

2011 WOMEN'S BASKETBALL REVIEW

Record: 20-15 overall, 7-9 SEC

WNIT Finish: T-9th (Round of 16)

Final Poll Rankings: none

SEC Finish: 8th

SEC Tournament Finish: T-5th
(Quarterfinals)

All-Americans: none

All-SEC: none

ALL-SEC Freshman Team: Jattera Bonds

SEC Academic Honor Roll: 3 (Ebonie Crawford, Jordan Jones, Lily Svete)

Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 11/1

Departing Players: Ebonie Crawford (graduated)



Jordan Jones led the balanced Gator scoring effort, recording 10.1 points per game, hitting a team-leading 72 three-pointers at a 38.7 percent clip and playing 32.6 minutes per outing. She topped the career 1,000-point plateau during the season and finished the year with 1,045.

Team Highlights

- Notched 10th 20-win season in program history (first since 2008-09)
- Earned fourth consecutive postseason berth (17th in the last 19 years)
- Posted two upset wins against higher-ranked teams (Jan. 2 def. #22 Arkansas 64-53; Feb. 27 def. #22 Georgia, 74-71)
- First win vs. Vanderbilt in Nashville since Feb. 1, 2004
- Gator Holiday Classic Champions
- Dead River Company Classic Champions (Univ. of Maine)
- Semifinalist at the Preseason WNIT
- 600th program victory (Jan. 2, 2011 vs. Arkansas, 64-53)
- TIED - program-record 14 blocks vs. UCF, Nov. 13 (tied record set vs. Harvard, Dec. 20, 1984)



Florida's inclusion in the 2011 WNIT marked the 17th time in the last 19 years the Gators earned a berth in a postseason tournament. Florida has received a total of 18 postseason appearances.

Individual Highlights

Amanda Butler

- 100th career coaching win (milestone victory vs. Charlotte, Nov. 15)
- 75th win as UF head coach (Feb. 27 vs. Georgia, 74-71)

Jattera Bonds

- SEC Freshman Academic Honor Roll
- SEC All-Freshman Team
- SEC Freshman of the Week (Feb. 28)
- SEC Freshman of the Week (Jan. 31)
- Gator Holiday Classic All-Tournament Team
- Most Improved Player (team award)

Ebonie Crawford

- SEC Academic Honor Roll

Jordan Jones

- SEC Academic Honor Roll
- Topped 1,000-career point plateau (March 3, 2011 vs. Arkansas)
- Dead River Company Classic All-Tournament Team
- Preseason WNIT All-Tournament Team

Brittany Shine

- SEC Freshman Academic Honor Roll
- SEC Freshman of the Week (Dec. 27)
- Gator Holiday Classic MVP (third freshman named event's MVP)

Azania Stewart

- Blocked 100th career shot (seventh Gator to do so, Jan. 16, 2011 at Georgia)
- Dead River Company Classic Most Outstanding Player

Lily Svete

- SEC Academic Honor Roll
- Miss Elliott Unsung Hero Award (team award)

Deandra Young

- SEC Freshman Academic Honor Roll

Statistical Leaders

Scoring: Jordan Jones (10.2 ppg)
 Rebounding: Azania Stewart (6.1 rpg)
 Assists: Lanita Bartley (5.4 apg)
 Steals: Lanita Bartley (2.8 pg)
 Blocks: Azania Stewart (62)
 3FT: Jordan Jones (72)
 FG%: Jennifer George (54.4%)
 3FG%: Jatterra Bonds (43.5%)
 FT%: Jordan Jones (78.2%)

Professional Draft Selections

<u>Player</u>	<u>Team (Round)</u>
None	



23 of UF's 35 games during 2010-11 were decided by 10 points or fewer, with 16 being six-point differences.

Signees

<u>Player</u>	<u>Hometown</u>
Viktorija Dimaitė	Lithuania
Carlie Needles	Highlands Ranch, CO
Andrea Vilaro	Spain



Junior **Azania Stewart** was Florida's leading rebounder with 6.1 per game and shot blocker in 2010-11, swatting 62 – a mark that was second-best among all SEC athletes.



Jennifer George blocked a career-high nine shots in the win against Alabama State (Dec. 20). The 6-foot-0 forward tied for the second-most rejections in a single game in school history. Vanessa Hayden holds the school record with 10 blocked shots against Kent State on Dec. 29, 2001. George became just the second different player in school history to chart nine or more blocks in a single game.

Schedule & Results

Overall: 20-15 (home 12-4, away 4-10, neutral 4-1)

SEC: 7-9 - Eighth (home 4-4, away 3-5)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Result</u>
N13	UCF (1-1 Rd)	W 77-67
N15	CHARLOTTE (1-QF)	W 76-70
N18	at DePaul (1-SF)	L 73-74
N23	NORTH FLORIDA (DH)	W 54-51
N26	vs. South Alabama (3)	W 61-51
N27	vs. Navy (3)	W 52-43
N30	OLD DOMINION	W 63-55
D4	vs. Providence (4)	W 73-56
D5	at Brown (4)	L 50-56
D7	HARVARD	W 86-65
D10	at Hampton	L 54-69
D20	ALABAMA ST. (5)	W 95-38
D21	ROBERT MORRIS (5)	W 70-50
D28	at #25/23 Florida State	L 72-74
J2	#22/24 ARKANSAS*	W 64-53
J6	at Auburn*	L 56-73
J9	at South Carolina*	W 65-63
J13	#5/6 TENNESSEE*	L 40-83
J16	at Georgia*	L 64-70
J20	#19 KENTUCKY*	L 58-59
J23	at LSU*	L 58-72
J27	ALABAMA*	W 70-64
J30	at Mississippi State*	W 67-60
F3	OLE MISS*	L 59-61
F6	VANDERBILT*	L-2ot 97-103
F10	at #4 Tennessee*	L 39-61
F13	at Alabama*	L 59-64
F20	MISSISSIPPI ST*	W 78-63
F25	at Vanderbilt*%	W 74-69
F27	#22 GEORGIA*	W 74-71
M3	vs. Arkansas (6-1R)	W 68-59
M4	vs. #4 Tennessee (6-QF)	L 75-92
M18	UMBC (7)	W 59-47
M21	at Florida Gulf Coast (7)	W 74-69
M24	at Charlotte (7)	L-ot 77-81

##AP/ESPN-USA Today Coaches Ranking at tip-off;

*Southeastern Conference game; (1) Preseason WNIT; (3) Dead River Company Classic – Orono, Maine; (4) Brown BEAR Basketball Classic – Providence, R.I.; (5) Gator Holiday Classic – Gainesville, Fla.; (6) SEC Tournament – Nashville, Tenn.; % = game originally scheduled for Feb. 24 and on CSS, but weather forced delay; (7) Postseason WNIT