













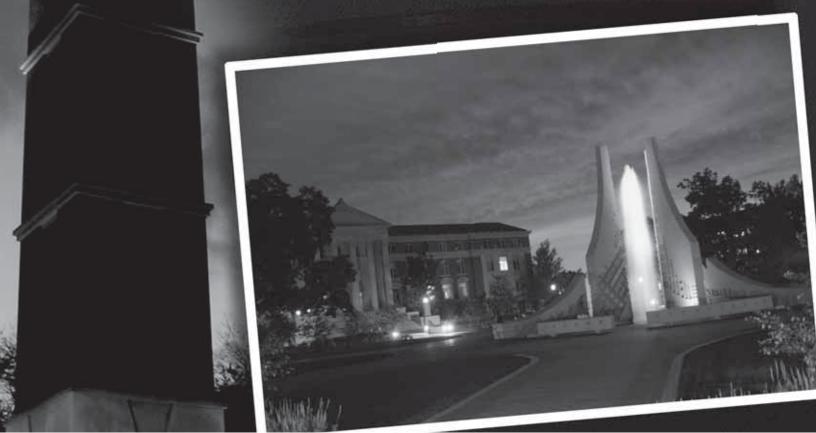


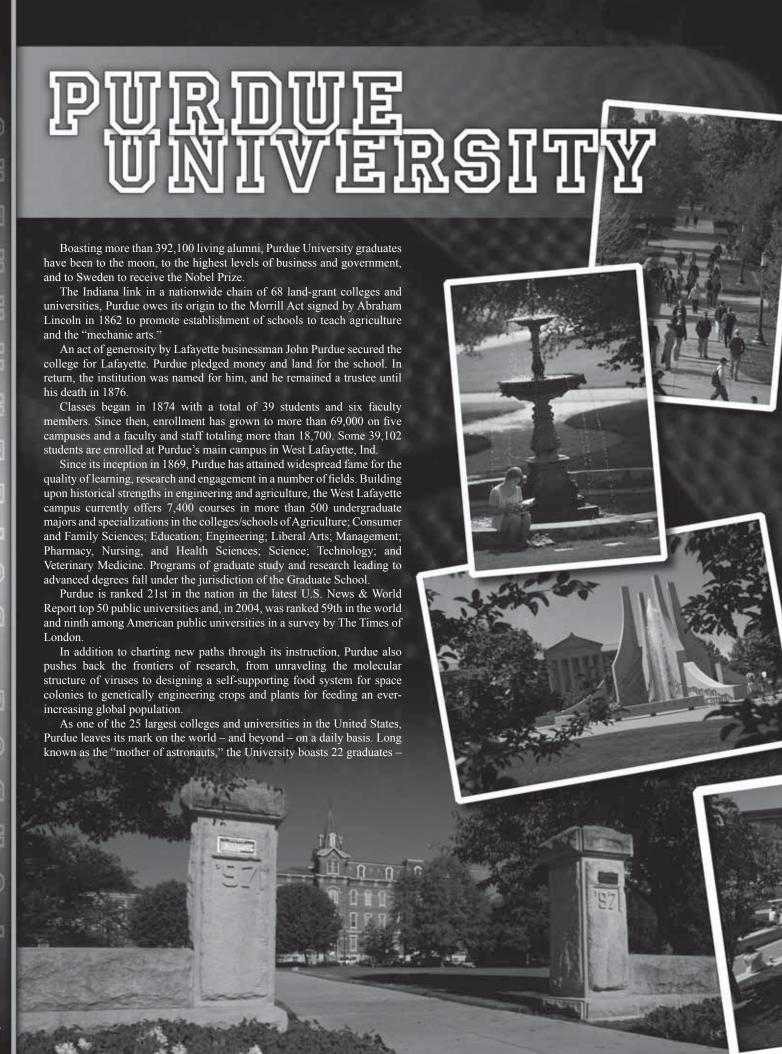




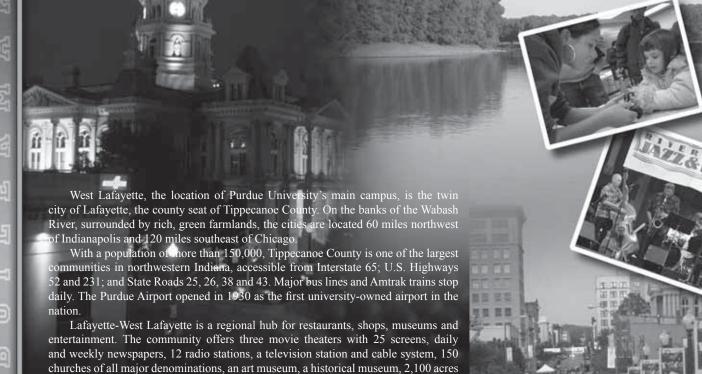
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of public parks and more than 30 miles of trails. Nearby points of historic and scenic interest include Fort Ouiatenon, on the National Register of Historic Places; Battle Ground, where William Henry Harrison fought the Battle of Tippecanoe; and the Museum at Prophetstown and Prophetstown

State Park, dedicated to the preservation of Woodland Native American agricultural and environmental heritage.

Lafayette also is home to the Long Center for the Performing Arts, Clegg Botanical Garden and Columbian Park Zoo. Located on the eastern side of the Wabash River, Lafayette shares the 13-mile long Wabash Heritage Trail with West Lafayette. Nearby Battle Ground, located northwest of West Lafayette, boasts Wolf Park, where people

can see live wolves, coyotes and foxes in their natural habitat.

Not only are there places to go in Lafayette-West Lafayette, but there also are plenty of things to do. The area serves as host to numerous community events throughout the year, including the Taste of Tippecanoe, 'Round the Fountain Art Fair, Dancing in the Streets, Global Fest, Feast of the Hunters' Moon, Christmas Parade, Gus Macker 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament, Colt World Series and Trails of Tippecanoe Bike Tour.

West Lafayette has experienced a recent renaissance of sorts in an area called "the levee," located just across the John T. Myers Pedestrian Bridge from Riehle Plaza and downtown Lafayette. More than \$100 million worth of construction has gone into developing Wabash Landing. The result is numerous restaurants, shops and apartments that have made the location a new focal point for locals and students alike.

A diverse mixture of night spots, shopping centers, art museums and restaurants give Lafayette-West Lafayette a distinct and unique flavor. Boasting the convenience of a modern city and friendly "down-home" residents, Lafayette-West Lafayette is one of America's most-livable communities.

### **Distance From West Lafayette** To Midwestern Cities

Indianapolis, Ind	60 miles
Fort Wayne, Ind	114 miles
Chicago, Ill	120 miles
Louisville, Ky	175 miles
Cincinnati, Ohio	181 miles
Milwaukee, Wis	199 miles
Columbus, Ohio	236 miles
St. Louis, Mo	265 miles
Davenport, Iowa	267 miles
Madison, Wis	273 miles
Detroit, Mich	330 miles
Cleveland, Ohio	337 miles

### THE CROSSROADS OF AMERICA

Indiana, "The Crossroads of America," has something for everyone. Whether you are in search of work, recreation or relaxation, the Hoosier State most likely will satisfy your needs.

Located in the heart of the Midwest, Indiana is welcoming to a variety of people because of its rich history, cultural opportunities and fertile landscape, not to mention its place as one of the major sports metropolises and industrial centers in the nation and world.

In the northwest corner of the state, one can traverse Indiana's 41-mile Lake Michigan waterfront. This area, which boasts the Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore, is good for work and play. It is home to industries that turn out iron, steel, oil, automobile parts and accessories, truck and bus bodies, aircraft engines and pharmaceuticals. Indiana gives to the world from factory to field. The state is a leader in agriculture, with corn as its main crop.

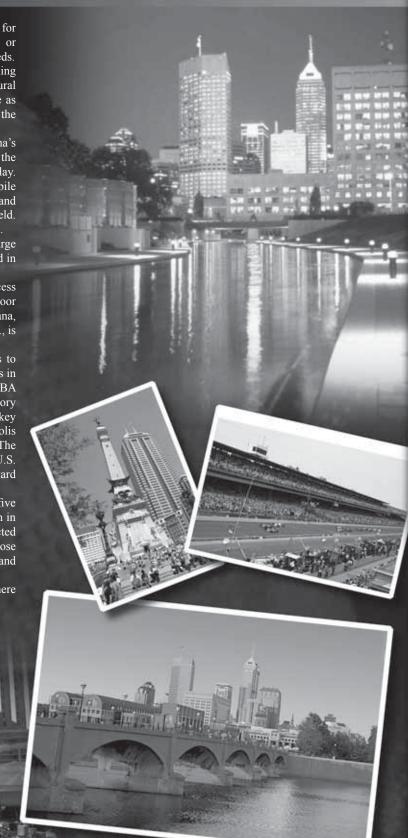
Beneath much of Indiana's rich soil is limestone. A large amount of the building limestone used in the U.S. is quarried in Indiana.

Those looking for a little adventure in Indiana can access more than 1.1 million acres of land available for outdoor recreation. Some of that land can be found in southern Indiana, where Wyandotte Cave, one of the largest caverns in the U.S., is located.

One can work and play in Indiana. But when it comes to sports spectating, Indiana is second to none. Everything starts in Indianapolis, home of the NFL Colts, NBA Pacers and WNBA Fever. The Indians, a Triple-A baseball team, play at Victory Field, while Indianapolis also is home to the Indiana Ice hockey team. During the summer, the city plays host to the Indianapolis Tennis Championships, a precursor to the U.S. Open. The summer starts with the Indianapolis 500, followed by the U.S. Grand Prix Formula One and draws to a close with the Brickyard 400, car races run at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway.

Indianapolis has hosted one women's basketball and five men's basketball NCAA Final Fours. The men's finals return in 2010 and the women in 2011. Additionally the city has conducted at least one Olympic Trials each year since 1984, including those for swimming and diving, synchronized swimming, track and field and wrestling.

Whatever your pleasure is, you are sure to find it somewhere in the state of Indiana.



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Long known as the "mother of astronauts" and a world leader in engineering, science and agricultural education and research, Purdue University also sends its sons and daughters to make a difference around the world and at home in business, government and even entertainment.

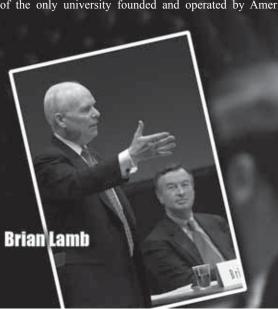
Of the more than 392,100 living Purdue alumni, 44 percent reside in Indiana. More than 19,000 call California home, and nearly 12,000 reside in Texas; the Hawaiian Islands are home to 714, and 350 live in Alaska.

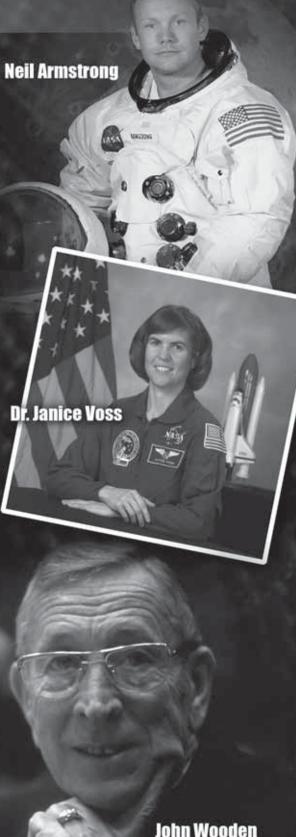
Purdue graduates are pioneers and achievers in occupations as diverse as being elected to the Australian Parliament, serving as director of the National Science Foundation and head of Disney Studios. Others have become underwater explorers, traveled the country and world as relief workers with American Red Cross, founded support groups for cancer survivors and operated the largest duckling farm in the United States.

Nearly two-dozen members of the astronaut corps studied at Purdue. Notable among them are Neil Armstrong, Class of 1955, and Eugene Cernan, Class of 1956. Armstrong made history in 1969 as the first man to land a craft and step on the moon; Cernan was the last to leave it in 1972.

### Accomplished Alumni

- \* Humorist and playwright George Ade.
- \* Hall of Fame basketball coach and All-American John Wooden.
- \* Ted Allen, a Fab Five member of Bravo TV's Queer Eye for the Straight Guy.
- \* Astronauts Neil Armstrong and Gene Cernan, the first to walk on the moon and the last to leave it.
- \* Former U.S. Sen. Birch Bayh, father of former Indiana governor and current U.S. Sen. Evan Bayh.
- \* Tellabs chairman and Purdue trustee Michael Birck.
- \* Former presidential speechwriter and U.S. ambassador to Belize Carolyn Curiel.
- \* Pam Biggs Faerber, founder of national support group for survivors of ovarian cancer.
- \* Brian Lamb, founder and chairman of C-SPAN.
- \* Marge Magner, chairman and CEO of Citigroup's Global Consumer Group.
- \* Elwood Mead, who oversaw the construction of the Hoover Dam.
- \* Indianapolis mayor Bart Peterson.
- \* Dr. Janice Voss, NASA astronaut and science director for the Kepler spacecraft.
- \* The late popcorn king Orville Redenbacher.
- Faith Smith, president of the only university founded and operated by American Indians.





The Intercollegiate Athletics Hall of Fame was created in August 1994, as 13 former athletes, administrators and coaches were selected for the inaugural class. The nominees are selected every 18 months by a committee of former athletes and administrators from nominations solicited from fans, athletes and coaches. Former athletes, coaches or administrators are subject to a five-year waiting period from the time they leave Purdue before they can be selected for induction. Currently consisting of 99 inductees, the Hall of Fame is located in a permanent outdoor display area located near the message board northeast of Mackey Arena.



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Keith Carter Men's Swimming and Diving Men's Basketball Terry Dischinger Ray Ewry Outdoor Track and Field W.P. "Dutch" Fehring Football, Men's Basketball, Baseball, Baseball Coach **Bob Griese** Football, Baseball Lerov Keves Football Ward "Piggy" Lambert Basketball Coach, Baseball Coach Guy "Red" Mackey Football, Football Coach, Athletic Director Jack Mollenkopf Football Coach Rick Mount Men's Basketball Jane (Neff) Myers Women's Volleyball Arnold Plaza Wrestling John Wooden Men's Basketball

### **Class of 1995**

Joe Barry Carroll Basketball Lamar Lundy, Jr. Football, Basketball Orval Martin Men's Cross Country, Men's Track and Field Charles "Stretch" Murphy Men's Basketball Mike Phipps Football Chris Schenkel James Smart Honorary Sam Voinoff Football, Football Coach, Golf Coach Carol (Emanuel) Young Women's Volleyball

Football, Men's Track and Field

### Class of 1996 Lawrence Burton

Len Dawson Football John DeCamp Honorary Fred Hovde Honorary Pinky Newell Honorary Dave Schellhase Men's Basketball Bill Skowron Football, Baseball Hank Stram Football, Baseball Class of 1997 Otis Armstrong Football Bill Combs Honorary Joy (Holmes) Harris Women's Basketball Football Mark Herrmann Elmer Oliphant Football, Men's Basketball, Track and Field, Baseball Fred Wampler Men's Golf

### **Class of 1998**

Tim Foley Football Noble Kizer Coach **Duane Purvis** Football, Men's Track and Field Dave Rankin Football. Men's Track and Field, Coach Cathey Tyree Women's Basketball, Women's Track and Field Jeanne Vaughan Women's Swimming and Diving Jewell Young Men's Basketball, Baseball

### Class of 1999

Bernie Allen Football, Baseball
Bob DeMoss Football, Football Coach
Jim Everett Football
Paul Hoffman Men's Basketball, Baseball Coach
Marianne (Smith) Orr Volleyball
Joe Patacsil Wrestling

### Class of 2000

Adam Abele Men's Tennis
Tom Bettis Football
Andrea Marek Women's Track and Field
Claude Reeke Wrestling
Joe Rudolph Football, Administration
Joe Sexson Men's Basketball, Baseball
Elmer Sleight Football

### Class of 2001

Basketball, Golf, Golf Coach Joe Campbell Sybil (Perry) Caruthers Track and Field President Edward Elliott Administration Cecil Isbell Football Football Coach **Bob King** Basketball Coach, Administration George King Basketball Coach, Administration Dale Samuels Football, Administration Fred Wilt Track and Field Coach

### <u>Class of 2003</u>

Carol Dewey
Bernie Flowers
Football
Charles Jones
John Konsek
Men's Golf
Ralph "Pest" Welch
Debbie West
Rod Woodson
Football, Men's Track and Field
Corissa Yasen
Women's Track and Field, Basketball

### Class of 2004

Jim Beirne Football Football Dave Butz Becky (Cotta) Kirsininkas Cross Country, Track and Field Casey Fredericks Wrestling Amy Ruley Honorary Darryl Stingley Football Harry Szulborski Football Jim Young Football, Administration

### Class of 2006

Football Mike Alstott Dr. Steven Beering Honorary Herb Gilliam Men's Basketball Kim (Fritsch) Morstadt Women's Swimming Dick Papenguth Swimming Coach Glenn Robinson Men's Basketball Leo Sugar Football Women's Swimming Carol (Pence) Taylor Keena Turner Football Stephanie White Women's Basketball

### Class of 2007

Don Albert Men's Golf Darrel "Pete" Brewster Men's Basketball, Football Ray Eddy Men's Basketball, Administration Ukari Figgs Women's Basketball Billy Keller Men's Basketball Bob Kessler Men's Basketball Ed Langford Men's Track and Field Felix Mackiewicz Baseball, Football Football, Administration Ned Maloney

At Purdue University, we place value in the intercollegiate athletics experience of our student-athletes. The athletics department supports the educational mission of our institution in its pursuit of academic achievement and graduation. Through participation in our athletics programs, students learn self-discipline, build self-confidence, and develop competitive skills. Our student-athletes learn practical life lessons such as teamwork, sportsmanship, winning and losing, and hard work. Through the Jane P. Beering Academic Learning Center, you will find the resources necessary to excel as a student, a student-athlete, and as a well-rounded individual.

### **Academic Learning Center**

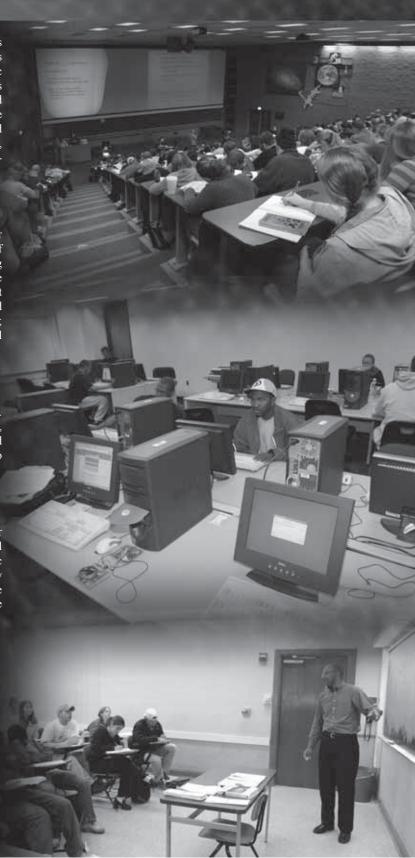
The facilities in the Jane P. Beering Academic Learning Center and the staff in academic support services are available to help all of our student-athletes reach their academic goals. The Jane P. Beering Academic Learning Center is located on the second floor of the Intercollegiate Athletic Facility and offers a range of academic support services for our student-athletes. Services available include: monitored study tables; individual and group tutoring; 74-station computer lab; walk-in tutoring for math, chemistry and physics; supplemental instruction; laptop computers for traveling; and note-takers.

### **Tutorial Program**

Tutorial Services are offered to all student-athletes free of charge. Our tutorial staff consists of undergraduate and graduate students, instructors from campus, professionals from the community, and retired Purdue faculty. Our objective is to cover every academic discipline to ensure our student-athletes have assistance in all coursework.

### **Academic Mentor Program**

The Academic Mentor Program was developed to provide our student-athletes with even greater support in meeting their individual academic needs. Every student-athlete presents a different academic need, and our staff wants to ensure all are receiving the necessary academic resources to succeed academically at Purdue. Mentors are individually selected to assist the program and are educated to ensure our mission of academic integrity.





### Commitment to Academic Excellence

To support the academic progress of the student-athlete toward intellectual development and graduation.

### Commitment to Service

To engage the student-athlete in service to his or her campus and surrounding communities.

### Commitment to Athletic Excellence

To build philosophical foundations for the development of athletic programs that are broad-based, equitable and dedicated to the well-being of all student-athletes.

### Program Of Excellence

Purdue was a 2004 recipient of the "Program of Excellence" Award. The award is given to universities whose CHAMPS programs have established student-athlete welfare as the cornerstone of their operating principles.

Academic All-Big Ten in the last 12 seasons. For a complete list of Purdue's Academic-All Big Ten honorees, see page 121 (History section) of this guide.

### **Academic All-American**

Carson Cunningham	2000, 2001
Keith Edmonson	1982
Bob Ford	1972
Steve Reid	1983, 1984
Craig Riley	1991
Dave Schellhase	1966
Brian Walker	1981



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The Big Ten Conference is an association of 11 world-class universities whose member institutions share a common mission of research, graduate, professional and undergraduate teaching and public service. Intercollegiate athletics has an important place within the mission.

Founded in 1896, the Big Ten has sustained a comprehensive set of shared practices and policies that enforce the priority of academics in student-athletes' lives and emphasize the values of integrity, fairness and competitiveness. Big Ten universities provide in excess of \$89 million in athletic scholarship aid to more than 8,400 men and women student-athletes who compete for 25 championships, 12 for men and 13 for women. In 2005-06, the Big Ten distributed over \$117 million in revenues to its 11 member institutions. Conference institutions sponsor broad-based athletic programs with more than 270 teams.

### A Brief History Of The Big Ten

A meeting of seven Midwest university presidents on Jan. 11, 1895, at the Auditorium in Chicago to discuss the regulation and control of intercollegiate athletics was the first development of what would become one of organized sports' most successful undertakings.

Those seven men, behind the leadership of James H. Smart (left), president of Purdue University, established the principles for which the Intercollegiate Conference of Faculty Representatives, more popularly known as the Big Ten Conference, would be founded.

At that meeting, a blueprint for the control and administration of college athletics under the direction of appointed faculty representatives was outlined. The presidents' first-known action "restricted eligibility for athletics to bona fide, full-time students who were not delinquent in their studies."

Eleven months after the presidents met, one faculty member from each of those seven universities met at the Palmer House and officially established the mechanics of the "Intercollegiate Conference of Faculty Representatives" or "Western Conference," later the Big Ten.

Those seven universities were the University of Chicago, University of Illinois, University of Michigan, University of Minnesota, Northwestern University, Purdue University and University of Wisconsin. Indiana University and the State University of Iowa were admitted in 1899. The Ohio State University joined in 1912. Chicago withdrew in 1946, and Michigan State College was added in 1949.

After a 40-year period of constancy in membership, the Conference expanded to 11 members for the first time in 1990, when the Council of Presidents voted to confirm its earlier decision to integrate Pennsylvania State University into the Conference.

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### **BIG TEN FACTS**

- \* Big Ten Universities are members of the nation's only conference whose constituency is entirely composed of institutions that are members of the AAU, a prestigious association of major academic and research institutions in the United States and Canada.
- \* Big Ten Universities have more than four million living alumni and over 300,000 undergraduate students attending Big Ten universities.
- \* Big Ten Universities house on their campuses 10 of the nation's 35 largest academic libraries. Collectively, conference libraries hold nearly 70 million bound volumes and the institutions work collaboratively to build and share their resources with other league members.
- \* Since 1992, the Big Ten has created in excess of 2,000 new opportunities for women student-athletes and established 28 new women's teams.
- \* Big Ten Universities provide approximately \$94 million in direct financial aid to more than 8,400 mean and women student-athletes who compete for 25 championships, 12 for men and 13 for women. Conference institutions sponsor broad-based athletic programs with more than 270 teams.
- \* Big Ten Universities see their student-athletes graduate at a rate nine percent higher than all Division I student-athletes.
- \* The Big Ten recognized 2,018 Academic All-Big Ten honorees during the 2006-07 academic year, the highest total in the last decade. Over the past six years, the Conference has annually acknowledged more than 1,800 student-athletes as academic allconference honorees.
- \* Big Ten Conference schools are among the national attendance leaders in football, men's basketball, women's basketball and women's volleyball.

### FIRST WORDS

"Eleven schools, 252 varsity teams, one great network to cover it all. Welcome to the Big Ten Network, your ultimate source for Big Ten sports, featuring the games, passion and tradition of the nation's foremost athletic conference." – Dave Revsine, August 30, 2007

### ABOUT THE BIG TEN NETWORK

The Big Ten Network is dedicated to covering the Big Ten Conference and its 11 member institutions. The Big Ten Network provides unprecedented access to an extensive schedule of conference sports events and shows; original programs in academics, the arts and sciences; campus activities; and associated personalities. Sports programming includes live coverage of more events than ever before, along with news, highlights and analysis, all complemented by hours of university-produced campus programming. The Big Ten Network is a joint venture between subsidiaries of the Big Ten Conference and Fox Cable Networks. The Big Ten Network reaches a national audience through distribution arrangements with approximately 230 cable and satellite companies.

### **QUICK FACTS**

- \* Agreement: 20-year joint venture between subsidiaries of the Big Ten Conference and Fox Cable Networks.
- \* Headquarters: Chicago, Ill.
- \* Launched: August 30, 2007, 8pm ET
- \* Sports televised: Football, men's basketball, women's basketball and other NCAA-sponsored sports
- \* Programming: Approximately 400 live events, original programming, historic footage and classic games; coaches' shows; up to 60 hours per year of original programming from each university.
- \* Distribution: The Big Ten Network has signed national agreements with AT&T U-Verse, Charter Communications, Comcast, DirecTV, DISH Network, Mediacom, Time Warner Cable, Verizon FiOS and 230 cable operators. Select content is distributed through alternative media platforms including the Internet, iPods, cell phones and other emerging technologies.



### **PROGRAMMING**

Each year, the Big Ten Network televises approximately 400 live events, plus hundreds of hours of original programming, classic games, coaches' shows and campus programming. Virtually all of the network's live event programming is available in high definition.

### MEN'S BASKETBALL

- \* Through the creation of the Big Ten Network, every home Big Ten basketball game is produced.
- \* Each Big Ten men's basketball team makes approximately 15-20 appearances a season on the Big Ten Network.
- \* The network televises approximately 60-65 in-conference match-ups, plus selected Big Ten Tournament contests, and virtually all of those games are produced in high definition.
- \* The network has a set on site at the Big Ten Men's Basketball Tournament in Indianapolis, with anchors providing coverage and analysis of all the action.



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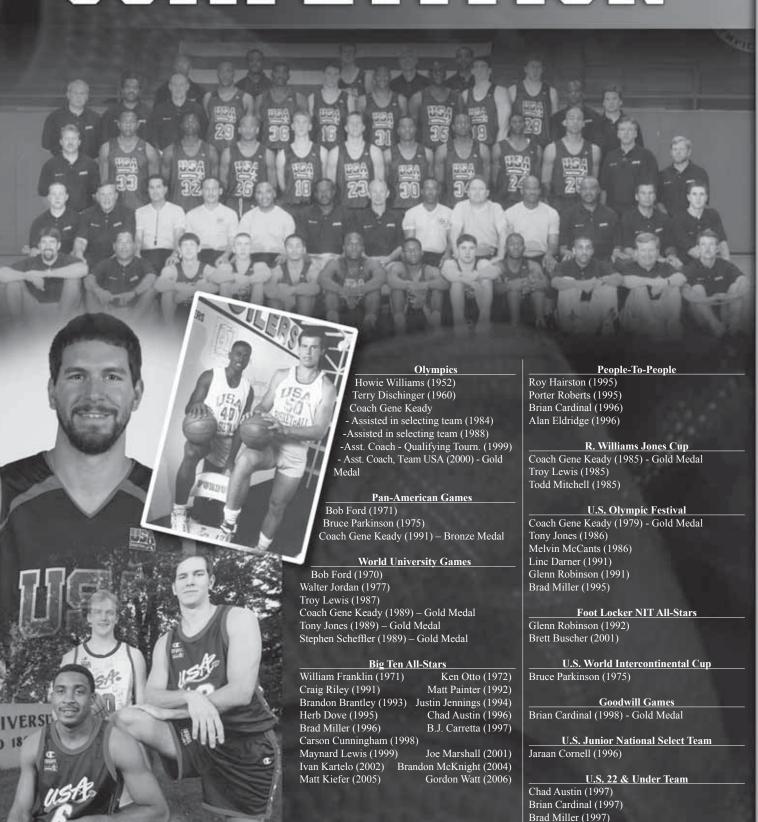
**Carl Landry** 

**Glenn Robinson** 

**Brad Miller** 

**Brian Cardinal** 

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Now in his 23rd year as the strength and conditioning coordinator for the Purdue men's basketball program, Greg Lehman has been instrumental in the Boilermakers' success on the court. Charged with the task of assisting each student-athlete in maximizing his or her potential, his specialized workout programs focus on the enhancement of physical abilities and the prevention of injury.

The ability of Purdue basketball players to compete at their highest levels of performance is largely determined by their physical level of development and preparation. A year-round training program is essential in developing their physical abilities, as well as to prepare their bodies for the potential stress that may result in injury.

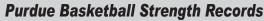
The Purdue basketball training program consists of a complex combination of training that provides various stages of physical development throughout different periods of the year. The training programs include Olympic weight training exercises, free weight and machine weight training exercises, conditioning, flexibility, and plyometrics. Each component is essential for performance enhancement and injury prevention.

In conjunction with the training programs, each student-athlete is provided with a daily assessment of progress and training prescription for each exercise within the program. The system, designed by Lehman, provides a unique advantage that lends success to the training programs by maximizing progression and intensity.

The Purdue men's basketball team trains in the Intercollegiate Athletic Facility, which houses some of the latest in training equipment, including free weights, Olympic platforms, power racks, and Hammer and Cybex training machines, as well as cardiovascular and plyometric equipment.

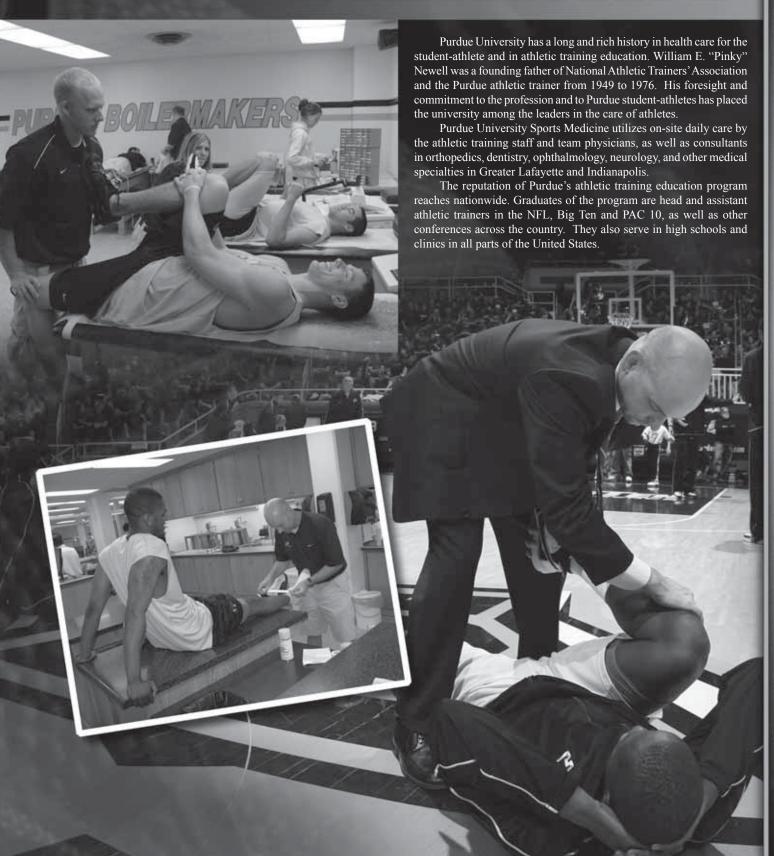
The staff, program and facilities, along with the medical and athletic training staffs, offer Purdue basketball players every advantage to maximize their athletic potential and their careers as student-athletes at Purdue University.





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2.	Steven Scheffler	350	1989		Glenn Robinson	309.0	1994
3.	Jim Rowinski	345	1984		Kenny Williams	309.0	1994
4.	Joe Marshall	325	2000	4.	Herb Dove	298.0	1996
					Marcus Green	298.0	2005
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2.	Nate Minnoy	453	2005	1.	Alan Eldridge	618.39	1998
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3.	Alan Eldridge Justin Jennings	453 436 425	1998 1994	2. 3.	Alan Eldridge Porter Roberts Joe Marshall	618.39 598.56 594.78	1996 2000



### MACKEY AREMA



Now in its 41st season as home to the Purdue Boilermakers, Mackey Arena not only is one of the top college basketball arenas in the Big Ten, but across the country, as well. The Boilermakers have been able to win better than 80 percent of their games at home.

### **Dedication**

Built for about \$6 million, Purdue Arena was dedicated Dec. 2, 1967, in a game featuring Purdue and UCLA. Purdue Arena was renamed Mackey Arena in 1972 in memory of late Athletics Director Guy "Red" Mackey, who led the department for 32 years.

The playing floor sits 17 feet below ground level, while the height from the arena floor to the aluminum roof above is 97 feet. Surrounding the arena are lighted parking areas with a capacity to hold 240 vehicles.

### Upgraded Facilities

Mackey Arena has undergone several changes from its original design. While some modifications have been minor, such as the installation of new lights before the 1989 season, the construction of a band platform in 1993 in the south end seats and the painting of the arena's roof during the summer of 1998, others have been much more elaborate.

Prior to the 1990-91 season, a four-sided scoreboard was installed and includes graphics boards and statistics boards on each of its sides.

The start of the 1994-95 season saw press row moved from its familiar courtside location along the west edge of the playing floor to a location higher up, adjacent to the main concourse on the same side of the arena. The move resulted in the creation of 248 additional seats at midcourt in the lower arena, although the overall capacity of Mackey Arena was not affected. Before the start of the 1997-98 season, Mackey's original playing surface was replaced with a new floor, while the original basketball standards also were replaced. Fiberglass seating was replaced with vinyl-wrapped steel in summer 2000.

In the summer of 2004, a total of seven video boards were installed throughout the arena. In addition to the video boards, a new sound system was installed bringing the project total to over \$2 million.

In May of 2005, the floor of Mackey Arena was resurfaced and painted. Besides a fresh coat of paint and finish, Keady Court was added to the hardwood to honor legendary coach Gene Keady who retired after 25 years on the bench.

### Purdue In Mackey Arena

Season	Won	Lost	Avg. Attend.
1967-68	11	2	13,854
1968-69	- 11	0	14,118
1969-70	- 11	1	*14,123
1970-71	9	4	13,480
1971-72	8	4	13,701
1972-73	10	2	12,899
1973-74	12	2	12,446
1974-75	11	1	13,704
1975-76	8	5	13,030
1976-77	10	3	13,767
1977-78	11	1	13,275
1978-79	15	2	13,635
1979-80	15	2	13,785
1980-81	12	3	13,194
1981-82	12	4	13,315
1982-83	13	1	13,472
1983-84	12	1	13,319
1984-85	12	4	12,674
1985-86	13	2	13,339
1986-87	12	1	*14,123
1987-88	15	1	13,649
1988-89	11	3	*14,123
1989-90	12	1	13,911
1990-91	11	5	13,979
1991-92	13	5	13,465
1992-93	9	5	*14,123
1993-94	13	1	*14,123
1994-95	12	1	*14,123
1995-96	13	1	14,083
1996-97	11	3	14,055
1997-98	13	1	*14,123
1998-99	12	4	*14,123
1999-2000	12	2	13,868
2000-01	11	7	11,958
2001-02	11	4	11,868
2002-03	14	1	10,552
2003-04	9	5	11,701
2004-05	6	9	11,681
2005-06	9	5	10,687
2006-07	16	1	11,749
2007-08	16	1	12,345
Overall	477	111	(.811)

<sup>\*</sup> denotes full-season sold out

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In the 588 regular-season games held in Mackey Arena, the Boilermakers have won 81.1 percent of their games at home (477-111), not including a 44-6 mark in exhibitions.

Although the Boilermakers have enjoyed success against Big Ten opponents in Mackey Arena, posting a 265-81 (.766) record against conference foes, their dominance over non-conference opponents is even more impressive. Consider that the Boilermakers boast a 212-30 (.876) mark against non-league teams.

### ATTENDANCE

Sellouts are the rule rather than the exception in 14,123-seat Mackey Arena. Purdue had a record consecutive sellout streak of 44 games (53 regular-season games) snapped Dec. 19, 1995, against Western Michigan. The Boilermakers had capacity crowds for 129 consecutive Big Ten games until the Northwestern game Feb. 2, 2000. Altogether, Purdue has sold out every game in a season eight times in Mackey Arena's history: 1969-70 (12 games), 1986-87 (13 games), 1988-89 (14 games), 1992-93 (14 games), 1993-94 (14 games), 1994-95 (13 games), 1997-98 (14 games) and 1998-99 (16 games).

In 2006-07, Big Ten men's basketball once again attracted more fans than any other conference, while also leading the country in tournament attendance for the second time in the nine-year history of the event. The league topped the nation in total attendance for the 31st consecutive year according to numbers released by the NCAA. At the time this book went to print, 2007-08 attendance figures were not available on NCAA.org.

The Big Ten reached two attendance landmarks during the 2006-07 season as the conference broke the 2-million mark in all games for the 15th-straight season, while also reaching the 1-million plateau for league games only for the 30th consecutive season.



Purdue University's Mackey Arena will undergo a construction project designed to complement it as not only a basketball venue, but also benefit each of the university's nearly 500 student-athletes.

The scope of the Mackey Arena Complex project is the most comprehensive and significant facility undertaking in the university's athletics history, said Morgan J. Burke, director of intercollegiate athletics. It will bring a 40-year-old campus landmark into the 21st century while preserving its rich history and tradition.

A three-level structure is planned north of Mackey and currently is being referred to as the Student-Athlete Development Center. Its highlights include:

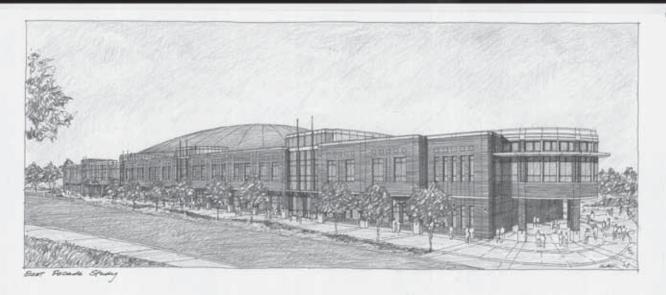
- · A sports medicine facility approximately three and a half to four times larger than the current area in Mackey.
- · A strength and weight training facility approximately four times larger than the existing Intercollegiate Athletic Facility weight room.
- · An oversized basketball practice facility with a full-size court and three breakout shooting areas.

The Mackey Arena Complex project will significantly enhance the overall fan experience at Purdue games. The concourse width will be approximately doubled, concessions will increase four times (from 12 to 48 points of sale) and restrooms will increase three times for women and by 35 percent for men. In addition, the lower seating sections on the east side will be modified to allow for some premium seats, with club seats (fixed padded stadium chairs) and loge seats (office-style chairs on casters) provided. A limited number of premium courtside seats will be available in the west pit area. Accessible seating will increase approximately six times. Two club spaces will be created, one for general fans on the west side and a premium club to the east.

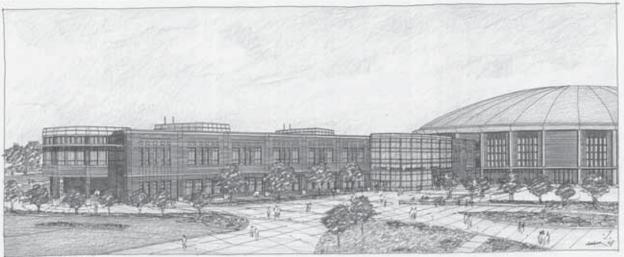
Other upgrades will include new locker rooms and lounges, meeting rooms, offices, laundry facilities and equipment storage. A new ticket office will be created in Mackey that is approximately twice the size of the existing one in the Intercollegiate Athletic Facility. The current ticket office will be converted to a locker room for volleyball. The entire upper level of the IAF will be transformed into an academic center spanning approximately 10,000 square feet.

Since it opened in 1967, Mackey, named for late Purdue athletics director Guy "Red" Mackey, has earned a reputation as one of the premium basketball arenas in the nation. The men's program tops all Big Ten schools with 21 conference championships, while the women's program has won seven regular-season titles and six postseason tournament crowns, all since 1991.



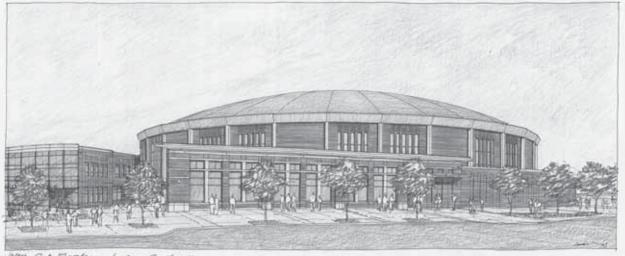


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