

UNIVERSITY OF WEST GEORGIA **MEN'S BASKET**

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	2019-20 SCHEDU	LE
NOV. 8	EMBRY-RIDDLE	L 85-60
NOV. 9	PALM BEACH ATLANTIC	L 87-86 (OT)
Nov. 13	at Benedict	W 74-69
Nov. 16	at Clayton State	L 97-77
NOV. 20	QUEENS (NC)	L 92-85
Nov. 23	at Alabama Huntsville *	L 92-83
Nov. 26	at Morehouse	W 75-73
DEC. 2	Columbus State	L 86-81
DEC. 7	NORTH GEORGIA	2:00 PM
DEC. 17	MONTEVALLO *	7:30 PM
Dec. 21	at Auburn Montgomery *	5:00 PM
Jan. 2	at Mississippi College *	8:30 PM
Jan. 4	at Delta State *	5:00 PM
Jan. 9	LEE *	7:30 PM
Jan. 16	VALDOSTA STATE *	7:30 PM
Jan. 18	WEST FLORIDA *	4:00 PM
Jan. 23	at Union *	8:30 PM
Jan. 25	at Christian Brothers *	4:00 PM
Jan. 30	UNION *	7:30 PM
Feb. 1	CHRISTIAN BROTHERS *	4:00 PM
Feb. 6	at West Florida *	7:30 PM
Feb. 8	at Valdosta State *	3:00 PM
Feb. 13	at Lee *	7:30 PM
Feb. 15	ALABAMA HUNTSVILLE *	4:00 PM
Feb. 20	WEST ALABAMA *	7:30 PM
Feb. 22	at Shorter *	4:00 PM
Feb. 27	AUBURN MONTGOMERY *	7:30 PM
Feb. 29	SHORTER *	4:00 PM
Mar. 3	GSC Super Tuesday	TBD
Mar. 7	GSC Semifinals	TBD
Mar. 8	GSC Championship	TBD

* - Denotes Gulf South Conference Game All Times Eastern

HOME GAMES IN BOLD CAPS

LIVE VIDEO: Live video will be available for the majority of UWG's home and away games. Links to watch the Wolves at home or on the road can be found at uwgsports.com.

RADIO: UWG Hall of Famer Mitch Gray brings you the action all season long. The majority of GSC games will be broadcasted on uwgsports.com.

LIVE STATS: All of UWG's home games and selected Wolves' games away from The Coliseum will have live stats to follow from any computer or mobile device. Visit uwgsports.com for links and details.

WEST GEORGIA (2-6) vs. North Georgia (4-3)

Saturday, December 7, 2019 • 2:00 p.m. • Carrollton, GA • The Coliseum



WOLVES Head Coach: Dave Moore Record at UWG: 19-18

Overall Record: Same



NIGHTHAWKS Head Coach: Dan Evans Record at UNG: 4-3

STORYLINES

- The West Georgia Wolves will look to get back on the winning track on Saturday afternoon at The Coliseum, as UWG plays host to the North Georgia Nighthawks at The Coliseum in the final non-conference tilt of the 2019-20 season.
- West Georgia comes into the Saturday's contest with a 2-6 record on the year. The Wolves have wins over Benedict and Morehouse thus far on the year, but have struggled late in games in the last four contests. West Georgia has held a double-digit lead in three of those four, but failed to hold the lead and are 1-3 in that span.
- Junior forward Kovi Tate has been a solid leader for the Wolves in the paint through the first five games. Tate is third in the Gulf South Conference in scoring, averaging 19.1 points per game, and he is sixth in rebounding with 9.1 boards per contest. He has four double-doubles on the year, including 19 points and 10 rebounds against Columbus State last weekend...
- The Wolves will look to a pair of scorers in the backcourt to lead the way this weekend with juniors Oronte' Anderson and Kadeim Jones. Anderson is averaging 13.1 points and 5.4 assists per game on the year and scored 25 against Queens. Jones is second for the Wolves in scoring with 18.0 points per game this season.
- Anderson's 5.4 assists per game are good for second in the Gulf South Conference this season. The junior has had at least nine assists twice this season, including most recently against Columbus State on the road this past weekend. He also has a game with seven assists and another with five assists to add to his average.

STARTERS vs. COLUMBUS STATE

ORONTE' ANDERSON • G 5-9 • JR • SAVANNAH, GA

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PTS	AST	FG%	MIN
13.1	5.4	.356	34.8



Notes: Season-high of 25 points came Wednesday against Queens (NC) ... scored 19 points in the second game of the season ... has dished out nine assists in two separate games this season, including most recently against Columbus State last weekend.

SETH BROWN-CARTER • F 3 6-4 • JR • MCDONOUGH, GA

PTS	REB	FG%	MIN
12.5	4.0	.500	26.0



Notes: Has scored at least 10 points in six of the first eight games this season ... season-high of 19 came against Alabama Huntsville on November 23 ... nearly had his first double-double against the Chargers with 19 points and eight rebounds.

MICHAEL ZABETAKIS • G 6-5 • SO • CUMMING, GA

PTS	REB	FG%	MIN
6.8	5.3	.380	27.9



Notes: Played in 29 games as a true freshman with 17 starts in 2018-19 ... hit 36% from three-point range in his first season at UWG ... scored a season-high 13 points against Morehouse on November 26 ... career-high is 22 against Alabama Huntsville in the 2019 GSC Tournament

KADEIM JONES • G 6-2 • JR • DAYTON, OH

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PTS	REB	FG%	MIN
18.1	6.0	.281	37.0



Notes: Has seen action in every game this season with one start on the year coming against Queens (NC) ... played 16 minutes against Clayton State, scoring four points and pulling down three rebounds.

KOVI TATE • F 4



PTS	REB	FG%	MIN
19.1	9.1	.630	30.1



Notes: Comes into Game 9 averaging nearly a double-double ... scored 27 points and pulled down 16 rebounds against Palm Beach Atlantic for his first double-double of the year ... has at least eight rebounds in six of the first eight games and has four double-doubles

2	2019-20 NUMERICAL ROSTER							
NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT	YR.	HOMETOWN (PREVIOUS SCHOOL)		
0	Kadeim Jones	G	6-2	181	JR	Dayton, OH (Marshall)		
1	Michael Zabetakis	G	6-5	190	S0	Cumming, GA (West Forsyth)		
2	Deng Nhial	G	6-4	184	S0	Arlington, VA (Wakefield)		
3	Seth Brown-Carter	F	6-4	194	JR	McDonough, GA (Gordon State)		
4	Kovi Tate	F	6-5	229	JR	McDonough, GA (North Greenville)		
5	Oronte' Anderson	G	5-9	145	JR	Savannah, GA (Gordon State)		
10	Keshawn Heard	С	6-8	247	FR	Newark, OH (Newark)		
11	Karlos Odum	F	6-6	222	SR	Lakeland, FL (North Florida)		
12	Caleb Woods	G	5-10	170	FR	Covington, GA (Eastside)		
13	Rodney Wiley	G	5-11	150	FR	Cincinnati, OH (Colerain)		
20	J.J. Barnes	G	6-1	186	FR	Marietta, GA (Shorter)		
23	Charlie Crafton	F	6-5	153	FR	Bremen, GA (Bremen)		
25	Tommaso Gini	F	6-8	221	RFR	Rome, Italy (IMG Academy)		
30	Greg James	G	6-4	178	JR	Snellville, GA (Shiloh)		

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Lakeland, FL (North Florida)
McDonough, GA (North Greenville)
Cincinnati, OH (Colerain)
Covington, GA (Eastside)
Cumming, GA (West Forsyth)

COACHING STAFF

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Kovi Tate Rodney Wiley

Karlos Odum

Caleb Woods

Michael Zabetakis

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Head Coach: Dave Moore (Bethel)
Career Record: 18-16 (2nd Season)
Record at UWG: 18-16 (2nd Season)
Assistant Coach: Andy Young (West Georgia)
Graduate Assistant: Mark Schult (Wittenberg)

2019-20 ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

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QUICK FACTS

Name Of School: University of West Georgia City, State, Zip: Carrollton, GA, 30118

Founded: 1906 Enrollment: 13,500 Nickname: Wolves

Colors: Blue (286) and Red (185)

Arena: The Coliseum **Capacity:** 6,469

Affiliation: NCAA Division II

Conference: Gulf South Conference

President: Dr. Michael Crafton

Athletic Director: Daryl Dickey

Athletic Department Phone: 678-839-6533

Website: uwgsports.com

HISTORY

First Season of DII:1979-80

Overall DII Record: 682-457 (Prior to 2019-20)

NCAA Tournament Appearances: 16

1980, 1981, 1983, 1984, 1986, 1987, 1994, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2001, 2002, 2005, 2012,

2015, 2016

GSC Tournament Championships: Three

1987, 2002, 2016

GSC Players of the Year: 9

1987, Anthony Barge; 1994, Tony Bailey; 1996, J.J. Sims; 1997, Mantevious Jackson; 1998, Lonnie Edwards; 1999, Curtis Pass; 2005, Darnell Miller; 2015, Deonta Stocks; 2019, Marquill Smith

ROSTER BREAKDOWN

BY CLASS

Seniors (1): Odum

Juniors (5): Anderson, Brown-Carter, Tate, Jones,

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Sophomores (2): Zabetakis, Nhial

Freshmen (6): Heard, Woods, Wiley, Barnes, Crafton,

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BY POSITION

Guards (8): Jones, Zabetakis, Nhial, Anderson, Woods,

Wiley, Barnes, James

Forwards (5): Brown-Carter, Tate, Odum, Crafton, Gini

Centers (1): Heard

BY LOCATION

Georgia (8): Zabetakis, Brown-Carter, Tate, Anderson,

Woods, Barnes, Crafton, James **Ohio (3):** Jones, Heard, Wiley

Florida (1): Odum Italy (1): Gini Virginia (1): Nhial

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

0 Kah-DEEM Jones

1 Michael Za-beh-TACK-is

Deng KNEE-allKOH-vee Tate

5 O-RONT-eh Anderson

25 Toe-MOSS-oh GHEE-knee

TEAM INFORMATION

2018-19 Record: 17-12

Home/Away/Neutral: 10-4 / 6-7 / 1-1

2018-19 GSC Record: 12-8 GSC Regular Season Finish: Sixth GSC Tournament Finish: Quarterfinals

Starters Returning: 1 Lettermen Returning: 4

Newcomers: 9

Lost: 6

THE NIGHTHAWKS

- North Georgia comes into Saturday's game with a 4-3 record on the year thus far, but the Nighthawks have cooled slightly after a 4-1 start to the season.
- This will be the second consecutive Gulf South Conference opponent for North Georgia, as the Nighthawks lost on Wednesday to the Lee Univesrity Flames in Dahlonega.
- The Nighthawks have a pair of sharpshooters to contend with, as Zez Steeple and Josh Cottrell each are hitting three-pointers at a better than 40 percent pace this season.

SERIES

 This is the fifth meeting between the Wolves and North Georgia since the 2006 season, with West Georgia holding a slight 3-2 lead. UNG won last year's meeting, 104-80 in Daholonega.

SCORING LEADERS

- Four players come into this weekend's matchup averaging double-digits on the year, led by juniors Kadeim Jones and Kovi Tate.
- Jones has been consistently good through the early portion of the season, scoring at least 20 points in five games with an average of 18.1 points per game.
- Kovi Tate is third in the Gulf South Conference in scoring this season, averaging 19.0 points per game. He has four double-doubles on the year, including a 19-point, 10-rebound effort against Columbus State this past weekend.
- North Georgia has three double-figure scorers on the season, led by Zez Steeple, who is averaging 13.6 points per game. The senior guard is solid from three-point range, hitting 15-of-36 on the season thus far. He and Josh Cottrell will force the Wolves to guard the perimeter, as each player hits from beyond the arc at a better than 40 percent clip this season.

AROUND THE HORN LEADERS

- Jones, Tate, and Oronte' Anderson are the only players who are averaging more than 30 minutes per game through the first five contests. Jones leads the way with 37 minutes per game.
- Tate is the third-leading scorer in the Gulf South Conference this season, coming into the weekend averaging 19.0 points per game on the year. He is second in the conference in shooting percentage, hitting buckets at a 63 percent clip.
- Seth Brown-Carter has been a solid scorer through the first eight games, averaging 12.5 points per game in that span. He has had double-figures in six of the eight games with a season-high of 19 points on November 23 at Alabama Huntsville. Brown-Carter is extremely accurate, hitting 15-of-16 from the free-throw line this season.

 Anderson has had two big scoring games, putting up 19 against Embry-Riddle in the opener, then scoring 25 against Queens two weeks ago.
 He is second in the Gulf South Conference in assists, averaging 5.4 assists per game on the year after his second nine-assist game this past weekend at Columbus State.

DOUBLE-DOUBLES IN 2019-20

- Junior forward Kovi Tate has had four of the Wolves' six double-doubles of the first eight games, including a team-high 27 points and 16 rebounds against Palm Beach Atlantic on November 9. He had another double-double against Benedict with 26 points and 10 rebounds and then again against Queens with 16 points and 12 boards. His most recent double-double was against Columbus State, where he had 19 points and 10 rebounds.
- Junior guard Kadeim Jones has other two double-doubles of the year, picking up those in the loss to Clayton State and a loss to Alabama Huntsville, as he had 10 rebounds both games, scoring 21 against Clayton State and 15 against UAH
- The Wolves have had three close calls on double-doubles this season, with Oronte' Anderson pouring in 19 points and nine assists against Palm Beach Atlantic and Tate with 17 points and eight rebounds against Clayton State. Anderson also had 13 points and nine assists against Columbus State this past weekend.

MATCHUPS TO WATCH

- West Georgia's ability to guard on the perimeter will be a huge key in this one, as the Wolves match up well with Steeple and Cottrell. UNG hits at a .370 pace from beyond the arc this season while the Wolves shoot at a 30 percent clip.
- Kovi Tate against Carrod Watson will be a solid matchup of big men underneath. Tate averages nearly a double-double while Watson poured in 13 points and nine rebounds against Morehouse.

LAST TIME OUT

Jecember 2, 2019 / Lumpkin Center / Columbus, Ga.

West Georgia Columbus State

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Homestanding Columubus State shot 53 percent from the field in the second half of a Saturday non-conference game, erasing an 18-point first-half deficit to hand the West Georgia Wolves an 86-81 loss at the Lumpkin Center in Columbus, Ga.

West Georgia came out of the game on fire in this one, building a 30-12 lead in the first 10 minutes of the contest. Kovi Tate led the way with his fourth double-double of the season, scoring 19 points and 10 rebounds.

Columbus State caught the Wolves at 51 early in the second half and never looked back, handing the Wolves a heartbreaking 86-81 loss. Kadeim Jones was the leading scorer for West Georgia on the day, pouring in 22 points on 4-of-10 from three-point range.





Dave Moore Head Coach

at UWG: 18-16 Overall: Same

MOORE YEAR-BY-YEAR

Head Coach	School	W	L	PCT
2018-19	West Georgia	17	12	.586
2019-20	West Georgia	2	6	.250
TOTAL	·	19	18	.513

2019-20 GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

Date	Opponent	Starter	Starter	Starter	Starter	
Nov. 8	Embry-Riddle	Anderson	Zabetakis	Jones	Brown-Carter	
Nov. 9	Palm Beach Atlantic	Anderson	Zabetakis	Jones	Brown-Carter	
Nov. 13	at Benedict	Anderson	Zabetakis	Jones	Odum	
Nov. 16	at Clayton State	Anderson	Zabetakis	Jones	Brown-Carter	
Nov. 20	#6 Queens (NC)	Anderson	Zabetakis	Gini	Brown-Carter	
Nov. 23	at #11 Alabama Huntsville	Anderson	Zabetakis	Jones	Brown-Carter	
Nov. 26	at Morehouse	Anderson	Zabetakis	Jones	Brown-Carter	
Dec. 2	at Columbus State	Anderson	Zabetakis	Jones	Brown-Carter	
Dec. 7	North Georgia					
Dec. 17	Montevallo					
Dec. 21	at Auburn-Montgomery					
Jan. 2	at Mississippi College					
Jan. 4	at Delta State					
Jan. 9	Lee					
Jan. 16	#9 Valdosta State					
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Feb. 22	at Shorter					
Feb. 27	Auburn-Montgomery					
Feb. 29	Shorter					

Date	Opponent	Points	Rebounds	Assists	Blocks	Steals
Nov. 8	Embry-Riddle	Jones, 24	Jones, 7	Anderson, 4	2 with 1	3 with 1
Nov. 9	Palm Beach Atlantic	Tate, 27	Tate, 16	Anderson, 9	Zabetakis, 2	Anderson, 2
Nov. 13	at Benedict	Tate, 26	Tate, 10	Anderson, 7	2 with 1	2 with 2
Nov. 16	at Clayton State	Jones, 21	Jones, 10	Anderson, 3	Brown-Carter, 1	Jones, 3
Nov. 20	Queens	Anderson, 25	Tate, 12	2 with 5	Odum, 2	Anderson, 2
Nov. 23	at #11 Alabama Huntsville	Tate, 20	Jones, 10	2 with 3	2 with 1	Anderson, 4
Nov. 26	at Morehouse	Tate, 17	Tate, 8	Zabetakis, 5	Brown-Carter, 2	Zabetakis, 3
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UWG Men's Basketball 2019-20 West Ga. Combined Team Statistics (as of Dec 01, 2019) All games

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	2-6	0-3	2-3	0-0
CONFERENCE	0-1	0-0	0-1	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	2-5	0-3	2-2	0-0

					Total		3-Poir	nt	F-Thro	W		Rebou	ınds									
##	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fta	ft%	off	def	tot	avg	pf	dq	а	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
04	Kovi Tate	8-8	241	30.1	63-100	.630	0-0	.000	26-42	.619	23	50	73	9.1	30	2	6	21	5	6	152	19.0
00	Kadeim Jones	7-7	259	37.0	40-105	.381	17-48	.354	30-38	.789	8	34	42	6.0	13	0	6	14	1	6	127	18.1
05	Oronte Anderson	8-8	278	34.8	37-104	.356	16-55	.291	15-25	.600	3	22	25	3.1	19	0	43	28	0	15	105	13.1
03	Seth Brown-Carter	8-7	208	26.0	37-74	.500	11-35	.314	15-16	.938	10	22	32	4.0	25	1	12	10	5	6	100	12.5
01	Michael Zabetakis	8-8	223	27.9	19-50	.380	8-24	.333	8-14	.571	6	36	42	5.3	35	5	17	21	2	9	54	6.8
11	Karlos Odum	8-1	117	14.6	10-20	.500	0-1	.000	8-16	.500	6	21	27	3.4	17	0	1	7	5	4	28	3.5
02	Deng Nhial	6-0	93	15.5	4-16	.250	3-9	.333	3-4	.750	2	7	9	1.5	11	1	8	3	1	2	14	2.3
30	Greg James	3-0	47	15.7	2-11	.182	1-7	.143	2-3	.667	2	5	7	2.3	6	0	2	2	0	2	7	2.3
13	Rodney Wiley	8-0	64	8.0	8-18	.444	2-6	.333	0-2	.000	0	7	7	0.9	4	0	13	10	0	0	18	2.3
10	Keshawn Heard	8-0	81	10.1	5-12	.417	0-1	.000	2-4	.500	2	6	8	1.0	8	0	0	5	0	1	12	1.5
25	Tomasso Gini	6-1	34	5.7	2-8	.250	0-5	.000	0-0	.000	2	6	8	1.3	4	0	2	5	0	0	4	0.7
23	Crafton, Charlie	1-0	0	0.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
20	Barnes, J.J.	2-0	5	2.5	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0.5	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0.0
	Team										15	20	35									
	Total	8	1650		227-519	.437	58-191	.304	109-164	.665	79	237	316	39.5	174	9	111	126	19	51	621	77.6
	Opponents	8	1650		236-550	.429	69-209	.330	144-212	.679	113	246	359	44.9	149	-	113	110	15	67	685	85.6

TEAM STATISTICS	UWG	OPP
SCORING	621	685
Points per game	77.6	85.6
Scoring margin	-8.0	-
FIELD GOALS-ATT	227-519	236-550
Field goal pct	.437	.429
3 POINT FG-ATT	58-191	69-209
3-point FG pct	.304	.330
3-pt FG made per game	7.3	8.6
FREE THROWS-ATT	109-164	144-212
Free throw pct	.665	.679
F-Throws made per game	13.6	18.0
REBOUNDS	316	359
Rebounds per game	39.5	44.9
Rebounding margin	-5.4	-
ASSISTS	111	113
Assists per game	13.9	14.1
TURNOVERS	126	110
Turnovers per game	15.8	13.8
Turnover margin	-2.0	-
Assist/turnover ratio	0.9	1.0
STEALS	51	67
Steals per game	6.4	8.4
BLOCKS	19	15
Blocks per game	2.4	1.9
ATTENDANCE	2048	3157
Home games-Avg/Game	3-683	5-631
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	OT	Totals
West Ga.	303	302	16	621
Opponents	298	357	30	685

	Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
	11/08/19	EMBRY-RIDDLE (FL)	L	60-85	467
	11/09/19	PALM BEACH ATL.	Lot	86-87	261
	11/13/19	at Benedict	W	74-69	0
	11/16/19	at Clayton State	L	77-97	125
	11/20/19	QUEENS (NC)	L	85-92	1320
*	11/23/19	at AlaHuntsville	Lot	83-96	1023
	11/26/19	at Morehouse College	W	75-73	1427
	12/02/19	at Columbus State	L	81-86	582

^{* -} Conference game