



2008-09 OPPONENTS



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2008-09 OPPONENT INFORMATION



KARL SMESKO

FLORIDA GULF COAST UNIVERSITY

Game #1: November 14 * Fort Myers, Fla.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Fort Myers, Fla.; Enrollment: 9,400; President: Dr. Wilson Bradshaw; Athletic Director: Carl McAloose; SWA: Kathy Peterson; Colors: Cobalt Blue & Emerald Green; Nickname: Eagles; Conference: Atlantic Sun; Home Court: Alico Arena (4,500)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Karl Smesko (Kent State, '93); Overall Record: 215-56 (9 Years); Record at School: 154-29 (6 Years); Assistant Coaches: Nathan Daume (Missouri, '94), Ericka Haney (Notre Dame, '02); Grad Assistants: Kate Schroder (FGCU, '07), Chelsea Dermeyer (FGCU, '07)

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 22-8; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 13-3 (2nd); Postseason: WNIT Second Round; Letterwinners Returning/Last: 3 / 9; Series Record: UF leads 2-0; Starters Returning: 1; Newcomers: TBA



JILL DUNN

JACKSONVILLE UNIVERSITY

Game #2: November 17 * Gainesville, Fla.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Jacksonville, Fla.; Enrollment: 3,436; President: Dr. Kerry Romesberg; Athletic Director: Alan Verlander; SWA: Marsha Haskew; Colors: Green & White; Nickname: Dolphins; Conference: Atlantic Sun; Home Court: Swisher Gymnasium (1500), Veterans Memorial Arena (5,191)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Jill Dunn (Georgia Southern, '94); Overall Record: 83-90 (6 years); Record at School: 60-57 (5 years); Assistant Coaches: Dee Pennix (High Point, '99), Ginny Boggess (Wingate, '03), DeUnna Hendrix (Richmond, '07); Basketball Phone: 904-256-7236

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 23-9; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 11-5 (4th); Postseason: A-Sun Tournament (2-1); Letterwinners Returning/Last: 8/4; Series Record: JU leads 1-0; Starters Returning (4): Regina Omrite, Sr., G, 10.5 ppg, 3.8 rpg; DaVina Hamilton, Sr., G, 8.8 ppg, 3.0 rpg; Virginia Gregoire, Sr., G, 13.3 ppg, 5.9 rpg; Danielle Gray, Jr., C, 4.6 ppg, 3.5 rpg; Newcomers (6): Jessica George, Fr., G; Taneskei Richardson, So., F; Valerie Jones, Fr., G; Ashanti Jones, Fr., G; GiGi Thomas, R-Jr., G; Jasmine Coleman, Jr., G/F.



LYNN BRIA

STETSON UNIVERSITY

Game #3: November 20 * Gainesville, Fla.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Deland, Fla.; Enrollment: 2,492; President: Dr. H. Douglas Lee; Athletic Director: Jeff Alhier; SWA: Jan Usher; Colors: Hunter Green and White; Nickname: Hatters; Conference: Atlantic Sun; Home Court: Edmunds Center (5,000)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Lynn Bria (Charleston, '90); Overall Record: 153-213 (13 years); Record at School: 0-0 (First year); Assistant Coaches: Samba Johnson (Chaminade, '96), Beth Shelby (Greensboro, '06); Basketball Phone: 386-822-8120

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 9-21; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 7-9 (11th); Postseason: A-Sun Tournament (0-1); Letterwinners Returning/Last: 7/3; Series Record: UF leads 20-3; Starters Returning (3): Shamesha Smith, Sr., G, 9.4 ppg, 4.7 rpg; Tierra Brown, So., G, 8.5 ppg, 3.2 rpg; Ayeshia Barkley, Sr., C, 7.4 ppg, 5.0 rpg; Newcomers (5): Jessica Bivins, Fr., G; Kelly Ellison, Fr., G; Daphnee Frieson, Jr., C; Lylrique Roman, Fr., F/G; Ayiesha Vickers, Fr., F

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SUE SEMRAU

FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY

Game #4: November 23 * Tallahassee, Fla.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Tallahassee, Fla.; Enrollment: 38,553; President: Dr. T.K. Wetherall; Athletic Director: Randy Spethman; SWA: Kellie Elliot; Colors: Garnett & Gold; Nickname: Seminoles; Conference: Atlantic Coast; Home Court: Donald L. Tucker Center (12,100)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Sue Semrau (California-San Diego, '85); Overall Record: 179-152 (11 years); Record at School: Same; Assistant Coaches: Cori Close (UC-Santa Barbara, '93), Angie Johnson (Louisville, '91), Lance White (Texas Tech, '96); Basketball Phone: 850-644-3641

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 19-14; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 7-7 (5th); Postseason: NCAA Second Round; Letterwinners Returning/Last: 9/1; Series Record: UF leads 39-25; Starters Returning (4): Tanae Davis-Cain, Sr., G, 15.0 ppg, 4.6 rpg; Mara Freshour, Sr., G, 12.7 ppg, 5.0 rpg; Jacinta Monroe, Jr., F/C, 10.2 ppg, 6.2 rpg; Courtney Ward, So., G, 5.6 ppg, 3.2 rpg; Newcomers (5): Alysha Harvin, Jr., G; Antionette Howard, Fr., G/F; Cayla Moore, Jr., F; Christian Hunnicut, Fr., G; Angel Gray, Jr., G

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CEDRIC BAKER

SAVANNAH STATE UNIVERSITY

Game #5: November 24 * Gainesville, Fla.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Savannah, GA Enrollment: 3,500; President: Dr. Earl G. Yarbrough, Sr.; Athletic Director: Bart Bellairs; Colors: Orange and Reflex Blue; Nickname: Lady Tigers; Conference: Independent; Home Court: Tiger Arena (6,000)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Cedric Baker (Voorhees, '90); Overall Record: 234-211 (16 years/42-98 (5 years at Division I); Record at School: 42-98 (5 years); Assistant Coach: Julie Johnson; Basketball Phone: 912-353-5274

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 14-15; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): none/Independent; Postseason: none; Letterwinners Returning/Last: 5/7; Series Record: Savannah St. leads 1-0; Starters Returning (3): Patrice Robinson, F, 9.2 ppg, 6.7 rpg; Lashara Smith, F, 9.5 ppg, 2.7 rpg, 2.1 apg; Antoinette Williams, F, 9.2 ppg, 3.6 rpg; Newcomers: 7

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DANA EIKENBERG

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY

Junkanoo Jam
Game #6: November 28 * Freeport, Bahamas

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Carbondale, Ill. Enrollment: 20,983; Interim Chancellor: Sam Goffman; Athletic Director: Maria Maccio; SWA: TBA; Colors: Maroon and White; Nickname: Salukis; Conference: Missouri Valley; Home Court: SIU Arena (9,386)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Dana Eikenberg (Penn State, '92); Overall Record: 82-146 (8 years); Record at School: 44-72 (4 years); Assistant Coaches: Megan Lanham (Winona State, '96), Rasheeda Love (Bradley, '04), Tanya Bauer (Wisconsin-Eau Claire, '98); Basketball Phone: 618-453-5448

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 10-20; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 5-13 (9th); Postseason: none; Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 4/5; Series Record: First Meeting 0-0; Starters Returning (2): Jasmine Gibson, Sr., F, 14.3 ppg, 5.2 rpg; Erica Smith, Sr., G, 10.2 ppg, 6.8 rpg; Newcomers (8): Adrienne Griffith, Jr., F; Nikki Howe, Jr., C; Genesis Kelly, Jr., G; Olivia Leff, Fr., G; Karlee Myers, Jr., F; Christine Presswood, Jr., G; Eryn Stepherson, Fr., G; Lacie Ward, Jr., G

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CHARLI TURNER THORNE

ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY

Junkanoo Jam
Possible Game #7: November 29 * Freeport, Bahamas

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Tempe, AZ; Enrollment: 63,278; President: Dr. Michael Crow; Athletic Director: Lisa Love; SWA: Dawn Rogers; Colors: Maroon and Gold; Nickname: Sun Devils; Conference: Pacific-10; Home Court: Wells Fargo Arena (14,141)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Charli Turner Thorne (Stanford, '88); Overall Record: 165-185 (15 years); Record at School: 225-145 (12 years); Associate Head Coaches: Joseph Anders (Arkansas-Monticello, '80), Meg Sanders (Cal State Fullerton, '85); Assistant Coach: Laura Hughes (Santa Clara, '92); Basketball Phone: 480-965-6086

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 22-11; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 14-4 (3rd); Postseason: NCAA Second Round; Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 10/3; Series Record: UF leads 1-0; Starters Returning: 3; Newcomers: 5

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KRISTA KILBURN-STEVSKEY

HOFSTRA UNIVERSITY

Junkanoo Jam
Possible Game #7: November 29 * Freeport, Bahamas

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Hempstead, NY Enrollment: 12,700; President/Chancellor: Stuart Rabinowitz; Athletic Director: Jack Hayes; SWA: Cindy Lewis; Colors: Gold, White & Blue; Nickname: Pride; Conference: Colonial Athletic Association; Home Court: David S. Mack Sports and Exhibition Complex (5,045)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Krista Kilburn-Steveskey (North Carolina State, '90); Overall Record: 31-33 (2 years); Record at School: 31-33 (2 years); Assistant Coaches: TBA, Danielle Santos (Florida, '06), Sharon Pillow (Tennessee, '02); Basketball Phone: 516-463-4667

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 5-25; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 3-15 (12th); Postseason: First Round of the CAA Championship; Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 11/2; Series Record: UF leads 1-0; Starters Returning (5): Candice Bellocchio, So., G, 6.5 ppg, 2.3 rpg; Sam Brigham, Jr., G, 10.4 ppg, 2.9 rpg; Kristina Campbell, Sr., F, 2.3 ppg, 3.0 rpg; Britne Rodgers, So., F, 9.4 ppg, 5.0 rpg; Niki Williams, Sr., G, 7.5 ppg, 3.7 rpg; Newcomers (3): Nicole Capurso, Fr., G; Joelle Connelly, Fr., C/F; Asia Jenkins, Fr., G.

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AUDRA SMITH

UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA-BIRMINGHAM

Game #8: December 3 * Birmingham, Ala.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Birmingham, Ala.; Enrollment: 17,330; President: Dr. Carol Garrison; Athletic Director: Brian Mocklin; SWA: TBA; Colors: Forest Green and Old Gold; Nickname: Blazers; Conference: Conference USA; Home Court: Bartow Arena (8,500)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Audra Smith (Virginia, '92); Overall Record: 56-64 (4 years); Record at School: 56-64 (4 years); Assistant Coaches: Kathy Allen (Virginia, '02), Darryl Oliver (Richmond, '98), JoVanka J. Ward (Hampton, '98); Basketball Phone: 205-934-2048

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 14-16; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 10-6 (3rd); Postseason: Lost in Quarterfinals to Marshall, 71-67; Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 8/4; Series Record: UF leads 2-0; Starters Returning (3): Britney Jones, Sr., G, 12.8 ppg, 4.3 rpg; Brianna Berry, Sr., F, 2.3 ppg, 3.0 rpg; Amanda Scott, Jr., F/C, 4.8 ppg, 3.3 rpg; Newcomers (6): Shelly Breaux, Fr., F; TaRonda Randall, Fr., F/C; Ashlee Jackson, Fr., G; Miteka Truehart, Fr., G; Tamika Dukes, Jr., F; Meagan Brown, Fr., C

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KAY YOW

N.C. STATE UNIVERSITY

Game #9: December 7 * Raleigh, N.C.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Raleigh, N.C.; Enrollment: 30,045; President/Chancellor: Dr. James L. Olinger; Athletic Director: Lee Fowler; SWA: Nora Lynn Finch; Colors: Red & White; Nickname: Wolfpack; Conference: Atlantic Coast; Home Court: Reynolds Coliseum (9,500)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Kay Yow (East Carolina, '64); Overall Record: 729-337 (36 years); Record at School: 672-318 (32 years); Assistant Coaches: Stephanie Glance (Rollins, '85), Jenny Palmateer (N.C. State, '93), Trena Trice-Hill (N.C. State, '87); Basketball Phone: 919-515-2880

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 21-13; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 6-8 (8th); Postseason: WNIT Final Four; Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 8/2; Series Record: NC State leads 2-1; Starters Returning (4): Shayla Fields, Sr., G, 13.5 ppg, 3.8 rpg; Nikitta Gartrell, Jr., G, 9.6 ppg, 4.4 rpg; Lucy Ellison, Jr., F, 2.8 ppg, 5.9 rpg; Chanita Jordan, Jr., C, 5.6 ppg, 3.8 rpg; Newcomers (2): Michelle Davis, Fr., F; Bona Holston, Fr., F.

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DEREK BROWN

COPPIN STATE UNIVERSITY

Game #10: December 10 * Gainesville, Fla.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Baltimore, MD.; Enrollment: 4,306; President/Chancellor: Dr. Reginald S. Avery; Athletic Director: Dr. Mary Wanza; SWA: Alecia Shields-Gadson; Colors: Royal Blue & Gold; Nickname: Eagles; Conference: Mid-Eastern Athletic; Home Court: Coppin Center (1,720)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Derek Brown (Montclair State); Overall Record: 156-106 (9 years); Record at School: 156-106 (9 years); Assistant Coaches: Billie Wilson (Frostburg State, '84), Kyle Locke (Coppin State, '96), Sidney Raikes (Coppin State); Basketball Phone: 410-951-3735

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 22-12; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 13-3 (2nd); Postseason: NCAA First Round; Letterwinners Returning/Last: 10/2; Series Record: First Meeting 0-0; Starters Returning (3): Whitney Cunningham, Sr., C, 10.1 ppg, 8.0 rpg; Jennifer Martin, Sr., F, 6.3 ppg, 7.7 rpg; Danielle Anders, Sr., F, 11.3 ppg, 5.6 rpg; Newcomers (5): Jeanine Manley, Fr., G; Crystal Whittington, Fr., F; Endia Ward, Fr., F; Shanae Cross, Fr., G; Shante Cummings, So., G.

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LEDAWN GIBSON

FLORIDA A&M UNIVERSITY

Game #11: December 12 * Gainesville, Fla.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Tallahassee, Fla.; Enrollment: 10,500; President: Dr. James Ammons; Athletic Director: William "Bill" Hayes; Colors: Orange and Green; Nickname: Rattlers; Conference: Mid-Eastern Athletic; Home Court: Gaither Gym (3,365)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Ledawn Gibson (Warner Southern, '00); Overall Record: 0-0 (0 years); Record at School: 0-0 (0 years); Assistant Coaches: Latasha Shipman, Stephen Joyner; Basketball Phone: 850-561-2193

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 14-17; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 3-13 (9th); Postseason: none; Letterwinners Returning/Last: 8/3; Series Record: UF leads 6-4; Starters Returning (3): Deitra Jones, Sr., G, 14.4 ppg, 7.0 rpg, 2.2 apg; Denise Tate, Sr., F, 4.5 ppg, 9.1 rpg; Stephanie Foster, Sr., G, 6/6, 13.7 ppg, 6.2 rpg, 1.0 bpg; Newcomers (0):

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AGNUS BERENATO

UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH

Game #12: December 21 * Gainesville, Fla.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Pittsburgh, PA Enrollment: 33,393; Chancellor: Mark A. Nordenberg; Athletic Director: Steve Pederson; SWA: Carol Sprague; Colors: Blue and Gold; Nickname: Panthers; Conference: Big East Conference; Home Court: Petersen Events Center (12,508)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Agnus Berenato (Mount St. Mary's, '80); Overall Record: 372-330 (24 years); Record at School: 89-66 (6 years); Assistant Coaches: Jeff Williams (Howard, '87), Caroline McCombs (Youngstown State, '98), Yolett McPhee McCuin (Rhode Island, '04); Basketball Phone: 412-648-8360

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 24-11; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 10-6 (T-5th); Postseason: NCAA Sweet 16; Letterwinners Returning/Last: 8/5; Series Record: Pitt leads 1-0; Starters Returning (4): Sophronia Sallard, Jr., G, 6/6, 2.9 ppg, 2.5 rpg; Jania Sims, Jr., G, 5.8 ppg, 4.2 rpg, 4.6 apg; Xenia Stewart, Sr., G, 8.8 ppg, 4.2 rpg, 3.1 apg; Shavonte Zellous, Sr., G, 7.7 ppg, 5.7 rpg, 2.5 apg; Newcomers (4): Sarah Ogoke, Fr., G; Kate Popover, Fr., C; Brittaney Thomas, Fr., G; Pepper Wilson, Fr., C

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JOE MATHEWS

TOWSON UNIVERSITYState Farm Classic
Game #13: December 29 * Gainesville, Fla.**GENERAL INFORMATION**

Location: Towson, Md. Enrollment: 19,758; President: Dr. Robert Carey; Athletic Director: Mike Hammy; SWA: TBA; Colors: Gold, White & Black; Nickname: Tigers; Conference: Colonial Athletic Association; Home Court: Towson Center 5,000

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Joe Mathews (Radford, '91); Overall Record: 78-125 (7 years); Record at School: 78-125 (7 years); Assistant Coaches: Stacy Alexander (St. Francis, '96), Jai Jefferson (Northeastern, '05), Morgan Valley (Connecticut, '05); Basketball Phone: 410-704-5787

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 22-10; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 12-6 (5th); Postseason: none; Letterwinners Returning/Last: 7/1; Series Record: First Meeting 0-0; Starters Returning (4): Shanae Baker-Brice, Jr., Pos., 11.7 ppg, 3.9 rpg; Haliema Snowden, Jr., Pos., 6.4 ppg, 4.6 rpg; Alis Freeman, Sr., Pos., 6.1 ppg, 2.4 rpg; Kandace Davis, Jr., Pos., 8.3 ppg, 7.9 rpg; Newcomers (2): Krystin Fields, Fr., G; Katrina Wheeler, Jr., F

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Florida welcomes Miami (Ohio), Towson and Vermont to Gainesville December 29 & 30 to compete in the 2008 State Farm Classic.

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1990	Florida	Tennessee State	Georgia Southern	Alabama State
1991	Stephen F. Austin*	Florida	New Hampshire	Iowa State
1992	Florida*	Illinois	Detroit Mercy	Florida A&M
1993	Florida*	Southern Miss*	Ohio State	Pennsylvania
1994	Florida*	N.C. State*	Maine*	San Francisco*
1995	Florida*	George Washington*	Massachusetts*	Boston College
1996	Florida*	Kansas State*	Nevada	St. Bonaventure
1997	Florida*	Duke*	Rhode Island	Kent State*
1998	Florida*	California	Western Michigan	Vermont
1999	Boston College*	Florida	Western Kentucky*	Maine*
2000	Florida*	Rutgers*	Tennessee State	Ohio
2001	Florida*	Kent State*	Duquesne	Howard
2002	Florida	Virginia	Michigan	Massachusetts
2003	no tournament held			
2004	Florida	Charlotte	Boston U.	Florida A&M
2005 [^]	Florida	Liberty	Rhode Island	no team
2006	Nebraska*	Florida	N.C. State*	Alabama St.
2007	Florida	Alabama A&M	Holy Cross	UNC Asheville

*Earned NCAA Tournament bid that season

[^]The 2005 event featured only three teams, which played a round-robin style tournament

The Gators captured the 2007 State Farm Classic in impressive fashion, winning by an average of 17.5 points per game. Marshae Dotson was voted the MVP and Depree Bowden was named to the All-Tournament team.



2008-09 OPPONENT INFORMATION



MARIA FANTANAROSA

MIAMI UNIVERSITY (OHIO)

State Farm Classic
Possible Game #14: December 30 * Gainesville, Fla.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Oxford, OH Enrollment: 15,766; President: Dr. David Hodge; Athletic Director: Brad Bates; SWA: Jennie Gilbert; Colors: Red and White; Nickname: RedHawks; Conference: Mid-American; Home Court: Millett Hall (6,400)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Maria Fantanarosa (Miami, '90); Overall Record: 168-153 (11 years); Record at School: 161-133 (10 years); Assistant Coaches: Lisa Hayden (Miami, '95), Colleen Day (Miami, '04), Jonelle Streed (St. Cloud State, '03); Basketball Phone: 513-529-3300

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 23-11; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 12-4 (2nd); Postseason: NCAA First Round; Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 8/2; Series Record: Possible First Meeting; Starters Returning (3): Jenna Schone, Sr, G., 13.7 ppg, 5.1 rpg; Stephanie Ford, Sr, C., 7.6 ppg, 7.2 rpg; Ashley Hawkins, Sr, G., 5.6 ppg, 2.3 rpg; Newcomers (5): Maggie Boyer, Fr, G; Rachael Hencke, Fr., F; Ariel Thomas, Fr, G; Lillian Pitts, Fr., F; Erin Wisner, Fr., F

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SHARON DAWLEY

UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT

State Farm Classic
Possible Game #14: December 30 * Gainesville, Fla.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Burlington, VT Enrollment: 9,040; President/Chancellor: Dr. Daniel Mark Fogel; Athletic Director: Dr. Robert Conroy; SWA: Sue Hagens; Colors: Green and Gold; Nickname: Catamounts; Conference: America East; Home Court: Patrick Gymnasium (3,228)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Sharon Dawley (St. Anselm, '83); Overall Record: 217-130 (14 years); Record at School: 80-67 (5 years); Assistant Coaches: Steve Lanpher (St. Joseph's (VT), '87), Jen MacAulay (Vermont, '02), Cat Arnold (Gettysburg, '05); Basketball Phone: 802-656-7695

TEAM OUTLOOK

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SEMEKA RANDALL

OHIO UNIVERSITY

Game #15: January 3 * Athens, Oh.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Athens, OH; Enrollment: 28,442; President: Dr. Roderick J. McDavis; Athletic Director: Jim Schauss; SWA: Amy Deary; Colors: Hunter Green and White; Nickname: Bobcats; Conference: Mid-American; Home Court: Convocation Center (13,168)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Semeka Randall (Tennessee, '00); Overall Record: First Year; Record at School: First Year; Assistant Coaches: Willis Brown (Baldwin-Wallace, '94), Ryan Bragdon (Washington, '01), Karen Hewitt (St. Francis, '04); Basketball Phone: 740-593-1956

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 20-13; 2007-08 Conf. Record: 10-6; Postseason: none; Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 10 / 4; Series Record: UF leads 1-0; Starters Returning (3): Jenny Poff, Jr, G, 8.3 ppg, 3.5 rpg; Chandra Myers, Sr., C, 7.8 ppg, 6.1 rpg; Lauren Hmiel, Sr, F/G, 7.4 ppg, 4.4 rpg; Newcomers: 5

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SHARON FANNING

MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY

Game #16: January 8 * Gainesville, Fla.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Starkville, Miss.; Enrollment: 16,206; President/Chancellor: Dr. Vance Watson; Athletic Director: Greg Byrne; SWA: Ann Carr; Colors: Maroon and White; Nickname: Lady Bulldogs; Conference: Southeastern; Home Court: Humphrey Coliseum (10,500)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Sharon Fanning (Chattanooga, '75) Overall Record: 534-402 (32 years); Record at School: 210-176 (13 years); Assistant Coaches: Greg Franklin (Austin Peay, '94), Sharron Reaves (Alabama, '95), Franqua Bedell (University of the Ozarks, '99); Basketball Phone: (662) 325-0198

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 16-15; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 4-10 (9th); Postseason: WNIT; Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 10/5; Series Record: MSU leads 18-16; Starters Returning (4): Tysheka Grimes, Jr., F, 11.0 ppg, 6.6 rpg; Robin Porter, Sr., F, 6.8 ppg, 4.7 rpg; Alexis Rock, Jr., G, 11.5 ppg, 3.2 rpg; Marneshia Richard, Sr., G, 9.8 ppg, 3.0 rpg; Newcomers: 5

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NELL FORTNER

AUBURN UNIVERSITY

Game #17: January 11 * Auburn, Ala.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Auburn, Ala.; Enrollment: 24,137; President: Dr. Jay Gogue; Athletic Director: Jay Jacobs; SWA: Meredith Jenkins; Colors: Burnt Orange and Navy Blue; Nickname: Tigers; Conference: Southeastern; Home Court: Beard-Eaves-Memorial Coliseum (10,500)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Nell Fortner (Texas, '82); Overall Record: 88-64 (5 years); Record at School: 71-53 (4 years); Assistant Coaches: Kerry Cremons (Florida, '94), Mark Simons (Aquinas College, '72), Ayesha Whitfield (Minnesota, '02); Basketball Phone: 334-844-9200

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 20-12; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 7-7 (6th); Postseason: NCAA First Round; Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 10/4; Series Record: Auburn leads 29-14; Starters Returning (4): DeWanna Bonner, Sr., G/F, 18.4 ppg, 10.0 rpg; Jordan Greenleaf, Jr., F, 3.2 ppg, 2.8 rpg; Sherell Hobbs, Sr., G, 13.1 ppg, 5.7 rpg; Ali Smalley, So., G, 10.7 ppg, 2.9 rpg; Newcomers (4): Chantel Hilliard, Fr., F/C; Morgan Jennings, Fr., G; Parrisha Simmons, Fr., G; CeCe Simmons, Fr., G

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DAWN STALEY

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Game #18: January 15 * Columbia, S.C.
Game #28: February 22 * Gainesville, Fla.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Columbia, S.C.; Enrollment: 27,390; President: Dr. Harris Pastides; Athletic Director: Eric Hyman; SWA: Val Sheley; Colors: Garnet and Black; Nickname: Gamecocks; Conference: Southeastern; Home Court: Colonial Life Arena (18,000)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Dawn Staley (Virginia, '92); Overall Record: 172-80 (8 years); Record at School: 0-0 (0 years); Assistant Coaches: Lisa Boyer (Ithaca, '72), Carla McShee (Tennessee, '90), Nikki McCraw (Tennessee, '95); Basketball Phone: 803-777-0371

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 16-16; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 4-10 (1-9th); Postseason: WNIT Second Round; Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 6/6; Series Record: UF leads 16-8; Starters Returning (2): Demetress Adams, Sr., C, 10.9 ppg, 8.9 rpg; Brianna Dickerson, Sr., G, 10.4 ppg, 4.1 rpg; Newcomers (3): Charnee Stephens, Fr., F; Sada Wheeler, Fr., C; Tonia Williams, Fr., G

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ANDY LANDERS

UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Game #19: January 18 * Gainesville, Fla.
Game #29: March 1 * Athens, Ga.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Athens, Ga.; Enrollment: 33,831; President: Dr. Michael F. Adams; Athletic Director: Damon Evans; SWA: Dr. Carla Williams; Colors: Red and Black; Nickname: Lady Bulldogs; Conference: Southeastern; Home Court: Stegeman Coliseum (10,523)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Andy Landers (Tennessee Tech, '74); Overall Record: 789-246 (33 years); Record at School: 707-225 (29 years); Assistant Coaches: La'Keshia Frett (Georgia, '97), Kim Hairston (Richmond, '00), Cameron Newbauer (U-Fort Wayne, '01); Basketball Phone: 706-542-1176

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 23-10; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 8-6 (4-4th); Postseason: NCAA Tournament 1-1; Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 8/4; Series Record: UGA leads 42-10; Starters Returning (3): Ashley Houts, Jr., G, 11.7 ppg, 2.8 rpg; Angel Robinson, Jr., F, 9.9 ppg, 8.4 rpg; Angela Puleo, So., G, 8.2 ppg, 2.3 rpg; Newcomers (3): Meredith Mitchell, Fr., G; Parsha Phillips, So., F; Nicole Stroud, R-Fr., F

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RENEE LADNER

OLE MISS UNIVERSITY

Game #20: January 25 * Gainesville, Fla.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Oxford, Miss.; Enrollment: 17,325; Chancellor: Robert C. Khayat; Athletic Director: Pete Boone; SWA: Lynette Johnson; Colors: Cardinal Red and Navy Blue; Nickname: Lady Rebels; Conference: Southeastern; Home Court: C.M. Tad Smith Coliseum (8,910)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Renee Ladner (Ole Miss, '81); Overall Record: 13-16 (1 year); Record at School: 13-16 (1 year); Assistant Coaches: Peggie Gillom-Granderson (Ole Miss, '80), Marlene Stallings (Ohio, '98), Jocelyn McGilberry (Auburn, '90); Basketball Phone: 662-915-7592

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 13-16; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 6-8 (4-7th); Postseason: SEC Tournament (1-1); Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 7/6; Series Record: UF leads 14-12; Starters Returning (4): Shantell Black, Jr., G, 9.3 ppg, 3.0 rpg; Liz Robertson, Jr., F, 7.9 ppg, 3.8 rpg; Kayla Nelson, So., G, 7.0 ppg, 2.6 rpg; Shawn Goff, Sr., C, 13.0 ppg, 6.8 rpg; Newcomers (6): Kayla Holloway, Fr., C; Nikki Byrd, Fr., C; LaTosha Laws, Fr., G; Whitney Hometh, Fr., G; Tori Slusher, Jr., C; Kataro Lewis, Jr., F

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MATTHEW MITCHELL

UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY

Game #21: January 29 * Gainesville, Fla.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Lexington, Ky.; Enrollment: 27,000; President/Chancellor: Dr. Lee Todd, Jr.; Athletic Director: Mitch Barnhart; SWA: Lisa Peterson; Colors: Blue & White; Nickname: Wildcats; Conference: Southeastern; Home Court: Memorial Coliseum (8,500)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Matthew Mitchell (Mississippi State, '95); Overall Record: 47-45 (3 years); Record at School: 17-16 (1 year); Assistant Coaches: Kyra Elzy (Tennessee, '01), Matt Insell (MTSU, '07), Wendy Palmer (Virginia, '96); Basketball Phone: 859-257-6046

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 17-16; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 8-6 (4th); Postseason: WNIT Quarterfinals; Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 10/4; Series Record: UF leads 21-19; Starters Returning (1): Victoria Dunlap, So., F, 7.3 ppg, 6.9 rpg; Newcomers (2): Jackie Sanders, Jr./Tr., F/C; Rebecca Gray*, So./Tr., G
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TOM COLLEN

UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS

Game #22: February 1 * Fayetteville, Ark.
Game #27: February 19 * Gainesville, Fla.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Fayetteville, Ark.; Enrollment: 17,938; President/Chancellor: Dr. G. David Gearhart; Athletic Director: Jeff Long; SWA: Bev Lewis; Colors: Cardinal and White; Nickname: Razorbacks; Conference: Southeastern; Home Court: Bud Walton Arena (19,500)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Tom Colleen (Bowling Green, '77); Overall Record: 224-83 (10 years); Record at School: 17-13 (1 year); Associate Head Coach: Tim Eatman (Talladega, '88); Assistant Coaches: Zenoae Antoine (Colorado State, '98), Greg Collins (Louisville, '88); Basketball Phone: 479-575-3000

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 17-13; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 2-12 (11th); Postseason: none; Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 5 / 4; Series Record: UF leads 16-6; Starters Returning (3): Whitney Jones, SR, Post, 10.3 ppg, 7.0 rpg; Charity Fard, JR, G, 8.0 ppg, 2.4 rpg; Ayana Brereton, SR, G, 11.5 ppg, 4.7 rpg; Newcomers: 9

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WENDELL HUDSON

UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA

Game #23: February 23 * Tuscaloosa, Ala.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Tuscaloosa, Ala.; Enrollment: 23,878; President/Chancellor: Dr. Robert E. Witt; Athletic Director: Mal Moore; SWA: Marie Robbins; Colors: Crimson and White; Nickname: Crimson Tide; Conference: Southeastern; Home Court: Coleman Coliseum (15,316)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Wendell Hudson (Alabama, '73); Overall Record: 239-137 (13 years); Record at School: 0-0 (First year); Assistant Coaches: Joni Crenshaw (Alabama, '02), Ty Evans (UW-Whitewater, '95), Stacey Franklin (Alabama, '93); Basketball Phone: 205-348-7077

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 8-22; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 1-13 (12th); Postseason: none; Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 10/3; Series Record: Bama leads 26-19; Starters Returning (5): Camilla Blands, Sr., G, 7.1 ppg, 4.3 rpg; Talisha Chandler, Jr., F, 6.3 ppg, 7.3 rpg; Katie Hancock, So., G, 6.0 ppg, 2.0 rpg; Tiemey Jenkins, So., F, 11.8 ppg, 6.7 rpg; Deadre Magee, G, Jr., 8.5 ppg, 3.8 rpg; Newcomers (4): Erica Russell, Fr., G; Carmen McCoy, Fr., C; Kayla Robinson, Fr., F; Candace Sykes, Fr., G

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PAT SUMMITT

UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE

Game #24: February 8 * Gainesville, Fla.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Nashville, Tenn.; Enrollment: 26,400; President/Chancellor: Dr. John Petersen; Athletic Director: Joan Cronan; SWA: Donna Thomas; Colors: Orange and White; Nickname: Lady Volunteers; Conference: Southeastern; Home Court: Thompson-Boling Arena (21,678)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Pat Summitt (UT-Martin, '74); Overall Record: 983-182 (34 years); Record at School: 983-182 (34 years); Assistant Coaches: Holly Warlick (Tennessee, '80); Dean Lockwood (Spring Arbor College — Michigan, '82); Daedra Charles-Furlow (Tennessee '91); Basketball Phone: (865) 974-3324

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 36-2; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 13-1 (2nd); Postseason: NCAA Champions; Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 6/5; Series Record: UT leads 37-2; Starters Returning (1): Angie Bjorklund, So., G/F, 8.4 ppg, 3.2 rpg; Newcomers (6): Brianna Bass, Fr., G; Amber Gray, Fr., F; Alicia Manning, Fr., F; Glory Johnson, Fr., F; Alyssia Brewer, Fr., F; Shekinna Strickland, Fr., G/F

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VAN CHANCELLOR

LSU

Game #26: February 15 * Baton Rouge, La.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Baton Rouge, La.; Enrollment: 25,896; President/Chancellor: Dr. John V. Lombardi; Athletic Director: Joe Alleva; SWA: Judy Southard; Colors: Purple and Gold; Nickname: Lady Tigers; Conference: Southeastern; Home Court: Pete Maravich Assembly Center (13,468)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Van Chancellor (Mississippi State, '65); Overall Record: 470-160 (20 years); Record at School: 31-6 (1 years); Associate Head Coach: Bob Starkey; Assistant Coaches: Travis Mays (Texas, '90) and Kenya Larkin-Landers (Texas, '02); Basketball Phone: 225-578-6643

TEAM OUTLOOK

2007-08 Record: 31-6; 2007-08 Conf. Record (Place): 14-0 (1st); Postseason: NCAA Final Four; Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 4/8; Series Record: LSU leads 21-9; Starters Returning (0); Newcomers (8): LaSandra Barrett, Fr., F; Swayze Black, Fr., F; Ayanna Dunning, Fr., F/C; Destini Hughes, Fr., G; Courtney Jones, Fr., F; Andrea Kelly, Jr., G; Crystal Riley, Fr., G; Taylor Turnbow, Fr., F

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