

NCCU

EAGLES BASKETBALL



**N.C. CENTRAL
Eagles**

(6-18, 4-7 MEAC)

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GAME

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**EASTERN SHORE
Hawks**

(8-16, 5-7 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.*	L, 60-75
13 (Sat.)	COPPIN ST.*	W, 60-52
15 (Mon.)	MORGAN ST.*	W, 60-57
20 (Sat.)	at Howard*	L, 54-69
22 (Mon.)	at Md. Eastern Shore*	L, 73-84
22 (Sat.)	at North Carolina A&T*	L, 54-67

FEBRUARY

03 (Sat.)	DELAWARE ST.*	W, 76-60
05 (Mon.)	HAMPTON*	L, 62-53
10 (Sat.)	at Florida A&M*	L, 81-84 (OT)
12 (Mon.)	at Bethune-Cookman*	L, 47-57
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	

Saturday, Feb. 17 • 4:00 PM • Durham, N.C. • McDougald-McLendon Arena

EASTERN SHORE HAWKS

LOCATION.....Princess Anne, Md.
CONFERENCE.....Mid-Eastern Athletic
LAST GAME..... W, 83-79 (Feb. 12)
at Howard (Washington, D.C.)
HEAD COACH.....Fred Batchelor (Valley Forge, '88)
BCU RECORD.....14th Season, 171-237
CAREER RECORD.....18th Season, 231-283

NCCU EAGLES

LOCATION.....Durham, N.C.
CONFERENCE.....Mid-Eastern Athletic
LAST GAME.....L, 47-57 (Feb. 12)
at Bethune-Cookman (Daytona Beach, Fla.)
HEAD COACH.....Trisha Stafford-Odom (California, '92)
NCCU RECORD.....1st Season, 6-18
CAREER RECORD.....4th Season, 43-63

NCCU vs. MDES

SERIES.....MDES leads 11-3
LAST MEETING.....L, 73-84 (Jan. 22, 2018)
at Eastern Shore (Princess Anne, Md.)
STREAK.....L2
AUDIO.....NCCU Sports Network
STATS.....NCCUEaglePride.com
TWITTER.....@NCCUAthletics or @NCCUWBB

NCCU PROBABLE STARTERS

40 Kieche White	5-4	Fr.	G	8.5 PPG
00 Rodneysha Martin	5-5	Jr.	G	13.0 PPG
05 Caira Benton	5-9	Jr.	G	6.2 PPG
22 Deja McCain	5-10	Jr.	F	4.0 RPPG
04 Paulina Afriyie	5-11	So.	F	8.0 RPG

STATISTICAL COMPARISON

MDES	CATEGORY	NCCU
62.5	Points Per Game	61.0
64.9	Opponents Points Per Game	71.6
-2.3	Scoring Margin	-10.6
36.0%	Field Goal Percentage	34.6%
39.7%	Opp. Field Goal Percentage	40.6%
24.7%	3-Point Field Goal Percentage	27.1%
31.7%	Opp. 3-Point Field Goal Percentage	30.0%
60.7%	Free Throw Percentage	71.0%
41.5	Rebounds Per Game	40.6
40.0	Opp. Rebounds Per Game	44.2
+1.5	Rebounding Margin	-3.7
4.5	3-Pointers Per Game	4.8
5.7	Opp. 3-Pointers Per Game	5.1
2.7	Blocks Per Game	3.3
10.1	Steals Per Game	8.7
12.4	Assists Per Game	10.4
16.7	Turnovers Per Game	21.2
20.0	Opp. Turnovers Per Game	18.5

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





February 16, 2018

PREVIEW: @NCCUWBB Hosts Eastern Shore and Howard "Senior Day" for Morton on Saturday

DURHAM, N.C. – The North Carolina Central University women's basketball team will try and improve on its winning record at home and make a late season push up the Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference (MEAC) standings when the Eagles host University of Maryland Eastern Shore (Saturday, 2 PM) and Howard University (Monday, 4 PM) in McDougald-McLendon Arena.

N.C. Central Women's Basketball

The Eagles return home after dropping a pair of games in the Sunshine State to Florida A&M University (84-81 OT) and Bethune-Cookman University (57-47). NCCU (6-18 Overall, 4-7 MEAC) is tied for ninth place in the league standings, but within two games of sixth place.

Junior Rodneysha Martin is NCCU's top scorer at 13 points per game. Martin, who is one of the league's best free throw shooters at 83%, also paces the Eagles with 2.2 assists per contest.

Sophomore Paulina Afriyie ranks amongst the conference leaders in rebounds (8.0 rpg), blocks (1.2 bpg) and field goal percentage (46.7%). Afriyie, who has seven double-doubles on the season, is nearly averaging a double-double of 12.2 points and 9.9 rebounds per game in league play.

Freshman Kieche White continues to increase her scoring output and is averaging 8.5 points per game. White is a 38.6-percent accurate shooter from 3-point range and matches Martin and Afriyie with 12.2 points per game in MEAC tilts.

NCCU's next five scorers are all juniors and they all have the potential to have a big game for the maroon and gray, including Caira Benton, Sami Oliver-Alexander, Jayla Calhoun, Deja McCain and Dominique Adams.

NCCU dropped its first showdown to Eastern Shore, 84-73, in Princess Anne, Maryland, on Jan. 22. White scored a career-high 28 points while Martin (19 points) and Afriyie (15) both scored in double figures.

Maryland Eastern Shore Women's Basketball

The Hawks have gone 4-2 over the last three weeks starting with the win over NCCU and they are coming off an 83-79 win at Howard on Monday. Maryland Eastern Shore (8-16 Overall, 5-7 MEAC) is tied for seventh in the league standings.

Freshman forward Bairesha Gill-Miles has immediately become an impact player for the Hawks, leading the squad with 10.8 points and 7.7 rebounds per game. She has earned five MEAC Rookie of the Week awards.

Junior guard Ciani Byrom – a MEAC All-Rookie honoree in 2015-16 – also averages double-figure scoring with 10.6 points per game. Senior forward Jordyn Smith adds provides 8.9 points and 6.3 rebounds per game, including 10.1 points and 7.1 rebounds per game in league play. Senior guard Martha Thompson chips in 7.2 points and leads the Hawks with 2.1 assists and 1.5 steals per game.

Eastern Shore outrebounded the Eagles by 14, 48-34, with 25 offensive rebounds in its 11-point win over NCCU last month. Gill-Miles led the victors with 20 points, 10 rebounds and four assists.

-EAGLE PRIDE-

LAST TIME IT HAPPENED... (SINCE D1 TRANSITION)		MEAC PRESEASON POLL		2017-18 MISCELLANEOUS STATS	
TEAM SCORING		1. Hampton 320 (13)		Current StreakL3	
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 StreakL4	
NCCU scored 90+ points	95 vs. Fayetteville St. (12/8/07)	4. Norfolk State 232		Last WinFeb. 3 (vs. Delaware State)	
An opponent scored 90+ points	99 at Iowa State (12/10/17)	5. Howard 223		Last Home WinFeb. 3 (vs. Delaware State)	
NCCU scored 80+ points	81 at Florida A&M (2/10/18)	6. Florida A&M 185		Last Road WinJan. 3 (at Delaware St.)	
An opponent scored 80+ points	84 at Florida A&M (2/10/18)	7. Maryland Eastern Shore 184 (1)		Last Home LossFeb. 5 (vs. Hampton)	
		8. Morgan State 166		Last Road LossFeb. 12 (at Bethune-Cookman)	
		9. Coppin State 155			
		10. Savannah State 97		Double-Doubles (Career)	
		11. Delaware State 93		Paulina Afriyie7 (7)	
		12. South Carolina State 78		Caira Benton2 (2)	
		13. North Carolina Central 70		Rodneysha Martin1 (1)	
				Games As Leading Scorer	
				Rodneysha Martin10	
				Kieche White4	
				Paulina Afriyie4	
				Sami Oliver-Alexander3	
				Jayla Calhoun1	
				Dominique Adams1	
				Alyssa Thompson1	
				Jada Blow1	
				Game As Leading Rebounder	
				Paulina Afriyie13	
				Caira Benton4	
				Deja McCain3	
				Rodneysha Martin2	
				Dominique Adams2	
				Alyssa Thompson1	
				Jayla Calhoun1	
				Game As Leader in Assists	
				Rodneysha Martin12	
				Kieche White9	
				Dominique Adams6	
				Paulina Afriyie3	
				Jayla Calhoun2	
				Caira Benton2	
				Ezinne Mbamalu1	
				Alyssa Thompson1	
				Game As Leader in Blocks	
				Paulina Afriyie12	
				Alyssa Thompson6	
				Jayla Calhoun4	
				Caira Benton2	
				Dominique Adams2	
				Rodneysha Martin2	
				Ezinne Mbamalu1	
				Caira Benton1	
				Kierona Morton1	
				Game As Leader in Steals	
				Rodneysha Martin7	
				Dominique Adams6	
				Caira Benton6	
				Kieche White5	
				Paulina Afriyie2	
				Jayla Calhoun2	
				Jada Blow1	
				Sami Oliver-Alexander1	
				Alyssa Thompson1	
				20-Plus Point Games	
				Rodneysha Martin5	
				Sami Oliver-Alexander2	
				Kieche White3	
				Jayla Calhoun1	
				Paulina Afriyie1	
				Caira Benton1	
				Double-Figure Scoring Games	
				Rodneysha Martin14	
				Paulina Afriyie13	
				Kieche White9	
				Caira Benton6	
				Sami Oliver-Alexander3	
				Jayla Calhoun2	
				Dominique Adams2	
				Jada Blow2	
				Alyssa Thompson1	
				Double-Figure Rebounding Games	
				Paulina Afriyie8	
				Caira Benton2	
				Rodneysha Martin1	
				Jayla Calhoun1	

MEAC STANDINGS (thru games Feb. 11)

<u>Institution</u>	<u>MEAC REC./PCT.</u>		<u>OVERALL REC./PCT.</u>	
Bethune-Cookman	11-0	1.000	19-4	.826
North Carolina A&T	10-1	.909	15-8	.652
Hampton	8-4	.667	12-13	.480
Norfolk State	7-4	.636	14-9	.609
Morgan State	7-5	.583	14-11	.560
Howard	6-5	.545	10-14	.417
Maryland Eastern Shore	5-7	.417	8-16	.333
Coppin State	5-7	.417	6-18	.250
South Carolina State	4-7	.364	9-14	.391
North Carolina Central	4-7	.364	6-18	.250
Delaware State	3-8	.273	4-20	.167
Florida A&M	3-9	.250	5-20	.200
Savannah State	1-10	.091	4-19	.174

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:	Genesis Lucas (CSU)	Kieche White (NCCU)	Afriyie (NCCU)/Graham (CSU)
WEEK10:	Ayonna Williams (HOW)	Baresha Gill-Miles (MDES)	Paulina Afriyie (NCCU)
WEEK 11:	NaJai Pollard (DSU)	White (NCCU)/Gill-Miles (MDES)	Jayla Myles (HOW)
WEEK 12:	Keke Barber (DSU)	Baresha Gill-Miles (MDES)	Khadedra Croker (NSU)
WEEK 13:	Golden (BCU)/Blair (SCSU)	Jayla Thornton (HOW.)	Sowell (SSU)/Graham (CSU)
WEEK 14:	Angel Golden (BCU)	De'Ayra Davis (FAMU)	Edwards (BCU)/Croker (NSU)
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
31 (at Florida A&M) / 13 (at Colorado St.)FIELD GOALS MADE
47.4% (at Eastern Shore) / 21.9% (vs. Oregon St.)FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE
9 (at USC Upstate) / 0 (vs. Morgan St.)3-PT. FG MADE
22 (x2 last vs. Morgan St.) / 6 (x2 last vs. Hampton)FREE THROWS MADE
59 (vs. Coppin State) / 28 (x2 last at Iowa St.)REBOUNDS
18 (vs. Johnson & Wales) / 5 (x2 last at Presbyterian)ASSISTS
18 (vs. Johnson & Wales) / 4 (at Eastern Shore)STEALS
9 (vs. Johnson & Wales) / 0 (at Presbyterian)BLOCKS
32 (at Elon) / 12 (vs. Delaware State)TURNOVERS
32 (vs. Coppin State) / 13 (vs. Morgan St.)FOULS

NCCU INDIVIDUAL HIGH

<u>CATEGORY</u>
28 (Kieche White at Eastern Shore)POINTS
10 (Kieche White at Eastern Shore)FIELD GOALS MADE
71.4% (Kieche White at Eastern Shore)FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE (MIN. 5)
6 (Kieche White at Eastern Shore)3-PT. FG MADE
9 (R. Martin at Howard / J. Calhoun vs. Longwood)FREE THROWS MADE
17 (Paulina Afriyie vs. Delaware St.)REBOUNDS
5 (Rodneysha Martin at USC Upstate)ASSISTS
5 (C. Benton at FAMU / K. White at BCU)STEALS
4 (Paulina Afriyie vs. Norfolk State)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>	<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	Morgan St.	24/34	11/11	6/8	2/10	29/16
at Wofford	24/30	11/14	12/14	2/4	24/8	at Howard	16/32	10/15	13/14	2/10	18/13
Oregon St.	10/40	17/17	3/17	4/12	19/40	at Md. Eastern Shore	20/32	15/20	10/27	4/2	4/27
at Colorado St.	6/42	1/23	0/22	0/10	13/45	at North Carolina A&T	22/36	13/25	11/14	10/16	14/29
Johnson & Wales	36/14	28/12	18/20	14/4	36/4	Delaware St.	28/30	9/9	16/12	10/2	7/19
at UNCW	14/42	18/18	7/14	4/8	19/29	Hampton	26/34	11/14	11/6	10/10	10/4
at Coastal Carolina	14/36	20/22	18/7	6/6	19/4	at Florida A&M	26/20	21/19	10/15	0/2	19/13
at Iowa State	10/46	8/38	7/13	2/11	29/48	at Bethune-Cookman	28/22	14/19	21/7	0/4	24/9
at East Carolina	20/36	16/31	9/14	2/8	46/25	Md. Eastern Shore					
at Presbyterian	28/12	13/13	11/2	0/6	19/17	Howard					
at Elon	14/52	7/33	12/17	2/20	8/38	at South Carolina St.					
Campbell	18/24	16/18	12/7	0/2	27/4	at Savannah State					
at USC Upstate	18/32	14/27	14/8	0/6	9/28	North Carolina A&T					
at Delaware State	28/38	25/17	14/15	4/8	39/25						
Norfolk St.	16/48	13/13	9/10	4/16	30/20						
Coppin St.	22/24	15/16	15/7	4/6	15/12						

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: 6-18 (.250)

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

OVERALL (4th Season)
Record: 43-63 (.406)

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 Bethune-Cookman 02/12/18 5:30 PM at Daytona Beach, Fla. (Moore Gymnasium)



N.C. Central 47 • 6-18, 4-7 MEAC

#	Player		Total	3-Ptr	FT-FTA	Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
			FG-FGA	FG-FGA		Off	Def	Tot							
04	AFRIYIE,Paulina	f	4-14	0-0	1-3	4	4	8	0	9	1	2	3	2	32
22	MCCAIN,Deja	f	1-3	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	3	2	1	1	0	0	16
00	MARTIN,Rodneysha	g	2-11	0-2	0-0	0	1	1	3	4	2	3	0	1	31
05	BENTON,Caira	g	3-7	0-0	0-0	3	1	4	1	6	0	2	0	2	22
40	WHITE,Kieche	g	0-9	0-4	2-2	2	4	6	2	2	1	4	0	5	22
03	OLIVER-ALEXANDER,Sa		2-4	1-3	0-0	1	0	1	3	5	0	0	0	0	11
10	THOMPSON,Alyssa		1-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	0	2	0	2	1	0	13
11	BLOW,Jada		1-2	1-1	0-0	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	18
12	ADAMS,Dominique		0-1	0-0	1-4	0	0	0	2	1	2	3	0	2	13
15	CALHOUN,Jayla		3-4	0-0	2-2	3	3	6	1	8	0	1	1	1	13
33	HEWITT,Darria		0-0	0-0	1-2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	3
35	MORTON,Kierona		2-4	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	1	4	0	2	1	0	6
Team						1	4	5			1				
Totals			19-60	2-10	7-13	16	22	38	20	47	7	21	6	13	200

1st - FG %: 3-16 18.8% 2nd: 6-15 40.0% 3rd: 3-13 23.1% 4th: 7-16 43.8% Game: 19-60 31.7% Deadball
3FG %: 0-2 0.0% 1-1 100.0% 0-3 0.0% 1-4 25.0% 2-10 20.0% Rebounds
FT %: 0-0 0.0% 2-3 66.7% 2-4 50.0% 3-6 50.0% 7-13 53.8% 1

Bethune-Cookman 57 • 19-4, 11-0 MEAC

#	Player		Total	3-Ptr	Rebounds					PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
			FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot								
11	HUNT,Ashanti	f	3-7	1-1	8-9	2	5	7	1	15	6	4	0	1	40	
22	EDWARDS,Lyndsey	f	0-3	0-1	0-0	3	3	6	3	0	2	2	4	2	28	
12	BROWN,Chasimmie	c	4-8	0-0	0-0	2	8	10	3	8	0	3	5	3	29	
01	WILLIAMS,Emily	g	1-6	1-4	2-2	0	2	2	3	5	3	3	1	1	28	
24	GOLDEN,Angel	g	7-13	1-4	5-6	1	7	8	0	20	0	4	0	4	40	
02	SCOTT,Amaya		2-6	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	0	4	0	1	0	0	11	
05	WALKER,Armani		1-4	0-2	0-2	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	9	
10	HARDEE,Briana		0-2	0-0	2-2	0	0	0	3	2	0	2	1	1	11	
23	BATTLE,Kanesha		0-0	0-0	1-2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	3	
25	POWERS,Jayla		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Team						2	3	5				1				
Totals			18-49	3-12	18-23	11	30	41	13	57	12	21	11	12	200	

1st - FG %: 5-14 35.7% 2nd: 4-10 40.0% 3rd: 6-12 50.0% 4th: 3-13 23.1% Game: 18-49 36.7% Deadball
3FG %: 1-4 25.0% 0-1 0.0% 2-5 40.0% 0-2 0.0% 3-12 25.0% Rebounds
FT %: 2-3 66.7% 9-12 75.0% 2-3 66.7% 5-5 100.0% 18-23 78.3% 3

Officials: Marcus Smith, Alexis Perez, Tyrell Johnson
Technical fouls: N.C. Central-None. Bethune-Cookman-None.
Attendance: 654

Score by periods	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
N.C. Central	6	15	8	18	47
Bethune-Cookman	13	17	16	11	57

	In	Off	2nd	Fast	
Points	Paint	T/O	Chance	Break	Bench
NCCU	28	14	21	0	24
BCUW	22	19	7	4	9

Last FG - NCCU 4th-00:34, BCUW 4th-04:15.
Largest lead - NCCU by 4 1st-07:17, BCUW by 19 4th-09:51.
NCCU led for 04:09. BCUW led for 34:41. Game was tied for 01:10.

Score tied - 0 times.
Lead changed - 1 time.

2017-18 COMBINED STATS

North Carolina Central University N.C. Central Combined Team Statistics (as of Feb 12, 2018) All games



RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	6-18	5-4	1-14	0-0
CONFERENCE	4-7	3-2	1-5	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	24-24	748	31.2	101-325	.311	26-92	.283	83-100	.830	18	57	75	3.1	58	4	52	90	3	33	311	13.0								
04	AFRIYIE,Paulina	24-18	553	23.0	84-180	.467	0-2	.000	60-98	.612	70	122	192	8.0	60	2	24	49	29	22	228	9.5								
40	WHITE,Kieche	24-8	436	18.2	70-181	.387	39-101	.386	26-39	.667	10	34	44	1.8	39	1	43	56	0	30	205	8.5								
05	BENTON,Caira	24-17	505	21.0	60-159	.377	0-5	.000	28-32	.875	36	61	97	4.0	40	1	20	53	6	32	148	6.2								
03	OLIVER-ALEXANDER,	24-7	407	17.0	41-131	.313	28-104	.269	18-22	.818	17	27	44	1.8	46	0	16	35	2	16	128	5.3								
15	CALHOUN,Jayla	20-12	315	15.8	37-104	.356	0-2	.000	23-29	.793	28	53	81	4.1	49	3	13	42	11	14	97	4.9								
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								
22	MCCAIN,Deja	23-9	416	18.1	28-82	.341	0-0	.000	27-33	.818	39	53	92	4.0	54	1	12	55	5	10	83	3.6								
12	ADAMS,Dominique	24-14	642	26.8	26-95	.274	4-33	.121	21-37	.568	29	50	79	3.3	56	1	45	55	3	27	77	3.2								
11	BLOW,Jada	22-0	256	11.6	23-113	.204	18-84	.214	4-6	.667	8	10	18	0.8	27	0	8	16	1	9	68	3.1								
10	THOMPSON,Alyssa	24-9	359	15.0	28-68	.412	0-1	.000	13-31	.419	20	71	91	3.8	54	0	12	30	14	11	69	2.9								
35	MORTON,Kierona	16-1	119	7.4	7-22	.318	0-0	.000	12-16	.750	10	14	24	1.5	21	0	0	14	3	4	26	1.6								
33	HEWITT,Darria	10-0	44	4.4	4-9	.444	0-0	.000	5-7	.714	3	4	7	0.7	12	0	2	2	0	0	13	1.3								
Team											60	64	124		1		11													
Total.....		24	4825		512-1478	.346	115-425	.271	325-458	.710	350	624	974	40.6	526	13	249	509	79	208	1464	61.0								
Opponents.....		24	4825		608-1499	.406	123-410	.300	380-572	.664	378	684	1062	44.2	434	-	370	444	111	231	1719	71.6								

TEAM STATISTICS	NCCU	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
SCORING	1464	1719	11/14/17	LONGWOOD	w 87-75	786
Points per game	61.0	71.6	11/21/17	at Wofford	L 56-77	1657
Scoring margin	-10.6	-	11/22/17	OREGON STATE	L 44-97	219
FIELD GOALS-ATT	512-1478	608-1499	11/25/17	at Colorado State	L 48-85	1157
Field goal pct	.346	.406	11/28/17	JOHNSON & WALES	w 68-51	545
3 POINT FG-ATT	115-425	123-410	12/03/17	at UNCW	L 63-89	673
3-point FG pct	.271	.300	12/08/17	at Coastal Carolina	L 65-68	242
3-pt FG made per game	4.8	5.1	12/10/17	at Iowa State	L 58-99	9664
FREE THROWS-ATT	325-458	380-572	12/14/17	at East Carolina	L 61-73	5306
Free throw pct	.710	.664	12/17/17	at Presbyterian	L 60-69	204
F-Throws made per game	13.5	15.8	12/19/17	at Elon	L 50-78	709
REBOUNDS	974	1062	12/21/17	CAMPBELL	L 51-58	453
Rebounds per game	40.6	44.2	12/30/17	at USC Upstate	L 61-66	192
Rebounding margin	-3.7	-	* 01/03/18	at Delaware State	w 74-67	187
ASSISTS	249	370	* 01/08/18	NORFOLK STATE	L 60-75	734
Assists per game	10.4	15.4	* 01/13/18	COPPIN STATE	w 60-52	837
TURNOVERS	509	444	* 01/15/18	MORGAN STATE	w 60-57	692
Turnovers per game	21.2	18.5	* 01/20/18	at Howard	L 54-69	692
Turnover margin	-2.7	-	* 01/22/18	at Md. Eastern Shore	L 73-84	532
Assist/turnover ratio	0.5	0.8	* 01/27/18	at N.C. A&T	L 54-67	5700
STEALS	208	231	* 02/03/18	DELAWARE STATE	w 76-60	1168
Steals per game	8.7	9.6	* 02/05/18	HAMPTON	L 53-62	712
BLOCKS	79	111	* 02/10/18	at Florida A&M	Lot 81-84	1791
Blocks per game	3.3	4.6	* 02/12/18	at Bethune-Cookman	L 47-57	654
ATTENDANCE	6146	29360				
Home games-Avg/Game	9-683	15-1957	* - MEAC game			
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0				

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Totals
N.C. Central	339	323	365	427	10	1464
Opponents	443	385	447	431	13	1719

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ADAMS,Dominique

Season	gp-gs	min/avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds										Scoring	
			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	24-14	642/26.8	26-95	.274	4-33	.121	21-37	.568	29	50	79	3.3	56	1	45	55	3	27	77	3.2
TOTAL	81-53	2469/30.5	133-462	.288	30-149	.201	112-189	.593	141	182	323	4.0	182	5	108	157	12	76	408	5.0

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

Season	gp-gs	min/avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds										Scoring	
			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	24-18	553/23.0	84-180	.467	0-2	.000	60-98	.612	70	122	192	8.0	60	2	24	49	29	22	228	9.5
TOTAL	52-23	984/18.9	109-244	.447	0-2	.000	73-124	.589	127	219	346	6.7	119	3	28	78	47	36	291	5.6

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

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

Rebounds: 17 [t-3rd], Delaware State -- 02/03/18

Assists: 3, Morgan State -- 01/15/18; Longwood -- 11/14/17

Steals: 3, Morgan State -- 01/15/18; at N.C. A&T -- 01/27/18

Blocks: 4 [t-4th], Norfolk State -- 01/08/18; 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

Season	gp-gs	min/avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds										Scoring	
			fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
2017-18	24-17	505/21.0	60-159	.377	0-5	.000	28-32	.875	36	61	97	4.0	40	1	20	53	6	32	148	6.2
TOTAL	24-17	505/21.0	60-159	.377	0-5	.000	28-32	.875	36	61	97	4.0	40	1	20	53	6	32	148	6.2

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

Points: 21, Delaware State -- 02/03/18

Rebounds: 10, at Florida A&M -- 02/10/18; Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

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

Steals: 5, at Florida A&M -- 02/10/18

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

FG made: 9, Delaware State -- 02/03/18

FG attempts: 21, Delaware State -- 02/03/18

3FG attempts: 1, 5 times

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

FT attempts: 6, at Delaware State -- 01/03/18; Norfolk State -- 01/08/18

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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	22-0	256/11.6	23-113	.204	18-84	.214	4-6	.667	8	10	18	0.8	27	0	8	16	1	9	68	3.1
TOTAL	49-6	822/16.8	75-334	.225	50-200	.250	42-58	.724	28	41	69	1.4	56	0	45	71	2	38	242	4.9

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, at N.C. A&T -- 01/27/18; 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	20-12	315/15.8	37-104	.356	0-2	.000	23-29	.793	28	53	81	4.1	49	3	13	42	11	14	97	4.9
TOTAL	57-19	609/10.7	70-208	.337	1-11	.091	32-43	.744	40	102	142	2.5	88	3	21	68	21	22	173	3.0

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

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

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

Assists: 2, 4 times

Steals: 2, 6 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	10-0	44/4.4	4-9	.444	0-0	.000	5-7	.714	3	4	7	0.7	12	0	2	2	0	0	13	1.3
TOTAL	10-0	44/4.4	4-9	.444	0-0	.000	5-7	.714	3	4	7	0.7	12	0	2	2	0	0	13	1.3

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

Points: 3, at Howard -- 01/20/18; Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

Rebounds: 2, at Md. Eastern Shore -- 01/22/18; Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17; at Elon -- 12/19/17

Assists: 1, at Md. Eastern Shore -- 01/22/18; at UNCW -- 12/03/17

FG made: 1, 4 times

FG attempts: 4, at Md. Eastern Shore -- 01/22/18

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

FT attempts: 2, at Bethune-Cookman -- 02/12/18; 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	24-24	748/31.2	101-325	.311	26-92	.283	83-100	.830	18	57	75	3.1	58	4	52	90	3	33	311	13.0	
TOTAL	77-39	1387/18.0	169-554	.305	45-144	.313	137-164	.835	41	99	140	1.8	137	7	94	163	10	54	520	6.8	

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

Points: 26, Delaware State -- 02/03/18

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

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

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

Blocks: 2, Coppin State -- 01/13/18; Presbyterian -- 12/20/16

FG made: 9, Delaware State -- 02/03/18; at Elon -- 12/19/17

FG attempts: 20, at Howard -- 01/20/18; Delaware State -- 02/03/18

3FG made: 5 [t-8th], 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	23-9	416/18.1	28-82	.341	0-0	.000	27-33	.818	39	53	92	4.0	54	1	12	55	5	10	83	3.6	
TOTAL	80-32	1659/20.7	99-298	.332	0-1	.000	112-155	.723	137	210	347	4.3	159	4	31	164	20	47	310	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, 4 times

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	16-1	119/7.4	7-22	.318	0-0	.000	12-16	.750	10	14	24	1.5	21	0	0	14	3	4	26	1.6	
TOTAL	95-45	1334/14.0	96-278	.345	0-0	.000	62-108	.574	121	194	315	3.3	160	1	20	103	36	29	254	2.7	

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	24-7	407/17.0	41-131	.313	28-104	.269	18-22	.818	17	27	44	1.8	46	0	16	35	2	16	128	5.3	
TOTAL	24-7	407/17.0	41-131	.313	28-104	.269	18-22	.818	17	27	44	1.8	46	0	16	35	2	16	128	5.3	

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

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

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

Assists: 2, Delaware State -- 02/03/18; Johnson & Wales -- 11/28/17

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

Blocks: 1, Morgan State -- 01/15/18; 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-8th], 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	24-9	359/15.0	28-68	.412	0-1	.000	13-31	.419	20	71	91	3.8	54	0	12	30	14	11	69	2.9	
TOTAL	24-9	359/15.0	28-68	.412	0-1	.000	13-31	.419	20	71	91	3.8	54	0	12	30	14	11	69	2.9	

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

Points: 14, Morgan State -- 01/15/18

Rebounds: 9, Morgan State -- 01/15/18

Assists: 2, Morgan State -- 01/15/18; at Elon -- 12/19/17; at USC Upstate -- 12/30/17

Steals: 2, at Md. Eastern Shore -- 01/22/18; at East Carolina -- 12/14/17

Blocks: 3, at Md. Eastern Shore -- 01/22/18; at Florida A&M -- 02/10/18

FG made: 5, Morgan State -- 01/15/18

FG attempts: 8, Morgan State -- 01/15/18

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

FT made: 4, Morgan State -- 01/15/18

FT attempts: 7, Morgan State -- 01/15/18

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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	24-8	436/18.2	70-181	.387	39-101	.386	26-39	.667	10	34	44	1.8	39	1	43	56	0	30	205	8.5	
TOTAL	24-8	436/18.2	70-181	.387	39-101	.386	26-39	.667	10	34	44	1.8	39	1	43	56	0	30	205	8.5	

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

Points: 28 [t-9th], at Md. Eastern Shore -- 01/22/18

Rebounds: 6, at Bethune-Cookman -- 02/12/18

Assists: 4, 4 times

Steals: 5, at Bethune-Cookman -- 02/12/18

FG made: 10 [t-8th], at Md. Eastern Shore -- 01/22/18

FG attempts: 20, at Florida A&M -- 02/10/18

3FG made: 6 [t-3rd], at Md. Eastern Shore -- 01/22/18

3FG attempts: 12, Hampton -- 02/05/18

FT made: 7, Morgan State -- 01/15/18

FT attempts: 8, Morgan State -- 01/15/18

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Bronx, N.Y.



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Caira Benton
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Assistant Coach



A.G. Hall
Assistant Coach



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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