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MVFC Standings

	MVFC	ALL	Coaches	Media
North Dakota State	5-0	8-0	1	1
South Dakota State	3-2	5-2	7	7
Northern Iowa	3-2	4-4	RV	RV
Western Illinois	3-2	4-4	—	RV
Illinois State	2-3	5-3	13	14
Missouri State	2-3	4-4	—	—
Indiana State	2-3	4-4	—	—
South Dakota	2-3	3-5	—	—
Youngstown State	2-3	3-5	—	—
Southern Illinois	1-4	2-6	—	—

Southern Illinois Schedule

Aug. 30	at Murray State	W, 49-10
Sept. 8	at Mississippi	L, 41-76
Sept. 15	SEMO	L, 44-48
Sept. 22	— BYE WEEK —	
Sept. 29	South Dakota [FW]	L, 24-31
Oct. 6	at Youngstown State	L, 14-17
Oct. 13	at Illinois State	L, 3-51
Oct. 20	Indiana State [HC]	L, 21-24
Oct. 27	at Missouri State	W, 49-35
Nov. 3	Western Illinois	MVFC/ESPN3 1 PM
Nov. 10	South Dakota State	ESPN+ 1 PM
Nov. 17	at North Dakota State	ESPN+ 2:30 PM

All times Central

[FW] - Family Weekend, [HC] - Homecoming

2018 Statistical Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
D.J. Davis	150	848	5.7	5	36
Matt Desomer	61	346	5.7	3	33
Jonathan Mixon	36	173	4.8	3	16
Sam Straub	41	148	3.6	2	20
Receiving	Rec	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
Raphael Leonard	38	503	13.2	4	70
Landon Lenoir	31	279	9.0	1	32
Darrell James	20	165	8.2	2	21
Nigel Kilby	12	170	14.1	4	29
Passing	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	TD	
Sam Straub	118-208-8	56.7	1250	9	
Matt DeSomer	50-80-1	62.5	529	5	
Tackles	Tackles	TFL	Sack	INT	PBU
Bryce Notree	65	5.0-18	2.0-12	2-27	1
Jeremy Chinn	47	0.5-1	0-0	2-79	5
Michael Elbert	39	0	0	1-55	2
Luke Giegling	38	3.5-18	2.5-16	1-12	1
Madre Harper	35	0.5-3	0.5-3	0-0	2
Joe Patterson	28	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	2
Anthony Knighton	28	10.0-50	6.0-38	0-0	2
Airan Reed	27	4.0-10	1.0-1	2-(-1)	3
Jordan Berner	26	6.5-34	3.5-30	0-0	0

Series versus Western Illinois

Southern Illinois has won eight-straight home games versus Western Illinois, dating back to 2002, when the Salukis pulled off a 54-52 upset of the No. 8-ranked Leathernecks. That win snapped an 18-game losing streak against Western. Including that game, the Salukis have won 13 of the last 16 meetings between the schools.

The last time the teams met at Saluki Stadium was on Nov. 19, 2016, when SIU rallied from a 17-point deficit to beat WIU, 44-34. In that game, QB Sam Straub passed for a school-record 450 yards.

QB Matt DeSomer named MVFC Offensive Player of the Week

QB Matt DeSomer (6-0, 215, Sr.) has moved into the starting spot for the Salukis. Making his fourth career start, DeSomer rallied SIU with four-unanswered touchdowns in a 49-35 win over Missouri State. He completed 19-of-24 passes for a career-high 206 yards, plus three touchdowns and no interceptions. He also ran the ball 14 times for 92 yards.

DeSomer has played quarterback, wide receiver, safety and special teams during his 38-game career at SIU. He is 1-3 as a starting quarterback. His career stats include 877 rushing yards, 796 passing yards, 110 receiving yards, eight rushing touchdowns, seven passing touchdowns and seven tackles.

Salukis on record pace for first downs

SIU's offense averages 25.6 first downs per game, which is on pace to break the school record of 24.8 first downs set by the 2015 team. Southern recorded 70 first downs in Weeks 3-4. The 37 versus SEMO was a school record and the 33 versus South Dakota ranked fourth all-time.

WR Raphael Leonard — MVFC Receptions leader

WR Raphael Leonard (6-2, 193, Sr.) leads the MVFC with 46 receptions and has already surpassed last year's season total of 34 catches. He has caught at least one pass in all 19 games he has played at

Southern. Prior to SIU, Leonard played at East Mississippi Community College in 2016, where he was part of Season 2 of the popular Netflix documentary Last Chance U.

S Jeremy Chinn steps in at cornerback

Last Saturday, S Jeremy Chinn (6-2, 211, Jr.) made his first-career start at cornerback, as the Salukis played the game without their top four corners. In the last 20 games, Chinn has six interceptions and six forced fumbles. A preseason All-MVFC pick, he is tied for second all-time at Southern in forced fumbles (6), trailing only Tyler Williamson (8, 2012-14).

RB D.J. Davis — MVFC All-Purpose Yardage leader

RB D.J. Davis (5-8, 168, Jr.) is a prolific rusher, receiver and return man, who leads the league in All-Purpose yardage per game (149.6). He is fifth all-time at SIU with 3,798 career all-purpose yards (1,401 rushing, 697 receiving, 1,683 return). He opened the season with four-straight 100-yard rushing games and has five on the season. The last Saluki with five 100-yard games in a season was Malcolm Agnew in 2014.

Dawg Bites

- ♦ QB Matt DeSomer needs 123 yards to become just the second quarterback in school history to rush for 1,000 yards in his career. Joel Sambursky (2001-05) rushed for 1,100 yards.
- ♦ QB Matt DeSomer has rushed for 100 yards twice this year and three times in his career, tying the school record for career 100-yard rushing games by a quarterback, set by Fred Gibson in 1987-88.
- ♦ SIU's quarterbacks are the team's No. 2 and No. 3 leading rushers — Matt DeSomer (346) and Sam Straub (148). They have accounted for 28 percent of the team's rushing yardage.
- ♦ LB Bryce Notree (6-2, 235, So.) leads the team with 65 tackles, including 56 stops in the last six games. He had 11 as a freshman last year. Notree also has 5.0 TFL, 2.0 sacks, and two interceptions, including a key pick last week at MSU.

Southern Illinois Team Rankings

Statistics (2018)	Nation	MVFC	Value
Scoring Offense	39	5	30.6
Scoring Defense	103	10	36.5
Rushing Offense	22	3	221.6
Rushing Defense	92	8	204.8
Passing Offense	56	7	223.1
Passing Defense	91	9	243.9
Total Offense	28	2	444.8
Total Defense	96	9	448.6
Completion Percentage	54	6	0.583
Passing Yards per Completion	108	10	10.56
Passes Had Intercepted	81	8	9
Passes Intercepted	30	4	9
3rd Down Conversion Pct	36	4	0.405
3rd Down Conversion Pct Defense	53	4	0.365
4th Down Conversion Pct	46	7	0.529
4th Down Conversion Pct Defense	116	9	0.750
Fewest Penalties Per Game	83	8	7.13
Kickoff Returns	115	10	17.08
Kickoff Returns Defense	48	4	19.80
Punt Returns	118	9	3.33
Punt Returns Defense	67	8	9.29
Net Punting	87	10	33.59
Red Zone Offense	56	7	0.816
Red Zone Defense	87	9	0.850
Team Sacks	13	2	3.00
Sacks Allowed	35	3	1.50
Team Tackles for Loss	24	1	7.4
Tackles for Loss Allowed	30	5	5.25
Turnover Margin	74	8	-0.25
Turnovers Gained	53	4	13
Turnovers Lost	74	9	15
Time of Possession	41	4	31:07

Southern Illinois Individual Rankings

Statistic (2018)	Player	Nation	MVFC	Value
All-Purpose Yards	D.J. Davis	11	1	149.63
Field Goal Percentage	Nico Gualdoni	25	1	0.778
Forced Fumbles	Jeremy Chinn	48	3	0.25
Fumble Recoveries	Qua Brown	9	2	2
Passing TDs	Sam Straub	72	9	9
Receiving TDs	Nigel Kilby	32	2	6
	Raphael Leonard	82	6	4
Receiving Yds Per Game	Raphael Leonard	45	3	75.8
Receptions Per Game	Raphael Leonard	24	1	5.8
Rushing Yards	D.J. Davis	16	4	848
Rushing Yards Per Game	D.J. Davis	18	4	106.0
Sacks	Anthony Knighton	27	2	0.75
Tackles For Loss	Anthony Knighton	48	4	1.3
Total Tackles	Bryce Notree	69	11	8.1

DE Anthony Knighton — team sacks leader

DE Anthony Knighton (6-4, 253, So.) leads the team in sacks (6.5) and is the active team leader in career sacks (13.0) and tackles for loss (19.0). He has started all 19 games in his career and also has two forced fumbles, five pass breakups and one blocked kick. In 2017, he was runner-up for MVFC Freshman of the Year after recording 6.5 sacks.

TE Nigel Kilby second in the MVFC in Receiving TDs

TE Nigel Kilby (6-8, 250, Jr.) is second in the MVFC in receiving touchdowns with six, trailing only South Dakota State's Cade Johnson (9). Kilby also missed two games with a hamstring injury. For the season, he has 14 catches for 208 yards (14.9 average). Kilby transferred from Garden City Community College and was ranked the No. 3 juco tight end prospect in the nation. He originally played for Eastern Michigan.

WR Landon Lenoir with breakout season

Entering the year with nine catches, slot receiver Landon Lenoir (5-11, 190, So.) has already caught 36 passes this season, is second on the team in catches and has caught at least two balls in every game. Lenoir has two relatives currently in the NFL. Brother Lance Lenoir (age 23), who holds the Western Illinois school record for career touchdown catches (28), is currently a member the Dallas Cowboys. Cousin Laquon Treadwell (age 23) is a wide receiver for the Minnesota Vikings.

Dawg Bites II

♦ SIU's defense ranks 13th in the nation in sacks per game (3.00). The team's 24 sacks has already topped last year's mark of 23 sacks.

♦ WR Je'Quan Burton (5-9, 168, Fr.) has impacted all three phases of the game. He has 71 yards rushing, seven catches for 107 yards, and 221 return yards. He is also an emergency cornerback.

♦ K Griffin Cerra (6-0, 157, Fr.) made his debut last Saturday at Missouri State and was 7-for-7 on PATs. He did not attempt a field goal.

♦ The Salukis committed 12 turnovers in their first four games, but only three in their last four. They are now -2 in the turnover battle for the season.

♦ With 848 rushing yards this year, D.J. Davis has more yards on the ground than any SIU running back since Jewel Hampton had 1,121 yards in 2011.

♦ D.J. Davis is the school record holder in career kickoff return yards with 1,683. He has the second-longest kickoff return in school history — 98 yards versus Murray State as a freshman in 2016.

♦ With a rushing TD against Missouri State, RB Jonathan Mixon (5-11, 230, Sr.) moved into 10th place all-time at SIU in that category. He is the team's active scoring leader with 18 career touchdowns (108 points).

♦ The Salukis blocked two field goal attempts versus Indiana State — one by S Jeremy Chinn and one by CB Terrance Henley. The last time SIU blocked two field goals in a game was in 2007 at Arkansas Pine Bluff. CB Craig Turner blocked them both.

Only one senior on defensive two-deep

Of the 22 players on the current defensive two-deep, only one player is a senior (backup LB Withney Simon). There are eight juniors, seven sophomores and six freshmen.

Active Salukis in the NFL

Miami Dolphins LB Chase Allen

Age 24 ... Signed as free agent in 2017 ... Has played in 20 career games with 5 starts ... 43 career tackles ... Ranks 12th in career tackles at SIU (324).

Tennessee Titans TE MyCole Pruitt

Age 26 ... Drafted by Minnesota Vikings in 5th round in 2015 ... Has played 27 career games with 3 starts ... 12 career receptions ... Is SIU's all-time receptions leader (22).

Safety Ryan Neal is a rookie on the Atlanta Falcons practice squad and cornerback Craig James is a rookie on the Minnesota Vikings practice squad.



QB Sam Straub returns

QB Sam Straub (6-4, 247, Sr.) missed the Youngstown State game with a concussion, but returned at Illinois State. Straub also missed the last three games in 2017 with a broken wrist.

In 16 career starts, Straub has passed for more than 300 yards eight times and has a 7-9 career record. He holds the school record for career 300-yard passing games (8), career 30+ completion games (4), and ranks eighth at SIU in career passing yards (4,323) and sixth in touchdown passes (37). His career high in passing is the school-record 450 yards versus Western Illinois on Nov. 19, 2016.

Darrell James climbing career receiving list

With 1,765 career receiving yards, WR Darrell James (6-0, 209, Sr) needs 45 yards to pass Justin Roebuck (1,809) into fourth place all time at SIU. James has caught at least one pass in 24-straight games — the team’s longest active streak.

Saluki offense posted historic numbers during Weeks 2-4

♦ SIU had 1,703 yards of total offense in Weeks 2-4 — the most yards in a three-game span in school history.

♦ SIU topped 500 yards of total offense in Weeks 2-4 — the longest streak since the 2002 squad did it four-straight games.

Faith, Family, Football — The story of Withney Simon

OLB Withney Simon (5-11, 224, Sr.) is the son of Haitian immigrants who moved to Orlando when he was eight. Simon only spoke Creole at the time. In eighth grade, he pleaded with his parents to let him play football. His mom was supportive — his dad was opposed. They finally gave in, under the condition that God and family would still rank above football on his priority list. So while other kids would go home after practice, Simon took a bus downtown to his night job as a janitor that helped sustain the family of seven.

As a senior in high school, the highly rated Simon was expecting a scholarship offer from Conference USA member Florida Atlantic. When it didn’t come, he went to church to pray about the situation. While he was sitting in the pew, a text message came through from SIU offensive coordinator Nick Hill. He believed it was a sign and immediately committed

ZeVeyon Furcron switches from D-line to O-line

G ZeVeyon Furcron (6-0, 308, So.) started eight games at defensive tackle in 2017, but switched to offense in the spring and has started every game at left guard this season. Furcron last started at offensive line at Joliet Catholic High School (IL). Head coach Nick Hill said he brings a “physicality” to the O-line.

Personnel notes

♦ TE Logan Crouse made his first career start last week at Illinois State. He is a 22-year-old true freshman who played three seasons of pro baseball in the Los Angeles Dodgers farm system.

♦ Seven players have already earned their undergraduate degrees — S Julian Hylton, WR Matt Quarells, FB Jaylon Graham, WR Darrell James, RB Jonathan Mixon, QB Sam Straub, OT Bryce Wagner.

♦ The Salukis have five players from Jones High School in Orlando — WR Je’Quan Burton, CB C.J. Jennings, OLB Withney Simon, DT Tyree Jackson and G Calvin Francis Jr.

♦ Starting OT Ben Bailey (6-5, 266, Sr.) weighed 225 pounds when he first arrived at SIU in 2014.

♦ Originally a walk-on, OT Bryce Wagner (6-8, 346, Sr.) was awarded a scholarship prior to fall camp in 2017.

Family ties

♦ Starting LT Ernest Dye Jr. (6-2, 308, Jr.) is the son of Ernest Dye, who played offensive tackle at South Carolina and six seasons in the NFL with the Arizona Cardinals and St. Louis Rams. His offensive line coach with the Cardinals was Saluki Hall of Famer Carl Mauck, who also coached at SIU (2006-07) under Jerry Kill.

♦ DT Keenan Agnew (6-0, 264, Fr.) is the son of Ray Agnew, who was the 10th overall pick in the 1990 NFL Draft by the New England Patriots and played six seasons in the NFL at defensive tackle. Ray Agnew is now the Director of Pro Personnel for the Los Angeles Rams.

♦ Both of Keenan Agnew’s brothers played football at SIU. Fullback Ray Agnew (2010-13) played one season in the NFL for the Cleveland Browns. Running back Malcolm Agnew (2013-14) rushed for 1,708 yards and scored 19 touchdowns in two seasons. He is currently the running backs coach for North Dakota.

♦ OLB Bryson Strong (5-10, 232, rFr.) and S Justin Strong (6-0, 207, Fr.) are brothers, but no relation to RB Nate Strong (5-11, 204, Jr.).

♦ The father of DT Blake Parzych (6-3, 295, Jr) is 6-foot-8 Scott Parzych, who played basketball for Jim Valvano at North Carolina State. Scott was a starter for the Wolfpack in 1982, the year before they won the NCAA title.

2018 impact transfers

CB Madre Harper, 6-2, 189, Jr. (Oklahoma State)

Ranks 5th on the team in tackles (35) and has one forced fumble ... Played two seasons at Oklahoma State, appeared in seven games and made 10 tackles.

TE Nigel Kilby, 6-8, 250 Jr. (Garden City CC)

Has caught six TD passes in six games at SIU ... Rated the No. 3 junior college tight end according to 247sports.com ... At Eastern Michigan in 2016, caught 34 passes for 437 yards (12.9 average) and four touchdowns.

MVFC Preseason Poll

1. North Dakota State (39)	390
2. South Dakota State	340
3. Northern Iowa	270
4. Youngstown State	258
5. Illinois State	248
6. South Dakota	206
7. Western Illinois	163
8. Southern Illinois	139
9. Missouri State	90
10. Indiana State	41
(1st place votes)	

Nick Hill versus ...

	H	A	All
Florida Atlantic	0-0	0-1	0-1
Illinois State	1-0	0-2	1-2
Indiana State	0-2	1-0	1-2
Memphis	0-0	0-1	0-1
Missouri State	0-1	1-1	1-2
Mississippi	0-0	0-1	0-1
Miss. Valley St.	1-0	0-0	1-0
Murray State	1-0	1-0	2-0
Northern Iowa	0-1	0-1	0-2
SEMO	1-1	1-0	2-1
South Dakota	1-1	0-1	1-2
South Dakota St.	0-1	0-1	0-2
Western Illinois	1-0	0-1	1-1
Youngstown St.	0-1	0-2	0-3
TOTAL	6-8	4-12	10-20

vs. FCS Coaches Top 25 Teams	.....	2-8
vs. FCS Coaches Top 10 Teams	.....	0-3
vs. Unranked FCS Teams	.....	7-10
When Ranked	.....	0-0
vs. FBS Teams	.....	0-3
Home	.....	6-8
Road	.....	4-12
Neutral	.....	0-0
Conference	.....	5-16
When rushing for 200+ yards	.....	5-5
When passing for 300+ yards	.....	4-8
When scoring 35+ points	.....	9-4
Opponents score <10	.....	3-0
When forcing 3 or more turnovers	.....	7-2
When SIU scores first	.....	5-9
When SIU leads at half	.....	8-7
When SIU trails at half	.....	1-13
When SIU is tied at half	.....	1-0
When leading after third	.....	8-2
When trailing after third	.....	1-17
When tied after third	.....	0-0
Games decided by 11+ points	.....	7-7
Games decided by 8-10 points	.....	2-4
Games decided by 4-7 points	.....	1-5
Games decided 3 points or less	.....	0-4
Overtime games	.....	0-0

The Golden Era of Saluki Football (2003-09)

- ◆ Overall Record: 70-19 (.787)
- ◆ Conference Record: 42-8 (.840)
- ◆ Conference Championships: 5 (2003, 2004, 2005, 2008, 2009)
- ◆ FBS Wins: at Indiana (2006), at Northern Illinois (2007)
- ◆ FCS Playoff Appearances: All 7 years
- ◆ FCS Playoff Wins: 5
- ◆ Deepest Postseason Run: Final Four in 2007, Nick Hill senior year at QB
- ◆ Weeks in Top 25: 99-consecutive weeks from 2003 to 2010
- ◆ Weeks at No. 1: 18 weeks during 2004 and 2005

Salukis' NFL Tradition

- ◆ Southern Illinois has had 38 alumni play in the NFL.
- ◆ RB Brandon Jacobs, two-time Super Bowl Champion with New York Giants
- ◆ QB Jim Hart, four-time Pro Bowl selection who threw for 34,665 career yards with St. Louis Cardinals. Later served as AD for SIU.
- ◆ LB Bart Scott, 11-year NFL pro with Baltimore Ravens and New York Jets
- ◆ OL Carl Mauck, 13-year NFL pro and long-time NFL assistant

Famous non-football SIU alums

- ◆ Kenny Troutt, founder of Excel, owner of Winstar Farms and 2018 Triple Crown winner Justify
- ◆ NBA star Walt Frazier
- ◆ MLB All-Stars Dave Stieb and Steve Finley
- ◆ Curt Jones, founder of Dippin' Dots
- ◆ Civil rights activist Dick Gregory
- ◆ NASA astronaut Joan Higginbotham, who flew on the Space Shuttle Discovery
- ◆ U.S. Ambassador to the U.N. Donald McHenry
- ◆ Actors Jim Belushi and Dennis Franz
- ◆ Actresses Jenny McCarthy and Melissa McCarthy
- ◆ "Macho Man" Randy Savage, professional wrestler
- ◆ Mark Newman, New York Yankees Senior VP

Quick Facts

Carbondale is located in the southern tip of the state — about a five-hour drive south of Chicago and two hours southeast of St. Louis...Many of SIU's alums are concentrated in those two cities... The Southern Illinois region is informally known as "Little Egypt," hence the adoption of the Saluki (an Egyptian hunting dog) as the school mascot.

AD Jerry Kill

Athletic Director Jerry Kill was the head football coach at SIU from 2001 to 2007, leading the Salukis to five-straight appearances in the Football Championship Subdivision and winning three straight Gateway Football Conference Championships. While at SIU he also received the prestigious Eddie Robinson National Coach of the Year Award in 2004 and the Liberty Mutual Coach of the Year Award in 2007.

He left SIU to serve as head coach at Northern Illinois from 2008 to 2010, delivering three bowl-eligible teams. Kill went on to become head coach at Minnesota from 2011 to 2015. While there, he was named 2014 Big Ten Coach of the Year, sent three teams to bowl games and produced six NFL draft picks. He served as associate athletic director at Kansas State University in 2016 and offensive coordinator at Rutgers University in 2017, retiring from coaching in December due to health issues.

Kill inherited a program at SIU that had two winning seasons in its previous 15 years. His 2007 team, quarterbacked by Nick Hill, advanced to the semifinals in the playoffs, where SIU lost to Joe Flacco and Delaware. Hill played for Kill from 2005-07.

Coach Kill connections

- ◆ Four assistant coaches on Southern's staff have direct ties to Coach Kill.
- ◆ Safeties coach Marty Rodgers played for Kill at SIU in his first two seasons, 2006 and 2007.
- ◆ Offensive line coach Trevor Olson played for Kill at Northern Illinois.
- ◆ Olson and running backs coach Nate Griffin were on the quality control staff under Kill at Minnesota before Hill hired them at SIU.
- ◆ Tight ends coach and co-special teams coordinator Pat Poore was an assistant coach under Kill at SIU, Northern Illinois and Minnesota.
- ◆ Defensive coordinator Kraig Paulson coached against Kill and Hill in 2006. Paulson was the defensive coordinator at Montana, leading it to a 20-3 win over the Salukis in the second round of the 2006 FCS Playoffs.

King Tut's Tomb

King Tut was the school's first live Saluki mascot after the nickname change from Maroons to Salukis in 1951. King Tut died in 1954 after being struck by a car, and a concrete pyramid marked his burial at McAndrew Stadium. The marker was moved to its current spot outside Saluki Stadium in 2010. Before each home game, the Salukis walk from their locker room and pat Tut's Tomb for good luck.

Walt Frazier — The Rest of the Story

Most people know that Southern's most famous basketball alum is Walt Frazier (1964-67). What they don't know is the story of how the Atlanta native ended up in Carbondale.

Basketball was Frazier's second-best sport in high school. He was offered a scholarship to play quarterback at Georgia Tech, but he didn't want to play football. Frazier went on a recruiting visit to SIU in 1963 and met with AD Donald Boydston, who was progressive about recruiting minorities during a time when southern schools rarely recruited them. According to Boydston, Frazier didn't say one word the whole trip, but called shortly after he took the train back to Atlanta to say he was enrolling at SIU.

Frazier was dismissed from the team for academic issues after his sophomore year. He went back to Atlanta and got a job doing manual labor. Frazier called in August of 1965 and asked if he could come back. He was not eligible for a scholarship, so he paid his own way and sat out his junior year, making the Dean's List. He played on the practice team, and sometimes they would beat the varsity. The 1966-67 storybook season saw Frazier lead the team to the NIT National Championship, beating Marquette in the finals. He turned pro after the season.

Basketball powerhouse, 2002-07

SIU's most successful run in college basketball took place from 2002-07 when it made six-straight NCAA Tournament appearances, including Sweet 16s in 2002 and 2007. Head coaches during that span were Bruce Weber, Matt Painter and Chris Lowery.



Offense Two-Deep

LT	72	Ernest Dye Jr. (6-2, 308, JR)
	74	Lucas Davis (6-4, 295, rFR)
LG	59	ZeVeyon Furcron (6-0, 308, SO)
	65	Calvin Francis Jr. (6-1, 314, rFR)
C	68	Jacob Marnin (6-1, 303, JR)
	73	Jimmy Wormsley (6-2, 308, FR)
RG	64	Aaron Harris (6-4, 347, SR)
	60	Matt Chmielewski (6-4, 309, SO)
RT	79	Ben Bailey (6-5, 266, SR)
	62	Bryce Wagner (6-8, 346, SR)
QB	7	Matt DeSomer (6-0, 215, SR)
	4	Sam Straub (6-4, 247, SR)
RB	9	D.J. Davis (5-8, 168, JR)
	39	Jonathan Mixon (5-11, 230, SR)
TE	88	Logan Crouse (6-6, 265, FR)
	13	Nigel Kilby (6-8, 250, JR)
FB	45	Jaylon Graham (6-3, 254, SR)
	43	Jacob Garrett (6-1, 259, FR)
WR	17	Landon Lenoir (5-11, 190, SO)
	86	Sam Thompson (6-0, 182, SO)
WR	87	Sam Bonansinga (5-11, 184, SO)
	89	Dyllan Conway (5-8, 147, rFR)
WR	11	Raphael Leonard (6-2, 193, SR)
	1	Matt Quarells (6-1, 194, SR)

Defense Two-Deep

DE	11	Anthony Knighton (6-2, 253, SO)
	94	Jaylin Wilson (6-3, 265, SO)
DT	93	Blake Parzych (6-3, 295, JR)
	56	Keenan Agnew (6-0, 264, rFR)
DT	90	Malik Haynes (5-11, 327, JR)
	51	Kyonta Stallworth (6-3, 280, JR)
DE	92	Jordan Berner (6-6, 264, SO)
	41	Sam Skinner (6-2, 244, SO)
SLB	3	Airan Reed (6-2, 228, JR)
	42	Withney Simon (5-11, 224, SR)
MLB	54	Bryce Notree (6-2, 235, SO)
	35	Oliver McDowell (6-0, 228, FR)
WLB	34	Luke Giegling (6-4, 239, rFR)
	31	Bryson Strong (5-10, 232, rFR)
CB	2	Jeremy Chinn (6-2, 211, JR)
	5	Je'Quan Burton (5-9, 168, FR)
FS	32	Joe Patterson (5-11, 182, SO)
	24	Qua Brown (5-10, 200, SO)
SS	37	Michael Elbert (6-0, 185, rFR)
	27	Julian Hylton (6-0, 214, SR)
CB	12	Terrance Henley (6-0, 174, JR)
	25	Madre Harper (6-2, 189, JR)

Specialists

P	98	Lane Reazin (6-1, 222, JR)
	35	Andrew Anckle (6-3, 217, SO)
KO	99	Nico Gualdoni (6-0, 227, SO)
K	91	Griffin Cerra (6-0, 157, FR)
	99	Nico Gualdoni (6-0, 227, SO)
LS	48	Cole Steward (6-3, 254, rFR)
H	98	Lane Reazin (6-1, 222, JR)
PR	9	D.J. Davis (5-8, 168, JR)
	5	Je'Quan Burton (5-9, 168, FR)
KR	9	D.J. Davis (5-8, 168, JR)
	5	Je'Quan Burton (5-9, 168, FR)

Career Starts

Player	15	16	17	18	Career	Cons.
Keenan Agnew	—	—	—	1	1	—
Ben Bailey	0	6	1	8	15	8
Jordan Berner	—	—	11	8	19	19
Sam Bonansinga	—	0	1	2	3	2
Qua Brown	—	—	—	2	2	—
Chance Bush	—	—	—	1	1	—
James Ceasar	—	1	0	4	5	—
Jeremy Chinn	—	6	11	7	24	2
Matt Chmielewski	—	—	2	0	2	—
Cody Crider	0	4	10	3	17	—
Logan Crouse	—	—	—	4	4	3
D.J. Davis	—	3	2	8	13	8
Matt DeSomer	2	0	1	3	6	2
Ernest Dye Jr.	—	3	3	8	14	8
Michael Elbert	—	—	0	5	5	1
ZeVeyon Furcron	—	—	8	8	16	9
Luke Giegling	—	—	—	4	4	4
Jaylon Graham	—	—	—	3	3	—
Madre Harper	—	—	—	3	3	—
Aaron Harris	—	1	1	3	5	3
Malik Haynes	—	1	7	7	15	1
Terrance Henley	—	—	0	1	1	1
Darrell James	0	3	10	5	18	—
C.J. Jennings	—	1	0	0	1	—
Nigel Kilby	—	—	—	1	1	—
Anthony Knighton	—	—	11	8	19	19
Raphael Leonard	—	—	7	8	15	9
Landon Lenoir	—	0	0	6	6	3
Torian Lewis	—	—	5	6	11	—
Jacob Marnin	—	11	9	6	26	1
Jonathan Mixon	0	0	1	0	1	—
Bryce Notree	—	—	0	8	8	8
Blake Parzych	—	2	6	8	16	8
Joe Patterson	—	—	—	3	3	3
Josh Podzielinski	0	7	7	7	21	—
Airan Reed	—	3	11	8	22	22
Withney Simon	0	8	0	1	9	—
Sam Straub	0	3	8	5	16	—
Jacob Varble	—	10	6	3	19	—
Jaylin Wilson	—	—	1	0	1	—

2018 Game-By-Game Starters

Opponent	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	QB	RB	TE	WR	WR	WR(TE)	K
at Murray State	Dye Jr.	Furcron	Marnin	Podzielinski	Bailey	Straub	Davis	Varble	James	Leonard	Lenoir	Gualdoni
at Mississippi	Dye Jr.	Furcron	Marnin	Podzielinski	Bailey	Straub	Davis	Varble	James	Leonard	Lenoir	Gualdoni
SEMO	Dye Jr.	Furcron	Marnin	Podzielinski	Bailey	Straub	Davis	Varble	James	Leonard	Lenoir	Gualdoni
South Dakota	Dye Jr.	Furcron	Marnin	Podzielinski	Bailey	Straub	Davis	Crouse	James	Leonard	Graham	Gualdoni
at Youngstown State	Dye Jr.	Furcron	Marnin	Podzielinski	Bailey	Desomer	Davis	Kilby	James	Leonard	Graham	Gualdoni
at Illinois State	Dye Jr.	Furcron	Marnin	Podzielinski	Bailey	Straub	Davis	Crouse	Lenoir	Leonard	Graham	Gualdoni
Indiana State	Dye Jr.	Furcron	Harris	Podzielinski	Bailey	DeSomer	Davis	Crouse	Lenoir	Leonard	Bonansinga	Gualdoni
at Missouri State	Dye Jr.	Furcron	Marnin	Harris	Bailey	DeSomer	Davis	Crouse	Lenoir	Leonard	Bonansinga	Cerra
Western Illinois												
South Dakota State												
at North Dakota State												

Opponent	DE	DT	DT	DE	LB	LB	LB	CB	S	S	CB	P
at Murray State	Knighton	Haynes	Parzych	Berner	Reed	Notree	Crider	Lewis	Brown	Chinn	Caesar	Reazin
at Mississippi	Knighton	Haynes	Parzych	Berner	Reed	Notree	Crider	Lewis	Brown	Chinn	Caesar	Reazin
SEMO	Knighton	Haynes	Parzych	Berner	Reed	Notree	Crider	Lewis	Elbert	Chinn	Caesar	Anckle
South Dakota	Knighton	Haynes	Parzych	Berner	Reed	Notree	Simon	Lewis	Elbert	Chinn	Caesar	Reazin
at Youngstown State	Knighton	Haynes	Parzych	Berner	Reed	Notree	Giegling	Lewis	Elbert	Chinn	Harper	Reazin
at Illinois State	Knighton	Haynes	Parzych	Berner	Reed	Notree	Giegling	Bush	Elbert	Patterson	Harper	Reazin
Indiana State	Knighton	Agnew	Parzych	Berner	Reed	Notree	Giegling	Lewis	Patterson	Chinn	Harper	Reazin
at Missouri State	Knighton	Haynes	Parzych	Berner	Reed	Notree	Giegling	Chinn	Elbert	Patterson	Henley	Reazin
Western Illinois												
South Dakota State												
at North Dakota State												

Entering his third season at the helm of Saluki Football, 33-year-old Nick Hill has brought the perfect balance of leadership, energy, and creativity needed to re-energize the program.

A native son of southern Illinois, Hill's journey to the top job at SIU started 15 years ago and just 20 miles north of campus, where he was a football and basketball icon at DuQuoin High School.

During his senior year of high school in 2002-03, Hill was the area's Player of the Year in both sports and guided the Indians to the Illinois High School Association 3A state championship football game.

The legend continued on the hardwood where Hill averaged 23 points as a senior at DuQuoin and chose Western Kentucky from a host of Division I offers. A broken hand prematurely ended his freshman season at Western but ultimately led him home.

In the spring of 2004, Hill transferred to SIU to switch sports and play football under head coach Jerry Kill, just as the program was beginning its rapid rise to the top of the league standings.

"I took a leap of faith with Coach Kill," Hill recalled. "Everyone needs someone who believes in him and for me, that someone was Coach Kill."

Hill initially sat behind league Player of the Year Joel Sambursky, before taking over the starting job in 2006. In two seasons as the starter, he went 21-6 and set the school record for passing yards in 2007. He still holds the best completion percentage (68.3) in school history.

Highlights of Hill's playing career include guiding Southern to a win at Indiana in 2006, in which he passed for four touchdowns as SIU became the league's first team to defeat a Big Ten opponent. Hill capped off his career in 2007 by leading the team to the Final Four of the playoffs, where the Salukis ultimately lost a 20-17 heartbreaker to Joe Flacco and Delaware. He was also a finalist for the Peyton Award in '07.

Hill played six seasons of professional football, mostly in the Arena Football League, where he played for head coach Jay Gruden, now the head coach of the NFL's Washington Redskins. Hill also had brief free-agent stints with the Chicago Bears in 2008 and Green Bay Packers in 2012.

Playing for Gruden, one of the game's top offensive minds, helped shape Hill's offensive philosophy. First as Southern's offensive coordinator and now as head coach, Hill has refined his own unique style of offense that combines elements of Air Raid, spread and up-tempo.

In his first season at SIU, Saluki quarterbacks broke a school record for single-season touchdown passes with 29. The following year in 2015, Southern's offense averaged 498 yards per game -- the second most in conference history. Quarterback Mark Iannotti led the nation in total offense per game.

In 2016, the Salukis set program records for passing

The Hill File

Birthday: April 5, 1985
Hometown: DuQuoin, Illinois
Alma mater: Southern Illinois, 2008
NFL Career: Chicago Bears, Green Bay Packers
AFL Career: Rio Grande Valley Dorados, Orlando Predators, Tampa Bay Storm, San Antonio Talons
Carbondale H.S.: Head coach in 2013



Collegiate Coaching Record

Year	School	Assignment	Overall	MVFC
2014	Southern Illinois	Quarterbacks	6-6	3-5 (t-7th)
2015	Southern Illinois	OC/Quarterbacks	3-8	2-6 (9th)
2016	Southern Illinois	Head Coach	4-7	2-6 (t-8th)
2017	Southern Illinois	Head Coach	4-7	2-6 (t-8th)
2018	Southern Illinois	Head Coach	2-6	1-4
Career	Southern Illinois	Head Coach	10-20	5-16

completions, attempts and yards while only throwing seven interceptions. Southern Illinois ranked in the top-10 nationally for passing offense, total offense and scoring offense for nearly the entire year.

The offense was on its way to surpassing those marks in 2017 before starting quarterback Sam Straub was injured early in the eighth game and missed the remainder of the season.

First as Southern's offensive coordinator, and now as head coach, Hill has refined his own unique style of offense that combines elements of Air Raid, spread and up-tempo.

Hill has assembled a talented mix of veteran assistant coaches and young, up-and-comers. Defensive coordinator Kraig Paulson was the architect behind Montana's defense during a stretch from 2004-09 when the Grizzlies won six-straight conference championships and advanced to the national championship game three times. Tight ends and special teams coach Pat Poore is a former Kill assistant who was a key figure in Southern's initial rebuild.

"I know what the blueprint looks like for our program to be successful, going back to my playing days for Coach Kill, and I know we can get there," Hill said. "Coaching my alma mater is a dream come true. I love everything about this region and what it stands for, that blue-collar mentality. This is not my team. This is our team. Our program is going to invest in the community and make us proud on and off the field."

Hill and wife, Alicia, a former volleyball player at SIU, reside in Carbondale and have two daughters, Skylar and Charley. His brother, former Saluki quarterback A.J. Hill, is now the head coach at DuQuoin High School.



QUICK FACTS

School.....Southern Illinois University
 Location.....Carbondale, Ill.
 Founded.....1869
 Enrollment (Fall 2016).....14,554
 Nickname.....Salukis
 Colors.....Maroon and White
 Affiliation.....NCAA Division I (FCS)
 Conference.....Missouri Valley Football
 President.....J. Kevin Dorsey
 Chancellor.....Dr. Carlo Montemagno
 Director of Athletics.....Jerry Kill (Southwestern College, '83)
 Athletic Trainer.....David Rule
 Equipment Manager.....Andy Harris
 Football Office Phone.....(618) 453-3332
 Ticket Office Phone.....(618) 453-2000

FACILITY INFORMATION

Stadium (Capacity).....Saluki Stadium (15,000)
 First Season.....2010
 Surface.....FieldTurf Duraspine PRO
 Record.....24-20 (.545)
 Press Box Phone.....(618) 453-1980

TEAM INFORMATION

2017 Record.....4-7
 Home.....2-3
 Road.....2-4
 MVFC (Finish).....2-6 (t-8th)
 Basic Offensive Set.....Multiple
 Basic Defensive Set.....4-3
 Starters Returning/Lost.....17/9
 Offense.....6/5
 Defense.....9/2
 Special Teams.....2/2
 Lettermen Returning/Lost.....51/28
 Offense.....21/14
 Defense.....27/12
 Special Teams.....3/2

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COACHING STAFF

Head Coach/Offensive Coordinator.....Nick Hill
 Alma Mater.....Southern Illinois, 2008
 Record at SIU (Years).....9-21 (3rd year)
 Career Record (Years).....Same
 Assistant Head Coach/Defensive Coordinator/LBs.....Kraig Paulson
 Alma Mater.....Montana, 1987
 Defensive Line.....Austin Flyger (Augustana, 2004)
 Cornerbacks.....Carl Franks (Montana, 1994)
 Running Backs.....Nate Griffin (Idaho)
 Offensive Line.....Trevor Olson (Northern Illinois, 2011)
 Tight Ends / Special Teams.....Pat Poore (Fort Hays State, 1984)
 Safeties.....Marty Rodgers (Southern Illinois, 2009)
 Wide Receivers.....Nick Williams (Alabama, 2012)
 Quarterbacks.....Michael Williamson, Jr. (Southeast Missouri, 2009)
 Director of Recruiting and Player Personnel.....Gaizka Crowley
 Alma Mater.....Florida State, 2010
 GA/Video Coordinator.....Robbie Aldinger (Mount Union, 2015)
 GA/Defense.....Nathan Frame (Sterling, 2017)

PRONUNCIATIONS

Sam Bonansinga.....BonnAN-SIN-guh
 Qua Brown.....QWAY
 Makel Calhoun.....muh-KELL
 Matt Chmielewski.....SHIM-uh-LESS-kee
 Cody Crider.....CRY-der
 Matt DeSomer.....de-SOAM-er (like ROME)
 Tylan Driver.....TIE-lin
 ZeVeyon Furcron.....ZAY-vee-ONN FUR-cron
 Austin Flyger.....FLEA-gur
 Luke Giegling.....Giggling
 David Grenia.....gruh-KNEE-uh
 Nico Gualdoni.....gwall-DOH-nee
 Madre Harper.....muh-DRAY
 Malik Haynes.....mah-LEEK
 Dan Heilbron.....HILE-brawn
 Julian Hylton.....Hilton
 Darrell James.....duh-RELL
 Stone Labanowitz.....Luh-BAN-oh-witz
 Landon Lenoir.....le-NORE
 Raphael Leonard.....RAA-fee-el
 Raquan Lindsey.....RAY-qwan
 Bryce Notree.....NO-tree
 Blake Parzych.....PARR-zitch
 Lane Pegram.....PEE-grum
 Josh Podzielinski.....PODGE-uh-LIN-skee
 Cole Prather.....PRAY-thur
 Matt Quarells.....KWAR-els
 Nick Raby.....RAY-bee
 Lane Reazin.....Reason
 Withney Simon.....WITH-nee (not WITT-nee)
 Matt Sotiropoulos.....SOT-ir-OP-oh-less
 Kyonta Stallworth.....key-AHN-tay
 Sam Straub.....STROBB
 Nick Terrana.....TER-anna

Record Book Update

Rushing Touchdowns (Career)

1. Tom Koutsos, 1999-2003	52
2. Arkee Whitlock, 2004-06	51
3. Amos Bullocks, 1958-61	32
4. Muhammad Abdulqaadir, 2002-03	31
5. Deji Karim, 2007, 2009	26
5. Karlton Carpenter, 1995-98	26
7. Walter Poole, 1979-81	22
8. Andre Herrera, 1974-76	21
9. Brandon Jacobs, 2004	19
10. <u>Jonathan Mixon, 2015-pres.</u>	18
10. Greg Brown, 1990-93	18
10. Yonel Jourdain, 1989-92	18
12. Jewel Hampton, 2011	17
13. Malcolm Agnew, 2013-14	16

Passing Yards (Career)

1. Joel Sambursky, 2002-05	7,894
2. Rick Johnson, 1980-83	5,804
3. Mark Iannotti, 2014-15	5,436
4. Kory Faulkner, 2010-13	5,347
5. Chris Dieker, 2007-10	5,237
6. Nick Hill, 2005-07	5,184
7. Scott Gabbert, 1988-92	4,728
8. <u>Sam Straub, 2015-pres.</u>	4,323
9. Sherard Poteete, 1999-00	4,246
10. Kent Skornia, 1997-98	3,903

Touchdown Passes (Career)

1. Joel Sambursky, 2002-05	65
2. Mark Iannotti, 2014-15	46
2. Nick Hill, 2005-07	46
4. Chris Dieker, 2007-10	41
5. Scott Gabbert, 1988-92	39
6. Sam Straub, 2015-pres.	37

Pass Completion Percentage (Career)

<i>Minimum 150 Attempts</i>	
1. Nick Hill, 2005-07	68.3
2. Josh Straughan, 2016	67.4
3. Mark Iannotti, 2014-15	64.5
4. Paul McIntosh, 2009-11	60.4
5. Joel Sambursky, 2002-05	59.9
6. Kory Faulkner, 2010-13	59.5
7. Chris Dieker, 2007-10	58.9
8. <u>Sam Straub, 2015-pres.</u>	56.6
9. Scott Gabbert, 1988-92	55.9
10. Kent Skornia, 1997-98	55.3
11. Matt Jones, 1993-94	55.2
12. Phil Shellhaas, 1996	54.7

300-Yard Passing Games (Career)

1. <u>Sam Straub, 2015-pres.</u>	8
2. Sherard Poteete, 1999-00	5

Pass Attempts (Career)

1. Joel Sambursky, 2002-05	933
2. Rick Johnson, 1980-83	932
3. Kory Faulkner, 2010-13	823
4. Chris Dieker, 2007-10	757
5. Mark Iannotti, 2014-15	735
6. Jim Hart, 1963-65	671
7. Scott Gabbert, 1988-92	664
8. Sherard Poteete, 1999-00	624
9. <u>Sam Straub, 2015-pres.</u>	604
10. Brian Downey, 1990-91	600
11. Nick Hill, 2005-07	577
12. Kent Skornia, 1997-98	546

Pass Efficiency Percentage (Career)

<i>Minimum 150 Attempts</i>	
1. Nick Hill, 2005-07	166.2
2. Joel Sambursky, 2002-05	148.6
3. Mark Iannotti, 2014-15	142.4
4. Josh Straughan, 2016	142.2
5. Paul McIntosh, 2009-11	140.0

Average Yards Per Completion (Career)

<i>Minimum 150 Attempts</i>	
1. Leonard Hopkins, 1972-75	15.4
2. Fred McAlley, 1973-74	14.5
3. Joel Sambursky, 2002-05	14.1
4. Darren Dixon, 1982-84	14.0
5. Brad Pancoast, 1969-71	13.5

Pass Receptions (Career)

1. MyCole Pruitt, 2011-14	221
2. Cornell Craig, 1996-99	207
3. LaSteven McKinney, 2011-14	149
4. Joe Allaria, 2007-10	138
5. Reggie Fowler, 1994-97	125
6. Brent Little, 2002-05	124
7. Billy Swain, 1990-93	123
8. Justin Roebuck, 1989-92	120
9. Billy Reed, 2013-16	118
10. <u>Darrell James, 2015-pres.</u>	117

Receiving Yardage (Career)

1. Cornell Craig, 1996-99	3,508
2. MyCole Pruitt, 2011-14	2,601
3. Brent Little, 2002-05	2,303
4. Justin Roebuck, 1989-92	1,809
5. <u>Darrell James, 2015-pres.</u>	1,765

Receiving Touchdowns (Career)

1. Cornell Craig, 1996-99	37
2. MyCole Pruitt, 2011-14	25
3. Brent Little, 2002-05	20
3. Billy Swain, 1990-93	20
5. LaVance Banks, 1991-93	17
6. Kellen Allen, 2002-05	15
6. Alan Turner, 2003-07	15
8. <u>Darrell James, 2015-pres.</u>	14

PAT Kicking (Career)

	Made	Att.
1. Craig Coffin, 2002-06	229	239
2. Kyle Dougherty, 2007-10	198	208
3. Ron Miller, 1983-86	144	147
4. Scott Everhart, 1999-02	126	133
5. Thomas Kinney, 2013-14	81	82
5. Ken Seaman, 1973-76	81	89
7. John Bookout, 1988-92	71	77
8. Austin Johnson, 2012-16	69	73
9. Paul Molla, 1978-81	68	73
10. <u>Matt Sotiropoulos, 2016-pres.</u>	67	71

Total Offense Yardage (Career)

<i>Rushing and Passing Yardage</i>	
1. Joel Sambursky, 2002-05	8,994
2. Mark Iannotti, 2014-15	6,386
3. Nick Hill, 2005-07	6,025
4. Kory Faulkner, 2010-13	5,932
5. Chris Dieker, 2007-10	5,735
6. Rick Johnson, 1980-83	5,461
7. Sherard Poteete, 1999-00	5,033
8. Scott Gabbert, 1988-92	4,844
9. <u>Sam Straub, 2015-pres.</u>	4,747
10. Tom Koutsos, 1999-2003	4,715

All-Purpose Yardage (Career)

<i>Rushing, Receiving, Return Yardage</i>	
1. Arkee Whitlock, 2004-06	5,601
2. Tom Koutsos, 1999-2003	5,077
3. Cornell Craig, 1996-99	4,557
4. Karlton Carpenter, 1995-98	4,375
5. <u>D.J. Davis, 2016-pres.</u>	3,798
6. Billy Swain, 1990-93	3,719
7. Burnell Quinn, 1976-79	3,419
8. Steve Strother, 2009-12	3,215

Punting Average (Career)

<i>Minimum 50 attempts</i>	
1. Scott Ravanasi, 2006-09	42.56
2. Derek Mathewson, 2014-15	41.96
3. John Amitrano, 1997-98	41.51
4. Mark Gagliano, 1993-96	40.92
5. Barclay Allen, 1966-69	40.70
6. Steve Mick, 1976-77	40.66
7. <u>Lane Reazin, 2016-pres.</u>	40.40
8. Austin Pucylowski, 2010-13	39.81
9. Tom Striegel, 1978-81	39.16
10. Drew Morrison, 1983-86	38.91

Kickoff Return Yards (Career)

1. <u>D.J. Davis, 2016-pres.</u>	1,683
2. Billy Swain, 1990-93	1,672
3. Craig Turner, 2004-07	1,613

Kickoff Return Average (Career)

<i>Minimum 25 returns</i>	
1. Larry Warner, 2007-08	26.93
2. Tay Willis, 2013-14	25.43
3. JerMarsh Robinson, 1998-00	25.35
4. Craig Turner, 2004-07	24.82
5. Steve Strother, 2009-12	24.46
6. Chris Gadson, 2001-02	24.03
7. <u>D.J. Davis, 2016-pres.</u>	23.2
8. Doug Hollinger, 1967-68	22.14
9. Ivy Moore, 1972-75	22.11
10. LaVance Banks, 1991-93	21.64

Kickoff Returns (Career)

1. Billy Swain, 1990-93	81
2. <u>D.J. Davis, 2016-pres.</u>	72
3. Jeff Ware, 1979-82	66
4. Craig Turner, 2004-07	65

Forced Fumbles (Career)

1. Tyler Williamson, 2012-14	8
2. <u>Jeremy Chinn, 2016-pres.</u>	6
2. Ron Geels, 1976-79	6
2. John Palmero, 1977-79	6
5. Frank Johnson, 2003-05	5

Interceptions (Career)

1. Terry Taylor, 1980-83	20
2. Greg Shipp, 1980-83	18
3. Mike McElroy, 2007-11	15
4. Corey Lindsey, 2007-10	14
5. Chuck Goro, 1967-69	12
5. Pete Winton, 1961-63	12
7. Donnell Daniel, 1982-83	11
7. Oyd Craddock, 1976-79	11
9. Andre King, 1999-01	10
9. Darnell Hendricks, 1994-95	10
9. William Thomas, 1981-84	10
9. Willie Davis, 1986-89	10
13. Alexis Moreland, 2001-04	8
13. <u>Jeremy Chinn, 2016-pres.</u>	8



Miscellaneous Stats

Career 100-yard Rushing Games

Player	Times	Last Time
D.J. Davis	5	126 vs. Indiana State, 10/20/18
Matt DeSomer	3	135 vs. Indiana State, 10/20/18
Chris Perkins	1	116 vs. Missouri State, 10/10/15

Career 100-yard Receiving Games

Player	Times	Last Time
Darrell James	5	105 at South Dakota, 10/28/17
Raphael Leonard	4	103 at Missouri State, 10/27/18
D.J. Davis	1	130 vs. Missouri State, 11/4/17

Career 300-yard Passing Games

Player	Times	Last Time
Sam Straub	8	320 vs. South Dakota, 9/29/18

Special Teams Tackles (Career)

Player	15	16	17	18	Career
Victor Abraham, OLB	—	—	8	7	15
Withney Simon, OLB	2	5	3	4	14
James Ceasar, CB	—	3	6	—	9
Matt DeSomer, QB	—	2	3	2	7
D.J. Davis, RB	—	4	2	—	6
Bryce Notree, ILB	—	—	6	—	6
C. J. Jennings, CB	—	5	—	—	5
Qua Brown, S	—	—	3	1	4
Cody Crider, OLB	—	3	1	—	4
Torian Lewis, CB	2	—	1	1	4
Jonathan Mixon, RB	—	—	4	—	4
Travis Pickert, DE	—	—	—	4	4
Makel Calhoun, OLB	—	—	—	4	4
Oliver McDowell, ILB	—	—	—	4	4
Darrell James, WR	2	0	1	—	3
Chance Bush, CB	—	—	—	3	3
Nico Gualdoni, P	—	—	1	1	2
Madre Harper, CB	—	—	—	2	2
Julian Hylton, S	—	—	—	2	2
Matt Quarrells, WR	—	—	—	2	2
Terrance Henley, CB	—	—	—	2	2
Bryson Strong, LB	—	—	—	2	2
Sam Bonansinga, WR	—	—	1	—	1
Je'Quan Burton, WR	—	—	—	1	1
Jeremy Chinn, S	—	1	—	—	1
Chris Perkins, RB	—	—	—	1	1
Jacob Varble, TE	—	—	—	1	1
Raquan Lindsey, DE	—	—	—	1	1
Cole Steward, TE	—	—	—	1	1

Series vs. Western Illinois 23-35-4

(H: 13-17-1, A: 10-18-3)

Year	SIU	OPP
1933*	W	45 0
1936	T	7 7
1937*	L	0 17
1938	L	0 19
1939*	L	7 20
1940	T	6 6
1941*	T	6 6
1942	L	0 26
1944	W	25 6
1944*	W	39 0
1945*	W	13 6
1946	W	19 7
1947	W	7 0
1948*	L	7 13
1949	L	0 35
1950*	L	7 25
1951	L	12 54
1952*	L	7 38
1953	L	19 47
1954*	L	17 19
1955	T	13 13
1956*	L	7 21
1957	L	13 23
1958*	W	32 31
1959	L	6 33
1960*	W	21 12
1961	L	13 22
1982	W	38 7
1983	W	38 6
1984*	L	24 34
1985	L	7 14
1986*	L	21 24
1987*	L	15 21
1988	L	13 17
1989*	L	7 14
1990*	L	22 24
1991	L	20 21
1992*	L	42 50
1993	L	13 14
1994*	L	21 24
1995	L	7 19
1996*	L	19 26
1997	L	26 31
1998*	L	3 13
1999	L	27 68
2000*	L	17 42
2001	L	21 38
2002*	W	54 52
2003	W	37 32
2004*	W	66 13
2005	W	34 24
2006*	W	31 24
2007	W	10 9
2008*	W	24 14
2009	W	30 10
2010*	W	20 10
2011	L	21 27
2012*	W	35 0
2013	W	34 28
2014*	W	34 17
2015	L	36 37
2016*	W	44 34
2017	L	14 28

FCS Top 25

Oct. 29, 2018

FCS Coaches (1st Place)	W-L	Pts	Prev.
1 North Dakota State (26)	8-0	650	1
2 Kennesaw State	7-1	623	2
3 James Madison	6-2	597	3
4 Eastern Washington	6-2	566	4
5 Weber State	6-2	545	5
6 Elon	5-2	497	6
7 South Dakota State	5-2	481	8
8 Wofford	6-2	480	7
9 UC Davis	7-1	408	13
10 Jacksonville State	6-2	402	12
11 Colgate	7-0	401	11
12 McNeese	6-2	333	16
13 Illinois State	5-3	307	9
14 Princeton	7-0	304	17
15 Towson	6-2	277	10
16 Delaware	6-2	235	21
17 North Carolina A&T	6-2	230	18
18 Stony Brook	6-3	229	15
19 Central Arkansas	5-3	193	14
T-20 Dartmouth	7-0	167	20
T-20 Nicholls	5-3	167	22
22 Sam Houston State	5-3	115	22
23 East Tennessee State	7-2	101	25
24 Southeast Missouri State	6-2	32	NR
25 North Dakota	5-3	29	24

Dropped Out: Northern Iowa (23)

Others Receiving Votes: Maine, 28; Idaho St., 25; Chattanooga, 12; Northern Iowa, 8; Florida A&M, 6; Rhode Island, 1; San Diego, 1.

STATS Media Poll (Record)

	Pts.	Prev.
1 North Dakota State (8-0)	4000 (160)	1
2 Kennesaw State (7-1)	3777	2
3 James Madison (6-2)	3665	3
4 Weber State (6-2)	3416	4
5 Eastern Washington (6-2)	3209	5
6 UC Davis (7-1)	3158	6
7 South Dakota State (5-2)	3084	7
8 Elon (5-2)	2789	8
9 Wofford (6-2)	2688	9
10 Jacksonville State (6-2)	2337	12
11 McNeese (6-2)	2209	14
12 Colgate (7-0)	2046	16
13 Delaware (6-2)	1790	21
14 Illinois State (5-3)	1781	11
15 Towson (6-2)	1774	10
16 Stony Brook (6-3)	1479	15
17 North Carolina A&T (6-2)	1414	18
18 Princeton (7-0)	1345	19
19 Central Arkansas (5-3)	1261	13
20 Nicholls (5-3)	1003	20
21 Sam Houston State (5-3)	661	23
22 ETSU (7-2)	567	25
23 Maine (5-3)	548	24
24 Dartmouth (7-0)	435	NR
25 SE Missouri State (6-2)	316	NR

Others Receiving Votes: North Dakota 314, Northern Iowa 262, Florida A&M 169, Chattanooga 163, Idaho State 160, Rhode Island 87, Western Illinois 32, Monmouth 20, San Diego 20, Alcorn State 12, Montana State 4, Samford 3, Incarnate Word 1, Lamar 1

The Last Time a Saluki Player...

RUSHING

300+ yards rushing:
312, Muhammad Abdulqadir at E. Michigan (9/28/02)

250-299 yards rushing:
273, Deji Karim vs. Illinois State (10/10/09)

200-249 yards rushing:
210, Cameron Walter at Missouri State (11/8/14)

150-199 yards rushing:
172, D.J. Davis vs. SEMO (9/15/18)

125-149 yards rushing:
135, Matt Desomer vs. Indiana State (10/20/18)

100-124 yards rushing:
100, Matt Desomer at Youngstown State (10/6/18)

100 yard rushing game by a quarterback:
135, Matt DeSomer vs. Indiana State (10/20/18)

100 yard rushing game by a freshman:
145, Daquan Isom, at UNI (11/21/15)

Back-to-back 150-yard rushing games:
Deji Karim (155 at SEMO, 11/21/09 & 155 vs. Eastern Illinois, 11/29/09)

Three consecutive 100-yard rushing games:
D.J. Davis, 8/30/18 - 9/15/18

Four consecutive 100-yard rushing games:
D.J. Davis, 8/30/18 - 9/29/18

Five consecutive 100-yard rushing games:
Deji Karim, 9/19-10/17/09

2 rushers with 100 yards:
Matt Desomer (135) and D.J. Davis (126) vs. Indiana State (10/20/18)

2 rushers with 150+ yards:
Arkee Whitlock (158) & Brandon Jacobs (151) at Missouri State (10/23/04)

90+ yard rushing play:
93*, Deji Karim vs. Illinois State (10/10/09)

80-89 yard rushing play:
85, Andre Herrera vs. Northern Illinois (10/23/76)

70-79 yard rushing play:
72, Daquan Isom at UNI (11/21/15)

40+ rushing attempts:
43*, Muhammad Abdulqadir at E. Michigan (9/28/02)

30-39 rushing attempts:
35, D.J. Davis vs. SEMO (9/15/18)

2 rushers with 2 TDs:
Jewel Hampton (2) and Kory Faulkner (2) vs. Eastern Illinois, 11/12/11

6 TDs rushing:
Andre Herrera* vs. Northern Illinois (10/23/76)

5 TDs rushing:
Muhammad Abdulqadir vs. W. Virginia Tech (9/21/02)

4 TDs rushing:
Arkee Whitlock at Northern Iowa (11/11/06)

3 TDs rushing by a quarterback:
Paul McIntosh at SEMO (11/21/09)

2 TDs rushing by a quarterback:
Matt DeSomer vs. Youngstown State (11/11/17)

RECEIVING

200 yards receiving:
219*, Cornell Craig vs. Illinois State (10/11/97)
203, Israel Lamprakes vs. #23 W. Illinois (11/19/16)

150-199 yards receiving:
154, Darrell James at Indiana State (10/21/17)

100-149 yards receiving:
103, Raphael Leonard at Missouri State (10/27/18)

Back-to-back 100-yard receiving games:
Raphael Leonard - 9/8/18 at Mississippi (117) and 9/15/18 vs. SEMO (124)

Back-to-back 150-yard receiving games:
11/12 - 11/19/16, Israel Lamprakes at YSU (156) and vs. Western Illinois (203)

Three-straight 100-yard receiving games:
9/20-10/4/14, MyCole Pruitt at Purdue (136), vs. WIU (106), and vs. USD (137)

Four-straight 100-yard receiving games: Never

2 receivers with 100 yards receiving:
Darrell James (154) and Raphael Leonard (104) at Indiana State (10/21/17)

80+ yard pass play:
80, Daquan Isom from Mark Iannotti at Indiana (9/5/15)

70-79 yard pass play:
70, Sam Straub to Raphael Leonard, vs. Mississippi (9/8/18)

60-69 yard pass play:
61, Sam Straub to Darrell James at Ind. St. (10/21/17)

50-59 yard pass play:
54, Israel Lamprakes from Josh Straughan at Missouri State (10/29/16)

10 or more receptions:
11, Raphael Leonard vs. SEMO (9/15/18)

2 receivers with 10 or more receptions:
Billy Reed (14) & Jonathan Mixon (11) vs. ILS (11/14/15)

2 receivers with 3 TDs:
Cornell Craig (3) & Brian Hamlett (3) vs. Murray St. (9/11/99)

2 receivers with 2 TDs:
Cornell Craig vs. Illinois State (10/23/99)

2 TDs receiving: Nigel Kilby at Missouri State (10/27/18)

Five receivers with TDs:
MyCole Pruitt (2), Tay Willis (1), LaSteven McKinney (1) Malcolm Agnew (1), and Adam Fuehne (1) vs. Southeast Missouri (9/13/14)

Four receivers with TDs:
Jimmy Jones (1), Billy Reed (1), Jacob Varble (1) and DJ Davis (1) vs. Murray State (9/17/16)

An OL caught a pass:
Sean Smith (4 yds) vs. Youngstown St. (10/24/09)

PASSING

400 yards passing:
450*, Sam Straub vs. Western Illinois (11/19/16)

300-399 yards passing:
320, Sam Straub vs. South Dakota (9/29/18)

250-299 yards passing:
206, Matt Desomer at Missouri State (10/27/18)

3 Consecutive 300+ passing games:
Sam Straub, 9/8/18 - 9/29/18 at Mississippi (382), vs. SEMO (338) and vs. South Dakota (320)

Consecutive 300+ passing games:
Sam Straub, 9/15/18 (338 vs. SEMO) - 9/29/18 (320 vs. South Dakota)

6 TDs passing: Mark Iannotti vs. SEMO (9/13/14)

5 TDs passing: Never Happened

4 TDs passing: Sam Straub at Mississippi (9/8/18)

Two 40+ yard TD passes in the same game:
Sam Straub, to Israel Lamprakes (70 yds) and Billy Reed (43 yds) vs. Western Illinois (11/19/16)

50+ pass attempts: 59, Sam Straub vs South Dakota (9/29/18)

DEFENSE

15+ tackles:
15, Kyron Watson vs. UNI (9/30/17)

3+ sacks: 3.0, Eze Obiora, at Eastern Illinois (8/30/12)

4.0+ tackles for a loss:
4.0, Chauncey Mixon at Illinois State (11/22/08)

3.0 TFL: 3.0, Anthony Knighton v MVSU (9/9/17)

4 INT: Greg Shipp* vs. Western Carolina (12/17/83)

3 INT: Orlando Rodgers at UT-Martin (9/12/98)

2 INT: Ryan Neal at Indiana State (10/21/17)

3 players with interceptions:
Craig James (1), Jeremy Chinn (1), and Roman Tatum (1), vs. Illinois State (10/14/17)

4 players with an interception:
Tyler Williamson (1), Terrell Wilson (1), Bryan Presume (1), & DJ Cameron (1) at ILS (10/6/12)

INT return for TD: Michael Elbert (55 yds) at MSU(10/27/18)

2 players with interceptions returned for TDs:
Brandon Williams (34), Mike McElroy (80) vs. Missouri State (11/14/09)

INT and FF in same game:
Ryan Neal, vs. Western Illinois (11/19/16)

Last DL with an interception:
Khari Waithe-Alexander vs. Murray State (9/17/16)

Last DL with two interceptions for TDs in a season:
Larry Luster in 2007 (vs. UNI and Indiana St.)

Fumble recovery for TD:
Qua Brown (23 yards), at MSU (8/30/18)
Michael Elbert (77 yards) at MSU (8/30/18)

Scored on a safety: TEAM, vs. SEMO (9/21/13)

SPECIAL TEAMS

Blocked a PAT: Ryan Neal at Indiana State (10/17/15)

Returned a blocked PAT: Trevor Moe vs. UNI (11/11/06)

Blocked a field goal: Jeremy Chinn and Terrance Henley vs. Indiana State (10/20/18)

Blocked 2 field goals in a game:
Craig Turner vs. Arkansas Pine-Bluff (9/22/07)

Returned a blocked field goal for a touchdown:
Bryan Presume at Western Illinois (11/2/13)

Blocked a punt: Anthony Knighton vs. South Dakota (9/29/18)

Blocked a punt in back-to-back games:
Brandon Williams, 10/3-10/10/15

Blocked a kick in three-straight games:
Brandon Williams, 9/26 (FG), 10/3-10/10/15 (P)

Returned a blocked punt for a touchdown:
Brandon Williams at WIU (10/3/15)

Returned a kickoff for a TD:
DJ Davis (98 yards) vs. Murray State (9/17/16)

Returned an opening kickoff for a TD:
DJ Davis (98 yards) vs. Murray State (9/17/16)

2 Salukis returned kickoffs for TDs in same game
Never Happened

Returned a punt for a TD:
Craig Turner (83 yards) vs. W. Kentucky (10/21/06)

Kicked a field goal of 50+ yards
51, Austin Johnson at Illinois State (10/15/16)

Recorded a punt of 80+ yards
83, Scott Ravanasi vs. Massachusetts (12/1/07)

Recorded a punt of 70+ yards:
75, Nick Neidig vs. Western Illinois (9/27/14)

TOTAL OFFENSE/ALL-PURPOSE

400 yards total offense:
418, Sam Straub at Mississippi (9/8/18)

300-100 (passing-rushing):
411-106, Mark Iannotti at Indiana (9/5/15)

300 yards all-purpose: 310, Deji Karim vs. ILS (10/10/09)

200 yards all-purpose:
236, D.J. Davis vs. South Dakota (9/29/18)

The Last Time a Saluki Team Had...

OFFENSE

80+ points: 80 vs. Shurtleff College (11/12/1915)
70-79 points: 73, vs. Missouri State (10/10/15)
60-69 points: 60, vs. Indiana State (10/11/08)
50-59 points: 55, vs. Miss. Valley State (9/9/17)
40-49 points: 49, at Missouri State (10/27/18)
0 points: at South Dakota (10/28/17)
0 points in 1st half: at Illinois State (10/13/18)
0 points in 2nd half: at South Dakota (10/28/17)
Did not score a Touchdown: at Illinois State (10/13/18)
400+ yards rushing: 435, vs. SW Baptist (9/19/09)
300-399 yards rushing: 300, at Murray State (8/30/18)
Fewer than 100 yds rushing: 90 at Illinois State (10/13/18)
70+ rushing attempts: 74, at Indiana State (10/31/81)
60-69 rushing attempts: 65, at Murray State (8/30/18)
50-59 rushing attempts: 53, vs. Indiana State (10/20/18)
7+ rushing TDs: 7, vs. Quincy (9/2/10)
6 rushing TDs: vs. Missouri State (10/20/07)
5 rushing TDs: vs. Mississippi Valley State (9/9/17)
500+ yards passing: Never
400-499 yards passing: 450 vs Western Illinois (11/19/16)
300-399 yards passing: 320 vs. South Dakota (9/29/18)
Less than 100 yards passing: 62, at W. Illinois (11/18/17)
60+ pass attempts: 61, vs. South Dakota (9/29/18)
50-59 pass attempts: 53, vs. WIU (11/19/16)
40+ pass completions: 42*, vs. Illinois State (11/14/15)
30-39 pass completions: 32, vs. South Dakota (9/29/18)
700+ total net yards: 754*, vs. Bradley (10/31/70)
600-699 total net yards: 629, at Mississippi (9/8/18)
500-599 total net yards: 527 vs. South Dakota (9/15/18)
400-499 total net yards: 470 at Missouri State (10/27/18)
Fewer than 100 total net yards:
 64, at McNeese State (9/11/76)
Fewer than 200 total net yards: 177, at NDSU (10/27/12)
Had a 200-yard rusher and 200-yard passer:
 vs. Illinois State (10/10/09) - Deji Karim (273 rushing) & Chris Dieker (274 passing)
Had a 400-yard passer & 2 100-yard receivers:
 vs. Western Illinois (11/19/16) - Sam Straub (450) to Billy Reed (138) and Israel Lamprakes (203)
39+ minutes of possession: 39:57, at Ill. St. (10/2/10)
Did not allow a sack: vs. South Dakota (9/29/18)
Did not allow a sack in back-to-back games:
 2017 - 9/16 (at SEMO), 9/23 (at MEM) and 9/30/17 (vs. UNI)
Did not allow a sack in three-straight games:
 2017 - 9/16 (at SEMO), 9/23 (at MEM) and 9/30/17 (vs. UNI)
Did not allow a sack in four-straight games:
 2015 - 9/26 (vs. Liberty), 10/3 (at WIU), 10/10 (vs. MSU) and 10/17/15 (at INS)

DEFENSE

Shutout an opponent: vs. Taylor, 45-0 (8/28/14)
Shutout an opponent in 1st half: vs. Ill. St. (10/14/17)
Shutout an opponent in 2nd half: at MSU (8/30/18)
Did not allow an offensive TD: vs. MVSU (9/9/17)
Held two opponents scoreless in the same season:
 2012, Ill. St. (17-0) and WIU (35-0)
Held an opponent to 0 or fewer yards in a quarter:
 0, fourth quarter at Illinois State (10/2/10)
6+ interceptions: 6*, at Murray State (9/31/00)
5 interceptions: at Illinois State (10/24/92)
4 interceptions: at Illinois State (10/6/12)
3 interceptions: vs. Illinois State (10/14/17)
5 fumble recoveries: vs. Eastern Illinois (11/28/09)
4 fumble recoveries: at Murray State (8/30/18)
3 fumble recoveries: vs. Youngstown State (11/11/17)
16 TFL in a game: 16.0, vs. Miss Valley St (9/9/17)

10-15 TFL in a game: 10, at Youngstown State (10/6/18)
9 TFL in a game: at Murray State (8/30/18)
8 TFL in a game: at Missouri State (10/27/18)
6+ sacks in a game: 6, vs. Miss Valley St (9/9/17)
5 sacks in a game: 5, vs. SEMO (9/15/18)
0 sacks in a game: at Western Illinois (11/18/17)
Scored 3 Def. TD: 3 (2 fumble, 1 int.) at MSU (8/30/18)

TURNOVERS

Forced 6 or more turnovers in a game:
 6, at Murray State (4 FR, 2 Int) (8/30/18)
Forced 5 turnovers in a game: vs. Illinois State (10/14/17)
Forced 4 turnovers in a game: vs. Youngstown (11/11/17)
Committed 6 or more turnovers in a game:
 7, at SEMO (9/12/15)
Committed 5 turnovers in a game:
 at South Dakota (10/28/17)
Committed 4 turnovers in a game: at Ind. St. (10/21/17)
Did not force a turnover: vs. Indiana State (10/20/18)
Did not force a turnover in back-to-back games:
 2017 - 10/28 (@USD) & 11/4 (MSU)
Did not force a turnover in 3-straight games:
 11/22/14-9/12/15
Did not commit a turnover: at Missouri State (10/27/18)
Lost 4 or more fumbles: at SEMO (9/12/15)
Lost 3 fumbles: vs. Illinois State (11/14/15)

SPECIAL TEAMS

Scored 13 or more points kicking:
 14, vs. SEMO (9/15/18))
Scored 10-12 points kicking: 11, at Mississippi (9/8/18)
Punted 10+ times: 10, vs. South Dakota (9/29/18)
Totaled 175 or more kickoff return yards:
 212, vs. YSU (10/15/11)
Totaled 100 or more punt return yards:
 164, vs. Western Kentucky (10/21/06)
Missed a PAT: Matt Sotiropoulos vs. MVSU (9/9/17)
Attempted a two-point conversion: vs. SDSU (10/8/16)
Successful two-point conversion:
 vs. SDSU (Austin Johnson rush), 10/8/16)
Attempted an onside kick:
 vs. Indiana State - failed (10/20/18)

MISCELLANEOUS

Scored four non-offensive touchdowns:
 at Youngstown State (2 fumble returns, int. return, blocked punt return), 10/20/12
Scored on offense, defense and special teams:
 2015 - at Western Illinois (INT return, block punt return), 10/3/15
...in back-to-back games:
 2012 - vs. UNI (10/13/12) and at YSU (10/20/12)

An Opposing Player Had...

35+ carries: Corey Lewis, Northern Iowa (9/17/08)
200+ yards rushing: 202, James Robinson, Illinois St. (10/13/18)
150 yards rushing:
 156, Ja'Quan Keys, Indiana State (10/20/18)
2 rushers with 100 yards: Indiana St., Ja'Quan Keys (156) and Ryan Boyle (104) (10/20/18)
45+ pass att: 46, Peyton Huslig, Missouri State (10/27/18)
30+ pass comp: 30, Taryn Christian, SDSU (10/8/16)
400 yards passing: 404, Peyton Huslig, Missouri State (10/27/18)

300 yards passing: 333, Austin Simmons, South Dakota (9/29/18)
50+ yard rushing play: 52, Ryan Boyle, Indiana St. (10/20/18)
70+ yard pass play:
 89, A. Simmons to Dakarai Allen, South Dakota (9/29/18)
50-69 yard pass play:
 55, Jordan Ta'amu to Braylon Sanders, at Mississippi (9/8/18)
10+ receptions: 12, Dallas Goedert, SDSU (10/8/16)
200 yards receiving: N/A
150-199 yards receiving:
 173, Lorenzo Thomas, Missouri State (10/27/18)
100-149 yards receiving:
 133, Braylon Sanders, Mississippi (9/8/18)
5 FGs: Tom Bishop, New Hampshire (11/29/08)
4 FGs: Arnado Villarreal, Northwestern (9/13/08)
A 50+ yard FG: 50, Sean Slattery, Illinois State (10/15/16)
Punt return for a TD: 90 yds, M. Dorleant, UNI (11/21/15)
Kick return for a TD: 100, Tony Pollard, Memphis (9/23/17)
Interception return for a TD:
 88 yards, Vernon Dasher, Mississippi (9/8/18)
Blocked Punt: Alex Romenesko, SDSU (10/7/17)
Returned a blocked punt for a touchdown:
 LeMarcus Stewart (2 yards), MSU (11/8/14)
Fumble recovery for a TD:
 56 yards, Victor Evans, Mississippi (9/8/18)

An Opposing Team Had...

400+ yards rushing: 409, Illinois State (10/13/18)
300+ yards rushing: 352, SEMO (9/15/18)
200+ yards rushing: 293, Indiana State (10/20/18)
Fewer than 100 yards rushing: 63, Missouri State (10/27/18)
Fewer than 50 yards rushing: 37, UNI (10/12/13)
Fewer than 25 yards rushing: 16, WIU (11/17/12)
Negative yards rushing: -8, Miss Vall St (9/9/17)
 -7, Western Illinois (11/13/10)
500+ yards passing: 553, Murray State (9/11/99)
400-499 yards passing: 404, Missouri State (10/27/18)
300-399 yards passing: 333, South Dakota (9/29/18)
Fewer than 100 yards passing: 88, ILS (11/14/15)
Two receivers with 100+ yards: Mississippi (9/8/18)
 A.J. Brown (155) and Braylon Sanders (133)
500+ yards total offense: 541, Illinois State (10/13/18)
Less than 100 yards total offense: 90, INS (10/31/09)
5 or fewer first downs: 5, St. Joseph (9/27/03)
60+ points: 76, Mississippi (9/8/18)
50-59 points: 51, Illinois State (10/13/18)
40-49 points: 48, SEMO (9/15/18)
0 points: vs. Taylor (8/28/14)
0 points in 1st Half: vs. Illinois State (10/14/17)
0 points in 2nd Half: Murray State (8/30/18)
Didn't score a TD: Mississippi Valley State (9/9/17)
Attempted a two-point conversion:
 Youngstown State (10/6/18)
Successful two-point conversion:
 Youngstown State (Farrar pass from VanGorder), 10/6/18
Missed a PAT:
 Luke Logan, Mississippi (9/8/18)
Scored on a safety: Illinois State (11/22/14)

Saluki Stadium Records

Longest Plays

Rush			
SIU	65	*Malcolm Agnew, vs. Taylor	8/28/14
OPP	75	Marshaun Coprich, ILS	11/14/15
Pass			
SIU	76	Josh Straughan to Jimmy Jones, vs. SEMO	9/10/16
OPP	89	*Austin Simmons to Dakarai Allen, South Dakota	9/29/18
Kickoff Return			
SIU	98	*D.J. Davis, vs. Murray	9/17/16
OPP	57	Deion Holliman, MSU	10/10/15
Punt Return			
SIU	38	LaSteven McKinney, vs. Taylor	8/28/14
OPP	36	Deion Holliman, MSU	10/10/15
Field Goal Made			
SIU	47	Thomas Kinney, vs. NDSU	10/19/13
	47	Thomas Kinney, vs. MSU	11/9/13
OPP	57	John Lunsford, Liberty	9/26/15
Field Goal Attempted			
SIU	54	Austin Johnson, vs. SDSU	10/8/16
OPP	57	Twice by John Lunsford, Liberty	9/26/15
Interception Return			
SIU	41	*Kenny James, vs. YSU	10/24/15
OPP	87	*Cole Brodie, SDSU	10/16/10
Fumble Return			
SIU	100	*Bryan Presume, vs. UNI	10/13/12
OPP	74	Pat Meehan, ILS	11/14/15

* indicates touchdown was scored

Individual Highs

Passing Attempts			
SIU	63	Mark Iannotti, vs. ILS	11/14/15
OPP	57	Jimmy Garoppolo, EIU	9/7/13
Passing Completions			
SIU	42	Mark Iannotti, vs. ILS	11/14/15
OPP	34	Jimmy Garoppolo, EIU	9/7/13
Passing Yards			
SIU	450	Sam Straub, vs. WIU	11/19/16
OPP	466	Taryn Christian, SDSU	10/8/16
Passing Touchdowns			
SIU	6	Mark Iannotti, vs. SEMO	9/13/14
OPP	5	Taryn Christian, SDSU	10/8/16
Total Offense			
SIU	469	Sam Straub, WIU	11/19/16
OPP	475	Taryn Christian, SDSU	10/8/16
Rushing Attempts			
SIU	35	D.J. Davis, vs. SEMO	9/15/18
OPP	33	Shakir Bell, INS	9/29/12
	33	Ja'Quan Keys, INS	10/20/18
Rushing Yards			
SIU	172	D.J. Davis, vs. SEMO	9/15/18
OPP	311	Marquis Terry, SEMO	9/15/18
Rushing Touchdowns			
SIU	3	Lucien Walker, vs. Quincy	9/2/10
	3	Jewel Hampton, vs. YSU	10/15/11
	3	Malcolm Agnew, vs. USD	10/4/14
OPP	4	Marquis Terry, SEMO	9/15/18
Receptions			
SIU	14	Billy Reed, vs. ILS	11/14/15
OPP	12	Dallas Goedert, SDSU	10/8/16
Receiving Yards			
SIU	203	Israel Lamprakes, vs. WIU	11/19/16
OPP	183	Dakarai Allen, South Dakota	9/29/18
Receiving Touchdowns			
SIU	2	Last by Nigel Kilby, vs. South Dakota	9/29/18
OPP	2	multiple times	

All-Purpose Yards

SIU	236	D.J. Davis vs. South Dakota	9/29/18
OPP	254	Marshaun Coprich, ILS	11/14/15
Tackles			
SIU	16	Kenny James, vs. Liberty	9/26/15
	16	Kenny James, vs. YSU	10/24/15
OPP	20	Nick DeLuca, NDSU	10/31/15
	20	Christian Rozeboom, SDSU	10/8/16
Tackles For Loss			
SIU	3.5	Jason Seaman, vs. INS	11/20/10
OPP	4.0	Justin Hornsby, INS	10/22/16
Sacks			
SIU	3.0	Jayson DiManche, vs. WIU	11/13/10
OPP	2.5	Justin Hornsby, INS	10/22/16
Interceptions			
SIU	1	Many times	
OPP	2	Xavier Rowe, WIU	11/19/16
	2	Calvin Burnett, Ind. St.	9/29/12
	2	Cole Brodie, SDSU	10/16/10
Field Goals Made			
SIU	3	Austin Johnson, vs. NDSU	10/31/15
	3	Matt Sotiropoulos, vs. SEMO	9/10/16
	3	Nico Gualdoni, vs. SEMO	9/15/18
OPP	3	Justin Syrovatka, SDSU	11/3/12
	3	Ryan McCrum, SEMO	9/13/14
	3	Ryan McCrum, SEMO	9/10/16

Team Highs

Points	
SIU	73 vs. Missouri State, 10/10/15
OPP	48, SEMO, 9/15/18
Rushing Yards	
SIU	385, vs. Missouri State, 10/10/15
OPP	397, North Dakota St., 10/31/15
Passing Yards	
SIU	450, vs. WIU, 11/19/16
OPP	466, SDSU, 10/8/16
Total Offense	
SIU	673, vs. Missouri State, 10/10/15
OPP	622, Eastern Illinois, 9/7/13
Turnovers	
SIU	5, vs. WIU, 11/19/16
OPP	5, SEMO, 9/13/14
Fumbles Lost	
SIU	3 (2x), last vs. ILS, 11/14/15
OPP	4, SEMO, 9/13/14
Interceptions Thrown	
SIU	3 (3x), last vs. SEMO, 9/15/18
OPP	3 (4x), last WIU, 11/19/16
Penalties	
SIU	12, vs. South Dakota, 11/5/16
OPP	16, South Dakota, 9/29/18
	16, SEMO, 9/15/18
Penalty Yards	
SIU	126, vs. South Dakota, 11/5/16
OPP	165, SEMO, 9/15/18
Time of Possession	
SIU	37:41, Western Illinois, 11/13/10
OPP	36:25, Missouri State, 9/24/11
Sacks By	
SIU	6 vs. South Dakota State, 11/3/12
OPP	6, South Dakota State, 10/8/16
Punts	
SIU	10, vs. South Dakota, 9/29/18
OPP	12, Western Illinois, 11/17/12

Combined Team Game Highs

Points		
99	Southern Illinois 73, Missouri St. 26	10/10/15
92	Southern Illinois 44, SEMO 48	9/15/18
Passing Yards		
888	South Dakota St. 466, Southern Illinois 422	10/8/16
787	Southern Illinois 450, Western Illinois 337	11/19/16
Rushing Yards		
587	Southern Illinois 294, Indiana St. 293	10/20/18
561	Southern Illinois 209, SEMO 352	9/15/18
Total Yards		
1,125	Eastern Illinois 622, Southern Illinois 503	9/7/13
1,078	Southern Illinois 547, SEMO 531	9/15/18
Turnovers		
6	Southern Illinois 3, Western Illinois 3	11/19/16
5	Southern Illinois 4, Northern Iowa 1	10/9/10
Fumbles Lost		
2	Illinois St. 2, Southern Illinois 0	11/14/15
1	11 times	
Interceptions		
6	Southern Illinois 3, Western Illinois 3	11/19/16
4	Five Times	
Sacks		
9	Southern Illinois 6, South Dakota St. 3	11/3/12
8	South Dakota St. 6, Southern Illinois 2	10/8/16
Penalties		
25	SEMO 16, Southern Illinois 9	9/15/18
24	South Dakota 16, Southern Illinois 8	9/29/18
Penalty Yards		
265	SEMO 165, Southern Illinois 100	9/15/18
217	South Dakota 138, Southern Illinois 79	9/10/16
Punts		
22	South Dakota 12, Southern Illinois 10	9/29/18
16	Indiana State 9, Southern Illinois 7	9/29/12

Combined Team Game Lows

Points		
12	N. Dakota State 9, Southern Illinois 3	10/8/11
27	Indiana State 24, Southern Illinois 3	9/29/12
Passing Yards		
221	Southern Illinois 148, Indiana St. 73	9/29/12
246	SEMO 163, Southern Illinois 83	9/18/10
Rushing Yards		
188	Southern Illinois 128, N. Dakota State 60	10/8/11
192	Indiana St. 102, Southern Illinois 90	10/22/16
Total Yards		
449	Southern Illinois 307, Western Illinois 142	11/17/12
507	Southern Illinois 297, N. Dakota State 210	10/8/11

Miscellaneous Records

Attendance		
15,000	Southern Illinois 70, Quincy 7	9/2/10
13,356	Southern Illinois 48, Northern Iowa 38	10/9/10
Biggest Comeback		
SIU	17 pts vs. Western Illinois (3Q)	11/19/16
OPP	21 pts SEMO vs. Southern Illinois (2Q)	9/18/10
Longest Duration		
3:54	SEMO 48, Southern Illinois 44	9/15/18
3:46	S. Dakota St. 45, Southern Illinois 39	10/8/16
Win Streak		
5G	11/16/13 vs. ILS through 10/4/14 vs. USD	
Win Streak vs. Ranked		
2G	10/9/10 vs. UNI through 11/13/10 vs. WIU	
	9/26/15 vs. Liberty through 10/24/15 vs. YSU	
Loss Streak		
5G	11/4/17 vs. Missouri St. through 10/20/18 vs. Indiana St.	

SIU Scoring Drives Breakdown

	<u>Play-Yards</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Result</u>	<u>Quarter</u>
Murray St.	11-75	3:22	TD	1st
Murray St.	8-71	1:09	TD	2nd
Murray St.	9-42	2:42	TD	3rd
Murray St.	12-80	7:10	TD	4th
Ole Miss	5-56	0:50	TD	1st
Ole Miss	6-75	3:25	TD	1st
Ole Miss	10-75	4:30	TD	1st
Ole Miss	14-70	6:34	FG	2nd
Ole Miss	6-75	2:34	TD	2nd
Ole Miss	3-75	0:28	TD	2nd
Ole Miss	8-35	3:02	FG	3rd
SEMO	7-40	2:21	FG	1st
SEMO	3-13	0:50	TD	1st
SEMO	5-64	1:24	TD	2nd
SEMO	10-57	4:35	FG	2nd
SEMO	13-76	5:22	TD	3rd
SEMO	9-60	3:06	FG	4th
SEMO	8-77	3:26	TD	4th
SEMO	10-75	2:33	TD	4th
South Dakota	5-70	1:44	TD	1st
South Dakota	1-20	0:05	TD	1st
South Dakota	12-76	1:54	FG	2nd
South Dakota	8-66	1:51	TD	4th
YSU	9-54	3:05	TD	2nd
YSU	18-75	7:09	TD	4th
Illinois St.	17-66	6:17	FG	3rd
Indiana St.	12-81	6:42	TD	1st
Indiana St.	8-70	2:48	TD	4th
Indiana St.	6-59	1:55	TD	4th
Missouri St.	8-75	3:04	TD	2nd
Missouri St.	3-75	0:53	TD	2nd
Missouri St.	11-75	2:06	TD	2nd
Missouri St.	4-73	1:03	TD	3rd
Missouri St.	9-72	3:01	TD	3rd
Missouri St.	2-13	0:40	TD	4th

Opponent Scoring Drives Breakdown

	<u>Play-Yards</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Result</u>	<u>Quarter</u>
Murray St.	6-12	1:40	FG	1st
Murray St.	3-28	0:48	TD	2nd
Ole Miss	11-65	3:07	TD	1st
Ole Miss	3-81	0:55	TD	1st
Ole Miss	4-87	1:04	TD	2nd
Ole Miss	5-75	1:32	TD	2nd
Ole Miss	10-75	2:49	TD	2nd
Ole Miss	2-59	0:24	TD	3rd
Ole Miss	5-75	1:12	TD	3rd
Ole Miss	7-52	1:36	TD	4th
Ole Miss	10-70	5:51	TD	4th
SEMO	9-84	2:56	TD	4th
SEMO	1-74	0:12	TD	1st
SEMO	13-64	3:14	FG	2nd
SEMO	2-29	0:50	TD	3rd
SEMO	5-77	2:12	TD	3rd
SEMO	4-22	2:01	FG	3rd
SEMO	8-75	3:46	TD	4th
SEMO	7-76	1:20	TD	4th
South Dakota	2-9	0:39	TD	1st
South Dakota	13-74	4:01	FG	2nd
South Dakota	11-70	2:54	TD	3rd
South Dakota	2-98	0:26	TD	3rd
South Dakota	2-89	0:38	TD	3rd
YSU	9-50	2:45	FG	1st
YSU	10-19	4:29	FG	2nd
YSU	14-76	6:15	TD	4th
YSU	8-22	3:04	FG	4th
Illinois St.	12-87	6:18	TD	1st
Illinois St.	6-62	2:24	FG	2nd
Illinois St.	7-51	2:27	TD	2nd
Illinois St.	5-65	2:01	TD	2nd
Illinois St.	6-71	2:01	TD	2nd
Illinois St.	2-52	0:38	TD	3rd
Illinois St.	8-83	4:33	TD	4th
Illinois St.	8-42	3:51	TD	4th
Indiana St.	10-71	3:46	TD	1st
Indiana St.	10-84	2:58	TD	2nd
Indiana St.	9-75	3:40	TD	3rd
Indiana St.	10-29	4:12	FG	3rd
Missouri St.	12-81	5:04	TD	1st
Missouri St.	9-55	3:49	TD	2nd
Missouri St.	6-75	2:09	TD	2nd
Missouri St.	9-75	4:08	TD	4th
Missouri St.	10-48	2:51	TD	4th