



LONG ISLAND UNIVERSITY SHARKS

FOOTBALL GAME NOTES



LIU (0-4) VS. VILLANOVA (3-1)

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2024, 6 P.M. ET, FLOFOOTBALL

VILLANOVA STADIUM- VILLANOVA, PA

ABOUT LAST WEEK...: A back-and-forth affair and a full Bethpage Federal Credit Union Stadium was a great backdrop for LIU's 2024 Homecoming, but a valiant effort ended in a loss to Rhode Island...The Sharks kept their torrid pace in the run game with 194 yards and an average of 4.0 ypc...Quarterback **Luca Stanzani** threw for 176 yards and two TDs while also running for another...Defensive lineman **Elijah St. John** led the team with 10 tackles, a sack, and a forced fumble...Both players were named NEC Prime Performers for the week...Running back **Ludovick Choquette** finished with 102 total yards and a touchdown, his second on the season.

GIMME JUST A LITTLE OF YOUR LOVE: Senior wide receiver **Michael Love**, playing in his final LIU Homecoming, netted six catches for 77 yards and a touchdown in last week's game...His team-leading 22 receptions is also good for second-most in the NEC...His four touchdown receptions are tied for second with Wagner's Jaylen Bonelli...Love only played in four games last season due to injury, but is on pace to equal his 2022 numbers (51 receptions and 702 yards) which earned him All-NEC Second-Team honor...Love was named to the All-NEC Preseason team this year as well as the Phil Steele Preseason All-NEC First-Team with several of his teammates.

NEC TITLE UP FOR GRABS?: The Sharks are looking for their first NEC conference championship since the football program moved to Division I competition...The preseason NEC Coaches' Poll predicted LIU to finish fourth in the conference with Duquesne as the favorites to repeat...Last year, Cooper guided LIU to its best finish in the NEC, a four-way tie for second place...The Sharks open NEC play against Dequesne on October 5 in Pittsburgh at Rooney Field.

NEW FACES IN FAMILIAR PLACES: LIU features several key additions from the transfer portal...Defensive back **Todd Bowles**, the son of Tampa Bay Buccaneers head coach of the same name, joined LIU after a stint at Rutgers...Defensive lineman and Long Island-native **Liam McCormick** has been an impact player since transferring to LIU...As a Seminole in 2023, McCormick blocked a field goal that was returned for a touchdown against North Alabama...Twin brothers **Cam and Kahlil Overton** joined LIU after playing at Bethune-Cookman University and Western Illinois...Their father Aaron played in the NFL with the Cardinals, Rams and Titans, and the twins, who play wide receiver and tight end, respectively, give the Sharks additional receiving options in the red zone...**Choquette** and **Brandon Niemenski** are also new faces who have already made immediate impacts.

QUARTERBACK CORNER: Redshirt sophomore **Luca Stanzani** returns to the field after an injury-shortened 2023 season...The decorated right-hander earned Second-Team All-NEC and Phil Steele NEC honors after his 2022 campaign and is looking to improve on his performance after an unlucky 2023...The Sharks feature depth at the QB position with insurance options in redshirt sophomore **Ethan Greenwood** and sophomore **Chris Howell**...Howell was thrust into starting action and got the call at the age of 17 when LIU traveled to Baylor last season.

RIGHT OFF THE CROSS ISLAND: This year's Sharks team is filled with native-Long Islanders that will make significant impacts on the field...Offensive lineman **Kristos Fernandez** hails from New Hyde Park and has been an anchor for the line since he first saw the field in 2022...He was named to the Phil Steele Preseason All-NEC Second-Team...Wantagh-native kicker **Michael Coney** can enter his name into LIU record books this season...The grad-student needs to make 12 field goals to have the most career field-goals in school history (including Division II era) and pass Sam Flores (1982-84)...Defensive back **Leisaan Hibbert** and outside linebacker **Nyrel Sevilla** both hail from Melville and will have significant roles in the Sharks defense...They played together when they both attended Half Hollows Hills East high school...**McCormick** is also a local product as he was born in Islip where his family still resides.

2024 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

AUGUST 31 @ ALBANY, L, 27-21
FLOFOOTBALL

SEPTEMBER 7 @ TCU, L, 45-0
ESPN+

SEPTEMBER 14 VS. LEHIGH, L, 20-17
NEC FRONT ROW

SEPTEMBER 21* VS. RHODE ISLAND, L, 28-21
NEC FRONT ROW

SEPTEMBER 28 @ VILLANOVA, 6 P.M. ET
ESPN+

OCTOBER 5** @ DUQUESNE, 1 P.M. ET
NEC FRONT ROW

OCTOBER 12** VS. STONEHILL, 12 P.M. ET
NEC FRONT ROW

OCTOBER 19** @ ROBERT MORRIS, 12 P.M. ET
NEC FRONT ROW

OCTOBER 26** CCSU, 12 P.M. ET
YES AND ESPN+

NOVEMBER 2 BYE WEEK

NOVEMBER 9 @ SACRED HEART, 12 P.M. ET
SNY

NOVEMBER 16** VS. SAINT FRANCIS U, 12 P.M. ET
NEC FRONT ROW

NOVEMBER 23** @ WAGNER, 12 P.M. ET
NEC FRONT ROW

*HOMECOMING

** NEC GAME

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2024 NUMERICAL ROSTER

NUM	PLAYER	POS	HT	WT	CL	HOMETOWN/H.S./PREVIOUS SCHOOL
0	AVIYON SMITH-MACK	WR	5-9	167	SO.	ST. PETERSBURG, F.L. / LAKEWOOD
0	TODD BOWLES, JR.	DB	6-0	191	JR.	TAMPA BAY, F.L. / JESUIT HIGH SCHOOL / RUTGERS
1	SHEMAR PAUL	DB	5-11	180	GR.	MIAMI, F.L. / BOOKER T. WASHINGTON
2	JAHVONTE HAIR	DB	6-1	175	GR.	LIVE OAK, F.L. / FREEHOLD BORO
3	CALEB NARTEY	DB	5-8	172	GR.	HAMMONTON, N.J. / HAMMONTON
3	CAM OVERTON	WR	6-2	181	GR.	DALLAS, T.X. / PARISH EPISCOPAL / BETHUNE-COOKMAN
4	JA'NYUS MORGAN	OLB	6-2	236	SR.	HOUSTON, T.X. / CYPRESS RIDGE / HOLMES CC
4	PAT BOWEN	RB	5-9	190	SR.	FORT LAUDERDALE, F.L. / DILLARD / INDEPENDENCE CC
5	MICHAEL LOVE	WR	5-10	180	SR.	CHICAGO, I.L. / NAZARETH ACADEMY / IOWA WESTERN CC
5	JOJO GARCIA	DB	6-1	192	SO.	JERSEY CITY, N.J. / HUDSON CATHOLIC
6	CORY NICHOLS	WR	6-1	200	FR.	LITTLE ROCK, A.R. / SUMMER CREEK
6	JADEN DAWKINS	OLB	6-0	202	JR.	STAMFORD, C.T. / TRINITY-PAWLING
7	KAHLIL OVERTON	TE	6-5	220	GR.	DALLAS, T.X. / PARISH EPISCOPAL / BETHUNE-COOKMAN
7	NATE WYATT	DB	6-1	199	GR.	FRANKLIN, N.J. / ST. JOSEPH'S (METUCHEN) / OLD DOMINION
8	JAIDEN DOZIER	TE	6-5	213	JR.	TOPEKA, K.S. / UNIVERSITY HIGH SCHOOL / COFFEYVILLE CC
9	DYLAN MERRELL	DB	6-2	177	JR.	ALPHARETTA, G.A. / ALPHARETTA / DUKE
9	LUDOVICK CHOQUETTE	RB	5-10	214	GR.	SAINT-JEAN-SUR-RICHELIEU, QUEBEC / CLEARWATER ACADEMY / W. ILLINOIS
10	CHRIS HOWELL	QB	6-2	201	SO.	QUEENS, N.Y. / CANARSIE
11	LUCA STANZANI	QB	5-11	185	R-SO.	CLEARWATER, F.L. / CLEARWATER ACADEMY INTERNATIONAL
11	NYREL SEVILLA	OLB	6-2	220	SR.	MELVILLE, N.Y. / HALF HOLLOW HILLS EAST / NASSAU CC
12	LEISAAN HIBBERT	DB	6-0	191	R-JR.	MELVILLE, N.Y. / HALF HOLLOW HILLS EAST /
12	JARED LEWIS	QB	6-3	194	GR.	BALTIMORE, M.D. / PAUL LAWRENCE DUNBAR HIGH / HAMPTON
13	QUINCY MCDUFFIE	WR	6-0	193	R-JR.	BROOKLYN, N.Y. / ABRAHAM LINCOLN /
14	ETHAN GREENWOOD	QB	6-0	193	R-SO.	BALDWIN, N.Y. / KELLENBERG MEMORIAL / THE CITADEL
15	DAMARIUS GOOD	RB	5-11	191	GR.	ORLANDO, F.L. / LAKE BRANTLEY HIGH SCHOOL
15	DQ WATKINS	OLB	6-3	253	SR.	OXFORD, M.S. / LAFAYETTE / NORTHEAST MISSISSIPPI CC
16	WILL LYNCH	P	6-4	185	JR.	GOLD COAST, QUEENSLAND, AUSTRALIA / SOMERSET COLLEGE
17	KYON CONYERS	DB	6-0	167	FR.	MILLVILLE, N.J. / MILLVILLE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL
17	EVAN BROOKS	WR	6-4	205	FR.	HARRINGTON PARK, N.J. / NO. VALLEY REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL
18	DREW PERSON	QB	6-3	184	JR.	EXTON, P.A. / DOWNINGTOWN EAST
19	NAMAN ALEMADA	QB	6-6	235	SR.	SOUTH FAYETTE, P.A. / SOUTH FAYETTE
19	JALEN BELL	DB	6-1	193	FR.	KISSIMMEE, F.L. / OSCEOLA HIGH SCHOOL
20	RAFAEL FASOLINO	OLB	6-1	189	R-JR.	MONTROSE, N.Y. / ARCHBISHOP STEPINAC
22	DEUCE COOPER	DB	5-10	170	R-FR.	FAYETTEVILLE, A.R. / ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF
23	BRIAN WALKER	TE	6-4	227	GR.	MIDDLETOWN, M.D. / MIDDLETOWN
24	SEAN KELLY	LB	6-1	201	GR.	BRICK, N.J. / DEPAUL CATHOLIC
25	MAURICE WILMER II	LB	6-1	251	GR.	MOUNTAIN VIEW, C.A. / ST. FRANCIS HS / UCONN
25	NASIR HENNIGAN	RB	6-0	195	FR.	WILLIAMSPORT, P.A./WAHS-THE PEDDIE SCHOOL
26	LACORY WALKER JR.	DB	5-11	160	R-FR.	KISSIMMEE, F.L. / OSCEOLA
27	MARSHALL WASHINGTON, JR.	DB	6-2	165	FR.	CAMDEN, N.J. / EASTSIDE HIGH SCHOOL
28	JAYLIN LEWIS	DB	6-4	191	FR.	BROOKLYN, N.Y. / ST. THOMAS MORE HIGH SCHOOL
30	JORDEN BENNETT	DB	5-11	187	JR.	QUEENS, N.Y. / DON BOSCO PREP / FDU-FLORHAM
31	ALAIN PAUL	WR	5-8	182	R-JR.	STAMFORD, C.T. / STAMFORD
32	QUALIL LUMPKINS	LB	6-0	210	SR.	RAHWAY, N.J. / RAHWAY /
33	TYSELLE SPENCER	RB	5-10	176	FR.	ELIZABETH CITY, N.C. / NORTHEASTERN HIGH SCHOOL
34	BRAYLON VINCENT	DB	5-10	178	FR.	WEST PALM BEACH, F.L. / FORT PIERCE WESTWOOD
35	OMARI LEWIS	DB	5-10	185	JR.	STAMFORD, C.T. / WESTHILL
36	REESE DYKSTRA	TE	6-2	232	R-JR.	WORTHINGTON, O.H. / THOMAS WORTHINGTON
37	BREON ASKINS	OLB	6-2	220	JR.	PHILADELPHIA, P.A. / SIMON GRATZ
38	BRENNAN HANLEY	P	6-0	148	R-FR.	SMITHTOWN, N.Y. / SMITHTOWN EAST
39	ALEXANDER COLLINS	DB	5-11	200	R-SO.	DEER PARK, N.Y. / DEER PARK / UTICA
40	RODNEY MILLS	DL	6-1	225	FR.	BROOKVILLE, N.Y. / LONG ISLAND LUTHERAN
41	DYLAN SIMPSON	LB	6-0	230	R-FR.	TILBURY, ONTARIO / CLEARWATER ACADEMY INTERNATIONAL
42	KEITH BOURQUE	LB	6-0	216	R-FR.	VARENNES, QUEBEC / CLARKSON NORTH
43	OUMAR BERETE	DL	6-3	226	R-FR.	UNION CITY, N.J. / UNION CITY
44	MATTHEW NIEVES	LB	6-1	217	GR.	ST. PETERSBURG, F.L. / CLEARWATER



NUM	PLAYER	POS	HT	WT	CL	HOMETOWN/H.S./PREVIOUS SCHOOL
45	DREW WISECARVER	LB	6-0	195	R-FR.	BURKE, V.A. / LAKE BRADDOCK
46	LANCE MAIBERG	K	5-11	205	FR.	WEST ISLIP, N.Y. / ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST
48	ABDOULAYE BAH	DB	5-10	195	R-JR.	FORT LEE, N.J. / PARAMUS CATHOLIC
49	MARTAVIOUS DURDEN, JR.	OLB	6-2	208	FR.	ORLANDO, F.L. / GIBBS HIGH SCHOOL
50	KEZNI BROWN	DL	6-0	278	R-FR.	VERO BEACH, F.L. / VERO BEACH
52	JAKE TIMM	OL	6-4	300	GR.	POUGHKEEPSIE, N.Y. / OUR LADY OF LOURDES
55	KEONDRE HODGES	DL	6-2	254	JR.	PORTSMOUTH, V.A. / OSCAR SMITH / MINNESOTA STATE CC
56	BOBBY LISCHNER	LS	6-0	222	R-SO.	LANCASTER, P.A. / J.P. MCCASKEY
58	MASON BUONO	OL	6-3	270	GR.	STATEN ISLAND, N.Y. / TOTTEENVILLE
59	JAMES EICHLER	LS	6-2	200	GR.	LOS ANGELES, C.A. / NORTHERN COLORADO
60	DYLAN WILSON	DL	6-0	293	R-SO.	DALLAS, T.X. / ITALY
62	BRADLEY KAMGA	OL	6-2	280	FR.	BOWIE, M.D. / CHARLES HERBERT FLOWERS HS
65	MICHAEL DUNN	OL	6-2	287	FR.	WEST PALM BEACH, F.L. / CARDINAL HAYES
66	DONOVAN GIBBS	OL	6-2	287	R-SO.	BAY SHORE, N.Y. / BAY SHORE
67	DONNIE HARDIN	OL	6-1	303	GR.	DUBLIN, O.H. / DUBLIN SCIOTO / ALABAMA
68	SEAN BRODERICK	OL	6-3	285	FR.	PHILADELPHIA, P.A. / FATHER JUDGE
70	WADE VICTOR	OL	6-1	272	R-FR.	MASSAPEQUA, N.Y. / AMITYVILLE MEMORIAL
71	DAVED RICHARDSON	OL	6-5	279	R-FR.	MASTIC, N.Y. / WILLIAM FLOYD
72	JACOBY KRILL	OL	6-4	278	FR.	SUSSEX, W.I. / HAMILTON HIGH SCHOOL
74	MOSHOOO GIWA	OL	6-6	302	R-FR.	BROOKLYN, N.Y. / MOORE CATHOLIC /
75	GRAYSON LEWIS	OL	6-2	313	GR.	HARRISBURG, N.C. / HICKORY RIDGE / EAST CAROLINA
76	KRISTOS FERNANDEZ	OL	6-5	274	R-JR.	NEW HYDE PARK, N.Y. / NEW HYDE PARK MEMORIAL
77	ELIAS BATTEN	OL	6-5	276	GR.	JACKSONVILLE, F.L. / THE BOLLES SCHOOL
78	CHINONSO OPARA	OL	6-8	307	GR.	RIVERTON, U.T. / JUAN DIEGO CATHOLIC / WEBER STATE
80	LEMEKO MAYES	WR	6-3	199	GR.	SARASOTA, F.L. / CARDINAL MOONEY CATHOLIC
82	DANIEL HERNANDEZ	WR	6-0	200	R-SO.	BLOOMFIELD, N.J. / SAINT JOSEPH REGIONAL
83	BRANDON NIEMENSKI	TE	6-6	232	GR.	MOUNTAINTOP, P.A. / CRESTWOOD HIGH SCHOOL / UCONN
86	SPENCER JONES	K	6-1	190	R-FR.	MISSION VIEJO, C.A. / TESORO
88	JOEY SPANO	K/P	5-7	175	R-JR.	CHESTER, N.J. / WEST MORRIS CENTRAL
90	"SCOOP" GARDNER, JR.	DL	6-1	265	FR.	PHILADELPHIA, P.A. / ARCHBISHOP WOOD
91	ELIJAH ST JOHN	DL	6-1	275	SO.	OTTAWA, ONTARIO / CLEARWATER ACADEMY INTERNATIONAL
92	TAVEON WHEELER	DL	6-0	274	R-FR.	ST. PETERSBURG, F.L. / LAKEWOOD
95	CARSON BINDER	DL	6-0	267	R-JR.	DOWNINGTOWN, P.A. / BISHOP SHANAHAN
96	LUKE KELLEY	DL	6-2	236	R-JR.	LANCASTER, P.A. / MANHEIM TOWNSHIP
98	MICHAEL CONEY	K	6-1	195	GR.	WANTAGH, N.Y. / WANTAGH
99	LIAM MCCORMICK	DL	6-2	292	R-JR.	ISLIP, N.Y. / IMG ACADEMY (FLORIDA)

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PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

1	SHEMAR PAUL	SHA-MARR
2	JAHVONTE HAIR	JAH-VAWN-TEY HAIR
4	JA'NYUS MORGAN	JA-NYE-US
9	LUDOVICK CHOQUETTE	LOO-DOH-VIK CHOH-KET
11	NYREL SEVILLA	NY-RELL SE-VILL-AH
11	LUCA STANZANI	STAN-ZAHN-NEE
12	LEISAAN HIBBERT	LAY-SAHN
15	DAMARIUS GOOD	DEH-MEH-RIUS
15	AVIYON SMITH-MACK	A-VEE-ON
17	KYON CONYERS	KUH-YAWN KAHN-YERS
19	NAMAN ALEMADA	NAH-MEN AHLEH-MAH-DAH
20	RAFAEL FASOLINO	FASS-OH-LEE-NO
31	ALAIN PAUL	AL-LEN
32	QUALIL LUMPKINS	KWA-LIL
43	OUMAR BERETE	OH-MAR BER-RETT
44	MATTHEW NIEVES	NEE-EV-ESS
50	KEZNI BROWN	KEZ-NEE
55	KEONDRE HODGES	KEY-ON-DRAI
56	BOBBY LISCHNER	LISH-NERR
58	MASON BUONO	BEE-YOU-NO
62	BRADLEY KAMGA	KAHM-GAH
71	DAVED RICHARDSON	DAH-VEED
74	MOSHOD GIWA	MA-SHOOD GUI-WAH
78	CHINOSO OPARA	CHIN-OH-SO OH-PAHR-AH
80	LEMEKO MAYES	LEH-MEH-KO
83	BRANDON NIEMENSKI	NAH-MIN-SKI
92	TAVEON WHEELER	TAY-VEE-ON
95	CARSON BINDER	BIN-DER

2023 SEASON RESULTS - 4-7 (4-3, NEC, 2-2 HOME, 2-5 AWAY)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT
SEPTEMBER 2	@ OHIO	L, 27-10
SEPTEMBER 9	@ BRYANT	L, 21-10
SEPTEMBER 16	@ BAYLOR	L, 30-7
SEPTEMBER 30	VS. DUQUESNE	L, 31-28
OCTOBER 7	VS. SACRED HEART	W, 23-13
OCTOBER 14	@ MAINE	L, 24-13
OCTOBER 21	VS. MERRIMACK	L, 39-0
OCTOBER 26	@ CCSU	W, 24-23
NOVEMBER 4	@ ST. FRANCIS U	W, 29-28
NOVEMBER 11	VS. WAGNER	W, 49-14



TWO-DEEP VS. VILLANOVA

OFFENSE

POS.	NO.	PLAYER (HT., WT., CL.)
QB	11	LUCA STANZANI (6-0, 185, R-SO.) - OR -
	14	ETHAN GREENWOOD (6-0, 193, R-SO.) - OR -
	12	JARED LEWIS (6-3, 194, GR.) - OR -
	10	CHRIS HOWELL (6-2, 201, SO.)
RB	9	LUDOVICK CHOQUETTE (5-10, 214, GR.)
	4	PAT BOWEN (5-9, 190, SR.)
	25	NASIR HENNIGAN (6-0, 195, FR.)
FB	36	REESE DYKSTRA (6-2, 232, R-JR.)
WR	6	CORY NICHOLS (5-11, 200, FR.)
	17	EVAN BROOKS (6-4, 205, FR.)
WR	5	MICHAEL LOVE (5-10, 180, SR.)
	0	AVIYON SMITH-MACK (5-9, 170, SO.)
TE	7	KAHLIL OVERTON (6-5, 220, GR.)
	83	BRANDON NIEMENSKI (6-6, 232, GR.)
LT	76	KRISTOS FERNANDEZ (6-5, 280, R-JR.)
	71	DAVED RICHARDSON (6-5, 285, R-FR.)
LG	67	DONNIE HARDIN (6-1, 303, GR.)
	58	MASON BUONO (6-3, 290, GR.)
C	52	JAKE TIMM (6-4, 300, GR.)
	75	GRAYSON LEWIS (6-2, 313, GR.)
RG	75	GRAYSON LEWIS (6-2, 313, GR.)
	66	DONOVAN GIBBS (6-2, 287, R-SO.)
RT	74	MOSHOOO GIWA (6-6, 302, R-FR.)
	77	ELIAS BATTEN (6-5, 276, GR.)

DEFENSE

POS.	NO.	PLAYER (HT., WT., CL.)
DE	4	JANYUS MORGAN (6-2, 245, SR.)
	96	LUKE KELLEY (6-2, 236, R-JR.)
DT	92	TAVEON WHEELER (6-0, 280, R-FR.)
	50	KEZNI BROWN (6-0, 280, R-FR.)
	91	ELIJAH ST. JOHN (6-1, 275, SO.)
DT	99	LIAM MCCORMICK (6-2, 292, R-JR.)
	90	ERIC "SCOOP" GARDNER, JR. (6-1, 270, FR.)
DE	15	DO WATKINS (6-3, 253, SR.)
	44	MATTHEW NIEVES (6-1, 220, GR.)
	49	MARTAVIOUS DURDEN, JR. (6-2, 208, FR.)
LB	32	QUALIL LUMPKINS (6-0, 210, SR.)
	25	MAURICE WILMER (6-2, 250, GR.)
LB	20	RAFAEL FASOLINO (6-1, 189, R-JR.)
	11	NYREL SEVILLA (6-2, 220, SR.)
CB	9	DYLAN MERRELL (6-2, 180, JR.)
	28	JAYLIN LEWIS (6-4, 195, FR.)
CB	3	CALEB NARTEY (5-9, 175, GR.)
	7	NATE WYATT (6-1, 200, GR.)
SS	5	JOJO GARCIA (6-1, 192, SO.)
	12	LEISAAN HIBBERT (6-0, 191, R-JR.)
FS	0	TODD BOWLES (6-1, 191, JR.)
	19	JALEN BELL (6-2, 193, FR.)
CB	1	SHEMAR PAUL (5-11, 180, GR.)
	2	JAHVONTE HAIR (6-1, 175, GR.)

SPECIAL TEAMS

POS.	NO.	PLAYER (HT., WT., CL.)
P	16	WILL LYNCH (6-4, 185, JR.)
	88	JOEY SPANO (5-8, 175, R-JR.)
PK	98	MICHAEL CONEY (6-1, 195, GR.)
	88	JOEY SPANO (5-8, 175, R-JR.)
SNAP	56	BOBBY LISCHNER (6-1, 225, R-SO.)
	59	JAMES EICHLER (6-2, 210, GR.)
KR	5	MICHAEL LOVE (5-10, 180, SR.)
	0	AVIYON SMITH-MACK (5-9, 170, SO.)
	6	CORY NICHOLS (5-11, 200, FR.)
PR	5	MICHAEL LOVE (5-10, 180, SR.)
	0	AVIYON SMITH-MACK (5-9, 170, SO.)
	6	CORY NICHOLS (5-11, 200, FR.)



HEAD COACH RON COOPER
LIU CAREER RECORD: 8-18
CAREER NEC RECORD: 8-6
OVERALL NCAA HEAD COACHING RECORD: 57-76

Ron Cooper, a successful and seasoned coach with experience at top-ranked universities, was tabbed to lead LIU's Division I football team in January 2022. Cooper joined Shark Nation directly from perennial national championship contender Alabama.

In his first season at the helm with the Sharks, he led the team to four consecutive victories to close the season. His staff developed student-athletes who earned 10 All-NEC postseason honors and seven academic all-district awards.

Cooper arrived at LIU with 10 years of experience as a head coach in Division I football, and with decades of work as a defensive coordinator and assistant coach at both the NCAA Division I level and in the NFL.

In addition to working alongside Nick Saban as an analyst at Alabama during the 2021 season, Cooper has served as head football coach at Eastern Michigan, Louisville, Alabama A&M and Florida International. Other notable experience includes coaching at Texas A&M, LSU, Arkansas, Notre Dame, South Carolina, Mississippi State and South Florida.

Cooper also served as the defensive backs coach for the Tampa Bay Buccaneers for one season.

At Texas A&M, Cooper developed an inexperienced secondary. One of the leaders in the lineup was Armani Watts, who finished the season with 87 tackles, four interceptions, two fumble recoveries and one touchdown, en route to being named to the Associated Press All-America third team and the All-SEC first team (Coaches and AP).

Cooper served as the LSU secondary coach from 2009 through '11. He mentored one of the top secondaries in the country, highlighted by national award winners Morris Claiborne, Patrick Peterson and Tyrann Mathieu.

In both 2010 and 2011, Cooper and the Tigers defense featured the Thorpe Award winner as the nation's top defensive back, with Peterson and Claiborne, respectively, as well as the Bednarik Award winner as the nation's top defender in Peterson and Mathieu. LSU was also home to the SEC Defensive Player of the Year in Peterson (2010), Mathieu (2011 by AP) and Claiborne (2011 by Coaches).

Cooper coached at South Carolina, with a defense that ranked No. 1 in the SEC and No. 2 in the nation in pass defense, allowing only 180 yards per game. With the Gamecocks, Cooper helped lead the team to appearances in the 2005 Independence Bowl, 2008 Liberty Bowl and 2009 Outback Bowl.

At Alabama A&M, Cooper guided the Bulldogs to the Southwestern Athletic Conference championship game. His squad led the nation in rushing defense and ranked eighth nationally in scoring defense. He discovered defensive end Robert Mathis and coached him in his first three collegiate seasons. Mathis went on to a 14-year NFL career with the Colts, making six Pro Bowls and earning AFC Defensive Player of the Year honors in 2013.

Cooper's 1995 Louisville team led the nation in takeaways and finished ninth nationally in scoring defense. The following season, the Cardinals finished fourth in total and rushing defense.

Cooper has coached alongside some of the most successful and highly regarded coaches in college football, including current and future hall of famers Nick Saban, Steve Spurrier, Lou Holtz and Barry Alvarez.



2024 PRESEASON HONORS AND AWARDS

PRESEASON ALL-NEC TEAM

WILL LYNCH, P
MICHAEL LOVE, RETURN SPECIALIST
CALEB NARTEY, DB
JAKE TIMM, OL

PHIL STEELE ALL-NEC PRESEASON TEAM

FIRST TEAM

WILL LYNCH, P
MICHAEL LOVE, PUNT RETURNER & ALL-PURPOSE
JAKE TIMM, OL

SECOND TEAM

KRISTOS FERNANDEZ, OL
MICHAEL LOVE, WR
DQ WATKINS, LB

FCS WATCHLIST FOR PUNTER OF THE YEAR

WILL LYNCH, P

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	Date	Opponent		Score	Overall	Conf	Time	Attend
	08/31/2024	at UAlbany	L	21-27	0-1	0-0	3:17	6169
	09/07/2024	at TCU	L	0-45	0-2	0-0	3:05	44063
	09/14/2024	Lehigh	L	17-20	0-3	0-0	3:20	1643
	09/21/2024	Rhode Island	L	21-28	0-4	0-0	2:54	2083



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Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot off		
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds		td	lg
08/31/2024	at UAlbany	31	179	0	44	20	179	3	21	20	31	0	179	3	21	1	18	0	18	2	28	0	23	358
09/07/2024	at TCU	34	59	0	16	9	68	0	28	9	22	1	68	0	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	127
09/14/2024	Lehigh	24	160	0	30	16	160	2	31	16	26	1	160	2	31	1	17	0	17	1	-8	0	0	320
09/21/2024	Rhode Island	44	174	1	24	19	197	2	42	19	32	0	197	2	42	2	50	0	26	3	34	0	24	371
LIU		133	572	1	44	64	604	7	42	64	111	2	604	7	42	4	85	0	26	6	54	0	24	1176
Opponents		148	563	10	41	57	736	5	75	57	93	0	736	5	75	11	213	0	55	9	76	0	18	1299

LIU Averages

Games	Avg/ rush	Avg/ catch	Pass effic	KR avg	PR avg	All purpose avg/game	Total offense avg/game
4	4.3	9.4	120.6	21.3	9.0	328.8	294.0

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Fumble ff fr-yds		Pass Defense int-yds qbh brup			blkd kick	PAT attempts kick: rush rcv			off saf t/o pts		
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds													
08/31/2024	at UAlbany	31	14	45	5.0-17	1-4	0	0-0	0-0	3	5	0	3-3	0	0	0	0	21
09/07/2024	at TCU	39	32	71	5.0-27	0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
09/14/2024	Lehigh	31	36	67	6.0-15	2-8	0	1-0	0-0	0	5	0	2-2	0	0	0	0	17
09/21/2024	Rhode Island	19	56	75	5.0-16	2-11	2	2-0	0-0	2	5	0	3-3	0	0	0	0	21
LIU		120	138	258	21.0-75	5-23	2	3-0	0-0	5	16	0	8-8	0	0	0	0	59
Opponents		105	148	253	22.0-81	8-41	2	2-20	2-24	2	14	0	15-15	0	0	0	21	120

		Punting										Field Goals			Kickoffs				
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	
08/31/2024	at UAlbany	6	248	41.3	53	0	0	2	1	2	0-1	0	0	4	248	62.0	1	0	
09/07/2024	at TCU	10	364	36.4	44	0	0	3	0	2	0-0	0	0	1	65	65.0	0	0	
09/14/2024	Lehigh	3	100	33.3	37	0	0	1	0	0	1-2	27	0	4	188	47.0	0	0	
09/21/2024	Rhode Island	4	145	36.3	44	0	1	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	5	218	43.6	1	0	
LIU		23	857	37.3	53	0	1	6	1	4	1-3	27	0	14	719	51.4	2	0	
Opponents		18	722	40.1	73	0	2	7	2	4	3-4	48	0	23	1465	63.7	14	0	



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Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot off			
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds		td	lg	
08/31/2024	at UAlbany	28	90	1	41	12	165	1	75	12-26-0				165	1	75	3	91	0	55	1	17	0	17	255
09/07/2024	at TCU	37	127	4	20	24	298	2	46	24-30-0				298	2	46	1	21	0	21	5	52	0	18	425
09/14/2024	Lehigh	45	136	1	17	10	139	2	42	10-18-0				139	2	42	3	36	0	34	2	6	0	4	275
09/21/2024	Rhode Island	38	210	4	25	11	134	0	21	11-19-0				134	0	21	4	65	0	25	1	1	0	1	344
Opponents		148	563	10	41	57	736	5	75	57-93-0				736	5	75	11	213	0	55	9	76	0	18	1299
LIU		133	572	1	44	64	604	7	42	64-111-2				604	7	42	4	85	0	26	6	54	0	24	1176

Opponents Averages

Games	Avg/ rush	Avg/ catch	Pass effic	KR avg	PR avg	All purpose avg/game	Total offense avg/game
4	3.8	12.9	145.5	19.4	8.4	403.0	324.8

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Fumble ff fr-yds		Pass Defense int-yds qbh brup			blkd kick	PAT attempts kick rush rcv			off saf t/o pts		
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds													
08/31/2024	at UAlbany	36	16	52	6.0-37	3-16	1	1-20	0-0	1	3	0	3-3	0	0	0	7	27
09/07/2024	at TCU	24	34	58	6.0-25	2-17	0	0-0	1-14	1	5	0	6-6	0	0	0	0	45
09/14/2024	Lehigh	18	34	52	1.0-1	0-0	0	0-0	1-10	0	3	0	2-2	0	0	0	7	20
09/21/2024	Rhode Island	27	64	91	9.0-18	3-8	1	1-0	0-0	0	3	0	4-4	0	0	0	7	28
Opponents		105	148	253	22.0-81	8-41	2	2-20	2-24	2	14	0	15-15	0	0	0	21	120
LIU		120	138	258	21.0-75	5-23	2	3-0	0-0	5	16	0	8-8	0	0	0	0	59

		Punting										Field Goals			Kickoffs				
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	
08/31/2024	at UAlbany	6	272	45.3	73	0	1	2	1	2	2-2	42	0	6	386	64.3	4	0	
09/07/2024	at TCU	3	136	45.3	49	0	0	3	0	2	1-2	48	0	8	517	64.6	5	0	
09/14/2024	Lehigh	4	126	31.5	51	0	1	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	4	255	63.8	3	0	
09/21/2024	Rhode Island	5	188	37.6	43	0	0	2	0	0	0-0	0	0	5	307	61.4	2	0	
Opponents		18	722	40.1	73	0	2	7	2	4	3-4	48	0	23	1465	63.7	14	0	
LIU		23	857	37.3	53	0	1	6	1	4	1-3	27	0	14	719	51.4	2	0	



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	LIU	OPP
Scoring	59	120
Points per game	14.8	30.0
Points Off Turnovers	0	21
First Downs	64	75
Rushing	28	38
Passing	31	33
Penalty	5	4
Rushing Yardage	572	563
Yards gained rushing	671	658
Yards lost rushing	99	95
Rushing attempts	133	148
Average per rush	4.3	3.8
Average per game	143.0	140.8
TDs Rushing	1	10
Passing Yardage	604	736
Comp-Att-Int	64-111-2	57-93-0
Average per pass	5.4	7.9
Average per catch	9.4	12.9
Average per game	151.0	184.0
TDs Passing	7	5
Total offense	1176	1299
Total plays	244	241
Average per play	4.8	5.4
Average per game	294.0	324.8
Kick returns: #-Yards	4-85	11-213
Punt returns: #-Yards	6-54	9-76
Int returns: #-Yards	0-0	2-24
Kick return average	21.3	19.4
Punt return average	9.0	8.4
Int return average	0.0	12.0
Fumbles-Lost	5-2	4-3
Penalties-Yards	21-164	15-144
Average per game	41.0	36.0
Punts-Yards	23-857	18-722
Average per punt	37.3	40.1
Net punt average	33.1	33.6
Kickoffs-Yards	14-719	23-1465
Average per kick	51.4	63.7
Net kick average	34.4	39.9
Time of possession / game	31:31	28:29
3rd-down conversion	20/57	18/45
3rd-down pct	35%	40%
4rd-down conversion	3/9	2/4



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	LIU	OPP
4rd-down pct	33%	50%
Sacks by-Yards	5-23	8-41
Misc Yards	0	0
Touchdowns scored	8	16
Field goals - attempts	1-3	3-4
On-Side kicks	0-0	0-0
Red-zone scores	(6-9) 67%	(13-14) 93%
Red-zone touchdowns	(5-9) 56%	(13-14) 93%
PAT-attempts	(8-8) 100%	(15-15) 100%
2-point conversion-attempts	(0-0) 0%	(0-1) 0%
Attendance	3726	50232
Games / Avg per game	2/1863	2/25116
Neutral site games	-	0/0

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	TOT
LIU	7	28	17	7	0	59
Opponents	20	48	24	28	0	120



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Team Defense

			Tackles				Sacks	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
##	Player	gp	ua	a	tot	tfl/yds	no-yds	int-yds	brup	qbh	fr-yds	ff	kick	saf
5	JoJo Garcia	4	12	9	21	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.
20	Rafael Fasolino	4	10	10	20	3-10	1-7	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
91	Elijah St John	4	4	14	18	1-7	1-7	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
3	Caleb Nartey	4	9	5	14	2-11	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.
9	Dylan Merrell	4	12	2	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
90	Eric Gardner	4	3	10	13	2-5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
0	Todd Bowles Jr.	4	4	9	13	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
99	Liam McCormick	4	4	9	13	2-6	1.5-6	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
1	Shemar Paul	4	4	8	12	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
11	Nyrel Sevilla	4	6	6	12	1-1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
32	Qualil Lumpkins	2	6	4	10	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
15	DQ Watkins	4	6	4	10	2-2	1-1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
4	Ja'Nyus Morgan	4	1	9	10	1-3	0.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
27	Marshall Washington, Jr.	3	8	1	9	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
25	Maurice Wilmer	3	4	5	9	1-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
44	Matthew Nieves	4	2	5	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2	Jahvonte Hair	4	5	1	6	2-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
42	Keith Bourque	4	2	4	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
6	Jaden Dawkins	4	1	4	5	0.5-1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
7	Nate Wyatt	4	4	1	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
37	Breon Askins	4	.	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
92	Taveon Wheeler	4	3	1	4	1-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
96	Luke Kelley	4	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
17	Kyon Conyers	1	2	1	3	2-21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
6	Cory Nichols	4	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
55	Keondre Hodges	3	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
24	Sean Kelly	4	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
30	Jorden Bennett	4	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
56	Bobby Lischner	4	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
31	Alain Paul	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
13	Quincy McDuffie	4	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
45	Drew Wisecarver	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
12	Leisaan Hibbert	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
98	Michael Coney	4	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
28	Jaylin Lewis	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
95	Carson Binder	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
Totals		4	120	138	258	21-75	5-23	0-0	16	5	3-0	2	0	0
Opponents		4	105	148	253	22-81	8-41	2-24	14	2	2-20	2	0	0



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RUSHES	44	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
YARDS RUSHING	179	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
YARDS PER RUSH	6.7	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
TD RUSHES	1	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
PASS ATTEMPTS	32	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
PASS COMPLETIONS	20	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
YARDS PASSING	197	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
YARDS PER PASS	6.2	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
TD PASSES	3	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
TOTAL PLAYS	76	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
TOTAL OFFENSE	371	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
YARDS PER PLAY	6.4	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
POINTS	21	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
	21	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
SACKS BY	2	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
	2	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
FIRST DOWNS	20	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
	20	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
PENALTIES	9	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
PENALTY YARDS	65	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
TURNOVERS	1	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
	1	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
	1	at TCU (09/07/2024)
	1	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
PUNTS	10	at TCU (09/07/2024)
PUNTING AVG	41.3	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
LONG PUNT	53	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
PUNTS INSIDE 20	2	at TCU (09/07/2024)
	2	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
LONG PUNT RETURN	24	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)



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RUSHES	45	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
YARDS RUSHING	210	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
YARDS PER RUSH	5.5	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
TD RUSHES	4 4	Rhode Island (09/21/2024) at TCU (09/07/2024)
PASS ATTEMPTS	30	at TCU (09/07/2024)
PASS COMPLETIONS	24	at TCU (09/07/2024)
YARDS PASSING	298	at TCU (09/07/2024)
YARDS PER PASS	9.9	at TCU (09/07/2024)
TD PASSES	2 2	Lehigh (09/14/2024) at TCU (09/07/2024)
TOTAL PLAYS	67	at TCU (09/07/2024)
TOTAL OFFENSE	425	at TCU (09/07/2024)
YARDS PER PLAY	6.3	at TCU (09/07/2024)
POINTS	45	at TCU (09/07/2024)
SACKS BY	3 3	Rhode Island (09/21/2024) at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
FIRST DOWNS	22	at TCU (09/07/2024)
PENALTIES	6	at TCU (09/07/2024)
PENALTY YARDS	65	at TCU (09/07/2024)
TURNOVERS	2	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
PUNTS	6	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
PUNTING AVG	45.3 45.3	at TCU (09/07/2024) at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
LONG PUNT	73	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
PUNTS INSIDE 20	2 2	at TCU (09/07/2024) at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
LONG PUNT RETURN	18	at TCU (09/07/2024)



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LIU - Game Lows

RUSHES	24	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
YARDS RUSHING	59	at TCU (09/07/2024)
YARDS PER RUSH	1.7	at TCU (09/07/2024)
TD RUSHES	0 0 0	Lehigh (09/14/2024) at TCU (09/07/2024) at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
PASS ATTEMPTS	22	at TCU (09/07/2024)
PASS COMPLETIONS	9	at TCU (09/07/2024)
YARDS PASSING	68	at TCU (09/07/2024)
YARDS PER PASS	3.1	at TCU (09/07/2024)
TD PASSES	0	at TCU (09/07/2024)
TOTAL PLAYS	50	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
TOTAL OFFENSE	127	at TCU (09/07/2024)
YARDS PER PLAY	2.3	at TCU (09/07/2024)
POINTS	0	at TCU (09/07/2024)
SACKS BY	0	at TCU (09/07/2024)
FIRST DOWNS	9	at TCU (09/07/2024)
PENALTIES	2	at TCU (09/07/2024)
PENALTY YARDS	15	at TCU (09/07/2024)
INTERCEPTIONS BY	0 0 0 0	Rhode Island (09/21/2024) Lehigh (09/14/2024) at TCU (09/07/2024) at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
PUNTS	3	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
PUNTING AVG	33.3	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
LONG PUNT	37	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
PUNTS INSIDE 20	0 0	Rhode Island (09/21/2024) Lehigh (09/14/2024)
LONG PUNT RETURN	0 0	Lehigh (09/14/2024) at TCU (09/07/2024)



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LIU - Individual Game Highs

RUSHES	16	Ludovick Choquette vs Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
YARDS RUSHING	128	Ludovick Choquette at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
TD RUSHES	1	Luca Stanzani vs Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
LONG RUSH	44	Ludovick Choquette at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
PASS ATTEMPTS	31	Luca Stanzani at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
PASS COMPLETIONS	20	Luca Stanzani at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
YARDS PASSING	179	Luca Stanzani at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
TD PASSES	3	Luca Stanzani at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
LONG PASS	42	Luca Stanzani vs Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
RECEPTIONS	7	Michael Love vs Lehigh (09/14/2024)
YARDS RECEIVING	77	Michael Love vs Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
TD RECEPTIONS	2	Michael Love vs Lehigh (09/14/2024)
LONG RECEPTION	42	Michael Love vs Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
PUNTS	10	Will Lynch at TCU (09/07/2024)
PUNTING AVG	41.3	Will Lynch at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
LONG PUNT	53	Will Lynch at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
PUNTS INSIDE 20	2	Will Lynch at TCU (09/07/2024)
	2	Will Lynch at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
LONG PUNT RETURN	24	Leisaan Hibbert vs Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
LONG KICKOFF RETURN	26	Cory Nichols vs Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
TACKLES	10	Elijah St John vs Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
SACKS	1	Elijah St John vs Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
	1	Rafael Fasolino vs Lehigh (09/14/2024)
	1	DQ Watkins vs Lehigh (09/14/2024)
	1	Liam McCormick at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
TACKLES FOR LOSS	2	Kyon Conyers at TCU (09/07/2024)



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Rushing

Player	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Ludovick Choquette	4	40	220	3	217	5.4	0	44	54.3
Ethan Greenwood	4	21	130	5	125	6.0	0	30	31.3
Luca Stanzani	4	32	160	54	106	3.3	1	28	26.5
Nasir Hennigan	4	20	89	7	82	4.1	0	24	20.5
Pat Bowen	3	8	33	0	33	4.1	0	18	11.0
Damarius Good	2	3	11	0	11	3.7	0	5	5.5
Chris Howell	1	6	16	8	8	1.3	0	6	8.0
Michael Love	4	1	7	0	7	7.0	0	7	1.8
Cory Nichols	4	1	5	0	5	5.0	0	5	1.3
Team	4	1	0	22	-22	-22.0	0	0	-5.5
Total	4	133	671	99	572	4.3	1	44	143.0
Opponents	4	148	658	95	563	3.8	10	41	140.8

Passing

Player	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Luca Stanzani	4	124.9	60-102-2	58.8	575	7	42	143.8
Ethan Greenwood	4	79.4	3-6-0	50.0	21	0	9	5.3
Chris Howell	1	83.6	1-2-0	50.0	8	0	8	8.0
Team	4	0.0	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	4	120.6	64-111-2	57.7	604	7	42	151.0
Opponents	4	145.5	57-93-0	61.3	736	5	75	184.0

Receiving

Player	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Michael Love	4	22	217	9.9	4	42	54.3
Cory Nichols	4	11	104	9.5	0	24	26.0
Ludovick Choquette	4	10	52	5.2	2	28	13.0
Aviyon Smith-Mack	4	8	111	13.9	0	30	27.8
Kahlil Overton	4	6	68	11.3	0	31	17.0
Brandon Niemenski	4	3	32	10.7	1	21	8.0
Nasir Hennigan	4	2	8	4.0	0	4	2.0
Quincy McDuffie	4	1	1	1.0	0	1	0.3
Cameron Overton	1	1	11	11.0	0	11	11.0
Total	4	64	604	9.4	7	42	151.0
Opponents	4	57	736	12.9	5	75	184.0

Punt Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Leisaan Hibbert	3	39	13.0	0	24
Michael Love	3	15	5.0	0	7
Total	6	54	9.0	0	24
Opponents	9	76	8.4	0	18

Interceptions

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Total	0	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents	2	24	12.0	0	14

Kick Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Cory Nichols	3	68	22.7	0	26
Aviyon Smith-Mack	1	17	17.0	0	17
Total	4	85	21.3	0	26
Opponents	11	213	19.4	0	55

Fumble Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Liam McCormick	1	0	0.0	0	0
Leisaan Hibbert	1	0	0.0	0	0
Cory Nichols	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	3	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents	2	20	10.0	1	20



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Scoring

Player	td	fg	PAT						pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass	dxp	saf	
Michael Love	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Ludovick Choquette	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Michael Coney	-	1-3	8-8	-	-	-	-	-	11
Brandon Niemenski	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Luca Stanzani	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	8	1-3	8-8	0	0	0	0	0	59
Opponents	16	3-4	15-15	0	0	0	0	0	120

Field Goals

Player	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Michael Coney	1-3	33.3	0-0	1-1	0-1	0-1	0-0	27	0
Opponents	3-4	75.0	0-0	0-0	0-0	3-4	0-0	48	0

FG Sequence

Team Name	LIU	Opponents
UAlbany	38	(42),(41)
Lehigh	43,(27)	
TCU		(48),44

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made

Total Offense

Player	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Luca Stanzani	4	134	106	575	681	170.3
Ludovick Choquette	4	40	217	0	217	54.3
Ethan Greenwood	4	27	125	21	146	36.5
Nasir Hennigan	4	20	82	0	82	20.5
Pat Bowen	3	8	33	0	33	11.0
Chris Howell	1	8	8	8	16	16.0
Damarius Good	2	3	11	0	11	5.5
Michael Love	4	1	7	0	7	1.8
Cory Nichols	4	1	5	0	5	1.3
Team	4	0	-22	0	-22	-5.5
Total	4	244	572	604	1176	294.0
Opponents	4	241	563	736	1299	324.8

Punting

Player	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Will Lynch	23	857	37.3	53	1	6	4	1	0
Total	23	857	37.3	53	1	6	4	1	0
Opponents	18	722	40.1	73	2	7	4	2	0

Kickoffs

Player	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydl
Michael Coney	14	719	51.4	2	0			
Total	14	719	51.4	2	0	10	34.4	30
Opponents	23	1465	63.7	14	0	4	39.9	25

All Purpose

Player	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Ludovick Choquette	4	217	52	0	0	0	269	67.3
Michael Love	4	7	217	15	0	0	239	59.8
Cory Nichols	4	5	104	0	68	0	177	44.3
Aviyon Smith-Mack	4	0	111	0	17	0	128	32.0
Ethan Greenwood	4	125	0	0	0	0	125	31.3
Luca Stanzani	4	106	0	0	0	0	106	26.5
Nasir Hennigan	4	82	8	0	0	0	90	22.5
Kahlil Overton	4	0	68	0	0	0	68	17.0
Leisaan Hibbert	4	0	0	39	0	0	39	9.8
Pat Bowen	3	33	0	0	0	0	33	11.0
Brandon Niemenski	4	0	32	0	0	0	32	8.0
Damarius Good	2	11	0	0	0	0	11	5.5
Cameron Overton	1	0	11	0	0	0	11	11.0
Chris Howell	1	8	0	0	0	0	8	8.0
Quincy McDuffie	4	0	1	0	0	0	1	0.3
Team	4	-22	0	0	0	0	-22	-5.5
Total	4	572	604	54	85	0	1315	328.8
Opponents	4	563	736	76	213	24	1612	403.0



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Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
08/31/2024	at UAlbany	L	21-27	6169
09/07/2024	at TCU	L	0-45	44063
09/14/2024	Lehigh	L	17-20	1643
09/21/2024	Rhode Island	L	21-28	2083

Rushing

Player	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Ludovick Choquette	4	40	220	3	217	5.4	0	44	54.3
Ethan Greenwood	4	21	130	5	125	6.0	0	30	31.3
Luca Stanzani	4	32	160	54	106	3.3	1	28	26.5
Nasir Hennigan	4	20	89	7	82	4.1	0	24	20.5
Pat Bowen	3	8	33	0	33	4.1	0	18	11.0
Damarius Good	2	3	11	0	11	3.7	0	5	5.5
Chris Howell	1	6	16	8	8	1.3	0	6	8.0
Michael Love	4	1	7	0	7	7.0	0	7	1.8
Cory Nichols	4	1	5	0	5	5.0	0	5	1.3
Team	4	1	0	22	-22	-22.0	0	0	-5.5
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Player	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
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Ethan Greenwood	4	79.4	3-6-0	50.0	21	0	9	5.3
Chris Howell	1	83.6	1-2-0	50.0	8	0	8	8.0
Team	4	0.0	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	4	120.6	64-111-2	57.7	604	7	42	151.0
Opponents	4	145.5	57-93-0	61.3	736	5	75	184.0

Receiving

Player	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Michael Love	4	22	217	9.9	4	42	54.3
Cory Nichols	4	11	104	9.5	0	24	26.0
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Kahlil Overton	4	6	68	11.3	0	31	17.0
Brandon Niemenski	4	3	32	10.7	1	21	8.0
Nasir Hennigan	4	2	8	4.0	0	4	2.0
Quincy McDuffie	4	1	1	1.0	0	1	0.3
Cameron Overton	1	1	11	11.0	0	11	11.0
Total	4	64	604	9.4	7	42	151.0
Opponents	4	57	736	12.9	5	75	184.0

Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	0-4	0-2	0-2	0-0
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	0-4	0-2	0-2	0-0

Team Statistics

	LIU	OPP
First Downs	64	75
Rushing	28	38
Passing	31	33
Penalty	5	4
Rushing Yardage	572	563
Rushing attempts	133	148
Average per rush	4.3	3.8
Average per game	143.0	140.8
TDs Rushing	1	10
Passing Yardage	604	736
Comp-Att-Int	64-111-2	57-93-0
Average per pass	5.4	7.9
Average per catch	9.4	12.9
Average per game	151.0	184.0
TDs Passing	7	5
Total offense	1176	1299
Average per play	4.8	5.4
Average per game	294.0	324.8
Kick returns: #-Yards	4-85	11-213
Punt returns: #-Yards	6-54	9-76
Int returns: #-Yards	0-0	2-24
Fumbles-Lost	5-2	4-3
Penalties-Yards	21-164	15-144
Punts-Avg	23-37.3	18-40.1
Time of possession / game	31:31	28:29
3rd-down conversion	20/57	18/45
4rd-down conversion	3/9	2/4
PAT-attempts	(8-8) 100%	(15-15) 100%
2-point conversion-attempts	(0-0) 0%	(0-1) 0%

Interceptions

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Total	0	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents	2	24	12.0	0	14



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Field Goals

Player	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Michael Coney	1-3	33.3	0-0	1-1	0-1	0-1	0-0	27	0
Opponents	3-4	75.0	0-0	0-0	0-0	3-4	0-0	48	0

Scoring

Player	td	fg	PAT						pts
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Brandon Niemenski	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Luca Stanzani	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	8	1-3	8-8	0	0	0	0	0	59
Opponents	16	3-4	15-15	0	0	0	0	0	120

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	TOT
LIU	7	28	17	7	0	59
Opponents	20	48	24	28	0	120

Punting

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Nasir Hennigan	4	82	8	0	0	0	90	22.5
Kahlil Overton	4	0	68	0	0	0	68	17.0
Leisaan Hibbert	4	0	0	39	0	0	39	9.8
Pat Bowen	3	33	0	0	0	0	33	11.0
Brandon Niemenski	4	0	32	0	0	0	32	8.0
Damarius Good	2	11	0	0	0	0	11	5.5
Cameron Overton	1	0	11	0	0	0	11	11.0
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Team Defense

			Tackles				Sacks	Pass defense			Fumbles	blkd		
##	Player	gp	ua	a	tot	tfl/yds	no-yds	int-yds	brup	qbh	fr-yds	ff	kick	saf
5	JoJo Garcia	4	12	9	21	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.
20	Rafael Fasolino	4	10	10	20	3-10	1-7	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
91	Elijah St John	4	4	14	18	1-7	1-7	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
3	Caleb Nartey	4	9	5	14	2-11	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.
9	Dylan Merrell	4	12	2	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
99	Liam McCormick	4	4	9	13	2-6	1.5-6	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
0	Todd Bowles Jr.	4	4	9	13	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
90	Eric Gardner	4	3	10	13	2-5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
1	Shemar Paul	4	4	8	12	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
11	Nyrel Sevilla	4	6	6	12	1-1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
32	Qualil Lumpkins	2	6	4	10	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
4	Ja'Nyus Morgan	4	1	9	10	1-3	0.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
15	DQ Watkins	4	6	4	10	2-2	1-1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
25	Maurice Wilmer	3	4	5	9	1-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
27	Marshall Washington, Jr.	3	8	1	9	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
44	Matthew Nieves	4	2	5	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2	Jahvonte Hair	4	5	1	6	2-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
42	Keith Bourque	4	2	4	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7	Nate Wyatt	4	4	1	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
6	Jaden Dawkins	4	1	4	5	0.5-1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
96	Luke Kelley	4	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
92	Taveon Wheeler	4	3	1	4	1-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
37	Breon Askins	4	.	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
17	Kyon Conyers	1	2	1	3	2-21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
6	Cory Nichols	4	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
24	Sean Kelly	4	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
55	Keondre Hodges	3	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
98	Michael Coney	4	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
12	Leisaan Hibbert	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
13	Quincy McDuffie	4	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
31	Alain Paul	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
56	Bobby Lischner	4	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
30	Jorden Bennett	4	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
45	Drew Wisecarver	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
28	Jaylin Lewis	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
95	Carson Binder	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
	Totals	4	120	138	258	21-75	5-23	0-0	16	5	3-0	2	0	0
	Opponents	4	105	148	253	22-81	8-41	2-24	14	2	2-20	2	0	0



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Opponent	Score	First Downs				Rushing Number-Yards	Passing		Total Offense Plays-Yards	Return Yards	Turn- Overs
		Total	Rush	Pass	Pen		Comp-Att-Int	Yards			
UAlbany	21-27	20 / 12	8 / 5	11 / 6	1 / 1	31-179 / 28-90	20-31-0 / 12-26-0	179 / 165	62-358 / 54-255	46 / 128	1 / 0
TCU	0-45	9 / 22	2 / 8	5 / 13	2 / 1	34-59 / 37-127	9-22-1 / 24-30-0	68 / 298	56-127 / 67-425	0 / 87	1 / 0
Lehigh	17-20	15 / 20	7 / 13	7 / 6	1 / 1	24-160 / 45-136	16-26-1 / 10-18-0	160 / 139	50-320 / 63-275	9 / 52	1 / 1
Rhode Island	21-28	20 / 21	11 / 12	8 / 8	1 / 1	44-174 / 38-210	19-32-0 / 11-19-0	197 / 134	76-371 / 57-344	84 / 66	1 / 2
Totals	59-120	64 / 75	28 / 38	31 / 33	5 / 4	133-572 / 148-563	64-111-2 / 57-93-0	604 / 736	244-1176 / 241-1299	139 / 333	4 / 3

Opponents	3rd Down Conversion	4th Down Conversion	Time of Possession	TOP Margin	Avg Yds/Rush	Avg Yds/Pass	Avg Yds/Play	Punting Number-Avg	Penalties Number-Yards	Sacks
UAlbany	3-12 / 3-13	1-2 / 0-1	32:04 / 27:56	04:08	5.8 / 3.2	5.8 / 6.3	5.8 / 4.7	6-41.3 / 6-45.3	7-64.0 / 1-10.0	1 / 3
TCU	5-17 / 4-11	0-1 / 2-2	30:31 / 29:29	01:02	1.7 / 3.4	3.1 / 9.9	2.3 / 6.3	10-36.4 / 3-45.3	2-15.0 / 6-65.0	0 / 2
Lehigh	3-11 / 7-12	1-2 / 0-1	26:05 / 33:55	-07:50	6.7 / 3.0	6.2 / 7.7	6.4 / 4.4	3-33.3 / 4-31.5	9-65.0 / 3-35.0	2 / 0
Rhode Island	9-17 / 4-9	1-4 / 0-0	37:22 / 22:38	14:44	4.0 / 5.5	6.2 / 7.1	4.9 / 6.0	4-36.3 / 5-37.6	3-20.0 / 5-34.0	2 / 3
Totals	20-57 / 18-45	3-9 / 2-4	126:02 / 113:58	12:04	4.3 / 3.8	5.4 / 7.9	4.8 / 5.4	23-37.3 / 18-40.1	21-164.0 / 15-144.0	5 / 8

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



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LIU Inside Opponent Red-Zone

Date	Opponent	Score	Times	Times	Total			Rush	Pass	FGs	Failed to score inside RZ					
			In RZ	Scored	Pts	TDs	TDs	TDs	TDs	Made	FGA	Down	Int	Fumb	Half	Game
08/31/2024	at UAlbany	L 21-27	2	2	14	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
09/07/2024	at TCU	L 0-45	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
09/14/2024	Lehigh	L 17-20	3	3	17	2	0	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
09/21/2024	Rhode Island	L 21-28	3	1	7	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Totals 6 of 9 (66.7%)			9	6	38	5	1	4	1	1	1	2	1	0	0	0

Opponents Inside LIU Red-Zone

Date	Opponent	Score	Times	Times	Total			Rush	Pass	FGs	Failed to score inside RZ					
			In RZ	Scored	Pts	TDs	TDs	TDs	TDs	Made	FGA	Down	Int	Fumb	Half	Game
08/31/2024	UAlbany	L 21-27	1	1	7	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
09/07/2024	TCU	L 0-45	6	6	42	6	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
09/14/2024	Lehigh	L 17-20	2	2	13	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
09/21/2024	Rhode Island	L 21-28	5	4	28	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Totals 13 of 14 (92.9%)			14	13	90	13	10	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0



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Opponent Match Lows
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Opponent - Game Lows

RUSHES	28	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
YARDS RUSHING	90	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
YARDS PER RUSH	3.0	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
TD RUSHES	1	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
	1	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
PASS ATTEMPTS	18	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
PASS COMPLETIONS	10	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
YARDS PASSING	134	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
YARDS PER PASS	6.3	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
TD PASSES	0	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
TOTAL PLAYS	54	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
TOTAL OFFENSE	255	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
YARDS PER PLAY	4.4	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
POINTS	20	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
SACKS BY	0	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
FIRST DOWNS	12	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
PENALTIES	1	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
PENALTY YARDS	10	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
INTERCEPTIONS BY	0	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
	0	at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
PUNTS	3	at TCU (09/07/2024)
PUNTING AVG	31.5	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
LONG PUNT	43	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
PUNTS INSIDE 20	0	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
	0	Lehigh (09/14/2024)
LONG PUNT RETURN	1	Rhode Island (09/21/2024)



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Opponent Individual Match Highs
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Opponent - Individual Game Highs

RUSHES	23	Luke Yoder vs Lehigh (09/14/2024)
YARDS RUSHING	141	Malik Grant vs Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
TD RUSHES	3	Malik Grant vs Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
	3	Cam Cook at TCU (09/07/2024)
LONG RUSH	41	Griffin Woodell at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
PASS ATTEMPTS	26	Myles Burkett at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
PASS COMPLETIONS	20	Josh Hoover at TCU (09/07/2024)
YARDS PASSING	267	Josh Hoover at TCU (09/07/2024)
TD PASSES	2	Josh Hoover at TCU (09/07/2024)
LONG PASS	75	Myles Burkett at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
RECEPTIONS	5	Savion Williams at TCU (09/07/2024)
	5	Seven McGee at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
YARDS RECEIVING	119	Seven McGee at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
TD RECEPTIONS	1	Geoffrey Jamiel vs Lehigh (09/14/2024)
	1	Mason Humphrey vs Lehigh (09/14/2024)
	1	Chase Curtis at TCU (09/07/2024)
	1	JoJo Earle at TCU (09/07/2024)
	1	Seven McGee at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
LONG RECEPTION	75	Seven McGee at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
FIELD GOALS	2	John Opalko at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
LONG FIELD GOALS	48	Kyle Lemmermann at TCU (09/07/2024)
PUNTS	6	Owen Lawson at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
PUNTING AVG	45.3	Owen Lawson at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
	45.3	Ethan Craw at TCU (09/07/2024)
LONG PUNT	73	Owen Lawson at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
PUNTS INSIDE 20	2	Ethan Craw at TCU (09/07/2024)
	2	Owen Lawson at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
LONG PUNT RETURN	18	Jack Bech at TCU (09/07/2024)
LONG KICKOFF RETURN	55	Jamal Cooney at UAlbany (08/31/2024)
TACKLES	14	Cole Brockwell vs Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
SACKS	2	A.J. Pena vs Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
TACKLES FOR LOSS	2	A.J. Pena vs Rhode Island (09/21/2024)
INTERCEPTIONS	1	Davis Rice vs Lehigh (09/14/2024)
	1	Namdi Obiazor at TCU (09/07/2024)

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LIU Football Coaching History and Records

Year	Coach	Record
1957	Dr. Roy Ilowit	3-5
1958	Dr. Roy Ilowit	4-5
1959	Dr. Roy Ilowit	4-5
1960	Dr. Roy Ilowit	4-5
1961	Dr. Roy Ilowit	6-3
1962	Dr. Roy Ilowit	4-5
1963	Dr. Roy Ilowit	6-3
1964	Joe Scannella	4-5
1965	Joe Scannella	3-5-1
1966	Joe Scannella	7-1-1
1967	Joe Scannella	5-4
1968	Dom Anile	7-3
1969	Dom Anile	6-4
1970	Dom Anile	7-3
1971	Dom Anile	8-3
1972	Dom Anile	6-3
1973	Dom Anile	10-1
1974	Dom Anile	6-4
1975	Dom Anile	9-1

1976	Dom Anile	8-3
1977	Dom Anile	5-3-1
1978	Dom Anile	7-2
1979	Dom Anile	5-4
1980	Jim Colbert	5-5
1981	Jim Colbert	7-4
1982	Jim Colbert	3-7
1983	Tom Marshall	5-5
1984	Tom Marshall	5-2-1
1985	Tom Marshall	7-2
1986	Tom Marshall	2-7
1987	Tom Marshall	2-8
1988	Tom Marshall	5-5
1989	Tom Marshall	5-5
1990	Tom Marshall	7-3
1991	Tom Marshall	4-6
1992	Tom Marshall	6-3-1
1993	Tom Marshall	10-1
1994	Tom Marshall	5-6
1995	Tom Marshall	6-4
1996	Tom Marshall	7-3
1997	Tom Marshall	6-4
1998	Bryan Collins	7-3
1999	Bryan Collins	9-2
2000	Bryan Collins	8-2
2001	Bryan Collins	11-1
2002	Bryan Collins	11-1
2003	Bryan Collins	9-2
2004	Bryan Collins	8-3
2005	Bryan Collins	10-3
2006	Bryan Collins	7-3
2007	Bryan Collins	4-6
2008	Bryan Collins	3-8
2009	Bryan Collins	6-5
2010	Bryan Collins	7-4

2011	Bryan Collins	7-4
2012	Bryan Collins	3-7
2013	Bryan Collins	5-6
2014	Bryan Collins	8-4
2015	Bryan Collins	7-4
2016	Bryan Collins	12-1
2017	Bryan Collins	8-2
2018	Bryan Collins	10-1
2019*	Bryan Collins	0-10
2020-21	Bryan Collins	2-2
2021	Jonathan Gill	2-8
2022	Ron Cooper	4-7
2023	Ron Cooper	4-7
2024	Ron Cooper	0-4
Totals	67 Seasons	403-268-5

*First season of Division I FCS Competition

LIU Football Coaching Chronology

Coach	Years	Record
Dr. Roy Ilowit	1957-63 (7 Seasons)	31-31
Joe Scanella	1964-67 (4 Seasons)	19-15-2
Dom Anile	1968-79 (12 Seasons)	84-32-1
Jim Colbert	1980-82 (3 Seasons)	15-16
Tom Marshall	1983-97 (15 Seasons)	82-64-2
Bryan Collins	1998-2020/21 (23 Seasons)	162-84
Jonathan Gill	2021 (1 season)	2-8
Ron Cooper	2022-present (3 seasons)	8-18
Totals	68 Seasons	403-268-5

LIU @ Durrell "Bronko" Pearsall Field & Bethpage Federal Credit Union Stadium (2019-Present)

Year	Record	Points For	Points Against
1966	5-0	116	57
1967	3-2	109	87
1968	4-2	121	111
1969	3-2	104	72

1970	3-1	110	72
1971	5-0	216	47
1972	3-1	98	50
1973	5-0	178	51
1974	4-2	183	111
1975	4-0	77	29
1976	3-1	74	23
1977	2-0-1	44	10
1978	5-0	166	34
1979	3-1	88	27
1980	3-2	109	88
1981	4-2	137	155
1982	1-3	72	69
1983	3-2	84	72
1984	2-1	64	25
1985	3-1	91	50
1986	2-2	121	119
1987	1-3	48	77
1988	3-2	116	115
1989	3-2	84	60
1990	4-0	149	34
1991	2-3	122	143
1992	3-1-1	122	64
1993	6-0	264	77
1994	4-0	146	48
1995	4-1	107	59
1996	4-1	100	55
1997	3-2	71	55
1998	4-1	120	103
1999	4-1	159	78
2000	5-1	219	75
2001	6-0	266	63
2002	5-0	209	47
2003	5-0	199	51
2004	4-1	217	78

2005	4-1	207	115
2006	5-0	126	34
2007	1-3	86	100
2008	1-5	129	216
2009	4-2	192	111
2010	2-3	126	142
2011	4-2	186	142
2012	2-3	154	159
2013	3-2	192	103
2014	4-2	209	180
2015	3-1	153	141
2016	7-1	302	192
2017	4-1	214	125
2018	5-1	180	56
2019	0-3	20	88
2020	2-0	55	39
2021	1-3	75	129
2022	2-3	120	174
2023	2-2	100	97
2024	0-2	38	48
Totals	196-85-2	7,944	5,032

Single-Game Records		
Record	Player/Game	Amount
Most Yards Rushing	Joe Brusca vs. Mercyhurst/1993	361
Most Yards Rushing (Reg Season)	Ian Smart vs. St. Anselm/2002	335
Most Rushing Attempts	Emile Fann vs. Rowan/1995	44
Most Rushing Touchdowns	Ian Smart vs. Southern Connecticut/2000	6
	Ian Smart vs UMass Lowell/2002	
Most Yards Passing	Perry Klein vs Salisbury State/ 1993	614
Most Passes Attempted	Tom Kupec vs. Montclair State/ 1985	61
	Chris Laviano vs. Shippensburg and Slippery Rock/2018	
Most Passes Completed	Yianni Gavalas vs New Haven	41
Most Touchdown Passes	Perry Klein vs Salisbury State/1993	7
Most Pass Receptions	Jamie Gasparre vs Gannon/1993	15

Most Receiving Yards	Jim Byrne vs Alfred/1993	266
Most Touchdown Receptions	Sean Binckes vs St. Anselm	4
Most Yards-Total Offense	Erik Anderwkavich vs. Kutztown/2010	651 (566 pass/85 rush)
Most All Purpose Yards	Joe Brusca vs. Mercyhurst/1993	401 (361 rush/40 receiving)
Most All Purpose Yards (Reg Season)	Joe Brusca vs. Trenton State/1994	343 (251 rush/92 receiving)
Most Touchdowns	Ian Smart vs. Southern Connecticut/1999 Ian Smart vs. St. Anselm/2002	6 rushing
Most Point-After-Touchdowns	Andrew Kroell vs. St. Anselm/2005	10
Most Field Goals	Michael Coney vs. Bryant/2022	5
Most Points Scored	Ian Smart vs. Southern Connecticut/2000	36
Most Points Scored by a Kicker	Michael Coney vs. Bryant/2022	17
Most Interceptions	Sam Halbrecht	4
Longest Run From Scrimmage	Ian Smart vs. St. Anselm	91
Longest Pass Play	John Guercio to Tom Bennet vs Juniata/1980	99
Longest Kickoff Return	Malik Pierre vs. American Intl.	100
Longest Punt Return	Chris Bone vs Assumption	90
Longest Interception Return	Bob Archer vs Delaware Valley/1964	100
Longest Field Goal	Sam Flores vs. Towson State/1982 Steve Tomlinson vs. Kings Point/1977	51
Most Tackles	Dave O'Dell vs Northeastern	26

Single-Season Records		
Record	Player/Year	Amount
Most Point-After-Touchdowns	Andrew Kroell/2005	68
Most Yards Rushing	Ian Smart/2001	2,536
Most Rushing Attempts	Ian Smart/2001	308
Most Passing Yards	Perry Klein/1993	3,757
Most Passes Attempted	Steven Laurino/2014	530
Most Passes Completed	Steven Laurino/2014	317
Most Touchdown Passes	Perry Klein/1993	38
Most Pass Receptions	Shane Hubbard/2014	83
Most Yards Receiving	Jeremiah Pope/2003	1,118
Most Touchdown Receptions	Michael Richardson/2017	14
Most Yards Total Offense	Steven Laurino/2014	4,174
Most All-Purpose Yards	Ian Smart/2001	2,689

Most Touchdowns	Ian Smart/2001	33
Most Field Goals	Sam Flores/1982	15
Most Points by a Kicker	Tim Wagner/2001	88
Best Punting Average	Andrew Ris/2017	47.33
Most Points Scored	Ian Smart/2001	198
Most Interceptions	Bob Jahelka	9
Most Quarterback Sacks	Charlie Cook/2001	21
Most Tackles	John Mohring	135

Career Records

Record	Player/Years	Amount
Most Yards Total Offense	Steven Laurino/2010-2014	11,911
Most Yards Rushing	Ian Smart/1999-2002	6,647
Most Rushing Touchdowns	Ian Smart/1999-2002	94
Most Yards Passing	Steven Laurino/2010-2014	9,673
Most Passes Completed	Steven Laurino/2010-2014	853
Most Passes Attempted	Steven Laurino/2010-2014	1,443
Most Touchdown Passes	Steven Laurino/2010-2014	86
Most Pass Receptions	Sean Binckes/2012-2015	151
Most Receiving Yards	Jeremiah Pope/2000-2003	2,435
Most Touchdown Receptions	Shane Hubbard/2012-2016	32
Most All-Purpose Yards	Ian Smart/1999-2002	7,356
Most Touchdowns	Ian Smart/1999-2002	95
Most Point Scored	Ian Smart/1999-2002	570
Most Field Goals	Sam Flores/1982-1984	35
Most Point After Touchdowns	Tim Wagner/1982-1984	147
Most Interceptions	Ken Rehders/1974-1976	16
Most Tackles	John Mohring/1975-1978	439
Most Quarterback Sacks	John Mohring/1975-1978	56

Team Records (Game)

Record	Opponent	Amount
Most Points Scored	St. Peter's College/1973	75
Most Yards Rushing	UMASS-Lowell/2002	506

Most Yards Passing	Salisbury State/1993	649
Most Passes Attempted	Montclair State/1985 Shippensburg/2018 Slippery Rock/2018	61
Most Passes Completed	New Haven/2017	41
Most Yards - Total Offense	Alfred/1992	761
Most First Downs	Saint Anselm/2013	39
Most Rushes	Hofstra/1989	76

Team Records (Season)		
Record	Year	Amount
Most Points Scored	2005	552
Most Yards Rushing	2005	3,509
Most Rushing Attempts	2005	575
Most Yards Total Offense	2005	6,731
Most Touchdowns	2005	77
Most Passing Yards	1993	4,090
Most Passes Attempted	2014	537
Most Passes Completed	2014	319
Most Touchdown Passes	1993	41
Most Field Goals	1982	15
Most Interceptions	1976	35
Most Fumble Recoveries	1981	20
Best Rushing Def-Yds Allowed	2001	211
Best Passing Def-Yds Allowed	1961	702
Best Record	2016	12-1
Worst Record	2019	0-10
Longest Winning Streak	2007-18	15
Longest Home Winning Streak	2001-04	18

Top-10 Single-Game Rushing Leaders		
Player	Opponent/Year	Amount
Joe Brusca	Mercyhurst/1993*	361
Ian Smart	UMASS-Lowell/2002	335
Ian Smart	Bentley/2001	316

Ian Smart	Merrimack/2001	282
Joe Brusca	Springfield/1993	272
Anthony Adamic	Merrimack/2007	268
Ian Smart	Saint Anselm/2001	276
Joe Brusca	Trenton State/1994	251
Joe Chetti	Iona/1985	244
Ian Smart	Bentley/2002	243
Malik Pierre	Stonehill/2015	238

* Set in ECAC IFC Division II Bowl Game (not officially recognized by the NCAA)

Top-10 Single-Season Rushing Leaders

Player	Year	Amount
Ian Smart	2001	2,536
Ian Smart	2002	2,023
Joe Brusca	1994	1,525
Anthony Lazarus	2005	1,494
Dave Shanahan	1989	1,166
Ian Smart	2000	1,162
Russell Jessamy	2004	1,139
Thomas Beverly	2009	1,094
Rick Haering	1999	1,071
Rick Haering	2000	1,037

Top-Five Career Rushing Leaders

Player	Years	Amount
Ian Smart	1999-2002	6,647
Joe Brusca	1991-1994	4,002
Malik Pierre	2015-2018	3,114
Tom Bennett	1977-1980	3,006
Rick Haering	1997-2000	2,668

Top-10 Single-Game Passing Leaders

Player	Opponent/Year	Amount
Perry Klein	Salisbury St./1993	614

Erik Anderwkavich	Kutztown/2010	566
Perry Klein	Gannon/1993	520
Rob Blount	Southern Connecticut/2005	470
Perry Kelin	Alfred/1993	458
Mike Ferraro	Alfred/1992	457
Tom Ehrhardt	Kings Point/1981	432
Steven Laurino	Saint Anselm/2013	429
Jeff Kidd	Bentley/2015	422
Perry Kelin	Rowan/1993	417

Top-10 Single-Season Passing Leaders

Player	Year	Amount
Perry Klein	1993	3,757
Steven Laurino	2014	3,565
Yianni Gavalas	2017	3,087
Rob Blount	2005	2,995
Chris Laviano	2018	2,869
Jeff Kidd	2016	2,825
Jeff Kidd	2015	2,778
Steven Laurino	2013	2,600
Erik Anderwkavich	2010	2,625
Tim Carr	1968	2,574

Top-Five Career Passing Leaders

Player	Years	Amount
Steven Laurino	2011-2014	9,673
Rob Blount	2002-2005	6,361
Mike Ferraro	1992-1995	6,302
Gary Wichard	1969-1971	5,373
Tim Carr	1966-1968	5,150

Top-10 Single-Game Receiving Leaders

Player	Opponent/Year	Amount
Jim Byrne	Alfred/1993	266

John Francis	Alfred/1969	262
Glen Fields	Alfred/1992	246
Tom DeBona	Kings Point/1981	239
Jim Byrne	Salisbury St./1993	207
Jamie Gasparre	Gannon/1993	200
Davon Wells	Duquesne/2022	199
Chris Bone	Southern Connecticut/2005	196
Tom DeBona	Shippensburg/1981	185
Glen Fields	Rowan/1993	185

Top-10 Single-Season Receiving Leaders

Player	Year	Amount
Jeremiah Pope	2003	1,118
Shane Hubbard	2014	1,058
Shane Hubbard	2016	1,048
Jim Byrne	1993	1,012
Darnel Williams	2010	963
Tom DeBona	1981	944
Ryan Heller	2005	923
Jim Cara	1971	903
Michael Richardson	2017	880
Joe Botti	2013	878

Top-Five Career Receiving Leaders

Player	Years	Amount
Jeremiah Pope	2000-2003	2,435
Jim Byrne	1990-1993	2,294
Joe Botti	2010-2013	2,280
Michael Richardson	2013, 2017-2018	2,259
Shane Hubbard	2013-2016	2,038