



2015 Football Game Notes

Game Six - Oct. 10, 2015 vs. UTEP



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FIU vs. UTEP



FIU: (2-3, 0-1 C-USA) (1-0 home)
UTEP: (2-3, 0-1 C-USA) (1-2 road)

Date: Oct. 10, 2015

Location: Ocean Bank Field at Stadium (FieldTurf) (20,000) in Miami, Fla.

Kickoff: 12:00 p.m. ET

Press Box Phone: 305.348.1898

Television: American Sports Network (ASN) - Jeffrey McCarraher (play-by-play) and Michael Young (color analyst) will call the action.



Radio: 1210 ESPN Deportes (WMNA 1210 AM) - Mike Levine (play-by-play) and Wes Carroll (color analyst) on the call. Fans can listen by tuning into 1210 on their AM dial or by logging onto either www.FIUSports.com or www.1210ESPNdeportes.com

Live Stats: www.FIUSports.com

Live Video Streaming: N/A

Tickets: 305.FIU.GAME (348.4263) -or- www.FIUSports.com

Records: FIU enters Saturday's game with a 2-3, 0-1 C-USA record following a 24-14 loss at UMass on Saturday, Oct. 3. UTEP enters Saturday's action with a 2-3, 0-1 C-USA record following a 25-6 loss to UTSA on Saturday, Oct. 3.

FIU Head Coach Ron Turner: Turner (Pacific, 1977) is in his third season at FIU (7-22, .241) and 12th season overall as a head coach (49-83, .371). Turner is 0-1 all-time versus the Miners

UTEP Head Coach Sean Kugler: Kugler (UTEP, 1989) is in his third season at UTEP (11-19, .367). Kugler is 1-0 all-time versus the Panthers.

Series History: Saturday will mark the second meeting all-time between the two programs with UTEP holding a 1-0 edge in the series history. The last meeting between the two schools resulted in a 33-10 win for the Miners on Nov. 16, 2013, in El Paso, Texas.

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- Watch **FIU Athletics** on YouTube

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2015 FIU Schedule

Date	Opponent	TV	Time/Result	Series
Sept. 3	at UCF (I-IV)	CBS SN	W, 15-14	Series Tied, 2-2
	► Dyson blocks field goal to secure season-opening win			
Sept. 12	at Indiana	Big Ten Network	L, 22-36	IU Leads, 1-0
	► Owens records 166 yards receiving with two TDs			
Sept. 19	N.C. Central	--	W, 39-14	FIU Leads, 1-0
	► FIU holds Eagles to 38 yards rushing.			
Sept. 26	*at Louisiana Tech	FCS	L, 17-27	LA Tech Leads, 1-1
	► McGough tosses a career-high 263 yards through the air			
Oct. 3	at UMass	ESPN3	L, 14-24	UMass Leads, 1-0
	► Matilus records a career-high 12 tackles			
Oct. 10	*UTEP	ASN	12:00 p.m.	UTEP Leads, 1-0
	► Caldwell rushed for a career-high 95 yards in last meeting (2013)			
Oct. 17	*at Middle Tennessee	FOX (TBD)	TBA	MT Leads, 6-3
	► Smith set school record for receiving TDs (3) vs. MT last season			
Oct. 24	*Old Dominion	--	6:00 p.m.	ODU Leads, 1-0
	► Homecoming 2015			
Oct. 31	*at Florida Atlantic	ASN	3:30 p.m.	FAU Leads, 9-4
	► Leonard notched school-record 100-yard fumble recovery for a TD in '14			
Nov. 7	*Charlotte	ASN	12:00 p.m.	First Meeting
	► 49ers' first season in C-USA			
Nov. 14	*at Marshall	FOX (TBD)	TBA	MAR Leads, 3-0
	► Gardner tallied third-career 100-yd outing vs. Thundering Herd last year			
Nov. 21	*WKU	FCS	2:30 p.m.	WKU Leads, 4-3
	► Hilltoppers' first trip to Miami since 2012			

* = C-USA Game

All Home Games Played at Ocean Bank Field at FIU Stadium
All Times Eastern and Subject to Change

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Players to Watch



Alex Gardner - RB
Sophomore
GP - 5 Rush. - 84
Yds - 305 TD - 3
Scored third rushing TD at UMass.



Jephete Matilus - LB
Senior
GP - 5 TT - 14
TFL - 1.0 Sack - 1.0
Had a career-high 12 tackles at UMass

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UTEP (2-3, 0-1 C-USA)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
<i>All Times Eastern</i>		
Sep. 5	at Arkansas	L, 13-48
Sep. 12	at Texas Tech	L, 20-69
Sep. 19	at New Mexico State	W, 50-47
Sep. 26	Incarnate Word	W, 27-17
Oct. 3	UTSA	L, 6-25
Oct. 10	at FIU	12:00 pm
Oct. 24	Florida Atlantic	7:00 pm
Oct. 31	at Southern Miss	TBA
Nov. 6	Rice	8:00 pm
Nov. 14	at Old Dominion	TBA
Nov. 21	Louisiana Tech	TBA
Nov. 28	at North Texas	TBA

Statistical Comparison

Category	FIU	UTEP
Rushing Offense	124.0 (110)	137.8 (103)
Passing Offense	232.6 (58)	220.4 (72)
Total Offense	356.6 (99)	358.2 (98)
Scoring Offense	21.4 (113)	23.2 (100)
Rushing Defense	133.4 (40)	184.6 (88)
Pass Efficiency Def.	128.94 (77)	158.44 (119)
Total Defense	382.0 (67)	490.8 (115)
Scoring Defense	23.0 (58)	41.2 (121)
Net Punting	39.03 (42)	35.93 (91)
Punt Returns	5.90 (90)	17.43 (19)
Kickoff Returns	21.57 (62)	21.12 (70)
Turnover Margin	0.00 (69)	-1.40 (115)
Pass Defense	248.6 (90)	306.2 (121)
Pass Efficiency	126.48 (76)	125.41 (80)
Sacks	1.80 (71)	2.20 (45)
Tackles for Loss	5.0 (62)	6.2 (56)
Sacks Allowed	1.20 (30)	0.80 (13)

All-Time Series Results

Series History:	UTEP leads, 1-0
Last Meeting:	UTEP won, 33-10 (11/16/13)
First Meeting:	UTEP won, 33-10 (11/16/13)
Turner vs. UTEP:	0-1
Current FIU Streak:	N/A
Largest FIU Victory:	N/A
Largest UTEP Victory:	33-10 (2013)
Longest FIU Win Streak:	N/A
Longest UTEP Win Streak:	W1 (2013)

UTEP Quick Facts



Location:	El Paso, Texas
Founded:	1914
Enrollment:	22,749
Nickname:	Miners
School Colors:	Dark Blue, Orange, Silver Accent
Stadium:	Sun Bowl
Capacity:	51,500
Surface:	Artificial
Affiliation:	NCAA Division I (FBS)
Conference:	Conference USA
President:	Dr. Diana Natalicio
Athletics Director:	Bob Stull
Website:	www.UTEPAthletics.com

Game Six – FIU Returns Home to Host UTEP in C-USA Home Opener

After playing four of its first five games on the road, the FIU football team returns home to host the UTEP Miners in the team's Conference USA home opener on Saturday, Oct. 10. Kickoff is set for 12 p.m. as the game will be broadcast on the American Sports Network (ASN). Jeffrey McCarragher (play-by-play) and Michael Young (color analyst) will call the action. Fans can also listen to the game on 1210AM ESPN Deportes with Mike Levine (play-by-play) and Wes Carroll (color analyst) on the call.

The Panthers are coming off a tough 24-14 loss at UMass on Saturday, Oct. 3, as FIU was out-gained by the Minutemen, 495-188, in total offense. Despite winning the turnover battle, the Panthers suffered the 10-point loss as UMass racked up 363 yards through the air, resulting in three touchdowns.

Sophomore Alex McGough completed 22-of-34 passes for a season-low 155 yards and one touchdown. McGough connected with sophomore Thomas Owens late in the second quarter for the Boynton Beach, Fla., native's fifth touchdown receptions of the season. Owens has now caught a TD pass in four-straight games.

Sophomore Alex Gardner recorded his third rushing touchdown on the year last weekend. The Jacksonville, Fla., native carried the ball 17 times for 59 yards. He also registered a career-high 10 receptions for 58 yards.

FIU's defensive was in a "bend but don't break" mode most of the game on Saturday, holding UMass to just 24 points despite totaling 495 yards of total offense. The Panthers recovered two fumbles which resulted in 14 points for FIU. The team also recorded its second blocked field goal of the season as Vontarius West blocked a 19-yard attempt by UMass.

FIU was led defensively by senior Jephete Matilus, who was credited with a career-high 12 tackles, including his first-career sack – a 15-yard loss. Sophomore Anthony Wint notched his third outing with double-digit tackles this season, tallying 10 versus the Minutemen, while recovering a fumble.

The Panthers enter this week's action averaging 21.4 points-per-game (No. 113 in the nation) and 356.6 yards of total offense-per-game (No. 99 in the nation).

McGough has completed 122-of-189 passes for 1,129 yards and 10 touchdowns. The Tampa, Fla., native ranks No. 33 in the nation in total yards, No. 15 in the nation in passing touchdowns and No. 36 in the nation in completion percentage (64.6 percent). Last season, McGough finished the year with 1,680 yards and 14 touchdowns.

Owens leads FIU's receivers with 29 catches for 349 yards and five scores. Owens ranks No. 9 in the nation in receiving touchdowns and No. 36 in receptions-per-game (5.8), nationally. Gardner is second on the team in receptions with 26 after collecting 19 in the Panthers' last two outings.

The FIU defense has allowed 23.0 points-per-game (No. 58 in the nation) and 382.0 yards of total offense-per-game (No. 67 in the nation).

Wint leads all Panthers with 41 total tackles. Fellow linebacker, who missed action last week due to injury, is second on the team in total tackles with 33. Defensive ends Michael Wakefield and Denzell Perine have been in the opponent's backfield quite a bit this season as the duo has combined for 6.0 sacks and 12.0 tackles for loss.

Saturday's game will mark just the second meeting all-time between FIU and UTEP with the Miners holding a 1-0 edge in the series history. The last meeting between the two programs resulted in a 33-10 win for UTEP on Nov. 16, 2013 in El Paso, Texas.

Game Notables

- ▶ Saturday will mark FIU's second home game of the season.
- ▶ Saturday will mark the C-USA home opener for the Panthers.
- ▶ Saturday will mark the 30th game for Head Coach Ron Turner at FIU.
- ▶ Saturday will mark Turner's 133rd game as a college head coach.
- ▶ Saturday will mark the second-meeting all-time versus FIU and UTEP.
- ▶ The Miners hold a 1-0 edge in the series history having won the last meeting between the two teams, 33-10, on Nov. 16, 2013 in El Paso, Texas.
- ▶ FIU will be looking to record its 31st home victory all-time on Saturday.
- ▶ Saturday will mark the 160th game in FIU history.

All-Time Game-by-Game

UTEP (0-1)

H: 0-0; A: 0-1; N: 0-0

Date	W/L	Score	Site
11/16/13	L	10-33	A

FIU Media Guidelines

Panthers Media Availability

Note: Schedule subject to change. Please contact Paul Dodson (305.348.3164) for any changes

Monday

- ▶ Day off.
- ▶ Game Notes available on FIUSports.com.

Tuesday

- ▶ Ron Turner and players available following practice (approximately 10:30 a.m.).

Wednesday

- ▶ Ron Turner and players available following practice (approximately 10:30 a.m.).
- ▶ *FIU Football Weekly* featuring Ron Turner and selected players available on FIUSports.com.

Thursday

- ▶ Ron Turner available following practice (approximately 10:30 a.m.). No players available.

Gameday

- ▶ Live statistics available on FIUSports.com (<http://www.sidearmstats.com/fiu/football/media>).
- ▶ Stat monitors featuring StatBroadcast will be made available.
- ▶ Ron Turner and requested players will be made available for post-game interviews. A member of the Athletic Media Relations Staff will escort media to the press conference.

The 2015 FIU football game notes are designed to assist members of the media in its coverage of the Panthers football program. Additional information, including releases and photographs may be obtained by contacting the FIU Athletic Media Relations Office at (305) 348-3164. Please take a moment to review the following policies and services that are intended to assist you in your coverage of FIU football this season.

Credentials

Credentials for FIU home football games are for working media only. Requests for media credentials should be made in writing on organizational letterhead at least one week prior to home games. Requests should be directed to Paul Dodson, Assistant AD for Media Relations - 11200 Southwest 8 Street FIU Arena, Room 211 Miami, FL 33199. Requests from media covering visiting teams will be confirmed first with each opponent's sports information contact.

Spouses, dates, children under 18 and other non-workers are not permitted in working media areas in compliance with the working code of the Football Writers Association of America (FWAA). All media services (statistics, telephones, game information, etc.) will be readily available for your convenience.

All credentials that cannot be mailed will be left at Media Will Call, which is located Gate 11 (just north of the Field House). Will call will open one-and-a-half hours prior to kickoff. Members of the media picking up credentials at Will Call must provide photo identification and the name must match the name on the credential.

Photographers

Photo credentials are issued on a game-by-game basis. FIU will adhere to all NCAA guidelines regarding sideline photography that limit shooting to outside the restraining line enclosing the playing field and outside the 25-yard lines.

Parking

Preferred parking at FIU Stadium is extremely limited. Media requesting parking should contact Athletic Media Relations well in advance.

Press Policies

Working space in the press box is limited and assigned on a first-come, first-served basis. Credentials will be issued according to the following criteria:

- 1.) Local and state newspapers by circulation, wire services, national publications, newspapers from opponents' area and student newspapers from FIU and opponents' schools.
- 2.) Other daily newspapers with preference to those that regularly cover FIU.
- 3.) Radio and television personnel not broadcasting but considered reporting.
- 4.) Non-daily newspapers, with preference to those that regularly cover FIU.
- 5.) Scouts.

Freelance bloggers and/or non-daily writers may be asked to produce copies of actual publications in which their work has appeared. In some cases, these materials will be requested as verification of writers' status.

Telephones

A limited number of telephone lines are available in FIU Stadium's press box for working media. These phones require collect calls or a credit card for billing.

FIU provides an ISDN, and ethernet connection and one business telephone line free of charge to the primary visiting radio outlook.

Wireless Internet

The FIU Stadium press box offers free wireless Internet service to media members. Instructions will be provided in the press box on game day.

E-Mail/Fax Services

Following each FIU home game, the Athletic Media Relations office will e-mail and/or fax whatever information media members need to their respective agencies. Please ask any member of the FIU athletic media relations staff for assistance on this matter.

Post-Game Interviews

After a cooling off period, FIU Head Coach Ron Turner will be brought to a designated interview room, along with requested players. THE FIU LOCKER ROOM IS CLOSED TO THE MEDIA.

Each visiting team will set its own post-game interview policy.

Practice Policies

During the season practices are normally conducted at Ocean Bank Field at FIU Stadium. Practice are generally closed to the media. Photographers a videographers should contact the FIU Athletic Media Relations Department for days and times to shoot practice.

Student-Athlete Interviews

Selected FIU players will be made available following practices on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons throughout the season. Telephone interviews can also be arranged through the FIU Athletic Media Relations office. No players' phone numbers will be given out.

Ron Turner Interviews

Head Coach Ron Turner is available for on-field interviews at the end of practices, Tuesday through Thursday. For out-of-town interviews with Coach Turner, please contact the FIU Media Relations office.

Conference USA Media Services

Conference USA produces a weekly football release on Mondays throughout the season, which includes updated standings, statistics, results and previews. The conference also selects Offensive, Defensive and Special Teams Players of the Week each Monday during the season. This weekly football release is available via direct e-mail delivery, as well as on the conference web site at www.conferenceusa.com.

Conference USA holds a weekly media teleconference each Monday that includes all head coaches. Please contact Conference USA for the phone number and times for each coach.

The conference also presents a 15-minute satellite package of weekly highlights from late August through November. For information on days, times and satellite coordinates, please call Conference USA.

For more information regarding Conference USA football, please contact Assistant Commissioner for Football and Baseball Operations Russ Anderson at (214) 774-1351 or rdanderson@c-usa.org.

General Information

Location.....	Miami, Fla.
Founded/Opened.....	1965/1972
Enrollment	54,000 (Spring, 2014)
Nickname.....	Panthers
Colors	Blue (PMS 282), Gold (PMS 871)
Official School Website.....	FIUSports.com
Stadium	Ocean Bank Field at FIU Stadium
Stadium Capacity	20,000
Stadium Surface	FieldTurf
Affiliation	NCAA Division I (FBS)
Conference.....	Conference USA
President	Dr. Mark B. Rosenberg
Alma Mater/Year	Miami (Ohio), 1971
Exec. Director Sports & Entertainment	Pete Garcia
Alma Mater/Year	Univ. of Miami (Fla.), 1984
Senior Associate Athletics Director/SWA	Julie Berg
Alma Mater/Year	SUNY Cortland, 1985
NCAA Faculty Rep.....	Dr. Pete E.C. Markowitz
Alma Mater/Year	Cornell, 1985

Football History

First Year of Football.....	2002
All-Time NCAA Record/Years	39-110/11
# - All-Time On-Field Record/Years	49-110/11
All-Time Conference USA Record/Years.....	4-13/2
All-Time Sun Belt Record/Years.....	20-37/8
# - Wins in 2003 (2-10), 2004 (3-7) and 2005 (4-6, 3-4 SBC) were vacated.	

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Most Kickoff Returns

Career		
1. 105	T.Y. Hilton (105-2,855)	2008-11
2. 69	Richard Leonard (69-1,789) 2011-Pres.	
3. 67	Lionell Singleton (67-1,613)	2004-07
4. 50	Wayne Times (50-1,083)	2009-12
5. 32	Greg Moss (32-878)	2002-04

Most Kickoff Return Yards

Career		
1. 2,855	T.Y. Hilton (105-2,855)	2008-11
2. 1,789	Richard Leonard (69-1,789) 2011-Pres.	
3. 1,613	Lionell Singleton (67-1,613)	2004-07
4. 1,083	Wayne Times (50-1,083)	2009-12
5. 878	Greg Moss (32-878)	2002-04

Most Total Return Yards

Career		
1. 3,469	T.Y. Hilton (614 PR, 2,855 KR)	2008-11
2. 2,603	R. Leonard (476 PR, 1789 KR, 236 INT)* 2011-Pres.	
3. 2,051	Lionell Singleton (324 PR, 1,613 KR, 114 INT)	2004-07
4. 1,390	Greg Moss (404 PR, 878 KR, 108 INT)	2002-04
5. 1,191	Wayne Times (108 PR, 1,083 KR)	2009-12
*includes 115 fumble return yards		

- ▶ FIU will be looking to improve to 3-3 to start the season.
- ▶ FIU will be looking for its second-straight C-USA home opening victory.
- ▶ Coach Turner is 0-1 all-time versus UTEP.
- ▶ Saturday will mark the team's seventh appearance on ASN (2-4 all-time).
- ▶ Saturday will mark the team's 76th televised game.
- ▶ Sophomore Thomas Owens enters Saturday having caught a touchdown pass in four-straight games.
- ▶ Junior Jonnu Smith enters Saturday having caught a pass in 29-straight games.

A Quick Look at UTEP

Michael Egwuagu scored two touchdowns off UTEP turnovers in the second half as UTSA pulled away for a 25-6 victory over the Miners in the Conference USA opener for both teams on Saturday in the Sun Bowl.



The Roadrunners (1-4, 1-0 C-USA) led the Miners (2-3, 0-1 C-USA) 3-0 following a first half that featured two lightning delays, making it difficult for either team to get anything going. But it was all UTSA over the final 30 minutes as the Miners were only able to mount one scoring drive. UTEP turned it over five times, three times in the second half, as Ryan Metz was picked off four times in a game that lasted four and a half hours.

Unable to get the ground game going, the Miners finished with 275 yards of offense, 216 through the air. Metz was 23-for-49 for 216 yards.

UTEP managed only 95 yards on its first 12 drives. On nine of the 12 drives, the Miners ran three plays or less.

A Look Back at the UMass Game

- ▶ The game marked the Panthers' first trip to Amherst, Mass., and McGuirk Stadium.
- ▶ UMass marked the third first-time opponent for the Panthers this season. With today's loss FIU is now 1-2 versus first-time opponents this season.
- ▶ With last Saturday's loss, FIU is now 4-3 versus teams from the MAC
- ▶ FIU lost the coin toss for the first this season. UMass elected to receive the opening kick.
- ▶ Madison Kubat, Milord Juste, Shawn Abrams made their FIU debuts on Saturday.
- ▶ Chris Miller (OG) made his first-career start,
- ▶ Jonnu Smith extended his streak of consecutive games with a reception to 29 games.
- ▶ Vontarius West blocked a 19-yard FG attempt in the first quarter. That was the second blocked FG attempt by the Panthers this season.
- ▶ Thomas Owens caught a one-yard touchdown pass from Alex McGough late in the second quarter. The touchdown was the fifth of the season for the Boynton Beach, Fla., native, who has now caught a TD pass in four-straight games.
- ▶ Alex Gardner caught a career-high 10 receptions on Saturday.
- ▶ Gardner finished the game with 10 catches for 58 yards.
- ▶ Julian Williams had a career-high five catches for 24 yards.
- ▶ FIU recovered two fumbles on Saturday with both turnovers resulting in 14 points for the Panthers.
- ▶ Jephete Matilus had a career-high 12 tackles including his first-career sack.

Record Watch - Richard Leonard

Senior **Richard Leonard** enters this Saturday's game ranked No. 2 in career kick returns (69), No. 2 in career kick return yards (1,789) and No. 2 in total return yards (2,603) in the FIU record books.

C-USA Home Openers

Saturday will mark FIU's third C-USA home opener with the Panthers owning a 1-1 mark. FIU dominated Florida Atlantic last season, defeating the Owls, 38-10, on Oct. 2. Two seasons ago, the Panthers dropped a 27-24 decision to UAB in the program's first C-USA contest at Ocean Bank Field at FIU Stadium (Oct. 12, 2013).

Good Decisions

Sophomore Alex McGough enters Saturday's game having tossed just two picks in 189 attempts this season. The Tampa native has currently thrown 104-straight passes without an interception. That is the fourth-longest streak in FIU history.

Sack Master

Senior Denzell Perine has wreaked havoc in opposing team's back fields this season. The Mobile, Ala., native has recorded 4.0 sacks and 6.5 tackles for loss in 2015. Perine currently ranks No. 32 in the nation in sacks-per-game (0.80) and No. 47 in the nation in tackles for loss-per-game (1.3).

The National Polls (Week 6)

AP Top 25

1	Ohio State(38)
2	TCU(5)
3	Baylor(10)
4	Michigan State
5	Utah(7)
6	Clemson
7	LSU
8	Alabama
9	Texas A&M(1)
10	Oklahoma
11	Florida
12	Florida State
13	Northwestern
14	Ole Miss
15	Notre Dame
16	Stanford
17	USC
18	Michigan
19	Georgia
20	UCLA
21	Oklahoma State
22	Iowa
23	California
24	Toledo
25	Boise State

Others receiving votes:

Oregon 39, Duke 31, Houston 31, Temple 23, Memphis 19, Navy 19, Arizona State 15, Mississippi State 11, West Virginia 8, Texas Tech 4, BYU 3, Kansas State 1, Missouri 1

USA Today

1	Ohio State(50)
2	TCU(4)
3	Michigan State(1)
4	Baylor(5)
5	LSU(1)
6	Clemson
7	Utah(1)
8	Florida State
9	Oklahoma
10	Alabama
11	Texas A&M
12	Florida
13	Ole Miss
14	Northwestern
15	Notre Dame
16	Georgia
17	USC
18	Stanford
19	Oklahoma State
20	UCLA
21	Michigan
22	California
23	Iowa
24	Boise State
25	Memphis

Others receiving votes:

Oregon 64, Duke 59, West Virginia 31, Toledo 24, Kansas State 17, Temple 16, Arizona State 16, Mississippi State 14, Navy 12, Houston 11, Kentucky 6, Arizona 5, Missouri 4, Wisconsin 4, North Carolina 4, Indiana 2, Illinois 2

29 and Counting

Junior **Jonnu Smith** enters Saturday's game having caught a pass in 29-straight games. That currently ranks tied for No. 9 among all active players, nationally.

Rk.	Player	School	No.
1.	D.J. Foster	Arizona State	45
2.	Alonzo Russell	Toledo	42
3.	Tajae Sharpe	UMass	39
4.	Tommylee Lewis	Northern Illinois	32
5.	Bryce Treggs	California	31
	Shaq Washington	Cincinnati	31
7.	Rashard Higgins	Colorado State	30
	Nelson Spruce	Colorado	30
9.	Jonnu Smith	FIU	29
	Tyler Boyd	Pittsburgh	29
	Zach Pascal	Old Dominion	29

FIU on ASN

Saturday's game versus UTEP will mark FIU's seventh appearance on the American Sports Network (ASN). The Panthers are 2-4 all-time on ASN, including 1-2at Ocean Bank Field at FIU Stadium. FIU's last home game on ASN resulted in a 38-28 win for the Panthers over Middle Tennessee (Nov. 15, 2014).

TO = TDs

Sophomore Thomas Owens enters Saturday's game with a team-high five touchdown receptions this season. The Boynton Beach, Fla., native has caught a touchdown pass in each of the team's last four games.

200+

Sophomore Alex McGough enters Saturday's game with 1,129 yards on 122-of-189 passing (64.6 percent) and 10 touchdowns. The Tampa native has thrown for over 200 yards in four of the Panthers' first five contests.

The Panthers in September

FIU finished the month of September with a 2-2 record, averaging 398.8 yards-per-game of total offense while scoring 93 points. A year ago, the Panthers went 2-2 during the month of September, averaging 293.0 yards-per-game of total offense and scored 96 points.

In 2014, FIU had three home games in September (1-2). This year, the Panthers have had only one home game (1-0).

Offensively, the Panthers have recorded 262 more passing yards and 161 more rushing yards than a year ago.

The difference from a year ago defensively is in the turnover category. This year, FIU had four interceptions and no fumble recoveries. A year ago, the Panthers totaled seven picks and 10 fumble recoveries during the month of September.

First-Time Opponents in 2015

- ▶ FIU will face four first-time opponents in 2015.
- ▶ FIU faced Indiana for this first time on Saturday, Sept. 12, falling to the Hoosiers, 36-22, in Bloomington, Ind. The Panthers followed that up with a 39-14 win over first-time opponent N.C. Central on Saturday, Sept. 19. FIU dropped a 24-14 decision at UMass on Saturday, Oct. 3
- ▶ In its history, 2002-15, FIU is 17-43 in first-time meetings with its 60 all-time opponents.
- ▶ Two of FIU's four first-time opponents will be visiting Ocean Bank Field at FIU Stadium this season.

Offensive Explosion

On Saturday, Sept. 19, the Panthers racked up 490 yards of total offense versus the N.C. Central Eagles, marking the most total yardage by an FIU team under Head Coach Ron Turner. It also marked the second-straight 400-yard game for the Panthers, which totaled 406 yards at Indiana a week earlier. The 490 total yards are the most since FIU put up 522 versus Middle Tennessee on Oct. 13, 2012.

Road Trip

With only four road games during the 2014 season, FIU will play seven games away from Ocean Bank Field at FIU Stadium, including four of its first five games to start the season.

Get Your Popcorn Ready

"Get your popcorn ready" is a phrase TO (Terrell Owens) made popular in NFL as a way to let people know that a good show was coming. FIU's TO (Thomas Owens) put on a show on Thursday, Sept. 3, recording 10 catches for 78 yards at UCF. In the sophomore's first-career start, the 10 catches were two shy of the school record set by T.Y. Hilton (Oct. 8, 2011 at Akron). Not to be outdone, Owens followed that performance up with a nine-catch, 166-yard outing at Indiana last Saturday. The 166 yards were the fourth-most in a single game in FIU history. The sophomore also caught two TDs in

Over the Air

1210 ESPN Deportes (1210-WNMA-AM)

Mike Levine (play-by-play) and **Wes Carroll** (color analyst) on the call. Fans can listen by tuning into 1210 on their AM dial or by logging onto either www.FIUSports.com or www.espnreportesmiami.com/ com

All 12 games will broadcast live on 1210AM from Ocean Bank Field at FIU Stadium. 1210AM ESPN Deportes will also feature full coverage of FIU football, including pre- and post-game analysis, as well as interviews with coaches, players and staff leading up to each game.



C-USA Television

(American Sports Network/FOX/CBS Sports Network)

The American Sports Network (ASN) is a division of Sinclair Broadcast Group that features Conference USA and nine other NCAA Division I conferences. Below are the three FIU games to be broadcast on ASN.

Oct. 10; UTEP at FIU (ASN); 12 p.m. ET
Oct. 31; FIU at Florida Atlantic (ASN); 3:30 p.m. ET
Nov. 7; FIU at Charlotte (ASN); 12 p.m. ET

For ASN channel listing log onto <http://www.americansportsnet.com/>



The Panthers also have four games to be broadcast on FOX Sports 1, FSN, FOX College Sports and CBS Sports Network.

Sept. 3; FIU at UCF (CBS SN); 6 p.m. ET
Sept. 26; FIU at Louisiana Tech (FCS); 2:30 p.m. ET
Oct. 17; FIU at Middle Tennessee (FOX TBD); TBA
Nov. 14; FIU at Marshall (FOX TBD); TBA
Nov. 21; WKU at FIU (FCS); 2:30 p.m. ET



that game including a 75-yard bomb from Alex McGough. The reception tied Owens for the fifth-longest touchdown catch all-time at FIU (Jonnu Smith – 75 yard touchdown at UAB – 9/27/14).

Airing it Out

On Saturday, Sept. 12, sophomore Alex McGough connected with wide out Thomas Owens for a 75-yard touchdown pass versus the Indiana Hoosiers. The reception tied the school record for the fifth-longest TD catch, tying the mark set last season when McGough hit junior Jonnu Smith for 75 yards at UAB (9/27/14).

Home Openers

The 39-14 win over N.C. Central marked the first home-opening win for the Panthers since the start of the 2011 season (41-16 over North Texas). The victory improves FIU to 5-9 all-time in home openers.

FIU and the Sunshine State

- In its 14-year history, FIU has played against eight of 10 FBS or FCS programs in Florida.
- FIU will play two Sunshine State schools in 2015 (UCF and Florida Atlantic).
- FIU has played Bethune-Cookman (0-4), Florida (0-1), Florida A&M (0-0/2-0#), Florida Atlantic (3-9/4-9#), Jacksonville (1-0/2-0#), Miami (0-2), UCF (2-2) and USF (0-2). [# - wins from 2003-05 were vacated].
- The only FBS or FCS schools FIU has not faced are Florida State and Stetson, which just brought back its football program in 2013.

New Faces on the Coaching Staff for 2015

The FIU Coaching staff added five new members this past offseason. **Ron Cooper** (Assistant Head Coach/Defensive Secondary), **Matt House** (Defensive Coordinator/Linebackers), **Tim Harris, Jr.** (Running Backs), **Tem Lukabu** (Defensive Line) and **Greg Moss** (Cornerbacks) joined Ron Turner's staff this past spring. That makes eight assistant coaches in Turner's three years at FIU moving on to other opportunities in both the college and professional ranks. From NFL clubs like Minnesota, Tampa Bay and Carolina to college programs in the Atlantic Coast Conference, the Southeastern Conference and the American Athletic Conference.

Leonard on Thorpe Watch List

Senior cornerback **Richard Leonard** was named to the 2015 Preseason Jim Thorpe Award Watch List announced on July 13. Leonard is listed among 42 of the nation's best defensive backs, representing eleven conferences.

The Jim Thorpe Award is one of the most coveted awards in college football. The award was established in 1986 and is named after history's greatest all-around athlete, Jim Thorpe. Thorpe excelled as a running back, passer and kicker on the offensive side of the ball, but also stood out as a defensive back. In addition to his legendary performance on the football field, Thorpe played professional baseball and won Olympic gold medals in the



decathlon and pentathlon.

The Jim Thorpe Award watch list is chosen by a screening committee who compile a list of 30-50 players. The list is not final, and players who have outstanding seasons are added as the season progresses. The Thorpe Award Winner is selected from three finalists and will be announced at The Home Depot College Football Awards on Thursday, December 10, 2015 on ESPN.

The Jim Thorpe Award Banquet will be held on Tuesday, February 2, 2016 in Oklahoma City, OK.

Wakefield and Perine Named to the 2015 Rotary Lombardi Award Watch List

The Rotary Lombardi Award Committee released the 2015 watch list for this year's Rotary Lombardi Award and seniors **Michael Wakefield** and **Denzell Perine** have been selected, the committee announced on July 14.



Smith on Mackey Watch List

Junior **Jonnu Smith** has been named to the 2015 John Mackey Award Preseason Watch List announced on July 8. Smith is one of 33 student-athletes named to the preseason watch list for the nation's top tight end.

Given annually to the most outstanding collegiate tight end, the award recipient is selected by vote of the John Mackey Award Selection Committee and the 2015 John Mackey recipient will be announced on December 9, 2015 and then presented live on December 10, 2015 at The Home Depot College Football Awards Red Carpet Show on ESPNU.



Coaching Staff Combines 160 Years

► Along with Ron Turner, this year's full-time coaching staff boasts 160 combined years working in football.

Steve Shankweiler	41
Ron Turner	38
Ron Cooper	32
Matt House	14
Shannon Moore	9
Tem Lukabu	9
Jason Brooks	9
Kort Shankweiler	8

Panthers Currently in the NFL

Johnathan Cyprien (SS)

Third Season

Jacksonville Jaguars - 2013-15

- 2013 second-round draft pick by the Jacksonville Jaguars (32nd overall)



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Second Season

Minnesota Vikings - 2014-15

- Signed to Vikings Practice Squad on Sept. 7, 2015.



T.Y. Hilton (WR)

Fourth Season

Indianapolis Colts - 2012-14

- 2012 third-round draft pick by the Indianapolis Colts (92nd overall)



Tourek Williams (OLB)

Third Season

San Diego Chargers - 2013-14

- 2013 sixth-round pick by the San Diego Chargers (179th overall).



Most Passing Touchdowns

Career			
1.	42	Josh Padrick (820-1,479-50)	2003-06
2.	34	Paul McCall (417-768-19)	2007-09
3.	30	Wes Carroll (426-699-18)	2010-11
4.	24	Alex McGough (210-385-12)	2014-Present
5.	18	Jake Medlock (264-478-9)	2011-13
6.	14	Jamie Burke (131-226-11)	2002-03
7.	11	David Tabor (64-121-6)	2002-05
8.	10	Wayne Younger (169-369-21)	2007-10
9.	8	E.J. Hilliard (175-274-7)	2012-Present
10.	1	T.Y. Hilton	2008-11

Phil Steele Likes Eight Panthers

Phil Steele's 2015 Preseason All-Conference USA Teams were announced on June 1 and FIU football had eight players that were recognized. Junior **Jonnu Smith**, senior **Michael Wakefield**, senior **Denzell Perine** and senior **Richard Leonard** were named a first-team selection, while sophomore **Anthony Wint** received second-team honors and junior **Jordan Budwig**, senior **Clinton Taylor** and senior **Davison Colimon** were named to the fourth team.

Not to Be Outdone, Athlon Recognizes Nine

Athlon Sports' 2015 Preseason All-Conference USA Teams were announced on June 10 and FIU football had nine players recognized. Junior **Jonnu Smith**, seniors **Michael Wakefield** and **Richard Leonard** were named a first-team selection, while junior **Jordan Budwig** and seniors **Aaron Nielsen**, **Denzell Perine** and **Davison Colimon** received third-team honors. Juniors **Treyvon Williams** and **Austin Taylor** were named to the fourth team.

Preseason Defensive POY; Four Preseason All-C-USA Selections

Four Panthers have been recognized in this year's 2015 preseason Conference USA Football awards, as chosen by the league's 13 head coaches on July 14. Senior **Richard Leonard** has been named the league's Preseason Defensive Player of the Year, juniors **Jordan Budwig** and **Jonnu Smith** and senior **Michael Wakefield** earned preseason all-conference honors.

119 Catches and Counting

Junior **Jonnu Smith** enters Saturday's contest with 119 catches for 1,227 yards and 11 touchdowns for his career. He is just the eighth player and second tight end in FIU history to have over 100 catches and over 1,000 yards receiving.

Most Receptions - Tight End

Career			
1.	133	Samuel Smith	2003-06
2.	119	Jonnu Smith	2013-present
3.	50	Ya'Keem Griner	2012-present
4.	39	Joe Struyf	2002-03, '05
5.	31	Jonathan Faucher	2008-11
6.	23	Moses Hinton	2005-08
7.	22	Colt Anderson	2007, 09-11
8.	20	Akil Dan-Fodio	2012-present
9.	19	Eric Kirchenberg	2007-08

Most Rec. Yards - Tight End

Career			
1.	1,383	Samuel Smith	2003-06
2.	1,227	Jonnu Smith	2013-present
3.	550	Ya'Keem Griner	2012-present
4.	445	Joe Struyf	2002-03, '05
5.	317	Jonathan Faucher	2008-11
6.	286	Moses Hinton	2005-08
7.	283	Colt Anderson	2007-11
8.	206	Eric Kirchenberg	2007-08
9.	164	Akil Dan-Fodio	2012-present

Smith on Wuerffel Watch List

Junior **Jonnu Smith** has been named to the 2015 Wuerffel Trophy Watch List, announced on July 15. Smith is one of 80 student-athletes considered for the award honoring college football's top community servant.

Smith is extremely active in the community,

specifically mentoring "at-risk" children. The 6-foot-3 junior has been a committed advocate towards the development and guidance for disadvantaged and underprivileged youth through working with programs like the Miami-Dade Police Athletic League. Through PAL, he provided weekly campus visits and spoke to kids about joining teams and not gangs. He also volunteered his time to coach kids with disabilities through the 12th Man Football Camp, spoke to kids about the importance of education by visiting local elementary schools and worked with kids to promote healthy lifestyles through Pediatric Wellness Day.

The Wuerffel Trophy, known as "College Football's Premier Award for Community Service," is presented annually by the All Sports Association in Fort Walton Beach Florida. Named after 1996 Heisman Trophy winning quarterback Danny Wuerffel from the University of Florida, the Wuerffel Trophy is awarded to the FBS player that best combines exemplary community service with athletic and academic achievement.

McGough Climbing the Charts

In just his second season under center, sophomore **Alex McGough** is already in the school's top 10 in career completions (261 - 5th), attempts (463 - 5th), passing yards (2,809 - 5th) and passing touchdowns (24 - 4th).

Most Attempts

Career			
1.	1,479	Josh Padrick (820-1,479-50)	2002-06
2.	768	Paul McCall (417-768-19)	2005-09
3.	699	Wes Carroll (426-699-18)	2010-11
4.	478	Jake Medlock (264-478-9)	2011-13
5.	463	Alex McGough (210-385-12)	2014-Present
6.	369	Wayne Younger (169-369-21)	2006-10
7.	342	Jake Medlock (166-342-5)	2011-13
8.	274	E.J. Hilliard (175-274-7)	2012-14
9.	226	Jamie Burke (131-226-11)	2002-05
10.	121	David Tabor (64-121-6)	2002-05

Most Completions

Career			
1.	820	Josh Padrick (820-1,479-50)	2002-06
2.	426	Wes Carroll (426-699-18)	2010-11
3.	417	Paul McCall (417-768-19)	2005-09
4.	264	Jake Medlock (264-478-9)	2011-13
5.	261	Alex McGough (210-385-12)	2014-Present
6.	175	E.J. Hilliard (175-274-7)	2012-14
7.	169	Wayne Younger (169-369-21)	2006-10
8.	131	Jamie Burke (131-226-11)	2002-05
9.	64	David Tabor (64-121-6)	2002-05
10.	11	Tavaris Kendrick (11-18-1)	2004-05

Most Passing Yards

Career			
1.	9,237	Josh Padrick (820-1,479-50)	2002-06
2.	5,189	Paul McCall (417-768-19)	2005-09
3.	4,997	Wes Carroll (426-699-18)	2010-11
4.	3,425	Jake Medlock (264-478-9)	2011-13
5.	2,809	Alex McGough (210-385-12)	2014-Present
6.	1,938	Wayne Younger (169-369-21)	2006-10
7.	1,791	Jamie Burke (131-226-11)	2002-05
8.	1,756	E.J. Hilliard (175-274-7)	2012-14
9.	854	David Tabor (64-121-6)	2002-05
10.	134	Tavaris Kendrick (11-18-1)	2004-05

C-USA Players of the Week

Week One

Offensive - Ray Lawry, RB, Old Dominion
 Defensive - Tiquan Lang, DB, Marshall
 Special Teams - Blake Brewer, K, Charlotte

Week Two

Offensive - Brandon Doughty, QB, WKU
 Defensive - Marcus Ward, S, WKU
 Special Teams - Kylan Towner, KR/PR, WKU

Week Three

Offensive - Jalen Richard, RB, Southern Miss.
 Defensive - Jeremy Cutrer, CB, Middle Tennessee
 Special Teams - Jaquan White, PR, UTEP

Week Four

Offensive - Brandon Doughty, QB, WKU
 Defensive - Ocie Rose, DB, Florida Atlantic
 Special Teams - Tyler Williams, P, Marshall

Week Five

Offensive - TBA
 Defensive - TBA
 Special Teams - TBA

Week Six

Offensive - TBA
 Defensive - TBA
 Special Teams - TBA

Week Seven

Offensive - TBA
 Defensive - TBA
 Special Teams - TBA

Week Eight

Offensive - TBA
 Defensive - TBA
 Special Teams - TBA

Week Nine

Offensive - TBA
 Defensive - TBA
 Special Teams - TBA

Week Ten

Offensive - TBA
 Defensive - TBA
 Special Teams - TBA

Week Eleven

Offensive - TBA
 Defensive - TBA
 Special Teams - TBA

Week Twelve

Offensive - TBA
 Defensive - TBA
 Special Teams - TBA

Week Thirteen

Offensive - TBA
 Defensive - TBA
 Special Teams - TBA

Week Fourteen

Offensive - TBA
 Defensive - TBA
 Special Teams - TBA

2015 Honors

Jordan Budwig - Jr. - OG

Preseason All-Conference USA (OL)
 Preseason Third-Team All-C-USA (Athlon)
 Preseason Fourth-Team All-C-USA (Phil Steele)

Davison Colimon - Sr. - LB

Preseason Third-Team All-C-USA (Athlon)
 Preseason Fourth-Team All-C-USA (Phil Steele)

Richard Leonard - Sr. - WR/RET

Preseason C-USA Defensive Player of the Year
 Preseason All-Conference USA (CB/PR)
 Preseason Jim Thorpe Award Watch List
 Preseason First-Team All-C-USA (Athlon)
 Preseason First-Team All-C-USA (Phil Steele)

Aaron Nielsen - Sr. - OG

Preseason Third-Team All-C-USA (Athlon)

Denzell Perine - Sr. - DE

Preseason Rotary Lombardi Award Watch List
 Preseason Third-Team All-C-USA (Athlon)
 Preseason First-Team All-C-USA (Phil Steele)

Jonnu Smith - So. - TE

Preseason John Mackey Award Watch List
 Preseason Wuerffel Trophy Watch List
 Preseason All-Conference USA (TE)
 Preseason First-Team All-C-USA (Athlon)
 Preseason First-Team All-C-USA (Phil Steele)

Austin Taylor - Jr. - K

Preseason Fourth-Team All-C-USA (Athlon)

Clinton Taylor - Sr. - WR

Preseason Fourth-Team All-C-USA (Phil Steele)

Michael Wakefield - Sr. - DE

Preseason Rotary Lombardi Award Watch List
 Preseason All-Conference USA (DL)
 Preseason First-Team All-C-USA (Athlon)
 Preseason First-Team All-C-USA (Phil Steele)

Treyvon Williams - Jr. - LB

Preseason Fourth-Team All-C-USA (Athlon)

Anthony Wint - So. - LB

Preseason Second-Team All-C-USA (Phil Steele)

Game Captains

UCF (Sept. 3, 2015)

Richard Leonard, Alex McGough, Jonnu Smith,
 Mike Wakefield

Indiana (Sept. 12, 2015)

Michael Montero, Richard Leonard, Alex McGough,
 Michael Wakefield

N.C. Central (Sept. 19, 2015)

Jonnu Smith, Vontarius West, Alex McGough,
 Michael Wakefield

LA Tech (Sept. 26, 2015)

Anthony Samuel, Alex McGough, Michael Wakefield,
 Anthony Wint

UMass (Oct. 3, 2015)

Richard Leonard, Alex McGough, Michael Wakefield,
 Ya'Keem Griner

FIU's Record When

Overall	2-3
C-USA	0-1
Home	1-0
Road	1-3

September	2-2
October	0-1
November	0-0

Noon Start	0-0
2:30 p.m. Start	0-1
3:00 p.m. Start	0-1
3:30 p.m. Start	0-0
6:00 p.m. Start	2-0
8:00 p.m. Start	0-1

Scoring First	2-1
Opponent Scores First	0-2
Scoring 30+ Points	1-1
Scoring Less than 30 Points	1-2

Leading at the Half	1-1
Trailing at the Half	1-2
Tied at the Half	0-0
Leading after Three Quarters	1-0
Trailing after Three Quarters	1-3

Leading in Time of Possession	1-0
Trailing in Time of Possession	1-3

Outgaining Opponent in Total Offense	2-0
Trailing Opponent in Total Offense	0-3
Outrushing Opponent	2-0
Outpassing Opponent	2-2
70+ Total Plays	1-1
Rushing 30+ Times	2-1
Passing 30+ Times	2-3

Winning Turnover Battle	1-1
Losing Turnover Battle	1-1
Tied in Turnovers	0-1

With a 100-Yard Rusher	0-0
With a 150-Yard Rusher	0-0
With a 200-Yard Passer	2-2
With a 250-Yard Passer	1-1
With a 300-Yard Passer	0-0
With a 100-Yard Receiver	0-1

Opp. with a 100-Yard Rusher	0-2
Opp. with a 150-Yard Rusher	0-2
Opp. with a 200-Yard Passer	1-3
Opp. with a 250-Yard Passer	0-1
Opp. with a 300-Yard Passer	0-1
Opp. with a 100-Yard Receiver	1-1

Winning Coin Toss	2-2
Losing Coin Toss	0-1
Electing to Receive	1-0
Electing to Defer	1-2
Receiving Ball First	1-0
Opp. Receiving Ball First	1-3

On CBS SN	1-0
On BTN	0-1
On FCS	0-1
On ASN	0-0
On ESPN3	0-1

Wearing Blue Jerseys	1-0
Wearing White Jerseys	1-3
Wearing Blue Pants	1-0
Wearing White Pants	1-3
Wearing Gold Pants	0-0

Head Coach Ron Turner (Third Season)



Ron Turner was named FIU's head football coach on January 4, 2013, bringing with him an outstanding resume from coaching at the collegiate and professional levels.

Entering his third season with the Panthers, Turner's 38 years in coaching have included 11 as a head coach with FIU, Illinois and San Jose State.

Since arriving at FIU, Turner has laid the foundation for a championship program. The Panthers have continued to build off of their success each year under Turner and are focused to be winners on and off the field. His success with the Panthers has been recognized by Conference USA as Turner has coached 10 all-conference, five all-freshman and 27 academic

honor roll selections in his two years at the helm.

During the 2014 season, FIU finished ranked No. 35 in the nation in total defense. Holding teams to 20-or-fewer points six times this past season (zero in 2013), the Panthers were No. 5 in the nation in turnovers forced (33), including 19 fumble recoveries. FIU's red zone defense was one of the best in the country as opponents had a 69.2 percent success rate (No. 4 in the nation). On third downs, FIU held its opponents 35.9 percent of the time, good for No. 28 nationally.

Offensively, the Panthers threw for 2,016 yards and 15 touchdowns opposed to 1,713 yards and eight touchdowns in 2013. FIU rushed for 1,502 yards (No. 4 all-time at FIU in a single season), finding the endzone 11 times; an improvement from the 2013 season (5).

For the team's performance on the field in 2014, FIU had seven All-Conference USA selections and three C-USA All-Freshman honorees.

Following Turner's first season with FIU in which the then-first-year coach instilled the core values expected of the football program, the Panthers nearly doubled the amount of community service hours from the previous season and finished the year with the highest team GPA in program history.

During his 24 previous seasons in college football, Turner's career was highlighted with participation in eight bowl games: Rose, Fiesta, Sugar, Aloha, Citrus and Micron PC.

After he led an impressive turnaround at the University of Illinois, which resulted in the school's 2001 Big Ten championship, the league unanimously voted him that season's Big Ten Coach of the Year and was a finalist for the Eddie Robinson National Coach of the Year Award.

In 12 seasons coaching in the National Football League, Turner spent the majority of those seasons with the Chicago Bears, in addition to the Tampa Bay Buccaneers and Indianapolis Colts.

His NFL resume includes being named the 1995 Pro Football Weekly Assistant Coach of the Year; four playoff appearances; Offensive Coordinator during the Bears' 2006 NFC Championship and Super Bowl season; an assistant with the Colts' 2010 AFC South title team; quarterbacks coach with a 2012 Tampa Bay squad that netted team records for total yards, passing yards and passing touchdowns.

Prior to becoming FIU's third all-time head football coach, Turner spent the previous season with the Buccaneers where he coached quarterback Josh Freeman to franchise records in passing yards (4,065) and passing touchdowns (27). In just one season with the Bucs, Turner helped Tampa Bay amass team records in total yards (5,820) and total points scored (389).

Turner spent the two previous seasons with the Colts coaching quarterbacks in 2011 and wide receivers in 2010.

In 2010, Reggie Wayne produced his seventh-consecutive 1,000-plus yard season, a third 100-plus reception season and a career season-best reception total. With expected starter Anthony Gonzalez out with an injury, Turner mentored young receivers Austin Collie and Pierre Garcon each to 55-plus receptions, 600-plus yards and five-plus touchdown catches.

Overall, Turner coached for nine seasons in Chicago. For five years, 2005-09, he was Lovie Smith's offensive coordinator. From 1993-96, four seasons, Turner was the offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach under Dave Wannstedt.

In his second stint with the Bears, Turner directed quarterback Jay Cutler to a record-setting season in 2009, with the most completions (336) and attempts (555) in team history. As a team, Chicago had 3,473 net passing yards in 2009, the third-best passing total in team history.

Turner's NFL Quarterbacks

Tampa Bay

Josh Freeman
Dan Orlovsky

Chicago

Jay Cutler
Rex Grossman
Kyle Orton
Brian Griese
Jeff Blake
Kurt Kittner
Erik Kramer
Dave Krieg
Shane Matthews
Steve Walsh
Jim Harbaugh
Peter Tom Willis

Indianapolis

Kerry Collins
Dan Orlovsky
Curtis Painter
Peyton Manning



Under Turner, the Bears also had top-ranked passing seasons in 2007 (3,362) and 1995 (3,743). In all, Turner's offenses produced four of the top-five and seven of the top-17 passing attacks in club history, topping 3,000 net passing yards in seven of his nine seasons.

The rushing attack produced 8,512 yards in Turner's last five seasons, including the second- and third-best club totals in a 19-season span (2,099 in 2005; 1,918 in 2006).

In 2008, Turner helped quarterback Kyle Orton set a record streak with 205 attempts without an interception. Running back Matt Forte also had success, rushing 316 times for 1,238 yards and eight touchdowns while adding 63 receptions for 477 yards and four touchdowns, setting club rookie marks in yards, scrimmage yards (1,715) and receptions. The team's 375 points tied the seventh-best seasonal mark in club history.

Turner and the 2006 Bears went 13-3 and won the NFC North. They earned home-field advantage in the playoffs en route to an NFC title and a trip to Super Bowl XLI. During the season, the team topped 30-plus points seven times, the best seasonal total since 1956, and produced 5,199 net yards.

The club's 38 offensive touchdowns were the most since 44 in 1995 under Turner. The Bears were the only NFL team with six players scoring five-plus touchdowns, with the last time the club achieving that mark being in 1948.

In 2005, with Orton as a rookie, Turner helped coach the team to an 11-5 record. The club rushed for 2,099 yards – the first 2,000-plus yard season by Chicago since 1990. Chicago ranked eighth in rushing offense (131.2), topped 100-plus yards 13 times and tied for the league lead with 19 rushes of 20 or more yards.

Personal Information

Name: Ronald D. Turner
Hometown: Martinez, California
Family: Wife, Wendy; Four children - sons Morgan and Cameron, and daughters, Callan and Madison; Two granddaughters - Charliejane and Luella
Education: A.A. in General Studies
Diablo Valley Community College (1974)
B.S. in Physical Education
University of the Pacific (1977)

Coaching Career

2013-2015 FIU, Head Coach
2012 Tampa Bay Buccaneers, Quarterbacks Coach
2011 Indianapolis Colts, Quarterbacks Coach
2010 Indianapolis Colts, Wide Receivers Coach
2005-2009 Chicago Bears, Offensive Coordinator
1997-2004 Illinois, Head Coach
1993-1996 Chicago Bears, Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks Coach
1992 San Jose State, Head Coach
1989-1991 Stanford, Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks Coach
1988 Texas A&M, Quarterbacks Coach
1987 Southern California, Wide Receivers Coach
1986 Southern California, Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks Coach
1985 Southern California, Quarterbacks Coach
1983-1984 Pittsburgh, Quarterbacks Coach
1981-1982 Northwestern, Quarterbacks/Wide Receivers Coach
1978-1980 Arizona, Running Backs/Receivers Coach
1977 Pacific, Graduate Assistant Coach

Postseason as a Coach

2010 Indianapolis (NFL); AFC Wild Card Game
2006 Chicago (NFL); Super Bowl XLI
Chicago (NFL); NFC Championship Game
Chicago (NFL); NFC Division Playoff
2005 Chicago (NFL); NFC Division Playoff
2001 Illinois (NCAA); 2002 Nokia Sugar Bowl
1999 Illinois (NCAA); 1999 Micron PC Bowl
1994 Chicago (NFL); NFC Division Playoff
Chicago (NFL); NFC Wild Card Game
1991 Stanford (NCAA); Jeep Aloha Bowl
1987 Southern California (NCAA); 1988 Rose Bowl
1986 Southern California (NCAA); 1987 Citrus Bowl
1985 Southern California (NCAA); 1985 Jeep Aloha Bowl
1983 Pittsburgh (NCAA); 1984 Fiesta Bowl

Head Coach Ron Turner (Third Season)

From 1993-96, Turner would seemingly coach a different starter in each of those seasons. The club would go 33-33 overall, however, the completion percentages in 1994 (61.4%) and 1995 (60.2%) ranked among the highest in team history.

Chicago's net passing total of 3,743 yards in 1995 ranked second in team history. With Erik Kramer at quarterback in 1995, the Bears set a team record for passing offense (233.9 yards per game) and scored the fifth-most points (392) in club history.

Kramer set a club record with 29 touchdown passes. The 1995 squad had the third-most net yards (5,673) and second-most first downs (340) in team history. The offense also featured a 1,000-plus yard rusher (Rashaan Salaam, 1,074 yards) and two 1,000-plus yard receivers (Jeff Graham, 1,301 yards and Curtis Conway, 1,037 yards) for the first time in team history.

In between his time with the Bears, Turner spent eight seasons as head coach at the University of Illinois (1997-2004), where he is the fourth-winningest coach in school history. Turner guided the Illini to two bowl bids, the Big Ten Championship in 2001 and a BCS Bowl bid to the Nokia Sugar Bowl.

In 2001, Turner was the unanimous selection for Big Ten Coach of the Year. He would preside over three of the top-six offenses in Illini history in terms of total yards, while four of his eight squads ranked in the school's top-11 for scoring. The 2001 unit had a school-record 390 points. Three of the top-six all-time leading rushers at Illinois and three of the school's top-10 all-time leading receivers played under Turner, as he helped place more than 20 players on NFL rosters.

The championship run in 2001 marked many firsts for the Illini. It was the first outright Big Ten title for Illinois in 18 years and the teams' first-ever berth in the Bowl Championship Series. The 10-win season was only the fourth for an Illini squad in its storied history.

For his efforts, Turner was unanimously named the 2001 Big Ten Coach of the Year. He also was a finalist for the Eddie Robinson, Bear Bryant and the AFCA Coach of the Year awards. Illinois' No. 7 ranking in both the Associated Press and coaches' poll at the end of the regular season was the highest for an Illini squad since 1990. The team finished No. 12 in both final polls.

Aside from mentoring several notable quarterbacks at the NFL level, Turner is also known for his development of college quarterbacks.

At Illinois, Turner tutored Kurt Kittner, who was a Johnny Unitas Award finalist and a Davey O'Brien Award semifinalist.

Kittner became only the sixth Illinois quarterback to pass for over 3,000 yards in a season and with a win over Northwestern in 2001, he became the winningest quarterback in school history (24-15). He set the school record for touchdown passes in a career with 70 and broke his own single-season record of 24 set in 1999 with 27 in 2001.

Kittner became one in a long line of successful Turner-coached quarterbacks at the college level including: John Congemi (Pittsburgh), Jeff Garcia (San Jose State), Rodney Peete (Southern California), Bucky Richardson (Texas A&M), Sean Salisbury (Southern California), Sandy Schwab (Northwestern) and Steve Stenstrom (Stanford).

Prior to the Bears, Turner coached for one season at San Jose State in 1992. In just one season at San Jose State, Turner led a remarkable turnaround, leading the Spartans to a 7-4 record and a second-place finish in the Big West Conference. Turner guided San Jose State to its best record in six years and directed a potent offense that churned out 400 yards-per-game while averaging 30 points per contest, good for 15th in the nation.

A proven offensive teacher and tenacious recruiter, Turner would earn the opportunity to coach at San Jose State after coordinating Stanford's offense for three seasons under Dennis Green (1989-91). The Cardinal would score 23 or more points in 10 straight games on the way to earning a 1991 Aloha Bowl bid. The 351 points scored that year was the third-highest total in over a century at the school.

Prior to Stanford, Turner would spend one season in the old Southwest Conference with Texas A&M under legendary head coach Jackie Sherrill in his final season.

In 1985, Ted Tollner hired Turner to be his quarterbacks coach at Southern California before elevating him to offensive coordinator in 1986.

The Trojans would play in three bowl games during his time in Los Angeles. When Larry Smith was named head coach prior to 1987, he retained Turner as wide receivers coach, and the Trojans would go on to win the Pac 10 conference.

Peete became the runner-up for the Heisman Trophy in 1988, First-Team All-American and the first USC quarterback to win the Johnny Unitas Award.



At Pittsburgh, 1983-84, under Foge Fazio, Turner helped mentor Congemi, who would finish his Panther career second all-time in passing yards. Congemi would lead Pittsburgh to a berth in the 1984 Fiesta Bowl, where he was game MVP, before having professional success in the Canadian Football League.

Turner's first connection with Green came at Northwestern where he served as the quarterbacks and wide receivers coach in 1981-82.

Turner helped shape the Wildcat offense into one of the most exciting in the Big Ten, coaching Northwestern quarterback Sandy Schwab to several school and league records. In his two seasons, the Wildcats set several milestones including most pass completions in a game (45).

Turner also recruited all-time Northwestern punt and kickoff return leader Steve Tasker to the program after scouting him at Dodge City Community College. Tasker, drafted by the Houston Oilers, would be claimed off waivers after two seasons by the Buffalo Bills. With the Bills, Tasker played in seven Pro Bowls (1987 and 1990-1995) and became the only special teamer ever to be named the NFL's MVP in 1993.

Turner's first coaching position came at Arizona from 1979-80, after his one season as a graduate assistant with his alma mater, the University of the Pacific. Turner would be one of the youngest assistant coaches in major college football and his first taste of success came when the Wildcats earned an invitation to the 1979 Fiesta Bowl against Pittsburgh.

Turner was a second-team junior college All-America wide receiver at Diablo Valley Community College and was inducted into the school's athletic Hall of Fame in 2009. He then earned a scholarship at Pacific, where he led the Tigers in receiving in 1975 and 1976.

Older brother, Norv, is one of the most respected offensive coaches in the NFL. Currently the offensive coordinator for the Minnesota Vikings, Norv has been head coach for the San Diego Chargers, Oakland Raiders and Washington Redskins and has coordinated the offenses for the Cleveland Browns, San Francisco 49ers, Miami Dolphins and Dallas Cowboys.

Turner and his wife Wendy have four children – sons Morgan (wife Melissa) and Cameron (wife Janie) and daughters Callan and Madison – and two granddaughters – Charlie Jane and Luella.

Turner's sons Morgan and Cameron followed in their father's footsteps with Morgan coaching tight ends at Stanford and Cameron is the assistant wide receivers coach with the Carolina Panthers.

Head Coach Ron Turner (Third Season)

Turner Versus....					
Team	W	L	Pct.	Last Meeting	Streak
Arkansas State	2	0	1.000	W, 59-7 (9/14/02)	W2
Bethune-Cookman	0	2	.000	L, 14-12 (8/30/14)	L2
California	2	2	.500	L, 31-24 (9/20/03)	L1
Cal-State Fullerton	1	0	1.000	W, 49-3 (10/10/92)	W1
East Carolina	0	1	.000	L, 34-13 (11/2/13)	L1
Florida A&M	1	0	1.000	W, 52-13 (9/4/04)	W1
Florida Atlantic	1	1	.500	W, 38-10 (10/2/14)	W1
Illinois State	1	0	1.000	W, 49-22 (9/6/03)	W1
Iowa	2	4	.333	L, 23-13 (10/30/04)	L2
Indiana	5	4	.556	L, 36-22 (9/12/15)	L1
Louisiana Tech	0	2	.000	L, 27-17 (9/26/15)	L2
Louisiana-Lafayette	1	0	1.000	W, 38-13 (9/19/92)	W1
Louisville	2	4	.333	L, 34-3 (9/20/14)	L2
LSU	0	1	.000	L, 47-34 (1/1/02)	L1
Marshall	0	2	.000	L, 45-13 (10/18/14)	L2
Maryland	0	1	.000	L, 43-10 (8/31/13)	L1
Massachusetts	0	1	.000	L, 24-14 (10/3/15)	L1
Michigan	1	5	.167	L, 30-19 (10/16/04)	L5
Michigan State	0	6	.000	L, 38-25 (10/9/04)	L6
Middle Tennessee	3	1	.750	W, 38-28 (11/15/14)	W1
Minnesota	2	5	.286	L, 45-0 (10/23/04)	L3
Missouri	0	2	.000	L, 22-15 (8/30/03)	L2
Nevada	1	0	1.000	W, 39-35 (11/7/92)	W1
New Mexico State	0	1	.000	L, 34-24 (11/21/92)	L1
N.C. Central	1	0	1.000	W, 39-14	W1
North Texas	0	1	.000	L, 17-14 (11/22/14)	L1
Northern Illinois	1	0	1.000	W, 17-12 (9/8/01)	W1
Northwestern	4	4	.500	L, 28-21 (OT) (11/20/04)	L2
Ohio State	2	4	.333	L, 23-15 (2OT) (11/16/02)	L1
Old Dominion	0	1	.000	L, 38-35 (11/8/14)	L1
Pacific	1	0	1.000	W, 28-27 (11/14/92)	W1
Penn State	1	5	.167	L, 18-7 (11/2/02)	L1
Pittsburgh	0	1	.000	L, 42-25 (9/13/14)	L1
Purdue	2	4	.333	L, 38-30 (9/25/04)	L2
Rice	0	1	.000	L, 31-17 (11/11/14)	L1
San Jose State	0	1	.000	L, 38-35 (9/21/02)	L1
San Diego State	2	0	1.000	W, 49-13 (9/9/00)	W2
Southern Miss	1	2	.333	W, 24-23 (10/5/13)	W1
Stanford	0	1	.000	L, 37-13 (9/26/92)	L1
UAB	1	1	.500	W, 34-20 (9/27/14)	W1
UCF	1	1	.500	W, 15-14 (9/3/15)	W1
UCLA	0	2	.000	L, 35-17 (9/11/04)	L2
UNLV	0	1	.000	L, 35-31 (10/31/92)	L1
Utah State	1	0	1.000	W, 27-25 (10/24/92)	W1
UTEP	0	1	.000	L, 33-10 (11/16/13)	L1
UTSA	0	1	.000	L, 16-13 (10/11/14)	L1
Virginia	1	0	1.000	W, 63-21 (12/30/99)	W1
Washington State	0	2	.000	L, 20-13 (9/5/98)	L2
Wagner	1	0	1.000	34-3 (9/6/14)	W1
Western Michigan	1	0	1.000	W, 30-27 (9/18/04)	W1
Wisconsin	2	4	.333	L, 24-7 (10/2/04)	L2
Wyoming	1	0	1.000	W, 26-24 (10/3/92)	W1
Total	49	83	.371		
At FIU	7	22	.241		

Turner Year-by-Year at FIU			
2013: 1-11, 1-7 Conference USA			
Date	Opponent	Result	Att.
8/31	at Maryland	(L) 10-43	36,321
9/6	UCF (Fri.)	(L) 0-38	15,823
9/14	Bethune-Cookman	(L) 13-34	14,957
9/21	(7) Louisville	(L) 0-72	51,586
10/5	at Southern Miss*	(W) 24-23	21,891
10/12	UAB* [HC]	(L) 24-27	15,696
10/26	Louisiana Tech*	(L) 7-23	13,389
11/2	East Carolina*	(L) 13-34	16,961
11/9	at Middle Tennessee*	(L) 0-48	16,717
11/16	at UTEP*	(L) 10-33	29,882
11/23	Marshall*	(L) 10-48	15,891
11/29	at FAU* (Fri.)	(L) 6-21	10,428
Totals		117-444	259,542
* Conference USA			
2014: 4-8, 3-5 Conference USA			
Date	Opponent	Result	Att.
8/30	Bethune Cookman	(L) 12-14	14,053
9/6	Wagner	(W) 34-3	9,981
9/13	Pittsburgh	(L) 25-42	10,147
9/20	Louisville	(L) 3-34	10,826
9/27	at UAB*	(W) 34-20	16,133
10/2	Florida Atlantic*	(W) 38-10	12,544
10/11	at UTSA*	(L) 13-16	25,318
10/18	(25) Marshall*	(L) 13-45	13,163
11/1	Rice*	(L) 17-31	12,097
11/8	at Old Dominion*	(L) 35-38	20,118
11/15	Middle Tennessee*	(W) 38-28	12,917
11/22	North Texas*	(L) 14-17	14,824
Totals		276-298	172,121
* Conference USA			
2015: 2-3, 0-1 Conference USA			
Date	Opponent	Result	Att.
9/3	at UCF (Thurs.)	(W) 15-14	39,184
9/12	at Indiana	(L) 22-36	41,509
9/19	N.C. Central	(W) 39-14	16,567
9/26	at LA Tech*	(L) 17-27	20,010
10/3	at UMass	(L) 14-24	13,525
Totals		107-115	130,795
* Conference USA			

FIU Under Turner

Year	Score	Total	First Downs		Pen	Rushing Number-Yards	Passing Comp-Att-Int	Yards	Total Offense Plays-Yards	Return Yards	Turn- Overs
2013	117-444	156/256	69/120	73/111	14/25	445-915/467-2465	153-293-10/206-317-7	1713/2691	738-2628/784-5156	894/1094	20/14
2014	276-298	196/216	100/101	82/97	14/18	488-1502/474-1925	171-324-10/181-338-14	2016/2440	812-3518/812-4365	1607/1309	22/33
2015	107-115	93/114	35/48	51/56	7/10	162-620/186-667	125-199-2/110-178-4	1163/1243	361-1783/364-1910	361/479	6/6
Totals	500-857	445/586	204/269	206/264	35/53	1095-3037/1127-5057	449-816-22/497-833-25	4892/6374	1911-7929/1960-11431	2862/2882	48/53

Opponent	3rd Down Conversions	4th Down Conversions	Time of Possession	TOP Margin	Avg Yds/Rush	Avg Yds/Pass	Avg Yds/Play	Penalties Number-Yards
2013	39-173/60-151	10-23/7-11	370:35/349:25	21:10	2.1/5.3	5.8/8.5	3.6/6.6	58-509/56-505
2014	59-184/61-170	5-11/9-17	365:56/354:04	11:52	3.1/4.1	6.2/7.2	4.3/5.4	84-673/68-583
2015	40-84/26-72	2-6/2-6	150:52/149:08	1:44	3.8/3.6	5.8/7.0	4.9/5.2	38-325/36-276
Totals	138-441/147-393	17-40/18-34	887:23/ 852:37	34:46	2.8/4.5	6.0/7.7	4.1/5.8	173-1507/161-1364

In the Coach's Box



Josh Beekman



Jason Brooks



Matt House



Greg Moss



Kort Shankweiler



Kasey Smith

On the Field



Ron Turner
Head Coach



Ron Cooper



Tim Harris, Jr.



Ryan Jirgl



Tem Lukabu



Shannon Moore



Steve Shankweiler



Pete Collins

2015 Conference USA

2015 C-USA Standings (Through Oct. 3)

East Division

	Conference			Points				Overall						
	W-L	Pct.	H	A	Div.	For	Opp	W-L	Pct.	H	A	For	Opp	Points
WKU	2-0	1.000	1-0	1-0	0-0	90	48	4-1	.800	2-0	2-1	195	112	
Florida Atlantic	1-0	1.000	0-0	1-0	1-0	17	7	1-3	.250	0-2	1-1	96	131	
Marshall	1-0	1.000	1-0	0-0	1-0	27	7	4-1	.800	3-0	1-1	159	95	
Middle Tennessee	1-0	1.000	1-0	0-0	1-0	73	14	2-3	.400	2-1	0-2	191	109	
Old Dominion	0-1	.000	0-0	0-1	0-1	7	27	2-3	.400	1-2	1-1	83	158	
FIU	0-1	.000	0-0	0-1	0-0	17	27	2-3	.400	1-0	1-3	107	115	
Charlotte	0-2	.000	0-1	0-1	0-2	21	90	2-3	.400	1-2	1-1	81	157	

West Division

	Conference			Points				Overall						
	W-L	Pct.	H	A	Div.	For	Opp	W-L	Pct.	H	A	For	Opp	Points
Southern Miss	1-0	1.000	1-0	0-0	1-0	49	14	3-2	.600	2-1	1-1	201	140	
UTSA	1-0	1.000	0-0	1-0	1-0	25	6	1-4	.200	0-2	1-2	105	179	
Louisiana Tech	1-1	.500	1-0	0-1	0-0	65	58	3-2	.600	3-0	0-2	203	126	
Rice	1-1	.500	0-1	1-0	1-0	48	73	2-3	.400	1-1	1-2	149	201	
UTEP	0-1	.000	0-1	0-0	0-1	6	25	2-3	.400	1-1	1-2	116	206	
North Texas	0-2	.000	0-1	0-1	0-2	38	87	0-4	.000	0-1	0-3	67	180	

This Week in C-USA

All Times Eastern

Friday, Oct. 9

Southern Miss at Marshall (CBSSN)* 7:00 pm

Saturday, Oct. 10

UTEP at FIU (ASN)* 12:00 pm

Middle Tennessee at WKU (FSN)* 12:00 pm

Rice at Florida Atlantic (FCS)* 2:30 pm

Portland State at North Texas (C-USA DN) 5:00 pm

Louisiana Tech at UTSA (ASN)* 7:00 pm

Last Week's Results

Friday, Oct. 2

Temple 37, Charlotte 3

Saturday, Oct. 3

Marshall 27, Old Dominion 7*

WKU 49, Rice 10*

Southern Miss 49, North Texas 14*

UTSA 25, UTEP 6*

Louisiana Tech 43, La-Lafayette 14

Vanderbilt 17, Middle Tennessee 13

UMass 24, FIU 14

*-C-USA Game



2015 C-USA Preseason Poll

FIU was selected to finish seventh in the East Division in the 2015 C-USA Preseason Poll as chosen by the league's 13 head coaches. Below is the complete poll.

EAST DIVISION

1. WKU
2. Marshall
3. Middle Tennessee
4. Florida Atlantic
5. FIU
6. Old Dominion
7. Charlotte

WEST DIVISION

1. Louisiana Tech
2. Rice
3. UTEP
4. Southern Miss
5. North Texas
6. UTSA

2015 C-USA Preseason Awards

Below is a complete listing of the 2015 C-USA Preseason Awards:

Offensive Player of the Year

Brandon Doughty, Sr., QB, WKU

Defensive Player of the Year

Richard Leonard, Sr., DB, FIU

Special Teams Player of the Year

Autrey Golden, Sr., KR, UTEP

First-Team Offense

QB Brandon Doughty, Sr., WKU
 RB Leon Allen, Sr., WKU
 RB Kenneth Dixon, Sr., Louisiana Tech
 RB Devon Johnson, Sr., Marshall
 RB Aaron Jones, Jr., UTEP
OL Jordan Budwig, Jr., FIU
 OL Darius Johnson, Sr., Middle Tennessee
 OL Kaydon Kirby, Jr., North Texas
 OL Andrew Reue, Sr., Rice
 OL Clint Van Horn, Jr., Marshall
 WR Jared Dangerfield, Sr., WKU
 WR Carlos Harris, Sr., North Texas
 WR Zach Pascal, Jr., Old Dominion
 WR Trent Taylor, Jr., Louisiana Tech
TE Jonnu Smith, Jr., FIU

First-Team Defense

DL Vernon Butler, Sr., Louisiana Tech
 DL Jason Neill, Sr., UTSA
 DL Jarquez Samuel, Sr., Marshall
 DL Michael Smith, Sr., Southern Miss
DL Michael Wakefield, Sr., FIU
 LB T.T. Barber, Sr., Middle Tennessee
 LB Drew Douglas, UTSA
 LB D.J. Hunter, Sr., Marshall
 DB Kevin Byard, Sr., Middle Tennessee
 DB Crevon LeBlanc, Florida Atlantic
DB Richard Leonard, Sr., FIU
 DB Bennett Okotcha, Sr., UTSA
 DB Wonderful Terry, Sr., WKU
 DB Xavier Woods, Jr., Louisiana Tech

First-Team Special Teams

K Trevor Moore, So., North Texas
 P Tyler Williams, Sr., Marshall
 KR Autrey Golden, Jr., UTEP
PR Richard Leonard, Sr., FIU
 LS Matt Cincotta, Sr., Marshall

2015 Opponent's Schedules

UCF (0-5)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
Sep. 3	FIU	L, 14-15
Sep. 12	at Stanford	L, 7-31
Sep. 19	Furman	L, 15-16
Sep. 26	at South Carolina	L, 14-31
Oct. 3	at Tulane	L, 31-45
Oct. 10	UConn	TBA
Oct. 17	at Temple	TBA
Oct. 24	Houston	TBA
Oct. 31	at Cincinnati	TBA
Nov. 7	at Tulsa	TBA
Nov. 19	East Carolina	7:30 pm
Nov. 26	USF	7:30 pm

UMass (1-3)

Date	Opponent	Time/Results
Sep. 12	at Colorado	L, 14-48
Sep. 19	Temple	L, 23-25
Sep. 26	at Notre Dame	L, 17-62
Oct. 3	FIU	W, 24-14
Oct. 10	at Bowling Green	TBA
Oct. 17	Kent State	3:30 pm
Oct. 24	Toledo	TBA
Oct. 31	at Ball State	TBA
Nov. 7	Akron	TBA
Nov. 14	at Eastern Michigan	TBA
Nov. 21	Miami (Ohio)	TBA
Nov. 27	at Buffalo	TBA

Florida Atlantic (1-3, 1-0 C-USA)

Date	Opponent	Time/Results
Sep. 5	at Tulsa	L, 44-47 (OT)
Sep. 11	Miami (Fla.)	L, 20-44
Sep. 19	Buffalo	L, 14-33
Sep. 26	at Charlotte	W, 17-7
Oct. 10	Rice	2:30 pm
Oct. 17	Marshall	TBA
Oct. 24	at UTEP	7:00 pm
Oct. 31	FIU	3:30 pm
Nov. 7	at WKU	TBA
Nov. 14	Middle Tennessee	12:00 pm
Nov. 21	at Florida	TBA
Nov. 28	at Old Dominion	12:00 pm

Indiana (4-1)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
Sep. 5	Southern Illinois	W, 48-47
Sep. 12	FIU	W, 36-22
Sep. 19	WKU	W, 38-35
Sep. 26	at Wake Forest	W, 31-24
Oct. 3	Ohio State	L, 27-34
Oct. 10	at Penn State	12:00 pm
Oct. 17	Rutgers	3:30 pm
Oct. 24	at Michigan State	TBA
Nov. 7	Iowa	TBA
Nov. 14	Michigan	TBA
Nov. 21	at Maryland	TBA
Nov. 28	Purdue	TBA

UTEP (2-3, 0-1 C-USA)

Date	Opponent	Time/Results
Sep. 5	at Arkansas	L, 13-48
Sep. 12	at Texas Tech	L, 20-69
Sep. 19	at New Mexico State	W, 50-47
Sep. 26	Incarnate Word	W, 27-17
Oct. 3	UTSA	L, 6-25
Oct. 10	at FIU	12:00 pm
Oct. 24	Florida Atlantic	7:00 pm
Oct. 31	at Southern Miss	TBA
Nov. 6	Rice	8:00 pm
Nov. 14	at Old Dominion	TBA
Nov. 21	Louisiana Tech	TBA
Nov. 28	at North Texas	TBA

Charlotte (2-3, 0-2 C-USA)

Date	Opponent	Time/Results
Sep. 4	at Georgia State	W, 23-20
Sep. 12	Presbyterian	W, 34-10
Sep. 19	at Middle Tennessee	L, 14-73
Sep. 26	Florida Atlantic	L, 7-17
Oct. 2	Temple	L, 3-37
Oct. 17	at Old Dominion	3:30 pm
Oct. 24	Southern Miss	12:00 pm
Oct. 31	Marshall	TBA
Nov. 7	at FIU	12:00 pm
Nov. 14	UTSA	TBA
Nov. 21	at Kentucky	TBA
Nov. 28	at Rice	3:30 pm

NC Central (1-3)

Date	Opponent	Time/Results
Sep. 5	St. Augustine	W, 72-0
Sep. 12	at Duke	L, 0-55
Sep. 19	at FIU	L, 14-39
Oct. 3	Bethune-Cookman	L, 26-28
Oct. 10	at Florida A&M	5:00 pm
Oct. 17	at Savannah State	2:00 pm
Oct. 24	Morgan State	2:00 pm
Oct. 31	Norfolk State	2:00 pm
Nov. 7	Delaware State	2:00 pm
Nov. 14	at Howard	1:00 pm
Nov. 21	at N.C. A&T	1:00 pm

Middle Tennessee (2-3, 1-0 C-USA)

Date	Opponent	Time/Results
Sep. 5	Jackson State	W, 70-14
Sep. 12	at Alabama	L, 10-37
Sep. 19	Charlotte	W, 73-14
Sep. 26	at Illinois	L, 25-27
Oct. 3	Vanderbilt	L, 13-17
Oct. 10	at WKU	TBA
Oct. 17	FIU	TBA
Oct. 24	at Louisiana Tech	3:30 pm
Nov. 7	Marshall	TBA
Nov. 14	at Florida Atlantic	12:00 pm
Nov. 21	North Texas	12:00 pm
Nov. 28	at UTSA	2:20 pm

Marshall (4-1, 1-0 C-USA)

Date	Opponent	Time/Results
Sep. 6	Purdue	W, 41-31
Sep. 12	at Ohio	L, 10-21
Sep. 19	Norfolk State	W, 45-7
Sep. 26	at Kent State	W, 36-29 (2OT)
Oct. 3	Old Dominion	W, 27-7
Oct. 9	Southern Miss	7:00 pm
Oct. 17	at Florida Atlantic	TBA
Oct. 24	North Texas	3:00 pm
Oct. 31	at Charlotte	TBA
Nov. 7	at Middle Tennessee	TBA
Nov. 14	FIU	TBA
Nov. 27	at WKU	12:00 pm

Louisiana Tech (3-2, 1-1 C-USA)

Date	Opponent	Time/Results
Sep. 5	Southern	W, 62-15
Sep. 10	at WKU	L, 38-41
Sep. 19	at Kansas State	L, 33-39 (OT)
Sep. 26	FIU	W, 27-17
Oct. 3	Louisiana-Lafayette	W, 43-14
Oct. 10	at UTSA	8:00 pm
Oct. 17	at Mississippi State	TBA
Oct. 24	Middle Tennessee	3:30 pm
Oct. 30	at Rice	8:00 pm
Nov. 7	North Texas	3:30 pm
Nov. 21	at UTEP	TBA
Nov. 28	Southern Miss	TBA

Old Dominion (2-3, 0-1 C-USA)

Date	Opponent	Time/Results
Sep. 5	at Eastern Michigan	W, 38-34
Sep. 12	Norfolk State	W, 24-10
Sep. 19	N.C. State	L, 14-38
Sep. 26	Appalachian State	L, 0-49
Oct. 3	at Marshall	L, 7-27
Oct. 17	Charlotte	3:30 pm
Oct. 24	at FIU	6:00 pm
Oct. 31	WKU	TBA
Nov. 7	at UTSA	7:00 pm
Nov. 14	UTEP	TBA
Nov. 21	at Southern Miss	3:30 pm
Nov. 28	Florida Atlantic	12:00 pm

WKU (4-1, 2-0 C-USA)

Date	Opponent	Time/Results
Sep. 3	at Vanderbilt	W, 14-12
Sep. 10	Louisiana Tech	W, 41-38
Sep. 19	at Indiana	L, 35-38
Sep. 26	Miami (Ohio)	W, 56-14
Oct. 3	at Rice	W, 49-10
Oct. 10	Middle Tennessee	TBA
Oct. 15	at North Texas	7:30 pm
Oct. 24	at LSU	TBA
Oct. 31	at Old Dominion	TBA
Nov. 7	Florida Atlantic	TBA
Nov. 21	at FIU	2:30 pm
Nov. 27	Marshall	12:00 pm


Score by Quarters

	1	2	3	4	F
FIU	3	0	6	6	15
UCF	7	7	0	0	14

Attendance: 39,184

Time: 3:24

First Quarter
06:10 - FIU - TAYLOR, Austin 28 yd field goal, 16-76, 7:23, (FIU 3, UCF 0)

00:16 - UCF - AKINS, Jordan 9 yd pass from HOLMAN, Justin WRIGHT (Matthew kick), 5-26, 2:36, (UCF 7, FIU 3)

Second Quarter
10:07 - UCF - AKINS, Jordan 33 yd pass from HOLMAN, Justin WRIGHT (Matthew kick), 7-70, 3:28, (UCF 14, FIU 3)

Third Quarter
08:41 - FIU - GARDNER, Alex 7 yd run (McGOUGH, Alex pass failed), 12-82, 6:11, (UCF 14, FIU 9)

Fourth Quarter
12:52 - FIU - GRINER, Ya'Keem 3 yd pass from McGOUGH, Alex (GARDNER, Alex rush failed), 6-80, 2:31, (FIU 15, UCF 14)

Team Statistics	FIU	UCF
Score	15	14
FIRST DOWNS	17	18
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	31-131	30-46
PASSING YDS (NET)	260	249
Passes Att-Comp-Int	37-28-0	34-23-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	69-391	64-295
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-5
Punt Returns-Yards	2-14	2-15
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-63	4-100
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-44.8	7-44.7
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	3-0
Penalties-Yards	7-45	3-20
Possession Time	29:57	30:03
Third-Down Conversions	8 of 15	7 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-3	1-2

FIU 15, UCF 14

Bright House Networks Stadium - Orlando, Fla.

September 3, 2015 - 6:00 p.m. - CBS SN

FIU 1-0; UCF 0-1

ORLANDO (Sept. 3, 2015) – This time FIU finished the close one.

All offseason the Panthers talked about finishing games in 2015 after losing four games by three points or less in 2014. Mission accomplished in the season opener.

After Darrian Dyson blocked the potential game-winning 47-yard field goal by UCF's Matthew Wright to preserve a 15-14 win over the Knights, the Panthers spilled from their sideline on to the Bright House Networks Stadium field to rejoice in the program's first season-opening win since 2011. The Panthers opened the 2011 season with a home win against North Texas.

FIU rallied from a 14-3 deficit in the second half with touchdowns to open the third and fourth quarters.

FIU narrowed the UCF lead to 14-9 with an 8-yard run by Alex Gardner on its first possession of the second half. The Panthers went 82 yards for their first touchdown in 2015. FIU went for the two-point conversion but Alex McGough's pass was incomplete.

The drive which took 6:19 featured the debut of freshman Anthony Jones, who gained 26 yards on his first collegiate rush on the second play of the drive. Later Alex McGough hit Jones for a 15-yard completion and found Jonnu Smith for 17 yards to the UCF 3. Smith extended his consecutive pass catching streak to 25 games with a 3-yard reception in the first quarter.

Much like it opened the third quarter with six, FIU did the same to start the final 15 minutes. The Panthers marched 80 yards to paydirt to take a 15-14 lead.

Senior tight end Ya'Keem Griner played a crucial part in the go-ahead touchdown drive. Griner caught a career-long 46-yard pass early in the drive. Griner was also the recipient of a fortuitous bounce when he grabbed the go-ahead touchdown after the pass intended for Thomas Owens was batted in the air. The 4-yard touchdown vaulted the Panthers on top.

Owens caught a career-high 10 passes for 78 yards to lead the FIU receivers. McGough established career-highs of 28 completions in 37 attempts for 260 yards and a touchdown. Gardner led FIU rushing with 75 yards and a touchdown.

FIU's nationally-ranked defense last season continued its steady course Thursday night in Orlando keeping the Panthers in the game while the offense found its footing. The FIU defense held the UCF offense to less than 300 total yards (295 yards) and recorded two sacks by its all-conference defensive ends Michael Wakefield and Denzell Perine. The FIU D also had eight tackles for loss. Treyvon Williams (11 tackles), Richard Leonard (10) and Anthony Wint (10) all had double-digit tackles. Williams established a new career-high in tackles.

The Panthers scored the first points of any FBS team this college football season when Austin Taylor hit a 28-yard field goal with 6:10 left in the first quarter to give FIU a 3-0 lead. FIU drove 76 yards to the UCF 11, highlighted by a 27-yard catch and run by Gardner on a pass from McGough.

The Knights answered near the end of the first quarter after an FIU fumble at its own 31. Justin Holman threw a 9-yard touchdown pass to Jordan Akins to put UCF on top 7-3.

Holman and Akins connected again to fuel the Knights' second touchdown. The duo hooked up for 20 yards to the FIU 36. Two plays later, Holman found Akins again for a 33-yard score to send UCF into the locker room with the 14-3 edge.

FIU

Rushing	No.	Yds.	TD	Lg	Avg.
GARDNER, Alex	15	75	1	8	5.0
JONES, Anthony	1	26	0	26	26.0
SAMUEL, Anthon	8	21	0	10	2.6
McGOUGH, Alex	4	12	0	10	3.0

Passing	Att-Cmp	Int	Yds	TD	Lng
McGOUGH, Alex	37-28	0	260	1	47

Receiving	No.	Yds	TD	Long
OWENS, Thomas	10	78	0	12
GARDNER, Alex	5	74	0	27
GRINER, Ya'Keem	4	55	1	47
TAYLOR, Clinton	3	20	0	8

Punting	No.	Avg	Long	I20
WILSON, Stone	3	47.7	52	0
AYERS, Chris	3	42.0	47	1

Punt returns	No.	Yds	TD	Long
LEONARD, Richard	2	14	0	10

Kick returns	No.	Yds	TD	Long
LEONARD, Richard	3	63	0	25

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks
WILLIAMS, Treyvon	4-7	11	0.0
LEONARD, Richard	5-5	10	0.0
WINT, Anthony	3-7	10	0.0
MYRTIL, Wilkenson	2-3	5	0.0

UCF

Rushing	No.	Yds.	TD	Lg	Avg.
WILSON, D.	12	34	0	9	2.8
STANBACK, W.	10	6	0	7	0.6
HOLMAN, Justin	6	4	0	15	0.7
PATTI, Nick	1	2	0	2	2.0

Passing	Att-Cmp	Int	Yds	TD	Lng
HOLMAN, Justin	34-23	0	249	2	33

Receiving	No.	Yds	TD	Long
AKINS, Jordan	9	104	2	33
SMITH, Tre'Quan	9	104	0	17
JOHNSON, Chris	3	32	0	13
PATTI, Nick	1	6	0	6

Punting	No.	Avg	Long	I20
HOUSTON, Caleb	7	44.7	53	4

Punt returns	No.	Yds	TD	Long
AKINS, Jordan	2	15	0	9

Kick returns	No.	Yds	TD	Long
WILSON, D.	3	72	0	35
JONES, C.J.	1	28	0	28

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks
GRIFFIN, Shqll	7-2	9	0.0
RUCKER, Mark	5-4	9	0.0
JOHNSON, Drico	4-4	8	0.0
RUSSELL, M.	4-3	7	0.0



Score by Quarters

	1	2	3	4	F
FIU	7	7	0	8	22
Indiana	0	13	6	17	36

Attendance: 41,509

Time: 3:39

First Quarter

03:37 - FIU - OWENS, Thomas 21 yd pass from McGOUGH, Alex (TAYLOR, Austin kick), 11-69, 4:29, (FIU 7, IU 0)

Second Quarter

14:55 - IU - Oakes, Griffin 35 yd field goal, 11-56, 3:42, (FIU 7, IU 3)

09:11 - IU - Oakes, Griffin 27 yd field goal, 9-72, 3:55, (FIU 7, IU 6)

09:00 - IU - OWENS, Thomas 75 yd pass from McGOUGH, Alex (TAYLOR, Austin kick), 1-75, 0:11, (FIU 14, IU 6)

04:54 - IU - Sudfeld, Nate 5 yd run (Oakes, Griffin kick), 11-68, 4:06, (FIU 14, IU 13)

Third Quarter

05:49 - IU - Sudfeld, Nate 1 yd run (Oakes, Griffin kick failed), 4-20, 1:17, (IU 19, FIU 14)

Fourth Quarter

14:06 - FIU - TURNER, Dennis 28 yd pass from McGOUGH, Alex (GARDNER, Alex rush), 10-90, 2:51, (FIU 22, IU 19)

11:02 - IU - Oakes, Griffin 40 yd field goal, 9-61, 3:04, (FIU 22, IU 22)

10:02 - IU - Paige, Mitchell 16 yd pass from Sudfeld, Nate (Oakes, Griffin kick), 1-16, 0:07, (IU 29, FIU 22)

03:58 - IU - Cook, Jameel 96 yd interception return (Oakes, Griffin kick), (IU 36, FIU 22)

Team Statistics	FIU	IU
Score	22	36
FIRST DOWNS	24	25
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	33-123	52-205
PASSING YDS (NET)	283	234
Passes Att-Comp-Int	47-24-1	33-19-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	80-406	85-439
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	3-17	1-9
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-44	4-93
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	1-96
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-40.7	4-43.2
Fumbles-Lost	3-2	2-0
Penalties-Yards	8-54	11-110
Possession Time	26:50	33:10
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 18	7 of 18
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 3	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-1	5-5

Indiana 36, FIU 22

Memorial Stadium - Bloomington, Ind.

September 12, 2015 - 8:00 p.m. - Big Ten Network

FIU 1-1; Indiana 2-0

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. (Sept. 12, 2015) – FIU took pride in having the fifth-most takeaways in the nation last season. Indiana flipped the script on the Panthers on a chilly Saturday night at Memorial Stadium in Bloomington.

The Hoosiers recovered a fumble and snared a late-game interception 96 yards to secure a 36-22 victory over the Panthers (1-1).

In the fourth quarter Indiana defensive end Nick Mangieri sacked FIU quarterback Alex McGough to force a fumble that linebacker Marcus Oliver recovered to set up the Hoosiers (2-0) with field position deep in FIU territory. On the next play quarterback Nate Sudfeld threw a 16-yard touchdown pass to Mitchell Paige for the decisive touchdown. The score put IU ahead 29-22.

FIU nearly evened the score with less than five minutes left in the game. The Panthers drove to the Hoosiers two-yard line to set up a fourth-and-goal. On the ensuing play McGough rolled left but was hit by the IU pass rush as he went to throw the ball. McGough's throw hung in the air and was picked off by Jameel Cook, who returned the interception 96 yards to make it 36-22.

It was a night of firsts for FIU receivers.

With FIU down 19-14 early in the fourth quarter, Dennis Turner sped past a confused Hoosier defender to haul in his first career FIU touchdown to put the Panthers ahead. Turner's 28-yard touchdown grab gave FIU a 20-19 lead. Alex Gardner breezed into the end zone on the two-point conversion to make it 22-19.

FIU led 14-13 at the half, but Sudfeld orchestrated an IU drive that resulted in the 1-yard touchdown run by the Hoosier quarterback with 5:49 left in the third quarter.

FIU opened the scoring near the end of the first quarter when McGough hit Thomas Owens with an out pass. Owens slipped past Indiana defensive back Kiante Walton's grasp and took the reception 21 yards into the end zone. The score was Owens's first in an FIU uniform. Owens finished the game with nine catches for 166 receiving yards – the fourth most in a game in FIU's 14-year history.

After a couple of Indiana field goals by Griffin Oakes cut the FIU lead to one point, McGough and Owens struck again.

On the first offensive play after Oakes's 27-yard field goal with 9:11 left in the second quarter, McGough found Owens downfield for a 75-yard touchdown. Owens got Hoosier defensive back Andrew Brown to turn the wrong way leaving the FIU sophomore receiver wide open to make the catch. IU safety Tony Fields made a last ditch effort to bring down Owens but to no avail as the receiver sprinted into the end zone.

Owens's 75-yard touchdown reception tied Jonnu Smith for the sixth longest reception in FIU history. Former FIU tight end Sam Smith holds the record for the longest FIU touchdown reception in history with an 89-yard catch against Maryland in 2006.

The 75-yard touchdown connection between McGough and Owens tied for the fifth longest touchdown pass in FIU history. McGough and Jonnu Smith hooked up for a 75-yard touchdown at UAB last season. Former FIU quarterback Josh Padrick's 89-yard touchdown pass to Sam Smith against Maryland in 2006 is the longest touchdown pass in FIU history.

Indiana narrowed the FIU advantage to one point when quarterback Nate Sudfeld scrambled for a 5-yard touchdown to make it 14-13 Panthers with 4:54 left in the first half.

FIU

Rushing	No.	Yds.	TD	Lg	Avg.
GARDNER, Alex	18	61	0	10	3.4
ANDERSON, Trey	3	33	0	23	11.0
McGOUGH, Alex	7	30	0	11	4.3
JONES, Anthony	2	4	0	3	2.0

Passing	Att-Cmp	Int	Yds	TD	Lng
McGOUGH, Alex	37-21	1	249	3	75
ANDERSON, Trey	10-3	0	34	0	14

Receiving	No.	Yds	TD	Long
OWENS, Thomas	9	166	2	75
TURNER, Dennis	6	58	1	28
SMITH, Jonnu	5	25	0	7
GRINER, Ya'Keem	2	11	0	6

Punting	No.	Avg	Long	I20
WILSON, Stone	4	39.2	42	1
AYERS, Chris	3	42.7	4	1

Punt returns	No.	Yds	TD	Long
LEONARD, Richard	3	17	0	16

Kick returns	No.	Yds	TD	Long
LEONARD, Richard	3	44	0	17

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks
WEST, Vontarius	10-4	14	0.0
WINT, Anthony	7-6	13	0.0
LEONARD, Richard	7-2	9	0.0

Indiana

Rushing	No.	Yds.	TD	Lg	Avg.
Howard, Jordan	27	159	0	32	5.9
Redding, Devine	16	53	0	15	3.3
Jones, Ricky	1	11	0	11	11.0
TEAM	1	-1	0	0	-1.0

Passing	Att-Cmp	Int	Yds	TD	Lng
Sudfeld, Nate	33-19	1	234	1	38

Receiving	No.	Yds	TD	Long
Jones, Ricky	5	56	0	16
Cobbs, Simmie	4	55	0	38
Cooper, Michael	3	66	0	34
Paige, Mitchell	2	31	1	16

Punting	No.	Avg	Long	I20
Toth, Erich	4	43.2	47	1

Punt returns	No.	Yds	TD	Long
Paige, Mitchell	1	9	0	9

Kick returns	No.	Yds	TD	Long
Williams, D.	3	72	0	25
Brookins, Ricky	1	21	0	21

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks
Oliver, Marcus	6-1	7	0.0
Brown, Andre	5-1	6	0.0
Simmons, T.J.	4-2	6	0.0


Score by Quarters

	1	2	3	4	F
NCCU	7	7	0	0	14
FIU	12	14	13	0	39

Attendance: 16,567

Time: 3:32

First Quarter
11:26 - FIU - TAYLOR, Austin 32 yd field goal, 8-45, 3:34, (FIU 3, NCCU 0)

07:19 - FIU - TAYLOR, Austin 36 yd field goal, 7-34, 3:04, (FIU 6, NCCU 0)

03:46 - FIU - TURNER, Dennis 64 yd pass from McGOUGH, Alex (TAYLOR, Austin kick failed), 6-76, 2:09, (FIU 12, NCCU 0)

00:49 - NCCU - TAYLOR, Jaquell 30 yd interception return (MACAULEY, Nigel kick), (FIU 12, NCCU 7)

Second Quarter
08:12 - FIU - SMITH, Jonnu 10 yd pass from McGOUGH, Alex (TAYLOR, Austin kick), 18-88, 7:37, (FIU 19, NCCU 7)

07:51 - FIU - JONES, Anthony 26 yd run (TAYLOR, Austin kick), 1-26, 0:09, (FIU 26, NCCU 7)

00:20 - NCCU - AUGUSTUS, Idreis 1 yd run (MACAULEY, Nigel kick), 9-72, 1:04, (FIU 26, NCCU 14)

Third Quarter
12:00 - FIU - OWENS, Thomas 16 yd pass from McGOUGH, Alex (TAYLOR, Austin kick failed), 4-38, 1:32, (FIU 32, FIU 14)

04:45 - FIU - GARDNER, Alex 1 yd run (TAYLOR, Austin kick), 12-75, 6:01, (FIU 39, NCCU 14)

Fourth Quarter

None

Team Statistics	NCCU	FIU
Score	14	39
FIRST DOWNS	13	21
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	23-38	46-248
PASSING YDS (NET)	171	242
Passes Att-Comp-Int	36-18-3	37-22-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	59-209	82-490
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	3-13
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-56	2-41
Interception Returns-Yards	1-26	3-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	10-40.7	5-44.8
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	5-17	6-60
Possession Time	21:15	38:45
Third-Down Conversions	1 of 12	13 of 20
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	5-5

FIU 39, NCCU 14

Ocean Bank Field at FIU Stadium - Miami, Fla.

September 19, 2015 - 6:00 p.m.

FIU 2-1; NCCU 1-2

MIAMI (Sept. 19, 2015) -- FIU debuted new blue uniforms Saturday evening in its home opener against North Carolina Central. The jerseys featured shiny gold numbers and the Panthers were sporting new bright gold facemasks.

However, the result against the Eagles from the FCS was the same as the last time an FCS team visited FIU Stadium. FIU in a rout, 39-14. The Panthers played a similar game last year when Wagner visited FIU. That was a 34-3 victory.

FIU needed nearly the entire first quarter to score its first touchdown. After a couple of field goals by Austin Taylor (32 and 36 yards) put the Panthers ahead 6-0, quarterback Alex McGough struck through the air.

McGough, who earlier just missed Dennis Turner for a potential long touchdown, connected with the sophomore receiver on a 64-yard touchdown. FIU led 12-0 after the extra point was no good. Turner led FIU with 72 yards receiving.

The touchdown was Turner's second of the season. With the touchdown pass, McGough threw his 19th career touchdown pass and moved into fourth on the FIU all-time passing touchdown list.

Less than three minutes later, Eagles defensive back Jaquell Taylor eyed a McGough pass and picked it off to return the interception 30 yards for a touchdown. The FIU lead was narrowed to 12-7 late in the first quarter but it was as close as NCCU would get.

The Panthers re-gained control of the contest with back-to-back touchdowns in the second quarter. Jonnu Smith caught a 10-yard touchdown pass from Alex McGough to make it 19-7.

On the ensuing NCCU drive FIU safety Niko Gonzalez recorded his first career interception setting up the Panther offense deep in Eagles territory. It was one of three interceptions for FIU with Anthony Wint and Jordan Davis also picking off passes.

On the very next play freshman Anthony Jones wiggled through the NCCU defense for a 26-yard touchdown run. FIU extended its lead to 26-7.

The Panthers added two more touchdowns in the second half to cap off the scoring. Three minutes into the third quarter, McGough hit Thomas Owens on a slant for a 16-yard touchdown. McGough finished the night 22 of 36 for 242 yards, three touchdowns and one interception.

Alex Gardner added a 1-yard touchdown run near the end of the third quarter to extend the FIU advantage to 39-14. Gardner led FIU with 81 yards rushing.

FIU gained 490 total yards in the game and it was a balanced attack with 248 yards coming on the ground.

NCCU

Rushing	No.	Yds.	TD	Lg	Avg.
AUGUSTUS, Idreis	11	46	1	12	4.2
McCLAIN, Dorrel	5	15	0	6	3.0
BELL, Malcolm	4	-10	0	2	-2.5
BILLERMAN, Quinn	3	-13	0	5	-4.3

Passing	Att-Cmp	Int	Yds	TD	Lng
BILLERMAN, Quinn	28-15	2	149	0	19
BELL, Malcolm	7-3	1	22	0	11

Receiving	No.	Yds	TD	Long
SMITH, LaVontis	8	86	0	17
LANIER, Armani	4	29	0	9
SCRUGGS, Nathan	2	19	0	12
WILKES, Jalen	1	19	0	19

Punting	No.	Avg	Long	I20
TILQUE, Nathaniel	10	40.7	57	4

Punt returns	No.	Yds	TD	Long
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Kick returns	No.	Yds	TD	Long
SMITH, Ryan	1	19	0	19
WRIGHT, Deyonta	1	15	0	15

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks
MOORE, C.J.	8-5	13	0.0
HUNTER, Reggie	4-6	10	0.0
MILES, Jordan	4-3	7	0.0

FIU

Rushing	No.	Yds.	TD	Lg	Avg.
GARDNER, Alex	20	81	1	18	4.1
McGOUGH, Alex	8	77	0	29	9.6
JONES, Anthony	10	60	1	26	6.0
SAMUEL, Anthon	7	26	0	9	3.7

Passing	Att-Cmp	Int	Yds	TD	Lng
McGOUGH, Alex	37-22	1	242	3	64

Receiving	No.	Yds	TD	Long
SMITH, Jonnu	6	42	1	12
GRINER, Ya'Keem	5	55	0	22
OWENS, Thomas	3	42	1	20
TURNER, Dennis	2	72	1	64

Punting	No.	Avg	Long	I20
WILSON, Stone	3	46.0	51	0
AYERS, Chris	2	43.0	51	0

Punt returns	No.	Yds	TD	Long
LEONARD, Richard	3	13	0	9

Kick returns	No.	Yds	TD	Long
LEONARD, Richard	2	41	0	31

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks
JOHNSON, Tyree	5-2	7	0.0
WINT, Anthony	2-2	4	0.0
GONZALEZ, Niko	3-0	3	0.0



Score by Quarters

	1	2	3	4	F
FIU	0	3	7	7	17
LA Tech	7	10	0	10	27

Attendance: 20,010

Time: 3:22

First Quarter

13:04 - LA Tech - DIXON, Kenneth 63 yd run (BARNES,Jonathan kick), 5-82, 1:56, (LA Tech 7, FIU 0)

Second Quarter

14:51 - FIU - TAYLOR, Austin 44 yd field goal, 7-42, 2:18, (LA Tech 7, FIU 3)

08:13 - LA Tech - DIXON, Kenneth 23 yd pass from DRISKEL, Jeff (BARNES,Jonathan kick), 6-81, 3:38, (LA Tech 14, FIU 3)

02:19 - LA Tech - BARNES, Jonathan 39 yd field goal, 11-41, 3:51, (LA Tech 17, FIU 3)

Third Quarter

08:44 - FIU - GRINER, Ya'Keem 10 yd pass from MCGOUGH, Alex (TAYLOR, Austin kick), 13-75, 6:16, (LA Tech 17, FIU 10)

Fourth Quarter

12:52 - LA Tech - DIXON, Kenneth 14 yd run (BARNES,Jonathan kick), 6-51, 2:42, (LA Tech 24, FIU 10)

06:36 - LA Tech - BARNES,Jonathan 28 yd field goal, 9-65, 4:55, (LA Tech 27, FIU 10)

03:50 - FIU - OWENS, Thomas 7 yd pass from MCGOUGH, Alex (TAYLOR, Austin kick), 9-74, 2:46, (LA Tech 27, FIU 17)

Team Statistics	FIU	LA Tech
Score	17	27
FIRST DOWNS	18	29
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	23-45	42-246
PASSING YDS (NET)	263	226
Passes Att-Comp-Int	44-29-0	32-18-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	67-308	74-472
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-8	1-13
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-82	3-32
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-39.9	4-37.8
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	7-55	7-45
Possession Time	26:44	33:16
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 16	5 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	2-4

LA Tech 27, FIU 17

Joe Aillet Stadium - Ruston, La.

September 26, 2015 - 2:30 p.m. - FOX College Sports

FIU 2-2, 0-1 C-USA; LA Tech 2-2, 1-1 C-USA)

RUSTON, La. (Sept. 26, 2015) -- Louisiana Tech showed Saturday afternoon in Ruston, La., why it was the pre-season favorite in Conference USA's West Division. The Bulldogs put together a strong defensive showing and got a 169-yard rushing performance and three touchdowns from Kenneth Dixon to defeat FIU, 27-17.

The Bulldogs (2-2, 1-1 CUSA) didn't need much time to get going, scoring on the first drive of the game. On the fifth play of the game Dixon found a hole on the left side and sprinted 63 yards in for his fourth rushing touchdown of the season.

FIU got on the scoreboard early in the second quarter on a 44-yard field goal by Austin Taylor. The drive was highlighted by a 25-yard pass from Alex McGough to Jonnu Smith, in which Smith extended his consecutive games streak with at least one catch to 28 games.

The Bulldogs answered with their second touchdown in the middle of the second quarter. Jeff Driskel had the big play to set up the touchdown when the Bulldogs quarterback scrambled for 32 yards to the FIU 43. Three plays later Driskel found Dixon in the corner of the end zone for a 23-yard touchdown. It was the seventh time in Dixon's career that he scored a touchdown both rushing and receiving in the same game.

FIU came out fast in the second half marching 75 yards for a touchdown to cut the LA Tech lead to 17-10. Tight end Ya'Keem Griner, who had a career-high seven catches for 64 yards, had some clutch catches on the drive before punctuating the series with a 10-yard touchdown catch in the left corner of the end zone. Griner had receptions of 11 and 12 yards on the drive.

But down 17-10 was the closest the Panthers would get as Dixon struck again early in the fourth quarter. Dixon broke three tackles on a 14-yard touchdown run that extended the Bulldogs lead to 24-10 with 12:52 left in the game.

Louisiana Tech added a field goal in the fourth quarter to up its advantage to 27-10 before FIU scored its final touchdown of the game. McGough connected with Thomas Owens on a 7-yard slant for the touchdown with 3:50 left in the game.

FIU

Rushing	No.	Yds.	TD	Lg	Avg.
GARDNER, Alex	14	29	0	9	2.1
MCGOUGH, Alex	4	7	0	8	1.8
SAMUEL, Anthon	3	5	0	4	1.7
JONES, Anthony	1	4	0	4	4.0

Passing	Att-Cmp	Int	Yds	TD	Lng
MCGOUGH, Alex	44-29	0	263	2	25

Receiving	No.	Yds	TD	Long
GARDNER, Alex	9	70	0	17
GRINER, Ya'Keem	7	64	1	17
OWENS, Thomas	4	43	1	16
SMITH, Jonnu	3	43	0	25

Punting	No.	Avg	Long	I20
WILSON, Stone	7	39.9	48	3

Punt returns	No.	Yds	TD	Long
LEONARD, Richard	1	8	0	8

Kick returns	No.	Yds	TD	Long
LEONARD, Richard	2	59	0	36
JONES, Anthony	1	23	0	23

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks
WILLIAMS, Treyvon	8-3	11	0.0
MCKINNON, Jeremiah	5-2	7	0.0
HINES, Xavier	3-4	7	0.0
JOHNSON, Tyree	5-1	6	0.0

LA Tech

Rushing	No.	Yds.	TD	Lg	Avg.
DIXON, Kenneth	25	169	2	63	6.8
CRAFT, Jarred	7	43	0	11	6.1
DRISKEL, Jeff	6	29	0	32	4.8
HENDERSON, C.	1	11	0	11	11.0

Passing	Att-Cmp	Int	Yds	TD	Lng
DRISKEL, Jeff	32-18	0	226	1	28

Receiving	No.	Yds	TD	Long
TAYLOR, Trent	7	86	0	28
TURNER, Paul	4	36	0	17
HENDERSON, C.	2	41	0	22
MCKNIGHT, K.	2	22	0	11

Punting	No.	Avg	Long	I20
MCPHERSON, Logan	2	31.0	40	1
SHOUSE, Gerald	2	44.5	52	0

Punt returns	No.	Yds	TD	Long
TAYLOR, Trent	1	13	0	13

Kick returns	No.	Yds	TD	Long
HENDERSON, C.	2	32	0	16
TAYLOR, Trent	1	0	0	0

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks
FITTE, Beau	9-5	14	0.0
ABRAHAM, Bryson	4-5	9	0.0
BRICE, Kentrell	6-2	8	0.0
BROWN, Aaron	4-2	6	0.0


Score by Quarters

	1	2	3	4	F
FIU	0	7	7	0	14
UMass	7	10	0	7	24

Attendance: 13,525

Time: 3:08

First Quarter

10:29 - UMass - Michel, M. 57 yd pass from Frohnapfel, B. (Laurent, L. kick), 2-71, 0:37, (UMass 7, FIU 0)

Second Quarter

09:28 - UMass - Sharpe, T. 6 yd pass from Frohnapfel, B. (Laurent, L. kick), 4-63, 1:49, (UMass 14, FIU 0)

01:10 - FIU - OWENS, Thomas 1 yd pass from McGOUGH, Alex (TAYLOR, Austin kick), 9-37, 4:14, (UMass 14, FIU 7)

00:00 - UMass - Laurent, L. 48 yd field goal, 9-39, 1:10, (UMass 17, FIU 7)

Third Quarter

00:20 - FIU - GARDNER, Alex 1 yd run (TAYLOR, Austin kick), 13-62, 4:33, (UMass 17, FIU 14)

Fourth Quarter

07:11 - UMass - Michel, M. 5 yd pass from Frohnapfel, B. (Laurent, L. kick), 8-62, 3:21 (UMass 24, FIU 14)

Team Statistics	FIU	UMass
Score	14	24
FIRST DOWNS	13	29
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	29-73	39-132
PASSING YDS (NET)	115	363
Passes Att-Comp-Int	34-22-0	43-32-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	63-188	82-495
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-7	1-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-72	3-34
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	8-41.0	2-47.5
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	2-2
Penalties-Yards	10-111	10-72
Possession Time	28:36	31:24
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 15	6 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 2	1 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	2-4

UMass 24, FIU 14

McGuirk Stadium - Amherst, Mass.

October 3, 2015 - 3:00 p.m.

FIU 2-3; UMass 1-3

AMHERST, Mass. (Oct. 3, 2015) -- UMass gave FIU as chilly a reception as the New England weather in the Panthers' first-ever trip into the state of Massachusetts. Playing under a cold, lead gray sky the Minutemen more than doubled FIU in total offensive yards and recorded their first win of the season, 24-14.

UMass improved to 1-3. FIU is now 2-3.

The Minutemen needed just 37 seconds to open the scoring. UMass quarterback Blake Frohnapfel found Marken Michel streaking down the middle of the field for a 57-yard touchdown with 10:29 left in the first quarter.

UMass made it 14-0 in the second quarter when Frohnapfel connected with Tajae Sharpe for a 6-yard touchdown.

The Panthers got back into the game late in the second quarter after defensive tackle Imarjaye Albury recovered a fumble by Frohnapfel at the UMass 37.

Two plays later Alex McGough hit Alex Gardner for 15 yards to the UMass 16. McGough also connected with Thomas Owens for 13 yards to the three. Owens finished the drive with a 1-yard touchdown catch on a fade pass from McGough in the right corner of the end zone. It was Owens' fifth touchdown reception of the season and McGough's 10th touchdown throw.

McGough finished the day with 115 yards on 22-of-34 passing with one touchdown. Owens three passes for 20 yards as the Boynton Beach, Fla., native caught a touchdown pass in his fourth-straight game. UMass led 17-14 going into the fourth quarter. Gardner rushed for 59 yards on 17 carries and one touchdown and also caught a career-high 10 passes for 58 yards.

Late in the third quarter the Panthers narrowed the deficit to three points after Gardner scored from one yard out. UMass led 17-14 going into the fourth quarter. Gardner rushed for 59 yards on 17 carries and one touchdown and also caught a career-high 10 passes for 58 yards.

Frohnapfel and Michel struck again to ice the game for the Minutemen. The UMass quarterback perfectly placed a fade pass into the right corner of the end zone that Michel hauled in for his second touchdown of the game.

For the game, UMass out-gained FIU, 495-188 in total offense, while the Panthers committed 10 penalties for 111 yards.

FIU

Rushing	No.	Yds.	TD	Lg	Avg.
GARDNER, Alex	17	59	1	12	3.5
McGOUGH, Alex	11	13	0	11	1.2
JONES, Anthony	1	1	0	1	1.0

Passing	Att-Cmp	Int	Yds	TD	Lng
McGOUGH, Alex	34-22	0	115	1	15

Receiving	No.	Yds	TD	Long
GARDNER, Alex	10	58	0	15
WILLIAMS, Julian	5	24	0	7
OWENS, Thomas	3	20	1	13
TURNER, Dennis	2	12	0	8

Punting	No.	Avg	Long	I20
WILSON, Stone	4	43.8	47	1
AYERS, Chris	4	38.2	47	1

Punt returns	No.	Yds	TD	Long
LEONARD, Richard	1	7	0	7

Kick returns	No.	Yds	TD	Long
LEONARD, Richard	2	51	0	26
TAYLOR, Clinton	1	21	0	21

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks
MATILUS, Jephete	8-4	12	1.0
WINT, Anthony	2-8	10	0.0
BRUNO, Mark	7-0	7	0.0

UMass

Rushing	No.	Yds.	TD	Lg	Avg.
Woodley, L.	7	31	0	10	4.4
Wilson, J.	9	29	0	14	3.2
Lindsay, S.	5	24	0	13	4.8
Michel, M.	1	20	0	20	20.0

Passing	Att-Cmp	Int	Yds	TD	Lng
Frohnapfel, B.	42-32	0	363	3	57
Team	1-0	0	0	0	0

Receiving	No.	Yds	TD	Long
Sharpe, T.	15	159	1	18
Michel, M.	7	113	2	57
Wilson, J.	3	39	0	30
Harris, S.	2	18	0	12

Punting	No.	Avg	Long	I20
Laurent, L.	2	47.5	49	1

Punt returns	No.	Yds	TD	Long
Dudley-Giles, T	1	0	0	0

Kick returns	No.	Yds	TD	Long
Oliphant, J.	2	34	0	19
Mack, D.	1	0	0	0

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks
Robinson, J.	5-4	9	1.0
Colton, J.	3-5	8	0.0
Dudley-Giles, T	4-3	7	0.0

The Last Time it Happened

Rushing

Individual with 25-30 rushing attempts:

FIU:	Anthon Samuel (25) - at Old Dominion	11/8/14
Opp:	Kenneth Dixon (25) - at LA Tech	9/26/15

Individual with 31 or more rushing attempts:

FIU:	Ben West (34) - Florida A&M	10/1/05
Opp:	James Conner (31) - Pittsburgh	9/13/14

Individual rushed for 100-149 yards:

FIU:	Anthon Samuel (120) - Middle Tennessee	11/15/14
Opp:	Reggir Pegram (114) - at North Texas	11/22/14

Individual rushed for 150-199 yards:

FIU:	Kedrick Rhodes (172) - Troy	10/25/11
Opp:	Kenneth Dixon (169) - at LA Tech	9/26/15

Individual rushed for 200+ Yards:

FIU:	Ben West (214) - Florida A&M	10/1/05
Opp:	Bennie Cunningham (230) - Middle Tennessee	10/13/12

Individual with 100 rush and receiving yards:

FIU:	Kedrick Rhodes (130 rush/115 rec.) - at Duke	9/1/12
Opp:	Never	

Two rushers with 100 yards in a game:

FIU:	Never	
Opp:	James Conner (177), Chad Voytik (114) - Pittsburgh	9/13/14

Three rushers with 100 yards in a game:

FIU:	Darriet Perry (186), T.Y. Hilton (158), Darian Mallary (118) - at Troy	11/13/10
Opp:	Never	

Team with 40 rushing attempts:

FIU:	46 - N.C. Central	9/19/15
Opp:	42 - at LA Tech	9/26/15

Team with fewer than 25 rushing attempts:

FIU:	23 - at LA Tech	9/26/15
Opp:	23 - N.C. Central	9/19/15

Team rushed for 300+ Yards:

FIU:	448 - at Troy	11/13/10
Opp:	321 - Pittsburgh	9/13/14

Team held between 51-100 yards rushing:

FIU:	73 - at UMass	10/3/15
Opp:	74 - East Carolina	11/2/13

Team held under 50 yards rushing:

FIU:	45 - at LA Tech	9/26/15
Opp:	38 - N.C. Central	9/19/15

Individual scored on 50+ yard run:

FIU:	T.Y. Hilton (61) - at Troy	11/13/10
Opp:	Keeneth Dixon (63) - at LA Tech	9/26/15

Passing

Individual with 40 pass attempts:

FIU:	Alex McGough (44) - at LA Tech	9/26/15
Opp:	Blake Frohnapfel (42) - at UMass	10/3/15

Individual with 50 pass attempts:

FIU:	Wes Carroll - at Maryland (58)	9/25/10
Opp:	Graham Wilbert (51) - at Florida Atlantic	11/16/12

Individual with 60 pass attempts:

FIU:	Never	
Opp:	Ben Dougherty (60) - vs. Florida A&M	11/27/04

Individual completed 25 passes:

FIU:	Alex McGough (29) - at LA Tech	9/26/15
Opp:	Blake Frohnapfel (32) - at UMass	10/3/15

Individual completed 30 passes:

FIU:	Wes Carroll - at Maryland (35)	9/25/10
Opp:	Blake Frohnapfel (32) - at UMass	10/3/15

Individual passed for 300-399 yards:

FIU:	Jake Medlock (302) - UAB	10/12/13
Opp:	Blake Frohnapfel (363) - at UMass	10/3/15

Individual passed for 400+ yards:

FIU:	Paul McCall (400) - at Florida Atlantic (OT)	11/29/08
Opp:	Graham Wilbert (403) - at Florida Atlantic	11/16/12

Individual threw three (3) touchdowns:

FIU:	Alex McGough (3) - N.C. Central	9/19/15
Opp:	Blake Frohnapfel (3) - at UMass	10/3/15

Individual threw four (4) touchdowns:

FIU:	Paul McCall (4) - at Florida Atlantic	11/29/08
Opp:	Rakeem Cato (4) - Marshall	10/18/14

Individual threw five (5) touchdowns:

FIU:	Never	
Opp:	Dalton Williams (5) - Akron	9/8/12

Team with less than 10 pass attempts:

FIU:	9 - at Louisville	9/21/13
Opp:	7 - at UTEP	11/16/13

Team with less than five (5) pass completions:

FIU:	4 - at Louisville	9/21/13
Opp:	3 - at UTEP	11/16/13

Team had less than 50 yards passing:

FIU:	27 - at Louisville	9/21/13
Opp:	38 - Bethune-Cookman	9/14/13

Individual threw for a 60-69-yard touchdown:

FIU:	Alex McGough to Dennis Turner (64) - N.C. Central	9/19/15
Opp:	Driphus Jackson to James Mayden (69) - Rice	11/1/14

Individual threw for a 70-yard+ touchdown:

FIU:	Alex McGough to Thomas Owens (75) - at Indiana	9/12/15
Opp:	Taylor Heinicke to Antonio Vaughn (74) - at Old Dominion	11/8/14

Receiving

Individual caught 10 passes:

FIU:	Alex Gardner (10) - at UMass	10/3/15
Opp:	Tajae Sharpe (15) - at UMass	10/3/15

Individual had 100 yards receiving:

FIU:	Thomas Owens (166) - at Indiana	9/12/15
Opp:	Tajae Sharpe (159)/ Marken Michel (113) - at UMass	10/3/15

Two individuals with 100 yards receiving in a game:

FIU:	Glenn Coleman (115) and Willis Wright (109) - Middle Tenn.	10/13/12
Opp:	Tajae Sharpe (159) and Marken Michel (113) - at UMass	10/3/15

Total Offense

Team gained 500 total yards:

FIU:	522 - Middle Tennessee (142 rush, 380 pass)	10/13/12
Opp:	525 - at Old Dominion (210 rush, 315 pass)	11/8/14

Team gained 600 total yards:

FIU:	668 - at Troy (448 rush, 220 pass)	11/13/10
Opp:	615 - at Kansas (224 rush, 391 pass)	9/22/07

Team gained between 100-200 total yards:

FIU:	188 - at UMass (73 rush, 115 pass)	10/3/15
Opp:	172 - Rutgers (76 rush, 96 pass)	9/11/10

Team gained less than 100 total yards:

FIU:	27 - at Louisville	9/21/13
Opp:	Never	

First Downs

Team had 25 first downs:

FIU:	27 - Middle Tennessee	10/13/12
Opp:	29 - at UMass	10/3/15

Team had less than 10 first downs:

FIU:	9 - at UAB	9/27/14
Opp:	9 - Wagner	9/6/14

The Last Time it Happened

Punting

Team punted at least 10 times:

FIU:	10 - at UAB	9/27/14
Opp:	10 - N.C. Central	9/19/15

Team did not punt:

FIU:	Never (1, several, last at Arkansas)	10/27/07
Opp:	at Middle Tennessee	11/9/13

Individual recorded a +50-yard punt:

FIU:	Chris Ayers (51) - vs. N.C. Central	9/19/15
Opp:	Gerald Shouse (52) - at LA Tech	9/26/15

Individual recorded a +60-yard punt:

FIU:	Jake Medlock (61) - Marshall	11/23/13
Opp:	Sean O'Kane (68) - Middle Tennessee	11/15/14

Individual recorded a +70-yard punt:

FIU:	Jake Medlock (70) - at UTEP	11/16/13
Opp:	Mike Ruggles (73) - at UTEP	11/16/13

Individual blocked a punt:

FIU:	Jonathan Faucher - at Middle Tennessee	11/26/11
Opp:	David Baptiste - Florida Atlantic	11/12/11

Turnovers

Individual threw three (3) interceptions:

FIU:	Alex McGough (3) - at North Texas	11/22/14
Opp:	Austin Grammer (3) - Middle Tennessee	11/15/14

Individual with two (2) interceptions:

FIU:	Richard Leonard - at UAB	9/27/14
Opp:	Gerod Holliman - Louisville	9/20/14

Team had four (4) turnovers:

FIU:	5 (2 INTs/3 fumbles) - at UTSA	10/11/14
Opp:	5 (3 INTs/2 fumbles) - Middle Tennessee	11/15/14

Team had five (5) turnovers:

FIU:	5 (2 INTs/3 fumbles) - at UTSA	10/11/14
Opp:	5 (3 INTs/2 fumbles) - Middle Tennessee	11/15/14

Team had six (6) turnovers:

FIU:	7 (5 INTs/2 fumbles) - at Arkansas	10/27/07
Opp:	6 (4 INTs/2 fumbles) - at UAB	9/27/14

Team lost three (3) fumbles:

FIU:	3 - UTSA	10/11/14
Opp:	3 - UTSA	10/11/14

Team lost six (6) fumbles:

FIU:	6 - North Texas	10/15/05
Opp:	Never (High of 4 - twice - last Wagner)	9/6/14

Team recovered an onside kick:

FIU:	1 - at Duke	9/1/12
Opp:	1 - N.C. Central	9/19/15

Penalties

Team was penalized 10 times:

FIU:	10 - at UMass	10/3/15
Opp:	10 - at UMass	10/3/15

Team was not penalized:

FIU:	Never (Record low 2 - at Troy)	10/18/03
Opp:	Never (Record low 2 - Butler)	9/14/02

Scoring

Individual scored three touchdowns:

FIU:	Jonnu Smith (3) - Middle Tennessee	11/15/14
Opp:	Kenneth Dixon (3) - at LA Tech	9/26/15

Individual scored four touchdowns:

FIU:	T.Y. Hilton (4) - ULM	11/6/10
Opp:	Darren McFadden (4) - at Arkansas	10/27/07

Individual caught two touchdown passes:

FIU:	Thomas Owens - at Indiana	9/12/15
Opp:	Marken Michel - at UMass	10/3/15

Individual caught three touchdown passes:

FIU:	Jonnu Smith (3) - Middle Tennessee	11/15/14
Opp:	Gator Hoskins (3) - Marshall	11/23/13

Individual rushed for three touchdowns:

FIU:	Darriet Perry - at Louisiana	11/20/10
Opp:	Ray Graham - Pittsburgh	10/2/10

Individual kicked three field goals:

FIU:	Jack Griffin - at WKU	11/5/11
Opp:	Sean Ianno - at UTSA	10/11/14

Individual kicked four or more field goals:

FIU:	Dustin Rivest (5) - Arkansas State	11/08/08
Opp:	Kyle Fischer (5) - Louisiana Tech	10/26/13

Individual kicked a 50-yard field goal:

FIU:	Austin Taylor (52) - East Carolina	11/2/13
Opp:	Never (Longest: 48 yards, last by Greg Whibbs - Troy)	10/20/05

Individual returned a kickoff for a touchdown:

FIU:	Richard Leonard (100 yards) - at Florida Atlantic	11/16/12
Opp:	Charles Gaines (93 yards) - at Louisville	9/21/13

Individual returned a punt for a touchdown:

FIU:	Richard Leonard (74 yards) - at North Texas	11/22/14
Opp:	Toney Logan (85 yards) - at Maryland	9/25/10

Individual returned an interception for a touchdown:

FIU:	Jeremiah McKinnon (71 yards) - at North Texas	11/22/14
Opp:	Jaquell Taylor (30 yards) - vs. N.C. Central	9/19/15

Individual returned a fumble for a touchdown:

FIU:	Richard Leonard (100 yards) - Florida Atlantic	10/5/14
Opp:	Andrew Power (29 yards) - North Texas	9/1/11

Individual recovered a fumble in end zone for a TD:

FIU:	Chance Attaway - at Middle Tennessee	9/29/07
Opp:	Ryan Downing - North Texas	9/1/11

Individual returned/recovered a blocked punt for a TD:

FIU:	Alonzo Phillips (11 yards) - at North Texas	10/4/08
Opp:	Dakota Lewis (0 yards) - Kansas	9/22/07

Individual returned/recovered a blocked FG for a TD:

FIU:	Never	
Opp:	Ross Cockrell (75 yards) - Duke	9/1/12

Individual returned a blocked PAT for a touchdown:

FIU:	Zach Davis - vs. Florida A&M	11/27/04
Opp:	Never	

Team scored a two-point conversion:

FIU:	at Indiana (Alex Gardner run)	9/12/15
Opp:	Louisiana Tech (Sterling Griffin from Ryan Higgins)	10/26/13

Team scored a safety:

FIU:	Pittsburgh	9/13/14
Opp:	Pittsburgh (twice)	9/13/14

Team recorded a shutout:

FIU:	Butler (42-0)	9/14/02
Opp:	at Middle Tennessee (48-0)	11/9/13

Team scored 28 points in a quarter:

FIU:	28 (1st) - North Texas	9/1/11
Opp:	28 (2nd) - at Louisville	9/21/13

Team scored 40 points in a half:

FIU:	41 (1st) vs. Jacksonville	10/30/03
Opp:	40 (1st) - at Maryland	8/31/13

FIU Scoring Drives

Opponent	Qtr	Score	Scoring Play	Length	Plays	Yards	Time	--- Cumulative Total for 2014 ---					
								3:00 or less	2:00 or less	1:00 or less	80 yards or more	10 plays or more	5 plays or less
UCF	1	Field Goal	Austin Taylor	28-yard FG	16	76	7:23	-	-	-	-	1	-
	3	Touchdown	Alex Gardner	7-yard run	12	82	6:11	-	-	-	1	2	-
	4	Touchdown	McGough to Griner	3-yard pass	6	80	2:31	1	-	-	2	-	-
Indiana	1	Touchdown	McGough to Owens	21-yard pass	11	69	4:29	-	-	-	-	3	-
	2	Touchdown	McGough to Owens	75-yard pass	1	75	0:11	2	1	1	-	-	1
	4	Touchdown	McGough to Turner	28-yard pass	10	90	2:51	3	-	-	3	4	-
N.C. Central	1	Field Goal	Austin Taylor	32-yard FG	8	45	3:34	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1	Field Goal	Austin Taylor	36-yard FG	7	34	3:04	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1	Touchdown	McGough to Turner	64-yard pass	6	76	2:09	4	-	-	-	-	-
	2	Touchdown	McGough to Smith	10-yard pass	18	88	7:37	-	-	-	4	5	-
	2	Touchdown	Anthony Jones	26-yard run	1	26	0:09	5	2	2	-	-	2
	3	Touchdown	McGough to Owens	16-yard pass	4	38	1:32	6	3	3	-	-	3
Louisiana Tech	3	Touchdown	Alex Gardner	1-yard run	12	75	6:01	-	-	-	-	6	-
	1	Field Goal	Austin Taylor	44-yard FG	7	42	2:18	7	-	-	-	-	-
	3	Touchdown	McGough to Griner	10-yard pass	13	75	6:16	-	-	-	-	7	-
UMass	4	Touchdown	McGough to Owens	7-yard pass	9	74	2:46	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2	Touchdown	McGough to Owens	1-yard pass	9	37	4:14	-	-	-	-	-	-
	3	Touchdown	Alex Gardner	1-yard run	13	62	4:33	-	-	-	-	8	-

Opponent Scoring Drives

Opponent	Qtr	Score	Scoring Play	Length	Plays	Yards	Time	--- Cumulative Total for 2014 ---					
								3:00 or less	2:00 or less	1:00 or less	80 yards or more	10 plays or more	5 plays or less
UCF	1	Touchdown	Holman to Akins	9-yard pass	5	26	2:36	1	-	-	-	-	1
	2	Touchdown	Holman to Akins	33-yard pass	7	70	3:28	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indiana	2	Field Goal	Griffin Oakes	35-yard FG	11	56	3:43	-	-	-	-	1	-
	2	Field Goal	Griffin Oakes	27-yard FG	9	72	3:55	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2	Touchdown	Nate Sudfeld	5-yard run	11	68	4:06	-	-	-	-	2	-
	3	Touchdown	Nate Sudfeld	1-yard run	4	20	1:17	2	1	-	-	-	2
	4	Field Goal	Griffin Oakes	40-yard FG	9	61	3:04	-	-	-	-	-	-
	4	Touchdown	Sudfeld to Paige	16-yard pass	1	16	0:07	3	2	1	-	-	3
	4	Touchdown	Jameel Cook	96-yard INT	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
N.C. Central	1	Touchdown	Jaquell Taylor	30-yard INT	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2	Touchdown	Idreis Augustus	1-yard run	9	72	1:04	4	3	-	-	-	-
Louisiana Tech	1	Touchdown	Kenneth Dixon	63-yard run	5	82	1:56	5	4	-	1	-	4
	2	Touchdown	Driskel to Dixon	23-yard pass	6	81	3:38	-	-	-	2	-	-
	2	Field Goal	Jonathan Barnes	39-yard FG	11	41	3:51	-	-	-	-	3	-
	4	Touchdown	Kenneth Dixon	14-yard run	6	51	2:42	6	-	-	-	-	-
	4	Field Goal	Jonathan Barnes	28-yard FG	9	65	4:55	-	-	-	-	-	-
UMass	1	Touchdown	Frohnappfel to Michel	57-yard pass	2	71	0:37	7	5	2	-	-	5
	2	Touchdown	Frohnappfel to Sharpe	6-yard pass	4	63	1:49	8	6	-	-	-	6
	2	Field Goal	Logan Laurent	48-yard FG	9	39	1:10	9	7	-	-	-	-
	4	Touchdown	Frohnappfel to Michel	5-yard pass	8	62	3:21	-	-	-	-	-	-

2015 Overall Statistics

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
All Games	2-3	1-0	1-3	0-0
Conference	0-1	0-0	0-1	0-0
Non-Conference	2-2	1-0	1-2	0-0

Date	Opponent	W/L	Score	Attendance
9/3	at UCF	W	15-14	39,184
9/12	at Indiana	L	22-36	41,509
9/19	N.C. Central	W	39-14	16,567
9/26	at LA Tech*	L	17-27	20,010
10/3	at UMass	L	14-24	13,525

*Conference USA games.

Team Statistics	FIU	Opponents
SCORING	107	115
Points Per Game	21.4	23.0
Points Off Turnovers	29	34
FIRST DOWNS	93	114
Rushing	35	48
Passing	51	56
Penalty	7	10
RUSHING YARDAGE	620	667
Yards gained rushing	684	828
Yards lost rushing	64	161
Rushing Attempts	162	186
Average Per Rush	3.8	3.6
Average Per Game	124.0	133.4
TDs Rushing	4	5
PASSING YARDAGE	1163	1243
Comp-Att-Int	125-199-2	110-178-4
Average Per Pass	5.8	7.0
Average Per Catch	9.3	11.3
Average Per Game	232.6	248.6
TDs Passing	10	7
TOTAL OFFENSE	1783	1910
Total Plays	361	364
Average Per Play	4.9	5.2
Average Per Game	356.6	382.0
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	14-302	17-315
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	10-59	5-37
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	4-0	2-122
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	21.6	18.5
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	5.9	7.4
INT RETURN AVERAGE	0.0	61.0
FUMBLES-LOST	6-4	9-2
PENALTIES-Yards	38-325	37-276
Average Per Game	65.0	55.2
PUNTS-Yards	33-1385	27-1139
Average Per Punt	42.0	42.2
Net punt average	39.0	38.5
KICKOFFS-Yards	23-1352	23-1418
Average Per Kick	58.8	61.7
Net kick average	38.6	39.8
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	30:10	29:50
3RD-DOWN Conversions	40/84	26/72
3rd-Down Pct.	48%	36%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	2/6	2/6
4th-Down Pct.	33%	33%
SACKS BY-Yards	9-63	6-34
MISC YARDS	-20	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	14	14
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	4-5	6-10
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	1-1
RED-ZONE SCORES	(12-13) 92% .. (11-16) 69%	
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(9-13) 69% .. (8-16) 50%	
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(9-11) 82% .. (13-14) 93%	
ATTENDANCE	16567	114228
Games/Avg Per Game	1/16567	4/28557
Neutral Site Games		0/0

Score By Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
FIU	22	31	33	21	0	107
Opponents	28	47	6	34	0	115

Rushing	GP	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
GARDNER, Alex	5	84	315	10	305	3.6	3	18	61.0
McGOUGH, Alex	5	34	174	35	139	4.1	0	29	27.8
JONES, Anthony	5	15	96	1	95	6.3	1	26	19.0
SAMUEL, Anthon	4	20	57	3	54	2.7	0	10	13.5
ANDERSON, Trey	2	4	42	5	37	9.2	0	23	18.5
TEAM	4	5	0	10	-10	-2.0	0	0	-2.5
Total	5	162	684	64	620	3.8	4	29	124.0
Opponents	5	186	828	161	667	3.6	5	63	133.4

Passing	GP	Efficiency	Cmp-Att-Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Avg/G
McGOUGH, Alex	5	130.07	122-189-2	64.6	1129	10	75	225.8
ANDERSON, Trey	2	58.56	3-10-0	30.0	34	0	14	17.0
Total	5	126.48	125-199-2	62.8	1163	10	75	232.6
Opponents	5	128.94	110-178-4	61.8	1243	7	57	248.6

Receiving	GP	No	Yards	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
OWENS, Thomas	5	29	349	12.0	5	75	69.8
GARDNER, Alex	5	26	217	8.3	0	27	43.4
SMITH, Jonnu	5	19	129	6.8	1	25	25.8
GRINER, Ya'Keem	5	18	185	10.3	2	47	37.0
TURNER, Dennis	5	11	150	13.6	2	64	30.0
TAYLOR, Clinton	5	9	77	8.6	0	18	15.4
WILLIAMS, Julian	5	6	28	4.7	0	7	5.6
DAN-FODIO, Akil	5	3	11	3.7	0	9	2.2
JONES, Anthony	5	2	17	8.5	0	15	3.4
SAMUEL, Anthon	4	2	0	0.0	0	4	0.0
Total	5	125	1163	9.3	10	75	232.6
Opponents	5	110	1243	11.3	7	57	248.6

Punt Returns	No	Yards	Avg	TD	Long
LEONARD, Richard	10	59	5.9	0	16
Total	10	59	5.9	0	16
Opponents	5	37	7.4	0	13

Interceptions	No	Yards	Avg	TD	Long
GONZALEZ, Niko	1	0	0.0	0	0
WINT, Anthony	1	0	0.0	0	0
DAVIS, Jordan	1	0	0.0	0	0
MCKINNON, Jeremiah	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	4	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents	2	122	61.0	2	96

Kick Returns	No	Yards	Avg	TD	Long
LEONARD, Richard	12	258	21.5	0	36
JONES, Anthony	1	23	23.0	0	23
TAYLOR, Clinton	1	21	21.0	0	21
Total	14	302	21.6	0	36
Opponents	17	315	18.5	0	35

2015 Overall Statistics

Fumble Returns	No	Yards	Avg	TD	Long
N/A					
Total	0	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents	1	5	5.0	0	5

Scoring	TD	FGs	PATs				DXP	Safety	Points
			Kick	Rush	Rcv	Pass			
OWENS, Thomas	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	30
TAYLOR, Austin	0	4-5	9-11	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	21
GARDNER, Alex	3	0-0	0-0	1-2	0	0-0	0	0	20
TURNER, Dennis	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
GRINER, Ya'Keem	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
SMITH, Jonnu	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
JONES, Anthony	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
McGOUGH, Alex	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-1	0	0	0
Total	14	4-5	9-11	1-2	0	0-1	0	0	107
Opponents	14	6-10	13-14	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	115

Total Offense	GP	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg/G
McGOUGH, Alex	5	223	139	1129	1268	253.6
GARDNER, Alex	5	84	305	0	305	61.0
JONES, Anthony	5	15	95	0	95	19.0
ANDERSON, Trey	2	14	37	34	71	35.5
SAMUEL, Anthon	4	20	54	0	54	13.5
TEAM	4	5	-10	0	-10	-2.5
Total	5	361	620	1163	1783	356.6
Opponents	5	364	667	1243	1910	382.0

Field Goals	FGM-A	Pct	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Long	Blocked
TAYLOR, Austin	4-5	80.0	0-0	1-1	2-2	1-1	0-1	44	1

FG Sequence	FIU	Opponents
UCF	(28),50	47
Indiana	-(35),(27),44,(40)	-
NC Central	-(32),(36)	-
Louisiana Tech	(44)	(39),45,(28)
Massachusetts	-	19,(48)

Numbers in (parenthesis) indicate field goal was made.

Punting	No	Yards	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	50+	Blocked
WILSON, Stone	21	892	42.5	52	2	9	5	2	0
AYERS, Chris	12	493	41.1	51	1	8	3	1	0
Total	33	1385	42.0	52	3	17	8	3	0
Opponents	27	1139	42.2	57	2	7	11	3	0

Kickoffs	No	Yards	Avg	TB	OB	Return	Net	Yardline
TAYLOR, Austin	21	1230	58.6	6	0			
WILSON, Stone	2	122	61.0	0	0			
Total	23	1352	58.8	6	0	315	38.6	26
Opponents	23	1418	61.7	8	1	302	39.8	25

2015 Overall Statistics

All-Purpose	GP	Rush	Rec	PR	KR	IR	Total	Avg/G
GARDNER, Alex.....	5	305	217	0	0	0	522	104.4
OWENS, Thomas.....	5	0	349	0	0	0	349	69.8
LEONARD, Richard.....	5	0	0	59	258	0	317	63.4
GRINER, Ya'Keem.....	5	0	185	0	0	0	185	37.0
TURNER, Dennis.....	5	0	150	0	0	0	150	30.0
McGOUGH, Alex.....	5	139	0	0	0	0	139	27.8
JONES, Anthony.....	5	95	17	0	23	0	135	27.0
SMITH, Jonnu.....	5	0	129	0	0	0	129	25.8
TAYLOR, Clinton.....	5	0	77	0	21	0	98	19.6
SAMUEL, Anthon.....	4	54	0	0	0	0	54	13.5
ANDERSON, Trey.....	2	37	0	0	0	0	37	18.5
WILLIAMS, Julian.....	5	0	28	0	0	0	28	5.6
DAN-FODIO, Akil.....	5	0	11	0	0	0	11	2.2
TEAM	4	-10	0	0	0	0	-10	-2.5
Total.....	5	620	1163	59	302	0	2144	428.8
Opponents.....	5	667	1243	37	315	122	2384	476.8

2015 Defensive Statistics

	GP	Tackles				|-Sacks-| No-Yards	|-Pass Def-|		QBH	|-Fumbles-|		Blkd Kick	Saf
		Solo	Ast	Total	TFL/Yards		Int-Yards	BrUp		Rcv-Yards	FF		
53.... WINT, Anthony	5-5	18	23	41	3.0-8	.	1-0	1	.	1-0	.	.	.
52.... WILLIAMS, Treyvon	4-3	20	13	33	1.5-2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
3..... LEONARD, Richard	5-5	19	10	29	1.5-2	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
29.... WEST, Vontarius	5-3	14	9	23	3.0-9	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
74.... KOHT, Lars	5-1	13	9	22	3.0-12	2.0-9	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
31.... JOHNSON, Tyree	5-2	14	6	20	1.0-2	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.
7..... MCKINNON, Jeremiah	5-5	15	4	19	1.0-1	.	1-0	6	.	.	.	.	.
22.... BRUNO, Mark	5-2	12	6	18	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
55.... WAKEFIELD, Mike	5-5	8	9	17	5.5-21	2.0-10	.	1	2	.	2	.	.
33.... GONZALEZ, Niko	3-3	12	5	17	1.0-2	.	1-0	1	.	.	.	.	.
11.... PERINE, Denzell	5-5	13	3	16	6.5-36	4.0-29	.	2	1	.	2	.	.
3B... MATILUS, Jephete	5-2	9	5	14	1.0-15	1.0-15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
27.... HINES, Xavier	4-0	5	6	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
38.... MYRTIL, Wilkenson	3-3	5	4	9	0.5-1	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.
28.... WILSON, Deonte	4-1	5	4	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
25.... HAZZIEZ, De'Shawn	5-0	5	4	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
44.... DYSON, Darrian	4-4	1	7	8	0.5-1	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.
35.... COLIMON, Davison	1-1	1	4	5	0.5-0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
93.... ALBURY, Imarjaye	5-5	.	5	5	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
57.... GUEST, Jordan	2-0	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
91.... JOHNSON, Anthony	5-0	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
24.... GLANTON, Josh	2-0	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
94.... CHEEKS, Marques	4-0	1	2	3	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
46.... JUSTE, Milord	1-0	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
36.... CALDWELL, Lamarq	5-0	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
98.... WASHINGTON, Leonard	5-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
45.... MEDLOCK, Sam	5-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
37.... RANDOLPH, Alfonso	5-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
18.... DAVIS, Jordan	1-0	1	.	1	.	.	1-0	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total.....	5-0	200	146	346	30-113	9-63	4-0	21	4	2-0	6	2	.
Opponents.....	5-0	179	198	377	22.0-67	6-34	2-122	26	7	4-5	2	1	.

2015 Game-by-Game Statistics

FIU Offensive Game-By-Game

Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Return				Punt Return				Total Off
		No	Yards	TD	Lg	No	Yards	TD	Lg	C-A-Int	Yards	TD	Lg	No	Yards	TD	Lg	No	Yards	TD	Lg	
9/3	at UCF	31	131	1	26	28	260	1	47	28-37-0	260	1	47	3	63	0	25	2	14	0	10	391
9/12	at Indiana	33	123	0	23	24	283	3	75	24-47-1	283	3	75	3	44	0	17	3	17	0	16	406
9/19	N.C. Central	46	248	2	29	22	242	3	64	22-37-1	242	3	64	2	41	0	31	3	13	0	9	490
9/26	at Louisiana Tech	23	45	0	9	29	263	2	25	29-44-0	263	2	25	3	82	0	36	1	8	0	8	308
10/3	at UMass	29	73	1	12	22	115	1	15	22-34-0	115	1	15	3	72	0	26	1	7	0	7	188
10/10	UTEP																					
10/17	at Middle Tennessee																					
10/24	Old Dominion																					
10/31	at Florida Atlantic																					
11/7	Charlotte																					
11/14	at Marshall																					
11/21	WKU																					
Totals		162	620	4	29	125	1163	10	75	125-199-2	1163	10	75	14	302	0	36	10	59	0	16	1783
Opponent		186	667	5	63	110	1243	7	57	110-178-4	1243	7	57	17	315	0	35	5	37	0	13	1910

Games:5
 Avg/rush:3.8
 Avg/catch:9.3
 Pass effic:126.48
 KR avg:21.6
 PR avg:5.9
 All purpose avg/game:428.8
 Total offense avg/gm:356.6

FIU Defensive Game-By-Game

Date	Opponent	UA	A	Tackles	Sacks	Fumbles	Pass	Blocked	Kick-XP	Total							
				TFL-Yards	No-Yards	FF	FR-Yards	Int-Yards	QBH	PBU	Kick	Att-Made	Run	Rec	Safety	Points	
9/3	at UCF	33	42	75	8.0-26	2.0-14	2	0-0	0-0	2	4	1	0-0	0	0	15	
9/12	at Indiana	55	32	87	4.0-14	1.0-2	1	0-0	1-0	0	7	0	2-2	1	0	22	
9/19	N.C. Central	30	14	44	4.0-20	2.0-15	1	0-0	3-0	0	4	0	5-3	0	0	39	
9/26	at Louisiana Tech	44	20	64	7.0-22	1.0-7	1	0-0	0-0	2	4	0	2-2	0	0	17	
10/3	at UMass	38	38	76	7.0-31	3.0-25	1	2-0	0-0	0	2	1	2-2	0	0	14	
10/10	UTEP																
10/17	at Middle Tennessee																
10/24	Old Dominion																
10/31	at Florida Atlantic																
11/7	Charlotte																
11/14	at Marshall																
11/21	WKU																
Totals		200	146	346	30.0-113	9.0-63	6	2-0	4-0	4	21	2	11-9	1	0	0	107
Opponent.....		179	198	377	22.0-67	6.0-34	2	4-5	2-122	7	26	1	14-13	0	0	0	115

FIU Kicking Game-By-Game

Date	Opponent	Punting					Field Goals					Kickoffs						
		No	Yards	Avg	Long	Blocked	TB	FC	50+	I20	FGA-Made	Long	Blocked	No	Yards	Avg	TB	OB
9/3	at UCF	6	269	44.8	52	0	0	3	1	1	2-1	28	1	4	240	60.0	0	0
9/12	at Indiana	7	285	40.7	48	0	1	5	0	2	0-0	0	0	4	244	61.0	0	0
9/19	N.C. Central	5	224	44.8	51	0	0	1	2	0	2-2	36	0	8	504	63.0	5	0
9/26	at Louisiana Tech	7	279	39.9	48	0	1	3	0	3	1-1	44	0	4	205	51.2	1	0
10/3	at UMass	8	328	41.0	47	0	1	5	0	2	0-0	0	0	3	159	53.0	0	0
10/10	UTEP																	
10/17	Middle Tennessee																	
10/24	Old Dominion																	
10/31	at Florida Atlantic																	
11/7	Charlotte																	
11/14	at Marshall																	
11/21	WKU																	
Totals		33	1385	42.0	52	0	3	17	3	8	5-4	44	1	23	1352	58.8	6	0
Opponent.....		27	1139	42.2	57	0	2	7	3	11	10-6	48	2	23	1418	61.7	8	1

2015 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent Offensive Game-By-Game

Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Return				Punt Return				Total Off
		No	Yards	TD	Lg	No	Yards	TD	Lg	C-A-Int	Yards	TD	Lg	No	Yards	TD	Lg	No	Yards	TD	Lg	
9/3	at UCF	30	46	0	15	23	249	2	33	23-34-0	249	2	33	4	100	0	35	2	15	0	9	295
9/12	at Indiana	52	205	2	32	19	234	1	38	19-33-1	234	1	38	4	93	0	25	1	9	0	9	439
9/19	N.C. Central	23	38	1	12	18	171	0	19	18-36-3	171	0	19	3	56	0	22	0	0	0	0	209
9/26	at Louisiana Tech	42	246	2	63	18	226	1	28	18-32-0	226	1	28	3	32	0	16	1	13	0	13	472
10/3	at UMass	39	132	0	20	32	363	3	57	32-43-0	363	3	57	3	34	0	19	1	0	0	0	495
10/10	UTEP																					
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 Avg/rush:3.6
 Avg/catch:11.3
 Pass effic:128.94
 KR avg:18.5
 PR avg:7.4
 All purpose avg/game:476.8
 Total offense avg/gm:382.0

Opponent Defensive Game-By-Game

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks		Fumbles		Pass	Blocked		Kick-XP				Total Points
		UA	A	Total	TFL-Yards	No-Yards	FF	FR-Yards	Int-Yards		PBU	Kick	Att-Made	Run	Rec	Safety	
9/3	at UCF	35	48	83	2.0-6	0.0-0	1	1-5	0-0	5	1	1	2-2	0	0	0	14
9/12	at Indiana	49	18	67	2.0-8	2.0-8	1	2-0	1-96	0	11	0	4-3	0	0	0	36
9/19	N.C. Central	39	42	81	4.0-6	0.0-0	0	1-0	1-26	0	3	0	2-2	0	0	0	14
9/26	at Louisiana Tech	37	30	67	7.0-21	1.0-8	0	0-0	0-0	2	4	0	3-3	0	0	0	27
10/3	at UMass	25	46	71	7.0-26	3.0-18	0	0-0	0-0	0	5	0	3-3	0	0	0	24
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FIU		200	146	346	30.0-113	9.0-63	6	2-0	4-0	4	21	2	11-9	1	0	0	107

Opponent Kicking Game-By-Game

Date	Opponent	No	Yards	Avg	Punting			FC	50+	I20	Field Goals			No	Yards	Kickoffs		
					Long	Blocked	TB				FGA-Made	Long	Blocked			Avg	TB	OB
9/3	at UCF	7	313	44.7	53	0	1	3	1	4	1-0	0	1	3	197	65.7	0	0
9/12	at Indiana	4	173	43.2	47	0	1	0	0	1	4-3	40	0	8	515	64.4	5	0
9/19	N.C. Central	10	395	40.7	57	0	0	4	1	4	0-0	0	0	2	109	54.5	0	0
9/26	at Louisiana Tech	4	151	37.8	52	0	0	0	1	1	3-2	39	0	6	369	61.5	3	0
10/3	at UMass	2	95	47.5	49	0	0	0	0	1	2-1	48	1	4	228	57.0	0	1
10/10	UTEP																	
10/17	Middle Tennessee																	
10/24	Old Dominion																	
10/31	at Florida Atlantic																	
11/7	Charlotte																	
11/14	at Marshall																	
11/21	WKU																	
	Opponent totals	27	1139	42.2	57	0	2	7	3	11	10-6	48	2	23	1418	61.7	8	1
	FIU	33	1385	42.0	52	0	3	17	3	8	5-4	44	1	23	1352	58.8	6	0

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Rushing/Receiving Game-By-Game

Rushing	No-Yds/TD	UCF	IU	NCCU	LA Tech	UMass	UTEP	MT	ODU	FAU	CHAR	MAR	WKU
GARDNER, Alex RB.....	84-305/3	15-75/1	18-61/0	20-81/1	14-29/0	17-59/1							
McGOUGH, Alex QB.....	34-139/0	4-12/0	7-30/0	8-77/0	4-7/0	11-13/0							
JONES, Anthony WR.....	15-95/1	1-26/0	2-4/0	10-60/1	1-4/0	1-1/0							
SAMUEL, Anthon RB.....	20-54/0	8-21/0	2-2/0	7-26/0	3-5/0	DNP							
ANDERSON, Trey QB.....	4-37/0	DNP	3-33/0	1-4/0	DNP	DNP							
TEAM.....	5-10/0	3-3/0	1-7/0	DNP	1-0/0	-							

Receiving	No-Yds	UCF	IU	NCCU	LA Tech	UMass	UTEP	MT	ODU	FAU	CHAR	MAR	WKU
OWENS, Thomas WR.....	29-349/5	10-78/0	9-166/2	3-42/1	4-43/1	3-20/1							
GARDNER, Alex RB.....	26-217/0	5-74/0	1-9/0	1-6/0	9-70/0	10-58/0							
GRINER, Ya'Keem TE.....	18-185/2	4-55/1	2-11/0	5-55/0	7-64/1	-							
TURNER, Dennis WR.....	11-150/2	-	6-58/1	2-72/1	1-8/0	2-12/0							
SMITH, Jonnu TE.....	19-129/1	3-18/0	5-25/0	6-42/1	3-43/0	2-1/0							
TAYLOR, Clinton WR.....	9-77/0	3-20/0	1-14/0	2-13/0	3-30/0	-							
WILLIAMS, J. WR.....	6-28/0	-	-	1-4/0	-	5-24/0							
JONES, Anthony WR.....	2-17/0	1-15/0	-	1-2/0	-	-							
DAN-FODIO, Akil TE.....	3-11/0	-	-	1-6/0	2-5/0	-							
SAMUEL, Anthon RB.....	2-0/0	2-0/0	-	-	-	DNP							

Passing Game-By-Game

#12 Alex McGough	Att	Comp	INT	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sack	Yards	Efficiency
UCF	37	28	0	75.7	260	1	47	0	0	143.6
Indiana	37	21	1	56.8	249	3	75	1	3	134.6
NC Central	37	22	1	59.5	242	3	64	0	0	135.8
Louisiana Tech	44	29	0	65.9	263	2	25	1	8	131.1
Massachusetts	34	22	0	64.7	115	1	15	3	18	102.8
TOTALS	189	122	2	64.6	1129	10	75	5	29	130.1

#10 Trey Anderson	Att	Comp	INT	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sack	Yards	Efficiency
Indiana	10	3	0	30.0	34	0	14	1	5	58.6
TOTALS	10	3	0	30.0	34	0	14	1	5	58.6

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Returns Game-By-Game

Punt Returns	No-Yds	UCF	IU	NCCU	LA Tech	UMass	UTEP	MT	ODU	FAU	CHAR	MAR	WKU
LEONARD, R.	10-59	2-14	3-17	3-13	1-8	1-7							
Kick Returns	No-Yds	UCF	IU	NCCU	LA Tech	UMass	UTEP	MT	ODU	FAU	CHAR	MAR	WKU
LEONARD, R.	12-258	3-63	3-44	2-41	2-59	2-51							
JONES, Anthony	1-23	-	-	-	1-23	-							
TAYLOR, Clinton	1-21	-	-	-	-	1-21							
Interception Returns	No-Yds	UCF	IU	NCCU	LA Tech	UMass	UTEP	MT	ODU	FAU	CHAR	MAR	WKU
GONZALEZ, Niko	1-0	-	-	1-0	DNP	DNP							
WINT, Anthony	1-0	-	-	1-0	-	-							
DAVIS, Jordan	1-0	DNP	DNP	1-0	DNP	DNP							
MCKINNON, J.	1-0	-	1-0	-	-	-							
Fumble Returns	No-Yds	UCF	IU	NCCU	LA Tech	UMass	UTEP	MT	ODU	FAU	CHAR	MAR	WKU
N/A													

Tackles Game-By-Game

Player	UA-A	Total	UCF	IU	NCCU	LA Tech	UMass	UTEP	MT	ODU	FAU	CHAR	MAR	WKU
WINT, Anthony LB	18-23	41	3-7	7-6	2-2	4-0	2-8							
WILLIAMS, T. LB	20-13	33	4-7	5-3	3-0	8-3	DNP							
LEONARD, R. CB	19-10	29	5-5	7-2	1-1	4-1	2-1							
WEST, Vontarius LB	14-9	23	2-0	10-4	0-1	1-0	1-4							
KOHT, Lars DT	13-9	22	1-1	6-2	1-1	4-1	1-4							
JOHNSON, Tyree	14-6	20	-	-	5-2	5-1	4-3							
MCKINNON, J. CB	15-4	19	1-0	1-1	2-0	5-2	6-1							
BRUNO, Mark DB	12-6	18	2-1	2-0	0-2	1-3	7-0							
GONZALEZ, Niko DB	12-5	17	2-3	7-2	3-0	DNP	DNP							
WAKEFIELD, Mike DE	8-9	17	2-2	2-4	1-0	1-1	2-2							
PERINE, Denzell DE	13-3	16	2-2	3-1	2-0	2-0	4-0							
MATILUS, J.	9-5	14	-	-	-	1-1	8-4							
HINES, Xavier CB	5-6	11	DNP	-	2-1	3-4	0-1							
WILSON, Deonte S	5-4	9	2-2	-	-	3-2	DNP							
HAZZIEZ, D. LB	5-4	9	1-1	1-1	2-0	1-0	0-2							
MYRTIL, W. CB	5-4	9	2-3	3-1	-	DNP	DNP							
DYSON, Darrian DT	1-7	8	1-3	0-3	-	0-1	DNP							
ALBURY, I. DT	0-5	5	0-1	0-1	-	-	0-3							
COLIMON, D. LB	1-4	5	1-4	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP							
GUEST, Jordan LB	3-1	4	1-0	DNP	2-1	DNP	DNP							
GLANTON, Josh DE	1-2	3	DNP	-	1-2	DNP	DNP							
JOHNSON, A. DL	2-1	3	-	-	1-1	1-0	-							
CHEEKS, Marques DT	1-2	3	DNP	1-1	-	-	0-1							
CALDWELL, L.	1-1	2	-	-	1-0	-	0-1							
JUSTE, Milord DL	1-1	2	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-1							
WASHINGTON, L. DT	0-1	1	-	-	-	-	0-1							
DAVIS, Jordan S	1-0	1	DNP	DNP	1-0	DNP	DNP							
RANDOLPH, A.	0-1	1	-	-	-	-	0-1							
MEDLOCK, Sam	1-0	1	1-0	-	-	-	-							

2015 Game-by-Game Statistics

Sacks Game-By-Game

Player	UA-A	Total	UCF	IU	NCCU	LA Tech	UMass	UTEP	MT	ODU	FAU	CHAR	MAR	WKU
PERINE, Denzell DE	4-0	4.0	1.0-7	-	2.0-15	-	1.0-7							
KOHT, Lars DT	2-0	2.0	-	1.0-2	-	1.0-7	-							
WAKEFIELD, Mike DE	2-0	2.0	1.0-7	-	-	-	1.0-3							
MATILUS, J.	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	-	1.0-15							

Tackles For Loss Game-By-Game

Player	UA-A	Total	UCF	IU	NCCU	LA Tech	UMass	UTEP	MT	ODU	FAU	CHAR	MAR	WKU
PERINE, Denzell DE	6-1	6.5	1.5-9	-	2.0-15	1.0-3	2.0-9							
WAKEFIELD, Mike DE	5-1	5.5	1.0-7	1.0-5	1.0-2	1.0-3	1.5-4							
WEST, Vontarius LB	3-0	3.0	-	1.0-6	-	1.0-2	1.0-1							
WINT, Anthony LB	2-2	3.0	1.0-3	-	-	2.0-5	-							
KOHT, Lars DT	3-0	3.0	-	1.0-2	1.0-3	1.0-7	-							
WILLIAMS, T. LB	1-1	1.5	1.5-2	-	-	-	DNP							
LEONARD, R. CB	1-1	1.5	0.5-1	1.0-1	-	-	-							
JOHNSON, Tyree	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	1.0-2	-							
GONZALEZ, Niko DB	0-2	1.0	1.0-2	-	-	DNP	DNP							
MCKINNON, J. CB	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	-	1.0-1							
MATILUS, J.	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	-	1.0-15							
DYSON, Darrian DT	0-1	0.5	0.5-1	-	-	-	DNP							
COLIMON, D. LB	0-1	0.5	0.5-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP							
MYRTIL, W. CB	0-1	0.5	0.5-1	-	-	DNP	DNP							
CHEEKS, Marques DT	0-1	0.5	DNP	-	-	-	0.5-1							

Fumbles Game-By-Game

Fumbles	No	UCF	IU	NCCU	LA Tech	UMass	UTEP	MT	ODU	FAU	CHAR	MAR	WKU
TEAM.....	2-0	-	1-0	DNP	1-0	-							
McGOUGH, Alex QB.....	2-2		2-2	-	-	-							
GARDNER, Alex RB.....	1-1	1-1	-	-	-	-							
SMITH, Jonnu TE.....	1-1	-	-	1-1	-	-							

Fumbles Forced	No	UCF	IU	NCCU	LA Tech	UMass	UTEP	MT	ODU	FAU	CHAR	MAR	WKU
WAKEFIELD, Mike	2	1	1	-	-	-							
PERINE, Denzell	2	1	-	1	-	-							
JOHNSON, Tyree S	1	-	-	-	-	1							
KOHT, Lars	1	-	-	-	1	-							

Fumbles Recovered	No	UCF	IU	NCCU	LA Tech	UMass	UTEP	MT	ODU	FAU	CHAR	MAR	WKU
WINT, Anthony.....	1	-	-	-	-	1							
ALBURY, I.....	1	-	-	-	-	1							

2015 Game-by-Game Statistics
All-Purpose Game-By-Game

Player	Total	UCF	IU	NCCU	LA Tech	UMass	UTEP	MT	ODU	FAU	CHAR	MAR	WKU
GARDNER, Alex.....	522	149	70	87	99	117							
OWENS, Thomas	349	78	166	42	43	20							
LEONARD, R.....	317	77	61	54	67	58							
GRINER, Ya'Keem	185	55	11	55	64	-							
TURNER, Dennis	150	-	58	72	8	12							
McGOUGH, Alex	139	12	30	77	7	13							
JONES, Anthony.....	135	41	4	62	27	1							
SMITH, Jonnu.....	129	18	25	42	43	1							
TAYLOR, Clinton	98	20	14	13	30	21							
SAMUEL, Anthon.....	54	21	2	26	5	DNP							
ANDERSON, Trey	37	DNP	33	4	DNP	DNP							
WILLIAMS, J.....	28	-	-	4	-	24							
DAN-FODIO, Akil.....	11	-	-	6	5	-							
TEAM.....	-10	-3	-7	-	-	-							

2015 Game-by-Game Statistics
2015 Game Participation

Name	GP/GS	UCF	IU	NCCU	LA Tech	UMass	UTEP	MT	ODU	FAU	CHAR	MAR	WKU
84.... ABRAMS, Shawn	1/-	...	...	...	...	XXX							
79.... ABSHEER, Kai	4/3	...	XXX	START	START	START							
93.... ALBURY, I.	5/5	START	START	START	START	START							
21.... ANDERSON, K.	2/-	...	XXX	XXX	...	...					
10.... ANDERSON, Trey	2/-	...	XXX	XXX	...	...					
16.... AYERS, Chris	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX							
22.... BRUNO, Mark	5/2	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	START							
36.... CALDWELL, L.	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX							
94.... CHEEKS, Marques	4/-	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX							
35.... COLIMON, D.	1/1	START	...	...	...	...			
72.... CRUISE, James	3/-	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX							
1A ... DAN-FODIO, Akil	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX							
18.... DAVIS, Jordan	1/-	...	...	XXX	...	...					
44.... DYSON, Darrian	4/4	START	START	START	START	...							
68.... FLAIG, Chris	4/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...							
1 GARDNER, Alex	5/4	XXX	START	START	START	START							
24.... GLANTON, Josh	2/-	...	XXX	XXX	...	...					
33.... GONZALEZ, Niko	3/3	START	START	START	...	...					
80.... GRINER, Ya'Keem	5/4	START	START	START	XXX	START							
57.... GUEST, Jordan	2/-	XXX	...	XXX	...	...					
25.... HAZZIEZ, D.	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX							
27.... HINES, Xavier	4/-	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX							
91.... JOHNSON, A.	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX							
31.... JOHNSON, Tyree	5/2	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	START							
2 JONES, Anthony	5/1	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	XXX							
78.... JOSEPH, Dieugot	4/3	START	START	XXX	START	...							
46.... JUSTE, Milord	1/-	...	...	...	...	XXX							
74.... KOHT, Lars	5/1	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START							
40.... KUBAT, Madison	1/-	...	...	...	...	XXX							
3 LEONARD, R.	5/5	START	START	START	START	START							
20.... LUBIN, Emmanuel	3/-	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	...							
3B ... MATILUS, J.	5/2	XXX	START	XXX	XXX	START							
12.... McGOUGH, Alex	5/5	START	START	START	START	START							
7 MCKINNON, J.	5/5	START	START	START	START	START							
45.... MEDLOCK, Sam	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX							
69.... MILLER, Chris	2/1	...	...	XXX	...	START							
64.... MONTERO, Mike	5/5	START	START	START	START	START							
38.... MYRTIL, W.	3/3	START	START	START	...	...					
70.... NIELSEN, Aaron	5/2	START	START	XXX	XXX	XXX							
81.... OWENS, Thomas	5/5	START	START	START	START	START							
9 OYEGUNLE, Shug	4/-	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX							
88.... PAVLOV, J.	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX							
11 PERINE, Denzell	5/5	START	START	START	START	START							
34.... RANDOLPH, A.	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX							
48.... ROSADO, Luis	2/-	...	...	...	XXX	XXX							
41.... RUSS, Fred	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...					
42.... SAMUEL, Anthon	4/1	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	...							
73.... SAUNDERS, T.	4/4	START	START	START	START	...							
90.... SILVA, Fermin	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX							
75.... SINEACE, Edens	5/2	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	START							
87.... SMITH, Jonnu	5/5	START	START	START	START	START							
26.... SPENCE, S.	1/-	XXX	...	...	...	...			
43.... TAYLOR, Austin	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX							
5 TAYLOR, Clinton	5/1	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX							
14.... TURNER, Dennis	5/4	XXX	START	START	START	START							
55.... WAKEFIELD, Mike	5/5	START	START	START	START	START							
98.... WASHINGTON, L.	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX							
29.... WEST, Vontarius	5/3	XXX	START	START	XXX	START							
65.... WILKIE, Daquane	5/5	START	START	START	START	START							
82.... WILLIAMS, J.	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX							
52.... WILLIAMS, T.	4/3	START	XXX	START	START	...							
28.... WILSON, Deonte	4/1	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	...							
6A ... WILSON, Stone	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX							
53.... WINT, Anthony	5/5	START	START	START	START	START							

2015 Game Starters

Offense

Offense	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	QB	RB	TE	TE	WR	WR
UCF	Joseph	Nielsen	Montero	Saunders	WILKIE	McGough	Samuel	Smith	Griner	OWENS	Taylor
Indiana	Joseph	Nielsen	Montero	Saunders	Wilkie	McGough	Gardner	Smith	Griner	Owens	Turner
N.C. Central	SINEACE	ABSHEER	Montero	Saunders	Wilkie	McGough	Gardner	Smith	Griner	Owens	Turner
LA Tech	Joseph	Absheer	Montero	Saunders	Wilkie	McGough	Gardner	Smith	JONES*	Owens	Turner
UMass	Sineace	MILLER	Montero	Absheer	Wilkie	McGough	Gardner	Smith	Griner	Owens	Turner

* - Three wide receiver set

Defense

Defense	DE	DT	DT	DE	LB	LB	LB	CB	CB	S	S
UCF	Perine	Albury	Dyson	Wakefield	Wint	Williams	Colimon	Leonard	McKinnon	GONZALEZ	Myrttil
Indiana	Perine	Albury	Dyson	Wakefield	Wint	MATILUS	WEST	Leonard	McKinnon	Gonzalez	Myrttil
N.C. Central	Perine	Albury	Dyson	Wakefield	Wint	Williams	West	Leonard	McKinnon	Gonzalez	Myrttil
LA Tech	Perine	Albury	Dyson	Wakefield	Wint	Williams	BRUNO*	Leonard	McKinnon	JOHNSON	WILSON
UMass	Perine	Albury	Koht	Wakefield	Wint	Matilus	West	Leonard	Bruno	Johnson	McKinnon

* - Nickle package - three safeties

Career Starts (at FIU) - Streaks

Player, Position	Total	Streak	'15	'14	'13	'12	'11	Player, Position	Total	Streak	'15	'14	'13	'12	'11
Kai Absheer, OG	3	3	3	-	-	-	-	Thomas Owens, WR	5	5	5	-	-	-	-
Imarjaye Albury, DT	17	17	5	12	-	-	-	Denzell Perine, DE	17	5	5	5	7	-	-
Mark Bruno, S	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	Luis Rosado, LB	15	-	-	3	12	-	-
Jordan Budwig, OG	24	-	-	12	12	-	-	Anthon Samuel	4	-	1	3	-	-	-
Lamarq Caldwell, RB	12	-	-	1	11	-	-	Trenton Saunders, OG	7	-	4	-	3	-	-
Davison Colimon, LB	16	-	1	9	6	-	-	Edens Sineace, OT	2	1	2	-	-	-	-
Akil Dan-Fodio, TE	8	-	-	5	-	3	-	Jonnu Smith, TE	29	29	5	12	12	-	-
Jordan Davis, S	4	-	-	1	3	-	-	Silas Spearman III, RB	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Darrian Dyson, DT	10	-	4	5	1	-	-	Clinton Taylor, WR	8	-	1	-	7	-	-
Alex Gardner, RB	11	4	4	7	-	-	-	Dennis Turner	5	4	4	1	-	-	-
Niko Gonzalez, S	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	Michael Wakefield, DE	29	29	5	12	12	-	-
Ya'Keem Griner, TE	22	1	4	6	8	4	-	Leonard Washington, DT	2	-	-	-	2	-	-
Jordan Guest, LB	6	-	-	6	-	-	-	Vontarious West, LB	3	1	3	-	-	-	-
Tyree Johnson, S	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	Daquane Wilkie, OT	5	5	5	-	-	-	-
Anthony Jones, RB/WR	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	Deonte Wilson, S	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Dieugot Joseph, OL	13	-	3	10	-	-	-	Treyvon Williams, LB	12	-	3	9	-	-	-
Lars Koht, DT	8	1	1	7	-	-	-	Anthony Wint, LB	14	7	5	9	-	-	-
Richard Leonard, CB	25	17	5	12	-	6	2								
Jephete Matilus, LB	2	1	2	-	-	-	-								
Alex McGough, QB	16	16	5	11	-	-	-								
Jeremiah McKinnon, CB	16	6	5	9	2	1	-								
Chris Miller, OG	1	1	1	-	-	-	-								
Michael Montero, C	6	5	5	-	1	-	-								
Wilkenson Myrttil	7	-	3	2	2	-	-								
Aaron Nielsen, OT	24	-	2	10	12	-	-								

2015 Team Game-by-Game Comparison

Opponent	Score	First Downs				Rushing Number-Yards	Passing		Total Offense Plays-Yards	Return Yards	Turn- Overs
		Total	Rush	Pass	Pen		Comp-Att-Int	Yards			
UCF	15-14	17/18	6/5	11/12	0/1	31-131/30-46	28-37-0/23-34-0	260/249	68-391/64-295	77/120	1/0
Indiana	22-36	24/25	7/14	12/10	5/1	33-123/52-205	24-47-1/19-33-1	283/234	80-406/85-439	61/198	3/1
N.C. Central	39-14	21/13	13/5	8/7	0/1	46-248/23-38	22-37-1/18-36-3	242/171	82-490/59-209	54/82	2/3
Louisiana Tech	17-27	18/29	4/15	14/11	0/3	23-45/42-246	29-44-0/18-32-0	263/226	67-308/74-472	90/45	0/0
Massachusetts	14-24	13/29	5/9	6/16	2/4	29-73/39-132	22-34-0/32-43-0	115/363	63-188/82-495	79/34	0/2
Totals	107-115	93/114	35/48	51/56	7/10	162-620/186-667	125-199-2/110-178-4	1163/1243	361-1783/364-1910	361/479	6/6

Opponent	3rd Down Conversions	4th Down Conversions	Time of Possession	TOP Margin	Avg Yds/Rush	Avg Yds/Pass	Avg Yds/Play	Punting Number-Avg	Penalties Number-Yards
UCF	7-15/7-16	1-1/0-1	29:57/30:03	-0:06	4.2/1.5	6.8/7.3	5.7/4.6	6-44.8/7-44.7	7-45/3-20
Indiana	7-18/7-18	1-3/1-2	26:50/33:10	-6:20	3.7/3.9	6.0/7.1	5.1/5.2	7-40.7/4-43.2	8-54/11-110
N.C. Central	13-20/1-12	0-0/0-0	38:45/21:15	17:30	5.4/1.7	6.7/4.8	6.0/3.5	5-44.8/10-40.7	6-60/5-17
Louisiana Tech	7-16/5-13	0-1/0-0	26:44/33:16	-6:32	2.0/5.9	6.0/7.1	4.6/6.4	7-39.9/4-37.8	7-55/7-45
Massachusetts	5-15/6-13	1-2/1-3	28:36/31:24	-2:48	2.5/3.4	3.4/8.4	3.0/6.0	8-41.0/2-47.5	10-111/10-72
Totals	40-84/26-72	2-6/2-6	150:52/149:08	1:44	3.8/3.6	5.8/7.0	4.9/5.2	33-42.0/27-42.2	325/276

Note: Game totals are displayed in the format FIU/OPPONENT for each category

2015 Game Highs

Individual Game Highs

Rushes	20	GARDNER, Alex vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Yards Rushing	81	GARDNER, Alex vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
TD Rushes	1	GARDNER, Alex at UCF (Sep 03, 2015)
		GARDNER, Alex vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
		JONES, Anthony vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
		GARDNER, Alex at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Long Rush	29	McGOUGH, Alex vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Pass attempts	44	McGOUGH, Alex at LA Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
Pass completions	29	McGOUGH, Alex at LA Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
Yards Passing	263	McGOUGH, Alex at LA Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
TD Passes	3	McGOUGH, Alex at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
		McGOUGH, Alex vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Long Pass	75	McGOUGH, Alex at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
Receptions	10	OWENS, Thomas at UCF (Sep 03, 2015)
		GARDNER, Alex at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Yards Receiving	166	OWENS, Thomas at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
TD Receptions	2	OWENS, Thomas at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
Long Reception	75	OWENS, Thomas at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
Field Goals	2	TAYLOR, Austin vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Long Field Goal	44	TAYLOR, Austin at Louisiana Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
Punts	7	WILSON, Stone at Louisiana Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
Punting Avg	47.7	WILSON, Stone at UCF (Sep 03, 2015)
Long Punt	52	WILSON, Stone at UCF (Sep 03, 2015)
Punts inside 20	3	WILSON, Stone at Louisiana Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
Long Punt Return	16	LEONARD, Richard at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
Long Kickoff Return	36	LEONARD, Richard at LA Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
Tackles	14	WEST, Vontarius at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
Sacks	2.0	PERINE, Denzell vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Tackles For Loss	2.0	PERINE, Denzell vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
		WINT, Anthony at Louisiana Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
		PERINE, Denzell at UMass (Oct 03, 2015)
Interceptions	1	MCKINNON, Jeremiah at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
		DAVIS, Jordan vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
		GONZALEZ, Niko vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
		WINT, Anthony vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)

Team Game Highs

Rushes	46	vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Yards Rushing	248	vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Yards Per Rush	5.4	vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
TD Rushes	2	vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Pass attempts	47	at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
Pass completions	29	at Louisiana Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
Yards Passing	283	at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
Yards Per Pass	7.0	at UCF (Sep 03, 2015)
TD Passes	3	at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
		vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Total Plays	83	vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Total Offense	490	vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Yards Per Play	5.9	vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Points	39	vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Sacks By	3	at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
First Downs	24	at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
Penalties	10	at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Penalty Yards	111	at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Turnovers	3	at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
Interceptions By	3	vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Punts	8	at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Punting Avg	44.8	at UCF (Sep 03, 2015)
Long Punt	52	at UCF (Sep 03, 2015)
Punts inside 20	3	at Louisiana Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
Long Punt Return	16	at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)

Opponent Individual Game Highs

Rushes	27	Howard, Jordan, at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
Yards Rushing	169	DIXON, Kenneth, at LA Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
TD Rushes	2	Sudfeld, Nate, at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
		DIXON, Kenneth, at LA Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
Long Rush	63	DIXON, Kenneth, at LA Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
Pass attempts	42	Frohnappfel, B., at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Pass completions	32	Frohnappfel, B., at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Yards Passing	363	Frohnappfel, B., at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
TD Passes	3	Frohnappfel, B., at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Long Pass	57	Frohnappfel, B., at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Receptions	15	Sharpe, T., at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Yards Receiving	159	Sharpe, T., at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
TD Receptions	2	AKINS, Jordan, at UCF (Sep 03, 2015)
		Michel, M., at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Long Reception	57	Michel, M., at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Field Goals	3	Oakes, Griffin, at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
Long Field Goal	48	Laurent, L., at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Punts	10	TILQUE, Nathanie, vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Punting Avg	47.5	Laurent, L., at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Long Punt	57	TILQUE, Nathanie, vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Punts inside 20	4	HOUSTON, Caleb, at UCF (Sep 03, 2015)
		TILQUE, Nathanie, vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Long Punt Return	13	TAYLOR, Trent, at Louisiana Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
Long Kickoff Return	35	WILSON, D., at UCF (Sep 03, 2015)
Tackles	14	FITTE, Beau, at Louisiana Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
Sacks	1.0	Mangieri, Nick, at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
		Latham, Darius, at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
		Anghel, P., at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
		Santos-Knox, J., at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
		Robinson, J., at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Tackles For Loss	2.5	FITTE, Beau, at Louisiana Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
Interceptions	1	Cook, Jameel, at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
		TAYLOR, Jaquell, vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)

Opponent Team Game Highs

Rushes	52	at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
Yards Rushing	246	at Louisiana Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
Yards Per Rush	5.9	at Louisiana Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
TD Rushes	2	at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
		at Louisiana Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
Pass attempts	43	at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Pass completions	32	at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Yards Passing	363	at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Yards Per Pass	8.4	at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
TD Passes	3	at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Total Plays	85	at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
Total Offense	495	at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Yards Per Play	6.4	at Louisiana Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
Points	36	at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
Sacks By	3	at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
First Downs	29	at Louisiana Tech (Sep 26, 2015)
		at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Penalties	11	at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
Penalty Yards	110	at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
Turnovers	3	vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Interceptions By	1	at Indiana (Sep 12, 2015)
		vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Punts	10	vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Punting Avg	47.5	at Massachusetts (Oct 03, 2015)
Long Punt	57	vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Punts inside 20	4	at UCF (Sep 03, 2015)
		vs NC Central (Sep 19, 2015)
Long Punt Return	13	at Louisiana Tech (Sep 26, 2015)

2015 FIU Panthers Roster

Lettermen in **bold**; * - indicates letters earned

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown/High School/College
84	Shawn Abrams	WR	6-4	175	Jr.	Neptune Beach, Fla./Fletcher
79	Kai Absheer	OL	6-5	305	R-Fr.	Oakland Park, Fla./Saint Thomas Aquinas
93	* Imarjaye Albury	DT	6-0	277	Jr.	Miami, Fla./Miami Northwestern/West Virginia
8	Christian Alexander	QB	6-3	221	Fr.	Lakeland, Fla./Lakeland Christian
13	Maurice Alexander	QB	6-0	180	Fr.	Homestead, Fla./Booker T. Washington
21	Kenyatta Anderson	DB	6-0	188	Fr.	St. Petersburg, Fla./Boca Ciega
10	Trey Anderson	QB	6-0	195	Sr.	Pearland, Texas/Pearland/Pittsburgh
16	** Chris Ayers	P	6-0	180	Jr.	Hollywood, Fla./South Broward
92	John Broome	DL	6-2	241	R-Fr.	Plant City, Fla./Plant City
22	Mark Bruno	DB	5-10	178	R-Fr.	Pembroke Pines, Fla./Flanagan
66	** Jordan Budwig	OG	6-4	324	Jr.	Davie, Fla./University School
89	Juwan Caesar	WR	6-5	219	Jr.	Miami, Fla./Coral Park
36	*** Lamarq Caldwell	RB	6-0	223	Sr.	Tampa, Fla./Tampa Bay Technical
83	Mac Carey	TE	6-2	245	Fr.	Tallahassee, Fla./Leon
94	* Marques Cheeks	DT	6-3	290	Jr.	New Orleans, La./O. Perry Walker
35	*** Davison Colimon	LB	6-1	217	Sr.	West Palm Beach, Fla./Suncoast
72	James Cruise	OG	6-5	289	R-Fr.	Palm Beach Gardens, Fla. /Palm Beach Gardens
11	*** Akil Dan-Fodio	TE	6-4	230	Sr.	Stone Mountain, Ga./Redan
18	** Jordan Davis	S	6-1	218	Jr.	Tampa, Fla./Alonso
54	Jeremy Derrick	LB	6-2	191	So.	Hollywood, Fla./Hallandale
67	Josh Deuyour	OL	6-9	310	R-Fr.	Hollywood, Fla./Hollywood Hills
44	*** Darrian Dyson	DT	6-4	296	Sr.	New Orleans, La./Edna Karr
77	Deion Eakins	OG	6-3	322	Fr.	Jacksonville, Fla./Trinity Christian Academy
85	Ricky Fernandez	TE	6-5	247	Jr.	Miami, Fla./Belen Jesuit
68	Chris Flaig	OG	6-5	294	So.	Vero Beach, Fla./Vero Beach
86	Adrien Francois	WR	5-11	181	R-Fr.	Lake Worth, Fla./Park Vista
1	* Alex Gardner	RB	5-10	192	So.	Jacksonville, Fla./Williams M. Raines
24	Franky Gennaro	WR	5-11	174	Jr.	Miami, Fla./Doral
24	* Josh Glanton	DL	6-3	263	Jr.	Haines City, Fla./Haines City
33	* Niko Gonzalez	S	5-11	191	So.	Miramar, Fla./Hialeah
39	Jestin Green	DB	6-0	175	Fr.	St. Petersburg, Fla./Admiral Farragut Academy
80	*** Ya'keem Griner	TE	6-4	235	Sr.	Starke, Fla./Bradford
57	* Jordan Guest	LB	6-4	221	So.	Miami, Fla./Miami Christopher Columbus
50	Pol Guzman	OL	6-1	260	Jr.	Hialeah, Fla./Hialeah/Iowa Central CC
71	R.J. Harris	DL	6-2	263	Fr.	Tallahassee, Fla./North Florida Christian
25	** De'Shawn Hazziez	LB	6-2	214	Jr.	Fort Pierce, Fla./Westwood
27	Xavier Hines	CB	5-11	189	So.	Miami, Fla./Belen Jesuit
49	* Cody Hodgins	WR	5-9	163	R-So.	Wesley Chapel, Fla./Robinson
17	Mark Hutchinson	WR	6-0	195	Fr.	Zephyrhills, Fla./Wiregrass Ranch
91	Anthony Johnson	DL	6-3	238	R-Fr.	Kingsland, Ga./Camden County
31	Tyree Johnson	S	5-9	188	Fr.	Miami Gardens, Fla./Miami Carol City
2	Anthony Jones	WR	5-11	190	Fr.	Miami, Fla./Miami Central
78	** Dieugot Joseph	OT	6-6	294	Jr.	Orlando, Fla./Freedom
46	Milord Juste	DL	6-0	246	Fr.	Palm Beach Gardens, Fla./Palm Beach Gardens
74	*** Lars Koht	DT	6-5	283	Sr.	Vero Beach, Fla./Vero Beach
40	Madison Kubat	DL	6-2	237	Jr.	New Tripoli, Pa./Northwestern Lehigh
3	*** Richard Leonard	CB/RET	5-9	189	Sr.	Miami, Fla./Miami Killian
41	Andre Lesly	WR	5-11	165	Fr.	Jacksonville, Fla./Englewood

Numerical Roster

No.	Name	Position
1	* Alex Gardner	RB
2	Anthony Jones	WR
3	*** Richard Leonard	CB/RET
5	** Clinton Taylor	WR
6	Bud Martin	QB
6	Stone Wilson	P/K
7	*** Jeremiah McKinnon	CB
8	Christian Alexander	QB
9	* Shug Oyegunle	WR
10	Trey Anderson	QB
11	*** Akil Dan-Fodio	TE
11	*** Denzell Perine	DE
12	* Alex McGough	QB
13	Maurice Alexander	QB
14	* Dennis Turner	WR
15	Austin Maloney	WR
16	** Chris Ayers	P
17	Mark Hutchinson	WR
18	** Jordan Davis	S
20	Emmanuel Lubin	DB
21	Kenyatta Anderson	DB
22	Mark Bruno	DB
23	* Napoleon Maxwell	RB
24	Franky Gennaro	WR
24	* Josh Glanton	DL
25	** De'Shawn Hazziez	LB
26	* Shermarke Spence	S
27	Xavier Hines	CB
28	** Deonte Wilson	S
29	* Vontarius West	LB
30	* Silas Spearman III	RB
31	Tyree Johnson	S
32	Louis Mathieu	LB
32	Collin Olsen	RB
33	* Niko Gonzalez	S
34	Jephete Matilus	LB
35	*** Davison Colimon	LB
36	*** Lamarq Caldwell	RB
37	* Alfonso Randolph	RB
38	** Wilkenson Myrtill	CB
39	Jestin Green	DB
40	Madison Kubat	DL
41	Andre Lesly	WR
41	* Fred Russ	LB
42	* Anthon Samuel	RB
43	** Austin Taylor	K/P
44	*** Darrian Dyson	DT
45	** Sam Medlock	LS
46	Milord Juste	DL

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown (High School/College)
47	Sage Lewis	LB	6-1	232	Fr.	Opa-Locka, Fla./Monsignor Pace
20	Emmanuel Lubin	DB	6-1	187	Fr.	Miami, Fla./North Miami Beach
15	Austin Maloney	WR	5-11	189	Fr.	Miami, Fla./Christopher Columbus
32	Louis Mathieu	LB	5-11	222	Sr.	Fort Pierce, Fla./Fort Pierce Central
34	Jephete Matilus	LB	6-1	230	Sr.	Delray Beach, Fla./Minnesota
76	Neal Mars	OG/C	6-3	270	Fr.	Orange Park, Fla./Fleming Island
6	Bud Martin	QB	6-0	217	R-Fr.	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla./Dillard
23	* Napoleon Maxwell	RB	6-0	208	So.	St. Petersburg, Fla./Admiral Farragut Academy
12	* Alex McGough	QB	6-3	218	So.	Tampa, Fla./Gaither
7	*** Jeremiah McKinnon	CB	6-1	194	Sr.	Miami, Fla./Miami Southridge
45	** Sam Medlock	LS	6-1	203	Jr.	Jacksonville, Fla./Fletcher
69	Chris Miller	OL	6-4	345	R-Fr.	Orlando, Fla./The First Academy
64	** Michael Montero	C	6-2	299	Jr.	Miami, Fla./Miami Christopher Columbus
59	Andy Moriera	OL	6-2	270	Fr.	Coral Gables, Fla./Coral Gables
38	** Wilkenson Myrtill	CB	6-0	196	Jr.	Orlando, Fla./Jones
70	*** Aaron Nielsen	OT	6-4	290	Sr.	Orlando, Fla./Freedom
32	Collin Olsen	RB	6-0	223	Fr.	Port Orange, Fla./Spruce Creek
81	* Thomas Owens	WR	6-1	196	So.	Boynton Beach, Fla./Atlantic Community
9	* Shug Oyegunle	WR	5-9	193	R-So.	Tampa, Fla./Gaither
88	* Jonathan Pavlov	TE	6-4	251	So.	Palm Beach Gardens, Fla./Benjamin School
11	*** Denzell Perine	DE	6-3	256	Sr.	Mobile, Ala./Davidson
37	* Alfonso Randolph	RB	5-11	193	So.	Ocala, Fla./West Port
48	*** Luis Rosado	LB	6-2	231	Sr.	Gainesville, Fla./Gainesville
41	* Fred Russ	LB	5-10	222	So.	Tampa, Fla./Tampa Bay Tech
42	* Anthon Samuel	RB	5-11	200	Sr.	Opa-Locka, Fla./Monsignor Pace/Bowling Green
73	** Trenton Saunders	OG	6-4	290	Jr.	Palm Beach Gardens, Fla./Benjamin School
99	Jermaine Sheriff	DL	6-2	233	R-Fr.	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla./Hialeah
87	Justin Sibole	DL	6-4	272	R-Fr.	Davie, Fla./Plantation American Heritage
90	Fermin Silva	DL	6-1	215	Fr.	Miami, Fla./Miami Central
75	** Edens Sineace	OT	6-5	303	Jr.	Lake Worth, Fla./Palm Beach Central
56	Darryl Singleton	LB	5-11	216	R-Fr.	South Huntington, N.Y./Saint Anthony's
87	** Jonnu Smith	TE	6-3	230	Jr.	Ocala, Fla./West Port
30	* Silas Spearman III	RB	5-8	190	R-So.	Loxahatchee, Fla./Seminole Ridge
26	* Shermarke Spence	S	5-9	182	So.	Miami, Fla./Northwestern
43	** Austin Taylor	K/P	5-8	170	Jr.	Punta Gorda, Fla./Charlotte
51	*** Brandon Taylor	LS	6-0	223	Sr.	Slidell, La./Northshore
5	** Clinton Taylor	WR	5-10	179	Sr.	Miami, Fla./Miami Northwestern
14	* Dennis Turner	WR	6-0	180	So.	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla./Dillard
96	Scott Wade	K	5-9	189	R-Fr.	Plantation, Fla./American Heritage
55	*** Michael Wakefield	DE	6-3	254	Sr.	Valdosta, Ga./Valdosta
98	** Leonard Washington	DT	6-0	305	Jr.	New Orleans, La./Edna Karr
29	* Vontarius West	LB	6-0	203	So.	Bartow, Fla./Bartow
65	Daquane Wilkie	OL	6-3	284	R-Fr.	Orlando, Fla./Oak Ridge
82	Julian Williams	WR	5-11	180	So.	Suwanee, Ga./Georgia Military College
52	** Treyvon Williams	LB	5-11	229	Jr.	Miami, Fla./Miami Norland
28	** Deonte Wilson	S	6-0	190	Jr.	Daytona Beach, Fla./Mainland
6	Stone Wilson	P/K	5-10	178	Fr.	Nokomis, Fla./IMG Academy
53	* Anthony Wint	LB	6-0	224	So.	Homestead, Fla./Homestead

No.	Name	Position
47	Sage Lewis.....	LB
48	*** Luis Rosado.....	LB
49	* Cody Hodgins.....	WR
50	Pol Guzman.....	OL
51	*** Brandon Taylor.....	LS
52	** Treyvon Williams.....	LB
53	* Anthony Wint.....	LB
54	Jeremy Derrick.....	LB
55	*** Michael Wakefield.....	DE
56	Darryl Singleton.....	LB
57	* Jordan Guest.....	LB
59	Andy Moriera.....	OL
64	** Michael Montero.....	C
65	Daquane Wilkie.....	OL
66	** Jordan Budwig.....	OG
67	Josh Deuyour.....	OL
68	Chris Flaig.....	OG
69	Chris Miller.....	OL
70	*** Aaron Nielsen.....	OT
71	R.J. Harris.....	DL
72	James Cruise.....	OG
73	** Trenton Saunders.....	OG
74	*** Lars Koht.....	DT
75	** Edens Sineace.....	OT
76	Neal Mars.....	OG/C
77	Deion Eakins.....	OG
78	** Dieugot Joseph.....	OT
79	Kai Absheer.....	OL
80	*** Ya'keem Griner.....	TE
81	* Thomas Owens.....	WR
82	Julian Williams.....	WR
83	Mac Carey.....	TE
84	Shawn Abrams.....	WR
85	Ricky Fernandez.....	TE
86	Adrien Francois.....	WR
87	Justin Sibole.....	DL
87	** Jonnu Smith.....	TE
88	Jonathan Pavlov.....	TE
89	Juwan Caesar.....	WR
90	Fermin Silva.....	DL
91	Anthony Johnson.....	DL
92	John Broome.....	DL
93	* Imarjaye Albury.....	DT
94	* Marques Cheeks.....	DT
96	Scott Wade.....	K
98	** Leonard Washington.....	DT
99	Jermaine Sheriff.....	DL

Projected FIU Depth Chart (updated Oct. 3, 2015)

OFFENSE

LT	78	Dieugot Joseph (6-6, 297, Jr.)
	65	Daquane Wilkie (6-3, 284, R-Fr.)
LG	79	Kai Absheer (6-5, 305, R-Fr.)
	70	Aaron Nielsen (6-4, 290, Sr.)
	69	Chris Miller (6-4, 328, R-Fr.)
C	64	Michael Montero (6-2, 299, Jr.)
	76	Neal Mars (6-3, 287, Fr.)
RG	73	Trenton Saunders (6-4, 290, Jr.)
	68	Chris Flaig (6-5, 302, So.)
RT	65	Daquane Wilkie (6-3, 284, R-Fr.)
	75	Edens Sineace (6-5, 303, Jr.)
TE	87	Jonnu Smith (6-3, 232, Jr.)
	80	Ya'Keem Griner (6-4, 235, Sr.)
	11	Akil Dan-Fodio (6-4, 230, Sr.)
WR	81	Thomas Owens (6-1, 196, So.)
	9	Shug Oyegunle (5-9, 193, R-So.)
	17	Mark Hutchinson (6-0, 195, Fr.)
WR	14	Dennis Turner (6-0, 180, So.)
	5	Clinton Taylor (5-10, 179, Sr.)
	82	Julian Williams (5-11, 190, So.)
QB	12	Alex McGough (6-3, 218, So.)
	8	Christian Alexander (6-3, 221, Fr.)
or	6	Bud Martin (6-0, 217, R-Fr.)
or	10	Trey Anderson (6-0, 195, Sr.)
RB	1	Alex Gardner (5-10, 192, So.)
	42	Anthon Samuel (5-11, 212, Sr.)
	2	Anthony Jones (5-11, 190, Fr.)

DEFENSE

DE	11	Denzell Perine (6-3, 256, Sr.)
	91	Anthony Johnson (6-3, 266, R-Fr.)
	90	Fermin Silva (6-2, 234, Fr.)
DT	93	Imarjaye Albury (6-1, 293, Jr.)
	98	Leonard Washington (6-0, 295, Jr.)
	94	Marques Cheeks (6-3, 290 Jr.)
DT	74	Lars Koht (6-5, 283, Sr.)
	44	Darrian Dyson (6-4, 296, Sr.)
	46	Milord Juste (6-0, 268, Fr.)
DE	55	Michael Wakefield (6-3, 263, Sr.)
	24	Josh Glanton (6-3, 233, Jr.)
	92	John Broome (6-2, 241, R-Fr.)
LB	53	Anthony Wint (6-0, 224, So.)
	47	Sage Lewis (6-1, 232, Fr.)
	41	Fred Russ (6-0, 228, So.)
LB	52	Treyvon Williams (6-0, 229, Jr.)
	34	Jephete Matilus (6-1, 230, Sr.)
LB	29	Vontarius West (6-0, 203, So.)
	57	Jordan Guest (6-4, 221, So.)
CB	3	Richard Leonard (5-9, 189, Sr.)
	28	Deonte Wilson (6-0, 190, Jr.)
	20	Emmanuel Lubin (6-1, 187, Fr.)
CB	7	Jeremiah McKinnon (6-0, 194, Sr.)
	22	Mark Bruno (5-10, 178, R-Fr.)
	39	Jestin Green (6-0, 184, Fr.)
S	33	Niko Gonzalez (5-11, 191, So.)
	27	Xavier Hines (5-11, 189, So.)
S	38	Wilkinson Myrtill (6-0, 196, Jr.)
	31	Tyree Johnson (5-9, 188, Fr.)

SPECIALIST

P	16	Chris Ayers (6-0, 180, Jr.)
or	6	Stone Wilson (5-10, 178, Fr.)
K	43	Austin Taylor (5-8, 178, Jr.)
	96	Scott Wade (5-9, 189, R-Fr.)
LS	45	Sam Medlock (6-1, 203, Jr.)
	51	Brandon Taylor (6-0, 223, Sr.)
HOLD	16	Chris Ayers (6-0, 180, Jr.)

PR	3	Richard Leonard (5-9, 189, Sr.)
	5	Clinton Taylor (5-10, 179, Sr.)
	2	Anthony Jones (5-11, 190, Fr.)
KR	3	Richard Leonard (5-9, 189, Sr.)
	5	Clinton Taylor (5-10, 179, sr.)
	2	Anthony Jones (5-11, 190, Fr.)
	7	Jeremiah McKinnon (6-0, 194, Sr.)

2015 FIU Coaching Staff

Ron Turner.....	Head Coach.....	Pacific, 1977
Ron Cooper.....	Assistant Head Coach/Secondary.....	Jacksonville State, 1983
Steve Shankweiler.....	Offensive Coordinator/Offensive Line.....	Davidson, 1974
Matt House.....	Defensive Secondary/Linebackers.....	Michigan State, 2000
Jason Brooks.....	Tight Ends.....	Middle Tennessee, 2006
Tim Harris, Jr.	Running Backs.....	Miami (Fla.), 2008
Tem Lukabu.....	Defensive Line.....	Colgate, 2003
Shannon Moore.....	Special Teams.....	Black Hills State, 2000
Greg Moss.....	Cornerbacks.....	FIU, 2005
Kort Shankweiler.....	Quarterbacks/Wide Receivers.....	East Carolina, 2006
Josh Beekman.....	Graduate Assistant - Offense.....	Boston College, 2006
Pete Collins.....	Graduate Assistant - Offense.....	Mary Washington, 2007
Ryan Jirgl.....	Graduate Assistant - Defense.....	Winona State, 2010
Kasey Smith.....	Graduate Assistant - Defense.....	FIU, 2012
Marc Davis.....	Director of Football Operations.....	Wisconsin-Eau Claire, 2009
Jed Keime.....	Assistant Director of Football Operations.....	FIU, 2012

Pronunciation Guide

93	Imarjaye Albury.....	im-ARE-jay
16	Chris Ayers.....	A-yers
36	Lamarq Caldwell.....	LA-mark
94	Marques Cheeks.....	Marcus
35	Davison Colimon.....	cohl li-mon
11	Akil Dan-Fodio.....	AH-keel; Dan FO-dee-oh
67	Josh Deuyour.....	Do-YOUR
44	Darrian Dyson.....	DARE-ree-in
77	Deion Eakins.....	EEK-ins
68	Chris Flaig.....	Flag
81	Adrien Francois.....	fran-SWAH
49	Franky Gennaro.....	Gen-ARE-o
80	Ya'Keem Griner.....	wah-KEEM
46	De'Shawn Hazziez.....	HA-zeez
27	Xavier Hines.....	ZAVE-ear
78	Dieugot Joseph.....	Jeh-GO
46	Milord Juste.....	Just-EE
74	Lars Koht.....	Larz; COOT
40	Madison Kubat.....	COO-bot
20	Emmanuel Lubin.....	LOU-been
32	Louis Mathieu.....	Mathew
34	Jephete Matilus.....	Jeff-TEY; Ma-TILL-us
12	Alex McGough.....	Mah-GOO
59	Alex Moriera.....	More-EE-air-AH
38	Wilkinson Myrtill.....	mer-TEEL
9	Shug Oyegunle.....	O-yay-GOON-lay
11	Denzell Perine.....	PEA-rine
48	Luis Rosado.....	LOU-ees; row-SA-doh
87	Justin Sibole.....	s-EYE-bowl
75	Edens Sineace.....	sin-EES
87	Jonnu Smith.....	JOHN-new
26	Shermarke Spence.....	SURE-Mark
29	Vontarius West.....	VON-tare-ee-us
65	Daquane Wilkie.....	DAY-kwan; WILL-Key
52	Treyvon Williams.....	TRAY-von
28	Deonte Wilson.....	dee-ON-tay