

2015 FIGHTING ILLINI

FOOTBALL GAME NOTES



GAME 7 | HOMECOMING

ILLINOIS (4-2, 1-1) vs. Wisconsin (5-2, 2-1)

Sat., Oct. 24, 2015 // 2:30 pm CT // BTN
Champaign, Ill. // Memorial Stadium (60,618)

TELEVISION BROADCAST

The Illinois/Wisconsin game will be televised on **Big Ten Network** with a kick time of 2:42 p.m. CT. **Kevin Kugler** (play-by-play), **Matt Millen** (analyst) and **Lisa Byington** (sidelines) will call the action with Bart Fox producing and Tom Huet directing. The game also will be streamed live at **BTN2Go.com**.

RADIO BROADCAST

The 43-station **Fighting Illini Sports Network** will carry the broadcast with the pregame show starting at 1:30 p.m. CT. Calling the action is **Brian Barnhart** (play-by-play), **Martin O'Donnell** (analysis), **Carey Davis** (sidelines) and **Steve Kelly** (pregame/halftime/postgame). The broadcast also can be heard on **TuneIn, SIRIUS / XM (81)** satellite radio and online for FREE at **FIGHTINGILLINI.COM** in both English and Mandarin Chinese.

GAMEDAY INFORMATION

Gameday Central: <http://bit.ly/IlliniGameday>

TICKET INFORMATION

Tickets are available for Saturday's game against Wisconsin starting at \$53, while B1G 2-game packs start at \$40 per game through the UI Athletic Ticket office, by calling 1-866-ILLINI-1 or online at **FIGHTINGILLINI.COM**.

ILLINOIS SCOREBOARD

Sept. 5	..... Kent State	..... W	.....	52-3
Sept. 12	..... Western Illinois	..... W	.....	44-0
Sept. 19	..... at North Carolina	..... L	.....	14-48
Sept. 26	..... Middle Tennessee State	..... W	.....	27-25
Oct. 3	..... Nebraska	..... W	.....	14-13
Oct. 10	..... at #22/23 Iowa	..... L	.....	20-29
Oct. 24	..... Wisconsin (Homecoming)	.....	2:30 pm (BTN)	
Oct. 31	..... at Penn State	.....	Time TBD	
Nov. 7	..... at Purdue	.....	..... 11 am	
Nov. 14	..... Ohio State	.....	Time TBD	
Nov. 21	..... at Minnesota	.....	Time TBD	
Nov. 28	..... vs. Northwestern (Soldier Field)	.....	Time TBD	
Dec. 5	..... Big Ten Championship Game	.....	Time TBD	

All times Central ... rankings are AP/Coaches polls

WISCONSIN SCOREBOARD

Sept. 5	..... at #3/3 Alabama	..... L	.....	17-35
Sept. 12	..... Miami (Ohio)	..... W	.....	58-0
Sept. 19	..... Troy	..... W	.....	28-3
Sept. 26	..... Hawaii	..... W	.....	28-0
Oct. 3	..... Iowa	..... L	.....	6-10
Oct. 10	..... at Nebraska	..... W	.....	23-21
Oct. 17	..... Purdue	..... W	.....	24-7
Oct. 24	..... at Illinois	.....	2:30 pm (BTN)	
Oct. 31	..... Rutgers	.....	TBA	
Nov. 7	..... at Maryland	.....	2:30 pm	
Nov. 21	..... Northwestern	.....	TBA	
Nov. 28	..... at Minnesota	.....	TBA	

FOR OPENERS

- **Kicking Off:** The Fighting Illini (4-2 overall, 1-1 B1G West) come off bye week to host Wisconsin (5-2 overall, 2-1 B1G West) at Memorial Stadium as part of the University of Illinois' 105th Homecoming celebration on Saturday (2:30 p.m. CT, BTN).
- **Captain Comeback:** Illinois has seven fourth-quarter comeback wins in the last two seasons (five in 2014 and two so far in 2015). QB **Wes Lunt** has orchestrated five of those seven fourth-quarter comebacks, including both this season (vs. Middle Tennessee and vs. Nebraska).
- **D-Fence:** The Fighting Illini defense over the first six games has shown vast improvement since last season.
 - » The Illini rank in the top-30 nationally in eight different stat categories, including blocked kicks (2), third down defense (4), TFLs (14), first downs allowed (14), passing efficiency defense (16), passing yards allowed (24), total defense (28) and scoring defense (30).
 - » Through six games in 2014, the Illini were allowing 482.3 ypg and 35.5 ppg. This season, they're allowing 332.5 ypg and 19.7 ppg through six games.
 - » The Illini have forced 32 three-and-out drives this season (5.3 per game), tied for the 16th-most in FBS. Illinois forced 44 three-and-out drives in all of 2014 (3.4 per game).
 - » The Illini rank fourth in the nation in third down conversion defense, allowing just 21 first downs in 94 third down attempts this season (.223).
- Senior WR **Geronimo Allison** leads the B1G in receptions per game (6.7) and is one of two B1G players averaging over 100 yards per game (100.2). With 40 catches for 601 yards this season, Allison has matched his production from the entire 2014 season (41-598). A recent addition to the Biletnikoff Award Watch List, Allison is coming off an eight-catch, 148-yard game at Iowa, which included a 53-yard touchdown.
- Junior LEO **Dawuane Smoot** is having a monster year, racking up 11.5 tackles for loss and 5.0 sacks at the midpoint of 2015. He ranks fifth in FBS in TFLs per game (1.9) and 22nd in sacks per game (.83).
- Senior DB **V'Angelo Bentley** is the Illinois career leader in kick return yardage (1,576). He surpassed Pierre Thomas' record of 1,495 yards against MTSU on Sept. 26. The Hornung Award candidate is the first Illinois player in school history to record kick, punt, interception and fumble returns for TD in his career.
- Senior LB **Mason Monheim** has 340 career tackles, third-most among active FBS players. The Butkus and Lombardi Award candidate has forced seven career fumbles, tied for fourth most in Illinois history and fifth-most among active FBS players.
- **Cardiac Illini:** The last two Fighting Illini victories were each decided in the final 10 seconds of regulation by a total of three points. Against Nebraska, QB **Wes Lunt** found WR **Geronimo Allison** for a 1-yard TD with 10 seconds left for a 14-13 Illini victory. That followed up a 27-25 win over Middle Tennessee on Sept. 26 after the Blue Raiders missed a 43-yard field goal with four seconds on the clock.
- **Block Party:** Illinois is tied for second in FBS with three blocked kicks this season. The Fighting Illini have blocked two punts, returning both for touchdowns, and one field goal on the season.
- **On the Upswing:** Illinois has won three of its last four and four of its last seven B1G games dating back to last season. In the 25 Big Ten games prior to the last seven, the Fighting Illini were 1-24.



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WISCONSIN GAME PROMOTIONS

- **Homecoming** - 105th #ILLINOISHomecoming is this weekend. <http://homecoming.illinois.edu>
- **Big Ten 2-Pack** - Tickets to 2 B1G games (WIS & OSU) starting at \$40 per ticket
- **Grange Grove** - Opens at 7 am (Interactive games, food trucks & music start at 11 am)
- **Fighting Illini Walk** - Noon through Grange Grove
- **Rodney Atkins Concert** - Country music star will perform FREE concert in Grange Grove from 12:30-2 pm

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ILLINOIS WEEKLY MEDIA SCHEDULE // WISCONSIN GAME

19 MONDAY	20 TUESDAY	21 WEDNESDAY	22 THURSDAY	23 FRIDAY	24 SATURDAY	25 SUNDAY
Cubit Press Conference (1 pm, Press Box, L8)	Cubit B16 Teleconference (12:04 pm)	Post-practice availability - Defensive players & staff who weren't at Monday availability. (approx. 5:30 pm)	No availability Official injury report released in evening	No availability	GAME DAY Illinois vs. Wisconsin HOMECOMING (2:30 pm CT, BTN)	No availability
Coordinators and Select Players Available (1:15 pm, Press Box, L8)	Post-practice availability - Offensive players & staff who weren't at Monday availability. (approx. 5:30 pm)				Postgame player/coach availability	

MEDIA INFORMATION

MONDAY'S SELECTED PLAYERS

Illini coordinators and players will be available on Monday at about 1:15 pm following head coach Bill Cubit's press conference on the 8th floor of the Memorial Stadium Press Box. The players this week are **WR Geronimo Allison**, **OL Ted Karras**, **QB Wes Lunt**, **LB T.J. Neal** and **LEO Dawuane Smoot**.

POST-PRACTICE INTERVIEWS

The first 30 minutes of practice are open to the media on Tuesday/Wednesday of game weeks (3:20-3:50 p.m.). Interviews will take place after practice at about 5:30 p.m. Media are asked to wait in the recruiting area on the north end of the stadium until practice is over (enter through the alley between ARC and Memorial Stadium).

PHONE INTERVIEWS

The best time for phone interviews is on Monday between 1:15 and 2 p.m. after Cubit's press conference, or on Tuesday and Wednesday after practice (approx. 5:30 p.m.) if time allows. Other arrangements can be made with advance notice. **Requests for phone interviews must be made at least 24 hours in advance to Derek Neal** (drneal@illinois.edu).

PRESS CONFERENCE VIDEO

Video files (MP4) of Coach Cubit's weekly press conference will be available for download on Box.com by 3 p.m. CT each Monday. Please email drneal@illinois.edu for the link to download.

TELECONFERENCE ACCESS

Contact the UI Athletics Communication Office (217-333-1391) for Illinois teleconference access information.

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HONORING THE GALLOPING GHOST

- For the second straight Homecoming game, the Fighting Illini will honor Hall of Famer Harold "Red" Grange, the Galloping Ghost, by wearing special "Gray Ghost" alternate uniforms against the Badgers.
- The uniforms debuted at Homecoming 2014 on the 90th anniversary of Grange's historic Homecoming performance against Michigan in the Memorial Stadium dedication game on Oct. 18, 1924. In that game, Grange scored four touchdowns and racked up 262 total yards in the first 12 minutes, then ran for a fifth touchdown and threw for a sixth to lead the Illini to a 39-14 victory in what many consider the greatest single-game performance in college football history.

ILLINOIS HOMECOMING FACTS

- The first homecoming celebrated on Illinois' campus was on Oct. 15, 1910, which the Illini won 3-0 over Chicago. This year's game against Wisconsin marks the 105th #ILLINOISHomecoming.
- Illinois has won three of its last five Homecoming games, including a 28-24 victory over Minnesota last season, and has an all-time record of 45-57-2 on Homecoming.
- This year marks the 11th time overall and the first time since 2001 (a 42-35 UI victory) that the Illini will host Wisconsin on Homecoming. Illinois is 8-2 all-time in Homecoming games against the Badgers.
- Illinois boasts being one of the first universities to celebrate Homecoming, a tradition on almost every college campus. It was conceived in 1909 by students C.F. Williams and W. Elmer Ekblaw, members of the Shield and Trident senior society. They joined with another society, Phoenix, to organize the three-day event.
- For years, there has been a debate over which university had the first homecoming. Historians from various schools found research that puts Illinois among one of the first five universities to celebrate the Homecoming tradition. Baylor has documented proof of a formally named Homecoming celebration in 1909, but took a six-year hiatus before celebrating the second event at the school in 1915. Northern Illinois had alumni events beginning in 1906, but didn't use the proper noun "Homecoming" until 1911. Indiana University renamed their 1909 Gala Day to Homecoming on Nov. 5, 1910, and Michigan began inviting alumni back to campus in 1897, but the formal name began on the Ann Arbor campus in 1916.



ILLINOIS-WISCONSIN SERIES

- This week's game marks the 82nd meeting between the Fighting Illini and the Badgers.
- Wisconsin holds a slim 38-36-7 edge in the all-time series and has won nine of the last 10 meetings. Illinois' lone victory in that stretch was a 31-26 win over the fifth-ranked Badgers in Champaign in 2007.
- Illinois leads the series 20-16-3 in games played in Champaign.
- Last season, Illinois' comeback bid fell short in a 38-28 loss to the Badgers at Camp Randall Stadium.
- In Wisconsin's last visit to Champaign in 2013, the Badgers pulled away for a 56-32 win.
- The 1995 game between the Illini and Wisconsin holds historical significance as the last college football game to end in a tie (final score was 3-3). Overtime rules were instituted the following season.
- Last 100-yard rusher vs. Wisconsin: Rashard Mendenhall, 160, 10/6/2007
- Last 300-yard passer vs. Wisconsin: Jon Beutjer, 319, 11/9/2002
- Last 100-yard receiver vs. Wisconsin: Steve Hull, 105, 10/19/2013

ILLINI BYE WEEK FACTS

- The Fighting Illini are coming off their lone open weekend of the season heading into the Wisconsin game.
- Illinois has dropped 12 of its last 14 games following a bye. Last season, the Illini had two bye weeks and went 1-1 in games following them. The Oct. 25 win over Minnesota (28-24) and the Nov. 15 loss to Iowa (30-14) in 2014 both came after off weeks for the Orange and Blue.
- Illinois has played 36 games after a bye in the modern era (since 1985, when bye weeks became commonplace) and is 13-23 in those contests.



DID YOU KNOW?

- The Fighting Illini have seven fourth-quarter comeback wins in the last two seasons (5 in 2014 and 2 so far in 2015).
- 13 players on this year's team already have an undergraduate degree.

TEAM STAT COMPARISON

Season Statistics	ILL	WISC
Overall Record	4-2	5-2
Big Ten Record	1-1	2-1
Total Offense	394.0	405.6
Points	28.5	26.3
First Downs	130	164
Rushing Yards	137.5	154.6
Passing Yards	256.5	251.0
Time of Possession	31:14	33:14
Third-Down Conversion	39.0	40.9
Points Allowed	19.7	10.9
Yards Allowed	332.5	272.3
Rushing Yards Allowed	151.3	103.3
Passing Yards Allowed	181.2	169.0

STATISTICAL LEADERS

RUSHING LEADERS (YPG)

Ferguson	76.2	Ogunbowale	68.9
Vaughn	65.3	Deal	59.5

PASSING LEADERS (YPG)

Lunt	237.3	Stave	244.0
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RECEIVING LEADERS (YPG)

Allison	100.2	Erickson	78.4
Murdock	38.8	Wheelwright	46.0

INTERCEPTION LEADERS (TOTAL)

Barton	3	Musso	2
Spence	2	McEvoy	1
Monheim	1	Caputo	1
Fejedelem	1		

SCORING LEADERS (PPG)

Zalewski	7.3	Gaglianone	7.1
Ferguson	4.8	Ogunbowale	3.4
Murdock	4.0	Deal	3.4

ALL-PURPOSE YARDS (YPG)

Allison	100.2	Erickson	96.6
Ferguson	91.8	Ogunbowale	91.7

TACKLES (TPG)

Fejedelem	9.2	Edwards	7.7
Neal	8.8	Schobert	6.7
Monheim	7.7	Orr	6.0

TACKLES FOR LOSS (TOTAL)

Smoot	11.5	Schobert	14.5
Clements	7.0	Biegel	7.5

NO FLY ZONE

The improvement of the Illini defense in 2015, under the direction of co-defensive coordinators **Tim Banks** and **Mike Phair**, has been remarkable. The Illini have jumped over 70 spots in national rankings from last season in several categories and currently are ranked in the top-30 nationally in blocked kicks, third down defense, TFLs, first downs allowed, pass efficiency defense, passing yards allowed, scoring defense and total defense.

ILLINOIS' DEFENSIVE IMPROVEMENT IN 2015

Category	2014 (Nat'l Rk)	2015 (Nat'l Rk)
Blocked Kicks	1 (70)	3 (2)
Third Down Conversion % Defense	.423 (88)	.223 (4)
Tackles for Loss (per game)	6.3 (49)	8.0 (14)
First Downs Allowed (per game)	22.5 (101)	16.2 (14)
Passing Efficiency Defense (rating)	136.0 (95)	105.97 (16)
Passing Yards Allowed (per game)	217.2 (47)	181.2 (24)
Scoring Defense (ppg)	34.0 (107)	19.7 (28)
Total Defense (ypg)	456.4 (109)	332.5 (30)
Interceptions (total)	7 (105)	7 (34)
Rushing Defense (ypg)	239.2 (115)	151.3 (50)

FOURTH-QUARTER MAGIC

- The Illini mounted their second fourth-quarter comeback victory of the season against Nebraska on Oct. 3. Illinois trailed 13-0 entering the final quarter and was down 13-7 with less than a minute remaining before QB **Wes Lunt** orchestrated a 6-play, 72-yard drive culminating in **Geronimo Allison's** 1-yard touchdown catch with 10 seconds left for a 14-13 Illini victory.
- A week before against Middle Tennessee State, the Fighting Illini trailed 25-24 with less than four minutes on the clock before Lunt engineered an 8-play, 41-yard drive ending in a 51-yard game-winning field goal by **Taylor Zalewski** with 2:09 left.
- In 2014, Illinois mounted five fourth-quarter comebacks, coming back to beat Penn State, Minnesota, Texas State, Western Kentucky and Youngstown State after training at some point during the fourth quarter.
- Illinois has had 11 comeback wins since 2001 when trailing after three quarters. Five of those 11 have come since the start of the 2014 season.

ILLINOIS WINS AFTER TRAILING ENTERING FOURTH QUARTER (SINCE 2001)

Date	Opponent	Trailed (entering 4th)	Final Score	QB
10/3/2015	vs. Nebraska	0-13	14-13	Lunt
10/25/2014	vs. Minnesota	21-24	28-24	O'Toole
9/20/2014	vs. Texas State	25-28	42-35	Lunt
9/6/2014	vs. Western Kentucky	21-27	42-34	Lunt
8/30/2014	vs. Youngstown State	7-9	28-17	Lunt
10/1/2011	vs. Northwestern	17-28	38-35	Scheelhaase
9/3/2005	vs. Rutgers	10-27	33-30 OT	Brasic
11/6/2004	vs. Indiana	14-22	26-22	Beutjer
11/17/2001	at Ohio State	21-22	34-22	Kittner
11/10/2001	vs. Penn State	14-21	33-28	Kittner
9/8/2001	vs. Northern Illinois	3-6	17-12	Kittner

MAKING THE GRADE

The Illini have excelled in the classroom over the last three seasons.

- A total of 38 football student-athletes earned degrees in 2014-15, including 13 that are on the 2015 roster pursuing second degrees or master's degrees.
- Since 2012, the number of football graduates have gone from 15 (2012), to 16 (2013) to 21 (2014) to 38 (2015).
- Illinois has broken its school record for Academic All-Big Ten selections in each of the last three seasons in Champaign. Prior to 2012, the school record was 12 (2000 & 2009). Since then, the Illini have had 18 (2012), 21 (2013) and now 29 in 2014.
- For four consecutive semesters, at least 40 football student-athletes have posted at least a 3.0 grade-point-average, including a high of 60 in Spring 2015. In the same time frame, Illinois' team GPA also has risen steadily from 2.71 in fall 2012 to 2.98 in spring 2015.

Semester	3.0+ GPAs	Team GPA
Fall 2012	42	2.71
Spring 2013	51	2.87
Fall 2013	43	2.84
Spring 2014	41	2.90
Fall 2014	56	2.97
Spring 2015	60	2.98



NATIONAL RANKINGS

ASSOCIATED PRESS (Oct. 18)

Rk	Team	Record	Pts	Trend
1	Ohio State (28)	7-0	1428	—
2	Baylor (12)	7-0	1416	—
3	Utah (16)	7-0	1362	+1
4	TCU (3)	7-0	1338	-1
5	LSU (1)	7-0	1306	+1
6	Clemson (1)	7-0	1252	-1
7	Michigan State	7-0	1202	—
8	Alabama	6-1	1133	+2
9	Florida State	6-0	1041	+2
10	Stanford	5-1	917	+5
11	Notre Dame	6-1	898	+3
12	Iowa	7-0	820	+5
13	Florida	6-1	785	-5
14	Oklahoma State	6-0	735	+2
15	Michigan	5-2	614	-3
	Texas A&M	5-1	614	-6
17	Oklahoma	5-1	565	+2
18	Memphis	6-0	553	—
19	Toledo	6-0	345	+3
20	California	5-1	336	+3
21	Houston	6-0	317	+3
22	Temple	6-0	216	—
23	Duke	5-1	210	+2
24	Ole Miss	5-2	157	-11
25	Pittsburgh	5-1	73	—

DROPPED FROM RANKINGS: UCLA 18, **Northwestern 20**, Boise State 21

OTHERS RECEIVING VOTES: Mississippi State 62, BYU 21, UCLA 18, **North Carolina 17**, Texas Tech 14, Georgia 12, Western Kentucky 11, Arizona State 10, **Wisconsin 8**, Boise State 8, Utah State 7, **Northwestern 4**

USA TODAY/COACHES (Oct. 18)

Rk	Team	Record	Pts	Trend
1	Ohio State (45)	7-0	1547	—
2	Baylor (12)	6-0	1488	—
3	TCU (4)	7-0	1417	—
4	Michigan State	7-0	1334	—
5	LSU (1)	6-0	1324	—
6	Clemson	6-0	1271	—
7	Utah (1)	6-0	1258	—
8	Alabama	6-1	1123	+1
9	Florida State	6-0	1111	-1
10	Notre Dame	6-1	924	+3
11	Stanford	5-1	898	+5
12	Oklahoma State	6-0	839	+3
13	Iowa	7-0	833	+4
14	Florida	6-1	751	-3
15	Oklahoma	5-1	665	+4
16	Texas A&M	5-1	623	-6
17	Memphis	6-0	544	+5
	Michigan	5-2	544	-3
19	California	5-1	370	+4
20	Toledo	6-0	322	+5
21	Duke	5-1	305	+3
22	Houston	6-0	289	—
23	Ole Miss	5-2	201	-11
24	Temple	6-0	163	—
25	Georgia	5-2	95	—

DROPPED FROM RANKINGS: UCLA 18, Boise State 20, **Northwestern 21**

OTHERS RECEIVING VOTES: Mississippi State 38, Wisconsin 37, Pittsburgh 32, **North Carolina 30**, UCLA 30, Texas Tech 14, BYU 9, Navy 9, Oregon 5, **Illinois 5**, Western Kentucky 5, Utah State 5, Washington State 5, **Northwestern 4**, Marshall 3, Arizona 2, Boise State 2, Bowling Green 1

* *Illinois' 2015 opponents in bold.*

2015 BIG TEN STANDINGS

WEST DIVISION	BIG TEN			OVERALL			LAST WEEK	THIS WEEK
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.		
Iowa	3	0	1.000	7	0	1.000	W, 40-10 at Northwestern	--
Northwestern	2	1	.667	5	2	.667	L, 10-40 vs. Iowa	at Nebraska
ILLINOIS	1	1	.500	4	2	.500	--	vs. Wisconsin
Minnesota	1	2	.333	5	2	.333	L, 25-48 vs. Nebraska	--
Wisconsin	1	2	.333	4	3	.333	W, 24-7 vs. Purdue	at Illinois
Nebraska	1	2	.333	3	4	.333	W, 48-25 at Minnesota	vs. Northwestern
Purdue	0	3	.000	1	6	.000	L, 7-24 at Wisconsin	--

EAST DIVISION	BIG TEN			OVERALL			LAST WEEK	THIS WEEK
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.		
Ohio State	3	0	1.000	7	0	1.000	W, 38-10 vs. Penn State	at Rutgers
Michigan State	3	0	1.000	7	0	1.000	W, 27-23 at Michigan	vs. Indiana
Michigan	2	1	.667	5	2	.714	L, 23-27 vs. Michigan State	--
Penn State	2	1	.667	5	2	.714	L, 10-38 at Ohio State	at Maryland
Indiana	1	2	.000	3	3	.500	L, 52-55 vs. Rutgers	at Michigan State
Rutgers	0	3	.000	4	3	.571	W, 55-52 at Indiana	vs. Ohio State
Maryland	0	2	.000	2	4	.333	--	vs. Penn State

ILLINOIS NON-CONFERENCE OPPONENTS

TEAM	CONFERENCE			OVERALL			LAST WEEK	THIS WEEK
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.		
Kent State	2	1	.667	3	4	.429	W, 15-10 at UMass	vs. Bowling Green
Western Illinois (FCS)	3	0	1.000	4	2	.667	W, 24-19 at Northern Iowa	at Illinois State
North Carolina	2	0	1.000	5	1	.833	W, 50-14 vs. Wake Forest	vs. Virginia
Middle Tennessee	2	1	.667	3	4	.429	W, 42-34 vs. FIU	at Louisiana Tech

GERONIMO00000000!

- Senior WR **Geronimo Allison** has 40 receptions for 601 yards this season, leading the Big Ten in receptions per game (6.7) and ranking in the top-20 nationally in receptions and receiving yards per game (100.2).
- Allison has been hot as of late, with 26 reception for 367 yards and two touchdowns in the last three games. He is coming off his best game of the season at Iowa (8 catches for 148 yards with a 53-yard touchdown), his fifth career 100-yard game.
- Allison caught the game-winning TD against Nebraska, a 1-yard strike from Wes Lunt with 10 second left in the game to put the Illini up 14-13. He finished with eight receptions for 91 yards against the Huskers.
- Allison has hauled in 11 receptions of 20+ yards, which is tied for the ninth-most in the nation and exceeds his 2014 season total of nine. His 28 receptions of 10+ yards is tied for 10th-most in FBS.
- In his second season with the Illini after transferring from Iowa Western CC in 2014, Allison went over 1,000 career receiving yards during the Nebraska game. He now has 1,199 yards on 81 career receptions at UI.
- The Tampa, Florida, native and Iowa Western Community College transfer has had overwhelming success on first down, recording 618 of his 1,199 total yards (51.5 percent) and six touchdowns, including the Oct. 3 game-winner against Nebraska, on that down. Twenty-two of his 36 first-down catches have resulted in first downs and nine of them went for 25-plus yards.

HE'S LUNT, HE'S LUNT, HE'S LUNT, HE'S IN MY HEAD

- Junior QB **Wes Lunt** leads the Big Ten in completions per game (22.7) and ranks fifth in the conference in passing yards per game (237.3) and passing touchdowns (9).
- Last time out against Iowa, Lunt posted his fourth career 300-yard game, completing 25-of-42 passes for 317 yards against the Hawkeyes. He connected on 11-straight passes at one point in the game and went 19-for-27 for 228 yards in the second half alone.
- Lunt has thrown 23 touchdowns against just five interceptions in his UI career.
- With just two interceptions in 233 pass attempts this season, Lunt is one of just six players in the nation with over 200 attempts and less than 2 INTs this season.
- Lunt's career efficiency rating of 131.4 is on the heels of Tony Eason's Illinois school record of 133.8 (1981-'82).
- Lunt has led game-winning drives in the final minutes of the last two games (Middle Tennessee and Nebraska) and has led five fourth-quarter comeback wins in his first season and a half as the Illini signal caller.
- Last season, Lunt led all Power Five QBs in 4th qtr QB rating when the game was within seven points (plus or minus), completing 20-of-25 passes for 5 TDs and 0 interceptions in that situation.
- Despite missing three full games and parts of two others with a fractured fibula, Lunt still managed to break the UI single-season QB efficiency record in 2014 (141.61). At the time of his injury, he ranked in the top 20 in the nation in completions per game (25.4, 10th), passing yards per game (313.8, 14th), passing TDs (13, 17th), passing yards (1,569, 18th), completion percentage (66.5, 20th) and passing efficiency (154.8, 20th).



ILLINI NCAA & B1G RANKINGS

TEAM RANKINGS (127 teams ranked)

CATEGORY	STAT	NCAA	Big Ten
Rushing Offense	137.5	100th	13th
Rushing Defense	151.3	50th	8th
Passing Offense	256.5	38th	2nd
Passing Defense	181.2	24th	7th
Passing Efficiency	118.4	94th	9th
Pass Efficiency Defense	106.0	16th	5th
Total Offense	394.0	73rd	8th
Total Defense	332.5	30th	8th
Scoring Offense	28.5	74th	8th
Scoring Defense	19.7	28th	7th
Net Punting	31.7	122nd	14th
Punt Returns	12.7	33rd	4th
Kickoff Returns	23.5	34th	5th
Turnover Margin	0.33	46th	5th
Sacks Allowed Per Game	1.33	33rd	5th
Tackles For Loss	8.0	14th	2nd

MISCELLANEOUS RANKINGS

CATEGORY	STAT	NCAA	Big Ten
First Downs	130	73rd	9th
Opponent First Downs	97	9th	2nd
Third-Down Conversions	39.0	69th	8th
Opponent 3rd-Down Conv.	22.3	4th	2nd
Fourth-Down Conversions	61.5	36th	4th
Opponent 4th-Down Conv.	46.2	57th	11th
Penalty Yards Per Game	52.5	51st	8th
Opponent Penalty Yds/Gm.	58.5		5th
Kickoff Coverage	39.8		10th
Time of Possession	31:14	43rd	7th
Red Zone Offense	70.8	121st	14th
Red Zone Defense	86.7	88th	12th

NCAA INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS (Top-30)

CATEGORY	PLAYER	STAT	RANK
Completions Per Game	W. Lunt	22.7	19th
Interceptions Per Game	T. Barton	0.5	20th
Punt Return Touchdowns	M. Murdock	1	3rd
	C. Fejedelem	1	3rd
Receiving Yards	G. Allison	601	23rd
Receiving Yards Per Game	G. Allison	100.2	16th
Receptions Per Game	G. Allison	6.7	19th
Sacks	D. Smoot	0.83	22nd
Tackles For Loss Per Game	D. Smoot	1.9	5th

BIG TEN INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS (Top-10)

CATEGORY	PLAYER	STAT	RANK
Passing Yards Per Game	W. Lunt	237.3	5th
Passing Efficiency	W. Lunt	120.7	10th
Receptions Per Game	G. Allison	6.7	1st
Receiving Yards Per Game	G. Allison	100.2	2nd
Total Offense	W. Lunt	227.2	7th
Scoring	T. Zalewski	7.3	8th
Scoring (Kick)	T. Zalewski	7.3	6th
Punt Return Average	V. Bentley	11.6	3rd
All-Purpose Yards Per Game	G. Allison	100.2	8th
Field Goals	T. Zalewski	1.33	8th
Field Goal Percentage	T. Zalewski	61.5	3rd
PAT Percentage	T. Zalewski	1.000	1st
Tackles	C. Fejedelem	9.2	4th
	T.J. Neal	8.8	6th
Sacks	D. Smoot	0.8	9th
Tackles For Loss	D. Smoot	1.9	3rd
Passes Defended	T. Barton	1.0	8th
Interceptions	T. Barton	3	2nd

KARRAS CONTINUES FAMILY'S B1G LEGACY

- Senior OG **Ted Karras** has been a mainstay on the offensive line for the last four years. Karras started at right guard for the first nine games of 2014, before suffering a season-ending knee injury against Ohio State. He has 37 career starts, second most among active Illini behind only Mason Monheim's 41 starts.
- If the Karras name seems familiar, that's because it's familial. Karras is the seventh member of his family to play football in the Big Ten, including his great-uncle, Alex, who was an All-American offensive lineman for Iowa a four-time NFL Pro Bowler before starting an acting career that resulted in a starring role in the 1980s sitcom "Webster." In addition, his grandfather, Ted, played at Indiana; his father, Ted Jr. – now the coach at Division II Walsh University in North Canton, Ohio – played at Northwestern; his great-uncle, Paul, played at Iowa; his great-uncle, Lou, played at Purdue; and his uncle, Tony, played at Northwestern.

MONHEIM STEAMROLLER

- After racking up a season-high 14 stops against Middle Tennessee and then adding 10 more against Nebraska and nine at Iowa, senior LB **Mason Monheim** has 340 career tackles, the third-most among active FBS players. He has 46 stops, two PBUs, one TFL and one interception through six games this season.
- Monheim has seven career forced fumbles, tied for fifth-most among active FBS players and tied with former Illini great Kevin Hardy and Earnest Thomas III for fourth on the UI career fumbles forced list.
- Monheim earned second-team freshman All-America honors in 2012 after becoming the first true-freshman ever to lead the Illini in tackles (86).

BENTLEY IN GOOD COMPANY WITH THE "GALLOPING GHOST"

- Senior DB **V'Angelo Bentley** was a preseason candidate for the Paul Hornung Award, which goes to the nation's most versatile player. Already an elite corner and returner, Bentley also has seen snaps on offense in several games this season.
- Bentley played a primary role in shutting down Nebraska's leading receiver, Jordan Westerkamp, in the Oct. 3 win over the Huskers. Westerkamp entered the game with 26 receptions for 351 yards and four touchdowns, but was limited to one catch for -1 yard as the Illini came away with a 14-13 victory.
- Bentley became Illinois' all-time leader in kickoff return yardage in week four against Middle Tennessee. With 1,576 career kick return yards, he has broken Pierre Thomas' previous UI mark of 1,495.
- Bentley ranks seventh among active FBS players in career punt return average (12.5 ypr).
- Bentley is the only player in Illinois history to record a kickoff return, punt return, interception return and fumble return for touchdown in his career. Football legend Harold "Red" Grange is the only other Illini player with kickoff, punt and interception returns for TDs, but he never returned a fumble for a score.

Bentley Return TDs (4)

KR 100 yards vs. Southern Illinois 8/31/2013
 PR 67 yards vs. Ohio State 11/16/2013
 INT 45 yards vs. Texas State 9/20/2014
 FR 12 yards vs. Minnesota 10/25/2014

Grange Return TDs (6)

KR 95 yards vs. Michigan 10/18/1924
 KR 83 yards at Iowa 10/17/1925
 PR 70 yards vs. Butler 10/10/1925
 PR 66 yards vs. Nebraska 10/6/1923
 PR 35 yards vs. Northwestern 10/27/1923 (*blocked punt return)
 INT 90 yards vs. Northwestern 10/27/1923

FERGY FAST

- Senior RB **Josh Ferguson** has climbed up to 11th on the UI career rushing list with 2,259 career yards.
 - Ferguson became the 17th player in Illinois history to surpass 2,000 career rushing yards with 133 yards at North Carolina in week three.
 - Ferg is one of three active FBS players with more than 2,000 career rushing yards (2,259) and 1,000 receiving yards (1,305), along with Arizona State's D.J. Foster and Oregon State's Storm Woods.
 - A Doak Walker Award candidate, Ferguson ranks fourth in career all-purpose yards at UI (3,945), with a realistic chance to break Robert Holcombe's all-time mark of 4,737 if healthy.
- Senior RB **Josh Ferguson**'s all-purpose yardage total is up to 3,945, which ranks fourth all-time in Illini history. He needs to average 113.1 yards per game in the final six regular season games to catch Robert Holcombe's UI career mark of 4,737. However, he left the Nebraska on Oct. 3 with an injury and missed the Oct. 10 game at Iowa, putting his quest for the record in jeopardy.
- A preseason Doak Walker Award candidate, Ferguson ranks 11th on the Illinois career rushing list with 2,259 yards. He jumped two spots with his 83-yard performance vs. MTSU, passing John Karras (2,135) and Keith Jones (2,194). To crack the top 10, Ferguson needs to catch Howard Griffith's 2,485 career yards.
- Already the program's all-time leader in running back receptions with 143, Ferguson became the all-time Illini leader in career receiving yards by a running back in week two vs. WIU. He now has 1,305 career receiving yards, eclipsing Ty Douthard's previous record of 1,250 from 1993-'96.



CAREER STARTS LIST

PLAYER	'15	'14	'13	'12	'11	TOT
Monheim, Mason	6	13	12	10		41
Karras, Ted	6	9	10	12		37
Spence, Eaton	6	13	12	2		33
Ferguson, Josh	5	9	8	6	0	28
Bentley, V'Angelo	6	11	9	0		26
Barton, Taylor	6	12	5			23
Spencer, Joe	6	12	2			20
Neal, T.J.	6	13	0			19
Ward, Jihad	6	13				19
Allison, Geronimo	6	12				18
Svetina, Mike			11	5		16
Bain, Rob	6	7	0			13
DiLauro, Christian	6	7				13
Lunt, Wes	6	7				13
Hardee, Justin		8	1	1		10
Schmidt, Austin	6	4	0			10
Turner, Malik	5	5				10
Clements, Chunky	6	3	0			9
Dudek, Mike		9				9
Powell, Teko		3	6	0		9
Fejedelem, Clayton	6	1				7
Boles, Chris	6	0	0	0		6
Smoot, Dawuane	6	0	0			6
Finney, Eric	4	0	1			5
Mosely, Darius	0	2	3			5
Murdock, Marchie	5	0				5
Vaughn, Ke'Shawn	3					3
Clary, Tim	1	0	1			2
Crawford, James	2	0				2
Flavin, Patrick	0	2	0			2
Cain, Desmond	1					1
Little, Javaris	0	1	0	0		1
Mays, Sam	1					1
Taylor, Dionte	1	0	0			1
White, Tyler	1	0	0			1

-- = Redshirted/did not play/not on squad; 0 = Played, didn't start

- Ferguson has scored 25 career touchdowns (18 rushing & 7 receiving) to rank eighth on the UI career TD list. Howard Griffith holds the school record of 33.
- Ferguson continues to haul in passes at an incredible rate for a running back, ranking fourth on the team with 12 receptions this season after snagging 50 catches in 13 games last season to rank second on the team. He has 143 career receptions, tied for eighth on the Illinois career receptions list.

JIHAD WARD: IT'S TIME TO EAT

- Senior defensive end **Jihad Ward** returned quickly from a training camp injury to start the season opener and is just now regaining his end of 2014 form. Ward has 33 tackles, 2.0 TFLs, two QB hurries, one fumble recovery and a half-sack in the first six games of 2015. He had a career-high 11 stops at Iowa on Oct. 10.
- The junior college transfer came on strong late in his first season at Illinois, starting all 13 games and finishing with 51 tackles, 8.5 TFLs – including 3.0 sacks – two forced fumbles, four fumble recoveries (tied for second-most in the nation) and five QB hurries. He was named honorable mention All-Big Ten by conference coaches.
- Ward has an interesting story, as one of five children of a single mother who had him at the age of 17 – the reason he wears No. 17 on the field. A receiver and safety in high school, Ward hit a growth spurt during his senior year and moved to defensive line. He went to Globe Institute of Technology in Manhattan, taking on the role of big brother to the teammates he lived with in Staten Island. He helped the group navigate the two-hour journey to Globe's campus near Times Square via bus, ferry, train and foot every day, often leaving their housing at 4 a.m. and not returning home until as late as 11:30 p.m. Ward posted 10 sacks in two seasons at Globe Tech, earning recognition as the No. 2 junior college DT by 247sports in 2013.

LINEBACKER U, IT'S NOT WHERE YOU THINK IT IS

- Like many Illini teams over the years, the 2015 Illini defense is led by the linebacking corps of senior **WILL Mason Monheim**, a 2015 Butkus Award candidate, junior MLB **T.J. Neal Jr.**, a breakout player in 2014, and senior STAR **Eric Finney**, a potential breakout player in 2015. The trio combined for 228 tackles, 14.0 TFLs, one sack, four PBUs, five forced fumbles and three interceptions. In 2014 Monheim, a preseason Butkus Award candidate, racked up 111 tackles, which ranked eighth in the Big Ten (8.5 tpg), while Neal added 98 stops in 2014 and is second on the team lead with 53 tackles in 2015.
- Monheim has piled up 340 tackles, 20.0 TFLs, seven forced fumbles, 3.5 sacks and four interceptions in his three-plus seasons. He currently ranks third on the team with 46 stops this season.
- Illinois' history at the linebacker position is up there with any program in the nation. It begins with the greatest linebacker in football history, **Dick Butkus**, who was a two-time All-American and led the Fighting Illini to a 1964 Rose Bowl win over Washington. Illinois boasts two Butkus Award winners, **Dana Howard** in 1994 and **Kevin Hardy** in 1995, several first-team All-Americans like **Darrick Brownlow** (1990), **Simeon Rice** (1994 & '95) and **J. Leman** (2007), not to mention second-team All-American **Scott Studwell** (1976) and NFL legend **Ray Nitschke**.

NEW KIDS ON THE QUAD

- A total of 30 players made their Illini debuts this season, 28 in the opener and two more in game two (Julian Jones and Zach Heath). Below is a breakdown by class.

True-Freshmen (5): WR Desmond Cain, LB Julian Jones, WR Sam Mays, DT Jamal Milan, RB Ke'Shawn Vaughn

Redshirt-Freshmen (8): OL/DL Nick Allegretti, QB Chayce Crouch, DB Julian Hylton, DB Chris James, LEO Henry McGrew, DL Tito Odenigbo, LB Austin Roberts, LB Tré Watson

Sophomores (7): WR Man Berg, OL Harry Black, RB Kendrick Foster, WR Jordan Hahn, DB Darwyn Kelly, DL Max Loeb, DL Brandon Roberts

Sophomore Transfers (1): OL Jordan Fagan

Juniors (1): WR Kameron Fry

Junior Transfers (5): OL Connor Brennan, TE Andrew Davis, RB Henry Enyenini, OL Zach Heath, TE Ainslie Johnson

Seniors (3): WR Leslie Poole, RB Cameron Tucker, LB Sean White

DUDEK, WHERE'S MY CAR?

- Sophomore WR **Mike Dudek** will have to wait a little while to follow up on the most prolific season for a freshman receiver in school history. Dudek finished with 76 receptions for 1,038 yards in 2014, which both shattered Arrelious Benn's previous freshman marks of 54 catches and 676 yards in 2007 and placed him in Illinois' season top-10 rankings. However, Dudek suffered a knee injury in spring practice and it is unknown if he will return this season.

2015 ILLINOIS COACHING STAFF

On Field During Game

Bill Cubit.....Head Coach/Offensive Coordinator
 Tim Banks.....Defensive Coordinator/Secondary
 Mike Phair.....Co-Defensive Coordinator/Def. Line
 Mike Bellamy.....Wide Receivers
 Tom Brattin.....Offensive Line
 Alex Golesh.....Tight Ends/Special Teams
 Nathan Scheelhaase.....Running Backs
 Mike Ward.....Inside Linebackers
 Reilly O'Toole.....Offensive GA

In Coaches' Booth

Ryan Cubit.....Quarterbacks
 Al Seamonson.....Outside Linebackers
 Tyler Johns.....Offensive GA
 Kaeman Mitchell.....Defensive GA
 LeDominique Williams.....Defensive GA



2015 ILLINOIS HONORS

WR Geronimo Allison

- Biletnikoff Award Watch List (WR)

CB/KR/PR/RB V'Angelo Bentley

- Paul Hornung Award Watch List (most versatile)

RB Josh Ferguson

- Doak Walker Award Watch List (RB)

LB Mason Monheim

- Rotary Lombardi Award Watch List (linemen, LB)
- Butkus Award Watch List (LB)

TURNOVERS FORCED

TEAM	INT	FUMBLE	TOTAL
Illinois	7	3	10
Opponent	4	4	8

KENT STATE

- 1Q.... Eaton Spence interception
- 1Q.... Kent St. muffed punt (Davontay Kwaaning recovered)
- 1Q.... Mason Monheim interception (43 yard return)
- 2Q.... Taylor Barton interception

WESTERN ILLINOIS

- 2Q.... Taylor Barton interception (5 yard return)
- 3Q.... Taylor Barton interception (48 yard return)

NORTH CAROLINA

- 1Q.... Eaton Spence interception

MIDDLE TENNESSEE

- 2Q.... Dawaune Smoot forced fumble (J. Ward returned 17 yards)

NEBRASKA

- 1Q.... Julian Hylton muffed punt recovery
- 3Q.... Clayton Fejedelem interception (18 yard return)

2015 FIRST DOWN PRODUCTION

Player	Run	Pass	Rec	Total
Wes Lunt	0	70	0	70
Geronimo Allison	0	0	27	27
Josh Ferguson	20	0	3	23
Ke'Shawn Vaughn	13	0	3	16
Marchie Murdock	1	0	11	12
Desomnd Cain	0	0	10	10
Chayce Crouch	3	4	0	7
Dionte Taylor	0	0	7	7
Henry Enyenihi	4	0	1	5
Sam Mays	0	0	4	4
Malik Turner	0	0	4	4
Tim Clary	0	0	2	2
Tyler White	0	0	2	2
TOTAL	40	74	74	115

- Dudek was a first-team Freshman All-American by ESPN.com, Scout and 247sports after leading FBS freshmen in receiving yards (79.8 ypg), ranking 33rd overall and third in the Big Ten. He led the Big Ten in receptions (50) and receiving yards (716) during conference games and ranked fifth in the nation with 354 fourth-quarter receiving yards and tied for third nationally with 10 plays of 15+ yards in the fourth quarter.
- Dudek became the eighth player in school history to record a 1,000 yard season as a receiver, ranking seventh on the UI single season list with 1,038 yards.

SURPRISE SCHOLARSHIPS

Two Fighting Illini walk-ons were surprised at training camp practice with scholarship offers...

- » Senior walk-on tight end **Tim Clary** was surprised with a scholarship for his final season at practice on Aug. 22. Clary was given an envelope on the sidelines, surrounded by his teammates. After he opened the letter and realized what it was, Clary was mobbed by his teammates.
- » A few days after Clary's surprise, junior walk-on star **Cedric Doxy** was surprised with his own scholarship offer at practice and received a similar response from his teammates.
- » In all, six players on the current roster have gone from walk-on status to scholarship student-athlete – Clary, Doxy, DB **Clayton Fejedelem**, DB **Davontay Kwaaning**, LS **Zach Hirth** and PK **Taylor Zalewski**.

OFFENSIVE NOTES

- **OL Pride:** The first string offensive line of LT **Austin Schmidt**, LG **Chris Boles**, C **Joe Spencer**, RG **Ted Karras** and RT **Christian DiLauro** has allowed just seven sacks in six games this season. As a team, the Illini rank 33rd nationally allowing 1.33 sacks per game (the second string OL has allowed one sack).
- **Instant Impact Freshmen:** True freshmen (WR **Desmond Cain**, RB **Ke'Shawn Vaughn** and WR **Sam Mays**) have accounted for 312 of the Illini's 745 total yards (41.9 percent) in Big Ten play (Nebraska & Iowa).
- **Ke'Shawn Keying In:** True-freshman RB **Ke'Shawn Vaughn** leads the team in rushing yards (392 yards on 95 carries). He nearly had his first 100-yard game on Oct. 3 vs. Nebraska, rushing for a career-high 98 yards on a career-high 24 carries, the most rushing yards in a game by an Illini true freshman since Donovan Young's 100 yards against Western Michigan on Sept. 24, 2011. He followed that up with 116 total yards (67 rushing, 49 receiving) and a four-yard touchdown run at Iowa, the first rushing TD allowed by the Hawkeyes this season.
- **Marchie Emerging:** Sophomore WR **Marchie Murdock** has become one of Wes Lunt's favorite targets this season. Murdock has three receiving touchdowns and is 11th in the conference and second on the team with 20 receptions for 194 yards. He also has one rush for 19 yards and returned a blocked punt 12 yards for a TD against WIU. He missed the Iowa game due to injury but is expected to return vs. Wisconsin.
- The 96 points scored by Illinois in the first two games is the most since the 1944 Illini put up 105.
- Illinois' 28 points in the first quarter of the season-opening win against Kent State stand as its most points scored in a quarter since putting up 29 against Miami (OH) at home on Sept. 28, 2013. They were the most first-quarter points by an Illinois team dating back to 1960. (Scoring summaries by quarter not available in UI archives prior to 1960).
- Illinois' 38 first-half points vs. Kent State were its most since also scoring 38 in the first half en route to a 44-17 win at California in the 2001 season opener (Sept. 1, 2001).

DEFENSIVE NOTES

- **Smoot Point:** The Illinois defense has 48 TFLs on the season (8.0 per game), which ranks 14th in the nation and second in the Big Ten. Junior LEO **Dawaune Smoot** leads the way with 11.5 TFLs (1.9 per game), ranking third in the Big Ten and fifth nationally. He's on pace to tie Simeon Rice's UI record of 23 TFLs in a season.
- **Fej Having Big Year:** Senior DB **Clayton Fejedelem** leads the team with 55 tackles, ranking fourth in the Big Ten and 27th nationally at 9.2 per game. The former walk-on recorded his first career interception against Nebraska and is tied for the team lead with five passes defended.
- Junior SS **Taylor Barton** has three interceptions this season, tied for 20th-most in the nation through the first six weeks of the season (0.5 per game). It's the most for an Illini in a season since Terry Hawthorne in 2011 and equal the total for the entire team in all of 2013. The last Illini with more than three interceptions in a season was safety Kevin Mitchell with five in 2007.
- Barton picked off WIU's Trenton Norvell twice, returning one for 49 yards. The last Illini with two interceptions in a game was Trulon Henry against Ohio State on Oct. 2, 2010. Barton has totaled three picks in 2015 and has a team-high five INTs in his career.
- The Illini held Nebraska to a season-low 292 yards on Oct. 3, 227 yards less than the Husker's season average entering the game (519.5). Nebraska's previous low was 445 yards against BYU in its season opener.
- The Illini held Nebraska QB Tommy Armstrong Jr. to 105 yards passing (10-for-31), his lowest total of the season and second lowest in the last two seasons (Low: 62 yards at Wisconsin, 2014). He entered the game averaging 316.5 yards per game in 2015.



FUTURE ILLINOIS SCHEDULES

2016 // Final

Sept. 3 Murray State
 Sept. 10 North Carolina
 Sept. 17 Western Michigan
 Sept. 24 OPEN
 Oct. 1 @ Nebraska
 Oct. 8 Purdue
 Oct. 15 @ Rutgers
 Oct. 22 @ Michigan
 Oct. 29 Minnesota
 Nov. 5 Michigan State
 Nov. 12 @ Wisconsin
 Nov. 19 Iowa
 Nov. 26 @ Northwestern
 Dec. 3 B1G Championship

2017 // Final

Sept. 2 Ball State
 Sept. 9 Western Kentucky
 Sept. 16 @ South Florida
 Sept. 23 OPEN
 Sept. 30 Nebraska
 Oct. 7 @ Iowa
 Oct. 14 Rutgers
 Oct. 21 @ Minnesota
 Oct. 28 Wisconsin
 Nov. 4 @ Purdue
 Nov. 11 Indiana
 Nov. 18 @ Ohio State
 Nov. 25 Northwestern (Chicago)
 Dec. 2 B1G Championship

2018 // Final

Sept. 1 Kent State
 Sept. 8 Western Illinois
 Sept. 15 South Florida
 Sept. 22 Penn State
 Sept. 29 OPEN
 Oct. 6 @ Rutgers
 Oct. 13 Purdue
 Oct. 20 @ Wisconsin
 Oct. 27 @ Maryland
 Nov. 3 Minnesota
 Nov. 10 @ Nebraska
 Nov. 17 Iowa
 Nov. 24 at Northwestern
 Dec. 1 B1G Championship

2019 // 2 non-conference TBA

Aug. 31 TBA
 Sept. 7 @ UConn
 Sept. 14 TBA
 Sept. 21 Nebraska
 Sept. 28 TBA
 Oct. 5 @ Minnesota
 Oct. 12 Michigan
 Oct. 19 Wisconsin
 Oct. 26 @ Purdue
 Nov. 2 Rutgers
 Nov. 9 @ Michigan State
 Nov. 16 TBA
 Nov. 23 @ Iowa
 Nov. 30 Northwestern (Chicago)
 Dec. 7 B1G Championship

2020 // 2 non-conference TBA

Sept. 12 UConn
 2021 // 2 non-conference TBA
 Sept. 11 @ Virginia

2022 // 2 non-conference TBA

Sept. 10 Virginia
 2023 // 2 non-conference TBA
 Sept. 9 @ Kansas

2024 // 2 non-conference TBA

Sept. 7 Kansas
 2025 // 2 non-conference TBA
 Sept. 6 @ Duke

2026 // 2 non-conference TBA

Sept. 12 Duke

- Led by senior CB **V'Angelo Bentley**, the Illini defense held Nebraska's leading receiver, Jordan Westerkamp, to just one reception for -1 yard. Westerkamp, an Illinois native, entered the game with 26 receptions for 351 yards and four touchdowns.
- The 44-0 win over WIU in week two was Illinois' first shutout since Charleston Southern on 9/15/12.
- The three points allowed in the first two games are the fewest in the opening two games of the season for an Illinois team since the 1942 team shutout South Dakota and Butler to open that campaign.
- The Illini did not allow a touchdown in the first two games of the season. The last time the Illini defense went consecutive games without allowing a touchdown was the opening two games of the 1994 season. Illinois suffered a 10-9 loss to Washington State on Sept. 1 (WSU scored a TD on a fumble return) and garnered a 42-0 win over Missouri on Sept. 10.

THE SPECIAL TEAMS

- **Mr. Clutch:** Senior PK **Taylor Zalewski** nailed a 51-yard field goal with 2:09 left for what proved to be the winning points in the 27-25 win over Middle Tennessee on Sept. 26. Zalewski also provided the deciding point in the 14-13 win over Nebraska, nailing the extra point after Allison's touchdown with 10 second left.
- Zalewski has made 27 career field goals at Illinois, which ranks ninth on the UI career list. He has three career FGs of 50 or more yards, including the game-winner vs. MTSU. His career long is 54 yards in 2012.
- Illinois is tied for second in the NCAA with three blocked kicks in 2015 (two punts, one field goal).
 - » In week one against Kent State, junior DT **Rob Bain** blocked a field goal in the second quarter. It was the first blocked field goal by an Illini since **V'Angelo Bentley** on September 9, 2012 against Penn State.
 - » In week two against WIU, sophomore CB **Jaylen Dunlap** blocked a punt and sophomore WR **Marchie Murdock** returned it 12 yards for a touchdown. Prior to that, the last Illinois blocked punt for a touchdown was by Vontae Davis against Missouri on Sept. 1, 2007.
 - » In week four against MTSU, junior DB **Caleb Day** blocked a punt and senior FS **Clayton Fejedelem** recovered the ball in the end zone for a touchdown.
- Junior PK **David Reisner**, who is serving as a backup to Zalewski in 2015, had one of the highlights of 2014 for the Illini, nailing a game-winning 36-yard field goal with eight seconds remaining to give Illinois a 16-14 win over Penn State Nov. 22. Reisner's game-winner marked the first time since 2008 that the Illini won a game with a field goal in the last two minutes (Matt Eller, 46 yards vs. Iowa, 27-24, Nov. 1, 2008).
- Junior **Ryan Frain** is splitting punting duties with Reisner in 2015. The duo has big shoes to fill, as four-year starter Justin DuVernois left as one of the most prolific punters in school history. Frain has punted 35 times for a 38.9 ypp average, while Reisner has three punts for a 45.3 average thus far in 2015.
- Junior long snappers **Zach Hirth** and **Michael Martin** are splitting time once again in 2015. Hirth, who was ranked the No. 2 long-snapper in the nation by ESPN coming out of high school, handles short snapping duties (FG and PAT), while Martin serves as the long snapper for punts.

FIGHTING ILLINI FACTS

- **91 Years in the Making:** The 14-13 win over Nebraska on Oct. 3 was Illinois' first win over NU since 1924, and the first in Champaign since 1923. Illinois is now 3-9-1 all-time vs. the Huskers.
- **Boys of Summer:** The win over Middle Tennessee moved the Illini to 22-2 in August/September home games since 2007, a record that ranks third in the Big Ten (Wisc: 28-0 and OSU: 29-2).
- **Dominating FCS:** The Fighting Illini are 15-0 all-time against FCS opponents (formerly I-AA). Illinois is averaging over 42 points per game against FCS foes with an average margin of victory of nearly 29 points per game. All but three of those wins have been by at least 21 points.
- **Our State:** Illinois is 15-0 all-time against the other public universities in the state. The Illini are 4-0 against both Northern Illinois and Southern Illinois, 3-0 against Illinois State, and 2-0 against Eastern Illinois and Western Illinois. The combined score of those meetings is 597-224 in favor of the Illini.
- **Starting Off Right:** The Illini's 18 consecutive wins in home-openers (first home game of the season), is the fourth-longest active streak in FBS behind only Florida (26), Oklahoma State (20) and Wisconsin (20). Illinois is 88-33-5 all-time in home-openers. The Illini have an all-time record of 79-42-5 in season-openers and are 56-27-4 when opening the season at home.

2015-16 BIG TEN BOWL POSSIBILITIES

Jan. 11 CFP National Championship Game
 Dec. 31 CFB Playoff Semifinals (Orange & Cotton Bowls)

Jan. 2 Taxslayer (Gator) Bowl B1G/ACC vs. SEC
 Jan. 1 Rose Bowl Game vs. Pac-12
 Jan. 1 Outback Bowl vs. SEC
 Jan. 1 Buffalo Wild Wings Citrus Bowl vs. SEC
 Dec. 30 Franklin American Music City Bowl B1G/ACC vs. SEC
 Dec. 30 National University Holiday Bowl vs. Pac-12
 Dec. 29 Lockheed Martin Armed Forces Bowl vs. MWC
 Dec. 28 Quick Lane Bowl vs. ACC
 Dec. 26 Foster Farms Bowl vs. Pac-12
 Dec. 26 New Era Pinstripe Bowl vs. ACC/ND
 Dec. 26 Heart of Dallas Bowl vs. C-USA

WEEKLY COACHES RADIO SHOW

The Bill Cubit radio show airs live from Buffalo Wild Wings in Savoy every Tuesday evening of a game week from 7-8 p.m. on the Illini Sports Network. Hosted by Fighting Illini football play-by-play voice Brian Barnhart, the live show allows University of Illinois students and the Champaign-Urbana community the opportunity to meet coaches and student-athletes and ask questions about the Illinois football program.



2015 GAME CAPTAINS

The team staff designates different team captains for each game week throughout the season.

KENT STATE – WR Geronimo Allison, STAR Eric Finney, OL Ted Karras, LB Mason Monheim

WESTERN ILLINOIS – WR Geronimo Allison, OL Ted Karras, QB Wes Lunt, LB Mason Monheim

NORTH CAROLINA – WR Geronimo Allison, OL Ted Karras, QB Wes Lunt, LB Mason Monheim

MIDDLE TENNESSEE – WR Geronimo Allison, RB Josh Ferguson, OL Ted Karras, CB Eaton Spence

NEBRASKA – WR Geronimo Allison, OL Chris Boles, DB Clayton Fejedelem, LEO Dawuane Smoot

IOWA – WR Geronimo Allison, DB Clayton Fejedelem, QB Wes Lunt, LB Mason Monheim

• With this year's season-opening win over Kent State, Illinois has now won...

...5 straight season-openers (last loss 2010 vs. Missouri)

...10 straight season-openers at Memorial Stadium (last loss 1997 vs. Southern Mississippi)

...18 straight home-openers (last loss 1997 vs. Southern Mississippi)

• **First Win for Cubit:** The season-opening win over Kent State marked the first win for Bill Cubit as head coach of the Fighting Illini. The third-year offensive coordinator was named head coach on Aug. 28 after the dismissal of Tim Beckman. Cubit spent eight years as head coach at Western Michigan before coming to Illinois in 2013 and has a career head coaching record of 89-67-1.

• **Bowl Bound?** Illinois is looking to reach a bowl game for the fourth time in the last six years in 2015. The Fighting Illini won the 2010 Texas Bowl (over Baylor) and 2011 Kraft Fight Hunger Bowl (over UCLA), then endured a two-year bowl drought in 2012 and 2013 before returning to postseason play in 2014.

TRANSFER U

Illinois welcomes seven junior college transfers to the roster in 2015, marking the third straight season that the Illinois staff has brought in at least six JUCO transfers. LEO **Sean Adesanya**, OL **Connor Brennan**, TE **Andrew Davis**, RB **Henry Enyehi**, OL **Jordan Fagan**, OL **Zach Heath** and TE **Ainslie Johnson** all look to make an immediate impact just like the 2014 transfer class, which included breakout stars like WR **Geronimo Allison**, LEO **Carroll Phillips** and DL **Jihad Ward**. All of the 2015 transfers except for Adesanya enrolled at Illinois in January and participated in spring ball, giving them a leg up for the fall.

SCHEELHAASE, O'TOOLE RETURN TO ALMA MATER

• A pair of (very) recent Fighting Illini quarterbacks have joined the coaching ranks at their alma mater. **Nathan Scheelhaase**, a four-year starter from 2010-13, is the team's running backs coach after initially being tabbed as assistant director of football operations in May. Scheelhaase moved into the on-field coaching role after Bill Cubit was named interim head coach just before the season. **Reilly O'Toole**, who led the Illini to the Xzby's Heart of Dallas Bowl last season, also is on staff as an offensive graduate assistant.

WEATHERING THE STORM

- The 2015 season-opener against Kent State was originally scheduled for an 8 p.m. kick on Friday, Sept. 4, but was postponed to Sept. 5 at 1 p.m. due to a severe thunderstorm and lightning. The stadium was cleared during pregame warmups at 7:25 p.m. and the game was officially postponed at 10:15 p.m. after a delay of 2 hours and 50 minutes.
- It was the second weather delay at Memorial Stadium in the past two seasons. On Sept. 20, 2014, the Illinois-Texas State game was delayed for one hour and 56 minutes due to a severe thunderstorm and lightning. Play was suspended at 3:55 p.m. with 13:35 remaining in the second quarter and the Illini trailing 14-6. Play resumed at 5:51 p.m. and halftime was abbreviated to 12 minutes. Illinois went on to win 42-35. It was the first known weather delay in Illinois history.

INJURED LIST

Four Fighting Illini players will miss the entire season with injuries according to official team announcements prior to the season. They are:

Freshman RB **Dre Brown** (out for season)

Freshman RB **Reggie Corbin** (out for season)

Freshman DB **Patrick Nelson** (out for season)

Junior DT **Teko Powell** (out for season)

ALL OVER THE NFL

- Illinois has 13 former players on current NFL rosters (as of 10/21) – OT Jeff Allen (Chiefs), OG Jon Asamoah (Falcons), DB Alan Ball (Bears), WR Arrelious Benn (Eagles), TE Jeff Cumberland (Jets), CB Vontae Davis (Colts), TE Michael Hoomanawanui (Saints), DE Corey Liuget (Chargers), LB Whitney Mercilus (Texans), DT Akeem Spence (Buccaneers), LB Justin Staples (Titans), OG Hugh Thornton (Colts) and DB Tavon Wilson (Patriots).
- Illinois had 19 former players on 2014 NFL active rosters, sixth-most among Big Ten teams. Four former Fighting Illini – DE **Michael Buchanan**, CB **Justin Green**, TE **Michael Hoomanawanui** and CB **Tavon Wilson** – earned Super Bowl rings as members of the New England Patriots, while CB **Vontae Davis** earned his first Pro Bowl nod as a member of the Indianapolis Colts.

2015 UNIFORM COMBINATIONS

Opponent	Result	Helmet	Jersey	Pants	Rec.
Kent State	W	Orange	Orange	White	1-0
Western Illinois	W	White	Blue	White	1-0
@North Carolina	L	Orange	White	Orange	0-1
Middle Tennessee	W	Orange	Blue	Orange	1-0
Nebraska	W	Orange	Orange	Blue	1-0
@Iowa	L	White	White	Blue	0-1
Wisconsin		Gray	Gray	Gray	
@Penn State					
@Purdue					
Ohio State					
@Minnesota					
Northwestern					



UNIVERSITY QUICK FACTS**Location:** Urbana-Champaign**Founded:** 1867**Enrollment:** 44,942**Colors:** Orange & Blue**Nickname:** Fighting Illini**Conference (Division):** Big Ten (West)**President:** Timothy L. Killeen**Interim Chancellor:** Barbara J. Wilson**Director of Athletics:** Mike Thomas**Stadium:** Memorial Stadium (FieldTurf – 60,670)**FOOTBALL QUICK FACTS****2014 Record:** 6-7, 3-5 (5th Big Ten West Division)**Offensive Formation:** Spread / Multiple**Defensive Formation:** Multiple**2014 Starters Returning/Lost:** 17/8

Off: 8/3 Def: 7/4 ST (PK/P/LS): 2/1

2014 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 49/24

Off: 18/12 Def: 27/10 ST (PK/P/LS/H): 4/2

All-Time Record (Years): 596-601-51 (126)**All-Time Big Ten Record (Years):** 338-405-32 (120)**Memorial Stadium Record (Years):** 266-223-14 (93)**Big Ten Championships (Last):** 15 (2001)**National Championships (Last):** 5 (1951)**Bowl Appearances (Last):** 18 (2014 Heart of Dallas)**All-Time Bowl Record:** 8-10 (.444)**FOOTBALL CONTACT INFORMATION****Office Phone:** 217-333-1400**Mailing Address:**

Memorial Stadium

1402 South First St, NE Tower, Champaign, IL 61820

ILLINI GAMES BROADCAST IN CHINESE

- All 2015 home football games at Memorial Stadium will be broadcast in Mandarin Chinese online through FIGHTINGILLINI.COM. The broadcast will be led by David He, a sophomore majoring in Recreation, Sport, and Tourism. David will be joined by Bruce Lu.
- Over 4,500 students from China attend the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, making them the largest group of international students on campus. The number of Chinese students attending Illinois has gradually increased from 850 students in the fall of 2005 to more than five times that number today.

SWEET HOME CHICAGO

The Fighting Illini return to historic Soldier Field in 2015, facing in-state rival Northwestern at the home of the Chicago Bears on Nov. 28 to close out the regular season. This year's Soldier Field game is the first of a three-game series at the historic venue, which will see the Fighting Illini and Wildcats match up in Chicago in 2015, 2017 and 2019. Illinois hosted Washington at Soldier Field in 2013, falling 34-24. The last time Illinois and Northwestern played in Chicago was a 48-27 Illini rout at Wrigley Field, the home of the Chicago Cubs.

UPLIFTING ATHLETES CONTINUES TO GROW

- Illinois' Uplifting Athletes chapter held a touchdown pledge drive on Sept. 26, raising over \$1,000 to benefit acoustic neuroma research. Fans can donate at <https://pledgeit.org/illinois2015>.
- Fighting Illini players raised over \$16,000 for acoustic neuroma, which ended the career of former Illini offensive lineman **Andrew Carter**, with their fourth annual Lift for Life fundraiser through Uplifting Athletes on June 26, 2015. Acoustic neuroma is a rare, slow-growing tumor of the nerve that connects the ear to the brain. Sophomore OL **Joe Spencer** serves as president of the UI chapter of Uplifting Athletes and helped organize the event, which featured the entire Fighting Illini team participating in a strongman competition at Memorial Stadium. Find more on Andrew Carter's story here: <http://bit.ly/CarterFeature>.

CHARTING THE ILLINI**LONGEST DRIVES****DRIVES**

by # of plays

by # of yards

Time of Possession

ILLINOIS

17 (63 yards, 6:29, TD at North Carolina)

85 (7 plays, 2:10, TD at Iowa)

6:29 (17 plays, 63 yards, at North Carolina)

OPPONENT

14, 2x (55 yds, 4:25, FG, MTSU & 49 yds, 2:05, FG miss, MTSU)

81 (9 plays, 4:44, touchdown) Purdue

6:53 (13 plays, 59 yards, FG) Iowa

RED ZONE STATS (inside the 20)

Times inside the 20

Total Scores

Touchdowns

Field Goals

Lost on Downs/Turnover/Punt

Lost on Missed/Blocked Field Goals

End of Game or Half

Scoring Percentage

Scoring Percentage (TDs only)

Percent of Total Drives

ILLINOIS

24

17

13

4

4

3

0

.708

.542

.270

OPPONENT

15

13

7

6

1

1

0

.867

.467

.172

FIELD POSITION

Drives Started

Cumulative Starting Yardlines

Average Starting Field Position

Times Started Inside the 20

Drives Started in Plus Territory

ILLINOIS

89

2,838

31.9

16

16

OPPONENT

87

2,517

28.9

17

8

POINTS AFTER TURNS

Turnovers Forced

Total Scores

Scoring Percentage

Points off Turnovers

ILLINOIS

10

6

.600

34 (4 TD, 2 FG)

OPPONENT

8

2

.250

10 (1 TD, 1 FG)

HIGHEST SCORING QUARTERS

2015 season

1ST

28, Kent State

2ND

20, Western Illinois

3RD

7, Kent State & MTSU

4TH

14, Nebraska & WIU

OT

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FINAL

52, Kent State



2015 ILLINOIS BIG PLAYS

(Rush/Pass/Rec/PR over 20 yds & KOR/Def over 40 yds)

Player	Run	Pass	Rec	Def	ST	Tot
Lunt	0	22	0	0	0	22
Allison	0	0	11	0	0	11
Ferguson	3	0	1	0	0	4
Murdock	0	0	4	0	0	4
Bentley	0	0	0	0	3	3
Vaughn	2	1	0	0	0	3
Cain	0	0	1	0	0	1
Barton	0	0	0	1	0	1
Crouch	0	1	0	0	0	1
Mays	0	0	1	0	0	1
Monheim	0	0	0	1	0	1
Turner	0	0	2	0	0	2
White	0	0	1	0	0	1
TOTAL	5	22	22	2	3	32

KENT STATE (8)

1Q	36	Bentley punt return
1Q	23	Allison reception (from Lunt)
1Q	21	Ferguson reception (from Lunt)
1Q	34	Murdock reception (from Lunt)
1Q	43	Monheim interception return
2Q	34	Allison reception (from Lunt)
2Q	48	Bentley punt return
4Q	27	Mays reception (from Crouch)

WESTERN ILLINOIS (6)

1Q	28	Allison reception (from Lunt)
1Q	26	Murdock reception (from Lunt)
2Q	22	Allison reception (from Lunt)
3Q	22	White reception (from Lunt)
3Q	49	Barton interception return
3Q	22	Allison reception (from Lunt)

NORTH CAROLINA (3)

1Q	25	Ferguson rush
2Q	52	Ferguson rush
3Q	22	Murdock reception (from Lunt)

MIDDLE TENNESSEE (3)

1Q	42	Allison reception (from Lunt)
3Q	24	Vaughn rush
4Q	26	Allison reception (from Lunt)

NEBRASKA (7)

1Q	48	Ferguson rush
2Q	28	Bentley punt return
2Q	26	Allison reception (from Lunt)
2Q	20	Allison reception (from Lunt)
2Q	48	Vaughn rush
4Q	22	Murdock reception (from Lunt)
4Q	50	Turner reception (from Lunt)

IOWA (5)

1Q	34	Turner reception (from Lunt)
1Q	27	Allison reception (from Lunt)
3Q	32	Vaughn reception (from Lunt)
3Q	29	Cain reception (from Lunt)
4Q	53	Allison reception (from Lunt)

ILLINOIS SCORING DRIVES

KENT STATE

1st	12:10	TD	White, Tyler 2 yard pass from Lunt (Zalewski kick)	4 plays, 38 yards, 1:33
1st	11:04	TD	Murdock 34 yard pass from Lunt (Zalewski kick)	1 play, 34 yards, 0:06
1st	5:26	TD	Ferguson 21 yard pass from Lunt (Zalewski kick)	4 plays, 28 yards, 1:39
1st	1:53	TD	Ferguson 11 yard run (Zalewski kick)	1 play, 11 yards, 0:05
2nd	10:36	TD	Allison 34 yard pass from Lunt (Zalewski kick)	1 play, 34 yards, 0:07
2nd	6:16	FG	Zalewski 43 yard field goal	4 plays, 4 yards, 0:54
3rd	9:02	TD	Vaughn 1 yard run (Zalewski kick)	11 plays, 73 yards, 5:58
4th	6:09	TD	Mays 27 yard pass from Crouch (Reisner kick)	8 plays, 75 yards, 2:21

WESTERN ILLINOIS

1st	10:05	FG	Zalewski 31 yard field goal	11 plays, 62 yards, 4:55
1st	1:25	TD	Ferguson 1 yard run (Zalewski kick)	10 plays, 71 yards, 5:07
2nd	10:05	TD	White, Tyler 1 yard pass from Lunt (Zalewski kick)	12 plays, 76 yards, 5:43
2nd	4:01	FG	Zalewski 22 yard field goal	10 plays, 31 yards, 4:49
2nd	2:57	TD	Murdock 12 yard blocked punt return (Zalewski kick)	--
2nd	0:00	FG	Zalewski 39 yard field goal	10 plays, 46 yards, 1:44
4th	14:57	TD	Enyenihi 1 yard run (Zalewski kick)	13 plays, 67 yards, 4:20
4th	8:48	TD	Murdock 5 yard pass from Crouch (Zalewski kick)	9 plays, 51 yards, 2:57

NORTH CAROLINA

2nd	9:52	TD	Ferguson 1 yard run (Zalewski kick)	9 plays, 75 yards, 4:03
4th	0:50	TD	Crouch 1 yard run (Zalewski kick)	17 plays, 63 yards, 6:29

MIDDLE TENNESSEE

1st	12:55	TD	Turner 5 yard pass from Lunt (Zalewski kick)	7 plays, 75 yards, 2:05
2nd	9:07	TD	Fejedelem blocked punt return in end zone (Zalewski kick)	--
2nd	0:11	FG	Zalewski 23 yard field goal	4 plays, 6 yards, 1:09
3rd	2:14	TD	Vaughn 8 yard run (Zalewski kick)	7 plays, 49 yards, 2:11
4th	2:09	FG	Zalewski 51 yard field goal	8 plays, 41 yards, 2:02

NEBRASKA

4th	13:21	TD	Murdock 22 yard pass from Lunt (Zalewski kick)	10 plays, 75 yards, 4:34
4th	0:10	TD	Allison 1 yard pass from Lunt (Zalewski kick)	6 plays, 72 yards, 0:41

IOWA

1st	6:29	TD	Vaughn 4 yard run (Zalewski kick)	6 plays, 67 yards, 2:01
3rd	11:32	FG	Zalewski 37 yard field goal	10 plays, 57 yards, 3:28
3rd	2:56	FG	Zalewski 40 yard field goal	6 plays, 57 yards, 2:06
4th	10:13	TD	Allison 53 yard pass from Lunt (Zalewski kick)	7 plays, 85 yards, 2:10



TEAM GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

Team	Score	First Downs	Rushing Att-Yd-TD	Passing C-A-Int-TD	Passing Yards	Total Offense	Punt	Fumbles	Penalties	Time Poss
Illinois	52	19	36-134-2	11-19-1-5	208	342	7-276	0-0	8-80	28:39
vs. Kent State	3	15	39-59-0	19-40-3-0	186	245	8-361	1-1	11-82	31:21
Illinois	44	27	40-147-2	38-54-1-2	353	500	3-130	4-3	3-25	38:25
vs. Western Illinois	0	5	29-92-0	12-25-2-0	49	141	11-346	0-0	4-37	21:35
Illinois	14	22	45-227-2	19-38-1-0	172	399	7-279	0-0	8-75	35:47
at North Carolina	48	23	37-254-2	19-26-1-3	217	471	3-94	0-0	6-51	24:13
Illinois	27	25	39-140-1	29-49-0-1	238	378	6-227	2-0	6-55	29:18
vs. Middle Tennessee	25	19	37-38-0	29-43-0-3	330	368	8-319	1-1	7-59	30:42
Illinois	14	17	32-131-0	23-45-0-2	251	382	9-334	0-0	3-35	31:08
vs. Nebraska	13	12	34-187-1	10-31-1-0	105	292	9-422	2-1	6-42	28:52
Illinois	20	20	24-46-1	25-43-1-1	317	363	6-253	1-1	5-45	24:09
at Iowa	29	23	51-278-1	15-31-0-2	200	478	6-260	0-0	6-80	35:51
Illinois										
vs. Wisconsin										
Illinois										
at Penn State										
Illinois										
at Purdue										
Illinois										
vs. Ohio State										
Illinois										
vs. Minnesota										
Illinois										
vs. Northwestern										

ILLINOIS GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

OFFENSIVE STARTERS

GAME	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	QB	RB	WR	WR	WR / FB	TE / RB / WR
Kent State	Schmidt	Boles	Spencer	Karras	DiLauro	Lunt	Ferguson	Allison	Murdock	Turner	Bentley (RB)
Western Illinois	Schmidt	Boles	Spencer	Karras	DiLauro	Lunt	Ferguson	Allison	Murdock	Clary (FB)	White (TE)
North Carolina	Schmidt	Boles	Spencer	Karras	DiLauro	Lunt	Ferguson	Allison	Murdock	Turner	Vaughn (RB)
Middle Tennessee	Schmidt	Boles	Spencer	Karras	DiLauro	Lunt	Ferguson	Allison	Murdock	Turner	Taylor (WR)
Nebraska	Schmidt	Boles	Spencer	Karras	DiLauro	Lunt	Ferguson	Allison	Murdock	Turner	Vaughn (RB)
Iowa	Schmidt	Boles	Spencer	Karras	DiLauro	Lunt	Vaughn	Allison	Cain	Turner	Mays (WR)
Wisconsin											
Penn State											
Purdue											
Ohio State											
Minnesota											
Northwestern											
Consecutive	10	6	18	6	13	6	3	15	1	4	1
Career	10	6	20	37	13	13	2	18	1	10	1

DEFENSIVE STARTERS

GAME	DE	DT	DT	LEO	WLB	MLB	STAR	CB	SS	FS	CB
Kent State	Ward	Clements	Bain	Smoot	Monheim	Neal	Finney	Bentley	Barton	Fejedelem	Spence
Western Illinois	Ward	Clements	Bain	Smoot	Monheim	Neal	Crawford	Bentley	Barton	Fejedelem	Spence
North Carolina	Ward	Clements	Bain	Smoot	Monheim	Neal	Finney	Bentley	Barton	Fejedelem	Spence
Middle Tennessee	Ward	Clements	Bain	Smoot	Monheim	Neal	Crawford	Bentley	Barton	Fejedelem	Spence
Nebraska	Ward	Clements	Bain	Smoot	Monheim	Neal	Finney	Bentley	Barton	Fejedelem	Spence
Iowa	Ward	Clements	Bain	Smoot	Monheim	Neal	Finney	Bentley	Barton	Fejedelem	Spence
Wisconsin											
Penn State											
Purdue											
Ohio State											
Minnesota											
Northwestern											
Consecutive	19	6	11	6	41	19	3	7	7	6	31
Career	19	9	13	6	41	19	6	26	23	7	33



CAREER RECORDS TO WATCH

Through bye week (Oct. 17, 2015)

ILLINOIS INDIVIDUAL CAREER

CAREER RUSHING YARDS

1.	Robert Holcombe, 1994-97	4,105
2.	Antoino Harris, 1999-2002	2,985
3.	Thomas Rooks, 1982-85	2,887
4.	Jim Grabowski, 1963-65	2,878
5.	Rocky Harvey, 1998-2001	2,711
6t.	Mikel Leshoure, 2008-10	2,557
6t.	Juice Williams, 2006-09	2,557
8.	Pierre Thomas, 2003-06	2,545
9.	Rashard Mendenhall, 2005-07	2,539
10.	Howard Griffith, 1987-90	2,485
11.	Josh Ferguson, 2011-present	2,259
12.	Keith Jones, 1984-88	2,194
13.	John Karras, 1949-51	2,135
14.	Chubby Phillips, 1973-76	2,103
15.	Red Grange, 1923-25	2,071
16.	Nathan Scheelhaase, 2010-13	2,066

CAREER TOUCHDOWNS (combined)

1.	Howard Griffith, 1987-90	33
2.	Red Grange, 1923-25	31
3.	Ty Douthard, 1993-96	29
4.	Robert Holcombe, 1994-97	28
	Mikel Leshoure, 2008-10	28
6.	Rashard Mendenhall, 2005-07	27
7.	Jason Ford, 2008-11	26
8.	Josh Ferguson, 2011-present	25
	Thomas Rooks, 1982-85	25
10.	David Williams, 1983-85	24
	Chubby Phillips, 1973-76	24
	Jim Grabowski, 1963-65	24
	John Karras, 1949-51	24

CAREER ALL-PURPOSE YARDAGE

1.	Robert Holcombe, 1994-97	4,737
2.	Pierre Thomas, 2003-06	4,451
3.	Keith Jones, 1985-88	4,206
4.	Josh Ferguson, 2011-present	3,945
5.	Arrelious Benn, 2007-09	3,613
6.	Thomas Rooks, 1982-85	3,501
7.	Chubby Phillips, 1973-76	3,380
8.	Howard Griffith, 1987-90	3,264
9.	Red Grange, 1923-25	3,263
10.	A.J. Jenkins, 2008-11	3,230

CAREER RECEPTIONS

1.	David Williams, 1983-85	262
2.	Jason Dulick, 1993-96	169
3.	A.J. Jenkins, 2008-11	167
4.	Brandon Lloyd, 1999-02	160
5.	Arrelious Benn, 2007-09	159
	John Wright, Sr., 1965-67	159
7.	Walter Young, 1999-02	147
8.	Josh Ferguson, 2011-present	143
	Mike Martin, 1979-82	143
10.	Ty Douthard, 1993-96	128

CAREER RECEIVING YARDS (RUNNING BACK)

1.	Josh Ferguson, 2011-present	143 rec	1,305
2.	Ty Douthard, 1993-96	128 rec	1,250

CAREER 100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES

1.	David Williams, 1983-85	16
2.	Brandon Lloyd, 1999-2002	12
	John Wright, Sr., 1965-67	12
4.	A.J. Jenkins, 2008-11	8
	Mike Martin, 1980-82	8
6.	Walter Young, 1999-2002	7
7.	Mike Bellamy, 1988-89	6
8.	Geronimo Allison, 2014-present	5
	Steve Hull, 2010-13	5
	Arrelious Benn, 2007-09	5

CAREER KICKOFF RETURN AVERAGE

(min. 15 returns)

1.	Red Grange, 1923-25	30.2 (15-453)
2.	Mike Bellamy, 1988-89	26.4 (18-475)
3.	Pierre Thomas, 2003-06	25.3 (59-1,495)
4.	Arrelious Benn, 2007-09	23.7 (42-996)
5.	Bruce Beaman, 1972-74	23.0 (30-689)
6.	Ray Wilson, 1983-86	22.9 (22-503)
7.	Chubby Phillips, 1973-76	22.8 (46-1,048)
8.	Darryl Usher, 1985-87	22.6 (42-950)
9.	George McDonald-Ashford, 1995-98	22.4 (57-1,276)
10.	V'Angelo Bentley, 2012-present	21.9 (72-1,576)

CAREER KICKOFF RETURN YARDAGE

(min. 30 returns)

1.	V'Angelo Bentley, 2012-present	1,576 (72-21.9)
2.	Pierre Thomas, 2003-06	1,495 (59-25.3)
3.	Clinton Lynch, 1990-93	1,383 (64-21.6)
4.	George McDonald-Ashford, 1995-98	1,276 (57-22.4)
5.	Greg Foster, 1979-80	1,233 (58-21.3)

CAREER FIELD GOALS

(since 1945)

1.	Chris White, 1983-85	53
2.	Chris Richardson, 1991-94	52
3.	Jason Reda, 2004-07	51
4.	Mike Bass, 1980-82	41
5.	Derek Dimke, 2008-11	39
	Doug Higgins, 1987-90	39
7.	Dan Beaver, 1973-76	38
8.	Neil Rackers, 1996-99	34
9.	Taylor Zalewski, 2012-present	27
10.	John Gockman, 2001-03	24

CAREER FORCED FUMBLES

(since 1990)

1.	Simeon Rice, 1992-95	13
2.	Whitney Mercilus, 2009-11	11
3.	Dana Howard, 1990-94	8
4.	Mason Monheim, 2012-present	7
	Earnest Thomas III, 2011-14	7
	Kevin Hardy, 1992-95	7

ACTIVE FBS CAREER LEADERS

CAREER TACKLES

1.	Tyler Matakevich, Temple	406
2.	Michael Mudoh, Tulsa	343
3.	Mason Monheim, Illinois	340
4.	Joseph Peterson, Georgia St.	329
4.	Trevon Stewart, Houston	325

FORCED FUMBLES

1.	Deon Bush, Miami (FL)	9
	Jeremy Cash, Duke	9
3.	Karl Joseph, West Virginia	8
	Nigel Harris, South Florida	8
5.	Mason Monheim, Illinois (+5 others)	7

PUNT RETURN AVERAGE

1.	De'Mornay Pierson-El, Nebraska	17.4
2.	William Likely, Maryland	15.2
3.	Daje Johnson, Texas	13.2
4.	Braion Addison, Oregon	13.0
	Stacy Coley, Miami (FL)	13.0
6.	Bre'Lon Cheery, North Carolina State	12.7
7.	V'Angelo Bentley, Illinois	12.5

ALL-PURPOSE YARDS

1.	Tyler Ervin, San Jose St.	4,941
2.	Kenneth Dixon, Louisiana Tech	4,646
3.	Jakeem Grant, Texas Tech	4,487
4.	D.J. Foster, Arizona State	4,433
5.	J.D. McKissic, Arkansas St.	4,304
6.	Tyler Boyd, Pittsburgh	4,283
7.	Donnel Pumphrey, San Diego State	4,054
8.	Jaylen Walton, Ole Miss	3,969
9.	Josh Ferguson, Illinois	3,945



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OFFENSE

QB	12	Wes Lunt (6-5, 225, Jr.)
	7	Chayce Crouch (6-4, 225, r-Fr.)
RB	5	Ke'Shawn Vaughn (5-10, 205, Fr.)
	23	Henry Enyehi (5-11, 210, Jr.)
	25	Kendrick Foster (5-9, 200, So.)
WR-X	8	Geronimo Allison (6-4, 195, Sr.)
	4	Dionte Taylor (6-0, 180, Jr.)
WR-T	86	Desmond Cain (5-11, 185, Fr.)
	88	Zach Grant (6-0, 195, Jr.)
WR-Z	11	Malik Turner (6-3, 205, So.)
	9	Sam Mays (6-3, 200, Fr.)
TE	87	Tyler White (6-5, 255, Jr.)
	39	Nathan Echard (6-2, 230, So.)
	47	Tim Clary (6-2, 250, Sr.)
	89	Andrew Davis (6-6, 235, Jr.)
	30	Jim Nudera (6-1, 240, Sr.)
LT	57	Austin Schmidt (6-6, 300, Jr.)
	72	Gabe Megginson (6-5, 300, Fr.)
LG	55	Chris Boles (6-4, 320, Sr.)
	73	Chris O'Connor (6-5, 300, Sr.)
C	71	Joe Spencer (6-4, 300, Jr.)
	53	Nick Allegretti (6-4, 305, r-Fr.)
	78	Harry Black (6-5, 285, So.)
RG	69	Ted Karras (6-4, 310, Sr.)
	74	Connor Brennan (6-5, 295, Jr.)
RT	67	Christian DiLauro (6-5, 300, So.)
	75	Patrick Flavin (6-7, 300, Sr.)
	66	Jordan Fagan (6-6, 295, So.)

DEFENSE

DE	17	Jihad Ward (6-6, 290, Sr.)
	6	Carroll Phillips (6-3, 230, Jr.)
	9	Kenny Nelson (6-6, 250, Sr.)
NT	11	Chunky Clements (6-3, 290, Jr.)
	42	Joe Fotu (6-3, 285, Sr.)
DT	16	Rob Bain (6-3, 300, Jr.)
	94	Tito Odenigbo (6-3, 280, r-Fr.)
LEO	91	Dawuane Smoot (6-3, 270, Jr.)
	45	Henry McGrew (6-3, 235, r-Fr.)
WLB	43	Mason Monheim (6-1, 235, Sr.)
	22	LaKeith Walls (6-2, 215, Jr.)
	44	Julian Jones (6-2, 215, Fr.)
MLB	52	T.J. Neal Jr. (6-1, 235, Jr.)
	33	Tre Watson (6-2, 240, r-Fr.)
	34	Mike Svetina (6-2, 235, Jr.)
	10	B.J. Bello (6-3, 225, Jr.)
STAR	14	Eric Finney (6-0, 220, Sr.)
	- OR -	5 James Crawford (6-2, 215, So.)
		26 Cedric Doxy (6-2, 220, Jr.)
CB	2	V'Angelo Bentley (5-10, 190, Sr.)
	24	Darius Mosely (5-11, 190, Jr.)
	23	Davontay Kwaaning (5-11, 190, Sr.)
	12	Chris James (5-11, 185, r-Fr.)
SS	3	Taylor Barton (6-1, 215, Jr.)
	7	Caleb Day (6-1, 200, Jr.)
	4	Darwyn Kelly (6-1, 210, So.)
	30	Julian Hylton (6-0, 195, r-Fr.)
FS	20	Clayton Fejedelem (6-1, 195, Sr.)
	15	Javaris Little (6-0, 190, Jr.)
	8	Dillan Cazley (5-10, 190, Jr.)
CB	27	Eaton Spence (6-0, 185, Sr.)
	28	Jalen Dunlap (6-1, 185, So.)

SPECIAL TEAMS

K	17	Taylor Zalewski (6-3, 220, Sr.)
	- OR -	38 David Reisner (6-0, 195, Jr.)
P	13	Ryan Frain (6-2, 220, Jr.)
	- OR -	38 David Reisner (6-0, 195, Jr.)
SS	54	Zach Hirth (6-4, 220, Jr.)
LS	56	Michael Martin (6-4, 225, Jr.)
H	13	Ryan Frain (6-2, 220, Jr.)
	- AND -	88 Zach Grant (6-0, 195, Jr.)
KO	17	Taylor Zalewski (6-3, 220, Sr.)
	38	David Reisner (6-0, 195, Jr.)
KR	2	V'Angelo Bentley (5-10, 190, Sr.)
	7	Caleb Day (6-1, 200, Jr.)
	24	Darius Mosely (5-11, 190, Jr.)
PR	2	V'Angelo Bentley (5-10, 190, Sr.)
	7	Caleb Day (6-1, 200, Jr.)

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Sean Adesanya	ah-de-SAN-ya
Nick Allegretti	al-uh-GRET-ee
V'Angelo Bentley	vee-AN-juh-low
Jack Broeker	BRO-ker
Mike Dudek	DOO-deck
Nathan Echard	ECK-erd
Henry Enyehi	en-YEN-ih-hee
Jordan Fagan	FAY-gin
Clayton Fejedelem	FEJ-uh-lem
Patrick Flavin	FLAH-vin
Joe Fotu	FOE-too
Ainslie Johnson	AINS-lee
Ted Karras	CARE-us
Davontay Kwaaning	duh-VAHN-tay QUAN-ing
Javaris Little	juh-VAR-is
Jimmy Marchese	mar-CASE
Max Marietti	mar-ee-EH-tee
Jamal Milan	mi-LAN
Jonathan Milazzo	muh-LAH-zo
Alex Mussat	moo-SAHT
Jim Nudera	new-DARE-uh
Tito Odenigbo	oh-DEN-uh-bo
Mike Parisi	puh-REE-SEE
Teko Powell	TEE-ko
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Mike Svetina	sve-TEE-na
Dionte Taylor	dee-ON-tay
Malik Turner	ma-LEEK
Ke'Shawn Vaughn	KEY-shawn
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Jihad Ward	juh-HODD
Taylor Zalewski	zuh-LESS-key

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Alex Golesh	GOAL-esh
Nathan Scheelhaase	SHEEL-house



KEY PLAYER QUICK FACTS – OFFENSE

QB	12	Wes Lunt (Jr., 6-5, 225)	19th in NCAA in completions per game ... Has 23 TD vs. just 5 INT in UI career ... Four TDs vs. Kent State tied career high
RB	6	Josh Ferguson (Sr., 5-10, 195)	1 of 3 in FBS with 2,000+ rush & 1,000+ rec. yards in career ... 3,945 all-purpose yards 4th in UI history ... Doak Walker Award Watch List
RB	5	Ke'Shawn Vaughn (Fr., 5-10, 205)	Career high 98 rush yards vs. NEB ... First true freshman with 95+ rush yards in a game since 2011 ... Consensus four-star recruit
WR	8	Geronimo Allison (Sr., 6-4, 195)	B1G leader in receptions per game ... GW TD catch vs. NEB ... 16th in NCAA in receiving yards per game (100.2)
WR	16	Marchie Murdock (So., 6-1, 195)	22-yard TD catch vs. NEB in fourth quarter to start comeback win ... Returned blocked punt 12 yds. vs. WIU ... Texas native
WR	11	Malik Turner (So., 6-3, 205)	50-yard reception led to GW TD vs. NEB ... First TD of 2015 vs. MTSU ... Career-high 6 receptions for 84 yards in 2014 bowl game
TE	87	Tyler White (Jr., 6-5, 255)	Two touchdowns in first two games this season ... Missed MTSU game due to injury ... Nicknamed "Gronk" by teammates
LT	57	Austin Schmidt (Jr., 6-6, 300)	Started last 9 games at LT dating back to 2014 ... Father played football at Towson St., brother played at Dartmouth
LG	55	Chris Boles (Sr., 6-4, 320)	Made first career start at LG in home opener ... Fifth-year senior ... Earned bachelor's degree in communication in Dec. 2014
C	71	Joe Spencer (Jr., 6-4, 300)	20 career starts at center and guard ... UI's SAAC & Uplifting Athletes chapter prez ... 2-time Academic All-B1G as a finance major
RG	69	Ted Karras (Sr., 6-4, 310)	37 career starts ... Dad, Ted Jr., is HC at Walsh University ... 7th family member to play B1G FB ... Earned bachelor's degree in Dec. 2014
RT	67	Christian DiLauro (So., 6-5, 300)	Started last 13 games at RT dating back to 2014 ... ESPN.com Big Ten All-Freshman team in 2014 ... Majoring in agri-accounting

KEY PLAYER QUICK FACTS – DEFENSE

DE	17	Jihad Ward (6-6, 295, Sr.)	11 tackles (9 solo) at Iowa ... 73 tackles, 10.5 TFLs, 3.5 sacks in last 2 seasons ... HM All-Big Ten in 2014
DE	6	Carroll Phillips (Jr., 6-3, 230)	7 tackles, 2 hurries, 2 TFLs in 2015 ... Played in first 7 games of 2014 as situational pass rusher before missing last 6 due to injury
NT	93	Chunky Clements (Jr., 6-3, 290)	Second on team with 7.0 TFLs and leads team with 4 QB hurries ... Cousin, Roy Roundtree, was a WR at Michigan from 2009-12
DT	16	Rob Bain (Jr., 6-3, 300)	Blocked FG in 2015 opener ... 29 tackles, 4.0 TFLs, 1 sack in 2014 ... One of strongest players on team
LEO	91	Dawuane Smoot (Jr., 6-3, 270)	22nd in NCAA in sacks per game (0.8) ... 5th in FBS in TFLs per game (1.9) ... 4.0 sacks, 7.5 TFLs in last three games
WLB	43	Mason Monheim (Sr., 6-1, 235)	Butkus & Lombardi watch lists ... 340 career tackles is 2nd among active FBS players ... Seven career forced fumbles ... 41 straight starts
MLB	52	T.J. Neal Jr. (Jr., 6-1, 235)	Second on team with 53 takles, including 5.0 TFLs ... 19 straight starts at MLB ... 2x Academic All-Big Ten honoree
STAR	14	Eric Finney (Sr., 6-0, 220)	Fourth on team with 4.0 TFLs this season ... JUCO transfer is known as great questionnaire taker
STAR	5	James Crawford, Jr. (So., 6-2, 215)	Made first career start vs. WIU, making three tackles and breaking up a pass ... 15 tackles on season ... Dad played at Virginia Tech
CB	2	V'Angelo Bentley (Sr., 5-10, 190)	Illinois career kick return record holder ... Hornung Award Watch list (most versatile) ... Only player in UI history w/KR, PR, INT & fum returns for TD
SS	3	Taylor Barton (Jr., 6-1, 215)	3 INTs on season ... 20th in country in INTs per game ... Honorable mention All-B1G in 2014 ... 3rd on team & 11th in B1G w/100 tackles in 2014
FS	20	Clayton Fejedelem (Sr., 6-1, 195)	INT vs. NEB... Punt block recovery TD vs. MTSU ... CH 14 tackles at UNC ... Walk-on transfer from St. Xavier earned scholarship in 2014
CB	27	Eaton Spence (Sr., 6-0, 185)	33 career starts ... 2 interceptions this season & 3 in last 7 games ... Earned bachelor's degree in communication in May 2015

KEY PLAYER QUICK FACTS – SPECIAL TEAMS

K	17	Taylor Zalewski (Sr., 6-3, 220)	Hit GW 51-yard FG vs. MTSU with 2:02 left ... Has made 27 of 43 FG in four-year career ... Avg 62.5 ypk w/28 touchbacks in 2014
K	38	David Reisner (Jr., 6-0, 195)	Navy transfer shared PK duties with Zalewski in 2014 ... Hit GW 36-yd FG vs. PSU w/:08 left to keep Illini 2014 bowl hopes alive
P	13	Ryan Frain (Jr., 6-2, 220)	Takes over punting duties in 2015 for departed 4-year starter Justin DuVernois
SS	54	Zach Hirth (Jr., 6-4, 220)	Short snapper for placements (FG & PAT) in 2014 and '15 ... UI's primary short & long snapper in '13
LS	56	Michael Martin (Jr., 6-4, 225)	Long snapper for punts in 2014 and '15 ... Champaign, Ill., native ... Mechanical engineering major



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NO	NAME	POS	HT	WT	YR	ELIG.	HOMETOWN/HIGH SCHOOL/PREVIOUS COLLEGE	NO	NAME	POS
47	Sean Adesanya	LEO	6-3	230	So.	4-3	Rahway, N.J./Rahway/Eastern Arizona JC	2	V'Angelo Bentley	DB
90	Altan Aldemir	DL	6-3	240	Fr.	5-4	Plainsboro, N.J./The Peddie School	2	Reggie Corbin	RB
53	Nick Allegretti	OL/DL	6-4	305	r-Fr.	4-4	Frankfort, Ill./Lincoln-Way East	3	Taylor Barton	DB
8	Geronimo Allison	WR	6-4	200	Sr.	2-1	Tampa, Fla./Spoto/Iowa Western CC	3	Jeff George, Jr.	QB
16	Rob Bain	DL	6-3	305	Jr.	2-2	Bolingbrook, Ill./Bolingbrook	4	Darwyn Kelly	DB
81	Raphael Barr	WR	6-2	200	So.	3-3	Etiwanda, Calif./Etiwanda/Citrus College (CA)	4	Dionte Taylor	WR
3	Taylor Barton	DB	6-1	215	Jr.	2-2	Orlando, Fla./Lake Highland Prep	5	James Crawford	STAR
10	B.J. Bello	LB	6-3	225	Jr.	2-2	New Lenox, Ill./Lincoln-Way West	5	Ke'Shawn Vaughn	RB
2	V'Angelo Bentley	DB	5-10	190	Sr.	2-1	Cleveland, Ohio/Glennville	6	Josh Ferguson	RB
21	Man Berg	WR	6-2	200	So.	3-3	Sherman Oaks, Calif./La Salle	6	Carroll Phillips	LEO
78	Harry Black	OL	6-5	285	So.	3-3	Orlando, Fla./Dr. Phillips	7	Chayce Crouch	QB
55	Chris Boles	OL	6-4	320	Sr.	1-1	Toledo, Ohio/Central Catholic	7	Caleb Day	DB
74	Connor Brennan	OL	6-5	295	Jr.	3-2	Sonoma, Calif./Redwood/City College of San Francisco	8	Geronimo Allison	WR
64	Jack Broeker	OL	6-4	265	Fr.	5-4	Springfield, Ill./Sacred Heart Griffin	8	Dillan Cazley	DB
27	Dre Brown	RB	5-11	205	Fr.	5-4	DeKalb, Ill./DeKalb	9	Sam Mays	WR
86	Desmond Cain	WR	5-11	185	Fr.	5-4	Delray Beach, Fla./American Heritage School	9	Kenny Nelson	DL
8	Dillan Cazley	DB	5-10	190	Jr.	3-2	Charleston, Ill./Charleston	10	B.J. Bello	LB
48	Jack Clark	LB	6-1	215	Fr.	5-4	Hinsdale, Ill./Hinsdale Central	10	Jimmy Fitzgerald	QB
47	Tim Clary	TE	6-2	245	Sr.	1-1	Spring Grove, Ill./Richmond-Burton	11	Chunky Clements	DL
11	Chunky Clements	DL	6-3	290	Jr.	3-2	Dayton, Ohio/Trotwood Madison	11	Malik Turner	WR
2	Reggie Corbin	RB	5-10	185	Fr.	5-4	Upper Marlboro, Md./Gonzaga College	12	Wes Lunt	QB
5	James Crawford	STAR	6-2	220	So.	3-3	Deerfield, Fla./St. Thomas Aquinas	12	Chris James	DB
7	Chayce Crouch	QB	6-4	225	r-Fr.	4-4	Granville, Ohio/Newark Catholic	13	Ryan Frain	PK/P
89	Andrew Davis	TE	6-6	230	Jr.	3-2	Marion, Iowa/Marion/Iowa Western CC	13	Caleb Reams	TE
7	Caleb Day	DB	6-1	205	Jr.	3-2	Hilliard, Ohio/Hilliard Darby	14	Eric Finney	STAR
67	Christian DiLauro	OL	6-5	300	So.	3-3	Uniontown, Ohio/Green	14	Alex Mussat	QB
26	Cedric Doxy	STAR	6-2	220	Jr.	2-2	Calumet City, Ill./Thornwood	15	Jevaris Little	DB
18	Mike Dudek	WR	5-11	185	So.	4-3	Naperville, Ill./Neuqua Valley	15	Tyrin Stone-Davis	WR
28	Jaylen Dunlap	DB	6-1	190	So.	3-3	Chicago, Ill./Crete-Monee	16	Rob Bain	DL
39	Nathan Echard	TE	6-2	245	So.	3-3	Eureka, Mo./Eureka	16	Marchie Murdock	WR
23	Henry Enyenihi	RB	5-11	215	Jr.	2-2	Lawrenceville, Ga./Duluth/Sacramento City College	17	Jihad Ward	DL
66	Jordan Fagan	OL	6-6	295	So.	4-3	Chula Vista, Calif./Olympian/Grossmont Coll. (CA)	17	Taylor Zalewski	PK
20	Clayton Fejedelem	DB	6-1	200	Sr.	1-1	Lemont, Ill./Lemont/St. Xavier University	18	Mike Dudek	WR
6	Josh Ferguson	RB	5-10	200	Sr.	1-1	Naperville, Ill./Joliet Catholic	19	Justin Hardee	WR
14	Eric Finney	STAR	6-0	220	Sr.	1-1	Riverside, Calif./Centennial/College of the Canyons	19	Frank Sumpter	DB
10	Jimmy Fitzgerald	QB	6-3	220	Fr.	5-4	Champaign, Ill./Centennial	20	Clayton Fejedelem	DB
75	Patrick Flavin	OL	6-7	300	Sr.	1-1	Lisle, Ill./Benet Academy	21	Man Berg	WR
25	Kendrick Foster	RB	5-9	200	So.	3-3	Peoria, Ill./Richwoods	21	Patrick Nelson	DB
42	Joe Fotu	DL	6-3	285	Sr.	2-1	East Oakland, Calif./San Leandro/Laney CC	22	LaKeith Walls	LB
13	Ryan Frain	PK/P	6-2	220	Jr.	2-2	Indianapolis, Ind./Seccina	23	Henry Enyenihi	RB
82	Kameron Fry	WR	6-1	200	Jr.	2-2	Urbana, Ill./Urbana	23	Davontay Kwaaning	DB
3	Jeff George, Jr.	QB	6-3	205	Fr.	5-4	Indianapolis, Ind./Warren Central	24	Darius Mosely	DB
40	Jason Goldsmith	LB	6-2	215	r-Fr.	4-4	Highland Park, Ill./Highland Park	25	Kendrick Foster	RB
88	Zach Grant	WR	6-0	195	Jr.	2-2	Springfield, Ill./Rochester/St. Ambrose Univ./NIU	26	Cedric Doxy	STAR
84	Jordan Hahn	WR	6-2	195	So.	3-3	Olney, Ill./East Richland	26	Cameron Tucker	RB
19	Justin Hardee	WR	6-1	195	Sr.	2-1	Cleveland, Ohio/Glennville	27	Dre Brown	RB
38	Samuel Harlib	DB	6-0	180	So.	3-3	Las Vegas, Nev./Army & Navy Academy	27	Eaton Spence	DB
79	Zach Heath	OL	6-4	300	Jr.	3-2	Penryn, Calif./Del Oro/American River College (CA)	28	Jaylen Dunlap	DB
54	Zach Hirth	LS	6-4	220	Jr.	2-2	Eureka, Mo./Eureka	29	Nelson Lugo	STAR
30	Julian Hylton	DB	6-0	205	r-Fr.	4-4	Tinley Park, Ill./Lincoln-Way North	29	T.J. Moss	DB
12	Chris James	DB	5-11	190	r-Fr.	4-4	Orange, Texas/West Orange-Stark	30	Julian Hylton	DB
80	Ainslie Johnson	TE	6-2	230	Jr.	3-2	Anaheim, Calif./Servite/Cerritos College (CA)	30	Jim Nudera	TE
44	Julian Jones	LB	6-2	215	Fr.	5-4	Atlanta, Ga./Westlake	31	Leslie Poole	WR
69	Ted Karras	OL	6-4	310	Sr.	1-1	Indianapolis, Ind./Cathedral	31	Cameron Watkins	DB
4	Darwyn Kelly	DB	6-1	210	So.	3-3	Upper Marlboro, Md./H.D. Woodson	32	Justice Williams	STAR
23	Davontay Kwaaning	DB	5-11	190	Sr.	1-1	Chicago, Ill./Lindbloom	33	Tré Watson	LB
15	Jevaris Little	DB	6-0	190	Jr.	2-2	St. Petersburg, Fla./Lakewood	34	Mike Svetina	LB
95	Max Loeb	DL	6-0	300	So.	3-3	Lawrenceville, Ill./Lawrenceville	35	Jonathan Milazzo	PK
68	Matt Long	OL	6-4	290	Fr.	5-4	Coal City, Ill./Coal City	35	Sean White	LB



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29	Nelson Lugo	STAR	5-11	200	Jr.	2-2	Franklin Park, Ill./East Leyden	36	Austin Roberts	LB
12	Wes Lunt	QB	6-5	225	Jr.	2-2	Rochester, Ill./Rochester/Oklahoma State	37	Dennis Thurow	DB
41	Jimmy Marchese	LB	6-2	205	Fr.	5-4	Vernon Hills, Ill./Stevenson	38	Samuel Harlib	DB
70	Max Marietti	OL	6-5	315	Fr.	5-4	Frankfort, Ill./Lincoln Way East	38	David Reisner	PK/P
56	Michael Martin	LS	6-4	225	Jr.	2-2	Champaign, Ill./Centennial	39	Nathan Echard	TE
76	Zeke Martin	OL	6-5	285	Fr.	5-4	Medina, Ohio/Medina	40	Jason Goldsmith	LB
9	Sam Mays	WR	6-3	200	Fr.	5-4	Missouri City, Texas/The Kinkaid School	40	Ryan Tucker	P
45	Henry McGrew	LEO	6-3	250	r-Fr.	4-4	Overland Park, Kan./Blue Valley	41	Jimmy Marchese	LB
48	Chase McLaughlin	PK	6-1	170	r-Fr.	4-4	Cypress, Texas/Cypress Woods	42	Joe Fotu	DL
72	Gabe Megginson	OL	6-5	300	Fr.	5-4	Jacksonville, Ill./Jacksonville	42	Chris Royer	TE
55	Jamal Milan	DL	6-2	310	Fr.	5-4	Chicago, Ill./Al Raby	43	Mason Monheim	LB
35	Jonathan Milazzo	PK	5-10	170	Fr.	5-4	Orland Park, Ill./Carl Sandburg	44	Julian Jones	LB
43	Mason Monheim	LB	6-1	235	Sr.	2-1	Orrville, Ohio/Orrville	45	Henry McGrew	LEO
24	Darius Mosely	DB	5-11	190	Jr.	3-2	O'Fallon, Ill./O'Fallon Township	46	Luke Nelson	P
29	T.J. Moss	DB	5-11	195	r-Fr.	4-4	Carpentersville, Ill./Dundee Crown	46	Ikjot Wahi	DE
16	Marchie Murdock	WR	6-1	195	So.	3-3	Arlington, Texas/Legacy	47	Sean Adesanya	LEO
14	Alex Mussat	QB	6-2	205	Fr.	5-4	Troy, Mich./Athens	47	Tim Clary	TE
52	T.J. Neal Jr.	LB	6-1	235	Jr.	2-2	McKeeseport, Pa./McKeeseport	48	Jack Clark	LB
9	Kenny Nelson	DL	6-6	250	Sr.	1-1	Detroit, Mich./Cass Tech	48	Chase McLaughlin	PK
46	Luke Nelson	P	6-1	205	Jr.	3-2	Western Springs, Ill./Lyons Twp./College of DuPage	49	Conner Schmidt	STAR
21	Patrick Nelson	DB	6-0	205	Fr.	5-4	Chicago, Ill./Hales Franciscan	52	T.J. Neal Jr.	LB
30	Jim Nudera	TE	6-1	240	Sr.	1-1	Elmhurst, Ill./York	52	Adam Solomon	OL
73	Chris O'Connor	OL	6-5	300	Sr.	1-1	Tinley Park, Ill./Andrew	53	Nick Allegretti	OL/DL
94	Tito Odenigbo	DL	6-3	290	r-Fr.	4-4	Centerville, Ohio/Centerville	54	Zach Hirth	LS
63	Mike Parisi	OL	6-4	275	Fr.	5-4	Elk Grove Village, Ill./Elk Grove	55	Chris Boles	OL
6	Carroll Phillips	LEO	6-3	240	Jr.	2-2	Miami, Fla./Miami Central/Coiah Lincoln CC	55	Jamal Milan	DL
31	Leslie Poole	WR	5-11	185	Sr.	1-1	Schaumburg, Ill./Conant	56	Michael Martin	LS
93	Teko Powell	DL	6-3	300	Jr.	2-2	Miami, Fla./Norland	57	Austin Schmidt	OL
13	Caleb Reams	TE	6-3	240	Fr.	5-4	Gurnee, Ill./Warren Township	63	Mike Parisi	OL
38	David Reisner	PK/P	6-0	195	Jr.	2-2	Bartlett, Ill./South Elgin/Navy	64	Jack Broeker	OL
36	Austin Roberts	LB	6-2	230	r-Fr.	4-4	Rice Lake, Wis./Rice Lake	65	Ryan Walton	OL
85	Brandon Roberts	DL	6-3	265	So.	3-3	Peoria, Ill./Richwoods	66	Jordan Fagan	OL
42	Chris Royer	TE	6-0	215	Fr.	5-4	Wheaton, Ill./Wheaton North	67	Christian DiLauro	OL
57	Austin Schmidt	OL	6-6	300	Jr.	3-2	Galena, Ohio/Olentangy	68	Matt Long	OL
49	Conner Schmidt	STAR	5-11	195	So.	3-3	Lincoln, Ill./Lincoln Community	69	Ted Karras	OL
91	Dawuane Smoot	LEO	6-3	265	Jr.	3-2	Groveport, Ohio/Groveport Madison	70	Max Marietti	OL
52	Adam Solomon	OL	6-5	315	Fr.	5-4	Indianapolis, Ind./Bishop Chatard	71	Joe Spencer	OL
27	Eaton Spence	DB	6-0	190	Sr.	1-1	Belle Glade, Fla./Glades Day	72	Gabe Megginson	OL
71	Joe Spencer	OL	6-4	300	Jr.	2-2	Mason, Ohio/Mason	73	Chris O'Connor	OL
15	Tyrin Stone-Davis	WR	6-3	200	Jr.	2-2	Philadelphia, Pa./Mastbaum Area VTS/Pierce Col. (CA)	74	Connor Brennan	OL
19	Frank Sumpter	DB	5-10	175	Fr.	5-4	Cleveland, Ohio/Glenville	75	Patrick Flavin	OL
34	Mike Svetina	LB	6-2	235	Jr.	2-2	Brunswick, Ohio/St. Ignatius	76	Zeke Martin	OL
4	Dionte Taylor	WR	6-0	190	Jr.	3-2	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla./University School	78	Harry Black	OL
37	Dennis Thurow	DB	6-1	205	So.	3-3	Naperville, Ill./Neuqua Valley	79	Zach Heath	OL
26	Cameron Tucker	RB	5-8	200	Sr.	1-1	River Forest, Ill./Nazareth Academy	80	Ainslie Johnson	TE
40	Ryan Tucker	P	6-3	185	r-Fr.	4-4	Chicago, Ill./Marist	81	Raphael Barr	WR
11	Malik Turner	WR	6-3	205	So.	4-3	Springfield, Ill./Sacred Heart-Griffin	82	Kameron Fry	WR
5	Ke'Shawn Vaughn	RB	5-10	205	Fr.	5-4	Antioch, Tenn./Pearl-Cohn	83	Bobby Walker	TE
46	Ikjot Wahi	DE	6-3	225	Fr.	5-4	Darien, Ill./Hinsdale South	84	Jordan Hahn	WR
83	Bobby Walker	TE	6-4	215	Fr.	5-4	Golf, Ill./Loyola Academy	85	Brandon Roberts	DL
22	LaKeith Walls	LB	6-2	235	Jr.	2-2	Cleveland, Ohio/Rhodes	86	Desmond Cain	WR
65	Ryan Walton	DL	6-6	260	So.	3-3	Crestwood, Ill./Oak Forest	87	Tyler White	TE
17	Jihad Ward	DL	6-6	295	Sr.	2-1	Philadelphia, Pa./Bok Vo-Tech/Globe Tech (NY)	88	Zach Grant	WR
31	Cameron Watkins	DB	6-0	185	Fr.	5-4	Madison, Tenn./Pearl-Cohn	89	Andrew Davis	TE
33	Tré Watson	LB	6-2	240	r-Fr.	4-4	Tampa, Fla./Tampa Catholic	90	Altan Aldemir	DL
35	Sean White	LB	6-0	230	Sr.	2-2	Casey, Ill./Casey-Westfield	91	Dawuane Smoot	LEO
87	Tyler White	TE	6-5	255	Jr.	3-2	Kalamazoo, Mich./Plainwell	93	Teko Powell	DL
32	Justice Williams	STAR	6-3	210	Fr.	5-4	Frisco, Texas/Wakeland	94	Tito Odenigbo	DL
17	Taylor Zalewski	PK	6-3	225	Sr.	1-1	Orland Park, Ill./Carl Sandburg	95	Max Loeb	DL



THE LAST TIME

An Illinois Player Had ...

Rushing

250 yards rushing:

330, Mikel Leshoure vs. Northwestern, 11/20/2010

200 yards rushing:

330, Mikel Leshoure vs. Northwestern, 11/20/2010

150 yards rushing:

190, Josh Ferguson vs. Texas State, 9/20/2014

125 yards rushing:

133, Josh Ferguson at North Carolina, 9/19/2015

100 yards rushing:

133, Josh Ferguson at North Carolina, 9/19/2015

Back-to-back 175 yard rushing games:

Rashard Mendenhall (189 vs. Ball State, 10/27/2007 & 201 at Minnesota, 11/3/2007)

Three consecutive 100-yard rushing games:

Mikel Leshoure, 11/6/2010-12/29/2010 (5 games)

Five consecutive 100-yard rushing games:

Mikel Leshoure, 11/6/2010-12/29/2010 (5 games)

2 rushers with 175 yards:

Rocky Harvey (215), Steve Havard (175) vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/12/1998

2 rushers with 100 yds:

T. Pollard (133), D. Young (100) vs. Western Michigan, 9/24/2011

80+ yard rushing play:

80, Daniel Dufrene at Ohio State, 11/10/2007

70+ yard rushing play:

75, Josh Ferguson vs. Texas State, 9/20/2014

Two 40+ runs in one quarter:

82 and 47 (1st), Antioneo Harris vs. Purdue, 10/12/2002

True-freshman rushed for 100-yards in first career game:

E.B. Halsey, 139 yards vs. Missouri, 8/30/2003

40 rushing attempts:

40, Antioneo Harris at Wisconsin, 11/9/2002

30 rushing attempts:

33, Mikel Leshoure vs. Northwestern, 11/20/2010

2 rushers with 2 TDs:

N. Scheelhaase (2) & D Young (2) vs. SDSU, 9/10/2011

8 TDs rushing:

Howard Griffith (8) vs. Southern Illinois, 9/22/1990

4 TDs rushing:

Antioneo Harris (4) vs. Indiana, 10/27/2002

3 TDs rushing:

Mikel Leshoure (3) vs. Baylor, 12/29/2010

2 TDs rushing:

Josh Ferguson (2) vs. Texas State, 9/20/2014

2 TDs rushing by a QB:

Nathan Scheelhaase (2) vs. SDSU, 9/10/2011

Receiving

200 yards receiving:

200, Mike Dudek vs. Purdue, 10/4/2014

150 yards receiving:

200, Mike Dudek vs. Purdue, 10/4/2014

100 yards receiving:

148, Geronimo Allison at Iowa, 10/10/2015

2 receivers with 100 yards receiving:

Ryan Lankford (115) & Josh Ferguson (103) vs. Southern Illinois, 8/31/2013

70+ yard pass play:

72, R. Lankford from N. Scheelhaase vs. Washington, 9/14/2013

60+ yard pass play:

60, Geronimo Allison from Wes Lunt at Washington, 9/13/2014

50+ yard pass play:

53, Wes Lunt to Geronimo Allison at Iowa, 10/10/2015

10 or more receptions:

10, Geronimo Allison vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/2015

2 receivers with 2 TDs:

Will Judson and Chris Duval vs. Missouri, 8/30/2008

3 TDs receiving:

A.J. Jenkins (3) vs. Northwestern, 10/1/2011

An OL caught a pass:

Jeff Allen, (1 rec., 2 yds) vs. Southern Illinois, 9/11/2010

An OL scored a TD:

Corey Lewis, fumble recovery in end zone at Indiana, 11/9/2013

Passing

600 yards passing:

621, Dave Wilson at Ohio State, 11/8/1980

500 yards passing:

621, Dave Wilson at Ohio State, 11/8/1980

400 yards passing:

456, Wes Lunt vs. Western Kentucky, 9/6/2014

300 yards passing:

317, Wes Lunt at Iowa, 10/10/2015

Consecutive 300-yard passing games:

N. Scheelhaase at PSU (321, 11/2/2013) & at IND (450, 11/9/2013)

Three consecutive 300-yard passing games:

Jason Verduzco vs East Carolina (352, 8/31/1991), at Missouri (431, 9/14/1991) and vs. Houston (341, 9/21/1991)

6 TDs passing:

Dave Wilson at Ohio State, 11/8/1980

5 TDs passing:

Nathan Scheelhaase (5) vs. Miami (OH), 9/28/2013

4 TDs passing:

Wes Lunt (4) vs. Kent State, 9/5/2015

3 TDs passing:

Wes Lunt (4) vs. Kent State, 9/5/2015

Two 65-plus yard TD passes in the same game:

N. Scheelhaase, 77 & 67 yds to A.J. Jenkins at Indiana, 10/8/11

10+ consecutive completions in a game:

Wes Lunt (11) at Iowa, 10/10/2015

Non-QB with passing TD:

Josh Ferguson vs. Penn State, 9/29/2012

Defense

20 Tackles:

J. Leman (20) vs. Missouri, 9/1/2007

4 interceptions:

Mike Gow (4) vs. Stanford, 9/21/1974

3 interceptions:

Eugene Wilson (3) vs. Penn State, 11/10/2001

2 interceptions:

Taylor Barton (2) vs. Western Illinois, 9/12/2015

3+ sacks in a game:

Whitney Mercilus (3.0) at Indiana, 10/8/2011

3+ TFLs in a game:

Dawuane Smoot (3.0) at Iowa, 10/10/2015

3+ PBUs in a game:

Eaton Spence (3) vs. Iowa, 11/15/2014

Interception by a lineman:

Michael Buchanan vs. Western Michigan, 9/1/2012

Interception return for TD:

Mason Monheim (49 yards) at Northwestern, 11/29/2014

Two players with interception returns for TD in a game:

Pat Nixon-Youman (68 yards) vs. Indiana, 10/23/2010 & Jonathan Brown (66 yards) vs. Indiana, 10/23/2010

Fumble recovery for TD:

V'Angelo Bentley (12 yards) vs. Minnesota, 10/25/2014

Scored on a safety:

at Washington (UW punter fumbled out of end zone), 9/13/2014

Defensive extra point:

Kevin Mitchell (75 yards) at Ohio State, 11/5/2005

Total Offense/All-Purpose

500 yds. total offense:

503, Juice Williams vs. Minnesota, 10/11/2008

400 yds. total offense:

439, Wes Lunt vs. WKU, 9/6/2014

300-100 (passing-rushing):

431 (310-121), Juice Williams at Michigan, 10/4/2008

300 all-purpose yards:

328, A.J. Jenkins vs. N'western, 10/1/2011

200 all-purpose yards:

200, Mike Dudek vs. Purdue, 10/4/2014

3 total TDs:

Josh Ferguson (3 — 2 rush, 1 rec) vs. Texas St., 9/20/2014

Special Teams

5 field goals:

Doug Higgins vs. Michigan State, 10/20/1990

4 field goals:

Derek Dimke (4) at Penn State, 10/9/2010

3 field goals:

Taylor Zalewski (3) vs. Western Illinois, 9/12/2015

2 field goals:

Taylor Zalewski (2) vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/2015

Made 50+ yard field goal:

Taylor Zalewski (51) vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/2015

Blocked a Punt:

Caleb Day vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/2015

Blocked Punt for a Touchdown:

Caleb Day (blk), Clayton Fejedelem (TD) vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/2015

Blocked Two Field Goals:

Terrell Washington vs. NIU, 9/8/2001

Blocked a Field Goal:

Rob Bain vs. Kent State, 9/5/2015

Blocked a PAT:

Clay Nurse at Fresno State, 12/3/2010

Punt return for TD:

V'Angelo Bentley (67 yards) vs. OSU, 11/16/2013

Kickoff return for TD:

V'Angelo Bentley (100 yards) vs. Southern Illinois, 8/31/2013

Blocked FG returned for TD:

Travis Williams (66 yards) vs. Illinois St., 9/6/2003

Two-point conversion:

Nate Scheelhaase pass to Miles Osei vs. Ohio State, 11/16/2013

Two two-point conversions in the same game:

2 at Ohio State, 11/3/2012 (Russell pass to LaCrosse; Russell rush)

An Opposing Player had ...

250 yards rushing:

256, Jordan Canzeri, Iowa, 10/10/2015

200 yards rushing:

256, Jordan Canzeri, Iowa, 10/10/2015

150 yards rushing:

175, Melvin Gordon, Wisconsin, 10/11/2014

Two 100-yard rushers:

M. Gordon (175) and C. Clement (164), Wisconsin, 10/11/2014

50+ yard rushing play:

75, Jordan Canzeri, Iowa, 10/10/2015

Two 40+ TD runs in one quarter:

Carlos Hyde (51, 55 in 4th), Ohio State, 11/16/2013

400 yards passing:

408, Scott Rislav, San Jose State, 9/21/2002

300 yards passing:

330 Brent Stockstill, Middle Tennessee, 9/26/2015

80+ yard pass play:

80, Louisiana Tech (Cody Sokol to Ken Dixon), 12/26/2014

70+ yard pass play:

80, Louisiana Tech (Cody Sokol to Ken Dixon), 12/26/2014

50+ yard pass play:

55, Nebraska Tech (Tommy Armstrong Jr. to Cethan Carter), 10/3/2015

200 yds. in receptions:

246, Roy Roundtree, Michigan, 11/6/2010

150 yds. in receptions:

175, Eddie Battles, Middle Tennessee, 9/26/2015

100 yds. in receptions:

118, Jerminic Smith, Iowa, 10/10/2015

Two 100-yard receivers:

175, Eddie Battles & 141, Richie James, Middle Tennessee, 9/26/2015

4 Field Goals:

Dan Conroy, Michigan State, 10/16/2010

Three 50+ yard field goals:

Tim Douglas (51, 58, 51), Iowa, 9/26/1998

Punt return for TD:

R. Switzer (85 yards), North Carolina, 9/19/2015

Kickoff return for TD:

S. Vault (89 yards), Northwestern, 11/29/2014

INT return for TD:

Xavier Woods (69 yards), Louisiana Tech, 12/26/2014

Blocked Punt for a TD:

Ben Kuznia (3 yards), Minnesota, 11/7/2009

Fumble recovery for TD:

Shaq Thompson (52 yards), Washington, 9/13/2014

Scored on a Safety:

Team (tackle in end zone), Middle Tennessee, 9/26/2015

An Illinois Team Had ...

80 points:

87 vs. Illinois Wesleyan (87-3), 10/5/1912

70 points:

79 vs. Illinois State (79-6), 9/16/1944

60 points:

65 at Michigan (65-67), 11/6/2010

50 points:

52 vs. Kent State (52-3), 9/5/2015

40 points:

44 vs. Western Illinois (44-0), 9/12/2015

30 points:

44 vs. Western Illinois (44-0), 9/12/2015

0 points:

at Michigan (0-45), 10/13/2012

0 points in 1st half:

GAME SUMMARIES

GAME 1	
KENT STATE	3
ILLINOIS	52
SEP. 5, 2015	
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SCORING BY QUARTER

Team	1	2	3	4	F
Youngstown State	0	0	0	3	3
Illinois	28	10	7	7	52

SCORING SUMMARY

First Quarter

ILL: White 2 yard pass from Lunt (Zalewski kick), 12:10 (4-38, 1:33)
ILL: Murdock 34 yard pass from Lunt (Zalewski kick), 11:04 (1-34, 0:06)
ILL: Ferguson 21 yard pass from Lunt (Zalewski kick), 5:26 (4-28, 1:39)
ILL: Ferguson 11 yard pass from Lunt (Zalewski kick), 1:53 (1-11, 0:05)

Second Quarter

ILL: Allison 34 yard pass from Lunt (Zalewski kick), 10:36 (1-34, 0:07)
ILL: Zalewski 43 yard field goal, 6:16 (4-4, 0:54)

Third Quarter

ILL: Vaughn 1 yard run (Zalewski kick), 9:02 (11-73, 5:58)

Fourth Quarter

KENT: Hynes 43 yard field goal, 8:30 (10-26, 2:29)
ILL: Mays 27 yard pass from Crouch

TEAM STATISTICS

Category	KENT	ILL
First Downs	15	19
Rushes-Yards	39-59	36-134
Passing Yards	186	208
Comp-Att-Int	19-40-3	14-29-1
Total Yards	245	342
Punts-Avg	8-45.1	7-39.4
Kickoff Returns	5-104	1-25
Penalties-Yards	11-82	8-80
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	0-0
Sacks By	1-11	1-5
Third-down Conv.	3-18	3-13
Time of Possession	31:21	28:39

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING (Carries-Yards-TD): KENT - Hibbler 8-15, Washington 8-13, Durham 4-10. ILL - Ferguson 12-77-1, Vaughn 11-43-1, Enyenihi 4-13
PASSING (Comp-Att-INT-TD-Yds): KENT - Reardon 15-34-3-0-156, Bollas 4-6-0-0-30. ILL - Lunt 11-19-0-4-162, Crouch 3-9-1-1-46.
RECEIVING (Rec-Yards-TD): KENT - Simmons 4-12, Calhoun 2-26, Payton 2-17, Woods 2-15, Atria 2-11, Holley 2-11. ILL - Allison 2-57-1, Murdock 2-42-1, Mays 2-37-1, White 2-15-1, Ferguson 1-21-1
TACKLE LEADERS (Tackles, TFL-Yds): KENT - Dellinger 8; Italiano 6; Holley 6, 0.5-0; ILL - Walls 7; Neal 6, 1.0-1; Finney 6, 3.0-9; Barton 6, 2.5-3; Little 6, Cazley 5, Fejedelem 5.

GAME NOTES

- Illinois won its first-ever meeting with Kent State. The victory over the Golden Flashes marks the 18th consecutive home-opening win for Illinois.
- The game was originally scheduled for 8 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 4, but was postponed to Saturday at 1 p.m. due to severe weather and lightning. The stadium was cleared on Friday at 7:25 p.m. during warmups and the game was officially postponed at 10:15 p.m. after a 2:50 delay.
- The Illini put the game away by 49 points on Saturday, the largest margin of victory for Illinois since beating South Dakota State 56-3 on Sept. 10, 2011.
- The Illini defense stifled Kent State in the first quarter, holding the Golden Flashes to two total yards and one first down, while forcing two turnovers. Illinois held Kent State scoreless in the first half, the first time UI has done so since Sept. 28, 2013 against Miami (OH).
- UI's 28 points in the first quarter stand as its most points scored in a quarter since putting up 29 against Miami (OH) at home on Sept. 28, 2013. Illinois' 28 points in the opening quarter were its most first-quarter points dating back to 1960. (Scoring summaries by quarter not available in UI archives prior to 1960).
- Illinois' 38 first-half points were its most since also scoring 38 in the first half en route to a 44-17 win at California in the 2001 season opener (Sept. 1, 2001).
- Three of Illinois' first half scoring drives consisted on just one play. Last season Illinois had a total of two single-play scoring drives.
- Junior QB Wes Lunt spread the wealth, as he connected with eight different receivers and his four TD passes went to four different receivers. Lunt's four-touchdown performance tied his single-game best as an Illini.
- Junior Rob Bain blocked a field goal near the end of the second half, squandering Kent State's best scoring chance of the first half. The last blocked field goal by an Illini came from V'Angelo Bentley on September 9, 2012 against Penn State.

GAME 2	
WESTERN ILLINOIS	0
ILLINOIS	44
SEP. 12, 2015	
MEMORIAL STADIUM // CHAMPAIGN, ILL. // 37,733	

SCORING BY QUARTER

Team	1	2	3	4	F
Western Illinois	0	0	0	0	0
Illinois	10	20	0	14	44

SCORING SUMMARY

First Quarter

ILL: Zalewski 31 yd field goal, 10:05 (11-62, 4:55)
ILL: Ferguson 1 yard run (Zalewski kick), 1:25 (10-71, 5:07)

Second Quarter

ILL: White 1 yard pass from Lunt (Zalewski, Taylor kick), 10:05 (12-76, 5:43)
ILL: Zalewski 22 yard field goal, 4:01 (10-31, 4:49)
ILL: Murdock, Marchie 12 yard blocked punt return (Zalewski kick)
ILL: Zalewski 39 yard field goal, 0:00 (10-46, 1:44)

Fourth Quarter

ILL: Enyenihi 1 yard run (Zalewski kick), 14:57 (13-67, 4:20)
ILL: Murdock 5 yard pass from Crouch (Zalewski kick), 8:48 (9-51, 2:57)

TEAM STATISTICS

Category	WIU	ILL
First Downs	5	27
Rushes-Yards	29-92	40-147
Passing Yards	49	353
Comp-Att-Int	12-25-2	38-54-1
Total Yards	141	500
Punts-Avg	11-31.5	3-43.3
Kickoff Returns	2-32	0-0
Penalties-Yards	4-37	3-25
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	4-3
Sacks By	0-0	0-0
Third-down Conv.	1-15	9-18
Time of Possession	21:35	38:25

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING (Carries-Yards-TD): WIU - McShane 9-41, Westbrook 9-25, Sanders 5-15. ILL - Vaughn 15-53, Ferguson 13-39-1, Enyenihi 8-34-1.
PASSING (Comp-Att-INT-TD-Yds): WIU - Norvell 9-19-2-0-28, McGuire 3-6-0-0-21. ILL - Lunt 33-46-1-1-316, Crouch 5-8-0-1-37.
RECEIVING (Rec-Yards-TD): WIU - McShane 3-13, Lenoir 2-0, Borsellino 2-0, Acklin 1-23, Smith 1-6. ILL - Allison 8-124, Murdock 5-51-1, Ferguson 6-42-0.
TACKLE LEADERS (Tackles, TFL-Yds): WIU - Taylor 16; Griffith 10; Diggs 8
ILL - Monheim 7; Fejedelem 7; Neal 6, 1-1; Watson 4; Walls 4.

GAME NOTES

- Holding the Leathernecks scoreless, Illinois shutout an opponent for the first time since a 44-0 victory over Charleston Southern on Sept. 15, 2012. The Illini totaled 500 yards on offense, while holding the Leathernecks to 141 total yards.
- Illinois now leads the all-time series vs. WIU 2-0, with both game being shutouts. The Illini have outscored the Leathernecks 65-0 combined in the two meetings (21-0 in 2007 and 44-0 in 2015). Illinois is now 15-0 all-time against FCS opponents and 15-0 all-time against other public universities in the state of Illinois.
- With today's victory, the Illini moved to 21-2 in August/September home games since 2007, which ranks third in the Big Ten.
- In its first two games of the season, Illinois held both Kent State and Western Illinois without a touchdown. The last time the Illini went consecutive games without allowing a touchdown was in the 1988 season, garnering victories over Purdue (20-3) on Oct. 8 and Wisconsin (34-6) on Oct. 15.
- The last time the Illini defense went consecutive games without allowing a touchdown was the opening two games of the 1994 season. Illinois suffered a 10-9 loss to Washington State on Sept. 1 and garnered a 42-0 win over Missouri on Sept. 10.
- By allowing just three points in the first two games of the season, Illinois allowed the fewest points in the opening two games of the season since the 1942 team shutout South Dakota and Butler to open that campaign.
- The Illini defense held Western Illinois to just one first down and 45 total yards in the first half. The last time an Illini opponent garnered just one first down in a half was in the second half of a 21-0 UI victory over Western Illinois on Sept. 8, 2007.
- Senior S Taylor Barton picked off Trenton Norvell twice, returning one for 49 yards. The last Illini with two interceptions in a game was Trulon Henry against Ohio State on Oct. 2, 2010. Barton has totaled three picks in the last two games.
- With 2:57 left in the first half, sophomore CB Jaylen Dunlap blocked a punt and sophomore WR Marchie Murdock returned it 12 yards for a touchdown. The last Illinois blocked punt for a touchdown was by Vontae Davis against Missouri on Sept. 1, 2007.

GAME 3	
ILLINOIS	14
NORTH CAROLINA	48
SEP. 19, 2015	
KENAN STADIUM // CHAPEL HILL, N.C. // 41,000	

SCORING BY QUARTER

Team	1	2	3	4	F
Illinois	0	7	0	7	14
North Carolina	10	10	7	21	48

SCORING SUMMARY

First Quarter

NC: Weiler 48 yard field goal, 5:11 (6-37, 2:05)
NC: Morris 7 yard run (Weiler kick), 1:46 (4-41, 1:19)

Second Quarter

NC: Weiler 32 yard field goal, 13:55 (4-4, 0:42)
ILL: Ferguson 1 yard run (Zalewski kick), 9:52 (9-75, 4:03)
NC: Davis 9 yard pass from Williams, (Weiler kick), 6:28 (9-79 3:20)

Third Quarter

NC: Switzer 34 yard pass from Williams (Weiler, N kick), 1:50 (3-59 1:43)

Fourth Quarter

NC: Proehl 3 yard pass from Williams (Weiler kick), 12:56 (6-62 1:43)
NC: Hood 28 yard run (Weiler kick), 8:48 (5-70 2:09)
NC: Switzer 85 yard punt return (Weiler kick), 7:29
ILL: Crouch 1 yard run (Zalewski kick), 0:50 (17-63 6:29)

TEAM STATISTICS

Category	UNC	ILL
First Downs	23	22
Rushes-Yards	37-254	45-227
Passing Yards	217	172
Comp-Att-Int	19-26-1	19-38-1
Total Yards	471	399
Punts-Avg	3-94	7-279
Kickoff Returns	2-36	3-85
Penalties-Yards	6-51	8-75
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Sacks By	0-0	0-0
Third-down Conv.	4-10	9-20
Time of Possession	24:13	35:47

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING (Carries-Yards-TD): UNC - Hood 16-130-1, Williams 9-106-0
ILL - Ferguson 22-138-1, Vaughn 13-51-0.
PASSING (Comp-Att-INT-TD-Yds): UNC - Williams 17-24-1-203, Trubisky 2-2-0-14 ILL - Lunt 15-32-1-140, Crouch4-6-0-32.
RECEIVING (Rec-Yards-TD): UNC - Davis 5-56-1, Proehl 4-39-1, Switzer 3-50-1
ILL - Murdock 7-49, Allison 4-53, Davis 3-16, Ferguson 2-10.
TACKLE LEADERS (Tackles, TFL-Yds): UNC - Miles 10; Rashad 8, 1.0-2; Schoettmer 7, 1.0-3 ILL - Fejedelem 14; Bentley 7; Crawford 4; Smoot, 4, 2.0-3

GAME NOTES

- Ferguson became the 17th player in Illinois history to reach 2,000 career rushing yards, finishing the game with 2,126 career yards on the ground.
- With 133 yards against the Tar Heels, Ferguson (2,126 yards) jumped up four spots to No. 13 on the UI career rushing list, passing Rich Johnson (2,058), Nathan Scheelhaase (2,066), Red Grange (2,071) and Chubby Phillips (2,103).
- With 143 all-purpose yards, Ferguson upped his career total to 3,807 yards, which ranks fourth on the Illinois career list.
- With 85 yards on three kick returns vs. UNC, V'Angelo Bentley moved into second on the UI career kickoff return yardage list with 1,465 yards. He is 30 yards behind UI all-time leader Pierre Thomas.
- Eaton Spence snagged his second interception of the season in the first quarter.
- On Illinois' final drive of the game Chayce Crouch led the Orange and Blue on a 17-play 63-yard touchdown drive, scoring on a 1-yard run on fourth down, his first career TD scored.



GAME SUMMARIES

GAME 4				
MIDDLE TENNESSEE	25			
ILLINOIS	27			
SEP. 26, 2015				
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SCORING BY QUARTER

Team	1	2	3	4	F
Middle Tennessee	3	9	0	13	25
Illinois	7	10	7	3	27

SCORING SUMMARY

First Quarter

ILL: Turner 5 yard pass from Lunt (Zalewski kick), 12:55 (7-75, 2:05)
MT: Clark 42 yard field goal, 1:44 (14-55, 4:25)

Second Quarter

ILL: Fejedelem blocked punt return (Zalewski kick), 9:07
MT: Team safety, 4:49
MT: James 63 yard pass from Stockstill (Clark kick), 4:05 (2-63, 0:44)
ILL: Zalewski 23 yard field goal, 0:11 (4-6, 1:09)

Third Quarter

ILL: Vaugh 8 yard run (Zalewski kick), 2:14 (7-49, 2:11)

Fourth Quarter

MT: Batties 13 yard pass from Stockstill (Clark kick), 11:44 (8-72, 3:00)
MT: Batties 22 yard pass from Stockstill (Pass failed), 4:11 (9-81, 4:44)
ILL: Zalewski 51 yard field goal, 2:09 (8-41, 2:02)

TEAM STATISTICS

Category	MT	ILL
First Downs	19	25
Rushes-Yards	37-38	39-140
Passing Yards	330	238
Comp-Att-Int	29-43-0	29-49-0
Total Yards	368	378
Punts-Avg	8-319	6-227
Kickoff Returns	5-305	7-442
Penalties-Yards	7-59	6-55
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	2-0
Sacks By	2-26	3-31
Third-Down Conversions	5-18	8-19
Time of Possession	30:42	29:18

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING (Carries-Yards-TD): MT - Parker 23-70-0, Bryson 4-16-0, Anderson 2-1-0, Team 2-(-19)-0, Stockstill 6-(-30)-0 ILL - Ferguson 20-83-0, Vaughn 13-80-1, Crouch 1-4-0, Enyenihi 1-2-0, Lunt 3-(-27)-0
PASSING (Comp-Att-INT-TD-Yds): MT - Stockstill 29-42-0-3-330
ILL - Lunt 29-49-0-1-238
RECEIVING (Rec-Yards-TD): MT - Batties 13-175-2, James 12-141-1, Frazier 2-9-0, Ducksworth 1-5-0 ILL - Allison 10-128-0, Cain 7-48-0, Turner 4-17-1, Murdock 3-24-0, Taylor 2-17-0, Ferguson 2-1-0, Vaughn 1-3-0
TACKLE LEADERS (Tackles, TFL-Yds): MT Barber 14, 2-0-18, Byard 11, 0-0-0 ILL - Monheim 14, 0-0-0, Neal 13, 1-0-1, Fejedelem 12, 0-5-1, Smoot 4, 3-0-23

GAME NOTES

- Illinois opened the game with a seven-play, 75-yard touchdown drive to take the early lead. The Illini have scored on three of its four game-opening drives this season.
- The Illinois defense, which entered the game with one sack on the season, recorded three sacks against Middle Tennessee. The Illini defense also totaled 10 tackles for loss. On the season Illinois has 35 TFLs (8.75 TFLs per game)
- Illinois held the Blue Raider offense to 368 total yards and a season-low 38 rushing yards. Entering the game, MTSU averaged 513.0 total yards per game and 202.7 rushing yards per game.
- Bentley became Illinois' all-time kickoff return yardage leader on Saturday as he recorded three kickoff returns for 65 yards against MTSU. He broke the record with an 18-yard kickoff return with 11:44 on the clock in the fourth quarter. Bentley now has 1,530 kickoff return yards.
- With 2:09 left in the game, senior PK Taylor Zalewski made a 51-yard field goal to take a 27-25 lead. It marked the third field goal of 50 or more yards of his career and first 50+ yard field goal since he made a 54-yarder vs. Purdue on Nov. 17, 2012.
- Vaughn rushed for 80 yard on 13 carries in the game, including an 8-yard touchdown. Vaughn totaled the most rushing yards in a game by a true freshman since Donovan Young's 100 yards against Western Michigan on Sept. 24, 2011.
- Allison turned in the fourth 100-yard receiving game of his Illini career, leading UI with a career-high 10 catches for 127 yards. His 42-yard reception on the opening drive was Illinois' longest of the season.
- Smoot recorded his first career forced fumble on a second-quarter sack. Smoot had a career-day totaling two sacks and three TFLs, both career-highs.
- Ferguson totaled 83 rushing yards, moving him into 11th on the Illinois all-time career rushing yards list with 2,209 yards. He also upped his all-purpose total to 3,891, which ranks fourth all-time in Illini history.

GAME 5				
NEBRASKA	13			
ILLINOIS	14			
OCT. 3, 2015				
MEMORIAL STADIUM // CHAMPAIGN, ILL. // 40,138				

SCORING BY QUARTER

Team	1	2	3	4	F
Nebraska	0	10	3	0	13
Illinois	0	0	0	14	14

SCORING SUMMARY

Second Quarter

NEB: Ozigbo 19 yard run (Brown kick), 12:35 (6-76, 2:25)
NEB: Brown 39 yard field goal, 0:11 (8-57, 3:27)

Third Quarter

NEB: Brown 39 yard field goal, 2:55 (6-20, 2:31)

Fourth Quarter

ILL: Murdock 22 yard pass from Lunt (Zalewski kick), 13:21 (10-75, 4:34)
ILL: Allison 1 yard pass from Lunt (Zalewski kick), 0:10 (6-72, 0:41)

TEAM STATISTICS

Category	NEB	ILL
First Downs	12	17
Rushes-Yards	34-187	32-131
Passing Yards	105	251
Comp-Att-Int	10-31-1	23-45-0
Total Yards	292	382
Punts-Avg	9-422	9-334
Kickoff Returns	3-59	0-0
Penalties-Yards	6-42	3-35
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	0-0
Sacks By	2-16	1-15
Third-Down Conversions	4-17	7-20
Time of Possession	28:52	31:08

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING (Carries-Yards-TD): NEB - Ozigbo 7-70-1, Janovich 11-43-0, Armstrong Jr. 8-38-0 ILL - Vaughn 24-98-0, Ferguson 4-50-0
PASSING (Comp-Att-INT-TD-Yds): NEB - Armstrong Jr. 10-31-1-0-105
ILL - Lunt 23-45-0-2-251
RECEIVING (Rec-Yards-TD): NEB - Carter 3-64-0, Newby 2-11-0 ILL - Allison 8-91-1, Turner 4-70-0, Cain 4-40-0, Murdock 2-28-1, Mays 2-21-0
TACKLE LEADERS (Tackles, TFL-Yds): NEB - Weber 17, 2-0, Young 11, 1.5, Collins 9, 2-0 ILL - Neal Jr. 10, 1-0, Monheim 10, 0-0, Fejedelem 8, 0-0

GAME NOTES

- Junior QB Wes Lunt passed one yard to senior WR Geronimo Allison with 10 seconds on the clock to tie the game at 13, and senior PK Taylor Zalewski made the field goal to give Illinois the 14-13 lead. It was Lunt's seventh touchdown of the season and the second for Allison.
- Illinois improved to 4-1 on the season and 1-0 in Big Ten play.
- The win was the second straight fourth-quarter come back win for the Fighting Illini. Last week, the Illini trailed Middle Tennessee 25-24 late in the fourth quarter before a 51-yard field goal by Taylor Zalewski with 2:09 left gave the Illini the victory. Tonight, Illinois trailed Nebraska 13-0 at the start of the fourth quarter and was down 13-7 in the final minute before Allison's game-winning reception with 10 seconds left.
- Illinois now has seven fourth-quarter comeback wins in the last two seasons (five in 2014 and two so far in 2015). Quarterback Wes Lunt has orchestrated five of those seven fourth-quarter comebacks.
- The win marked the first time the Illini have opened the Big Ten season with a victory since the 2011 season when Illinois defeated Northwestern 38-35 (Oct. 1).
- The win marked Illinois' first win over Nebraska since 1924, and the first in Champaign since 1923. Illinois improved to 3-9-1 on the all-time series.
- The Illini held Nebraska to a season-low 292 yards. Nebraska's previous low was 445 yards against BYU in its season opener. The total of 292 yards is 227 yards less than Nebraska's season average (519.5).
- The Illini held Nebraska QB Tommy Armstrong Jr. to 105 yards passing (10-for-31), his lowest total of the season and second lowest in the last two seasons (Low: 62 yards at Wisconsin, 2014).
- The Illini did not record a turnover, marking the second consecutive game without a turnover for the Orange and Blue.
- Illinois has won three straight Big Ten games dating back to last season. In the last six conference games, Illinois is 4-2. In the 25 games prior to that, the Illini were 1-24 in conference play.

GAME 6				
ILLINOIS	20			
IOWA	29			
OCT. 10, 2015				
KINNICK STADIUM // IOWA CITY, IOWA // 66,693				

SCORING BY QUARTER

Team	1	2	3	4	F
Illinois	7	0	6	7	20
Iowa	6	10	7	6	29

SCORING SUMMARY

First Quarter

IOWA: Kittle 21 yard pass from Beathard (Kick failed), 8:30 (7-69, 3:30)
ILL: Vaughn 4 yard run (Zalewski kick), 6:29 (6-67, 2:01)

Second Quarter

IOWA: Canzeri 17 yard pass from Beathard (Koehn kick), 7:50 (5-58, 2:12)
IOWA: Koehn 19 yard field goal, 0:15 (13-74, 2:30)

Third Quarter

ILL: Zalewski 37 yard field goal, 11:32 (10-57, 3:28)
ILL: Zalewski 40 yard field goal, 2:56 (6-57, 2:06)
IOWA: Canzeri 75 yard run (Koehn kick), 2:45 (1-75, 0:11)

Fourth Quarter

ILL: Allison 53 yard pass from Lunt, 10:13 (7-85, 2:10)
IOWA: Koehn 34 yard field goal, 3:20 (13-59, 6:53)
IOWA: Koehn 40 yard field goal, 2:11 (4-7, 0:58)

TEAM STATISTICS

Category	ILL	IOWA
First Downs	20	23
Rushes-Yards	24-46	51-278
Passing Yards	317	200
Comp-Att-Int	25-43-1	15-31-0
Total Yards	363	478
Punts-Avg	6-253	6-260
Kickoff Returns	4-97	0-0
Penalties-Yards	5-45	6-80
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	0-0
Sacks By	1-4	3-20
Third-Down Conversions	5-15	4-16
Time of Possession	24:09	35:51

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING (Carries-Yards-TD): ILL - Vaughn 19-67-1 IOWA - Canzeri 43-256-1, Beathard 5-29-0
PASSING (Comp-Att-INT-TD-Yds): ILL - Lunt 25-42-0-1-317, Allison 0-1-1-0-0 IOWA - Beathard 15-31-0-2-200
RECEIVING (Rec-Yards-TD): ILL - Allison 8-148-1, Vaughn 4-49-1, Turner 3-53-0, Cain 3-35-0, Enyenihi 3-10-0, Taylor 2-17-0 IOWA - Krieger-Coble 5-32-0, Smith 4-118-0, Canzeri 2-15-1, VandeBerg 2-10-0, Kittle 1-21-1, Mitchell 1-4-0
TACKLE LEADERS (Tackles, TFL-Yds): ILL - Neal 14, 1-0-1, Ward 11, 0-0-0, Fejedelem 9, 0-0-0, Monheim 9, 0-0-0, Bentley 7, 1-0-2, Clements 6, 2-0-4, Smoot 4, 3-0-13 IOWA - Jewell 12, 0-5-1, Johnson 6, 1-0-4, Lomax 6, 0-5-1, Bazata 4, 1-0-6, Ott 3, 2-0-11

GAME NOTES

- The Illini failed to complete a fourth-quarter come back win and snapped its three-game winning streak in Big Ten games. Illinois moves to 3-2 on the season.
- Illinois has won four of its last seven Big Ten games after going 1-24 in its previous 25 conference contests.
- Illinois leads the all-time series against Iowa, 38-31-2, including an 18-17-2 mark in Iowa City.
- The defensive line totaled 23 tackles and 18 solo tackles in today's game.
- After scoring seven points in the first half, the Illini totaled 13 points in the second half.
- The Illini offense produced 317 passing yards against Iowa, its second-highest passing total on the season.
- In the fourth quarter, the Illini completed seven-play, 85-yard touchdown drive to close the deficit to 23-20. The touchdown drive was the longest the Illini have produced this season.
- The Illini defense totaled seven tackles for loss. On the season, the Illini have 56 TFLs (9.3 per game).
- Illinois committed two turnovers in today's game. It was the first turnovers the Illini committed in the last three games.
- After starting the game 4-for-13, junior QB West Lunt completed 11-straight passes (last two in first half and nine in the third quarter). Lunt was 6-for-15 in the first half for 89 yards and 19-for-27 for 228 yards in the second half.
- Junior LEO Dawuane Smoot totaled one sack and three TFLs. Smoot has recorded a least one sack in each of the last three games.





BILL CUBIT

HEAD FOOTBALL COACH

UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE, '75

THIRD SEASON AT ILLINOIS

Bill Cubit was named head coach at Illinois on August 28, 2015. Cubit also serves as offensive coordinator, his third season in that role for the Fighting Illini. He spent his first two seasons in Champaign-Urbana working with the quarterbacks in addition to offensive coordinator duties.

Illinois boasted one of the top passing offenses in the Big Ten in 2014, ranking second in the conference in passing yards per game (249.8) and completion percentage (61.21 percent), and sixth in passing efficiency. The Illini rushed for a season-high 291 yards in the regular-season finale at Northwestern, the most since running for 308 yards at Indiana on Oct. 8, 2011.

Cubit guided the Illini offense to a dramatic improvement in his first year, as Illinois jumped at least 50 spots in the national rankings from 2012 to 2013 in first downs, passing offense, long scrimmage plays, total offense, passing efficiency and scoring offense, with the biggest turnaround a 95-place leap in first downs per game. His 2013 unit ranked third in school history in passing yards per game (287.7) and fourth in total yards per game (426.7) and points per game (29.7). Quarterback Nathan Scheelhaase posted the third-most yards of total offense in a season in school history under Cubit in 2013 and broke the school record for completion percentage.

Cubit came to Illinois in January 2013 following an eight-year stint as head coach at Western Michigan. Cubit led WMU to a 51-47 overall record and three bowls during his tenure in Kalamazoo.

Cubit's 2011 Western Michigan squad set records for points (459), touchdowns (58), pass attempts (554), completions (369), passing yards (4,385), total yards (5,960), offensive plays (945), first downs (320), passing first downs (204), kick returns (63), kick return yardage (1,409) and total return yards (1,658). In 2010, two of his receivers (Juan Nunez and Jordan White) topped 1,000 yards in receiving, before White earned consensus All-America honors in 2011 while leading the nation in receiving yards and receptions.

Cubit brings 34 years of coaching experience, including 17 years as a head coach on the collegiate and high school level. He also has spent eight years as an offensive coordinator at five NCAA Division I schools working the sidelines in five of the nation's premier conferences (BIG EAST, Big 12, Mid-American, PAC-10 and Southeastern).

Prior to returning to Western Michigan as head coach in 2004, Cubit served as offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach at Stanford in 2003, directing a Cardinal offense that ranked 28th in NCAA passing (247.3 yards per game). Prior to his time at Stanford, Cubit served as offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach at Rutgers (2001-02) and at Missouri in 2000.

In his first stint at WMU from 1997-99, Cubit oversaw an offense that ranked in the NCAA Top 25 in passing offense, scoring offense and total offense in back-to-back seasons. In 1998, the Broncos were the nation's 20th-highest scoring team with an average of 32.7 points per game, and were 20th in the nation in 1999 with an average of 31.1 points per game. His quarterback during that period was Tim Lester, who finished fifth in NCAA career passing yards (11,299) and seventh in career touchdown passes (87).

Cubit's head coaching experience includes five seasons (1992-96) at Division III Widener University in Philadelphia, Pa. He led the

Pioneers to a 34-18-1 mark, two Middle American Conference championships and a pair of NCAA Tournament appearances while twice being named conference coach of the year.

Other collegiate stops for Cubit include two years (1990-91) as running backs coach at Akron, a season (1989) as quarterbacks coach at Florida, three seasons as assistant head coach (1985) and the secondary coach (1983-85) at Central Florida and two years (1975-76) coaching running backs and receivers at Swarthmore College. As a high school coach, Cubit compiled a nine-year record of 79-15-2 at three different programs - Martin County (Fla.), Academy Park (Pa.) and his alma mater, Sharon Hill.

A Sharon Hill, Pa., native, Cubit (61 years old/DOB: 10-14-1953) earned a bachelor's degree in business administration from the University of Delaware in 1975. He played quarterback and wide receiver for the Blue Hens (1971-74), earning Associated Press All-America honorable mention in 1974. He also set school records for catches in a game (10) and a season (47), along with receiving yards in a season (787).

In 1981, he earned a master's degree in education from Saint Joseph's University. Cubit and his wife, Nancy, have three grown children: Stacey - who was married on March 3, 2007 - Sheri and Ryan, who is an assistant coach for the Fighting Illini. Cubit also has three grandchildren.

CUBIT'S RECORD VS. OPPONENTS

(as Division I head coach)

Akron	3-1	.750
Ball State	3-5	.375
Bowling Green	3-0	1.000
Buffalo	3-1	.750
Central Connecticut State	1-0	1.000
Central Michigan	3-5	.375
Cincinnati	0-1	.000
Connecticut	2-0	1.000
Eastern Illinois	1-0	1.000
Eastern Michigan	4-4	.500
Florida State	0-1	.000
Hofstra	1-0	1.000
Idaho	1-1	.500
Illinois	1-2	.333
Indiana	0-3	.000
Iowa	1-1	.500
Kent State	3-2	.600
Massachusetts	1-0	1.000
Miami (OH)	3-0	1.000
Michigan	0-2	.000
Michigan State	0-2	.000
Middle Tennessee State	1-0	1.000
Minnesota	0-1	.000
Missouri	0-1	.000
Nebraska	1-1	.500
Nicholls State	2-0	1.000
North Carolina	0-1	.000
Northern Illinois	3-5	.375
Northwestern	0-0	.000
Notre Dame	0-1	.000
Ohio	1-1	.500
Ohio State	0-0	.000
Penn State	0-0	.000
Purdue	0-1	.000
Rice	0-1	.000
Southern Illinois	1-0	1.000
Temple	4-0	1.000
Tennessee Tech	1-0	1.000
Toledo	4-4	.500
Virginia	1-1	.500
West Virginia	0-1	.000
Western Illinois	1-0	1.000
Wisconsin	0-0	.000
Total	55-49	.529

THE BILL CUBIT FILE

CUBIT'S COACHING EXPERIENCE

2015-	Illinois (head coach/offensive coordinator)
2013-14	Illinois (offensive coordinator/quarterbacks)
2005-12	Western Michigan (head coach)
2003-04	Stanford (offensive coordinator/quarterbacks)
2001-02	Rutgers (offensive coordinator/quarterbacks)
2000	Missouri (offensive coordinator/quarterbacks)
1997-99	Western Michigan (offensive coordinator)
1992-96	Widener (head coach)
1990-91	Akron (running backs)
1989	Florida (quarterbacks)
1985	Central Florida (assistant head coach/secondary)
1983-84	Central Florida (secondary)
1975-76	Swarthmore College (running backs/receivers)

CUBIT'S DIVISION I HEAD COACHING RECORD

YEAR	SCHOOL	OVERALL	CONF.	CONF. FINISH	BOWL
2005	Western Michigan	7-4	5-3	T-3rd (MAC West)	
2006	Western Michigan	8-5	6-2	2nd (MAC West)	International
2007	Western Michigan	5-7	3-4	T-3rd (MAC West)	
2008	Western Michigan	9-4	6-2	T-2nd (MAC West)	Texas
2009	Western Michigan	5-7	4-4	3rd (MAC West)	
2010	Western Michigan	6-6	5-3	3rd (MAC West)	
2011	Western Michigan	7-6	5-3	3rd (MAC West)	Little Caesars
2012	Western Michigan	4-8	2-6	5th (MAC West)	
2015	Illinois	4-2	1-1		
TOTAL	9 SEASONS	55-49	39-28	-	3 BOWLS



53 NICK ALLEGRETTI

OL/DL, 6-4, 305, R-FR.
FRANKFORT, ILL. / LINCOLN-WAY EAST

Pronunciation: al-uh-GRET-ee

2015 RS Freshman: Has played on both offensive and defensive lines this season ... Saw action at defensive tackle and blocking for field goals and PATs against both UNC and WIU ... Made Illini debut against Kent State, playing on the offensive line at both center and left guard.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at [FIGHTINGILLINI.COM](#).

8 GERONIMO ALLISON

WR, 6-4, 200, SR.
TAMPA, FLA. / SPOTO HS / IOWA WESTERN CC

2015 Senior: Started at wide receiver in the first six games and leads team and ranks first in the Big Ten with 601 yards and 40 receptions ... Had a season-high 148 yards and one touchdown on eight receptions at Iowa ... Made the game tying one-yard touchdown catch with 10 seconds left against Nebraska ... Totaled eight catches for 91 yards against Nebraska ... Career-high 10 receptions for 128 yards vs. MTSU ... Led the Illini in catches (8) and receiving yards (124) vs. Western Illinois ... Led the Illini in receiving yards (57), reeling in two catches, including a 34-yard touchdown, in season-opener against Kent State.

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CAREER HIGHS

Carries: -
Rushing Yards: -
Long Run: -
Rushing Touchdowns: -
Receptions: 10 vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/15
Receiving Yards: 160 at Washington, 9/13/14
Long Reception: 60 at Washington, 9/13/14
Receiving Touchdowns: 2 at Washington, 9/13/14
All-Purpose Yards: 160 at Washington, 9/13/14

RECEIVING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2014	12	41	598	14.6	49.8	5	60
2015	6	40	601	15.0	100.2	3	53
TOTAL	18	81	1199	14.8	66.6	8	60

RUSHING/RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST	0-0	0	--	2-57	1	34
WIU	0-0	0	--	8-124	0	28
@UNC	0-0	0	--	4-53	0	19
MTSU	0-0	0	--	10-128	0	42
NEB	0-0	0	--	8-91	1	26
@IOWA	0-0	0	--	8-148	1	53

WIS
@PSU
@PUR
OSU
@MINN
VS. NW

2014	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
YSU	0-0	0	-	2-43	0	43
WKU	0-0	0	-	8-97	0	30
@WASH	0-0	0	-	6-160	2	60
TXST			DNP-INJURED			
@NEB	0-0	0	--	5-118	1	58
PUR	0-0	0	--	5-31	1	9
@WIS	0-0	0	--	4-20	1	9
MIN	0-0	0	--	2-30	0	22
@OSU	0-0	0	--	1-5	0	5
IOWA	0-0	0	--	1-11	0	0
PSU	0-0	0	--	3-11	0	8
@NW	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
LT*	0-0	0	--	4-72	0	20

*Zaxby's Heart of Dallas Bowl

16 ROB BAIN

DL, 6-3, 305, JR.
BOLINGBROOK, ILL. / BOLINGBROOK

- Big Ten Distinguished Scholar (2014)
- Academic All-Big Ten (2013 & 2014)

2015 Junior: Has started at defensive tackle in the first six games of the season ... Had three tackles and one TFL against Nebraska ... Totaled six tackles, including 1.5 TFLs, vs. MTSU ... Had three tackles against UNC ... Had two tackles and blocked a field goal in season-opener vs. Kent State.

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CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 6, twice (last vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/15)
Solos: 3, twice (last vs. Louisiana Tech, 12/26/14)
TFLs: 2 at Washington, 9/13/14
Sacks: 1.0 vs. Louisiana Tech, 12/26/14
QB Hurries: 1 vs. Ohio State, 11/16/13
Fumbles Forced: -
Fumbles Recovered: -
PBUs: -
Interception: -
Interception Return Yards: -
Blocked Field Goal: 1, vs. Kent State, 9/5/15

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2013	10	2	5	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0
2014	13	15	14	29	4.0-17	1.0-9	0-0	0	0	0-0
2015	6	7	10	17	2.5-5	0.0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0
TOTAL	29	24	29	53	6.5-22	1.0-9	0-0	0	2	0-0

BAIN DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	1	1	2	0.0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	0	1	1	0.0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	2	1	3	0.0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	2	4	6	1.5-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	1	2	3	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IOWA	1	1	2	0.0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

2014	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WKU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WASH	2	0	2	2.0-6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TXST	0	3	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	1	2	3	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	3	3	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@OSU	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
IOWA	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PSU	1	2	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NW	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
LT*	3	0	3	1-9	1-9	0-0	0	0	0-0

*Zaxby's Heart of Dallas Bowl

2013	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
SIU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
CIN	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
vs. WASH	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIAMI(OH)	1	2	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MSU					DNP				
@PSU					DNP				
@IND	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
OSU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0
@PUR	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NW	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

3 TAYLOR BARTON

DB, 6-1, 215, JR.
ORLANDO, FLA. / LAKE HIGHLAND PREP

- Honorable Mention All-Big Ten (2014)

2015 Sophomore: Started at strong safety in first six games of 2015 ... Has three interceptions in the first six games ... Totaled six tackles and two PBUs against Nebraska ... Intercepted two passes against Western Illinois, returning one for 49 yards ... Recorded six tackles, including a career-high 2.5 TFL, and had an interception in season-opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at [FIGHTINGILLINI.COM](#).

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 14 vs. Texas State, 9/20/14
Solos: 6, three times (last at Nebraska 9/27/14)
TFLs: 2.5 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15
Sacks: -
QB Hurries: -
Fumbles Forced: 1, twice (last vs. Iowa, 11/15/14)
Fumbles Recovered: -
PBUs: 2, twice (last vs. Nebraska, 10/3/15)
Interception: 2 vs. Western Illinois, 9/12/15
Interception Return Yards: 77 vs. Western Kentucky, 9/6/14
Touchdowns: 1 vs. Western Kentucky, 9/6/14

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2013	11	13	21	34	0.0-0	0.0-0	1-0	2	0	0-0
2014	12	44	56	100	1.0-2	0.0-0	1-77	2	0	2-0
2015	6	14	12	26	2.5-3	0.0-0	3-54	3	0	0-0
TOTAL	29	71	89	160	3.5-5	0.0-0	5-131	7	0	2-0

BARTON DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	3	3	6	2.5-3	0-0	1-0	1	0	0-0
WIU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	2-54	0	0	0-0
@UNC	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	2	4	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	3	3	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0	0-0
@IOWA	4	2	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

2014	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU	6	7	13	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WKU	4	4	8	0-0	0-0	1-77	0	0	1-0
@WASH	6	2	8	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
TXST	5	9	14	0.5-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	5	6	11	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	1	3	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	3	2	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN	2	2	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@OSU	4	5	9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
IOWA	5	7	12	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1-0
PSU	1	7	8	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
@NW					DNP - INJURED				
LT*	2	2	4	0.5-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

*Zaxby's Heart of Dallas Bowl

2013	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
SIU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
CIN	2	5	7	0-0	0-0	1-0	0	0	0-0
vs. WASH	2	2	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIAMI(OH)	4	4	8	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	2	2	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS					DNP - INJURED				
MSU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PSU	1	2	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IND	1	3	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
OSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PUR	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NW	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0	0-0



10 B.J. BELLO

LB, 6-3, 225, JR.

NEW LENOX, ILL. / LINCOLN-WAY WEST

2015 Junior: Saw action in the first five games ... Recorded two tackles and one PBU in the season opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 2, 4x (last vs. Western Illinois, 9/12/15)

Solos: 1 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15

TFLs: -

Sacks: -

QB Hurries: -

Fumbles Forced: -

Fumbles Recovered: -

PBUs: 1 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15

Interception: -

Interception Return Yards: -

Touchdowns: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2013	4	0	4	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
2014	9	0	3	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
2015	5	1	4	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
TOTAL	18	1	11	12	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0

BELLO DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
WIU	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IOWA					DNP				
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

2014	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU					DNP - INJURED				
WKU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WASH	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TXST	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN					DNP				
@OSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
IOWA					DNP				
PSU					DNP				
@NW	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
LT*	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
*Zaxby's Heart of Dallas Bowl									

2013	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
SIU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
CIN	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
vs. WASH					DNP				
MIAMI(OH)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB					DNP				
WIS	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MSU					DNP				
@PSU					DNP				
@IND					DNP				
OSU					DNP				
@PUR					DNP				
NW					DNP				

2 V'ANGELO BENTLEY

DB, 5-10, 190, SR.

CLEVELAND, OHIO / GLENVILLE

Pronunciation: vee-AN-juh-low

- 2015 Hornung Award Preseason Watch List (Most Versatile)
- Only player in Illinois history with a KR, PR, INT & FUM returns for TD in career
- Has most kickoff return yards in Illinois history (1,576)
- Honorable Mention All-Big Ten (2014)
- Earned bachelor's degree in communication in May 2015

2015 Senior: Started at cornerback in the first six games of 2015 ... Became Illinois' all-time kickoff return yardage leader against MTSU, as he recorded three kickoff returns for 65 yards

... Recorded a career-best six solo tackles, one TFL and two PBUs at Iowa ... Had two PBUs against Nebraska and totaled 48 return yards on two punts ... Totalled five solo tackles against UNC ... Two-way player had three tackles and one PBU, plus made his first collegiate carry for five yards, vs. Western Illinois ... Started at both cornerback and running back in season opener vs. Kent State ... Returned three punts for 85 yards vs. Kent State, including returns of 46 and 34 yards.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 8 at Wisconsin, 10/11/14

Solos: 6 at Iowa, 10/10/15

TFLs: 2.0 at Wisconsin, 10/11/14

Sacks: -

QB Hurries: 1 vs. Northwestern, 11/30/13

Fumbles Forced: 1 at Wisconsin, 10/6/12

Fumbles Recovered: 1, twice (last vs. Minnesota, 10/25/14)

Fumble Return Yards: 12 vs. Minnesota, 10/25/14

Fumble Return Touchdowns: 1 vs. Minnesota, 10/25/14

PBUs: 3 vs. Charleston Southern, 9/15/12

Interceptions: 1, twice (last vs. Texas State, 9/20/14)

Interception Return Yards: 45 vs. Texas State, 9/20/14

Interception Return Touchdowns: 1 vs. Texas State, 9/20/14

Blocked FG: 1 vs. Penn State, 9/29/12

Kickoff Returns: 6, twice (last vs. Northwestern, 11/30/13)

Kickoff Return Yardage: 139 at Washington, 9/13/2014

Long Kickoff Return: 100 vs. Southern Illinois, 8/31/13

Kickoff Return Touchdowns: 1 vs. Southern Illinois, 8/31/13

Punt Returns: 3 vs. Ohio State, 11/16/13

Punt Return Yardage: 82 vs. Ohio State, 11/16/13

Long Punt Return: 67 vs. Ohio State, 11/16/13

Punt Return Touchdowns: 1 vs. Ohio State, 11/16/13

All-Purpose Yards: 175 vs. Ohio State, 11/16/13

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2012	12	8	3	11	0-0	0-0	0-0	3	0	1-0
2013	10	13	9	22	4.0-12	0-0	1-6	2	1	0-0
2014	12	20	26	46	3.5-7	0-0	1-45	2	0	0-2
2015	6	14	6	20	2.0-5	0-0	0-0	3	0	0-0
TOTAL	40	55	44	99	9.5-24	0-0	2-51	12	1	1-2

RUSHING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2015	4	1	5	5.0	0.8	0	5

RECEIVING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2015	4	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	-

PASSING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ATT	COMP	PCT	YDS	TD	INT	LG	YPG	EFF.
2015	4	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	-	0.0	0.0

KICK RETURN STATISTICS

YEAR	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2012	0	0	0	0	--
2013	31	663	21.4	1	100
2014	32	692	21.6	0	67
2015	9	221	24.6	0	37
TOTAL	72	1,576	21.9	1	100

PUNT RETURN STATISTICS

YEAR	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2012	0	0	0	0	--
2013	12	189	15.8	1	67
2014	12	123	10.2	0	40
2015	14	163	11.6	0	48
TOTAL	38	475	12.5	1	67

BENTLEY DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
@UNC	5	2	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	1	2	3	1.0-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0	0-0
@IOWA	6	1	7	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	2	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

2014	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU	1	6	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
WKU	4	2	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-1
@WASH	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TXST	1	2	3	0-0	0-0	1-45	0	0	0-0
@NEB	0	5	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	1	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	6	2	8	2.0-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN	2	1	3	0.5-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-1
@OSU	1	2	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

IOWA	2	3	5	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NW					DNP - INJURED				
LT*	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0

*Zaxby's Heart of Dallas Bowl

2013	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
SIU	2	2	4	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
CIN	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
vs. WASH	3	3	6	1.0-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIAMI(OH)	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	2	2	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MSU					DNP - INJURED				
@PSU					DNP - INJURED				
@IND	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
OSU	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PUR	2	0	2	1.0-6	0-0	1-6	2	0	0-0
NW	1	0	1	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0

2012	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
WMU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@ASU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
CSU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	3	0	0-0
LT	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PSU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1-0
@MICH	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
IND	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@OSU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MINN	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NW	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

2012	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
WMU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@ASU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
CSU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	3	0	0-0
LT	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PSU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1-0
@MICH	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
IND	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@OSU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MINN	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NW	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

74 CONNOR BRENNAN

OL, 6-5, 295, JR.
SONOMA, CALIF. / REDWOOD HS / CITY COLLEGE OF SAN FRAN.

2015 Junior: Saw action in three of the first five games of the season as a backup guard ... Made Illinois debut in the season opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

86 DESMOND CAIN

WR, 5-11, 185, FR.
DELRAY BEACH, FLA. / AMERICAN HERITAGE SCHOOL

2015 Freshman: Made first career start at Iowa and three catches for 35 yards ... Had four receptions for 40 yards against Nebraska ... Totaled career-highs in receptions (7) and receiving yards (48) vs. MTSU ... Had six receptions for 29 yards against WIU ... Made Illinois debut in season opener vs. Kent State, recording one catch for eight yards.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

RUSHING/RECEIVING CAREER HIGHS

Carries: -
Rushing Yards: -
Long Run: -
Rush Touchdowns: -
Receptions: 7 vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/15
Receiving Yards: 48 vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/15
Long Reception: 29 at Iowa, 10/10/15
Rec. Touchdowns: -
All-Purpose Yards: 48 vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/15

RECEIVING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2015	6	22	176	8.0	29.3	0	29

RUSHING/RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST	0-0	0	0	1-8	0	8
WIU	0-0	0	0	6-29	0	10
@UNC	0-0	0	0	1-16	0	16
MTSU	0-0	0	0	7-48	0	11
NEB	0-0	0	0	4-40	0	17
@IOWA	0-0	0	0	3-35	0	29
WIS						
@PSU						
@PUR						
OSU						
@MINN						
VS. NW						

8 DILLAN CAZLEY

DB, 5-10, 190, JR.
CHARLESTON, ILL. / CHARLESTON

- Academic All-Big Ten (2014)

2015 Junior: Has seen action in all six games ... Had two tackles against WIU ... Recorded a career-best five tackles, all solos, in the season opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

DEFENSIVE CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 5 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15
Solos: 5 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15
TFLs: -
Sacks: -
QB Hurries: -
Fumbles Forced: -
Fumbles Recovered: -
PBUs: -
Interception: -
Interception Return Yards: -
Touchdowns: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2013	10	2	2	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
2014	13	4	1	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
2015	6	7	1	8	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TOTAL	29	13	4	17	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

CAZLEY GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	5	0	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IOWA	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
VS. NW									

2014	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WKU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WASH	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TXST	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@OSU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
IOWA	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NW	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
LT*	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

*Zaxby's Heart of Dallas Bowl

2013	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
SIU					DNP				
CIN	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
vs. WASH					DNP				
MIAMI(OH)	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IND	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
OSU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PUR	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NW	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

47 TIM CLARY

TE, 6-2, 245, SR.
SPRING GROVE, ILL. / RICHMOND-BURTON

- Walk-on was awarded scholarship prior to 2015 season
- Academic All-Big Ten (2014 & 2013)
- Earned bachelor's degree in sport management summer 2015

2015 Senior: Did not play against UNC, MTSU, Nebraska and Iowa due to injury ... Made second career start against WIU and had a career-high two receptions for 16 yards ... Had one catch for nine yards in the season opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Carries: -
Rushing Yards: -
Long Run: -
Touchdowns: -
Receptions: 2 Western Illinois, 9/12/15
Receiving Yards: 33 vs. Southern Illinois, 8/31/13
Long Reception: 33 vs. Southern Illinois, 8/31/13
All-Purpose Yards: 33 vs. Southern Illinois, 8/31/13

RECEIVING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2013	10	1	33	33.0	3.3	0	33
2014	13	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	--
2015	2	3	25	8.3	12.5	0	14
TOTAL	25	4	58	14.5	2.3	0	33

CLARY RUSHING/RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST	0-0	0	0	1-9	0	9
WIU	0-0	0	0	2-16	0	14
@UNC				DNP - INJURED		
MTSU				DNP - INJURED		

NEB
@IOWA
WIS
@PSU
@PUR
OSU
@MINN
VS. NW

DNP - INJURED
DNP - INJURED

2014	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
YSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
WKU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@WASH	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
TXST	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@NEB	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
PUR	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@WIS	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
MIN	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@OSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
IOWA	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
PSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@NW	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
LT*	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--

*Zaxby's Heart of Dallas Bowl

2013	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
SIU	0-0	0	--	1-33	0	33
CIN	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
VS. WASH	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
MIAMI(OH)	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@NEB			DNP			
WIS	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
MSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@PSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@IND	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
OSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@PUR	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
NW			DNP			

11 CHUNKY CLEMENTS

DL, 6-3, 290, JR.
DAYTON, OHIO / TROTWOOD MADISON

2015 Junior: Started first six games at nose tackle ... Had six tackles and 2.0 TFLs at Iowa ... Totaled four tackles, 1.0 TFL and one QBH against Nebraska ... Had two tackles, including 0.5 sack, 1.0 TFL and one QBH, vs. MTSU ... Totaled one TFL and two QBHs against UNC ... Made a career-high two TFLs for seven yards and had three total tackles vs. WIU.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

DEFENSIVE CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 4, four times (last vs. Nebraska, 10/3/15)
Solos: 3 vs. Texas State, 9/20/14
TFLs: 2.0 vs. Western Illinois, 9/12/15
Sacks: 1.0 at Northwestern, 11/29/14
QB Hurries: 2 vs. North Carolina 9/19/15
Fumbles Forced: 1 at Washington, 9/13/14
Fumbles Recovered: 1 vs. Western Kentucky, 9/6/14
PBUs: 1, three times (last vs. Louisiana Tech, 12/26/14)
Interception: -
Interception Return Yards: -
Touchdowns: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2013	10	3	1	4	1.0-5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
2014	13	10	14	24	6.0-13	2.0-7	0-0	3	1	1-1
2015	6	9	7	16	7.0-20	0.5-4	0-0	0	4	0-0
TOTAL	29	22	22	44	14.0-38	2.5-11	0-0	3	5	1-1

CLEMENTS DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	2	1	3	2.0-7	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	1	0	1	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	0-0
MTSU	0	2	2	1.0-5	0.5-4	0-0	0	1	0-0
NEB	1	3	4	1.0-3	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0
@IOWA	5	1	6	2.0-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
VS. NW									

2014	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU	0	2	2	0.5-3	0.5-3	0-0	1	0	0-0
WKU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-1
@WASH	2	2	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1-0
TXST	3	1	4	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0
@NEB	0	3	3	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0



PUR	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN	0	4	4	0.5-3	0.5-3	0-0	0	0	0-0
@OSU	1	0	1	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
IOWA	1	0	1	1.0-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PSU	0	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NW	2	0	2	1.0-1	1.0-1	0-0	0	0	0-0
LT*	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
*Zabby's Heart of Dallas Bowl									

2013	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
SIU					DNP				
CIN	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
vs. WASH	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIAMI(OH)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MSU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PSU					DNP				
@IND	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
OSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PUR	1	0	1	1.0-5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NW					DNP				

5 JAMES CRAWFORD

STAR, 6-2, 220, SO.

DEERFIELD, FLA. / ST. THOMAS AQUINAS

2015 Sophomore: Started at STAR in two of the first five games ... Totaled three tackles, 0.5 TFL and one QBH against Nebraska ... Had three tackles and 0.5 TFL vs. MTSU ... Totaled four tackles against UNC ... Made first career start at STAR vs. WIU and recorded three tackles and one PBU ... Made his first two collegiate tackles and had one TFL in season opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at [FIGHTINGILLINI.COM](#).

DEFENSIVE CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 4 vs. North Carolina 9/19/15

Solos: 4 vs. North Carolina 9/19/15

TFLs: 1.0 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15

Sacks: -

QB Hurries: 1 vs. Nebraska, 10/3/15

Fumbles Forced: -

Fumbles Recovered: -

PBUs: 1 vs. Western Illinois, 9/12/15

Interception: -

Interception Return Yards: -

Touchdowns: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2014	7	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
2015	6	8	8	16	2.0-6	0-0	0-0	1	1	0-0
TOTAL	13	8	8	16	2.0-6	0-0	0-0	1	1	0-0

CRAWFORD DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	2	0	2	1.0-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	0	3	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
@UNC	4	0	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	1	2	3	0.5-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	0	3	3	0.5-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0
@IOWA	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

7 CHAYCE CROUCH

QB, 6-4, 225, R-FR.

GRANVILLE, OHIO / NEWARK CATHOLIC

2015 RS Freshman: Saw action in all six games ... Completed 4-of-6 passes for 32 yards against UNC and also rushed four times for 16 yards, scoring his first career TD from one yard out ... Completed 5-of-8 passes for 37 yards and one touchdown against WIU and also rushed for a career-high 18 yards ... Made his first collegiate appearance in the season opener vs. Kent State, going 3-for-9 for 46 yards with a 27-yard touchdown pass.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at [FIGHTINGILLINI.COM](#).

QUARTERBACK CAREER HIGHS

Attempts: 9 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15

Completions: 5 vs. Western Illinois, 9/12/15

Passing Yards: 46 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15

Passing Touchdowns: 1, twice (last vs. Western Illinois, 9/12/15)

Long Pass: 27 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15

Carries: 5 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15

Rushing Yards: 18 vs. Western Illinois, 9/12/15

Rushing Touchdowns: 1 at North Carolina, 9/19/15

Long Rush: 19 vs. Western Illinois, 9/12/15

Total Offense: 55 vs. Western Illinois, 9/12/15

PASSING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ATT	COMP	PCT	YDS	TD	INT	LG	YPG	EFF.
2015	6	23	12	52.2	115	2	1	27	19.2	114.2

RUSHING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2015	6	13	29	2.2	4.8	1	19

CROUCH PASSING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	ATT	CMP	INT	YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST.	9	3	1	46	1	27
WIU	8	5	0	37	1	9
@UNC	6	4	0	32	0	16
MTSU	0	0	0	--	0	--
NEB	0	0	0	--	0	--
@IOWA	0	0	0	--	0	--
WIS						
@PSU						
@PUR						
OSU						
@MINN						
vs. NW						

CROUCH RUSHING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	CAR-YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST	5-(-6)	0	3
WIU	2-19	0	18
@UNC	4-16	1	8
MTSU	1-4	0	4
NEB	1-(-3)	0	0
@IOWA	0-0	0	0
WIS			
@PSU			
@PUR			
OSU			
@MINN			
vs. NW			

89 ANDREW DAVIS

TE, 6-6, 230, JR.

MARION, IOWA / MARION HS / IOWA WESTERN CC

2015 Junior: Has seen action in the first six games ... Recorded his first three collegiate receptions, totaling 16 yards, against UNC ... Made his Illini debut in the season opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at [FIGHTINGILLINI.COM](#).

RECEIVING CAREER HIGHS

Receptions: 3, at North Carolina, 9/19/15

Receiving Yards: 16, at North Carolina, 9/19/15

Long Reception: 8, at North Carolina, 9/19/15

Rec. Touchdowns: -

RECEIVING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2015	6	3	16	5.3	2.7	0	8

RUSHING/RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
WIU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@UNC	0-0	0	--	3-16	0	8
MTSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
NEB	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@IOWA	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
WIS						
@PSU						
@PUR						
OSU						
@MINN						
vs. NW						

7 CALEB DAY

DB, 6-1, 205, JR.

HILLIARD, OHIO / HILLIARD DARBY

2015 Junior: Totaled 51 kick return yards on two returns at Iowa ... Return to action against MTSU and blocked a punt that was returned for a touchdown ... Forced a fumble against Nebraska

... Had one rick return for 10 yards and one punt return for 25 yards against MTSU ... Did not play in the first three games of the season.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at [FIGHTINGILLINI.COM](#).

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 5, twice (last at Ohio State, 11/1/14)

Solos: 4 at Ohio State, 11/1/14

TFLs: 1 at Wisconsin, 10/11/14

Sacks: -

QB Hurries: -

Fumbles Forced: 1 vs. Nebraska, 10/3/15

Fumbles Recovered: -

PBUs: 1 at Ohio State, 11/1/14

Interception: -

Interception Return Yards: -

Touchdowns: -

Kickoff Returns: 2 at Iowa, 10/10/15

Kickoff Return Yardage: 51 at Iowa, 10/10/15

Long Kickoff Return: 30 at Iowa, 10/10/15

Punt Returns: 1 vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/15

Punt Return Yardage: 25 vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/15

Long Punt Return: 25 vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/15

Blocked Punt: 1 vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/15

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2013	8	4	5	9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
2014	12	12	4	16	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
2015	3	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1-0
TOTAL	23	17	9	26	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	1-0

KICK RETURN STATISTICS

YEAR	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2015	3	61	20.3	0	30

PUNT RETURN STATISTICS

YEAR	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2015	1	25	25.0	0	25

DAY DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST					DNP - Suspended				
WIU					DNP - Suspended				
@UNC					DNP - Suspended				
MTSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1-0
@IOWA	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

2014	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WKU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WASH	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TXST	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	2	0	2	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN	1	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@OSU	4	1	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
IOWA	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PSU					DNP				
@NW	2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
LT*	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

*Zabby's Heart of Dallas Bowl

2013	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
SIU					DNP				
CIN	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
vs. WASH					DNP				
MIAMI(OH)					DNP				
@NEB					DNP				
WIS	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MSU	2	3	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PSU	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IND	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
OSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PUR	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NW	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

OSU
@MINN
VS. NW

67 CHRISTIAN DILAURO

OL, 6-5, 300, SO.

UNIONTOWN, OHIO / GREEN

- ESPN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team (2014)
- Academic All-Big Ten (2014)

2015 Sophomore: Started the first six games at right tackle ... Helped the Illini offense total 363 yards at Iowa Helped the Illini offense total 382 yards against Nebraska ... Helped the Illini offense total 378 yards against MTSU ... Helped the Illini offense total 227 rushing yards at UNC ... Helped Illini offense total 500 yards without allowing a sack against WIU ... Helped Illini offense to 52 points in season-opening win over Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

26 CEDRIC DOXY

STAR, 6-2, 220, JR.

CALUMET CITY, ILL. / THORNWOOD

- Walk-on was awarded scholarship prior to 2015 season

2015 Junior: Saw action in the first six games ... Recorded his first career TFL vs. Western Illinois ... Recorded a career-best three tackles and one PBU in season-opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

DEFENSIVE CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 3 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15
Solos: 1, twice (last vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15)
TFLs: 1 vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15
Sacks: -
QB Hurries: -
Fumbles Forced: -
Fumbles Recovered: -
PBUs: 1 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15
Interception: -
Interception Return Yards: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2013	12	3	0	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
2014	10	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
2015	6	2	3	5	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
TOTAL	28	5	3	8	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0

DOXY DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	1	2	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
WIU	1	0	1	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IOWA	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

2014	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WKU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WASH					DNP				
TXST					DNP				
@NEB					DNP				
PUR	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@OSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
IOWA	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NW	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
LT*	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

*Zaxby's Heart of Dallas Bowl

2013	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
SIU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
CIN	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
vs. WASH	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

MIAMI(OH)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MSU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IND	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
OSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PUR	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NW	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

18 MIKE DUDEK

WR, 5-11, 185, SO.

NAPERVILLE, ILL. / NEUQUA VALLEY

Pronunciation: D00-dek

- First-Team Freshman All-American (Scout.com)
- Second-Team All-Big Ten
- Had eighth 1,000-yard receiving season in UI history in 2014
- Led B1G in receptions & receiving yards in conference play
- Led FBS freshmen in receiving yards per game (79.8)
- Illinois' freshman record-holder in receptions & rec. yards

2015 Sophomore: Did not play in the first six games of the season due to injury suffered in 2015 spring practice.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Receptions: 11 vs. Penn State, 11/23/14
Receiving Yards: 200 vs. Purdue, 10/4/14
Long Reception: 56 at Ohio State, 11/1/14
Receiving Touchdowns: 2 vs. Iowa, 11/15/14
Carries: 1, 5x (last vs. Louisiana Tech, 12/26/14)
Rushing Yards: 50 vs. Louisiana Tech, 12/26/14
Long Run: 50 vs. Louisiana Tech, 12/26/14
Rushing Touchdowns: -
Pass Attempts: 1 vs. Minnesota, 10/26/14
Pass Completions: 1 vs. Minnesota, 10/26/14
Passing Yards: 22 vs. Minnesota, 10/26/14
Kickoff Returns: -
Kickoff Return Yardage: -
Punt Returns: 1 vs. Penn State, 11/23/14
Punt Return Yardage: 4 vs. Penn State, 11/23/14
All-Purpose Yards: 200 vs. Purdue, 10/4/14

RECEIVING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2014	13	76	1,038	13.7	79.8	6	56
2015	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	-
TOTAL	13	76	1,038	13.7	79.8	6	56

RUSHING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2014	13	6	73	12.2	5.6	0	50
2015	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	-
TOTAL	13	6	73	12.2	5.6	0	50

PASSING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ATT	COMP	PCT	YDS	TD	INT	LG	EFF.
2014	13	1	1	1.000	22	0	0	22	1.8
2015	0	0	0	-	0	0	0	-	0.0
TOTAL	13	1	1	1.000	22	0	0	22	1.8

PUNT RETURN STATISTICS

YEAR	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2014	1	4	4.0	0	4
2015	0	0	0.0	0	0
TOTAL	1	4	4.0	0	4

DUDEK RUSHING/RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

2014	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
YSU	0-0	0	--	3-61	1	49
WKU	1-2	0	2	4-55	1	32
@WASH	0-0	0	--	5-43	0	18
TXST	0-0	0	--	7-90	1	30
@NEB	1-27	0	27	6-90	0	28
PUR	0-0	0	--	8-200	0	47
@WIS	0-0	0	--	4-59	0	26
MIN	0-0	0	--	5-41	0	16
@OSU	0-0	0	--	3-68	0	56
IOWA	1-1	0	1	6-80	2	31
PSU	0-0	0	--	11-115	0	25
@NW	1-0	0	0	7-63	1	17
LT*	1-50	0	50	7-73	0	14

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DUDEK KICK/PUNT RETURN GAME-BY-GAME

2014	KR-YDS	AVG	TD	LG	PR-YDS	AVG	TD	LG
YSU	0-0	0	0	--	0-0	0	0	--
WKU	0-0	0	0	--	0-0	0	0	--
@WASH	0-0	0	0	--	0-0	0	0	--
TXST	0-0	0	0	--	0-0	0	0	--
@NEB	0-0	0	0	--	0-0	0	0	--

PUR	0-0	0	0	--	0-0	0	0	--
@WIS	0-0	0	0	--	0-0	0	0	--
MIN	0-0	0	0	--	0-0	0	0	--
@OSU	0-0	0	0	--	0-0	0	0	--
IOWA	0-0	0	0	--	0-0	0	0	--
PSU	0-0	0	0	--	1-4	4.0	0	4
@NW	0-0	0	0	--	0-0	0	0	--
LT*	0-0	0	0	--	0-0	0	0	--

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28 JAYLEN DUNLAP

DB, 6-1, 190, SO.

CHICAGO, ILL. / CRETE-MONEE

2015 RS Sophomore: Saw action in the first six games ... Blocked a punt that was returned for a touchdown by Marchie Murdock against WIU ... Recorded three tackles in the season opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 8 vs. Wisconsin, 10/19/13
Solos: 3, three times (last at Indiana, 11/9/13)
TFLs: 1.0 at Indiana, 11/9/13
Sacks: -
QB Hurries: -
Fumbles Forced: -
Fumbles Recovered: -
PBUs: 1, twice (last vs. Miami (Ohio), 9/28/13)
Interception: -
Interception Return Yards: -
Touchdowns: -
Blocked Punts: 1 vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2013	12	18	8	26	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	2	0	0-0
2014	1	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
2015	6	2	1	3	0.0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TOTAL	19	20	9	29	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	2	0	0-0

DUNLAP DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IOWA	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

2014	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU					DNP - INJURED				
WKU					DNP - INJURED				
@WASH					DNP				
TXST					DNP				
@NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR					DNP - INJURED				
@WIS					DNP - INJURED				
MIN					DNP - INJURED				
@OSU					DNP - INJURED				
IOWA					DNP - INJURED				
PSU					DNP - INJURED				
@NW					DNP - INJURED				
LT*					DNP - INJURED				

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2013	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
SIU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
CIN	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
vs. WASH	2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
MIAMI(OH)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
@NEB	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS	3	5	8	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MSU	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PSU	3	0	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IND	3	0	3	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
OSU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PUR	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NW	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0



39 NATHAN ECHARD

TE, 6-2, 245, SO.
EUREKA, MO. / EUREKA

Pronunciation: ECK-erd

- Academic All-Big Ten (2014)

2015 Sophomore: Saw increased action at fullback against UNC, MTSU, Nebraska and Iowa ... Made first collegiate reception against Nebraska ... Recorded a tackle on special teams against UNC and MTSU ... Saw action in the season opener vs. Kent State as a blocking H-back ... Moved to tight end for 2015 after playing linebacker in 2014 ... Sees extensive action on special teams coverage and return units.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

RUSHING/RECEIVING CAREER HIGHS

Carries: -
Rushing Yards: -
Long Run: -
Rush Touchdowns: -
Receptions: 1 vs. Nebraska, 10/3/15
Receiving Yards: -
Long Reception: -
Rec. Touchdowns: -
All-Purpose Yards: -

DEFENSIVE CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 1,4x (last at Iowa, 10/10/15)
Solos: 1, 2x (last at Iowa, 10/10/15)
TFLs: -
Sacks: -
QB Hurries: -
Fumbles Forced: -
Fumbles Recovered: -
PBUs: -
Interception: -

RECEIVING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2015	4	1	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	4	1	0	0	0	0	0

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2014	12	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
2015	5	2	3	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TOTAL	17	2	4	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

ECHARD RUSHING/RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0
WIU			DNP - INJURED			
@UNC	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0
MTSU	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0
NEB	0-0	0	0	1-0	0	0
@IOWA	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0
WIS						
@PSU						
@PUR						
OSU						
@MINN						
VS. NW						

ECHARD DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2014	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU					DNP				
WKU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WASH	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TXST	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@OSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
IOWA	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NW	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
LT*	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

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23 HENRY ENYENIHI

RB, 5-11, 215, JR.
LAWRENCEVILLE, GA. / DULUTH HS / SACRAMENTO CITY COL.

Pronunciation: en-YEN-ih-hee

2015 Junior: Has three receptions at Iowa ... Scored his first career touchdown and had eight carries for 34 yards in win over Western Illinois ... Made his Illini debut and had four carries for 13 yards in the season opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

RUSHING/RECEIVING CAREER HIGHS

Carries: 8 vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15
Rushing Yards: 34 vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15
Long Run: 9, twice (last vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15)
Rush Touchdowns: 1 vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15
Receptions: -
Receiving Yards: -
Long Reception: -
Rec. Touchdowns: -
All-Purpose Yards: 18 vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15

RUSHING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2015	5	18	57	3.2	11.4	1	9

RECEIVING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2015	5	3	10	3.3	2.0	0	6

RUSHING/RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST	4-13	0	9	0-0	0	0
WIU	8-34	1	9	0-0	0	0
@UNC	5-8	0	3	0-0	0	0
MTSU	1-2	0	0	0-0	0	0
NEB			DNP			
@IOWA	0-0	0	0	3-10	0	6
WIS						
@PSU						
@PUR						
OSU						
@MINN						
VS. NW						

66 JORDAN FAGAN

OL, 6-6, 295, SO.
CHULA VISTA, CALIF. / OLYMPIAN HS / GROSSMONT COLL.

Pronunciation: FAY-gin

2015 Sophomore: Saw action in four of the first six games of the season as a backup offensive tackle ... Made Illini debut in season opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

20 CLAYTON FEJEDELEM

DB, 6-1, 200, SR.
LEMONT, ILL. / LEMONT / ST. XAVIER UNIVERSITY

Pronunciation: FEJ-uh-lem

- Walk-on was awarded scholarship during to 2014 season
- Earned bachelor's degree in communication in May 2015

2015 Senior: Leads team and ranks fifth in Big Ten with 55 tackles ... Ha nine tackles and one PBU at Iowa ... Totaled eight tackles and recorded his first career interception, returning it 18 yards, against Nebraska ... Started at free safety in the four three games ... Totaled 12 tackles and a career-high 3 PBUs vs. MTSU ... Led the team with a career-high 14 tackles against UNC ... Led the Illini with seven tackles in shutout win over WIU ... Made five tackles in the season opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 14 vs. North Carolina 9/19/15

Solos: 9, twice (last vs. North Carolina 9/19/15)

TFLs: 1.0 at Nebraska, 9/27/14

Sacks: -

QB Hurries: -

Fumbles Forced: -

Fumbles Recovered: 1 at Ohio State, 11/1/14

Fumble Return Yards: 16 at Ohio State, 11/1/14

PBUs: 3 vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/15

Interceptions: 1 vs. Nebraska, 10/3/15

Interception Return Yards: 18 vs. Nebraska, 10/3/15

Touchdowns: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2014	13	28	23	51	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	2	0	0-1
2015	6	31	24	55	0.5-1	0-0	1-18	4	0	0-0
TOTAL	19	59	47	106	1.5-3	0-0	1-18	6	0	0-1

FEJEDELEM DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	4	1	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	3	4	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	9	5	14	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	5	7	12	0.5-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	4	4	8	0-0	0-0	1-18	0	0	0-0
@IOWA	6	3	9	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
VS. NW									

2014	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WKU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WASH	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TXST	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	2	4	6	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	2	3	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
@OSU	3	2	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-1
IOWA	2	3	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PSU	3	5	8	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NW	9	3	12	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
LT*	3	0	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

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6 JOSH FERGUSON

RB, 5-10, 200, SR.
NAPERVILLE, ILL. / JOLIET CATHOLIC

- 2015 Doak Walker Award Preseason Watch List
- One of 2 FBS players with 2,000+ rush & 1,000+ rec. yards
- Fourth on UI career all-purpose yards list (3,945)
- UI record holder for career receptions by RB (143)
- Eighth on UI career receptions list (143)
- 11th on UI career rushing list (2,259)

2015 Senior: Did not play at Iowa due to injury ... Totaled 52 yards on four carries before hurting his shoulder in the first half against Nebraska ... Led the Illini with 83 rushing yards against MTSU ... Totaled 133 rushing yards and one touchdown on 22 carries at UNC to become 17th player in Illinios history with over 2,000 career rushing yards ... Had one touchdown on 81 all-purpose yards against Western Illinois, rushing 13 times for 39 yards and catching six passes for 42 yards ... Had two touchdowns, one rushing and one receiving, and 97 all-purpose yards, rushed 12 times for 76 yards and caught a 21-yard touchdown in the season opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Carries: 20 at Purdue, 11/23/13
Rushing Yards: 190 vs. Texas State, 9/20/14
Long Run: 75 vs. Texas State, 9/20/14
Rushing Touchdowns: 2, 3x (last at Northwestern, 11/29/14)
Receptions: 10, twice (last vs. Purdue, 10/4/14)
Receiving Yards: 103 vs. Southern Illinois, 8/31/13
Long Reception: 53 vs. Southern Illinois, 8/31/13
Receiving Touchdowns: 1, 7x (last vs. Kent State, 9/5/15)
Pass Attempts: 1 vs. Penn State, 9/29/12
Pass Completions: 1 vs. Penn State, 9/29/12
Passing Yards: 22 vs. Penn State, 9/29/12
Passing Touchdowns: 1 vs. Penn State, 9/29/12
Kickoff Returns: 5 at Arizona State, 9/8/12



Kickoff Return Yards: 85 at Arizona State, 9/8/12
Long Kickoff Return: 37 at Northwestern, 11/24/12
All-Purpose Yards: 233 vs. Texas State, 9/20/14
Tackles: 1, 3x (last at Ohio State, 11/1/14)

RUSHING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2011	3	14	52	3.7	17.3	0	13
2012	10	75	312	4.2	31.2	0	51
2013	12	141	779	5.5	64.9	7	55
2014	13	146	735	5.0	56.5	8	75
2015	5	71	381	5.4	76.2	3	52
TOTAL	43	447	2,259	5.1	52.5	18	75

RECEIVING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2011	3	2	14	7.0	4.7	0	10
2012	10	29	251	8.7	25.1	0	24
2013	12	50	535	10.7	44.6	4	53
2014	13	50	427	8.5	32.8	2	42
2015	5	12	78	6.5	15.6	1	21
TOTAL	43	143	1,305	9.1	30.3	7	53

KICK RETURN STATISTICS

YEAR	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2012	19	344	18.1	0	37
2013	2	37	18.5	0	19
2014	0	0	0.0	0	--
2015	0	0	0.0	0	--
TOTAL	21	381	18.1	0	37

FERGUSON RUSHING/RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST	12-76	1	17	1-21	1	21
WIU	13-39	1	10	6-42	0	19
@UNC	22-138	1	52	2-10	0	10
MTSU	20-88	0	18	2-1	0	1
NEB	4-52	0	48	1-4	0	4
@IOWA			DNP			

WIS
@PSU
@PUR
OSU
@MINN
vs. NW

2014	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
YSU	11-43	0	9	4-37	1	15
WKU	14-42	1	21	2-21	0	15
@WASH	11-58	0	14	2-24	0	20
TXST	14-190	2	75	4-43	1	33
@NEB	11-70	1	41	3-29	0	22
PUR	15-70	1	17	10-79	0	41
@WIS	11-33	0	19	3-30	0	14
MIN	15-48	1	17	3-39	0	20
@OSU	8-34	0	9	2-4	0	7
IOWA	9-29	0	6	6-12	0	13
PSU	5-9	0	16	3-18	0	8
@NW	15-95	2	46	2-37	0	42
LT*	7-50	0	17	6-54	0	21

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2013	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
SIU	9-49	0	34	4-103	1	53
CIN	9-47	0	22	2-55	1	48
VS. WASH	4-29	0	16	1-27	0	27
MIAMI(OH)	8-71	0	25	5-77	1	25
@NEB	19-114	1	23	8-82	0	27
WIS	7-25	1	12	3-2	0	6
MSU	10-26	0	21	2-15	0	8
@PSU	10-34	1	13	6-73	1	26
@IND	16-90	1	34	6-49	0	15
OSU	15-69	1	16	6-15	0	10
@PUR	20-115	0	15	4-11	0	6
NW	14-110	2	55	3-26	0	15

2012	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
WMU	11-38	0	12	1-5	0	5
@ASU	14-101	0	51	3-17	0	16
CSU			DNP - INJURED			
LT	7-27	0	13	10-84	0	24
PSU	5-4	0	2	3-27	0	22
@WIS	7-11	0	6	3-46	0	23
@MICH	9-29	0	9	3-20	0	12
IND	2-16	0	9	0-0	0	--
@OSU			DNP - INJURED			
MINN	5-19	0	11	1-5	0	5
PUR	10-43	0	13	3-24	0	15
@NW	5-24	0	13	2-23	0	13

2011	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
ARK ST	6-15	0	10	1-4	0	4
SDSU	8-37	0	13	1-10	0	10
ASU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
WMU			DNP - INJURED			
NU			DNP - INJURED			
@IND			DNP - INJURED			
OSU			DNP - INJURED			
@PUR			DNP - INJURED			
@PSU			DNP - INJURED			
MICH			DNP - INJURED			

WIS
@MINN
UCLA*
*Kraft Fight Hunger Bowl

FERGUSON KICK RETURN GAME-BY-GAME

2013	NO	YDS	TD	LONG
SIU	0	0	0	--
CIN	0	0	0	--
VS. WASH	0	0	0	--
MIAMI(OH)	0	0	0	--
@NEB	0	0	0	--
WIS	0	0	0	--
MSU	0	0	0	--
@PSU	2	37	0	19
@IND	0	0	0	--
OSU	0	0	0	--
@PUR	0	0	0	--
NW	0	0	0	--

2012	NO	YDS	TD	LONG
WMU	0	0	0	--
@ASU	5	85	0	22
CSU			DNP - Injured	
LT	4	69	0	22
PSU	1	12	0	12
@WIS	4	61	0	23
@MICH	2	37	0	19
IND	0	0	0	--
@OSU			DNP - Injured	
MINN	0	0	0	--
PUR	0	0	0	--
@NW	3	80	0	37

14 ERIC FINNEY

STAR, 6-0, 220, SR.

RIVERSIDE, CALIF. / CENTENNIAL / COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS

- Academic All-Big Ten (2014)

2015 Senior: Started four of the first six games at STAR ... Totaled five tackles, including 1.0 TFL, one PBU and one QBH against Nebraska ... Had four tackles and one PBU vs. MTSU ... Did not play against WIU due to injury ... Totaled six tackles including a career-high 3 TFL against Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at [FIGHTINGILLINI.COM](#).

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 6, twice (last vs. Kent State, 9/5/15)
Solos: 4 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15
TFLs: 3.0 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15
Sacks: 0.5 at Penn State, 11/2/13
QB Hurries: 1 vs. Nebraska, 10/3/15
Fumbles Forced: -
Fumbles Recovered: 1 vs. Washington, 9/14/13
PBUs: 1, three times (last vs. Nebraska, 10/3/15)
Interception: -
Interception Return Yards: -
Touchdowns: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2013	10	8	8	16	2.5-11	0.5-2	0-0	0	0	0-1
2014	13	4	15	19	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
2015	5	8	11	19	4.0-10	0-0	0-0	2	1	0-0
TOTAL	28	20	34	54	7.5-22	0.5-2	0-0	3	1	0-1

FINNEY DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	4	2	6	3.0-9	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU						DNP - INJURED			
@UNC	1	2	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	2	2	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
NEB	1	4	5	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	1	1	0-0
@IOWA	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

2014	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WKU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
@WASH	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TXST	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	0	4	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@OSU	1	1	2	0.5-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

IOWA
PSU
@NW
LT*
*Zaxby's Heart of Dallas Bowl

2013	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
SIU						DNP - INJURED			
CIN	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
vs. WASH	3	3	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-1
MIAMI(OH)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	3	0	3	1.0-5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS						DNP - INJURED			
MSU	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PSU	0	1	1	0.5-2	0.5-2	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IND	0	1	1	0.5-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
OSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PUR	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NW	1	1	2	0.5-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

75 PATRICK FLAVIN

OL, 6-7, 300, SR.

LISLE, ILL. / BENET ACADEMY

Pronunciation: FLAH-vin

- Academic All-Big Ten (2014)
- Earned bachelor's degree in political science in May 2015

2015 Senior: Saw action in the first six games as a backup at offensive tackle.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at [FIGHTINGILLINI.COM](#).

42 JOE FOTU

DL, 6-3, 285, SR.

EAST OAKLAND, CALIF. / SAN LEANDRO HS / LANEY CC

Pronunciation: FOE-too

2015 Senior: Returned to action against MTSU ... Totaled three tackles against Nebraska ... Did not play in the first three games of the season.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at [FIGHTINGILLINI.COM](#).

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 3, twice (last vs. Nebraska, 10/3/15)
Solos: 3 at Washington, 9/13/14
TFL: -
QB Sacks: -
INT: -
PBU: -
QBH: -
FF: -
FR: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2014	7	5	1	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
2015	3	0	3	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TOTAL	10	5	4	9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

FOTU DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST						DNP - Suspended			
WIU						DNP - Suspended			
@UNC						DNP - Suspended			
MTSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	0	3	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IOWA	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

2014	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WKU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WASH	3	0	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TXST	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR					DNP				
@WIS					DNP				
MIN					DNP				
@OSU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

IOWA										DNP
PSU										DNP
@NW	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	
LT*										DNP

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13 RYAN FRAIN

PK/P, 6-2, 220, JR.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND. / SCECINA

2015 Junior: Punted six times for an average of 42.2 at Iowa ... Punted six times for 227 yards, placing two inside the 20-yard line at MTSU ... Punted seven times for 279 yards, recording a career-long punt of 55 yards at UNC ... Punted three times against WIU, averaging a career-best 43.3, with a long of 48 yards ... Punted seven times in the season opener vs. Kent State, averaging 39.4 yards per punt.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

FG Made: -

FG Attempts: -

PAT Made: 2 vs. Miami (Ohio), 9/28/13

PAT Attempts: 2 vs. Miami (Ohio), 9/28/13

Points: 2 vs. Miami (Ohio), 9/28/13

Long Field Goal: -

Kickoffs: 3 vs. Youngstown State, 8/30/14

Kickoff Yardage: 160 vs. Youngstown State, 8/30/14

Kickoff Average: 53.3 vs. Youngstown State, 8/30/14

Touchbacks: 1, twice (last vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15)

Punts: 7, twice (last vs. North Carolina 9/19/15)

Punting Yardage: 279 vs. North Carolina 9/19/15

Punting Average: 43.4 vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15

Long Punt: 55 vs. North Carolina 9/19/15

Inside 20: 1, twice (last vs. North Carolina 9/19/15)

Touchbacks: 2 vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/15

50+ yard punts: 1 vs. North Carolina 9/19/15

KICKING STATISTICS

YEAR	PAT	FG	0-29	30-39	40-49	50+	PTS
2012	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0
2013	2-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	2
2014	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0
2015	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0
TOTAL	2-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	2

KICKOFF STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	TB	RT	RT YDS	YPR
2012	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
2013	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
2014	2	4	217	54.2	1	2	44	22.0
2015	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	10	4	217	54.2	1	2	44	22.0

PUNTING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	TB	FC	I20	50+	LG
2012	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--
2013	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--
2014	2	1	34	34.0	0	0	0	0	34
2015	6	35	1,363	38.9	4	7	3	1	55
TOTAL	10	36	1,397	38.8	4	7	3	1	55

FRAIN PUNTING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	NO	YDS	AVG	LG	BK	TB	FC	50+	I20
KSU	7	276	39.4	45	--	0	2	0	0
WIU	3	130	43.3	48	--	1	0	0	1
@UNC	7	279	39.9	55	--	1	0	1	0
MTSU	6	227	37.8	47	--	1	1	0	2
NEB	6	198	33.0	49	--	0	3	0	0
@IOWA	6	253	42.2	49	--	1	1	0	0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

2014	NO	YDS	AVG	LG	BK	TB	FC	50+	I20
YSU	1	34	34.0	34	0	0	0	0	0
WKU	0	0	0.0	--	0	0	0	0	0
@WASH				DNP					
TXST				DNP					
@NEB				DNP					
PUR				DNP					
@WIS				DNP					
MIN				DNP					
@OSU				DNP					
IOWA				DNP					
PSU				DNP					
@NW				DNP					
LT*				DNP					

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FRAIN KICKOFFS GAME-BY-GAME

2014	KO	YDS	AVG	TB	RT	RT YDS	YPR
YSU	3	160	53.3	1	1	27	27.0
WKU	1	57	57.0	0	1	17	17.0
@WASH				DNP			
TXST				DNP			
@NEB				DNP			
PUR				DNP			
@WIS				DNP			
MIN				DNP			
@OSU				DNP			
IOWA				DNP			
PSU				DNP			
@NW				DNP			
LT*				DNP			

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FRAIN KICKING GAME-BY-GAME

2013	FGM-FGA	LG	BLKD	PAT	PTS
SIU			DNP		
CIN			DNP		
vs. WASH			DNP		
MIAMI(OH)	0-0	--	0	2-2	2
@NEB			DNP		
WIS			DNP		
MSU			DNP		
@PSU			DNP - INJURED		
@IND			DNP - INJURED		
OSU			DNP		
@PUR			DNP		
NW			DNP		

88 ZACH GRANT

WR, 6-0, 195, JR.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL. / ROCHESTER HS / ST. AMBROSE / UIU

2015 Junior: Has seen action at wide receiver and on special teams in all six games ... Made first career reception for seven yards against WIU.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Receptions: 1 vs. Western Illinois, 9/12/15

Receiving Yards: 7 vs. Western Illinois, 9/12/15

Long Reception: 7 vs. Western Illinois, 9/12/15

Touchdowns: -

RECEIVING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2014	1	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	-
2015	6	1	7	7.0	0.2	0	7
TOTAL	7	1	7	7.0	0.1	0	7

HARDEE RUSHING/RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
WIU	0-0	0	--	1-7	0	7
@UNC	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
MTSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
NEB	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@IOWA	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
WIS						
@PSU						
@PUR						
OSU						
@MINN						
VS. NW						

19 JUSTIN HARDEE

WR, 6-1, 195, SR.

CLEVELAND, OHIO / GLENVILLE

- Illinois Offensive Skill Points Award (2014)
- Earned bachelor's degree in communication in Dec. 2014

2015 Senior: Did not play in the first six games due to injury.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Receptions: 6 vs. Western Kentucky, 9/6/14

Receiving Yards: 110 vs. Western Kentucky, 9/6/14

Long Reception: 62 vs. Western Kentucky, 9/6/14

Touchdowns: 1 vs. Western Kentucky, 9/6/14

All-Purpose Yards: 110 vs. Western Kentucky, 9/6/14

Tackles: 3 vs. Ohio State, 11/16/13

RECEIVING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2012	12	17	192	11.3	16.0	0	48
2013	12	11	95	8.6	7.9	0	23
2014	13	19	240	12.6	18.5	1	62
2015	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	37	47	527	11.2	14.2	1	62

HARDEE RUSHING/RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST				DNP - INJURED		
WIU				DNP - INJURED		
@UNC				DNP - INJURED		
MTSU				DNP - INJURED		
NEB				DNP - INJURED		
@IOWA						
WIS						
@PSU						
@PUR						
OSU						
@MINN						
VS. NW						

2014	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
YSU	0-0	0	--	2-16	0	11
WKU	0-0	0	--	6-110	1	62
@WASH	0-0	0	--	1-5	0	5
TXST	0-0	0	--	5-49	0	12
@NEB	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
PUR	0-0	0	--	2-21	0	18
@WIS	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
MIN	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@OSU	0-0	0	--	1-19	0	--
IOWA	0-0	0	--	1-10	0	10
PSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@NW	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
LT*	0-0	0	--	1-10	0	10

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2013	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
SIU	0-0	0	--	2-6	0	7
CIN	0-0	0	--	1-13	0	13
VS. WASH	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
MIAMI(OH)	0-0	0	--	3-25	0	18
@NEB	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
WIS	0-0	0	--	1-9	0	9
MSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@PSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@IND	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
OSU	0-0	0	--	3-34	0	23
@PUR	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
NW	0-0	0	--	1-8	0	8

2012	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
WMU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@ASU	0-0	0	--	1-17	0	17
CSU	0-0	0	--	5-99	0	48
LT	0-0	0	--	2-10	0	7
PSU	0-0	0	--	2-22	0	16
@WIS	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@MICH	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
IND	0-0	0	--	2-5	0	4
@OSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
MINN	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
PUR	0-0	0	--	5-39	0	9
@NW	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--

79 ZACH HEATH

OL, 6-4, 300, JR.

PENRYN, CALIF. / DEL ORO HS / AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

2015 Junior: Made Illini debut against WIU as a backup offensive guard.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

54 ZACH HIRTH

LS, 6-4, 220, JR.

EUREKA, MO. / EUREKA

- Academic All-Big Ten (2014 & 2013)

2015 Junior: Served as the primary short snapper for field goals and PATs in the first six games of the season.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.



30 JULIAN HYLTON

DB, 6-0, 205, R-FR.
TINLEY PARK, ILL. / LINCOLN-WAY NORTH

2015 RS Freshman: Saw playing time in the first five games ... Recorded two tackles and a fumble recovery on special teams against Nebraska ... Made his Illini debut and recorded his first collegiate tackle in the season opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 2 vs. Nebraska, 10/3/15
Solos: 1, twice (last vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/15)
TFL: -
QB Sacks: -
INT: -
PBU: -
QBH: -
FF: -
FR: 1 vs. Nebraska, 10/3/15

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2015	6	3	3	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-1

HYLTON DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-1
@IOWA	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

80 AINSLIE JOHNSON

TE, 6-2, 230, JR.
ANAHEIM, CALIF. / SERVITE HS / CERRITOS COLLEGE

Pronunciation: AINS-lee

2015 Junior: Saw playing time in first five games of the season as a backup tight end ... Made Illini debut in the season opener vs. Kent State and made his first collegiate catch for two yards.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

RUSHING/RECEIVING CAREER HIGHS

Carries: -
Rushing Yards: -
Long Run: -
Rush Touchdowns: -
Receptions: 1 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15
Receiving Yards: 2 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15
Long Reception: 2 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15
Rec. Touchdowns: -
All-Purpose Yards: 2 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15

RECEIVING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2015	5	1	2	2.0	0.4	0	2

RUSHING/RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST	0-0	0	0	1-2	0	2
WIU	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0
@UNC	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0
MTSU	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0
NEB	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0
@IOWA			DNP			
WIS						
@PSU						
@PUR						
OSU						
@MINN						
VS. NW						

44 JULIAN JONES

LB, 6-2, 215, FR.
ATLANTA, GA. / WESTLAKE

2015 Freshman: Saw action in five of the first six games of the season, playing primarily on special teams ... Recorded his first collegiate tackle on special team vs. MTSU ... Made Illini debut against Western Illinois.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 1, twice (last vs. Nebraska, 10/3/15)
Solos: 1 vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/15
TFL: -
QB Sacks: -
INT: -
PBU: -
QBH: -
FF: -
FR: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2015	5	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

HYLTON DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST					DNP - INJURED				
WIU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IOWA	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

69 TED KARRAS

OL, 6-4, 310, SR.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND. / CATHEDRAL

Pronunciation: CARE-us

- Honorable Mention All-Big Ten (2014)
- Academic All-Big Ten (2014 & 2012)
- Earned bachelor's degree in communication in Dec. 2014

2015 Senior: Started at right guard in the first six games and has 36 career starts ... Helped the Illini offense total 363 yards at Iowa ... Helped the Illini offense total 382 yards against Nebraska ... Helped the Illini offense total 378 yards against MTSU ... Helped the Illini offense total 227 rushing yards at UNC ... Helped the Illini offense total 500 yards without allowing a sack against Western Illinois ... Helping the Illini put up 52 points in season-opening win against Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

4 DARWYN KELLY

DB, 6-1, 210, SO.
UPPER MARLBORO, MD. / H.D. WOODSON

2015 Sophomore: Saw action in the first six games of the season ... Made his Illini debut in the season opener vs. Kent State and recorded his first collegiate tackle.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

DEFENSIVE CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 1 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15
Solos: 1 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15
TFLs: -
Sacks: -
QB Hurries: -
Fumbles Forced: -
Fumbles Recovered: -

PBUs: -
Interception: -
Interception Return Yards: -
Touchdowns: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2015	6	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

KELLY DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IOWA	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

23 DAVONTAY KWAANING

DB, 5-11, 190, SR.
CHICAGO, ILL. / LINDBLOOM

Pronunciation: duh-VAHN-tay QUAN-ing

- Illinois Co-Defensive Unsung Hero Award (2014)
- Academic All-Big Ten (2014)
- Earned bachelor's degree in RST in summer 2015

2015 Senior: Saw action in the first six games of the season ... Recovered a fumble on special teams against Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 2 at Northwestern 11/29/14
Solos: 1, twice (last at Northwestern, 11/29/14)
TFLs: -
Sacks: -
QB Hurries: -
Fumbles Forced: -
Fumbles Recovered: 1 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15
PBUs: - 1 at Northwestern, 11/29/14
Interception: -
Interception Return Yards: -
Touchdowns: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2013	1	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
2014	12	2	4	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
2015	6	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-1
TOTAL	19	2	4	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-1

KWAANING DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-1
WIU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IOWA	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

2014	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU					DNP				
WKU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WASH	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TXST	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@OSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
IOWA	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NW	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
LT*	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

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15 JEVARIS LITTLE

DB, 6-0, 190, JR.
ST. PETERSBURG, FLA. / LAKEWOOD

Pronunciation: juh-VAR-is

2015 Junior: Saw action in the first five games of the season ... Recorded a career-high six tackles in the season opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 6 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15
Solos: 3 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15
TFLs: 1 at Washington, 9/13/14
Sacks: -
QB Hurries: -
Fumbles Forced: -
Fumbles Recovered: -
PBUs: -
Interception: -
Interception Return Yards: -
Touchdowns: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2013	12	3	3	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
2014	12	6	3	9	1.0-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
2015	6	3	6	9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TOTAL	30	12	12	24	1.0-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

LITTLE DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	3	3	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IOWA	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

2014	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WKU	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WASH	1	1	2	1.0-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TXST	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@OSU	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
IOWA	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PSU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NW	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
LT*					DNP				

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2013	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
SIU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
CIN	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
vs. WASH	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIAMI(OH)	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IND	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
OSU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PUR	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NW	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

12 WES LUNT

QB, 6-5, 225, JR.
ROCHESTER, ILL. / ROCHESTER HS / OKLAHOMA STATE

• Academic All-Big Ten (2014)

2015 Junior: Had his fourth-career 300-yard passing game at Iowa, going 25-for-42 for 317 yards and one touchdown ... Led two touchdown drives in the fourth quarter to beat Nebraska 14-13 ... Had his third-career 300-yard passing performance against Western Illinois, going 33-for-46 for 316 yards and one touchdown ... Tossed four touchdown passes, all in the first half, in season-opening win over Kent State, going 11-for-19 for 162 yards.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Attempts: 50 vs. Western Kentucky, 9/6/14
Completions: 35 vs. Western Kentucky, 9/6/14
Passing Yards: 456 vs. Western Kentucky, 9/6/14
Touchdown Passes: 4, twice (last vs. Kent State, 9/5/15)
Long Pass: 62 vs. Western Kentucky, 9/6/14
Carries: 4 at Washington, 9/13/14
Rushing Yards: 0
Rushing Touchdowns: 0
Long Rush: 5 vs. Iowa, 11/15/14
Total Offense: 439 vs. Western Kentucky, 9/6/14

PASSING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ATT	COMP	PCT	YDS	TD	INT	LG	YPG	EFF.
2014	8	241	153	63.5	1,763	14	3	62	220.4	141.61
2015	6	233	136	58.4	1,424	9	2	53	237.3	120.7
TOTAL	14	474	289	61.0	3,187	23	5	62	227.6	131.4

RUSHING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2014	8	16	-80	-5.0	-10.0	0	5
2015	6	9	-61	-6.8	-10.2	0	2
TOTAL	14	25	-141	-5.6	-10.1	0	5

TOTAL OFFENSE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	RUSH	PASS	TOTAL	AVG/G
2014	8	-80	1,763	1,683	210.4
2015	5	-41	1,107	1,066	213.2
TOTAL	13	-121	2,870	2,749	211.5

LUNT PASSING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	ATT	CMP	INT	YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST.	19	11	0	162	4	34
WIU	46	33	1	316	1	28
@UNC	32	15	1	140	0	22
MTSU	49	29	0	238	1	42
NEB	45	23	0	251	2	50
@IOWA	42	25	0	317	1	53
WIS						
@PSU						
@PUR						
OSU						
@MINN						
vs. NW						

2014	ATT	CMP	INT	YDS	TD	LG
YSU	38	24	0	285	4	49
WKU	50	35	1	456	3	62
@WASH	26	16	1	230	2	60
TXST	39	25	1	266	2	33
@NEB		DNP - INJURED				
PUR	39	27	0	332	2	47
@WIS		DNP - INJURED				
MIN		DNP - INJURED				
@OSU		DNP - INJURED				
IOWA	25	14	0	102	1	31
PSU	17	8	0	58	0	12
@NW		DNP				
LT*	8	4	0	34	0	20

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LUNT RUSHING/RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	--
WIU	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	--
@UNC	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	--
MTSU	3-(-27)	0	0	0-0	0	--
NEB	3-(-14)	0	2	0-0	0	--
@IOWA	3-(-20)	0	0	0-0	0	--
WIS						
@PSU						
@PUR						
OSU						
@MINN						
vs. NW						

2014	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
YSU	1-(-1)	0	0	0-0	0	--
WKU	3-(-17)	0	0	0-0	0	--
@WASH	4-(-22)	0	0	0-0	0	--
TXST	1-(-4)	0	0	0-0	0	--
@NEB		DNP - INJURED				
PUR	2-(-17)	0	0	0-0	0	--
@WIS		DNP - INJURED				
MIN		DNP - INJURED				
@OSU		DNP - INJURED				
IOWA	3-(-5)	0	5	0-0	0	--
PSU	2-(-14)	0	0	0-0	0	--
@NW		DNP				
LT*	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--

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56 MICHAEL MARTIN

LS, 6-4, 225, JR.
CHAMPAIGN, ILL. / CENTENNIAL

• Academic All-Big Ten (2014)

2015 Junior: Served as the primary long snapper for punts in the first six games of the season ... Recorded one tackle on punt coverage against Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

9 SAM MAYS

WR, 6-3, 200, FR.
MISSOURI CITY, TEXAS / THE KINKAID SCHOOL

2015 Freshman: Saw action in the first six games of the season ... Made first career start at Iowa ... Had two catches for 21 yards against Nebraska ... Made his Illini debut in the season opener vs. Kent State, catching two passes for 37 yards, including a 27-yard touchdown.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

RUSHING/RECEIVING CAREER HIGHS

Carries: -
Rushing Yards: -
Long Run: -
Rush Touchdowns: -
Receptions: 2, three times (last at Iowa, 10/10/15)
Receiving Yards: 37 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15
Long Reception: 27 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15
Rec. Touchdowns: 1 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15
All-Purpose Yards: 37 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15

RECEIVING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2015	6	7	78	11.1	13.0	1	27

MAYS RUSHING/RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST	0-0	0	--	2-37	1	27
WIU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@UNC	0-0	0	--	1-15	0	15
MTSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
NEB	0-0	0	--	2-21	0	15
@IOWA	0-0	0	--	2-5	0	7
WIS						
@PSU						
@PUR						
OSU						
@MINN						
vs. NW						

45 HENRY MCGREW

LEO, 6-3, 250, R-FR.
OVERLAND PARK, KAN. / BLUE VALLEY

2015 RS Freshman: Saw action in four of the first six games as a backup LEO (DE/LB hybrid) ... Recorded one TFL against UNC ... Made his Illini debut in season opener vs. Kent State, recording his first three collegiate tackles and TFL.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

DEFENSIVE CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 3 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15
Solos: 1, three times (last vs. North Carolina, 9/19/15)
TFLs: 1.0, twice (last vs. North Carolina, 9/19/15)
Sacks: -
QB Hurries: -
Fumbles Forced: -
Fumbles Recovered: -
PBUs: -
Interception: -
Interception Return Yards: -
Touchdowns: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2015	5	3	2	5	2.0-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0



MCGREW DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	1	2	3	1.0-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	1	0	1	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU				DNP					
NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IOWA	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

55 JAMAL MILAN

DL, 6-2, 310, FR.

CHICAGO, ILL. / AL RABY

Pronunciation: mi-LAN

2015 Freshman: Did not play against UNC, WIU, MTSU, NEB and Iowa due to injury ... Made his Illini debut in the season opener vs. Kent State but did not record any stats.

Complete bio information can be found in the **2015 Record Book** or at **FIGHTINGILLINI.COM**.

DEFENSIVE CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: -
Solos: -
TFLs: -
Sacks: -
QB Hurries: -
Fumbles Forced: -
Fumbles Recovered: -
PBUs: -
Interception: -
Interception Return Yards: -
Touchdowns: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2015	1	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TOTAL	1	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

MILAN DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU				DNP - INJURED					
@UNC				DNP - INJURED					
MTSU				DNP - INJURED					
NEB				DNP - INJURED					
@IOWA									
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

43 MASON MONHEIM

LB, 6-1, 235, SR.

ORRVILLE, OHIO / ORRVILLE

- Rotary Lombardi Award Preseason Watch List (2015)
- Butkus Award Preseason Watch List (2015 & 2014)
- 340 tackles, 2nd-most for active FBS players
- 7 career forced fumbles 4th-most for active FBS players
- Honorable Mention All-Big Ten (2014)
- Big Ten Distinguished Scholar (2014)
- Academic All-Big Ten (2014 & 2013)

2015 Senior: Had made 41 consecutive starts at linebacker ... Totaled 10 tackles and one PBU against Nebraska ... Led the Illini with 14 tackles against MTSU ... Led the Illini in tackles (7) against WIU ... Recording four tackles, one TFL and returned an interception 43 yards to set up a score in season-opener against Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the **2015 Record Book** or at **FIGHTINGILLINI.COM**.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 15, twice (last vs. Iowa, 11/15/14)
Solos: 9 at Washington, 9/13/14
TFLs: 2.5 vs. Texas State, 9/20/14

Sacks: 1.0 vs. Cincinnati, 9/7/13

QB Hurries: 1, twice (last vs. Louisiana Tech, 12/26/14)

Fumbles Forced: 1, seven times (last vs. Penn State, 11/22/14)

Fumbles Recovered: 1, twice (last at Northwestern, 11/29/14)

PBU: 1, five times (last vs. Nebraska, 10/3/15)

Interceptions: 1, four times (last vs. Kent State, 9/5/15)

Interception Return Yards: 49 at Northwestern, 11/29/14

Touchdowns: 1 at Northwestern, 11/29/14

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2012	12	33	53	86	6.0-13	1.5-5	1-20	1	0	2-1
2013	12	42	55	97	6.5-16	1.0-4	0-0	1	1	1-0
2014	13	43	68	111	6.5-16	1.0-4	2-52	2	1	4-1
2015	6	13	33	46	1.0-4	0-0	1-43	2	0	0-0
TOTAL	43	131	209	340	20.0-49	3.5-13	4-115	6	2	7-2

MONHEIM GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	3	1	4	1.0-4	0-0	1-43	0	0	0-0
WIU	3	4	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	5	9	14	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	1	9	10	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
@IOWA	0	9	9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

2014	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU	2	12	14	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
WKU	4	3	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WASH	9	1	10	1.0-5	0-0	0-0	0	0	1-0
TXST	4	4	8	2.5-5	0.5-2	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	4	8	12	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1-0
PUR	2	9	11	1.0-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN	2	6	8	1.0-2	0.5-2	1-3	0	0	0-0
@OSU	5	6	11	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	1-0
IOWA	5	10	15	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PSU	1	4	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1-0
@NW	4	1	5	0-0	0-0	1-49	1	0	0-1
LT*	1	2	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0

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2013	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
SIU	2	6	8	0.5-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
CIN	6	4	10	2.0-7	1.0-4	0-0	0	0	0-0
vs. WASH	5	7	12	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIAMI(OH)	3	5	8	1.5-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	1	3	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1-0
WIS	3	2	5	0.5-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0
MSU	4	10	14	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PSU	3	5	8	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
@IND	4	1	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
OSU	3	4	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PUR	5	0	5	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NW	3	8	11	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

2012	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
WMU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1-0
@ASU	3	1	4	0.5-2	0.5-2	0-0	0	0	0-0
CSU	1	4	5	1.5-2	0-0	1-20	0	0	0-0
LT	3	4	7	0.5-0	0.5-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PSU	4	7	11	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1-0
@WIS	1	5	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@MICH	7	1	8	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-1
IND	1	9	10	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@OSU	2	5	7	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
MINN	4	11	15	1.5-6	0.5-3	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	3	4	7	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NW	3	2	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

24 DARIUS MOSELY

DB, 5-11, 190, JR.

O'FALLON, ILL. / O'FALLON TOWNSHIP

- Academic All-Big Ten (2014)

2015 Junior: Played as backup cornerback in five of the first six games.

Complete bio information can be found in the **2015 Record Book** or at **FIGHTINGILLINI.COM**.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 9 vs. Northwestern, 11/30/13
Solos: 5, twice (last vs. Northwestern, 11/30/13)
TFLs: 1.0, twice (last vs. Penn State, 11/22/14)
Sacks: -
QB Hurries: -
Fumbles Forced: -
Fumbles Recovered: 1, twice (last vs. Penn State, 11/22/14)

PBUs: 1, three times (last vs. Minnesota, 10/25/14)

Interception: -

Interception Return Yards: -

Touchdowns: -

Kick Returns: 2 at Ohio State, 11/1/14

Kick Return Yardage: 21 at Ohio State, 11/1/14

Punt Returns: 2 vs. Youngstown State, 8/30/14

Punt Return Yardage: 14 vs. Youngstown State, 8/30/14

Long Punt Return: 9 vs. Youngstown State, 8/30/14

Punt Return Touchdowns: -

All-Purpose Yards: 21 at Ohio State 11/1/14

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2013	12	21	15	36	0.5-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-1
2014	13	18	10	28	2.0-9	0-0	0-0	2	0	0-1
2015	5	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TOTAL	30	39	27	66	2.5-9	0-0	0-0	3	0	0-2

KICK RETURN STATISTICS

YEAR	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2013	1	-2	-2.0	0	-2
2014	4	43	10.8	0	18
2015	0	0	0	0	--
TOTAL	5	41	8.2	0	18

PUNT RETURN STATISTICS

YEAR	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2013	0	0	0	0	--
2014	7	49	7.0	0	14
2015	1	-2	-2.0	-2.0	0
TOTAL	8	47	5.9	0	14

MOSELY DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU				DNP					
NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IOWA	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

2014	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WKU	4	3	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WASH	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TXST	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
@NEB	2	2	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	3	0	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	1	0	1	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
@OSU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
IOWA	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PSU	2	1	3	1.0-8	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-1
@NW	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
LT*	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

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2013	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
SIU	1	2	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
CIN	1	2	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

MIN	0-0	0	0	--	0-0	0	0	--
@OSU	2-21	10.5	0	12	0-0	0	0	--
IOWA	0-0	0	0	--	1-3	3.0	0	3
PSU	0-0	0	0	--	1-14	14.0	0	14
@NW	0-0	0	0	--	2-7	3.5	0	7
LT*	0-0	0	0	--	0-0	0	0	--

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16 MARCHIE MURDOCK

WR, 6-1, 195, SO.

ARLINGTON, TEXAS / LEGACY

2015 Sophomore: Did not play due to injury at Iowa ... Had two catches, including a 22-yard touchdown, against Nebraska ... Totaled a career-high seven receptions for 49 yards against UNC and had one carry for 19 yards ... Caught six passes for 51 yards and one touchdown and also returned a blocked punt 12 yards for a touchdown vs. WIU ... Made first career start in season opener vs. Kent State and caught first career TD, a 34-yard strike from Wes Lunt.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at [FIGHTINGILLINI.COM](#).

CAREER HIGHS

Carries: 1 vs. North Carolina 9/19/15

Rushing Yards: 19 vs. North Carolina 9/19/15

Long Run: 19 vs. North Carolina 9/19/15

Rush Touchdowns: -

Receptions: 7 vs. North Carolina, 9/19/15

Receiving Yards: 51 vs. Western Illinois, 9/12/15

Long Reception: 34 vs. Kent State, 9/5/15

Rec. Touchdowns: 1, three times (last vs. Nebraska, 10/3/15)

RECEIVING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2014	4	1	17	17.0	4.2	0	17
2015	5	20	194	9.7	38.8	3	34
TOTAL	9	21	221	10.0	23.4	3	34

MURDOCK RUSHING/RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST	0-0	0	--	2-42	1	34
WIU	0-0	0	--	6-51	1	26
@UNC	1-19	0	--	7-49	0	22
MTSU	0-0	0	--	3-24	0	11
NEB	0-0	0	--	2-28	1	22

@IOWA DNP - INJURED

WIS

@PSU

@PUR

OSU

@MINN

VS. NW

2014	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
YSU			DNP			
WKU			DNP			
@WASH	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
TXST			DNP			
@NEB			DNP			
PUR			DNP			
@WIS			DNP			
MIN			DNP			
@OSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
IOWA			DNP			
PSU	0-0	0	--	1-17	0	17
@NW	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
LT*			DNP			

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52 T.J. NEAL JR.

LB, 6-1, 235, JR.

MCKEESEPORT, PA. / MCKEESEPORT

- Academic All-Big Ten (2014 & 2013)

2015 Junior: Started at middle linebacker in the first six games of the season ... Led the Illini with 14 tackles and recorded 1.0 TFL, one PBU and one QBH at Iowa ... Totaled 10 tackles and 1.0 TFL against Nebraska ... Made a career-high 13 tackles against MTSU ... Ranks second on the team with 16 tackles in the first three games ... Recorded six tackles and one TFL against WIU ... Made six tackles and had one TFL in the season opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at [FIGHTINGILLINI.COM](#).

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 13 vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/15

Solos: 7 at Washington, 9/13/14

TFLs: 2.5 vs. Minnesota, 10/25/14

Sacks: -

QB Hurries: 1, six times (last at Iowa, 10/10/15)

Fumbles Forced: 1 vs. Minnesota, 10/25/14

Fumbles Recovered: -

PBUs: 1, five times (last at Iowa, 10/10/15)

Interception: 1 at Nebraska, 9/27/14

Interception Return Yards: 14 at Nebraska, 9/27/14

Touchdowns: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2012	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
2013	12	15	23	38	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	0	2	0-0
2014	13	31	67	98	6.5-16	0-0	1-14	4	3	1-0
2015	6	19	34	53	5.0-7	0-0	0-0	1	2	0-0
TOTAL	31	65	124	189	12.5-25	0-0	1-14	5	7	1-0

NEAL DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	5	1	6	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	2	4	6	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	1	3	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0
MTSU	3	10	13	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	2	8	10	1.0-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IOWA	7	7	14	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	1	1	0-0

WIS

@PSU

@PUR

OSU

@MINN

VS. NW

2014	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU	1	6	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WKU	2	5	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
@WASH	7	3	10	1.0-7	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TXST	3	5	8	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0
@NEB	1	9	10	0-0	0-0	1-14	1	1	0-0
PUR	1	6	7	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
@WIS	2	3	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN	3	9	12	2.5-5	0-0	0-0	0	0	1-0
@OSU	1	4	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
IOWA	2	5	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PSU	1	7	8	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NW	3	4	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
LT*	4	1	5	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	1	1	0-0

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2013	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
SIU	1	2	3	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
CIN	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
vs. WASH	1	4	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIAMI(OH)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	2	2	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0
WIS	0	3	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MSU	2	2	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PSU	2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IND	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
OSU	2	5	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PUR	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NW	1	4	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0

9 KENNY NELSON

DL, 6-6, 250, SR.

DETROIT, MICH. / CASS TECH

- Earned bachelor's degree in advertising in Dec. 2014

2015 Senior: Saw action in four of the first six games of the season ... Did not play vs. MTSU due to injury ... Recorded two tackles and 0.5 TFL against WIU.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at [FIGHTINGILLINI.COM](#).

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 4 vs. Miami (Ohio), 9/28/13

Solos: 2, three times (last vs. Purdue, 10/4/14)

TFLs: 2.0 at Nebraska, 9/27/14

Sacks: 1 at Nebraska, 9/27/14

QB Hurries: -

Fumbles Forced: -

Fumbles Recovered: 1, twice (last at Nebraska, 10/5/13)

PBUs: -

Interception: -

Interception Return Yards: -

Touchdowns: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
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2012	4	1	2	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
2013	11	6	10	16	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-2
2014	5	5	1	6	3.0-12	1.0-8	0-0	0	0	0-0
2015	4	1	3	4	0.5-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TOTAL	24	13	16	29	3.5-12	1.0-8	0-0	0	0	0-2

NELSON DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	0	2	2	0.5-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU					DNP - INJURED				
NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

@IOWA

WIS

@PSU

@PUR

OSU

@MINN

VS. NW

2014	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU					DNP - INJURED				
WKU					DNP - INJURED				
@WASH					DNP - INJURED				
TXST	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	2	0	2	2.0-11	1.0-8	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	1	1	2	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@OSU					DNP - INJURED				
IOWA					DNP - INJURED				
PSU					DNP - INJURED				
@NW					DNP - INJURED				
LT*					DNP - INJURED				

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2013	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
SIU	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
CIN	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
vs. WASH	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-1
MIAMI(OH)	1	3	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-1
WIS	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MSU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PSU	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IND	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
OSU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PUR	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NW					DNP				

2012	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
WMU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@ASU					DNP				
CSU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
LT					DNP				
PSU					DNP				
@WIS					DNP				
@MICH	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
IND					DNP				
@OSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MINN					DNP				
PUR					DNP				
@NW					DNP				

Solos: 1 vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15
TFLs: 1.0 vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15
Sacks: -
QB Hurries: -
Fumbles Forced: -
Fumbles Recovered: -
PBUs: -
Interception: -
Interception Return Yards: -
Touchdowns: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2015	4	1	2	3	1.5-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

ODENIGBO DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	0	1	1	0.5-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	1	1	2	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB					DNP				
@IOWA					DNP				
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

6 CARROLL PHILLIPS

LEO, 6-3, 240, JR.

MIAMI, FLA. / MIAMI CENTRAL HS / COIAH LINCOLN CC

2015 Junior: Saw action in the first six games of the season ... Totaled three tackles, including one TFL for eight yards, at UNC ... Recorded two tackles and half-TFL in season opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 3 vs. North Carolina 9/19/15
Solos: 2 vs. North Carolina 9/19/15
TFLs: 1.0, twice (last vs. North Carolina 9/19/15)
Sacks: 1.0 vs. Youngstown State, 8/30/14
QB Hurries: 1, four times (last at Iowa, 10/10/15)
Fumbles Forced: -
Fumbles Recovered: 1 at Washington, 9/13/14
PBUs: -
Interceptions: -
Interception Return Yards: -
Touchdowns: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2014	7	4	2	6	1.0-6	1.0-6	0-0	0	2	0-1
2015	6	4	3	7	2.0-10	0-0	0-0	0	2	0-0
TOTAL	13	8	5	13	3.0-16	1.0-6	0-0	0	4	0-1

PHILLIPS DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	1	1	2	0.5-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	0	1	1	0.5-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	2	1	3	1.0-8	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0
NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IOWA	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

2014	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU	1	1	2	1.0-6	1.0-6	0-0	0	0	0-0
WKU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0
@WASH	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-1
TXST	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0
@WIS	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN					DNP - INJURED				
@OSU					DNP - INJURED				
IOWA					DNP - INJURED				
PSU					DNP - INJURED				
@NW					DNP - INJURED				
LT*					DNP - INJURED				

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38 DAVID REISNER

PK/P, 6-0, 195, JR.

BARTLETT, ILL. / SOUTH ELGIN / NAVY

• Academic All-Big Ten (2014)

2015 Junior: Punted three times for 136 yards for an average of 45.3 against Nebraska ... Recorded one kickoff totaling 65 yards and converted one PAT in the season opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

FG Made: 3 vs. Penn State, 11/22/14
FG Attempts: 4 vs. Penn State, 11/22/14
PAT Made: 4, twice (last vs. Minnesota, 10/25/14)
PAT Attempts: 4, three times (last vs. Minnesota, 10/25/14)
Points: 10 vs. Penn State, 11/22/14
Long Field Goal: 36 vs. Penn State, 11/22/14
Kickoffs: 7 vs. Texas State, 9/20/14
Yards: 444 vs. Texas State, 9/20/14
Average: 63.4 vs. Texas State, 9/20/14
Touchbacks: 4 vs. Texas State, 9/30/14

KICKING STATISTICS

YEAR	PAT	FG	0-29	30-39	40-49	50+	PTS
2014	22-24	6-11	3-3	2-4	1-3	0-1	50
2015	1-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1
TOTAL	23-25	6-11	3-3	2-4	1-3	0-1	51

KICKOFF STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	TB	RT	RT YDS	YPR
2014	10	10	590	59.0	5	4	83	26.3
2015	2	1	65	65.0	1	0	0	0.0
TOTAL	12	11	655	59.5	6	4	83	26.3

PUNTING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	TB	FC	I20	50+	LG
2015	1	3	136	45.3	0	1	1	1	50

REISNER PUNTING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	NO	YDS	AVG	LG	BK	TB	FC	50+	I20
KSU	0	0	--	0	0	0	0	0	0
WIU				DNP					
@UNC				DNP					
MTSU				DNP					
NEB	3	136	45.3	50	0	0	1	1	1
@IOWA				DNP					
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

REISNER KICKING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	FGM-FGA	LG	BLKD	PAT	PTS
KENT ST	0-0	0	0	0	0
WIU			DNP		
@UNC			DNP		
MTSU			DNP		
NEB	0-0	0	0	0	0
@IOWA			DNP		
WIS					
@PSU					
@PUR					
OSU					
@MINN					
vs. NW					

2014	FGM-FGA	LG	BLKD	PAT	PTS
YSU			DNP		
WKU			DNP		
@WASH			DNP		
TXST	1-1	19	--	3-3	6
@NEB	0-0	--	--	2-2	2
PUR	0-1	--	1	3-4	3
@WIS	0-0	--	--	4-4	4
MIN	0-0	--	--	4-4	4
@OSU	0-1	--	--	2-2	2
IOWA	0-0	--	--	2-2	2
PSU	3-4	36	--	1-1	10
@NW	1-2	33	--	1-2	4
LT*	1-2	43	--	0-0	3

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REISNER KICKOFFS GAME-BY-GAME

2015	KO	YDS	AVG	TB	RT	RT YDS	YPR
KENT ST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WIU				DNP			
@UNC				DNP			
MTSU				DNP			
NEB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
@IOWA				DNP			
WIS							
@PSU							

@PUR
OSU
@MINN
VS. NW

2014	KO	YDS	AVG	TB	RT	RT YDS	YPR
YSU				DNP			
WKU				DNP			
@WASH				DNP			
TXST	7	444	63.4	4	3	79	26.3
@NEB	3	146	48.7	1	1	4	4.0
PUR	0	0	--	0	0	0	--
@WIS	0	0	--	0	0	0	--
MIN	0	0	--	0	0	0	--
@OSU	0	0	--	0	0	0	--
IOWA	0	0	--	0	0	0	--
PSU	0	0	--	0	0	0	--
@NW	0	0	--	0	0	0	--

36 AUSTIN ROBERTS

LB, 6-2, 230, R-FR.

RICE LAKE, WIS. / RICE LAKE

2015 RS Freshman: Made Illini debut in opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

57 AUSTIN SCHMIDT

OL, 6-6, 300, JR.

GALENA, OHIO / OLENTANGY

2015 Junior: Started the first six games at left tackle ... Helped the Illini offense total 363 yards at Iowa ... Helped the Illini offense total 382 yards against Nebraska ... Helped the Illini offense total 378 yards against MTSU ... Helped the Illini offense total 227 rushing yards at UNC ... Helped Illini offense total 500 yards without allowing a sack against Western Illinois ... Helped Illini put up 52 points vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

91 DAWUANE SMOOT

LEO, 6-3, 265, JR.

GROVEPORT, OHIO / GROVEPORT MADISON

Pronunciation: duh-WON

2015 Junior: Started the first six games at LEO (DE/LB hybrid) ... Totaled four tackles, 3.0 TFLs and 1.0 sack at Iowa ... Had five tackles, 1.5 TFL and one sack against Nebraska ... Had two sacks and a career-high three TFLs and one forced fumble against MTSU ... Totaled four tackles and two TFLs against UNC ... Recorded one PBU and one QBH vs. WIU ... Totaled two TFLs, including one sack, in season-opening win over Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 6 vs. Texas State, 9/20/14
Solos: 4 vs. Texas State, 9/20/14
TFLs: 3.0 vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/15
Sacks: 2.0, twice (last vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/15)
QB Hurries: 1, four times (last vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15)
Fumbles Forced: 1 vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/15
Fumbles Recovered: -
PBUs: 1, three times (last vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15)
Interceptions: -
Interception Return Yards: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2013	7	3	5	8	1.0-7	1.0-7	0-0	0	0	0-0
2014	13	17	16	33	7.5-33	2.5-18	0-0	2	3	0-0
2015	6	11	8	19	11.5-63	5.0-46	0-0	1	2	0-0
TOTAL	26	31	29	60	20.0-103	8.5-71	0-0	3	5	0-0

SMOOT DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	2	0	2	2.0-8	1.0-5	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	1	0-0



@UNC	3	1	4	2.0-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	2	2	4	3.0-23	2.0-22	0-0	0	0	1-0
NEB	1	4	5	1.5-16	1.0-15	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IOWA	3	1	4	3.0-13	1.0-4	0-0	0	1	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

2014	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU	1	2	3	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WKU	1	2	3	0.5-4	0.5-4	0-0	1	0	0-0
@WASH	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TXST	4	2	6	2.0-14	2.0-14	0-0	0	1	0-0
@NEB	1	1	2	0.5-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0
PUR	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN	2	2	4	2.0-4	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0
@OSU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
IOWA	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PSU	2	2	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NW	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
LT*	2	2	4	1.5-8	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

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2013	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
SIU	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
CIN	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
vs. WASH					DNP				
MIAMI(OH)					DNP				
@NEB					DNP				
WIS	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MSU	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PSU					DNP				
@IND	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
OSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PUR					DNP				
NW	1	3	4	1.0-7	1.0-7	0-0	0	0	0-0

27 EATON SPENCE

DB, 6-0, 190, SR.

BELLE GLADE, FLA. / GLADES DAY

Pronunciation: sounds like "eaten"

- Earned bachelor's degree in communication in May 2015

2015 Senior: Started the first six games at cornerback and has 32 career starts ... Had four tackles and one QBH at Iowa ... Totaled eight tackles against MTSU ... Had an interception at UNC and also recorded three tackles and one PBU ... Had an interception in first quarter of season-opening win over Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at [FIGHTINGILLINI.COM](#).

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 14 vs. Washington, 9/14/13

Solos: 6 vs. Washington, 9/14/13

TFLs: 1.0, twice (last at Washington, 9/13/14)

Sacks: 1.0 vs. Purdue, 11/17/12

QB Hurries: 1 at Iowa, 10/10/15

Fumbles Forced: -

Fumbles Recovered: 1 at Nebraska, 9/27/14

PBUs: 3 vs. Iowa, 11/15/14

Interceptions: 1, three times (vs. North Carolina 9/19/15)

Interception Return Yards: 15 at Northwestern, 11/29/14

Touchdowns: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2012	12	8	8	16	1.0-9	1.0-9	0-0	1	0	0-0
2013	12	25	24	49	0-0	0-0	0-0	4	0	0-0
2014	13	28	27	55	1.0-1	0-0	1-15	6	0	0-1
2015	6	8	9	17	0.5-0	0-0	2-0	1	1	0-0
TOTAL	43	69	68	137	2.5-10	1.0-9	3-15	12	1	0-1

SPENCE DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	1-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	3	0	3	0-0	0-0	1-0	1	0	0-0
MTSU	3	5	8	0-0	0.5-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IOWA	1	3	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

2014	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU	2	4	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WKU	0	3	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WASH	5	1	6	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TXST	1	3	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	1	4	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-1
PUR	2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
@WIS	5	4	9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN	0	4	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@OSU	2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
IOWA	2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	3	0	0-0
PSU	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NW	5	1	6	0-0	0-0	1-15	1	0	0-0
LT*	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

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2013	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
SIU	3	0	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
CIN	3	5	8	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
vs. WASH	6	8	14	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIAMI(OH)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
WIS	2	4	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MSU	4	3	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@PSU	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
@IND	2	2	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
OSU	2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0	0-0
@PUR	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NW	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

2012	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
WMU	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@ASU	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
CSU	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
LT	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
@MICH	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
IND	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@OSU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MINN	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	1	2	3	1.0-9	1.0-9	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NW	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

71 JOE SPENCER

OL, 6-4, 300, JR.

MASON, OHIO / MASON

- Big Ten Distinguished Scholar (2014)
- Academic All-Big Ten (2014 & 2013)

2015 Junior: Started first six games at center ... Helped the Illini offense total 363 yards at Iowa ... Helped the Illini offense total 382 yards against Nebraska ... Helped the Illini offense total 378 yards against MTSU ... Helped the Illini offense total 227 rushing yards at UNC ... Helped the Illini offense total 500 yards without allowing a sack against WIU ... Helped Illini put up 52 points in season-opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at [FIGHTINGILLINI.COM](#).

15 TYRIN STONE-DAVIS

WR, 6-3, 200, JR.

PHILADELPHIA, PA. / MASTBAUM AREA VTS / PIERCE COLLEGE

Pronunciation: ty-RIN

2015 Junior: Saw in the season opener vs. Kent State and did not record any statistics.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at [FIGHTINGILLINI.COM](#).

CAREER HIGHS

Receptions: -

Receiving Yards: -

Long Reception: -

Receiving Touchdowns: -

RECEIVING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2014	4	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	--
2015	1	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	--
TOTAL	5	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	--

STONE-DAVIS RUSHING/RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--

WIU						DNP
@UNC						DNP
MTSU						DNP
NEB						DNP
@IOWA						DNP
WIS						
@PSU						
@PUR						
OSU						
@MINN						
vs. NW						

2014	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
YSU			DNP			
WKU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@WASH	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
TXST	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@NEB			DNP			
PUR			DNP			
@WIS			DNP			
MIN			DNP			
@OSU			DNP			
IOWA	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
PSU			DNP			
@NW			DNP			
LT*			DNP			

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34 MIKE SVETINA

LB, 6-2, 235, JR.

BRUNSWICK, OHIO / ST. IGNATIUS

Pronunciation: sve-TEE-nuh

2015 RS Junior: Did not play in the first five games due to injury ... Returned to action at Iowa.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at [FIGHTINGILLINI.COM](#).

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 12 at Northwestern, 11/24/12

Solos: 7, twice (last at Penn State, 11/2/13)

TFLs: 1.5, twice (last vs. Wisconsin, 10/19/13)

Sacks: -

QB Hurries: -

Fumble Forced: 1 at Penn State, 11/2/13

Fumble Recovered: -

PBUs: 1 at Ohio State, 11/3/12

Interceptions: -

Interception Return Yards: -

Touchdowns: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2012	12	17	23	40	2.5-5	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
2013	12	25	32	57	2.0-5	0-0	0-0	0	0	1-0
2014					MISSED ENTIRE SEASON - INJURY					
2015	1	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TOTAL	25	42	55	97	4.5-10	0-0	0-0	1	0	1-0

SVETINA DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST					DNP - INJURED				
WIU					DNP - INJURED				
@UNC					DNP - INJURED				
MTSU					DNP - INJURED				
NEB					DNP - INJURED				
@IOWA	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

@WIS	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@MICH	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
IND	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@OSU	0	4	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0
MINN	2	5	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	3	4	7	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NW	7	5	12	1.5-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

4 DIONTE TAYLOR

WR, 6-0, 190, JR.
FT. LAUDERDALE, FLA. / UNIVERSITY SCHOOL

Pronunciation: dee-ON-tay

2015 Junior: Saw action in five of the first six games of the season ... Made his first career start at against MTSU and caught two passes for 17 yards ... Had five catches for 46 yards against WIU ... Caught one pass for nine yards in the season opener vs. Kent State, .

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Receptions: 5 vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15
Receiving Yards: 46 vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15
Long Reception: 13 vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15
Receiving Touchdowns: -

RECEIVING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2013	8	1	5	5.0	0.6	0	5
2014	7	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	--
2015	5	10	89	8.9	17.8	0	13
TOTAL	20	11	94	8.5	4.7	0	13

TAYLOR RUSHING/RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST	0-0	0	--	1-9	0	9
WIU	0-0	0	--	5-46	0	13
@UNC	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
MTSU	0-0	0	--	2-17	0	10
NEB			DNP			
@IOWA	0-0	0	--	2-17	0	11
WIS						
@PSU						
@PUR						
OSU						
@MINN						
VS. NW						

2014	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
YSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
WKU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@WASH	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
TXST			DNP			
@NEB			DNP			
PUR			DNP			
@WIS	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
MIN			DNP			
@OSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
IOWA			DNP			
PSU			DNP			
@NW	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
LT*			DNP			

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2013	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
SIU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
CIN	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
VS. WASH			DNP			
MIAMI(OH)	0-0	0	--	1-5	0	5
@NEB			DNP			
WIS			DNP			
MSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@PSU			DNP			
@IND	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
OSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@PUR	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
NW	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--

11 MALIK TURNER

WR, 6-3, 205, SO.
SPRINGFIELD, ILL. / SACRED HEART-GRIFFIN

Pronunciation: ma-LEEK

2015 Sophomore: Started at wide receiver in five games this season ... Had three receptions for 53 yards at Iowa ... Totaled four receptions for 70 yards, including a 50-yard pass from Lunt late

in the fourth quarter against Nebraska ... Had four catches for 17 yards, including a 5-yard touchdown, against MTSU.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Receptions: 6, twice (last vs. Louisiana Tech, 12/26/14)
Receiving Yards: 84 vs. Louisiana Tech, 12/26/14
Long Reception: 50 vs. Nebraska, 10/3/15
Receiving Touchdowns: 1 at Northwestern, 11/29/14
Tackles: 1 vs. Ohio State 11/1/14

RECEIVING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2014	13	25	256	10.2	19.7	1	20
2015	6	13	155	11.9	25.8	1	50
TOTAL	19	38	411	10.8	21.6	1	50

TURNER RUSHING/RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST	0-0	0	--	1-8	0	8
WIU	0-0	0	--	1-7	0	7
@UNC	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
MTSU	0-0	0	--	4-17	0	7
NEB	0-0	0	--	4-70	0	50
@IOWA	0-0	0	--	3-53	0	34
WIS						
@PSU						
@PUR						
OSU						
@MINN						
VS. NW						

2014	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
YSU	0-0	0	--	4-42	0	20
WKU	0-0	0	--	6-56	0	16
@WASH	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
TXST	0-0	0	--	1-2	0	2
@NEB	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
PUR	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@WIS	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
MIN	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@OSU	0-0	0	--	3-27	0	19
IOWA	0-0	0	--	1-11	0	11
PSU	0-0	0	--	2-19	0	11
@NW	0-0	0	--	2-15	1	10
LT*	0-0	0	--	6-84	0	20

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5 KE'SHAWN VAUGHN

RB, 5-10, 205, FR.
ANTIOCH, TENN. / PEARL-COHN

Pronunciation: KEY-shawn

2015 Freshman: Saw action in the first six games on the season ... Totaled 67 yards and one touchdown on 19 carries and added four receptions for 49 yards at Iowa ... Made his first career start against Nebraska and rushed for a career-high 98 yards on 24 carries ... Had 80 rushing yards and one touchdown against MTSU ... Totaled 51 yards on 13 carries and caught one pass for 13 yards at UNC ... Led the Illini in rushing yards with 53 yards on 15 carries vs. WIU ... Made his Illini debut in the season opener vs. Kent State, totaling 43 yards on 11 carries, while scoring his first collegiate touchdown.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

RUSHING/RECEIVING CAREER HIGHS

Carries: 24 vs. Nebraska, 10/3/15
Rushing Yards: 98 vs. Nebraska, 10/3/15
Long Run: 48 vs. Nebraska, 10/3/15
Rush Touchdowns: 1, twice (last vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/15)
Receptions: 4 at Iowa, 10/10/15
Receiving Yards: 49 at Iowa, 10/10/15
Long Reception: 32 at Iowa, 10/10/15
Rec. Touchdowns: -
All-Purpose Yards: 116 at Iowa, 10/10/15

RUSHING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2015	6	95	392	4.1	65.3	3	48

RECEIVING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2015	6	7	62	8.9	10.3	0	32

VAUGHN RUSHING/RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST	11-43	1	15	0-0	0	--

WIU	15-53	0	8	0-0	0	--
@UNC	13-51	0	12	1-13	0	13
MTSU	13-80	1	24	1-3	0	3
NEB	24-98	0	48	1-(-3)	0	0
@IOWA	19-67	1	18	4-49	0	32
WIS						
@PSU						
@PUR						
OSU						
@MINN						
VS. NW						

22 LAKEITH WALLS

LB, 6-2, 235, JR.
CLEVELAND, OHIO / RHODES

• Academic All-Big Ten (2014)

2015 Junior: Saw action in the first six games of the season ... Recorded four tackles against WIU ... Led the team with a career-high seven tackles in the season opener vs. Kent State.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 7 vs. Kent State 9/5/15
Solos: 5 vs. Kent State 9/5/15
TFLs: 1, twice (last vs. Louisiana Tech, 12/26/14)
Sacks: 1, twice (last vs. Louisiana Tech, 12/26/14)
QB Hurries: -
Fumbles Forced: 1 vs. Louisiana Tech, 12/26/14
Fumbles Recovered: -
PBUs: -
Interceptions: -
Interception Return Yards: -
Touchdowns: -
Carries: 2 vs. Miami (Ohio), 9/28/13
Rushing Yards: 12 vs. Miami (Ohio), 9/28/13
Long Run: 11 vs. Miami (Ohio), 9/28/13
Touchdowns: -
Receptions: -
Receiving Yards: -
Long Reception: -
All-Purpose Yards: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2014	13	11	7	18	2.0-19	2.0-19	0-0	0	0	1-0
2015	6	7	8	15	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TOTAL	27	18	15	33	2.0-19	2.0-19	0-0	0	0	1-0

RUSHING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2013	8	2	12	6.0	1.5	0	11

RECEIVING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2013	8	0	0	0	0	0	--

WALLS DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	5	2	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	1	3	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IOWA	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

2014	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU	0	3	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WKU	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WASH	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TXST	3	1	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NEB	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@OSU	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
IOWA	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PSU	1	0	1	1.0-9	1.0-9	0-0	0	0	0-0
@NW	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
LT*	1	0	1	1.0-10	1.0-10	0-0	0	0	0-0

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WALLS RUSHING/RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

2013	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
SIU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--



CIN				DNP		
VS. WASH				DNP		
MIAMI(OH)	2-12	0	11	0-0	0	--
@NEB	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
WIS	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
MSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@PSU				DNP		
@IND				DNP		
OSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@PUR	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
NW	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--

17 JIHAD WARD

DL, 6-6, 295, SR.
PHILADELPHIA, PA. / BOK VO-TECH HS / GLOBE TECH (NY)

Pronunciation: juh-HODD

- Honorable Mention All-Big Ten (2014)
- 2nd in FBS in fumble recoveries in 2014 (4)

2015 Senior: Started at defensive end in the first six games of the season ... Had a career-high 10 solo tackles at Iowa ... Totaled five tackles and one QBH against Nebraska ... Had a career-high nine tackles, adding 0.5 sack and 1.0 TFL, against MTSU ... Totaled four tackles and one QBH at UNC ... Returned from training camp injury to start the season opener vs. Kent State, making three tackles, including one TFL.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 11 at Iowa, 10/10/15
Solos: 9 at Iowa, 10/10/15
TFL: 2.0 vs. Penn State, 11/22/14
QB Sacks: 1.0, twice (last vs. Penn State, 11/22/14)
INT: -
PBU: 1 vs. Minnesota, 10/25/14
QBH: 1, five times (last vs. Nebraska, 10/3/15)
FF: 1, twice (last at Northwestern, 11/29/14)
FR: 1, five times (last vs. Middle Tennessee, 9/26/15)

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2014	13	21	30	51	8.5-46	3.0-30	0-0	1	5	2-4
2015	6	17	16	33	2.0-9	0.5-5	0-0	0	2	0-0
TOTAL	19	38	46	84	10.5-55	3.5-35	0-0	1	7	2-4

WARD DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	2	1	3	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	1	3	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0
MTSU	4	5	9	1.0-7	0.5-5	1.0-7	0	0	0-1
NEB	1	4	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0
@IOWA	9	2	11	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

2014	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
YSU	1	4	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WKU	1	4	5	1.5-11	0.5-5	0-0	0	1	1-0
@WASH	3	1	4	1.0-9	1.0-9	0-0	0	0	0-0
TXST	2	3	5	1.0-6	0.5-5	0-0	0	1	0-0
@NEB	3	3	6	0.5-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
PUR	2	2	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@WIS	1	2	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MIN	0	4	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	1	0-1
@OSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
IOWA	0	2	2	0.5-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-1
PSU	3	3	6	2.0-16	1.0-11	0-0	0	1	0-0
@NW	2	2	4	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	1-1
LT*	3	0	3	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-1

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33 TRÉ WATSON

LB, 6-2, 240, R-FR.
TAMPA, FLA. / TAMPA CATHOLIC

2015 RS Freshman: Saw action in the first six games of the season ... Recorded four tackles against WIU ... Made his Illini debut in the season opener vs. Kent State and recorded his first three collegiate tackles.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

DEFENSIVE CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 4 vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15
Solos: 2 vs. North Carolina 9/19/15
TFLs: -
Sacks: -
QB Hurries: -
Fumbles Forced: -
Fumbles Recovered: -
PBUs: -
Interception: -
Interception Return Yards: -
Touchdowns: -

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ST	AT	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
2014	1	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
2015	6	5	5	10	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
TOTAL	7	5	5	10	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0

WATSON DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

2015	UA	AS	TOT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	INT-YDS	PBU	QBH	FF-FR
KENT ST	1	2	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIU	1	3	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@UNC	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
MTSU	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
NEB	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
@IOWA	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0
WIS									
@PSU									
@PUR									
OSU									
@MINN									
vs. NW									

87 TYLER WHITE

TE, 6-5, 255, JR.
KALAMAZOO, MICH. / PLAINWELL

- Academic All-Big Ten (2014)

2015 Junior: Saw action in five of the first six games of the season ... Did not play against MTSU due to injury ... Caught three passes for 31 yards, including a one-yard touchdown, against WIU ... Had two catches for 15 yards vs. Kent State, including a 2-yard TD, the first Illinois TD of the season.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

Receptions: 3 vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15
Receiving Yards: 31 vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15
Long Reception: 22 vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15
Touchdowns: 1, three times (vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15)

RECEIVING STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	YPG	TD	LG
2013	12	0	0	0	0	0	--
2014	12	2	17	8.5	1.4	1	13
2015	5	5	46	9.2	9.2	2	22
TOTAL	29	7	63	9.0	2.2	3	22

WHITE RUSHING/RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
KENT ST	0-0	0	--	2-15	1	13
WIU	0-0	0	--	3-31	1	22
@UNC	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
MTSU			DNP - INJURED			
NEB	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@IOWA	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
WIS						
@PSU						
@PUR						
OSU						
@MINN						
vs. NW						

2014	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
YSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
WKU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@WASH	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
TXST	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@NEB	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
PUR	0-0	0	--	1-13	1	13
@WIS	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
MIN	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@OSU	0-0	0	--	1-4	0	4
IOWA	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
PSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@NW	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
LT*				DNP-INJURED		

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2013	CAR-YDS	TD	LG	REC-YDS	TD	LG
SIU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
CIN	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
VS. WASH	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
MIAMI(OH)	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@NEB	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
WIS	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
MSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@PSU	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@IND	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
OSUA	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
@PUR	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--
NW	0-0	0	--	0-0	0	--

17 TAYLOR ZALEWSKI

PK, 6-3, 220, SR.
ORLAND PARK, ILL. / CARL SANDBURG

Pronunciation: zuh-LESS-key

- Hit game-winning 51-yard FG vs. MTSU with 2:09 left
- Academic All-Big Ten (2014 & 2012)
- Earned bachelor's degree in economics in May 2015

2015 Senior: Made two field goals at Iowa and kicked off five times with five touchbacks ... Made a game-winning 51-yard field goal against MTSU with 2:09 left ... Kicked off seven times for an average of 63.1 with four touchbacks against MTSU ... Went a career-best 3-for-3 on field goals against WIU totaling a career-high 14 points ... Kicked off eight times for an average of 64.4 with six touchbacks ... Made a 43-yard field goal and hit 6-of-6 PATs in the season opener vs. Kent State ... Kicked off eight times for an average of 56.4 yards with two touchbacks vs. KSU.

Complete bio information can be found in the 2015 Record Book or at FIGHTINGILLINI.COM.

CAREER HIGHS

FG Made: 3 vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15
FG Attempts: 3, three times (last vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15)
PAT Made: 6, twice (last vs. Kent State 9/5/15)
PAT Attempts: 6, twice (last vs. Kent State 9/5/15)
Points: 14 vs. Western Illinois 9/12/15
Long Field Goal: 54 yards vs. Purdue, 11/17/12
Kickoffs: 9 at Northwestern, 11/29/14
Yards: 547 at Northwestern, 11/29/14
Average: 65.0, eight times (last at Iowa, 10/10/15)
Touchbacks: 7 at Northwestern, 11/29/14
Tackles: 1, 2x (last vs. Southern Illinois, 8/31/13)

KICKING STATISTICS

YEAR	PAT	FG	0-29	30-39	40-49	50+	PTS
2012	12-12	4-7	2-3	0-0	1-2	1-2	24
2013	38-38	12-17	3-4	7-8	1-4	1-1	74
2014	16-18	3-6	2-2	1-2	0-0	0-1	25
2015	20-20	8-13	2-2	3-4	2-4	1-2	44
TOTAL	86-88	27-43	9-11	11-14	4-10	3-7	167

KICKOFF STATISTICS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	TB	RT	RT YDS	YPR
2012	12	43	2,708	63.0	23	20	460	23.0
2013	12	66	4,132	62.6	35	29	719	24.8
2014	12	51	3,160	62.0	28	19	463	24.4
2015	6	34	2,102	61.8	18	15	298	19.9
TOTAL	42	194	12,104	62.4	99	83	1,864	22.5

ZALEWSKI KICKING GAME-BY-GAME

2015	FGM-FGA	LG	BLKD	PAT	PTS
KSU	1-1	43	--	6-6	9
WIU	3-3	39	--	5-5	14
@UNC	0-2	--	--	2-2	2
MTSU	2-3	51	--	3-3	9
NEB	0-2	--	--	2-2	2
@IOWA	2-2	40	--	2-2	8
WIS					
@PSU					
@PUR					
OSU					
@MINN					
vs. NW					

2014	FGM-FGA	LG	BLKD	PAT	PTS
YSU	0-0	--	0	4-4	4
WKU	0-2	--	0	6-6	6
@WASH	1-1	25	0	2-2	5
TXST	0-0	--	0	0-1	0
@NEB			DNP		
PUR	0-0	--	0	0-0	0
@WIS	0-0	--	0	0-0	0



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MIN	0-0	--	0	0-0	0
@OSU	0-0	--	0	0-0	0
IOWA	0-0	--	0	0-0	0
PSU	0-0	--	0	0-0	0
@NW	1-1	33	0	4-4	7
LT*	1-2	27	0	1-2	4

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2013	FGM-FGA	LG	BLKD	PAT	PTS
SIU	2-3	33	0	4-4	10
CIN	1-1	19	0	6-6	9
vs. WASH	1-2	40	0	3-3	6
MIAMI(OH)	0-1	--	0	4-4	4
@NEB	1-1	38	0	2-2	5
WIS	1-1	31	0	3-3	6
MSU	1-1	31	0	0-0	3
@PSU	1-1	20	0	2-2	5
@IND	0-1	--	0	5-5	5
OSU	0-0	--	0	3-3	3
@PUR	2-2	32	0	2-2	8
NW	2-3	51	0	4-4	10

2012	FGM-FGA	LG	BLKD	PAT	PTS
VMU	0-0	--	0	0-0	0
@ASU	0-0	--	0	0-0	0
CSU	1-1	47	0	4-4	7
LT	1-1	26	0	3-3	6
PSU	0-1	--	0	1-1	1
@WIS	0-1	--	0	2-2	2
@MICH	0-1	--	0	0-0	0
IND	1-1	20	0	2-2	5
@OSU	0-0	--	0	0-0	0
MINN	0-0	--	0	0-0	0
PUR	1-1	54	0	0-0	3
@NW	0-0	--	0	0-0	0

ZALEWSKI KICKOFF GAME-BY-GAME

2015	KO	YDS	AVG	TB	RT	RT YDS	YPR
KSU	8	451	56.4	2	5	104	20.8
WIU	8	515	64.0	6	2	32	16.0
@UNC	3	184	61.3	1	2	36	18.0
MTSU	7	442	63.1	4	3	67	22.3
NEB	3	185	61.7	0	3	59	19.7
@IOWA	5	325	65.0	5	0	0	0.0
WIS							
@PSU							
@PUR							
OSU							
@MINN							
VS. NW							

2014	KO	YDS	AVG	TB	RT	RT YDS	YPR
YSU	2	95	47.5	1	0	0	0.0
WKU	6	355	59.2	4	2	33	16.5
@WASH	4	260	65.0	2	2	69	34.5
TXST	1	65	65.0	1	0	0	0.0
@NEB				DNP			
PUR	5	305	61.0	2	3	42	14.0
@WIS	4	260	65.0	2	2	39	19.5
MIN	5	325	65.0	4	1	25	25.0
@OSU	3	188	62.7	0	3	87	29.0
IOWA	3	199	66.3	1	2	32	16.0
PSU	4	249	62.2	3	1	21	21.0
@NW	9	547	60.8	7	2	95	47.5
LT*	5	312	62.4	1	4	76	19.0

*Zaxby's Heart of Dallas Bowl

2013	KO	YDS	AVG	TB	RT	RT YDS	YPR
SIU	8	520	65.0	6	2	73	36.5
CIN	8	517	64.6	4	4	91	22.8
VS. WASH	5	319	63.8	0	5	103	20.6
MIAMI(OH)	7	451	64.4	5	2	41	20.5
@NEB	4	238	59.5	2	1	26	26.0
WIS	5	325	65.0	3	2	77	38.5
MSU	2	96	48.0	1	1	3	3.0
@PSU	3	193	64.3	2	1	27	27.0
@IND	6	383	63.8	3	3	71	23.7
OSU	7	442	63.1	2	5	134	26.8
@PUR	5	302	60.4	4	1	26	26.0
NW	6	348	58.0	3	2	47	23.5

2012	KO	YDS	AVG	TB	RT	RT YDS	YPR
VMU	5	317	63.4	3	2	39	19.5
@ASU	3	195	65.0	1	2	47	23.5
CSU	8	511	63.9	6	2	39	19.5
LT	5	323	64.6	3	2	43	21.5
PSU	2	130	65.0	2	0	0	0.0
@WIS	2	130	65.0	2	0	0	0.0
@MICH	1	51	51.0	0	1	12	12.0
IND	4	244	61.0	2	2	36	18.0
@OSU	4	244	61.0	2	2	46	23.0
MINN	2	130	65.0	2	0	0	0.0
PUR	3	188	62.7	0	3	66	22.0
@NW	4	245	61.2	0	4	132	33.0



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Team Statistics	ILL	OPP
SCORING	171	118
Points Per Game	28.5	19.7
Points Off Turnovers	34	10
FIRST DOWNS	130	97
Rushing	41	49
Passing	74	39
Penalty	15	9
RUSHING YARDAGE	825	908
Yards gained rushing	942	1078
Yards lost rushing	117	170
Rushing Attempts	216	227
Average Per Rush	3.8	4.0
Average Per Game	137.5	151.3
TDs Rushing	8	4
PASSING YARDAGE	1539	1087
Comp-Att-Int	148-258-4	104-196-7
Average Per Pass	6.0	5.5
Average Per Catch	10.4	10.5
Average Per Game	256.5	181.2
TDs Passing	11	8
TOTAL OFFENSE	2364	1995
Total Plays	474	423
Average Per Play	5.0	4.7
Average Per Game	394.0	332.5
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	12-282	15-298
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	17-215	18-233
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	7-115	4-4
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	23.5	19.9
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	12.6	12.9
INT RETURN AVERAGE	16.4	1.0
FUMBLES-LOST	7-4	5-3
PENALTIES-Yards	33-315	40-351
Average Per Game	52.5	58.5
PUNTS-Yards	38-1499	45-1802
Average Per Punt	39.4	40.0
Net punt average	31.7	33.9
KICKOFFS-Yards	35-2167	28-1735
Average Per Kick	61.9	62.0
Net kick average	39.8	39.4
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	31:14	28:46
3RD-DOWN Conversions	41/105	21/94
3rd-Down Pct	39%	22%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	8/13	6/13
4th-Down Pct	62%	46%
SACKS BY-Yards	6-55	8-73
MISC YARDS	3	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	21	13
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	8-13	9-11
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	(17-24) 71%	(13-15) 87%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(13-24) 54%	(7-15) 47%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(21-21) 100%	(11-12) 92%
ATTENDANCE	158930	107693
Games/Avg Per Game	4/39732	2/53846
Neutral Site Games		0/0

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Illinois	52	47	20	52	0	171
Opponents	19	39	17	43	0	118

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Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Vaughn,Ke'Shawn	6	95	407	15	392	4.1	3	48	65.3
Ferguson,Josh	5	71	397	16	381	5.4	3	52	76.2
Enyenihi, Henry	5	18	58	1	57	3.2	1	9	11.4
Crouch,Chayce	6	13	46	17	29	2.2	1	19	4.8
Murdock, Marchie	5	1	19	0	19	19.0	0	19	3.8
Bentley, V'Angelo	6	2	5	0	5	2.5	0	5	0.8
Foster, Kendrick	3	3	4	0	4	1.3	0	3	1.3
Tucker, Cameron	1	1	4	0	4	4.0	0	4	4.0
Team	3	3	0	5	-5	-1.7	0	0	-1.7
Lunt,Wes	6	9	2	63	-61	-6.8	0	2	-10.2
Total	6	216	942	117	825	3.8	8	52	137.5
Opponents	6	227	1078	170	908	4.0	4	75	151.3

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Lunt,Wes	6	120.74	136-233-2	58.4	1424	9	53	237.3
Crouch,Chayce	6	114.17	12-23-1	52.2	115	2	27	19.2
Bentley, V'Angelo	6	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Allison, Geronimo	6	-200.00	0-1-1	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	6	118.44	148-258-4	57.4	1539	11	53	256.5
Opponents	6	105.97	104-196-7	53.1	1087	8	63	181.2

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Allison, Geronimo	6	40	601	15.0	3	53	100.2
Cain,Desmond	6	22	176	8.0	0	29	29.3
Murdock, Marchie	5	20	194	9.7	3	34	38.8
Turner,Malik	6	13	155	11.9	1	50	25.8
Ferguson,Josh	5	12	78	6.5	1	21	15.6
Taylor,Dionte	5	10	89	8.9	0	13	17.8
Mays,Sam	6	7	78	11.1	1	27	13.0
Vaughn,Ke'Shawn	6	7	62	8.9	0	32	10.3
White,Tyler	5	5	46	9.2	2	22	9.2
Clary,Tim	2	3	25	8.3	0	14	12.5
Davis,Andrew	6	3	16	5.3	0	8	2.7
Enyenihi, Henry	5	3	10	3.3	0	6	2.0
Grant,Zach	6	1	7	7.0	0	7	1.2
Johnson,Ainslie	5	1	2	2.0	0	2	0.4
Echard,Nathan	5	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Total	6	148	1539	10.4	11	53	256.5
Opponents	6	104	1087	10.5	8	63	181.2

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Bentley, V'Angelo	14	163	11.6	0	48
Day,Caleb	1	25	25.0	0	0
Dunlap,Jaylen	1	17	17.0	0	0
Mosely,Darius	1	-2	-2.0	0	0
Fejedelem, Clayton	0	0	0.0	1	0
Murdock, Marchie	0	12	0.0	1	12
Total	17	215	12.6	2	48
Opponents	18	233	12.9	1	85

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Barton,Taylor	3	54	18.0	0	49
Spence,Eaton	2	0	0.0	0	0
Fejedelem, Clayton	1	18	18.0	0	18
Monheim,Mason	1	43	43.0	0	43
Total	7	115	16.4	0	49
Opponents	4	4	1.0	0	4

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Bentley, V'Angelo	9	221	24.6	0	37
Day,Caleb	3	61	20.3	0	30
Total	12	282	23.5	0	37
Opponents	15	298	19.9	0	43

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Ward,Jihad	1	23	23.0	0	17
Total	1	23	23.0	0	17
Opponents	0	0	0.0	0	0

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Scoring	td	fg	PAT				dxp	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass			
Zalewski, Taylor	-	8-13	20-20	-	-	-	-	-	44
Murdock, Marchie	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Ferguson, Josh	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Vaughn, Ke'Shawn	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Allison, Geronimo	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
White, Tyler	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Fejedelem, Clayton	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Mays, Sam	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Turner, Malik	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Enyenihi, Henry	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Crouch, Chayce	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Reisner, David	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total	21	8-13	21-21	-	-	-	-	-	171
Opponents	13	9-11	11-12	-	-	0-1	-	1	118

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Lunt, Wes	6	242	-61	1424	1363	227.2
Vaughn, Ke'Shawn	6	95	392	0	392	65.3
Ferguson, Josh	5	71	381	0	381	76.2
Crouch, Chayce	6	36	29	115	144	24.0
Enyenihi, Henry	5	18	57	0	57	11.4
Murdock, Marchie	5	1	19	0	19	3.8
Bentley, V'Angelo	6	3	5	0	5	0.8
Foster, Kendrick	3	3	4	0	4	1.3
Tucker, Cameron	1	1	4	0	4	4.0
Team	3	3	-5	0	-5	-1.7
Total	6	474	825	1539	2364	394.0
Opponents	6	423	908	1087	1995	332.5

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Zalewski, Taylor	8-13	61.5	0-0	2-2	3-4	2-4	1-3	51	0

FG Sequence	Illinois	Opponents
Kent State	(43)	22,(43)
Western Illinois	(31),(22),(39)	-
North Carolina	57,45	(48),(32)
Middle Tennessee	38,(23),(51)	(42),43
Nebraska	51,41	(39),(28)
Iowa	(37),(40)	(19),(34),(40)

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Frain, Ryan	35	1363	38.9	55	3	7	4	1	0
Reisner, David	3	136	45.3	50	0	1	1	1	0
Total	38	1499	39.4	55	3	8	5	2	0
Opponents	45	1802	40.0	68	3	7	12	12	2

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydln
Zalewski, Taylor	34	2102	61.8	18	1			
Reisner, David	1	65	65.0	1	0			
Total	35	2167	61.9	19	1	19.9	39.8	25
Opponents	28	1735	62.0	14	1	23.5	39.4	25

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All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Allison, Geronim	6	0	601	0	0	0	601	100.2
Ferguson, Josh	5	381	78	0	0	0	459	91.8
Vaughn, Ke'Sha	6	392	62	0	0	0	454	75.7
Bentley, V'Angel	6	5	0	163	221	0	389	64.8
Murdock, Marchi	5	19	194	12	0	0	225	45.0
Cain, Desmond	6	0	176	0	0	0	176	29.3
Turner, Malik	6	0	155	0	0	0	155	25.8
Taylor, Dionte	5	0	89	0	0	0	89	17.8
Day, Caleb	3	0	0	25	61	0	86	28.7
Mays, Sam	6	0	78	0	0	0	78	13.0
Enyenihi, Henry	5	57	10	0	0	0	67	13.4
Barton, Taylor	6	0	0	0	0	54	54	9.0
White, Tyler	5	0	46	0	0	0	46	9.2
Monheim, Mason	6	0	0	0	0	43	43	7.2
Crouch, Chayce	6	29	0	0	0	0	29	4.8
Clary, Tim	2	0	25	0	0	0	25	12.5
Fejedelem, Clayt	6	0	0	0	0	18	18	3.0
Dunlap, Jaylen	6	0	0	17	0	0	17	2.8
Davis, Andrew	6	0	16	0	0	0	16	2.7
Grant, Zach	6	0	7	0	0	0	7	1.2
Foster, Kendrick	3	4	0	0	0	0	4	1.3
Tucker, Cameron	1	4	0	0	0	0	4	4.0
Johnson, Ainslie	5	0	2	0	0	0	2	0.4
Mosely, Darius	5	0	0	-2	0	0	-2	-0.4
Team	3	-5	0	0	0	0	-5	-1.7
Lunt, Wes	6	-61	0	0	0	0	-61	-10.2
Total	6	825	1539	215	282	115	2976	496.0
Opponents	6	908	1087	233	298	4	2530	421.7

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##	Defensive Leaders	gp	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot	tfl/yds		int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
20	Fejedelem, Clayton	6	31	24	55	0.5-1	.	1-18	4	.	.	.	.	.
52	Neal Jr., T.J.	6	19	34	53	5.0-7	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.
43	Monheim, Mason	6	13	33	46	1.0-4	.	1-43	2	.	.	.	.	.
17	Ward, Jihad	6	17	16	33	2.0-9	0.5-5	.	.	2	1-23	.	.	.
3	Barton, Taylor	6	14	12	26	2.5-3	.	3-54	3	.	.	.	.	.
2	Bentley, V'Angelo	6	14	6	20	2.0-5	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.
14	Finney, Eric	5	8	11	19	4.0-10	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.
91	Smoot, Dawuane	6	11	8	19	11.5-63	5.0-46	.	1	2	.	1	.	.
1B	Bain, Rob	6	7	10	17	2.5-5	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.
27	Spence, Eaton	6	8	9	17	0.5-0	.	2-0	1	1	.	.	.	.
5C	Crawford, James	6	8	8	16	2.0-6	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
1C	Clements, Chunky	6	9	7	16	7.0-20	0.5-4	.	.	4	.	.	.	.
22	Walls, LaKeith	6	7	8	15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
33	Watson, Tre	6	5	5	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
15	Little, Jevaris	6	3	6	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
8C	Cazley, Dillan	6	7	1	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
6P	Phillips, Carroll	6	4	3	7	2.0-10	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
30	Hylton, Julian	6	3	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
10	Bello, B.J.	5	1	4	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
45	McGrew, Henry	5	3	2	5	2.0-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
26	Doxey, Cedric	6	2	3	5	1.0-1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
39	Echard, Nathan	5	2	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
9N	Nelson, Kenny	4	1	3	4	0.5-0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
85	Roberts, Brandon	3	1	2	3	0.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
56	Martin, Michael	6	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
42	Fotu, Joe	3	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
35	White, Sean	6	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
94	Odenigbo, Tito	4	1	2	3	1.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
28	Dunlap, Jaylen	6	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
24	Mosely, Darius	5	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
1J	James, Chris	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
44	Jones, Julian	5	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
87	White, Tyler	5	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
88	Grant, Zach	6	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
13	Frain, Ryan	6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7	Day, Caleb	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.
53	Allegretti, Nick	6	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
4K	Kelly, Darwyn	6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2K	Kwaaning, Davontay	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
Total		6	212	235	447	48-151	6-55	7-115	22	16	3-23	2	3	.
Opponents		6	220	268	488	30-126	8-73	4-4	19	12	4-0	5	.	1