire baseball season.

**2005 Season**

Appeared in 36 games, starting 27 at third base and one at second base ... batted .305 (39-for-128) with three doubles, one triple, one homer, 17 RBI and 29 runs ... 12-for-35 (.343) on the year with runners in scoring position ... made first career start on April 10 vs. South Carolina (at second base) and was a fixture in the lineup at third base for the remainder of the season ... was the Tigers' leadoff hitter in 20 of his 28 starts ... named to the NCAA Baton Rouge Regional all-tournament team after hitting .333 (6-for-18) in four games with one RBI and seven runs ... LSU's leading hitter at the SEC Tournament, batting .500 (3-for-6) ... hit .375 (9-for-24) in all postseason games with one RBI and seven runs ... displayed his versatility on April 16 vs. Ole Miss - he played in the LSU football spring game in the early afternoon before hustling across the street to Alex Box Stadium, where he helped lead LSU to victory with a 3-for-5, one double, one RBI and one run effort



at the plate (he arrived at the baseball game just 30 minutes prior to first pitch and did not take batting practice or infield) ... 3-for-6 with a double, his first collegiate homer, four RBI and four runs vs. Northwestern State (April 12).

**High School**

Earned four letters in baseball and football at John Curtis High School ... won state titles in both football and baseball as a junior ... batted .519 as a junior ... rated the No. 5 kicker in the nation by Rivals.com and also served as the starting quarterback for the Patriots.

**Personal**

Full name is Christopher Carl Jackson ... parents are Louis and Deborah Jackson ... majoring in animal, dairy and poultry science at LSU ... born December 13, 1983.

**Jackson's LSU Career Statistics**

Year	G-GS	AB	R	H	Avg.	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB-SBA
2005	36-28	128	29	39	.305	3	1	1	17	16	34	0-2

**Jackson's LSU Career Highs**

At-Bats:	6 vs. Northwestern State (4/12/05)
Hits:	3 (twice; most recently vs. Ole Miss (4/16/05))
Runs Scored:	4 vs. Northwestern State (4/12/05)
Doubles:	1 (three times; most recently vs. Ole Miss (4/16/05))
Triples:	1 vs. New Orleans (3/29/05)
Home Runs:	1 vs. Northwestern State (4/12/05)
RBI:	4 vs. Northwestern State (4/12/05)
Stolen Bases:	none



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**Kade Keowen**

Outfielder  
6-5, 205, R-R, Fr., RS  
Baker, La. (Central HS)

**MLB Draft: 19th round in 2004 (Kansas City)**

Excellent all-around prospect with a promising future at LSU ... redshirted as a true freshman in 2005 ... the 19th-round selection of the Kansas City Royals in the 2004 Major League Baseball Draft ... batted .319 (15-for-47) with two doubles and four RBI in LSU's fall 2005 intrasquad games.

**High School**

Earned three letters in baseball, football and basketball at Central High School ... 2004 first-team 5A all-state selection at first base ... participated in the LHSAA all-star game ... batted .422 with three homers and 35 RBI, leading his team to the 4-5A district title ... also



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saw time on the mound, putting together a 6-1 mark in the 2004 season ... named second-team all-district as a starting tight end on the football team ... also served as the starting center for the basketball team.

**Personal**

Full name is Kade Landon Keowen ... parents are Kerry and Karla Keowen ... has one younger brother, Kory ... interests include golf and fishing ... lists his athletic goal as "to do whatever it takes to win another national championship" ... majoring in business administration at LSU ... born April 18, 1986.



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**Robert Lara**

Catcher  
6-1, 220, R-R, Fr., HS  
Fort Lauderdale, Fla. (Nova HS)

**MLB Draft: 17th Round in 2005 (Minnesota)**

One of the nation's elite defensive catchers ... solid frame with tremendous blocking ability and power ... hails from the talent-rich state of Florida and was the 17th-round choice of the Minnesota Twins in the 2005 Major League Baseball Draft.

**High School**

Prepped at Nova High School, a class 5A powerhouse in Davie, Fla. ... batted .476 in 2005 with eight homers and 32 RBI, leading his squad to the state title ... in 2004, batted .318 with a homer and 25 RBI as his team won the state championship ... 2005 squad finished No. 1 nationally by *USA Today* ... became the first Broward County team to win back-to-back state crowns ... voted 2004 second-team all-state by the Florida Sports Writers Association ... competed with dozens of other draftees in the 2005 National High School Home Run Derby ... coached by Pat McQuaid.

**Personal**

Full name is Robert J. Lara ... parents are Jose and Maria Lara ... has two brothers, Daniel and Julio ... credits his father as the biggest influence on his athletic career ... plans to major in business administration at LSU ... born November 25, 1986 in Secaucus, N.J.



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**Matt Liuzza**

Catcher  
6-0, 215, R-R, Sr., 3L  
Metairie, La. (Rummel HS)

**2004 NCAA Regional All-Tournament Team**

**SEC Player of the Week (March 22, 2004)**

**2004 Second-Team All-Louisiana**

**2003 NCAA Regional All-Tournament Team**

**MLB Draft: 30th round in 2005 (Chicago Cubs)**

Outstanding veteran catcher who has started 159 games over the past three seasons ... regarded as one of the best defensive catchers in the nation ... selected by the Chicago Cubs in the 30th round of the 2005 Major League Baseball draft, but elected to return to LSU for his senior season ... enjoyed a solid fall 2005 practice period, batting .319 (15-for-47) in LSU's intrasquad games with three doubles, one triple and eight RBI.

**2005 Season**

Started 45 games at catcher, batting .251 (43-for-171) with 10 doubles, three homers, 24 RBI and 30 runs ... batted .298 (14-for-47) with runners in scoring position ... hit .364 (4-for-11) in the NCAA Baton Rouge Regional with one homer, two RBI and two runs ... 2-for-3 in NCAA Regional win over Marist (June 3) with one homer, two RBI and one run ... 1-for-4 in the SEC Tournament with one run scored ... .333 (5-for-15) in all postseason games combined with one homer, two RBI and three runs ... collected two doubles and two RBI in win over Tennessee (May 15) ... 3-for-6 with two doubles and two RBI at Alabama



(April 3) ... 3-for-3 with a double and three RBI versus Northwestern State (April 12); scored a career-best four runs in that contest

**2004 Season**

Started 60 games behind the plate, batting .328 (75-for-229) with 14 doubles, nine homers, 45 RBI and 37 runs ... was named to the "Watch List" for the 2004 Johnny Bench Award, given annually to the nation's outstanding catcher ... threw out 14 runners attempting to steal and picked off one base runner ... hit .299 (35-for-117) in SEC regular-season games with six doubles, five homers, 22 RBI and 18 runs ... LSU's second-leading hitter in NCAA Tournament games, batting .417 (10-for-24) with one double, one RBI and six runs ... 2-for-8 in the College World Series with one run scored ... 3-for-6 in the NCAA Super Regional vs. Texas A&M with one run scored ... named to the NCAA Baton Rouge Regional all-tournament team for the second straight year, batting .500 (5-for-10) with one double, one RBI and four runs ... named SEC Player of the Week on March 22 after leading LSU to a series win at South Carolina; homered twice and drove in four runs in the Game 3 victory over the Gamecocks (March 21) ... career-best 14-game hit streak from Feb. 14-March 9; batted .407 (22-for-54) during the streak with five doubles, two homers, 13 RBI and 10 runs ... batted .500 (7-for-14) in Arkansas series (April 9-11) with one double, one homer, six RBI and two runs.

**2003 Season**

Appeared in 57 games (54 starts), batting .312 (60-for-192) with eight doubles, four homers, 26 RBI and 38 runs ... LSU's leading hitter in post-season games, batting .381 (16-for-42) with one double, three RBI and eight runs ... also the Tigers' top hitter in the NCAA Tournament, batting .467 (14-for-30) with one double, one RBI and seven runs in eight games ... 2-for-6 in the College World Series with one double and one run scored ... batted .615 (8-for-13) in the NCAA Super Regional versus Baylor with two runs scored ... 3-for-5 with two runs scored in the Super Regional finale, his second three-hit game of the series ... 4-for-11 in the NCAA Baton Rouge Regional with four runs and one RBI, earning all-tournament honors ... 2-for-12 in the SEC Tournament with two RBI ... posted a 12-game hitting streak from March 15-April 6, batting .327 (16-for-49) during the streak ... launched first career homer in Game 1 of Georgia series (March 21); also hit the game-winning homer in the ninth inning of Game 3 of the UGA series (March 23).

**High School**

Product of Rummel High School in Metairie, La., a suburb of New Orleans ... earned four letters in baseball (catcher) and two letters in football (quarterback) ... helped lead Rummel to district baseball titles in 1999, 2000 and 2001 ... earned Class 5A all-state recognition and was voted district MVP ... named the Nokia Sugar Bowl Amateur Athlete of the Month in June, 2000 ... as a junior, batted .419 with 12 homers and 52 RBI ... member of the Beta Honor Roll.

**Personal**

Full name is Matthew Paul Liuzza ... parents are Dave and Debra Liuzza ... has one older brother, David, and one older sister, Amy ... hobbies include golf ... majoring in general studies at LSU ... born February 3, 1984.

**Liuzza's LSU Career Statistics**

Year	G-GS	AB	R	H	Avg.	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB-SBA
2003	57-54	192	38	60	.312	8	0	4	26	20	31	1-1
2004	60-60	229	37	75	.328	14	0	9	45	23	36	0-0
2005	46-45	171	30	43	.251	10	0	3	24	19	36	0-0
<b>Total</b>	<b>163-159</b>	<b>592</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>.301</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>1-1</b>

**Liuzza's LSU Career Highs**

At-Bats:	6 (three times; most recently at Alabama (4/3/05))
Hits:	4 vs. Arkansas (4/9/04)
Runs Scored:	4 vs. Northwestern State (4/12/05)
Doubles:	2 (three times; most recently vs. Tennessee (5/15/05))
Triples:	none
Home Runs:	2 at South Carolina (3/21/04)
RBI:	5 vs. Arkansas (4/10/04)
Stolen Bases:	1 vs. Northwestern State (2/9/03)



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**Jordan Mayer**

Infielder  
6-3, 245, R-R, So., 1L  
Alexandria, La. (Alexandria HS)

**2005 SEC Freshman All-SEC Team**

**MLB Draft: 49th round in 2003 (Cincinnati)**

Powerful prospect who was the Tigers' primary designated hitter in 2005 ... will contend for the starting role at first base this season ... suffered a broken thumb in 2006 pre-season drills and will likely miss the first six weeks of the season ... redshirted as a true freshman in 2004 ... the 49th-round selection of the Cincinnati Reds in the 2003 major league draft ... competed in the prestigious *Baseball America*/World Wood Bat league in the summer of 2003.

**2005 Season**

Played in 42 games (28 starts at DH, three starts at first base), batting .313 (36-for-115) with 13 doubles, one triple, four homers, 26 RBI and 16 runs ... earned Freshman All-SEC honors as voted upon by the league's coaches ... batted .343 (23-for-67) over the final 23 games of the season with nine doubles, three homers, 14 RBI and 11 runs ... hit .308 (20-for-65) in SEC regular-season games with seven doubles, two homers, 10 RBI and eight runs ... 4-for-15 in the NCAA Baton Rouge Regional with one double, one homer, four RBI and three runs ... 2-for-4 with a homer and three RBI in NCAA Regional victory over Marist (June 3) ... doubled and drove in a run in NCAA Regional victory over Northwestern State (June 6) ... 5-for-14 in Tennessee series (May 13-15) with three runs scored, one homer and four RBI ... launched three-run homer at Arkansas (April 23) to lead Tigers to a 7-0 victory ... delivered a game-tying pinch-hit two-run double in the eighth inning off of Georgia all-America reliever Will Startup (March 20); the hit erased a 4-2 deficit as the Tigers went on to claim a 6-4 win ... enjoyed a stellar collegiate debut with one triple, one homer and six RBI vs. Nicholls State (Feb. 11).



**High School**

Product of Alexandria (La.) High School ... earned four letters in baseball (third base/first base/pitcher) and one letter in football (defensive end) ... batted .406 during his career with 20 homers and 80 RBI ... posted a 26-5 career mark on the mound with a 1.53 ERA and 213 strikeouts in 173.2 innings ... member of four district champion teams, including the 2003 season where he hit a stellar .460 with six homers and 21 RBI ... also recorded a 10-2 record on the hill with a 0.75 ERA and 91 strikeouts in 65 innings in 2003 ... a consensus all-state, all-region and all-district selection.

**Personal**

Full name is Jordan Blane Mayer ... parents are Kenny and Cris McCain ... has three younger sisters, Stephanie, Peyton and Kelsey ... interests include hunting, fishing and model airplanes ... credits his high school coaches, mother and grandfather with having the greatest influence upon his athletic career ... majoring in general studies at LSU ... born October 15, 1984.

**Mayer's LSU Career Statistics**

Year	G-GS	AB	R	H	Avg.	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB-SBA
2005	42-31	115	16	36	.313	13	1	4	26	19	35	0-0

**Mayer's LSU Career Highs**

At-Bats:	5 (four times; most recently vs. Tennessee (5/15/05))
Hits:	2 (nine times; most recently vs. Marist (6/3/05))
Runs Scored:	2 (three times; more recently vs. Marist (6/3/05))
Doubles:	2 vs. Southern (5/3/05)
Triples:	1 vs. Nicholls State (2/12/05)
Home Runs:	1 (three times; most recently vs. Tennessee (5/15/05))
RBI:	6 vs. Nicholls State (2/12/05)
Stolen Bases:	none

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**Chris McGhee**

Outfielder  
5-9, 155, R-R, Fr., HS  
Alexandria, La. (Alexandria HS)

Louisiana athlete who lends depth to the Tigers' outfield this season ... great speed, good instincts with tremendous heart ... comes from an athletic family ... batted .265 (13-for-49) with seven runs scored in LSU's fall intrasquad games.

**High School**

Two-sport star at Alexandria High School ... earned four letters in baseball (shortstop) and three letters in football (quarterback) ... named all-district and all-state in both sports ... as a senior, helped both teams to district championships after undergoing reconstructive ankle surgery a year earlier ... batted over .370 for his career ... coached in baseball by former LSU assistant Daniel Tomlin ... led ASH to back-to-back playoff appearances as a dual-threat quarterback.

**Personal**

Full name is Christopher Randall McGhee ... parents are Louis and Ollie McGhee ... has one older brother Nicholas, who is a pitcher at Southern University ... enjoys motivational quotes and video games ... plans to major in mass communications at LSU ... born June 10, 1987.



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**Justin Meier**

RH Pitcher  
6-0, 215, R-R, Sr., 3L  
Windermere, Fla. (West Orange HS)

- 2004 NCAA Regional All-Tournament Team**
- 2003 Collegiate Baseball Freshman All-American**
- 2003 Louisiana Co-Freshman of the Year**
- 2003 First-Team All-Louisiana**

Excellent hurler who has started 34 games and pitched 2371 innings as one of the Tigers' top pitchers the past three seasons ... should contend for a role as either a weekend or mid-week starter in 2006.

**2005 Season**

Made 14 appearances (five starts), posting a 2-3 mark and a 4.79 ERA in 41.1 innings with 15 walks and 30 strikeouts ... right-handed batters hit just .238 (25-for-105) against him during the year ... worked four innings as a starter in the NCAA Baton Rouge Regional vs. Marist (June 3), allowing four earned runs on seven hits with one walk and three strikeouts ... earned relief victory in 13-inning game at New Orleans (May 18), hurling the final three innings without allowing a run on two hits; struck out one and walked one in the win ... relief win at Georgia (March 20), as he pitched 1.1 innings, allowing no earned runs on one hit with one walk and two strikeouts ... three shutout relief innings vs. Northwestern State (April 12), allowing four hits with three Ks and no walks ... pitched four innings vs. Rice (April 6) in a starting role; limited the Owls to no runs on one hit with two Ks and one walk ... pitched a season-high 6.1 innings vs. Southeastern Louisiana (March 23), allowing two runs on six hits with two strikeouts ... worked five innings in a start vs. Tulane (March 8), allowing four runs on three hits with five Ks and three walks.

**2004 Season**

Appeared in 18 games (team-high 15 starts), posting a 6-2 mark and a 3.84 ERA in a team-high 100.2 innings with 28 walks and 75 strikeouts (most Ks on the LSU staff) ... allowed more than four earned runs just once in his 15 starts on the year ... named to the NCAA Baton Rouge Regional all-tournament team after firing a brilliant seven-hit shutout in the Tigers' regional opener against Army (June 4) ... recorded a career-best nine strikeouts with no walks in defeating the Cadets ... recorded eight Ks in 8.1 innings at South Carolina (March 19), limiting the Gamecocks to three runs on seven hits with three walks (LSU won in extra innings) ... worked 7.2 innings versus Alabama (May 2), limiting the Tide to one run on eight hits with one walk and three Ks in a 2-1 LSU victory ... tied career high with



nine strikeouts in SEC Tournament versus Florida (May 26); allowed four runs on eight hits in 6.1 innings with two walks.

**2003 Season**

Appeared in 16 games (14 starts), recording an 8-3 mark and a team-best 2.83 ERA ... worked 95.1 innings, registering 25 walks and 62 strikeouts ... finished No. 5 in the SEC in ERA, No. 7 in wins, No. 11 in innings pitched ... 4-2 record with a 3.61 ERA in 52.1 innings of SEC regular-season games ... fired a complete game in his final outing of the season, a 20-5 victory over Baylor in the NCAA Super Regional (June 8), propelling LSU to the College World Series ... limited the Bears to five runs on 12 hits in nine innings with two walks and three strikeouts ... only other post-season action came in the SEC Tournament championship game versus Alabama (May 25); he was charged with the loss after allowing just one earned run on seven hits in 6.1 innings with two walks and five strikeouts ... fired a complete game versus South Carolina (April 4) in his first career SEC start, limiting the Gamecocks to one run on 10 hits with no walks and eight strikeouts ... defeated Auburn (May 9), working seven innings and allowing four runs on seven hits with two walks and five strikeouts ... earned victory over Arkansas (May 18), firing eight shutout innings while scattering five hits ... earned a save in a critical situation in Game 3 of the Alabama series (March 30), retiring the final two Crimson Tide batters with the bases loaded to preserve an 11-10 win.

**High School**

Product of West Orange High School in Winter Garden, Fla., where he earned all-state, all-metro and all-county recognition ... recorded a 7-3 mark and a 1.03 ERA in 2002 with 105 strikeouts and seven walks in 86 innings ... helped lead team to the 2001 Metro (Orlando, Fla.) championship ... as a junior, posted a 10-1 mark with a 0.98 ERA in 75 innings with 95 strikeouts and seven walks ... an honor roll student throughout his high school career, he posted the highest GPA on his baseball team.

**Personal**

Full name is Justin Ryan Meier ... parents are Ron and Sharon Meier ... has one older brother, Jason ... hobbies include fishing ... credits his father and his high school coaches with having the greatest influence upon his athletic career ... pitched brilliantly as a reliever in the summer of 2003 in the Cape Cod League for the Yarmouth-Dennis Red Sox ... recorded a 1.19 ERA in 22.2 innings in the CCBL, allowing three runs on 13 hits with four walks and 42 strikeouts ... majoring in general studies at LSU ... born November 17, 1983.

**Meier's LSU Career Statistics**

Year	G-GS	W-L	ERA	SV	CG	SHO	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2003	16-14	8-3	2.83	1	2	0	95.1	95	38	30	25	62
2004	18-15	6-2	3.84	0	1	1	100.2	120	59	43	28	75
2005	14-5	2-3	4.79	0	0	0	41.1	41	26	22	15	30
<b>Total</b>	<b>48-34</b>	<b>16-8</b>	<b>3.60</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>237.1</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>167</b>

**Meier's LSU Career Highs**

Innings:	9.0 (three occasions; most recently vs. Army (6/4/04))
Strikeouts:	9 (three occasions; most recently vs. Army (6/4/04))
Hits Allowed:	12 vs. Baylor (6/8/03)
Runs:	8 at Kentucky (5/8/04)
Earned Runs:	8 at Kentucky (5/8/04)
Walks:	5 at Mississippi State (5/2/03)



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**Jason Ogata**

Infielder  
6-0, 180, R-R, Fr., HS  
Portland, Ore. (Westview HS)

**MLB Draft: 50th Round in 2005 (San Diego)**

Highly-touted infielder rated by many publications as the best prospect in the Northwest ... projects to be LSU's starting second baseman following Chris Jackson's season-ending arm surgery ... smooth hitting approach, quick hands and pinpoint contact ... rated the No. 1 prospect in the region by *Baseball Northwest Magazine* ... hit .302 (16-for-53) with three doubles, three triples, a homer and five RBI in the Tigers' fall intrasquad games ... led all newcomers with a .528 slugging percentage in the fall ... also swiped three bases.

**High School**

The 2005 Oregon Player of the Year at Westview High School ... lettered four times in baseball (shortstop) and three times in football (running back/defensive back) ... 2005 Louisville Slugger High School All-American ... first-team all-state sophomore through senior seasons ... displayed great plate coverage by striking out only two-times in 88 at-bats in 2005 ... hit .509 in 2005 with 16 doubles, six homers and 34 RBI ... stole 18 bases and recorded an .886 slugging percentage ... played in the 2005 High School All-American Game with LSU teammate Jarred Bogany ... excelled at the prestigious 2004 Area Code Games, a Major-League sponsored high school all star event featuring the nation's top prospects ... as a junior, hit a stellar .509 with 13 homers ... rushed for nearly 1,000 yards as a running back ... maintained a 3.4 GPA.

**Personal**

Full name is Jason Andrew Ogata ... parents are Dale and Sharon Ogata ... has one younger brother, Daniel and one younger sister, Carly ... lists "winning a national title" as his athletic goal ... plans to major in business administration at LSU ... born October 21, 1986.



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**Derik Olvey**

RH Pitcher  
6-2, 220, R-R, Jr., Tr.  
Pelham, Ala. (Notre Dame)

**MLB Draft: 13th Round in 2003 (Los Angeles Dodgers)**

Promising right-handed pitcher who comes to LSU after two seasons at Notre Dame ... a good competitor who should see plenty of time on the mound this season ... power pitcher and physical presence ... has seen time as a reliever and as a starter during his career ... drafted by the Los Angeles Dodgers in the 2003 Major League Baseball Draft ... enjoyed a brilliant 2005 fall intrasquad period by maintaining a 1.80 ERA in 20 innings pitched.

**2005 Season (at Notre Dame)**

Key member of the Irish bullpen who helped the team to its second consecutive Big East championship ... in 16 appearances and five starts, compiled a 2-2 record with a 5.59 ERA in 48.1 innings pitched ... walked 15 and struck out 25 ... earned the win in start versus Bowling Green on April 12 ... went six solid innings, allowing two runs on four hits, while walking none and striking out two.

**2004 Season (at Notre Dame)**

Limited to two starts and two relief appearances after missing the final 47 games due to a sore elbow ... finished with a 3.52 ERA with seven strikeouts, three walks in 15.1 innings pitched ... held opponents to a .241 average ... picked up 4-2 win over Penn State after limiting the Nittany Lions to one run on two hits in five innings of work ... rated by *Baseball America* as the No. 22 prospect among college freshmen.

**High School**

Earned All-America honors at Pelham High School ... as a senior, compiled a 9-1 record to go along with a 1.49 ERA ... struck out 93 and walked 11 in 70.2 innings of work ... team went on finish No. 3 in the nation by *Baseball America* ... rated by Team One Baseball as the 86th-best prospect in the country ... an all-state selection as a junior after a 9-2 season ... in 2002, maintained a 0.82 ERA with 116 strikeouts in 68.1 innings pitched ... member of the National Honor Society.

**Personal**

Full name is Derik Layne Olvey... parents are David and Karen Olvey ... has one older brother, Josh ... interests include reading, video games and music ... chose LSU because "it is the best school in the nation's best conference" ... majoring in general studies at LSU ... born October 27, 1984 in Birmingham, Ala.



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**Nicholas Pontiff**

Infielder  
5-9, 175, R-R, Fr., RS  
Metairie, La. (Jesuit HS)

Hard-working redshirt freshman who lends quality depth to the LSU infield.

**High School**

Earned two baseball letters at Jesuit High, where he helped lead his team to a state runners-up finish in 2003 ... played as the Blue Jays' starter at second base.

**Personal**

Full name is Nicholas Pontiff ... parents are Wally, Sr. and Terry Pontiff ... older sister, Haley ... older brother, Wally, Jr., was a three-year letterman (2000-02) at third base for LSU, earning all-SEC honors in 2001 and 2002 ... Wally, Jr. passed away in July of 2002 due to heart abnormalities ... majoring in business administration ... born December 18, 1985.



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**Edgar Ramirez**

RH Pitcher  
6-4, 230, R-R, Sr., 1L  
Miami, Fla. (Florida International)

Talented right-handed hurler who pitched very well in relief at the end of the 2005 season ... should contend for a significant relief or starting role this season ... played two seasons at Florida International before transferring to LSU in the fall of 2004 ... shined in the Coastal Plains Summer League in 2004, along with LSU teammate Chris Cahill ... was very effective that summer as the Edenton Steamers closer, producing a 0.83 ERA and nine saves in 20 appearances ... surrendered only nine hits and three walks in 21.2 innings while striking out 30.

**2005 Season**

Made 17 relief appearances, recording an 0-1 mark with a 4.50 ERA and one save ... registered 13 walks and 33 strikeouts in 36 innings ... 0.96 ERA in three postseason appearances, allowing just one run on nine hits in 9.1 innings with two walks and seven Ks ... pitched very well in two appearances in the NCAA Baton Rouge Regional; fired a total of 5.2 shutout innings, allowing four hits with no walks and four strikeouts ... threw 2.2 scoreless innings in regional game vs. Marist (June 3), allowing three hits with one strikeout ... fired three shutout frames to earn save in regional contest vs. Northwestern State (June 6), allowing one hit with three Ks ... worked 3.2 innings in the SEC Tournament vs. Mississippi State (May 25), allowing one run on five hits with two walks and three Ks ... 2.2 scoreless relief innings at New Orleans (May 18), allowing one hit and recording a career-best five strikeouts ... excellent outing at Alabama (April 3) - 3.1 innings, no runs on two hits with two walks and four strikeouts.

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**2004 Season (at Florida International University)**

Made only two appearances on the season, allowing no runs before suffering an arm injury.

**2003 Season (at Florida International University)**

Led Florida International in appearances (25) and was second on the team in ERA (3.44) ... saved six games and held opponents to a .221 batting average in 36.2 innings.

**High School**

Prepped at Miami Southridge Senior High School.

**Personal**

Full name is Edgar Ramirez ... parents are Edgar and Angela Ramirez ... has one younger brother, Eric and one younger sister, Jessica ... credits his father as having the biggest athletic influence on him because "he always said the right things at the right time" ... majoring in psychology at LSU ... born November 30, 1983.

**Ramirez's LSU Career Statistics**

Year	G-GS	W-L	ERA	SV	CG	SHO	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2005	17-0	0-1	4.50	1	0	0	36.0	40	20	18	13	33

**Ramirez's LSU Career Highs**

Innings:	4.2 vs. Ole Miss (4/15/05)
Strikeouts:	5 at New Orleans (5/18/05)
Hits Allowed:	6 vs. Ole Miss (4/15/05)
Runs:	5 at Tulane (4/19/05)
Earned Runs:	5 at Tulane (4/19/05)
Walks:	2 (four times; most recently vs. Miss. State (5/25/05))



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**Darryl Shaffer**

RH Pitcher  
5-10, 175, R-R, Fr., HS  
Greenwell Springs, La. (Central Private HS)

Young, talented freshman who promises to make an immediate impact out of the bullpen ... commands the zone efficiently ... product of same high school as former LSU all-conference pitcher Lane Mestepey (2001-05).

**High School**

Outstanding closer at Central Private High School ... member of 2005 3A state and district championship team ... the Rebels' key stopper out of the bullpen as a senior, posting a 1.86 ERA in 27 innings pitched ... recorded four saves and was a perfect 4-0 on the year ... received all-district honors in 2005 ... also was an outfielder ... member of the National Honor Society.

**Personal**

Full name is Darryl Lynn Shaffer Jr. ... parents are Darryl and Debra Shaffer ... has two younger siblings, Kristen and Sydney ... lists as his athletic goal, "to be a successful closer at LSU" ... credits his father, Darryl, and Little League coach, Richard Wagley, with having the biggest influence on his athletic career ... plans to major in management at LSU ... born November 11, 1987 in Baton Rouge.



**42**

**Trey Simon**

Outfielder  
5-11, 190, L-L, Fr., RS  
Destrehan, La. (Destrehan HS)

Solid Louisiana prospect who lends depth to the Tigers' outfield this season ... redshirted as a true freshman in 2005.

**High School**

Two-sport athlete at Destrehan High School ... earned four letters in baseball (outfielder) and one letter in football (strong safety) ... a two-time all-state selection ... named to the all-district and all-metro teams three times ... also a three-time all-River Parishes selection ... member of 2002 district championship baseball team ... received the Taylor Audubon Scholar Award and Character Education Award at Destrehan High School.

**Personal**

Full name is Charles Ray Simon III ... parents are Charles and Peggy Simon ... has two older sisters, Kelli and Robbi ... chose to attend LSU because "they have the best fan base and college baseball atmosphere in the nation" ... majoring in business administration at LSU ... born February 14, 1986.



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**Bruce Sprowl**

Outfielder  
5-8, 170, L-R, Sr., 2L  
Knoxville, Tenn. (Shelton State CC)

**2005 SEC Academic Honor Roll**

**2004 SEC Academic Honor Roll**

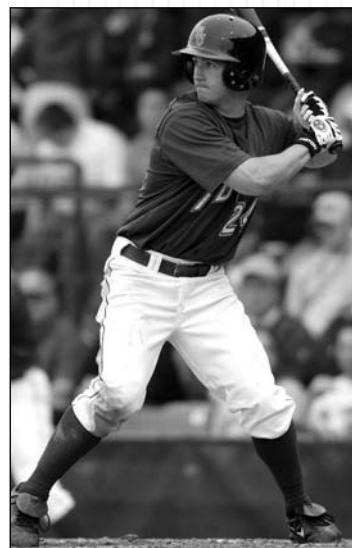
Hard-nosed player who has started 96 games for the Tigers in the outfield during his career ... made an immediate impact in the LSU outfield in 2003, starting 42 games in left field and 19 games in center field ... was redshirted in 2004 before starting 35 games (34 in CF, one in LF) for LSU last season ... a two-time member of the SEC Academic Honor Roll as a mass communications/public relations major.

**2005 Season**

After redshirting in 2004, returned to the Tigers' lineup to start in 35 games - 34 in center field and one in left field ... played in a total of 53 games and posted a perfect 1.000 fielding percentage (97 chances) ... batted .264 (38-for-144) with one double, two triples, two homers, 13 RBI and 28 runs ... hit .316 (18-for-57) in SEC regular-season games with one homer, four RBI and nine runs ... 3-for-8 in the NCAA Baton Rouge Regional with one RBI and three runs ... collected two singles in eight at-bats in the SEC Tournament ... launched home run to lead off the game at Mississippi State (May 21) ... also homered in LSU season opener vs. Nicholls State (Feb. 12); 3-for-3 with three RBI and two runs in that contest ... tied his career high with three hits vs. Tulane (March 8).

**2003 Season**

Played in 63 games (61 starts), batting .290 (76-for-262) with eight doubles, three triples, one



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homer, 33 RBI and 46 runs . . . served as the Tigers' lead-off hitter in 51 games . . . hit .321 (42-for-131) in SEC regular-season games with five doubles, two triples, one homer, 14 RBI and 22 runs . . . collected three hits in a game on six occasions . . . 0-for-3 with a walk and one RBI in the College World Series . . . 3-for-11 in the NCAA Super Regional versus Baylor with one RBI and four runs scored . . . 3-for-4 in Game 3 of the super regional (June 8) with three runs scored . . . 3-for-14 in the NCAA Baton Rouge Regional with one RBI and three runs . . . 4-for-17 in the SEC Tournament with one double, three RBI and four runs . . . posted a 10-game hitting streak from April 19-May 2, batting .326 (14-for-43) during the streak . . . hit .429 (6-for-14) in the Tennessee series (April 25-27) with five RBI . . . launched first career homer – a solo shot – in Game 1 of the Tennessee series (April 25) . . . batted .467 (7-for-15) in Georgia series (March 21-23).

**Junior College**

Played one season at Shelton State Community College in Tuscaloosa, Ala. . . . batted .343 in 2002 with 15 doubles, three triples, four homers, 38 RBI and 51 runs . . . a Dean's List student.

**High School**

A pitcher and outfielder at Bearden High School in Knoxville, Tenn. . . . earned all-state and district MVP honors.

**Personal**

Full name is Bruce Joseph Sprowl Jr. . . . parents are Bruce Sprowl Sr. and Kimberly Wilson . . . has one younger brother, Brian . . . his uncle, Bobby Sprowl, is a former major league pitcher with the Boston Red Sox (1978) and Houston Astros (1979-81) . . . hobbies include snowboarding . . . credits his parents with having the greatest influence upon his athletic career . . . one of the top players in the summer of 2004 in the Valley Baseball League, located in the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia; he was fifth in the league in hitting with a .340 (58-for-200) average, and he collected 13 doubles, six homers, 21 RBI and 21 stolen bases . . . majoring in mass communications/public relations at LSU . . . born January 21, 1983.

**Sprowl's LSU Career Statistics**

Year	G-GS	AB	R	H	Avg.	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB-SBA
2003	63-61	262	46	76	.290	8	3	1	33	23	24	5-8
2005	53-35	144	28	38	.264	1	2	2	13	20	14	5-9
<b>Total</b>	<b>116-96</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>.281</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>10-17</b>

**Sprowl's LSU Career Highs**

At-Bats:	7 at New Orleans (5/18/05)
Hits:	3 (eight times; most recently vs. Tulane (3/8/05))
Runs Scored:	3 (three times)
Doubles:	1 (nine times; most recently vs. Nicholls State (2/11/05))
Triples:	1 (five times; most recently vs. UAB (3/4/05))
Home Runs:	1 (three times; most recently at Miss. State (5/21/05))
RBI:	3 vs. Nicholls State (2/11/05)
Stolen Bases:	1 (several occasions; most recently at New Orleans (5/18/05))



**40**  
**Quinn Stewart**

Outfielder  
6-1, 200, R-R, Sr., 2L  
Rowlett, Texas (Odessa JC)

Powerful hitter that has made significant contributions for the Tigers, starting 70 games during his career . . . started 37 games in 2003 (36 at DH, one in LF) and, after redshirting in 2004, started 33 games in 2005 (24 in LF, seven at DH, two in RF) . . . a strong contender for a starting outfield position this season.

**2005 Season**

Played in 44 games with 33 starts (24 in LF, seven at DH, two in RF) . . . batted .250 (29-for-116) with seven doubles, two triples, three homers, 13 RBI and 19 runs . . . 3-for-7 in NCAA Baton Rouge Regional with one double, one homer, two RBI and one run . . . 3-for-4 with a double, a homer, two RBI and one run in regional win over Marist (June 3) . . . lined a double in SEC Tournament game vs. Tennessee (May 26) . . . a total of four hits in his nine postseason at-bats with two doubles, one homer, two RBI and one run . . . solo homer at Arkansas (April 22) in the sixth inning tied game at 7-7, capping an LSU comeback from a 6-0 deficit as the Tigers posted a 10-7 win . . . 3-for-5 vs. Northwestern State (April 12) with



one double, one triple and three runs scored . . . productive three-game weekend vs. Arizona State and Western Illinois (March 11-13), batting .333 (4-for-12) with three runs, five RBI and one homer.

**2003 Season**

Played in 44 games (36 starts), batting .297 (43-for-145) with nine doubles, one triple, seven homers, 30 RBI and 26 runs . . . hit .333 (18-for-54) in SEC regular-season games with one double, one triple, two homers, 13 RBI and nine runs . . . unloaded a homer and drove in four runs in the Tigers' College World Series game versus South Carolina (June 15) . . . 1-for-1 in the NCAA Super Regional final game versus Baylor with one double, one RBI and one run scored . . . did not play in the NCAA Baton Rouge Regional due to a sprained left ankle . . . doubled and drove in two runs in the SEC Tournament . . . launched LSU's first pinch-hit homer of the season, a three-run blast versus Auburn (May 10) . . . first career LSU homer versus Kansas (Feb. 14) to go along with two doubles in that contest . . . collected three hits and scored a run versus Florida (March 16).

**Junior College**

Batted .420 in 2002 for Odessa (Texas) JC with 21 doubles, two triples, 18 homers, 74 RBI and a .903 slugging percentage . . . earned third-team all-American and first-team all-region recognition.

**High School**

Product of Dallas Christian High School in Mesquite, Texas . . . recipient of the NAACP Academic Excellence Award . . . also played wide receiver for the football team.

**Personal**

Full name is William Terrell Stewart . . . parents are William and Paula Stewart . . . has two siblings, Nicole and Trevone . . . credits his father with having the greatest influence upon his athletic career . . . majoring in general studies at LSU . . . born August 28, 1983.

**Stewart's LSU Career Statistics**

Year	G-GS	AB	R	H	Avg.	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB-SBA
2003	44-37	145	26	43	.297	9	1	7	30	9	27	1-1
2005	44-33	116	19	29	.250	7	2	3	13	14	25	2-3
<b>Total</b>	<b>88-70</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>.276</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>3-4</b>

**Stewart's LSU Career Highs**

At-Bats:	6 at Tulane (3/11/03)
Hits:	3 (four times; most recently vs. Marist (6/3/05))
Runs Scored:	3 vs. Northwestern State (4/12/05)
Doubles:	2 vs. Kansas (2/14/03)
Triples:	1 (three times; most recently vs. Northwestern State (4/12/05))
Home Runs:	1 (several times; most recently vs. Marist (6/3/05))
RBI:	4 vs. South Carolina (6/15/03)
Stolen Bases:	1 (three times; most recently vs. Ole Miss (4/17/05))



**53**  
**Gerard Victoriano**

Catcher  
5-9, 210, R-R, Sr., 1L  
Lafitte, La. (Delgado CC)

Solid prospect who lends depth to the Tigers at catcher . . . came to LSU prior to the 2005

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season after playing two seasons at Delgado Community College in New Orleans.

**2005 Season**

Appeared in one game as a reserve catcher versus Arizona State (March 13).

**Junior College**

Played two seasons at Delgado Community College . . . in 2002, he batted .208 (10-for-48) with eight runs scored and seven RBI in 25 games (14 starts) . . . in 2003, he batted .222 (4-for-18) in 11 games with five runs scored and four RBI.

**High School**

A product of Fisher High School in Lafitte, La.

**Personal**

Full name is Gerard Victoriano Jr. . . parents are Gerard Sr. and Catherine Victoriano . . . majoring in kinesiology at LSU . . . born January 7, 1983.



**38**

**Steven Waguespack**

Outfielder  
6-1, 185, L-L, Jr., JC  
Thibodaux, La. (Delgado CC)

Versatile Louisiana JUCO transfer who is expected to serve as a key utility player ... can play multiple positions, including the outfield and first base.

**Junior College**

Enjoyed a successful 2005 season at Delgado Community College in New Orleans ... in a team-high 193 at-bats, hit .316 with 15 doubles, 29 RBI and 27 runs scored ... teammate with current LSU pitcher Jonathan Wilhite ... coached by Joe Scheuermann.

**High School**

Prepped at E.D. White Catholic High School ... instrumental in leading the school to back-to-back state titles in 2000 and 2001 ... earned all-state recognition as a senior and was a three-time all-district selection ... also earned three letters in football as a standout free safety ... twice was named all-district in football en route to a pair of district championships ... participated in the Tri-Parish all-star football game.

**Personal**

Full name is Steven Michael Waguespack ... parents are Al and Cindy Waguespack ... has one brother, Allie and three sisters, Sheri, Michelle and Andree ... credits his father, Al, as having the biggest athletic influence on him ... chose to attend LSU because "I have wanted to play here all my life" ... majoring in general studies at LSU ... born January 7, 1985.



**33**

**Jonathan Wilhite**

RH Pitcher  
6-0, 175, R-R, Jr., JC  
River Ridge, La. (Delgado CC)

JUCO right-hander who comes to LSU after two seasons at Delgado Community College ... should see action out of the bullpen this season as a quality reliever.

**Junior College**

Posted a team-best 2.05 ERA in 271 innings pitched at Delgado CC in 2005 ... was 2-2 on the season with nine saves in 20 appearances ... allowed 26 hits, 10 runs (eight earned), walked six and struck out 25.

**High School**

Four-year letterwinner at Rummel High School in Metairie, La.

**Personal**

Full name is Jonathan Paul Wilhite ... parents are Paul and Erin Wilhite ... has one younger

sister, Erika ... credits Michael Jordan as having the biggest athletic influence on him because "he knew how to win" ... majoring in general studies at LSU ... born October 30, 1983 in New Orleans.



**21**

**J.T. Wise**

Infielder/Catcher  
6-0, 215, R-R, Fr., HS  
Apopka, Fla. (Apopka HS)

Extremely gifted power-hitting performer who is expected to play an important role in 2006 ... could see significant time at designated hitter ... can also serve as a catcher, first baseman or third baseman ... a proven talent in a competitive Florida high school class.

**High School**

A product of Apopka High School ... lettered four years in baseball (catcher, pitcher, infielder) and also played football (defensive lineman) ... all-state, all-metro and all-central Florida three years in a row ... for his career, belted 24 homers and batted .390 ... spear-headed Apopka to four district championships ... named MVP of the Florida State All-Star Game ... inducted into Metro Conference Hall of Fame ... honor roll student in the classroom.

**Personal**

Full name is Jeremy Tyler Wise ... parents are Sonny and Mary Wise ... has one older brother, Nicky and one older sister, Stacy ... father, Sonny, was his head baseball coach at Apopka High School ... J.T. is the great nephew of former New York Yankee Bobby Richardson, a five-time Gold Glove winner and MVP of the 1960 World Series ... chose to attend LSU because of "the tradition, the Academic Center, the field of study and the fans" ... credits his father with having the greatest influence on his athletic career, along with lifelong friend Adam Michael Stratton, who passed away on May 20, 2005 ... plans to major in wildlife and fisheries at LSU ... born June 2, 1986 in Orlando, Fla.



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**Andrew York**

RH Pitcher  
6-2, 200, R-R, Fr., HS  
Panama City, Fla. (Bay HS)

Outstanding right-handed pitching prospect who has a promising future at LSU ... one of three newcomers from the talent-rich state of Florida.

**High School**

Three-sport athlete at Bay High School in Panama City ... put together a terrific career with a 20-7 record and 1.40 ERA ... for his career, recorded 301 strikeouts and held opponents to a .126 batting average ... consensus all-state, all-district selection junior and senior seasons ... named the 2005 Class 4A Player of the Year after going 8-3 with a 1.82 ERA and 100 strikeouts ... recorded three no hitters ... named *Panama City News Herald* Player of the Week numerous times ... holds the school record for strikeouts in a game at 20 ... tremendous two-way, all-state player in football (tight end, linebacker) ... received the *Panama City News Herald's* Defensive Player of the Year award in 2004 ... also was a forward on the basketball team ... named to the Bay High School Hall of Fame after maintaining a 4.0 GPA throughout his career.

**Personal**

Full name is Andrew Radford York ... parents are Freddie and Brenda York ... has one older brother, Aaron ... chose to attend LSU because of "the stellar reputation of the program and the repeated trips to the College World Series" ... plans to major in civil engineering at LSU ... born December 18, 1986.