

Week 1 - Games of Aug. 29-31 Southeastern Conference Communications Office SECsports.com • CollegePressBox.com

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vs. Top 25 - Record vs. teams in Top 25 (AP, USA Today) when game was played; Teams listed in alphabetical order unless tie-breaker applicable

# WEEK 1 IN THE SEC

(2018 RECORD)	
THURSDAY, AUG. 29 Texas State (3-9) at Texas A&M (8-4, 5-3 SEC)	Series: AM leads 2-0
7:30 p.m. CT • SEC Network	Selles. Am leaus 2-0
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College Station, Texas • Kyle Field (102,733)	JITUS. 121 • AWI. 190
SATURDAY, AUG. 31	
Toledo (7-6) at Kentucky (10-3, 5-3 SEC)	Series: First Meeting
12 p.m. ET • SEC Network	
Lexington, Ky. • Kroger Field (61,000)	Sirius: 135 • XM: 190
Ole Miss (5-7, 1-7 SEC) at Memphis (8-6)	Series: UM leads, 47-11-2
11 a.m. CT • ABC	
Memphis, Tenn. • Liberty Bowl Memorial Stadium (58,325)	Sirius: 137 • XM: 192
Mississippi State (8-5, 4-4 SEC) vs. Louisiana-Lafayette (7-7)	Series: MSU leads, 4-0
11 a.m. CT • ESPNU	
New Orleans, La. • Mercedes-Benz Superdome (74,295)	Sirius: 136 • XM: 191
Alabama (14-1, 8-0 SEC) vs. Duke (8-5)	Series: UA leads, 2-1
2:30 p.m. CT • ABC	
Atlanta, Ga. • Mercedes-Benz Stadium (73,000)	Sirius: 136/80 • XM: 191/80
South Carolina (7-6, 4-4 SEC) vs. North Carolina (2-9)	Series: UNC leads, 34-19-4
3:30 p.m. ET • ESPN	
Charlotte, N.C. • Bank of America Stadium (75,412)	Sirius: N/A • XM: 383
Georgia State (2-10) at Tennessee (5-7, 2-6 SEC)	Series: UT leads, 1-0
3:30 p.m. ET • ESPNU	
Knoxville, Tenn. • Neyland Stadium (102,455)	Sirius: 137 • XM: 192

Portland State (4-7) at Arkansas (2-10, 0-8 SEC)	Series: First Meeting
3 p.m. CT • SEC Network	
Fayetteville, Ark. • Reynolds Razorback Stadium (76,000)	Sirius: 135 • XM: 190
Auburn (8-5, 3-5 SEC) vs. Oregon (9-4)	Series: AU leads, 1-0
6:30 p.m. CT • ABC	
Arlington, Texas • AT&T Stadium (100,000)	Sirius: 84/80 • XM: 84/80
Georgia (11-3, 7-1 SEC) at Vanderbilt (6-7, 3-5 SEC)	Series: UG leads, 57-20-2
6:30 p.m. CT • SEC Network	Last: UG, 41-13 (2018 in Athens)
Nashville, Tenn. • Vanderbilt Stadium (43,350)	Sirius: 81/135 • XM: 81/190
Georgia Southern (10-3) at LSU (10-3, 5-3 SEC)	Series: First Meeting
6:30 p.m. CT • ESPNU	
Baton Rouge, La. • Tiger Stadium (102,321)	Sirius: 136 • XM: 191
Missouri (8-5, 4-4 SEC) at Wyoming (6-6)	Series: MU leads, 1-0
6:30 p.m. CT • CBS Sports Network	
Laramie, Wyo. • War Memorial Stadium (29,181)	Sirius: 137 • XM: 192







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# **2019 SOUTHEASTERN CONFERENCE TEAM SCHEDULES AND RESULTS**

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<b>ARKANSA</b> Home Sta	IS RAZORBACKS (0-0, 0-0 dium(s): Reynolds Razorba	<u>SEC)</u> ck (72,000); War Men	norial (54,120)		<u>Y WILDCATS (0-0, 0-0 SE</u> lium: Kroger Field (61,00		
Aug. 31 Sept. 7 Sept. 14 Sept. 21 Sept. 28 Oct. 12 Oct. 19 Oct. 26 Nov. 2 Nov. 9 Nov. 23 Nov. 29	PORTLAND STATE at Ole Miss* COLORADO STATE SAN JOSE STATE vs. Texas A&M* at Kentucky* AUBURN at Alabama* MISSISSIPPI STATE* WESTERN KENTUCKY at LSU* MISSOURI*	SEC Network SEC Network SEC Network	3 p.m. CT 6:30 p.m. CT 3 p.m. CT 1:30 p.m. CT	Aug. 31 Sept. 7 Sept. 14 Sept. 21 Sept. 28 Oct. 12 Oct. 19 Oct. 26 Nov. 9 Nov. 16 Nov. 23 Nov. 30	TOLEDO EASTERN MICHIGAN FLORIDA* at Mississippi State* at South Carolina* ARKANSAS* at Georgia* MISSOURI* TENNESSEE* at Vanderbilt* UT MARTIN LOUISVILLE	SEC Network TBD ESPN	Noon ET 7:30 p.m. ET 7 p.m. ET
	<b>TIGERS (0-0, 0-0 SEC)</b> dium: Jordan-Hare Stadiur	n (87,451)			<b>1<u>5 (0-0, 0-0 SEC)</u></b> lium: Tiger Stadium (102,	321)	
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<b>FLORIDA</b> Home Sta	<b>GATORS (1-0, 0-0 SEC)</b> dium: Steve Spurrier-Floric	la Field at Ben Hill Gri	ffin Stadium (88,548)		<u>REBELS (0-0, 0-0 SEC)</u>	(fadium (64.020)	
Aug. 24 Sept. 7 Sept. 14 Sept. 21 Sept. 28 Oct. 5 Oct. 12 Oct. 19 Nov. 2 Nov. 9 Nov. 16	vs. Miami (Orlando, Fla. UT MARTIN at Kentucky* TENNESSEE* TOWSON AUBURN* at LSU* at South Carolina* vs. Georgia* (Jacksonvil VANDERBILT* at Missouri*	TBD ESPN	66,543 7:30 p.m. ET 7 p.m. ET 3:30 p.m. ET	Aug. 31 Sept. 7 Sept. 14 Sept. 21 Sept. 28 Oct. 5 Oct. 12 Oct. 19 Nov. 2 Nov. 9	dium: Vaught-Hemingway at Memphis ARKANSAS* SE LOUISIANA CAL at Alabama* VANDERBILT* at Missouri* TEXAS A&M* at Auburn* NEW MEXICO STATE	ABC SEC Network SEC Network	11 a.m. CT 6:30 p.m. CT 3 p.m. CT
Nov. 30	FLORIDA STATE			Nov. 16 Nov. 28	LSU* at Mississippi State*	ESPN	6:30 p.m. CT

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# 2019 SOUTHEASTERN CONFERENCE TEAM SCHEDULES AND RESULTS

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	AROLINA GAMECOCKS dium: Williams-Brice Sta				ILT COMMODORES (0-0, lium: Vanderbilt Stadium		
Aug. 31 Sept. 7 Sept. 14 Sept. 21 Sept. 28 Oct. 12 Oct. 26 Nov. 2 Nov. 9 Nov. 16 Nov. 30	vs. North Carolina (Ch CHARLESTON SOUTHE ALABAMA* MISSOURI* KENTUCKY* at Georgia* FLORIDA* at Tennessee* VANDERBILT* APPALACHIAN STATE at Texas A&M* CLEMSON	narlotte) ESPN	3:30 p.m. ET Noon ET 3:30 p.m. ET	Aug. 31 Sept. 7 Sept. 21 Sept. 28 Oct. 5 Oct. 12 Oct. 19 Nov. 2 Nov. 9 Nov. 16 Nov. 23 Nov. 30	GEORGIA* at Purdue LSU* NORTHERN ILLINOIS at Ole Miss* UNLV MISSOURI* at South Carolina at Florida* KENTUCKY* EAST TENNESSEE STATE at Tennessee*	SEC Network Big Ten Network	6:30 p.m. CT 11 a.m. CT

Team's AP & USA Today Rankings Listed Before Opponent's Name & Opponents' Rankings Listed after its Name (at time of game)

December 7 • SEC Football Championship Game • Atlanta • Mercedes-Benz Stadium • 4 p.m. ET • CBS Sports

# 2019 SEC Football

# 2019 SEC WEEK-BY-WEEK SCHEDULES AND RESULTS

<u>August 24</u> Florida (24) vs. Miami (20) (Orlando) [TV: 2-6] (66,543)

<u>August 29</u> Texas State at Texas A&M [TV: 5-6] (7:30 p.m. CT)

#### <u>August 31</u>

Alabama vs. Duke (Atlanta) [TV: 7] (2:30 p.m. CT) Portland State at Arkansas [TV: 5-6] (3 p.m. CT) Auburn vs. Oregon (Dallas) [TV: 7] (6:30 p.m. CT) Toledo at Kentucky [TV: 5-6] (Noon ET) Georgia Southern at LSU [TV: 4-6] (6:30 p.m. CT) Ole Miss at Memphis [TV: 7] (11 a.m. CT) Mississippi State vs. ULL (New Orleans) [TV: 4-6] (11 a.m. CT) Missouri at Wyoming [TV: 11] (6:30 p.m. CT) South Carolina vs. UNC (Charlotte)[TV: 2-6] (3:30 p.m. ET) Georgia State at Tennessee [TV: 4-6] (3:30 p.m. ET) \*Georgia at Vanderbilt [TV: 5-6] (6:30 p.m. CT)

#### September 7

New Mexico State at Alabama [TV: 5-6] (3 p.m. CT) Tulane at Auburn [TV: 3-6] (6:30 p.m. CT) UT-Martin at Florida [TV: TBA] (7:30 p.m. ET) Murray State at Georgia [TV: 3-6] (4 p.m. ET) Eastern Michigan at Kentucky [TV: TBA] (7:30 p.m ET) LSU at Texas [TV: 7] (6:30 p.m. CT) \*Arkansas at Ole Miss [TV: 5-6] (6:30 p.m. CT) Southern Miss at Mississippi State [TV: 4-6] (2:30 p.m. CT) West Virginia at Missouri [TV: TBA] (11 a.m. CT) Charleston Southern at South Carolina [TV: 5-6] (Noon ET) BYU at Tennessee [TV: 2-6] (7 p.m. ET) Texas A&M at Clemson [TV: 7] (2:30 p.m. CT) Vanderbilt at Purdue [TV: 12] (11 a.m. CT)

#### September 14

Colorado State at Arkansas [TV: 5-6] (3 p.m. CT) Kent State at Auburn [TV: TBA] (6 p.m. CT) Arkansas State at Georgia [TV: TBA] (Noon ET) \*Florida at Kentucky [TV: 2-6] (7 p.m. ET) Northwestern State at LSU [TV: 5-6] (6:30 p.m. CT) Southeastern Louisiana at Ole Miss [TV: 5-6] (3 p.m. CT) Kansas State at Mississippi State [TV: TBA] (11 a.m. CT) SE Missouri State at Missouri [TV: 5-6] (6:30 p.m. CT) \*Alabama at South Carolina [TV:1] (3:30 p.m. ET) UT-Chattanooga at Tennessee [TV: 5-6] (Noon ET) Lamar at Texas A&M [TV: TBA] (6 p.m. CT)

<u>September 21</u> Southern Miss at Alabama San Jose State at Arkansas \*Tennessee at Florida Notre Dame at Georgia [TV:1] (8 p.m. ET) California at Ole Miss \*Kentucky at Mississippi State \*South Carolina at Missouri \*Auburn at Texas A&M \*LSU at Vanderbilt

September 28 \*Ole Miss at Alabama \*Texas A&M vs. Arkansas (Arlington) \*Mississippi State at Auburn Towson at Florida \*Kentucky at South Carolina Northern Illinois at Vanderbilt

October 5 \*Auburn at Florida Utah State at LSU \*Vanderbilt at Ole Miss Troy at Missouri \*Georgia at Tennessee

#### October 12

\*South Carolina at Georgia \*Arkansas at Kentucky \*Florida at LSU \*Ole Miss at Missouri \*Mississippi State at Tennessee \*Alabama at Texas A&M UNLV at Vanderbilt

#### October 19

\*Tennessee at Alabama \*Auburn at Arkansas \*Kentucky at Georgia \*Texas A&M at Ole Miss \*LSU at Mississippi State \*Florida at South Carolina \*Missouri at Vanderbilt

October 26 \*Arkansas at Alabama \*Missouri at Kentucky \*Auburn at LSU \*South Carolina at Tennessee \*Mississippi State at Texas A&M

# November 2

\*Mississippi State at Arkansas \*Ole Miss at Auburn \*Georgia vs. Florida (Jacksonville) [TV: 1] (3:30 p.m. ET) \*Vanderbilt at South Carolina UAB at Tennessee UT-San Antonio at Texas A&M <u>November 9</u> \*LSU at Alabama Western Kentucky at Arkansas \*Vanderbilt at Florida \*Missouri at Georgia \*Tennessee at Kentucky New Mexico State at Ole Miss Appalachian State at South Carolina

#### November 16

\*Georgia at Auburn \*LSU at Ole Miss \*Alabama at Mississippi State \*Florida at Missouri \*South Carolina at Texas A&M \*Kentucky at Vanderbilt

#### <u>November 23</u> Western Carolina at Alabama

Samford at Auburn \*Texas A&M at Georgia UT-Martin at Kentucky \*Arkansas at LSU Abilene Christian at Mississippi State \*Tennessee at Missouri East Tennessee State at Vanderbilt

<u>November 28 (Thursday)</u> \*Ole Miss at Mississippi State [TV: 2-6] (6:30 p.m. CT)

<u>November 29</u> Missouri at Arkansas (Little Rock) [TV:1] (1:30 p.m. CT)

November 30 Missouri at Arkansas (Little Rock) \*Alabama at Auburn Florida State at Florida Georgia at Georgia Tech Louisville at Kentucky \*Texas A&M at LSU Clemson at South Carolina \*Vanderbilt at Tennessee

<u>Dec. 7</u> SEC Football Championship (Atlanta) [TV:1] (4 p.m. ET)

\*SEC Game

*Home team game time listed - Home team underlined; SEC team game time listed if non-conference game.* 

Tentative and subject to change

TV Key - (1) CBS; (2) ESPN; (3) ESPN2; (4) ESPNU; (5) SEC Network; (6) ESPN App; (7) ABC; (8) Fox Sports 1; (9) ESPNews; (10) ESPN3; (11) CBS Sports Network; (12) Big Ten Network; (13) NBC

\* - SEC Game



# 2019 SEC FOOTBALL SCHEDULE (Tentive and Subject to Change)



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 Number:
 (877) 381-5694 (Confidential)

 Replays:
 www.SECSports.com

#### Order of Appearance (All Times Central)

10:00 a.m. Ed Orgeron, LSU
10:10 a.m. Kirby Smart, Georgia
10:20 a.m. Dan Mullen, Florida
10:30 a.m. Derek Mason, Vanderbilt
10:40 a.m. Nick Saban, Alabama
10:50 a.m. Jeremy Pruitt, Tennessee
11:00 a.m. Chad Morris, Arkansas
11:10 a.m. Will Muschamp, South Carolina
11:20 a.m. Jimbo Fisher, Texas A&M
11:40 a.m. Mark Stoops, Kentucky
11:50 a.m. Joe Moorhead, Mississippi State
12:00 p.m. Barry Odom, Missouri
12:10 p.m. Gus Malzahn, Auburn

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Sundays - Statistics, Standings (Early AM); Early Version of Release (Late PM) Mondays - Final Statistics (Early AM); Players of the Week (Mid to late AM); TV Selections (Mid to late AM) Tuesdays - Entire Release available via email/SECSports.com/CollegePressBox (Mid to late AM) Wednesdays - Football Coaches Media Teleconference (10 a.m. CT) / Available on SECSports.com(mid-PM)

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<u>AUBURN</u> – Game week Tuesdays 11:15 a.m. CT in Auburn Athletic Complex Auditorium. Also available via teleconference (same information as below).

<u>FLORIDA</u> – Game week Mondays in the pressbox of Ben Hill Griffin Stadium (Mullen - approx. 1 p.m. ET with players after). Video replay at FloridaGators.com/Watch.

<u>GEORGIA</u> – Game week Mondays from noon ET to 1 p.m. At Butts-Mehre team meeting room. <u>KENTUCKY</u> – Game week Mondays at Noon ET in the Kroger Field Media Room.

<u>LSU</u> — Game week Mondays from 12:30 — 1:15 p.m. CT in Lawton Room in Tiger Stadium. <u>OLE MISS</u> - Game week Mondays at 11:30 a.m. CT in Team Meeting Room of Manning Center. <u>MISSISSIPPI STATE</u> — Game week Mondays at 12:30 p.m. CT in the media room on the third floor of the Leo Seal Jr. Football Complex.

MISSOURI - Game week Tuesdays at 12:30 p.m. CT in MATC Complex.

SOUTH CAROLINA – Game week Tuesdays at 12:30 p.m. ET, Media Room, Long Family Football Operations Center.

<u>TENNESSEE</u> — Game week Mondays at Noon ET, Ray and Lucy Hand Digital Studio in Brenda Lawson Center.

<u>TEXAS A&M</u> - Game week Monday beginning around 11:30 am CT, Kyle Field Media Center. (Fisher will begin at 1 pm CT and will be streamed live at 12thMan.com) <u>VANDERBILT</u> – Game week Tuesdays at Noon CT in the McGugin Center.

#### SEC SCHOOL WEEKLY TELECONFERENCES

(Contact school's SID office for additional teleconference information. Phone numbers are confidential and for media use only. Some schools may not have a teleconference prior to open date weekend.)

<u>ALABAMA</u> - Coach Saban participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference. <u>ARKANSAS</u> - Coach Morris participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference. AUBURN - Coach Malzahn participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

FLORIDA - Coach Mullen participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

<u>GEORGIA</u> - Coach Smart participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

KENTUCKY - Coach Stoops participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

LSU - Coach Orgeron participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

OLE MISS - Coach Luke participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

MISSISSIPPI STATE - Coach Moorhead participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference. MISSOURI - Coach Odom participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

SOUTH CAROLINA - Sundays 6:30 p.m. ET at 800-753-1965; Access code 777 1579 for Muschamp; Muschamp participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

<u>TENNESSEE</u> - Coach Pruitt participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference. <u>TEXAS A&M</u> - Coach Fisher participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference. <u>VANDERBILT</u> - Coach Mason participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

#### SEC SCHOOL SATELLITE/FTP FEEDS

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<u>ALABAMA</u> - Weekly feeds available on FTP. For more information contact Christopher England (cengland@ia.ua.edu).

<u>ARKANSAS</u> - Weekly feeds available on FTP. Contact Michelle Glover (mlglover@uark.edu) or Eric Frey (ericfrey@uark.edu) for more information.

<u>AUBURN</u> - Weekly feeds available on FTP on Tuesdays. Contact Weston Carter of AU Athletics Department at wcg0010@auburn.edu.

<u>FLORIDA</u> - For information on how to utilize UF's XOS Digital XChange, email Garreth Gutierrez of GatorVision at GarrethG@gators.ufl.edu Video will be updated each Monday by 4:00 p.m. ET during the season.

<u>GEORGIA</u> - Weekly following Monday press conferences, Tuesdays following post-practice interviews and following home games. Contact Kim Vachon, UGA sports communications office (kvachon@sports.uga.edu).

<u>KENTUCKY</u> - Weekly feeds available on FTP. Contact Susan Lax at UK Media Relations (slax0@uky.edu) for information.

<u>LSU</u> - Weekly feeds available via FTP each Monday after 4:30 p.m. CT. Contact Michael Bonnette at mbonnet@lsu.edu for details.

<u>OLE MISS</u> - Weekly feeds available on FTP. Contact Seth Austin at saaustin@olemiss.edu for details.

<u>MISSISSIPPI STATE</u> - Weekly feeds available on FTP on Monday evenings. Please contact Brandon Langlois blanglois@athletics.msstate.edu.

MISSOURI - Contact MU Media Relations for additional information.

<u>SOUTH CAROLINA</u> - Weekly feeds available on FTP. Contact Matt Freed at USC Athletics Communications (mfreed@mailbox.sc.edu) for details. <u>TENNESSEE</u> - Coach Pruitt's Monday press conference and weekly highlight feeds are available via FTP site. Contact Zach Stipe (zstipe@tennessee.edu) for FTP information. <u>TEXAS A&M</u> -Weekly feeds available on FTP. Contact Matt Callaway (mcallaway@athletics.tamu.edu) for username and password information.

VANDERBILT - Contact VU Media Relations for additional information.

#### STUDENT-ATHLETE GAME WEEK INTERVIEWS

<u>ALABAMA</u> - Other than the Monday press conference attendees, players will be available before practice on Tuesdays or by specific request Monday-Wednesday. Consult weekly media schedule for times and locales.

<u>ARKANSAS</u> - Players will be available by request on Tuesday (offensive players only) and Wednesday (defensive players only) after practice. Please go through UA Communications Office to arrange interviews and check player availability.

<u>AUBURN</u> - Player interviews should be arranged through the Auburn Media Relations Office. The following are the opportunities for player interviews, including phone interviews: Sunday post-practice; Tuesday following Coach Gus Malzahn's press conference. Players are not available Wednesday-Friday.

<u>FLORIDA</u> - Players will be available on Monday at the weekly press conference and after practice in the Indoor Practice Facility. Players will also be available Tuesday after practice in the IPF. Todd Grantham (Monday) and John Hevesy (Tuesday) will be made available weekly after practice. Additional assistant coaches are available upon request.

<u>GEORGIA</u> - Players are available at the Monday noon press conference and after practice Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

<u>KENTUCKY</u> - Players available for interviews after practice on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. <u>LSU</u> - Players are available for interviews following practice on Monday at approx.. 5:30 p.m. CT and before practice between Noon and 12:45 p.m. CT on Tuesday.

OLE MISS - Players available for interviews after practice on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. <u>MISSISSIPPI STATE</u> - Players are available following Tuesday (offense) and Wednesday (defense) practices in the media room on the third floor of the Leo Seal Jr. Football Complex.

<u>MISSOURI</u> - Player interviews will be held post-practice on Tuesdays, which should end around 11 a.m. CT. Requested athletes and assistant coaches will be available as they come off the field. Athlete/coach requests must be submitted to Chad Moller (mollerc@missouri.edu) by 10 a.m. each Monday.

<u>SOUTH CAROLINA</u> - Tuesdays after practice in the Media Room, Long Family Football Operations Center. Requests for specific players should be submitted by 5 p.m. ET on Sunday.

<u>TENNESSEE</u> - Players are available at Monday press conference and on Tuesday at noon in Ray and Lucy Hand Digital Studio.

<u>TEXAS A&M</u> - Players are available at Monday media luncheon. Requests for specific players must be made 24 hours in advance to Alan Cannon (acannon@athletics.tamu.edu). No interviews after Wednesday of game week.

<u>VANDERBILT</u> - Select players are available for interviews after the Wednesday morning practice (approximately 10 am CT). Contact VU SID office to arrange interviews.

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SCHOOL WEBSITES	
<u>ALABAMA</u> - www. rolltide.com	<u>ALABAMA</u> - Sunday
<u>ARKANSAS</u> - www.arkansasrazorbacks.com	<u>ARKANSAS</u> - Monday
<u>AUBURN</u> - www.auburntigers.com	<u>AUBURN</u> - Monday
FLORIDA - www.FloridaGators.com	FLORIDA - Sunday
<u>GEORGIA</u> - www.georgiadogs.com	GEORGIA - Sunday
KENTUCKY - www.ukathletics.com	KENTUCKY - Sunday
<u>LSU</u> - www.lsusports.net	LSU - Sunday
OLE MISS - www.olemisssports.com	OLE MISS - Monday
MISSISSIPPI STATE - www.HailState.com	MISSISSIPPI STATE - Monday
MISSOURI - www.mutigers.com	MISSOURI - Monday
SOUTH CAROLINA - www.gamecocksonline.com	SOUTH CAROLINA - Monday
TENNESSEE - www.utsports.com	TENNESSEE - Sunday
TEXAS A&M - www.12thMan.com	TEXAS A&M - Sunday
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#### USA Today Coaches' Poll (Preseason)

<u>No.</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Points</u>
1	Clemson (59)		
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6	LSU		
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8	FLORIDA		
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22	Syracuse		
23	Stanford		
24	Iowa State		
25	Northwestern		

**Others (SEC Only):** Mississippi State 111, Kentucky 79, South Carolina 15, Tennessee 1, Ole Miss 1.

### SEC Nation on The SEC Network

SEC Nation Presented by Dr Pepper will originate from Orlando, Fla. on Saturday, August 24, as preseason No. 8 Florida readies to kick off the season as part of the Camping World Kickoff to highlight a tent pole day of CFB150-themed programming across ESPN networks.

SEC Nation Presented by Dr Pepper will air live on SEC Network from 5 – 7 p.m. ET on the sidelines of Camping World Stadium to preview the Sunshine State showdown between in-state foes Florida and Miami. The show includes live reports, analysis and features surrounding the world of SEC football, as well as special appearances from hometown favorites throughout the season. Host Laura Rutledge will be joined in Orlando by analysts Tim Tebow, Marcus Spears and Paul Finebaum.

SEC Nation Presented by Regions Bank will spend Week 1 of the 2019 season in the Music City, as the Vanderbilt Commodores host in-conference foe Georgia on Saturday, August 31. Airing live from 10 a.m. – noon ET, the show will delve into the story-lines of Southeastern Conference football, the weekend's biggest matchups and more before the reigning SEC East champion Bulldogs visit Vanderbilt Stadium at 7:30 p.m. ET on SEC Network.

This will be SEC Nation's third edition from Nashville.

SEC Nation airs live on SEC Network 10 a.m. — noon ET every Saturday in the fall. Host Laura Rutledge navigates the Saturday morning conversations with college football analysts Tim Tebow, Marcus Spears and Paul Finebaum. The show delves into the storylines of Southeastern Conference football, the weekend's biggest matchups and more, including live reports, analysis and features surrounding the world of SEC football, as well as special appearances from hometown favorites throughout the season. Returning in 2019 is the SEC Nation demo field, as well as the weekly series "Nation Shorts," from the creators of "SEC Shorts." Marty Smith, co-host of SEC Network and ESPN Radio's Marty & McGee, will guest host for part of the 2019 season.

#### SEC Nation Schedule:

<u>Date</u> Sat, Aug. 24	<u>Time (ET)</u>	<u>School/City</u>
Sat, Aug. 24	5 p.m.	Florida/Orlando
		Camping World Kickoff
Sat., Aug. 31	10 a.m.	Vanderbilt/Nashville
		Georgia at Vanderbilt
Sat., Sept. 7	10 a.m.	Missouri/Columbia
		West Virginia at Missouri





# 2019 SEC Football

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	SEC ATTEI	NDAN		DATE (	Final 20	18)	
School	<u>Stadium(s)</u>	<b>Capacity</b>	Games	<u>100%+</u>	Total Att.	Average Att.	Pct. of Capacity
Alabama	Bryant-Denny Stadium	101,821	7	4	710,931	101,562	99.75
Arkansas	Donald W. Reynolds Razorback (Fayetteville)	72,000	6	-	367,748	61,291	85.13
	War Memorial (Little Rock)	54,120	1	-	51,438	51,438	95.04
			7	-	419,186	<i>59,884</i>	90.09
Auburn	Pat Dye Field at Jordan-Hare Stadium	87, 451	7	-	591,236	84,462	96.58
Florida	Steve Spurrier-Florida Field at Ben Hill Griffin Stadium	88,548	7	1	576,299	82,328	92.98
Georgia	Sanford Stadium	92,746	7	7	649,222	92,746	100.00
Kentucky	Kroger Field	61,000	7	2	385,820	55,117	90.36
LSU	Tiger Stadium	102,321	7	3	705,733	100,819	98.53
Ole Miss	Vaught-Hemingway/Hollingsworth Field	64,038	7	-	391,794	55,971	87.40
Miss. State	Davis Wade Stadium at Scott Field	61,337	7	1	402,601	57,514	93.77
Missouri	Memorial Stadium / Faurot Field	71,168	7	-	360,261	51,466	72.32
South Carolina	Williams-Brice Stadium	80,250	6	2	461,976	76,996	95.95
Tennessee	Neyland Stadium/Shields-Watkins Field	102,455	7	-	650,887	92,983	90.76
Texas A&M	Kyle Field	102,733	7	1	698,908	99,844	97.19
Vanderbilt	Vanderbilt Stadium	40,350	7	-	196,313	28,045	69.50
TOTALS		78,808	97	21 (22%)	7,284,658	75,100	95.29
Neutral Site Games	[Florida vs. Georgia, Jacksonville]	82,871	1	1	84,463	84,463	101.92
	[Arkansas vs. Texas A&M, Arlington]	71,815	1	-	55,383	55,383	77.12
	[SEC Championship Game, Atlanta]	73,000	1	1	77,171	77,141	105.67
			100	23 (23%)	7,501,675	75,017	

# SEC OVERTIME RECORDS

Team	<u>Total</u>	<u>Pct.</u>	<u>vs. Non-SEC</u>	Last Overtime Game
Alabama	6-8	.429	0-1	Alabama 26, Georgia 23 (1) (2018)
Arkansas	12-7	.632	2-1	Texas A&M 50, Arkansas 43 (1) (2017)
Auburn	8-7	.533	5-2	Arkansas 54, Auburn 46 (4) (2015)
Florida	5-3	.625	1-0	Florida 20, Florida Atlantic 14 (1) (2015)
Georgia	8-6	.571	5-3	Alabama 26, Georgia 23 (1) (2018)
Kentucky	3-6	.333	1-2	Texas A&M 20, Kentucky 14 (1) (2018)
LSU	8-7	.533	1-0	Texas A&M 74, LSU 72 (7) (2018)
Ole Miss	6-9	.400	2-1	Vanderbilt 36, Ole Miss 29 (1) (2018)
Miss. State	5-5	.500	3-1	BYU 28, Mississippi State 21 (2) (2016)
Missouri	1-1	.500	0-0	S. Carolina 27, Missouri 24 (2) (2013)
South Carolina	2-4	.333	0-1	USF 46, South Carolina 39 (1) (2016)
Tennessee	14-6	.700	3-2	Tennessee 42, Georgia Tech 41 (2) (2017)
Texas A&M	7-0	1.000	1-0	Texas A&M 74, LSU 72 (7) (2018)
<u>Vanderbilt</u>	<u>4-6</u>	.400	<u>2-2</u>	Vanderbilt 36, Ole Miss 29 (1) (2018)
TOTALS			24-16 (.600)	

#### BREAKDOWN OF LENGTH OF OVERTIMES

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Number/OTs	Games	Last Game
7	3	Texas A&M 74, LSU 72 (7) (2018)
6	1	Tennessee 41, Arkansas 38 (2002)
5	1	Tennessee 51, Alabama 43 (2003)
4	4	Arkansas 54, Auburn 46 (4) (2015)
3	5	Florida 36, Kentucky 30 (2014)
2	16	Georgia 54, Oklahoma 48 (2) (2017)
1	73	Vanderbilt 36, Ole Miss 29 (1) (2018)

#### NOTES:

First Overtime Game: Nov. 16, 1996 at Auburn (Georgia 56, Auburn 49 - 4 OT) First Non-Conference Overtime Game: Aug. 30, 1997 at Oxford (Ole Miss 24, Central Florida 23) Longest Current Consecutive Win Streaks in Overtime Games: 7 (Texas A&M) Most Overtime Games in a Year: 12 (2014)

# SEC FOOTBALL PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

#### 2018 SEASON

Week 1 (Games of Aug. 31-Sept. 4): Offense - Drew Lock, QB, Missouri; Defense - Shaun Dion Hamilton, LB, Alabama; Special Teams - Deebo Samuel, WR/KR, South Carolina; Offensive Lineman - Garrett Brumfield, OG, LSU; Defensive Lineman - Denzil Ware, DE/LB, Kentucky; Freshman - Charase Hayden, RB, Arkansas.

Week 2 (Games of Sept. 9): Offense - Shea Patterson, QB, Ole Miss; Defense - Lorenzo Carter, LB, Georgia; Special Teams - Deebo Samuel, WR/KR, South Carolina; Offensive Lineman -Matt Womack, OL, Alabama; Defensive Lineman - Jeffery Simmons, DL, Mississippi State; Freshman - Ty Chandler, KR, Tennessee.

Week 3 (Games of Sept. 16): Offense - Nick Fitzgerald, QB, Mississippi State; Defense -Derrick Baity Jr., CB, Kentucky; LaDarius Wiley, S, Vanderbilt; Special Teams - Austin MacGinnis, PK, Kentucky; Offensive Lineman - Darryl Williams, OL, Mississippi State; Defensive Lineman -Jeffery Simmons, DL, Mississippi State; Freshman - C.J. Henderson, DB, Florida.

Week 4 (Games of Sept. 23): Offense - Damien Harris, RB, Alabama; Defense - Cece Jefferson, DL, Florida; Special Teams - Christian Kirk, WR/KR, Texas A&M; Offensive Lineman -Ross Pierschbacher, OL, Alabama; Defensive Lineman - Marlon Davidson, DL, Auburn; Freshman - Jake Fromm, QB, Georgia.

Week 5 (Games of Sept. 30): Offense - Nick Chubb, RB, Georgia; Jarrett Stidham, QB, Auburn; Defense - Levi Wallace, DB, Alabama; Special Teams - Josh Paschal, DE, Kentucky; Offensive Lineman - Brett Heggie, OL, Florida; Defensive Lineman - Landis Durham, DE, Texas A&M; Freshman - Malik Davis, RB, Florida; Nick Coe, DL, Auburn.

Week 6 (Games of Oct. 7): Offense - Kerryon Johnson, RB, Auburn; Defense - Minkah Fitzpatrick, DB, Alabama; Devin White, LB, LSU; Special Teams - Daniel Carlson, PK, Auburn; Offensive Lineman - Isaiah Wynn, LT, Georgia; Defensive Lineman - D.J. Wonnum, DL, South Carolina; Freshman - Lynn Bowden, WR/KR, Kentucky.

Week 7 (Games of Oct. 14): Offense - DJ Chark, WR/PR/, LSU; Shea Patterson, QB, Ole Miss; Defense - Devin White, LB, LSU; Special Teams - Daniel LaCamera, PK, Texas A&M; Offensive Lineman - Jonah Williams, OL, Alabama; Defensive Lineman - Marquis Haynes, DE, Ole Miss; D.J. Wonnum, DL, South Carolina; Freshman - Jake Fromm, QB, Georgia.

Week 8 (Games of Oct. 21): Offense - Derrius Guice, RB, LSU; Defense - Levi Wallace, DB, Alabama; Jeff Holland, DE, Auburn; Special Teams - Connor Culp, PK, LSU; Offensive Lineman -Deion Calhoun, RG, Mississippi State; Defensive Lineman - Montez Sweat, DE, Mississippi State; Freshman - Nick Coe, DL, Auburn; Albert Okwuegbunam, TE, Missouri.

Week 9 (Games of Oct. 28): Offense - Nick Fitzgerald, QB, Mississippi State; Benny Snell Jr., RB, Kentucky; Defense - Jordan Jones, LB, Kentucky; J.R. Reed, DB, Georgia; Special Teams -De'Vion Warren, WR/KR, Arkansas ; Offensive Lineman - Alan Knott, C, South Carolina; Defensive Lineman - Montez Sweat, DL, Mississippi State; Freshman - Cole Kelley, QB, Arkansas.

Week 10 (Games of Nov. 4): Offense - Jordan Ta'amu, QB, Ole Miss; Defense - Ronnie Harrison, DB, Alabama; Anthony Sherrils, S, Missouri; Special Teams - JK Scott, P, Alabama; Offensive Lineman - Braden Smith, RG, Auburn; Defensive Lineman - Josiah Coatney, DL, Ole Miss; Freshman - DK Metcalf, WR, Ole Miss; Aidan Marshall, P, Auburn.

Week 11 (Games of Nov. 11): Offense - Kerryon Johnson, RB, Auburn; Defense - Devin White, LB, LSU; Special Teams - Daniel Carlson, PK, Auburn ; Offensive Lineman - Casey Dunn, C, Auburn ; Defensive Lineman - Denzil Ware, DE/LB, Kentucky; Marcell Frazier, DL, Missouri; Freshman - Nick Starkel, QB, Texas A&M; Larry Rountree III, RB, Missouri.

Week 12 (Games of Nov. 18): Offense - Nick Chubb, RB, Georgia; Defense - Derrick Tucker, S, Texas A&M; Special Teams - Zach Von Rosenberg, P, LSU; Offensive Lineman - JC Hassenauer, OL, Alabama; Defensive Lineman - Montez Sweat, DL, Mississippi State; Marcell Frazier, DL, Missouri; Freshman - Albert Okwuegbunam, TE, Missouri.

Week 13 (Games of Nov. 23-25): Offense - Jarrett Stidham, QB, Auburn; Drew Lock, QB, Missouri Defense - Devin White, LB, LSU; Special Teams - Gary Wunderlich, K, Ole Miss; Offensive Lineman - Greg Little, OL, Ole Miss; Bruno Reagan, OL, Vanderbilt; Defensive Lineman - Nick Coe, DL, Auburn; Freshman - Jake Fromm, QB, Georgia.

#### 2019 SEASON

Week 1 (Games of Aug. 24-Aug. 31): Offense - ; Defense - S; Special Teams - ; Offensive Lineman - ; Defensive Lineman - ; Freshman -

# SEC FOOTBALL NOTES

#### SEC FOOTBALL INSTANT REPLAY STATISTICS

	Games Using SEC Replay	Play Stoppages	Plays Overturned	Average Length of Review
2005	77	66	17 (25.76%)	1:53
2006	89	123	29 (23.58%)	1:41
2007	87	139	38 (27.34%)	1:36
2008	85	122	39 (31.97%)	1:24
2009	85	115	28 (24.35%)	1:26
2010	85	119	37 (31.09%)	1:36
2011	86	95	36 (37.89%)	1:37
2012	101	138	52 (37.68%)	1:28
2013	101	146	54 (36.99%)	1:22
2014	101	166	62 (37.35%)	1:28
2015	103	203	76 (37.44%)	1:22
2016	98	219	93 (42.47%)	1:28
2017	102	211	93 (44.08%)	1:17
TOTALS	1102	1643	560 (34.08%)	

#### 2018 INSTANT REPLAY STATISTICS

	Games Using SEC Replay	Play Stoppages	Plays Overturned	Average Length of Review
Week 1	9	21	8 (38.10%)	0:57
Week 2	10	18	9 (50.00%)	1:23
Week 3	9	21	9 (42.86%)	1:01
Week 4	8	20	5 (25.00%)	1:06
Week 5	8	19	11 (57.89%)	1:10
Week 6	7	21	16 (76.19%)	1:09
Week 7	6	17	7 (41.18%)	0:55
Week 8	6	12	4 (33.33%)	1:09
Week 9	5	14	7 (50.00%)	1:10
Week 10	7	15	10 (66.67%)	1:10
Week 11	7	14	4 (28.57%)	0:58
Week 12	11	17	11 (64.71%)	1:14
Week 13	6	18	9 (50.00%)	1:03
SECCG	2	4	3 (75.00%)	0:59
TOTALS	101	235	119 (50.64%)	1:07

#### **THIS IS SEC FOOTBALL**

 For the 12th time in the last 13 seasons, a team from the SEC has now advanced to the national championship game. The SEC has won nine of those 12 contests, with two of the losses coming in the game's final seconds.

• The SEC sent four teams to New Year's Six bowl games for the first time in 2018, only the second time in the College Football Playoff era a league has accomplished that feat.

• Since Florida in January 2009, five different teams from the SEC have played for the national championship. Four of those five have multiple appearances and at least one victory since 2007.

 Not counting games versus each other, the SEC is 6-3 all-time in College Football Playoff games, playing in four of the five CFP Championship Games (winning two of the five).

 The SEC Championship on December 1 was the most-watched and highest-rated regular-season college football game on any network in seven years with a 10.1/23 rating/share and 17.5 million viewers. It also marked the second most-watched SEC Championship ever in 26 years since the game debuted in 1992.

• Six of the Top-10 rated bowl games last season involved a SEC team, including three of the Top 5.

• The SEC is 82-51 (.617) in bowl games since 2006, the only FBS league with a .600 or better winning percentage and 23 wins more than the next closest conference.

• The SEC has now won 32 games in the last five postseasons and has sent no less than eight teams to post-season bowls in each of the last 12 seasons.

• Teams from the SEC have posted 77 wins in the last 11 seasons against non-conference Top 25 teams (at time game was played), an average of seven wins per season.

• In the five seasons of the College Football Playoff era, only four programs nationally have been ranked No. 1 in the weekly CFP Top-25 Poll) which begins in late October each year) - three of those four programs are from the SEC.

• Eight different SEC teams, six from the SEC Western Division, have made BCS/New Year's Six bowl game appearances since 2006: Alabama, Arkansas, Auburn, Florida, Georgia, LSU, Ole Miss and Mississippi State.

 With Georgia and Alabama both earning victories in the CFP Semifinals in 2017, the national championship game featured two SEC teams for the second time in the last eight seasons.

# 2019 SEC FOOTBALL VIDEO REPLAY

#### THE OBJECTIVE

To allow for specific types of officiating calls to be immediately reviewed during all games hosted by SEC teams.

#### THE COACHES' CHALLENGE

The head coach may challenge the ruling of any reviewable play. He retains a challenge if his initial challenge is successful and thus results in a reversal by the replay official. The head coach will then have a single challenge that he may use anytime during the game if his team has not used all its timeouts. Thus a team may have a total of two challenges in the game, but only if the first results in a reversal of the on-field ruling. A head coach may not challenge an on-field ruling if all of the team's timeouts have been used for that half or extra period.

#### THE SOURCE

All reviewable video comes direct from either the television network broadcasting the game or other TV production facilities that meet established conference standards and the coach's high end zone and high 50 yard line cameras. The coach's video is also made available to the TV producer. The Southeastern Conference has used instant replay since 2005.

#### THE PLAYS

Scoring Plays Reviewable plays involving a potential score include: a. A potential couchdown or safety. [Exception: Safety by penalty for fouls that are not specifically reviewable with the exception of the location of the passer when an intentional grounding foul results in a safety.]

b. Field goal attempts if and only if the ball is ruled (a) below or above the crossbar or (b) inside or outside the uprights when it is lower than the top of the uprights. If the ball is higher than the top of the uprights as it crosses the end line, the play may not be reviewed.

#### Passes

Reviewable plays involving passes include: a. Pass ruled complete, incomplete or intercepted anywhere in the field of play or an end zone. b. Forward pass touched by a player (eligible or ineligible) or an official, including whether the touching is behind or beyond the line of scrimmage. c. Forward pass or forward handing when a ball carrier is or has been beyond the neutral zone.

d. A forward pass or forward handing after a change of team possession.

e. Pass ruled forward or backward when thrown from behind the neutral zone.

1. If the pass is ruled forward and is incomplete, the play is reviewable only if the ball goes out of bounds or if there is clear recovery of a loose ball in the immediate continuing football action after the loose ball or if the ball is out of bounds. If the replay official does not have indisputable video evidence as to which team recovers, the ruling of incomplete pass stands. 2. If the replay official reverses an incomplete forward pass ruling and the ball is recovered, it belongs to the recovering team at the spot of the recovery and any advance is nullified.

#### Dead Ball and Loose Ball

Reviewable plays involving potential dead balls and loose balls include:

a. Loose ball by a potential passer ruled a fumble.
 b. Loose ball by a potential passer ruled incomplete forward pass when there is clear recovery in the immediate continuing action after the loose ball.
 1. If the replay official does not have indisputable video evidence as to which team recovers, the ruling of incomplete pass stands.
 2. If the replay official rules fumble, the ball belongs to the recovering team at the spot of the recovery and any advance is nullified.

c. Live ball not ruled dead in possession of a ball carrier.

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d. Loose ball ruled dead (Rule 4-1-2-b-2), or live ball ruled dead in possession of a ball carrier when the clear recovery of a loose ball occurs in the immediate continuing football action.

If the ball is ruled dead and the replay official does not have indisputable video evidence as to which team recovery, the dead-ball ruling stands.
If the replay official rules that the ball was not dead, it belongs to the recovering team at the spot of the recovery and any advance is nullified.
Ball carrier's forward progress, spot of fumble, or spot of out of bounds backward pass, with respect to a first down or the goal line.
Gath or recovery of a fumble by a Team A player other than the fumbler before any change of possession during fourth down or a try.
Ball carrier in or out of bounds. If a ball carrier is ruled out of bounds, the play is not reviewable, except as in Rules 12-3-1-a and 12-3-3-d.
Acto, recovery of a loose ball by a player in bounds or out of bounds.
A loose ball touching on or beyond a sideline, or end line, or end line, out of bounds.
Catch or recovery of a loose ball in the field of play or an end zone.
K. Forward fumble that goes out of bounds with respect to a first down.
Live ball declared dead under Rule 4-1-2-b-2 and b-3 (inadvertent whistle).

#### Kicks

Reviewable plays involving kicks include: a. Touching of a kick.

- b. Player beyond the neutral zone when kicking the ball.
   c. Kicking team player advancing a ball after a potential muffed kick/fumble by the receiving team.
   d. Scrimmage kick crossing the neutral zone.
   e. Blocking by Team A players before they are eligible to touch the ball on an on-side kick.

All targeting fouls shall be reviewed. The review includes all aspects of the targeting foul. For a Targeting foul to be confirmed, all elements of the Targeting foul must be confirmed. There is no option for stands as a part of the Targeting review. If any element of the Targeting foul cannot be confirmed, then the Replay Official shall overturn the targeting foul. But only when the targeting action is clear and obvious and the foul is not called by the officials on the field. Such a review may not be initiated by a coach's challenge.

Miscellaneous

Miscellaneous Situations that may be addressed by the replay official: a. The number of players on the field for either team during a live ball. b. Clock adjustment and status when a ruling is reviewed. c. With less than one minute in either half and a replay review results in the on-field ruling being reversed, and the correct ruling would not have stopped the game clock, then the clock will be reset to the time the ball is declared dead by replay. The referee will subtract 10 seconds from the game clock and the game clock will start on the referee's signal. Either team may use a team timeout to avoid the runoff. d. Clock adjustment at the end of any quarter. If at the end of any quarter the game clock expires, either during a down in which it should be stopped by rule through play when the ball becomes dead or fol-lowing the down upon a request for an available team timeout, the replay official may restore time only under these conditions: 1. The replay official has indisputable video evidence that time should have remained on the game clock when the ball became dead or when the team timeout was granted; 2. In the second and fourth quarters only, the team in possession when the ball became dead wull next put the ball in play from scrimmage (not the try); 3. In the fourth quarter only, either the score is tied or the team that will next snap the ball is behind by eight points or fewer; and 4. The replay official's video evidence includes the timeout signal by an official in the case where the game clock should have stopped for a requested team timeout. e. Correcting the number of a down. 1. This includes the result of a penalty enforcement that includes an automatic first down or loss of down.

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   2. The correction may be made at any time within that series of downs or before the ball is legally put in play after that series.
   f. Any person who is not a player interfering with live-ball action occurring in the field of play (Rule 9-2-3).
   g. An injured player at the initiation of the medical observer.

#### Limitations on Reviewable Plays

No other plays or officiating decisions are reviewable. However, the replay official may correct egregious errors, including those involving the game clock, whether or not a play is reviewable. This excludes fouls that are not specifically reviewable (Reviewable fouls: Rules 12-3-2-c and d, 12-3-4-b and -e and 12-3-5-a).

**Reviewable Fouls** 

- The following plays are reviewable and the replay official may create a foul when there is no call by the on-field officials: a. Player making a forward pass or forward handoff when beyond the neutral zone or after a change of possession. b. Player beyond the neutral zone when kicking the ball.

- D. Player beyond the neutral zone when kicking the ball.
  C. Blocking by Team B players before they are eligible to touch the ball on an onside kick.
  d. The number of players on the field for either team during a live ball.
  e. Illegal touching of a forward pass by an originally eligible receiver who has gone out of bounds.
  f. Player who is out of bounds touching a free kick that had not been touched inbounds.
  g. Forward pass that becomes illegal as a second pass after an on-field ruling of a backward pass is reversed.
  h. A clear, obvious and egregious targeting foul.

#### THE PROCESS

Each SEC football stadium has a secured replay booth equipped with the HD Instant Replay system provided by DVSport. Three individuals work in the booth for the duration of the game: 1. Replay Official, 2. Communicator, 3. Technician. The Replay Official and the Communicator are selected and assigned by the Conference Office.

A live HD video feed is sent directly to the replay booth from the TV truck. The Technician watches the feed on an input monitor while recording it into the DVSport Replay System. The Technician also marks the beginning of each play while the Communicator marks all incoming replays.

Each play and subsequent replay then appears on a touch screen in front of the Replay Technician. As the Technician and the Communicator mark the incoming video, each view will appear as a small picture on the computer touch screen. At any time, the Replay Technician can touch the thumbnail and immediately send that play or replay to the Replay Official.

With the Communicator's assistance, the Replay Official can quickly jump between replays while playing back the video. All replay video navigation is done via a jog shuttle remote controlled by the Replay Official. All video is viewed on an HD monitor that sits in front of the Replay Official. The touch screen is only used to select the replays and to log specific play data in the event a call is overturned.

While all plays are reviewed between the whistle and the beginning of the next play, the Replay Official can stop play on the field by using a pager system. Seven of the eight on-field officials wear pagers. If play is stopped the Referee announces on the stadium PA microphone that play has been stopped so the previous play can be reviewed. The Referee then proceeds to the sideline headset, which provides direct communication to the Replay Official in the booth. Once the play has been reviewed, the Replay Official notifies the Referee, who then announces the decision on the stadium PA system.

#### **RECENT ADDITIONS**

\*For the 2016 season, the SEC will utilize the new experimental rule that allows personnel in a separate secure location identified by the conference to assist the Instant Replay Official at the stadium in mak-ing decisions. The SEC will locate 3 Instant Replay Officials in the SEC Video Center each week to collaborate with the onsite Replay Official during any replay stoppage. The 3 Replay Officials in the Video Center will have real time video and communications with the Replay Official in the stadium to aid in this collaboration. The goal of this process will be consistency in decision making and to help avoid incorrect outcomes

\* Monitors may be used to view a live telecast or webcast in the football coaching booth. The home team is responsible for assuring identical television capability in the coaches' booths of both teams. This capability may not include replay equipment or recorders.

\* If at the end of any quarter the game clock expires, either during a down in which it should be stopped by rule through play when the ball becomes dead or following the down upon a request for an available team timeout, the replay official may restore time only under these conditions:

The replay official has indisputable video evidence that time should have remained on the game clock when the ball became dead or when the team timeout was granted;
The team in possession when the ball became dead would next put the ball in play from scrimmage;
In the fourth quarter only, either the score is tied or the team that will next snap the ball is behind by eight points or fewer; and
The replay official's video evidence includes the timeout signal by an official in the case where the game clock should have stopped for a requested team timeout.

#### THE EQUIPMENT

Each SEC member institution uses the new multi-view HD Replay System developed by DVSport. The replay systems are maintained by the home institution with technical support from DVSport.

# 2018 SEC NON-CONFERENCE RECORD [56-12]

(Includes Bowl Games)	
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	2018			
<b>Conference</b>	App.	W-L	Pct.	Since 1995*
American	3	3-0	-	36-34 (.514) #
Atlantic Coast	10	6-4	-	115-82 (.584)
Big Ten	5	4-1	-	58-38 (.604)
Big 12	6	3-4	-	52-39-1 (.571)
Conference USA	11	10-1	-	156-28 (.848)
Mid-American	3	3-0	-	69-6 (.920)
Mountain West	4	3-1	-	25-8 (.758)
Pac-12	1	1-0	-	23-16 (.590)
Sun Belt	6	5-1	-	166-10 (.943)
Western Athletic	0	0-0	-	50-7 (.877)
FBS Independent	3	2-1	-	62-20 (.756)
Non-FBS	15	15-0	-	185-4 (.979)

\*-using alignment during year played.

# - formerly BIG EAST.

SEC NON-CONFERENCE RECORD (Since 1992)					
Year	App.	Regular Seas W-L	on Pct.	Bowls	
1992	36	27-9	.750	5-1	
1993	36	28-7-1	.792	2-2	
1994	36	27-8-1	.764	3-2	
1995	36	29-7	.806	2-4	
1996	36	27-9	.750	5-0	
1997	36	32-4	.889	5-1	
1998	36	27-9	.750	4-4	
1999	36	28-8	.778	4-4	
2000	36	27-9	.750	4-5	
2001	36	29-7	.806	5-3	
2002	49	37-12	.755	3-4	
2003	46	31-15	.674	5-2	
2004	36	25-11	.694	3-3	
2005	36	27-9	.750	3-3	
2006	48	41-7	.854	6-3	
2007	48	40-8	.825	7-2	
2008	48	37-11	.771	6-2	
2009	48	42-6	.875	6-4	
2010	48	41-7	.854	5-5	
2011	48	42-6	.875	5-2	
2012	56	48-8	.857	6-3	
2013	56	47-9	.839	7-3	
2014	55	48-7	.863	7-5	
2015	55	45-10	.815	9-2	
2016	54	42-12	.778	6-7	
2017	55	45-10	.818	5-6	
2018	56	50-6	.893	6-6	
2019	1	1-0	1.000		
TOTALS	1203	970-231-2	.807	140-95 (.596)	
TOTAL w/ BOWLS	1447	1,114-331-2	.770		

#### Non-Conference Records (Does not include bowl games)

		SINCE	1933						SINCE 20	000	
School	Games	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.	Games	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.	<b>Current Streak</b>
Alabama	339	272	61	6	.811	72	61	11	0	.847	W40
Arkansas	96	76	20	0	.792	72	61	11	0	.847	W1
Auburn	342	259	75	8	.769	72	60	12	0	.833	W6
Florida	366	250	107	9	.695	71	55	16	0	.775	W5
Georgia	393	290	89	14	.756	72	64	8	0	.889	W8
Kentucky	351	241	102	9	.699	72	54	18	0	.750	W4
LSU	372	281	80	11	.770	70	66	4	0	.943	W4
Ole Miss	360	264	88	8	.744	72	55	17	0	.764	W10
Mississippi State	334	243	83	8	.740	72	53	19	0	.736	W9
Missouri	28	23	5	0	.821	28	23	5	0	.821	W6
South Carolina	96	71	25	0	.740	72	58	14	0	.806	W1
Tennessee	375	297	69	9	.804	72	60	12	0	.833	W3
Texas A&M	28	26	2	0	.929	28	26	2	0	.929	W2
Vanderbilt	335	205	121	9	.625	72	47	25	0	.653	W1
TOTALS	3816	2798	927	91	.745	917	743	174	0	.810	

# **STATE OF THE SEC**

#### **Record Last Five Years (2015-Current)**

	W-L	Pct.	Bowls	SECCG App.	SEC Champ	National Champ	AP Top 25
Alabama	55-4	.932	4	3	3	2	4
Georgia	42-13	.764	4	2	1	0	2
LSU	36-14	.720	4	0	0	0	4
Florida	34-18	.654	4	2	0	0	3
Auburn	33-20	.623	3	1	0	0	2
Mississippi State	32-20	.614	4	0	0	0	1
Texas A&M	32-20	.614	4	0	0	0	1
Kentucky	29-22	.569	4	0	0	0	1
Tennessee	27-23	.540	2	0	0	0	2
Ole Miss	26-23	.531	1	0	0	0	1
South Carolina	25-26	.491	3	0	0	0	0
Missouri	24-26	.480	2	0	0	0	0
Arkansas	21-29	.420	2	0	0	0	0
Vanderbilt	21-29	.420	2	0	0	0	0

#### SHUTOUTS IN THE SEC SINCE 1992 Which defenses in the SEC have posted the most shutouts since 1992:

Team	Total	Last
Alabama	34	11/3/18 vs. LSU (29-0)
Arkansas	9	10/20/17 vs. Tulsa (23-0)
Auburn	16	11/17/18 vs. Liberty (53-0)
Georgia	14	9/1/18 vs. Austin Peay (45-0)
Florida	12	9/17/16 vs. North Texas (32-0)
Kentucky	5	9/5/09 vs. Miami, Ohio (42-0)
LSU	20	9/8/18 vs. Southeastern Louisiana (31-0)
Ole Miss	13	11/8/14 vs. Presbyterian (48-0)
Mississippi State	10	9/2/17 vs. Charleston Southern (49-0)
Missouri	10	11/23/18 vs. Arkansas (38-0)
South Carolina	7	8/28/08 vs. N.C. State (34-0)
Tennessee	19	9/15/18 vs. UTEP (24-0)
Texas A&M	11	9/10/16 vs. Prairie View A&M (67-0)
Vanderbilt	4	9/9/17 vs. Alabama A&M (42-0)

#### Record Last 10 Years (2010-Current)

				SECCG	SEC	National	AP
	W-L	Pct.	Bowls	Арр	Champ	Champ	Top 25
Alabama	112-13	.896	9	5	5	4	9
LSU	88-28	.759	9	1	1	0	8
Georgia	88-34	.721	9	4	1	0	5
Auburn	78-41	.655	8	3	2	1	5
Texas A&M	76-41	.650	9	0	0	0	3
South Carolina	74-43	.632	8	1	0	0	4
Florida	71-44	.617	7	2	0	0	4
Missouri	79-50	.612	7	2	0	0	2
Mississippi State	70-46	.603	9	0	0	0	3
Ole Miss	56-56	.500	4	0	0	0	2
Arkansas	56-57	.496	5	0	0	0	2
Tennessee	55-57	.491	4	0	0	0	2
Vanderbilt	50-63	.442	5	0	0	0	2
Kentucky	49-63	.438	4	0	0	0	1

#### **CURRENT CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITHOUT BEING SHUTOUT**

Southeastern Conference	<u>Gms</u>	Last Time Shutout
1. *Florida	384	Oct. 29, 1988 (lost to Auburn, 16-0)
2. Georgia	301	Sept. 30, 1995 (lost to Alabama, 31-0)
3. Alabama	240	Nov. 18, 2000 (lost to Auburn, 9-0)
4. Auburn	78	Nov. 24, 2012 (lost to Alabama, 49-0)
5. Kentucky	75	Nov. 3, 2012 (lost to Vanderbilt, 40-0)
6. Arkansas	0	Nov. 23, 2018 (lost to Missouri, 38-0)
7. Texas A&M	55	Oct. 18, 2014 (lost to Alabama, 59-0)
8. Ole Miss	50	Nov. 22, 2014 (lost to Arkansas, 30-0)
9. Vanderbilt	19	Sept. 23, 2017 (lost to Alabama, 59-0)
10. Tennessee	18	Sept. 30, 2017 (lost to Georgia, 41-0)
11. LSU	3	Nov. 3, 2018 (lost to Alabama, 29-0)
12. Mississippi State	2	Nov. 10, 2018 (lost to Alabama, 24-0)
13. Missouri	56	Oct. 11, 2014 (lost to Georgia, 34-0)
14. South Carolina	0	Dec. 29, 2018 (lost to Virginia 28-0)

\* - Longest streak in NCAA FBS history.

#### SEC STATISTICAL TRENDS

Below are some statistical trends in the SEC since conference expansion in 1992 through the 2018 season (Averages per Game Only):

<u>1992</u> 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000 2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018</u> Category Scoring Offense 21.7 24.7 26.3 27.1 24.6 25.7 25.9 24.9 26.4 27.7 25.6 27.3 25.0 24.1 25.4 30.3 25.6 28.4 31.0 27.3 30.4 31.7 31.5 28.4 29.8 29.8 32.16 Total Offense 335.1 367.2 366.9 376.7 344.7 372.6 376.4 349.5 364.8 399.2 360.4 376.9 368.9 348.3 351.6 385.9 342.9 378.6 400.2 355.0 402.4 432.5 417.7 399.6 422.2 400.2 425.08 Rushing Offense 167.4 169.8 165.1 153.7 144.7 137.9 144.0 127.7 140.9 154.1 163.9 157.8 166.6 141.4 140.5 168.4 147.1 175.8 175.2 161.1 168.4 197.0 189.0 177.1 198.3 181.6 186.29 Passing Offense 167.7 197.4 201.8 223.0 200.0 234.7 232.4 221.8 223.9 245.1 196.5 219.1 202.3 206.9 211.1 217.5 195.8 202.8 225.0 193.9 234.0 235.5 228.7 222.4 224.0 218.6 238.80 Percent Run 49.9% 46.2% 44.9% 40.8% 41.9% 37.0% 38.3% 36.5% 38.6% 45.5% 41.9% 45.2% 40.6% 39.9% 43.6% 42.9% 46.4% 43.8% 45.4% 41.8% 45.5% 45.2% 44.3% 47.0% 45.4% 43.8% Percent Pass 50.1% 53.8% 55.1% 59.2% 58.1% 63.0% 61.7% 63.5% 61.4% 61.4% 54.5% 58.1% 54.8& 59.4% 60.1% 56.8% 57.1% 53.6% 56.2% 54.6% 58.2% 54.5% 54.8% 55.7% 53.0% 54.6% 56.2% Scoring Defense 18.8 19.6 21.7 22.5 20.9 21.2 22.3 21.0 22.2 23.7 21.2 22.5 21.2 20.7 19.4 23.8 20.5 20.8 23.7 20.7 23.0 24.8 23.4 21.9 24.8 25.1 23.5 Total Defense 315.1 329.9 340.9 349.0 320.3 339.1 349.5 322.4 337.1 372.5 329.2 346.6 336.9 327.6 315.0 352.9 309.4 328.7 350.3 320.7 361.3 379.8 370.3 358.1 393.1 366.3 365.3 Rushing Defense 145.8 146.1 151.4 141.6 131.7 121.6 132.9 107.3 128.8 140.7 143.1 137.7 149.5 131.7 128.4 147.4 122.3 140.7 141.2 143.8 140.2 161.0 157.7 151.0 174.8 162.9 148.1 Passing Defense 169.3 183.8 189.5 207.4 188.6 217.5 216.6 215.1 208.3 231.8 186.1 208.9 187.4 195.9 186.6 205.5 187.1 188.0 209.1 176.9 221.2 218.7 212.6 207.1 218.4 203.5 217.2 Percent Run 46.3% 44.3% 44.4% 40.6% 41.1% 35.9% 38.0% 33.3% 38.2% 37.8% 43.5% 39.7% 44.4% 40.2% 40.8% 41.8% 39.5% 42.8% 40.3% 44.8% 38.7% 42.4% 42.6% 42.3% 44.5% 44.5% 40.5% Percent Pass 53.7% 55.7% 55.6% 59.4% 58.9% 64.1% 62.0% 66.7% 61.8% 62.2% 56.5% 60.3% 55.6% 58.8% 59.2% 58.2% 60.5% 57.2% 59.7% 55.2% 61.3% 57.6% 57.4% 57.8% 55.5% 55.6% 59.5%

# SEC FOOTBALL BOWL AGREEMENTS

The Southeastern Conference has agreements with nine postseason bowls, not including College Football Playoff/New Year's Six games, and a process for the assignment of SEC member schools to bowl games that began with the 2014 season and extending for six years through the 2019 season.

The current SEC bowl process coincided with the beginning of the College Football Playoff that followed the 2014 college football season. The SEC also participates in the Allstate Sugar Bowl and the Capital One Orange Bowl (in selected years). Under the current SEC bowl system, the Citrus Bowl in Orlando (vs. Big Ten), a longtime SEC bowl, will have the first selection of available SEC teams after any conference schools have qualified for the College Football Playoff, New Year's Six, or the Allstate Sugar Bowl.

Following the Citrus Bowl, there will be a pool of six bowls comprised of the Outback Bowl in Tampa (vs. Big Ten), Franklin American Mortgage Music City Bowl in Nashville (vs. ACC/ Big Ten), TaxSlayer Gator Bowl in Jacksonville (vs. ACC/Big Ten), AutoZone Liberty Bowl in Memphis (vs. Big 12), Academy Sports + Outdoors Texas Bowl in Houston (vs. Big 12) and Belk Bowl in Charlotte (vs. ACC). In consultation with SEC member institutions, as well as these six bowls, the conference will make the assignments for the bowl games in the pool system.

The SEC also has a relationship with both the Birmingham Bowl (vs. American) and the Walk-On's Independence Bowl in Shreveport (vs. ACC). The Birmingham Bowl will have the first selection of available teams following the pool of six bowls. The Independence Bowl will have the next selection of available teams following the pool of six bowls.

# 2019 SEC Bowl Selection Process

CFP BOWLS: Orange (Semifinal), Cotton (Semifinal), Sugar, Rose, Peach, Fiesta, CFP Championship

Contract Bowls: Sugar (SEC vs . Big 12 when Sugar is not a semifinal game) Rose (Pac 12 vs . Big Ten when Rose is not a semifinal game) Orange (ACC vs . highest ranked SEC/Big Ten non-champion or Notre Dame when Orange is not a semifinal game)

Access Bowls: Fiesta (Semifinal in 2019) Peach (Semifinal in 2019) Cotton

1) Which SEC Team qualifies for the CFP?

The winner of the SEC Championship Game automatically qualifies for a spot in the Sugar Bowl if that team is not selected to participate in the fourteam playoff. If the SEC Champion is selected to participate in the four-team playoff it will play in the Peach Bowl or Fiesta Bowl.

2) How can additional SEC teams be selected for the CFP?

Additional SEC teams may be selected for the CFP Semifinals (Peach or Fiesta) or one of the CFP access bowls (Cotton) based on its ranking in the final CFP Selection Committee rankings. There is no limit on the number of teams from any one conference that can be selected to participate in the CFP bowls.

3) How can a SEC Team be selected to participate in the Orange Bowl?

When the Orange Bowl is not a semifinal game and a SEC team is the highest ranked team by the CFP Selection Committee among the non-champions of the SEC and Big Ten and ranked higher than Notre Dame after the CFP semifinal games have been filled, then that team will participate in the Orange Bowl. There are eight years in which the Orange Bowl is not a semifinal game and the SEC is guaranteed three of the eight years, the Big Ten is guaranteed three of the eight years and the remaining two years can be filled by Notre Dame, the SEC or the Big Ten based on CFP Selection Committee rankings. The SEC Champion can never participate in the Orange Bowl unless it is a semifinal game.

#### 4) How does the CFP selection process work in 2019-20?

The CFP Selection Committee ranks the top 25 teams and selects the four teams to participate in the semifinal games (Peach and Fiesta). Then, after the contract bowls (Sugar, Orange and Rose) are filled based on conference agreements, the Committee will assign teams to fill the remaining access bowls (Cotton). Each conference champion from the contract bowls (ACC, Big Ten, Big 12, SEC & Pac 12) has a guaranteed spot in its contracted bowl or in an access bowl (Cotton) if the contracted bowl is a semifinal game and the conference champion is not selected to participate in a semifinal game. The highest ranked champion from the Mountain West, American, Conference USA, Sun Belt or MAC is guaranteed a spot in a CFP bowl and the remaining spots are filled based on the rankings of teams after the contract bowls have been filled

# 2019 SEC Football

SEC FOOTBALL BOWL AGREEMENTS							
Bowl	<u>Contract Teams</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Network</u>			
Peach Bowl	Semifinal	Dec. 28, 2019	4 or 8 p.m. ET	ESPN			
Fiesta Bowl	Semifinal	Dec. 28, 2019	4 or 8 p.m. ET	ESPN			
Orange Bowl	ACC vs. SEC/Big Ten/ND	Dec. 30, 2019	8 p.m. ET	ESPN			
Cotton Bowl	Filled by CFP Selection Committee	Dec. 28, 2019	Noon ET	ESPN			
Rose Bowl	Big Ten vs. Pac-12	Jan. 1, 2020	5:00 pm ET	ESPN			
Sugar Bowl	SEC vs. Big 12	Jan. 1, 2020	8:45 pm ET	ESPN			
CFP NCG (New Orleans, La.)	Winners of Semifinal Games	Jan. 13, 2020	8:00 pm ET	ESPN			

#### **SEC BOWLS**

CITRUS BOWL: (Orlando, FL) vs . Big 10 (or ACC) January 1, 2020 – 1 p  $\cdot$ m . ET – ABC After the CFP selection process the Citrus Bowl gets the first selection of available SEC Teams .

POOL OF SIX BOWLS: After the Citrus Bowl selects a team, there will be a pool of six bowls and the Conference, in consultation with the institutions and the bowls, will make the assignments for these six bowl games from all eligible SEC teams.

<u>The pool of six bowls are as follows:</u> Texas Bowl (Houston, TX) vs . Big 12 – December 27 – 6:45 p .m . ET – ESPN

Belk Bowl (Charlotte, NC) vs . ACC – December 31 – Noon ET – ESPN

Music City Bowl (Nashville, TN) vs . ACC/Big Ten – December 30 – 4 p .m . ET – ESPN

TaxSlayer Gator Bowl (Jacksonville, FL) vs . Big Ten/ACC – Jan . 2 – 7 p .m . ET – ESPN

Liberty Bowl (Memphis, TN) vs . Big 12 – December 31– 3:45 p .m . ET – ESPN

Outback Bowl (Tampa, FL) vs . Big 10 – January 1 – 1 p .m . ET – ESPN

#### BOWLS AFTER THE POOL OF SIX:

Birmingham Bowl (Birmingham, AL) vs. American – January 2 – 3 p.m. ET – ESPN The Birmingham Bowl selects after the CFP, Citrus Bowl and the Pool of Six Bowls (Outback Bowl, TaxSlayer Bowl, Music City Bowl, Texas Bowl, Belk Bowl and Liberty Bowl).



Walk-On's Independence Bowl (Shreveport, LA) vs . ACC – December 26– 4 p .m . ET – ESPN

The Independence Bowl selects after the CFP, Citrus Bowl, the Pool of Six (Outback Bowl, TaxSlayer Bowl, Music City Bowl, Texas Bowl, Belk Bowl and Liberty Bowl) and the Birmingham Bowl

# SEC BOWL SUCCESS

#### NATIONAL CHAMPIONS SINCE 1992

Since the first SEC expansion in 1992, the SEC has the most national championships (AP, USA Today) with 13. During that time, the SEC has had more teams with national titles than any other conference (5). Here is a breakdown:

- SEC (13) Florida (2008, 2006, 1996), LSU (2003, 2007), Tennessee (1998), Alabama (1992, 2009, 2011, 2012, 2015, 2017), Auburn (2010)
- Big 12 (5) Texas (2005), Oklahoma (2000), Nebraska (1994, 1995, 1997)
- ACC (5) Florida State (1993, 1999, 2013), Clemson (2016, 18)
- Big Ten (3) Ohio State (2002, 2014), Michigan (1997)
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The SEC was the first conference to claim four consecutive Associated Press (first poll - 1936), National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame (first poll - 1959), Football Writers Association of America (first poll - 1954) and USA Today or UPI Coaches Poll (first poll - 1950) national championships.

#### **SEC IN BOWL GAMES**

• Since 2006, the SEC has accrued more bowl wins (82) and appearances (133) than any other conference. The conference's .628 bowl winning percentage is first among FBS leagues during that time.

SEC	82-51	.617	
Sun Belt	25-17	.595	
Mountain West	41-32	.562	
Conference USA	41-36	.532	
Pac-12	45-41	.523	
American	40-37	.519	
Independents	14-13	.519	
Big 12	50-47	.515	
ACC	59-63	.484	
Big Ten	47-62	.431	
MAC	17-50	.254	

• The SEC is 6-3 in College Football Playoff games (not versus each other) and 1-2 in College Football Playoff National Championship Games (not versus each other). The SEC has appeared in four of the five CFP National Championship Games, winning two. The SEC finished 9-2 in BCS National Championship Games (LSU 2-1, Florida 2-0, Alabama 3-0, Tennessee 1-0, Auburn 1-1), 8-1 vs. non-SEC competition. The SEC had the most wins (17) and the highest winning percentage of any conference that has three-or-more appearances in BCS bowl games. The SEC was 17-10 in BCS games (.630 percentage), 16-9 (.640) in non-conference. Since 2006, the SEC has posted a 15-8 (.652) record in BCS/CFP games, more wins, appearances and winning percentage than any other conference.

• With conference limits being removed in 2014 with the College Football Playoff, the SEC became the first conference to place three teams in CFP/BCS postseason bowls: Ole Miss (Chick-fil-A); Mississippi State (Orange); Alabama (Sugar/National Semifinal).

• Eight different SEC teams, six from the SEC Western Division, have made BCS/New Year's Six bowl game appearances since 2006: Alabama, Arkansas, Auburn, Florida, Georgia, LSU, Ole Miss and Mississippi State.

#### SEC SENDS 11 TO POSTSEASON BOWLS, INCLUDING FOUR TO NEW YEAR'S SIX

Eleven Southeastern Conference football teams learned their post-season bowl destinations on Dec. 2 including No. 1-ranked Alabama which will play No. 4 Oklahoma in the Orange Bowl on December 29 in a semifinal game for the College Football Playoff.

The College Football Playoff committee first selected teams for the national semifinal games, the Capital One Orange Bowl and the Goodyear Cotton Bowl. The committee later announced the participants in the Rose Bowl Game presented by Northwestern Mutual, Allstate Sugar Bowl, Chick-fil-A Peach Bowl and PlayStation Fiesta Bowl.

Georgia will play in the Allstate Sugar Bowl on January 1 against Texas. In the contracted New Year's Day game between the SEC and Big 12, the SEC places its conference champion in the Sugar Bowl, or the SEC team that is highest ranked in the CFP standings who is not otherwise selected for the CFP Semifinals.

In other CFP New Year's Six Games as determined by the CFP Selection Committee, Florida will play Michigan in the Chick-fil-A Peach Bowl and LSU will face Central Florida in the PlayStation Fiesta Bowl

Next, the VRBO Citrus Bowl selected Kentucky from the SEC to play Penn State.

This marks the fifth year the conference has assigned league schools to an "SEC Bowl Pool" that includes the Academy Sports + Outdoors Texas Bowl in Houston, the Franklin American Mortgage Music City Bowl in Nashville, the Belk Bowl in Charlotte, the AutoZone Liberty Bowl in Memphis, the TaxSlayer Gator Bowl in Jacksonville and the Outback Bowl in Tampa.

Vanderbilt will play a Big 12 opponent in the Academy Sports + Outdoors Texas Bowl, Auburn will play a Big Ten opponent in the Franklin American Mortgage Music City Bowl, South Carolina will play an ACC opponent in the Belk Bowl, Missouri will play a Big 12 opponent in the AutoZone Liberty Bowl, Texas A&M will play an ACC opponent in the TaxSlayer Gator Bowl and Mississippi State will play a Big Ten opponent in the Outback Bowl.

"The SEC Bowl Pool participants are determined after conversations with bowl partners and discussions with school personnel in order to create a lineup of compelling bowl games for our teams and their fans," said SEC Commissioner Greg Sankey. "This process, as approved by the institutions of the SEC, provides an opportunity to create intriguing matchups and varying assignments to help prevent repetitive postseason destinations."

#### Most Bowl Appearances – Single Season

12 – SEC, 2014, 2016
 11 - SEC, 2018
 11 – ACC, 2013, 2014, 2016, 2018
 10 – SEC, 2009, 2010, 2013, 2015
 10 – ACC, 2008, 2017
 10 – Big Ten, 2011, 2014, 2015, 2016
 10 - Pac-12, 2015
 9 – SEC, 2000, 2006, 2007, 2011, 2012, 2017
 9 – ACC, 2010, 2015
 9 – Big 12, 2012
 9 – Pac 12, 2013, 2017
 9 - Big Ten, 2018
 9 – Conference USA, 2017

#### Most Bowl Wins – Single Season

- 1. 9 SEC, 2015 (9-2)
- 9 ACC, 2016 (9-3)
- 3. 7 SEC, 2007 (7-2); 2013 (7-3); 2014 (7-5)
- 7 Big Ten, 2017 (7-1)

# SEC FOOTBALL

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#### SEC SUCCESS SINCE 2006

During the last 13 seasons (2006-18), Southeastern Conference football has experienced success that is unparalleled in its football history and in the history of college football. During this tenure, the SEC's achievements have been demonstrated by:

• Triumphs in major bowl games, including the National Championship Game

- Non-conference success in regular season and bowl games
- Defeating highly-ranked non-conference teams
- Success in the polls and rankings
- Individual awards and All-America Teams
- Academic and Community Service Standouts
- Continued accomplishments of former SEC student-athletes in the NFL and NFL Draft

#### SEC IN THE COLLEGE FOOTBALL PLAYOFF

Teams in the Playoff (Record-Winning %)

SEC: 6 (7-4; .636) (Includes 2018 All-SEC National Championship Game) (6-3; .667 in games not versus each other) ACC: 5 (5-3; .625) Big Ten: 3 (2-2; .500) Pac-12: 2 (1-2; .333) Big 12: 3 (0-3; .000) Independent: 1 (0-1; .000)

National Championship Game Appearances SEC: 5 ACC: 3

Big Ten: 1 Pac-12:1 Big 12:0

#### SEC IN THE CFP/BCS ERA (Since 1998)

• The SEC has won nine of the last 13 national championships, 11 of the 21 BCS/CFP-era National Championships, five runner-up finishes and 25 overall national titles (AP, BCS, FWAA, coaches poll) in SEC history. The SEC has appeared in 12 of the last 13 National Championship Games and in 10 of the 16 BCS Championship Games, winning nine.

• Four different SEC schools have won the National Championship since 2006 (Auburn, 2010; Alabama, 2009, 2011, 2012, 2015, 2017; Florida, 2006 and 2008; LSU, 2007). Five programs have advanced to the national championship game since 2008 as Georgia met Alabama in the 2018 CFP Championship Game. Tennessee (1998) and LSU (2003) have also won the former BCS crown. Auburn appeared in the 2013 BCS Championship Game, as did LSU in 2011. A team from the SEC Western Division had advanced to five consecutive national championship games prior to the 2014 season, when Alabama lost in the CFP semifinals. The ACC (Clemson, Miami and Florida State) has had three schools win titles since 1998, while the Big 12 (Texas and Oklahoma) has had two.

• Eight different SEC teams, six from the SEC Western Division, have made BCS/New Year's Six bowl game appearances since 2006: Alabama, Arkansas, Auburn, Florida, Georgia, LSU, Ole Miss and Mississippi State.

 Since 2006, over half of the slots in the National Championship Game have been taken by SEC teams (15 of 28). The Big Ten and ACC have three during that time, while the Big 12, Pac-12 has two.

• The SEC has had more teams ranked in the BCS/CFP standings for the most times than any other conference since 2006. The league has had 13 of its 14 teams ranked at one time or another since 2006. Vanderbilt is the only team to not appear in the BCS/CFP rankings during this time, however, the Commodores finished ranked in the Top 25 in both 2012 and 2013 after bowl games with 9-4 records. The BCS/CFP does not produce a poll following bowl games.

 Since 2006, the SEC has posted 19 wins in BCS - now New Year's Six/Access bowls - more wins than any other conference. Here are the BCS/CFP bowl records of all conferences since 2006:

SEC	19-13	.594
Big Ten	14-15	.483
Pac-12	10-10	.500
ACC	10-11	.476
Big 12	8-12	.400
AAC	7-4	.636
Mountain West	3-1	.750
WAC	2-1	.667
MAC	0-2	.000
Independents	0-4	.000

<u> CFP Era (2014-Present) (Includes CFP Championship Game)</u>								
SEC	<i>9-8</i>	.529						
Big Ten	9-6	.600						
ACC	7-5	.583						
Pac-12	3-4	.429						
Big 12	3-4	.429						
AAC	1-1	.500						
Mountain West	1-0	1.000						
MAC	0-1	.000						
Independent	0-2	.000						

• With conference limits being removed in 2014 with the College Football Playoff, the SEC became the first conference to place three teams in CFP/BCS postseason bowls: Ole Miss (Chick-fil-A); Mississippi State (Orange); Alabama (Sugar/National Semifinal) in 2014.

• Three of the top 10 defensive performances in CFP/BCS history have been registered by SEC teams, more than any other conference. Alabama's shutout of LSU in the 2012 BCS National Championship Game was the first shutout in CFP/BCS history. Alabama defeated Michigan State soundly 38-0 in a CFP National Semifinal in 2015, while defeating Washington 24-7 in 2016 semifinal contest. Alabama dominated Clemson in the 2018 Sugar Bowl Semifinal, holding Clemson to just 188 yards, well short of their average 448 yards per game.

• Alabama's 28-point victory over Notre Dame in the 2013 Discover BCS National Championship is the second-largest in the CFP/BCS Championship Game era. (Southern Cal defeated Oklahoma by 36 in the 2005 BCS Championship Game for the top spot, however, that victory was later vacated.)

• During the seven-year national championship winning streak, the SEC's average margin of victory in National Championship Games was 17 points, which included a three point victory over Oregon in 2011, the only game during the streak decided by single digits.

#### SEC IN OVERALL BOWL GAMES

• Since 2006, the SEC has accrued more bowl wins (82) and appearances (133) than any other conference. The conference's .628 bowl winning percentage is first among FBS leagues during that time.

SEC	82-51	.617
Sun Belt	25-17	.595
Mountain West	41-32	.562
Conference USA	41-36	.532
Pac-12	45-41	.523
American	40-37	.519
Independents	14-13	.519
Big 12	50-47	.515
Arc	59-63	484

• The SEC is 6-3 in College Football Playoff games (not versus each other) and 1-2 in College Football Playoff National Championship Games (not versus each other). The SEC has appeared in four of the five CFP National Championship Games, winning two. The SEC finished 9-2 in BCS National Championship Games (LSU 2-1, Florida 2-0, Alabama 3-0, Tennessee 1-0, Auburn 1-1), 8-1 vs. non-SEC competition. The SEC had the most wins (17) and the highest winning percentage of any conference that has three-or-more appearances in BCS bowl games. The SEC was 17-10 in BCS games (.630 percentage), 16-9 (.640) in non-conference. Since 2006, the SEC has posted a 19-13 (.594) record in BCS/CFP games, more wins, appearances and winning percentage than any other A5 conference.

#### SEC FOOTBALL

 The SEC has now won 32 games in the last five postseasons. With 12 teams advancing to bowl games in 2016, the SEC became the first conference to send at least 10 teams to postseason bowls in four consecutive seasons. The SEC also sent a NCAA-record 12 teams to participate in postseason bowl games in 2014 and has sent no less than eight teams to post-season bowls in each of the last 12 seasons. The SEC established a national-record with nine postseason victories in 2015 and owned the previous record for postseason bowl victories with seven wins in 2007, 2013 and 2014.

 The SEC is 82-51 (.617) in bowl games since 2006, the only FBS league with a .600 or better winning percentage and 23 wins more than the next closest conference.

#### SEC vs. OTHER CONFERENCES

Since 2006, the SEC has posted the highest non-conference winning percentage (regular season & bowls) than any other conference. The league has a 649-156 record, an 80.6 winning percentage. The SEC has won no less than 43 non-conference games (regular season & bowls) during the last 13 seasons (2006-2018). Last season (2018), the SEC was 50-6 (.893), 56-12 (.824) including bowl games.

• Teams from the SEC have posted 77 wins since 2008 against non-conference Top 25 teams (at time game was played), an average of seven wins per season. Eleven of the 14 SEC teams have at least one win against a non-conference Top 25 team in the last 10 years with Alabama (14), Georgia (11), LSU (12), South Carolina (7), Florida (7), Auburn (3) and Texas A&M (3) leading the way.

#### SEC IN FINAL RANKINGS

 Since 2006, the SEC has had the most teams ranked in the final USA Today Coaches Poll. The conference has had 72 teams ranked in the final USA Today rankings, 20 more than the Big Ten (52) and 28more than the Big 12 (44).

• The SEC has either led or tied for the lead with the most teams ranked in the USA Today Top 25 for 12 of the last 13 seasons, including 2018. Ten SEC schools were ranked at some point during the 2018 season in the polls, with 13 receiving votes at some point during the season.

#### SEC INDIVIDUAL AWARDS AND ALL-AMERICANS

In the 31 individual awards, the SEC has had at least one recipient in 29 of them since 2006. The SEC has
only not had a winner of the Lou Groza (placekicker) or Brian Burlsworth (walk-on) in the last 13 seasons.

 Since 2006, the SEC football student-athletes and coaches have won 97 major individual awards, an average of over seven per year. The league won 10 awards in 208 and an all-time high 12 individual honors in 2010.

• The SEC has won a national player of the year in the last 12 seasons with seven different players since 2007– Darren McFadden, Arkansas, and Tim Tebow, Florida; Tebow in 2008; Mark Ingram, Alabama, in 2009; Cam Newton, Auburn, in 2010; Johnny Manziel, Texas A&M, in 2012; Derrick Henry, Alabama, in 2015; Tua Tagovailoa, Alabama, in 2018. The SEC did not have a national player of the year in 2011, 2013, 2014, 2016 or 2017. Three of the Heisman finalists in 2013 were, however, from the SEC, as well as one of three in 2014.

#### SEC INDIVIDUAL AWARD WINNERS SINCE 2006

HEISMAN MEMORIAL TROPHY (Nation's best player) – Derrick Henry, Alabama (2015); Johnny Manziel, Texas A&M (2012); Cam Newton, Auburn (2010); Mark Ingram, Alabama (2009); Tim Tebow, Florida (2007)

CHUCK BEDNARIK AWARD (Nation's best defensive player) – Patrick Peterson, LSU (2010); Tyrann Mathieu, LSU (2011); Jonathan Allen, Alabama (2016); Minkah Fitzpatrick, Alabama (2017); Josh Allen, Kentucky (2018)

RAY GUY AWARD (Nation's best punter) – Brandon Mann, Texas A&M (2018); Chas Henry, Florida (2010); Drew Butler, Georgia (2009)

MAXWELL AWARD (Nation's best player) – Tua Tagovailoa, Alabama (2018); Derrick Henry, Alabama (2015); Cam Newton, Auburn (2010); Tim Tebow, Florida (2008); Tim Tebow, Florida (2007); AJ McCarron, Alabama (2013)

WALTER CAMP AWARD (Nation's best player) – Tua Tagovailoa, Alabama (2018); Derrick Henry, Alabama (2015); Cam Newton, Auburn (2010); Darren McFadden, Arkansas (2007)

DOAK WALKER AWARD (Nation's best running back) – Derrick Henry, Alabama (2015); Trent Richardson, Alabama (2011); Darren McFadden, Arkansas (2007); Darren McFadden, Arkansas (2006)

DAVEY O'BRIEN AWARD (Nation's best quarterback) — Johnny Manziel, Texas A&M (2012); Cam Newton, Auburn (2010); Tim Tebow, Florida (2007)

JIM THORPE AWARD (Nation's best defensive back) — DeAndre Baker, Georgia (2018); Minkah Fitzpatrick, Alabama (2017); Johnthan Banks, Mississippi State (2012); Morris Claiborne, LSU (2011); Patrick Peterson, LSU (2010); EriBerry, Tennessee (2009)

JOHN MACKEY AWARD (Nation's best tight end) – Hunter Henry, Arkansas (2015); D.J. Williams, Arkansas (2010); Aaron Hernandez, Florida (2009)

ROTARY LOMBARDI AWARD (Nation's outstanding lineman) – Nick Fairley, Auburn (2010); Glenn Dorsey, LSU (2007)

PAUL HORNUNG AWARD (Nation's most versatile player) -- Brandon Boykin, Georgia (2011); Odell Beckham, LSU (2013)

FRANK BROYLES AWARD (Nation's top assistant coach) — John Chavis, LSU (2011); Gus Malzahan, Auburn (2010); Kirby Smart, Alabama (2009)

JOHNNY UNITAS GOLDEN ARM (Outstanding senior quarterback) - AJ McCarron, Alabama (2013). AFCA ASSISTANT COACH OF THE YEAR - Kirby Smart, Alabama (2012)

DISNEY SPIRIT AWARD (Top inspirational story) – Alabama Football Team (2011); D.J. Williams, Arkansas (2010)

HOME DEPOT COACH OF THE YEAR (National Coach of the Year) – Les Miles, LSU (2011); Gene Chizik, Auburn (2010); Nick Saban, Alabama (2008); Gus Malzahn, Auburn (2013)

EDDIE ROBINSON FWAA COACH OF THE YEAR - Nick Saban, Alabama (2008); Gus Malzahn, Auburn (2013)

LIBERTY MUTUAL COACH OF THE YEAR -- Nick Saban, Alabama (2008); Les Miles, LSU (2011); Gus Malzahn, Auburn (2013)

CoSIDA/ESPN ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICAN OF THE YEAR – Barrett Jones, Alabama (2012); Greg McElroy, Alabama (2010); Tim Tebow, Florida (2009)

BUTKUS AWARD (Nation's best linebacker) – Rolando McClain, Alabama (2009); Patrick Willis, Ole Miss (2006); C.J. Mosley, Alabama (2013); Reuben Foster, Alabama (2016); Roquan Smith, Georgia (2017); Devin White, LSU (2018)

WILLIAM V. CAMPBELL TROPHY (Nation's top scholar-athlete) – Tim Tebow, Florida (2009); Barrett Jones, Alabama (2012)

RIMINGTON TROPHY (Nation's best center) – Ryan Kelly, Alabama (2015); Reece Dismukes, Auburn (2014); Barrett Jones, Alabama (2012); Maurkice Pouncey, Florida (2009); Jonathan Luigs, Arkansas (2007)

LOWE'S SENIOR CLASS AWARD (Nation's top senior student-athlete) – Dak Prescott, Mississippi State (2015; Tim Tebow, Florida (2009)

WUERFFEL TROPHY (Community Service, Athletic and Academic Achievement) – Tim Tebow, Florida (2008); Barrett Jones, Alabama (2011); ; Trevor Knight, Texas A&M (2016); Courtney Love, Kentucky (2017)

BILETNIKOFF AWARD (Wide Receiver) - Amari Cooper, Alabama (2014); Jerry Jeudy, Alabama (2018)

OUTLAND TROPHY (Nation's top lineman) – Barrett Jones, Alabama (2011); Andre Smith, Alabama (2008); Glenn Dorsey, LSU (2007); Cam Robinson, Alabama (2016); Quinnen Williams, Alabama (2018)

WALTER CAMP COACH OF THE YEAR - Nick Saban, Alabama (2008)

BRONKO NAGURSKI AWARD (Nation's top defensive player) – Glenn Dorsey, LSU (2007); Jonathan Allen, Alabama (2016); Josh Allen, Kentucky (2018)

LOTT TROPHY (Defensive IMPACT Player) – Josh Allen, Kentucky (2018); Glenn Dorsey, LSU (2007)

MANNING AWARD (Nation's top quarterback) — Johnny Manziel, Texas A&M (2012); Tim Tebow, Florida (2008); JaMarcus Russell, LSU (2006)

ASSOCIATED PRESS COLLEGE PLAYER OF THE YEAR – Derrick Henry, Alabama (2015); Johnny Manziel, Texas A&M (2012); Tim Tebow, Florida (2007)

ARA SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD -- Barrett Jones, Alabama (2011)

TED HENDRICKS TROPHY (Nation's best defensive ends) --- Jadeveon Clowney, South Carolina (2012)

POP WARNER AWARD - Max Garcia, Florida (2014)

NFF LEGACY AWARD - Mike McNeely, Florida (2014)

# 2019 SEC Football

## SEC FOOTBALL

• The SEC would fill a complete first unit at every position of first-team All-Americas since 2006. The SEC has had 132 players make first-team All-America in the AP, Walter Camp, FWAA or AFCA squads during that time. In 2018, the SEC saw 16 named First Team All-America, 12 of which were consensus All-Americans.

#### **SEC FOOTBALL ACADEMIC & COMMUNITY SERVICE STANDOUTS**

• 35 SEC football student-athletes have won 34 national academic and community service awards since 2006. The SEC has had 1/3 of the last 12 CoSIDA/ESPN Academic All-Americas of the Year in football, two recipients of the William V. Campbell Trophy (known as the "Academic Heisman"), 18 first-team CoSIDA/ESPN Academic All-America first team recipients, two recipients of the Wuerffel Trophy, eight National Football Foundation Scholar-Athletes and 24 representatives on the AFCA Good Works Team, including team captain Malcolm Mitchell of Georgia in 2015 and captain D.T. Shackelford of Ole Miss in 2014.

#### <u>2006</u>

CoSIDA/ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America First Team — Hayden Lane, OL, Kentucky National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete — Chris Leak, QB, Florida AFCA Good Works Team — William Brown, OL, South Carolina; Quentin Moses, DE, Georgia; Jacob Tamme, TE, Kentucky; James Wilhoit, PK, Tennessee

#### <u>2007</u>

National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete – Jacob Tamme, TE, Kentucky CoSIDA/ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America First Team – Tim Tebow, QB, Florida; Jacob Tamme, TE, Kentucky

AFCA Good Works Team - Jason Cook, FB, Ole Miss; Kelin Johnson, SS, Georgia;

#### <u>2008</u>

CoSIDA/ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America First Team — Tim Tebow, QB, Florida; Tim Masthay, P, Kentucky CoSIDA/ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America of the Year — Tim Tebow, QB, Florida

AFCA Good Works Team – Tim Masthay, P, Kentucky Wuerrfel Trophy – Tim Tebow, QB, Florida

#### <u>2009</u>

National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete – Tim Tebow, QB, Florida

NFF William V. Campbell Trophy – Tim Tebow, QB, Florida

CoSIDA/ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America First Team – Tim Tebow, QB, Florida; Colin Peek, TE, Alabama

CoSIDA/ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America of the Year – Tim Tebow, QB, Florida AFCA Good Works Team – Tim Tebow, QB, Florida; Jeff Owens, DL, Georgia

#### <u>2010</u>

National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete – Greg McElroy, QB, Alabama; Derek Sherrod, OT, Mississippi State

CoSIDA/ESPN Academic All-America First Team — Greg McElroy, QB, Alabama; Barrett Jones, OL, Alabama; Drew Butler, P, Georgia

#### <u>2011</u>

National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete - Drew Butler, P, Georgia Capital One/CoSIDA Academic All-America First-Team - Barrett Jones, OL, Alabama; Drew Butler, P, Georgia

AFCA Good Works Team - Aron White, TE, Georgia; Jacob Lewellen, DL, Kentucky ARA Sportsmanship Award -- Barrett Jones, OL, Alabama

#### <u>2012</u>

National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete - Barrett Jones, C, Alabama

NFF William V. Campbell Trophy - Barrett Jones, C, Alabama

Capital One/CoSIDA Academic All-America First-Team - Barett Jones, C, Alabama; Dylan Breeding, P, Arkanass

AFCA Good Works Team - Barrett Jones, C, Alabama; Philip Lutzenkirchen, TE, Auburn; Aaron Murray, QB, Georgia

#### <u>2013</u>

National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete - Aaron Murray, QB, Georgia Capital One/CoSIDA Academic All-America First-Team - Aaron Murray, QB, Georgia; AFCA Good Works Team - Carey Spear, PK, Vanderbilt

#### <u>2014</u>

AFCA Good Works Team - Deterrian Shackelford, Ole Miss (Captain); Chris Conley, Georgia; Andrew East, Vanderbilt; Max Godby, Kentucky Community Spirit Award - Dylan Thompson, South Carolina Pop Warner Award - Max Garcia, Florida NFF Legacy Award - Mike McNeely, Florida

#### <u>2015</u>

Lowe's Senior CLASS Award - Dak Prescott, Mississippi State AFCA Good Works Team - Jonathan Wallace, Auburn; Malcolm Mitchell, Georgia (Captain); Landon Foster, Kentucky

Community Spirit Award - Malcolm Mitchell, Georgia

#### <u>2016</u>

Lowe's Senior CLASS Award - O.J. Howard, Alabama

AFCA Good Works Team - Jeb Blazevich, Georgia; Oren Burks, Vanderbilt CoSIDA Academic All-America First-Team - Brooks Ellis, LB, Arkansas National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete – Brooks Ellis, LB, Arkansas

#### <u>2017</u>

AFCA Good Works Team - Daniel Carlson, Auburn; Aaron Davis, Georgia; Courtney Love, Kentucky; Courtney Openshaw, Vanderbilt CoSIDA Academic All-America First-Team - John David Moore, TE, LSU; Tyler Stovall, ST, Auburn Wuerffel Trophy - Courtney Love, Kentucky

#### 2018

AFCA Good Works Team - Rodrigo Blankenship, Georgia CoSIDA Academic All-America First-Team - Miles Butler, Kentucky

The SEC leads all conferences with 72 selections to the Good Works Team® since it began in 1992.

The SEC is followed by the Atlantic Coast Conference with 40 selections and the Big 12 Conference with 33 selections. Georgia is in first place with 19 honorees to the Allstate AFCA Good Works Team<sup>®</sup>. The Bulldogs are followed by Nebraska with 15 honorees. Super Bowl XLII, XLVI and XLI champion quarterbacks Eli and Peyton Manning were members of the 2002 and 1997 Good Works Teams<sup>®</sup>, respectively.

# 2019 SFC Football

#### **SEC FOOTBALL**

#### SEC IN THE NFL

 The SEC has had more of its former players on NFL rosters in the last 12 seasons than any other conference. Since 2006, the SEC has averaged well over 300 players per year on NFL opening weekend rosters, as well as 356 over the last five years.

• During the last 13 completed NFL seasons (2005-18), the SEC had had five of its former players named NFL MVP (2005, Shaun Alexander, RB, Alabama with Seattle; 2008-09-13, Peyton Manning, QB, Tennessee with Indianapolis and Denver; 2015, Cam Newton, QB, Auburn with (arolina)

• During the last 13 Super Bowls (2006-18), three former SEC players have been named game MVP five times (2006 – Hines Ward, WR, Georgia with Pittsburgh; 2007 – Peyton Manning, QB, Tennessee with Indianapolis; 2008 and 2012- Eli Manning, QB, Ole Miss with New York Giants. Von Miller of Texas A&M was named MVP of Super Bowl 50, although his final year was the Aggies final season prior to joining the SEC.

#### **SEC ON NFL ROSTERS**

2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
263	259	263	272	283	257	340	345	355	362	368

• The Southeastern Conference led the nation in 2018 with an all-time high 379 former players on opening weekend 53-man active rosters, including injured reserve.

• The SEC led the nation's conferences in draft picks for the 12th consecutive year in 2018. The last time that the SEC did not top the conference draft list was in 2006, when the ACC had 52, the Big Ten had 41 and the SEC had 37.

• The nation-leading 53 NFL Draft picks tied for third most in SEC history, trailing only the 63 in 2013 and 54 in 2015.

• This marks the fourth straight year for the SEC to see 50 or more players taken in the NFL Draft. Only once in the last 25 years has another conference seen 50 or more players drafted.

• A total of 20 SEC players were taken in first two rounds of the 2018 NFL Draft , the second most by a single conference through the first two rounds in common draft era, only trailing the 21 set by the SEC a year ago.

 This is the second consecutive year the SEC has seen 25 or more players selected through the first three rounds of the NFL Draft.

• The SEC has averaged over 50 selections per draft since 2006.

 All but one SEC program saw at least one player taken in the 2018 NFL Draft, with nine of those schools seeing three or more selections. Half the league, seven SEC schools, saw four or more players selected.

Alabama led the SEC with a school-record 12 draft selections.

• For the seventh time in the last eight years, the SEC once again led the nation in First Round NFL Draft selections. The SEC produced 10 opening-round draft picks, followed by the ACC (6), Big Ten (4), Pac-12 (4), MWC (3),

Independents (2), AAC (1), Big 12 (1), C-USA, (1).

• The SEC had 10 First Round picks in 2018. During the last 12 NFL Drafts, the SEC has a nationleading 111 players taken in the opening round, an average of over nine per season.

 Only six times in NFL Draft history has a single conference produced 10 or more First Round selections - the SEC accounts for five (5) of those occasions, which have all occurred since 2011.

• The SEC now has an impressive 87 First Round NFL Draft selections so far this decade.

 Since 2010, the SEC has nearly double (87) the total amount of First Round selections than the next closest conference (ACC - 44).

• Five different SEC teams had a player taken in the First Round of the 2018 NFL Draft.

The SEC now has 31 Top-10 picks since 2009 and 37 since 2007.

 At least one Florida player has been selected in every NFL draft since 1952, the longest streak in SEC history. The Gators have had nine First Round picks in the last six NFL Drafts. Florida has had a first round pick in 11 of the last 12 years.

• Since 2009, Top 10 NFL picks by league: SEC (31); Big 12 (19); ACC (16); Pac-12 (17); B1G (7), MAC (3); Notre Dame (3), AAC (1), Mountain West (1), BYU (1).

 Alabama has a First Round selection in each of the past 10 NFL Drafts, the longest streak in SEC History and 2nd-longest in college football history.

Alabama has the most First Round picks nationally since 2007 with 26.

· Georgia had a school-record three players chosen in the First Round.

• Alabama and Georgia, the two teams who played for the national championship last season, accounted for seven of the 32 picks of the opening round of the 2018 NFL Draft. Those seven selections are more than any other conference.

#### 2018 FIRST-ROUND SELECTIONS BY CONFERENCE SEC

SEC: 10 ACC: 6	
ACC 0 B1G: 4 Pac-12: 4 MWC: 3 Independents (ND): 2 AAC: 1	Total 2018 NFL Draft Picks: (Selections Per School in Parenthesis)
Big 12: 1 C-USA: 1	<b>SEC: 53 (3.79)</b>
<b>FIRST-ROUND SELECTIONS SINCE 2010</b> SEC: 87 ACC: 44 Pac-12: 40 Big Ten: 38 Big 12: 34	ACC: 45 (3.21) Pac-12: 36 (2.50) Big Ten: 35 (2.36) Big 12: 20 (2.0) American: 18 (1.50) FCS: 19 Conference USA: 10
<b>SEC FIRST ROUND SELECTIONS SINCE 2010</b> 2018: 10 2017: 12 2016: 8 2015: 7 2014: 11 2013: 12 2012: 9 2011: 11 2010: 7	Mountain West: 9 Independent: 6 MAC: 5 Division II: 4 Sun Belt: 3

#### SEC NFL DRAFT SELECTIONS

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
SEC -	37	49	38	42	63	49	54	51	53	53
ACC -	33	31	35	31	31	42	47	26	43	45
Big Ter	ı- 28	34	29	41	22	30	35	47	35	33
Pac-12	- 32	29	31	28	28	34	39	32	36	30
Big 12	- 28	30	30	26	22	17	25	26	14	20

#### SEC IN THE NFL SUCCESS

 Former Southeastern Conference football players have had success in the National Football League. Here is a snapshot of that success since 2000.

#### 2000s All-Decade Team

OG - Alan Faneca, LSU (Pittsburgh, N.Y. Jets, Arizona)

C - Kevin Mawae, LSU (Seattle, N.Y. Jets, Tennessee)

QB - Peyton Manning, Tennessee (Indianapolis)

- RB Jamal Lewis, Tennessee (Baltimore, Cleveland)
- RB Shaun Alexander, Alabama (Seattle, Washington)
- DT Richard Seymour, Georgia (New England, Oakland) CB - Champ Bailey, Georgia (Washington, Denver)

#### NFL MVPs

- 2003 Peyton Manning, Indianapolis (Tennessee) Jamal Lewis, Baltimore (Tennessee)
- 2004 Peyton Manning, Indianapolis (Tennessee)
- 2005 Shaun Alexander, Seattle (Alabama)
- 2008 Peyton Manning, Indianapolis (Tennessee)
- 2009 Peyton Manning, Indianapolis (Tennessee)
- 2013 Peyton Manning, Denver (Tennessee)
- 2015 Cam Newton, Carolina (Auburn)

#### Super Bowl MVPs

XL - Hines Ward, Pittsburgh (Georgia)

XLI - Peyton Manning, Indianapolis (Tennessee)

XLII - Eli Manning, New York Giants (Ole Miss)

XLVI - Eli Manning, New York Giants (Ole Miss) 50 - \*Von Miller, Denver Broncos (Texas A&M)

\*-Final season at Texas A&M was season prior to school joining the SEC.

A total of 26 former players from current Southeastern Conference institutions are on the full rosters, including practice squads and injured reserve, of the New England Patriots and Los Angeles Rams, the two National Football League teams who will square off for Super Bowl LIII on February 3. This year's Super Bowl will be played at Mercedes-Benz Stadium in Atlanta, home of the SEC Championship Game. Georgia and LSU lead the SEC with five former players represented in the Super Bowl, while Florida has four and Auburn with three. Twelve SEC schools will have at least one player represented in the Super Bowl. A representative from a SEC institution has been named MVP of the Super Bowl on five occasions since 2006.

# 2019 SEC Football

QB - Tua Tagovailoa, Alabama

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America Team

### **PRESEASON HONORS**

WR - Jerry Jeudy, Alabama TE - Albert Okwuegbunam, Missouri OL - Andrew Thomas, Georgia OL - Jedrick Wills Jr., Alabama DL - Derrick Brown, Auburn LB - Dylan Moses, Alabama S - Grant Delpit, LSU P - Braden Mann, Texas A&M 2nd Team RB - Najee Harris, Alabama RB - D'Andre Swift, Georgia AP - Ke'Shawn Vaughn, Vanderbilt DL - Raekwon Davis, Alabama CB - Kristian Fulton, LSU S - Xavier McKinney, Alabama S - J.R. Reed, Georgia K - Rodrigo Blankenship, Georgia PR - Jaylen Waddle, Alabama

3rd Team

1st Team

OL - Tre'Vour Wallace-Simms, Missouri OL - Prince Tega Wanogho, Auburn CB - CJ Henderson, Florida

4th Team

QB - Jake Fromm, Georgia OL - Alex Leatherwood, Alabama DL - Justin Madubuike, Texas A&M DL - Cale Garrett, Missouri LB - Cameron Dantzler, Mississippi State

#### Sporting News Preseason All-America Team 1st Team

WR - Jerry Jeudy, Alabama TE - Jared Pinkney, Vanderbilt T - Andrew Thomas, Georgia DL - Derrick Brown, Auburn LB - Dylan Moses, Alabama CB - CJ Henderson, Florida S - Grant Delpit, LSU P - Braden Mann, Texas A&M

2nd Team QB - Tua Tagovailoa, Alabama RB - D'Andre Swift, Georgia TE - Albert Okwuegbunam, Missouri T - Alex Leatherwood, Alabama G - Logan Stenberg, Kentucky DL - Raekwon Davis, Alabama DL - Nick Coe, Auburn LB - Anfernee Jennings, Alabama S - Xavier McKinney, Alabama **CBSSports.com Preseason All-America Team** 

#### CBSSports.com Preseason All-America Team 1st Team

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- WR Jerry Jeudy, Alabama TE - Albert Okwuegbunam, Missouri OL - Andrew Thomas, Georgia
- DL Derrick Brown, Auburn
- DL Raekwon Davis, Alabama
- LB Dylan Moses, Alabama

# CB - Kristian Fulton, LSU S - Grant Delpit, LSU P - Braden Mann, Texas A&M 2nd Team

QB - Tua Tagovailoa, Alabama RB - D'Andre Swift, Georgia TE - Jared Pinkney, Vanderbilt OL - Alex Leatherwood, Alabama DL - Nick Coe, Auburn CB - C.J. Henderson, Florida S - J.R. Reed, Georgia S - Xavier McKinney, Alabama K - Rodrigo Blankenship, Georgia PR - Jaylen Waddle, Alabama Sports Illustrated Preseason All-America Team 1st Team WR - Jerry Jeudy, Alabama TE - Albert Okwuegbunam, Missouri OL - Andrew Thomas, Georgia DL - Derrick Brown, Auburn DL - Raekwon Davis, Alabama LB - Dylan Moses, Alabama CB - C.J. Henderson, Florida S - Grant Delpit, LSU P - Braden Mann, Texas A&M

#### 2nd Team

QB - Tua Tagovailoa, Alabama RB - D'Andre Swift, Georgia TE - Jared Pinkney, Vanderbilt OG - Solomon Kindley, Georgia CB - Kristian Fulton, LSU K - Rodrigo Blankenship, Georgia

#### 2019 Media Days All-SEC Team

- 1st Team QB - Tua Tagovailoa, Alabama RB - D'Andre Swift, Georgia RB - Najee Harris, Alabama WR - Jerry Jeudy, Alabama WR - Henry Ruggs III, Alabama TE - Albert Okwuegbunam, Missouri OL - Andrew Thomas, Georgia OL - Alex Leatherwood, Alabama OL - Prince Tega Wanogho, Auburn OL - Jedrick Wills Jr., Alabama C - Lloyd Cushenberry, LSU DL - Raekwon Davis, Alabama DL - Derrick Brown, Auburn DL - Rashard Lawrence, LSU DL - Jabari Zuniga, Florida LB - Dylan Moses, Alabama LB - Anfernee Jennings, Alabama LB - Erroll Thompson, Mississippi State DB - Grant Delpit, LSU DB - J.R. Reed, Georgia DB - Trevon Diggs, Alabama DB - C.J. Henderson, Florida P - Braden Mann, Texas A&M
- PK Rodrigo Blankenship, Georgia
- RS Jaylen Waddle, Alabama
- AP Jaylen Waddle, Alabama

2nd Team QB - Jake Fromm, Georgia RB - Ke'Shawn Vaughn, Vanderbilt **RB** - Lamical Perine, Florida WR - Kalija Lipscomb, Vanderbilt WR - Jaylen Waddle, Alabama TE - Jared Pinkney, Vanderbilt OL - Solomon Kindley, Georgia OL - Damien Lewis, LSU OL - Tre'Vour Wallace-Simms, Missouri OL - Isaiah Wilson, Georgia C - Darryl Williams, Mississippi State DL - Nick Coe, Auburn DL - Justin Madubuike, Texas A&M DL - Marlon Davidson, Auburn DL - Javon Kinlaw, South Carolina LB - Cale Garrett. Missouri LB - De'Jon Harris, Arkansas LB - David Reese II, Florida DB - Patrick Surtain II, Alabama DB - Xavier McKinney, Alabama DB - Kristian Fulton, LSU DB - Cameron Dantzler, Mississippi State P - Tommy Townsend, Florida PK - Anders Carlson, Auburn RS - Marguez Callaway, Tennessee AP - Kadarius Toney, Florida 3rd Team QB - Joe Burrow, LSU RB - Larry Rountree, Missouri **RB** - JaTarvious Whitlow. Auburn WR - Justin Jefferson, LSU WR - Bryan Edwards, South Carolina TE - \*Miller Forristall, Alabama TE - \*Charlie Woerner, Georgia OL - Deonte Brown, Alabama OL - Ben Cleveland, Georgia OL - Logan Stenberg, Kentucky OL - Matt Womack, Alabama C - Drake Jackson, Kentucky DL - LaBryan Ray, Alabama DL - McTelvin Agim, Arkansas DL - Chauncey Rivers, Mississippi State DL - Tyler Clark, Georgia

- LB Terrell Lewis, Alabama
- LB Jacob Phillips, LSU
- LB Kash Daniel, Kentucky
- DB DeMarkus Acy, Missouri
- DB Shyheim Carter, Alabama
- DB Richard LeCounte, Georgia
- DB Daniel Thomas, Auburn
- P Arryn Siposs, Auburn
- PK Evan McPherson, Florida
- RS Jashaun Corbin, Texas A&M
- AP Lynn Bowden, Kentucky

# **PRESEASON HONORS**

#### 2019 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Football Team First Team

TE - Albert Okwuegbunam, Missouri

- OL Andrew Thomas, Georgia
- OL Alex Leatherwood, Alabama
- OL Jedrick Wills Jr., Alabama\*

OL - Tre'Vour Wallace-Simms, Missouri\*

- OL Prince Tega Wanogho, Auburn\*
- C Lloyd Cushenberry, LSU
- WR Jerry Jeudy, Alabama
- WR Kalija Lipscomb, Vanderbilt
- QB Tua Tagovailoa, Alabama
- RB D'Andre Swift, Georgia
- RB Najee Harris, Alabama
- AP Jaylen Waddle, Alabama
- DL Raekwon Davis, Alabama
- DL Derrick Brown, Auburn DL - Rashard Lawrence, LSU
- DL Justin Madubuike, Texas A&M
- DL Justin Madubulke, lexas
- LB Dylan Moses, Alabama
- LB Erroll Thompson, Mississippi State
- LB Cale Garrett, Missouri
- DB C.J. Henderson, Florida
- DB Grant Delpit, LSU
- DB J.R. Reed, Georgia
- DB Trevon Diggs, Alabama\*
- DB Kristian Fulton, LSU\*
- PK Rodrigo Blankenship, Georgia
- P Braden Mann, Texas A&M
- RS Jaylen Waddle, Alabama

#### Second Team

TE - Jared Pinkney, Vanderbilt
OL - Damien Lewis, LSU
OL - Logan Stenberg, Kentucky
OL - Solomon Kindley, Georgia
OL - Isaiah Wilson, Georgia
C - Darryl Williams, Mississippi State
WR - Henry Ruggs III, Alabama
WR - Bryan Edwards, South Carolina
QB - Jake Fromm, Georgia
RB - Ke'Shawn Vaughn, Vanderbilt
RB - Lamical Perine, Florida
AP - Lynn Bowden, Kentucky
DL - Jabari Zuniga, Florida
DL - Marlon Davidson, Auburn
DL - Javon Kinlaw, South Carolina
DL - Nick Coe, Auburn
LB - Anfernee Jennings, Alabama
LB - De'Jon Harris, Arkansas
LB - David Reese II, Florida
DB - Xavier McKinney, Alabama
DB - Patrick Surtain II, Alabama
DB - DeMarkus Acy, Missouri
DB - Cameron Dantzler, Mississippi State
PK - Evan McPherson, Florida
P - Tommy Townsend, Florida
RS - Jashaun Corbin, Texas A&M*
RS - Marquez Callaway, Tennessee*

# 2019 Media Days Preseason Poll

Alabama was predicted to win the 2019 SEC Championship in a vote of media in attendance at SEC Media Days in Birmingham in July.

The Crimson Tide received 203 votes while Georgia was second with 49 votes.

Georgia was selected to win the SEC Eastern Division with 1,789 points, including 233 first-place votes, while Florida was second with 1,499 points and 21 votes to win the division. Missouri was third with 1,149 total points. Points were awarded on a 7-6-5-4-3-2-1 scale.

Alabama was picked to win the SEC Western Division with 1,813 total points, while LSU was second with 1,493. Alabama received 253 first-place votes in the SEC West. Texas A&M was third with 1,268 points.

Seven times since 1992 the predicted champion at SEC Media Days proceeded to win the SEC Championship.

#### 2019 SEC Media Days Predicted Order of Finish

(1st Place votes in parenthesis)

PK - Tucker McCann, Missouri\*

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# SEC PLAYERS ON AWARD WATCH LISTS

#### PRESEASON

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LIST INCLUDES 20 AWARDS: Bednarik (Defensive Player), Maxwell (Player), Mackey (Tight End), Rimington (Center), Groza (Kicker), Guy (Punter), Nagurski (Defensive Player), Outland (Interior Lineman), Thorpe (Defensive Back), Butkus (Linebacker), Lombardi (Lineman/ Linebacker), Biletnikoff (Wide Receiver), O'Brien (Quarterback), Walker (Running Back), Camp (Player), Manning (Quarterback), Lott (Defensive Impact Player), Hendricks (Defensive End), Hornung (Multi-Purpose Player), Wuerffel (Community Service).

# SEC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

#### SEC DIVISIONAL TIE-BREAKER

In the event of a tie for the division championship, the following procedures will be used to break all ties to determine the SEC Football Championship Game representative. All Conference versus Conference Games (both division and non-division) will be counted in the Conference Standings.

1. <u>Two-Team Tie</u>. In the event two teams are tied for a division title, the following procedure will be used in the following order:

A. Head-to-head competition between the two tied teams;

B. Records of the tied teams within the division;

C. Head-to-head competition against the team within the division with the best overall (divisional and non-divisional) Conference record, and proceeding through the division (multiple ties within the division will be broken from first to last and a tie for first place will be broken before a tie for fourth place);

D. Overall record against non-divisional teams;

E. Combined record against all common non-divisional teams;

F. Record against the common non-divisional team with the best overall Conference record (divisional or non-divisional) and proceeding through other common non-divisional teams based on their order of finish within their division;

G. Best cumulative Conference winning percentage of non-divisional opponents; and

Example: Tied Teams Non-Divisional Opponents Cumulative Record Western 1 Eastern Opponents: 14-2 Western 2 Eastern Opponents: 12-4 (Western 1 would be the representative)

H. Coin flip of the tied teams.

2. <u>Three-Team Tie (or more)</u>. If three teams (or more) are tied for a division title, the following procedure will be used in the following order: (Note: If one of the procedures results in one team being eliminated and two remaining, the two-team tiebreaker procedure as stated in No. 1 above will be used):

A. Combined head-to-head record among the tied teams;

B. Record of the tied teams within the division;

C. Head-to-head competition against the team within the division with the best overall Conference record (divisional and non-divisional) and proceeding through the division (multiple ties within the division will be broken from first to last and a tie for first place will be broken before a tie for fourth place);

D. Overall Conference record against non-divisional teams;

E. Combined record against all common non-divisional teams;

F. Record against the common non-divisional team with the best overall Conference record (divisional and non-divisional) and proceeding through other common non-divisional teams based on their order of finish within their division; and

G. Best cumulative Conference winning percentage of non-divisional opponents (Note: If two teams' non-divisional opponents have the same cumulative record, then the two-team tiebreaker procedures apply. If four teams are tied, and three teams' non-divisional opponents have the same cumulative record, the three-team tiebreaker procedures will be used beginning with 2.A.);

Example: Tied Teams Non-Divisional Opponents Cumulative Record Western 1 Eastern Opponents: 14-2 Western 2 Eastern Opponents: 12-4 Western 3 Eastern Opponents: 8-8 (Western 1 would be the representative)

H. Coin flip of the tied teams with the team with the odd result being the representative (Example: If there are two teams with tails and one team with heads, the team with heads is the representative).

#### 2018 SEC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

The Southeastern Conference's Eastern and Western Division winners met in Atlanta's newly constructed Mercedes-Benz Stadium to battle for the league championship and the right to represent the conference in the College Football Playoff. The 27th-annual title game was played on December 1 and was televised nationally by CBS Sports.

The game was born as a result of 1992 conference expansion, which saw Arkansas and South Carolina become the first members added in SEC history. Under NCAA regulations, a conference with 12 members may play an additional football game to determine its champion, provided the regular season is played in divisions.

The participants of the game are determined each year during the eight-game regularseason conference schedule as the teams with the best overall SEC winning percentage in each division.

The 2017 SEC Championship Game was the highest rated game in the nation for the entire regular season. No. 7 Georgia's 28-7 win over No. 2 Auburn drew an average overnight rating of 8.4 and 18 share, the best for CBS since 2013, when the Iron Bowl drew an 8.6/18 rating and share. Those figures are up 20 percent from last year's SEC Championship Game between Alabama and Florida (7.0/15).

The 2009 SEC Championship Game earned an 11.8 rating and a 24 share, marking the highest-rated SEC Championship Game in history. The game matched the No. 1 Florida Gators (12-0) vs. the No. 2 Alabama Crimson Tide (12-0).

The SEC Championship Game had drawn 24 capacity crowds in its 26-year history. Only 1993 (Birmingham) and 1995 (Atlanta) were not sellouts.

The SEC, along with AMB Sports & Entertainment (AMBSE) and the Georgia World Congress Center Authority (GWCCA), have an agreement to host the SEC Championship Game at Mercedes-Benz Stadium in Atlanta through 2026. The new agreement allows the SEC the option of adding up to two successive five-year extensions.

The Georgia Dome hosted the SEC Championship Game for 23 years beginning in 1994, with capacity crowds in the last 21 consecutive years. By the end of the new agreement, including options, the Championship will have been played in Atlanta a total of 43 years.

Here's a chart of team history in the SEC Championship Game:

Team	<u>Appearances</u>	W-L	' Pct.
Florida	12	7-5	.583
Alabama	11	7-4	.636
Auburn	6	3-3	.500
Georgia	6	3-3	.500
LSU	5	4-1	.800
Tennessee	5	2-3	.400
Arkansas	3	0-3	.000
Missouri	2	0-2	.000
Mississippi State	1	0-1	.000
South Carolina	1	0-1	.000

# SEC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

#### SEC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME RACE RECAPS

1992 - Both races decided before final weekend. Florida and Georgia (6-2 in the SEC) were cochampions in the Eastern Division. The Gators won the tie-breaker by virtue of a 26-24 win over the Bulldogs earlier in the season. Alabama (8-0) was the outright Western Division champion, even with a game against Auburn in the final weekend, which the Tide won, 17-0.

1993 - Both races decided before final weekend. Florida won the Eastern Division and Alabama won the Western Division. The Gators finished 1/2 game ahead of Tennessee (UT tied Alabama, 17-17). Alabama, at 5-2-1, finished two games ahead second-place Arkansas. Auburn was 8-0 in the SEC, but was ineligible for the conference title.

1994 - Both races decided before final weekend. Florida won the Eastern Division, finishing SEC play at 7-1, two games ahead of Tennessee. Alabama won the Western Division with an 8-0 SEC mark, three games ahead of Miss. State.

1995 - Both races decided before final weekend. Florida won the Eastern Division, finishing SEC play at 8-0, one game ahead of Tennessee. Arkansas won the Western Division with a 6-2 SEC mark, one game ahead of Auburn and Alabama.

1996 - Both races decided before final weekend. Florida won the Eastern Division, finishing SEC play at 8-0, one game ahead of Tennessee. Alabama won the Western Division with a 6-2 SEC mark, tying LSU. However, the Tide defeated the Tigers, 26-0, earlier in the year to win the tie-breaker.

1997 - Eastern Division race not finalized until after the final weekend. Tennessee defeated Vanderbilt, 17-10, to win the division on the final weekend. Tennessee, at 7-1 in the SEC, finished one game ahead of Georgia and Florida. Auburn had won the Western Division with a 6-2 SEC mark, tying LSU. However, Auburn defeated LSU, 31-28, earlier in the year to win the tie-breaker.

1998 - Western Division race not finalized until after the final weekend. Miss. State defeated Ole Miss, 28-6, on Thanksgiving night, to win division on final weekend. Arkansas and Miss. State finished in tie for the division title. However, Miss. State defeated Arkansas, 22-21, earlier that season to win the tie-breaker. Arkansas defeated LSU 41-14 on the final weekend, but when State defeated Ole Miss, the chase for the Championship Game had been won. Tennessee had clinched the Eastern Division before the final weekend and defeated Vanderbilt, 41-0, to finished the SEC at 8-0.

1999 - Both races decided before final weekend. Florida won the Eastern Division, finishing SEC play at 7-1, one game ahead of Tennessee. Alabama won the Western Division with a 7-1 SEC mark, one game ahead of Miss. State.

2000 - Both races decided before final weekend. Florida won the Eastern Division, finishing SEC play at 7-1, two games ahead of South Carolina, Georgia and Tennessee. Auburn won the Western Division with a 6-2 SEC mark, one game ahead of LSU. LSU lost to Arkansas in the final weekend, 14-3. Even if the Tigers would have beaten the Razorbacks, Auburn would have won the tie-breaker over LSU due to a 34-17 win earlier in the season.

2001 - Both races go down to the final weekend. Due to game postponements on Sept. 15, games were reschedule for Dec. 1. On that weekend, Tennessee defeated Florida, 34-32, in Gainesville, and LSU defeated Auburn, 27-14, in Baton Rouge, to clinch berths in the SEC Championship Game. The Vols won the East with a 7-1 mark while LSU had a 5-3 mark and tied with Auburn for the West, but won the head-to-head tiebreaker.

2002 - Western division race not finalized until after the final weekend. Georgia clinched the Eastern Division championship on Nov. 16 after defeating Auburn, 24-21, in Auburn. The 7-1 Bulldogs finish one game ahead of Florida, which was 6-2. Arkansas wins the Western Division on the season's final weekend, defeating LSU, 21-20, in Little Rock on Nov. 29. The Razorbacks, LSU Tigers and Auburn Tigers are tied at 5-3 but Arkansas wins the head-to-head tiebreakers.

2003 - Both races decided on final weekend. Tennessee defeats Kentucky, 20-7, to force a three-way tie for Eastern Division championship between Vols, Georgia and Florida. Using tiebreaker involving the BCS standings, Georgia has the highest BCS ranking and has defeated Tennessee (next highest ranking) during regular season to secure SEC Championship Game berth. LSU defeats Arkansas, 55-24, and Ole Miss beats Mississippi State, 31-0, to force a tie for the Western Division championship. LSU's 17-14 win over Ole Miss the week before earns the Tigers the Western Division berth.

2004 - Auburn clinches berth in the SEC Championship Game on Oct. 30, tying the earliest since the game began in 1992 (Alabama, 1993). The Tigers (8-0) finish two games ahead in the standings of second-place LSU (6-2). Tennessee clinches berth as Eastern Division representative with 38-33 win against Vanderbilt on Nov. 20. The Vols (7-1) would win their next game on the following weekend against Kentucky to claim the division title outright. Georgia was second in the Western Division with a 6-2 mark.

2005 - Georgia (6-2) clinched Eastern Division Championship with a 45-13 win over Kentucky on Nov. 19. The Bulldogs finish one full game ahead of South Carolina and Florida in the standings. LSU clinched Western Division title with a 19-17 win over Arkansas on Nov. 25. The Tigers finished tied for the Western Division title (7-1), but defeated Auburn, 20-17, on Oct. 22, to win the tie-breaker.

2006 - Florida (7-1) clinched Eastern Division Championship and berth in the SEC Championship Game on Nov. 4, by defeating Vanderbilt, 25-19. Arkansas clinched the Western Division title and SEC Championship Game berth with a 28-14 win over Mississippi State on Nov. 18.

2007 - LSU (6-2) clinched Western Division berth in the SEC Championship Game on Week 11 after Alabama and Auburn both lose. Tennessee (6-2) gets Eastern Division berth with 52-50 four-overtime victory over Kentucky in Week 13. The Vols win the tie-breaker with Georgia (6-2), defeating the Bulldogs 35-14 in Week 6.

2008 - Alabama (8-0) clinched Western Division berth in SEC Championship Game on Week 11 (Nov. 1) after defeating LSU, 27-21. Florida (7-1) clinched Eastern Division berth in SEC Championship Game on Week 12 (Nov. 8) after defeating Vanderbilt, 42-14.

2009 - Florida (8-0) clinched Eastern Division berth in SEC Championship Game on Week 9 (Oct. 31) after defeating Georgia, 41-17. Alabama (8-0) clinched Western Division berth in SEC Championship Game on Week 11 (Nov. 14) after defeating Mississippi State, 31-3.

2010 - Both spots in the SEC Championship Game were clinched on Week 11 (Nov. 13). Auburn (8-0) clinched Western Division berth with a 49-31 win against Georgia. South Carolina (5-3) clinched Eastern Division berth with a 36-14 win against Florida.

2011 - Georgia (7-1) clinched a berth in the SEC Championship Game in Week 12 (Nov. 19) with a 19-10 win over Kentucky while LSU (8-0) clinched its berth in Week 13 (last weekend of the regular season) with a 41-17 win over Arkansas

2012 - Georgia (7-1) clinched a berth in the SEC Championship Game in Week 11 (Nov. 10) with a 38-0 win over Auburn. Alabama clinched a berth in the SEC Championship Game in Week 13 (Nov. 24) with a 49-0 win over Auburn.

2013 - For the first time since 2003, both races were determined on the final weekend. Auburn (7-1) clinched a berth in the SEC Championship Game with a dramtic 34-28 win off a 109-yard missed field goal return for a touchdown on the game's final play at Auburn. SEC newcomer Missouri (7-1) clinched a berth in the SEC Championship Game with a 28-21 home win over Texas A&M.

2014 - For the second straight season, both divisional races were determined on the final weekend. Missouri won the SEC East outright by closing the season with three straight SEC wins, inlcuding two on the road for their second straight trip to Atlanta. Alabama won the Western Division outright as well, with Ole Miss defeating Mississippi State in the Egg Bowl, while Alabama topped Auburn in the Iron Bowl.

2015 - Florida (7-1) won the Eastern Division, clinching a spot after defeating Vanderbilt on Nov. 7. Alabama (7-1) claimed the Western Division with a victory over Auburn in the Iron Bowl on the final day of the regular season. It was the fourth straight season where the Western Champion was the Iron Bowl winner.

2016 - Florida (6-2) won the Eastern Division, clinching a spot after defeating LSU in Baton Rouge on Nov. 19. Alabama claimed the Western Division with a victory over Mississippi State on Nov. 12. This marked the first time since 2010 that saw the SEC Championship Game set prior to the final weekend of the regular season.

2017 - Georgia (7-1) won the Eastern Division, clinching a spot on Nov. 4 after defeating South Carolina 24-10 in Athens. Georgia's clinching of a spot in the SEC Championship Game on Nov. 4 is the earliest a team has done so since Florida (Oct. 31) in 2009. Auburn (7-1) claimed the Western Division with a victory over Alabama the final day of the regular season. Alabama and Auburn were co-champions of the division, with Auburn representing the SEC Western Division in Atlanta due to head-to-head tiebreaker.

2018 - Georgia won the Eastern Division, clinching a spot on Nov. 3 after defeating Kentucky 34-17 in Lexington. Alabama claimed the Western Division with a 29-0 victory over LSU in Baton Rouge later that same day. It is the earliest that both participants in the SEC Championship Game have ever been determined.

#### SEC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME RACE RECAP

The earliest a berth has been clinched in the SEC Championship Game is Oct. 30 (Auburn, 2004, & Alabama, 1993).

In 17 of 52 divisional races (including 2017), a championship game berth has not been decided until the weekend prior to the SEC Championship Game. That occurred in 1997 (Tennessee), 1998 (Mississippi State), 2001 (Tennessee and LSU), 2002 (Arkansas), 2003 (Georgia and LSU), 2005 (LSU), 2007 (Tennessee), 2011 (LSU), 2012 (Alabama), 2013 (Auburn and Missouri), 2014 (Alabama and Missouri), 2015 (Alabama) and 2017 (Auburn).

#### **2018 SEC FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP GAME**

#### 2018 SEC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

The 27th annual SEC Football Championship Game was played on Dec. 1 at Mercedes-Benz Stadium in Atlanta, with Alabama claiming a thrilling, come-from-behind 35-28 victory over Georgia. The 14 point deficit was the most overcome in SEC Championship Game history. The SEC Champion has advanced to the Playoff each year.

The game was the most-watched and highest-rated regular-season college football game on any network in seven years with a 10.1/23 rating/share and 17.5 million viewers. It also marked the second most-watched SEC Championship ever in 26 years since the game debuted in 1992.

The 2009 SEC Championship Game earned a 11.8 rating and a 24 share, the highest rated SEC Championship Game in history.

The game was played in Birmingham's Legion Field in 1992 and 1993 and moved to the Georgia Dome in 1994.

The Championship Game has drawn 25capacity crowds in its 27-year history. Only 1993 (Birmingham) and 1995 (Atlanta) were not sellouts.

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<u>Year</u> 1992	Score	Attendance
	Alabama 28, Florida 21	83,091
1993	Florida 28, Alabama 13	76,345
1994	Florida 24, Alabama 23	74,751
1995	Florida 34, Arkansas 3	71,325
1996	Florida 45, Alabama 30	74,132
1997	Tennessee 30, Auburn 29	74,896
1998	Tennessee 24, Miss. State 14	74,795
1999	Alabama 34, Florida 7	71,500
2000	Florida 28, Auburn 6	73,427
2001	LSU 31, Tennessee 20	74,843
2002	Georgia 30, Arkansas 3	74,835
2003	LSU 34, Georgia 13	74,913
2004	Auburn 38, Tennessee 28	74,892
2005	Georgia 34, LSU 14	73,717
2006	Florida 38, Arkansas 28	73,374
2007	LSU 21, Tennessee 14	73,832
2008	Florida 31, Alabama 20	75,892
2009	Alabama 32, Florida 13	75,514
2010	Auburn 56, South Carolina 17	75,802
2011	LSU 42, Georgia 10	74,515
2012	Alabama 32, Georgia 28	75,624
2013	Auburn 59, Missouri 42	75,632
2014	Alabama 42, Missouri 13	73,526
2015	Alabama 29, Florida 15	75,320
2016	Alabama 54, Florida 16	74,632
2017	Georgia 28, Auburn 7	76,534
2018	Alabama 35, Georgia 28	77,141
2010	Alabama 55, Georgia 20	11,171

#### **2018 SEC FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP GAME**

Alabama 35, Georgia 28 Dec. 1, 2018 • Mercedes-Benz Stadium (77,141) • Atlanta, Ga.

Alabama	0	14	7	14	35
Georgia	7	14	7	0	28

	Summary

- 1st 03:08 UGA Isaac Nauta 20 yd TD PASS from Jake Fromm (KICK by R. Blankenship), 7-60 3:08 0-7
- 2nd 14:56 UA Josh Jacobs 1 yd TD RUSH (KICK by Joseph Bulovas), 8-75 3:12 7-7
- 2nd 07:31 UGA D'Andre Swift 9 yd TD RUSH (KICK by R. Blankenship), 13-74 7:19 7-14
- 2nd 04:05 UGA D'Andre Swift 11 yd TD PASS from Jake Fromm (KICK by R. Blankenship), 6-51 2:22 7-21
- 2nd 02:18 UA Josh Jacobs 0 yd TD FUMB (KICK by Joseph Bulovas), 4-75 1:47 14-21
- 3rd 12:39 UGA Riley Ridley 23 yd TD PASS from Jake Fromm (KICK by R. Blankenship), 3-51 1:14 14-28
- 3rd
   03:02
   UA Jaylen Waddle 51 yd TD PASS from Tua Tagovailoa (KICK by Joseph Bulovas), 4-72 1:29
   21-28
- 4th 05:19 UA Jerry Jeudy 10 yd TD PASS from Jalen Hurts (KICK by Joseph Bulovas), 16-80 7:08 28-28
- 4th 01:04 UA Jalen Hurts 15 yd TD RUSH (KICK by Joseph Bulovas), 5-52 2:00 35-28

	Alabama	Georgia
FIRST DOWNS	21	23
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	29-157	39-153
PASSING-YARDS (NET)	246	301
Passes Att-Comp-Int	34-17-2	40-25-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	63-403	79-454
Fumble Returns-Yards	-	-
Punt Returns-Yards	1-36	2-16
Kickoff Returns-Yards	-	4-67
Interception Returns-Yards	-	2-29
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-40.2	6-48.0
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	3-10	6-50
Possession Time	24:30	35:30
Third-Down Conversions	5-11	5-16
Fourth-Down Conversions	0-0	2-3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-5	3-4

Full Game Statistics: <u>http://www.statbroadcast.com/events/archived.php?id=241424</u> and <u>http://stats.statbroadcast.com/statmonitr/?id=241424</u>

MVP: Alabama's Josh Jacobs was named the game's MVP after rushing 8 times for 83 yards and two touchdowns. He is the fifth running back to take home the honor and third Crimson Tide back, joining Derrick Henry in 2015 and Eddie Lacy in 2012.

#### **NOTES**

• Alabama improves to 8-4 in the championship game and earns its 27th conference title. Head coach Nick Saban is 8-1 in the championship game (6-1 at Alabama, 2-0 at LSU). Georgia drops to 3-4 in the championship game.

• It is Alabama's sixth consecutive championship game victory (2009, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018).

• Today's game is the sixth championship game decided by 7 points or less and the first since Alabama edged Georgia 32-28 in 2012.

• Alabama overcame two 14-point deficits (21-7 and 28-14) to win the championship game by scoring the game's final 21 points. It set the championship game record for the largest deficit overcome to win. The previous high was 13 done by Tennessee versus Auburn in 1997. The Volunteers trailed the Tigers 20-7 with 14:12 in the second quarter and eventually won 30-29.

#### SEC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME HISTORY

Team	App.	Record	Titles
Alabama	12	8-4 (.667)	8 (1992, 1999, '09, '12, '14, '15, '16, '18)
Florida	12	7-5 (.583)	7 (1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 2000, 2006, 2008)
Georgia	7	3-4 (.429)	3 (2002, 2005, 2017)
Auburn	6	3-3 (.500)	3 (2004, 2010, 2013)
LSU	5	4-1 (.800)	4 (2001, 2003, 2007, 2011)
Tennessee	5	2-3 (.400)	2 (1997, 1998)
Arkansas	3	0-3 (.000)	
Missouri	2	0-2 (.000)	
Mississippi State	1	0-1 (.000)	
South Carolina	1	0-1 (.000)	

# 2020 SEC FOOTBALL WEEKLY SCHEDULE

#### September 5

Alabama vs. Southern Cal (Arlington) Kent State at Arkansas Alcorn State at Auburn Eastern Washington at Florida Eastern Michigan at Kentucky UT-San Antonio at LSU Ole Miss vs. Baylor (Houston) New Mexico at Mississippi State Central Arkansas at Missouri Coastal Carolina at South Carolina Charlotte at Tennessee Abilene Christian at Texas A&M Mercer at Vanderbilt

<u>September 7</u> Georgia vs. Virginia (Atlanta)

# September 12 Georgia State at Alabama Arkansas at Notre Dame Auburn vs. North Carolina (Atlanta) Kentucky at Florida East Tennessee State at Georgia Texas at LSU Southeast Missouri State at Ole Miss Mississippi State at North Carolina State Vanderbilt at Missouri East Carolina at South Carolina Tennessee at Oklahoma North Texas at Texas A&M

September 19 Georgia at Alabama South Alabama at Florida Kent State at Kentucky LSU vs. Rice (Houston) Auburn at Ole Miss Arkansas at Mississippi State Missouri at South Carolina Furman at Tennessee Colorado at Texas A&M Vanderbilt at Kansas State

<u>September 26</u> Kent State at Alabama Arkansas vs. Texas A&M (Arlington) Southern Miss at Auburn UL-Monroe at Georgia South Carolina at Kentucky Ole Miss at LSU Tulane at Mississippi State Eastern Michigan at Missouri Florida at Tennessee Colorado State at Vanderbilt

# October 3 Charleston Southern at Arkansas Kentucky at Auburn South Carolina at Florida Vanderbilt at Georgia Nicholls State at LSU Alabama at Ole Miss Texas A&M at Mississippi State Missouri at Tennessee

October 10 Alabama at Arkansas LSU at Florida Auburn at Georgia Eastern Illinois at Kentucky Missouri at BYU Tennessee at South Carolina Fresno State at Texas A&M Ole Miss at Vanderbilt

October 17 Mississippi State at Alabama LSU at Arkansas Texas A&M at Auburn Vanderbilt at Kentucky Florida at Ole Miss Georgia at Missouri

October 24 Mississippi State at LSU Middle Tennessee at Ole Miss Kentucky at Missouri Texas A&M at South Carolina Alabama at Tennessee

October 31 Tennessee at Arkansas Florida vs. Georgia (Jacksonville) Auburn at Mississippi State South Carolina at Vanderbilt <u>November 7</u> Arkansas at Auburn Alabama at LSU Missouri at Mississippi State Georgia at South Carolina Kentucky at Tennessee Ole Miss at Texas A&M Florida at Vanderbilt

<u>November 14</u> UT-Martin at Alabama Ole Miss at Arkansas UMass at Auburn Missouri at Florida Tennessee at Georgia Mississippi State at Kentucky South Carolina at LSU Vanderbilt at Texas A&M

November 21 Texas A&M at Alabama UL-Monroe at Arkansas LSU at Auburn New Mexico State at Florida Georgia at Kentucky Georgia Southern at Ole Miss Alabama A&M at Mississippi State UL-Lafayette at Missouri Wofford at South Carolina Troy at Tennessee Louisiana Tech at Vanderbilt

<u>November 26 (Thursday)</u> Mississippi State at Ole Miss

November 28 Auburn at Alabama Florida at Florida State Georgia Tech at Georgia Kentucky at Louisville Arkansas at Missouri South Carolina at Clemson LSU at Texas A&M Tennessee at Vanderbilt

Dec. 5 SEC Football Championship (Atlanta)

	2020 SEC FOOTBALL TEAM-BY-TEAM SCHEDULE					
ALABAMA		Nov. 21	at Kentucky	0ct. 31	Open Date	
Sept. 5	vs. Southern Cal (Dallas)	Nov. 28	GEORGIA TÉCH	Nov. 7	at Mississippi State	
Sept. 12	GEORGIA STATE	KENTUCKY		Nov. 14	at Florida UL-LAFAYETTE	
Sept. 19 Sept. 26	GEORGIA KENT STATE	Sept. 5	EASTERN MICHIGAN	Nov. 21 Nov. 28	ARKANSAS	
Oct. 3	at Ole Miss	Sept. 12	at Florida	100.20	ANIANOAO	
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0ct. 31	Open Date	0ct. 10	EASTERN ILLINOIS	Sept. 19	MISSOURI	
Nov. 7	at LSU	0ct. 17	VANDERBILT	Sept. 26	at Kentucky	
Nov. 14 Nov. 21	UT-MARTIN TEXAS A&M	0ct. 24 0ct. 31	at Missouri Open Date	0ct. 3 0ct. 10	at Florida TENNESSEE	
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ARKANSAS		Nov. 21	GEORGIA	0ct. 31	at Vanderbilt	
Sept. 5	KENT STATE	Nov. 28	at Louisville	Nov. 7	GEORGIA	
Sept. 12	at Notre Dame			Nov. 14	at LSU	
Sept. 19	at Mississippi State	LSU Cont C		Nov. 21	WOFFORD	
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0ct. 17	LSU	Sept. 26	OLE MISS	Sept. 5	Charlotte	
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Oct. 31	TÉNNESSEE	0ct. 10	at Florida	Sept. 19	FURMAN	
Nov. 7	at Auburn	0ct. 17	at Arkansas	Sept. 26	FLORIDA	
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Sept. 12	vs. North Carolina (Atlanta)			Nov. 14	at Georgia	
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Sept. 26	SOUTHERN MISS	Sept. 5	vs. Baylor (Houston)	Nov. 28	at Vanderbilt	
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Nov. 7	ARKANSAS	0ct. 17	FLORIDA	Sept. 19	COLORADO	
Nov. 14	UMASS	0ct. 24	MIDDLE TENNESSEE	Sept. 26	vs. ARKANSAS (Arlington)	
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Sept. 12	KENTUCKY			Nov. 7	OLE MISS	
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# 2020 SEC FOOTBALL SCHEDULE (Tentative and Subject to Change)





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#### IT JUST MEANS MORE.

Scholars. Champions. Leaders. These are the pillars of the Southeastern Conference, and together they represent the vision for an 86-year-old intercollegiate athletic conference that continues to experience unparalleled success. Ranging from record-breaking accomplishments by student-athletes and administrators to significant growth in media, sponsorship, and branding, the SEC continues to prove on every front why it is SECond to None.

The Conference continues to deliver record financial distributions to its member universities, which makes it possible for the Conference to support scholars through and beyond graduation, win championships in every sponsored varsity sport, and ultimately prepare young people to change the world.

The SEC's leadership believes strongly that intercollegiate athletic conferences have an obligation to aid in Student-Athlete Development and Achievement, both academically and athletically. As such, the SEC was the first conference to establish a Student-Athlete Career Tour designed to prepare students for professions after graduation, and this year the Conference again welcomed 28 students to Atlanta for a multi-day series of meetings and development. And the SEC has integrated its student-athlete leadership councils into its annual meetings to provide its young people a greater voice in their own collegiate experience.

The SEC continues to strengthen its relationships in Media and Sponsorship. The SECESPN Network is now available on every major cable provider and every nationwide, multi-channel subscription streaming service in the marketplace. The SEC Network also reaches 140 countries outside the U.S.

The SEC is a place where Innovation and Leadership are expected and pursued. However, the pursuit extends beyond championship rings and trophies to include officiating, administration, and other initiatives. For example, on the heels of its football and men's basketball collaborative replay success, this year the SEC became the first collegiate conference to introduce centralized video review in baseball.

The SEC has also amplified its position relative to Branding and Celebration efforts. As SECU was renamed "SEC Academic Relations," it heightened its focus on programs and activities designed to highlight the teaching, research and service accomplished on SEC campuses. The Conference also executed Year Four of the "It Just Means More" branding campaign, continuing its presence on radio, TV and online while saturating national championship cities with digital outdoor exposure.

The SEC's Athletic Achievements have historically been—and continue to be— unprecedented. The SEC continues to win national championships in multiple sports, including six national championship matchups since March 2017 that exclusively featured SEC teams (Women's Final Four, College World Series, College Football Playoff Championship and three times in Equestrian).

#### STUDENT-ATHLETE DEVELOPMENT AND ACHIEVEMENT

#### Student-Athlete Career Tour

A total of 28 current and former Southeastern Conference student-athletes participated in the third SEC Career Tour in Atlanta in November 2018. The group visited the headquarters and met with executives and talent acquisition staff at several corporations including UPS, Children's Healthcare of Atlanta, The Home Depot and the Atlanta Hawks organization.

#### SEC Student-Athletes and Community Service

SEC student-athletes conducted more than 50,000 hours of combined community service work during the 2018-19 academic year. Each year the SEC awards a \$5,000 scholarship to a male and female nominee from each school for the Brad Davis SEC Community Service Award, and \$10,000 goes to the two student-athletes selected each year as the Brad Davis SEC Community Service Leaders of the Year. In 2018-19, Auburn University equestrian athlete Megan Rauh and University of Florida track & field athlete Sam Ahrenholz were named winners of the prestigious award.

#### SEC in the NCAA's 2019 Today's Top 10

Three SEC student-athletes were among the 10 student-athletes from across the country named

as recipients of the NCAA's 2019 Today's Top 10 Award. Alabama swimmer Lucas Kaliszak, Florida gymnast Alex McMurtry and Georgia track and field athlete Keturah Orji earned the award that recognizes former student-athletes for their successes in competition, in the classroom and in the community. Recipients completed their athletics eligibility during the 2017- 18 academic year and were recognized at the NCAA Honors Celebration in January 2019 in Orlando, Florida.

#### NCAA Woman of the Year - Georgia's Keturah Orji

Georgia track and field legend Keturah Orji was named the 2018 NCAA Woman of the Year at an awards dinner in Indianapolis, Ind., in October 2018. Orji becomes the first winner from Georgia's track and field program and the fourth winner overall from the University of Georgia. All finalists - including three from each NCAA division - demonstrated excellence in academics, athletics, community service and leadership throughout their collegiate careers. Finalists were selected from a group of 30 Woman of the Year honorees which included 10 honorees from each NCAA division and represented a variety of sports. Schools nominated a record 581 college athletes for the award.

#### SEC Among Honda Award Winners

Three of the 12 Honda Sport Award recipients named in June 2018 were SEC student-athletes. South Carolina basketball player A'ja Wilson, Ole Miss tennis player Arianne Hartono and Florida volleyball player Rhamat Alhassan were honored at the 42nd annual Collegiate Women Sports Awards in late June 2018 in Los Angeles. The Collegiate Women's Sports Awards honor the nation's top NCAA women athletes for superior athletic skills, leadership, academic excellence and participation in community service. Since commencing its sponsorship in 1986, Honda has provided more than \$3 million in institutional grants to the universities of the award winners and nominees to support women's athletics programs.

#### SEC in the NFL Draft

The SEC led the nation's conferences in NFL Draft picks for the 13th consecutive year in 2019 with 64 selections, an NFL Draft record for any conference. For the eighth time in the last nine years, the SEC led the nation in First Round NFL Draft selections with nine. During the last 13 NFL Drafts, the SEC has a nation-leading 120 players taken in the opening round, an average of over nine per season. The SEC now has an impressive 96 First Round NFL Draft selections so far this decade.

#### MEDIA + SPONSORSHIP

#### SEC Tabs Evolution Media/CAA TV Group as Media Advisors

The SEC appointed leading sports media advisory firm Evolution Media/Creative Artists Agency (CAA) as its exclusive media advisors in 2018. Under its long-term agreement, Evolution and CAA's television division will work collaboratively to advise the SEC on the evolving media marketplace and assist the conference in its future media rights negotiations.

Evolution Media's clients have included the International Olympic Committee, WWE, the National Hockey League, Major League Soccer, PGA of America, PGA TOUR, Riot Games, Top Rank Boxing, the Los Angeles Dodgers, the Arizona Diamondbacks, and the Boston Celtics, among other leading teams and associations. Evolution has advised on more than \$38 billion in media rights transactions since 2008.

Creative Artists Agency (CAA) represents many of the most successful and innovative professionals working in sports, film, television, music, video games, theatre, commercial endorsements, and digital content, and provides a range of strategic marketing and consulting services to corporate clients.

#### SEC Viewership Continues Growth

The SEC participated in the three highest rated college football games in 2018, including the CFP Championship Game that generated a 13.8 rating with 25.28 million viewers. Among highest rated TV games in 2018, the SEC participated in five of the top 10 games, eight of the top 15 games and 10 of the top 20 games. The SEC on CBS in 2018 produced the five most-viewed games of the regular season and the SEC Football Championship saw its highest rating since 2007. In fact, the SEC Football Championship Game posted a higher rating than both CFP Semifinal games.

Meanwhile, the SEC Network remains one of the most vibrant sports networks in all of television. The SEC Network is available on every major cable and satellite provider in the United

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States, every nationwide multichannel subscription streaming service and is available in 140 countries outside the US. Important SEC notes to know:

Over 250 students across the 14 campuses were involved in production of SEC Network events in 2018-19

 More than 70 SEC marching band halftime performances were streamed live on the ESPN App in 2018

• The SEC Network featured new episodes of "SEC Homecoming" including interviews with former

Augusta national Golf Club Chairman Billy Payne, singer and songwriter Darius Rucker and Lockheed

Martin president and CEO Marylin Hewson

#### **INNOVATION + LEADERSHIP**

#### Football Timeout Clock

The SEC revolutionized the football fan experience in Fall 2018 with the implementation of a visible television timeout countdown clock on the field at all 14 SEC football venues. The onfield display allows fans, game officials and both teams to view the remaining time during each television commercial stoppage from anywhere in the stadium.

The display is operated by the TV timeout coordinator, or 'Red Hat,' on the field during television commercial breaks and is turned off during routine game action. The time shown on the TV timeout countdown clock is the official time remaining in a timeout. The SEC worked with Victory Game Clocks to develop the TV timeout countdown clock for the 2018 football season.

The SEC TV timeout countdown clock was also utilized at the SEC Championship Game on December 1, in Atlanta, Ga., at Mercedes-Benz Stadium and then was adopted for use during the College Football Playoff Semifinals and Championship Game.

#### **Baseball Centralized Replay**

The SEC began use of a Centralized Video Review process for Conference baseball games in 2019, becoming the first conference to use a centralized process as permitted by NCAA rules. A Replay Official in the SEC Video Center, located in the Conference Office, reviews plays in SEC vs. SEC games and renders decisions that are communicated to the on-site umpire crew. The process is consistent with the system used by Major League Baseball.

Baseball is the third sport in which the SEC has implemented a collaborative or centralized replay system. The SEC successfully implemented a collaborative replay process in the sport of football in 2016, and the Conference secured NCAA approval to implement a collaborative instant replay process in men's basketball the following year.

#### SEC Football Media Days Presented by Regions Bank Goes to Atlanta

For the first time since SEC Football Media Days was created in 1985, the popular midsummer media extravaganza was held outside of the Birmingham area. The College Football Hall of Fame in Atlanta served as the primary host venue for SEC Football Media Days in July 2018 with the neighboring Omni Atlanta Hotel at CNN Center serving as site for many of the Media Days functions as well.

#### SEC Holds First Football Summerfest Presented by Regions Bank

The inaugural SEC Football Kickoff Summerfest presented by Regions Bank was held in Atlanta's Centennial Olympic Park in July 2018. The first-of-its-kind free fan event was held in conjunction with the SEC's annual Football Media Days at the nearby College Football Hall of Fame and Omni Atlanta Hotel at CNN Center.

Fans attending SEC Summerfest had an opportunity to engage with fellow SEC fans in a family-friendly game day environment that included live music, food trucks, interactives and much more. SEC Summerfest was anchored by the SEC Network's traveling road show, SEC Nation, which broadcast live from the event.

#### Media participation in spring football game officiating

The SEC invited media members to participate as game officials during Georgia's April 2019 Spring Football Game and engaged with the SEC Network to provide behind-the-scenes information and experiences to educate the public on SEC football officiating procedures. In addition to ESPN talent, participants included media representatives from the Associated Press, Sports Illustrated, CBSsports.com and USA Today.

#### Leaders in Attendance

• SEC Football has led the nation in football attendance for 21 consecutive seasons and enjoys nearly a 10 thousand per game and 1.1 million overall edge over its next closest conference peer.

• The SEC Championship Game saw it's second-highest attendance in history in 2018 and most since 1993.

• SEC Baseball has led the nation in attendance 23 years in a row. Total attendance in 2018 surpassed 2.2 million and no other conference reached the 1 million mark.

• SEC Women's Basketball has led the nation in attendance four years in a row.

#### **BRANDING + CELEBRATION**

#### SEC Expands Academic Initiative

The SEC announced it was expanding the scope and changing the name of its 13-year-old academic initiative to better leverage the success of its intercollegiate athletics programs in support of the broad mission of each of its 14 member universities.

Formerly known as SECU, SEC Academic Relations focuses on presenting programs and activities designed to highlight the teaching, research and service accomplishments of SEC students, faculty and staff, including related successes within the Conference's intercollegiate athletics programs.

#### "It Just Means More" Campaign and Associated Branding

When the SEC kicked off its comprehensive "It Just Means More" marketing campaign, it set out to show the other side of the SEC: one of history, legacy, and an overall positive impact on our people, our communities, our state, and our nation. In addition to a series of television and radio spots, print advertisements, and a social media strategy, this year the SEC continued to expand the reach of its "It Just Means More" campaign through the utilization of outdoor digital signage in cities hosting significant events. Locations included the San Jose area for the CFP Championship Game; Louisville, Kansas City, Washington, DC, and Chicago for men's and women's basketball Sweet Sixteen games, and Minneapolis for the Men's Final Four.

#### SEC Celebrates Academic Achievement with Graduate Patch

A total of 156 football student-athletes wore the SEC Graduate Patch in 2018 post-season football bowl games and 21 SEC basketball student-athletes wore the mark in national post-season tournaments following the 2019 hoops season. In all, more than 350 student-athletes wore the patch in all sports in 2018-19.

The SEC introduced the patch in 2016 for student-athletes in all sports who have graduated but have not exhausted their eligibility. The SEC logo patch on their uniforms is replaced with a special patch highlighting the word "Graduate" underneath the conference logo. The patch is similar in design for all conference schools, but it is school-specific in color.

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# **COLLEGE FOOTBALL PLAYOFF**

# **EVERY GAME COUNTS**

The College Football Playoff (CFP) is a four-team event to determine college football's national champion on the field, while preserving the significance of college football's unique regular season where every game counts.

# FOUR TEAMS

The selection committee ranks the teams based on the members' evaluation of the teams' performance on the field, using conference championships won, strength of schedule, head-to-head results, and comparison of results against common opponents to decide among teams that are comparable.

# TRADITION

The New Year's holiday period belongs to college football, with two semifinal games rotating annually among the Cotton Bowl, Fiesta Bowl, Orange Bowl, Peach Bowl, Rose Bowl and Sugar Bowl.

# **CHAMPIONSHIP MONDAY**

The two winning teams from the Playoff Semifinals compete for the College Football Playoff National Championship. The national championship game is in a different city each year, always on a Monday night.

# **UNIVERSAL ACCESS**

Every Football Bowl Subdivision (FBS) team has equal access to the College Football Playoff based on its performance. No team automatically qualifies.

# **GOVERNANCE**

University presidents and chancellors from all 10 FBS conferences and Notre Dame serve as the board of managers and govern the administrative operations, with commissioners (the Management Committee) managing the event. A small staff in the playoff office in Irving, Texas, carries out the day-to-day responsibilities.

# SELECTION COMMITTEE

A talented group of high-integrity individuals with experience as coaches, student-athletes, college administrators and journalists, along with sitting athletics directors, comprise the selection committee. Members of the committee are Rob Mullens (chair), Gary Barta, Frank Beamer, Paola Boivin, Joe Castiglione, Ken Hatfield, Chris Howard, Ronnie Lott, Terry Mohajir, Ray Odierno, R.C. Slocum, Todd Stansbury and Scott Stricklin.

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# SELECTION COMMITTEE RESPONSIBILITIES

- Rank the top 25 teams and assign the top four to semifinals sites.
- Assign teams to New Year's bowls.
  - Create competitive matchups.
  - Attempt to avoid rematches of regular-season games and repeat appearances in specific bowls.
  - Consider geography.

# **PARTICIPANTS IN THE NEW YEAR'S BOWLS**

Both participants in the Orange, Rose and Sugar Bowls are contracted outside the playoff arrangement (Big Ten and Pac-12 to Rose Bowl; SEC and Big 12 to Sugar Bowl; ACC to Orange Bowl against the highest-ranked available team from the SEC, Big Ten and Notre Dame). If a conference champion qualifies for the playoff, then the bowl will choose a replacement from that conference. When those bowls host the semifinals and their contracted conference champions do not qualify, then the displaced champion(s) will play in one of the other New Year's bowls.

When not hosting semifinals, the Cotton, Fiesta and Peach Bowls will welcome displaced conference champions and the top-ranked champion from a non-contract conference. The highest-ranked available teams will fill any other berths. The selection committee will make the pairings.



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# FBA ANNOUNCES 2019-20 BOWL SCHEDULE

Slate includes 41 total games over 17 days

Herewith is the 2019-20 FBA bowl schedule. It includes 41 total games, beginning on <u>Friday, December 20</u> and concluding with the sixth College Football Playoff National Championship Game, to be contested <u>Monday, January 13</u> at the Superdome in New Orleans, LA.

Thirty-six games will be televised nationally on the ESPN family of networks [ESPN, ESPN2, ABC]. The longest-running bowl/TV partner relationship is the Hyundai Sun Bowl, being carried on CBS for the 52nd consecutive year. FOX will carry two games, as will CBS Sports Network.

DATE	BOWL	TEAMS	LOCATION	TIME [ET]	TV
Fri Dec 20	Makers Wanted				
	Bahamas Bowl	MAC/C-USA	Nassau, Bahamas	2:00 pm	ESPN
	Frisco Bowl	AAC/At-Large	Frisco, TX	7:30 pm	ESPN2
Sat Dec 21	Celebration Bowl	MEAC/SWAC	Atlanta, GA	12 noon	ABC
	New Mexico Bowl	MW/C-USA	Albuquerque, NM	2 pm	ESPN
	Cure Bowl Cheribundi	AAC/Sun Belt	Orlando, FL	2:30 pm	CBSSN
	Boca Raton Bowl	AAC/C-USA/MAC	Boca Raton, FL	3:30 pm	ABC
	Camellia Bowl Mitsubishi Motors	MAC/Sun Belt	Montgomery, AL	5:30 pm	ESPN
	Las Vegas Bowl R+L Carriers	MW/Pac-12	Las Vegas, NV	7:30 pm	ABC
	New Orleans Bowl	Sun Belt/C-USA	New Orleans, LA	9:00 pm	ESPN
Mon, Dec 23	Bad Boy Mowers				
,	Gasparilla Bowl	AAC/C-USA	Tampa, FL	2:30 pm	ESPN
Tue, Dec 24	SoFi Hawai'i Bowl	BYU/MW or AAC	Honolulu, HI	8:00 pm	ESPN
Thu, Dec 26	Walk-On's				
1110) Dee 20	Independence Bow	I SEC/ACC	Shreveport, LA	4:00 pm	ESPN
	Quick Lane Bowl	Big Ten/ACC	Detroit, MI	8:00 pm	ESPN
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Fri Dec 27	Military Bowl Prese	ented By			
	Northrop Grumma	n ACC/AAC	Annapolis, MD	12 noon	ESPN
	New Era Pinstripe Bowl Big Ten/ACC		Bronx, NY	3:20 pm	ESPN
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	Academy Sports + Texas Bowl		Houston TV	6.4E pm	ESPN
	IEXAS DUWI	Big 12/SEC	Houston, TX	6:45 pm	ESPIN

	SDCCU Holiday Bov Cheez-It Bowl	wl Pac-12/Big Ten Big 12/Pac-12	San Diego, CA Phoenix, AZ	8:00 pm 10:15 pm	FS1 ESPN
Sat Dec 28	Camping World Bo Goodyear Cotton	wl ACC/Big 12	Orlando, FL	12 noon	ABC
	Bowl Classic Chick-fil-A	New Year's Six	Arlington, TX	12 noon	ESPN
	Peach Bowl PlayStation	CFP Semifinal	Atlanta, GA	4 or 8 pm	ESPN
	Fiesta Bowl	CFP Semifinal	Glendale, AZ	4 or 8 pm	ESPN
Mon Dec 30	SERVPRO First Responder Bowl Redbox Bowl	Big 12/C-USA Pac-12/Big Ten	Dallas, TX Santa Clara, CA	12:30 pm 4:00 pm	ESPN FOX
	Franklin American Music City Bowl Capital One	SEC/ACC or Big Ter	n Nashville, TN	4:00 pm	ESPN
	Orange Bowl	New Year's Six	Miami Gardens, FL	8:00 pm	ESPN
Tue Dec 31	Belk Bowl	ACC/SEC	Charlotte, NC	12 noon	ESPN
	Hyundai Sun Bowl AutoZone	Pac-12/ACC	El Paso, TX	2:00 p.m.	CBS
	Liberty Bowl	Big 12/SEC	Memphis, TN	3:45 pm	ESPN
	Arizona Bowl	MW/Sun Belt	Tucson, AZ	4:30 pm	CBSSN
	Valero Alamo Bowl	l Big 12/Pac-12	San Antonio, TX	7:30 pm	ESPN
Wed Jan 1	Citrus Bowl	SEC/Big Ten or AC	Corlando El	1:00 pm	ABC
wed Jan 1	Outback Bowl Rose Bowl Game Presented By Northwestern	Big Ten/SEC	Tampa, FL	1:00 pm	ESPN
	Mutual	Big Ten/Pac-12	Pasadena, CA	5:00 pm	ESPN
	Allstate Sugar Bow	I Big 12/SEC	New Orleans, LA	8:45 pm	ESPN
Thu Jan 2	Birmingham Bowl Tax Slayer Gator	SEC/AAC	Birmingham, AL	3:00 pm	ESPN
	Bowl	SEC/ACC/Big Ten	Jacksonville, FL	7:00 pm	ESPN
Fri Jan 3	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl	MAC/MW	Boise, ID	3:30 pm	ESPN
Sat Jan 4	Lockheed Martin Armed Forces Bow	I MW/Big 10	Dallas, TX	11:30 am	ESPN
Mon Jan 6	Mobile AL Bowl Su	in Belt/MAC	Mobile, AL	7:30 pm	ESPN
Mon Jan 13	CFP National Cham	pionship	New Orleans, LA	8:00 pm	ESPN