

NCCU

EAGLES BASKETBALL



**N.C. CENTRAL
Eagles**

(3-11, 1-0 MEAC)

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GAME

15

**NORFOLK STATE
Spartans**

(8-5, 1-0 MEAC)

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SCHEDULE/RESULTS

NOVEMBER

14 (Tues.)	LONGWOOD	W, 87-75
21 (Tues.)	at Wofford	L, 56-77
22 (Wed.)	#18 OREGON STATE	L, 44-97
25 (Sat.)	at Colorado State	L, 48-85
28 (Tues.)	JOHNSON & WALES	W, 68-51

DECEMBER

03 (Sun.)	at UNCW	L, 63-89
08 (Fri.)	at Coastal Carolina	L, 65-68
10 (Sun.)	at Iowa State	L, 99-58
14 (Thurs.)	at East Carolina	L, 61-73
17 (Sun.)	at Presbyterian	L, 60-69
19 (Tues.)	at Elon	L, 50-78
21 (Thurs.)	CAMPBELL	L, 51-58
30 (Sat.)	at USC Upstate	L, 61-66

JANUARY

03 (Wed.)	at Delaware St.*	W, 74-67
08 (Mon.)	NORFOLK ST.*	5:30 PM
13 (Sat.)	COPPIN ST.*	2:00 PM
15 (Mon.)	MORGAN ST.*	2:00 PM
20 (Sat.)	at Howard*	2:00 PM
22 (Mon.)	at Md. Eastern Shore*	5:30 PM
22 (Sat.)	at North Carolina A&T*	2:00 PM

FEBRUARY

03 (Sat.)	DELAWARE ST.*	2:00 PM
05 (Mon.)	HAMPTON*	4:00 PM
10 (Sat.)	at Florida A&M*	4:00 PM
12 (Mon.)	at Bethune-Cookman*	5:30 PM
17 (Sat.)	MD. EASTERN SHORE*	2:00 PM
19 (Mon.)	HOWARD*	4:00 PM
24 (Sat.)	at South Carolina St.*	2:00 PM
26 (Mon.)	at Savannah St.*	6:00 PM

MARCH

01 (Thurs.)	NORTH CAROLINA A&T*	5:30 PM
5-10	MEAC Tournament Norfolk Scope Arena	

Monday, Jan. 8 • 5:30 PM • Durham, N.C. • McDougald-McLendon Arena

NORFOLK STATE SPARTANS

LOCATION.....Norfolk Va.
CONFERENCE.....Mid-Eastern Athletic
LAST GAME.....W, 71-57 (Jan. 3)
vs. Coppin State (Norfolk, Va.)

HEAD COACH.....Larry Vickers (Norfolk St., '07)
NSU RECORD.....3rd Season, 26-28
CAREER RECORD.....3rd Season, 26-28

NCCU EAGLES

LOCATION.....Durham, N.C.
CONFERENCE.....Mid-Eastern Athletic
LAST GAME.....W, 74-67 (Jan. 3)
at Delaware State (Dover, Del.)

HEAD COACH.....Trisha Stafford-Odom (California, '92)
NCCU RECORD.....1st Season, 3-11
CAREER RECORD.....4th Season, 40-56

NCCU vs. NSU

SERIES.....NSU leads 18-8
LAST MEETING.....L, 40-71, Jan. 14, 2017
at Norfolk State (Norfolk Va.)
STREAK.....L1
AUDIO.....NCCU Sports Network
STATS.....NCCUEaglePride.com
TWITTER.....@NCCUAthletics or @NCCUWBB

NCCU PROBABLE STARTERS

00 Rodneysha Martin	5-5	Jr.	G	12.9 PPG
15 Jayla Calhoun	5-10	Jr.	G	5.9 PPG
12 Dominique Adams	5-7	Jr.	G	3.9 PPG
03 Sami Oliver-Alexander	5-10	Jr.	G	7.3 PPG
04 Paulina Afriyie	5-11	So.	F	7.0 RPG

STATISTICAL COMPARISON

NSU	CATEGORY	NCCU
61.3	Points Per Game	60.4
57.3	Opponents Points Per Game	75.1
+4.0	Scoring Margin	-14.7
39.1%	Field Goal Percentage	34.8%
33.7%	Opp. Field Goal Percentage	43.8%
32.5%	3-Point Field Goal Percentage	28.5%
28.0%	Opp. 3-Point Field Goal Percentage	32.2%
59.8%	Free Throw Percentage	72.3%
41.1	Rebounds Per Game	37.6
37.9	Opp. Rebounds Per Game	42.1
+3.2	Rebounding Margin	-4.5
5.1	3-Pointers Per Game	5.5
5.5	Opp. 3-Pointers Per Game	5.9
7.7	Blocks Per Game	2.5
7.8	Steals Per Game	9.1
12.0	Assists Per Game	9.8
18.8	Turnovers Per Game	21.9
17.7	Opp. Turnovers Per Game	19.0

NORTH CAROLINA CENTRAL UNIVERSITY ROSTER

No.	Name	Cl.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown / Previous School
0	Rodneysha Martin	Jr.	G	5-5	Olive Branch, Miss./Horn Lake HS
3	Sami Oliver-Alexander	Jr.	F	5-10	San Jose, Calif./Diablo Valley College
4	Paulina Afriyie	So.	F	5-11	Bronx, N.Y./Herbert H. Lehman HS
5	Caira Benton	Jr.	G	5-9	Duarte, Calif./Mt. San Antonio College
10	Alyssa Thompson	Fr.	F	6-1	Charlotte, N.C./West Mecklenburg HS
11	Jada Blow	So.	G	5-5	Chicago, Ill./Simeon Career Academy
12	Dominique Adams	Jr.	G	5-7	Winston-Salem, N.C./R.J. Reynolds HS
15	Jayla Calhoun	Jr.	G	5-10	Houston, Texas/Summer Creek HS
22	Deja McCain	Jr.	F	5-10	Charlotte, N.C./Ardrey Kell HS
33	Darria Hewitt	So.	F	5-10	Riverside, Calif./Riverside City College
35	Kierona Morton	Sr.	F	6-1	Paterson, N.J./Passaic County Technical Institute
40	Kieche White	Fr.	G	5-4	Washington, D.C./Friendship Collegiate Academy
44	Ezinne Mbamalu	R-Jr.	C	6-2	Charlotte, N.C./Winthrop University
RS	Kayla Hall	Fr.	F	6-3	Queens, N.Y./Nazareth Regional HS

HEAD COACH: Trisha Stafford-Odom (First Season)

ASSISTANT COACH: Tynesha Lewis

ASSISTANT COACH: A.G. Hall

DIRECTOR OF BASKETBALL OPERATIONS: Clarissa Adams

Pronunciation Guide

ROD-knee-sha Martin

Paulina a-FREE-A

KY-rah Benton

KEER-row-nah or Kay Morton

KEE-shay White

ehz-NAY M-ba-lalu

TY-nee-sha Lewis

RETURNERS

- 0 Rodneysha Martin
- 4 Paulina Afriyie
- 11 Jada Blow
- 12 Dominique Adams
- 15 Jayla Calhoun
- 22 Deja McCain
- 35 Kierona Morton

NEWCOMERS

- 3 Sami Oliver-Alexander
- 5 Caira Benton
- 10 Alyssa Thompson
- 33 Darria Hewitt
- 40 Kieche White
- 44 Ezinne Mbamalu
- RS Kayla Hall

FRESHMEN

- 10 Alyssa Thompson
- 40 Kieche White
- RS Kayla Hall

SOPHOMORES

- 4 Paulina Afriyie
- 11 Jada Blow
- 33 Darria Hewitt

JUNIORS

- 0 Rodneysha Martin
- 3 Sami Oliver-Alexander
- 5 Caira Benton
- 12 Dominique Adams
- 15 Jayla Calhoun
- 22 Deja McCain
- 44 Ezinne Mbamalu

SENIORS

- 35 Kierona Morton

NCCU QUICK FACTS

SCHOOL NAME.....North Carolina Central University
 CITY/ZIP.....Durham, N.C. 27707
 FOUNDED.....1910 by Dr. James E. Shepard
 ENROLLMENT.....8,096
 NICKNAME.....Eagles
 SCHOOL COLORS.....Maroon & Gray
 ARENA NAME.....McDougald-McLendon Arena
 CAPACITY.....3,116
 NATIONAL AFFILIATION.....NCAA Division I
 CONFERENCE.....Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference
 CHANCELLOR.....Dr. Johnson O. Akinyele
 ALMA MATER.....Alabama A&M
 ATHLETICS DIRECTOR.....Dr. Ingrid Wicker McCree, Ed.D.
 ALMA MATER (Year).....George Washington (1989)

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2016-17 OVERALL RECORD.....8-21
 2016-17 MEAC RECORD.....7-9
 2016-17 HOME RECORD.....6-8
 2016-17 AWAY RECORD.....2-12
 2016-17 NEUTRAL RECORD.....0-1
 LETTERWINNERS RETURNING/LOST.....7/4
 STARTERS RETURNING/LOST.....3/2





January 7, 2018

PREVIEW: @NCCUWBB Hosts Norfolk State Monday

DURHAM, N.C. – The North Carolina Central University women's basketball will try and remain undefeated in Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference (MEAC) play when the Eagles host Norfolk State University on Monday at 5:30 p.m.

N.C. Central Women's Basketball

The Eagles started off the New Year with a 74-67 comeback win at MEAC foe Delaware State University on Wednesday. NCCU (3-11 Overall, 1-0 MEAC) trailed by 21 points in the second half before rallying for its first road win and snap an eight-game losing streak.

Sophomore forward Paulina Afriyie notched her fourth double-double of the season after scoring a career-high 22 points and grabbing a game-high 15 rebounds against the Hornets. Afriyie has scored in double digits in six consecutive games to increase her scoring average to 8.3 points per game. She also leads the Eagles with 7.0 rebounds per game, 0.9 blocks per game and 47.3% field goal percentage.

Junior Rodneysha Martin is NCCU's leading scorer with 12.9 points per game, playmaker with 2.4 assists per game, thief with 1.4 steals per game and free throw shooter (83.0%).

Junior Sami Oliver-Alexander (7.3 ppg) and freshman Kieche White (6.5 ppg) join Martin as sharpshooters. The trio all rank in the top-15 in the MEAC in made 3-pointers per game.

NCCU dropped its last showdown with Norfolk State, 71-40, last season. Junior Deja McCain, who is averaging over three points and three rebounds per game this season, paced the Eagles against the Spartans with a career-high 14 points and six rebounds.

Norfolk State Women's Basketball

The Spartans are the hottest team in the MEAC right now, having won six straight games and are coming off a 71-57 home win against Coppin State University in their league opener. Norfolk State (8-5 Overall, 1-0 MEAC) was picked fourth in the conference's preseason poll.

Senior forward Kayla Roberts is a reigning First Team All-MEAC performer who ranks fifth in the league with 14.0 points per game, 11th with 6.8 rebounds per game and third with 1.6 blocks per game.

Junior transfer Raven Russell is bucketing 11.2 points per game in her first season at NSU. The Spartans next three top scorers in junior guard Alexys Long (9.5 ppg), senior guard Gabrielle Swinson (8.3 ppg) and junior center Khadedra Croker (7.5 ppg) all average over five rebounds per game.

Roberts just missed a double-double with 11 points and nine rebounds in last year's 31-point victory over NCCU. Norfolk State held the Eagles to 21.7% shooting and the league's current top shot-blocking team made 12 blocks in that contest.

-EAGLE PRIDE-

LAST TIME IT HAPPENED... (SINCE D1 TRANSITION)		MEAC PRESEASON POLL		2017-18 MISCELLANEOUS STATS	
TEAM SCORING		1. Hampton 320 (13)		Current StreakW1	
NCCU scored 100+ points	N/A	2. Bethune-Cookman 292 (7)		Current Home StreakL1	
An opponent scored 100+ points	103 at UNCG (12/31/15)	3. North Carolina A&T 271 (5)		Current Road/Neutral StreakW1	
NCCU scored 90+ points	95 vs. Fayetteville St. (12/8/07)	4. Norfolk State 232		Last WinJan. 3 (at Delaware St.)	
An opponent scored 90+ points	99 at Iowa State (12/10/17)	5. Howard 223		Last Home WinNov. 28 (vs. Johnson & Wales)	
NCCU scored 80+ points	87 vs. Longwood (11/14/17)	6. Florida A&M 185		Last Road WinJan. 3 (at Delaware St.)	
An opponent scored 80+ points	89 at UNCW (12/3/17)	7. Maryland Eastern Shore 184 (1)		Last Home LossDec. 21 (vs. Campbell)	
		8. Morgan State 166		Last Road LossDec. 30 (at USC Upstate)	
		9. Coppin State 155			
		10. Savannah State 97		Double-Doubles (Career)	
		11. Delaware State 93		Paulina Afriyie4 (4)	
		12. South Carolina State 78		Rodneysha Martin1 (1)	
		13. North Carolina Central 70		Caira Benton1 (1)	
				Games As Leading Scorer	
				Rodneysha Martin7	
				Sami Oliver-Alexander3	
				Paulina Afriyie3	
				Jayla Calhoun1	
				Dominique Adams1	
				Game As Leading Rebounder	
				Paulina Afriyie5	
				Rodneysha Martin2	
				Deja McCain2	
				Dominique Adams2	
				Alyssa Thompson1	
				Caira Benton1	
				Jayla Calhoun1	
				Game As Leader in Assists	
				Rodneysha Martin10	
				Kieche White4	
				Dominique Adams3	
				Paulina Afriyie2	
				Jayla Calhoun1	
				Ezinne Mbamalu1	
				Alyssa Thompson1	
				Game As Leader in Blocks	
				Paulina Afriyie7	
				Alyssa Thompson2	
				Jayla Calhoun2	
				Dominique Adams2	
				Ezinne Mbamalu1	
				Caira Benton1	
				Kierona Morton1	
				Caira Benton1	
				Game As Leader in Steals	
				Caira Benton5	
				Rodneysha Martin4	
				Kieche White4	
				Dominique Adams4	
				Jayla Calhoun2	
				Jada Blow1	
				Sami Oliver-Alexander1	
				20-Plus Point Games	
				Rodneysha Martin3	
				Sami Oliver-Alexander2	
				Jayla Calhoun1	
				Kieche White1	
				Paulina Afriyie1	
				Double-Figure Scoring Games	
				Rodneysha Martin9	
				Paulina Afriyie6	
				Kieche White4	
				Sami Oliver-Alexander3	
				Caira Benton3	
				Jayla Calhoun2	
				Dominique Adams2	
				Jada Blow1	
				Double-Figure Rebounding Games	
				Paulina Afriyie4	
				Rodneysha Martin1	
				Caira Benton1	
				Jayla Calhoun1	

MEAC STANDINGS (thru games Jan. 6)

<u>Institution</u>	<u>MEAC REC./PCT.</u>		<u>OVERALL REC./PCT.</u>	
Bethune-Cookman	2-0	1.000	10-4	.714
Morgan State	2-0	1.000	9-6	.600
Norfolk State	1-0	1.000	8-5	.615
Hampton	1-0	1.000	4-9	.308
North Carolina Central	1-0	1.000	3-11	.214
Florida A&M	1-1	.500	3-12	.200
Coppin State	1-1	.500	2-12	.143
Delaware State	1-1	.500	2-13	.133
North Carolina A&T	0-0	---	5-7	.417
Savannah State	0-1	.000	2-10	.167
South Carolina State	0-2	.000	5-9	.357
Howard	0-2	.000	4-11	.267
Maryland Eastern Shore	0-2	.000	3-11	.214

MEAC WEEKLY HONORS

	<u>Player of the Week</u>	<u>Rookie of the Week</u>	<u>Defensive Player of the Week</u>
WEEK 1:	M. Finney-Smith (HAM)	Curstyn Moore (HOW)	Ashanti Hunt (BCU)
WEEK 2:	Jayla Calhoun (NCCU)	Maraiyah Smith (CSU)	Kayla Roberts (NSU)
WEEK 3:	M. Finney-Smith (HAM)	Baresha Gill-Miles (MDES)	Kayla Roberts (NSU)
WEEK 4:	Lexus Spears (MSU)	Brianna Battle (BCU)	Alexus Lessears (NCAT)
WEEK 5:	Ouattara (FAMU)/Foy (NCAT)	Tariah Johnson (HOW)	Le'on Hill (NCAT)
WEEK 6:	Kayla Roberts (BCU)	Battle (BCU)/Gill-Miles (MDES)	Khadedra Croker (NSU)
WEEK 7:	Angel Golden (BCU)	Baresha Gill-Miles (MDES)	Khadedra Croker (NSU)
WEEK 8:	Edmond (HOW)Spears (MSU)	Curstyn Moore (HOW)	Jayla Myles (HOW)
WEEK 9:			
WEEK10:			
WEEK 11:			
WEEK 12:			
WEEK 13:			
WEEK 14:			
WEEK 15:			
WEEK 16:			
WEEK 17:			

2017-18 NCCU GAME HIGHS/LOWS

NCCU TEAM HIGH / LOW

<u>CATEGORY</u>
87 (vs. Longwood) / 44 (vs. Oregon St.)POINTS
30 (vs. Longwood) / 13 (at Colorado St.)FIELD GOALS MADE
44.1% (vs. Longwood) / 21.9% (vs. Oregon St.)FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE
9 (at USC Upstate) / 2 (at Wofford)3-PT. FG MADE
22 (vs. Longwood) / 6 (vs. Johnson & Wales)FREE THROWS MADE
52 (x2 last vs. Johnson & Wales) / 28 (x2 last at Iowa St.)REBOUNDS
18 (vs. Johnson & Wales) / 5 (x2 last at Presbyterian)ASSISTS
18 (vs. Johnson & Wales) / 5 (vs. Longwood)STEALS
9 (vs. Johnson & Wales) / 0 (at Presbyterian)BLOCKS
32 (at Elon) / 15 (at UNCW)TURNOVERS
27 (x2 last at Presbyterian) / 14 (vs. Campbell)FOULS

NCCU INDIVIDUAL HIGH

<u>CATEGORY</u>
25 (Jayla Calhoun vs. Longwood)POINTS
9 (Rodneysha Martin at Elon)FIELD GOALS MADE
70.0% (Paulina Afriyie at Delaware St.)FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE (MIN. 5)
5 (x3 last by Kieche White at Delaware St.)3-PT. FG MADE
9 (Jayla Calhoun vs. Longwood)FREE THROWS MADE
15 (Paulina Afriyie x2 last at Delaware St.)REBOUNDS
5 (Rodneysha Martin at USC Upstate)ASSISTS
4 (x3 last by Rodneysha Martin at Elon)STEALS
3 (x4 last by J. Calhoun & P. Afriyie vs. JWU)BLOCKS

2017-18 SPECIALTY STATS (NCCU POINTS/OPP POINTS)

<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Paint</u>	<u>Off T/O</u>	<u>2nd Ch.</u>	<u>Fast Br.</u>	<u>Bench</u>
Longwood	40/42	20/18	15/15	7/4	31/12
at Wofford	24/30	11/14	12/14	2/4	24/8
Oregon St.	10/40	17/17	3/17	4/12	19/40
at Colorado St.	6/42	1/23	0/22	0/10	13/45
Johnson & Wales	36/14	28/12	18/20	14/4	36/4
at UNCW	14/42	18/18	7/14	4/8	19/29
at Coastal Carolina	14/36	20/22	18/7	6/6	19/4
at Iowa State	10/46	8/38	7/13	2/11	29/48
at East Carolina	20/36	16/31	9/14	2/8	46/25
at Presbyterian	28/12	13/13	11/2	0/6	19/17
at Elon	14/52	7/33	12/17	2/20	8/38
Campbell	18/24	16/18	12/7	0/2	27/4
at USC Upstate	18/32	14/27	14/8	0/6	9/28
at Delaware State	28/38	25/17	14/15	4/8	39/25
Norfolk St.					
Coppin St.					

<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Paint</u>	<u>Off T/O</u>	<u>2nd Ch.</u>	<u>Fast Br.</u>	<u>Bench</u>
Morgan St.					
at Howard					
at Md. Eastern Shore					
at North Carolina A&T					
Delaware St.					
Hampton					
at Florida A&M					
at Bethune-Cookman					
Md. Eastern Shore					
Howard					
at South Carolina St.					
at Savannah State					
North Carolina A&T					

NCCU HEAD COACH TRISHA STAFFORD-ODOM



THE STAFFORD-ODOM FILE

Alma Mater: California, 1992

Head Coaching Experience

N.C. Central (1st Season)
2017-18 to Present
Record: 3-11 (.214)

Concordia (3 Seasons)
2013-14 to 2015-16
Record: 37-45 (.451)

OVERALL (4th Season)
Record: 40-56 (.417)

Trisha Stafford-Odom was announced as North Carolina Central University's ninth head women's basketball coach in May of 2017. She has a reputation as one of the nation's top recruiters and has over 10 years of coaching experience, including stints at UNC and Duke.

The former Women's National Basketball Association (WNBA) player and collegiate hall of fame inductee returns to The Triangle to continue her head coaching career after last coaching three seasons at Concordia University Irvine from 2013-2016. Prior to that, Stafford-Odom was a successful assistant coach for four seasons with both the UNC Tar Heels and Duke Blue Devils. She began her collegiate coaching career as an assistant for the UCLA Bruins.

Stafford-Odom won the Concordia Eagles first conference championship in 18 years to highlight her time coaching in California. In her second season as head coach, CUI posted a 23-7 record and won the Golden State Athletic Conference (GSAC) Championship. She produced two All-Americans and was named the league's coach of the year.

As an assistant coach at UNC from 2011-2013, Stafford-Odom was a valuable recruiter for the No. 1 nationally-ranked recruiting class in 2013. She aided the development of two WNBA players, two ACC Players of the Year and two ACC Freshmen of the Year while working under the leadership of Naismith Hall of Fame coach Sylvia Hatchell.

Stafford-Odom brought her first No. 1 nationally-ranked recruiting class to Durham when she was an assistant at Duke from 2009-2011. The Blue Devils won the ACC Championship both seasons as she mentored WNBA draft picks, an ACC Tournament MVP, a two-time ACC Academic All-American and a ACC Defensive Player of the Year.

While at UCLA from 2005-2008, Stafford-Odom was the recruiting coordinator for a No. 3 nationally-ranked recruiting class her first season and went on to develop two top-5 WNBA draft picks and the Pac-10 Tournament MVP.

Stafford-Odom was enshrined into the Cal Athletic Hall of Fame in 2013. She led the Golden Bears to their first two NCAA Tournament appearances. She was a multiple All-Pac-10 honoree as well as a Kodak All-America honorable mention. Stafford-Odom averaged 15.3 points during her four seasons (sixth all-time at Cal) and led the Pac-10 in scoring with over 23 points her senior year.

After graduating from the University of California, Berkeley with a degree in mass communications in 1992, Stafford-Odom pursued a professional basketball playing career that included a couple years in the WNBA with Houston (2001) and Miami (2002) as well as time in the ABL, NWBL, NBDL, NBA Entertainment League and European leagues.

Stafford-Odom continued her education while coaching at Concordia Irvine and earned a Master of Arts degree in coaching and athletic administration in 2015, and continues to be a student in the assistant coaches program of the NBA.

Trisha is married to DeWayne and the couple has two sons, Amari and Trajen.

NCCU ASSISTANT COACH TYNESHA LEWIS



Tynesha Lewis joined the NCCU women's basketball coaching staff in June of 2017 as an assistant coach.

"Nothing makes me more comfortable than knowing the very knowledgeable and uber-efficient Tynesha Lewis is ready to be in the trenches with me on the sidelines," said Stafford-Odom. "Her accomplishments as a player and her energetic approach to entrepreneurship and personal growth was revealed to me over the course of our long term-friendship. I am

grateful Coach Ty was willing to reinsert herself into the women's game."

Lewis, who played six seasons in the Women's National Basketball Association (WNBA), returns to The Triangle after playing collegiately at North Carolina State University in Raleigh. She will be working primarily with NCCU's point guards and on shooting the ball.

After being drafted as the 21st overall pick in the 2001 WNBA draft, Lewis played six professional seasons split between the Houston Comets, Charlotte Sting and Minnesota Lynx.

Since retiring in 2007, she has spent most of her time as an educator, motivational speaker and in sales.

Lewis has collegiate coaching experience as an assistant coach with Illinois State University.

The Macclesfield, North Carolina, product had an outstanding collegiate career for the Wolfpack. Lewis was a four-time All-Atlantic Coast Conference (ACC) honoree under coaching legend Kay Yow. She scored 1,621 points for NCSU and finished with career averages of 13.2 points, 5.3 rebounds, 2.8 assists and 1.3 steals. She played on a Final Four team in 1998 and a Sweet 16 squad in 2001.

Lewis graduated from North Carolina State with a Bachelor of Arts degree in chemistry in 2001 before earning a Bachelor of Science degree in biological science in 2014. She continued her education with master's degrees from American InterContinental University (business administration - marketing) and Grand Canyon University (education/curriculum - integration of technology).

NCCU ASSISTANT COACH A.G. HALL



Hall, who was an assistant for the Lady Eagles when they advanced to the NCAA Division II Tournament on back-to-back seasons at the start of the millennium, returns to the NCCU coaching staff after having gained head coaching experience in July of 2017.

He spent four years as head coach at Winston-Salem State University from 2012-16, which included a pair of 15-win seasons. The Rams 2012-13 squad under Hall was ranked No. 2 in NCAA Division II in team defense, allowing just 51 points per game.

"Adding the wisdom and experience of A.G. is something I am very proud of," said Stafford-Odom. "I have seen him operate with professionalism throughout his coaching years. He has a calming demeanor and a motor that motivates players to push harder. For me to find an individual who walked the path of a collegiate athlete here at NCCU and who has posted winning seasons as a college head coach, I am thrilled. I know the influx of knowledge A.G. will share will help move our program forward."

Hall has a total of 16 years of collegiate women's basketball coaching experience, which features 10 years as an assistant at the Division I level between Providence College (2002-08), Clemson University (2008-10) and Bethune-Cookman University (2010-12).

After graduating NCCU with a Bachelor of Business Administration (B.B.A.) with a major in accounting in 1998, Hall started his coaching career at his alma mater for two seasons from 2000-02. The Lady Eagles went 49-13 over that span, winning consecutive Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association (CIAA) Western Division titles before advancing to the NCAA Tournament both seasons. The 2001-02 team in Hall's second season won its first two tourney games before being eliminated in the round of 16.

Hall played 58 games for the Eagles and was a teammate with current NCCU head men's basketball coach LeVelle Moton.

NCCU DIRECTOR OF OPERATION CLARISSA ADAMS



Adams will serve as the director of basketball operations at NCCU beginning in 2017-18 after spending the past decade with the women's basketball program at the University of North Carolina.

While in Chapel Hill, Adams served as the director of student-athlete development/recruiting assistant under the leadership of Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame inducted coaching legend Sylvia Hatchell since 2007. Her tenure at UNC included two seasons with Stafford-Odom, who was an assistant coach for the Tar Heels from 2011-2013.

"There was an instantaneous aura of professionalism when I met Clarissa years ago," said Stafford-Odom. "Her uncanny ability to promote positive alternatives and to bring resolve to situations that appear unresolvable render her invaluable. Clarissa will be

an essential resource to our student-athletes as they navigate their way through college and prepare for life after athletics. She will bring life to the community and media presence of women's basketball, and she will effectively communicate the daily and long term direction of our program."

Adams, who worked with the UNC football and men's basketball teams as an undergraduate, earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in exercise and sports science from UNC in 2005. She started her career in collegiate athletics by working in both the UNC football operations and recruiting departments before moving over to women's basketball program two years later.

Adams is a National Academy of Sports Medicine (NASM) certified personal trainer.

LAST TIME OUT

Official Basketball Box Score -- Game Totals -- Final Statistics N.C. Central vs Delaware State 01/03/18 5:30 PM at Dover, Del. (Memorial Hall)



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##	Player		Total		3-Ptr	Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
			FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot							
03	OLIVER-ALEXANDER,Sa	f	3-8	3-8	0-0	1	2	3	3	9	1	4	0	1	24
04	AFRIYIE,Paulina	f	7-10	0-0	8-13	8	7	15	3	22	0	2	0	1	33
00	MARTIN,Rodneysha	g	1-8	0-1	2-2	0	2	2	2	4	2	3	0	0	24
12	ADAMS,Dominique	g	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	3	3	3	0	1	4	0	3	37
15	CALHOUN,Jayla	g	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	7
05	BENTON,Caira		2-9	0-1	6-6	1	2	3	1	10	1	1	1	2	23
10	THOMPSON,Alyssa		0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
11	BLOW,Jada		0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
22	MCCAIN,Deja		3-5	0-0	3-3	3	4	7	3	9	1	4	0	1	23
40	WHITE,Kieche		7-13	5-10	1-3	0	2	2	0	20	2	1	0	3	20
Team						1	0	1				1			
Totals			23-58	8-21	20-27	14	24	38	16	74	8	21	1	11	200

1st - FG %: 4-12 33.3% 2nd: 4-16 25.0% 3rd: 7-18 38.9% 4th: 8-12 66.7% Game: 23-58 39.7% Deadball
3FG %: 2-6 33.3% 1-5 20.0% 3-6 50.0% 2-4 50.0% 8-21 38.1% Rebounds
FT %: 2-4 50.0% 2-2 100.0% 7-10 70.0% 9-11 81.8% 20-27 74.1% 5

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##	Player		Total		3-Ptr	Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
			FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot							
23	JACKSON,Arion	f	6-9	0-0	0-0	1	4	5	4	12	1	2	0	3	29
32	SHARPE,Alycea	f	0-2	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	4	0	4	1	0	0	21
01	JONES,Ryan	g	5-8	1-2	1-2	3	1	4	1	12	4	3	0	2	36
21	BARBER,Keke	g	4-7	1-3	0-0	2	6	8	1	9	1	4	0	0	32
34	ASHE,Lanayjha	g	4-15	1-2	0-0	0	3	3	3	9	5	2	0	1	38
00	ADDISON,Genell		1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	3
03	CARROLL-JACKSON,Ny		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	3	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	8
20	WILLIAMS,Syonah		1-4	0-0	0-0	2	0	2	2	2	0	1	0	0	7
22	POLLARD,NaJai		7-16	0-1	7-10	2	2	4	3	21	1	5	0	2	25
31	BONEFONT,Asia		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	1
Team						1	2	3				1			
Totals			28-62	3-8	8-12	12	23	35	20	67	16	23	0	8	200

1st - FG %: 8-18 44.4% 2nd: 8-16 50.0% 3rd: 6-12 50.0% 4th: 6-16 37.5% Game: 28-62 45.2% Deadball
3FG %: 1-3 33.3% 0-1 0.0% 2-3 66.7% 0-1 0.0% 3-8 37.5% Rebounds
FT %: 0-0 0.0% 0-0 0.0% 4-8 50.0% 4-4 100.0% 8-12 66.7% 2

Officials: Anthony Lippa, Linda Miles, Danielle Head-Shakur
Technical fouls: N.C. Central-None. Delaware State-None.
Attendance: 187

Score by periods	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
N.C. Central	12	11	24	27	74
Delaware State	17	16	18	16	67

	In	Off	2nd	Fast	
Points	Paint	T/O	Chance	Break	Bench
NCCU	28	25	14	4	39
DSUW	38	17	15	8	25

Last FG - NCCU 4th-00:48, DSUW 4th-00:25.
Largest lead - NCCU by 10 4th-00:48, DSUW by 21 3rd-07:41.
NCCU led for 09:28. DSUW led for 28:31. Game was tied for 01:53.

Score tied - 5 times.
Lead changed - 5 times.

2016-17 COMBINED STATS

North Carolina Central University N.C. Central Combined Team Statistics (as of Jan 03, 2018) All games



RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	3-11	2-2	1-9	0-0
CONFERENCE	1-0	0-0	1-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	2-11	2-2	0-9	0-0

#	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds				pf	dq	a	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
					fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fa	ft%	off	def	tot	avg								
00	MARTIN,Rodneysha	14-14	409	29.2	59-177	.333	19-56	.339	44-53	.830	9	36	45	3.2	36	2	34	62	0	20	181	12.9
04	AFRIYIE,Paulina	14-8	283	20.2	43-91	.473	0-2	.000	30-47	.638	41	57	98	7.0	30	0	10	27	12	10	116	8.3
03	OLIVER-ALEXANDER,	14-4	276	19.7	32-91	.352	23-71	.324	15-18	.833	11	14	25	1.8	33	0	9	28	1	13	102	7.3
40	WHITE,Kieche	14-2	199	14.2	32-75	.427	20-43	.465	7-12	.583	3	12	15	1.1	15	0	18	25	0	17	91	6.5
15	CALHOUN,Jayla	10-8	202	20.2	21-64	.328	0-2	.000	17-21	.810	14	30	44	4.4	30	2	8	30	6	7	59	5.9
05	BENTON,Caira	14-10	256	18.3	31-78	.397	0-5	.000	12-14	.857	19	28	47	3.4	17	0	11	31	4	18	74	5.3
12	ADAMS,Dominique	14-10	407	29.1	17-66	.258	4-29	.138	16-24	.667	17	27	44	3.1	32	1	22	28	3	16	54	3.9
22	MCCAIN,Deja	13-3	234	18.0	17-51	.333	0-0	.000	14-15	.933	19	26	45	3.5	30	0	6	32	1	8	48	3.7
44	MBAMALU,Ezinne	3-1	25	8.3	3-9	.333	0-1	.000	5-8	.625	2	4	6	2.0	9	0	2	1	2	0	11	3.7
11	BLOW,Jada	13-0	182	14.0	16-85	.188	11-60	.183	4-6	.667	7	10	17	1.3	15	0	8	9	0	8	47	3.6
10	THOMPSON,Alyssa	14-9	213	15.2	14-37	.378	0-1	.000	7-20	.350	10	41	51	3.6	34	0	8	19	5	8	35	2.5
35	MORTON,Kierona	11-1	89	8.1	5-13	.385	0-0	.000	11-14	.786	7	9	16	1.5	15	0	0	6	1	3	21	1.9
33	HEWITT,Darria	6-0	25	4.2	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	3-4	.750	2	3	5	0.8	4	0	1	1	0	0	7	1.2
Team											33	36	69		1		8					
Total.....		14	2800		292-840	.348	77-270	.285	185-256	.723	194	333	527	37.6	301	5	137	307	35	128	846	60.4
Opponents.....		14	2800		373-852	.438	82-255	.322	224-325	.689	206	384	590	42.1	244	-	231	266	47	135	1052	75.1

TEAM STATISTICS	NCCU	OPP
SCORING	846	1052
Points per game	60.4	75.1
Scoring margin	-14.7	-
FIELD GOALS-ATT	292-840	373-852
Field goal pct	.348	.438
3 POINT FG-ATT	77-270	82-255
3-point FG pct	.285	.322
3-pt FG made per game	5.5	5.9
FREE THROWS-ATT	185-256	224-325
Free throw pct	.723	.689
F-Throws made per game	13.2	16.0
REBOUNDS	527	590
Rebounds per game	37.6	42.1
Rebounding margin	-4.5	-
ASSISTS	137	231
Assists per game	9.8	16.5
TURNOVERS	307	266
Turnovers per game	21.9	19.0
Turnover margin	-2.9	-
Assist/turnover ratio	0.4	0.9
STEALS	128	135
Steals per game	9.1	9.6
BLOCKS	35	47
Blocks per game	2.5	3.4
ATTENDANCE	2003	19991
Home games-Avg/Game	4-501	10-1999
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/14/17	LONGWOOD	w	87-75	786
11/21/17	at Wofford	L	56-77	1657
11/22/17	OREGON STATE	L	44-97	219
11/25/17	at Colorado State	L	48-85	1157
11/28/17	JOHNSON & WALES	w	68-51	545
12/03/17	at UNCW	L	63-89	673
12/08/17	at Coastal Carolina	L	65-68	242
12/10/17	at Iowa State	L	58-99	9664
12/14/17	at East Carolina	L	61-73	5306
12/17/17	at Presbyterian	L	60-69	204
12/19/17	at Elon	L	50-78	709
12/21/17	CAMPBELL	L	51-58	453
12/30/17	at USC Upstate	L	61-66	192
* 01/03/18	at Delaware State	w	74-67	187

* - MEAC game

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Totals
N.C. Central	206	177	222	241	846
Opponents	271	249	270	262	1052

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ADAMS,Dominique

			Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds										Scoring	
Season	gp-gs	min/avg	fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
2015-16	28-10	782/27.9	50-145	.345	8-40	.200	31-58	.534	48	59	107	3.8	51	0	30	47	4	24	139	5.0
2016-17	29-29	1045/36.0	57-222	.257	18-76	.237	60-94	.638	64	73	137	4.7	75	4	33	55	5	25	192	6.6
2017-18	14-10	407/29.1	17-66	.258	4-29	.138	16-24	.667	17	27	44	3.1	32	1	22	28	3	16	54	3.9
TOTAL	71-49	2234/31.5	124-433	.286	30-145	.207	107-176	.608	129	159	288	4.1	158	5	85	130	12	65	385	5.4

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

Points: 17, at Coppin State -- 02/06/17

Rebounds: 10, at Winthrop -- 11/28/15

Assists: 5, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

Steals: 4, Johnson & Wales -- 11/18/16

Blocks: 1, 12 times

FG made: 5, Furman -- 01/04/16; at Delaware State -- 01/27/16; N.C. A&T -- 02/06/16

FG attempts: 12, Johnson & Wales -- 11/18/16; Wofford -- 12/03/16

3FG made: 3, USC Upstate -- 01/03/17; Savannah State -- 02/27/17

3FG attempts: 7, Savannah State -- 02/27/17

FT made: 12 [t-2nd], at Coppin State -- 02/06/17

FT attempts: 12, at Coppin State -- 02/06/17

AFRIYIE,Paulina

			Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds										Scoring	
Season	gp-gs	min/avg	fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
2016-17	28-5	431/15.4	25-64	.391	0-0	.000	13-26	.500	57	97	154	5.5	59	1	4	29	18	14	63	2.3
2017-18	14-8	283/20.2	43-91	.473	0-2	.000	30-47	.638	41	57	98	7.0	30	0	10	27	12	10	116	8.3
TOTAL	42-13	714/17.0	68-155	.439	0-2	.000	43-73	.589	98	154	252	6.0	89	1	14	56	30	24	179	4.3

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

Points: 22, at Delaware State -- 01/03/18

Rebounds: 15, at Delaware State -- 01/03/18; Campbell -- 12/21/17

Assists: 3, Longwood -- 11/14/17

Steals: 2, 4 times

Blocks: 4 [t-4th], Bethune-Cookman -- 02/25/17

FG made: 7, at Delaware State -- 01/03/18; at Presbyterian -- 12/17/17; Campbell -- 12/21/17

FG attempts: 15, Campbell -- 12/21/17

3FG attempts: 1, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17; at East Carolina -- 12/14/17

FT made: 8, at Delaware State -- 01/03/18

FT attempts: 13 [t-8th], at Delaware State -- 01/03/18

BENTON,Caira

			Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds										Scoring	
Season	gp-gs	min/avg	fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
2017-18	14-10	256/18.3	31-78	.397	0-5	.000	12-14	.857	19	28	47	3.4	17	0	11	31	4	18	74	5.3
TOTAL	14-10	256/18.3	31-78	.397	0-5	.000	12-14	.857	19	28	47	3.4	17	0	11	31	4	18	74	5.3

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

Points: 14, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

Rebounds: 10, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

Assists: 4, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

Steals: 4, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

Blocks: 2, at UNCW -- 12/03/17

FG made: 7, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

FG attempts: 15, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

3FG attempts: 1, 5 times

FT made: 6, at Delaware State -- 01/03/18

FT attempts: 6, at Delaware State -- 01/03/18

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BLOW,Jada

Season	gp-gs	min/avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	Scoring	
			fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg							pts	avg
2016-17	27-6	566/21.0	52-221	.235	32-116	.276	38-52	.731	20	31	51	1.9	29	0	37	55	1	29	174	6.4
2017-18	13-0	182/14.0	16-85	.188	11-60	.183	4-6	.667	7	10	17	1.3	15	0	8	9	0	8	47	3.6
TOTAL	40-6	748/18.7	68-306	.222	43-176	.244	42-58	.724	27	41	68	1.7	44	0	45	64	1	37	221	5.5

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

Points: 28 [t-9th], at Old Dominion -- 11/27/16

Rebounds: 6, Pfeiffer -- 11/11/16

Assists: 4, at Old Dominion -- 11/27/16; Wofford -- 12/03/16

Steals: 5, at Howard -- 02/20/17

Blocks: 1, Wofford -- 12/03/16

FG made: 9, at Howard -- 02/20/17

FG attempts: 19, at Howard -- 02/20/17

3FG made: 6 [t-3rd], at Howard -- 02/20/17

3FG attempts: 14 [t-4th], at Howard -- 02/20/17

FT made: 9, at Old Dominion -- 11/27/16

FT attempts: 14 [t-5th], at Old Dominion -- 11/27/16

CALHOUN,Jayla

Season	gp-gs	min/avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	Scoring	
			fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg							pts	avg
2015-16	16-0	105/6.6	17-40	.425	0-5	.000	5-6	.833	4	17	21	1.3	12	0	5	11	7	3	39	2.4
2016-17	21-7	189/9.0	16-64	.250	1-4	.250	4-8	.500	8	32	40	1.9	27	0	3	15	3	5	37	1.8
2017-18	10-8	202/20.2	21-64	.328	0-2	.000	17-21	.810	14	30	44	4.4	30	2	8	30	6	7	59	5.9
TOTAL	47-15	496/10.6	54-168	.321	1-11	.091	26-35	.743	26	79	105	2.2	69	2	16	56	16	15	135	2.9

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

Points: 25, Longwood -- 11/14/17

Rebounds: 10, at USC Upstate -- 12/30/17

Assists: 2, Longwood -- 11/14/17; at Colorado State -- 11/25/17; Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

Steals: 2, 4 times

Blocks: 3, Longwood -- 11/14/17; Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

FG made: 8, Longwood -- 11/14/17

FG attempts: 12, Longwood -- 11/14/17

3FG made: 1, Presbyterian -- 12/20/16

3FG attempts: 2, at Wofford -- 12/15/15; Presbyterian -- 12/20/16

FT made: 9, Longwood -- 11/14/17

FT attempts: 10, Longwood -- 11/14/17

HEWITT,Darria

Season	gp-gs	min/avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	Scoring	
			fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg							pts	avg
2017-18	6-0	25/4.2	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	3-4	.750	2	3	5	0.8	4	0	1	1	0	0	7	1.2
TOTAL	6-0	25/4.2	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	3-4	.750	2	3	5	0.8	4	0	1	1	0	0	7	1.2

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

Points: 3, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

Rebounds: 2, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17; at Elon -- 12/19/17

Assists: 1, at UNCW -- 12/03/17

FG made: 1, at Wofford -- 11/21/17; Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

FG attempts: 2, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

FT made: 2, at Elon -- 12/19/17

FT attempts: 2, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17; at Elon -- 12/19/17

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MARTIN,Rodneysha

			Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds											Scoring	
Season	gp-gs	min/avg	fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg	
2015-16	27-1	232/8.6	22-90	.244	5-18	.278	11-13	.846	13	13	26	1.0	24	1	10	31	3	10	60	2.2	
2016-17	26-14	407/15.7	46-139	.331	14-34	.412	43-51	.843	10	29	39	1.5	55	2	32	42	4	11	149	5.7	
2017-18	14-14	409/29.2	59-177	.333	19-56	.339	44-53	.830	9	36	45	3.2	36	2	34	62	0	20	181	12.9	
TOTAL	67-29	1048/15.6	127-406	.313	38-108	.352	98-117	.838	32	78	110	1.6	115	5	76	135	7	41	390	5.8	

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

Points: 25, Md. Eastern Shore -- 01/11/17

Rebounds: 10, Longwood -- 11/14/17

Assists: 5, at USC Upstate -- 12/30/17

Steals: 4, at Elon -- 12/19/17

Blocks: 2, Presbyterian -- 12/20/16

FG made: 9, at Elon -- 12/19/17

FG attempts: 17, Oregon State -- 11/22/17; at Coastal Carolina -- 12/08/17

3FG made: 5 [t-7th], at Colorado State -- 11/25/17

3FG attempts: 8, at Colorado State -- 11/25/17; at UNCW -- 12/03/17

FT made: 11 [t-5th], Md. Eastern Shore -- 01/11/17

FT attempts: 12, Md. Eastern Shore -- 01/11/17

MBAMALU,Ezinne

			Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds											Scoring	
Season	gp-gs	min/avg	fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg	
2017-18	3-1	25/8.3	3-9	.333	0-1	.000	5-8	.625	2	4	6	2.0	9	0	2	1	2	0	11	3.7	
TOTAL	3-1	25/8.3	3-9	.333	0-1	.000	5-8	.625	2	4	6	2.0	9	0	2	1	2	0	11	3.7	

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

Points: 5, at Wofford -- 11/21/17

Rebounds: 3, at Colorado State -- 11/25/17

Assists: 2, at Colorado State -- 11/25/17

Blocks: 2, at Colorado State -- 11/25/17

FG made: 2, at Wofford -- 11/21/17

FG attempts: 4, at Wofford -- 11/21/17

3FG attempts: 1, at Wofford -- 11/21/17

FT made: 3, Oregon State -- 11/22/17

FT attempts: 4, Oregon State -- 11/22/17

MCCAIN,Deja

			Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds										Scoring	
Season	gp-gs	min/avg	fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
2015-16	28-0	484/17.3	26-74	.351	0-0	.000	19-35	.543	38	62	100	3.6	40	1	7	33	2	3	71	2.5
2016-17	29-23	759/26.2	45-142	.317	0-1	.000	66-87	.759	60	95	155	5.3	65	2	12	76	13	34	156	5.4
2017-18	13-3	234/18.0	17-51	.333	0-0	.000	14-15	.933	19	26	45	3.5	30	0	6	32	1	8	48	3.7
TOTAL	70-26	1477/21.1	88-267	.330	0-1	.000	99-137	.723	117	183	300	4.3	135	3	25	141	16	45	275	3.9

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

Points: 14, at Norfolk State -- 01/14/17

Rebounds: 11, at Johnson & Wales -- 02/08/16

Assists: 2, 4 times

Steals: 5, Md. Eastern Shore -- 01/11/17

Blocks: 2, at Howard -- 02/20/17; Savannah State -- 02/27/17; at Coastal Carolina -- 11/15/16

FG made: 6, Wofford -- 12/03/16

FG attempts: 13, Wofford -- 12/03/16

3FG attempts: 1, at Old Dominion -- 11/27/16

FT made: 6, at Norfolk State -- 01/14/17; at Delaware State -- 01/30/17

FT attempts: 8, USC Upstate -- 01/03/17; at Norfolk State -- 01/14/17; at Wofford -- 12/15/15

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MORTON, Kierona

			Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds											Scoring	
Season	gp-gs	min/avg	fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg	
2014-15	23-0	290/12.6	28-74	.378	0-0	.000	9-28	.321	21	46	67	2.9	33	0	4	22	7	6	65	2.8	
2015-16	28-26	485/17.3	24-90	.267	0-0	.000	20-32	.625	42	74	116	4.1	51	1	9	37	12	10	68	2.4	
2016-17	28-18	440/15.7	37-92	.402	0-0	.000	21-32	.656	48	60	108	3.9	55	0	7	30	14	9	95	3.4	
2017-18	11-1	89/8.1	5-13	.385	0-0	.000	11-14	.786	7	9	16	1.5	15	0	0	6	1	3	21	1.9	
TOTAL	90-45	1304/14.5	94-269	.349	0-0	.000	61-106	.575	118	189	307	3.4	154	1	20	95	34	28	249	2.8	

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

Points: 10, Savannah State -- 02/29/16

Rebounds: 11, at Norfolk State -- 01/17/15

Assists: 2, Savannah State -- 02/27/17; at Md. Eastern Shore -- 12/06/14

Steals: 2, at Bethune-Cookman -- 02/27/16; at Old Dominion -- 11/27/16; at #1/2 South Carolina -- 12/01/14

Blocks: 4 [t-4th], Savannah State -- 02/29/16; at Furman -- 12/30/16

FG made: 5, Savannah State -- 02/29/16

FG attempts: 12, at Norfolk State -- 01/17/15

FT made: 4, N.C. A&T -- 02/06/16

FT attempts: 6, Howard -- 01/23/17; N.C. A&T -- 02/06/16; at Savannah State -- 03/02/15

OLIVER-ALEXANDER, Sam

			Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds											Scoring	
Season	gp-gs	min/avg	fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg	
2017-18	14-4	276/19.7	32-91	.352	23-71	.324	15-18	.833	11	14	25	1.8	33	0	9	28	1	13	102	7.3	
TOTAL	14-4	276/19.7	32-91	.352	23-71	.324	15-18	.833	11	14	25	1.8	33	0	9	28	1	13	102	7.3	

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

Points: 23, at East Carolina -- 12/14/17

Rebounds: 7, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

Assists: 2, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

Steals: 3, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

Blocks: 1, at Iowa State -- 12/10/17

FG made: 8, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

FG attempts: 18, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

3FG made: 5 [t-7th], at USC Upstate -- 12/30/17

3FG attempts: 13 [t-8th], at USC Upstate -- 12/30/17

FT made: 8, at East Carolina -- 12/14/17

FT attempts: 8, at East Carolina -- 12/14/17

THOMPSON, Alyssa

			Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds											Scoring	
Season	gp-gs	min/avg	fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg	
2017-18	14-9	213/15.2	14-37	.378	0-1	.000	7-20	.350	10	41	51	3.6	34	0	8	19	5	8	35	2.5	
TOTAL	14-9	213/15.2	14-37	.378	0-1	.000	7-20	.350	10	41	51	3.6	34	0	8	19	5	8	35	2.5	

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

Points: 9, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

Rebounds: 8, at Colorado State -- 11/25/17

Assists: 2, at Elon -- 12/19/17; at USC Upstate -- 12/30/17

Steals: 2, at East Carolina -- 12/14/17

Blocks: 2, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

FG made: 4, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

FG attempts: 5, Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

3FG attempts: 1, at Wofford -- 11/21/17

FT made: 1, 7 times

FT attempts: 5, Oregon State -- 11/22/17

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WHITE,Kieche

			Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds											Scoring	
Season	gp-gs	min/avg	fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg	
2017-18	14-2	199/14.2	32-75	.427	20-43	.465	7-12	.583	3	12	15	1.1	15	0	18	25	0	17	91	6.5	
TOTAL	14-2	199/14.2	32-75	.427	20-43	.465	7-12	.583	3	12	15	1.1	15	0	18	25	0	17	91	6.5	

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

Points: 20, at Delaware State -- 01/03/18

Rebounds: 3, Campbell -- 12/21/17

Assists: 4, Campbell -- 12/21/17

Steals: 4, Oregon State -- 11/22/17

FG made: 7, at Delaware State -- 01/03/18

FG attempts: 13, at Delaware State -- 01/03/18

3FG made: 5 [t-7th], at Delaware State -- 01/03/18

3FG attempts: 10, at Delaware State -- 01/03/18

FT made: 2, at East Carolina -- 12/14/17; Campbell -- 12/21/17

FT attempts: 3, at Delaware State -- 01/03/18; Campbell -- 12/21/17

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Rodnesha Martin
Jr. • G • 5-5
Olive Branch, Miss.



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Sami Oliver-Alexander
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San Jose, Calif.



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Paulina Afriyie
So. • F • 5-11
Bronx, N.Y.



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Caira Benton
Jr. • G • 5-9
Duarte, Calif.



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Alyssa Thompson
Fr. • F • 6-1
Charlotte, N.C.



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Jada Blow
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Chicago, Ill.



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Head Coach



Tynesha Lewis
Assistant Coach



A.G. Hall
Assistant Coach



Clarissa Adams
Director of Basketball Ops

Pronunciation Guide

ROD-knee-sha Martin
Paulina a-FREE-A
KY-rah Benton
KEER-row-nah or Kay Morton
KEE-shay White
ehz-NAY M-ba-malu
TY-nee-sha Lewis