

University

Founded in 1897, San Diego State is the oldest and largest higher education institution in the San Diego region.



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San Diego State University



From its modest beginning in 1897 as a teachers' school perched above a downtown drugstore, San Diego State University has evolved into a major research university and an integral partner of the community it serves.

It is difficult to imagine San Diego without San Diego State University. More community leaders within the San Diego region received their education at SDSU than at any other institution. In fact, about half of the university's 260,000 living alumni have chosen to put their knowledge and skills to work right here, invigorating nearly every facet of San Diego's professional and community life.

SDSU and its graduates continue to drive progress and innovation with ground-breaking scientific discoveries and region-specific public health and environmental research. SDSU faculty were awarded \$145 million in research funding last year – more than two University of California campuses. Students benefit from opportunities to engage in research alongside teacher/scholars who are at the leading edge of their fields.

SDSU's urban, cosmopolitan campus reflects the healthy diversity of our region – 52 percent of our undergraduates are students of color. Students from all walks of life and 125 nations contribute to SDSU's dynamic mix of ethnic, racial and social backgrounds.

Responding to the need to be globally competitive, SDSU has dramatically expanded its international programs. The university leverages its strategic location on the Pacific Rim and the border of Latin America to advance international study and research opportunities.

SDSU's commitment to serving the community is steadfast. The nationally recognized Compact for Success between SDSU and the Sweetwater Union High School District has increased Sweetwater's college-going population by 120 percent. Similarly, SDSU's leadership of the City Heights Educational Collaborative has improved the achievement of K-12 students while providing training and educational support for education professionals in three of San Diego's most challenged inner-city schools.

Indeed, SDSU is just as committed to improving quality of life and economic prosperity today as it was in 1897 when it became the first institution of higher education in San Diego.



Rankings & Distinctions

Academics

- In the last 20 years, SDSU has conferred more than 145,000 undergraduate, graduate and doctoral degrees. That's 145,000 lives transformed by the power of an SDSU education.
- SDSU received more than 69,000 undergraduate applications for the fall 2012 semester, among the highest of any university in the country.
- More than 88 percent of all 2010 SDSU freshmen and 87.4 percent of 2010 freshmen of color enrolled for a second year, marking another solid gain in SDSU continuation rates, which are linked to graduation success.
- SDSU's joint doctoral programs in clinical psychology, biological sciences and chemistry, public affairs, social work and rehabilitation counseling are ranked among the top in the nation in *U.S. News and World Report's* "America's Best Graduate Schools."
- The fall 2012 freshman class (admitted students) had an average high school GPA of 3.79 and average SAT scores of 1146.

Community

- The Campaign for SDSU, a \$500-million fundraising initiative to fuel student success, is strengthening ties between SDSU and the San Diego region by providing scholarships, internships and academic instruction to prepare San Diego's future leaders.
- SDSU owns and operates KPBS, rated among the top-10 public broadcasting stations in the U.S., and employing the largest radio news team in San Diego County.
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- SDSU's leadership of the City Heights Educational Collaborative has improved the achievement of K-12 students while providing training and support for educational professionals in three of San Diego's most challenged inner-city schools.
- Decorated as a veteran-friendly university, SDSU educates more than 1,100 student veterans through a combination of classroom and online degree programs, while the campus' Joan and Art Barron Veterans Center assists them in applying for federal benefits.

Diversity

- SDSU ranks No. 11 in the nation and No. 4 in California for bachelor's degrees awarded to Hispanics; and is No. 28 in the nation for master's degrees awarded to Hispanics, according to *Hispanic Outlook in Higher Education*, May 2012.
- In 2011, more than 40 percent of undergraduate degrees and more than 25 percent of master's degrees were conferred on students of color. Additionally, SDSU's highly diverse, low-income EOP students are attending graduate school at higher rates than the general student body.
- SDSU was the first university in the country to establish a women's studies program in 1970, and among the first to launch Africana studies and Chicana/Chicano studies departments.
- In SDSU's 2012 freshman class (admitted students), 57 percent of students are from diverse ethnic and racial backgrounds.
- SDSU is one of the top-20 most LGBT-friendly campuses in the nation, according to a July 2012 ranking by CampusPride.org. The university introduced an interdisciplinary major in lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender studies in 2012, the second university in the country to do so.
- Of SDSU's tenured/tenure track faculty, nearly 25 percent describe themselves as persons of color, and more than 40 percent are women.

International

- In the past 12 years, more than 12,000 San Diego State University students have studied abroad through one of 335 affiliated international education programs in 52 countries.
- SDSU is the first U.S. university to offer a transnational triple-degree program in international business. Students earn degrees from SDSU plus universities in Mexico and Canada or universities in Mexico and Chile.
- SDSU ranks No. 3 in California for the number students studying abroad as part of their college experience, according to the Institute of International Education.
- The international business program at SDSU is among the largest of its kind and ranks within the top-15 international business programs in the country.
- SDSU's Language Acquisition Resource Center was the first of three and is now one of only 15 sites funded by the U.S. Department of Education to serve as a National Language Resource Center.

Research

- SDSU faculty and staff have been awarded more than \$1.5 billion in external funding since 2000.
- In 2011, a team including SDSU, the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and the University of Washington was awarded an \$18.5-million National Science Foundation grant to develop robotic devices that interact seamlessly with the human body to restore or improve sensation and movement.
- SDSU researchers in the 30,000-square-foot Donald P. Shiley BioScience Center—the first of its kind in the CSU—study the critical nexus of infection, inflammation and cardiovascular disease. Their multidisciplinary approach provides opportunities for mentorship of post doctoral, graduate and undergraduate students.
- SDSU's annual Student Research Symposium is a two-day event at which participants present original research, scholarship or creative activities. More than 400 undergraduate, graduate and doctoral students participated in 2012.
- Astronomy professor William Welsh is a participating scientist with NASA's Kepler Mission, which has discovered five new planets outside our solar system; and astronomy professor Jerome Orosz has calculated the mass of the notorious black hole Cygnus X-1, shedding new light on its origin.

Prominent Alumni



Kathleen Kennedy



Dennis Connor

Arts/Actors

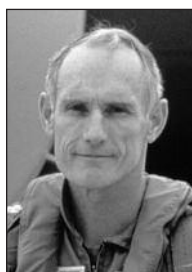
Robert Hays, television/film actor, "Airplane"
Julie Kavner, television actor, "The Simpsons"
Kathleen Kennedy, film producer, "Schindler's List"
Kathy Najimy, television/film actor, "Sister Act"
Gregory Peck, film actor, "To Kill a Mockingbird"
Marion Ross, television/stage actor, "Happy Days"
Claire Van Vliet, visual artist, founder of the Janus Press
Carl Weathers, film actor, "Rocky"
Gary David Goldberg, executive producer and co-creator, "Spin City"
Raquel Welch, film and television actor, starred in "The Three Musketeers"

Authors

Patricia Benke, best-selling crime novelist
Sid Fleischman, author, The Whipping Boy (Newbery Medal, 1987)
Susan Vreeland, author, The Girl in Hyacinth Blue (New York Times Bestseller)

Business

Norman Brinkler, Brinkler International, Ltd., (Chili's, Macaroni Grill and On the Border)
Robert Peterson, founder, Jack in the Box
Sol Price, founder, Price Club
R. Andrew Rathbone, creator, "...for Dummies" book series
Ralph Rubio, founder/CEO, Rubio's Baja Grill
Jim Sinegal, co-founder and President/CEO, Costco
Julia Stewart, CEO, International House of Pancakes
Suzy Spafford, creator, Suzy's Zoo
Sue Swenson, COO, Leap Wireless
Jack Williams, retired COO, Royal Caribbean International and Celebrity Cruises



Merrill R. McPeak



Timothy J. Muris

Communication/Media

Art Linkletter, television show host
Jeanne Zelasko, Fox Sports anchor/reporter
Armen Keteyian, CBS Sports reporter



Armen Keteyian



Art Linkletter

Education

Sandra McBryer, 1994 National Teacher of the Year
Janis Gabay, 1990 National Teacher of the Year
Dr. Doris Alvarez, 1997 Principal of the Year

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Timothy J. Muris, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission
General Merrill R. McPeak, former chief of staff, United States Air Force

Science

Robert Kaplan, nationally known psychologist
Ellen Ochoa, astronaut, world's first Hispanic female astronaut
Siegfried Reich, HIV testing researcher pioneer
Gerald Schleif, WD-40 inventor



R. Andrew Rathbone



Marion Ross

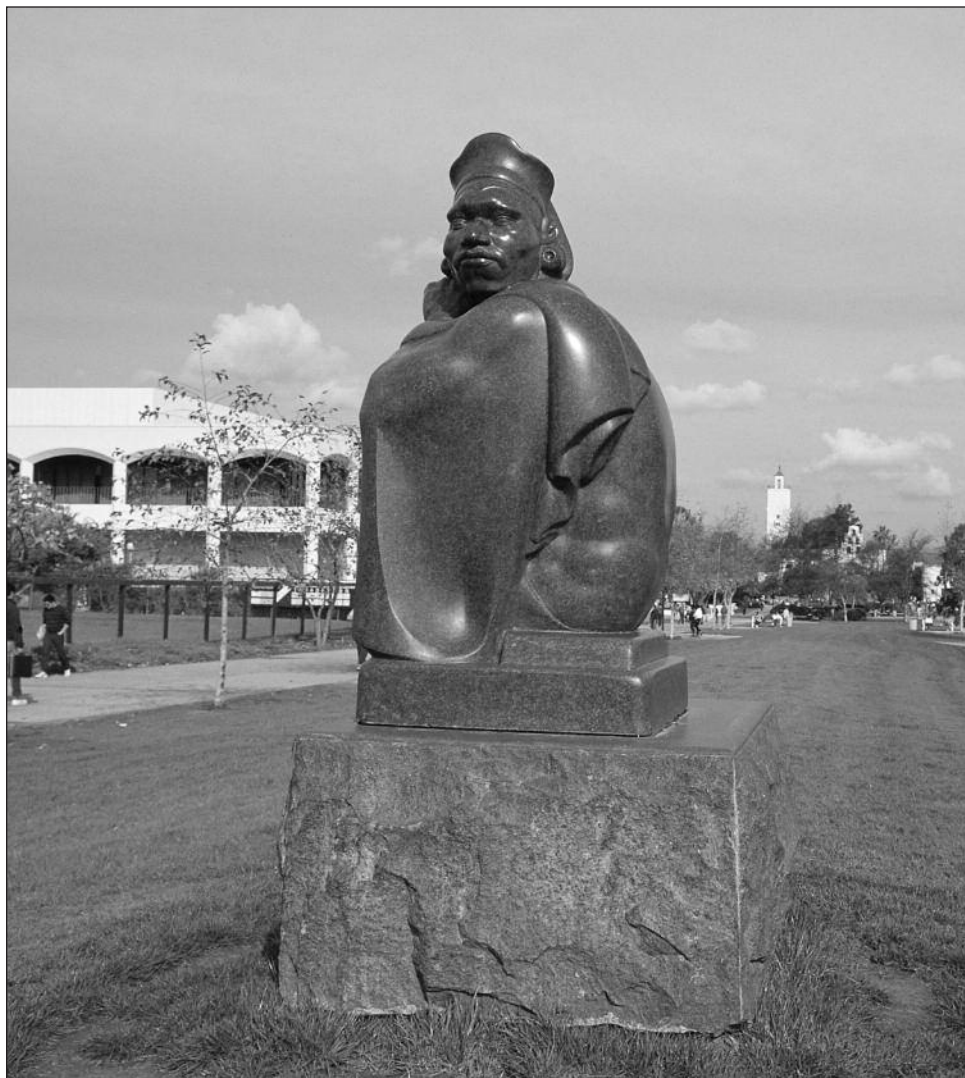
Sports

Michael Cage, former NBA basketball player
Dennis Conner, America's Cup-winning sailor
Mark Grace, former Arizona Diamondbacks baseball player
Tony Gwynn, former San Diego Padres baseball player/current Aztec baseball coach
Fred Dryer, former Los Angeles Rams football player/actor
Marshall Faulk, former NFL MVP and 2011 NFL Hall of Fame Inductee
Stephen Strasburg, 2009 MLB No. 1 overall draft pick, current Washington Nationals pitcher
Joe Gibbs, former Washington Redskins football coach
Graig Nettles, former New York Yankees baseball player
Brian Sipe, former Cleveland Browns football player/current Aztec assistant football coach
Mark Reynolds, sailor, four-time Olympian, two-time Olympic gold medalist, three-time world champion
Marla Runyan, 1991-1994-2000 Olympian, visually impaired marathon runner
Gene Littler, former PGA tour golfer, winner - 1961 US Open
Kevin Kennedy, Fox Sports baseball analyst, former major league manager



Jeanne Zelasko and Kevin Kennedy

Aztec Culture



SDSU's Aztec Heritage

From the early decades of its history, San Diego State has identified itself with the Aztecs, one of the most sophisticated and distinctive societies in the history of the Western Hemisphere. A fitting choice for a university committed to internationalism and diversity, the Aztec identity evokes great pride in Mexico, as well as among many people in the United States, and certainly within the SDSU community. Consequently, San Diego State strives to honor the Aztec people by enhancing awareness, understanding and appreciation of Aztec culture and achievements.

Aztec History

Aztec civilization dates back to at least the 12th century A.D. The precise location is still debated by scholars, but tradition tells us of a place somewhere north of modern-day Mexico City known at that time as Aztlan, which meant "the place of the cranes" or "the place of the herons." The people who lived in this land were called Azteca meaning "those of Aztlan."

The Azteca eventually left their homeland and became

known as the Mexica. Native folklore attributes this name change to the instructions of the people's patron deity, Huitzilopochtli (Hummingbird on the Left).

Around 1325, the Mexica settled on an island in Lake Texcoco, an area that is now the heart of Mexico City, and named it Tenochtitlan or "the place of the fruit of the cactus." A century later, the Mexica and two other Nahuatl-speaking city-states, Texcoco and Tlacopan, combined to create an entity popularly known as the Aztec Empire.

Boasting a strong military force, this new alliance commanded a sphere of influence that stretched across much of present-day Mexico.

Tenochtitlan and its surrounding valley evolved into a highly sophisticated, multicultural and multilingual city-state of several million inhabitants. At this same time, major European cities numbered only 30,000 to 40,000 in population. A cradle of innovation, the Aztec Empire developed advanced systems of trade, science, politics, religion, education and agriculture. The Aztecs also enjoyed sports and built grand ballcourts to accommodate team events.

Aztecs and SDSU

San Diego State University first adopted the Aztec name in the 1920s as a nickname for the college's sports teams. In 1925, the student newspaper followed suit, changing its name from *The Paper Lantern* to *The Aztec*. Since that time, San Diego State's celebration of Aztec heritage has permeated the campus. In 1936, a Donald Hord sculpture of Montezuma II, the last Aztec emperor, became a welcoming campus icon. With the passing years, Aztec themes echoed in the names, colors and architectural elements of new campus buildings. And Aztec culture became the subject of more than a dozen university courses.

In 1941, Monty Montezuma, a character based on Montezuma II, debuted at San Diego State athletic events as a symbolic personification of the Aztecs. Over time, the Montezuma character's look and activities have evolved from a sports mascot into a more dignified and accurate representation of the historical emperor. Montezuma now serves as the university's ambassador of Aztec culture, charged with the responsibility of informing and educating the San Diego community about Aztec civilization. SDSU continues to take pride in its affiliation with Aztec culture and to celebrate the Aztec virtues of strength, valor and intellectual achievement.



University President



Dr. Elliot Hirshman

University President
Eighth President of SDSU

Elliot Hirshman serves as president of San Diego State University. He joined SDSU in July 2011, and is only the eighth president in SDSU's 116-year history. Building on a strong tradition, Dr. Hirshman leads a dynamic university community committed to addressing regional, national and global challenges and propelling California and our nation forward. With Dr. Hirshman at the helm, SDSU is advancing as a major public research university, emphasizing academic excellence, student success, community engagement, diversity, and internationalization.

As president, he oversees a talented community of SDSU faculty and staff who are nationally recognized for their research accomplishments, their mentoring of the next generation of leaders and their commitment to addressing our society's challenges. He is currently leading the university's first comprehensive fundraising campaign, a campaign designed to transform the university by support-

ing student scholarships, research and innovation and community engagement. The campaign has raised more than \$320 million since 2007.

Dr. Hirshman's career has been distinguished by his dedication to excellence in teaching, research and service. Prior to joining SDSU, he served as provost and senior vice president for Academic Affairs at the University of Maryland, Baltimore County, where he was responsible for the delivery of the academic program, including instruction, research, and academic support services; enrollment management, including admissions and financial aid; and the intercollegiate athletics program.

He began his academic career at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (1989-2000), where he served as assistant, associate, and ultimately full professor of psychology. While at Chapel Hill, Dr. Hirshman was nominated for the American Council on Education Fellows Program, in which he participated as a

fellow in the provost's office at Arizona State University. Subsequently, he served as special assistant to the provost at Chapel Hill.

Dr. Hirshman has a strong interdisciplinary background, having earned his undergraduate degree summa cum laude in economics and mathematics from Yale and his Ph.D. in cognitive psychology at UCLA. His research and teaching focus on the psychopharmacology of human cognition, exploring cognitive and quantitative models of memory, attention and visual perception, and the influence of individual drugs on specific cognitive processes. A fellow of the American Psychological Association, his interdisciplinary work involves collaboration among psychologists, medical doctors, and statisticians.

Dr. Hirshman is married to Jeri Hirshman. The Hirshmans' children Wendy and Nathan are both honors students. Wendy attends Muhlenberg College in Pennsylvania. Nathan attends the University of Virginia.



Director of Athletics



HIGHEST MEN'S BASKETBALL & FOOTBALL COMBINED WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 2010-11

Pl.	Team	W	L	Pct.
1.	San Diego State	77	20	79.4
2.	Ohio State	71	19	78.9
3.	Brigham Young	75	23	76.5
4.	Syracuse	74	23	76.3
5.	Kentucky	78	25	75.7
6.	Wisconsin	73	24	75.3
7.	North Carolina	76	25	75.2
8.	Missouri	71	24	74.7
9.	Temple	67	24	73.6
10.	Southern Miss.	67	26	72.0

Below is a list of San Diego State teams that have advanced to postseason play and their NCAA finish the last two seasons under Jim Sterk.

2010-11 NCAA FINISHES

- ◆ Men's Basketball (9th)
- Men's Golf (16th)
- Softball (17th)
- Football (26th)
- Women's Golf (49th)
- Outdoor Track & Field (60th)

2011-12 NCAA FINISHES

- ◆ Men's Golf (5th)
- ◆ Outdoor Track & Field (9th)
- Softball (17th)
- Men's Basketball (33rd)
- Women's Basketball (33rd)
- Football (44th)
- Swimming & Diving (45th)
- Indoor Track & Field (48th)
- Women's Golf (58th)

◆ - indicates best Division I finish in program history.

Jim Sterk enters his third season as the University's Director of Intercollegiate Athletics having already left an indubitable mark on San Diego State. He has overseen the most successful two seasons in San Diego State athletic history. With a record number of scholar-athletes in the classroom, he also negotiated the Aztecs' football program into the BIG EAST Conference beginning in 2013, and oversaw SDSU's record-breaking fundraising campaign this past season.

On the field, San Diego State continues to set itself apart, compiling the highest combined winning percentage in the country in football and men's basketball since the beginning of the 2010-11 season at 79.4 percent (77-20). SDSU is one of only two schools in the state of California to advance to bowl games each of the last two years (Stanford) and was one of only 16 schools nationwide to have both its men's and women's basketball teams participate in the 2012 NCAA tournament and the football team advance to a bowl game.

The overall success of the program can best be demonstrated by the fact that a school-record nine athletic teams advanced to postseason play and scored postseason points in NCAA competition in 2011-12. Two of those programs - men's golf and outdoor track & field - finished among the nation's top 10.

Since arriving at San Diego State in February 2010, Sterk, 56, has led the Aztec athletic department to fiscal stability. Despite state cut-backs, he has ended each of his first two seasons at SDSU in the black, while athletic department fundraising is at an all-time high.

His impact has also been felt throughout the department, as he has hired or extended the contract of 12 current head coaches at San Diego State. The current collection of Aztec head coaches have combined to earn 24 conference coach-of-the-year honors.

His vision of a program that competes with the nation's best on the field and one that takes a back seat to no one in the classroom is well on its way to becoming a reality.

This past April, a school-record 275 individuals were honored as scholar student-athletes at the year-end banquet, bettering the mark set in Sterk's first year on The Mesa.

What may be most impressive is Sterk's role in the negotiations that resulted in SDSU accepting an invitation to play football in the BIG EAST Conference beginning in the fall of 2013. In addition to moving the program into a BCS conference, the move helps solidify additional broadcast revenue for both the department and school.

It didn't take long for San Diego State to make an impression on Sterk. In his first 20 days at his new job in March of 2010, the men's and women's basketball teams both claimed the Mountain West Conference tournament championship. Then he watched both programs advance to the NCAAs and was on site when the women's program upset Texas and West Virginia en route to advancing to the Sweet 16 for the first time in school history.

Sterk came to SDSU from Washington State University, where he served as athletic director since 2000. Prior to his hiring at WSU, he was the AD at Portland State University from 1995 to 2000.

Sterk also has a solid reputation and the respect of his peers across the country. The NCAA recognized him in 2006 as the Division IA Athletic Directors' "Program of Excellence."

He oversaw a period of unparalleled success at Washington State with historic accomplishments both on and off the field.

In his last three years at WSU, 13 Cougar teams competed in NCAA postseason tournaments, including back-to-back trips by the men's basketball team (2007 and 2008), while women's rowing earned five NCAA championship bids, including a fourth-place finish in 2006, the highest finish ever by a WSU women's team in NCAA competition.

Sterk graduated from Western Washington University in 1980, where he earned four letters in football and one in basketball. He was credited with a school-record 164 tackles during the 1977 season, garnering first-team NAIA District I all-star accolades. He was named team captain and MVP helping the Vikings to the district championship game. On Feb. 6, 2010, Sterk was inducted into Western Washington's Athletics Hall of Fame for his success in football.

Sterk received his master's degree in sports administration from Ohio University. In addition to SDSU, Washington State and Portland State, his professional career has also included positions at North Carolina, Maine, Seattle Pacific and Tulane.

Sterk and his wife Debra have three children: Ashley (23), Amy (20), and Abby (17)



Jim Sterk

Director of Athletics
Third Year at SDSU

Education
1980 - B.A. in Physical and Business Education
Western Washington University

1986 - M.A. in Sports Admin.
Ohio University

Career Experience
1986
Assistant to the Director of Ticket Operations
University of North Carolina

1987-90
Assistant Business and Ticket Manager ('87-88), Director of Athletic Services ('88-89), Assistant Athletic Director/Finance ('89-90)
University of Maine

1990-91
Associate Athletics Director
Seattle Pacific University

1991-95
Senior Associate Athletic Director
Tulane University

1995-2000
Director of Athletics
Portland State University

2000-10
Director of Athletics
Washington State University

2010-Present
Director of Athletics
San Diego State University

Aztec Hall of Fame

Aztec Hall Of Fame Inductees

1988

- Laurel Brassey - W. Volleyball (1974-1981)
- Willie Buchanon - Football (1970-71)
- John Butler - Football (1933-35)
- Don Coryell - Football Coach (1961-72)
- Fred Dryer - Football (1967-68)
- Gary Garrison - Football (1964-65)
- Gene Littler - M. Golf (1949-52)
- Haven Moses - Football (1966-67)
- Graig Nettles - Baseball (1964-65); M. Basketball (1964-65)
- C.E. Peterson - Football Coach (1921-29); M. Bball Coach (1921-26); T&F Coach (1922-46)
- Milton Phelps - M. Basketball (1939-41)
- Art Preston - Football (1949-51); Baseball (1950-52)
- Arnie Robinson - M. Track & Field (1970-71)
- Dennis Shaw - Football (1968-69)
- Brian Sipe - Football (1969-71)
- Willie Steele - M. Track & Field (1947-48); M. Basketball (1947); Baseball (1949)

1989

- Kevin Crow - Soccer (1979-82)
- Morris Gross - Football, Baseball, M. Basketball Coach (1929-42)
- Tony Gwynn - Baseball (1979-81); M. Basketball (1978-81)
- Don Horn - Football (1965-66)
- Jack Rand - M. Track & Field (1934-35); Football (1932-34)

1990

- Tim Delaney - Football (1968-70)
- Art Linkletter - M. Basketball (1932-34); M. Swimming (1932-34)
- Judy Porter - W. Basketball (1980-83)
- Tom Reynolds - Football (1969-71)

1991

- Steve Copp - M. Basketball (1973-76)
- Chuck Courtney - M. Golf (1960-61)
- Tom Dahms - Football (1947-49)
- Monte Jackson - Football (1973-74)
- Angela Rock - W. Volleyball (1981-84)

1992

- Barbara Barrow - W. Golf (1974-77)
- Bud Black - Baseball (1978-79)
- Deby LaPlante - W. Track & Field (1979-80)
- Tony Pinkins - M. Basketball (1955-57)
- Bob Smith - M. Track & Field (1949-50)
- Charlie Smith - Baseball Coach (1934-64)

1993

- Tom Ables - Honorary
- Michael Cage - M. Basketball (1981-84)
- Vidal Fernandez - M. Soccer (1977-79)
- Ann Lebedeff - W. Tennis (1972-74)
- Tom Nettles - Football (1966-68)
- La Tanya Sheffield - W. Track & Field (1983-86)

1994

- Patricia Mang - Softball (1987-88)
- Chris Marlowe - M. Volleyball (1972-73); M. Basketball (1970-73)
- Bill Schutte - Football Coach (1947-55)
- Nate Wright - Football (1967-68)
- George Ziegenfuss - M. Basketball Coach (1948-69)

1995

- Marcelo Balboa - M. Soccer (1988-89)
- Bob Brady - M. Basketball (1952-54)
- Claudie Minor - Football (1972-73)
- Micki Schillig - W. Tennis (1980-83)
- Frank Scott - M. Golf Coach (1948-83)

1996

- Paul Mott - Football, M. Basketball, M. Track & Field (1925-28)
- Ramona Pagel - W. Track & Field (1983-84)
- Todd Santos - Football (1984-87)
- Eric Wynalda - M. Soccer (1987-89)

1997

- Vicki Cantrell - W. Volleyball (1980-83)
- Kenny Hale - M. Basketball (1941, 1946-47)
- Joel Kramer - M. Basketball (1974, 1976-78)
- Duncan McFarland - M. Volleyball (1973)





1998

- Marshall Faulk - Football (1991-93)
- Chris Gwynn - Baseball (1983-85)
- Mary Holland - W. Volleyball (1979-82)
- Dick Mitchell - M. Basketball (1940-42)
- Chana Perry - W. Basketball (1988-89)

1999

- Lennie Clements - M. Golf (1976-79)
- Laura DeSnoo - W. Track & Field (1983-86)
- Harry Hodgetts - M. Basketball (1937-41)
- Carol Plunkett - W. Tennis Coach (1976-94)
- Wendy Wheat - W. Volleyball (1977-80)

2002

- 1940-41 M. Basketball Team
- 1987 M. Soccer Team
- Joe Gibbs - Football (1961-63); Football Coach (1965-66)
- Norm Nygaard - Football (1952-54)
- Falisha Wright - W. Basketball (1992-95)

2003

- 1973 M. Volleyball National Champions
- Maria Runyan - W. Track & Field (1988-91)
- Al Skalecky - M. Basketball (1966-68)
- Nicole Storto - W. Tennis (1990-93)

2004

- Mike Douglass - Football (1976-77)
- Rod Downhower - Football (1963-64)
- Claude Gilbert - Football Coach (1967-80, 1995-99)
- Travis Lee - Baseball (1994-96)
- Carrie McLaughlin Stathas - W. Track & Field (1981-83)
- Ron Reina - Broadcaster (1969-86)

2005

- 1987 Men's Rugby National Champions
- Henry Allison - Football (1969-70)
- Kern Carson - Football (1961-63)
- Bernie Finlay - Basketball (1958-60)
- Lynn Kanuka - W. Cross Country/Track & Field (1980-82)

2006

- Bob Breitbard - Football (1938-40); Football Coach (1945)
- Kim Goetz - M. Basketball (1978-79)
- Cynthia MacGregor - W. Tennis (1983-86)
- Neal Petties - Football (1961-63)
- Craig Scoggins - Football (1965-66)

2007

- Bob Cluck - Baseball (1966-67)
- Mike Dodd - M. Basketball (1975-79); M. Volleyball (1978-80)
- John Duich - Football (1935, 1937-38)
- Steve Duich - Football (1966-67)
- Jay Gutowski - Football (1953-56)
- Bobby Meacham - Baseball (1979-81)
- Rachel Scott-Ruano - Water Polo (1995-98)

2008

- Isaac Curtis - Football (1972)
- John Farris - Football (1962-64)
- Kleishsha Garnes - W. Basketball (1991-92)
- Mark Grace - Baseball (1985)
- Bobby Howard - Football (1965-66)

2009

- 1966 Wire Service College Division Football National Champions
- Toni Himmer - W. Volleyball (1980-83)
- Oliver Maiberger - M. Tennis (2000-03)
- Mario Mendez - Football (1961-63)
- Jeff Staggs - Football (1965-66)
- Ralph Wenzel - Football (1964-65)

2010

- Iionette Dyer - W. Track & Field (2002-05)
- Kabeer Gbaja-Biamila - Football (1996-99)
- La'Roi Glover - Football (1992-95)
- Doug Harvey - Baseball (1955-56)
- John Hyden - M. Volleyball (1992-95)
- Fred Miller - Director of Athletics (1985-95)

2011

- 1958 NAIA Baseball National Champions
- Dick Barnes - M. Basketball (1946, 1948-50)
- Sandra Durazo - Softball (1998-2001)
- Kyle Turley - Football (1994-97)
- Quentin Wheeler - W. Track & Field (1975-76)

Athletics Directory

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Compliance



What Boosters Need to Know About NCAA Rules and Regulations

The support and loyalty of Aztec supporters are cornerstones of San Diego State University and Aztec Athletics. As dedicated supporters, we ask for your commitment to compliance with NCAA, conference and SDSU rules and regulations. The eligibility of SDSU student-athletes depends greatly upon your understanding of these rules.

Per NCAA regulations, the university is held responsible for the actions of our boosters. Boosters may not engage in any recruitment activities or provide benefits or privileges to prospective or enrolled student-athletes. The SDSU Department of Athletics is proud to have your loyal support and continued interest in our athletic programs. As we strive for excellence, we must always seek the highest standard of ethical conduct. With your assistance and cooperation, we believe these goals can be accomplished.

Who Are Representatives or Boosters?

You are considered a "representative of athletics interests" (i.e., booster) of San Diego State University if:

- You have made a financial contribution to Aztec Athletics including the Aztec Club, Director's Cabinet, Big 50, Big 64, RBI Club, or a sports specific varsity club.
- You are a corporate sponsor or courtesy car provider.
- You are a member of an organization that promotes an athletic team.
- You have assisted in the recruitment of a prospective student-athlete.
- You have employed a student-athlete.
- You have assisted a student-athlete in locating a job.
- You have provided assistance or a benefit to a student-athlete or their family.

Once you become an SDSU booster, you retain that status indefinitely.

Remember, As a Booster You May Not:

- Be involved in the recruitment of a student-athlete.
- Provide any benefit, inducement or arrangement such as cash, clothing, equipment, cars, transportation, gifts, or loans to a prospective or current student-athlete.
- Engage in any conversation more than a "hello" with prospective student-athletes or their parents or guardians.
- Make in-person recruiting contacts with prospects or their parents or guardians.
- Make telephone calls or write letters to prospects or their parents or guardians.

Who Are Prospective Student-Athletes?

A prospect is:

- Any student enrolled in the 9th grade or above.
- Any student enrolled in a two-year college or prep school.
- Any student not yet enrolled or officially withdrawn from a four-year institution.
- Any other individual who has been recruited by an SDSU staff member or booster.

Who Are Enrolled Student-Athletes?

An enrolled student-athlete:

- Is a member of an NCAA intercollegiate athletic team.
- May interact with boosters, but may not have relationships that include extra benefits.

Boosters and Job Programs

If you are interested in employing any student-athlete, you must first contact the Athletics Financial Aid Coordinator at 619-594-4152 to ensure proper employment. Your employment of student-athletes is a beneficial experience as they build a life outside of athletics. However, you must remember:

- You may pay only for work actually performed.
- You may pay only the going rate in that locality for similar services.
- You may not provide transportation to or from the job site unless the employer transports all employees.

Extra Benefits

A staff member or booster may not offer or provide any benefits to a prospective or enrolled student-athlete, or their relatives or friends, other than those expressly permitted by NCAA legislation. An extra benefit is any special arrangement to provide a benefit which is not generally available to the general student body.

Examples of extra benefits include:

- Arrangements of employment for relatives.
- Gifts of clothing or equipment.
- Co-signing of loans.
- Loans to relatives or friends.
- Cash or like items.
- Any tangible items, such as merchandise.
- Free or reduced-cost services, rentals or purchases.
- Free or discounted meals at a restaurant.
- Free or reduced-cost housing.
- Use of an institution's athletics equipment.

Questions Regarding Rules?

If you have any questions regarding NCAA rules and how it affects relationships between boosters and student-athletes, or prospects, please contact the SDSU Athletic Compliance Office at:

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This is the Mountain West

From its inception in 1999, the Mountain West has been committed to excellence in intercollegiate athletics, while promoting the academic missions of its member institutions. Progressive in its approach, the MW continues to cultivate opportunities for student-athletes to compete at the highest level, while fostering academic achievement and sportsmanship. Now in its 14th year, the MW has been assertive in its involvement with the NCAA governance structure and has taken a leadership role in the overall administration of intercollegiate athletics.

The Mountain West has marked several achievements over its first 13 years of existence, most notably becoming the first to establish a sports television network dedicated solely to an intercollegiate athletic conference (The Mtn.). The Mountain West also was the first to experiment with the coaches' challenge in the college football instant replay system, and was the first non-automatic-qualifying BCS conference to participate in four BCS bowl games, winning three. Additionally, the Mountain West was the first conference to have a member institution with No. 1 overall picks in both the NFL and NBA drafts in the same year (Utah's Alex Smith and Andrew Bogut, respectively in 2005). With San Diego State's Stephen Strasburg claiming the No. 1 pick in the 2009 MLB Draft, the Mountain West is one of two conferences to have the No. 1 selection in each of the NFL, NBA and MLB drafts since the MW was founded in 1999. In 2011-12, the Mountain West was among the first conferences to implement a league-wide state-of-the-art basketball instant replay system.

The Mountain West is noted for its geographic diversity. Some of the most beautiful terrain and landscapes in the nation can be found within Mountain West boundaries, including the majestic Rocky Mountain range, which borders four MW institutions (Air Force, Boise State, Colorado State and New Mexico). The high plains of Wyoming (elevation 7,220 feet – the highest Division I campus in the nation) contrast with the desert cities of Las Vegas and Reno, home to UNLV and Nevada, while Fresno State and San Diego State add a West coast influence with their locations in Central and Southern California. The inclusion of the Hawai'i football program extends the Mountain West footprint to the beautiful islands in the Pacific Ocean.

History

The Mountain West was conceived on May 26,

1998, when the presidents of eight institutions — Air Force, BYU, Colorado State, New Mexico, San Diego State, UNLV, Utah and Wyoming — decided to form a new NCAA Division I-A intercollegiate athletic conference. The split from a former 16-team conference re-established continuity and stability among the membership within the new league and signaled the continuation of its tradition-rich, long-standing athletic rivalries. Three of the MW's eight original members have been conference rivals since the 1960s (New Mexico, Wyoming and Colorado State), while San Diego State (1978) and Air Force (1980) were longtime members as well. UNLV and TCU entered the fold in 1996 and the Rebels continued as one of the original eight institutions that formed the MW in 1999. TCU re-joined the group with its first year of competition in the Mountain West in 2005-06. With conference realignment sweeping the nation in recent years, the MW has been proactive in addressing membership changes. Boise State University joined the Mountain West in 2011-12, followed by Fresno State and the University of Nevada on July 1, 2012. Also on July 1, 2012, the University of Hawai'i became a football-only member of the Conference. On May 4, 2012, the Mountain West announced the additions of San Jose State University and Utah State University as full-time members effective July 1, 2013.

When the Mountain West officially began operations on July 1, 1999, the new league had in place a seven-year contract with ESPN, giving the broadcaster exclusive national television rights to MW football and men's basketball, and three-year agreements to send the league's football champion to the Liberty Bowl and a second team to the Las Vegas Bowl. Commissioner Craig Thompson also arranged a third bowl tie-in each of the first three seasons (1999 Motor City, 2000 Silicon Valley, 2001 New Orleans) before securing a four-year deal with the Emerald Bowl in San Francisco in 2002. Entering the 2012 season, the MW has four contracted bowl affiliations – the MAACO Bowl Las Vegas, San Diego Country Credit Union Poinsettia Bowl, Bell Helicopter Armed Forces Bowl and Gildan New Mexico Bowl.

An innovator in the postseason bowl structure, the MW engineered many "firsts," as league teams have participated in five inaugural bowl games (2000 Silicon Valley, 2001 New Orleans, 2002 San Francisco (Emerald), 2005 Poinsettia, 2006 New Mexico), as well as placing the first non-automatic-qualifying BCS team into a BCS bowl game with Utah's appearance in the 2005 Tostitos Fiesta Bowl.

2011-12 Review

From the gridiron to the diamond, Mountain West teams enjoyed an outstanding year in 2011-12. The MW sent a record five football teams to bowl games for the fifth consecutive year and had two teams ranked in the final BCS Standings and USA Today/ESPN Coaches polls for the fourth straight season. League newcomer Boise State enjoyed a successful inaugural MW campaign, closing out the 2011 season ranked sixth in the Coaches' poll and eighth in the Associated Press poll.

Opportunity

The Mountain West provides a first-class athletic and academic experience for more than 7,000 student-athletes each year. Over the past 13 years, 38 Mountain West student-athletes have earned NCAA Postgraduate Scholarships, and since the league's inception in 1999, an additional 26 student-athletes have been named MW Scholar-Athlete of the Year and awarded league-sponsored postgraduate scholarships. Three student-athletes have earned distinction as Rhodes Scholars (Jessica Mellinger, Wyoming and Delavane Diaz and Brittany Morreale, Air Force).

Conference student-athletes are also given a voice regarding pertinent issues within the MW and NCAA governance structure through representation on the Student-Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC). The Mountain West SAAC consists of 19 representatives; two student-athletes from each full member institution and one faculty athletics representative. The committee reviews and reacts to legislation and to other topics referred by the Conference constituent groups or committees related to the student-athlete experience.

Sportsmanship

Named a Sports Ethics Fellow by the Institute for International Sport in 1998, Commissioner Thompson has been a driving force for sportsmanship within intercollegiate athletics. As part of its continuing growth and development, the Mountain West implemented an extensive Sportsmanship Initiative, endorsed by both the MW Joint Council and MW Board of Directors. The program is made up of several elements, which are both practical and philosophical in nature. While the MW has significant penalties in place to deal with violations, the Sportsmanship Initiative is primarily promotional and educational in nature. The goal is to develop an environment that fosters appropriate behavior from all Conference constituencies.



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Qualcomm Stadium

On September 15, 1967, the San Diego State University football team first stepped onto the turf of what *Sports Illustrated* would later call the finest multi-purpose stadium in America - San Diego Stadium. That night, the Aztecs, led by head coach Don Coryell and players like Haven Moses, Fred Dryer, Tom Nettles and Nate Wright, defeated Tennessee State 16-8 in front of 45,822 fans.

In an effort to prepare the stadium for the next century, a \$66.4 million renovation project was undertaken in 1997, which increased seating to 71,400, added 31 luxury suites; created 7,600 club seats, and added a second Sony Jumbotron video board in the West end.

To help in financing of the renovation project, Qualcomm, a local communications company, agreed to provide \$18 million for the naming rights of the Stadium for the next 20 years. The Stadium is now known as Qualcomm Stadium. Qualcomm Stadium is located at the intersection of Interstates 8 and 15 in Mission Valley, less than five miles from the university. Indeed, San Diego State is one of the facility's two charter tenants, the other being the San Diego Chargers of the National Football League. In the 30 years since that opening night, some of the greatest names in Aztec football history have displayed their talents there - Dennis Shaw, Brian Sipe, Isaac Curtis, Willie Buchanon, Todd Santos, Webster Slaughter, Rob Awalt, Don Warren, Dan McGwire, Henry Allison, Claudie Minor, Jesse Freitas, Craig Penrose, David "Deacon" Turner, Darnay Scott and Marshall Faulk to name a few.

In addition to the Aztecs and Chargers, the San Diego County Credit Union Poinsetta Bowl and the Holiday Bowl have come to call it home. The Stadium has been the site of such renowned events as the Super Bowl, the World Series and baseball's All-Star Game.

Constructed at a cost of \$27 million, San Diego Stadium opened August 20, 1967, with an exhibition game between the Chargers and Detroit Lions. Since that game, the facility has been the stage for some of the most memorable events in San Diego State football history. A then-record attendance of 53,611 was on hand November 8, 1975, when the unbeaten Aztecs were involved in one of the most dramatic games ever played in San Diego, but the Arizona Wildcats prevailed, 31-24.

In 1975, average attendance for six home games was 42,040. In '77, a crowd of 50,453 saw the Aztecs hammer 15th-ranked Florida State, 41-16. On January 6, 1981, the name of the facility was changed officially to San Diego Jack Murphy Stadium. Murphy, a nationally-known columnist and the sports editor of the San Diego Union-Tribune, had led the campaign to have the stadium constructed. He had died in 1980.

In 1984, 49,220 fans nearly carried SDSU to an upset of UCLA, as the Bruins hung on to an 18-15 victory. The Aztecs clinched their first Western Athletic Conference championship and a berth in the Holiday Bowl with a 10-3 victory over Brigham Young on November 29, 1986, in front of a Stadium crowd of 45,062. SDSU then played host to Iowa in one of the most memorable Holiday Bowls ever. The hometown Aztecs fought the perennial Big Ten power to a standstill before losing 39-38 on a last second Hawkeye field goal. A crowd of 59,473 witnessed that game on December 30, 1986, which was the largest crowd ever to see SDSU in San Diego Jack Murphy Stadium. State's large and vocal crowds have had much to cheer about through the years. As they await the 2010 season, the Aztecs' all time record in Mission Valley is 170-92-6 (.634).

The stadium underwent a major facelift in 1985. Built initially to seat 52,675 for football, the expansion project pushed capacity to 60,409, and current capacity is 70,561. Largely



as a result, the National Football League voted to hold the 1988 Super Bowl game in San Diego where the Washington Redskins defeated the Denver Broncos, 42-10. That national spectacle returned in 1998 to witness the Denver Broncos defeat the Green Bay Packers, 31-24. The most recent Super Bowl hosted by the Q was 2003, when the Tampa Bay Buccaneers routed the Oakland Raiders, 48-21.

Prior to the stadium's opening, the Aztecs played their games in Aztec Bowl - a 13,000-seat facility on campus - and the 34,500-seat Balboa Stadium downtown. The team's record crowd had been the 35,342 fans who jammed Balboa Stadium to see the Aztecs meet North Dakota State in 1966. North Dakota State was the No. 1 small college team in the nation at the time, but the Aztecs won the game 36-0. The victory served as a springboard for San Diego State's national small college championships in 1966, '67 and '68 and a move to Division I-A following the end of the 1968 season.

San Diego State moved to what is now Qualcomm Stadium. From 1936-66, the Aztecs played most of their home games in Aztec Bowl on campus, where they had a record of 77-44-5 (.636).

From 1921-35, the team's home field alternated between Balboa Stadium (38-42-4) and Lane Field (12-12-4) with an occasional game played on the old Normal School campus at College Field (9-3-1). Two games were also played at Aztec Field, the old track and field stadium which was located north of the Aztec Center. Since 1973, nearly 75 percent of all Aztec football games have been played at night. The Aztecs played their first and San Diego's first night football game on Sept. 25, 1930, at Lane Field against the San Diego Marine JVs.

Naming of the Stadium

The original name of the stadium was San Diego Stadium. When Jack Murphy died on September 24, 1980, then Mayor Pete Wilson and the City Council voted to rename it San Diego Jack Murphy Stadium. The voters officially approved the name change later that year.

After the 1997 renovation, the name changed again. Qualcomm, a local telecommunication company, agreed to pay the City \$18 million to complete the expansion project. In return the name changed to Qualcomm Stadium. The current naming rights deal expires in 2017.

Media Information for Qualcomm Stadium

► *Stadium Directions and a Seating Map can be found on page 194.*

Credentialed members of the media, who have been approved, can obtain single-game media and photo passes at Gate H beginning two and a half hours prior to kickoff.

If media needs access to Qualcomm Stadium prior to that time, they should make arrangements to obtain their credential in advance and enter the stadium through Guest Services at F1.

After the first quarter, credentials may be picked up at the San Diego State Ticket Office (located at Gate E).

Members must have a valid form of government issued identification to obtain a credential.

Qualcomm Stadium is an open-press box facility. Please be aware that fall evenings in the San Diego area can be cool.

Complimentary soft drinks are available throughout the game and food is available to purchase.

Media Information

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GoAztecs.com

The official website of SDSU athletics, goaztecs.com, is the place for official information on the 2012 San Diego State Aztec football team. Game notes, releases, statistics, schedules, press conferences and quotes are all available on the website.

CollegePressBox.com

CollegePressBox.com is the official media website for Mountain West football. Access and download weekly game notes, statistics, media guides and more for the conference and each of its nine member schools throughout the season.

Thank you for your interest in San Diego State. The Aztec media relations staff has produced the 2012 media guide to assist in your coverage of SDSU football. Please contact a member of the staff with any questions, concerns or requests.

Credentials

All requests for press and photo credentials should be submitted to the media relations office on official letterhead at least one week in advance of the game. Requests should be directed to Mike May and should be submitted by the sports editor or sports director of the media outlet.

Priority is given to daily newspapers, television stations and radio stations with sports programming.

If approved, credentials will be mailed only when specifically requested, and at the risk of the applicant. Those not delivered by mail, in person, or through the visiting director of media relations, will be left at the Qualcomm Stadium Press Entrance (Gate H) and will be available beginning two and a half hours prior to kickoff.

Credentials will be issued to working media only. Family and friends are not allowed in the press area.

SEASON CREDENTIALS

A season credential form will be sent out in August to outlets which cover SDSU athletics on a regular basis. This season, any individual seeking a season credential will need to submit a photo for the credential.

Only those outlets which routinely cover Aztec practices and media conferences are eligible for season credentials.

SINGLE-GAME CREDENTIALS

Requests should be made for single-game credentials at least one week prior to the game. Any organization that requests a single-game credential and does not use it, may not be granted another pass for the remainder of the season. No credentials will be granted after Thursday of game week.

Qualcomm Stadium

Qualcomm Stadium is the home of the SDSU Aztecs and the San Diego Chargers, as well as the site of the Holiday Bowl and the Poinsettia Bowl. The stadium is located off Interstate 8, just west of Interstate 15. Enter from the north off of Friars Road.

The media entrance and media will call are at Gate H. The open-air press box can be reached by taking Elevator 4 (elevator closest to the press gate) to stadium level 2A.

GAME PARKING

Parking passes at Qualcomm Stadium are limited and will be prioritized similar to the way credentials are issued. Media parking is in the H1 lot and game credentials can be used to access the lot. Visiting media parking should be requested through the opponent's media relations office.

PRESS BOX SERVICES

Working media will be provided with pregame notes, a game program, flip card, and quarterly and final sta-

tics, including postgame notes and quotes. An in-house television system provides updates and replays during the game. Video and audio of Rocky Long's postgame news conference will also be available. Postgame notes, quotes and final stats will also be available on GoAztecs.com following the game.

PHOTOGRAPHERS

Only accredited photographers on assignment will be issued sideline credentials for Aztec home games — per NCAA guidelines. The NCAA also specifies that photo shooting must take place outside the restraining line that encircles the playing field and outside of the team areas (25-yard line to 25-yard line).

TELEPHONES, FAXING AND INTERNET

The media relations office will provide four charge-per-call phones in the visiting media's section of the press box for all home games. The phones are available on a first-come, first-serve basis. Media requiring special service are urged to order individual phone lines through Gary Brashear at Qualcomm Stadium, (619) 281-1500. Those requiring their own phone instruments should make arrangements through their local AT&T representative. Phone lines for originating radio stations, as designated by the opposing athletic department, will be provided through the Mountain West co-op agreement.

Postgame faxing service is also available by contacting a member of the media relations office.

Wireless Internet is available, free of charge, in the main area of the press box.

POSTGAME POLICY

The Aztec locker room is closed. Head coach Rocky Long and selected players will be available at a postgame news conference in the interview room located just down the hall from the Aztec locker room. Video and audio from that news conference will be available in the press box. There is no formal postgame format involving the visiting coaches or players.

No postgame interviews will take place on the field without the prior approval of the media relations office.

For postgame purposes, the Aztec and visiting team locker rooms, and the postgame interview room at Qualcomm Stadium are located at the B2 level of the facility. That level can be reached via the press elevator and heading left.

Interview Requests

For interviews with a member of the SDSU football staff, including head coach Rocky Long, contact assistant athletic director for media relations Mike May or assistant media relations director Jamie McConeghy at (619) 594-5547. For video or phone needs, please contact Mike May.

LONG MEDIA OPPORTUNITIES

Coach Long is also available on the Mountain West coaches' teleconference on Tuesday mornings, at his weekly Tuesday luncheon and daily after practices.

All other interviews with Long or any member of the football staff should be arranged through the media relations office.

Media Information



TUESDAY LUNCHEONS

This fall, SDSU will once again play host to a Tuesday media luncheon with head coach Rocky Long and requested players. The location will be the second floor of the Fowler Athletics Center.

Lunch is scheduled to begin at 11:40 a.m., with coach Long addressing the media at noon, followed by student-athletes.

Player requests for the press conference should be made by noon on Monday.

The news conference is carried live on the Internet at GoAztecs.com. A transcript of the weekly media luncheon will be posted on GoAztecs.com. Contact the media relations office for additional details.

FOWLER ATHLETICS CENTER

The Fowler Athletics Center is the home of SDSU athletics. The four-story facility is located at 5302 55th Street in San Diego, just west of Viejas Arena and adjacent to the football practice facility and Tony Gwynn Stadium. The football of-

fices are located on the second floor and the media relations office is on third floor in suite 3014. Usually, major news conferences take place in the first-floor auditorium. Most of Long's media gatherings will be on the second floor.

CAMPUS PARKING

Media wishing to attend Aztec workouts during the week will need to obtain a special parking permit from the media relations office, located in suite 3014 of the Fowler Athletics Center. The permit is good for parking in Parking Structure 5, just south of the FAC at the corner of Montezuma Road and 55th Street.

SDSU PRACTICES

San Diego State practices are typically closed. On a weekly basis, certain periods may be open to members of the media who cover San Diego State on a regular basis. Check with the media relations office for details.

Pending schedules, San Diego State players and coaches will be available either Monday or Tuesday.

Weekly Release

The media relations office will once again e-mail its weekly football releases this season. The release will be posted at GoAztecs.com in Adobe Acrobat format. To receive the weekly release via e-mail, please contact Mike May at mmay@mail.sdsu.edu.

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Mountain West Teleconference

Interviews with San Diego State head coach Rocky Long, as well as the other nine Mountain West coaches, are available each Tuesday during the season on the league's teleconference. Contact the Mountain West office at (719) 488-4040 for more information.

Below is the call schedule for the 2012 season (All times Pacific):

Time	Schedule
9:00 a.m.	Moderator opens call
9:02 a.m.	Jim McElwain - Colorado State
9:10 a.m.	Norm Chow - Hawai'i
9:18 a.m.	Troy Calhoun - Air Force
9:26 a.m.	Tim DeRuyter - Fresno State
9:34 a.m.	Bobby Hauck - UNLV
9:42 a.m.	Rocky Long - San Diego State
9:50 a.m.	Dave Christensen - Wyoming
9:58 a.m.	Bob Davie - New Mexico
10:06 a.m.	Chris Ault - Nevada
10:14 a.m.	Chris Petersen - Boise State

SDSU In-Season Weekly Schedule

A look at San Diego State's typical game week schedule. Please contact the media relations office if you have any questions.

SUN.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THU.	FRI.	SAT.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SDSU practices (contact the SDSU media relations office for interview availability). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No practice • This is the best day to get interviews with student-athletes, coach Long or members of the coaching staff. Please submit your requests no later than Sunday morning. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coach Long available on the MWC conference call at 9:42 a.m. PT. • SDSU media luncheon beginning at 11:40 a.m., featuring coach Long, selected players and both coordinators (contact MRD). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SDSU practices (contact the SDSU media relations office for interview availability). • This is the final day that SDSU student-athletes are available for interviews. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SDSU practices (contact the SDSU media relations office for interview availability). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No availability 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Postgame availability only. The San Diego State locker room is closed at all times for both home and road games. For home games, all interviews will take place in the postgame interview room. For road games, the interviews will take place at a designated area adjacent to the locker room.

Maps and Directions

Qualcomm Stadium

Qualcomm Stadium is located at 9449 Friars Road

From Lindbergh Field, exit airport on Harbor Drive South. Turn left onto Grape St. and then right on to I-5 South. Exit Hwy 163 North to Friars Road and turn right (east). Go approximately two miles and stadium will be on your right.

From I-5 (Heading south), exit 805 south to Hwy 163 south. Go to Friars Road and head east for two miles and stadium will be on your right.

From I-15 (Heading south), exit Friars Road and turn right (west). Go to Stadium exit and turn left into stadium at top of off-ramp.

From I-8 (Heading west), exit I-15 north. Follow to Friars Road exit and head west to stadium exit. Turn left at top of off-ramp into stadium.

San Diego State University

San Diego State is located at 5500 Campanile Dr.

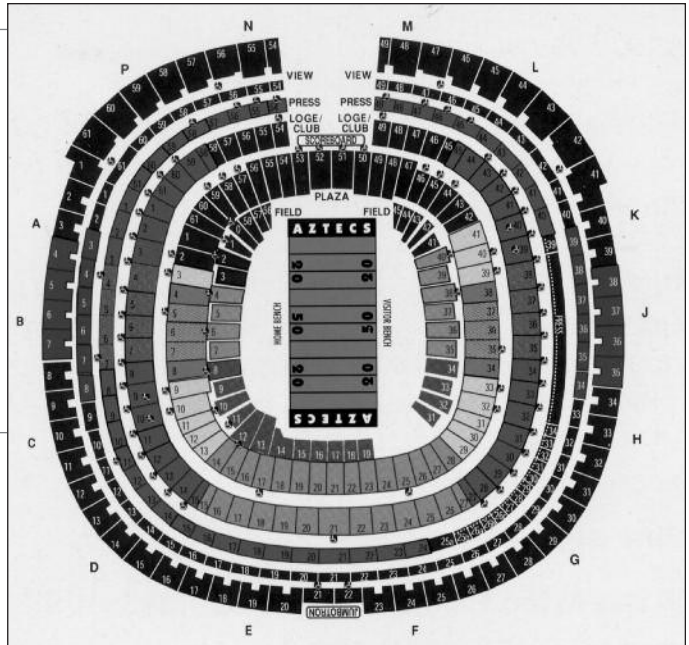
From Lindbergh Field, turn left onto N. Harbor Dr. Turn left onto W. Grape St. Merge onto I-5 South. Merge onto Hwy 163 North. Merge onto I-8 East. From I-8, take College Avenue exit and go south. San Diego State University will be on your right.

From I-5 (Heading South), merge onto I-8 East, take College Avenue exit and go south. San Diego State University will be on your right.

From I-15 (Heading South), merge onto I-8 East, take College Avenue exit and go south. San Diego State University will be on your right.

From I-8 (Heading West), take College Avenue exit and go south. San Diego State University will be on your right.

Proceed past Canyon Crest Drive (the first stoplight) then make an immediate right turn to the green information booth for parking information. Ask the parking guard for directions as to where you may park.



Radio and Television

AM 600 KOGO

San Diego State athletics and Clear Channel Broadcasting have extended their partnership through the 2014-15 season. The agreement will keep Aztec events on KOGO, the highest rated AM radio station in the San Diego market.

KOGO 95.7 FM and AM 600 serve as the flagship for San Diego State football and men's basketball broadcasts both on the road and at home, and also features a variety of other Aztec programming, including coaches shows and other live events, such as baseball and women's basketball.

KOGO has been the radio home for San Diego State athletics since 2007-08 academic year. The station's signal, which stretches from north of Santa Barbara to south of Tijuana, enables fans to keep up with the Aztecs no matter where in Southern California they live.

"It is important to San Diego State to have our radio broadcast agreement with Clear Channel Communications," said San Diego State Athletic Director Jim Sterk. "They are the leader in the market and KOGO is one of the most highly regarded formats that works well with Aztec Athletics."

San Diego State has partnered with Clear Channel the past six years to play host to the annual KGB SkyShow event in conjunction with an Aztec football game. The results have

been highly successful as the SkyShow event has averaged crowds of over 50,000 in its previous six contests, including 57,286 in 2011.

KOGO, San Diego's News and Talk Station, is owned by Clear Channel Communications. Clear Channel Communications is a global leader in out-of-home advertising and entertainment.

"We are proud and privileged to be the home of the Aztecs and begin a strong new partnership with SDSU," Clear Channel Vice President and Marketing Manager Bob Bolinger said. "We know the Aztecs are committed to a winning program and we are committed to providing the best college sports broadcast in the country for the fans, the alumni and the community."

The company owns radio and television stations, outdoor advertising displays, produces live entertainment productions and owns venues in 65 countries, including throughout the United States. In San Diego, Clear Channel owns a total of six radio stations in addition to AM 600 KOGO: KGB-FM (101.5), KIOZ-FM (Rock 105.3), KMYI-FM (STAR 94.1), KHTS-FM (Channel 933), KUSS-FM (US 95.7 FM) and KLSD-AM (AM 1360).

"Clear Channel continues to be a great radio partner for Aztec Athletics by providing superior coverage in the region," said Jeff Bolitho, general manager of Aztec Sports Properties. "We are proud to partner with the No. 1 AM station in the San Diego market, which allows our fans in Santa Barbara, Ventura, Los Angeles, Riverside and Palm Springs to hear Aztec games. We look forward to another successful year with Clear Channel and its broadcast team."



CBS Sports Network and NBC Sports Network



CBS SPORTS NETWORK

The 2012 football season marks CBS Sports Network's seventh year as a television partner with the Mountain West. The network will televise eight games live in high-definition.

CBS Sports Network is the 24-hour destination of CBS Sports. The network televises 340 live games and over 2,400 hours of original programming every year. The network telecasts Professional Bull Riding (PBR), live football, basketball and more from the Mountain West, Conference USA, Atlantic 10, as well as Army, Navy and the Patriot League.

CBS Sports Network also delivers exclusive coverage of SEC football, live NCAA® Tournament studio analysis, award-winning original productions and much more. CBS Sports Network is the home of both the National Lacrosse League (NLL) and Major League Lacrosse (MLL). Throughout the year, the network also telecasts a full slate of original programming such as behind-the-scenes series, documentaries and studio coverage featuring expert analysis, predictions, in-depth interviews and more.

For more information, log on to CBSSportsNetwork.com.

NBC SPORTS NETWORK

Now in its seventh consecutive year of televising Mountain

West football, NBC Sports Network will air 10 Mountain West games in 2012. NBC Sports Network will kick off its Mountain West 2012 college football season on Saturday, September 8, with a match-up featuring Army at San Diego State.

Play-by-Play analyst Paul Burmeister will anchor NBC Sports Network's coverage, alongside game analyst and NFL veteran Rod Woodson. Anthony Herron will serve as a sideline reporter. NBC Sports' college football studio team of Liam McHugh, Doug Flutie and Hines Ward will provide pre- and post-game coverage on NBC Sports Network every Saturday. The combined NBC and NBC Sports Network 2012 college football schedule is comprised of Notre Dame home games; games from the Mountain West Conference, the Colonial Athletic Association, the Ivy League, the Bayou Classic and the Atlanta Football Classic. For more information and a full list of college football games on the NBC Sports Network, visit NBCSports.com.

NBC Sports Network, part of the NBC Sports Group, is dedicated to serving passionate sports fans across all platforms. Now in more than 76 million homes, the network is the cable television home of the Summer and Winter Olympics, National Hockey League (NHL), Major League Soccer (MLS), IZOD IndyCar Series, Tour de France and 34th America's Cup. In addition, NBC Sports Network telecasts college football, college basketball, horse racing surrounding the Triple Crown, Fight Night boxing, Ironman, the Dew Action Sports Tour and USA Sevens Rugby. The net-

work is also home to Costas Tonight, a monthly interview series featuring Bob Costas; NFL Turning Point, the NBC Sports Network's program that utilizes NFL Films' unprecedented access to examine the turning point of high-profile NFL games every week; and NBC Sports Talk, NBC Sports Network's flagship news and information show, offering breaking news, highlights, features and in-depth analysis from award-winning journalists. NBC Sports Network is distributed via cable systems and satellite operators throughout the United States.



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.....Producers: Carl Armstrong, Alex Padilla

Darren Smith, 2-5 p.m.

.....Producers: Marty Caswell, Adam Clark

Lee Hamilton, 5-8 p.m.

.....Producer: Bobby Wooldrige

John Kentera, 8-11 p.m.

.....Producers: Jordan Carruth, Justin Kranz

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2012 Opponents



Washington

Sept. 1 • CenturyLink Field • Seattle, Wash.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Seattle, Wash.
Enrollment: 43,319
Nickname: Huskies
Colors: Purple & Gold
Conference: Pacific-12
Stadium: Husky Stadium (72,500)
Playing Surface: FieldTurf

HEAD COACH

Head Coach: Steve Sarkisian
Career Record: 26-25 (Four Years)
Record at Washington: Same
Career Record vs. SDSU: 0-0

TEAM INFORMATION

2011 Record: 7-6 (5-4 Pac-12)
Lettermen R/L: 46/21
Starters Returning: 12

MEDIA INFORMATION

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2012 SCHEDULE

S.1	San Diego State
S.8	at LSU
S.15	Portland State
S.27	Stanford*
O.6	at Oregon*
O.13	USC*
O.20	at Arizona*
O.27	Oregon State*
N.2	at California*
N.10	Utah*
N.17	at Colorado*
N.23	at Washington State*

2011 RESULTS

S.3	Eastern Michigan	W, 30-27
S.10	Hawai'i	W, 40-32
S.17	at Nebraska	L, 38-51
S.24	California*	W, 31-23
O.1	at Utah*	W, 31-14
O.15	Colorado*	W, 52-24
O.22	at Stanford*	L, 21-65
O.29	Arizona*	W, 42-31
O.5	Oregon*	L, 17-34
N.12	at USC*	L, 14-40
N.19	at Oregon State*	L, 21-38
N.26	Washington State*	W, 38-21
D.29	vs. Baylor^	L, 56-67

^ Alamo Bowl



North Dakota

Sept. 15 • Qualcomm Stadium • San Diego, Calif.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Grand Forks, N.D.
Enrollment: 14,095
Nickname: Fighting Sioux
Colors: Kelly Green & White
Conference: Big Sky
Stadium: Alerus Center (12,283)
Playing Surface: AstroTurf

HEAD COACH

Head Coach: Chris Mussman
Career Record: 23-20 (Four Years)
Record at North Dakota: Same
Career Record vs. SDSU: 0-0

TEAM INFORMATION

2011 Record: 8-3 (3-1 GWC)
Lettermen R/L: 39/11
Starters Returning: 16/8

MEDIA INFORMATION

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2012 SCHEDULE

A.30	South Dakota Mines
S.8	Portland State
S.15	at San Diego State
S.22	at Sacramento State
S.29	Cal Poly*
O.6	at Eastern Washington*
O.13	Northern Arizona*
O.20	Montana*
O.27	at Montana State*
N.3	Southern Utah*
N.17	at Northern Colorado*

2011 RESULTS

S.1	Drake	W, 16-0
S.10	at Idaho	L, 14-44
S.17	at Fresno State	L, 22-27
S.24	Black Hills State	W, 53-19
O.1	at Southern Utah*	W, 26-20
O.8	Montana Western	W, 42-9
O.22	Cal Poly*	L, 19-23
O.29	at Northern Colorado	W, 27-25
N.5	Sioux Falls	W, 15-13
N.12	at UC Davis*	W, 14-7
N.19	South Dakota*	W, 38-37



Army

Sept. 8 • Qualcomm Stadium • San Diego, Calif.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: West Point, N.Y.
Enrollment: 4,400
Nickname: Black Knights
Colors: Black, Gold & Gray
Conference: Independent
Stadium: Michie Stadium (40,000)
Playing Surface: AstroPlay

HEAD COACH

Head Coach: Rich Ellerson
Career Record: 75-63 (12 Years)
Record at Army: 15-22 (Three Years)
Career Record vs. SDSU: 1-0

TEAM INFORMATION

2011 Record: 3-9
Lettermen R/L: 57/23
Starters Returning: 17

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2012 SCHEDULE

S. 8	at San Diego State
S.15	Northern Illinois
S.22	at Wake Forest
S.29	Stony Brook
O.6	Boston College
O.13	Kent State
O.20	at Eastern Michigan
O.27	Ball State
N.3	Air Force
N.10	at Rutgers
N.17	Temple
D.8	Navy

2011 RESULTS

S.3	at Northern Illinois	L, 26-49
S.10	San Diego State	L, 20-23
S.17	Northwestern	W, 21-14
S.24	at Ball State	L, 21-48
O.1	Tulane	W, 45-6
O.8	at Miami (Ohio)	L, 28-35
O.22	at Vanderbilt	L, 44-21
O.29	Fordham	W, 55-0
N.5	at Air Force	L, 24-14
N.12	vs. Rutgers#	L, 12-27
N.19	at Temple	L, 14-42
D.10	vs. Navy^	L, 27-21

Bronx, N.Y., ^ Landover, Md.



San Jose State

Sept. 22 • Qualcomm Stadium • San Diego, Calif.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: San Jose, Calif.
Enrollment: 30,000
Nickname: Spartans
Colors: Gold, White & Blue
Conference: Western Athletic
Stadium: Spartan Stadium (30,456)
Playing Surface: FieldTurf

HEAD COACH

Head Coach: Mike MacIntyre
Career Record: 6-19 (2 Years)
Record at SJSU: Same
Career Record vs. SDSU: 0-0

TEAM INFORMATION

2011 Record: 5-7 (3-4 WAC)
Lettermen R/L: 37/25
Starters Returning: 13

MEDIA INFORMATION

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2012 SCHEDULE

S.1	at Stanford
S.8	UC Davis
S.15	Colorado State
S.22	at San Diego State
S.29	at Navy
O.13	Utah State*
O.20	at UTSA*
O.27	Texas State*
N.3	at Idaho*
N.10	at New Mexico State*
N.17	Brigham Young
N.24	Louisiana Tech*

2011 RESULTS

S.3	at Stanford	L, 3-57
S.10	at UCLA	L, 17-27
S.17	Nevada*	L, 14-17
S.24	New Mexico State*	W, 34-24
O.1	at Colorado State	W, 38-31
O.8	at Brigham Young	L, 16-29
O.14	Hawai'i	W, 28-27
O.29	at Louisiana Tech*	L, 28-38
N.5	Idaho*	L, 29-32
N.12	at Utah State*	L, 33-34
N.19	Navy	W, 27-24
N.26	at Fresno State*	W, 27-24

2012 Opponents



Fresno State

Sept. 29 • Bulldog Stadium • Fresno, Calif.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Fresno, Calif.
Enrollment: 21,389
Nickname: Bulldogs
Colors: Red & Blue
Conference: Mountain West
Stadium: Bulldog Stadium (41,031)
Playing Surface: FieldTurf

HEAD COACH

Head Coach: Tim DeRuyter
Career Record: 0-0 (First Year)
Record at Fresno: Same
Career Record vs. SDSU: 0-0

TEAM INFORMATION

2011 Record: 4-9 (3-4 WAC)
Lettermen R/L: 37/16
Starters Returning: 16

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2012 SCHEDULE

S.1 Weber State
 S.8 at Oregon
 S.15 Colorado
 S.22 at Tulsa
 S.29 San Diego State*
 O.6 at Colorado State*
 O.13 at Boise State*
 O.20 Wyoming*
 O.27 at New Mexico*
 N.3 Hawai'i*
 N.10 at Nevada*
 N.24 Air Force*

2011 RESULTS

S.3 vs. California^ L, 21-36
 S.10 at Nebraska L, 29-42
 S.17 North Dakota W, 27-22
 S.24 at Idaho* W, 48-24
 O.1 Ole Miss L, 38-28
 O.7 Boise State L, 7-57
 O.15 Utah State* W, 31-21
 O.22 at Nevada* L, 38-45
 N.5 Louisiana Tech* L, 21-41
 N.12 at New Mexico State* L, 45-48
 N.19 at Hawai'i* W, 24-21
 N.26 San Jose State* L, 24-27
 D.3 at San Diego State L, 28-35
 ^ San Francisco, Calif.

2011 RESULTS

S.3 Colorado W, 34-17
 S.10 at Washington L, 32-40
 S.17 at UNLV L, 20-40
 S.24 UC Davis W, 56-14
 O.1 at Louisiana Tech W, 44-26
 O.14 at San Jose State* L, 27-28
 O.22 New Mexico State* W, 45-34
 O.29 at Idaho* W, 16-14
 N.5 Utah State* L, 31-35
 N.12 at Nevada* L, 28-42
 N.19 Fresno State* L, 21-24
 N.26 Tulane W, 35-23
 D.3 Brigham Young L, 20-41



Colorado State

Oct. 13 • Qualcomm Stadium • San Diego, Calif.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Fort Collins, Colo.
Enrollment: 26,348
Nickname: Rams
Colors: Forest Green & Gold
Conference: Mountain West
Stadium: Hughes Stadium (34,400)
Playing Surface: FieldTurf

HEAD COACH

Head Coach: Jim McElwain
Career Record: 0-0 (First Year)
Record at CSU: Same
Career Record vs. SDSU: 0-0

TEAM INFORMATION

2011 Record: 3-9 (1-6 MW)
Lettermen R/L: 44/23
Starters Returning: 14

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2012 SCHEDULE

S.2 vs. Colorado
 S.8 North Dakota State
 S.15 at San Jose State
 S.22 Utah State
 S.29 at Air Force*
 O.6 Fresno State*
 O.13 at San Diego State*
 O.27 Hawai'i*
 N.3 at Wyoming*
 N.10 UNLV*
 N.17 at Boise State*
 N.24 New Mexico*

2011 RESULTS

S.3 at New Mexico* W, 14-10
 S.10 Northern Colorado W, 33-14
 S.17 Colorado L, 14-28
 S.24 at Utah State W, 35-34 (2ot)
 O.1 San Jose State L, 31-38
 O.15 Boise State* L, 13-63
 O.22 at UTEP L, 17-31
 O.29 at UNLV* L, 35-38
 O.12 San Diego State* L, 15-18
 N.19 at TCU* L, 10-34
 N.26 Air Force* L, 21-45
 N.3 Wyoming* L, 19-22



Hawai'i

Oct. 6 • Qualcomm Stadium • San Diego, Calif.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Honolulu, Hawai'i
Enrollment: 20,000
Nickname: Warriors
Colors: Green, Black, White & Silver
Conference: Mountain West
Stadium: Aloha Stadium (50,089)
Playing Surface: Synthetic Infilled Turf

HEAD COACH

Head Coach: Norm Chow
Career Record: 0-0 (First Year)
Record at Hawai'i: Same
Career Record vs. SDSU: 0-0

TEAM INFORMATION

2011 Record: 6-7 (3-4 WAC)
Lettermen R/L: 54/24
Starters Returning: 14

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2012 SCHEDULE

S.1 at USC
 S.15 Lamar
 S.22 Nevada*
 S.29 at Brigham Young
 O.6 at San Diego State*
 O.13 New Mexico State*
 O.27 at Colorado State*
 N.3 at Fresno State*
 N.10 Boise State*
 N.17 at Air Force*
 N.24 UNLV*
 D.1 South Alabama

2011 RESULTS

S.3 Colorado W, 34-17
 S.10 at Washington L, 32-40
 S.17 at UNLV L, 20-40
 S.24 UC Davis W, 56-14
 O.1 at Louisiana Tech W, 44-26
 O.14 at San Jose State* L, 27-28
 O.22 New Mexico State* W, 45-34
 O.29 at Idaho* W, 16-14
 N.5 Utah State* L, 31-35
 N.12 at Nevada* L, 28-42
 N.19 Fresno State* L, 21-24
 N.26 Tulane W, 35-23
 D.3 Brigham Young L, 20-41



Nevada

Oct. 20 • Mackay Stadium • Reno, Nev.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Reno, Nev.
Enrollment: 89,557
Nickname: Wolf Pack
Colors: Navy Blue & Silver
Conference: Mountain West
Stadium: Mackay (29,993)
Playing Surface: FieldTurf

HEAD COACH

Head Coach: Chris Ault
Career Record: 226-103-1 (27 years)
Record at UNR: Same
Career Record vs. SDSU: 2-2

TEAM INFORMATION

2011 Record: 7-6 (5-2 WAC)
Lettermen R/L: 29/19
Starters Returning: 13

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2012 SCHEDULE

S.1 at California
 S.8 USF
 S.15 Northwestern
 S.22 at Hawai'i*
 S.29 at Texas State
 O.6 Wyoming*
 O.13 at UNLV*
 O.20 San Diego State*
 O.27 at Air Force*
 N.10 Fresno State*
 N.17 at New Mexico*
 N.24 Boise State*

2011 RESULTS

S.10 at Oregon L, 69-20
 S.17 at San Jose State* W, 17-14
 S.24 at Texas Tech L, 34-35
 O.1 at Boise State L, 10-30
 O.8 UNLV W, 37-0
 O.15 New Mexico W, 49-7
 O.22 Fresno State* W, 45-38
 O.29 at New Mexico State* W, 48-34
 N.12 Hawai'i* W, 42-28
 N.19 Louisiana Tech* L, 20-24
 N.26 at Utah State* L, 17-21
 N.3 Idaho* W, 56-3
 D.24 Southern Miss L, 17-24

2012 Opponents



UNLV

Oct. 27 • Qualcomm Stadium • San Diego, Calif.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Las Vegas, Nev.
Enrollment: 28,000
Nickname: Rebels
Colors: Scarlet & Gray
Conference: Mountain West
Stadium: Sam Boyd Stadium (36,800)
Playing Surface: TurfTech

HEAD COACH

Head Coach: Bobby Hauck
Career Record: 84-38 (Nine Years)
Record at UNLV: 4-21 (Two Years)
Career Record vs. SDSU: 0-2

TEAM INFORMATION

2011 Record: 2-10 (1-6 MW)
Lettermen R/L: 47/25
Starters Returning: 15

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2012 SCHEDULE

A.30 Minnesota
 S.8 Northern Arizona
 S.15 Washington State
 S.22 Air Force*
 S.29 at Utah State
 O.6 at Louisiana Tech
 O.13 Nevada*
 O.20 at Boise State*
 N.27 at San Diego State*
 N.3 New Mexico*
 N.10 at Colorado State*
 N.17 Wyoming*
 N.24 at Hawai'i*

2011 RESULTS

S.1 at Wisconsin L, 17-51
 S.10 at Washington L, 7-59
 S.17 Hawai'i W, 40-20
 S.24 Southern Utah L, 16-41
 O.8 at Nevada L, 0-37
 O.15 at Wyoming* L, 14-41
 O.29 Colorado State* W, 38-35
 N.5 Boise State* L, 21-48
 N.12 at New Mexico* L, 14-21
 N.19 at Air Force* L, 17-45
 N.26 San Diego State* L, 14-31
 D.3 at TCU* L, 9-56



Air Force

Nov. 10 • Qualcomm Stadium • San Diego, Calif.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: USAFA, Colo.
Enrollment: 4,000
Nickname: Falcons
Colors: Blue & Silver
Conference: Mountain West
Stadium: Falcon Stadium (46,692)
Playing Surface: FieldTurf

HEAD COACH

Head Coach: Troy Calhoun
Career Record: 41-24 (Five Years)
Record at Air Force: Same
Career Record vs. SDSU: 3-2

TEAM INFORMATION

2011 Record: 7-6 (3-4 MW)
Lettermen R/L: 51/24
Starters Returning: 7

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2012 SCHEDULE

S.1 Idaho State
 S.8 at Michigan
 S.22 at UNLV*
 O.29 Colorado State*
 O.6 Navy
 O.13 at Wyoming*
 O.20 New Mexico*
 O.27 Nevada*
 N.3 at Army
 N.10 at San Diego State*
 N.17 Hawai'i*
 D.24 at Fresno State*

2011 RESULTS

S.3 South Dakota W, 37-20
 S.10 TCU* L, 19-35
 S.24 Tennessee State W, 63-24
 O.1 at Navy W, 35-34 (ot)
 O.8 at Notre Dame L, 33-59
 O.13 San Diego State* L, 27-41
 O.22 at Boise State* L, 26-37
 O.29 at New Mexico* W, 42-0
 N.5 Army W, 24-14
 N.12 Wyoming* L, 17-25
 N.19 UNLV* W, 45-17
 N.26 at Colorado State* W, 45-21
 D.28 vs. Toledo^ L, 41-42
 ^ Military Bowl



Boise State

Nov. 3 • Bronco Stadium • Boise, Idaho

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Boise, Idaho
Enrollment: 19,664
Nickname: Broncos
Colors: Blue & Orange
Conference: Mountain West
Stadium: Bronco Stadium (33,500)
Playing Surface: Blue Field Turf

HEAD COACH

Head Coach: Chris Petersen
Career Record: 73-6 (Six Years)
Record at BSU: Same
Career Record vs. SDSU: 1-0

TEAM INFORMATION

2011 Record: 12-1 (6-1 MW)
Lettermen Returning/Lost: 48/20
Starters Returning: 14

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2012 SCHEDULE

A.31 at Michigan State
 S.15 Miami (Ohio)
 S.22 Brigham Young
 S.29 at New Mexico*
 O.6 at Southern Miss
 O.13 Fresno State*
 O.20 UNLV*
 O.27 at Wyoming*
 N.3 San Diego State*
 N.10 Hawai'i*
 N.17 Colorado State*
 N.24 Nevada*

2011 RESULTS

S.3 vs. Georgia# W, 35-21
 S.16 at Toledo W, 40-15
 S.24 Tulsa W, 41-21
 O.1 Nevada W, 30-10
 O.7 at Fresno State W, 57-7
 O.15 at Colorado State* W, 63-13
 O.22 Air Force* W, 37-26
 N.5 at UNLV* W, 48-21
 N.12 TCU* L, 35-36
 N.19 at San Diego State* W, 52-35
 N.26 Wyoming* W, 36-14
 D.3 New Mexico* W, 45-0
 D.22 vs. Arizona State^ W, 56-24
 # Atlanta, Ga., ^ Las Vegas Bowl



Wyoming

Nov. 24 • War Memorial Stadium • Laramie, Wyo.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Laramie, Wyo.
Enrollment: 13,476
Nickname: Cowboys
Colors: Brown & Gold
Conference: Mountain West
Stadium: War Memorial Stadium (29,181)
Playing Surface: Desso Challenge Pro 60

HEAD COACH

Head Coach: Dave Christensen
Career Record: 18-20 (Three Years)
Record at Wyoming: Same
Career Record vs. SDSU: 2-1

TEAM INFORMATION

2011 Record: 8-5 (5-2 MW)
Lettermen R/L: 43/16
Starters Returning: 14

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2012 SCHEDULE

S.1 at Texas
 S.8 Toledo
 S.15 Cal Poly
 S.22 at Idaho
 O.6 at Nevada*
 O.13 Air Force*
 O.20 at Fresno State*
 O.27 Boise State*
 N.3 Colorado State*
 N.10 at New Mexico*
 N.17 at UNLV*
 N.24 San Diego State*

2011 RESULTS

S.3 Weber State W, 35-32
 S.10 Texas State W, 45-10
 S.17 at Bowling Green W, 28-27
 S.24 Nebraska L, 14-38
 O.8 at Utah State L, 19-63
 O.15 UNLV* W, 41-14
 O.29 at San Diego State* W, 30-27
 N.5 TCU* L, 20-31
 N.12 Air Force* W, 25-17
 N.19 New Mexico* W, 31-10
 N.26 at Boise State* L, 14-36
 D.3 at Colorado State* W, 22-19
 D.17 vs. Temple^ L, 15-37
 ^ New Mexico Bowl

Composite Schedule

	Washington	Army	North Dakota	San Jose State	Fresno State	Hawai'i	Colorado State	Nevada	UNLV	Boise State	Air Force	Wyoming
Sept. 1		Open	South Dakota Mines (Aug. 30)	at Stanford	Weber State	at USC	vs. Colorado (Denver, Colo.)	at California	Minnesota (Aug. 30)	at Michigan State (Aug. 31)	Idaho State	at Texas
Sept. 8	at LSU		Portland State	UC Davis	at Oregon	Open	North Dakota State	South Florida	Northern Arizona	Open	at Michigan	Toledo
Sept. 15	Portland State	Northern Illinois		Colorado State	Colorado	Lamar	at San Jose State	Northwestern State	Washington State	Miami (Ohio)	Open	Cal Poly
Sept. 22	Open	at Wake Forest	at Sacramento State		at Tulsa	Nevada	Utah State	at Hawai'i	Air Force	BYU (Sept. 20)	at UNLV	at Idaho
Sept. 29	Stanford (Sept. 27)	Stony Brook	Cal Poly	at Navy		at BYU (Sept. 28)	at Air Force	at Texas State	at Utah State	at New Mexico	Colorado State	Open
Oct. 6	at Oregon	Boston College	at Eastern Washington	Open	at Colorado State		Fresno State	Wyoming	at Louisiana Tech	at Southern Miss	Navy	at Nevada
Oct. 13	USC	Kent State	Northern Arizona	Utah State	at Boise State	New Mexico		at UNLV	Nevada	Fresno State	at Wyoming	Air Force
Oct. 20	at Arizona	at Eastern Michigan	Montana	at UTSA	Wyoming	Open	Open		at Boise State	UNLV	New Mexico	at Fresno State
Oct. 27	Oregon State	Ball State	at Montana State	Texas State	at New Mexico	at Colorado State	Hawai'i	at Air Force		at Wyoming	Nevada	Boise State
Nov. 3	at California (Nov. 2)	Air Force	Southern Utah	at Idaho	Hawai'i	at Fresno State	at Wyoming	Open	New Mexico		at Army	Colorado State
Nov. 10	Utah	at Rutgers	Open	at New Mexico State	at Nevada	Boise State	UNLV	Fresno State	at Colorado State	at Hawai'i		at New Mexico
Nov. 17	at Colorado	Temple	at Northern Colorado	BYU	Open	at Air Force	at Boise State	at New Mexico	Wyoming	Colorado State	Hawai'i (Nov. 16)	at UNLV
Nov. 24	at Washington State (Nov. 23)	Open	Open	Louisiana Tech	Air Force	UNLV	New Mexico	Boise State	at Hawai'i	Open	at Fresno State	
Dec. 8	Open	vs. Navy (Philadelphia, Pa.)	Open	Open	Open	South Alabama (Dec. 1)	Open	Open	Open	at Nevada (Dec. 1)	Open	Open