



# FIU PANTHERS

## 2020 FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

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### BROADCAST INFO

TV: ESPN3

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### THE MATCHUP: GAME 1



FIU PANTHERS

(0-0, 0-0 C-USA)

AT

LIBERTY FLAMES

(1-0)



Sept. 26, 2020 • 1 p.m. ET • Lynchburg, VA • Williams Stadium

### HEAD COACH INFO

FIU

Head Coach: Butch Davis (Arkansas, '74)

Overall Record: 102-59 (14th Year)

Record at FIU: 23-16 (4th Year)

Liberty

Head Coach: Hugh Freeze (USM, '92)

Overall Record: 51-37 (10th Year)

Record at LU: 9-5 (2nd Year)

### 2020 FIU SCHEDULE

at Liberty  
Lynchburg, Va. Saturday, Sept. 26  
1 p.m. ESPN3

MIDDLE TENN\*  
Riccardo Silva Saturday, Oct. 10  
7 p.m. ESPN+

at Charlotte\*  
Charlotte, N.C. Saturday, Oct. 17  
1 p.m. ESPN3

JACKSONVILLE ST.  
Riccardo Silva Friday, Oct. 23  
7 p.m. ESPN+

MARSHALL\*  
Riccardo Silva Friday, Oct. 30  
7 p.m. CBSSN

at UTEP\*  
El Paso, Texas Saturday, Nov. 7  
4 p.m. ESPN+

FAU\*  
Riccardo Silva Friday, Nov. 13  
7 p.m. CBSSN

at WKU\*  
Bowling Green, Ky. Saturday, Nov. 21  
2 p.m. ESPN+

LA TECH\*  
Riccardo Silva Saturday, Nov. 28  
Noon ESPN+

C-USA Title Game  
TBD Saturday, Dec. 5  
TBD CBSSN

\* - Denotes C-USA game

ALL CAPS - Game at Riccardo Silva Stadium

All times ET

### NUMBERS TO KNOW

1

When the Panthers and Flames meet on Saturday night, it will be the first-ever matchup between the two programs in football.

2

FIU had two players taken in the 2020 NFL Draft. A total of 10 Panthers have been drafted overall, with three coming under head coach Butch Davis.

3

Under Butch Davis, the Panthers have been to three-straight bowl games. Previously, FIU had only been to two in its entire history.

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RB D'vonte Price is just 60 yards shy of surpassing the 1,000 yard mark on the ground. He has earned 940 yards on just 155 carries as a Panther.

### STAT BREAKDOWN

FIU (2019)		LIBERTY
26.6	PTS/GM	30.0
27.2	PTS ALLOWED/GM	24.0
165.2	RUSH/GM	354.0
198.6	RUSH D/GM	98.0
211.8	PASS/GM	133.0
195.0	PASS D/GM	193.0
377.1	OFF YDS/GM	487.0
393.6	DEF YDS/GM	291.0
38%	3RD CONV.	36%
54%	4TH CONV.	75%
42/55	RZ SCORES-ATT	4/6
21/29	FGM-FGA	1/1
21/12	INT/SACKS	0/1

### STORYLINES

#### HELLO, FOOTBALL

FIU will officially kick off its part of the 2020 season on Saturday, Sept. 26 as the Panthers travel to Lynchburg, Virginia to face Liberty (1-0) at 1 p.m. ET. The game will be televised on ESPN3.

#### LATEST KICKOFF DATE IN FIU HISTORY

Saturday's matchup will be the first between FIU and Liberty in program history and will go down as the latest kickoff date in program history for the Panthers.

#### SCHEDULE CHANGES FOR 2020

Due to COVID-19, the start date for FIU's 2020 is officially Sept. 26 at Liberty. FIU's original season opener against Jacksonville State (Sept. 3) was moved to Oct. 23. The Panthers are slated to play nine opponents for the regular season, with the loss of UCF (Sept. 12), Old Dominion (Sept. 19) and UMass (Oct. 24).

#### WIN THE TURNOVER BATTLE

FIU is 14-4 under head coach Butch Davis when the Panthers win the turnover battle. That record was even more evident when FIU faced Miami (Fla.) last season as the Panthers forced three turnovers and gave up none as the Hurricanes were downgraded, 30-24.

#### ALL IN THE FAMILY

Butch Davis and Liberty's Hugh Freeze have more in common than just being former head coaches at Power 5 programs, with Freeze coaching Butch's son, Drew, while he played at Ole Miss from 2014-16. Drew has been a part of his father's staff since 2017, first joining as a graduate assistant and then taking over as a full-time coach overseeing the tight ends.





**DEPTH CHART**

**OFFENSE**

Pos.	No.	Player	HT.	Wt.	Cl.
<b>WR</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>Kris Mitchell</b>	<b>6-1</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>R-Fr.</b>
	82	Jordan Underwood	6-0	180	R-So.
<b>LT</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>Shemar Hobdy-Lee</b>	<b>6-5</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>R-Fr.</b>
	70	Miles Frazier	6-5	304	Fr.
<b>LG</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>Sione Finau</b>	<b>6-3</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>So.</b>
	79	Logan Gunderson	6-5	318	R-Jr.
<b>C</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>Shane McGough</b>	<b>6-2</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>R-Sr.</b>
	65	Julius Pierce	6-5	265	R-Fr.
<b>RG</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>Mershawn Miller</b>	<b>6-2</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>R-Jr.</b>
	79	Logan Gunderson	6-5	318	R-Jr.
<b>RT</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>Lyndell Hudson Jr.</b>	<b>6-6</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>R-So.</b>
	70	Miles Frazier	6-5	304	Fr.
<b>TE</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>Sterling Palmer</b>	<b>6-6</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>Jr.</b>
	87	Kamareon Williams	6-3	240	So.
<b>WR</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Bryce Singleton</b>	<b>5-11</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>R-Jr.</b>
	6	Nate Jefferson	5-11	170	R-Fr.
<b>QB</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>Kaylan Wiggins</b>	<b>6-2</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>R-Jr.</b>
	<b>OR</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>Stone Norton</b>	<b>6-3</b>	<b>200</b>
<b>OR</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>Max Bortenschlager</b>	<b>6-3</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>R-Sr.</b>
<b>RB</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>Maleek Williams</b>	<b>5-11</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>R-Jr.</b>
	5	Demarcus Townsend	5-10	215	R-So.
<b>RB</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>D'vonte Price</b>	<b>6-2</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>Sr.</b>
	33	Shaun Peterson Jr.	6-3	215	R-So.

**DEFENSE**

Pos.	No.	Player	HT.	Wt.	Cl.
<b>DE</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>Kevin Oliver</b>	<b>6-4</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>Sr.</b>
	96	David Reynolds	6-4	245	So.
<b>DT</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>Jordan Woods</b>	<b>6-4</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>R-Sr.</b>
	75	Rashad Colson	6-5	310	R-Jr.
<b>DT</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>Davon Strickland</b>	<b>6-1</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>R-So.</b>
	92	Jason Mercier	6-3	262	Jr.
<b>DE</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>Noah Curtis</b>	<b>6-6</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>Sr.</b>
	6	Alexy Jean-Baptiste	6-3	245	R-Sr.
<b>LB</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>Daniel Jackson</b>	<b>6-2</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>Sr.</b>
	11	Josh Powell	5-11	194	Sr.
<b>LB</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>Jamal Gates</b>	<b>6-2</b>	<b>225</b>	<b>Sr.</b>
	58	Tyson Maeva	6-0	230	R-Sr.
<b>LB</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>Rocky Jacques-Louis</b>	<b>6-3</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>Jr.</b>
	53	Tevin Jones	6-4	220	R-Jr.
<b>CB</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>Rishard Dames</b>	<b>5-11</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>R-Jr.</b>
	26	Jamal Anderson	6-2	180	R-So.
<b>S</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>Dorian Hall</b>	<b>6-4</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>R-Jr.</b>
	22	Benny McCray	6-2	185	R-Jr.
<b>S</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>Richard Dames</b>	<b>5-11</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>Sr.</b>
	18	Nikholi Jaghai	5-7	180	R-Sr.
<b>CB</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>Josh Turner</b>	<b>6-0</b>	<b>188</b>	<b>R-Jr.</b>
	28	Jesson Walker	6-1	170	R-So.

**SPECIAL TEAMS**

Pos.	No.	Player	HT.	Wt.	Cl.
<b>K</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>Chase Gabriel</b>	<b>5-11</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>Fr.</b>
	39	Tommy Heatherly	5-11	210	Sr.
<b>P</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>Tommy Heatherly</b>	<b>5-11</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>Sr.</b>
	0	Chase Gabriel	5-11	180	Fr.
<b>LS</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>Tommy Zozus</b>	<b>6-2</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>R-Jr.</b>
	85	Jackson McDonald	6-5	220	R-Fr.
<b>H</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>Max Bortenschlager</b>	<b>6-3</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>R-Sr.</b>
	39	Tommy Heatherly	5-11	210	Sr.
<b>KR</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Bryce Singleton</b>	<b>5-11</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>R-Jr.</b>
	4	Rishard Dames	5-11	175	R-Jr.
<b>PR</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Bryce Singleton</b>	<b>5-11</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>R-Jr.</b>
	4	Rishard Dames	5-11	175	R-Jr.

**PRONUNCIATION GUIDE**

Max **BORTENSCHLAGER**.....Bore-tin-slahger  
**NASIR** Carter.....nas-EAR  
**SIONE FINAU**.....CEE-own-E fa-NEW  
 Rocky **JACQUES-LOUIS**.....Put some French on it  
**NIKHOLI JAGHAI**.....Nickle-EYE Jag-EYE  
 Alexy **JEAN-BAPTISTE**.....Gene Bab-teast  
**MALJON JOOR**.....MAL-Shoun Shoor  
 Caleb **LYNUM**.....LIE-Num  
 Tyson **MAEVA**.....MY-ava  
 Shane **MCGOUGH**.....mc-GOO  
 Jason **MERCIER**.....MERCY-a  
**MERSHAWN** Miller.....mer-SHAUN  
**OBINNA NWANKWO**.....O-bean-uh New-Wonk-Woah  
 Henry **OMU**.....OH-moo  
**DIMITRY PROPHETE**.....DEMI-tree prophet  
 Noah **QUIER**.....Choir  
**JESSON** Walker.....JA-SAUN  
**KAMAREON** Williams.....Ka-MAR-e-on  
**KAMEREN** Williams.....Cameron  
**MALEEK** Williams.....ma-LEEK  
 Tommy **ZOZUS**.....ZO-zeus

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## NUMERICAL

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown/HS/Previous School
0	Chase Gabriel	K	5-11	180	Fr.	Brunswick, Ga. / Glynn Academy
0	Dorian Hall	DB	6-4	190	R-Jr.	Hollywood, Fla. / South Broward HS
1	JJ Holloman	WR	6-2	200	R-Jr.	Covington, Ga. / Newton HS / Georgia
2	Bryce Singleton	WR	5-11	193	R-Jr.	Hilton Head Island, S.C. / Hilton Head Island HS
3	Richard Dames	DB	5-11	185	Sr.	Miami, Fla. / Booker T. Washington HS
3	Stone Norton	QB	6-3	200	R-Fr.	Nashville, Tenn. / Davidson Academy
4	Haden Carlson	QB	6-3	192	Fr.	Lutz, Fla. / Steinbrenner HS
4	Rishard Dames	DB	5-11	175	R-Jr.	Miami, Fla. / Booker T. Washington HS
5	Demarcus Townsend	RB	5-10	215	R-So.	Naples, Fla. / Palmetto Ridge HS
5	Chris Whittaker	DL	6-3	227	R-Jr.	Hollywood, Fla. / Chaminade-Madonna HS / Kentucky
6	Alexy Jean-Baptiste	DL	6-3	245	R-Sr.	Pompano Beach, Fla. / Coconut Creek HS / Arkansas
6	Nate Jefferson	WR	5-11	170	R-Fr.	Longwood, Fla. / Lyman HS
7	Josh Turner	DB	6-0	188	R-Jr.	Delray Beach, Fla. / American Heritage / Iowa
7	Kaylan Wiggins	QB	6-2	200	R-Jr.	Sanford, Fla. / Seminole HS
8	Lexington Joseph	RB	5-9	185	So.	Miami, Fla. / Miami Central HS
9	Jamal Gates	LB	6-2	225	Sr.	Palm Beach Gardens, Fla. / Dwyer HS
10	Daniel Jackson	LB	6-2	228	Sr.	Apex, N.C. / Middle Creek HS
11	Josh Powell	LB	5-11	194	Sr.	Riviera Beach, Fla. / Suncoast HS
12	Max Bortenschlager	QB	6-3	205	R-Sr.	Fishers, Ind. / Cathedral HS / Maryland
13	Rivaldo Fairweather	TE	6-4	233	Fr.	Fort Lauderdale, Fla. / Boyd Anderson HS
14	Joe Hocker	TE	6-5	245	R-Fr.	Cincinnati, Ohio / Deer Park HS
15	Teddy Richardson	WR	5-11	185	Fr.	Miami, Fla. / Booker T. Washington HS
16	Xavier McGriff	WR	6-2	180	Fr.	Jacksonville, Fla. / Baldwin HS
17	Caleb Lynum	WR	6-2	215	R-So.	Leesburg, Fla. / East Ridge HS
18	Nikholi Jaghai	DB	5-7	180	R-Sr.	Miami Gardens, Fla. / Flanagan HS / Northern Iowa
19	Deuce Dunbar	DB	6-2	185	Fr.	Port St. Lucie, Fla. / Centennial High School
19	Shemar Thornton	WR	5-11	182	Sr.	Miami, Fla. / Hallandale HS
20	Kejon Owens	RB	5-10	185	Fr.	Miami, Fla. / Miami Central HS
21	EJ Wilson Jr.	RB	5-11	195	Fr.	Seffner, Fla. / Armwood HS
22	Benny McCray	DB	6-2	185	R-Jr.	Clermont, Fla. / East Ridge HS
23	Andrew Volmar	DB	6-1	170	Fr.	Plantation, Fla. / American Heritage
24	D'vonte Price	RB	6-2	215	Sr.	Punta Gorda, Fla. / Charlotte HS
25	Josh Guilford	WR	6-4	195	Fr.	Sanford, Fla. / Seminole HS
26	Jamal Anderson	DB	6-2	180	R-So.	Homestead, Fla. / South Dade HS
27	Henry Gray	DB	6-0	175	Fr.	Hollywood, Fla. / Miami Central / Nebraska
28	Jesson Walker	DB	6-1	170	R-So.	Southwest Brevard County, Fla. / Rockledge HS
29	Jamal Potts	DB	6-2	185	Fr.	Delray Beach, Fla. / American Heritage
30	Joe Perkins	DB	6-0	196	Fr.	Jackson, Miss. / Madison-Ridgeland Academy
31	Tommy Zozus	LS	6-2	224	R-Jr.	Punta Gorda, Fla. / Charlotte HS
32	Matthew Enriquez	K	5-9	220	Fr.	Coral Gables, Fla. / Coral Gables HS
32	Maleek Williams	RB	5-11	223	R-Jr.	Punta Gorda, Fla. / Charlotte HS / Arkansas
33	Shaun Peterson Jr.	RB	6-3	215	R-So.	Fort Lauderdale, Fla. / Nova HS
34	Chance Coleman	LB	6-0	205	Fr.	Tampa, Fla. / Gaither HS
35	Lucas Matias	K/P	5-11	165	So.	Pembroke Pines, Fla. / American Heritage / Keiser
36	Jecoryan Davis-Hamilton	ATH	6-1	194	Fr.	Apopka, Fla. / Apopka HS
37	Romelo Brooks	LB	5-10	200	R-Jr.	Miami, Fla. / Miami Killian HS
38	Sam Kane	DB	6-2	200	Fr.	Denver, Colo. / Thunder Ridge HS
39	Tommy Heatherly	P	5-11	210	Sr.	Grove, Okla. / Grove HS / NE Oklahoma A&M
42	Alex Ngunjoh	DB	5-10	180	R-So.	Bristol, England
43	Nate White	DL	6-4	220	R-Fr.	Orlando, Fla. / Edgewater HS
44	AJ Mathis	LB	6-2	200	Fr.	Largo, Fla. / Largo HS
45	Rocky Jacques-Louis	LB	6-3	205	Jr.	Fort Myers, Fla. / Dunbar HS
46	Reggie Peterson	LB	6-2	225	Fr.	Fort Pierce, Fla. / Centennial HS
49	Shykieim Pace	DL	6-4	220	Fr.	Opa-locka, Fla. / Monsignor Pace HS
50	Nasir Carter	LB	6-2	220	R-Fr.	Orlando, Fla. / West Orange HS
51	Dontae Keys	OL	6-4	300	R-Sr.	Fayetteville, N.C. / Jack Britt / North Carolina A&T
51	Dimitry Prophete	LB	6-1	230	Sr.	Miami, Fla. / Southridge HS
52	Donovan Georges	LB	6-1	240	R-So.	Hialeah, Fla. / Champagnat Catholic
53	Tevin Jones	LB	6-4	220	R-Jr.	Miami, Fla. / Miami Norland HS
55	D'Andre Christmas-Giles	DL	6-3	315	R-Sr.	New Orleans, La. / St. Augustine / Texas
55	Shane McGough	OL	6-2	302	R-Sr.	Tampa, Fla. / Gaither HS
56	Tamarick Best	LB	6-1	225	Fr.	Pahokee, Fla. / Pahokee HS
57	Justin Michel	LB	6-1	225	R-So.	Fort Myers, Fla. / Dunbar HS

## ALPHABETICAL

No.	Name	Pos.
26	Jamal Anderson	DB
64	Trevor Arnett	OL
56	Tamarick Best	LB
12	Max Bortenschlager	QB
37	Romelo Brooks	LB
68	Kameron Burns	OL
4	Haden Carlson	QB
50	Nasir Carter	LB
55	D'Andre Christmas-Giles	DL
34	Chance Coleman	LB
75	Rashad Colson	DL
90	Noah Curtis	DL
3	Richard Dames	DB
4	Rishard Dames	DB
89	Ty Danzy	DL
36	Jecoryan Davis-Hamilton	ATH
77	D'Antne Demery	OL
19	Deuce Dunbar	DB
32	Matthew Enriquez	K
13	Rivaldo Fairweather	TE
72	Sione Finau	OL
70	Miles Frazier	OL
0	Chase Gabriel	K
9	Jamal Gates	LB
52	Donovan Georges	LB
27	Henry Gray	DB
25	Josh Guilford	WR
79	Logan Gunderson	OL
0	Dorian Hall	DB
39	Tommy Heatherly	P
78	Shamar Hobby-Lee	OL
14	Joe Hocker	TE
1	JJ Holloman	WR
73	Lyndell Hudson Jr.	OL
10	Daniel Jackson	LB
45	Rocky Jacques-Louis	LB
18	Nikholi Jaghai	DB
81	John Jaramillo	WR
6	Alexy Jean-Baptiste	DL
6	Nate Jefferson	WR
53	Tevin Jones	LB
74	Maljon Joor	OL
8	Lexington Joseph	RB
83	Carson Kaleo	WR
38	Sam Kane	DB
51	Dontae Keys	OL
17	Caleb Lynum	WR
58	Tyson Maeva	LB
44	AJ Mathis	LB
35	Lucas Matias	K/P
61	Joey Maya	LB
22	Benny McCray	DB
85	Jackson McDonald	TE/LS
55	Shane McGough	OL
16	Xavier McGriff	WR
92	Jason Mercier	DL
57	Justin Michel	LB
62	Mershawn Miller	OL
75	Jose Mirabal	OL
80	Kris Mitchell	WR
3	Stone Norton	QB
67	Obinna Nwankwo	OL

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No.	Name	Pos.
84	David O'Meara	TE
94	Kevin Oliver	DL
93	Henry Omu	DL
20	Kejon Owens	RB
49	Shykieim Pace	DL
88	Sterling Palmer	TE
30	Joe Perkins	DB
33	Shaun Peterson Jr.	RB
46	Reggie Peterson	LB
65	Julius Pierce	OL
58	Kristoff Pollas	OL
29	Jamal Potts	DB
11	Josh Powell	LB
24	D'vonte Price	RB
51	Dimitry Prophete	LB
63	Noah Quier	OL
86	KJ Reid-Jacques	DL
96	David Reynolds	DL
15	Teddy Richardson	WR
60	Clayton Senior III	DL
2	Bryce Singleton	WR
99	Davon Strickland	DL
66	Jahmari Sylvester	OL
95	Andrew Tarver	DL
97	Kane Taylor	DL
19	Shemar Thornton	WR
5	Demarcus Townsend	RB
7	Josh Turner	DB
82	Jordan Underwood	WR
23	Andrew Volmar	DB
28	Jesson Walker	DB
43	Nate White	DL
5	Chris Whittaker	DL
7	Kaylan Wiggins	QB
87	Kamareon Williams	TE
71	Kamaren Williams	OL
32	Maleek Williams	RB
21	EJ Wilson Jr.	RB
98	Jordan Woods	DL
31	Tommy Zozus	LS

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No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown/HS/Previous School
58	Tyson Maeva	LB	6-0	230	R-Sr.	San Diego, Calif. / San Diego Cathedral Catholic HS / Boise St.
58	Kristoff Pollas	OL	5-9	260	Fr.	Fort Lauderdale, Fla. / St. Thomas Aquinas HS
60	Clayton Senior III	DL	6-3	230	Fr.	Jacksonville, Fla. / Atlantic Coast HS
61	Joey Maya	LB	6-0	210	R-Fr.	Apex, N.C. / Middle Creek HS
62	Mereshawn Miller	OL	6-2	313	R-Jr.	Miami, Fla. / Miami Central HS
63	Noah Quier	OL	6-4	310	R-Fr.	Bradenton, Fla. / IMG Academy
64	Trevor Arnett	OL	6-6	240	Fr.	Lakeland, Fla. / Lake Gibson HS
65	Julius Pierce	OL	6-5	265	R-Fr.	Sanford, Fla. / Seminole HS
66	Jahmari Sylvester	OL	6-5	317	Fr.	Fort Lauderdale, Fla. / St. Thomas Aquinas HS
67	Obinna Nwankwo	OL	6-3	290	R-Sr.	Miramar, Fla. / Miramar HS / Florida A&M
68	Kameron Burns	OL	6-4	270	R-So.	Crawfordville, Fla. / Wakulla HS
70	Miles Frazier	OL	6-5	304	Fr.	Camden, N.J. / Milford Academy Prep
71	Kamaren Williams	OL	6-4	290	R-Jr.	Humble, Texas / Summer Creek HS / Trinity Valley CC
72	Sione Finau	OL	6-3	300	So.	Keller, Texas / Central HS
73	Lyndell Hudson Jr.	OL	6-6	300	R-So.	Brooksville, Fla. / Central HS
74	Maljon Joor	OL	6-3	318	Jr.	Jackson, Miss. / Callaway HS / Mississippi Gulf Coast CC
75	Rashad Colson	DL	6-5	310	R-Jr.	Miami, Fla. / Miami Norland HS
75	Jose Mirabal	OL	6-5	285	Fr.	Homestead, Fla. / South Dade HS
76	Dontae Keys	OL	6-4	300	R-Sr.	Fayetteville, N.C. / Jack Britt / North Carolina A&T
77	D'Antne Demery	OL	6-5	320	Sr.	Brunswick, Ga. / Brunswick HS / Hutchinson CC (KS)
78	Shamar Hobby-Lee	OL	6-5	290	R-Fr.	Tampa, Fla. / Jefferson HS
79	Logan Gunderson	OL	6-5	318	R-Jr.	Jacksonville, Fla. / Trinity Christian HS / ASA College
80	Kris Mitchell	WR	6-1	175	R-Fr.	Jacksonville, Fla. / Mandarin HS
81	John Jaramillo	WR	5-9	170	R-So.	Miami, Fla. / Southwest Miami HS
82	Jordan Underwood	WR	6-0	180	R-So.	Apopka, Fla. / Olympia HS
83	Carson Kaleo	WR	5-9	170	R-Jr.	Lutz, Fla. / Steinbrenner HS / Florida Tech
84	David O'Meara	TE	6-5	245	Jr.	Tallahassee, Fla. / Chiles HS
85	Jackson McDonald	TE/LS	6-5	220	R-Fr.	Marathon, Fla. / Marathon HS
86	KJ Reid-Jacques	DL	6-3	210	Fr.	Hollywood, Fla. / Chaminade-Madonna HS
87	Kamareon Williams	TE	6-3	240	So.	Delray Beach, Fla. / Atlantic HS
88	Sterling Palmer	TE	6-6	235	Jr.	Midlothian, Va. / Fork Union Military
89	Ty Danzy	DL	6-5	235	R-Fr.	Anderson, S.C. / Westside HS
90	Noah Curtis	DL	6-6	267	Sr.	Riviera Beach, Fla. / American Heritage
92	Jason Mercier	DL	6-3	262	Jr.	Boynton Beach, Fla. / Atlantic HS
93	Henry Omu	DL	6-7	295	R-Sr.	Kingston, Ga. / Atlanta Sports City Prep
94	Kevin Oliver	DL	6-4	263	Sr.	Davie, Fla. / Western HS
95	Andrew Tarver	DL	6-1	295	R-Sr.	Powder Springs, Ga. / McEachern HS
96	David Reynolds	DL	6-4	245	So.	Nashville, Tenn. / Ensworth HS
97	Kane Taylor	DL	6-3	280	R-Jr.	Clearwater, Fla. / Clearwater HS / East Mississippi CC
98	Jordan Woods	DL	6-4	275	R-Sr.	Citra, Fla. / North Marion HS / Georgia Tech

### COACHING STAFF

Name	Coaching Title	Year at FIU	Alma Mater
Butch Davis	Head Coach	4th Season	Arkansas '74
Jeff Copp	Co-Def. Coord./Linebackers	4th Season	Boise State '01, ASU '03
Jerod Kruse	Co-Def. Coord./Defensive Backs	2nd Season	Emporia State '00 & '07
Rich Skrosky	Off. Coord./Quarterbacks	4th Season	Ramapo '83
Drew Davis	Tight Ends	4th Season	Ole Miss '17
Tim Harris Jr.	Running Backs	6th Season	Miami (Fla.) '08
Kenard Lang	Defensive Line	2nd Season	Miami (Fla.) '97
DJ McCarthy	Wide Receivers	1st Season	Washington '94
Bryn Renner	Cornerbacks/Recruiting Coord.	4th Season	North Carolina '14
Joel Rodriguez	Offensive Line	1st Season	Miami (Fla.) '05
Harrison Green	Special Teams Coord.	1st Season	Penn State '13, SMU '16
Sean Binckes	GA - Offense	1st Season	LIU Post '16
Wisly Desire	GA - Offensive Line	2nd Season	Jacksonville University '13
Nigel Madison	GA - Defensive Line	1st Season	Concordia University Ann Arbor '17
Antonio Rodriguez	GA - Defense	1st Season	FIU '20



**QUICK FACTS**

**UNIVERSITY INFORMATION**

Location.....Miami, Florida  
 Founded/Opened.....1965/1972  
 Enrollment.....54,000  
 Nickname.....Panthers  
 Mascot Name.....Roary  
 Fight Song.....FIU Fight Song  
 Colors.....Blue (PMS 282) & Gold (PMS 871)  
 Affiliation.....NCAA Division I (FBS)  
 Conference.....Conference USA (East Div)  
 School President.....Dr. Mark B. Rosenberg  
 Director of Sports & Ent.....Pete Garcia  
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 Athletics Twitter.....@FIUAthletics  
 Website.....FIUSports.com  
 Conference Website.....ConferenceUSA.com

**STADIUM INFORMATION**

Venue.....Riccardo Silva Stadium (20,000)  
 Surface.....Field Turf  
 First Year.....2008  
 First Game at Riccardo Silva.....Sept. 20, 2008  
 Result.....L, 9-17 vs. USF  
 Record at Riccardo Silva.....37-36 (12 yrs)  
 Largest Crowd.....22,682 vs. Duke (10/1/11)  
 %27,339 vs. Miami (11/23/19)  
 Ticket Office Phone.....(305) FIU-GAME  
 % - Home game played at Marlins Park

**FIU FOOTBALL HISTORY**

First Year of Football.....2002  
 All-Time Record.....69-138 (18 yrs)  
 #All-Time On-Field Record.....79-138 (18 yrs)  
 All-Time C-USA Record.....25-31 (7 yrs)  
 All-Time Sun Belt Record.....20-37 (8 yrs)  
 All-Time Home Record.....51-55 (18 yrs)  
 All-Time Road Record.....26-80 (18 yrs)  
 Versus AP Top 25.....0-8  
 Bowl Appearances.....5 ('10-'11, '17-'19)  
 Bowl Record.....2-3  
 Most Wins in Single-Season.....9 (2018)  
 NFL Draft Picks.....10  
 # - Wins in 2003 (2-10), 2004 (3-7) and 2005 (4-6, 3-4 SBC) were vacated

**THE PANTHERS IN 2020**

2019 Record.....6-7  
 C-USA Record/Finish.....3-5/6th (East)  
 Last Bowl Appearance.....2019 Camellia Bowl  
 Bowl Result.....L, 26-34 vs. Arkansas State  
 Head Coach.....Butch Davis  
 Alma Mater.....Arkansas '74  
 Record at FIU.....23-16 (3 years)  
 Career Record.....102-59 (13 years)  
 Basic Offense.....Pro Set  
 Basic Defense.....Multiple 4-3  
 Returning Letterwinners.....53/20  
 Starters Returning/Lost.....14/11  
 Offense.....5/6  
 Defense.....7/4  
 Special Teams.....2/1

**SCHEDULE INFO/RETURNING STARTERS**

**2020 SCHEDULE**

Date	Opponent (TV)	Location	Series Record
Sept. 26	at Liberty (ESPN3)	Lynchburg, VA	First Meeting
<b>Oct. 10</b>	<b>Middle Tennessee* (ESPN+)</b>	<b>Miami, FL</b>	<b>MT leads, 10-4/10-5#</b>
Oct. 17	at Charlotte* (ESPN+)	Charlotte, NC	FIU leads, 5-0
<b>Oct. 23</b>	<b>Jacksonville State (ESPN+)</b>	<b>Miami, FL</b>	<b>First Meeting</b>
<b>Oct. 30</b>	<b>Marshall* (CBSSN)</b>	<b>Miami, FL</b>	<b>Marshall leads, 6-2</b>
Nov. 7	at UTEP* (ESPN+)	El Paso, TX	FIU leads, 3-1
<b>Nov. 13</b>	<b>FAU* (CBSSN)</b>	<b>Miami, FL</b>	<b>FAU leads, 13-4/13-5#</b>
Nov. 21	at WKU* (ESPN+)	Bowling Green, KY	WKU leads 5-4/5-5#
<b>Nov. 28</b>	<b>Louisiana Tech* (ESPN+)</b>	<b>Miami, FL</b>	<b>LA Tech leads, 4-0</b>

**BOLD** - home game  
 \* - Conference USA game  
 # - Includes vacated win

**2019 RESULTS (6-7, 3-5 C-USA)**

Date	Opponent (TV)	Result/Score	Attendance
Aug. 29	at Tulane (ESPN3)	L/14-42	16,361
<b>Sept. 7</b>	<b>WKU* (ESPN+)</b>	<b>L/14-20</b>	<b>13,311</b>
<b>Sept. 14</b>	<b>New Hampshire (ESPN+)</b>	<b>W/30-17</b>	<b>11,756</b>
Sept. 20	at Louisiana Tech* (CBSSN)	L/31-43	18,782
<b>Oct. 5</b>	<b>UMass (ESPN+)</b>	<b>W/44-0</b>	<b>12,746</b>
<b>Oct. 12</b>	<b>Charlotte* (ESPN+)</b>	<b>W/48-23</b>	<b>16,834</b>
<b>Oct. 19</b>	<b>UTEP* (ESPN+)</b>	<b>W/32-17</b>	<b>13,951</b>
Oct. 26	at Middle Tennessee* (NFL Network)	L/17-50	9,512
<b>Nov. 2</b>	<b>Old Dominion* (ESPN+)</b>	<b>W/24-17</b>	<b>14,644</b>
Nov. 9	at FAU* (Stadium)	L/7-37	17,603
<b>Nov. 23</b>	<b>Miami^ (CBSSN)</b>	<b>W/30-24</b>	<b>27,339</b>
Nov. 30	at Marshall* (CBSSN)	L/27-30 (OT)	18,596
Dec. 21	vs. Arkansas State% (ESPN)	L/26-34	16,209

**BOLD** - home game  
 \* - Conference USA game  
 ^ - home game played at Marlins Park  
 % - Camellia Bowl (Montgomery, Alabama)

**MEDIA INFO**

**PRACTICE COVERAGE**

Due to COVID-19 restrictions, practices this week will be closed to the media. Interviews are available upon request. All interview requests must be directed to the FIU Athletic Communications Office at least 24 hours in advance. Please send all requests via email to tyson.rodgers@fiu.edu.



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**REFER AS FIU PANTHERS**

Florida International University has a long and storied history across all of its Division I NCAA programs. We respectfully ask that you refer to our University's athletic programs as the FIU Panthers.

Please refrain from using any of the following  
**Fla Int'l = use FIU**  
**Golden Panthers = use Panthers**

**STAT RANKINGS**

**STAT BREAKDOWN (2019)**

Category	FIU	OPP
Points/Game	26.4	27.2
First Downs	259	276
Rushing Yards/Game	165.2	196.0
Passing Yards/Game	211.8	195.0
Total Off. Yards/Game	421.5	386.3
Total Yards Allowed/Game	377.1	391.0
Third Down Conv.	38.0%	39.1%
Turnovers Gained	18	15
Turnovers Lost	15	18
Sacks	21	14
Red Zone Offense	76.3%	90.0%
Red Zone Defense	90.0%	76.3%
Time of Possession/Game	28:58	30:51
Penalty Yards/Game	57.7	69.9

**C-USA RANKINGS (2019)**

Category	FIU
Points/Game	6th
Points Allowed/Game	8th
First Downs	6th
Rushing Yards/Game	6th
Rushing Yards Allowed/Game	13th
Passing Yards/Game	7th
Passing Yards Allowed/Game	3rd
Total Off. Yards/Game	9th
Total Yards Allowed/Game	10th
Third Down Conv.	8th
Turnovers Gained	4th
Turnovers Lost	4th
Sacks	10th
Sacks Allowed	1st
Red Zone Offense	13th
Red Zone Defense	12th
Time of Possession/Game	11th
Penalty Yards/Game	9th

**NCAA RANKINGS (2019)**

Category	FIU
Points/Game	83rd
Points Allowed/Game	63rd
First Downs	75th
Rushing Yards/Game	63rd
Rushing Yards Allowed/Game	106th
Passing Yards/Game	83rd
Passing Yards Allowed/Game	17th
Total Off. Yards/Game	91st
Total Yards Allowed/Game	69th
Third Down Conv.	89th
Turnovers Gained	64th
Turnovers Lost	33rd
Sacks	102nd
Sacks Allowed	7th
Red Zone Offense	108th
Red Zone Defense	116th
Time of Possession/Game	90th
Penalty Yards/Game	82nd

**GAME NOTES**



After missing all of 2019 due to injury, Bryce Singleton will get his first game action since the 2018 Bahamas Bowl.



Rishard Dames led the team in INTs last year after picking off the opposing QB four times. He also earned 59 tackles.

**SCOUTING THE FLAMES**

Liberty rushed for 363 yards on its way to a 30-24 victory over WKU on the road. In his first career start, Auburn-transfer Malik Willis had 133 passing yards, 168 rushing yards and three touchdowns. Joshua Mack rushed for 100 yards to give the Flames two 100-yard rushers on the day.

**SEASON OPENERS**

FIU has earned a 3-14 (4-13) record in season openers, with the Panthers owning a 1-8 (2-9) record for season openers on the road. The Panthers have not won a season opener since 2015's 15-14 slug fest against UCF in Orlando.

Due to the COVID-19 outbreak, this year's season opener on Sept. 26, 2020 at Liberty will be FIU's latest season opener in program history.

Date	Opponent	Result
8/29/02	Saint Peter's	W/27-3
9/6/03	at Indiana State	L/10-13
9/11/04	at Youngstown St.	W/22-16 (OT)
9/3/05	at Kansas State	L/21-35
8/31/06	Middle Tennessee	L/6-7
9/1/07	at #17 Penn State	L/0-59
8/30/08	at Kansas	L/10-40
9/12/09	at #4 Alabama	L/14-40
9/11/10	Rutgers	L/14-19
9/1/11	North Texas	W/41-16
9/1/12	at Duke	L/26-46
8/31/13	at Maryland	L/10-43
8/30/14	Bethune-Cookman	L/12-14
9/3/15	at UCF	W/15-14
9/1/16	Indiana	L/13-34
8/31/17	at UCF	L/17-61
9/1/18	Indiana	L/28-38
8/29/19	at Tulane	L/14-42
9/26/20	at Liberty	???

**FIU ON ESPN3**

Saturday's game on ESPN3 will mark FIU's 21st appearance on the platform. The Panthers are 4-16 dating back to 2006. FIU's last game on ESPN3 was 2019's season opener at Tulane, which the Panthers lost 42-14. The last win on ESPN3 for FIU came at Charlotte on Nov. 17, 2018 with a 42-35 victory of the 49ers.

**SEASON OPENERS FOR DAVIS**

Head Coach Butch Davis has earned an 8-5 mark in career season openers. At FIU however, Davis is 0-3 thus far, with losses to UCF, Indiana and Tulane.

**SCHEDULE CHANGES**

Due to COVID-19, the start date for FIU's 2020 is officially Sept. 26 at Liberty. FIU's original season opener against Jacksonville State (Sept. 3) was moved to Oct. 23. The Panthers are slated to play nine opponents for the regular season, with the loss of UCF (Sept. 12), Old Dominion (Sept. 19) and UMass (Oct. 24).

Date	Opponent
<del>Sept. 3</del>	<del>Jacksonville State**</del>
<del>Sept. 12</del>	<del>at UCF</del>
<del>Sept. 19</del>	<del>at Old Dominion</del>
Sept. 26	at Liberty
Oct. 10	Middle Tennessee
Oct. 17	Charlotte
<del>Oct. 24</del>	<del>at UMass</del>
Oct. 31	Marshall
Nov. 7	at UTEP
Nov. 14	FAU
Nov. 21	WKU
Nov. 28	LA Tech

\*\* - Game Rescheduled to Oct. 23

**2019 TRENDS**

**LEADING/TRAILING/TIED**

Leading At Half:	6-2
Trailing At Half:	0-5
Tied At Half:	0-0
Leading After 3rd Quarter:	6-0
Trailing After 3rd Quarter:	0-7

**SCORING**

Scores First:	3-1
Opponent Scores First:	3-6
Shutout at Half:	0-0
Holds Opp. Scoreless at Half:	2-0
Scores 20+ Points:	6-3
Scores Under 20 Points:	0-4
Allows 20+ Points:	2-7
Holds Opp. Under 20 Points:	4-0

**TOTAL YARDS**

Less Than 300 Yards:	1-2
300+ Total Offense:	3-2
400+ Total Offense:	1-1
500+ Total Offense:	2-1
600+ Total Offense:	0-0
Hold Opp. Less Than 300 Yards:	3-1
Allow Opp. 300+ Yards:	2-1
Allow Opp. 400+ Yards:	1-1
Allow Opp. 500+ Yards:	0-4
Allow Opp. 600+ Yards:	0-0

**RUSH YARDS**

Less Than 100 Yards:	0-3
100+ Yards Rushing:	3-4
200+ Yards Rushing:	1-0
300+ Yards Rushing:	2-0
Holds Opp. Under 100 Yards:	2-1
Allows 100+ Yards Rushing:	2-1
Allows 200+ Yards Rushing:	1-3
Allows 300+ Yards Rushing:	0-2

**PASS YARDS**

Less Than 200 Yards:	4-2
200+ Yards Passing:	2-3
300+ Yards Passing:	0-2
400+ Yards Passing:	0-0
500+ Yards Passing:	0-0
Holds Opp. Under 200 Yards:	4-3
Allows 200+ Yards Passing:	2-2
Allows 300+ Yards Passing:	0-2
Allows 400+ Yards Passing:	0-0
Allows 500+ Yards Passing:	0-0

**TURNOVERS**

Has 0 Turnovers:	4-1
Has 1 Turnover:	2-1
Has 2 Turnovers:	0-4
Has 3+ Turnovers:	0-1
Forces 0 Turnovers:	0-1
Forces 1 Turnover:	3-4
Forces 2 Turnover:	1-2
Forces 3+ Turnovers:	2-0

**GAME NOTES**



**REWRITING THE RECORD BOOK**

Players under Butch Davis have broken 23 single-game, 15 season and 16 career records and those are just in the individual section of the FIU record books.

**SECURE THE BAG**

FIU only turned the ball over 15 times last season, which ranked the Panthers 33rd overall in the country for that category and fourth in Conference USA.

Those great turnover numbers were thanks to current New York Jet James Morgan, who protected the ball well in 2019 as the Panthers only threw six interceptions. That total ranked as the 12th-lowest in the country and second in the league.

**PUNT RETURN BEST IN NATION**

FIU topped the nation last season for punt return defense, allowing -0.44 yards per game in 2019. Additionally, the Panthers earned a 20.83 average per game for punt return yardage to rank third in the country.

**PROTECTION UP FRONT**

The FIU offensive line ranked fifth in the nation last season for sacks allowed, as the Panther big men gave up only 14 sacks.

The 14 sacks allowed ranked as the second lowest ever allowed in FIU history.

**FIU VS. TOP 25 SACK TEAMS IN NATION**

Team	Rank	FIU Total Allowed
Miami (Fla.)	t7th	0
Charlotte	t18th	1.0
FAU	t24th	0
Marshall	t24th	1.0

**D-LINE TURNAROUND**

After four games to start 2019, the Panthers had earned only three sacks. After those first three games however, FIU got to the QB 18 times in the last nine games to make a drastic improvement upfront.

A large part of that success was due to Chris Whittaker and Alexy Jean-Baptiste. The pair combined for eight of FIU's 21 total sacks in 2019.

**GAME-BY-GAME SACKS TOTALS**

Date	Opponent	Total
8/29/19	at Tulane	1.0
9/7/19	WKU	0
9/14/19	New Hampshire	1.0
9/20/19	at Louisiana Tech	1.0
10/5/19	UMass	2.5
10/12/19	Charlotte	1.5
10/19/19	UTEP	3.0
10/26/19	at Middle Tennessee	0
11/2/19	Old Dominion	3.0
11/9/19	at FAU	1.0
11/23/19	Miami (Fla.)	1.0
11/30/19	at Marshall	3.0
12/21/19	vs. Arkansas State	3.0

## SERIES HISTORY

**All-Time Record:** First Meeting  
**Last Meeting:** N/A  
**Longest Winning Streak by FIU:** N/A  
**Longest Winning Streak by Liberty:** N/A  
**At FIU:** N/A  
**At Liberty:** N/A  
**Neutral Site:** N/A  
**Game Decided by 7 Points or Less:** N/A  
**Most Points Scored by FIU:** N/A  
**Most Points Scored by Liberty:** N/A  
**Largest Margin of Victory for FIU:** N/A  
**Largest Margin of Victory for Liberty:** N/A

## GAMES NOTES



Senior D'vonte Price is just 60 yards shy of surpassing the 1,000 yard mark on the ground.



Senior Tommy Heatherly looks to build off his great first season at FIU and better his 42.98 average from 2019.

### THE CAMPAIGN FOR PANTHER QB 2020

FIU has had great success with its last two QBs, as James Morgan (Jets) and Alex McGough (Seahawks) were both taken in the NFL Draft. Morgan being selected this past offseason and McGough going in the 2018 NFL Draft.

Among the four candidates vying for the starting QB job this season, the group owns a total of 10 combined starts. Maryland transfer Max Bortenschlager leads the way with nine, while Kaylan Wiggins owns one. This year's QB job is truly a toss up with no spring practice however, as all four Panther QBs will have a shot at starting and playing.

#### LAST 2 QBs FOR FIU DURING BUTCH DAVIS ERA

Player	Pass Yds	Pass TDs	Pass Eff.	Years at FIU
Alex McGough	9,091	65*	128.1	2014-17
James Morgan	5,375	40	143.4*	2018-19

\* - School record

### PRICE PACES PANTHERS AVG PER RUSH

D'vonte Price has earned a 6.06 average per rush for his career, which is the current record for FIU. Price has only earned 155 rushes over the last three seasons, as he sat behind three other names on the list, Napoleon Maxwell, Anthony Jones and Alex Gardner.

#### AVERAGE PER RUSH - CAREER (MIN. 100 ATT.)

Rnk	Avg.	Player	Years
1.	6.06	D'vonte Price (155-940)	2017-pres.
2.	5.62	Ben West (120-674)	2004-05
3.	5.51	Napoleon Maxwell (392-2,159)	2014-19
4.	5.18	Rashod Smith (424-2,195)	2002-04
5.	4.98	Adam Gorman (178-886)	2002-05
6.	4.88	Kedrick Rhodes (441-2,156)	2010-12
7.	4.80	Anthony Jones (419-2,011)	2015-19
8.	4.72	Darian Mallary (266-1,256)	2009-12
9.	4.55	Jeremiah Harden (152-692)	2010-12
10.	4.47	Alex Gardner (685-3,063)	2014-17

### TWIN MAGIC

Richard and Rishard Dames are one of just 53 FBS squads who have sets of brothers on their roster. These twins can provide double coverage in the secondary, as Richard plays safety and Rishard at corner.

The Panthers will face another set of twins on Saturday, as Liberty sports their own twins in redshirt freshmen Carl and Carlos Poole. Carl plays linebacker, while Carlos plays wide receiver.

The Dames Twins put up big numbers last season and look to be the leaders on defense in 2020.

#### DAMES TWINS IN 2019

No.	Player	GP	TKL	TFL	PBU	INTS	TDS
3	Richard Dames	13	56	4.0	5	0	0
4	Rishard Dames	13	59	6.0	6	4	1

### BIG LEG FOR HEATHERLY

In his first season at FIU, Tommy Heatherly had one of the best years for a Panther punter in school history. Heatherly averaged 42.98 per punt last season, which ranked as the second-best mark in school history.

Even more impressive, three of Heatherly's games rank in the Top 10 at FIU for highest punt average as he boomed a 50.3 at LA Tech, 50.0 vs. New Hampshire and 49.3 vs. Arkansas State in the 2019 Camellia Bowl. Two of Heatherly's punts also ranked in the Top 10 at FIU for longest punts in a game, after he boomed a 68-yarder at FAU and a 62-yarder against Middle Tennessee.

#### HIGHEST PUNT AVERAGE - SINGLE GAME (MIN. 3 PUNTS)

Rnk	No.	Player vs. Opp.	Date
1.	52.2	Stone Wilson vs. Florida Atlantic	11/18/17
2.	50.7	Chris Cook vs. Troy	10/6/07
3.	50.3	Tommy Heatherly at Louisiana Tech	9/20/19
4.	50.0	Tommy Heatherly vs. New Hampshire	9/14/19
5.	49.5	Carlos Munera at Louisiana	11/1/08
6.	49.3	Tommy Heatherly vs. Arkansas State	12/21/19
7.	49.2	Josh Brisk vs. North Texas	9/1/11
8.	48.3	Stone Wilson vs. Florida Atlantic	11/3/18
	48.3	Stone Wilson at Middle Tennessee	10/7/17
	48.3	Carlos Munera vs. Louisiana (OT)	10/31/09

## 2019 PLAYER HONORS

### SAGE LEWIS

- Senior Bowl Preseason Watch List
- Preseason Nagurski Award Watch List
- Preseason Butkus Award Watch List
- Preseason C-USA Defensive POY
- All-Conference USA Second Team

### JAMES MORGAN

- William V. Campbell Trophy Semifinalist
- Senior Bowl Preseason Watch List
- Manning Award Watch List
- Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Watch List
- CFPA National POY Watch List
- Preseason Davey O'Brien Award Watch List
- Allstate AFCA Good Works Team Nominee
- Wuerffel Trophy Watch List
- All-Conference USA Honorable Mention
- C-USA All-Academic Team
- C-USA Spirit of Service Award

### MAURICE ALEXANDER

- C-USA Special Teams POW (10/7)
- Phil Steele Preseason C-USA 1st Team (PR)
- Phil Steele Preseason C-USA 3rd Team (WR)
- Athlon Sports Preseason C-USA 1st Team (PR)
- Preseason All-Conference USA Team (PR)

### JOSE BORREGALES

- Lou Groza Award Watch List
- C-USA Special Teams POW (11/25)

### DALLAS CONNELL

- Preseason Remington Trophy Watch List

### STERLING PALMER

- Preseason Mackey Award Watch List

### STANTLEY THOMAS-OLIVER III

- All-Conference USA Second Team

### ANTHONY JONES

- All-Conference USA Honorable Mention

### TONY GAITER IV

- All-Conference USA Honorable Mention

### DEVONTAY TAYLOR

- All-Conference USA Honorable Mention

### D'ANTNE DEMERY

- All-Conference USA Honorable Mention

### TOMMY HEATHERLY

- All-Conference USA Honorable Mention

### SIONE FINAU

- Conference USA All-Freshman Team

## GAME NOTES



D'Antne Demery was named to the Outland Trophy Watch List this past preseason to garner buzz ahead of 2020.



Kevin Oliver broke FIU's record for most QB hurries in a single-season with eight in 2019. He has nine for his career.

### BUZZ FOR DEMERY

D'Antne Demery racked up the preseason honors this past summer, as the 6-5, 320-pound left tackle earned preseason all-conference honors from the C-USA and publications Athlon and Phil Steele. Demery was also named to the Outland Trophy Watch List by the Football Writers Association of America (FWAA).

### WALK-ON TO SCHOLARSHIP

Obinna Nwankwo and Nikholi Jaghai were awarded scholarships this preseason, as the pair became the 13th and 14th walk-ons to earn scholarships since Butch Davis took over the football program in 2017.

### NUMBER CHANGES

The Panthers gave the FIU football equipment staff quite the headache this past offseason, as 15 players swapped numbers.

Player	Old # > New #
Dorian Hall	36 > 0
JJ Holloman	4 > 1
Bryce Singleton	9 > 2
Richard Dames	38 > 3
Rishard Dames	35 > 4
Chris Whittaker	47 > 5
Jamal Gates	59 > 9
Daniel Jackson	40 > 10
Josh Powell	48 > 11
Nikholi Jaghai	17 > 18
Benny McCray	27 > 22
Henry Gray	10 > 27
Kameron Burns	91 > 68
Henry Omu	76 > 93
Kane Taylor	70 > 97

### OLIVER IN A HURRY

Senior Kevin Oliver earned eight QB hurries last season, which broke FIU's single-season record. Oliver currently ranks fourth at FIU for his nine QB hurries overall. The defensive end sits behind Greg Hickman's 13 earned from 2010-13.

### DRAFT DAY FOR TWO PANTHERS

FIU had two players selected in the 2020 NFL Draft as quarterback James Morgan and cornerback Stantley Thomas-Oliver III were taken. Morgan was selected with the 125th pick in the fourth round by the New York Jets, while Thomas-Oliver was taken with the 221st pick in the seventh round by the Carolina Panthers.

With the selection of Morgan, FIU joins LSU, Oklahoma and Washington State as the only schools to have multiple QBs drafted since 2018. In addition, the two picks for FIU in the 2020 draft gives the program 10 overall since 2007, with three of those taken during the Butch Davis era.

### KINGS OF MIAMI

The highlight of 2019 was FIU's 30-24 win over the Miami Hurricanes at Marlins Park. In front of the largest crowd in school history, the Panthers jumped out to a 16-0 lead to stun the Hurricanes and set the tone for the rest of the game.

Anthony Jones put the game on ice late in the fourth quarter, as the running back sprinted down the sideline for a 37-yard score to put the Panthers up 30-17. Following a UM score and failed onside attempt, James Morgan and the Panthers formed the victory formation to kneel down and seal the 30-24 win and bowl eligibility for FIU.



### AP TOP 25 POLL

Rk.	Team	Points	LW	Rec.
1	Clemson (59)	1,523	1	2-0
2	Alabama (1)	1,458	2	0-0
3	Oklahoma	1,368	3	1-0
4	Georgia	1,320	4	0-0
5	Florida	1,239	5	0-0
6	LSU (1)	1,221	6	0-0
7	Notre Dame	1,200	7	2-0
T-8	Texas	1,037	9	1-0
T-8	Auburn	1,037	8	1-0
10	Texas A&M	972	10	0-0
11	North Carolina	883	12	1-0
12	Miami (Fla.)	816	17	2-0
13	UCF	771	14	1-0
14	Cincinnati	720	13	1-0
15	Oklahoma State	693	11	1-0
16	Tennessee	529	15	0-0
17	Memphis	510	16	1-0
18	BYU	405	21	1-0
19	Louisiana	374	19	2-0
20	Virginia Tech	350	20	0-0
21	Pittsburgh	315	25	2-0
22	Army	296	22	2-0
23	Kentucky	230	23	0-0
24	Louisville	115	18	1-1
25	Marshall	108	NR	2-0

**Others receiving votes:** Baylor 89, West Virginia 59, SMU 57, TCU 30, Virginia 30, Boston College 23, Arkansas State 20, Mississippi State 6, UAB 5, Texas Tech 5, Ole Miss 4, Appalachian State 3, UTSA 2, Troy 1, Coastal Carolina 1

### 2019 CHUNK PLAYS

#### CHUNK PLAYS

FIU had 15 plays go over 40 yards in 2019, with eight of those coming from James Morgan.

Opponent (Date)	Result	Yards
FIU vs. WKU (9/7)	Kaylan Wiggins pass to Maurice Alexander	40 yards
FIU vs. New Hampshire (9/14)	Kaylan Wiggins rush	70 yards
FIU at LA Tech (9/20)	James Morgan pass to Austin Maloney	43 yards
FIU at LA Tech (9/20)	James Morgan pass to Austin Maloney	45 yards
FIU vs. UMass (10/5)	Kaylan Wiggins rush	47 yards
FIU vs. Charlotte (10/12)	Anthony Jones rush	41 yards
FIU vs. UTEP (10/19)	James Morgan pass to Anthony Jones	61 yards
FIU vs. UTEP (10/19)	Anthony Jones rush	65 yards
FIU vs. ODU (11/2/19)	James Morgan pass to Maurice Alexander	46 yards
FIU vs. ODU (11/2/19)	James Morgan pass to Shemar Thornton	54 yards
FIU vs. ODU (11/2/19)	Napoleon Maxwell rush	46 yards
FIU at FAU (11/9/19)	Napoleon Maxwell rush	75 yards
FIU at Marshall (11/30/19)	James Morgan pass to Austin Maloney	59 yards
FIU vs. Arkansas State (12/21/19)	James Morgan pass to Shemar Thornton	42 yards
FIU vs. Arkansas State (12/21/19)	James Morgan pass to Austin Maloney	48 yards

### AROUND THE C-USA

#### AMWAY COACHES POLL

Rk.	Team (Record)	Points	LW
1	Clemson (1-0)	1020	1
2	Alabama (0-0)	973	3
3	Oklahoma (1-0)	907	6
4	Georgia (0-0)	904	4
5	LSU (0-0)	852	5
6	Florida (0-0)	837	8
7	Notre Dame (1-0)	760	10
8	Texas (1-0)	697	14
9	Auburn (0-0)	694	11
10	Texas A&M (0-0)	639	13
11	North Carolina (1-0)	575	19
12	Oklahoma State (0-0)	547	16
13	Central Florida (0-0)	415	21
14	Cincinnati (0-0)	403	22
15	Memphis (1-0)	316	NR
16	Louisville (1-0)	314	NR
17	Tennessee (0-0)	310	NR
18	Miami (Fla.) (1-0)	268	NR
19	Virginia Tech (0-0)	266	24
20	Kentucky (0-0)	233	NR
21	Louisiana (1-0)	220	NR
22	Brigham Young (1-0)	201	NR
23	Appalachian State (1-0)	177	NR
24	Baylor (0-0)	162	NR
25	Army (2-0)	128	NR

#### C-USA GAMES THIS WEEK

##### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

UAB at South Alabama (ESPN) 7:30 pm

##### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

Middle Tennessee at UTSA (CBSSN) 8 pm

##### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

Georgia State at Charlotte (ESPNU) 12 pm

FIU at Liberty (ESPN3) 1 pm

Tulane at Southern Miss (Stadium) 2:30 pm

UTEP at Louisiana-Monroe (ESPNU) 3:30 pm

South Fla. at Florida Atlantic (CBSSN) 6 pm

Houston Baptist at LA Tech (ESPN3) 7 pm

North Texas at Houston (ESPN+) 7 pm

#### PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

##### OFFENSE

Frank Harris, UTSA  
Junior, QB, Schertz, Texas  
23-36 for 269 yards and a TD

##### DEFENSE

Tavante Beckett, Marshall  
R-Senior, LB, Chesapeake, Virginia  
16 tackles, one forced fumble

##### SPECIAL TEAMS

Jacob Barnes, Louisiana Tech  
R-Freshman, K, Baton Rouge, Louisiana  
4-4 PATs, 1-1 FGs (28 yards)

### 2019 C-USA STANDINGS

#### EAST DIVISION

Team	Conf.	CPct.	Overall	Pct
Florida Atlantic	7-1	0.875	10-3	0.769
Marshall	6-2	0.750	8-4	0.667
WKU	6-2	0.750	8-4	0.667
Charlotte	5-3	0.625	7-5	0.583
FIU	3-5	0.375	6-6	0.500
Middle Tennessee	3-5	0.375	4-8	0.333
Old Dominion	0-8	0.000	1-11	0.083

#### WEST DIVISION

Team	Conf.	CPct.	Overall	Pct
Louisiana Tech	6-2	0.750	9-3	0.750
UAB	6-2	0.750	9-4	0.692
Southern Miss	5-3	0.625	7-5	0.583
UTSA	3-5	0.375	4-8	0.333
North Texas	3-5	0.375	4-8	0.333
Rice	3-5	0.375	3-9	0.250
UTEP	0-8	0.000	1-11	0.083

**WE FAMILY, BOSS!**

**FIU MOURNS LOSS OF AUBREY HILL**

FIU lost assistant coach Aubrey Hill this past summer, after he passed away on Aug. 16, 2020, following his battle with cancer. Hill, 48, was entering his fourth season at FIU, serving as the wide receiver's coach for the Panthers. To honor the memory of Aubrey Hill, FIU will wear a special decal on the back of its helmets this year.



**COACH DAVIS GAME NOTES**



**RETURNING STAT LEADERS**

Total Touchdowns.....	Shemar Thornton (5)
Pass Completions.....	Kaylan Wiggins (15)
Pass Attempts.....	Kaylan Wiggins (27)
Pass Long.....	Kaylan Wiggins (40)
Passing Yards.....	Kaylan Wiggins (172)
Pass Per Game.....	Kaylan Wiggins (17.2)
Passing Touchdowns.....	N/A
Rush Attempts.....	D'Vonte Price (50)
Long Rush.....	Kaylan Wiggins (70)
Rushing Yards.....	Kaylan Wiggins (323)
Rush Per Carry.....	Kaylan Wiggins (6.6)
Rush Per Game.....	Kaylan Wiggins (32.3)
Rushing Touchdowns.....	Kaylan Wiggins (3)
Receptions.....	Shemar Thornton (51)
Catch Long.....	Shemar Thornton (54)
Receiving Touchdowns.....	Shemar Thornton (5)
Receiving Yards.....	Shemar Thornton (668)
Yards Per Catch.....	Shemar Thornton (13.1)
Rec. Yards Per Game.....	Shemar Thornton (51.4)
Total Tackles.....	Jamal Gates (85)
Solos.....	Gates/Ris. Dames (56)
TFLs.....	Alexy Jean-Baptiste (9.0)
INTs.....	Rishard Dames (4)
Pass Breakups.....	Rishard Dames (6)
Sacks.....	Alexy Jean-Baptiste (5.5)
FG Made.....	N/A
FG Made Long.....	N/A
Punt Average.....	Tommy Heatherly (43.0)
Punt Long.....	Tommy Heatherly (68)



**DAVIS PASSES CENTURY MARK**

The 2019 season gave another milestone for Head Coach Butch Davis, as he officially passed the 100-win mark with a 32-17 victory over UTEP on Oct. 19. Davis has 102 career collegiate wins entering 2020.

**DAVIS NEARS FIU RECORD**

Butch Davis only needs five wins to become FIU's all-time winningest coach in program history after earning 23 victories for the Panthers in just four seasons at the helm. Over his historic career, Davis has won 102 games.

<b>Coach (Years)</b>	<b>Record at FIU</b>
Mario Cristobal (2007-12)	27-47
<b>Butch Davis (2017-pres.)</b>	<b>23-16</b>
Don Strock (2002-06)	15-41
Ron Turner (2013-16)	10-30
Ron Cooper (2016)	4-4

**DAVIS ADDS TO NFL DRAFT HISTORY**

FIU had two players selected in this past year's NFL Draft, with James Morgan going in the fourth round to the New York Jets and Stantley Thomas-Oliver III going in the seventh round to the Carolina Panthers.

Additionally, FIU had four players sign undrafted free agent contracts with Isaiah Brown, Anthony Jones, Napoleon Maxwell and Tear Tart all landing on teams. FIU's six players in the NFL for last year's class led Conference USA and brought Coach Davis' total of players to reach the NFL to 142 over his storied career.

Davis has also coached or recruited 35 first round draft picks, which was only just recently has been surpassed by Alabama's Nick Saban.

**FAMILY TIES**

FIU is just one of eight football programs in the FBS to feature a father-son duo as a head coach and assistant coach. Butch's son Drew joined the FIU coaching staff in 2017 as a graduate assistant before working his way into a full-time role coaching the tight ends in 2018.

<b>Father Coach/Son Coach</b>	<b>School</b>
Steve/Louie Addazio	Colorado St.
<b>Butch/Drew Davis</b>	<b>FIU</b>
Randy/Corey Edsall	UConn
Jim/Jay Harbaugh	Michigan
Skip/Trey Holtz	LA Tech
Kirk/Brian Ferentz	Iowa
Doug/Cory Martin	NMSU
Lovie/Miles Smith	Illinois

**FROM DL TO HEAD COACH**

Over his historic career, Butch Davis made his bread and butter on the defensive line. He coached the group with the Miami Hurricanes from 1984-1988 and then with the Dallas Cowboys from 1989-1992, both under Jimmy Johnson.

In the FBS, Davis is one of just 10 former defensive line coaches that are currently head coaches. Furthermore, Davis, Brady Hoke and Ed Orgeron are the only three that have both collegiate and professional experience coaching the defensive line position.

<b>Coach</b>	<b>School</b>
Gary Anderson	Utah State
Dave Aranda	Baylor
Butch Davis	FIU
Luke Fickell	Cincinnati
Brady Hoke	SDSU
Mike Locksley	Maryland
Bronco Mendenhall	Virginia
Ed Orgeron	LSU
Ricky Rahne	Old Dominion
Ryan Silverfield	Memphis

**COACH BUTCH DAVIS BIO**



**BUTCH DAVIS**

**14th Season Overall (102-59) 4th Season at FIU (23-15)**

- The Panthers have broke or tied 102 school records under Davis
- School record three-straight bowl berths
- Most wins by FIU coach in three-year span (23)
- Broke single-season school record in wins (9) in 2018
- His .649 career win percentage ranks 8th highest among active coaches
- One of just four schools in nation to have multiple QBs drafted in last three years

On Nov. 15, 2016, Butch Davis was named the fourth head coach of the FIU football program, returning to South Florida where he made a name for himself as one of the premier minds in football. A man with a proven record of success and an unyielding commitment to excellence, Davis has brought an identity and a swell of energy to the FIU football program. Davis will enter his fourth season at FIU in 2020.

Davis has compiled a 102-59 overall record in 13 years as a college head coach, including three BIG EAST Championships while coaching the University of Miami (1995-00). In that span, Davis recruited and/or coached more than 120 players that made it to the NFL, 35 of which were first-round draft picks.

Davis coached in the NFL for 10 years and is still the only head coach to take the expansion Cleveland Browns to the playoffs in 2002, while winning a pair of Super Bowl rings as an assistant coach with the Dallas Cowboys in the early 1990s. During his 13-year collegiate coaching career, Davis guided his teams to 10 bowl games, winning six of them, including a 37-20 victory over the Florida Gators in the 2001 Sugar Bowl.

In just three seasons, Davis has transformed the football program and has instilled a winning tradition at FIU after taking the Panthers to three-straight bowl appearances and setting a school-record for wins (9) in 2018. Davis has also won 23 games in his first three seasons at the helm, which is the most by any Panther football coach in a three-year span.

Davis is also responsible for the program’s biggest victory, after defeating the Miami Hurricanes 30-24 at Marlins Park in 2019.

Three players have been taken in the NFL Draft under Davis, with two of those being quarterbacks in Alex McGough and James Morgan. FIU joined Oklahoma, LSU and Washington State as the only schools in the country to have multiple quarterbacks drafted from 2018-2020. Furthermore, FIU has had more quarterbacks selected during the 2018-20 span than all other Florida FBS schools (Florida, Florida State, FAU, Miami, UCF and USF) combined in their last five drafts.

The 2019 season was one of resiliency, as the Panthers bounced back from an 0-2 start and injuries to earn another bowl bid to end the year. FIU finished the year with a 6-7 mark and closed out the season with a first-time trip to the Camellia Bowl in Mobile, Alabama. The Panthers lost a high-scoring affair to Arkansas State but not without setting numerous individual offensive records in the process.

The year was highlighted by a 30-24 victory over the Miami Hurricanes at Marlins Park in late November, as the Panthers pulled off the biggest win in program history. In addition to claiming bragging rights for the city of Miami, the win also made the Panthers bowl eligible for the third-straight season. James Morgan and Stantley Thomas-Oliver III were selected in the 2020 NFL Draft to cap the year, with Morgan going to the New York Jets in the fourth round and Thomas-Oliver to the Carolina Panthers in the seventh.



**THE DAVIS FILE**

- Birth date:** November 17
- Hometown:** Bixby, Oklahoma
- Alma Mater:** Arkansas '74
- Degree:** Bachelor's in Biology & Life Science

**HC LEDGER**

Year	School	W-L-T
1995	Miami (Fla.)	8-3
1996	Miami (Fla.)	9-3
1997	Miami (Fla.)	5-6
1998	Miami (Fla.)	9-3
1999	Miami (Fla.)	9-4
2000	Miami (Fla.)	11-1
2001	Cleveland Browns	7-9
2002	Cleveland Browns	9-7
2003	Cleveland Browns	5-11
2004	Cleveland Browns	3-8
2007	North Carolina	4-8
2008	North Carolina	8-5
2009	North Carolina	8-5
2010	North Carolina	8-5
2017	FIU	8-5
2018	FIU	9-4
2019	FIU	6-7

**AC LEDGER**

Year	School (Pos.)	W-L-T
1979	Oklahoma State (TE/WR)	7-4
1980	Oklahoma State (TE/WR)	4-7
1981	Oklahoma State (TE/WR)	6-6
1982	Oklahoma State (TE/WR)	4-5-2
1983	Oklahoma State (TE/WR)	8-4
1984	Miami (DL)	8-5
1985	Miami (DL)	10-2
1986	Miami (DL)	11-1
1987	Miami (DL)	12-0
1988	Miami (DL)	11-1
1989	Dallas Cowboys (DL)	1-15
1990	Dallas Cowboys (DL)	7-9
1991	Dallas Cowboys (DL)	11-5
1992	Dallas Cowboys (DL)	13-3*
1993	Dallas Cowboys (DC/LB)	12-4*
1994	Dallas Cowboys (DC/LB)	12-4

\* Won Super Bowl

## COACH BUTCH DAVIS BIO



Coach Davis and the Panthers earned a 35-32 victory over the Toledo Rockets in the 2018 Bahamas Bowl. FIU finished the year with a 9-4 mark, which broke the school record for most wins in a single season.

Coach Davis led FIU to its biggest win in program history after the Panthers defeated the Miami Hurricanes 30-24 at Marlins Park in late November. The win secured FIU's third-straight bowl berth.

In 2018, the Panthers capped the season with a 35-32 victory over Toledo at the Makers Wanted Bahamas Bowl as FIU finished the year with a school-best 9-4 mark. Additionally, the Panthers earned a 6-2 record in C-USA action, which was also a school record. The Panthers broke records statistically as well, most notably on the offensive side as FIU set new season marks in points (450), touchdowns (58), total offense (5,480), yards per play (6.38), passing touchdowns (27), passing yards (3,194), passer efficiency (154.7), completion percentage (65.5), yards per pass (8.3), rushing touchdowns (27), yards per rush (4.80) and sacks allowed (8).

by first team selections Sage Lewis and Maurice Alexander.

Much of 2018's success on offense was due to quarterback James Morgan, who Davis coached to a C-USA Newcomer of the Year honor in his first season with the Panthers. Morgan set single-season records for touchdowns responsible for (27), total offense (2,708), passing touchdowns (26), passing yards (2,727) and passer efficiency (157.6).

Nationally, the Panthers ranked in the Top 10 among FBS schools for sacks allowed (3rd overall, 8 allowed), tackles for loss allowed (4th overall, 3.77), fumbles lost (9th overall, five lost) and turnovers lost (9th overall, 13 lost) in 2018. The FIU air attack was also highly ranked nationally, with the Panthers' passer efficiency of 154.7 ranking 12th in the country, while FIU's 34.6 points per game ranked 27th overall. Davis also saw a school-record 17 Panthers earn All-CUSA honors, highlighted

In Davis' first season at FIU, the Panthers matched a school record in wins (8), before later breaking the mark in 2018. The Panthers also earned the school's first bowl berth since the 2011 season as FIU played Temple in the Bad Boy Mowers Gasparilla Bowl. The 8-5 mark during the regular season was the best record of any first-year head coach at FIU.

FIU finished the 2017 regular season leading the nation in red zone scoring offense converting 98 percent of its red-zone chances (39-of-40), which includes 30 touchdowns. Davis' 2017 FIU squad not only matched the school record in wins,

## YEAR-BY-YEAR COLLEGIATE COACHING HISTORY

YEAR	TEAM	RECORD	BOWL GAME	OPPONENT (RESULT)	FINAL RANK	SEASON NOTES
2019	FIU	6-7	Camellia Bowl	Arkansas State (L/26-34)	NR	Beat Miami at Marlins Park 30-24
2018	FIU	9-4	Bahamas Bowl	Toledo (W/35-32)	NR	Broke school record with 9 wins/Second bowl win in FIU history
2017	FIU	8-5	Gasparilla Bowl	Temple (L/28-3)	NR	Tied school record 8 wins/First FIU Bowl bid since 2011
2010	North Carolina	8-5	Music City Bowl	Tennessee (W/30-27)	NR	First bowl victory for UNC in nine seasons
2009	North Carolina	8-5	Meineke Car Care Bowl	Pittsburgh (L/19-17)	NR	UNC made back-to-back bowl games for first time in a decade
2008	North Carolina	8-5	Meineke Car Care Bowl	West Virginia (L/31-30)	NR	Back in rankings for the first time since 2001
2007	North Carolina	4-8			NR	
2000	Miami (Fla.)	11-1	Sugar Bowl	Florida (W/37-20)	#2 Coaches/#2 AP	Big East champs/Beat No. 1 FSU & No. 2 Va. Tech
1999	Miami (Fla.)	9-4	Gator Bowl	Georgia Tech (W/28-13)	#15 Coaches/#15 AP	Earned win over No. 9 Ohio State
1998	Miami (Fla.)	9-3	Micron PC Bowl	NC State (W/46-23)	#21 Coaches/#20 AP	Upset No. 3 UCLA
1997	Miami (Fla.)	5-6			NR	
1996	Miami (Fla.)	9-3	Carquest Bowl	Virginia (W/31-21)	#14 Coaches/#14 AP	Big East co-champs
1995	Miami (Fla.)	8-3			#20 AP	Big East co-champs

## COACH BUTCH DAVIS BIO

FIU finished the 2017 regular season leading the nation in red zone scoring offense converting 98 percent of its red-zone chances (39-of-40), which includes 30 touchdowns. Davis' 2017 FIU squad not only matched the school record in wins, but the 2017 Panthers finished the regular season throwing for the second-most yards (3,031) and rushing for the third-most yards (2,069) in school history. The offense also totaled the third-most yards (5,100) and FIU scored the third-most points (333) in a season.

Defensively, the Panthers' 28.0 sacks ranked third in a single-season and the 75 tackles for loss tied for seventh overall. Davis also saw 12 Panthers earn All-CUSA honors highlighted by first team selection Thomas Owens.

Davis comes to FIU after serving as a college football studio analyst, while also contributing to coverage on College Football Live, ESPN Radio, ESPN.com and SportsCenter since 2014.

Before joining ESPN, Davis served as a consultant to the head coach for the Tampa Bay Buccaneers during the 2012 and '13 seasons. Prior to that, Davis had a long successful coaching career, including head coaching positions with the University of North Carolina (2007-10), the Cleveland Browns (2001-04) and the University of Miami (1995-00).

Davis spent four seasons at North Carolina, taking the Tar Heels to three-straight bowl games to end his tenure in Chapel Hill. Davis' UNC teams earned eight wins in his final three years, while capping the 2010 season with a thrilling, 30-27 victory over Tennessee in the Music City Bowl.

Davis was head coach for six seasons at Miami (1995-2000) and led the Hurricanes to a 51-20 record, three Big East Conference championships and four postseason bowl wins in as many appearances. His Hurricane teams finished ranked in the Associated Press Top 25 on four occasions, including No. 2 in the nation in 2000, when the Canes went 11-1 and beat Florida, 37-20, in the Sugar Bowl.

Davis left Coral Gables following the 2000 season to join the Cleveland Browns. In his first season in Cleveland in 2001, Davis led his young team to an impressive 7-9 record, exceeding by two the expansion club's combined victories from 1999 and 2000 (5-27).

His second season as head coach resulted in the Browns earning their first playoff appearance and best regular season mark since 1994, despite 34 of the 53 players on the team's final active roster having four years of NFL experience or less. The Browns have not returned to the playoffs since.

Cleveland was Davis' second stint in the NFL. While with the Cowboys from 1989-94, Davis helped Dallas post one of the most spectacular turnarounds in sports history as the Cowboys went from a lowly 1-15 squad in 1989 to one of the most dominant NFL programs in the 1990s.



*Under Coach Davis, FIU football has earned a 96% graduation rate which is the highest in program history. The football team also contributed to FIU's sport-wide 3.53 GPA for the spring of 2020, which was a record high.*

He was the defensive line coach in the Cowboys' 52-17 win over Buffalo in Super Bowl XXVII and served as defensive coordinator in the Cowboys' 30-13 win over Buffalo in Super Bowl XXVIII. Davis was also defensive coordinator during Barry Switzer's first season as head coach in 1994 and helped Dallas reach the NFC Championship Game, where eventual Super Bowl champion San Francisco denied its bid for a three-peat. He coached three Pro Bowl starters while with the Cowboys – future Hall of Famer Charles Haley, Leon Lett and Darren Woodson.

From 1979-94, Davis had a successful 15-year association with Jimmy Johnson, first as a receivers and tight ends coach at Oklahoma State University (1979-83), then as a defensive line coach at the University of Miami and ending with the Dallas Cowboys, where he started as a defensive line coach and was promoted to defensive coordinator.

His coaching career began as a volunteer assistant in 1973 at Fayetteville High School in Arkansas. He had stints in Oklahoma at Pawhuska High School (1974-75) and Sand Springs High School (1976-77) as an assistant coach and at Tulsa Rogers High School (1978) in his first head coaching assignment before joining Johnson's staff at Oklahoma State in 1979. In addition to coaching, Davis also spent 1973-78 as a biology and anatomy teacher on the high school level.

A native of Bixby, Oklahoma, Davis earned a bachelor's degree in biology and life science from the University of Arkansas in 1974, where he played tight end and defensive end for the Razorbacks under Head Coach Frank Boyles.

**COACH BUTCH DAVIS BIO**

**DAVIS YEAR-BY-YEAR AT FIU**

**2017 (8-5, 5-3 C-USA)**

Date	Opp.	Result
8/31	at UCF	L/17-61
9/8	Alcorn State	W/10-17
9/23	at Rice*	W/13-7
9/30	Charlotte*	W/30-29
10/7	at Middle Tenn.*	L/17-37
10/14	Tulane	W/23-10
10/28	at Marshall*	W/41-30
11/4	UTSA*	W/14-7
11/11	Old Dominion*	L/30-37
11/18	at Florida Atlantic*	L/24-52
11/24	WKU*	W/41-17
12/2	UMass	W/63-45
12/21	Temple^	L/28-3

\* - C-USA game

^ - Gasparilla Bowl

**2019 (6-7, 3-5 C-USA)**

Date	Opp.	Result
8/29	at Tulane	L/14-42
9/7	WKU*	L/14-20
9/14	New Hampshire	W/30-17
9/20	at LA Tech*	L/31-43
10/5	UMass	W/44-0
10/12	Charlotte*	W/48-23
10/19	UTEP*	W/32-17
10/26	at Middle Tenn.*	L/17-50
11/2	Old Dominion*	W/24-17
11/9	at Florida Atlantic*	L/7-37
11/23	Miami (Fla.)	W/30-24
11/30	at Marshall*	L/27-30 (OT)
12/21	Arkansas State^	L/26-34

\* - C-USA game

^ - Camellia Bowl

**2018 (9-4, 6-2 C-USA)**

Date	Opp.	Result
9/1	Indiana	L/28-38
9/8	at Old Dominion*	W/28-20
9/15	UMass	W/63-24
9/22	at Miami (Fla.)	L/17-31
9/29	Arkansas Pine Bluff	W/55-9
10/13	Middle Tennessee*	W/24-21
10/20	Rice*	W/36-17
10/27	at WKU*	W/38-17
11/3	Florida Atlantic*	L/14-49
11/10	at UTSA*	W/45-7
11/17	at Charlotte*	W/42-35
11/24	Marshall*	L/25-28
12/21	Toledo^	W/35-32

\* - C-USA game

^ - Bahamas Bowl

**DAVIS VS. THE OPPOSITION**

	W-L	Streak
Alcorn State	1-0	W1
Arkansas Pine Bluff	1-0	W1
Arkansas State	0-1	L1
Charlotte*	3-0	W3
FAU*	0-3	L3
Indiana	0-1	L1
LA Tech*	0-1	L1
Marshall*	1-2	L2
Miami (Fla.)	1-1	W1
Middle Tenn.*	1-2	L1
New Hampshire	1-0	W1
Old Dominion*	2-1	W2
Rice*	2-0	W2
Temple	0-1	L1
Toledo	1-0	W1
Tulane	1-1	L1
UCF	0-1	L1
UMass	3-0	W3
UTEP	1-0	W1
UTSA	2-0	W2
WKU*	2-1	L1

**DAVIS FIU SUPERLATIVES**

**Most Points in a Game**

63 (2xs), last vs. UMass (9/15/18)\*

**Most Points in a Half**

42, vs. UMass (9/15/18)\*

**Most Points in a Quarter**

28, vs. UMass (9/15/18)

**Largest Margin of Victory**

46 (W/55-9) vs. Ark. Pine-Bluff (9/29/18)\*

**Largest Deficit Overcome**

17-0 (W/28-20), at ODU (9/8/18)

**Most Touchdowns Scored**

9 (2xs), last vs. UMass (9/15/18)\*

**Most Yards of Total Offense**

730, vs. UMass (12/2/17)\*

**Most First Downs**

32, vs. UMass (9/15/18)

**Most Plays**

88, vs. UMass (10/5/19)

**Most Time of Possession**

38:21 vs. UMass (10/5/19)

**Highest Average Yards Per Play**

12.8 vs. Ark. Pine-Bluff (9/29/18)\*

**Most Passing Touchdowns**

4 vs. Ark. Pine-Bluff (9/29/18)\*

**Most Passing Yards**

394 at Louisiana Tech (9/20/19)\*^

**Most Rushing Touchdowns**

6 vs. UMass (12/2/17)\*

**Most Rushing Yards**

379 vs. UMass (12/2/17)

**Most Passes Intercepted**

4 at UTSA (11/9/18)

**Most Fumbles Recovered**

3 vs. WKU (11/24/17)

**Most Sacks**

6 vs. WKU (11/24/17)

**Most TFLs**

**Most Field Goals Made**

4 vs. Arkansas State (12/21/19)

**Most Punts**

9 vs. Miami (9/22/18)

\* - FIU single-game record

^ - FIU single-game record for regulation

PLAYER BIOS



**Stone NORTON**  
 QB | 6-3 | 200 | R-Fr.  
 Nashville, Tenn.  
 Davidson Academy

3

**CAREER HIGHS**

N/A

**NOTABLES**

Did not play in '19 and was redshirted. Rated a 3-star prospect by 24/7 sports. Named Mr. Football in Tenn. after throwing for over 3K yards and nearly 40 TDs.



**Kaylan WIGGINS**  
 QB | 6-2 | 200 | R-Jr.  
 Sanford, Fla.  
 Seminole HS

7

**CAREER HIGHS**

Pass Comp: 18, vs. New Hamp. (9/14/19)  
 Pass Att: 12, vs. New Hamp. (9/14/19)  
 Pass Yds: 127, vs. New Hamp. (9/14/19)  
 Long Pass: 40, vs. WKU (9/7/19)  
 Rushing Yds: 187, vs. New Hamp. (9/14/19)  
 Rushing TDs: 2, vs. New Hamp. (9/14/19)  
 Long Rush: 70, vs. New Hamp. (9/14/19)

**NOTABLES**

Played 10 games in '19, starting once against New Hampshire. Rushed for 187 yards vs. New Hampshire, which ranked as the fourth-most in FIU history and most by a QB. His 323 rushing yards in '19 ranked as the third most on the team.



**Max BORTENSCHLAGER**  
 QB | 6-3 | 205 | R-Sr.  
 Fishers, Ind.  
 Cathedral HS/Maryland

12

**CAREER HIGHS**

Pass Comp: 20\*, vs. #12 PSU (11/25/17)  
 Pass Att: 38\*, vs. Northwestern (10/14/17)  
 Pass Yds: 255\*, vs. Northwestern (10/14/17)  
 Passing TDs: 3\*, vs. Northwestern (10/14/17)  
 Pass Long: 92\*, at #19 Nebraska (11/19/16)  
 Rush Yds: 34\*, vs. Northwestern (10/14/17)  
 Rush TDs: 1\* (2x), last at Minnesota (9/30/17)  
 Rush Long: 18\*, vs. Northwestern (10/14/17)

\* - at Maryland

**NOTABLES**

Played 13 games at Maryland, before he came to FIU as grad transfer in '20. Suffered season-ending injury in '18. Played on special teams before injury. Made 8 starts in '17, passing for 1,313 yards and 10 TDs. Earned team's highest GPA and was a 3-time Academic All-Big Ten member.



**D'Vonte PRICE**  
 RB | 6-2 | 194 | Sr.  
 Punta Gorda, Fla.  
 Charlotte HS

24

**CAREER HIGHS**

Rush Att: 14, at WKU (10/27/18)  
 Rush Yds: 119, at WKU (10/27/18)  
 Rush TDs: 2 (2x), last at WKU (10/27/18)  
 Rush Long: 70, vs. UAPB (9/29/18)  
 Rec: 5, vs. Rice (10/20/18)  
 Rec Yards: 38, vs. Rice (10/20/18)  
 Rec Long: 34, at UTSA (11/9/18)

**NOTABLES**

Has rushed for nearly 1,000 yards at FIU, with a 6.1 ypc average. Played 12 games, making two starts in '19. Rushed for 249 yards on 50 carries in '19, also earned 49 receiving yards. All 5 career TDs came in '18.



**Maleek WILLIAMS**  
 RB | 5-11 | 223 | R-Jr.  
 Punta Gorda, Fla.  
 Charlotte HS/Arkansas

32

**CAREER HIGHS**

Rush Att: 9\*, vs. Tulsa (10/20/18)  
 Rush Yds: 74\*, vs. North Texas (9/15/18)  
 Rush TDs: 1\* (2x), vs. Tulsa (10/20/18)  
 Rush Long: 68\*, vs. North Texas (9/15/18)

\* - at Arkansas

**NOTABLES**

Transferred to FIU from Arkansas in '19 and played 4 games. Earned 144 yards and scored twice in '18 at Arkansas.



**Sterling PALMER**  
 TE | 6-6 | 235 | Jr.  
 Midlothian, Va.  
 Fork Union Military

88

**CAREER HIGHS**

Rec: 5, vs. Arkansas State (12/21/19)  
 Rec Yds: 64, vs. Toledo (12/21/18)  
 Rec TDs: 1 (2x), last vs. Toledo (12/21/18)  
 Rec Long: 36, vs. Toledo (12/21/18)

**NOTABLES**

Played in every game while at FIU, making 14 total starts in 2 years at FIU. Named to 2019 Preseason Mackey Award Watch List. Named to ESPN All-Bowl Team and C-USA All-Freshman Team in '18. Best game came in Bahamas Bowl with 64 yards and a score to lead FIU to win.



**Bryce SINGLETON**  
 WR | 5-11 | 193 | R-Jr.  
 Hilton Head Island, S.C.  
 Hilton Head Island HS

2

**CAREER HIGHS**

Rec: 8, vs. Middle Tennessee (10/13/18)  
 Rec Yds: 111, vs. UMass (12/2/17)  
 Rec TDs: 3, vs. UMass (12/2/17)  
 Rec Long: 49, at Old Dominion (9/8/18)

**NOTABLES**

Did not play in 2019 due to preseason injury. Played 10 games in '18, earning 5 games with at least 4 catches. Played 12 games in '17, making 4 starts. His 3 TDs vs. UMass in '17 tied FIU record. Named to C-USA All-Freshman Team in '17.



**NATE JEFFERSON**  
 WR | 5-11 | 170 | R-Fr.  
 Longwood, Fla.  
 Lyman HS

6

**CAREER HIGHS**

N/A

**NOTABLES**

Redshirted in '19. Finished with 3,500 all-purpose yards and 31 touchdowns in 3 seasons with Lyman HS



**Kris MITCHELL**  
 WR | 6-1 | 175 | R-Fr.  
 Jacksonville, Fla.  
 Mandarin HS

80

**CAREER HIGHS**

N/A

**NOTABLES**

Redshirted in '19. Earned 1,373 rec yards and 15 TDs in HS.

PLAYER BIOS



**Shane McGOUGH**  
OL | 6-2 | 302 | R-Sr.  
Tampa, Fla.  
Gaither HS

55

**CAREER HIGHS**

N/A

**NOTABLES**

Played 13 games in '19 and made 12 starts. Began '19 at guard before moving to center. Played 13 games in '18, making 9 starts. Named to All-CUSA HM Team in '18. Brother of current Houston Texans QB and former FIU QB, Alex McGough.



**Mershawn MILLER**  
OL | 6-2 | 313 | R-Jr.  
Miami, Fla.  
Miami Central HS

62

**CAREER HIGHS**

N/A

**NOTABLES**

Played 12 games in '19 and made 6 starts. Played in 3 games in '18.



**Sione FINAU**  
OL | 6-3 | 300 | So.  
Keller, Texas  
Central HS

72

**CAREER HIGHS**

N/A

**NOTABLES**

Played 7 games as a true freshman in '19 and made one start in Camellia Bowl. Named to C-USA All-Freshman Team in '19.



**Noah CURTIS**  
DL | 6-6 | 267 | Sr.  
Riviera Beach, Fla.  
American Heritage

90

**CAREER HIGHS**

Tackles: 7, vs. FAU (11/3/18)  
TFLs: 1.0 (4x), last vs. UTEP (10/19/19)  
Sacks: 1.0 (2x), last vs. UTEP (10/19/19)  
FF: 1, at WKU (10/27/18)  
FR: 1, vs. ODU (11/2/19)

**NOTABLES**

Has played in 37 games in 3 years at FIU, making 20 starts on the DL. Earned 30 tackles in '19 and 49 in '18. Earned 1.5 TFLs in '19 and 3.5 in '18. Named to All-CUSA HM Team in '18.



**Jason MERCIER**  
DL | 6-3 | 262 | Jr.  
Boynton Beach, Fla.  
Atlantic HS

92

**CAREER HIGHS**

Tackles: 7, at Miami (FL) (9/22/18)  
TFLs: 1.0 (3x), at Marshall (11/30/19)  
Sacks: 1.0 (2x), last at Marshall (11/30/19)  
FR: 1, at Miami (9/22/18)

**NOTABLES**

Played 10 games in '19, earning 15 tackles with 11 being solos. Played 13 games as true freshman in '18, while picking up 31 tackles on the year. Named to C-USA All-Freshman Team in '18.



**Kevin OLIVER**  
DL | 6-4 | 263 | Sr.  
Davie, Fla.  
Western HS

94

**CAREER HIGHS**

Tackles: 11, at Marshall (11/30/19)  
TFL: 2.0, at Tulane (8/29/19)  
Sacks: 1.5, at Charlotte (11/17/18)  
QB Hurries: 3, at Marshall (11/30/19)  
FR: 1, at WKU (11/24/17)

**NOTABLES**

Has played in 36 games in 3 seasons at FIU. Played in 13 games in '19 and 13 in '18. Racked up 41 tackles in '19, which was first among FIU DL for the year. Led the team with 8 QB hurries in '19.



**Jamal GATES**  
LB | 6-2 | 225 | Sr.  
Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.  
Dwyer HS

9

**CAREER HIGHS**

Tackles: 12, at Louisiana Tech (9/20/19)  
TFLs: 1.0 (5x), last at Miami (11/23/19)  
FF: 1 (2x), last at Tulane (8/29/19)  
INTs: 1 (2x), last vs. Miami (11/23/19)

**NOTABLES**

Started 13 games in '19, ranking second on the team in tackles with 85. Logged six games with at least 7 or more tackles and had two double-digit games. Played 13 games in '18 and four in '17.



**Daniel JACKSON**  
LB | 6-2 | 228 | Sr.  
Apex, N.C.  
Middle Creek HS

10

**CAREER HIGHS**

Tackles: 5, vs. UTEP (10/19/19)  
PBU: 1, vs. Miami (11/23/19)  
Blk FG: 1, vs. ODU (11/2/19)

**NOTABLES**

Played 13 games in '19, making three starts. Collected 25 tackles, with 17 being solos. Blocked a field goal against ODU in '19. Has played every single game while at FIU.



**Josh POWELL**  
LB | 5-11 | 194 | Sr.  
Riviera Beach, Fla.  
Suncoast HS

11

**CAREER HIGHS**

Tackles: 5, vs. WKU (9/7/19)  
TFLs: 1 (2x), vs. UMass (10/5/19)

**NOTABLES**

Played 13 games in '19 and earned 18 tackles, with 13 being solos. Played 13 games in '18 and 9 in '17.

PLAYER BIOS



**Dorian HALL**  
DB | 6-4 | 190 | R-Jr.  
Hollywood, Fla.  
South Broward HS

0

**CAREER HIGHS**

Tackles: 9, vs. FAU (11/3/18)  
TFLs: 1.0 (3x), last vs. Toledo (12/21/18)  
PBUs: 1, at Miami (9/22/18)  
INTs: 1 (4x), last vs WKU (9/7/19)  
Fumbles Forced: 1, vs. FAU (11/3/18)

**NOTABLES**

Earned 43 tkls in 2019, with 33 being solos.  
5 PBU, 2 QB hurries and 1 INT in 2019.  
Has played in all 26 games at FIU.  
Named to 2018 C-USA All-Freshmen Team.  
Earned 3 INTs as a freshman.  
Redshirted in 2017.



**Richard DAMES**  
DB | 5-11 | 185 | Sr.  
Miami, Fla.  
Booker T. Washington HS

3

**CAREER HIGHS**

Tackles: 11, at Louisiana Tech (9/20/19)  
TFLs: 2.0, at Louisiana Tech (9/20/19)  
PBUs: 2, at Louisiana Tech (9/20/19)  
INTs: 2, vs. Marshall (11/24/18)

**NOTABLES**

Started 13 games in '19, finishing the year with 56 tackles to rank fourth on the team. Named to 2018 All-CUSA HM Team. Played in 13 games in '18, making 4 starts and snagged 3 INTs on the year. His 2 INTs vs. Marshall tied a FIU record. Twin is Rishard Dames.



**Rishard DAMES**  
DB | 6-4 | 190 | R-Jr.  
Hollywood, Fla.  
South Broward HS

4

**CAREER HIGHS**

Tackles: 10, at FAU (11/9/19)  
TFLs: 2.0, vs. ODU (11/9/19)  
PBUs: 2, at Arkansas State (12/21/19)  
INTs: 1 (6x), last at Ark. State (12/21/19)  
TDs: 1, vs WKU (9/7/19)  
Fumbles Rec: 1, vs. Toledo (12/21/18)

**NOTABLES**

Played 13 games in '19, starting 10 times. Finished '19 with 59 tackles, ranking fourth on the team and earned team-high 4 INTs. Played 13 games in '18, logged 2 INTs. Twin is Richard Dames.



**Josh TURNER**  
DB | 6-0 | 188 | R-Jr.  
Delray Beach, Fla.  
American Heritage/Iowa

7

**CAREER HIGHS**

Tackles: 3, at Middle Tenn. (10/26/19)  
TFLs: 1.0 (2x), last vs. ODU (11/2/19)  
PBUs: 1 (2x), at FAU (11/9/19)

**NOTABLES**

Played 10 games in first season at FIU after he transferred from Iowa. Collected 16 tackles, with 15 being solos. Played one season at Iowa, logging time in 11 games for the Hawkeyes.



**Chase GABRIEL**  
K | 5-11 | 180 | Fr.  
Brunswick, Ga.  
Glynn Academy

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**NOTABLES**

Made 3 FGs over 50 yards in a state playoff game and scored a TD on trick play. Made 13 of 15 FGs, 40 touchbacks and was a perfect 36 of 36 on PATs.



**TOMMY HEATHERLY**  
P | 5-11 | 210 | Sr.  
Grove, Okla.  
Grove HS/NE OK A&M

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**CAREER HIGHS**

Punts: 7, vs WKU (9/7/19)  
Punt Yards: 316, vs WKU (9/7/19)  
Punt Long: 68, at FAU (11/9/19)  
Punt Avg (Min. 3): 50.3, at LA Tech (9/20/19)

**NOTABLES**

Ranked fifth in C-USA for 43.0 average and second for 15 punts over 50 yards in '19. The 43.0 average ranks as the second best in FIU history, while his 50.3 average vs. LA Tech and 50.0 average vs. New Hampshire rank as the third and fourth best ever at FIU.



2019 COMBINED STATS

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
Aug 29, 2019	at Tulane	L 14-42	16361
* Sep 07, 2019	WKU	L 14-20	13311
Sep 14, 2019	UNH	W 30-17	11756
* Sep 20, 2019	at Louisiana Tech	L 31-43	18782
Oct 05, 2019	UMASS	W 44-0	12746
* Oct 12, 2019	CLT	W 48-23	16834
* Oct 19, 2019	UTEP	W 32-17	13951
* Oct 26, 2019	at Middle Tennessee	L 17-50	9512
* Nov 02, 2019	OLD DOMINION	W 24-17	14644
* Nov 09, 2019	at FAU	L 7-37	17603
Nov.23, 2019	vs Miami (Fla.)	W 30-24	27339
* Nov 30, 2019	at Marshall	L 27-30	18596
Dec 21, 2019	vs Arkansas State	L 26-34	16209

Record:	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
All games	6-7	5-1	0-5	1-1
Conference	3-5	3-1	0-4	0-0
Non-Conference	3-2	2-0	0-1	1-1

Team Statistics	FIU	OPP
FIRST DOWNS	261	278
Rushing	102	142
Passing	130	110
Penalty	29	26
RUSHING YARDAGE	2230	2605
Rushing Attempts	489	513
Average Per Rush	4.6	5.1
Average Per Game	171.5	200.4
TDs Rushing	23	26
PASSING YARDAGE	2841	2534
Comp-Att-Int	224-391-6	209-382-12
Average Per Pass	7.3	6.6
Average Per Catch	12.7	12.1
Average Per Game	218.5	194.9
TDs Passing	14	16
TOTAL OFFENSE	5071	5139
Average Per Play	5.8	5.7
Average Per Game	390.1	395.3
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	31-496	28-603
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	12-250	9-4
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	12-150	6-62
FUMBLES-LOST	18-9	19-7
PENALTIES-Yards	79-751	91-909
PUNTS-AVG	57-42.4	59-43.2
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	29:06	30:42
3RD-DOWN Conversions	67/183	70/177
4TH-DOWN Conversions	15/27	12/19

Rushing	gp-gs	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Anthony Jones	13-10	188	893	25	868	4.6	9	65	66.8
MAXWELL,N	13-6	128	773	29	744	5.8	9	75	57.2
WIGGINS,K	10-1	49	372	49	323	6.6	3	70	32.3
PRICE,D	12-2	50	261	12	249	5.0	0	24	20.8
JOSEPH,L	6-0	11	48	4	44	4.0	0	9	7.3
ALEXANDER,M	9-5	9	43	1	42	4.7	0	14	4.7
PETERSON,S	12-0	8	33	1	32	4.0	0	7	2.7
JEFFERSON,N	1-0	1	15	0	15	15.0	0	15	15.0
JEAN, A	10-0	1	2	0	2	2.0	0	2	0.2
TOWNSEND,D	12-0	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.1
Total	13	489	2505	275	2230	4.6	23	75	171.5
Opponents	13	513	2940	335	2605	5.1	26	92	200.4

Passing	gp-gs	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
James Morgan	12-12	130.43	207-357-5	58.0	2648	14	61	220.7
WIGGINS,K	10-1	109.07	15-27-0	55.6	172	0	40	17.2
Anthony Jones	13-10	30.53	1-3-0	33.3	-1	0	0	-0.1
ALEXANDER,M	9-5	142.40	1-2-0	50.0	22	0	22	2.4
HALLMAN,A	12-0	-200.00	0-1-1	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
TEAM	7-0	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	13	127.07	224-391-6	57.3	2841	14	61	218.5
Opponents	13	117.97	209-382-12	54.7	2534	16	86	194.9

Receiving	gp-gs	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
THORNTON,S	13-10	51	689	13.5	5	54	53.0
GAITER,T	13-8	50	689	13.8	4	34	53.0
Austin Maloney	13-9	33	639	19.4	2	59	49.2
ALEXANDER,M	9-5	25	298	11.9	1	46	33.1
PALMER,S	13-4	22	205	9.3	0	35	15.8
MAXWELL,N	13-6	13	94	7.2	0	23	7.2
Anthony Jones	13-10	10	123	12.3	2	61	9.5
PRICE,D	12-2	10	49	4.9	0	14	4.1
WILLIAMS,K	12-4	3	27	9.0	0	15	2.2
SCOTT,D	8-1	3	0	0.0	0	1	0.0
GASKIN,C	4-0	2	17	8.5	0	18	4.2
O'MEARA,D	13-5	1	12	12.0	0	12	0.9
LYNUM,C	2-0	1	-1	-1.0	0	0	-0.5
Total	13	224	2841	12.7	14	61	218.5
Opponents	13	209	2534	12.1	16	86	194.9

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
BORREGALES,J	21-29	72.4	0-0	7-8	6-11	5-6	3-4	53	0

Scoring	td	fg	PAT			dxp	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv			
BORREGALES,J	-	21-29	37-39	-	-	-	-	100
Anthony Jones	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	66
MAXWELL,N	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	54
THORNTON,S	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
GAITER,T	4	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	24
WIGGINS,K	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
ALEXANDER,M	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Austin Maloney	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
James Morgan	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
DAMES,RISHARD	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
PROPHETE,D	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
DAMES,RISHARD	4	90	22.5	1	80
LEWIS, Sage	3	21	7.0	0	12
GATES,J	1	16	16.0	0	16
THOMAS-OLIVER	1	23	23.0	0	23
HALL,D	1	0	0.0	0	0
Olin Cushion III	1	0	0.0	0	0
REYNOLDS,D	1	0	0.0	0	0

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
HEATHERLY,T	54	2321	43.0	68	4	22	15	15	0
LEO,T	2	93	46.5	56	0	2	1	1	0
TEAM	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	1

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
ALEXANDER,M	10	187	18.7	1	90
GAITER,T	2	53	26.5	0	34
PROPHETE,D	0	10	0.0	1	10
Total	12	250	20.8	2	90
Opponents	9	-4	-0.4	0	15

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Austin Maloney	13	269	20.7	0	30
MAXWELL,N	8	127	15.9	0	27
PRICE,D	4	47	11.8	0	19
GAITER,T	2	22	11.0	0	13
TOWNSEND,D	2	13	6.5	0	11
ALEXANDER,M	1	18	18.0	0	17
PETERSON,S	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	31	496	16.0	0	30
Opponents	28	603	21.5	1	45

All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Anthony Jones	13	868	123	0	0	0	991	76.2
MAXWELL,N	13	744	94	0	127	0	965	74.2
Austin Maloney	13	0	639	0	269	0	908	69.8
GAITER,T	13	0	689	53	22	0	764	58.8
THORNTON,S	13	0	689	0	0	0	689	53.0

## 2019 TEAM GAME-BY-GAME

### TEAM STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot off
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp-att-int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	
Aug 29	at Tulane	26	59	1	12	19	233	1	35	19-34-1	233	1	35	2	25	0	21	0	0	0	0	292
Sep 07	WKU	46	151	1	18	5	66	0	40	5-18-0	66	0	40	1	12	0	12	3	29	0	18	217
Sep 14	UNH	52	310	3	70	12	127	0	26	12-19-0	127	0	26	3	61	0	22	2	47	1	34	437
Sep 20	at Louisiana Tech	26	180	2	44	29	414	2	45	29-41-1	414	2	45	6	107	0	30	0	0	0	0	594
Oct 05	UMASS	55	278	2	47	19	263	2	30	19-33-0	263	2	30	0	0	0	0	2	140	1	90	541
Oct 12	CLT	53	350	5	41	13	160	2	27	13-16-0	160	2	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	510
Oct 19	UTEP	32	185	2	65	9	150	1	61	9-17-0	150	1	61	4	91	0	30	0	0	0	0	335
Oct 26	at Middle Tennessee	34	89	0	22	17	230	2	30	17-33-0	230	2	30	5	57	0	17	1	9	0	9	319
Nov 02	OLD DOMINION	41	131	2	46	20	252	0	54	20-33-0	252	0	54	2	42	0	24	3	6	0	3	383
Nov 09	at FAU	30	146	1	75	21	234	0	33	21-40-1	234	0	33	3	21	0	19	0	0	0	0	380
Nov.23	vs Miami (Fla.)	29	137	1	37	16	160	2	29	16-30-0	160	2	29	1	24	0	24	1	19	0	19	297
Nov 30	at Marshall	30	82	2	14	22	240	1	59	22-38-1	240	1	59	1	27	0	27	0	0	0	0	322
Dec 21	vs Arkansas State	35	132	1	20	22	312	1	48	22-39-2	312	1	48	3	29	0	15	0	0	0	0	444
Opponents		489	2230	23	75	224	2841	14	61	224-391-6	2841	14	61	31	496	0	30	12	250	2	90	5071
		513	2605	26	92	209	2534	16	86	209-382-12	2534	16	86	28	603	1	45	9	-4	0	15	5139

Games: 13 • Avg/rush: 4.6 • Avg/catch: 12.7 • Pass effic: 127.07 • KR avg: 16.0 • PR avg: 20.8 • All purpose avg/game: 459.0 • Total offense avg/gm: 390.1

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT Attempts			off t/o	pts		
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds		ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup		kick	rush	rcv			saf	
Aug 29	at Tulane	47	22	69	4.0-24	1.0-17	1	1-0	0-0	0	2	0	2-2	0	0	0	0	0	14
Sep 07	WKU	25	48	73	3.0-3	0.0-0	0	0-0	2-80	2	2	0	2-2	0	0	0	0	7	14
Sep 14	UNH	35	22	57	5.0-15	1.0-7	0	0-0	1-4	4	4	0	3-4	0	0	0	0	0	30
Sep 20	at Louisiana Tech	53	32	85	5.0-10	1.0-3	1	0-0	1-0	3	2	0	4-4	0	0	0	0	0	31
Oct 05	UMASS	23	24	47	6.0-35	2.0-13	1	1-0	2-15	8	5	0	5-5	0	0	0	0	17	44
Oct 12	CLT	37	18	55	4.0-13	1.0-6	2	1-0	0-0	1	3	0	6-7	0	0	0	0	7	48
Oct 19	UTEP	36	30	66	8.0-33	3.0-20	0	0-0	1-0	0	3	0	3-3	0	0	1	3	32	
Oct 26	at Middle Tennessee	49	12	61	3.0-9	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	2	3	0	2-2	0	0	0	0	17	
Nov 02	OLD DOMINION	41	4	45	8.0-37	3.0-22	1	1-0	1-0	4	4	1	1-1	0	1	0	3	24	
Nov 09	at FAU	40	28	68	4.0-19	1.0-11	0	1-0	0-0	7	7	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	7	
Nov.23	vs Miami (Fla.)	25	40	65	2.0-8	2.0-6	0	0-0	3-51	3	6	0	3-3	0	0	0	6	30	
Nov 30	at Marshall	23	78	101	8.0-30	3.0-23	0	1-0	0-0	10	4	0	3-3	0	0	0	7	27	
Dec 21	vs Arkansas State	47	22	69	7.0-31	3.0-17	2	1-0	1-0	2	6	0	2-2	0	0	0	10	26	
Opponents		481	380	861	67.0-267	20.0-145	8	7-0	12-150	46	51	1	37-39	0	1	1	60	344	
		452	431	883	65.0-205	13.0-81	11	9-22	6-62	42	50	1	37-40	0	1	0	44	354	

Date	Opponent	Punting										Field Goals			Kickoffs				
		no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	
Aug 29	at Tulane	6	238	39.7	57	0	1	2	2	1	0-0	0	0	3	165	55.0	1	0	
Sep 07	WKU	7	316	45.1	53	0	0	3	3	2	0-1	0	0	3	195	65.0	3	0	
Sep 14	UNH	4	200	50.0	60	0	1	1	3	2	1-3	20	0	6	422	70.3	5	0	
Sep 20	at Louisiana Tech	3	151	50.3	57	0	0	1	2	1	1-2	36	0	6	314	52.3	2	0	
Oct 05	UMASS	3	92	30.7	52	1	0	0	1	1	3-3	45	0	9	458	50.9	5	0	
Oct 12	CLT	1	53	53.0	53	0	0	0	1	1	0-0	0	0	8	487	60.9	3	0	
Oct 19	UTEP	2	91	45.5	48	0	0	0	0	1	3-3	46	0	7	453	64.7	5	0	
Oct 26	at Middle Tennessee	6	281	46.8	62	0	0	2	2	2	1-2	33	0	4	206	51.5	1	0	
Nov 02	OLD DOMINION	5	148	29.6	43	0	0	3	0	1	3-5	42	0	6	387	64.5	4	0	
Nov 09	at FAU	4	188	47.0	68	0	1	1	1	1	0-0	0	0	2	130	65.0	2	0	
Nov.23	vs Miami (Fla.)	6	241	40.2	44	0	0	4	0	1	3-3	53	0	7	424	60.6	3	0	
Nov 30	at Marshall	7	267	38.1	48	0	0	5	0	1	2-2	41	0	5	323	64.6	4	0	
Dec 21	vs Arkansas State	3	148	49.3	53	0	1	2	1	1	4-5	52	0	7	449	64.1	4	0	
Opponents		57	2414	42.4	68	1	4	24	16	16	21-29	53	0	73	4413	60.5	42	0	
		59	2547	43.2	61	0	9	11	15	25	19-22	46	1	70	3920	56.0	19	4	

2019 DEFENSIVE STATS

#	Defensive Leaders	gp-gs	Tackles				tfl/yds	Sacks no-yds	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot				int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
3	LEWIS, Sage	13-12	50	42	92	6.0-22	1.0-10	3-21	3	4	2-0	2	.	.	
59	GATES,J	13-13	35	50	85	2.5-7	0.5-3	1-16	4	1	.	1	.	.	
1	Olin Cushion III	14-11	40	25	65	1.0-6	.	1-0	5	1	1-0	1	.	.	
35	DAMES,RISHARD	13-10	43	15	58	5.0-13	.	4-90	6	1	.	.	.	.	
38	DAMES,RICHARD	13-13	43	13	56	4.0-11	1.0-3	.	5	2	.	.	.	.	
21	THOMAS-OLIVER	13-13	42	12	54	4.0-15	2.0-13	1-23	8	.	.	2	.	.	
4	Isaiah Brown	12-12	29	15	44	2.5-5	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	
36	HALL,D	13-2	27	16	43	0.5-1	.	1-0	5	2	.	.	.	.	
94	Kevin Oliver	13-13	10	31	41	4.0-24	2.0-22	.	.	8	.	.	.	.	
95	TARVER,A	13-11	16	18	34	1.0-6	1.0-6	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	
93	TART,T	11-8	14	17	31	10.5-28	1.5-9	.	.	5	.	1	.	.	
90	CURTIS,N	13-9	16	14	30	1.5-11	1.5-11	.	1	4	1-0	.	.	.	
6	JEAN, A	10-0	13	12	25	8.5-51	4.5-31	.	.	3	1-0	1	.	.	
40	JACKSON,D	13-3	13	12	25	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	
47	WHITTAKER,C	11-4	11	11	22	5.0-23	2.5-16	.	.	5	1-0	.	.	.	
48	POWELL,J	13-0	11	7	18	1.0-6	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
53	JONES,T	12-1	7	9	16	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
7	TURNER,J	10-0	11	5	16	2.5-4	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	
97	MOORE,D	12-0	6	9	15	1.0-7	0.5-6	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	
92	MERCIER,J	10-0	5	10	15	2.0-12	1.5-12	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	
45	JACQUES-LOUIS,R	12-0	4	5	9	0.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
96	REYNOLDS,D	9-0	3	4	7	.	.	1-0	.	1	.	.	.	.	
75	COLSON,R	13-4	3	4	7	2.5-8	0.5-3	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	
98	WOODS,J	13-2	4	3	7	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
24	PRICE,D	12-2	4	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
51	PROPHETE,D	11-0	2	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
34	IRVING,C	12-0	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
91	BURNS,K	4-0	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
26	ANDERSON,J	7-0	2	1	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
27	MCCRAY,B	11-0	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
43	WHITE,N	3-0	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
70	TAYLOR,K	1-1	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
2D	DILLARD,M	6-0	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
84	O'MEARA,D	13-5	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
15	Austin Maloney	13-9	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
2	Anthony Jones	13-10	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
12	James Morgan	12-12	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
1A	ALEXANDER,M	9-5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
8	JOSEPH,L	6-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
5	TOWNSEND,D	12-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
22	BAUTISTA,A	5-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
28	WALKER,J	7-0	.	1	1	0.5-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
9H	HALLMAN,A	12-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
42	UNDERWOOD,J	2-0	.	1	1	0.5-0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
30	BORREGALES,J	13-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
99	STRICKLAND,D	4-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
13	THIELE,E	3-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
58	TAYLOR,D	13-13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	
39	HEATHERLY,T	13-0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.	
TM	TEAM	7-0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Total		13	481	380	861	67-267	21-151	12-150	51	46	7-0	8	1	1	
Opponents		13	452	431	883	65-205	14-84	6-62	50	42	9-22	11	1	.	

## 2019 PLAYER GAME HIGHS

Rushes	21	Anthony Jones at Middle Tennessee (Oct 26, 2019)
	21	Anthony Jones vs Arkansas State (Dec 21, 2019)
Yards Rushing	187	WIGGINS,K vs UNH (Sep 14, 2019)
TD Rushes	3	Anthony Jones vs CLT (Oct 12, 2019)
Long Rush	75	MAXWELL,N at FAU (Nov 09, 2019)
Pass attempts	41	James Morgan at Louisiana Tech (Sep 20, 2019)
Pass completions	29	James Morgan at Louisiana Tech (Sep 20, 2019)
Yards Passing	414	James Morgan at Louisiana Tech (Sep 20, 2019)
TD Passes	2	James Morgan at Louisiana Tech (Sep 20, 2019)
	2	James Morgan vs UMASS (Oct 05, 2019)
	2	James Morgan vs CLT (Oct 12, 2019)
	2	James Morgan at Middle Tennessee (Oct 26, 2019)
	2	James Morgan vs Miami (Fla.) (Nov.23, 2019)
Long Pass	61	James Morgan vs UTEP (Oct 19, 2019)
Receptions	10	Austin Maloney vs Arkansas State (Dec 21, 2019)
Yards Receiving	178	Austin Maloney vs Arkansas State (Dec 21, 2019)
TD Receptions	1	THORNTON,S at Tulane (Aug 29, 2019)
	1	Anthony Jones at Louisiana Tech (Sep 20, 2019)
	1	THORNTON,S at Louisiana Tech (Sep 20, 2019)
	1	Austin Maloney vs UMASS (Oct 05, 2019)
	1	GAITER,T vs UMASS (Oct 05, 2019)
	1	Anthony Jones vs CLT (Oct 12, 2019)
	1	THORNTON,S vs CLT (Oct 12, 2019)
	1	THORNTON,S vs UTEP (Oct 19, 2019)
	1	GAITER,T at Middle Tennessee (Oct 26, 2019)
	1	ALEXANDER,M at Middle Tennessee (Oct 26, 2019)
	1	GAITER,T vs Miami (Fla.) (Nov.23, 2019)
	1	THORNTON,S vs Miami (Fla.) (Nov.23, 2019)
	1	GAITER,T at Marshall (Nov 30, 2019)
	1	Austin Maloney vs Arkansas State (Dec 21, 2019)
Long Reception	61	Anthony Jones vs UTEP (Oct 19, 2019)
Field Goals	4	BORREGALES,J vs Arkansas State (Dec 21, 2019)
Long Field Goal	53	BORREGALES,J vs Miami (Fla.) (Nov.23, 2019)
Punts	7	HEATHERLY,T vs WKU (Sep 07, 2019)
	7	HEATHERLY,T at Marshall (Nov 30, 2019)
Punting Avg	53.0	HEATHERLY,T vs CLT (Oct 12, 2019)
Long Punt	68	HEATHERLY,T at FAU (Nov 09, 2019)
Punts inside 20	2	HEATHERLY,T vs WKU (Sep 07, 2019)
	2	HEATHERLY,T vs UNH (Sep 14, 2019)
	2	HEATHERLY,T at Middle Tennessee (Oct 26, 2019)
Long Punt Return	90	ALEXANDER,M vs UMASS (Oct 05, 2019)
Long Kickoff Return	30	Austin Maloney at Louisiana Tech (Sep 20, 2019)
	30	Austin Maloney vs UTEP (Oct 19, 2019)
Tackles	17	LEWIS, Sage at Marshall (Nov 30, 2019)
Sacks	1.5	JEAN, A vs UTEP (Oct 19, 2019)
Tackles For Loss	3.0	TART,T vs Old Dominion (Nov 02, 2019)
Interceptions	1	DAMES,RISHARD vs WKU (Sep 07, 2019)
	1	HALL,D vs WKU (Sep 07, 2019)
	1	LEWIS, Sage vs UNH (Sep 14, 2019)
	1	REYNOLDS,D at Louisiana Tech (Sep 20, 2019)
	1	LEWIS, Sage vs UMASS (Oct 05, 2019)
	1	DAMES,RISHARD vs UMASS (Oct 05, 2019)
	1	DAMES,RISHARD vs UTEP (Oct 19, 2019)
	1	Olin Cushion III vs Old Dominion (Nov 02, 2019)
	1	LEWIS, Sage vs Miami (Fla.) (Nov.23, 2019)
	1	THOMAS-OLIVER vs Miami (Fla.) (Nov.23, 2019)



THE LAST TIME IT HAPPENED...

**RUSHING**

Individual with 25-30 rushing attempts:  
 FIU: Alex Gardner (27) - Florida Atlantic 10/1/16  
 Opp: Gaej Walker (27) - vs WKU 9/7/19

Individual with 31 or more rushing attempts:  
 FIU: Ben West (34) - Florida A&M 10/1/05  
 Opp: James Conner (31) - Pittsburg 9/13/14

Individual rushed for 100-149 yards:  
 FIU: Anthony Jones (112) - vs Miami 11/23/19  
 Opp: Terelle West (130) & Jayy McDonald (138) - at Middle Tennessee 10/26/19

Individual rushed for 150-199 yards:  
 FIU: Kaylan Wiggins (187) - New Hampshire 9/14/19  
 Opp: Malcolm Davidson (153) - at Florida Atlantic 11/9/19

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 N/A

Two rushers with 100 yards in a game:  
 FIU: Anthony Jones (117) & Napoleon Maxwell (114) - vs Charlotte 10/12/19  
 Opp: Devin Singletary (184) & Kerrith Whyte (165) - vs Florida Atlantic 11/3/18

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: Asher O'Hara (159), Jayy McDonald (138) & Terelle West (130) - at MT 10/26/19

Team with 40 rushing attempts:  
 FIU: 41 - vs Old Dominion 11/2/19  
 Opp: 44 - at Florida Atlantic 11/9/19

Team with fewer than 25 rushing attempts:  
 FIU: 23 - at Charlotte 11/17/18  
 Opp: 24 - vs UMass 10/4/19

Team rushed for 300+ Yards:  
 FIU: 364 - vs Charlotte 10/12/19  
 Opp: 471 - at Middle Tennessee 10/23/19

Team held between 51-100 yards rushing:  
 FIU: 75 - at Tulane 8/27/19  
 Opp: 64 - vs Old Dominion 11/2/19

Team held under 50 yards rushing:  
 FIU: 39 - at Charlotte 10/15/16  
 Opp: 38 - vs UMass 10/4/19

Individual scored on 50+ yard run:  
 FIU: Napoleon Maxwell (75) - at Florida Atlantic 11/9/19  
 Opp: Jayy McDonald (92) - at Middle Tennessee 10/23/19

**PASSING**

Individual with 40 pass attempts:  
 FIU: James Morgan (41) - at Louisiana Tech 9/20/19  
 Opp: J'Mar Smith (41) - at Louisiana Tech 9/20/19

Individual with 50 pass attempts:  
 FIU: Alex McGough (50) - Old Dominion 11/11/17  
 Opp: Layne Hatcher (51) - vs Arkansas State 12/21/19

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

Individual completed 25 passes:  
 FIU: James Morgan (29) - at Louisiana Tech 9/20/19  
 Opp: Layne Hatcher (27) - vs Arkansas State 12/21/19

Individual completed 30 passes:  
 FIU: Alex McGough (35) - Old Dominion 11/11/17  
 Opp: Andrew Ford (34) - UMass 12/2/17

Individual passed for 300-399 yards:  
 FIU: James Morgan (312) - vs Arkansas State 12/21/19  
 Opp: Layne Hatcher (393) - vs Arkansas State 12/21/19

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: James Morgan (3) - at UTSA 11/10/18  
 Opp: Eli Peters (3) - vs Toledo 12/21/18

Individual threw four (4) touchdowns:  
 FIU: James Morgan (4) - UAPB 9/29/18  
 Opp: Layne Hatcher (4) - vs Arkansas State 12/21/19

Individual threw five (5) touchdowns:  
 FIU: Never N/A  
 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: 25 - at Middle Tennessee 10/26/19

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 Maiden (69) - Rice 11/1/14

Individual threw for a 70-yard+ touchdown:  
 FIU: James Morgan to Maurice Alexander (76) - UAPB 9/29/18  
 Opp: Max Brosmer to Dylan Laube (86) - at Florida Atlantic 9/14/19

**RECEIVING**

Individual caught 10 passes:  
 FIU: Austin Maloney (10) - vs Arkansas State 12/21/19  
 Opp: Deon-Tay McManus (10) - Marshall 11/19/16

Individual had 100 yards receiving:  
 FIU: Austin Maloney (178) - vs Arkansas State 12/21/19  
 Opp: Omar Bayless (180) - vs Arkansas State 12/21/19

Two individuals with 100 yards receiving in a game:  
 FIU: Glenn Coleman (115) and Willis Wright (109) - Middle Tenn. 10/13/12  
 Opp: Richie James (127) and Ty Lee (100) - Middle Tennessee 10/29/15

**TOTAL OFFENSE**

Team gained 500 total yards:  
 FIU: 510 - vs Charlotte (350 Rushing, 160 Passing) 10/12/19  
 Opp: 525 - vs Arkansas State (132 rush, 393 pass) 12/21/20

Team gained 600 total yards:  
 FIU: 613 - UAPB (220 rush, 393 pass) 9/29/18  
 Opp: 615 - at Kansas (224 rush, 391 pass) 9/22/07

Team gained between 100-200 total yards:  
 FIU: 189 - WKU (80 rush, 109 pass) 9/24/16  
 Opp: 115 - vs UMass (38 rush, 77 pass) 10/4/19

Team gained less than 100 total yards:  
 FIU: 27 - at Louisville 9/21/13  
 Opp: Never N/A

**FIRST DOWNS**

Team had 25 first downs:  
 FIU: 26 - vs Charlotte 10/12/19  
 Opp: 31 - vs Arkansas State 12/21/19

Team had less than 10 first downs:  
 FIU: 7 - at Miami 9/22/18  
 Opp: 5 - vs UMass 10/4/19

## 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 vs Charlotte) 10/12/19  
 Opp: vs Florida Atlantic 11/3/18

Individual recorded a +50-yard punt:  
 FIU: Tommy Heatherly (53) - vs Arkansas 12/21/19  
 Opp: Bailey Cate (59) - vs Old Dominion 11/2/19

Individual recorded a +60-yard punt:  
 FIU: Tommy Heatherly (68) - at Middle Tennessee 11/9/19  
 Opp: Lou Hedley (61) - vs Miami 11/23/19

Individual recorded a +70-yard punt:  
 FIU: Stone Wilson (71) - at Florida Atlantic 11/18/17  
 Opp: Mike Ruggles (73) - at UTEP 11/16/13

Individual blocked a punt:  
 FIU: Kenyatta Anderson - Charlotte 11/7/15  
 Opp: Mar Drayton - vs Marshall 11/24/18

### TURNOVERS

Individual threw three (3) interceptions:  
 FIU: Alex McGough (3) - Indiana 9/1/16  
 Opp: Jarren Williams (3) - vs Miami 11/23/19

Individual with two (2) interceptions:  
 FIU: Richard Dames - vs Marshall 11/24/18  
 Opp: Wiley Green - vs Rice 10/20/18

Team had four (4) turnovers:  
 FIU: 4 (4 fumbles) - at Middle Tennessee 10/26/19  
 Opp: 4 (4 INTs/0 fumbles) - at UTSA 11/10/18

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 - at UCF 8/31/17  
 Opp: 3 - Western Kentucky 11/24/14

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 WKU 10/27/18  
 Opp: 1 - at Louisiana Tech 9/20/19

### PENALTIES

Team was penalized 10 times:  
 FIU: 11 - Tulane 10/14/17  
 Opp: 10 - vs Arkansas State 12/21/19

Team was not penalized:  
 FIU: Never (Record low 2 - at Troy) 10/18/03  
 Opp: vs Rice 10/20/18

### SCORING

Individual scored three touchdowns:  
 FIU: James Morgan (3, two passing, one rushing) - at Louisiana Tech 9/20/19  
 Opp: Malcolm Davidson (3, all rushing) - at Florida Atlantic 11/9/19

Individual scored four touchdowns:  
 FIU: Anthony Jones (4, Three rushing, one receiving) - vs Charlotte 10/12/19  
 Opp: Layne Hatcher (4, all passing) - vs Arkansas State 12/21/19

Individual caught two touchdown passes:  
 FIU: Anthony Jones (2) - at Charlotte 11/17/18  
 Opp: Jon'Vea Johnson (2) - vs Toledo 12/21/18

Individual caught three touchdown passes:  
 FIU: Bryce Singleton (3) - UMass 12/2/17  
 Opp: Austin Duke (3) - Charlotte 11/7/15

Individual rushed for three touchdowns:  
 FIU: Anthony Jones (3) - vs Charlotte 10/12/19  
 Opp: Malcolm Davidson (3) - at Florida Atlantic 11/9/19

Individual kicked three field goals:  
 FIU: Jose Borregales - vs Miami 11/23/19  
 Opp: Vladimir Rivas - at Florida Atlantic 11/9/19

Individual kicked four or more field goals:  
 FIU: Jose Borregales (4) - vs Arkansas State 12/21/19  
 Opp: Bailey Hale (5) - at Louisiana Tech 9/20/19

Individual kicked a 50-yard field goal:  
 FIU: Jose Borregales (52) - vs Arkansas State 12/21/19  
 Opp: Greg Joseph (50) - Florida Atlantic 10/1/16

Individual returned a kickoff for a touchdown:  
 FIU: Richard Leonard (100 yards) - at Florida Atlantic 11/16/12  
 Opp: Carlos Henderson (92 yards) - LA Tech 10/22/16

Individual returned a punt for a touchdown:  
 FIU: Maurice Alexander (90 yards) - vs UMass 10/4/19  
 Opp: Deandre Reaves (69 yards) - at Marshall 11/14/15

Individual returned an interception for a touchdown:  
 FIU: Rishard Dames (80 yards) - vs WKU 9/7/19  
 Opp: J. Crawford (33 yards) - Indiana 9/1/18

Individual returned a fumble for a touchdown:  
 FIU: Sage Lewis (61 yards) - at Charlotte 11/17/18  
 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: Kenyatta Anderson (23 yards) - Charlotte 11/7/15  
 Opp: Mar Drayton (0 yards) - vs Marshall 11/24/18

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: vs Marshall (M. Alexander pass to C. Alexander) 11/24/18  
 Opp: vs Toledo (Eli Peters pass to Cody Thompson) 12/21/18

Team scored a safety:  
 FIU: vs UTEP 10/19/19  
 Opp: at UCF 8/31/17

Team recorded a shutout:  
 FIU: vs UMass (44-0) 10/4/19  
 Opp: at Marshall (52-0) 11/14/15

Team scored 28 points in a quarter:  
 FIU: 28 (2nd) - UMass 9/15/18  
 Opp: 28 (4th) - vs Florida Atlantic 11/3/18

Team scored 40 points in a half:  
 FIU: 42 (1st) - vs UMass 9/15/18  
 Opp: 40 (1st) - at Maryland 8/31/13

## INDIVIDUAL RECORD HOLDERS

### SINGLE-GAME RECORDS

Record	No.	Player vs. Opp.	Date
Rush Att.	37	Rashod Smith vs. Stephen F. Austin	10/9/04
Rush Net Yards	262	Rashod Smith vs. Jacksonville	10/31/02
APR (10 rush)	13.4	Kaylan Wiggins vs. New Hampshire	9/14/19
Rush TDs	4	Rashod Smith at NMSU	10/30/04
Long Rush	89	Rashod Smith vs. Jacksonville	10/31/02
Pass Att.	58	Wes Carroll at Maryland	9/25/10
Pass Comp.	35	Alex McGough vs. ODU (tied)	11/11/17
Pass % (10 att)	90.0%	EJ Hilliard vs. Louisville	9/22/12
Pass Yards	414	James Morgan at LA Tech	9/20/19
Pass YPA	24.4	James Morgan vs. UAPB	9/29/18
Pass YPC	37.9	James Morgan vs. UAPB	9/29/18
Pass TDs	4	James Morgan vs. UAPB (tied)	9/29/18
Pass INT	5	Wayne Younger at Arkansas	10/27/07
Pass Eff.	363.2	James Morgan vs. UAPB	9/29/18
Long Pass	89	Josh Padrick at Maryland	9/23/06
Most Rec.	12	T.Y. Hilton at Akron	10/8/11
Rec. Yards	201	T.Y. Hilton at Louisville	9/9/11
AVC (3 rec.)	48.3	T.Y. Hilton at North Texas	10/4/08
Rec TD	3	Bryce Singleton vs. UMass (tied)	12/2/17
Long Rec.	89	Samuel Smith at Maryland	9/23/06
Total Off. Yds	421	James Morgan at LA Tech	9/20/19
All-Purpose Yds	295	T.Y. Hilton at ULL	11/1/08
Most Points	24	Anthony Jones vs. Charlotte (tied)	10/12/19
Most TDs	4	Anthony Jones vs. Charlotte (tied)	10/12/19
XP Made	9	Jose Borregales vs. UMass (tied)	9/15/18
XP Att.	9	Jose Borregales vs. UMass (tied)	9/15/18
Most Pts Kick	16	Dustin Rivest vs. Ark. State	11/8/08
FG Made	5	Dustin Rivest vs. Ark. State	11/8/08
FG Att.	7	Dustin Rivest vs. Ark. State (tied)	11/8/08
Long FG Made	53	Jose Borregales vs. Miami (tied)	11/23/19
Most Punts	11	Chris Cook at Penn State	9/1/07
Yards Punting	456	Chris Cook vs. Troy	10/6/07
Punt Avg (3 punts)	52.2	Stone Wilson at FAU	11/18/17
Downed in 20	5	Carlos Munera at Troy	10/18/08
Longest Punt	71	Stone Wilson at FAU (tied)	11/18/17
Long Punt Ret.	97	T.Y. Hilton vs. Florida Atlantic	11/12/11
Long Kick Ret.	100	Richard Leonard at Florida Atlantic	11/16/12
Most Punt Ret.	5	Maurice Alexander vs. UMass (tied)	9/15/18
Punt Ret. Yds	148	Richard Leonard vs. Bethune-Cookman	8/30/14
Punt Ret. Avg. (2 ret.)	70.0	Maurice Alexander vs. UMASS	10/5/19
Most Kick Ret.	8	Lionell Singleton vs. Florida Atlantic	11/24/07
Kick Ret. Yds	205	Lionell Singleton vs. Florida Atlantic	11/24/07
Kick Ret. Avg.	60.0	T.Y. Hilton at Alabama	9/12/09
Most Tackles	21	John Haritan at Youngstown State	9/11/04
Most TFL	5.5	Mike Wakefield vs. Charlotte (tied)	11/7/15
Most Sacks	4.0	Mike Wakefield vs. Charlotte (tied)	11/7/15
Most INT	2	Richard Dames vs. Marshall (tied)	11/24/18
Long INT Ret.	82	Marshall McDuffie vs. Florida Atlantic	11/26/05
Pass Breakup	4	Sage Lewis at UTSA (tied)	11/9/18
Long Fum. Ret.	100	Richard Leonard vs. Florida Atlantic	10/2/14
Most Fum Ret.	1	Sage Lewis at Charlotte (tied)	11/17/18
Fum. Rec.	2	Anthony Wint vs. UMass (tied)	12/2/17
Fum. Forced	2	Johnathan Cyprien at Texas A&M (tied)	9/18/10
Blocked Kicks	1	Brad Muhammad vs. UMass (tied)	12/2/17

### SEASON RECORDS

Record	No.	Player	Year
Rush Att.	233	Kendrick Rhodes	2011
Rush Net Yards	1,159	Kendrick Rhodes	2011
APR (50 att)	6.22	D'Vonte Price	2018
Rush TDs	16	Darriet Perry	2010
RPG (5 games)	113.3	Rashod Smith	2004
Pass Att.	420	Alex McGough	2015
Pass Comp.	269	Alex McGough	2015
Pass % (200 att)	65.4%	Alex McGough	2017
Pass Yards	2,798	Alex McGough	2017
Pass YPA	8.4	James Morgan	2018
Pass YPC	14.0	Jake Medlock (tied)	2012
Pass TDs	26	James Morgan	2018
Pass INT	17	Wayne Younger	2007
Pass Eff.	157.6	James Morgan	2018
Most Rec.	72	T.Y. Hilton	2011
Rec. Yards	1,038	T.Y. Hilton	2011
APC (25 rec.)	25.3	Willis Wright	2012
CPG (5 games)	6.70	Chandler Williams	2006
Rec TD	8	Thomas Owens (tied)	2015
Total Off. Yds	3,029	Alex McGough	2017
All-Purpose Yds	2,163	T.Y. Hilton	2008
Most Points	102	Jack Griffin	2011
Most TDs	16	Darriet Perry (non-QB)	2010
XP Made	54	Jose Borregales	2018
XP Att.	55	Jose Borregales	2018
FG Made	22	Jack Griffin	2011
FG Att.	29	Jose Borregales	2019
Most Punts	75	Chris Cook	2007
Yards Punting	3,092	Carlos Munera	2009
Punt Avg (40 att)	44.02	Stone Wilson	2018
Most Punt Ret.	24	Greg Moss	2003
Punt Ret. Yds	309	Richard Leonard	2014
PRA (5 ret.)	23.77	Richard Leonard	2014
Punt Ret. TD	1	Maurice Alexander (tied)	2018
Most Kick Ret.	48	Lionell Singleton	2007
Kick Ret. Yds	1,119	Lionell Singleton	2007
KRA (5 ret.)	30.44	T.Y. Hilton	2011
Kick Ret. TD	2	T.Y. Hilton	2010
Most Tackles	132	Sage Lewis	2018
Solos	83	Sage Lewis	2018
Assisted	60	Lance Preston	2003
Most TFL	22.5	Antwan Barnes	2006
Most Sacks	9.5	Jarvis Wilson (tied)	2010
QB Hurries	7	AJ Johnson	2018
Most INT	5	Richard Leonard (tied)	2014
INT TD	2	Rocky Jacques-Louis (tied)	2018
Pass Breakup	11	Anthony Gaitor (tied)	2008
Fum. Rec.	4	Richard Leonard (tied)	2014
Fum. Forced	4	Mike Wakefield (tied)	2015
Blocked Kicks	2	Isame Faciane (tied)	2013

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### CAREER RECORDS

<b>Record</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Player</b>	<b>Years</b>
Rush Att.	685	Alex Gardner	2014-17
Rush Net Yards	3,063	Alex Gardner	2014-17
APR (100 att.)	6.58	D'Vonte Price	2017-present
Rush TDs	27	Darriet Perry	2008-11
YPG (25 games)	87.8	Rashod Smith	2002-04
Pass Att.	1,479	Josh Padrick	2002-06
Pass Comp.	820	Josh Padrick	2002-06
Pass % (200 att)	65.3%	James Morgan	2018-19
Pass Yards	9,237	Josh Padrick	2002-06
Pass YPA	7.9	James Morgan (tied)	2018-19
Pass YPC	13.7	Jamie Burke	2002-05
Pass TDs	65	Alex McGough	2014-17
Pass INT	50	Josh Padrick	2002-06
Pass Eff.	143.4	James Morgan	2018-19
Most Rec.	229	T.Y. Hilton	2008-11
Rec. Yards	3,531	T.Y. Hilton	2008-11
APC (50 rec.)	16.29	Glenn Coleman	2010-14
CPG (25 games)	4.95	Chandler Williams	2003-06
Rec TD	24	T.Y. Hilton	2008-11
Total Off. Yds	9,626	Alex McGough	2014-17
All-Purpose Yds	7,498	T.Y. Hilton	2008-11
Most Points	281	Jose Borregales (non-QB)	2017-19
Most TDs	37	T.Y. Hilton (non-QB)	2008-11
XP Made	131	Jose Borregales (non-QB)	2017-19
XP Att.	134	Jose Borregales (non-QB)	2017-19
XP % (90 att.)	98.9%	Jose Borregales	2017-19
FG Made	50	Jose Borregales	2017-19
FG Att.	65	Jose Borregales	2017-19
FG % (20 att.)	77.4%	Jack Griffin	2009-12
Most Punts	203	Stone Wilson	2015-18
Yards Punting	8,225	Stone Wilson	2015-18
Punt Avg (150 att)	40.52	Stone Wilson	2015-18
Most Punt Ret.	49	T.Y. Hilton	2008-11
Punt Ret. Yds	614	T.Y. Hilton	2008-11
PRA (20 ret.)	16.24	Maurice Alexander	2016-19
Punt Ret. TD	2	Richard Leonard (tied)	2011-15
Most Kick Ret.	105	T.Y. Hilton	2008-11
Kick Ret. Yds	2,855	T.Y. Hilton	2008-11
KRA (20 ret.)	27.44	Greg Moss	2002-04
Kick Ret. TD	4	T.Y. Hilton	2008-11
Most Tackles	365	Johnathan Cyprien	2009-12
Solos	213	Johnathan Cyprien	2009-12
Assisted	166	Scott Bryant	2006-09
Most TFL	57.5	Antwan Barnes	2003-06
Most Sacks	21.5	Antwan Barnes	2003-06
QB Hurries	13	Greg Gickman	2010-13
Most INT	16	Nick Turnbull	2002-05
INT TD	3	Anthony Gaitor	2007-10
Pass Breakup	28	Richard Leonard	2011-15
Fum. Rec.	7	Anthony Wint (tied)	2014-17
Fum. Forced	8	Mike Wakefield	2012-15
Blocked Kicks	3	Jonathan Faucher (tied)	2008-11