

NCCU

EAGLES BASKETBALL



**N.C. CENTRAL
Eagles**

(7-19, 5-8 MEAC)

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GAME

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**S.C. STATE
Lady Bulldogs**

(9-16, 4-9 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*	L, 69-80
19 (Mon.)	HOWARD*	W, 78-77
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. 24 • 2:00 PM • Orangeburg, S.C. • SHM Memorial Center

SCSU LADY BULLDOGS

LOCATION.....Orangeburg, S.C.
CONFERENCE.....Mid-Eastern Athletic
LAST GAME.....L, 49-63 (Feb. 19)
at Norfolk State (Norfolk, Va.)

HEAD COACH.....Doug Robertson Jr. (Bowie St. '95)
SCSU RECORD.....10th Season, 115-171
CAREER RECORD.....13th Season, 168-204

NCCU EAGLES

LOCATION.....Durham, N.C.
CONFERENCE.....Mid-Eastern Athletic
LAST GAME.....W, 78-77 (Feb. 19)
vs. Howard (Durham, N.C.)

HEAD COACH.....Trisha Stafford-Odom (California, '92)
NCCU RECORD.....1st Season, 7-19
CAREER RECORD.....4th Season, 44-64

NCCU vs. SCSU

SERIES.....SCSU leads 12-6
LAST MEETING.....W, 52-41 (Feb. 11, 2017)
vs. S.C. State (Durham, N.C.)
STREAK.....W1
AUDIO.....NCCU Sports Network
STATS.....NCCUEaglePride.com
TWITTER.....@NCCUAthletics or @NCCUWBB

NCCU PROBABLE STARTERS

40 Kieche White	5-4	Fr.	G	8.6 PPG
00 Rodneysha Martin	5-5	Jr.	G	13.2 PPG
05 Caira Benton	5-9	Jr.	G	6.3 PPG
22 Deja McCain	5-10	Jr.	F	3.8 RPPG
04 Paulina Afriyie	5-11	So.	F	8.3 RPG

STATISTICAL COMPARISON

SCSU	CATEGORY	NCCU
56.9	Points Per Game	62.0
60.1	Opponents Points Per Game	72.2
-3.2	Scoring Margin	-10.2
33.5%	Field Goal Percentage	35.2%
37.2%	Opp. Field Goal Percentage	40.4%
28.8%	3-Point Field Goal Percentage	27.8%
31.5%	Opp. 3-Point Field Goal Percentage	31.0%
64.2%	Free Throw Percentage	70.0%
40.1	Rebounds Per Game	40.7
41.7	Opp. Rebounds Per Game	44.3
-1.6	Rebounding Margin	-3.6
4.4	3-Pointers Per Game	4.8
5.7	Opp. 3-Pointers Per Game	5.4
3.4	Blocks Per Game	3.3
8.3	Steals Per Game	8.5
9.6	Assists Per Game	10.7
18.2	Turnovers Per Game	20.9
20.0	Opp. Turnovers Per Game	18.4

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 22, 2018

PREVIEW: @NCCUWBB at South Carolina State Saturday

DURHAM, N.C. – The North Carolina Central University women's basketball team will make its last regular-season road trip to play a pair of Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference (MEAC) clashes against two teams trying to catch the Eagles in the standings in South Carolina State University (Saturday, 2 PM) and Savannah State University (Monday, 6 PM).

N.C. Central Women's Basketball

The Eagles snapped a four-game losing streak with a dramatic 78-77 home win over Howard on Monday. NCCU (7-19 Overall, 5-8 MEAC) sits in eighth place in the MEAC standings and is 1-14 in road games.

Junior guard Rodneysha Martin and sophomore forward Paulina Afriyie are averaging double figures for the Eagles. Martin, who is one of the league's top free throw shooters at 82.7-percent, is bucketing a team-high 13.2 points per game. Afriyie has increased her average to 10.1 points per game after averaging 13 points in conference battles. Afriyie is averaging a team-best 8.3 rebounds per game.

Freshman Kieche White is NCCU's next top scorer at 8.6 points per game with 1.6 made 3-pointers per game. She has also distributed five assists in each of the Eagles' last two tilts. A trio of juniors in Caira Benton (6.3 ppg), Sami Oliver-Alexander (5.1) and Jayla Calhoun (4.9) all have the potential for big games.

NCCU defeated South Carolina State, 52-41, last season by holding the Lady Bulldogs to 27.5-percent shooting. Junior Dominique Adams played all 40 minutes and had nine points, three rebounds and three assists.

South Carolina State Women's Basketball

The Lady Bulldogs have lost three straight games, including their last game at Norfolk State, 63-49, on Monday. South Carolina State (9-16 Overall, 4-9 MEAC) is in a three-way tie for 10th place in the MEAC standings, just one game behind the Eagles.

Senior Bryeasha Blair, who was a Second Team All-MEAC honoree in her first season at SCSU last year, paces the Lady Bulldogs with 14.5 points, including 1.7 made 3-pointers per game, and 1.7 steals per game. She also provides 4.3 rebounds and 1.6 assists per game.

Juniors Kyesha Lewis and Kemoni Jenkins each provide the Lady Bulldogs with 9.8 points per game. Six SCSU rebounders average four or more boards per game, with classmate Jasmine Williams leading the group with 6.6 rebounds per game.

Blair scored 15 points in SCSU's 11-point loss at NCCU last year.

-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 StreakW1	
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 Win Feb. 19 (vs. Howard)	
An opponent scored 90+ points	99 at Iowa State (12/10/17)	5. Howard 223		Last Home Win Feb. 19 (vs. Howard)	
NCCU scored 80+ points	81 at Florida A&M (2/10/18)	6. Florida A&M 185		Last Road Win Jan. 3 (at Delaware St.)	
An opponent scored 80+ points	80 vs. Md. Eastern Shore (2/17/18)	7. Maryland Eastern Shore 184 (1)		Last Home Loss Feb. 17 (vs. Md. Eastern Shore)	
		8. Morgan State 166		Last Road Loss Feb. 12 (at Bethune-Cookman)	
		9. Coppin State 155			
		10. Savannah State 97		Double-Doubles (Career)	
		11. Delaware State 93		Paulina Afriyie8 (8)	
		12. South Carolina State 78		Caira Benton2 (2)	
		13. North Carolina Central 70		Rodneysha Martin1 (1)	
				Games As Leading Scorer	
				Rodneysha Martin11	
				Paulina Afriyie5	
				Kieche White4	
				Sami Oliver-Alexander3	
				Jayla Calhoun1	
				Dominique Adams1	
				Alyssa Thompson1	
				Jada Blow1	
				Game As Leading Rebounder	
				Paulina Afriyie15	
				Caira Benton4	
				Deja McCain3	
				Rodneysha Martin2	
				Dominique Adams2	
				Alyssa Thompson1	
				Jayla Calhoun1	
				Game As Leader in Assists	
				Rodneysha Martin12	
				Kieche White11	
				Dominique Adams6	
				Paulina Afriyie3	
				Jayla Calhoun2	
				Caira Benton2	
				Ezinne Mbamalu1	
				Alyssa Thompson1	
				Game As Leader in Blocks	
				Paulina Afriyie13	
				Alyssa Thompson6	
				Jayla Calhoun5	
				Caira Benton2	
				Dominique Adams2	
				Rodneysha Martin2	
				Ezinne Mbamalu1	
				Caira Benton1	
				Kierona Morton1	
				Game As Leader in Steals	
				Rodneysha Martin7	
				Dominique Adams7	
				Caira Benton7	
				Kieche White5	
				Paulina Afriyie3	
				Jayla Calhoun2	
				Sami Oliver-Alexander2	
				Jada Blow1	
				Alyssa Thompson1	
				20-Plus Point Games	
				Rodneysha Martin6	
				Sami Oliver-Alexander2	
				Kieche White3	
				Jayla Calhoun1	
				Paulina Afriyie1	
				Caira Benton1	
				Double-Figure Scoring Games	
				Rodneysha Martin15	
				Paulina Afriyie15	
				Kieche White10	
				Caira Benton6	
				Sami Oliver-Alexander3	
				Jayla Calhoun2	
				Dominique Adams2	
				Jada Blow2	
				Alyssa Thompson1	
				Double-Figure Rebounding Games	
				Paulina Afriyie9	
				Caira Benton2	
				Rodneysha Martin1	
				Jayla Calhoun1	

MEAC STANDINGS (thru games Feb. 18)

<u>Institution</u>	<u>MEAC REC./PCT.</u>		<u>OVERALL REC./PCT.</u>	
Bethune-Cookman	13-0	1.000	21-4	.840
North Carolina A&T	12-1	.923	17-8	.680
Hampton	10-4	.714	14-13	.519
Norfolk State	9-4	.692	16-9	.640
Morgan State	7-6	.538	14-12	.538
Howard	6-7	.462	10-16	.385
Maryland Eastern Shore	6-8	.429	9-17	.346
North Carolina Central	5-8	.385	7-19	.269
Coppin State	5-9	.375	6-20	.231
South Carolina State	4-9	.308	9-16	.360
Florida A&M	4-9	.308	6-20	.231
Delaware State	4-9	.308	5-21	.192
Savannah State	1-12	.077	4-21	.160

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
11 (Paulina Afriyie vs. Howard)FREE THROWS MADE
17 (Paulina Afriyie vs. Delaware St.)REBOUNDS
5 (x3 last by Kieche White vs. Howard)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	40/16	14/18	4/17	6/2	30/13
at Presbyterian	28/12	13/13	11/2	0/6	19/17	Howard	44/26	16/20	12/17	4/14	12/16
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: 7-19 (.269)

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

OVERALL (4th Season)
Record: 44-64 (.407)

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

Howard vs N.C. Central

02/19/18 4:00 PM at Durham, N.C. (McDougald-McLendon Arena)



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##	Player		Total	3-Ptr	Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
			FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def							
12	MOORE,Curstyn	f	3-7	0-0	5-6	3	3	6	3	11	0	0	0	23
20	MYLES,Jayla	f	6-12	0-0	3-3	4	6	10	3	15	0	1	3	21
04	WILLIAMS,Ayonna	g	5-11	2-3	4-8	1	2	3	4	16	7	3	0	31
05	EDMOND,Sarah	g	6-22	2-11	0-1	0	3	3	0	14	4	5	0	31
10	DOPSON,Tajzhane	g	2-3	0-0	1-4	2	1	3	3	5	3	1	0	33
03	MCCANTS,Asia		0-1	0-1	2-2	1	0	1	2	2	0	2	0	11
14	BRYANT,Imani		3-5	0-0	0-0	2	5	7	2	6	0	2	1	18
21	FITZGERALD-GREER,St		2-3	1-2	0-2	0	1	1	2	5	2	1	3	11
22	JOHNSON,Tariah		0-1	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	0	0	1	2	0	8
23	THORNTON,Jayla		1-3	1-3	0-0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	6
32	JOHNSON,Aminata		0-3	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	7
Team						3	3	6						
Totals			28-71	6-20	15-26	18	25	43	20	77	17	17	7	200

1st - FG %: 9-18 50.0% 2nd: 5-18 27.8% 3rd: 8-20 40.0% 4th: 6-15 40.0% Game: 28-71 39.4% Deadball
 3FG %: 4-6 66.7% 0-6 0.0% 1-4 25.0% 1-4 25.0% 6-20 30.0% Rebounds
 FT %: 1-4 25.0% 3-4 75.0% 6-9 66.7% 5-9 55.6% 15-26 57.7% 5

N.C. Central 78 • 7-19, 5-8 MEAC

##	Player		Total	3-Ptr	Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
			FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def							
04	AFRIYIE,Paulina	f	4-10	0-0	11-14	2	13	15	4	19	1	2	1	33
10	THOMPSON,Alyssa	f	1-3	0-0	0-0	3	4	7	3	2	1	1	1	16
00	MARTIN,Rodneysha	g	9-19	4-7	2-2	0	2	2	0	24	0	3	0	31
05	BENTON,Caira	g	4-9	0-0	0-0	4	1	5	5	8	1	1	0	26
40	WHITE,Kieche	g	3-8	2-5	5-7	0	3	3	2	13	5	5	0	22
03	OLIVER-ALEXANDER,Sa		0-3	0-1	0-0	0	2	2	1	0	1	1	0	17
11	BLOW,Jada		2-3	2-3	0-0	0	0	0	4	6	1	0	0	8
12	ADAMS,Dominique		1-3	0-1	0-0	2	3	5	0	2	3	3	0	24
15	CALHOUN,Jayla		1-4	0-0	0-0	1	3	4	5	2	2	2	0	17
22	MCCAIN,Deja		1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	3
35	MORTON,Kierona		0-0	0-0	0-2	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	3
Team						2	0	2						
Totals			26-63	8-17	18-25	15	31	46	24	78	15	21	4	200

1st - FG %: 9-18 50.0% 2nd: 3-13 23.1% 3rd: 10-22 45.5% 4th: 4-10 40.0% Game: 26-63 41.3% Deadball
 3FG %: 2-3 66.7% 1-4 25.0% 5-10 50.0% 0-0 0.0% 8-17 47.1% Rebounds
 FT %: 1-3 33.3% 7-9 77.8% 1-1 100.0% 9-12 75.0% 18-25 72.0% 4

Officials: Angelica Suffren, Frances Fletcher, Amy Weglarz

Technical fouls: Howard-None. N.C. Central-None.

Attendance: 585

Score by periods	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
Howard	23	13	23	18	77
N.C. Central	21	14	26	17	78

	In	Off	2nd	Fast	
Points	Paint	T/O	Chance	Break	Bench
HOWW	44	20	17	14	16
NCCU	26	16	12	4	12

Last FG - HOWW 4th-00:01, NCCU 4th-01:47.

Largest lead - HOWW by 8 3rd-08:46, NCCU by 5 4th-02:35.

HOWW led for 27:30. NCCU led for 08:46. Game was tied for 03:23.

Score tied - 7 times.

Lead changed - 13 times.

2017-18 COMBINED STATS

North Carolina Central University N.C. Central Combined Team Statistics (as of Feb 21, 2018) All games



RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	7-19	6-5	1-14	0-0
CONFERENCE	5-8	4-3	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	26-26	806	31.0	113-355	.318	31-101	.307	86-104	.827	18	62	80	3.1	59	4	55	95	4	35	343	13.2
04	AFRIYIE,Paulina	26-20	605	23.3	95-203	.468	0-2	.000	73-114	.640	76	140	216	8.3	69	3	27	52	32	25	263	10.1
40	WHITE,Kieche	26-9	475	18.3	74-195	.379	41-108	.380	35-52	.673	10	39	49	1.9	44	1	53	62	0	30	224	8.6
05	BENTON,Caira	26-19	553	21.3	67-174	.385	0-5	.000	29-34	.853	40	62	102	3.9	48	2	22	55	6	35	163	6.3
03	OLIVER-ALEXANDER,	26-7	442	17.0	43-140	.307	29-109	.266	18-24	.750	17	31	48	1.8	48	0	17	37	2	19	133	5.1
15	CALHOUN,Jayla	22-12	345	15.7	42-114	.368	0-2	.000	24-32	.750	30	58	88	4.0	54	4	15	46	13	14	108	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	25-9	430	17.2	29-83	.349	0-0	.000	28-37	.757	40	55	95	3.8	56	1	13	58	5	10	86	3.4
11	BLOW,Jada	24-0	276	11.5	26-119	.218	21-90	.233	4-6	.667	8	10	18	0.8	33	0	10	16	1	9	77	3.2
12	ADAMS,Dominique	26-15	686	26.4	28-99	.283	4-34	.118	21-37	.568	31	53	84	3.2	58	1	50	59	3	30	81	3.1
10	THOMPSON,Alyssa	26-10	395	15.2	31-78	.397	0-1	.000	13-31	.419	24	77	101	3.9	61	0	13	31	16	11	75	2.9
35	MORTON,Kierona	18-2	139	7.7	10-27	.370	0-0	.000	12-18	.667	14	15	29	1.6	25	0	0	17	3	4	32	1.8
33	HEWITT,Darria	11-0	48	4.4	5-10	.500	0-0	.000	5-7	.714	4	4	8	0.7	13	0	2	3	0	0	15	1.4
Team											65	68	133		1		11					
Total.....		26	5225		566-1606	.352	126-453	.278	353-504	.700	379	678	1057	40.7	578	16	279	543	87	222	1611	62.0
Opponents.....		26	5225		657-1625	.404	140-451	.310	422-637	.662	414	737	1151	44.3	478	-	400	478	121	250	1876	72.2

TEAM STATISTICS	NCCU	OPP
SCORING	1611	1876
Points per game	62.0	72.2
Scoring margin	-10.2	-
FIELD GOALS-ATT	566-1606	657-1625
Field goal pct	.352	.404
3 POINT FG-ATT	126-453	140-451
3-point FG pct	.278	.310
3-pt FG made per game	4.8	5.4
FREE THROWS-ATT	353-504	422-637
Free throw pct	.700	.662
F-Throws made per game	13.6	16.2
REBOUNDS	1057	1151
Rebounds per game	40.7	44.3
Rebounding margin	-3.6	-
ASSISTS	279	400
Assists per game	10.7	15.4
TURNOVERS	543	478
Turnovers per game	20.9	18.4
Turnover margin	-2.5	-
Assist/turnover ratio	0.5	0.8
STEALS	222	250
Steals per game	8.5	9.6
BLOCKS	87	121
Blocks per game	3.3	4.7
ATTENDANCE	7374	29360
Home games-Avg/Game	11-670	15-1957
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
* 01/08/18	NORFOLK STATE	L	60-75	734
* 01/13/18	COPPIN STATE	w	60-52	837
* 01/15/18	MORGAN STATE	w	60-57	692
* 01/20/18	at Howard	L	54-69	692
* 01/22/18	at Md. Eastern Shore	L	73-84	532
* 01/27/18	at N.C. A&T	L	54-67	5700
* 02/03/18	DELAWARE STATE	w	76-60	1168
* 02/05/18	HAMPTON	L	53-62	712
* 02/10/18	at Florida A&M	Lot	81-84	1791
* 02/12/18	at Bethune-Cookman	L	47-57	654
* 02/17/18	MD. EASTERN SHORE	L	69-80	643
* 02/19/18	HOWARD	w	78-77	585

* - MEAC game

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Totals
N.C. Central	370	354	406	471	10	1611
Opponents	481	428	494	460	13	1876

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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	26-15	686/26.4	28-99	.283	4-34	.118	21-37	.568	31	53	84	3.2	58	1	50	59	3	30	81	3.1
TOTAL	83-54	2513/30.3	135-466	.290	30-150	.200	112-189	.593	143	185	328	4.0	184	5	113	161	12	79	412	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	26-20	605/23.3	95-203	.468	0-2	.000	73-114	.640	76	140	216	8.3	69	3	27	52	32	25	263	10.1
TOTAL	54-25	1036/19.2	120-267	.449	0-2	.000	86-140	.614	133	237	370	6.9	128	4	31	81	50	39	326	6.0

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, 4 times

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

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

FT made: 11 [t-5th], Howard -- 02/19/18

FT attempts: 14 [t-5th], Howard -- 02/19/18

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	26-19	553/21.3	67-174	.385	0-5	.000	29-34	.853	40	62	102	3.9	48	2	22	55	6	35	163	6.3
TOTAL	26-19	553/21.3	67-174	.385	0-5	.000	29-34	.853	40	62	102	3.9	48	2	22	55	6	35	163	6.3

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

			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	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	24-0	276/11.5	26-119	.218	21-90	.233	4-6	.667	8	10	18	0.8	33	0	10	16	1	9	77	3.2	
TOTAL	51-6	842/16.5	78-340	.229	53-206	.257	42-58	.724	28	41	69	1.4	62	0	47	71	2	38	251	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

			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	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	22-12	345/15.7	42-114	.368	0-2	.000	24-32	.750	30	58	88	4.0	54	4	15	46	13	14	108	4.9
TOTAL	59-19	639/10.8	75-218	.344	1-11	.091	33-46	.717	42	107	149	2.5	93	4	23	72	23	22	184	3.1

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:

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

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

Assists: 2, 5 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

			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	11-0	48/4.4	5-10	.500	0-0	.000	5-7	.714	4	4	8	0.7	13	0	2	3	0	0	15	1.4	
TOTAL	11-0	48/4.4	5-10	.500	0-0	.000	5-7	.714	4	4	8	0.7	13	0	2	3	0	0	15	1.4	

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, 5 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	26-26	806/31.0	113-355	.318	31-101	.307	86-104	.827	18	62	80	3.1	59	4	55	95	4	35	343	13.2	
TOTAL	79-41	1445/18.3	181-584	.310	50-153	.327	140-168	.833	41	104	145	1.8	138	7	97	168	11	56	552	7.0	

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; Howard -- 02/19/18; 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	25-9	430/17.2	29-83	.349	0-0	.000	28-37	.757	40	55	95	3.8	56	1	13	58	5	10	86	3.4	
TOTAL	82-32	1673/20.4	100-299	.334	0-1	.000	113-159	.711	138	212	350	4.3	161	4	32	167	20	47	313	3.8	

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	18-2	139/7.7	10-27	.370	0-0	.000	12-18	.667	14	15	29	1.6	25	0	0	17	3	4	32	1.8	
TOTAL	97-46	1354/14.0	99-283	.350	0-0	.000	62-110	.564	125	195	320	3.3	164	1	20	106	36	29	260	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	26-7	442/17.0	43-140	.307	29-109	.266	18-24	.750	17	31	48	1.8	48	0	17	37	2	19	133	5.1	
TOTAL	26-7	442/17.0	43-140	.307	29-109	.266	18-24	.750	17	31	48	1.8	48	0	17	37	2	19	133	5.1	

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	26-10	395/15.2	31-78	.397	0-1	.000	13-31	.419	24	77	101	3.9	61	0	13	31	16	11	75	2.9	
TOTAL	26-10	395/15.2	31-78	.397	0-1	.000	13-31	.419	24	77	101	3.9	61	0	13	31	16	11	75	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	26-9	475/18.3	74-195	.379	41-108	.380	35-52	.673	10	39	49	1.9	44	1	53	62	0	30	224	8.6	
TOTAL	26-9	475/18.3	74-195	.379	41-108	.380	35-52	.673	10	39	49	1.9	44	1	53	62	0	30	224	8.6	

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: 5, Md. Eastern Shore -- 02/17/18; Howard -- 02/19/18

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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Assistant Coach



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Assistant Coach



Clarissa Adams
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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