

TROY

2016-17 SUN BELT CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS



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GENERAL

Location.....Troy, Ala.
 Founded.....1887
 Enrollment.....20,000
 Nickname.....Trojans
 Colors.....Cardinal (PMS 202), Silver (PMS 877)
and Black
 Conference.....Sun Belt (SBC)

ADMINISTRATION

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TROJAN ARENA

Year Opened.....2012
 Capacity.....5,200
 Attendance Record.....5,120 (Nov. 9, 2012)
 Record.....52-48
 Best Season.....10-4 (2016-17)
 Record Under Coach Cross.....0-0

HISTORY

Seasons of Basketball.....69th in 2019-20
 First Season.....1950-51
 All-Time Record.....1064-895 (.543)
 First NCAA Division I Season.....1993-94
 Seasons.....26th in 2018-19
 All-Time Record.....374-304 (.552)
 NCAA Tournament Appearances.....2
 Record.....0-2
 Last (Round).....2017 (First)
 NIT Appearances (Last).....4 (2010)
 CBI Appearances (Last).....1 (2009)
 Reg. Season Conference Titles (Last).....11 (2010)
 Sun Belt Championships (Last).....1 (2017)

TEAM INFORMATION

2018-19 Record.....12-18
 Home.....8-8
 Away.....4-10
 Neutral.....0-0
 SBC Record.....5-13
 Home.....3-6
 Away.....2-7
 Finish.....11th
 Tournament.....N/A
 Starters Returning/Lost.....1/4
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost.....7/8
 Newcomers for 2018-19.....8

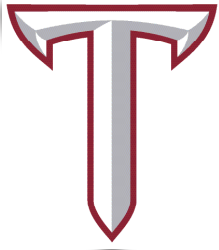
2019-20 Roster Information

Starters Returning (1)						HT	WT	CL	POS	PPG	RPG	APG	BPG	SPG
3	Darian Adams	6-3	207	Jr.	G	8.9	2.8	3.8	0.2	0.9				
Letterwinners Returning (7)						HT	WT	CL	POS	PPG	RPG	APG	BPG	SPG
2	KJ Simon	6-3	197	So.	G	3.4	1.2	1.2	0.4	0.7				
10	Zay Williams	6-8	186	So.	F	3.1	2.2	0.2	0.8	0.2				
12	Charles Norman	6-2	175	Sr.	G	5.4	1.2	0.6	0.1	0.4				
15	Atakan Sahinkaya	6-5	215	So.	F	1.4	0.6	0.2	0.1	0.4				
20	Jalen Tuck	5-10	187	So.	G	1.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0				
35	Davion Tree 'Thomas	6-9	210	Jr.	F	2.3	1.7	0.2	0.2	0.0				
Newcomers (8)						HT	WT	CL	POS	Hometown / High School (Previous School)				
0	Jitaurious Gordon	6-0	200	Jr.	G					Tunica, Miss./Horn Lake (Northwest Mississippi CC)				
1	Tyrek Williams	6-8	260	Fr.	F					Queens, N.Y./Combine Academy				
4	Tahj Small	6-5	195	So.	G					Durham, N.C./Mount Zion Prep (Moberly CC)				
5	Jordan Jackson	6-1	185	Fr.	G					Birmingham, Ala./Heritage Christian Academy				
11	Desmond Williams	6-1	166	Fr.	G					Montgomery, Ala./Brewbaker Tech				
13	Khalyl Waters	6-6	185	Jr.	F					Douglasville, Ga./Douglas County (Georgia Highlands)				
14	Jakevan Leftridge	6-4	177	Fr.	G					Dallas, Texas/Wilmer-Hutchins				
24	Nick Stampley	6-6	210	Jr.	F					Popano Beach, Fla./Blanche Ely (East Florida State)				
Starters Lost (4)						HT	WT	CL	POS	PPG	RPG	APG	BPG	SPG
1	Javan Johnson	6-7	198	So.	F	10.4	4.2	1.6	0.7	0.5				
11	BJ Miller	6-1	190	Sr.	G	9.1	2.4	2.6	0.1	1.3				
23	Jordon Varnado	6-6	230	Sr.	F	21.5	7.8	2.5	1.2	0.7				
30	Alex Hicks	6-8	215	Sr.	F	12.4	8.2	0.8	0.9	0.7				

COACHES & STAFF

Head Coach.....Scott Cross
 Alma Mater.....UT-Arlington '98
 Record at Troy (Seasons).....0-0 (1)
 Career Record (Seasons).....225-161 (5)
 Assistant Coach.....Kenneth Mangrum
 Alma Mater.....North Texas '02
 Assistant Coach.....Jermaine Johnson
 Alma Mater.....United States Sports Academy '07
 Assistant Coach.....Mike Worley
 Alma Mater.....Denver '95
 Director of Operations.....Marshall Moorhouse
 Alma Mater.....Texas A&M '16
 Video Coordinator.....Trent Patterson
Troy '18
 Secretary.....LeAnn Register
 Strength & Conditioning.....Chris Johnson
 Athletic Trainer.....Will Houck
 Basketball Office Phone.....(334) 670-3685

Stats are from 2018-19



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TROY BASKETBALL | 2019-20 ROSTER

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NUMERICAL ROSTER

#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	YR	EXP	HOMETOWN	PREVIOUS SCHOOL
0	Jitaurious Gordon	G	6-0	200	Jr.	Transfer	Tunica, Miss.	Northwest Mississippi CC
1	Tyrek Williams	F	6-8	260	Fr.	HS	Queens, N.Y.	Combine Academy
2	KJ Simon	G	6-3	190	So.	1L	Orlando, Fla.	West Orange High School
3	Darian Adams	G	6-3	200	Jr.	2L	Montgomery, Ala.	Carver High School
4	Tahj Small	G	6-4	195	So.	Transfer	Durham, N.C.	Moberly CC
5	Jordan Jackson	G	6-1	185	Fr.	HS	Birmingham, Ala.	Heritage Christian Academy
10	Zay Williams	F	6-8	185	So.	1L	Birmingham, Ala.	Parker High School
11	Desmond Williams	G	6-1	166	Fr.	HS	Montgomery, Ala.	Brewbaker Tech
12	Charles Norman	G	6-2	175	Sr.	1L	Durham, N.C.	Shelton State CC
13	Khalyl Waters	F	6-6	185	Jr.	Transfer	Douglasville, Ga.	Georgia Highlands College
14	Jakevan Leftridge	G	6-4	177	Fr.	HS	Dallas, Texas	Wilmer-Hutchins HS
15	Atakan Sahinkaya	F	6-5	215	R-So.	1L	Istanbul, Turkey	Perkiomen School
20	Jalen Tuck	G	5-10	185	So.	1L	Troy, Ala.	Charles Henderson HS
24	Nick Stampley	G	6-4	180	Jr.	Transfer	Pompano Beach, Fla.	Eastern Florida State
35	Davion Thomas	F	6-9	210	R-Jr.	1L	Columbus, Ga.	Middle Tennessee State

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	YR	EXP	HOMETOWN	PREVIOUS SCHOOL
3	Darian Adams	G	6-3	200	R. SO	1L	Montgomery, Ala.	Carver HS
0	Jitaurious Gordon	G	6-0	200	Jr.	Transfer	Tunica, Miss.	Northwest Mississippi CC
5	Jordan Jackson	G	6-1	185	Fr.	HS	Birmingham, Ala.	Heritage Christian Academy
14	Jakevan Leftridge	G	6-4	177	Fr.	HS	Dallas, Texas	Wilmer-Hutchins HS 12
12	Charles Norman	G	6-2	175	Sr.	1L	Durham, N.C.	Shelton State CC15 Atakan
15	Atakan Sahinkaya	F	6-5	215	R-So.	1L	Istanbul, Turkey	Perkiomen School
2	KJ Simon	G	6-3	190	So.	1L	Orlando, Fla.	West Orange High School
4	Tahj Small	G	6-4	195	So.	Transfer	Durham, N.C.	Moberly CC
24	Nick Stampley	G	6-4	180	Jr.	Transfer	Pompano Beach, Fla.	Eastern Florida State
35	Davion Thomas	F	6-9	210	R-Jr.	1L	Columbus, Ga.	Middle Tennessee State
20	Jalen Tuck	G	5-10	185	So.	1L	Troy, Ala.	Charles Henderson HS
13	Khalyl Waters	F	6-6	185	Jr.	Transfer	Douglasville, Ga.	Georgia Highlands College
1	Tyrek Williams	F	6-8	260	Fr.	HS	Queens, N.Y.	Combine Academy
10	Zay Williams	F	6-8	185	So.	1L	Birmingham, Ala.	Parker High School

COACHES & STAFF

NAME	POSITION	SEASONS AT TROY	ALMA MATER
Scott Cross	Head Coach	1st	UT-Arlington '98
Kenneth Mangrum	Assistant Coach	1st	North Texas '02
Jermaine Johnson	Assistant Coach	1st	US Sports Academy '07
Mike Worley	Assistant Coach	7th	Denver '95
Marshall Moorhouse	Director of Basketball Operations	1st	Texas A&M '16
Trent Patterson	Video Coordinator	2nd	Troy '18
LeAnn Register	Secretary	19th	--
Chris Johnson	Strength & Conditioning	3rd	Morehead State '14
Will Houck	Athletic Trainer	1st	
Andrew Stern	Men's Basketball Contact	1st	Pitt '16

» 2018-19 TROY BASKETBALL | OVERALL SEASON STATS

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	12-18	8-8	4-10	0-0
CONFERENCE	5-13	3-6	2-7	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	7-5	5-2	2-3	0-0

#	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds					pf	dq	a	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
					fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fa	ft%	off	def	tot	avg									
23	Varnado, Jordan	20-20	677	33.8	151-287	.526	37-91	.407	90-115	.783	43	113	156	7.8	55	3	49	55	23	13	429	21.5	
30	Hicks, Alex	30-29	880	29.3	143-280	.511	21-66	.318	64-108	.593	78	168	246	8.2	71	2	23	65	27	21	371	12.4	
01	Johnson, Javan	30-30	890	29.7	112-280	.400	53-150	.353	36-50	.720	25	101	126	4.2	61	0	48	50	22	15	313	10.4	
11	Miller, BJ	30-30	870	29.0	97-187	.519	16-44	.364	62-77	.805	13	58	71	2.4	79	3	77	49	3	40	272	9.1	
03	Adams, Darian	30-30	890	29.7	79-219	.361	32-112	.286	48-57	.842	18	71	89	3.0	66	0	98	52	7	26	238	7.9	
12	Norman, Charles	24-2	356	14.8	37-105	.352	32-89	.360	23-29	.793	3	25	28	1.2	21	1	14	12	1	10	129	5.4	
02	Simon, KJ	29-1	361	12.4	39-74	.527	5-20	.250	15-31	.484	11	25	36	1.2	44	1	36	33	13	19	98	3.4	
10	Williams, Zay	30-2	288	9.6	31-63	.492	3-11	.273	28-39	.718	22	45	67	2.2	45	0	5	21	25	5	93	3.1	
22	Rodgers, Spencer	22-3	256	11.6	24-68	.353	19-55	.345	1-3	.333	0	13	13	0.6	23	0	11	15	0	8	68	3.1	
05	Burnett, Malik	22-0	263	12.0	23-72	.319	11-37	.297	10-14	.714	8	21	29	1.3	17	0	24	25	4	4	67	3.0	
00	Foster, Devante	18-2	150	8.3	18-39	.462	3-15	.200	10-13	.769	12	29	41	2.3	24	1	3	12	6	5	49	2.7	
35	Thomas, Davion	13-1	105	8.1	10-26	.385	2-7	.286	8-10	.800	9	13	22	1.7	8	0	2	9	3	0	30	2.3	
15	Sahinkaya, Atakan	10-0	37	3.7	5-11	.455	2-3	.667	2-4	.500	2	4	6	0.6	9	0	2	2	1	4	14	1.4	
13	Tuck, Jalen	6-0	14	2.3	3-5	.600	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	1.0	
21	Walker, Eric	6-0	13	2.2	1-3	.333	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	0.3	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0.3	
Team											39	49	88				7						
Total.....		30	6050		773-1719	.450	236-704	.335	397-550	.722	283	738	1021	34.0	523	11	392	408	135	171	2179	72.6	
Opponents.....		30	6049		795-1774	.448	253-674	.375	399-569	.701	327	743	1070	35.7	501	-	389	375	59	183	2242	74.7	

TEAM STATISTICS	TROY	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.		
SCORING	2179	2242	11/6/18	FT. VALLEY STATE	W 95-60	2562		
Points per game	72.6	74.7	11/10/18	at Saint Louis	L 58-62	6523		
Scoring margin	-2.1	-	11/12/18	at Pitt	L 75-84	3285		
FIELD GOALS-ATT	773-1719	795-1774	11/15/18	SOUTHERN MISS	L 66-81	3007		
Field goal pct	.450	.448	11/18/18	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	W 82-77	1312		
3 POINT FG-ATT	236-704	253-674	11/24/18	UNA	W 77-58	1423		
3-point FG pct	.335	.375	11/29/18	AUSTIN PEAY	Lot 74-79	2761		
3-pt FG made per game	7.9	8.4	12/03/18	at Florida State	L 67-83	7838		
FREE THROWS-ATT	397-550	399-569	12/12/18	CARVER COLLEGE	W 88-43	1512		
Free throw pct	.722	.701	12/16/18	at WKU	W 87-81	5285		
F-Throws made per game	13.2	13.3	12/21/18	at UAB	W 74-73	3212		
REBOUNDS	1021	1070	12/29/18	UAPB	W 71-63	1887		
Rebounds per game	34.0	35.7	* 1/3/19	COASTAL CAROLINA	L 75-88	2131		
Rebounding margin	-1.6	-	* 1/5/19	APPALACHIAN STATE	W 89-85	1902		
ASSISTS	392	389	* 01/10/19	at Little Rock	L 59-73	1318		
Assists per game	13.1	13.0	* 01/12/19	at Arkansas State	Wot 90-85	1802		
TURNOVERS	408	375	* 1/17/19	GEORGIA SOUTHERN	L 82-90	3021		
Turnovers per game	13.6	12.5	* 1/19/19	GEORGIA STATE	W 77-75	3117		
Turnover margin	-1.1	-	* 01/24/19	at ULM	L 69-75	5107		
Assist/turnover ratio	1.0	1.0	* 01/26/19	at Louisiana	L 81-86	4068		
STEALS	171	183	* 02/02/19	at South Alabama	L 75-81	4469		
Steals per game	5.7	6.1	* 2/7/19	LITTLE ROCK	L 70-84	3228		
BLOCKS	135	59	* 2/9/19	ARKANSAS STATE	W 84-79	2214		
Blocks per game	4.5	2.0	* 02/13/19	at Georgia State	L 63-77	1426		
ATTENDANCE	37887	48353	* 02/15/19	at Ga. Southern	L 51-76	2349		
Home games-Avg/Game	16-2368	14-3454	* 2/23/19	SOUTH ALABAMA	L 52-68	3049		
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0	* 2/28/19	TEXAS STATE	L 44-58	2649		
Score by Periods	1st	2nd	OT	Totals				
Troy	1036	1124	19	2179				
Opponents	1020	1203	19	2242				
					* 3/2/19	UT ARLINGTON	L 66-79	2112
					* 3/7/19	at Appalachian State	L 64-72	572
					* 03/09/19	at Coastal Carolina	W 74-67	1099

* - Conference game

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RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	5-13	3-6	2-7	0-0
CONFERENCE	5-13	3-6	2-7	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0

##	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds				pf	dq	a	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
					fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fa	ft%	off	def	tot	avg								
23	Varnado, Jordon	8-8	287	35.9	79-137	.577	22-46	.478	42-55	.764	14	55	69	8.6	23	2	19	22	11	4	222	27.8
30	Hicks, Alex	18-18	538	29.9	78-163	.479	14-44	.318	51-83	.614	48	104	152	8.4	48	1	14	46	17	9	221	12.3
01	Johnson, Javan	18-18	563	31.3	73-179	.408	35-96	.365	26-37	.703	16	71	87	4.8	39	0	28	39	13	10	207	11.5
03	Adams, Darian	18-18	557	30.9	54-140	.386	24-71	.338	29-35	.829	12	39	51	2.8	52	0	69	37	5	18	161	8.9
11	Miller, BJ	18-18	513	28.5	50-112	.446	6-27	.222	31-38	.816	7	31	38	2.1	49	2	39	31	3	25	137	7.6
12	Norman, Charles	13-2	206	15.8	16-54	.296	15-49	.306	15-18	.833	1	11	12	0.9	11	0	4	9	1	3	62	4.8
00	Foster, Devante	9-2	88	9.8	14-27	.519	2-8	.250	10-13	.769	9	16	25	2.8	22	1	1	7	4	3	40	4.4
02	Simon, KJ	17-1	238	14.0	24-45	.533	4-14	.286	4-10	.400	7	12	19	1.1	34	1	21	17	10	11	56	3.3
22	Rodgers, Spencer	13-3	168	12.9	14-41	.341	12-33	.364	0-0	.000	0	5	5	0.4	16	0	7	7	0	6	40	3.1
05	Burnett, Malik	17-0	185	10.9	15-50	.300	7-25	.280	6-10	.600	7	16	23	1.4	11	0	10	19	3	1	43	2.5
10	Williams, Zay	18-1	166	9.2	16-34	.471	1-5	.200	9-17	.529	16	23	39	2.2	24	0	3	9	15	1	42	2.3
35	Thomas, Davion	13-1	105	8.1	10-26	.385	2-7	.286	8-10	.800	9	13	22	1.7	8	0	2	9	3	0	30	2.3
13	Tuck, Jalen	3-0	1	0.3	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.7
15	Sahinkaya, Atakan	4-0	9	2.3	1-4	.250	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1	2	3	0.8	1	0	0	1	0	1	2	0.5
21	Walker, Eric	3-0	1	0.3	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Team											19	23	42				4					
Total.....		18	3625		445-1014	.439	144-427	.337	231-326	.709	166	421	587	32.6	338	7	217	257	85	92	1265	70.3
Opponents.....		18	3625		490-1056	.464	155-385	.403	263-362	.727	191	455	646	35.9	304	-	232	212	38	115	1398	77.7

TEAM STATISTICS	TROY	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
SCORING	1265	1398	* 1/3/19	COASTAL CAROLINA	L 75-88	2131
Points per game	70.3	77.7	* 1/5/19	APPALACHIAN STATE	w 89-85	1902
Scoring margin	-7.4	-	* 01/10/19	at Little Rock	L 59-73	1318
FIELD GOALS-ATT	445-1014	490-1056	* 01/12/19	at Arkansas State	Wot 90-85	1802
Field goal pct	.439	.464	* 1/17/19	GEORGIA SOUTHERN	L 82-90	3021
3 POINT FG-ATT	144-427	155-385	* 1/19/19	GEORGIA STATE	w 77-75	3117
3-point FG pct	.337	.403	* 01/24/19	at ULM	L 69-75	5107
3-pt FG made per game	8.0	8.6	* 01/26/19	at Louisiana	L 81-86	4068
FREE THROWS-ATT	231-326	263-362	* 02/02/19	at South Alabama	L 75-81	4469
Free throw pct	.709	.727	* 2/7/19	LITTLE ROCK	L 70-84	3228
F-Throws made per game	12.8	14.6	* 2/9/19	ARKANSAS STATE	w 84-79	2214
REBOUNDS	587	646	* 02/13/19	at Georgia State	L 63-77	1426
Rebounds per game	32.6	35.9	* 02/15/19	at Ga. Southern	L 51-76	2349
Rebounding margin	-3.3	-	* 2/23/19	SOUTH ALABAMA	L 52-68	3049
ASSISTS	217	232	* 2/28/19	TEXAS STATE	L 44-58	2649
Assists per game	12.1	12.9	* 3/2/19	UT ARLINGTON	L 66-79	2112
TURNOVERS	257	212	* 3/7/19	at Appalachian State	L 64-72	572
Turnovers per game	14.3	11.8	* 03/09/19	at Coastal Carolina	w 74-67	1099
Turnover margin	-2.5	-	* - Conference game			
Assist/turnover ratio	0.8	1.1				
STEALS	92	115				
Steals per game	5.1	6.4				
BLOCKS	85	38				
Blocks per game	4.7	2.1				
ATTENDANCE	23423	22210				
Home games-Avg/Game	9-2603	9-2468				
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0				

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	OT	Totals
Troy	595	658	12	1265
Opponents	646	745	7	1398