San Diego State Aztecs

14-Time MW Champions, 13 Postseason Berths in Last 15 Years

- SDSU has won at least 19 games in 17 straight seasons SDSU has advanced to the postseason in 13 of the last 15 seasons in which a champions was crowned (2006 NCAA, 2007-09 NIT, 2010-15 NCAA, 2016 NIT, 2018 NCAA, 2021 NCAA).
- SDSU is 35-1 last 36x when outrebounding its opp.
- SDSU is 72-3 last 75x it has had a higher FG pct.
- SDSU is 34-1 last 35x when leading at the half.
- SDSU is 3rd nationally in win percentage (84.1) since start of '19-20 season and 8th in win percentage (75.5) since start of the '09-10 season.
- Since its founding in 1999, no men's basketball program has won more Mountain West championships (regular-season and tournament) than San Diego State's 14.
- SDSU's 17 MW wins in 2019-20 are the most in MW history.

Keshad Johnson Forward, 6-7, 210, Jr.-2L

Oakland, Calif. (San Leandro HS)

PPG FG 3FG FT RPG ΔPG 2021-22 7.8 4.8 1.0 .565 .214 .662 MW 5.1 0.8 .573 5-18 8.6 .727 Career Highs: Pts: 15, vs. Wyoming (1-30-21) | Rebs: 13, vs. San Jose State (2-8-21) | Asts: 4, vs. UC San Diego (12-22-21)

MW POW (Jan. 3)... Scored in double figures in five of his last seven games and nine of his <u>last 18 games (did it three times in his first 52 games)</u>... Last 9 gms.: 10.0 ppg, 4.2 rpg, 0.8 apg, 34-49 FGs (69.4 pct)... Has 50 pct.+ FG pct. in 13 of last 14 gms (61.5 pct.)... SDSU is 12-0 when he scores 10+... Made his last 4 3FGA after going 2-for-24 to open the season.. 1 of 3 players to start all 28 gms. this season (previous 42 gms. were all of the bench).

Adam Seiko

(SAY-coe) Guard, 6-3, 210 Sr.-3L Boston, Mass. (Sierra Canyon HS (Calif.))

RPG 2021-22 5.1 1.9 0.8 .422 .418 8-12 MW 4.5 1.8 0.9 .414 .400 6-9 Career Highs: Pts: 14. at Air Force (1-22-21) | Rebs: 7. at UNLV (1-1-22) | Asts: 5, 2x last: vs. SJSU (2-8-21)

Last 19 gms.: 5.6 ppg, 28-59 3FGs (47.5 pct.), 19 asts... 24 career gms. w/multiple treys (20-4), including 4 of last 11... Made 10 straight 3s from CSUF (12-8) to UCSD (12-22) ... Only 69 TOs in 1,872 career mins. (1 TO every 27.1 minutes)... 77.0 pct. of career FGs are threes (94-of-122)... Has a career 1.38:1 A/TO ratio... Competed for the Ugandan NT in AfroBasket 2021 this summer & avg 13.0 pts, 3.4 rebs, 2.5 assts.

Newcomer of the Yi (coaches & media All-MW 1st Team (coaches) 2nd Team (media) San Bernardino, Calif. (Wasatch Academy/Cal)

PPG RPG ΔPG FG FT 2021-22 5.3 453 417 794 17 8 26 57 MW 197 28 471 483 798 Career Highs: Pts: 30, at Wyoming (2-28-22) | Rebs: 10, 4x, last :vs. Fresno St. (3-3-22) | Asts: 6, 5x, last: at Utah State (1-26-22)

On Wooden, Naismith & Jerry West Award Watch Lists... ESPN & NCAA National PoW (Mar. 7)... MW PoW (Jan. 10 & Mar. 6)... Last 14 gms.: 20.4 ppg, 5.5 rpg, 3.2 apg, 95-192 FG (49.5 pct.), 35-68 3FG (51.5 pct.)... Has a trey in 16 of last 18 games (45 total)... Multiple treys in 9 of last 12 games (32 total)... 16 rebs. in last 2 gms. (8.0 rpg)... Has a steal in 11 of the last 13 games (16 total)... Career: 10+ point games: 95; 20+ point games: 35.

Trev Pulliam

Guard, 6-4, 220, Sr.-TR

Guard, 6-3, 180, Sr.-2L

(pull-EE-yum)

FT APG 3FG PPG RPG FG 2021-22 8.4 2.6 3.4 .387 .327 700 69 23 31 366 276 Career Highs: Pts: 18, 3x, vs. Boise State (2-25-21) | Rebs: 7, vs.

CS Fullerton (12-8-21) | <u>Asts:</u> 8, 3x, last: at Fresno State (2-19-22)

2020-21 HM All-MW... Has 17 double-digit scoring efforts in last 37 games after posting two in his first 49 games... 42 asts. in his last 12 games... 3 or more assists in 10 of last 12 gms... Last 38 gms.: 9.0 ppg, 2.7 rpg, 3.6 apg, 1.4 spg... 32 rebs in last 13 gms... Hit GW runner as time expired to lift SDSU past Nevada (1-9-21)... First SDSU GW shot at the buzzer since Jamaal Franklin (3-8-12)... Career 1.99 assist-to-turnover ratio.

Lamont Butler

All-Defensive Team Guard, 6-2, 200, So.-1L Moreno Valley, Calif. (Riverside Poly HS)

2021-22 7.2 2.2 2.1 .375 .322 743 .339 .262 10-13 MW 6.1 2.2 2.1 Career Highs: Pts: 16, vs. Georgetown (11-25-21) | Rebs: 6 2x, last vs. New Mexico (1-31-22) | Asts: 6, vs. Wyoming (1-28-21)

11 pts., 4-7 FG, 2-3 3FG at Nevada (Sat.)... Last 19 gms.: 7.0 ppg, 2.2 rpg, 2.2 apg, 1.9 spa... Has multiple steals in 11 of last 17 games (33 total)... 27 assists in his last 13 games... One turnover or less in seven of his last 12 games... 1st Aztec in the last 26 yrs w/ a perfect shooting night (6-of-6 FG & 3-of-3 3FG vs. Georgetown, 11-25-21) w/ those minimums

Keith Dinwiddie Jr.

Bryan, Texas (Consolidated HS /Navarro College)

Guard. 6-0. 185. So.-SQ Los Angeles, Calif. (Fairfax Senior HS)

RPG FG 2021-22 28 09 0.4 286 270 3-4 2020-21 1.4 1.0 0.6 2-14 2-10 1-2 Career Highs: Pts: 13, at Air Force (1-22-21) | Rebs: 2, 6x, last: vs. Boise State (1-22-22) | Asts: 2, 2x, last: at UNLV (1-1-22)

Has a trey in 11-of-23 appearances and multiple 3s in three of the last 10 games... No TOS in his last 5 gms. (43 mins.)... Has already played 180 mins. this season (played 44 all of last season)... A class of 2020's top-50 shooting guards nationally (No. 47) by Rivals.com... As a senior earned co-POY for both the All-City Open Division & All-CIF LA City Section... As a junior, led team to LA City Section Open Div. title. , No. 5 state & No. 22 nat'l ranking.

Cade Alger

Forward, 6-9, 190, So-SQ (AL-jer like Alger Hiss) Ripon, Calif. (Ripon Christian HS/Seattle U)

2021-22 0.6 0.3 0.0 2-8 0-3 1.0 2-5 0-1 0.5 0.0 Career Highs: Pts: 6, vs. Wyoming (1-30-21) | Rebs: 2, at Air Force (1-24-21) | Asts:

ΔPG

3FG

Has 17 career points in 15 career gms... Scored his first career points on a dunk and subsequent free throw at Air Force (1-22-21)... Non-scholarship forward who spent 2019-20 as a redshirt at Seattle U... As a HS sr. avg. 18.0 pts, 13.2 rebs & 3.0 assists & finished with more than 1,000-career points... Named a first-team Front Row Preps All-Region and CalHiSports.com All-State performer as well as D5 Scholar AoY following sr. campaign.

Chad Baker-Mazara

Sixth Man of the Year Santo Domingo, D.R. (SPIRE Academy/Duguesne)

3FG 2021-22 1.9 0.6 .421 .385 6.2 7.9 .432 MW 21 0.6 473 Career Highs: Pts: 23, at Fordham (1-27-21) | Rebs: 6, 2x, last: vs. UCR (11-9-21) | Asts: 5, vs. Rhode Island (1-20-21)

Last 6 gms.: 8.8 ppg, 2.5 rpg, 17-36 FG (47.2), 7-13 3FG (53.8)... Has 5 double-digit scoring gms. in his last 16 outings (no double-digit scoring gms. in his first 11 gms. w/SDSU)... Last 17 gms.: 7.8 ppg, 2.0 rpg, 1.0 spg, 0.5 bpg, 46-97 FG (47.4 pct.), 16-38 3FG (42.1 pct.)... Multiple steals in 5 of last 17 gms. (17 total)... Last season was 1-of-15 players nationally to avg. 15.6 pts, 4.7 rebs, 1.9 assists, 1.6 steals and 1.4 blocks per 40 mins. played.

Jared Barnett

Guard, 6-7, 190, So.-TR

Guard. 6-1. 145. Jr.-SQ Los Angeles, Caif. (Westchester HS) 2021-22 0.5 0.3 0.1 2-4 MW 0.8 0.4 0.2 2-2 Career Highs: Pts: 2, 4x, last: vs. New Mexico (1-31-22) | Rebs: 1, 4x last: vs. UNLV (1-24-22) | Asts: 1, 6x, last: vs. New Mexico (1-31-22)

FG

FG 3FG FT

PPG RPG APG

PPG RPG ΔPG Walk on player who has seen action in eight games this season and 26 games in his career (SDSU is 25-1 in those games)... Made his only FGA in two of last three games he has played (UNLV (1-24-22) and New Mexico (1-31-22))... Career totals: 11 points, 7 assists, 5 steals, 4 rebounds in 51 minutes... An academic all-Mountain West Conference student-athlete.. Was an all-Western League performer at Westchester High.

Tahirou Diabate

(tuh-HERO dee-ah-BOT-aye) Forward, 6-9, 225, Sr.-TR Bamako, Mali (Teikyo Nagaoka HS/Portland)

2021-22 2.2 2.4 0.1 .383 0-2 12-24 .387 2.6 0.1 0-1 9-18 Career Highs: Pts: 25, at Pepperdine (1-25-20) | Rebs: 11 vs. Santa Clara (2-15-18) | <u>Asts:</u> 2, 2x, last: vs. Pacific (1-16-20)

Had a SH 7 rebs. vs. Fresno (Thurs.)... Scored in nine of his last 13 games... Last 13 gms.: 2.5 ppg, 2.5 rpg, 9.2 mpg... Has a blocked shot in 10 of the last 17 games... Season averages per 40 minutes: 10.4 points, 11.5 rebounds and 2.4 blocked shots... Career totals: 719 points, 437 rebounds and 53.8 percent field goal shooter... Played in 22 games this season... Did not compete in 2020-21 after opting out of the season.

Joshua Tomaić

(toe-MY-itch) Forward, 6-9, 230, Sr.-1L Lanzarote, Spain (Canarias Academy/Maryland)

PPG RPG APG FG 3FG FT 16-22 2021-22 3.0 2.1 0.4 .475 8-23 9-10 MW 3.3 0.4 .543 2.3 4-9 Career Highs: Pts: 12, vs. San Jose State (2-8-21) | Rebs: 8, 2x, last at San Jose St. (2-9-22) | Asts: 3, vs. UC Irvine (11-27-20)

Playing his best basketball of late... Last 10 gms.: 4.0 ppg, 3.0 rpg, 0.4 apg, 3 BS in 124 mins... Has 80 points this season (3.0), 52 have come in his last 14 gms. (3.7)... 57 rebounds this season (20 on the offensive glass)... Career totals: 291 points, 221 rebounds, 36 assists, 34 blocked shots, 23 steals, 1,156 minutes, 52.7 percent field goal shooting (109-of-207)... Had 28 assists the last two seasons (zero in 71 mins. in 2019-20).

Nathan Mensah

(MEN-suh) Forward, 6-10, 230, Sr.-3L Accra, Ghana (Findlay Prep (Nev.))

2021-22 0.6 74 480 549 7.0 1-4 Def PoY (c & m) All-MW: MW 6.8 6.2 0.6 .456 0-1 .600 Career Highs: Pts: 19, vs. UC San Diego (12-22-21) | Rebs: 3rd Tm (medic 15, at Arizona St. (12-10-20) | Asts: 4, vs. San Jose St. (3-2-19)

RPG ΔPG

Last 9 gms.: 7.8 ppg, 7.3 rpg, 1.9 bpg, 0.7 spg, 29-51 FGs (56.9 pct.)... No. 3 on SDSU career blocks list (159)... Had a 4-block, 5-steal gm. vs. UNM (1-31-22)... 1st Aztec to do that in the Dutcher/Fisher era... Shot 50 percent or better from the field in six of his last nine games (29-51 FG, 56.9 pct.)... When he shoots at least 50.0 pct., SDSU is 49-13 (79.0 pct)... Has 11 games this season with 3 or more blocked shots.

Aguek Arop

Forward, 6-6, 220, Sr.-3L (ah-GWUK ah-ROPE) Omaha, Neb. (Omaha South HS)

RPG APG 3FG FT 2021-22 3.2 3.4 0.5 .458 2-7 11-24 3 2 3.6 0.7 457 0-3 9-18 Career Highs: Pts: 14, at Air Force (1-22-21) | Rebs: 8, 3x, last: at Colorado St. (2-4-22) | Asts: 3, 5x, last: vs. Colorado St. (1-8-22)

Last 19 gms. played: 63 pts. (3.3 ppg), 25-56 (44.6 pct.) FGs, 66 rebs (30 off.) in 267 mins... 6 pts., 2-3 FGs, 2 rebs. in 8 mins. vs. Fresno (Thurs.)... This season, is averaging 9.4 pts. and 9.9 rebs. per 40 minutes played... 89-of-167 rebs since 2019-20 are on off. glass... Multiple offensive rebounds in 18 of the last 35 games he has played... Avg. 4.3 off rehounds per 40 mins last season. Has a 7-foot wingspan. Good mid-range game

5th year Head Coach / 117-38 23rd season at SDSU / 33rd seasons overall

- At least 21 victories in each of his first 4 seasons as HC.
- A member of all of SDSU's record 14 MW championships.
- Helped Michigan to 3 NCAA national championship game app. including the program's first national title in 1989. Only first year coach in the country to guide his team to the

NCAA Tournament in 2017-18 season.

- His teams are 100-7 when owning a higher FG pct.
- His teams are 79-7 when the opponent shoots 40 pct. or less from the floor.
- His teams are 67-9 at home & 41-4 in its last 45 hm games

SDSU BROADCAST ROSTER

San Diego State in the MWT Quarterfinal | Thomas & Mack Center | Las Vegas, Nev. | March 10, 2022



0 <u>Keshad Johnson</u>

Forward 6-7, 210, Junior - 2L Oakland, Calif. San Leandro High

PPG: **7.8** RPG: **4.8** APG: **1.0** FG%: **56.5** 3FG: **21.4** FT%: **66.7**



Z Adam Seiko

Guard 6-3, 210, Senior - 3L Boston, Mass. Sierra Canyon High (Calif.)

PPG: **5.1** RPG: **1.9** APG: **0.9** FG%: **42.2** 3FG%: **41.8** FT%: **66.7**



3 Matt Bradley

Guard 6-4, 220, Senior - TR San Bernardino, Calif. Wasatch Academy/California

PPG: 17.8 RPG: 5.3 APG: 2.6 FG%: 45.3 3FG%: 41.7 FT%: 79.4



4 <u>Trey Pulliam</u>

Guard
6-3, 180, Senior - 2L
Bryan, Texas
Consolidated High/Navarro College
PPG: 8.4 RPG: 2.6 APG: 3.4
FG%: 38.7 3FG%: 32.7 FT%: 70.0



5 Lamont Butler

Guard 6-2, 200, Sophomore - 1L Moreno Valley, Calif. Riverside Poly High

PPG: **7.2** RPG: **2.2** APG: **2.1** FG%: **37.5** 3FG%: **32.2** FT%: **74.3**



10 Keith Dinwiddie Jr.

Guard 6-0, 185, Sophomore - SQ Los Angeles, Calif. Fairfax Senior High

PPG: **2.8** RPG: **0.9** APG: **0.4** FG%: **28.6** 3FG%: **27.0** FT%: **75.0**



11 <u>Demarshay Johnson Jr.</u>

Forward 6-9, 210, Freshman - HS Richmond, Calif. Salesian College Prep

PPG: - RPG: - APG: FG%: - 3FG%: - FT%:



14 Cade Alaer

Forward 6-9, 190, Sophomore - SQ Ripon, Calif. Ripon Christian High/Seattle U

PPG: **0.6** RPG: **0.3** APG: **0.0** FG%: **25.0** 3FG%: **00.0** FT%: -



20 Chad Baker-Mazara

Forward
6-7, 190, Sophomore - TR
Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic
SPIRE Academy/Duquesne

PPG: **6.2** RPG: **1.9** APG: **0.6** FG%: **42.1** 3FG%: **38.5** FT%: **90.0**



21 <u>Jared Barnett</u>

Guard 6-1, 165, Junior - SQ Los Angeles, Calif. Westchester High

PPG: **0.5** RPG: **0.3** APG: **0.1** FG%: **50.0** 3FG%: - FT%: -



22 Tahirou Diabate

Forward 6-9, 225, Senior - TR Bamako, Mali Teikyo Nagaoka High/Portland

PPG: **2.3** RPG: **2.4** APG: **0.1** FG%: **38.3** 3FG%: **0.0** FT%: **50.0**



23 Joshua Tomaić

Forward 6-9, 230, Senior - 1L Lanzarote, Canary Islands, Spain Canarias Academy/Maryland

PPG: **3.0** RPG: **2.1** APG: **0.4** FG%: **47.5** 3FG%: **34.8** FT%: **72.7**



31 Nathan Mensah

Forward 6-10, 230, Senior - 3L Labadi, Accra, Ghana Findley Prep (Nev.)

PPG: **7.4** RPG: **7.0** APG: **0.6** FG%: **48.0** 3FG%: **25.0** FT%: **54.9**



33 Aquek Arop

Forward 6-6, 220, Senior - 3L Omaha, Neb. Omaha South High

PPG: **3.2** RPG: **3.4** APG: **0.5** FG%: **45.8** 3FG%: **28.6** FT%: **45.8**



Head Coach

Brian Dutcher

5th season (117-38, 66-22 MW)

Honors

USA Today National Coach of the Year
2x NABC Divison I District 17 Coach of the Year
USBWA District IX Coach of the Year
2x MW Coach of the Year
Naismith Coach of the Year Finalist



Assistant Coach

Dave Velasquez

9th season (222-76, 121-39 MW) Defensive emphasis

20th season overall at SDSU In 2002-03 was a student manager, then head manager, walk-on, scholarship athlete, director of player development and



Assistant Coach

Chris Acker

3rd season (74-14, 44-8 MW)
Offensive emphasis
7th season or a Division 1 AC

7th season as a Division 1 AC In 6 seasons as HC at Citrus College (92-9), and led Citrus to a California state title in



Assistant Coach

JayDee Luster
1st season (21-7, 13-4 MW)

Recruiting emphasis
6th season as a Division I AC