



COACHES & STAFF





BRET BIELEMA

5 EDGES

- 1) MENTAL & PHYSICAL TOUGHNESS
- 2) PLAY FAST & THROUGH THE WHISTLE
- 3) PLAY CLEAN (NO PENALTIES/BALL SECURITY/FOOTBALL IQ)
- 4) WIN CRITICAL AREAS (3RD & 4TH DOWN/REDZONE & GOAL LINE/KICK GAME)
- 5) WE EARN EVERYTHING

The University of Arkansas captivated the college football world by naming Bret Bielema the 32nd head coach in Razorback history in December 2012. Since arriving in Fayetteville, Bielema, who enters his fifth season on The Hill, has in turn captivated the passionate Razorback fan base and the state with the culture he is creating and the standards he is holding the program to.

Backed by his "Five Edges" to success, Bielema represented the qualities Arkansas was looking for: a leader of young men who holds student-athletes responsible both on and off the field and a coach who has a proven record of winning championships.

Over his 11 seasons as a head coach, Bielema has won three conference championships and coached 15 first-team All-Americans, numerous award winners, 42 NFL Draft picks and NFL superstars. Among the NFL players coached by Bielema are three-time Defensive Player of the Year J.J. Watt, Super Bowl winning quarterback Russell Wilson and No. 1 overall draft pick and 10-time Pro Bowler Joe Thomas.

Since his arrival and over 51 games, Bielema, who is the only head coach in Arkansas history to win back-to-back bowl games, has dramatically changed the direction of the program. From his first 20 games as head coach to his most recent 20, Arkansas has gone from tied for 14th in the SEC in wins over that span to a tie for fourth with a 13-7 mark. His three straight winning seasons at Arkansas have featured

seven wins over ranked teams, including five against top 15 opponents, and three on the road.

Arkansas' pro-style offense has produced a different 3,000-yard passer each of the last two seasons, making it one of just nine FBS programs to do so, while Bielema has had a 1,000-yard rusher in each of his 11 seasons as a head coach. In fact, the Razorbacks are the only FBS program to have a different quarterback pass for 3,000 yards and a different running back go for 1,300 yards on the ground in each of the last two years.

Bielema's recruitment philosophy of building a program on "uncommon" men has yielded record-setting results in the classroom. Arkansas posted a 2.94 team GPA in the spring of 2015, the highest recorded mark on record. Helping build the record-setting team GPA were 40 student-athletes on the Southeastern Conference (SEC) Fall Academic Honor Roll, good for the most in the conference. During Bielema's four seasons, Arkansas leads the SEC with 139 student-athletes on the SEC Fall Academic Honor Roll, while the 40 honorees in 2015 and 39 in 2016 are the top two marks in the conference since he joined the league.

Behind his pro-style offense and developing student-athletes to their potential on and off the field, Bielema is building Arkansas into a program that prepares players for the NFL. Since his arrival, Bielema's philosophy has translated into 17 NFL

draft picks in four seasons - good for fourth most in the SEC - while Arkansas is the only program to have a tight end selected in the last three NFL Drafts. After having four defensive players chosen in the 2015 NFL Draft - the school's most since 1989 - Arkansas saw five offensive players find NFL homes during the 2016 draft. The five offensive players taken were the second most from one school in the 2016 NFL Draft.

In 2016, Arkansas' offense featured the SEC's leading passer in Austin Allen and the regular-season rushing champion Rawleigh Williams III. Allen became just the fourth SEC quarterback since 2000 to open the season with multi-TD passes in seven straight games en route to leading the conference with 3,430 yards. Williams turned in an inspiring sophomore season after returning from a season-ending neck injury in 2015, leading the SEC in regular-season rushing yards while earning SEC Offensive Player of the Week honors three times and All-SEC first team status from the AP. Junior center Frank Ragnow was named Offensive Lineman of the Year by Pro Football Focus while fellow Trench Hog Dan Skipper ended his career with 47 consecutive starts under Bielema while earning All-SEC honors for the second straight year.

Arkansas picked up a trio of wins over top-15 teams in the regular season, good for a tie for third most in the nation. The first of those wins came at No.

15 TCU where Arkansas pulled out a dramatic 41–38 double-overtime win to snap the Horned Frogs' 14-game home win streak. The Razorbacks took down No. 12 Ole Miss, 34–30, for the third straight season and picked up their first win over SEC East champ No. 11 Florida, 31–10, for the first time since 1982. It marked the sixth time in program history that Arkansas has made a bowl game three straight years.

In 2015, Arkansas' off the field academic success was accompanied by on the field results to the tune of winning six of its last seven games and finishing in a tie for third place in the SEC West with a 5–3 mark. The Razorbacks displayed the resolve of their head coach by bouncing back from a tough start to pick up three SEC road wins and two overtime victories in conference action. Arkansas' wins at Tennessee, Ole Miss and LSU marked the first time in program history that the Razorbacks won three road games against teams that finished in the final Associated Press Top 25 poll.

Arkansas' surge in late October through November set up a Liberty Bowl matchup against Kansas State and one of Bielema's mentors head coach Bill Snyder. For the second-straight year, the Razorbacks capped the season with a win in front of a large contingent of Arkansas fans, defeating Kansas State 45–23. With the win, Bielema became the first coach in program history to win back-to-back bowl games while Arkansas was the only SEC West team to win a bowl game in both 2014 and 2015.

A key ingredient in Arkansas' success in 2015 was its balance and efficiency on offense. The Razorbacks led the SEC in scoring in conference games (34.4) while reaching 50-plus points four times during the final six regular season games, breaking the previous program single-season record of three set in 1910, 1916 and 2007. Arkansas was the only school in the SEC and one of eight nationally to have both a 3,000-yard passer and 1,000-yard rusher during the regular season. Brandon Allen's 30 touchdowns through the air and Alex Collins' program record 20 scores on the ground made them the only duo in the nation to hit those statistical peaks.

Individual records and postseason accolades stacked up during and after the 2015 season, highlighted by junior tight end Hunter Henry winning the John Mackey Award. A

consensus first-team All-American, Henry led all FBS tight ends with 739 yards receiving, as Arkansas became the first program to have two players win the John Mackey Award. Collins became just the third player in SEC history to start his career with three straight seasons of 1,000-yards rushing en route to earning All-America third team honors from Athlon. Paving the way for Collins was senior offensive lineman Sebastian Tretola, who was the co-recipient of the Jacobs Blocking trophy as the SEC's top blocker. Tretola was named a first-team All-American by Sports Illustrated and a second-team All-American by three other outlets.

Henry was not only the first Razorback taken in the 2016 NFL Draft but also the first tight end selected when he went in the second round to the San Diego Chargers. Jonathan Williams (Buffalo Bills) and Collins (Seattle Seahawks) became just the second running back duo since Arkansas greets Darren McFadden and Felix Jones in 2008 to be picked in the top five rounds of the same NFL Draft when they both went in the fifth round. Less than 30 picks after Collins, both Tretola (Tennessee Titans) and Allen (Jacksonville Jaguars) came off the board in the sixth round to round out the program's most offensive players taken in the same draft since 2008.

Arkansas closed 2014 and its second season under Bielema by winning three of its final four games against traditional powers LSU, Ole Miss and Texas. The victories marked the first time in school history the Hogs have defeated those three teams in the same season. The Razorbacks finished 7–6 with a 31–7 victory over Texas in the AdvoCare V100 Texas Bowl, marking Arkansas' first winning season since 2011.

Bielema has always prided himself on a balanced offensive attack and that is exactly what the Razorbacks accomplished in 2014. Running backs Williams and Collins were the only FBS teammates to rush for more than 1,000 yards each and both players finished in the top five of the SEC in rushing totals. Allen threw for 20 touchdowns, the sixth most in a single season in school history, and his five interceptions, were the fewest by a Razorback quarterback since 1992.

A PERFECT FIT FOR RBU

Prior to the 2014 season, ESPN.com donned Arkansas as RBU of the 2000s. Coach Bielema is a perfect fit to continue that legacy and currently is the only active FBS head coach with a 1,000-yard rusher in each of the last 11 seasons (2006–Current).

YEAR	NAME	YARDS TDS
2006	P.J. HILL (WISCONSIN)	1,569 15
2007	P.J. HILL (WISCONSIN)	1,212 14
2008	P.J. HILL (WISCONSIN)	1,161 13
2009	JOHN CLAY (WISCONSIN)	1,517 18
2010	JAMES WHITE (WISCONSIN)	1,052 14
	JOHN CLAY (WISCONSIN)	1,012 14
2011	MONTEE BALL (WISCONSIN)	1,923 33
2012	MONTEE BALL (WISCONSIN)	1,830 22
2013	ALEX COLLINS (ARKANSAS)	1,026 4
2014	JONATHAN WILLIAMS (ARKANSAS)	1,190 12
	ALEX COLLINS (ARKANSAS)	1,100 12
2015	ALEX COLLINS (ARKANSAS)	1,577 20
2016	RAWLEIGH WILLIAMS III (ARKANSAS)	1,360 12





QUICK FACTS

BORN: JANUARY 13, 1970
HOMETOWN: PROPHETSTOWN, ILL.
FAMILY: WIFE: JEN; DAUGHTER: BRIELLA

EDUCATION

Iowa - Bachelor's in Marketing, 1992

COACHING HISTORY

2013-Present | Arkansas (Head Coach)
 2006-12 | Wisconsin (Head Coach)
 2004-05 | Wisconsin (Def. Coord./Linebackers)
 2002-03 | Kansas State (Co-Def. Coord./LB)
 1996-01 | Iowa (Linebackers)
 1994-95 | Iowa (Graduate Assistant)

PLAYING HISTORY

1989-92 | Iowa (Defensive Tackle)

POSTSEASON EXPERIENCE

Arkansas
 2016 Belk Bowl
 2016 Liberty Bowl
 2014 Texas Bowl

Wisconsin
 2013 Rose Bowl
 2012 Rose Bowl
 2011 Rose Bowl
 2009 Champs Sports Bowl
 2008 Champs Sports Bowl
 2008 Outback Bowl
 2007 Capital One Bowl

ASSISTANT COACH

Wisconsin
 2006 Capital One Bowl
 2005 Outback Bowl

Kansas State
 2004 Fiesta Bowl
 2002 Holiday Bowl

Iowa
 2001 Alamo Bowl
 1997 Sun Bowl
 1996 Alamo Bowl
 1995 Sun Bowl

Iowa
 1991 Rose Bowl
 1991 Holiday Bowl



Bret Bielema
 Beyond anything @jenbielema & I could ever dream of as parents. Please welcome Briella Nichole Bielema born 4:44 AM on 7/8/17 weight 7 lbs. 8 oz.

Arkansas was the SEC's most improved defense in 2014, allowing just 19.2 points per game. With 11.9 points per game improvement from the previous season, the Razorbacks had the seventh-most improved defense in the nation. Arkansas became the first unranked team in college football history to post back-to-back shutouts over ranked opponents after blanking No. 20 LSU and No. 8 Ole Miss. Senior linebacker and consensus first-team All-SEC selection Martrell Spaight was the first Razorback to ever lead the SEC with 128 total tackles.

In his first season at Arkansas (2013), the Razorbacks had five student-athletes named Freshmen All-Americans: Collins, offensive linemen Denver Kirkland and Skipper, Henry and defensive tackle Darius Philon. Collins was named the SEC Freshman of the Year after he became the second Razorback freshman to rush for more than 1,000 yards in a season. Collins and McFadden are the only Razorbacks in school history to accomplish this feat and the only two Razorbacks to be named SEC Freshman of the Year.

In Bielema's seven seasons as head coach at Wisconsin, he had 17 players earn All-America honors, including 11 first-team All-Americans. He also coached two Outland

Trophy winners, one Doak Walker Award recipient, one winner of the Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award and one Lott IMPACT Trophy winner as well as finalists for numerous other individual awards, including the Heisman Trophy. In his final six years at Wisconsin, 21 Badgers were taken in the NFL Draft, including three in the first round.

Bielema, who served as Wisconsin's defensive coordinator for two seasons before becoming head coach, was on staff as UW compiled a 55-6 record at Camp Randall Stadium in his nine years. The Badgers won their first 16 home games under Bielema, the second-longest home winning streak in school history.

In 2012, Bielema guided Wisconsin to its third straight Big Ten championship and the Badgers became the first team to represent the Big Ten in three straight Rose Bowls since Michigan qualified following the 1976-78 seasons. In his final game at Wisconsin, Bielema led the Badgers to a 70-31 win over No. 14 Nebraska in the Big Ten Championship Game. Wisconsin became the second team to score 70 points in a conference championship game, matching the number scored by Texas in the 2005 Big 12 Championship Game. Wisconsin also had two 200-yard rushers in the same game for the first time in school history.



GROWING UP AND FAMILY

Bret was born in Silvis, Ill., and the family lived in Moline, part of the Quad Cities, before moving to a farm outside Prophetstown, which is 35 miles from Davenport, Iowa. Bret is the son of Arnie and Marilyn Bielema and he was born on Jan. 13, 1970. His parents have been married for more than 50 years.

Bret's father (Arnie) ran a hog farm and worked at the Genesco Co-op, while his mother (Marilyn) directed a day care center. The Bielema family's 2,500 hogs outnumbered the human population of their hometown of Prophetstown (2,000).

Bret's mother (Marilyn) has battled cancer and she is where he says he gets his toughness. While at Wisconsin, Bret organized Football 101 for Women, an annual fundraising event to heighten the awareness of and raise funds to battle breast cancer. Through the instruction of Bret and his assistants, 300 women were exposed to the game's fundamentals - with all proceeds benefiting the Madison affiliate of the Susan G. Komen for the Cure. Bret and his staff have continued the Football 101 for Women fundraiser here at Arkansas.

Bret was married on March 10, 2012, to his wife Jen. The two married after four years and on July 8, 2017, they welcomed their daughter, Briella Nichole, into the world. Briella arrived two days prior to SEC Media Days, which allowed the SEC's newest dad to introduce her to the college football world.

YEAR-BY-YEAR COLLEGIATE HEAD COACH RECORD

YEAR	OVERALL	CONFERENCE	BOWL	RANKING
2006	12-1	7-1; T2 ND IN BIG TEN	CAPITAL ONE (W, No.12 ARKANSAS 17-14)	No. 7
2007	9-4	5-3; 4 TH IN BIG TEN	OUTBACK (L, No.16 TENNESSEE 21-17)	No. 24
2008	7-6	3-5; T6 TH IN BIG TEN	CHAMPS SPORTS (L, FLORIDA ST 42-13)	--
2009	10-3	5-3; T4 TH IN BIG TEN	CHAMPS SPORTS (W, No.14 MIAMI 20-14)	No. 16
2010	11-2	7-1; T1 ST IN BIG TEN	ROSE (L, No.3 TCU 21-19)	No. 7
2011	11-3	6-2; 1 ST IN BIG TEN [^]	ROSE (L, No.6 OREGON 45-38)	No. 10
2012	8-6	4-4; 1 ST IN BIG TEN [^]	ROSE (L, No.8 STANFORD 20-14)*	--
2013	3-9	0-8; 7 TH IN SEC WEST	--	--
2014	7-6	2-6; 7 TH IN SEC WEST	TEXAS (W, TEXAS 31-7)	--
2015	8-5	5-3; T3 RD IN SEC WEST	LIBERTY (W, KANSAS STATE 45-23)	--
2016	7-6	3-5; T5 TH IN SEC WEST	BELK (L, No.22 VIRGINIA TECH 35-24)	--

OVERALL RECORD: 93-50

CONFERENCE RECORD: 47-41

[^]Won Big Ten Championship Game

*Did not coach Wisconsin in Rose Bowl, and loss is not reflected in record

Also during the 2012 season, running back Montee Ball broke the NCAA career records for total touchdowns and rushing touchdowns. Ball finished his career with 82 total touchdowns, breaking the previous record of 78, and 76 rushing touchdowns, besting the old record of 73. As a team, the Badgers finished in the top 25 in the country in rushing offense, total defense, scoring defense, rushing defense, pass efficiency defense and pass defense.

In 2011, the Badgers won the inaugural Big Ten Championship Game, defeating Michigan State 42-39 to advance to the Rose Bowl for the second straight season. Wisconsin, winners of the Leaders Division, finished the season with an 11-3 record and recorded 11 regular-season victories for just the third time in school history, all under Bielema's watch.

Wisconsin's high-powered offense ranked sixth in the country in scoring in 2011 behind quarterback Wilson and Ball. They became the first teammates in FBS history to throw at least 30 touchdowns and run for at least 30 scores in the same season. Ball, a first-team All-American, was a finalist for the Heisman Trophy and tied Barry Sanders' FBS record for touchdowns scored in a season with 39. He also broke Sanders' NCAA single-season scoring record with 236 points. Offensive linemen Peter Konz and Kevin Zeitler also earned first-team All-America recognition.

In 2010, the Badgers won a share of the 12th Big Ten Championship in school history and its first since 1999. UW tied a school record with seven conference victories and earned its first trip to the Rose Bowl since 1999. Wisconsin nearly became the first team in FBS history to have three running backs gain 1,000 yards in the same season as James White finished with 1,052 yards, John Clay had 1,012 and Ball ran for 996.

Wisconsin players took home several national awards in 2010, including the Outland Trophy (Gabe Carimi), the Lott IMPACT Trophy (J.J. Watt) and the Unitas Golden Arm Award (Scott Tolzien). Carimi, Clay, Lance Kendricks, John Moffitt and Watt were all named All-Americans, giving Wisconsin its most All-America honorees since 1999.

Wisconsin's success under Bielema translated to the classroom as well with 131 academic all-conference selections in seven seasons. UW had a school-record 25 members of the football team honored as Academic All-Big Ten in 2012, breaking the previous record of 22 set in 2009 and

matched in 2010. Before 2009, the school record was 19, set in Bielema's second season.

Bielema guided Wisconsin to a 12-1 overall record and 7-1 mark in the Big Ten during his rookie year in 2006. Wisconsin capped that record-setting season with a 17-14 win over Arkansas in the 2007 Capital One Bowl. No previous Wisconsin team had won more than 11 games in a season. In addition, Bielema became just the third rookie head coach in NCAA FBS history to pilot his team to 12 victories. His efforts were rewarded when he was named the 2006 Dave McClain Big Ten Coach of the Year.

Bielema was Wisconsin's defensive coordinator in 2004 and 2005, a period in which the program produced a 19-6 record under Barry Alvarez. The 2004 Badgers were ranked sixth nationally in scoring defense and ninth in total defense. The 2005 club, which earned Wisconsin's first shutout since 1999, finished its 10-win season with a 24-10 victory over No. 7 Auburn in the 2006 Capital One Bowl, limiting the high-powered Tigers to just 236 yards of total offense.

Bielema was co-defensive coordinator at Kansas State under Bill Snyder in 2002 and 2003. The Wildcats were 22-6 during Bielema's time in Manhattan and finished in the top 10 nationally both seasons in scoring and total defense. The Wildcats won its first Big 12 title in 2003. Among Bielema's standout players at Kansas State were first-team All-American Josh Buhl, 2003 NFL second-round draft pick Terry Pierce and All-Big 12 second team selection Bryan Hickman.

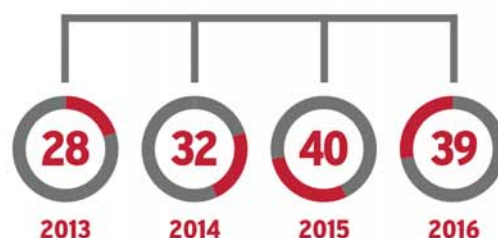
Prior to his years at Kansas State, Bielema spent nine seasons as an assistant coach at his alma mater, Iowa, where he worked for head coaches Hayden Fry and Kirk Ferentz. The 1997 Hawkeyes posted three shutouts and ranked No. 4 nationally in scoring defense.

Bielema lettered from 1989-92 at Iowa after joining the program as a walk-on. He earned a scholarship after his first year and was a member of Iowa's 1990 Big Ten championship team. A starter as a junior in 1991, he was a team co-captain as a senior. Bielema signed a free agent contract with the Seattle Seahawks and later completed his playing career with the Milwaukee Mustangs of the Arena Football League.

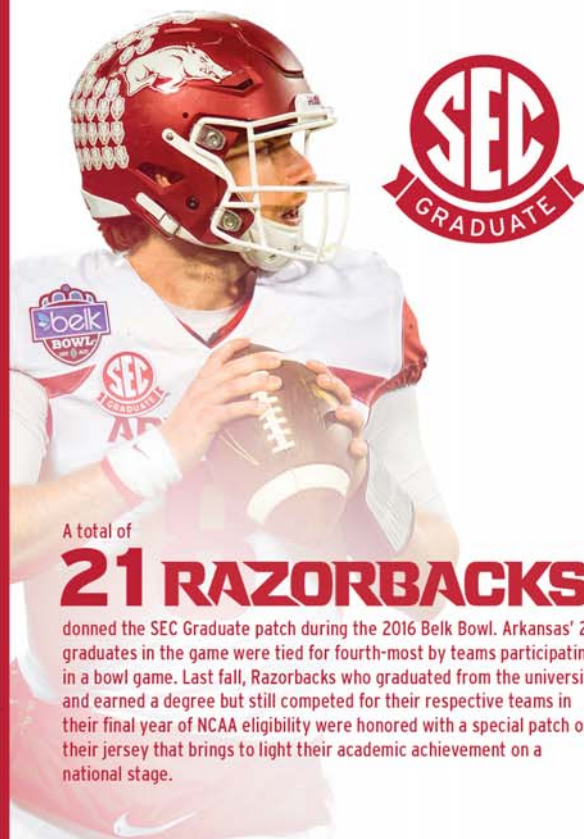


THE ULTIMATE GOAL

139  **FALL ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL PLAYERS**



- Arkansas leads the SEC with 139 Fall Academic Honor Roll selections since coach Bielema took over in 2013, good for 12 more than the next closest school.
- Arkansas led the conference with 40 student-athletes on the SEC Fall Academic Honor Roll in 2015 and repeated as the league-leader in 2016 with 39 honorees.
- The 40 honorees in 2015 were the most by an SEC football program since coach Bielema joined the league, while 2016's total of 39 is the second-highest mark.
- Arkansas is the only program with 30-plus student-athletes on the SEC Fall Academic Honor Roll each of the last three years.



A total of **21 RAZORBACKS**

donned the SEC Graduate patch during the 2016 Belk Bowl. Arkansas' 21 graduates in the game were tied for fourth-most by teams participating in a bowl game. Last fall, Razorbacks who graduated from the university and earned a degree but still competed for their respective teams in their final year of NCAA eligibility were honored with a special patch on their jersey that brings to light their academic achievement on a national stage.



BUILT BY BIELEMA

ARKANSAS RAZORBACKS

2017	RD 4 PK 131		DEATRICH WISE JR.	DE
2017	RD 5 PK 154		JEREMY SPRINKLE	TE
2017	RD 6 PK 205		JEREMIAH LEDBETTER	DT
2016	RD 2 PK 35		HUNTER HENRY	TE
2016	RD 5 PK 156		JONATHAN WILLIAMS	RB
2016	RD 5 PK 171		ALEX COLLINS	RB
2016	RD 6 PK 193		SEBASTIAN TRETOLA	OG
2016	RD 6 PK 201		BRANDON ALLEN	QB
2015	RD 4 PK 101		TREY FLOWERS	DE
2015	RD 5 PK 141		MARTRELL SPAIGHT	LB
2015	RD 6 PK 182		TEVIN MITCHELL	CB
2015	RD 6 PK 192		DARIUS PHILON	DT
2015	RD 6 PK 202		A.J. DERBY	TE
2014	RD 3 PK 76		TRAVIS SWANSON	C
2014	RD 5 PK 159		CHRIS SMITH	DE
2014	RD 7 PK 228		ZACH HOCKER	K

WISCONSIN BADGERS

2013	RD 1 PK 31		TRAVIS FREDERICK	C
2013	RD 2 PK 58		MONTEE BALL	RB
2013	RD 5 PK 168		RICKY WAGNER	OT
2012	RD 1 PK 27		KEVIN ZEITLER	OG
2012	RD 2 PK 55		PETER KONZ	C
2012	RD 3 PK 75		RUSSELL WILSON	QB
2012	RD 4 PK 122		NICK TOON	WR
2012	RD 5 PK 157		BRADIE EWING	FB
2012	RD 6 PK 207		BRAD NORTMAN	P
2011	RD 1 PK 11		J.J. WATT	DE
2011	RD 1 PK 29		GABE CARIMI	OT
2011	RD 2 PK 47		LANCE KENDRICKS	TE
2011	RD 3 PK 75		JOHN MOFFITT	OG
2011	RD 7 PK 252		BILL NAGY	C
2010	RD 4 PK 118		GARRETT GRAHAM	TE
2010	RD 4 PK 130		O'BRIEN SCHOFIELD	DE
2009	RD 3 PK 71		MATT SHAUGHNESSY	DE
2009	RD 3 PK 76		DEANDRE LEVY	LB
2009	RD 3 PK 79		KRAIG URBIK	OG
2009	RD 3 PK 100		TRAVIS BECKUM	TE
2008	RD 4 PK 131		JACK IKEGWONU	CB
2008	RD 6 PK 178		TAYLOR MEHLHAFF	K
2008	RD 6 PK 181		NICK HAYDEN	DT
2008	RD 6 PK 191		PAUL HUBBARD	WR
2007	RD 1 PK 3		JOE THOMAS	OT

PATH TO THE PROS ▼

Coach Bielema is one of just six active FBS head coaches to have a player selected in the NFL Draft each of the last 11 years.

Coach Bielema ranks tied for ninth among current FBS coaches with 42 NFL Draft picks over his 11 seasons as a head coach.

Since the 2007 NFL Draft, Bielema is one of three current FBS head coaches in the top 5 in both number of offensive lineman selected (11-T2nd) and defensive lineman (9 - T5th) drafted.

Coach Bielema has had an offensive or defensive lineman selected in the last 11 NFL Drafts.

Six tight ends have been taken in the NFL Draft over Bielema's 11 seasons, which is the most by one head coach over that span.

THE BIGGEST STAGE ▼

Coach Bielema has had a former player in five of the last six Super Bowls, including the last four. Former Arkansas All-SEC defensive end Trey Flowers had 2.5 sacks and running back James White scored three TDs and set a Super Bowl record with 14 receptions in New England's win in Super Bowl LI. A total of seven of coach Bielema's former players have won a Super Bowl.



BIG BOYS MAKE BIG BUCKS ▼

Highlighted by four players selected in the first round of the NFL Draft, coach Bielema has a knack for finding, developing and preparing offensive lineman for the next level. Bielema's 10 former offensive linemen currently in the NFL entering the 2017 season have a combined total current contract value over 250 million dollars. Of the 10 current offensive linemen, four rank among the top two highest paid players at their respective position.



TRAVIS FREDERICK
DALLAS COWBOYS
CENTER | \$56,400,000 (1ST)

KEVIN ZEITLER
CLEVELAND BROWNS
RIGHT GUARD | \$60,000,000 (1ST)

JOE THOMAS
CLEVELAND BROWNS
LEFT TACKLE | \$80,500,000 (2ND)

RICKY WAGNER
DETROIT LIONS
RIGHT TACKLE | \$47,500,000 (2ND)



DAN ENOS

Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks | 3rd Season

One of the most brilliant offensive minds in college football, Dan Enos enters his third season as Arkansas' offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach.

Enos joined head coach Bret Bielema's staff in January of 2015 after spending the previous five seasons as head coach at Central Michigan. He boasts more than 20 years of experience coaching skill position players and over 10 years of play-calling experience, including all five years at Central Michigan. He has tutored and developed many NFL stars, including offensive tackle Eric Fisher, who became the first Mid-American Conference player to be selected No. 1 overall in the NFL Draft in 2013 by the Kansas City Chiefs.

Backed by his pro-style offense that features a balanced attack, Enos has turned the Arkansas offense into a threat through the air and on the ground. Over his two seasons as OC, Arkansas is one of two FBS programs with 3,000-yard passer and 1,300-yard rusher in both 2015 and 2016. Even more impressive, the Razorbacks are the only program to accomplish the feat with a different quarterback and different running back in each of those seasons.

In his first season on The Hill, Enos helped Arkansas lead the SEC in scoring in SEC games, averaging 34.4 points. The Razorbacks scored 50 or more points four times over the final six regular season games, breaking the previous program single-season record of three set in 1910, 1916 and 2007.

The Razorback offense was wildly successful primarily due to the incredible balance between the passing and rushing attacks. Arkansas was the only school in the SEC and one of eight nationally to have

both a 3,000-yard passer and 1,000-yard rusher during the regular season.

Under the direction of Enos in 2015, quarterback and Manning Award finalist Brandon Allen became the third player in program history to throw for 3,000 yards in a season (3,440) and became the Razorbacks' all-time leader in touchdown passes (64). Behind a program-best three 400-yard games, Allen finished his senior campaign with 3,440 yards passing and 30 touchdowns.

Allen was one of five offensive players to find an NFL home during the 2016 draft. The five offensive players taken were the second most from one school in the 2016 NFL Draft, highlighted by Hunter Henry being the first tight end taken and running backs Jonathan Williams and Alex Collins becoming just the third backfield duo to be selected in the first five rounds of the same draft since 2008.

The 2016 season ushered in a new starting quarterback with similar results, as Austin Allen led the SEC with 3,430 yards passing in his first season as a starter under Enos. Allen became just the fourth SEC quarterback since 2000 to throw for multiple touchdown passes in each of the first seven games of the season to finish second in the league with 25 TDs on the year.

Despite seeing two 1,000-yard rushers move onto the NFL following the 2015 season, Enos also turned another first-time starter in running back Rawleigh Williams III into an All-SEC first team choice. A three-time SEC Offensive Player of the Week in 2016, Williams led the SEC regular-season in rushing while his 1,360 yards on the year were bolstered by seven 100-yard performances.

Hired as Central Michigan's head coach in 2010,

ENOS QUICK FACTS

PERSONAL

COACHING DUTIES: Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks

BORN: July 1, 1968

FAMILY: Wife: Jane; Daughter: Lia; Son: Alex

EDUCATION

Michigan State - B.S. in business administration, 1991

M.S. in sports administration, 2006

Years of Collegiate Experience: 26

Recruiting Territory: Michigan, Missouri

COACHING HISTORY

2015-Pres. Arkansas (Off. Coordinator/Quarterbacks)

2010-14 Central Michigan (Head Coach)

2007-09 Michigan State (Running Backs)

2006 Michigan State (Quarterbacks)

2004-05 Cincinnati (Quarterbacks)

2003 North Dakota State (Off. Coordinator/Quarterbacks)

2000-02 Western Michigan (Quarterbacks)

1999 Missouri State (Off. Coordinator/Quarterbacks)

1997-98 Southern Illinois (Quarterbacks/Wide Receivers)

1996 Northern Michigan (Off. Coordinator/Offensive Backs)

1994-95 Lakeland College (Off. Coordinator/QBs/WRs)

1991-93 Michigan State (Graduate Assistant)

PLAYING EXPERIENCE

1987-90 Michigan State (Quarterback)

Enos led the Chippewas to bowl eligibility in each of his final three seasons. CMU passed for over 3,000 yards in four of his five seasons as head coach.

Prior to Central Michigan, Enos spent four seasons in a variety of offensive roles at Michigan State. He served as the Spartans' running backs coach from 2007 to 2009 and coached quarterbacks in 2006. He was named one of Rivals.com's Top 25 recruiters in the nation in 2009.

While at Michigan State, Enos was the position coach for three NFL running backs - Javon Ringer, Edwin Baker and Jehuu Caulcrick. Ringer was selected in the fifth round of the 2009 NFL Draft by the Tennessee Titans, while Baker was a seventh round draft pick by the San Diego Chargers in 2012 and Caulcrick played for the Buffalo Bills in 2010. Ringer led the nation in carries (390), scoring (132 points) and touchdowns (22) and ranked fourth in rushing (125.9 yards per game) in 2008 and was named a consensus first-team All-American.

In 2006, Enos mentored quarterback Drew Stanton, who earned team MVP honors after accounting for 2,252 total yards and 17 touchdowns as a senior. Following the season, Stanton was selected by the Detroit Lions in the second round of the NFL Draft.

A standout quarterback at Michigan State from 1987-90, Enos started two seasons and earned a 16-7-1 record (.688) as a starter, leading the Spartans to two bowl victories. He still ranks No. 13 in school history in passing yards (3,837) and completions (297). His .621 completion percentage still ranks fourth-best in Spartan history.



**PAUL RHOADS**

Defensive Coordinator/Secondary | 2nd Season

Arkansas head coach Bret Bielema announced the promotion of Paul Rhoads to defensive coordinator in January of 2017. Rhoads served as defensive backs coach during the 2016 season.

This will be Rhoads' third stint as a defensive coordinator and second in the SEC. Prior to joining Bielema's staff on Feb. 24, 2016, Rhoads spent 16 years as either a head coach or defensive coordinator at Iowa State, Pittsburgh and Auburn, including the previous seven seasons (2009-15) as Iowa State's head coach.

Over his nine combined seasons as a defensive coordinator at Auburn (2008) and Pittsburgh (2000-07), Rhoads' units ranked in the top 30 nationally in scoring defense six times and the top 12 for fewest yards three times.

A native of Ankeny, Iowa, Rhoads has been a part of 10 bowl games and has mentored six defensive backs that have been selected in the NFL Draft, highlighted by seven-time Pro Bowl selection and 2009 AFC Defensive Player of the Year Darrelle Revis. Revis was the 14th overall pick by the New York Jets in 2007 after playing for coach Rhoads when he was the defensive coordinator at Pittsburgh.

In 2016, Arkansas' defensive backs unit forced 10 interceptions, returning four of those for touchdowns. The four interceptions returned for scores were the program's most in one season since at least 1985, tying for fourth-most in the nation and second-most in the SEC. Three different Arkansas defensive

backs recorded two interceptions apiece, including sophomore cornerback Ryan Pulley, who added 13 pass breakups to rank second in the SEC and tie for 12th nationally. In addition, senior cornerback Jared Collins tied for third in the SEC and 18th nationally with 12 pass breakups. Arkansas was one of just two schools in the conference with two players to rank in the top five of that category.

In his seven seasons at Iowa State, Rhoads led the Cyclones to three bowl game appearances. He recorded four wins over ranked opponents, including three on the road — half of the school's all-time road victories over ranked teams.

Taking over a program that had gone a combined 8-27 the previous three seasons, Rhoads' success in his first season at Iowa State was underscored by his place as the first Cyclone football coach to win seven games in his initial campaign since 1907 and the first ISU coach since 1931 to post a winning record in his initial season. His first season as head coach was highlighted by the program's first win at Nebraska in 32 years and a victory over Minnesota in the Insight Bowl.

In addition, the Cyclones registered six Big 12 road victories under Rhoads. Prior to his arrival, the Cyclones had won just nine conference road games in the previous 17 seasons. Under Rhoads' direction, four linebackers garnered All-Big 12 first team honors, while two also received All-America accolades.

Prior to returning to Iowa State, he spent the 2008

RHOADS QUICK FACTS**PERSONAL**

COACHING DUTIES: Defensive Coordinator/Secondary

BORN: Feb. 2, 1967

FAMILY: Wife: Vickie; Sons: Jake and Wyatt

EDUCATION

Missouri Western - B.S. in economics, 1989

Utah State - M.S. in education, 1991

Years of Collegiate Experience: 28

Recruiting Territory: Oklahoma

COACHING HISTORY

2017-Pres. Arkansas (Defensive Coordinator/Secondary)

2016..... Arkansas (Defensive Backs)

2009-15..... Iowa State (Head Coach)

2008..... Auburn (Defensive Coordinator/DBs)

2000-07..... Pittsburgh (Defensive Coordinator)

1995-99..... Iowa State (Defensive Backs/ILBs)

1992-94..... Pacific (Pass Game Coordinator/DBs)

1991..... Ohio State (Graduate Assistant)

1989-90..... Utah State (Graduate Assistant)

PLAYING EXPERIENCE

1985-88..... Missouri Western (Defensive Back)

season as the defensive coordinator at Auburn under former head coach Tommy Tuberville, where his defense ranked 18th nationally in scoring, allowing 18.0 points per game and 178.8 yards passing to rank 22nd nationally.

From 2000-07, Rhoads served as defense coordinator at Pittsburgh for eight seasons. Five of his defenses ranked in the nation's top 30 for scoring and three in the NCAA's top 12 for fewest yards allowed. Additionally, 14 of his Panther defenders earned All-Big East first team acclaim. In 2006, The Sporting News named him the Big East's best defensive coordinator. His 2004 defense ranked ninth nationally with 17 interceptions and four defensive touchdowns, helping propel the Panthers to a Big East Conference championship and an appearance in the 2005 Tostitos Fiesta Bowl. Rhoads had five players selected to NFL drafts, including Revis (2007, Jets), Bernard "Josh" Lay (2006, New Orleans Saints), Shawntae Spencer (2004, San Francisco 49ers), Torrie Cox (2003, Tampa Bay Buccaneers), Ramon Walker (2002, Houston Texans).

Under Rhoads' guidance, Revis was a two-time All-American, two-time All-Big East selection and a 2006 Jim Thorpe Award semifinalist. Revis has spent a majority of his career with Jets while also spending one season with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers and one with the New England Patriots. In 2014, Revis helped the Patriots win Super Bowl XLIX before returning to the Jets in 2015 as the highest-paid cornerback in NFL history with a five-year \$70 million contract. Revis has made over \$125 million in his career.





KURT ANDERSON
Offensive Line | 2nd Season

Kurt Anderson is in his second season as offensive line coach.

Anderson joined the Arkansas staff on Jan. 9, 2016 and took over a youthful offensive line that returned just two players with starting experience in senior left tackle Dan Skipper and junior center Frank Ragnow. A total of seven different linemen made starts during the 2016 season.

Skipper and Ragnow were part of a unit that helped pave the way for running back Rawleigh Williams III to capture the SEC regular-season rushing title and provided time for quarterback Austin Allen to lead the SEC in total passing yardage.

Skipper earned second-team All-America honors from the American Football Coaches Association and became just the sixth offensive lineman in program history to earn All-SEC status in two different seasons, while Ragnow was named the nation's best offensive lineman, best run blocker and a first-team All-American by Pro Football Focus (PFF) and was a second-team All-SEC choice by the Associated Press.

Prior to Arkansas, Anderson spent the 2013-15 seasons with the Buffalo Bills as assistant offensive line coach. In 2015, the Bills led the NFL in rush yards per game (152.0) and yards per rush (4.8), and were fifth in the AFC in total offense (360.9). Anderson served as the team's primary offensive line coach for the first six weeks of the season, the organization's first under head coach Rex Ryan. Center Eric Wood and left guard Richie Incognito were both named to the Pro Bowl, anchoring the NFL's 12th-youngest offensive line while paving the way for Pro Bowl running back LeSean McCoy. McCoy was one of three Buffalo players to rush for 500-plus yards in 2015, marking the first time that feat has been accomplished by the Bills since 1962.

Before joining the Bills, Anderson spent five seasons at Eastern Michigan University, primarily as the run game coordinator (2010-12). His time at Eastern Michigan started in 2008 as the tight ends coach before moving to the offensive line and run game coordinator where the ground attack saw immediate results. The Eagles posted the 14th-best run game in the nation in 2011, after accumulating 2,620 yards and 16 touchdowns on the ground. It marked just the second time in program history that Eastern Michigan had rushed for more than 2,000 yards in back-to-back seasons (2010-11).

A native of Chicago, Anderson joined Eastern Michigan after a two-year stint at his alma mater Michigan. While on staff with the Wolverines, Anderson spent the 2007 campaign as a graduate assistant coach for the offensive line, helping develop All-America tackle and the overall No. 1 pick in the 2006 NFL Draft Jake Long. In 2006, Anderson

was the defensive quality control assistant coach. He helped develop current NFL players Lamar Woodley and Alan Branch.

Prior to his stint at Michigan, Anderson was an assistant coach at Indiana State where he worked with the offensive tackles and tight ends.

A standout along the offensive line at the University of Michigan, Anderson graduated in 2001 with a degree in sport management and communication from the Division of Kinesiology.

Anderson was a two-year letterwinner (2000-01) as the starting center and received the Hugh R. Rader Jr. Memorial Award as the team's top offensive lineman and was selected All-Big Ten honorable mention following the 2001 season. As a player and coach, Anderson has been involved in seven bowl games, highlighted by Michigan's 1998 Rose Bowl win that sealed the program's national championship.

Anderson and his wife Jennifer have five children: sons Hawken and Torin, daughter Dagny and twins Odin and Raina.



ANDERSON QUICK FACTS

PERSONAL

COACHING DUTIES: Offensive Line

BORN: Aug. 8, 1978

FAMILY: Wife: Jennifer; Sons: Hawken, Odin and Torin;
Daughters: Dagny and Raina

EDUCATION

Michigan

B.S. in sport management/communication, 2001

Years of Collegiate Experience: 9

Years Of NFL Experience: 3

Recruiting Territory: Illinois, Minnesota, Wisconsin,
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COACHING HISTORY

2016-Pres.Arkansas (Offensive Line)

2013-15.....Buffalo Bills (Assistant Offensive Line)

2008-12.....Eastern Michigan (Offensive Line/Tight Ends)

2006-07.....Michigan (Graduate Assistant)

2005.....Indiana State (Offensive Tackles/Tight Ends)

PLAYING EXPERIENCE

1997-2001.....Michigan (Center)



VERNON HARGREAVES

Inside Linebackers | 3rd Season

Vernon Hargreaves is in his third season on The Hill after being named linebackers coach on Jan. 20, 2015. He joined the Arkansas staff with 30 years of collegiate coaching experience, including the previous 17 years at the Football Bowl Subdivision level.

In those 17 seasons, Hargreaves' teams advanced to 14 bowl games, including two appearances in the BCS National Championship while at Miami. As the Hurricanes' linebackers coach, he helped Miami win the 2001 national championship and was the position coach for NFL stars Jonathan Vilma, Dan Morgan and D.J. Williams.

During his first two seasons at Arkansas, Hargreaves mentored linebacker Brooks Ellis into one of Arkansas' top tacklers and defensive leaders. Ellis, the team leader in tackles in 2015 and 2016, closed out his career with 31 straight starts, 290 tackles, including 22.5 for loss and 3.5 sacks, two forced fumbles, 13 pass breakups, and four interceptions. In the classroom, Ellis was a four-time SEC Academic Honor Roll member and became the first Arkansas football student-athlete to earn Academic All-America honors twice in a career. Ellis was named the 2016 SEC Scholar Athlete of the year and was honored as one of 12 finalists for the 2016 William V. Campbell Trophy, considered by many to be the "Academic Heisman."

Hargreaves also coached first-year middle linebacker De'Jon Harris to SEC All-Freshman team honors in 2016.

During Hargreaves' first year with the Razorbacks in 2015, he helped develop Ellis and freshman Dre Greenlaw into one of the SEC's top duos at linebacker. Ellis turned in 102 total tackles, which tied for ninth in the SEC. Greenlaw finished fifth

nationally among FBS freshmen and tops among SEC rookies with 95 tackles and earned multiple freshman All-America honors for his efforts.

Prior to Arkansas, Hargreaves spent the previous two seasons at Houston where he coached linebackers. In 2014, he helped the Cougars finish 8-5, including a thrilling come-from-behind victory over Pittsburgh in the Lockheed Martin Armed Forces Bowl. The Cougars ranked second in the American Conference and 11th nationally with 30 forced turnovers and 15th nationally in scoring defense, allowing just 20.6 points per game.

In 2013, Hargreaves helped Houston rank as the third-most improved defense nationally after allowing just 21.8 points per game, 14.2 points per game lower than the previous season. Houston led the nation with 43 turnovers created and also led the country in turnover margin.

Prior to Houston, Hargreaves served as the special teams coordinator and defensive ends coach at South Florida. The Bulls finished second nationally in tackles for loss and fourth nationally in sacks during the 2011 season, in large part due to the outstanding play of Hargreaves' defensive ends. He helped South Florida claim its fourth bowl victory in school history with a win in the 2010 Meineke Car Care Bowl over Clemson.

Hargreaves also spent three seasons as the special teams coordinator and defensive ends coach at East Carolina from 2007 to 2009. He helped defensive end C.J. Wilson earn back-to-back Conference USA Defensive Player of the Year awards in 2008 and 2009. Wilson was selected by the Green Bay Packers in the 2010 NFL Draft and started at defensive end for the Packers in Super Bowl XLV. The Pirates played in a bowl

HARGREAVES QUICK FACTS

PERSONAL

COACHING DUTIES: Inside Linebackers

BORN: April 8, 1962

FAMILY: Wife: Jackie; Daughters: Carina and Chanelle;
Son: Vernon III

EDUCATION

Connecticut - B.S. in sociology, 1986

Years of Collegiate Experience: 32

Recruiting Territory: Dallas, South Florida

COACHING HISTORY

2017-Pres.Arkansas (Inside Linebackers)

2015-16Arkansas (Linebackers)

2013-14Houston (Linebackers)

2010-12South Florida (Special Teams Coord./DEs)

2007-09East Carolina (Special Teams Coord./DEs)

2006FIU (Linebackers)

1998-2005Miami (Linebackers)

1985-97Connecticut (Linebackers)

PLAYING EXPERIENCE

1980-83Connecticut (Linebacker)

game in all three seasons Hargreaves was on the coaching staff.

From 1998 to 2005, Hargreaves was the linebackers coach at Miami, where he helped lead the Hurricanes to a BCS National Championship title in 2001 and another BCS National Championship game appearance in 2002. At Miami, Hargreaves helped mold Vilma, Morgan, Williams, Rocky McIntosh and Nate Webster into NFL linebackers. Seven of his linebackers at Miami were selected in the NFL Draft, including Morgan who won the Butkus Award, Nagurski Trophy and the Bednarik Award in 2000.

The 2001 Hurricanes were one of the best defensive units in the history of college football, allowing just 9.4 points per game and only 138.2 passing yards per contest. Hargreaves helped Miami to a perfect 12-0 season, culminating in the 2002 BCS National Championship game win over Nebraska.

Hargreaves finished his playing career at Connecticut in 1983 where he was a two-time All-American. He earned all-conference honors twice during his career and was selected a team captain as a senior. His 393 career tackles still ranks sixth all-time in school history. Hargreaves was named a member of UConn's 100th anniversary team.

The New Haven, Connecticut, native earned his bachelor's degree in sociology from Connecticut in 1986. He and his wife, Jackie, have three children: Carina, Vernon III and Chanelle. Vernon III played cornerback at Florida from 2013-15 and was selected by the Tampa Bay Buccaneers as the 11th pick in the first round of the 2016 NFL Draft.



**BARRY LUNNEY JR.**

Tight Ends | 5th Season

Barry Lunney Jr., a former Arkansas starting quarterback, is entering his fifth season as tight ends coach at his alma mater. A member of head coach Bret Bielema's first staff at Arkansas, Lunney has strengthened the program's reputation as #TEU over his four years.

Lunney's work has not only resulted success as Razorbacks, but also caught the interest of NFL personnel. Highlighted by Hunter Henry being the first tight end taken off the board in the 2016 NFL Draft, Arkansas is the only program in the country to have a tight end taken in each of the last three drafts dating back to 2015.

From 2014 to 2016, Lunney helped develop Henry into the best tight end in the nation. On Dec. 9, 2015, that became official when Henry was named the John Mackey Award winner following his junior season. Henry joined 2010 recipient D.J. Williams to make Arkansas the only school to produce multiple winners in the award's history.

Lunney serves as the team's primary recruiter in the state of Arkansas. The Razorbacks signed 10 players from the Natural State in the 2015 recruiting class, the most in-state signees since 2008. Arkansas' haul also featured the nation's best class of tight ends.

After earning All-SEC second team honors in 2013 and 2014, Henry won the John Mackey Award and was a consensus first-team All-American as a junior in 2015. He led all Football Bowl Subdivision tight ends with 739 receiving yards on 51 receptions — each career highs — and hauled in three touchdown passes. In addition, Henry and tight end mate Jeremy Sprinkle combined for a league-best 1,128 receiving yards and eight touchdowns. The 1,128 receiving yards are the most by an Arkansas

tight end corps in program history.

A fellow Arkansas native, Henry was selected with the 35th overall pick by the San Diego Chargers in the second round of the 2016 NFL Draft. A year later, Sprinkle followed Henry's footsteps and was taken by the Washington Redskins in the fifth round of the 2017 NFL Draft. During his senior season, Sprinkle set the Arkansas record for career TDs by a tight end with 11 and was also invited to play in the Reese's Senior Bowl.

Lunney also oversaw the transition of AJ Derby from quarterback to tight end. Derby finished fifth in the SEC with 303 receiving yards during the 2014 season and was a sixth round draft choice of the New England Patriots despite playing the position for less than a year.

In his first season coaching the Razorback tight ends, Lunney led Henry to second-team All-SEC, Freshman All-America and SEC All-Freshman Team recognition. Henry's receiving yards ranked third in the nation among freshman tight ends, and he was the only freshman tight end in the SEC with a 100-yard receiving game. Henry also led SEC tight ends and ranked third in the conference by gaining a first down on 78.6 percent of his receptions.

Before returning to the Razorbacks, Lunney served as the offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach at Bentonville High School from 2005-13.

Lunney spent two seasons as the co-offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach at San Jose State. During his tenure, the offense produced six all-conference performers, and tight end Courtney Anderson was selected by the Oakland Raiders in the 2004 NFL Draft.

Prior to that, Lunney spent three seasons at

LUNNEY JR. QUICK FACTS**PERSONAL**

COACHING DUTIES: Tight Ends

BORN: Sept. 11, 1974

FAMILY: Wife: Janelle; Sons: Luke and Levi

EDUCATION

Arkansas - B.S. in kinesiology, 1996

Years Of Collegiate Experience: 11

Recruiting Territory: Arkansas, Memphis

COACHING HISTORY

2013-Pres. Arkansas (Tight Ends)

2005-12 Bentonville HS (Off. Coordinator/Quarterbacks)

2003-04 San Jose State (Co-Off. Coordinator/Quarterbacks)

2002 Tulsa (Wide Receivers)

2000-01 Tulsa (Quarterbacks)

1998-99 Arkansas (Graduate Assistant - Offense)

PLAYING EXPERIENCE

1992-95 Arkansas (Quarterback)

Tulsa, first working with quarterbacks in 2000 and 2001 and then moving to wide receivers in 2002. In 2000, quarterback Josh Blankenship ranked fifth in the WAC in total offense and receiver Don Shoals led the conference and ranked 11th in the NCAA in receptions per game.

His coaching career began with two seasons as a graduate assistant at Arkansas. In 1998, Arkansas won its first eight games and rose to No. 9 in the national rankings on the way to sharing the SEC Western Division title and earning a berth in the Citrus Bowl. Lunney served as the Razorbacks' running backs coach for the bowl game and throughout the spring of 1999. Arkansas spent the majority of the 1999 season in the top 25 of the national rankings and finished the year with a 27-6 win over No. 14 Texas in the Cotton Bowl.

As a player for the Razorbacks, Lunney lettered from 1992-95, starting 40 games at quarterback, and was a team captain on the 1995 team that played in the SEC Championship Game for the first time in school history. In his first game as the starting quarterback, he led Arkansas to an upset win at No. 4 Tennessee. He left Arkansas holding school career records for passing yards, passing touchdowns, pass completions, pass attempts and total offense plays. Lunney also played baseball at Arkansas. He was drafted by the Montreal Expos out of high school in 1992 and by the Minnesota Twins in 1996 and played one season of minor league baseball in the Twins organization.

He and his wife, Janelle, have two sons, Luke and Levi. His grandfather, John lettered at Arkansas from 1946-49. His father, Barry Sr., recently retired after 28 years as a high school football coach in Arkansas, winning eight state championships at Bentonville HS and Fort Smith Southside HS.





REGGIE MITCHELL
Running Backs | 2nd Season

A coaching veteran with over 30 years of experience, Reggie Mitchell joined head coach Bret Bielema's staff on Feb. 12, 2016, and enters his second season as the team's running backs coach.

Over his career, Mitchell has coached or recruited 33 players that have been selected in the NFL Draft, including six first round picks.

Mitchell's experience and direction was exactly what Arkansas' youthful backfield needed in 2016, as sophomore Rawleigh Williams III and true freshman Devwah Whaley combined for just under 2,000 yards and 15 touchdowns on the ground. Highlighted by seven 100-yard performances, Williams finished as the SEC regular-season rushing leader and his 1,360 rushing yards for the year helped him earn three SEC Offensive Player of the Week nods and All-SEC first team status from the Associated Press. In total, Arkansas' running backs produced nine 100-yard rushing games and totaled over 2,500 yards of total offense.

Prior to Arkansas, Mitchell spent the last six seasons at Kansas where he was the running backs coach and the program's recruiting coordinator the last two years.

Under Mitchell's guidance, Kansas running back James Sims completed his career third on the KU all-time rushing chart with 3,592 yards and 34 touchdowns. He became the first player in Kansas history to rush for back-to-back 1,000-yard seasons (2012-13), highlighted by leading the Big 12 in rush yards per game (112.6) in 2012. Sims' 2012 performance led to All-Big 12 second team accolades before earning first team All-Big 12 honors as a senior in 2013 when he followed his breakout season with 1,110 yards. In 2012, Simms made up half of Kansas' All-Big 12 backfield along

Tony Pierson, who was also recognized by the Associated Press and league head coaches after totaling over 1,000 yards from scrimmage.

Prior to returning to Kansas, Mitchell was the assistant head coach/recruiting coordinator/running backs coach at Illinois (2005-09). He spent five years in Champaign, Illinois, helping the Illini win Big Ten rushing titles in 2006 and 2007, while the offense recorded consecutive seasons with 5,000 yards of total offense. The 2006 Illini led the Big Ten and ranked 10th in the NCAA with 188.8 rushing yards per game while the 2009 squad was 18th nationally at over 200 yards per contest on the ground.

In 2007 at Illinois, Mitchell's running backs room featured eventual NFL first round pick Rashard Mendenhall (Pittsburgh Steelers, 2008), who set school records for single-season rushing yards (1,681) and rushing touchdowns (17) en route to being named the Big Ten Offensive Player of the Year.

Mitchell was at Michigan State from 1999-2004, mentoring the wide receivers in 1999 and the running backs for five seasons. He also served as the Spartans' recruiting coordinator from 2000-04. While in East Lansing, Michigan, Mitchell tutored two NFL first-round draft picks in wide receiver Plaxico Burress (Pittsburgh Steelers, 2000) and running back T.J. Duckett (Atlanta Falcons, 2002), plus recruited a third in wide receiver Charles Rogers, the No. 2 selection overall by the Detroit Lions in the 2003 NFL Draft.

In 2001, Duckett rushed for 1,420 yards — the fifth-best single-season total in school history. Duckett, MSU's fifth all-time leading rusher with 3,379 career yards, became the first Spartan

MITCHELL QUICK FACTS

PERSONAL

COACHING DUTIES: Running Backs

BORN: Sept. 16, 1960

FAMILY: Son: Kaeman; Daughters: Karena and Jennifer

EDUCATION

Central Michigan - B.S. in parks and recreation, 1984

Years of Collegiate Experience: 35

Recruiting Territory: Dallas/Fort Worth, St. Louis

COACHING HISTORY

2016-Pres.Arkansas (Running Backs)

2010-15Kansas (Recruiting/RBs)

2005-09Illinois (Asst. HC/RBs)

1999-2004Michigan State (Recruiting/RBs/WRs)

1997-98Minnesota (Running Backs)

1988-96Kansas (RBs/DEs/DL/WRs)

1987Kent State (Wide Receivers)

1986Western Michigan (Running Backs)

1985Michigan (Graduate Assistant)

1984Ferris State (Wide Receivers)

1983Central Michigan (Student Assistant)

PLAYING EXPERIENCE

1978-81Central Michigan (Running Back)

running back to be drafted in the first round (No. 18 overall) since Lorenzo White (Houston Oilers) in 1988. In 1999, Mitchell coached the wide receivers, including Burress, who set then-MSU single-season records for receptions (66), receiving yards (1,142) and touchdown catches (12).

The first of Mitchell's three straight Big Ten stops came at Minnesota where he coached the running backs in 1997 and 1998.

Mitchell worked with the Jayhawk defensive lineman during his first stint at Kansas, focusing on the defensive ends from 1991-94. He then switched to the offensive side of the ball to coach running backs in 1995 and 1996. While Mitchell was at KU, the Jayhawks played in the 1992 and 1995 Aloha Bowls. KU produced four winning seasons in his tenure, after recording just one in the previous 11 years.

He began his coaching career at Central Michigan (1983) before heading to Ferris State (1984), Michigan (1985), Western Michigan (1986) and Kent State (1987) before establishing himself at Kansas.

A four-year starter as a running back at Central Michigan from 1978-81, Mitchell rushed for 2,394 yards in his career and helped the Chippewas win back-to-back Mid-America Conference (MAC) titles in 1979 and 1980. He rushed for 1,068 yards as a senior.

Mitchell earned a bachelor's degree in parks and recreation from Central Michigan in 1984. He has three children, son Kaeman and daughters Karena and Jennifer.



**JOHN SCOTT JR.**

Defensive Line | 1st Season

Making the transition to a 3-4 defense following the 2016 season, Arkansas head coach Bret Bielema turned to the NFL to fill his defensive line coach opening, hiring New York Jets defensive line assistant coach John Scott Jr. on Feb. 7, 2017.

Scott Jr. spent the last two seasons with the Jets, beginning as a defensive quality control coach in 2015 before being promoted to defensive line assistant coach. Prior to his time in the NFL, Scott Jr. spent time as a defensive line or outside linebackers coach at Texas Tech, Georgia Southern, Missouri State, Norfolk State and his alma mater Western Carolina.

Running a 3-4 as its primary defense, the Jets led the NFL in rushing touchdowns allowed and red zone defense in 2015, while finishing second in rushing defense and fourth in total defense. Both defensive tackle Muhammad Wilkerson and cornerback Darrelle Revis, who played for defensive coordinator Paul Rhoads at Pitt, earned Pro Bowl honors. Scott Jr. was promoted to defensive line assistant prior to the 2016 season in which the Jets finished fifth in the AFC in rush defense and rushing touchdowns allowed. Defensive tackle Leonard Williams earned a Pro Bowl nod.

Scott Jr. mentored and coached a trio of

defensive linemen at Texas Tech that worked their way into the NFL. In his first season, he tutored Kerry Hyder to All-Big 12 honors and an invite to the NFL Scouting Combine. In his first full season with the Detroit Lions in 2016, Hyder led the team with 8.0 sacks to go along with 36 tackles. Branden Jackson had his best season under Scott Jr. in 2014 as a junior before getting an invite to the 2016 NFL Scouting Combine. Jackson recently finished his rookie season with the Oakland Raiders.

Prior to joining Texas Tech, Scott Jr. spent three seasons (2010-12) as the defensive line coach and special teams coordinator on three Georgia Southern teams that advanced to the semifinals of the FCS Playoffs. Along the defensive line, he mentored two All-Americans, including Brent Russell, who was an All-American all three years under Scott Jr. and finished as the program's all-time sack leader. In 2011, the Georgia Southern defensive line featured Russell, All-American Roderick Tinsley and All-Southern Conference selection John Douglas. In 2010, Russell was a finalist for the Buck Buchanan Award for the nation's top defensive player at the Championship Subdivision level.

Scott Jr. was named defensive line coach at Georgia Southern in January 2010 after one season

SCOTT JR. QUICK FACTS**PERSONAL**

COACHING DUTIES: Defensive Line

BORN: Dec. 15, 1975

FAMILY: Son: John Wesley Scott III;

Daughter: Juliette Alexis Scott

EDUCATION

Western Carolina – B.S. in communication, 2000

Years Of Collegiate Experience: 13

Years Of NFL Experience: 2

Recruiting Territory: Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina

COACHING HISTORY

2017-Pres.Arkansas (Defensive Line)

2015-16.....New York Jets (Assistant Defensive Line)

2013-14.....Texas Tech (Defensive Line)

2010-12.....Georgia Southern (Defensive Line/Special Teams)

2009.....Missouri State (Defensive Ends)

2008.....Western Carolina (Defensive Line)

2006-07.....Western Carolina (Defensive Ends/OLBs)

2005.....Norfolk State (Defensive Line)

2002-04.....Louisiana-Lafayette (Graduate Assistant)

2001.....West Davidson High School (Defensive Line)

PLAYING EXPERIENCE

1995-98.....Western Carolina

coaching outside linebackers at Missouri State and three seasons at Western Carolina coaching defensive ends and outside linebackers. As defensive line coach at Norfolk State for the 2005 season, Scott Jr. helped the Spartans achieve a No. 12 national ranking in passing defense. That season, Norfolk State allowed just over 158 yards per game. The Greer, South Carolina, native attended the NCAA's Minority Coaches Academy in 2008 after being selected from a pool of 400 applicants.

A 2000 graduate of Western Carolina and four-year Catamount letterman, Scott returned to coach at his alma mater in 2006. An All-Southern Conference choice at defensive end in 1998, Scott Jr. had 17 tackles for loss. His career total of 31 tackles for loss ranks 10th in Western Carolina history.

After earning his bachelor's degree in communications from Western Carolina, Scott Jr. played three years of professional football, including two years with the Greensboro (N.C.) Prowlers of the Arena Football League 2. He was named the team's Defensive Player of the Year in 2000.

While playing for the Greensboro Prowlers, Scott Jr. gained coaching experience at the high school level as defensive line coach at West Davidson High School in 2001. Scott Jr. then went to Louisiana-Lafayette as a graduate assistant for two years, serving as a defensive line graduate assistant. He completed his master's degree in education at Louisiana-Lafayette in 2006.





MICHAEL SMITH
Wide Receivers | 5th Season

Michael Smith, a record-setting receiver at Kansas State who has earned the reputation as one of the best recruiters in college football, enters his fifth season as Arkansas' wide receivers coach. Smith joined head coach Bret Bielema on his first staff at Arkansas in 2013.

A native of New Orleans, Smith has been very instrumental in making Arkansas a top choice for high school football players from the state of Louisiana. A total of 14 players have signed with Arkansas from the Pelican State from the last four recruiting classes. Out of the seven Louisiana players from the first three recruiting classes that didn't redshirt in 2016, six started at least one game while linebacker De'Jon Harris was named to the SEC All-Freshman team.

Smith's work in his position room and on the field with the wide receivers has helped Arkansas become one of just three SEC teams to pass for over 3,300 yards each of the last two seasons (2015-16). Smith took over a wide receivers group in 2013 that had lost four players to the NFL Draft over the previous two years and turned it back into one of the strengths of the program.

During the 2016 season, the Razorback wideouts featured three players with over 1,000 career receiving yards, including two players with over 100 career receptions. Named the top slot receiver in college football by Pro Football Focus following the season, Jared Cornelius equaled an Arkansas single-season record with three straight 100-yard receiving games, while Keon Hatcher's eight TD grabs ranked fifth in the SEC and Drew Morgan's 65 receptions tied for fourth in the SEC.

Following their senior campaigns in 2016, Hatcher and Morgan both earned invites to the NFL Combine, making Arkansas one of just 12 programs with two wide receivers at the event. An All-SEC selection in

2015, Drew Morgan turned in the third and fourth-best reception totals in program single-season history over his last two years, while Hatcher's 19 career receiving TDs finished fourth all-time at Arkansas.

In 2015, Smith's wide receivers unit totaled 22 touchdowns and more than 2,000 yards, despite numerous injuries throughout the year.

Known for getting the most out of each of his players, Smith's wide receivers unit displayed its depth during the 2015 season, battling through numerous injuries. A total of 10 different receivers started at least one game while Smith helped turn Morgan into one of the top receivers in the conference. Morgan opened the 2015 campaign as the No. 3 or No. 4 wide receiver, but went on to total three 100-yard receiving games during SEC play - all away from home - and lead the conference with 10 touchdown catches during the regular season. Arkansas' leading receiver, Morgan finished with 63 receptions for 843 yards. His 10 touchdown catches tied for second in the SEC and 17th nationally and also equaled the third-most in program single-season history.

Smith, who was named one of the top 10 recruiters in the Big 12 Conference in 2012 by Rivals, spent the first 11 years of his coaching career at Kansas State before he returned in 2009 as the Wildcats' wide receivers coach.

At Kansas State, Smith helped the Wildcats capture their second Big 12 title and play in the Fiesta Bowl in 2012, as the Wildcats posted an 11-2 record and finished the year ranked No. 12 in the AP poll.

Smith helped lead Arizona to a 2008 Las Vegas Bowl win over BYU.

At Rice, Smith helped the Owls to a 7-6 record in 2006, advancing to their first bowl game in 45 seasons.

Smith has coached three of the top 10 career rushing leaders in Kansas State history in Darren

SMITH QUICK FACTS

PERSONAL

COACHING DUTIES: Wide Receivers

BORN: Nov. 21, 1970

FAMILY: Wife: Karyn; Daughters: Kylie, Kenzie, Kamryn;
Son: Kason

EDUCATION

Kansas State - B.S. in social science, 1995

Years Of Collegiate Experience: 23

Recruiting Territory: Louisiana

COACHING HISTORY

2013-Pres.Arkansas (Wide Receivers)

2009-12.....Kansas State (Wide Receivers)

2008.....Arizona (Inside Wide Receivers)

2007.....Arizona (Running Backs)

2006.....Rice (Running Backs)

1997-2005.....Kansas State (Running Backs)

1995-96.....Kansas State (Graduate Assistant)

1993.....Kansas State (Student Assistant Coach)

PLAYING EXPERIENCE

1988-91.....Kansas State (Wide Receiver)

Sproles, Eric Hickson and Mike Lawrence. He also directed a running back to the single-season rushing record in three of his last five seasons at Kansas State during his first tenure, including Sproles, a first team All-American.

After his playing career, Smith returned to Kansas State as a student assistant. As a graduate assistant in 1995 and 1996, Smith assisted Greg Peterson with the receivers and helped tutor wideouts Kevin Lockett and Mitch Running, who became just the fifth receiving tandem in Big Eight history to snag at least 50 passes in the same season.

Throughout his coaching career, Smith has been the position coach for 15 NFL players, highlighted by Sproles who is a three-time Pro Bowl selection and the NFL single-season record holder for all-purpose yards.

As a player, Smith was one of the Big Eight's all-time great receivers. He concluded his playing career as the Big Eight's second-leading receiver with 179 receptions, trailing just All-American Hart Lee Dykes. The total of 179 catches ranked 40th in NCAA history at the time. Smith was named a third-team All-American in 1991, honorable mention All-American in 1989 and a two-time All-Big Eight selection (1989 and 1991). He played for the Kansas City Chiefs in 1992.

His career total of 2,457 receiving yards was third-best in Big Eight history behind Dykes and 1972 Heisman Trophy winner Johnny Rodgers. The total was bolstered by nine 100-yard receiving games, which was a school record at the time. He led the Big Eight as a sophomore in 1989 and was seventh in the nation with 70 catches for 816 yards.

Smith graduated from Kansas State in 1995 with a bachelor's degree in social science. He and his wife, Karyn, have four children: Kylie, Kenzie, Kason and Kamryn. Kylie was an outfielder on the Razorback softball team and graduated in May of 2017.



**CHAD WALKER**

Outside Linebackers | 1st Season

Chad Walker was named the program's outside linebackers coach on Feb. 10, 2017.

Less than a week removed from coaching in Super Bowl LI, Walker became the second addition to Arkansas' defensive staff following the 2016 season. He spent the previous two seasons with the Falcons as defensive assistant/linebackers coach in 2016 and defensive assistant/defensive backs coach in 2015. His two-year run in Atlanta was his second stint in the NFL after spending three seasons with the Miami Dolphins from 2005-07 as a defensive quality control coach.

Walker's coaching career started as a graduate assistant at Louisiana-Monroe and West Virginia before returning to his home state where he was a defensive assistant on LSU's 2003 National Championship team. The New Orleans native's collegiate coaching background also includes three years at Bryant University (2008-10), two years as defensive coordinator at Mississippi College (2011-12) and two years as defensive quality control assistant at Oklahoma (2013-14).

In his first season in Atlanta, the Falcons' went from 32nd in the NFL in total defense to 16th, while finishing in the top 10 in interceptions and red zone takeaways. This past season en route to their first NFC Championship since 1998, the Falcons tied for the NFL lead with five defensive touchdowns while outside linebacker Vic Beasley led the league with 15.5 sacks and six forced fumbles and Deion Jones was one of three linebackers named to the 2016 NFL All-Rookie team. Jones was one of two Falcons rookies to start at linebacker in 2016, joining De'Vondre Campbell.

Over Walker's two seasons, cornerback Desmond Trufant (2015) and Beasley (2016) were named to the Pro Bowl.

His two seasons at Oklahoma featured an 11-2 record in 2013 that included a win over Alabama in the Sugar Bowl. During his three seasons as DC at Mississippi College before landing in Oklahoma, Walker coached two first-team All-Americans in cornerbacks Keith Villafranco and Jarrod Craine.

Prior to Mississippi College, Walker served as defensive backs coach at Bryant from 2008-09 before being promoted to defensive coordinator in 2010. During that time, he helped the Bulldogs to a 19-14 record over its first three years as an FCS program.

With Walker at the helm of the defense, the Bulldogs finished 7-4 in 2010 with the two biggest wins in school history over Fordham and No. 25 Robert Morris. Bryant led the Northeast Conference (NEC) in pass efficiency defense and third down defense, while ranking second in the league in turnovers gained. The Bulldogs also returned

four interceptions for touchdowns on the year. Walker guided safety Max Machado to Northeast Conference Defensive Rookie of the Year honors, while cornerback Samad Wagstaff and linebacker Jason Riffe, who led the league with seven sacks, were All-NEC selections.

In 2009, Walker coached the defensive backs as the Bulldogs tallied 35 pass breakups and led the NEC in scoring defense at 17.4 points per game along with being ranked fourth nationally in pass defense. Individually, safety Andre White earned All-NEC recognition.

In his first season at Bryant, the Bulldogs finished 7-4 — the second-best record ever for a team transitioning from Division II to Division I. Bryant tied for 12th nationally with 30 turnovers gained and 29th nationally in scoring defense.

From 2005-07, Walker spent three seasons in the NFL with the Miami Dolphins as a quality control coach, working with all positions on defense. Walker worked with the defensive line in 2007 as the Dolphins finished fourth in the NFL in pass defense. In 2006, Walker helped with the linebackers as Miami ranked fourth in the NFL in total defense and fifth in pass defense. That season, linebacker Zach Thomas was elected to the Pro Bowl, while defensive end and recent NFL Hall of Fame first ballot selection Jason Taylor was named NFL Defensive Player of the Year.

Before moving to the NFL, Walker spent two seasons as a defensive assistant on Nick Saban's staff at LSU, handling quality control duties. During that time LSU won the 2003 SEC Championship and BCS National Championship. The Tigers led the nation in total defense in 2003 and ranked third in 2004.

WALKER QUICK FACTS**PERSONAL**

COACHING DUTIES: Outside Linebackers

BORN: Sept. 2, 1976

FAMILY: Wife: Robyn; Daughter: Rylie; Son: Cole

EDUCATION

LSU - B.S. in education, 2000

Years Of Collegiate Experience: 10

Years Of NFL Experience: 5

Recruiting Territory: Texas

COACHING HISTORY

2017-Pres. Arkansas (Outside Linebackers)

2016.....Atlanta Falcons (Defensive Asst./Linebackers)

2015.....Atlanta Falcons (Defensive Asst./Defensive Backs)

2013-14.....Oklahoma (Defensive Quality Control)

2011-12.....Mississippi College
(Defensive Coordinator/Defensive Backs)

2010.....Bryant (Defensive Coordinator)

2008-09.....Bryant (Defensive Backs)

2005-07.....Miami Dolphins (Defensive QC)

2003-04.....LSU (Defensive Assistant)

2002.....Louisiana-Monroe (Graduate Assistant)

2001.....West Virginia (Graduate Assistant)

2000.....LSU (Student Assistant)

Walker served as a graduate assistant at both Louisiana-Monroe and West Virginia before landing at LSU. While in Morgantown, Walker helped coach a Mountaineer defense that finished first in the nation in pass defense.

A native of New Orleans, Walker began his coaching career as a student assistant at LSU in 2000 after graduating with a bachelor's degree in education with a concentration in kinesiology.





BEN HERBERT

Head Strength and Conditioning Coach | 5th Season

A critical piece to head coach Bret Bielema's vision for the Arkansas football program, Ben Herbert is in his fifth season as head strength and conditioning coach. In just four years, Herbert's passion and relentless desire to get the best out of his student-athletes has impacted results in the weight room and on the field.

With a focus on preparing Arkansas student-athletes for the next level, Herbert has helped develop 17 Razorbacks who were selected in the last four NFL Drafts, good for the fourth-most in the SEC during that span.

Herbert has worked with six All-Americans and 16 All-SEC performers since arriving in Fayetteville, including 2015 John Mackey Award winner Hunter Henry as the nation's top tight end and offensive lineman Sebastian Tretola who was the recipient of the Jacobs Blocking Trophy presented to the SEC's best blocker in 2015.

In 2016, Herbert's training helped guide running back Rawleigh Williams III to recovery from a season-ending neck injury suffered during the 2015 season. Williams' triumphant return to the field less than a year later saw him put together a breakout sophomore season in which he captured the SEC regular-season rushing title and finished with 1,360 yards on the ground.

The results of Herbert's training regimens were evident in the latter stretches of each of the 2014 and 2015 seasons, as Arkansas closed the 2015 campaign by winning six of its last seven games and three of its last four in 2014. Included in those late season surges were a pair of dominating bowl wins over Texas (Texas Bowl) and Kansas State (Liberty Bowl) in which the Razorbacks outscored their opponents by a combined 76-30 margin. Arkansas was the only SEC West program to win a bowl game in both 2014 and 2015.

Herbert helped grow the 2014 and 2015 Arkansas starting offensive lines into the largest in any level of football, including the NFL. Behind their devastating offensive lines, the Razorbacks became the only FBS team with a pair of 1,000-yard rushers in 2014 and the only SEC program in 2015 with a 3,000-yard passer and 1,000-yard rusher.

Following the 2014 season, Herbert earned the profession's highest honor when he was named the Master Strength and Conditioning Coach (MSCC) by the Collegiate Strength and Conditioning Coaches association (CSCCa) in March 2015. At age 35, Herbert became the youngest coach to ever earn the MSCC honor.

Herbert joined the Razorbacks after spending 11 seasons working in strength and conditioning at Wisconsin, including the last four as head strength

and conditioning coach. He started his career as an intern during the 2002 season following his playing days at Wisconsin and was promoted to assistant strength and conditioning coach in 2003. He was involved in all aspects of sports conditioning for the football team during his time with the Badgers.

In his 15 total seasons at Wisconsin, he was part of 14 bowl appearances and five Big Ten championships. The Badgers claimed three straight Big Ten titles and became the first Big Ten team to appear in three straight Rose Bowls since Michigan following the 1976-78 seasons by making the trip to Pasadena following the 2010, 2011 and 2012 seasons.

During his time with Wisconsin, Herbert helped develop 41 NFL draft picks, including six first round selections. Defensive end J.J. Watt and offensive tackle Gabe Carmini were both taken in the first round of the 2011 draft, and offensive guard Kevin Zeitler was picked 27th overall by the Cincinnati Bengals in 2012. The Badgers also produced five national individual award winners, including 2012 Doak Walker Award recipient Montee Ball, 28 All-America honors and 48 All-Big Ten first team selections in his 11 seasons on staff in Madison.

Wisconsin's work with Herbert was evident in the fourth quarters of games, when the Badgers outscored opponents 435-309 from 2009-12. The team's strength and conditioning work also was apparent late in the season, as Wisconsin was 15-5 in games played in the month of November or later during Herbert's four years as head strength and conditioning coach. The Badgers also outscored its opponents 856-442 in games played in

HERBERT QUICK FACTS

PERSONAL

COACHING DUTIES: Head Strength and Conditioning Coach

BORN: Nov. 30, 1979

FAMILY: Wife: Kelly; Sons: Charlie and Thomas

EDUCATION

Wisconsin - B.S. in history, 2002

Years of Collegiate Experience: 15

COACHING HISTORY

2013-Pres.Arkansas
(Head Strength & Conditioning Coach)

2009-12.....Wisconsin
(Head Strength & Conditioning Coach)

2003-08Wisconsin
(Assistant Strength & Conditioning Coach)

2002.....Wisconsin
(Strength & Conditioning Intern)

PLAYING EXPERIENCE

1998-2001.....Wisconsin (Defensive Lineman)

November, December and January.

Herbert was a four-year letterman on the defensive line at Wisconsin, which won two Rose Bowls during his time as a student-athlete. He holds the Wisconsin bowl record for most tackle for loss and sacks yardage and is tied for the school's bowl record for sacks after collecting 2.0 sacks for 20 yards lost in the 2000 Rose Bowl victory over Stanford.

A native of Pittsburgh, Herbert earned his bachelor's degree from Wisconsin in 2002. He is a certified member of the National Strength and Conditioning Association (NSCA) and the CSCCa.

Herbert and his wife, Kelly, have two sons, Charlie and Thomas.





MARK TAURISANI

Assistant Athletic Director of Football Operations

Mark Taurisani is in his fifth season at Arkansas. He was promoted to Assistant AD of Football Operations in 2014 and sits on the athletic department's senior and executive staffs.

As Assistant AD of Football Operations, Taurisani oversees every aspect of the Razorback football team including team travel, budget, personnel, staffing, day-to-day operations, football-related events and bowl game travel. He also serves as the football program's liaison to university administration and all other units within the athletic department.

Taurisani has served as a member of the Rose Bowl Advisory Committee since 2010. Throughout his career, Taurisani has coordinated 10 bowl trips, including Arkansas' trips to the 2014 Texas Bowl, 2016 Liberty Bowl and 2016 Belk Bowl as well as three consecutive Rose Bowls at Wisconsin. He also organized trips to the Outback Bowl, Capital One Bowl and two Champs Sports Bowls.

Prior to Arkansas, Taurisani spent seven seasons working in football operations at Wisconsin, including the last three as the Badgers' director of football operations. He also served as football operations coordinator for two seasons after being a football operations assistant in 2006 and 2007.

Taurisani spent the summer of 2005 as a training camp assistant with the Seattle Seahawks. In that role, he helped with setup and operational duties, transportation and scheduling.

A native of Utica, New York, Taurisani graduated from SUNY Fredonia with a bachelor's degree in sociology/sports in 2003. He was a captain on the baseball team and was a first-team all-conference performer. He earned a master's degree in sport administration from Louisville in December 2005.

Taurisani will marry his fiancé Tara Rackleff in spring of 2018.



E.K. FRANKS

Director of Recruiting

E.K. Franks is in his fourth season as director of recruiting.

Since 2015, Arkansas has averaged a recruiting ranking of No. 24 nationally and hauled in a total of 27 four-star prospects, including 12 ranked in the ESPN 300 and four ranked in the ESPN JC 50. The program's last three signing classes have featured 21 players from the state of Arkansas, 10 from Louisiana, 10 from Texas and nine from Florida.

Most recently, the Razorbacks signed the No. 1 wide receiver and No. 1 tight end in junior college and also picked up three ESPN 300 prospects, including the No. 9 pocket passer, No. 11 cornerback and No. 12 safety for 2017. Additionally, five of the program's signees from Arkansas ranked in the top 10 in the state.

The 2016 class, which included four in-state signees and was highlighted by the No. 11 overall player, checked in at No. 24 in the ESPN team rankings. The Razorbacks' 20-person class also featured four prospects from Texas, including the nation's No. 6 running back by ESPN, and two from Florida.

In Franks' first year in 2015, the signing class was one of the best in program history, ranking No. 22 by ESPN. The class included 10 players from Arkansas - the most since 2008. The Razorbacks were also very successful in Florida, signing five prospects. It was the second-most Floridians in one class for Arkansas since joining the SEC in 1992. Overall, the 2015 class included 11 four-star signees.

Franks came to Fayetteville with 10 years of collegiate experience, most recently serving as associate head coach and running backs coach at Southeastern Louisiana. He has coached or trained multiple professional athletes, including Wes Welker, Terence Newman and Darren Sproles, and also has extensive recruiting ties to Texas, Florida, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Kansas and Mississippi. He worked with head coach Bret Bielema during stints at Wisconsin and Kansas State.

Franks has a keen eye for talent and a diverse background. He has experience as an assistant coach, strength coach, academic counselor and director of minority relations. In addition, he is active in youth programs and community service outreach, serving on the board of the Kansas-based non-profit S.A.F.E., Success Achieved in Future Environments, which helps mentor youth through athletics.

At Southeastern Louisiana, he tutored Xavier Roberson to multiple All-America honors as a sophomore running back and kick returner. In 2012, Roberson and Rasheed Harrell teamed to make up one of the top freshmen running back duos in

the country under Franks' leadership. Before Southeastern Louisiana, Franks spent two seasons as defensive line coach and head strength coach at Delta State. There, he coached a pair of first-team All-Gulf South Conference selections in 2011.

Franks was a defensive graduate assistant at Wisconsin for two seasons while Coach Bielema was the Badgers' defensive coordinator. Prior to Wisconsin, Franks coached the defensive line at Texas State for the 2003 season and was an academic counselor and director of minority relations at Kansas State from 2001-03.

His first collegiate coaching experience came at Kansas State, where he was a strength and conditioning coach for the football team during the 2000 season and 2001 offseason. His first coaching position was at Heritage High School in Oklahoma City, where he tutored defensive backs and was a strength coach for the school from 1996-2000.

The Kansas native earned his bachelor's degree in 2000 and a master's degree in adult education from Kansas State in 2002.

Franks married his wife Angela in July 2016.



BOBBY ALLEN

Director of High School and NFL Relations

Bobby Allen is in his 20th year on the staff at Arkansas and fifth as director of high school and NFL relations.

Allen served two separate stints as defensive coordinator for the Razorbacks in 1998 and 2000. He has also coached the defensive line, linebackers, cornerbacks and free safeties. In 1998, Allen directed a Razorback defensive unit that ranked sixth nationally in rushing defense, 10th in turnover margin and 13th in scoring defense. In 2000, Allen helped guide a Razorback defense that allowed just 292.1 yards per game to lead the SEC and rank 12th nationally in total defense.

During the 2011 season, he oversaw a defensive tackles group that contributed 132 tackles, led by Bryan Jones' 47. The position group also added 9.5 tackles for loss and 11 quarterback hurries. Jones was named to the SEC All-Freshman Team. The defense ranked second in the SEC in sacks with an average of 2.85 per game that tied for eighth nationally.

Under Allen's guidance, the Razorback secondary ranked among the best units in the nation in defending the pass in 2007. Arkansas led the SEC and was second in the nation in pass efficiency defense with a rating of 97.8 and ranked second in the SEC with 20 interceptions, including 11 by Allen's cornerback unit. In addition, Michael Grant and Jerrell Norton ranked in the top four of the conference's passes defended category.

Allen began his coaching career at Colorado, where he served as a graduate assistant during the 1983 and 1984 seasons. After helping Minnesota to an Independence Bowl berth as a defensive secondary graduate assistant in 1985, Allen landed his first full-time position at Drake where he was the defensive coordinator from 1986-88.

Allen was a standout prep quarterback at Seneca Valley High School in Gaithersburg, Maryland, and earned the Washington, D.C., area Player of the Year award as a senior. He also excelled in baseball and basketball. Allen went on to earn three varsity letters while playing three positions — kicker, quarterback and outside linebacker — at Virginia Tech. He earned his bachelor's degree in marketing from Virginia Tech in 1983.

Allen is married to the former Marcela Garcia. The couple has one daughter, Daniela, and three sons, Christian, Brandon and Austin. Brandon finished his collegiate career as Arkansas' all-time leader with 64 touchdown passes in 2015 while starting his final 34 games as a Razorback and was taken by the Jacksonville Jaguars in the sixth round of the 2016 NFL Draft. Austin will enter his senior season in 2017 after leading the SEC with 3,430 passing yards and throwing 25 touchdown passes in 2016.



MATTHEW ENGELBERT

Director of Video

Matthew Engelbert, who has 29 years of collegiate experience, is in his fifth season as Arkansas' director of video.

Engelbert oversees the video department responsible for ensuring the Razorback coaches and student-athletes are able to utilize video to study themselves and opponents. He is also responsible for making video of recruits available to the coaching staff.

Engelbert has been instrumental in bringing to Fayetteville college football's first virtual reality technology that utilizes real practice footage. Arkansas was one of just a handful of schools to adopt the system from STRIVR Labs, Inc., prior to the 2015 season. Engelbert has trained his staff, coaches and student-athletes to use the technology most effectively so the Razorbacks earn a competitive advantage on the field.

The first 24 years of Engelbert's career were spent at Iowa, where he earned conference and national recognition for leading the Hawkeyes' video department to a premier level. He was named Big Ten Conference Video Coordinator of the Year three times, most recently in 2010-11, when he also was recognized as the National Video Coordinator of the Year.

Engelbert oversaw many technological upgrades during his time at Iowa. In 2011, he headed a Big Ten committee to develop an improved standard of acquiring game video. The Hawkeyes were one of the first college football programs in the country to shoot in high definition beginning with the 2011 season. He also had Iowa ahead of the curve in 1999 when it was the first program in the nation to use Beta SX and in 2004 when the Hawkeyes adopted Smart Acquisition Technology that allowed for shooting video directly to portable drives and eliminated most tapes. In addition, he also created the Iowa Football Fan Fest.

In his 24 seasons at Iowa, the Hawkeyes claimed three Big Ten championships, won 166 games and advanced to 16 bowl games, including two Orange Bowls and one Rose Bowl. During that time, Iowa also produced 36 All-Americans, nine consensus first-team All-Americans and 77 NFL Draft picks.

Engelbert earned his bachelor's degree in sports management from Iowa in 1993. He and his wife Dana, have two sons, Colin and Andrew.



LUCAS STORTZUM

Assistant Director of Football Operations

Lucas Stortzum is in his first year as the assistant director of football operations.

His duties include advance team travel, coordinating and selecting training table meals, coordinating housing for current and incoming student-athletes, organizing community service appearances with the players.

Prior to Arkansas, Stortzum spent three years on the Eastern Illinois football staff as the director of football operations. He oversaw the day-to-day organizational and operational aspects of the program, including budgets, team travel, on-campus recruiting efforts and serving as the NFL pro scout liaison.

He previously assisted the EIU football team as a graduate assistant for athletic operations for three years.

Stortzum earned his undergraduate degree from EIU in 2010 and later earned a master's degree from EIU in 2012.



BREY COOK

Graduate Assistant for Offense

Brey Cook is in his second season as a graduate assistant for offense at his alma mater. He lettered for the Razorbacks from 2011-14.

Cook assisted with an offensive line in 2016, including Pro Football Focus All-America first team choice Frank Ragnow, that helped pave the way for running back Rawleigh Williams III to capture the SEC regular-season rushing title with 1,326 yards and provided time for quarterback Austin Allen to throw for an SEC-best 3,430 yards.

The Razorbacks manufactured 428.4 yards of total offense per game, highlighted by five games with both 200 yards rushing and passing.

Cook started 30 of 48 career games played on the offensive line, including his final 25. As a senior, he participated in more than 850 snaps, tallied more than 40 knockdowns and blocked for running backs Alex Collins and Jonathan Williams, who were the only FBS teammates to each rush for 1,000-plus yards in the 2014 season. The Razorback offensive line also led the SEC in fewest sacks allowed with 14.

During his junior campaign, Cook played a pivotal role on an offensive line that helped Collins become the 10th true freshman in SEC history to rush for 1,000 yards. The offensive line also broke the single-season school record by only allowing 8.0 sacks. Arkansas led the SEC and tied for second in the NCAA with an average of 0.67 sacks allowed per game.

Cook, a native of Springdale, Arkansas, earned his bachelor's degree in communication from Arkansas in 2014. He was named to the SEC Academic Honor Roll for his work in the classroom in the fall of 2011 and 2013.



TAYLOR REED

Graduate Assistant for Offense

Taylor Reed is in his second season at Arkansas as a graduate assistant for offense, working primarily with quarterbacks.

In his first season with the Razorbacks, Reed helped tutor Austin Allen, the SEC's top passer in 2016 who threw for 3,430 yards, including a league-best 2,291 in SEC play, and totaled 25 touchdown passes behind nine multi-touchdown games. Allen completed 61.1 percent of his passes, boasted a 146.04 passer rating with a 200-plus passer rating in three outings, and passed for 300 or more yards four times.

Reed joined the Razorbacks after lettering at Central Arkansas at quarterback from 2013-15. During his career with the Bears, he completed 189 of 277 passes for 1,798 yards and 14 touchdowns in 22 games.

Reed began his college career in 2011 at the University of Memphis, where he started 9 of 11 games, threw for 1,690 yards and 10 touchdowns. Following that season, he transferred to the University of Arkansas. Reed sat out the 2012 season due to NCAA transfer rules and went on to join Central Arkansas in August 2013.

A native of El Dorado, Arkansas, Reed graduated from Central Arkansas with a bachelor's degree in business administration.



DARIUS EUBANKS

Graduate Assistant for Defense

Darius Eubanks is in his first season at Arkansas as a graduate assistant for defense. He joined the Razorbacks after seven years of playing at the collegiate and NFL levels.

A four-year starter at linebacker and defensive back at Georgia Southern from 2009-13, Eubanks started 50 of 52 game played for the Eagles. He totaled 260 tackles, including 12.5 for loss, recorded four interceptions and broke up 18 passes during his career.

Eubanks ranked in the top five on the team in total tackles every season with a career-best 77 as a senior in 2013 en route to Southern Conference All-Conference first team honors from the league head coaches.

Following his collegiate career, Eubanks spent four seasons in the NFL playing for the Minnesota Vikings, Cleveland Browns, Dallas Cowboys and Tampa Bay Buccaneers.

A native of Thomson, Georgia, Eubanks earned his bachelor's in sport management in 2013.



MARK SHERIDAN

Graduate Assistant for Defense

Mark Sheridan is in his second season as a graduate assistant for defense.

Sheridan works primarily with the secondary, a unit that forced 10 interceptions and returned four for touchdowns in 2016. The four interceptions returned for scores were the program's most in one season since at least 1985 and tied for fourth-most in the nation and second-most in the SEC. Three different Arkansas defensive backs recorded two interceptions apiece, including cornerback Ryan Pulley, who added 13 pass breakups to rank second in the SEC and tie for 12th nationally.

Before arriving in Fayetteville, Sheridan spent the 2015 season as a graduate assistant for defense at Purdue, where he worked primarily with the secondary.

Sheridan joined the Boilermakers' staff after serving as cornerbacks coach at his alma mater Albion College during the 2014 season. He was a four-year letterwinner at safety for the Britons from 2010-13 and elected team captain by his teammates as a senior in 2013. Sheridan also helped Albion to MIAA conference championships in both 2011 and 2013.

A native of Ann Arbor, Michigan, Sheridan earned his bachelor's degree in exercise science from Albion in 2013.



MIKE GIULIANI

Quality Control for Defense

Mike Giuliani is in his first season as a quality control coach for defense.

Giuliani served as a defensive assistant at the NFL level for six seasons prior to Arkansas, most recently with the Buffalo Bills during the 2015 and 2016 seasons.

Giuliani's job duties with the Bills included coordination of the offensive scout team, offensive opponent breakdown, scouting reports, creation of game day call sheets and creation of the playbook, while assisting with linebackers.

Prior to Buffalo, he spent two the 2013 and 2014 seasons as a defensive assistant with the New York Jets, where he worked with defensive backs, after serving as a season video assistant with the organization in 2011 and 2012.

Giuliani began his coaching career as a defensive student assistant at his alma mater SUNY Cortland from 2009-13. He earned his bachelor's degree in psychology at SUNY Cortland in 2011.



TANNER BURNS

Quality Control for Special Teams

Tanner Burns is in his fourth season as a quality control coach for special teams.

Burns coached punter Toby Baker, a Ray Guy Award nominee in 2015 and 2016 and a Burlsworth Trophy semifinalist in 2016, who averaged 43.0 yards per punt across 27 games for the Razorbacks. Baker boomed 27 punts of at least 50 yards, including a career-high of 60 yards, while 45 of his attempts landed inside the 20-yard line.

The Razorbacks also led the SEC in net punting average at 41.8 yards in 2016.

In 2014, Burns was instrumental in helping the Razorbacks' special teams improve in several areas. Arkansas finished fifth nationally in kickoff return average (25.71 yards per return) and led the SEC in punt return coverage (3.06 yards allowed per return).

Burns worked with punter Sam Irwin-Hill, who earned SEC Special Teams Player of the Week honors for the Nov. 22 win against Ole Miss. In that game, Irwin-Hill punted six times for 243 yards (40.5 avg.) and landed three inside the 20. Irwin-Hill dropped 18 of his 26 punts (69.2 percent) inside the 20 during the final five games of the season.

Burns spent the 2013 season as a coaching intern with the Oakland Raiders. He was an integral part of the Raiders' special teams, assisting with quality control, scouting reports and game plans. As a team, Oakland ranked second in the AFC and tied for third in the NFL with an average of 47.8 yards per punt.

Burns wrapped up his collegiate playing career at Ole Miss, where he played free safety and contributed on special teams and was elected team captain. He began his collegiate career at San Jose State and was an honorable mention All-WAC selection as a sophomore in 2009 after starting all 12 games and leading the team with 96 tackles in addition to recording two interceptions, one pass breakup, four forced fumbles and one fumble recovery.

The San Jose, California, native graduated from the University of Mississippi with a bachelor's degree in general studies while minoring in history, sociology and parks and rec management.



JOHN ROBERTS

Quality Control for Offense

John Roberts is in his third season as a quality control coach for offense.

Roberts helped coach a wide receiver group that totaled more than 4,000 yards and 40 touchdown receptions over the 2015 and 2016 seasons, including Drew Morgan who produced the third- and fourth-best receiving seasons in school history in 2015 and 2016. Morgan also led the SEC with 10 touchdown catches during the 2015 regular season.

The Razorbacks' 2016 receiving corps also was highlighted by Jared Cornelius who put together three straight 100-yard receiving performances to match a 20-year old school record, and Keon Hatcher who led the team with 743 yards and eight touchdown catches.

Prior to Arkansas, Roberts served as a quality control coach and graduate assistant at Central Michigan from 2010-14.

In 2014, Roberts assisted a Central Michigan offense that efficiently controlled the game. The Chippewas offense ranked third in the MAC and 18th nationally in pass efficiency (149.55) and led the MAC in time of possession (33:24). Central Michigan won seven games and advanced to its second bowl game in three years — the 2014 Bahamas Bowl.

Roberts served as an offensive graduate assistant for Central Michigan during the 2012 season. Wide receiver Cody Wilson finished his career with 42 consecutive games with a reception and running back Zurlon Tipton rushed for 1,492 yards, ranking him fourth in the school's record book. The Chippewas won the Little Caesars Bowl, the third bowl victory in program history.

Roberts was a four-year letterwinner at wide receiver at Alma College where he never had a losing season during his career.

The Mt. Pleasant, Michigan, native graduated from Alma College with a bachelor's degree in business administration in 2010. He earned his master's degree in sport administration from Central Michigan in 2013.

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