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NO. 8 (ESPN/USA TODAY) UCLA (27-6/14-4, PAC-10 REGULAR SEASON CHAMPION) THIS WEEK IS THE NO. 2 SEED IN THE OAKLAND REGIONAL AND WILL FACE THE NO. 15 SEED BELMONT BRUINS IN SAN DIEGO ON THURSDAY; LAST WEEK THE BRUINS DEFEATED OREGON STATE, ARIZONA AND CALIFORNIA TO WIN THE PAC-10 TOURNAMENT AND INCREASE WINNING STREAK TO SEVEN GAMES

UCLA'S NEXT GAME/2006 NCAA TOURNAMENT THURSDAY, MARCH 16 – No. 8 UCLA (27-6, 14-4, No. 2 Seed in Oakland Regional) vs. No. 15 seed Belmont Bruins (20-10, 15-5, Atlantic Sun Conference Champions) in San Diego, CA (Cox Arena) (TV-CBS/Radio- 570 AM, with Chris Roberts and Don MacLean).

No. 2 SEED UCLA BRUINS TENTATIVE STARTING LINEUP (Overall 27-6/Pac-10 14-4, regular season champ)

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Ppg	Rpg
21	Cedric Bozeman	F	6-6	Sr.	8.0	3.0
23	Luc Richard Mbah a Moute	F	6-7	Fr.	8.8	8.1
15	Ryan Hollins	C	7-01/2	Sr.	6.2	4.4
1	Jordan Farmar	G	6-2	So.	13.6	2.7
4	Arron Afflalo	G	6-5	So.	16.6	4.3

FINAL 2005-06 PACIFIC-10 CONFERENCE

UCLA	14-4*	27-6*
Washington	13-5**	24-6
California	12-6**	20-10
Arizona	11-7**	19-12
Stanford	11-7	15-13
USC	8-10	17-13
Oregon	7-11	15-18
Oregon State	5-13	13-18
Arizona State	5-13	11-17
Washington State	4-14	11-17

*first regular season Pac-10 Championship since 1997/first Pac-10 Tournament title since 1987/No. 2 NCAA seed (highest since 1997, No. 2 Midwest)/33 games ties school record for most games in a season.

The Bruin women also won their Pac-10 Tournament Championship, only the second time in Pac-10 Tournament history the same men/women's programs won the Tournament title (Stanford, 2004).

**NCAA Tournament teams.

In the Pac-10 Tournament – the Bruins were first in scoring defense (52.70), scoring margin (+21.0), field goal percentage (.519), second in field goal percentage defense (.378) and three-point field goal percentage (.440), assists (15.67) and assist/turnover ratio (1.24) and third in scoring offense (73.7), rebounding defense (27.7) and three-point field goals made (7.33).

Bruins vs. Bruins – this will be UCLA's first meeting vs. the Belmont Bruins, the 2006 Atlantic Sun Champion (20-10/15-5).

UCLA IN THE NCAA

This is UCLA's second appearance in the NCAA Tournament under Ben Howland.

The No. 2 seed is UCLA's highest since 1997, when the Bruins were No. 2 in the Midwest. That year, UCLA advanced to the Elite Eight, defeating Charleston Southern and Xavier in Auburn Hills and Iowa State in San Antonio before losing to Minnesota.

Overall, this is UCLA's 40th appearance in the NCAA Tournament. UCLA holds the record for most championships won (11 in 1964-65-67-68-69-70-71-72-73-75-95) and longest winning streak – 38 games between 1964 and 1974.

In addition, UCLA ranks third in NCAA Tournament games won (85, Kentucky is No. 1 and North Carolina is No. 2) and second in tournament winning percentage (.726, Duke is No. 1).

UCLA HEAD COACH BEN HOWLAND – In his third season at UCLA and 12th year as a collegiate head coach (in his 25th season of college basketball, as an assistant and head coach).

In the last two years, UCLA is 45-17 (.726) under Howland's direction.

2005-06 – UCLA (27-6, 33 games/.818)

2004-05 - UCLA (18-11, 29 games/.621)

2003-04 - UCLA (11-17, 28 games/.393)

UCLA Totals – 56-34, 90 games/.622

2000-03 - Pittsburgh (89-40, 129 games/69.0)

1995-99 - N. Arizona (79-59, 138 games/57.2)

Overall Totals - (224-133, 357 games/.627)

A prime candidate for National Coach of the Year honors, on March 6 was named the Pac-10 and USBWA Dist. IX Coach of the Year and on March 1, he was named a finalist for the Jim Phelan National Coach of the Year award. Has also been honored by CollegeInsider.com, CBS SportsLine.com and SI.com as the Pac-10 Coach of the Year.

It's Howland's third conference Coach of the Year honor overall (2002-Big East Coach of the Year/at Pittsburgh and 1997- Big Sky Coach of the Year/at Northern Arizona). It's only the fifth time a UCLA coach has won Pac-10 Coach of the Year honors since the award was first handed out in 1976 (Steve Lavin (2001), Jim Harrick (1995), Walt Hazzard (1987) and Gary Cunningham (1978).

Howland recorded his 50th Bruin win against Oregon State and is now 56-34 (.622), including 45-17 (.726) in the last two years as the Bruins' head coach. The USC game on Feb. 19 was his 350th game as a collegiate head coach.

He has led UCLA this season to three Pac-10 road sweeps (at the Oregon schools, first time since 2000-01, at the Arizona schools, first time since 1996-97, at the Bay Area schools, first time since 2000) – not since 1994-95 have the Bruins had three Pac-10 road sweeps (at the Arizona, Washington and Bay Area schools/1995 was the last year UCLA won the NCAA Championship). This season the Bruins have swept (home/away) the Oregon schools (first time since 2001) and the Arizona schools (first time since 1997).

He recorded his 200th career victory on Nov. 19, when UCLA defeated Delaware State 56-37 in Pauley Pavilion. In Howland's second year (2004-05) at UCLA, he joined an elite list of college coaches (28) who have led three different teams to the NCAA Tournament (Howland's overall NCAA record is 4-4) – 2005 UCLA, 2003 Pittsburgh ("Sweet 16"), 2002 Pittsburgh ("Sweet 16") and 1998 Northern Arizona. In 2005, Howland led the Bruins back to the NCAA Tournament for the first time since 2002; he directed the Bruins to a win over nationally-ranked Washington; led UCLA to a third-place tie in the Pac-10 and to a Pac-10 Tournament appearance. In Howland's first year (2003-04) at UCLA, highlights included a 9-3 start (5-0 in the Pac-10), wins over NCAA Tournament teams Michigan State, Washington (twice) and Vermont and an appearance in the Pac-10 Tournament.

In his last two seasons (2002-03) at Pittsburgh - in 2003, he led the Panthers to a 28-5 overall record, No. 4 national ranking, NCAA "Sweet 16" and the Big East Tournament Championship and in 2002, Pittsburgh was 29-6 overall (school record for wins), advanced to the NCAA "Sweet 16" and the Big East Tournament title game and Howland was the consensus National Coach of the Year.

HONORS- Here's a list of the Bruin preseason team and individual player honors. On March 6, Jordan Farmar and Arron Afflalo were named first-team All-Pac-10 (UCLA leads the conference with 104 first-team selections).

Jordan Farmar – A member of the All Pac-10

Tournament team, on March 10, named a

CollegeInsider.com All-American. On March 7, was named first-team USBWA All. Dist. IX, on March 6, he earned first-team All-Pac-10 and was named to the Wooden Award finalist list (22 players) and on March 1, was named the Pac-10 Most Valuable Player by CollegeInsider.com. On Feb. 18, Farmar was named first-team NABC All-Dist. 15. He was on the mid-season Naismith Trophy (30 players) and Wooden Award (30 players) lists. He is also a finalist for the Bob Cousy Award (nation's top point guard). Farmar is one of just four players, he's the only underclassman, mentioned for all three honors (joining senior guards, Illinois' Dee Brown, Pittsburgh's Carl Krauser and Syracuse's Gerry McNamara).

Arron Afflalo – A member of the All-Pac-10

Tournament team, on March 7, was named a first-team USBWA All-Dist. IX and CollegeInsider.com Defensive All-American, on March 6 was a first-team All-Pac-10 selection and named Pac-10 Player of the Week (for his play in the Bruins' sweep of the Bay Area), and on Feb. 18, Afflalo was named first-team NABC All-Dist. 15. He was named an early-season All-American by scout.com and named to the NIT Season Tip-Off All-Tournament team.

Farmar and Afflalo - were named the nation's No. 3 backcourt by SI.com (Jan. 25).

Luc Richard Mbah a Moute – on March 7 was named the CBS SportsLine.com and SI.com Pac-10 Freshman of the Year, on March 6 was named the Pac-10 Freshman of the Year (and Honorable Mention All-Pac-10) and a Freshman All-American by CollegeInsider.com. He was named to Seth Davis' SI.com All-Glue team on Feb. 15 (given to players who emphasize team play over individualism). He was named the Rivals.com National Freshman of the Week (Jan. 30) for his efforts in UCLA's two victories at the Oregon schools.

Darren Collison – on March 6 was named a Pac-10 Honorable Mention All-Freshman selection.

UCLA'S LAST GAMES

March 11 – No. 13 UCLA 71, California 52 – before 18,544 (third-highest in Tournament history) at the Staples Center in the Pac-10 Tournament Championship game, the No. 1 seed Bruins held California to only 23 second half points, and won their second Pac-10 Tournament Championship in school history (the first in 1987), beating the Golden Bears 71-52. California's 52 points were the second-fewest scored in a Pac-10 Tournament championship game (Arizona 73-Stanford 51, 1989) and UCLA became the first team in Tournament history to hold all three opponents under 60 points. It was UCLA's seventh consecutive victory (UCLA has averaged 73.0 points and held opponents to 54.7). The total attendance (74, 821) of the three-day tourney was the largest in Pac-10 Tournament history (old mark 67,819, 2002).

After leading 32-29 at halftime (California ended the first half on a 13-0 run and were led by Leon Powe's 11 points and six rebounds), UCLA led 36-35 with 16:18 left in the game, after Powe scored the Golden Bears' first six points of the second half.

But the Bruins would hold Powe scoreless the rest of the game and go on a 29-11 run, to lead 65-46, with 3:12 remaining, on a three-pointer by Jordan Farmar (in the second half, from 5:20-3:12, Farmar would connect on 3, three-pointers).

Farmar led the Bruins in scoring with 19 points, including a career-high five three-pointers. UCLA had three other starters in double figures – Cedric Bozeman’s 13 points, Ryan Hollins’ 12 points and a team-high tying four rebounds and Luc Richard Mbah A Moute, 10 points and a team-high tying four rebounds. Arron Afflalo added nine points and a career-high seven assists. Farmar and Afflalo were selected to the Pac-10 All-Tournament team.

The Bruins (27-6/33 games ties a school record for most games in a season) shot .531 (26-49, fourth consecutive game and six of last seven, shooting at least .500 from the field) from the field, .438 (7-16) from three-point range and .800 (12-15) from the foul line, with 26 rebounds (snapping a string of 10 straight games the Bruins outrebounded their opponent), 16 assists, 11 turnovers, two blocked shots and four steals.

California (20-10, 12-6) shot .396 (19-48/ UCLA has led three of its last five opponents below .400) from the field, .333 (3-9) from three-point range and .786 (11-14) from the foul line, with a game-high 28 rebounds, opponent season-low four assists, a game-high 14 turnovers, one blocked shot and four steals. Ayinde Ubaka led the Golden Bears with 18 points, followed by Powe’s 17 points and game-high eight rebounds.

March 10 – No. 13 UCLA 71, Arizona 59 – before 17,856 at the Staples Center in a Pac-10 Tournament semifinal game, No. 1 seed UCLA used runs of 21-5 in the first half and 19-6 in the second half to defeat the No. 4 seed Wildcats 71-59. Arizona’s 59 points was its lowest in Pac-10 Tournament history and lowest output of the season. It was UCLA’s sixth consecutive victory and the first time in the series single season history the Bruins had a 3-0 sweep over UA.

The Bruins led 33-26 at halftime and in the second half, UCLA’s biggest lead of the game was 22 points (60-38, 8:31 left to play), on a layup by Alfred Aboya.

UCLA was led by Darren Collison’s season-high 15 points (the first time this season Collison has led UCLA in scoring), along with Luc Richard Mbah a Moute’s 12 points and a team-high tying seven rebounds and Arron Afflalo’s 12 points.

The Bruins (26-6) shot .500 (28-56) from the field, .278 (5-18) from three-point range and .714 (10-14) from the foul line, with a game-high 32 rebounds, 14 assists, 11 turnovers, three blocked shots and nine steals.

Arizona (19-12) shot .418 (23-55) from the field, .600 (3-5) from three-point range and .833 (10-12) from the foul line, with 30 rebounds, five assists, a game-high 15 turnovers, four blocked shots and six steals. The Wildcats were led by Marcus Williams’ game-high 25 points and Ivan Radenovic’s 17 points and game-high 10 rebounds.

March 9 – No. 13 UCLA 79, Oregon State 47 – before 15,144 at the Staples Center in a Pac-10 tournament quarterfinal game, Ryan Hollins’ season and team-high

17 points and game-high eight rebounds led the No. 1 seed Bruins to a 79-47 victory over No. 9 seed Oregon State. The 32-point victory margin was UCLA’s largest this season and the highest in Pac-10 Tournament history. UCLA swept Oregon State 3-0 in 2006, the Bruins’ first 3-0 sweep in the series history (in 1953, UCLA had a 4-0 sweep over the Beavers). It was UCLA’s fifth consecutive victory.

The Bruins led 38-27 at halftime. In the second half, with 9:45 left to play, UCLA led 60-35, on a three-pointer by Michael Roll and with 1:10 remaining, the Bruins had a 34-point advantage, following a jumper by Janou Rubin.

Hollins led the Bruins in scoring for the first time this season with a season-high 17 points, including 6-8 from the field, and a game-high eight rebounds. Arron Afflalo added 16 points for UCLA.

The Bruins (25-6) shot .528 (28-53) from the field, a season-high .625 (10-16) from three-point range and .591 (13-22) from the foul line, with a game-high 39 rebounds, 17 assists, 16 turnovers, two blocked shots and seven steals.

OSU (13-18) shot .321(17-53) from the field, .313 (5-16) from three-point range and .727 (8-11) from the foul line, with 25 rebounds, seven assists, a game-high 18 turnovers, an opponent season high seven blocked shots and 10 steals. Playing without injured starters Lamar Hurd, Nick DeWitz and Sasa Cuic, the Beavers were led by Marcel Jones’ game-high 19 points and six rebounds.

BRUIN BITS

The Last Seven – UCLA enters the NCAA Tournament with a seven-game winning streak, including three straight wins in the Pac-10 Tournament. During those seven games, **UCLA is averaging 73.0 points while holding opponents to 54.7 points. None of the seven teams have scored more than 60 points in a game. UCLA has outrebounded six of the seven opponents (the other game it was outboarded by two) and has a margin of +6.1 (32.0 – 25.9) in that span. UCLA is shooting .513 from the field and .436 from three-point range while holding the seven opponents to .405 from the floor and .393 from the arc.**

Start the Season – UCLA’s 27-6 start (UCLA has a seven-game winning streak entering the NCAA Tournament) is the best under Howland (in his third season). It’s UCLA’s fastest to 20 wins (20-4) since the Bruins’ 1994-95 NCAA Championship season (20-1). UCLA is 8-2 on the road this season, including 7-2 in Pac-10 road games. Four of UCLA’s six losses have been to teams ranked in this week’s AP Top 25 (No. 5 Memphis, No. 12 Washington twice and No. 19 West Virginia). UCLA’s RPI ranking was No. 13 going into last week’s Pac-10 Tournament /the RPI is updated every Wednesday, 9 a.m. PT, ncaasports.com). Here’s how UCLA’s 27-6 record compares to other impressive Bruin starts -

Under Jim Harrick – In 1994-95, UCLA’s 11th NCAA title team, started 12-1 (losing at Oregon on Jan. 5), then lost 14th game (12-2) to California in Pauley (Jan. 28, 100-93, game was later forfeited by California) – UCLA would not lose another game, winning the NCAA

Championship and finishing with a 32 (school record for wins)-1 overall mark (17-1 in the Pac-10).

The Bruins Are – 27-5 when holding the opponent under 80 points, 21-1 when leading at halftime, 15-1 when shooting .500 or better from the field, 13-1 when holding the opponent to under .400, 23-2 when outshooting the opponent from the field, 17-2 when outshooting the opponent from three-point range, 22-3 with a rebound advantage and 25-1 when leading with five minutes to play in regulation.

Defense – UCLA has held eight of its last 16 opponents under .400 and two under .300. Only twice in the last 16 games has an opponent shot better than .464. Thirteen of those 16 opponents scored 60 points or less, including each of the last seven. WSU's 30 points was the lowest total by a Bruin opponent since the 1966-67 season, when Oregon scored 25. Last season (all games), the Bruins allowed 71.7 points a game (this season, 59.1, a difference of -12.6 points).

In the final Pac-10 games only statistics, UCLA was first in scoring defense (59.3) and first in scoring margin (+8.4) and rebounding defense (28.1) and third in FG% defense (.427) and fourth in 3PT FG% defense (.338). In league games, the Bruins are also first in offensive FG% (.469).

In the Second Half – In the Pac-10 Tournament, UCLA led Oregon State by 11 at halftime and outscored the Beavers by 21 in the second half. It led Arizona by seven at halftime and outscored the Wildcats by five after intermission. It led California by three at halftime and outscored the Golden Bears by 16 in the final 20 minutes. On the final regular-season trip, UCLA trailed at California by 11 points (31-20) at halftime but rallied to outscore the Golden Bears by 20 (47-27) after halftime (11 in the second half and nine in overtime). UCLA trailed both Oregon schools at halftime (OSU 32-26 and UO 28-23), but came back with big second half rallies (season high for a half 52 vs. OSU and second-highest season high for a second half 47 vs. UO). Vs. Oregon, the Bruins shot their best second-half FG% (.625, 15-24) of the season. Prior to the win at Stanford, the Bruins trailed in five consecutive games at halftime, but came back with strong second-half efforts (averaged 23.6 in first half/44.0 in second half).

20 Wins – It's the 42nd time in school history the Bruins have won 20 games (last time, 2001-02, 21-12). UCLA has won 20 games on 34 occasions in the last 40 years (1967-2006). This is UCLA's fastest to 20 victories since the 1994-95 NCAA Championship season (20-1, went on to a 32-1 overall record, the 32 wins is a school record).

Fast Starts – In three Pac-10 games this season, the Bruins have gotten off to fast starts – in UCLA's 71-54 win over Stanford in Pauley Pavilion, the Bruins led 18-1 (14:25); in UCLA's 66-45 victory over USC in Pauley, the Bruins led 18-2 (13:00) and in UCLA's 50-30 win at Washington State, the Bruins led 18-2 (12:56).

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two steals. His previous scoring high was 23 points twice, vs. Stanford and New Mexico State. He's led UCLA in scoring in 16 games this season. In UCLA's victory at Oregon State, Afflalo led the Bruins in rebounding (career and game-high 10) and recorded his first career double/double (11 points-10 rebounds).

Luc Richard Mbah a Moute – on March 6 was named the Pac-10 Freshman of the Year (and Honorable Mention All-Pac-10) and a Freshman All-American by CollegeInsider.com. Also earned Conference Freshman of the Year honors from CBS SportsLine.com and SI.com. He was named to Seth Davis' SI.com All-Glue team on Feb. 15 (given to players who emphasize team play over individualism). He was named the Rivals.com National Freshman of the Week (Jan. 30) for his efforts in UCLA's two victories at the Oregon schools. The Bruins' leading rebounder (8.1/No. 3 in the Pac-10, leading freshman rebounder in the conference and No. 4 freshman scorer/the nation's third-leading freshman rebounder/the highest freshman average in UCLA history, breaking Don MacLean's 7.5, 1989), he's been UCLA's leading rebounder in 27 of 33 games. He's also second in the Pac-10 in offensive rebounding (3.00) and fourth in defensive rebounds (5.12) and leads the conference in FG% (.539). Mbah a Moute has streaks of leading the Bruins in rebounding this season of 12 (longest since 1977-78, when David Greenwood led UCLA in rebounding in the final 13 regular season games) and seven games. He has seven double/doubles, the most in Bruin freshman history (breaking Jelani McCoy's mark of six, 1996), including two consecutive on two occasions (the first starting freshman to accomplish that since JaRon Rush (1998-99-final two games that season-at Arizona-16/10 and Detroit Mercy (NCAA)-10/13). Mbah a Moute has 10 games of double digit rebounds. He had 12 points and seven rebounds in the Pac-10 semifinal win over Arizona. At Stanford, he had 12 points and nine rebounds. He led the Bruins with 14 points and 10 rebounds in the home win vs. Oregon. At the sweep of the Oregon schools, Mbah a Moute led the Bruins in scoring both games (Oregon-season and game-high 15 points/game-high 10 rebounds; Oregon State-team-high 14 points/eight rebounds) and for his efforts was named the Rivals.com National Freshman of the Week.

Ryan Hollins – came back from his groin injury (missed six games, including UCLA's first five Pac-10 contests), to play in the last 17 games and start 13 of the last 14. In the Pac-10 Tournament, he averaged 12.0 points, including a season-high 17 points vs. Oregon State and 6.3 rebounds (leading or tying for the team rebound lead in all three games) and made 13 of 18 shots (.722) from the floor. At Stanford, he had a then season-high 13 points (5-7, 3-4) and eight rebounds. On the road trip to Washington, he had six rebounds vs. WSU and a season-high nine boards (seven points) at Washington. Vs. the Arizona schools in Pauley, he scored a then season-best 12 points vs. Arizona with three rebounds and vs. Arizona State, added six points and four rebounds. As a starter at the Oregon schools, in a season-best 35 minutes at Oregon State, Hollins had a then-season-high tying 11 points, with seven rebounds and at Oregon, although in

foul trouble, he contributed five points, three rebounds and a season-best four blocked shots.

Cedric Bozeman – After missing eight games with a left shoulder injury (cartilage/he started the first 11 games before the injury), Bozeman has returned to play in the last 14 games and started the last 13 contests. With Bozeman in the lineup, the Bruins are 22-3 (21-3 as a starter). Despite playing with a sprained left ankle suffered in the Pac-10 Tournament opener vs. Oregon State, he averaged 9.3 points, 2.3 assists and 1.7 steals while shooting .526 (10-19) from the floor, .500 (3-6) from three-point range and 1.000 (5-5) from the line.

BRUIN HEADLINES

INJURY UPDATE (every scholarship player has been injured this season/seven players have missed a total of 83 games).

Sophomore forward Josh Shipp (missed 29 games/out for season) – on Sept. 28, had an arthroscopic right hip procedure. During his initial rehabilitation, he was on crutches for almost a month (came off of crutches on Oct. 26). Shipp returned to the starting to start the Pac-10 season (he missed the first 11 games) and started the first four league contests, scoring in double figures (11.3ppg/4.8rpg/29.8mpg) in every game. On Jan. 10, because of constant and increasing pain in the right hip, Shipp announced he would not practice or play for the remainder of the season (UCLA will petition for a medical hardship waiver at the conclusion of the season).

Sophomore center Lorenzo Mata (missed 16 games/returned March 9) – suffered a concussion in practice on Dec. 1 and did not play on Dec. 4 vs. Coppin State and vs. Nevada on Dec. 10. Since then, he started seven of eight games (played with a bloody nose/slight fracture at Arizona State, suffered in the first half). Vs. Washington State, suffered a nondisplaced right tibial plateau fracture (he missed 14 games before returning on March 9).

Senior center Michael Fey (missed 16 games) – before the start of practice (Oct. 14), was diagnosed with a severe groin strain. On Tuesday (Nov. 8), Fey was cleared for a one hour workout (once a day, starting Nov. 9). Fey participated in team practice on Saturday (Nov. 12). He played 17 minutes vs. New Mexico State (seven points/two rebounds) and 15 minutes vs. Temple (0 points/two rebounds), but sprained his left shoulder. He did not play vs. Delaware State and his status was "day-to-day". In New York, Fey played a season-high 21 minutes vs. Memphis (season-high 13 points/four rebounds) and five minutes vs. Drexel. On Thursday (Dec. 1), suffered a right ankle sprain in practice and did not play vs. Coppin State on Dec. 4 and Nevada on Dec. 10. He did play two minutes at Michigan. Fey did not play vs. Wagner, came in for nine minutes (two points/three rebounds) vs. Sacramento State. Fey missed the Bruins' first five Pac-10 contests. He did play one minute vs. Washington and Arizona State, but did not play vs. USC, WVU, Oregon, OSU and Arizona. He played two minutes at WSU, but did not play at Washington or at USC. He started against Oregon State and Oregon and played at California and Stanford.

Cedric Bozeman (missed eight games) – The senior forward who had started every game before Stanford, on Dec. 27 injured his left shoulder in practice (an MRI revealed torn cartilage). At the time of the injury, Bozeman was averaging 31.2 minutes, 10.3 points and 4.0 rebounds. He missed eight games. Bozeman was cleared the week of the USC and WVU games to resume shooting and dribbling, but did not play. He returned to action at the Oregon schools, has played in the last 14 games and started the last 13. He suffered a sprained left ankle on the first day of the Pac-10 Tournament but did not miss any games.

Freshman forward Alfred Aboya (missed six games) – had a right knee arthroscopic procedure on July 11 and had a left knee arthroscopic procedure on Oct. 12. Aboya was re-evaluated on Nov. 2 and he did not have any basketball activity for the next two weeks. His first game was Coppin State (Dec. 4 -16 minutes, two rebounds and assists) and he's appeared in every game since (24). Vs. Washington, Aboya suffered a right knee injury, but an MRI revealed no new articular cartilage damage and he started both the USC and West Virginia games. Suffered a left hip flexor strain in practice on Thursday before the USC game, but played 16 minutes at the Sports Arena. Reinjured (left hip flexor strain) in practice on Feb. 21 and was questionable for the Oregon schools in Pauley, but played against the Beavers and Oregon.

Senior center Ryan Hollins (missed six games) – strained his groin during warm-ups vs. Sacramento State (did not play) and missed six consecutive games. He has now played in the last 14 games and started 10 of the last 11 contests.

Sophomore point guard Jordan Farmar (missed two games) – suffered a right groin strain in practice on Thursday (Oct. 27) and was held out of practice for five days (Thursday-Tuesday, the Bruins did not practice on Sunday, Oct. 30). After a Nov. 1 examination, Farmar, who had shown significant improvement, continued to strengthen and receive treatment. He did not practice or play the rest of the week and did not play in UCLA's exhibition game vs. Carleton (Friday, Nov. 4). Farmar was cleared to resume practice on Monday (Nov. 7) and started vs. CS Monterey Bay. Farmar started the first two NIT Season Tip-Off encounters, but sprained his right ankle vs. Temple and did not play vs. Delaware State. He started vs. Memphis and Drexel. Following an inconclusive early MRI on Tuesday (Nov. 29), another MRI was taken later that day which showed Farmar did not have a right foot stress fracture. He did not play vs. Albany (Nov. 29), but came back to start vs. Coppin State (Dec. 4) and responded with his first career double/double (16 points-then career-high 10 assists) and has started every game since Coppin State. Farmar sprained his right ankle in the second half vs. Stanford (played only four minutes), but came back to start vs. California (36 minutes). Started vs. the Arizona schools – had the ankle retaped in the first half of the Arizona game (hit four consecutive free throws late in the game to preserve UCLA's win) and at ASU, hit two baskets at the end of the contest to win the game for UCLA. Led the Bruins in scoring vs. USC (15) and WVU (22) and led the Bruins to two wins in Oregon for the first time since 2001. Vs. Arizona in Pauley Pavilion, he sprained his left ankle in the second half, got retaped, and played 31 minutes (X-rays on Saturday night revealed no abnormalities and an MRI on Monday confirmed the sprained ankle). He was in a

walking boot during the week leading up to the WSU game. He is UCLA's second-leading scorer (13.6) and leads the Pac-10 in assists (5.29/had a career-high 12 assists vs. Washington).

Freshman forward Michael Roll – jammed his right thumb in practice on Jan. 31 (before Arizona State game) and Feb. 1 X-rays revealed a sprain. He played 15 minutes vs. ASU and 14 vs. Arizona.

Freshman guard Darren Collison – suffered a sprained left ankle in the West Virginia game. The X-rays were negative, he did not practice Monday or Tuesday (before the Oregon games), but played at both Oregon (17 minutes) and Oregon State (13 minutes).

Freshman center Ryan Wright – sprained his right ankle in the Stanford game (Pauley Pavilion), but continued to play in the Cardinal contest (22 minutes, five points, four rebounds) and vs. California (15 minutes, three points). He has played in every Pac-10 game and started vs. Washington.

Sophomore guard Arron Afflalo – suffered a left quadricep contusion on Oct. 29. He was listed as day-to-day, resumed practice on Nov. 3 and has started every game. He leads the Bruins in points (17.1/No. 7 in the Pac-10) and minutes (34.3, No. 4 in the Pac-10). At Arizona State, fell heavily to the floor at the end of the game, suffering a left hip pointer and right backside bruised soft tissue. But came back to start vs. the Washington schools in Pauley Pavilion

Freshman forward Luc Richard Mbah a Moute – before the start of practice (Oct. 14) was diagnosed with a sprained right shoulder. He returned to full-time practice status on Oct. 22 and has started every game and leads the Bruins in rebounding (8.4, No. 3 in the Pac-10/No. 3 freshman rebounder in the U. S.).

Redshirt Freshman Walkon Joey Ellis – On Oct. 7, had a left knee arthroscopic procedure and has not appeared in a game.

NATIONAL POLLS –Entering the NCAA Tournament, UCLA is ranked No. 8 by ESPN/USA Today (AP was not out at press time). Entering the Pac-10 Tournament, the Bruins were ranked No. 13 by AP and No. 12 by ESPN/USA Today. Prior to the Bay Area trip, the Bruins were ranked No. 15 by AP and No. 13 by ESPN/USA Today. Prior to the Oregon games in Pauley Pavilion, UCLA was rated No. 19 by AP and No. 17 by ESPN/USA Today. Prior to the USC game at the Sports Arena, UCLA was rated No. 15 by AP and No. 14 by ESPN/USA Today. Prior to traveling to Washington, the Bruins were rated No. 13 by AP and No. 12 by ESPN/USA Today. Prior to hosting the Arizona schools in Pauley Pavilion, UCLA was rated No. 14 by AP and No. 13 by ESPN/USA Today. Before going to the Oregon schools, the Bruins were No. 17 by AP and ESPN/USA Today. Prior to USC and WVU, the Bruins were ranked No. 18 by AP and No. 16 by ESPN/USA Today. Before facing the Washington schools in Pauley, UCLA for the second time this season was No. 11 (AP) and No. 12 (ESPN/USA Today). Traveling to the Arizona schools, the Bruins were No. 17 in both polls. UCLA was No. 11 in both polls (before facing Stanford/California in Pauley Pavilion/UCLA's highest regular season ranking since 2001-02/No. 10-the Bruins that season had a preseason ranking of No. 3). UCLA was No. 12 in both

polls (before facing Wagner and Sacramento State). The Bruins were No. 14 in both polls going into Michigan. Prior to facing Nevada (Dec. 10) in the Wooden Classic, the Bruins were No. 16 (AP) and No. 18 (*USA Today/ESPN*). The week of Nov. 28, UCLA was No. 16 (AP) and No. 17 (*USA Today/ESPN*). The week of the NIT Season Tip-Off Final Four (Nov. 21), the Bruins were No. 16 in both polls (UCLA's highest ranking since the start of the 2002-03 season/No. 14). UCLA was preseason rated No. 19 by AP and tied for No. 18 by *USA Today/ESPN* (it was the Bruins' first preseason rating since 2002-03/No. 14).

IN THE RECORD BOOK

Career – 3PT FG% - Arron Afflalo, 11th (.378, 111-297); **3PT FGs** – Arron Afflalo, 9th, 111, Jordan Farmar, 13th, 85; **3PT FGs ATT** – Arron Afflalo, 8th, 294, Jordan Farmar, 12th, 252; **BLKS** – Ryan Hollins, 6th, 93.

Season – 3PT FGs – Arron Afflalo, 6th, 72, Jordan Farmar, 13th, 51; **3PT FGs ATT** – Arron Afflalo, 1st, 193, Jordan Farmar, 11th, 150.

Class Leaders – Sophomore Scoring – Arron Afflalo, 8th, 16.6; **Freshman Rebounding** – Luc Richard Mbah a Moute, 1st, 8.1.

THE WOODEN CLASSIC – On Dec. 10 in the 12th annual Wooden Classic at the Arrowhead Pond in Anaheim, No. 16 UCLA defeated No. 17 Nevada, 67-56. It was UCLA's third consecutive Wooden Classic appearance, snapped a two-game Bruin losing streak at the Classic, and overall, UCLA is 6-3 in the Wooden Classic. It was announced that UCLA and USC will appear in the 2006 Wooden Classic (Dec. 9-opponents to be announced at a later date).

UCLA in the John R. Wooden Classic (6-3)

2005-06(W) –No. 16 UCLA 67, No. 17 Nevada 56.

2004-05(L)-Boston College 74, UCLA 64

2003-04(L)–No. 9 Kentucky 52, UCLA 50

2001-02(W)–No. 20 UCLA 79, No. 16 Alabama 57

2000-01(L)–Georgia Tech 72, UCLA 67

1998-99(W)–No. 18 UCLA 69, No. 11 Okla. St. 66

1997-98(W)–No. 15 UCLA 69, No. 8 New Mex. 58

1995-96(W)–UCLA 73, No. 20 Maryland 63

1994-95(W)–No. 2 UCLA 82, No. 7 Kentucky 81

On Nov. 30, 2002 in Indianapolis, No. 14 UCLA's 84-73 loss to No. 4 Duke was the Bruins' only appearance in the then third-annual Wooden Tradition.

2005 NIT SEASON TIP-OFF TOURNAMENT – For the first time since 1996 and for the fourth time in school history (2005-1996-1992-1987), the Bruins played in the NIT Season Tip-Off and for the second time in school history, placed third.

At the NIT Season Tip-Off at New York City's Madison Square Garden, on Nov. 25 Duke defeated Memphis 70-67 for the championship and in the third-place game, the Bruins beat Drexel 57-56. In the semis on Nov. 23, Duke defeated Drexel 78-68 and Memphis beat UCLA 88-80. The first-round NIT matchups were – Nov. 14 - Boston U. at Duke (D 64-57), Manhattan at Seton Hall (SH 66-52), Sam Houston State at Missouri (SHS 80-77) and Drexel at Princeton (D 54-41); Nov. 15- Miami (Ohio) at Alabama (A 64-58), Wisconsin-Milwaukee at Memphis (M 79-52), Army at Temple (T 69-37) and New Mexico

State at UCLA (U 83-70). Second Round results – Nov. 16- at Duke 93-Seton Hall 40; Nov. 17 – at Drexel 72-Sam Houston State 61, Memphis 87-at Alabama 76 and at UCLA 54-Temple 47.

In UCLA's preseason NIT history, the Bruins – in 1996, lost in the first round to Tulsa in Pauley Pavilion (77-76, OT); in 1992, lost a semifinal game to Seton Hall 73-64 and defeated Florida State 86-83 for third-place and in 1987, lost a second round contest at New Mexico 77-66.

UCLA REGULAR SEASON SCHEDULE – In the Preseason AP poll, the Bruins will face five teams on this year's schedule – No. 9 Arizona, No. 12 Memphis, No. 13 Stanford, No. 15 West Virginia and No. 25 Nevada. UCLA's 2005-06 men's basketball schedule will feature nine teams that advanced to postseason play last season (NCAA/NIT) and the Bruins will also participate in the NIT Season Tip-Off and Wooden Classic. Teams from last year's NCAA include – Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference Delaware State (Saturday, Nov. 19 in Pauley Pavilion, 7:30 p.m.), Western Athletic Conference Nevada in the Wooden Classic (Saturday, Dec. 10 in Anaheim, 2:30 p.m./KCAL), Big East West Virginia (Saturday, Jan. 12 in Pauley Pavilion, 12:45 p.m., CBS/the Mountaineers in the 2005 NCAA advanced to the Albuquerque Regional final, losing to Louisville 93-85OT) and Pac-10 foes Washington, Arizona and Stanford. Also in 2005, conference opponents Oregon State and Arizona State participated in the NIT, as did Memphis. For the fourth consecutive season, UCLA will play Big 10 Michigan (Dec. 17 in Ann Arbor, 9 a.m. PT/ESPN) –UCLA leads the series 9-3 and has won the last two games, 68-61 on Dec. 17 and last season, defeating the Wolverines in Pauley 81-79.

PAC-10 MEDIA DAY-BRUINS SELECTED THIRD IN PRESEASON VOTE - Nov. 3 was Pac-10 Media Day at the LAX Hilton. According to a poll of media members who cover Pac-10 men's basketball, Arizona was picked to win the 2006 conference title.

Here's the vote total -1. Arizona (23) 325, 2. Stanford (9) 294, **3. UCLA 263 (2)**, 4. Washington 238, 5. California 212, 6. Oregon 183, 7. Oregon State 132, 8. USC 87, 9. Washington State 86, 10. Arizona State 50.

PRESEASON HONORS- Here's a list of the Bruin preseason team and individual honors.

-Athlon – Team – Postseason Prediction, NCAA "Sweet 16"/3rd in Pac-10; No. 2 recruiting class in Pac-10. **Individual** –Jordan Farmar – Honorable Mention All-America/1st-team All-Pac-10; Arron Afflalo - 3rd-team All-Pac-10.

-Blue Ribbon – Team - No. 21 in the U. S./3rd in the Pac-10; No. 2 Top Backcourt in Pac-10. **Individual** – Jordan Farmar- All-Conference Team.

-CollegeHoops.net – Team – No. 16 in the U. S./3rd in the Pac-10. **Individual** – Jordan Farmar – 1st-team All-Pac-10.

-Lindy's – Team – No. 25 in U. S./3rd in Pac-10; No. 6 backcourt in the nation; No. 18 recruiting class in the nation. **Individual** – Jordan Farmar – No. 11 point guard in the U. S. /second-team All-Pac-10.

-Slam Magazine - Team – No. 18 in U. S.

- Sports Illustrated – Team** – No. 15 in the U. S.
- Street & Smith's – Team** – No. 16 in the U. S. /3rd in Pac-10; No. 3 recruiting class in Pac-10. **Individual** – Alfred Aboya – Top 100 college freshmen, Ryan Wright – Impact Rookie.
- The Sporting News – Team** – No. 17 in U. S. /3rd in Pac-10; No. 5 backcourt in U. S.; No. 3 recruiting class in Pac-10. **Individual** – Jordan Farmar – No. 4 point guard in U. S. /first-team All-Pac-10; Arron Afflalo – No. 13 shooting guard in the U. S./second-team All-Pac-10; Ryan Wright – No. 5 Pac-10 recruit; Alfred Aboya – No. 8 Pac-10 recruit; Darren Collison – No. 12 Pac-10 recruit.
- Dick Vitale's Top 25 – Team** – No. 20 in the U. S.

UCLA'S NATIONAL-LETTERS-OF-INTENT-

James Keefe, a 6-8, 220-pound forward from Santa Margarita Catholic HS (Rancho Santa Margarita), on Feb. 23 was named a McDonald's All-American. The McDonald's game will be March 29 at San Diego State's Cox Arena. He's the 26th McDonald's All-American to attend UCLA and the third recruited to the Bruins under UCLA head coach Ben Howland (joining 2004 McDonald's All-Americans – Jordan Farmar and Arron Afflalo).

Considered one of the nation's top-rated power forwards entering his senior high school season, Keefe has signed a National Letter of Intent to attend UCLA, Bruin head coach Ben Howland announced Nov. 9. Wednesday is the first day of the early signing period that extends until Nov. 16.

Under head coach Jerry DeBusk, Keefe led the Eagles in March to a second consecutive CIF Southern Section Div. III-AA Championship (28-5 overall), averaging 17.0 points, 12.3 rebounds and 3.7 blocked shots. Santa Margarita Catholic HS advanced to the second round of the CIF Southern California Regionals (Div. III) as Keefe earned State Junior Player of the Year honors and was first-team All-Serra League.

"I'm elated that James is joining our program," said Howland. "He's an outstanding player, a great person and an excellent student. James plays hard, is an outstanding rebounder, a good defender and plays very intelligently. His attitude and work ethic are going to help him improve and get better and better year-in and year-out"

A recent first-team *Long Beach Press-Telegram* Best in the West Selection, Keefe is rated the No. 27 high school player in the nation by Bob Gibbons' All-Star Sports Top 100.

Entering 2005-06, his other preseason prep honors include – *Street & Smith* All-American (second team), *The Sporting News*' No. 36 player in the U. S., Scout.com No. 37 player in the U. S. (No. 11 power forward in the U. S.) and *Athlon Sports* No. 38 player in the U. S.

Last summer, Keefe participated in the Gibbons' Memorial Weekend Tournament, playing for the title-winning Southern California All-Stars. He also played in the adidas All-America Camp in Suwanee, GA and with his high school team in the Reebok Las Vegas Big Time Tournament (an all-tourney choice) in July.

"Keefe puts as much energy and focus into his performance while screening for teammates and playing

defense, as he does when the ball is in his possession," said Frank Burlison, national basketball columnist for Scout.com, long-time sportswriter for the Long Beach Press-Telegram and a member of the USBWA Hall of Fame. "He'll need to make fewer adjustments, especially on defense, than almost any other player in the class to be an immediate contributor in college. Keefe has been extremely well-coached by Jerry DeBusk and should make an immediate impact with the Bruins, perhaps even as a starter at some point during his freshman season."

Marko Spica, a 6-9, 225-pound post player from Belgrade, Serbia and Montenegro, has signed a National Letter of Intent to play basketball at UCLA, Bruin head coach Ben Howland announced Tuesday. Spica will be an incoming freshman for the 2006-07 school year.

From the High School of Sport in Belgrade and considered one of the top young post players in Europe, Spica, since the age of 13, has been a member of the Beovuk Club. Within his club team, Spica for two years has been playing on his country's Junior squad, averaging 11.0 points and 7.0 rebounds. Prior to that, for three seasons on the Youth team, he averaged 17.0 points and 9.0 rebounds.

"Marko is a skilled post player," Howland said. "He can score down low. He can step out and shoot. He rebounds, he blocks out and he plays physical. Marko and James Keefe give us two talented inside players for next season."

JANOUB RUBIN – In what had been a lengthy procedural process, the UCLA Athletic Department and the **Janou (Ja-now) Rubin** family had been dealing with the NCAA, attempting to get Rubin a sixth year of eligibility (he did not compete in 2001-02/Rubin also missed the final 19 games of last season with a left knee injury that required surgery). That sixth year was granted by the NCAA Student-Athlete Reinstatement Staff on Nov. 14. Rubin is eligible to play and is wearing No. 10.

10 Janou Rubin-G-6-3-208-Sr.-Union City, CA (Logan HS)

-**2004-05** – missed the final 19 games with a left knee injury (that required surgery). Before he was hurt, Rubin appeared in five games and averaged 5.8 minutes, 1.0 points and 0.2 rebounds.

-**2003-04** – appeared in a career-high 27 games, with career-high averages of 14.8 minutes, 4.4 points, 1.6 rebounds and 1.3 assists. Earned Pac-10 Player of the Week honors for his efforts in UCLA's conference opening home wins over Oregon State (career-high 13 points, all in the second half, including 3-3 from three-point range, one rebound, and three assists in 18 minutes) and Oregon (a career-high tying 13 points, three rebounds, two assists, one steal and blocked shot in 24 minutes).

-**2002-03** – appeared in 10 games, averaging 5.1 minutes.

-**2001-02** - did not play in a game because of recurring knee problems.

-**2000-01** – walked on and made the squad, appearing in four games, including three Pac-10 contests.

WALKONS - The Bruins will have four walkons, including redshirt freshmen 6-5 guard **DeAndre Robinson** (Riverside, CA/King HS) and 6-1 guard **Joey Ellis** (Hidden

Hills/Crespi HS – had left knee surgery on Oct. 7). Robinson, a two-year first-team All-League performer, as a senior led King HS to a No. 23 State ranking, averaged 15.0 points, 7.0 rebounds and 3.0 assists. Ellis in 2004 was Crespi's captain and team MVP and earned All-Mission League honors. As a senior, Ellis averaged 16.2 points, 5.0 rebounds, 3.7 assists and 2.9 steals.

Along with two true freshmen – 5-10 guard **Kelvin Kim** (El Toro HS/Lake Forest) and 5-10 guard **Nican (Nye-kin) Robinson** (Oakland Tech). Kim was a first-team All-CIF-SS-Div. 1A selection, averaging 14.6 points, 5.2 assists and 3.3 rebounds. Robinson, his team MPV and co-captain as a senior, comes from an athletic family (father Sam played in the NBA, uncle Paul Pressey is an assistant coach with the Boston Celtics and uncles Mike Davis, Sr. and Rod Martin played in the NFL for the Oakland Raiders.

Kim and D. Robinson have appeared in six games and N. Robinson in four contests.

ED O'BANNON, KENNY WASHINGTON INDUCTED INTO THE UCLA ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME – On Friday, Sept. 30, Bruin basketball greats Kenny Washington and Ed O'Bannon were inducted into the UCLA Athletics Hall of Fame (they were also introduced at halftime during UCLA's football game vs. Washington in the Rose Bowl on Oct. 1). **Kenny Washington** was a three-year letterman (1964-66) under Coach John Wooden and played on the Bruins' first two NCAA Championship squads (1964-65). In the 1964 NCAA Championship game vs. Duke, Washington came off the bench and scored 26 points in UCLA's 98-83 victory. In the Bruins' 91-80 victory over Michigan in the 1965 NCAA Final, Washington again came off the bench to scored 17 points. He was a senior starting guard in 1966. **Ed O'Bannon** in 1995 led the Bruins to their 11th NCAA title. In the Championship game vs. defending champion Arkansas, O'Bannon scored 30 points, with 17 rebounds, in UCLA's 89-78 triumph. He was named the Final Four's Most Outstanding Player and also went on to receive the Wooden Award, as the nation's top collegiate performer. In the 1995 NBA Draft, O'Bannon was a first round choice (No. 9 selection) by the New Jersey Nets. On Feb. 1, 1996 in a ceremony in Pauley Pavilion, UCLA retired O'Bannon's No. 31 jersey number.

DON BARKSDALE INDUCTED INTO PAC-10 HALL OF HONOR- **Don Barksdale**, UCLA's first African-American All-American in men's basketball (1947) and the first African-American Helms Foundation All-American, was inducted into the Pac-10 Hall of Honor in ceremonies that took place during the 2006 Pac-10 Tournament, March 8-11, at The Staples Center. Following in the steps of his close friend and mentor Jackie Robinson, Barksdale (Berkeley HS) broke the color barrier in the sport of basketball. He was the first African-American to win a gold medal for the U.S. in men's basketball (1948), one of the first to play in the NBA (1951-55) and the first African-American to play in an NBA All-Star game (1953). Following his playing career, he returned to the Bay Area as a well-known jazz DJ, and became chairman of "Save High School Sports", an organization to raise money to pay for sports

programs in school districts beset by financial difficulty. Barksdale was inducted into the UCLA Athletic Hall of Fame in 1987 and into the Oakland African-American Ethnic Sports Hall of Fame in 2001. Barksdale died in 1993 at the age of 69. Joining Barksdale in the 2005 Class is – Arizona's Damon Stoudamire, Arizona State's Lionel Hollins, California's Andy Wolfe, Oregon's Jim Loscutoff, Oregon State's Ralph Miller, Stanford's Adam Keefe, USC's Dennis "Mo" Layton, Washington's Steve Hawes and Washington State's James Donaldson. Barksdale is the fifth Bruin to be inducted into the Pac-10 Hall of Honor – 2002 John Wooden, 2003 Kareem Abdul-Jabbar (Lew Alcindor), 2004 Walt Hazzard and 2005 Gail Goodrich.

UCLA HEAD COACH BEN HOWLAND

UCLA Head Coach Ben Howland

12-Year Head Coaching Career

2005-06 (UCLA)	27-6 (Pac-10 Champs, NCAA)
2004-05 (UCLA)	18-11 (NCAA Tournament)
2003-04 (UCLA)	11-17 (T-7th place in Pac-10)
at UCLA	56-34 (90 games/.622)
2002-03 (PITT)	28-5 (NCAA Sweet 16)
2001-02 (PITT)	29-6 (NCAA Sweet 16)
2000-01 (PITT)	19-14 (NIT)
1999-00 (PITT)	13-15
at PITT	89-40 (129 games/.690)
1998-99 (NAU)	21-8 (led U.S. in FG%/3PTFG%)
1997-98 (NAU)	21-8 (NCAA Tournament)
1996-97 (NAU)	21-7 (BigSkyReg.Sea.Chmp.)
1995-96 (NAU)	7-19
1994-95 (NAU)	9-17
at NAU	79-59 (138 games/.572)
Totals	224-133 (357 games/.627)

A top candidate for National Coach of the Year acclaim (he is already the Pac-10 and District Coach of the Year), Howland has led three different schools into the NCAA Tournament – Northern Arizona in 1998, Pittsburgh in 2002 and 2003 and UCLA in 2005. Following the 2005 NCAA Tournament, only 28 coaches had been to the Tournament with three different schools. Howland is 4-4 in NCAA play – 0-1 at Northern Arizona, 4-2 at Pittsburgh, reaching the 'Sweet 16' in both 2002 and 2003, and 0-1 at UCLA.

This is Howland's 25th season in college basketball, as an assistant (1981-82 Gonzaga/1982-94 UC Santa Barbara) and head coach. Here's a quick year-by-year review of his previous Div. I collegiate head coaching career.

He has now been named conference Coach of the Year in three different conferences and has led UCLA, Pittsburgh and Northern Arizona to conference championships.

2005-06 (UCLA)- In Howland's third year at UCLA, highlights include a record of 27-6, a Pac-10 regular-season championship, UCLA's first since 1997, a Pac-10 Tournament title, a conference record of 14-4 and a second straight appearance in the NCAA Tournament.

2004-05 (UCLA)- In Howland's second year at UCLA, highlights include an 8-3 finish in the regular season to tie

for third place in the Pac-10, wins over Washington, Notre Dame and Michigan and an at-large berth in the NCAA Tournament.

2003-04 (UCLA)- In Howland's first year at UCLA, highlights included a 9-3 start (5-0 in the Pac-10), wins over NCAA Tournament teams Michigan State, Washington (twice) and Vermont and an appearance in the Pac-10 Tournament.

2002-03 (Pittsburgh) - Led the Panthers to its second consecutive NCAA "Sweet 16", to the school's first ever Big East Tournament title and second consecutive Big East West crown.

2001-02 (Pittsburgh) - Consensus National Coach of the Year, leading the Panthers to a school record 29 victories, NCAA "Sweet 16", Big East West title and Big East Tournament Championship game.

2000-01 (Pittsburgh) - Pitt advanced to the second round of the NIT and to the Big East Tournament Championship game.

1999-00 (Pittsburgh) - first season at Pitt.

1998-99 (Northern Arizona) - first team in NCAA history to lead the NCAA in both FG% (52.3) and 3-PT FG% (44.5).

1997-98 (Northern Arizona) - led NAU to first-ever NCAA Tournament bid and to the Big Sky regular and postseason titles. Led nation in 3-PT FG% (43.0), second in FG% (52.3).

1996-97 (Northern Arizona) - orchestrated the 10th best single-season turnaround in NCAA history. Big Sky regular season champion and led nation in 3-PT FG% (41.9) and second in FG% (51.6).

1995-96 (Northern Arizona) - second year at NAU.

1994-95 (Northern Arizona) - first year at NAU.

HOWLAND PRESS CONFERENCES – held (most Tuesdays/unless noted) in the UCLA Athletic Hall of Fame Press Room at 1:30 p.m.(unless noted)/following Howland, Bruin players will be available in the press room at 2 p.m. (**March 14**).

HOWLAND/PAC-10 WEEKLY HEAD COACHES MEDIA TELECONFERENCE CALL - **Beginning on Tuesday, Dec. 27** (and every Tuesday during the regular season/last call Tuesday, March 7). It begins at 10:30 a.m. through 11:47 a.m. (**Howland is 11:47-11:55 a.m.**). The media telephone number is 913-312-1268(taped replay-402-222-9927).

UCLA STAFF - Joining Howland are assistant coaches, all entering their third season - **Donny Daniels**, who was head coach at CS Fullerton for three seasons (2000-03); **Ernie Zeigler**, who for two years (2002-03) served on Howland's Pittsburgh staff and **Kerry Keating**, in his 16th season in Div. I basketball who has been an assistant coach at four of the six BCS conferences, along with Director of Operations **Chris Carlson**, who two seasons (2002-03) served in the same capacity for Howland at Pittsburgh. Rounding out the staff are Head Strength and Conditioning Coach **E. J. "Doc" Kreis** (third season), trainer **Tony Spino** (second season/fourth stint as basketball trainer/33rd year at UCLA), Video Coordinator **Scott Garson** (second season), Administrative Assistant **Doug Erickson**, entering his 14th season on the Bruin

basketball staff, Administrative Assistant **Leslie Dalziel** (first season), Head Equipment Manager **Mike McBride** (tenth season), Interim Director of Academic Services **Mike Casillas** (eighth season) and Academic Coordinator **Kenny Donaldson** (second season).

BRUIN NOTES

PAULEY PAVILION (12,819) – The 2005-06 is the 41st season UCLA has called Pauley Pavilion home. UCLA's all-time Pauley Pavilion record is 563-87 (650 games, .866). The Bruins are 14-3 (most wins in Pauley since 1998-99, 15-1) this season at home (UCLA's 11-game home winning streak, dating back to 2005, was snapped with the home loss to California) and were 12-3 in Pauley in 2004-05 after being 9-6 in 2003-04 and 5-10 in 2002-03. UCLA's overtime win vs. No. 18 Cal on Feb. 20, 2003 was UCLA's 600th game in Pauley Pavilion. The win over Washington on March 11, 2000 was UCLA's 500th victory on its home court.

On Feb. 19, 1997 in UCLA's 82-60 win over USC, the largest crowd in Pauley Pavilion history watched that game (13,382; previous high was 13,037 vs. Oregon, 3/11/95). Then, four days later (Feb. 23, 1997) in the 73-69 win over Duke, UCLA set a new attendance record 13,478, breaking the old one by 96.

The last time the Bruins were unbeaten at home for a regular season was in 1994-95 (15-0, California did beat UCLA at home that season but later forfeited the game). The Bruins finished 1998-99 at Pauley 15-1 (losing only to Stanford).

On Dec. 20, 2003, the playing floor in Pauley Pavilion was dedicated "Nell and John Wooden Court".

UCLA HISTORY – This is UCLA's 87th season of college basketball and the Bruins have an overall school record of 1,581-708 (2,289 games, .691).

UCLA's 11 NCAA Championships is an NCAA record (Kentucky is second with seven), UCLA has been to 14 Final Fours (Kentucky 13) and the Bruins are second in NCAA Tournament appearances (39, Kentucky is first with 45). In NCAA play, the Bruins are also third in victories (85, behind Kentucky and North Carolina) and winning percentage (.726, second to Duke).

BRUINS IN THE NBA

On 2005-06 fall rosters, the Bruins had eight players – Trevor Ariza (New York Knicks/second season/traded to the Orlando Magic), Matt Barnes (New York Knicks/3rd season/now with Philadelphia 76ers), Baron Davis (Golden State Warriors/7th season), Dan Gadzuric (Milwaukee Bucks/4th season), Jason Kapono (Miami Heat/3rd season), Dijon Thompson (Phoenix Suns/1st season/Albuquerque), Earl Watson (Denver Nuggets/5th season/traded to the Seattle Supersonics) and Ray Young (Golden State Warriors/waived). Darrick Martin (11th season) signed with the Toronto Raptors the week of Nov. 14. In the NBDL, the Bruins had three players – Brian Morrison, who was a senior last season, with Albuquerque; Ray Young, a senior in 2002-03, with Austin and T. J. Cummings, a senior in 2003-04, was also with Albuquerque.

UCLA's seven players in the NBA is second-highest in the Pac-10 (behind Arizona's 10) and in the nation, the Bruins trail only Duke (11), Arizona, Kentucky, North Carolina, Kansas and Connecticut (10) and Maryland (9). Michigan State and Florida also have seven.

Since 1948, UCLA has the most NBA selections of any school (98), followed by North Carolina (92), Kentucky (90) and Duke (70).

2005-06 PAC-10 STATISTICS

UCLA'S NCAA STATS (Mar. 7)

TEAM – Scoring Defense – 22nd, 59.8; **Scoring Margin** – 38th, 8.3; **FG %** – 28th, 47.7 ; **Rebound Margin** – 27th, 5.0; **INDIVIDUAL – Assists** – Jordan Farmar, 27th, 5.5; **FT% in a Single Game** – Arron Afflalo, 12-12 (1.000), UCLA vs. ASU.

UCLA'S PAC-10 STATS (Mar. 12)

TEAM— Scoring Offense-5th, 68.6; **Scoring Defense**-2nd, 59.1; **Scoring Margin**-2nd, +9.5; **FT %**-6th, .703; **FG %**-1st, .481; **FG % Def.**-2nd, .421; **3-Pt. FG %**-4th, .357; **3-Pt. FGs Made** – 4th, 6.27; **3-Pt. FG % Def.** 6th, .351; **Reb. Off.**-7th, 32.9; **Reb. Def.**- 1st, 28.0; **Reb. Margin**-2nd, +5.0; **Blkd Shots**-9th, 2.76; **Assts**-5th, 14.06; **Stls**-6th, 5.64; **TO Margin**-7th, -0.30; **Asst/TO Ratio**-6th, 0.96; **Off. Reb.**- 6th, 10.85; **Def. Reb.**-7th, 22.09.

UCLA/PAC-10 TEAM HIGH LEADERS – FG%- 1st, .673 (37-55) vs. Sacramento State(12/23); **Assists** – 2nd, 28, vs. Sacramento State(12/23).

UCLA INDIVIDUAL PAC-10 LEADERS (Top 10) — Scoring – Arron Afflalo, 6th, 16.6, Jordan Farmar, 12th, 13.6; **Rebounding** – Luc Richard Mbah a Moute, 3rd, 8.1; **FG%** – Luc Richard Mbah a Moute, 1st, .539; **Assists** – Jordan Farmar, 1st, 5.29; **FT%** – Arron Afflalo, 8th, .807; **Steals** – ; **3pt. FG%** – Michael Roll, 4th, .407 ; **3pt. FGs** – Arron Afflalo, 4th, 2.18; **Blocked Shots** – ; **Assist/TO Ratio** – Jordan Farmar, 6th, 1.43; **Off. Rebs.** – Luc Richard Mbah a Moute, 2nd, 3.00; **Def. Rebs.** – Luc Richard Mbah a Moute, 4th, 5.12; **Min. Played** – Arron Afflalo, 5th, 33.94.

UCLA/PAC-10 INDIVIDUAL HIGH LEADERS- 3-Pt. FGs – Arron Afflalo, 2ndT, 6 vs. Michigan(12/17); **FTs** – Arron Afflalo, 1stT, 13 vs. Arizona (2/4); **FT%** – Arron Afflalo, 1stT, 1.000 (12-12) vs. Arizona State(1/7); **Assists** – Jordan Farmar, 1stT, 12 vs. Washington(1/14).

SPECIAL TEAM STATS (33 Games)

HALFTIME – UCLA is 21-1 when it leads at halftime and 6-5 when it trails. UCLA Halftime High/Low (50 ARIZ/20 CAL), OPP Halftime High/Low (51 MEM/12 WSU). UCLA 2nd Half High/Low (52 OSU/21 Temple), OPP 2nd Half High/Low (44 WSU, Ariz/18 WSU).

REBOUNDING – UCLA is 22-3 when it outrebounds its opponent, 4-3 when outrebounded and 1-0 when the rebounds are tied. UCLA High/Low (43 SAC ST./25 CAL), OPP High/Low (40 MEM/12 CSU).

FG % – UCLA is 23-2 when it outshoots its opponent from the field and 4-4 when outshot. UCLA High/Low (.673

SAC ST./358 WVU), OPP High/Low (.580 ARIZ/.275 WSU).

3 PT FG % – UCLA is 17-2 when it outshoots its opponent from three-point range and 10-4 when outshot. UCLA High/Low (.625 OSU/.067 ASU), OPP High/Low (.625 WAG/.000 WSU).

FT% – UCLA is 12-2 when it outshoots its opponent from the foul line and 15-4 when it is outshot. UCLA High/Low (.889 Oregon/.438 WSU),OPP High/Low (1.000 (1-1) OSU/.000 (0-0) DS).

TOs- UCLA is 11-2 when it had less TOs, 13-4 when it has more TOs than its opponent and 3-0 when the total is tied. UCLA High/Low (22 Ariz/7 CAL), OPP High/Low (19 ARIZ, MEM, NMS/5 Temple).

5 MIN. MARK – UCLA is 25-1 when leading at the 5-minute mark in regulation, 2-5 when behind and 0-0 when tied.

MEDIA SERVICES

XTRA SPORTS 570 - The 2005-06 basketball season is UCLA's ninth with XTRA Sports 570 and 1150 and owner ClearChannel.

Chris Roberts(talk@chrisrobertsonline.net), a four-time Golden Mike Award winner, is in his 14th season as the voice of Bruin basketball and football and in his 25th year broadcasting Div. I sports in Los Angeles. Roberts, who is a Wooden Award and Heisman Trophy voter, recently authored a book about Bruin football titled "Stadium Stories" (www.stadiumstories.com). He has twice been nominated for the Southern California Broadcasters Assn. "Play-by-Play Broadcaster of the Year" award. Roberts was nationally recognized on Oct. 27, 2003 by ESPN's Dick Vitale, when Vitale placed Roberts on his "All-Radio Voices Team". Vitale called it his "All-Cawood Ledford Team", in honor of the legendary Kentucky broadcaster. Roberts joined 15 other well-known college play-by-play voices on Vitale's "Sweet 16" broadcast team.

Don MacLean, the leading scorer (2,608, 1989-92) in UCLA and Pac-10 history, is in his fourth season as the Bruins' radio analyst. MacLean, who had a nine-year NBA career (1993-2001), will also be in his first season doing television analyst work for FSN. He'll be a 2006 inductee into the Ventura County Sports Hall of Fame.

ON THE INTERNET - UCLA games were also available via the internet at (www.uclabruins.com). Fans could also listen to the broadcasts on the telephone by dialing 1-800-846-4700 (ext. 5929).

UCLA releases and results for all sports are on the internet (www.uclabruins.com).

PAC-10 - Updated notes released each Monday beginning Nov. 14 and continuing through the season. Pac-10 information is available on the Pac-10 home page. Point your web browser to <http://www.pac-10.org>.

UCLA PLAYER UPDATES/ALPHABETICAL

12 ALFRED ABOYA (A-boy-a)
6-8, 233, Fr., F/C, Yaounde, Cameroon (Tilton, NH Prep Academy)

2005-06 PRESEASON HONORS – *Sporting News* No. 8 Pac-10 recruit; *Smith & Smith's* Top 100 college freshman

2005-06 SEASON AVERAGES – On Feb. 16 suffered a left hip flexor strain in practice, but was able to play at USC, with four points (2-2, 0-1), five rebounds and one assist in 16 minutes. Reinjured (left hip flexor strain) on Feb. 21 in practice, as questionable for the Oregon schools in Pauley, but played 13 minutes vs. OSU and 19 minutes vs. UO.

Because of an arthroscopic procedure on his left knee on Oct. 12 (he also had the same procedure on his right knee on July 11), Aboya missed the first six games. His first contest was Coppin State (16 minutes, two rebounds, two assists). In his 27 games (two starts) he is averaging 14.6 minutes, 4.0 points and 2.6 rebounds and shooting .652 (43-66, No. 1 on the team) from the field. He has made 38 of his last 56 field goal attempts (.679), stretching back to the final two shots vs. Sacramento State. In Pac-10 play, he averaged 4.2 points and 2.9 rebounds and shot a team-best 31 of 46 (.674) from the floor.

ABOYA'S SEASON/CAREER HIGHS – 31 minutes vs. Washington (2/11); 15 points vs. Washington (2/11); 8 rebounds vs. Washington (2/11); 2 assists vs. Coppin State (12/4); 3 steals vs. Arizona (2/4); 1 blocked shot vs. Stanford (3/4), Oregon (2/26), ASU (2/2), SAC. ST. (12/23).

2005-06 HIGHLIGHTS – In his first game of the season vs. **Coppin State**, Aboya played 16 minutes, with two rebounds and assists. He played five minutes against **Nevada** with one rebound. At **Michigan**, he had two points and one rebound in seven minutes. Vs. **Wagner**, he grabbed one rebound in two minutes. Had one of his best outings vs. **Sacramento State** in 14 minutes off the bench, had a then season-best 12 points (6-7 from the field), two rebounds and one blocked shot. He played 11 minutes vs. **Stanford**. In 20 minutes against **California**, he played 20 minutes, with eight points (4-4 from the field) and three rebounds. At **Arizona**, he had five points (2-2, 1-3) in seven minutes. At **Arizona State**, he had two points, two rebounds, one assist and one steal in 15 minutes. In nine minutes vs. **Washington State**, he had two points, two rebounds and two steals. Against **Washington**, he suffered a right knee injury in the first half and did not return. In seven minutes, he had two points and two rebounds. An MRI revealed no new articular cartilage damage. He started (first season start) vs. **USC** and had four points and three rebounds in 18 minutes. He started against **West Virginia** and had four points, two rebounds and one steal in 10 minutes. In 16 minutes off the bench at **Oregon**, he had two points and two rebounds. He contributed two points, one rebound and one steal in 10 minutes at **Oregon State**. In 12 minutes against **Arizona State**, he had one rebound, one assist, one steal and one block. In a then career-high 22

minutes vs. **Arizona**, he had six points, a then career-high five rebounds, a career-high and team high three steals and one assist. At **Washington State**, he had four points and three rebounds in 15 minutes. In a career-high 31 minutes at **Washington**, he contributed 15 points (6-6, 3-6) and eight rebounds (six offensive) – both career highs – and one steal. On Feb. 16 suffered a left hip flexor strain in practice, but was able to play at **USC**, four points (2-2, 0-1), five rebounds and one assist in 16 minutes. He aggravated that injury in practice on Feb. 21, but against **Oregon State**, he contributed five points, five rebounds, one assist and one steal in 13 minutes. In 19 minutes vs. **Oregon**, he had six points (3-5, 0-0), four rebounds, one steal and a season-high tying one block. At **California**, he had eight points, two rebounds and one steal in 29 minutes. In 18 minutes at **Stanford**, he had one point, four rebounds and one block. In 17 minutes vs. **Oregon State** (Pac-10 Tourney), he had five points, four rebounds and two assists. In the Pac-10 Tourney win over **Arizona**, he had seven points, three rebounds and one steal in 22 minutes. In the Tournament championship game against **California**, he had two points and one board in 12 minutes (foul trouble).

4 ARRON AFFLALO (A-fla-low)
6-5, 210, So., F, Compton, CA (Centennial)

2005-06 PRESEASON HONORS – *Sporting News* No. 13 shooting guard in U.S., second-team All-Pac-10; *Athlon* third-team All-Pac-10

2005-06 SEASON AVERAGES – On March 7, was named first-team USBWA All-Dist. IX and a *CollegeInsider.com* Defensive All-American, and on March 6, was named first-team All-Pac-10 and the Pac-10 Player of the Week (for his play in the Bruins' sweep of the Bay Area schools). One of the top sophomore guards in the nation, on Feb. 18 he was named first-team NABC All-Dist. 15. He is an early-season Scout.com All-American and was named to the NIT Season Tip-Off All-Tournament team. In addition, he and Jordan Farmar were named the nation's No. 3 backcourt by SI.com on Jan. 25. Not only does he excel on offense, he usually is assigned to guard the opposition's top scoring threat.

He was also named to the Pac-10 All-Tournament team on March 11.

In 33 games (32 starts, all but Senior Day), Afflalo is averaging 33.9 minutes (No. 1 on the team/No. 5 in Pac-10), 16.6 points (No. 1/No. 6 in the Pac-10), 4.3 rebounds (No. 3) and 2.0 assists, while shooting .483 (182-377) from the floor, .373 (72-193, No. 3) from three-point range and a team-best .807 (No. 8 in the Pac-10, 113-140) from the line. He has led the team in scoring 16 times and has 11 games of 20 or more points (25, California; 20, Oregon State; career-high 27 points vs. Arizona; at ASU, 21; at Arizona, 22; 23, Stanford; 22, Sacramento State; 20, at Michigan; 20, Coppin State; 22, Albany; 23, New Mexico State). He has scored in double figures in 30 of 33 games this season.

In his last seven games, he is averaging 16.0 points (112), shooting .543 (38 of 70) from the field, .529 (18 of

34) from three-point range and .857 (18 of 21) from the line.

His 549 points are the most by a Bruin since 2001, when Jason Kaponi had 551. Prior to that, the next highest total is 626 by J.R. Henderson in 1998.

His 72 three-point field goals rank No. 6 on UCLA's single-season list. Only Jason Kaponi (three times – 87, 84, 82) and Tracy Murray (twice – 78, 73) have made more three-pointers in a season. His 193 three-point field goal attempts are a new school record.

In Pac-10 play, he averaged 17.1 points (No. 6 in the league) and 4.6 rebounds (No. 20).

In addition, he continues to excel on defense. In Pac-10 play, he has shut down WSU's Josh Akognon, Arizona State's Kevin Kruger, Oregon's Malik Hairston, Oregon State's Chris Stephens, California's Ayinde Ubaka and Stanford's Chris Hernandez.

AFFLALO'S 2005-06 SEASON HIGHS – 43 minutes vs. California (3/2); 27 points vs. Arizona (2/4); 10 rebounds vs. OSU (1/28); 7 assists vs. California (3/11); 2 steals vs. ASU (2/2), Albany (11/29), NMS (11/15); 2 blocked shots vs. Nevada (12/10).

AFFLALO'S 2005-06 PAC-10 RANKINGS (Mar. 12) – **Scoring** – 6th, 16.6; **FT%** – 8th, .807; **3pt. FGs** – 4th, 2.18; **Minutes** – 5th, 33.94.

AFFLALO'S CAREER HIGHS – 43 minutes vs. California (3/2/06); 27 points vs. Arizona (2/4/06); 10 rebounds vs. OSU (1/28/06); 7 assists vs. California (3/11/06); 3 steals vs. ND (2/27/05); 2 blocked shot vs. Nevada (12/10/05).

UCLA CAREER CHARTS – **3pt. Chart** - His career three-point percentage is .378 is 12th (111 (No. 9 in school history)-294 (T-No. 9)).

2005-06 HIGHLIGHTS – In the opener against **New Mexico State**, he had a then-career-high 23 points (8-14, 2-4, 5-5), six rebounds, three assists and two steals in 36 minutes. Led Bruins with 18 points (5-13, 4-11, 4-4) against **Temple** and added five rebounds and two steals. Contributed 12 points (3-8, 2-6, 4-4), three rebounds and three assists vs. **Delaware State**. Against **Memphis**, he had 14 points (5-10, 3-4, 1-2), six rebounds and one assist in 35 minutes. Against **Drexel**, he made two of three free throws to tie the game at 56 and led the team with 18 points (5-11, 4-8, 4-5), in 37 minutes. Was named to the NIT Season Tip-Off All-Tournament team. Vs. **Albany** in 35 minutes, led the Bruins with 22 points (8-14, 3-7, 3-6), seven rebounds, one assist and two steals. In 32 minutes vs. **Coppin State**, led UCLA with 20 points (7-12, 3-6, 3-3), one rebound and assist. Against **Nevada**, he played 37 minutes and had 18 points (6-13, 0-5, 6-8), eight rebounds, three assists, two blocks and one steal. In 37 minutes at **Michigan**, he contributed 20 points (7-14, 6-9, 0-0), two assists and one steal. He made a career-best six three-point field goals and kept UCLA in the game in the first half, scoring 17 of the team's 32 points. In 36 minutes against **Wagner**, he had a team-high 13 points (6-9, 1-4, 0-0) and four rebounds. In 31 minutes vs. **Sacramento State**, Afflalo had a game-high 22 points (career-high 9-11, 2-3, 2-2), seven rebounds and a season-high four assists. In 28

minutes vs. **Stanford**, he had a game-high 23 points (7-11, 3-5, 6-8), four rebounds, two assists and one steal. In a career-high tying 39 minutes vs. **California**, he led the Bruins with 19 points (5-10, 2-5, 7-8) and added a team high-tying five rebounds and one assist. In 32 minutes at **Arizona**, he led the Bruins with 22 points, making nine of 12 shots from the field (connected on two layups late in the game to preserve UCLA's lead/three of six from three-point range) and one of two free throws. He added three rebounds and two assists. At **Arizona State**, he led the Bruins in scoring for the sixth straight game, finishing with 21 points, including a career-best 12 of 12 from the free throw line. He also grabbed seven rebounds. He scored 15 points in the second half, including seven straight points (and nine of 11) during a Bruin run. Afflalo missed the final 1:58 with a bruised left hip after being fouled hard on a basket. In 38 minutes vs. **Washington State**, he had a team-high 18 points (seventh consecutive game leading the Bruins in scoring) and added seven rebounds, a season-high tying four assists and one block. In 32 minutes against **Washington**, he had 16 points, three rebounds and two assists. In the win over **USC**, he had 11 points, five rebounds and three assists in 32 minutes and was highlighted for his defense against the Trojan guards. In 38 minutes vs. **West Virginia**, he finished with four points (his first single-digit game of the year), three rebounds and one assist. In 31 minutes at **Oregon**, he had 12 points and five rebounds. In 32 minutes at **Oregon State**, he had his first career double-double with 11 points and a career-high and game-high 10 rebounds. He also had one assist and one steal. Against **Arizona State**, he had 17 points (15 in the second half), six rebounds, two assists and a season-high tying two steals in 33 minutes. Seven of the points came in a two-minute stretch to give the Bruins a 10-point lead with 2:40 remaining. Against **Arizona**, he scored a career-high 27 points (5-12, 4-10, 13-16) and added a season-high tying four assists, two rebounds and one steal in 35 minutes. At **Washington State**, he had 12 points, four rebounds, three assists and one steal in 32 minutes while holding Josh Akognon to four points. At **Washington**, he had five points, only his second single-digit total of the year, four rebounds, one assist and one steal in 31 minutes. In 35 minutes at **USC**, he had 19 points (7-14, 2-5, 3-6), four rebounds and one assist. Against **Oregon State**, he had 20 points (6-11, 4-7, 4-4), two rebounds, two assists, one steal and one block in 32 minutes. It was the 10th time this year he scored at least 20 points. He had 13 points in the second half, making four of five shots from the field (three of four from three-point range). In 30 minutes off the bench (Senior Day) vs. **Oregon**, he had 14 points (5-8, 1-3, 3-3) to tie for the team lead and added three rebounds and two assists. Twelve of his points came in the final 11:14 of the game, including all seven Bruin points in a 2:27 stretch late in the game. In the overtime win at **California**, he played a career-high 43 minutes and finished with a game-high 25 points (8-16, 5-9, 4-6), a team-high seven rebounds and one steal. He scored 21 (7-11, 5-8, 2-3) of his points after halftime, including a three-pointer with 2:26 left in overtime to give UCLA the lead for good. In the win at **Stanford**, he led the Bruins with 16 points (5-7, 3-5, 3-3) and added three assists, one rebound and one steal in 35 minutes. **He was named the Pac-10 Player of the Week for his efforts in the Bay Area.** In the Pac-10 Tourney win

over **Oregon State**, he had 16 points, two rebounds, two assists and one steal in 23 minutes. In the win over **Arizona**, he had 12 points, three rebounds, one assist and one steal in 32 minutes. In the Pac-10 Tourney title win over **California**, he had nine points, three rebounds, a career-high seven assists, one steal and one block in 35 minutes. **He was named to the All-Tournament team.**

21 CEDRIC BOZEMAN

6-6, 207, Sr., G/F, Los Angeles, CA (Mater Dei HS)

2005-06 SEASON AVERAGES – In 25 games (24 starts), he has played four positions (except center) and is the glue to this team (**the Bruins are 22-3 with Bozeman in the lineup, 21-3 as a starter**). He is averaging 27.7 minutes (No. 4 on the team), 8.0 points (No. 4), 3.0 rebounds (No. 5), 2.2 assists (No. 3) and 0.8 steals, while shooting .518 (73-141) from the floor, a team-leading .429 (21-49) from three-point range and .773 (34-44) from the line. He was sidelined with a left shoulder injury suffered in practice on Dec. 27 and missed eight games before coming off the bench at Oregon on Jan. 26. Bozeman started the Bruins' first 11 games before his injury and has now come back to play in the last 14 games, starting the last 13. He injured his left ankle on the first day of the Pac-10 Tournament but did not miss any games.

He enters the NCAA Tournament with a string of 14 straight made free throws, stretching back to his last attempt vs. USC. In the Pac-10 Tournament, he averaged 9.3 points, 2.3 assists and 1.7 steals while shooting .526 (10-19) from the floor, .500 (3-6) from three-point range and 1.000 (5-5) from the line.

BOZEMAN'S 2005-06 SEASON HIGHS – 35 minutes vs. Wagner (12/21); 16 points vs. Albany (11/29); 9 rebounds vs. Temple (11/17); 5 assists vs. SAC. ST. (12/23), Michigan (12/17); 3 steals vs. Michigan (12/17); 0 blocked shot vs.

BOZEMAN'S CAREER HIGHS - 40 minutes vs. Kentucky (12/6/03), Oregon (1/30/03) and USD (11/26/02); 17 points vs. UC Riverside (12/3/03), Oregon (1/30/03); 10 rebounds vs. Loyola (12/13/03); 10 assists vs. USC (1/28/04), California (1/24/04); 3 steals vs. Michigan (12/17/05); 1 blocked shot, five times, last vs. Michigan (12/27/03).

2005-06 HIGHLIGHTS – In his first regular-season game since March of 2004, he had 13 points (6-9, 0-1, 1-2), four rebounds and four assists in 31 minutes against **New Mexico State**. He contributed 11 points (3-8, 1-3, 4-4) and a season-best nine rebounds against **Temple**. He led the team with 15 points (6-9, 3-3, 0-1) and added three rebounds and two steals vs. **Delaware State**. In 32 minutes against **Memphis**, he had 11 points (3-0, 0-1, 5-7), five rebounds and one steal. Vs. **Drexel**, he contributed 10 points (5-6, 0-0), two rebounds, two assists and one steal in 30 minutes. In 34 minutes vs. **Albany**, Bozeman contributed a season-best 16 points (5-10, 4-6, 2-2), with four rebounds and three assists. In 33 minutes vs. **Coppin State**, had 15 points (6-8, 1-3, 2-2), six rebounds, two

assists and one steal. In 32 minutes vs. **Nevada**, he had two points, two rebounds, one assist and one steal. In 31 minutes at **Michigan**, he contributed six points, a season-best five assists and three steals, with three rebounds. Against **Wagner**, he had 11 points (4-8, 0-2, 3-4), four rebounds and one assist in 35 minutes. In 17 minutes vs. **Sacramento State**, Bozeman had three points, two rebounds and a season-high tying five assists. On Dec. 27, Bozeman suffered a left shoulder injury (torn cartilage) and missed the next eight contests. He returned to action at **Oregon**, playing 18 minutes off the bench. He finished with three points, hitting a key three-pointer, two rebounds and one assist. He started at **Oregon State** and contributed four points, three rebounds and one assist in 25 minutes. In 27 minutes vs. **Arizona State**, he had 10 points (4-5, 1-2, 1-3), four assists and two steals. His three-pointer with 48 seconds remaining gave UCLA a nine-point lead (65-56). In the win over **Arizona**, he had three points, three rebounds, four assists and three steals in 29 minutes. In 26 minutes at **Washington State**, he had four points, four rebounds and three assists. At **Washington**, he had eight points, two assists and one rebound in 31 minutes. In 28 minutes at **USC**, he had three points, three rebounds and three assists. Against **Oregon State**, he contributed five points and four rebounds in 24 minutes. On Senior Day against **Oregon**, he had eight points (1-1, career-high 6-6), three rebounds and three assists in 25 minutes. At **California**, he had seven points, two rebounds, one assist and one steal in 28 minutes. His two free throws with 3:19 remaining in overtime tied the game for the last time at 58-all. In 21 minutes at **Stanford**, he had five points, one rebound and one assist. In the Pac-10 Tourney win over **Oregon State**, he played just 10 minutes before spraining his left ankle and had six points, and one assist. Despite the injury, he started the next night against **Arizona** and played 27 minutes, contributing nine points, four rebounds, a season-high tying three steals and two assists. In the title game against **California**, he had 13 points (4-6, 1-2, 4-4), his highest total since Dec. 4 (15 vs. Coppin State) and added a season-high tying five assists and one steal in 30 minutes.

2 DARREN COLLISON

6-0, 155, Fr., G, Rancho Cucamonga, CA (Etiwanda)

2005-06 PRESEASON HONORS –*Sporting News* No. 12 Pac-10 recruit.

2005-06 SEASON AVERAGES – On March 6, was named **Pac-10 Honorable Mention All-Freshman team**. In 33 games (two starts/Albany-Delaware State), he is averaging 19.2 minutes, 5.7 points, 1.8 rebounds and 2.2 assists (No. 2 on the team), while shooting .400 (68-167) from the floor, .340 (18-53, No. 5) from three-point range and .805 (33-41, No. 2 on the team) from the line. He has made 25 of his last 30 free throws (.828), beginning with his final attempt at Michigan. Sprained his left ankle vs. West Virginia (X-rays were negative).

During the seven game winning streak, he has made all nine of his free throw attempts.

COLLISON'S SEASON/CAREER HIGHS – 35 minutes vs. DS (11/19); 15 points vs. Arizona (3/10); 5 rebounds vs. WVU (1/21), DS (11/19); 8 assists vs. Stanford (12/29); 3 steals vs. Washington (1/14), Michigan (12/17), Nevada (12/10); 1 blocked shot vs. DS (11/19), Temple (11/17).

2005-06 HIGHLIGHTS – In his first game, he had four points and two assists against **New Mexico State**. He scored three points vs. **Temple**. Against **Delaware State**, his first start, he had six points, a season-high five rebounds and four assists and one steal in 35 minutes. In 17 minutes against **Memphis**, he had two points, three assists, one rebound and one steal. Against **Drexel**, Collison had two rebounds and one assist in 12 minutes. In his second start vs. **Albany** in 28 minutes, had 10 points (4-8, 2-4, 0-0), two rebounds, three assists and two steals. In 17 minutes vs. **Coppin State**, contributed six points and two assists. Against **Nevada**, he had 10 points, four assists and three steals, with one rebound in 17 minutes. He again provided a spark off the bench at **Michigan** and finished with seven points, five assists and three steals, with one rebound in 17 minutes. In 19 minutes vs. **Wagner**, he scored a career-high 12 points (5-9, 0-1, 2-2/including six points in the Bruins' come-from-behind rally late in the second half) and added five assists and three rebounds. In 21 minutes vs. **Sacramento State**, Collison had five assists and three rebounds. In 31 minutes against **Stanford**, he had four points, a career-high eight assists, one rebound and one steal. In 18 minutes vs. **California**, he had eight points. At **Arizona**, he had nine points (3-6, 3-4), three assists and a team-high two steals in 30 minutes. At **Arizona State**, he contributed five points, three rebounds, one assist and one steal and no turnovers in 18 minutes. In 16 minutes vs. **Washington State**, he had seven points, including a key layup in the final seconds and UCLA's final rebound of the Cougars last missed shot, four rebounds and two assists. Against **Washington**, he had four points, three rebounds, three assists and steals (season-high tying) in 20 minutes. In 25 minutes against **USC**, he had seven points, five assists, one rebound and one steal. In 27 minutes against **West Virginia**, he contributed 11 points (4-8, 2-3, 1-2), including seven late in the second half when the Bruins were rallying, and a career high-tying five rebounds (suffered a sprained left ankle in the game, but came back to finish the contest). He had two points, three rebounds, one assist and one steal in 17 minutes at **Oregon**. Vs. **Oregon State**, he had two points, two rebounds and two assists in 13 minutes. In 13 minutes against **Arizona State**, he had two rebounds and one steal. In 17 minutes vs. **Arizona**, he had five points, two assists and one rebound. In 17 minutes at **Washington State**, he had two points and one steal. In 13 minutes at **Washington**, he had six points, three rebounds, three assists and one steal. In 18 minutes at **USC**, he had seven points, one rebound and one steal. In 15 minutes vs. **Oregon State**, Collison, according to coach Howland, had his best game of the year with nine points, three assists, two rebounds and one steal. In 13 minutes vs. **Oregon**, he had two points and two assists. In the win at **California**, he had 11 points (3-5, 1-2, 4-4), two assists, one rebound and one steal in 18 minutes. He also played outstanding on-ball defense. In 19 minutes at **Stanford**, he had six points, two rebounds and one assist. In the Pac-10 Tourney win over **Oregon State**, he had five points, four rebounds, three

assists and one steal in 23 minutes. In the win over **Arizona**, he had a career-high 15 points (6-10, 2-3, 1-1), one assist and one steal in 23 minutes. In the title win against **California**, he contributed three assists and one rebound in 17 minutes.

1 JORDAN FARMAR (Far-mar)
6-2, 180, So., G, Los Angeles, CA (Taft)

2005-06 PRESEASON HONORS – Wooden Award/Naismith Trophy candidate; *Athlon* Honorable mention All-America, No. 8 Top Floor Leader, first-team All-Pac-10; *Blue Ribbon* All-conference; *Collegehoops.net* first-team All-Pac-10; *Lindy's* No. 11 point guard in U.S., second-team All-Pac-10; *Sporting News* No. 4 point guard in U.S., second-team All-Pac-10.

2005-06 SEASON AVERAGES – One of the top point guards in the country, Farmar has made the clutch plays for the Bruins throughout the season and is a prime candidate for All-America acclaim.

On March 10 was named a *CollegeInsider.com* All-American, on March 7 was named a first-team USBWA All-Dist. IX selection, on March 6 was named a first-team All-Pac-10 performer and is on the 22-man finalist list for the Wooden Award. On March 1 was named the *CollegeInsider.com* Pac-10 Most Valuable Player. On Feb. 18, Farmar was named first-team NABC All-Dist. 15. On Feb. 13, it was announced he's on the Mid-Season Naismith Trophy list (30 candidates). On Feb. 2, it was announced that Farmar is one of 20 finalists for the Bob Cousy Award for the nation's top point guard. On Jan. 28, it was announced that he is on the Mid-Season Wooden Award list (30 candidates). He is the one of just four players in the nation, and the only underclassman, to be on all three lists (joining senior guards – Illinois' Dee Brown, Pittsburgh's Carl Krauser and Syracuse's Gerry McNamara). In addition, he and Arron Afflalo were named the No. 3 backcourt in the nation by SI.com on Jan. 25.

In 31 games and starts (he missed the Delaware State and Albany games with a sprained right ankle), he is averaging 30.1 minutes (No. 2 on the team) 13.6 points (No. 2/No. 12 in Pac-10), 5.3 assists (No. 1 on the team and No. 1 in the Pac-10), 2.7 rebounds and 1.1 steals, while shooting .418 (145-347) from the floor, .340 (51-150, No. 4) from three-point range and .726 (82-113) from the free throw line.

His 51 three-point field goals rank 13th on the single-season list while his 150 attempts rank 11th..

Farmar has scored in double figures 22 times, including team-highs of 28 points vs. Memphis; 24 points vs. Nevada; 22 vs. West Virginia; 21 points at Michigan, at USC and vs. Oregon State; and 20 points at Washington State. He has led the team in scoring nine times.

Farmar has led the team in assists in 19 of the last 21 games and in 26 of his 31 starts (including ties) and in steals on 14 occasions. He has had at least six assists in 13 of his 31 games.

In his last 13 games, he has made 27 of 34 (.794) free throws.

FARMAR'S 2005-06 SEASON HIGHS – 39 minutes vs. Memphis (11/23); 28 points vs. Memphis (11/23); 5 rebounds vs. Oregon (2/26), USC (1/18), Stanford (12/29), Michigan (12/17), Memphis (11/23), Temple (11/17); 12 assists vs. Washington (1/14); 3 steals vs. Oregon (1/26), NMS (11/15); 2 blocked shots vs. USC (2/19), SAC. ST. (12/23).

FARMAR'S 2005-06 PAC-10 RANKINGS (Mar. 12) – **Scoring** – 12th, 13.6; **Assists** – 1st, 5.29; **Asst/TO Ratio** – 6th, 1.43.

FARMAR'S CAREER HIGHS – 46 minutes vs. WSU (1/6/05); 28 points vs. Memphis (11/23/05); 7 rebounds vs. Oregon State (3/3/05), Cal (2/17/05); 12 assists vs. Washington (1/14/06); 4 steals vs. ASU (2/10/05), WSU (1/6/05); 2 blocked shots vs. USC (2/19/06), SAC. ST. (12/23/05).

UCLA CAREER CHARTS – 3pt. Chart - His career three-point percentage is .337 (85 (No. 13 in school history)-252 (No. 12).

2005-06 HIGHLIGHTS – In 37 minutes vs. **New Mexico State**, he had 18 points (7-14, 0-4, 4-4), eight assists, season-high three steals and two rebounds. Against **Temple**, he contributed four points, season-best five rebounds and five assists in 25 minutes and sprained his right ankle late in the contest. He did not play vs. **Delaware St.** (right ankle sprain). Against **Memphis**, he scored a career-high 28 points (9-20, 4-9, 6-8), including 23 in the second half (at one point in the second half, he scored 13 consecutive points). He also had seven assists, a season-high tying five rebounds and two steals in 39 minutes. Against **Drexel**, Farmer made one of two free throws with 0.8 seconds remaining to give UCLA the 57-56 win. He finished with six points, eight assists and two rebounds. Did not play vs. **Albany** (right ankle sprain). In 35 minutes vs. **Coppin State**, he had his first career double/double (16 points/10 assists), with three rebounds and one steal. In 33 minutes vs. **Nevada**, he scored a game-high tying 24 points (10-13, 3-3, 1-4) and added two rebounds, two steals and one assist. In the second-half with UCLA leading by one with 8:42 remaining, he scored 11 of UCLA's next 17 points as the Bruins built a 63-49 lead with 3:15 remaining. In the win at **Michigan**, he had a game-high 21 points (7-15, 3-5, 4-7), season-high tying five rebounds, two assists and two steals in 35 minutes. He had 15 of his points (5-9, 3-4, 2-4) in the final 20 minutes. In 32 minutes vs. **Wagner**, he had 12 points, nine assists, including one to Luc Richard Mbah a Moute for the winning basket with 14 seconds remaining, three rebounds and one steal. In 29 minutes vs. **Sacramento State**, Farmer had 15 points, two rebounds, nine assists and a career-best two blocked shots. Against **Stanford**, he played just 14 minutes (four in the second half) because he aggravated his right ankle sprain and finished with five points, five rebounds and four assists. In 36 minutes vs. **California**, he had six points, four rebounds, three assists and two steals. In 24 minutes at **Arizona** (he aggravated his right ankle sprain), he contributed 11 points (he connected on four consecutive free throws late in the game to preserve the Bruin win), four assists, one rebound and one steal. At **Arizona State**, his clutch play won the game for the Bruins. His basket with 35 seconds remaining gave UCLA a 59-57 lead. After ASU took a 60-59 lead with 14 seconds remaining, Farmer,

with no timeouts available, brought the ball down, drove the lane and hit a short shot with just under four seconds left for the win. On the day, he had nine points (two of this three baskets came in the last 35 seconds), three assists, one rebound and one steal in 29 minutes. In 28 minutes vs. **Washington State**, he had 12 points, seven assists, two rebounds and one steal. Against **Washington**, he had three points, a career-high 12 assists and one rebound in 30 minutes. In 27 minutes vs. **USC**, he had a team-high 15 points, six assists, a season-high tying five rebounds and two steals, including two three-pointers which were UCLA's first two baskets. In 36 minutes against **West Virginia**, he had a team-high 22 points (7-15, 3-8, 5-6), three rebounds, three assists and one steal. In 32 minutes at **Oregon**, he had 14 points, four rebounds, four assists and a season-high tying three steals. With the score tied at 45 and just over four minutes remaining, he made steals on back-to-back possessions that led to a layup for himself and two free throws by Luc Richard Mbah a Moute and the Ducks never got closer than three points. In 31 minutes at **Oregon State**, he had 13 points, eight assists and three rebounds and again made the clutch plays when Oregon State cut a 15-point lead to seven. In 31 minutes vs. **Arizona State**, he had a game-high 18 points (7-12, 3-6, 1-1/15 in the first half), four assists, two rebounds and two steals. In the win over **Arizona**, he had 13 points, four assists, two steals and one rebound in 31 minutes. Sprained his left ankle in the second half (X-rays Saturday night revealed no abnormalities). Early in the week following his injury, he was in a walking boot and had an MRI on Monday (confirming the sprained left ankle). At **Washington State**, he led the Bruins with 20 (of UCLA's) 50 points (7-13, 2-5, 4-5) and added four rebounds in 29 minutes. In 32 minutes at **Washington**, he had 13 points (eight of 10 from the line), five assists, two steals and one rebound. In 31 minutes at **USC**, he had a team-high 21 points (7-17, 4 (career-high tying)-7, 3-4), a game-high five assists, three rebounds, game-high tying two steals and a career high-tying two blocks. He had 14 of his points in the second half, including five in the final minute as UCLA cut a 10-point deficit to three. In 30 minutes vs. **Oregon State**, he contributed a game-high 21 minutes (8-13, 4-7, 1-1), four assists and two rebounds. He tallied 17 points (6-7, career-high tying 4-4, 1-1) in 12 second-half minutes. Against **Oregon**, he had 11 points, season-high tying five rebounds and a team-high five assists in 30 minutes. In the overtime win at **California**, he had eight points, six assists, two rebounds and one block in 34 minutes. With UCLA leading by three in overtime, he scored the final six points of the contest on a basket and four free throws. In 28 minutes at **Stanford**, he contributed 13 points, seven assists (zero turnovers) and one steal. He scored 11 (5-8, 1-2, 0-0) of his points in the first half, including UCLA's first five after the Bruins trailed 5-0. In the Pac-10 Tourney against **Oregon State**, he had seven points, five assists and one steal in 22 minutes. In the semis against **Arizona**, he contributed five points, six assists and three rebounds in 23 minutes. In the Pac-10 title game against **California**, he led the Bruins with 19 points (7-12, 5-8, 0-1) and added three rebounds and one steal in 26 minutes. When Cal cut UCLA's lead to 11 points with 5:53 remaining, he hit back-to-back three-pointers to build the lead to 17 with 4:47 left. **He was selected to the All-Tournament team for his efforts.**

45 MICHAEL FEY (Fay), 7-0, 279, Sr., C, Olympia, WA (Capital HS)

2005-06 SEASON AVERAGES – In 16 games – two starts -- (he missed the Delaware State game with a sprained and bruised left shoulder/the Coppin State, Nevada, Wagner, Stanford, California, Arizona, Arizona State and Washington State games with a sprained right ankle), he is averaging 6.8 minutes, 1.8 points and 1.4 rebounds, while shooting .462 (12-26) from the floor and .556 (5-9) from the free throw line. Fey missed almost the first four weeks of practice with a severe groin strain.

FEY'S 2005-06 SEASON HIGHS — 21 minutes vs. Memphis (11/23); 13 points vs. Memphis (11/23); 4 rebounds vs. Memphis (11/23); 1 assist vs. NMS (11/15); 1 steal vs. OSU (3/9), STAN (3/4), NMS (11/15); 1 blocked shot vs. Oregon State (2/23), Albany (11/29), Memphis (11/23).

FEY'S CAREER HIGHS — 33 minutes vs. UCI (11/27/04), UC Riverside (12/3/03); 23 points vs. Oregon State (12/31/04); 11 rebounds vs. ORE (3/5/05), STAN (1/20/05); 3 assists vs. ORE (3/5/05); 4 blocked shots vs. ORE (3/5/05).

2005-06 HIGHLIGHTS – In the opener against **New Mexico State**, he had seven points, two rebounds, one assist and one steal in 17 minutes. He injured his left shoulder vs. **Temple** and played just 15 minutes with two rebounds. He did not play vs. **Delaware St.** Against **Memphis**, he had a season-best 13 points (5-11, 3-3) and four rebounds, with, one block in 21 minutes. In five minutes vs. **Drexel**, he had one rebound. In seven minutes vs. **Albany**, had two points and two rebounds, with one blocked shot. Did not play vs. **Coppin State** or **Nevada** (sprained right ankle). He played two minutes at **Michigan** and did not play against **Wagner**. Vs. **Sacramento State** in nine minutes, Fey had two points and three rebounds. He missed the first five Pac-10 contests (**Stanford, California, Arizona, Arizona State** and **Washington State** due to his sprained right ankle. He played one minute vs. **Washington**. He did not play vs. **USC, West Virginia, Oregon** and **Oregon State**. In one minute vs. **Arizona State**, he had two points and two rebounds. He did not play against **Arizona**. He played two minutes at **Washington State** but did not play at **Washington**. He did not play at **USC**. He started against **Oregon State** and had one point, two rebounds and one block in seven minutes. He started vs. **Oregon** and had two points and two rebounds in five minutes. He had one rebound in one minute at **California**. At **Stanford**, he had one rebound and one steal in three minutes. In the Pac-10 Tourney vs. **Oregon State**, he had a rebound and a steal in eight minutes. He did not play vs. **Arizona**. In the title game vs. **California**, he played four minutes and helped defensively on Leon Powe.

15 RYAN HOLLINS
7-0 1/2, 230, Sr., C, Pasadena, CA (Muir HS)

2005-06 SEASON AVERAGES – In 27 games, including 18 starts (first five games and last 13 of the last 14), he is averaging 20.6 minutes, 6.2 points and 4.4 rebounds (No. 2 on the team), while shooting .588 (No. 2, 60-102) from the floor and .595 (47-79) from the line. He strained his groin in warm-ups vs. **Sacramento State** (did not play) and also missed the following five games.

During the seven game winning streak entering the NCAA Tournament, he is averaging 9.0 points (63) and 5.7 rebounds (40) in 22.1 minutes (155), making 24 of 37 shots (.649) from the floor.

In the Pac-10 Tournament, he averaged 12.0 points and 6.3 rebounds while shooting .722 (13-18) from the floor and .588 (10-17) from the line.

HOLLINS' 2005-06 SEASON HIGHS — 35 minutes vs. OSU (1/28); 17 points vs. Oregon State (3/11); 9 rebounds vs. Washington (2/11); 1 assist vs. ARIZ (3/10), OSU (3/9), STAN (3/4), OSU (1/28), WVU (1/21), Albany (11/29), DS (11/19), NMS (11/15); 2 steals vs. ARIZ (3/10), WSU (2/9); 4 blocked shots vs. Oregon (1/28).

HOLLINS' CAREER HIGHS — 36 minutes vs. WSU (2/3/05), ASU (2/12/04); 21 points vs. USC (1/28/04); 11 rebounds vs. Oregon (1/30/03); 4 assists vs. UC Riverside (12/3/03); 2 steals vs. Arizona (3/10/06), WSU (2/9/06), California (2/19/04); 7 blocked shots vs. Oregon (1/30/03).
UCLA CAREER CHARTS – Blocked Shots – 6th, 93.

2005-06 HIGHLIGHTS – Hollins had six points and six rebounds vs. **New Mexico State**. He contributed seven points and a six rebounds in 26 minutes against **Temple**. Against **Delaware State**, he had three points, four rebounds and one block. In 19 minutes vs. **Memphis**, he contributed eight points, four rebounds and three blocks. In 14 minutes against **Drexel**, he had two rebounds. Did not start vs. **Albany** and contributed seven points, one rebound and assist and three blocked shots in 13 minutes. Did not start vs. **Coppin State** and played 23 minutes, with one point and two rebounds. In 16 minutes off the bench vs. **Nevada**, he had two points and one rebound. He played four minutes at **Michigan**. Against **Wagner**, he had seven points (3-4, 1-4, all in the second half) and one rebound in 14 minutes. He strained his groin in warm-ups vs. **Sacramento State** and did not play. He also missed the **Stanford, California, Arizona, Arizona State** and **Washington State** games. He played 17 minutes vs. **Washington** and had four rebounds. In 21 minutes off the bench vs. **USC**, he had nine points (4-6, 1-1), three rebounds, one steal and one block. In 30 minutes against **West Virginia**, he contributed a then-season-high 11 points (5-6, 1-2), a then season-high eight rebounds, one steal and one block and helped limit Kevin Pittsnogle to just eight points (was averaging 20.6 points entering the game). He started at **Oregon** and contributed five points, three rebounds and a season-high four blocks in 18 minutes. He also started at **Oregon State** and had 11 points (4-6, 3-6), seven rebounds, one assist and one block in a season-best 35 minutes. In 24 minutes vs. **Arizona State**, he had six points, four rebounds and one block. In 24 minutes against **Arizona**, he had 12 points (4-9, 4-4) and three rebounds. In 25 minutes at **Washington State**, he had

two points, six rebounds and two steals. At **Washington**, he contributed seven points (3-3, 1-3) and a season-high nine rebounds in 17 minutes, fouling out with 11:53 remaining in the game. In 22 minutes at **USC**, he grabbed five rebounds but did not score. In 25 minutes off the bench vs. **Oregon State**, he had a game-high and season-high tying six defensive rebounds, four points and one block. He started vs. **Oregon** and had seven points, two rebounds and two blocks in 21 minutes. At **California**, he had three points, five rebounds and one block in 19 minutes. In 22 minutes at **Stanford**, he had 13 points (5-7, 3-4) and added eight rebounds and one assist. In the Pac-10 Tourney win vs. **Oregon State**, he had a season and team-high 17 points (6-8, 5-9), a game-high eight rebounds and one assist in 24 minutes. In the win over **Arizona**, he had seven points, tied for the team lead with seven rebounds and added two steals, two blocks and one assist in 24 minutes. In the Pac-10 title win over **California**, he had 12 points and tied for the team lead with four rebounds in 20 minutes. He also helped shut out Leon Powe for the final 16 minutes of the contest.

14 LORENZO MATA

6-8, 235, So., C/F, Huntington Park, CA (South Gate)

2005-06 SEASON AVERAGES – In 15 games (he started the last six games in which he played and seven of his last eight games – Washington State, at Arizona State, at Arizona, California, Stanford, Sacramento State, at Michigan prior to his injury), he is averaging 15.5 minutes, 4.2 points and 4.0 rebounds (No. 4 on team), while shooting .512 (22-43) from the floor and .613 (19-31) from the free throw line. He has led the team in rebounding twice (8 vs. Drexel/tied with Luc Richard Mbah a Moute and 5 vs. California/tied with Arron Afflalo). Suffered a concussion in the Thursday practice (Dec. 1) before Coppin State and did not play in that game or the Nevada contest.

Against Washington State, he suffered a non-displaced plateau fracture in the right tibia and missed 14 games. Results of a CT scan on Feb. 23 revealed the bone was healing normally

He returned to action in the Pac-10 quarterfinals vs. Oregon State.

MATA'S 2005-06 SEASON HIGHS - 29 minutes vs. Washington State (1/12); 11 points vs. Wagner (12/21); 8 rebounds vs. Drexel (11/25); 1 assist vs. Arizona (1/5); 2 steals vs. Drexel (11/25); 4 blocked shots vs. SAC. ST. (12/23).

MATA'S CAREER HIGHS - 29 minutes vs. Washington State (1/12/06); 11 points vs. Wagner (12/21/05); 11 rebounds vs. Pepp (12/11/04); 1 assist vs. Arizona (1/5/06), ASU (1/13/05), UO (1/2/05); 2 steals vs. Drexel (11/25/05); 4 blocked shots vs. SAC. ST. (12/23).

2005-06 HIGHLIGHTS – He had one point and one rebound in five minutes vs. **New Mexico State**. He did not play against **Temple**. Against **Delaware State**, he played 16 minutes and contributed three points, three rebounds and one steal. He did not play vs. **Memphis**. In 22 minutes against **Drexel**, he had eight points (3-4, 2-4), a season-

high eight rebounds, tying for the team lead, a career-high two steals and one block. In his second career start vs. **Albany**, in 20 minutes had two rebounds and two blocked shots. Did not play vs. **Coppin State** or **Nevada** (concussion). He started and played 10 minutes at **Michigan**, finishing with six rebounds, one steal and one block. Against **Wagner**, he came off the bench (he had the flu the day before the game) to contribute a career-high 11 points (5-8, 1-2, including nine points in the first half) and five rebounds in 15 minutes. In 19 minutes as a starter vs. **Sacramento State**, Mata contributed six points, seven rebounds, one steal and a career-best four blocked shots. In 15 minutes as a starter vs. **Stanford**, he had six points, four rebounds and three blocks. He also started vs. **California** and had four points and a game high-tying five rebounds in 21 minutes. In 19 minutes at **Arizona**, he had nine points (3-4, 3-4), seven rebounds, one assist and one block. In 27 minutes at **Arizona State**, he contributed seven points, seven rebounds and two blocks. In a career-best 29 minutes against **Washington State**, he had three points, four rebounds and two blocks. Late in the game, he was in a collision with Jordan Farmar that resulted in a non-displaced plateau fracture and forced him to miss 14 games. He returned to action in the Pac-10 quarterfinals vs. **Oregon State**, playing five minutes and had two points and two blocks. He played one minute vs. **Arizona**. In the Pac-10 title win over **California**, he had two points and one rebound in nine minutes.

23 LUC RICHARD MBAH A MOUTE (Luc Richard umbah-a-moo-teh)

6-7, 224, Fr., F, Yaounde, Cameroon (Montverde, FL Academy)

2005-06 SEASON AVERAGES – This talented youngster is a prime candidate for National Freshman of the Year thanks to his phenomenal rebounding skills.

On March 6, was named the Pac-10 Freshman of the Year (the sixth Bruin in history to earn the prestigious honor and the second consecutive season – Jordan Farmar 2005, Jason Kapono 2000, Baron Davis 1998, Don MacLean 1989 and Pooh Richardson 1986), also earning All Conference honors from CBS SportsLine.com and SI.com. Mbah a Moute also earned Honorable Mention All-Pac-10. On March 6, he was named a CollegeInsider.com Freshman All-American. On Feb. 15, he was named to SI.Com Seth Davis' All-Glue team (for players who emphasize team play over individualism).

During the weekend at the Oregon schools, Mbah a Moute averaged 14.5 points, 9.0 rebounds, 2.5 assists, 2.0 steals and 1.5 blocks, while shooting .579 (11-19) from the floor and was named the Rivals.com National Freshman of the Week (Jan. 30).

Last week, he ranked third nationally in rebounding among freshmen. In 33 games (32 starts, missing only Senior Day), he is averaging 29.5 minutes (No. 3 on the team), 8.8 points (No. 3/No. 4 freshman scorer in the Pac-10), a team-high 8.1 rebounds (No. 3 in the Pac-10/the highest freshman average in UCLA history, breaking Don MacLean's 7.5, 1989), 1.2 assists and 1.1 steals, while shooting .539 (No. 1 in the Pac-10/110-204) from the

floor, .143 (5-35) from three-point range and .753 (64-85) from the line. In Pac-10 play only, he also led the league in shooting percentage (.564, 62-110).

He is also second in the Pac-10 in offensive rebounds (3.10) and fourth in defensive rebounds (5.12). He's had seven double/doubles (14 points/10 rebounds vs. Oregon, season-high 15 points/10 rebounds at Oregon; 13 points/11 rebounds vs. Washington; consecutive double/doubles - 12 points/12 rebounds vs. Stanford; 13 points/11 rebounds vs. Sacramento State) and consecutive double/doubles - Coppin State-11 points/10 rebounds; Albany- 13 points and 13 rebounds) - the first freshman starter since JaRon Rush in 1998-99 to accomplish consecutive double/doubles (Rush did it in the final two games that season-16/10 at Arizona; 10/13 vs. Detroit Mercy (NCAA). **His seven double/doubles are the most in single-season UCLA freshman history** (breaking Jelani McCoy's mark of six, 1996).

He led the Bruins in rebounding in each of the first 12 games, the longest streak by a Bruin since David Greenwood led the team for the final 13 regular-season games in 1977-78. **Overall, he has led the team in rebounding in 27 of 33 games. He has been in double rebound figures on 10 occasions and has grabbed at least eight rebounds in 20 games.**

His average of 8.1 rebounds is the highest by a Bruin since 201, when Dan Gadzuric averaged 8.6. That is also the last time a Bruin had more than his 268 rebounds (Gadzuric had 275 and Ed O'Bannon had 275 in 1995). Prior to that, the next highest total is 299 by Trevor Wilson in 1990.

In the seven-game winning streak, he is averaging 9.4 points (66) and 6.3 rebounds (44) while shooting .675 (27 of 40) from the floor and .857 (12 of 14) from the line.

MBAH A MOUTE'S SEASON/CAREER HIGHS – 37 minutes vs. California (3/4); 15 points vs. Oregon (1/26); 13 rebounds vs. West Virginia (1/21), Albany (11/29); 4 assists vs. OSU (2/23); 4 steals vs. California (3/2), Drexel (11/25); 4 blocked shots vs. Coppin State (12/4).
MBAH A MOUTE'S 2005-06 PAC-10 RANKINGS (Mar. 12) – Rebounding – 3rd, 8.1; FG% - 1st, .539; **OFF Rebs** – 2nd, 3.10; **DEF Rebs** – 4th, 5.12.

2005-06 HIGHLIGHTS – He had six points and a team-high eight rebounds vs. **New Mexico State**. In 33 minutes vs. **Temple**, he had a team-high 10 rebounds, eight points and one assist. In 34 minutes against **Delaware State**, he had eight points, a team-high six rebounds and three assists. Against **Memphis**, he had four points, a team-high seven rebounds, two steals and one block in 29 minutes. In 32 minutes vs. **Drexel**, he had nine points, a team-high (tied) eight rebounds, a season-high four steals and two assists. Vs. **Albany**, had a then-season-high of 13 points (4-7, 1-2, 4-4) and 13 rebounds (first career double/double), with one assist and steal. Vs. **Coppin State** in 31 minutes, had his second consecutive double/double (11 points (4-4, 1-1, 2-5)/game-high 10 rebounds), with a season-best four blocked shots. In 25 minutes vs. **Nevada**, he had eight points, a team-high nine rebounds, two assists and one steal. At **Michigan**, he had a game-high nine rebounds, four points, two assists and one blocked shot in 33 minutes.

In 28 minutes vs. **Wagner**, he had six points (including the game-winning layin with 14 seconds left to play, on an assist from Jordan Farmar), a team-high seven rebounds, two steals and two blocks. In 26 minutes vs. **Sacramento State**, Mbah a Moute had his third season double/double (then-season-high tying 13 points), with 11 rebounds, two assists and one blocked shot. In 32 minutes vs. **Stanford**, he recorded his fourth double-double and led the Bruins in rebounding for the 12th consecutive game, finishing with 12 points, 12 rebounds, three steals and three blocks. In 23 minutes vs. **California**, he had three points, three rebounds, one assist and one steal. In 36 minutes at **Arizona**, he had eight points (3-4, 2-3), a game-high nine rebounds, three assists and one steal. At **Arizona State**, he contributed three points, a game-high eight rebounds, one assist and one steal in 29 minutes. In 32 minutes vs. **Washington State**, he had nine points, a team-high nine rebounds, two assists, two blocks and one steal. Against **Washington**, he recorded his fifth double-double with a then-career-high tying 13 points (6-9, 1-2, 0-0) and a team-high 11 rebounds in 33 minutes. In 30 minutes against **USC**, he had 10 points, a team-high seven rebounds, two steals and two blocks. In 25 minutes against **West Virginia**, he had four points, a career high-tying 13 rebounds and one assist. In the two games, he made eight straight free throws. At **Oregon**, he had his sixth double-double with a game and career-high 15 points (6-10, 0-1, 3-5) and a game-high 10 rebounds and added two assists and one steal in 34 minutes. At **Oregon State**, he had a team-high 14 points (5-9, 1-4, 3-4) and added eight rebounds, three assists, a team-high three steals and a team-high three blocks in 30 minutes. For his efforts at the Oregon schools, Mbah a Moute was named the Rivals.com National Freshman of the Week. In the win over **Arizona State**, he had eight points and a team-high nine rebounds in 32 minutes. In 19 minutes vs. **Arizona**, he had 11 points (4-5, 1-2, 2-2), a game-high six rebounds, two assists and one steal. In 28 minutes at **Washington State**, he had four points, a team-high seven rebounds and one steal. In 23 minutes at **Washington**, he had 11 points (3-5, 5-6), four rebounds, two assists and one steal. At **USC**, he had eight points and a game-high 10 rebounds, his ninth game in double-figure boards, in 32 minutes. In 29 minutes vs. **Oregon State**, he had nine points, four rebounds and a career-best four assists. In 30 minutes off the bench vs. **Oregon** (Senior Day), he led the team in scoring and rebounding, recording his seventh double-double of the year – 14 points (5-6, 4-4) and 10 rebounds – and added one assist and one steal. In a career-high 37 minutes at **California**, he had five points, five rebounds, a career high-tying four steals, one assist and one block. In 31 minutes at **Stanford**, he contributed 12 points (6-9, 0-0), a game-high nine rebounds, one steal and one block. In the Pac-10 Tourney opener vs. **Oregon State**, he had four points, five rebounds, one assist and one steal in 19 minutes. In the semifinal win over **Arizona**, he had 12 points (5-8, 2-2), tied for the team lead with seven rebounds and added one assist and one block in 31 minutes. In the Pac-10 title win over **California**, he played 32 minutes and had 10 points (5-8, 0-2, 0-0), four rebounds (tied for the team lead) and one steal and also played good defense on Leon Powe, helping shut him out for the final 16 minutes of the game.

20 MICHAEL ROLL**6-5, 205, Fr., G/F, Aliso Viejo, CA (Aliso Niguel)**

2005-06 SEASON AVERAGES – In 32 games (he did not play at Michigan/five starts), Roll is averaging 15.7 minutes, 3.8 points, 1.0 rebounds and 1.0 assists, while shooting .400 (42-105) from the floor, .407 (33-81, No. 2 on the team, No. 4 in the Pac-10) from three-point range and .714 (5-7) from the line. In Pac-10 play, he averaged 4.4 points and shot .483 (28-58) from the floor, including a team-high .457 (21-46) from three-point range.

During the seven-game winning streak, he is averaging 4.1 points and shooting .476 (10-21) from the field and .563 (nine of 16) from three-point range.

On the weekend of Jan. 12-14 (Washington schools in Pauley Pavilion), he averaged 13.5 points and 2.0 assists in 33.0 minutes, making nine of 14 shots from the floor, including seven of 12 from three-point range.

Sprained his right thumb in practice on Jan. 31, but was able to play vs. the Arizona schools in Pauley Pavilion.

ROLL'S SEASON/CAREER HIGHS – 34 minutes vs. Washington (1/14); 17 points vs. Washington (1/14); 3 rebounds vs. WSU (2/9), WVU (1/21), USC (1/18); 5 assists vs. Albany (11/29); 2 steals vs. Washington (2/11); 1 blocked shot vs. ASU (2/2), WVU (1/21).

ROLL'S 2005-06 PAC-10 RANKINGS (Mar. 12) – 3PT FG% - 4th, .407 .

2005-06 HIGHLIGHTS – He had five points, two rebounds and two assists in 19 minutes vs. **New Mexico State**. He contributed three points and two assists vs. **Temple**. Against **Delaware State**, he scored nine points (3-5 on three-pointers) in 18 minutes. In eight minutes against **Memphis**, he had one steal. In 13 minutes against **Drexel**, he had six points (2-3, 2-2, 0-0). Vs. **Albany**, in 26 minutes, had one point and one rebound and a season-best five assists, with one steal. Vs. **Coppin State**, played six minutes, with one assist. He played two minutes against **Nevada**. He did not play at **Michigan**. In eight minutes vs. **Wagner**, he had two rebounds and one assist. Vs. **Sacramento State**, Roll in 16 minutes had five points and two rebounds. He had two points, two assists and one rebound in 16 minutes vs. **Stanford**. He played one minute vs. **California**. In five minutes at **Arizona**, he had three points (1-2 from three-point range/his three-pointer with 12:14 left gave the Bruins a 57-49 lead). He played six minutes at **Arizona State**. In the first start of his career, he played 32 minutes vs. **Washington State** and had 10 points and two assists. In a season-high 34 minutes vs. **Washington**, he led the team with a season-high 17 points (5-6, 5-6, 2-2) – 14 in the first half -- and added two assists. As a starter vs. **USC**, he had six points, a season-best three rebounds and one assist in 30 minutes. In 30 minutes as a starter against **West Virginia**, he had 0 points (0-7 from the floor), a season-high tying three rebounds, two assists and one block. In 22 minutes as a starter at **Oregon**, he had three points, two rebounds, one assist and one steal. In 19 minutes off the bench at **Oregon State**, he had six points (3-6, 0-3, 0-0) and one rebound (his two consecutive second half jumpers gave the Bruins a 53-38 lead, 7:29). In

15 minutes vs. **Arizona State**, he had six points (on two, three-pointers/his three-pointer with 7:43 remaining gave the Bruins a 50-44 lead), three assists and a season-high tying one block. He contributed three points and two assists in 14 minutes vs. **Arizona**. In 15 minutes at **Washington State**, he had a season-high tying three rebounds and one steal. In 15 minutes at **Washington**, he had two points, a season-best two steals and one rebound. In 16 minutes at **USC**, he had six points (2-4 from three-point range), two rebounds and one steal. Both of his three-pointers and his steal came in the last minute as UCLA cut a 10-point deficit to three points. He had one rebound and one assist in 14 minutes vs. **Oregon State**. In 14 minutes vs. **Oregon**, he had six points (2-3, 2-3, 0-0). His two three-pointers early in the second half tied the game at 30 (15:06) and gave UCLA the lead for good, 33-30 (14:15). At **California**, he had one rebound and one steal in 11 minutes. In 16 minutes at **Stanford**, he contributed nine points (3-4, 3-4, 0-0), two assists, one rebound and one steal. His first three-pointer broke a 5-5 tie, giving the Bruins the lead for good. In the Pac-10 Tourney win over **Oregon State**, he made all three of his three-point attempts for nine points and added two rebounds, two assists and one steal in 22 minutes. Against **Arizona**, he had three points, one rebound, one assist and one steal in 13 minutes. In the Pac-10 title win vs. **California**, he had two points, two rebounds and an assist in 12 minutes.

10 JANOU (Ja-now) RUBIN**6-3, 208, Sr., G, Union City, CA (Logan)**

2005-06 SEASON AVERAGES – Rubin was granted his sixth-year of eligibility by the NCAA Student-Athlete Reinstatement Staff on Nov. 14. He has played in 16 games (he missed the Arizona trip with the flu) and is averaging 0.8 points and 0.6 rebounds in 3.3 minutes.

RUBIN'S 2005-06 SEASON HIGHS - 12 minutes vs. OSU (3/9); 6 points vs. OSU (3/9); 3 rebounds vs. OSU (3/9); 2 assists vs. SAC. ST. (12/23); steals vs.; blocked shots vs.

RUBIN'S CAREER HIGHS - 26 minutes vs. Notre Dame (2/28/04); 13 points vs. Oregon (1/4/04), Oregon State (1/2/04); 4 rebounds vs. USC (1/29/04), California (1/24/04); 4 assists vs. Washington (1/10/04); 1 steal, six times, last vs. USC (2/25/04); 2 blocked shots vs. Oregon State (3/4/04).

2005-06 HIGHLIGHTS – Played two minutes vs. **New Mexico State**; six minutes vs. **Delaware State** (one rebound); two minutes vs. **Albany** (one rebound) and vs. **Sacramento State**, four minutes, with a season-high two assists and one rebound. He had three points (on a three-pointer) in one minute vs. **Stanford**. He did not play vs. **California**, **Arizona** or **Arizona State**. He had one assist in a season-high tying six minutes vs. **Washington State**. In four minutes against **Washington**, he had two points. He had one rebound in two minutes vs. **USC**. In three minutes against **West Virginia**, he had one rebound. He did not play at **Oregon**, **Oregon State**, **Arizona State** or **Arizona**.

He played one minute at **Washington State** but did not play at **Washington** or at **USC**. He had one defensive rebound and one assist in two minutes vs. **Oregon State**. He started and played four minutes vs. **Oregon** (Senior Day). He did not play at **California** and played one minute at **Stanford**. In the Pac-10 Tourney against **Oregon State**, he recorded season highs with six points, three rebounds and 12 minutes and added an assist. He played one minute vs. **Arizona**. In the Pac-10 title win versus **California**, he played one minute and had two points and one rebound.

3 JOSH SHIPP, 6-5, 207, So., G/F, Los Angeles, CA (Fairfax)

2005-06 SEASON AVERAGES – Shipp had right hip surgery on Sept. 28 (missed the first 11 games). He made his season debut vs. Stanford on Dec. 29. In four games – all Pac-10 contests, he averaged 11.3 points, 4.8 rebounds and 1.0 assists in 29.8 minutes while shooting .410 (16-39) from the floor, .462 (6-13) from three-point range and .875 (7-8) from the line.

On Jan. 10, it was announced that Shipp would miss the remainder of the season because of continual pain in his right hip. UCLA will petition for a medical hardship waiver after the season.

SHIPP'S 2005-06 SEASON HIGHS – 32 minutes vs. Arizona State (1/7); 14 points vs. Arizona (1/5); 7 rebounds vs. Arizona State (1/7); 2 assists vs. Stanford (12/29); 1 steal vs. Arizona (1/5), Stanford (12/29); 1 blocked shot vs. Stanford (12/29).

SHIPP'S CAREER HIGHS – 41 minutes vs. WSU (2/05/05); 20 points vs. Ore (3/5/05), Wash (2/5/05); 12 rebounds vs. Pepp (12/11/04); 5 assists vs. Texas Tech (3/17/05); 4 steals vs. Cal (2/17/05); 1 blocked shot vs. Stanford (12/29/05), Arizona (2/12/05)

2005-06 HIGHLIGHTS – Shipp made his season debut against **Stanford** on Dec. 29. He started and played 29 minutes, finishing with 11 points, three rebounds, two assists, one steal and one block. Vs. **California**, he started and played 27 minutes, finishing with 10 points and three rebounds. At **Arizona**, he had a season-best 14 points (5-10, 2-3, 2-2/his two free throws with :05 left gave UCLA its 85-79 winning margin), six rebounds, one assist and one steal in 31 minutes. At **Arizona State**, he contributed 10 points, a season-high seven rebounds and one assist in a season-best 32 minutes. On Jan. 10, it was announced that Shipp would miss the remainder of the season because of continual pain in his right hip.

11 RYAN WRIGHT
6-8, 225, Fr., F, Mississauga, ONT, CAN (Loyola Catholic)

2005-06 PRESEASON HONORS – *Sporting News* No. 5 Pac-10 recruit; *Street & Smith's* Impact Rookie

2005-06 SEASON AVERAGES – He has played in 29 games (four starts/Washington, Wagner, Nevada and

Coppin State), and is averaging 10.1 minutes, 2.3 points and 1.3 rebounds and shooting a team-high .574 (No. 3, 27-47) from the field.

WRIGHT'S SEASON/CAREER HIGHS – 33 minutes vs. Nevada (12/10); 8 points vs. Washington (1/14), SAC. ST. (12/23), Michigan (12/17); 8 rebounds vs. Michigan (12/17); 1 assist vs. USC (1/18); 2 steals vs. Nevada (12/10); 1 blocked shot vs. WSU (2/9), ASU (2/2), Stanford (12/29), Nevada (12/10).

2005-06 HIGHLIGHTS – In the final minute vs. **Delaware State**, he grabbed one rebound. Played four minutes vs. **Albany**, with two points. Started vs. **Coppin State**, and played seven minutes, with one rebound. Vs. **Nevada**, he started and played a career-high 33 minutes, finishing with three points, three rebounds, two assists and one block. At **Michigan**, he played 24 minutes off the bench and chipped in eight points and eight rebounds – all season bests – and one steal (his defense helped hold Wolverine center Courtney Sims to just six points, including 1-2 from the field). He started vs. **Wagner** and had two points in 11 minutes. In 12 minutes off the bench vs. **Sacramento State**, Wright tied his season-high with eight points and one rebound. In 22 minutes vs. **Stanford**, he had five points, four rebounds and one block. Against **California**, he had three points in 15 minutes. In 16 minutes at **Arizona**, he had four points, two rebounds and one steal. At **Arizona State**, he had four points and one rebound in nine minutes. Against **Washington State**, he had two points and one rebound in 10 minutes. He started and played 22 minutes vs. **Washington** and finished with a career-high tying eight points (four of five from the floor). In 12 minutes against **USC**, he had four points, four rebounds and a season-high one assist. He played one minute against **West Virginia**. He had one rebound in 12 minutes at **Oregon**. He had one rebound in five minutes at **Oregon State**. In 12 minutes vs. **Arizona State**, he had two points, one rebound, one steal and one block. In nine minutes against **Arizona**, he had four points and three rebounds. In 10 minutes at **Washington State**, he had two points, one rebound and a season-high tying one block. In seven minutes at **Washington**, he had one rebound. He played two minutes at **USC**. In six minutes vs. **Oregon State**, he had four points. He played six minutes vs. **Oregon**. In five minutes at **California**, he grabbed two rebounds. He played four minutes at **Stanford**. In 13 minutes vs. **Oregon State** in the Pac-10 Tourney, he had two points and three rebounds. He played two minutes vs. **Arizona**. He played one minute in the Pac-10 title win against **California**.

2005-06 UCLA RESULTS**(27-6 overall, 14-4 Pac-10 – 1st place)**

Nov. 4- at UCLA 76, Carleton 51 (Exhibition)
 Nov. 10- at UCLA 104, Cal State Monterey Bay 41 (Exhibition)
 Nov. 15 – at No. 19 UCLA 83, New Mexico State 70 (NIT First Round)
 Nov. 17 – at No. 19 UCLA 54, Temple 47 (NIT Second Round)
 Nov. 19 – at No. 19 UCLA 56, Delaware State 37
 Nov. 23 – No. 11 Memphis 88, No. 16 UCLA 80 at New York City (NIT Semifinal)
 Nov. 25 – No. 16 UCLA 57, Drexel 56 at New York City (NIT Third Place Game)
 Nov. 29 – No. 16 UCLA 73, Albany 65 at Pauley Pavilion,
 Dec. 4 – No. 16 UCLA 69, Coppin State 57 at Pauley
 Dec. 10 – No. 16 UCLA 67, No. 17 Nevada 56 (Wooden Classic at Arrowhead Pond in Anaheim)
 Dec. 17 – No. 14 UCLA 68, at No. 26 Michigan, 61
 Dec. 21 – No. 12 UCLA 74, Wagner 72
 Dec. 23 –No. 12 UCLA 86, Sacramento State 56
 Dec. 29 –No. 11 UCLA 71, Stanford 54
 Dec. 31 – California 68, at No. 11 UCLA 61
 Jan. 5 – No. 17 UCLA 85, at No. 21 Arizona 79
 Jan. 7 – No. 17 UCLA 61, at Arizona State 60
 Jan. 12 – at No. 11 UCLA 63, Washington State 61
 Jan. 14 – No. 13 Washington 69, at No. 11 UCLA 65
 Jan. 18 – at No. 18 UCLA 66, USC 45
 Jan. 21 – No. 12 West Virginia 60, at No. 18 UCLA 56
 Jan. 26 – No. 17 UCLA 56, at Oregon 49
 Jan. 28 – No. 17 UCLA 63, at Oregon State 54
 Feb. 2 – at No. 14 UCLA 69, Arizona State 60
 Feb. 4 – at No. 14 UCLA 84, Arizona 73
 Feb. 9 – No. 13 UCLA 50, at Washington State 30
 Feb. 11 – at No. 21 Washington 70, No. 13 UCLA 67
 Feb. 19 – at USC 71, No. 15 UCLA 68
 Feb. 23 – at No. 19 UCLA 78, Oregon State 60
 Feb. 26 – at No. 19 UCLA 70, Oregon 53
 Mar. 2 – No. 15 UCLA 67, at California 58 (ot)
 Mar. 4 – No. 15 UCLA 75, at Stanford 54
 March 9 – No. 13 UCLA 79, Oregon State 47 at Pacific Lite Pac-10 Tournament quarterfinal
 March 10 – No. 13 UCLA 71, Arizona 59 at Pacific Lite Pac-10 Tournament semifinal
 March 11 – No. 13 UCLA 71, California 52 at Pacific Lite Pac-10 Tournament Championship

All Games on 570AM, unless noted on 1150 AM**All Times Pacific unless noted****2005-06 TEAM STATS (33 Games)****Double-Double**

(Pts.-Reb.) LucRichardMbah a Moute- 7
 Arron Afflalo - 1
 (Pts.-Asts) Jordan Farmar - 1

Double Figures (Pts.)

Arron Afflalo – 30
 Jordan Farmar – 22
 Luc Richard Mbah a Moute- 14
 Cedric Bozeman – 10
 Darren Collison-6
 Ryan Hollins -- 6
 Josh Shipp -4
 Michael Roll -- 2
 Alfred Aboya -- 2
 Lorenzo Mata -- 1
 Michael Fey – 1

20-Pt. Scoring

Arron Afflalo – 11
 Jordan Farmar -- 7

Double Figures (Reb.)

Luc Richard Mbah a Moute – 10
 Arron Afflalo - 1

Double Figures (Ast.)

Jordan Farmar-2

Leading Scorers

Arron Afflalo -16
 Jordan Farmar – 10
 Luc Richard Mbah a Moute – 3
 Alfred Aboya -- 1
 Michael Roll -- 1
 Cedric Bozeman – 1
 Ryan Hollins -- 1
 Darren Collison -- 1

Leading Rebounders

Luc Richard Mbah a Moute – 27
 Ryan Hollins -- 5
 Arron Afflalo – 3
 Lorenzo Mata – 2

Leading Assists

Jordan Farmar – 26
 Darren Collison – 4
 Cedric Bozeman -- 4
 Arron Afflalo -- 3
 Luc Richard Mbah a Moute – 1
 Michael Roll – 1

Leading Steals

Jordan Farmar – 14
 Luc Richard Mbah a Moute – 12
 Darren Collison -9
 Cedric Bozeman – 8
 Arron Afflalo – 7
 Alfred Aboya -- 6
 Michael Roll – 4
 Ryan Hollins –2
 Michael Fey -- 2
 Lorenzo Mata –1

Leading Blocked Shots

Ryan Hollins – 10
 Luc Richard MbahaMoute -9
 Lorenzo Mata – 9
 Jordan Farmar – 4
 Darren Collison -2
 Michael Roll - 2
 Alfred Aboya - 2
 Ryan Wright - 2
 Arron Afflalo – 3
 Michael Fey -- 1
 DeAndre Robinson -- 1

2005-06 FOR THE RECORD (33 Games)**UCLA 80 Pts. or Over:** 4-1**UCLA 79 Pts. or Under:** 23-5**Opp. 80 Pts. or more:** 0-1**Opp Under 80 Pts.:** 27-5

Leading at Half	Tied	Trailing at Half
21-1		6-5

FG % of .500 or better	Less than .500
15-1	12-5

Opp. FG % under .400
13-1**Opp. FG % between .400-.500**
10-2**Opp. FG % over .500**
4-3

Outshooting Opp. Outshot by Opp.	Tied
23-2	4-4

UCLA Reb. Advant.	Opp. Advant.	Tied
22-3	4-3	1-0

With five minutes to play (in regulation)**UCLA leads with 5:00 to play:** 25-1**UCLA trails with 5:00 to play:** 2-5**UCLA tied with 5:00 to play:** 0-0**Margin of Victory**

One Point: 2-0 Two Points: 2-0

Three Points: 0-2 Four Points: 0-2

5-10 Pts.: 8-2 11-15 Pts.:6-0

16-19 Pts. 4-0 20 or more: 5-0

Overtime: 1-0**By Day**

Monday	0-0	Friday	3-0
Tuesday	2-0	Saturday	8-4
Wednesday	2-1	Sunday	2-1
Thursday	10-0		

By Month

November	5-1	February	5-2
December	6-1	March	5-0
January	6-2		

Night and Day

Night	16-1	Day	11-5
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