

HEAD COACH CHAD MORRIS



Chad Morris begins his second year as the 33rd head football coach at the University of Arkansas.

Morris began the second turnaround of his career in his first season with the Razorbacks in 2018. The transition to Morris' system showed the most improvement on the defensive side of the ball in year one. The defense improved in points allowed, rushing defense, total defense and third down conversions from the 2017 season. De'Jon Harris led the Hogs and the Southeastern Conference during the regular season with 118 tackles to become the first Razorback since Martrell Spaight in 2014. Harris' big season earned him All-SEC honors from the Associated Press following the season. The defense also produced two NFL Draft picks in Dre Greenlaw (5th round, San Francisco) and Armon Watts (6th round, Minnesota Vikings).

On the offensive side of the ball, Rakeem Boyd emerged as a steady force in the backfield rushing for a team-high 734 yards. Boyd rebounded from a slow start to his season to run for 423 yards during a four-game stretch in the middle of the year, including three 100-yard games. One of those 100-yard efforts came against Alabama to make Boyd the first Arkansas RB to eclipse 100 yards against the Crimson Tide since Darren McFadden ran for 195 yards in 2007. Cheyenne O'Grady emerged to lead

a steady group of tight ends as the Razorbacks were among the nation's leaders in targeting the tight end. O'Grady finished the season leading the Hogs with six touchdowns with 400 yards receiving on a team-high 30 catches. Hjalte Froholdt was Arkansas' rock up front, starting all 12 games at center or guard. He earned All-SEC recognition from the AP prior to being the first Razorback selected in the NFL Draft when New England tabbed him in the fourth round.

Morris and his staff have been relentless recruiters since arriving on the Hill and have started to reap the benefits, reeling in one of the best signing classes in school history in the staff's first full year of recruiting. The 25-man class ranked 23rd in the nation according to the 247Sports composite on the strength of 11 four-star athletes – the most ever in an Arkansas signing class. The Razorbacks were the only team in the country to sign four, four-star wide receivers. Morris and the staff have also reestablished recruiting lines in the state of Texas with six signees coming from the Lone Star State. Morris continued to be a draw to quarterbacks, adding transfer QBs Ben Hicks (SMU) and Nick Starkel (Texas A&M) to the roster with Hicks leading Arkansas through spring practice. Hicks starred for Morris for two seasons with the Mustangs and left SMU as the school's all-time leader in passing

yards (9,081), total offense (8,977), TD passes (71), TDs responsible for (74), completions (718) and 300-yard games (12). Starkel comes to Fayetteville with SEC experience having played in 12 games for the Aggies over two seasons, including five starts as a freshman in 2017.

SMU TURNAROUND

During his three seasons at SMU (2015-17), Morris used his Texas recruiting roots and offensive prowess to take the Mustangs from a 1-11 campaign in 2013 before he took over to the program's first bowl bid since 2012 with a 7-5 mark in 2017.

Morris' offensive scheme was exactly what SMU needed, as it increased the team's scoring output by 16.7 points per game in his first season – the second-largest increase in the nation in 2015. Even more impressive, Morris inherited an offense that ranked last (128th) in the FBS in scoring in 2014 (11.8) and turned it into the nation's eighth-highest scoring offense (40.1) in 2017.

The 2017 SMU offense marked the fourth time and third different program that Morris has either been the head coach or offensive coordinator of that has finished in the top 10 in the FBS in scoring average at more than 40 points per game. The Mustangs are one of just two FBS teams that featured a 3,000-

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yard passer, 1000-yard rusher and multiple 1,000-yard receivers in 2017.

His final SMU squad produced a pair of NFL wide receivers in Courtland Sutton (Denver) and Trey Quinn (Washington). Sutton was picked in the second round and Quinn was Mr. Irrelevant as the final pick of the 2018 NFL Draft. Both Sutton and Quinn saw the field in their rookie seasons with Sutton ranking second on the Broncos' roster with 42 catches and 704 yards with his four scores equaling the team lead.

CLEMSON OFFENSIVE EXPLOSION

Morris' impact during his four years at Clemson as offensive coordinator helped result in a 41-11 record, the 2011 ACC Championship and four bowl berths, including two BCS Orange Bowl appearances. Under Morris' scheme, the Tigers established 127 offensive records (89 individual/38 team) and posted the top three scoring seasons in school history, as well as four of the top five passing seasons at Clemson.

The Clemson offense in its second season under Morris with ACC Player of the Year Tajh Boyd at quarterback set school records for total yards per game (512.7) and points per game (41.0), ranking sixth in the nation in scoring and ninth in the nation in total offense. The 2013 squad backed up those numbers with 508.5 yards and 40.2 points per game, figures that ranked ninth and eighth nationally.

Morris' record-setting offense in 2012 and 2013 marked the first time in ACC history that an active member of the conference had averaged more than 40 points per game in back-to-back seasons. Clemson was also one of just two FBS schools with



a 3,000-yard passer, 1,000-yard rusher and 1,000-yard receiver every year from 2011-13.

For his work, Morris was named AFCA National Assistant Coach of the Year and one of five finalists for National Offensive Coordinator of the Year by 247Sports.com in 2013, and the National Offensive Coordinator of the Year by Rivals.com in 2011.

Morris' offensive brilliance also helped attract and develop some of the best offensive players in Clemson history into current NFL stars. From the 2012 NFL Draft to 2015 NFL Draft, Morris saw seven of his offensive players drafted, including four wide receivers, tied for the most from any school over that span. Included in the quartet of wide receivers

drafted were first round picks DeAndre Hopkins (Houston Texans) and Sammy Watkins (Los Angeles Rams). Morris also recruited 2015 All-Americans Deshaun Watson and Shaq Lawson, who both went on to be first round NFL draft picks.

INSTANT IMPACT

After a legendary 16 years as a head coach on the Texas prep level, Morris' collegiate debut came as the associate head coach/offensive coordinator at Tulsa in 2010. In his one season as offensive coordinator working specifically with the quarterbacks, Morris helped the Golden Hurricane average 41.4 points per game, good for sixth nationally, and finish with seven straight wins for a 10-3 record following a 5-7 mark in 2009. Tulsa scored 40 or more points seven times, including 50+ in four games, and finished as one of five FBS teams with over 30 rushing and 30 passing touchdowns.

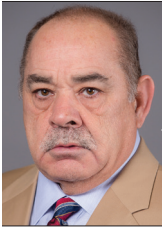
TEXAS LEGEND

A native of Dallas, Morris became a legend in the state of Texas during his 16 years as a head coach at the high school level, posting a 169-38 record overall and winning back-to-back undefeated state championships in his final two seasons at Lake Travis High School. Over his 16 seasons, Morris led six of his teams to the Texas State Championship game, highlighted by three titles, and he earned Coach of the Year honors 11 times.

Morris earned his bachelor's degree in mathematics with a minor in statistics from Texas A&M University in 1992. He and his wife, Paula, have two children, daughter Mackenzie - who is enrolled in graduate school at Arkansas - and son Chandler.



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JOHN CHAVIS

Defensive Coordinator / Linebackers
Second Season at Arkansas

John Chavis begins his second season over the Arkansas defense in 2019, his 25th as a defensive coordinator in the SEC, spending time at Tennessee (1995-2008), LSU (2009-14) and Texas A&M (2015-17) before arriving in Fayetteville.

The 2011 winner of the Broyles Award as the top assistant coach in college football, Chavis has been a part of 21 bowl games, 12 10-win seasons and appeared in the SEC Championship game six times over his 24 years as a defensive coordinator in the SEC.

His first season at Arkansas produced two NFL Draft picks and an All-SEC honoree, as well as an improvement in several defensive categories from the season before. Fayetteville product Dre Greenlaw spent the entirety of the 2018 campaign atop the active career tackle leaderboard in the SEC, wrapping up his time at Arkansas with 320 stops and a selection by the San Francisco 49ers in the NFL Draft. Chavis also helped turn Armon Watts, who entered the year with 11 combined tackles over three years, into a sixth round pick in the draft by the Minnesota Vikings after a 42-tackle, seven-sack season in 2018. Juniors De'Jon Harris and McTelvin Agim also flourished under Chavis last year, as Harris led the conference in total tackles with 118 and Agim paced the squad with 10.0 tackles for loss and three forced fumbles.

Chavis, who has 29 years of experience in the rugged SEC, has produced a defense that has ranked among the top four in the league in total defense 15 times during his 24 seasons as a coordinator.

During his time at Texas A&M as associate head coach and defensive coordinator, the Aggies were one of five FBS programs (Alabama, Clemson, Penn State & Washington) to rank in the top 25 in sacks each season from 2015-17, highlighted by an SEC-best 43 in 2017. A key contributor to those sack totals was Myles Garrett, who led the SEC in sacks in 2015, and was a unanimous first-team All-American in 2016 en route to being the No. 1 overall pick in the 2017 NFL Draft by the Cleveland Browns.

Prior to his three seasons at Texas A&M, Chavis was a key piece to a successful six-year run at LSU that saw the Tiger defense finish in the top 15 nationally in total defense five times (2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014). During Chavis' tenure in Baton Rouge, the Tigers forced 152 turnovers and accounted for 14 touchdowns and two safeties. In 79 total games, Chavis' defenses held the opponent under 100 yards rushing 32 times.

LSU had its best year under Chavis in 2011, as the Tigers capped the year ranked in the top five in the nation in four categories including total defense (No. 2 at 261.5), scoring defense (No. 2 at 11.29), pass efficiency defense (No. 3 with 95.58 rating) and rushing defense (No. 5 at 90.1). LSU also ranked No. 8 nationally in pass defense with 171.43 yards allowed per game.

LSU's 2011 defense featured a young and explosive defensive front along with arguably the nation's top secondary with two national award winners in Tyrann Mathieu and Morris Claiborne. LSU allowed only six first-half touchdowns, including just two in the first quarter all season, as the Tigers rode their dominant defense's style of play to a 13-0 regular season mark, the SEC title and a spot in the BCS National Championship Game.

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

Over Chavis' six years at LSU, the Tigers and Alabama were the only two SEC programs to rank in the league's top four in scoring defense every year from 2009-14. LSU finished in the top 12 nationally in scoring defense five of six years under Chavis, highlighted by No. 2 and



No. 4 in 2011 and 2014, respectively. The Tigers led the SEC in passing defense twice (2010, 2014) in his six years while they led the league in total defense his final season in 2014.

Prior to his arrival in Baton Rouge in 2009, Chavis spent 14 seasons as the defensive coordinator at Tennessee, helping the Vols win at least nine games in a season 11 times. The Vols reached the 10-win mark eight times during his time as defensive coordinator, which included a school-record 13 victories during their national championship season in 1998. The Vols had 11 wins in 1995, 1997 and 2001, and they won 10 games in 1996, 2003, 2004 and 2007.

With Chavis as the defensive coordinator, Tennessee made five appearances in the SEC Championship game, winning the league title in 1997 and 1998, and it was invited to three BCS bowl games.

Behind a recruiting belief that there is no substitute for speed and an aggressive defensive philosophy, Chavis has coached and mentored 72 NFL Draft picks, including 15 first rounders, during his time as a defensive coordinator in the SEC.

Chavis has seen one of his defensive standouts taken in 23 straight NFL Drafts as a defensive coordinator and 27 consecutive years dating back to his time as the defensive line/linebackers coach at Tennessee. Out of the 72 players selected, 42 have been taken in the top three rounds.

Over a run of eight NFL Drafts from 2006-13, Chavis saw eight players taken in the first round with at least one going in seven of them. In 2013, LSU became the first school in NFL Draft history to have six defensive players selected during the first three rounds. LSU finished with eight defenders selected in the 2013 NFL Draft, including the second straight year with a pair of first rounders.

In all, Chavis has coached 83 players taken in the NFL Draft during his time as a defensive coordinator or from his position room as an assistant coach. Over his 30 years in the SEC, he has seen a player taken in 28 of a possible 29 drafts.

Chavis, who is originally from Dillon, South Carolina, is married to the former Diane Crisp. They are the parents of sons, John and Jason. He graduated from Tennessee in 1978, as a three-year letterwinner at middle guard for head coach Johnny Majors.

COACHING HISTORY

YEARS	SCHOOL	POSITION
1979	Tennessee	Graduate Assistant
1980-83	Alabama A&M	Defensive Line
1984-85	Alabama State	Defensive Coordinator
1986-88	Alabama A&M	Defensive Coordinator
1989-94	Tennessee	Defensive Line/Linebackers
1995-2008	Tennessee	Defensive Coordinator/Linebackers
2009-14	LSU	Defensive Coordinator/Linebackers
2015-17	Texas A&M	Assoc. Head Coach/Defensive Coordinator/Linebackers
2018-present	Arkansas	Defensive Coordinator/Linebackers

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JOE CRADDOCK

**Offensive Coordinator / Quarterbacks
Second Season at Arkansas**

Joe Craddock is in his second season as the program's offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach at Arkansas.

His first season on the Hill featured multiple players with 100-yard rushing games in Rakeem Boyd (3) and Devwah Whaley (1), as all three of Boyd's came during SEC play. Arkansas also featured one of the most consistent tight end units in the league, with the Razorbacks ranking second in the country in TE touchdowns and fourth in the nation in TE first downs. A big reason for their success was because of the unit blocking for them, led by fifth-round NFL Draft pick Hjalte Froholdt, who completed a second-straight season without allowing a sack in 2018.

This past spring, Craddock was reunited with quarterback Ben Hicks, who joined the Razorbacks as a graduate transfer from SMU. With the Mustangs, Hicks was the starting QB under Craddock for two seasons and the starter in his final season in Dallas in 2018 when he set numerous SMU passing records including career passing yards (9,081), total offense (8,977), TD passes (71), TDs responsible for (74), completions (718) and 300-yard games (12). Hicks led the Razorbacks' offense during spring drills, starting the spring game. Arkansas also added Texas A&M transfer Nick Starkel this summer and incoming four-star quarterback KJ Jefferson.

Craddock came to Fayetteville after spending three seasons (2015-17) as offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach at SMU. Prior to SMU, he coached at Clemson for three seasons as an offensive graduate assistant (2013-14) and a player development coach (2012).

Over his three seasons with the Mustangs, Craddock's offense produced a 3,000-yard passer (Ben Hicks, 2017), two 1,000-yard rushers (Xavier Jones, 2017; Braeden West, 2016), and two 1,000-yard receivers (Courtland Sutton, 2017 and 2016; Trey Quinn, 2017).

Sutton, the 40th overall pick in the 2018 NFL Draft by Denver, posted career receiving totals of 3,152 yards and 31 touchdowns on 189 receptions in four seasons at SMU. He averaged 16.4 yards per catch in each of his last two seasons and finished third on the Mustangs' all-time receiving list.

During the 2017 regular season, Craddock's unit ranked No. 8 in the FBS in scoring offense (40.2 points), No. 13 in total offense (493.8 yards) and No. 16 in passing yards (308 yards) and was one of just two in the country that featured a 3,000-yard passer, 1,000-yard rusher and multiple 1,000-yard receivers in All-Americans Sutton and Quinn.

Two of the most dynamic receivers in college football, Sutton and Quinn were the only pair of teammates to rank in the top 10 in touchdown receptions. Quinn finished the year with 13 TD catches, while Sutton had 12. The duo also combined for 12 100-yard receiving games with six apiece.

A Biletnikoff Award and Earl Campbell Tyler Rose semifinalist, Quinn led the nation in receptions with 114 and ranked inside the top 15 nationally in receiving touchdowns (No. 4, 13), receiving yards per game (No. 10, 95.1) and receiving yards (No. 11, 1,236). He turned in two of the three top reception performances in the FBS during the regular season with 17 catches twice and became the only player this century to register 15-plus catches in three straight games.

Hicks finished his sophomore season with 3,569 passing yards (No. 18 in FBS) and 33 touchdown passes (No. 9 in FBS).

In 2016, SMU had a 1,000-yard rusher (West, 1,036) and 1,000-yard receiver (Sutton, 1,246) for the first time since 2011 and three players with at least 1,000 all-purpose yards for the first time since 2011 (Sutton, West, James Proche). As a freshman, Hicks



threw for 2,930 yards, third-best among all freshmen and eighth-best in a season at SMU.

In Craddock's first year at SMU, the Mustangs increased their scoring output by 16.7 points per game – the second-largest increase in the nation in 2015. He also helped develop two of the nation's top freshmen in Sutton and Jones. Sutton was named a Freshman All-American in 2015 after ranking No. 1 among freshmen with nine touchdown catches.

During his time at Clemson, Craddock, alongside Morris who was offensive coordinator, aided in the development of quarterback Deshaun Watson. In 2014, the Tigers' offense averaged 448.2 yards of total offense per game, ranked No. 21 in scoring offense (35.4) and was one of just 14 teams in the FBS to average both 200 yards rushing and passing per game.

Prior to his collegiate coaching career, Craddock was the offensive coordinator at Briarwood Christian School in Birmingham, Alabama, during the 2010 and 2011 seasons. Briarwood Christian went 25-4 during Craddock's tenure and finished as the state runner-up in 2010.

Following the 2011 season, he was hired as an offensive player development coach at Clemson by coach Dabo Swinney. After the 2012 season, Craddock was given on-field graduate assistant duties working with the quarterbacks, a role he held until December 2014.

Craddock played at Middle Tennessee from 2004-08 and was a team captain his senior year. He also played baseball for the Blue Raiders in 2008.

A native of Chelsea, Alabama, Craddock earned a bachelor's degree in liberal arts at Middle Tennessee in 2008. He and his wife, Abby, have a daughter, Charlie, and a son, Cain.

COACHING HISTORY

YEARS	SCHOOL	POSITION
2010-11	Briarwood Christian School (Ala.)	Offensive Coordinator
2012	Clemson	Player Development Coach
2013-14	Clemson	Graduate Assistant
2015-17	SMU	Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks
2018-present	Arkansas	Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks

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JEFF TRAYLOR

**Associate Head Coach / Running Backs
Second Season at Arkansas**

Jeff Traylor enters his second season as the associate head coach and running backs coach for the Razorbacks.

His running backs corps racked up 1,721 yards and 11 touchdowns in 2018, led by sophomore-transfer Rakeem Boyd. The Houston native rushed for over 100 yards in three different SEC games, including a season-best 113 against Vanderbilt, making him the 26th Razorback to rush for 100-plus yards three or more times in a season. Boyd's steady improvement during the 2019 season was obvious as he became the team's starting running back in the fifth week of the season against Texas A&M and started the final seven games. His best stretch of the season came in four straight games against Alabama, Ole Miss, Tulsa and Vanderbilt as he ran for 100-plus yards in three games and totaled 423 yards. His 102 yards against Alabama made him the first Arkansas running back to eclipse 100 yards against the Crimson Tide since Darren McFadden in 2007.

Arkansas returns nearly 82 percent of the team's 1,409 rushing yards from last season with Boyd, Devwah Whaley and Chase Hayden all back on the roster.

Traylor joined the Razorbacks from SMU, where he spent the 2017 season as associate head coach/running backs. He served as the Mustangs' interim coach following the Razorbacks' hiring of Morris in December 2017.

Before SMU, Traylor spent two seasons at the University of Texas (2015-16). In his first season in Austin, he coached tight ends and was named Scout.com's Big 12 Recruiter of the Year. In 2016, Traylor coached tight ends and wide receivers for the Longhorns, who boasted the nation's No. 16 ranked offense that averaged 491.3 yards per game.

During his time in Austin, Traylor recruited punter Michael Dickson, who went on to earn multiple All-America honors, win Big 12 Conference Special Teams Player of the Year in 2016 and 2017 as well as the 2017 Ray Guy Award.

Prior to Texas, Traylor spent 15 seasons (2000-14) as head coach at Gilmer High School in east Texas, where he had a 175-26 record with three state championships and two state runner-up finishes.

Traylor's unit totaled 2,223 yards rushing in 2017, highlighted by three players who rushed for 500-plus yards with sophomore Xavier Jones leading the group at 1,075. The Mustangs topped the 200-yard mark on the ground six times with a season-best 311 in a win against Arkansas State.

At Texas, Traylor recruited punter Michael Dickson, who earned All-Big 12 honorable mention honors in, while the tight ends unit caught 22 passes for over 300 yards and two touchdowns. Dickson averaged 41.3 yards per punt on 77 attempts.

Under Traylor, Gilmer High School reached the 10-win mark 11 times, while also recording seven 13-win campaigns. The Buckeyes posted 15 wins three times, all of which resulted in undefeated state championship years, including two 16-0 seasons in 2004 and 2014.

In 2014, the Gilmer offense put up the second-most points in the history of Texas high school football with 950 in 16 games for an average of 59.4 points per game and won the 4A Division 2 state title. The Buckeyes scored 60-plus points nine times, including two 80-point performances. Gilmer also averaged 536.1 total yards per game (8,577) behind a balanced 293.9 passing yards and 242.1 rushing yards per contest. The defense was equally dominant, allowing only 276 points (17.3) with five single-digit efforts and two shutouts, while recording 23 interceptions and forcing 17 fumbles. Gilmer closed out the season with a win over West Orange-Stark at AT&T Stadium in Arlington, Texas, and had eight different players earn 4A All-State honors from either the Associated Press or Texas Sports Writers Association.



Gilmer's two other state titles under Traylor both came in 3A in 2004 (Division 2) and 2009 (Division 1), before the change in class structure in Texas high school football moved the school into 4A. After 15 years on its sidelines, Gilmer renamed Buckeye stadium to Jeff Traylor Stadium in Traylor's honor.

Prior to Gilmer, Traylor was an assistant coach at Jacksonville High School (1993-99) in Texas, where he served as passing coordinator, defensive backs coach, receivers coach and special teams coordinator.

Traylor began his coaching career at Big Sandy High School in Texas, where he spent four years as an assistant coach from 1990-1993. After graduating from Gilmer High School in 1986, Traylor played football at Stephen F. Austin as a walk-on.

He and his wife, Cari, have three children: Jordan, Jacob and Jaci.

COACHING HISTORY

YEARS	SCHOOL	POSITION
1989-92	Big Sandy (Texas) HS	Assistant Coach
1993-99	Jacksonville (Texas) HS	Assistant Coach
2000-14	Gilmer (Texas) HS	Head Coach/Athletic Director
2015-16	Texas	Tight Ends/Special Teams
2017	SMU	Associate Head Coach/Running Backs
2018-present	Arkansas	Associate Head Coach/Running Backs

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STEVE CALDWELL

**Defensive Line
Second Season at Arkansas**

Steve Caldwell returned to Fayetteville for the second time in his career in 2018 with more than 30 years of coaching experience, highlighted by a 1998 national championship alongside coach John Chavis at Tennessee, and 20 bowl games appearances.

In his first season back on the Hill, Caldwell's defensive line put together a strong campaign, led by senior Armon Watts. After coming into the year with a combined 11 tackles over three seasons, Watts busted out with a 42-tackle, seven-sack performance en route to a sixth-round draft selection by the Minnesota Vikings. Next to Watts in the trenches was junior McTelvin Agim, who racked up 45 stops, 10.0 tackles for loss and three forced fumbles, becoming the first Razorback with double-digit TFLs in a season since 2015.

Caldwell helped put together an impressive recruiting class on the defensive line with seven prospects inking with the Hogs. Three four-star athletes – Eric Gregory, Mataio Soli and Zach Williams – enrolled early and participated in spring practice.

From 2014-17, Caldwell served as associate head coach at Boise State while overseeing the defensive line room. Over his four seasons, Boise State accumulated a record of 42-12 with three bowl wins in four appearances while his defensive line unit helped hold 24 of 54 opponents to under 100 yards rushing over that span.

Caldwell mentored an All-Mountain West first team selection in each of his four seasons at Boise State, including defensive end Sam McCaskill and nose tackle David Moa in 2016. In 2017, Caldwell coached defensive lineman Curtis Weaver, who became the first freshman in Mountain West history to earn first-team honors as a freshman. Weaver led the conference and led all FBS freshmen with 11 sacks (T-6th nationally) en route to being named to the USA TODAY Freshman All-America team.

Boise State tied for the Mountain West lead in sacks in 2017 and was the only program to finish in the top four in the conference in sacks each of Caldwell's four seasons (2014-17). The Broncos also ranked second in the Mountain West in rushing defense in 2017, highlighted by holding an explosive Oregon offense to a season-low 47 yards on the ground during their 38-28 win over the Ducks in the Las Vegas Bowl. It also marked the fourth time in Caldwell's four years that Boise State finished in the top four in the conference in rushing defense.

Caldwell oversaw one of the most dominant defensive lines in the country in 2015, as his front four was the Mountain West standard and ranked fifth in FBS in rushing defense, allowing just 108.2 rushing yards per game. The stubbornness against the run helped the Bronco defensive unit rank second in the conference and 18th in the country in scoring defense with 20.2 points allowed per game.

Among the numerous standouts in the trenches in 2015 was junior Kamalei Correa, who racked up a team-best 11.0 sacks and 7.0 tackles for loss and was selected by the Baltimore Ravens with the 11th pick of the second round (42nd overall) in the 2016 NFL Draft. Correa finished his collegiate career with a Defensive MVP performance during a Poinsettia Bowl victory over Northern Illinois after recording 2.0 sacks and 2.5 tackles-for-loss.

Prior to Boise State, Caldwell rejoined his alma mater Arkansas State for the 2013 campaign. The Red Wolves captured a share of the Sun Belt Conference Championship in 2013, and won the 2013 GoDaddy Bowl. Under Caldwell's tutelage, Ryan Carrethers garnered first-team All-Sun Belt Conference honors, and went on to be selected by the San Diego Chargers in the 2014 NFL Draft.

Caldwell's first stint at Arkansas came from 2010-12, when he was in charge of the defensive line. During his time with the Razorbacks, Arkansas posted back-to-back 10-win seasons (2010-11) and played in the Sugar Bowl. Arkansas ranked 36th or better nationally in sacks in each of Caldwell's three seasons, highlighted by finishing the 2010 campaign tied for eighth nationally in sacks.



In 2011, Arkansas' defensive end group of Jake Bequette, Tenarius Wright, Trey Flowers and Chris Smith combined for 27 tackles for loss and 16 sacks. Bequette earned All-SEC first team honors after leading the SEC with 10 sacks, a mark that was good for ninth nationally. Bequette was named the Defensive MVP of the Cotton Bowl after two sacks and a forced fumble. He was later selected by the New England Patriots in the third round of the 2012 NFL Draft.

Caldwell spent the 1995-2008 seasons coaching defensive ends at Tennessee alongside Chavis. Over 14 seasons, the Volunteers won the 1998 National Championship, made 13 bowl appearances and finished 10 seasons ranked in the top 25.

Tennessee ranked in the top four among SEC schools in total defense 10 times and led the league in rushing defense three times. In 2008, the Vols ranked third nationally in total defense (263.5), and in 2005 the team's rushing defense ranked second nationally (82.5).

A dean's list student at Arkansas State, Caldwell played four years of football as a defensive end and linebacker. The start of his coaching career came over three seasons at his alma mater from 1978-80. Caldwell then moved on to Northwest Mississippi Community College, where he coached the offensive line for four seasons and was part of a national championship team in 1982.

Caldwell rejoined Arkansas State in 1985 as the linebackers coach and was with A-State through 1989. The school won back-to-back league championships (1985-86) and made three-straight trips to the NCAA Division I-AA Playoffs from 1985-87.

He worked as a graduate assistant at Tennessee in 1990, before moving on to Pacific from 1991-93. He was the linebackers coach in 1991 and added co-defensive coordinator responsibilities in 1992 and 1993.

Caldwell and his wife, Leisa, have three children: Lauren, Lendell and Landon.

COACHING HISTORY

YEARS	SCHOOL	POSITION
1978-79	Arkansas State	Graduate Assistant
1980	Arkansas State	Offensive Line
1981-84	Northwest (Miss.) CC	Offensive Line
1985-89	Arkansas State	Linebackers
1990	Tennessee	Graduate Assistant
1991-93	Pacific	Co-Defensive Coordinator
1994	Nevada	Co-Defensive Coordinator
1994-95	Ole Miss	Defensive Ends
1995-2008	Tennessee	Defensive Ends
2010	Arkansas	Defensive Ends
2011-12	Arkansas	Defensive Ends/Special Teams
2013	Arkansas State	Defensive Line
2014-17	Boise State	Associate Head Coach/Defensive Line
2018-present	Arkansas	Defensive Line

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RON COOPER

Secondary
Second Season at Arkansas

Ron Cooper brings more than 30 years of coaching experience to Arkansas in his second season in Fayetteville, including 10 as a head coach on the collegiate level and four stints as a defensive coordinator. He also worked one year in the NFL as a defensive backs coach while making stops at four other SEC schools during his career.

In his first year with the Razorbacks in 2018 working with the team's safeties, Cooper helped two players in his unit rank in the top four on the team in tackles, as senior Santos Ramirez finished second with 87 stops and sophomore Kamren Curl ranked fourth with 53. In his final season, Ramirez started all 12 games and recorded 10-plus tackles in six games, including a season-best 12 against Alabama. Curl earned 11 starts in the back end of the defense at strong safety posting the second-most pass breakups on the team with five.

Cooper also oversaw the development of true freshmen Joe Foucha and Myles Mason, who earned more playing time as the season progressed. Foucha played in nine games and earned the start in the season finale at Missouri.

Cooper took over a youthful secondary room at Texas A&M, as seven different underclassmen, including four freshmen, started in the defensive backfield for the Aggies during the 2017 season. One of the mainstays in the lineup was junior Armani Watts, who finished the season with 87 tackles, four interceptions, two fumble recoveries and one touchdown en route to being named to Associated Press (AP) All-America third team and the All-SEC first team (Coaches & AP).

Prior to Texas A&M, Cooper served as the interim head coach at FIU for the final eight games of the 2016 season. Cooper also served as head coach at Eastern Michigan (1993-94), Louisville (1995-97) and Alabama A&M (1998-2001).

Cooper spent two seasons at FIU with the first as the team's assistant head coach and defensive backs coach in 2015. He was elevated to the Panthers' defensive coordinator in 2016 before leading FIU to a 4-4 records as the interim head coach.

Prior to FIU, Cooper served as the assistant head coach and defensive backs coach at South Florida from 2013-14. He helped lead the Bulls to a team record 20-plus takeaways each season and the defense scored four touchdowns.

He coached one season in the NFL as the defensive backs coach for the Tampa Bay Buccaneers in 2012.

Cooper has deep ties to Arkansas defensive coordinator John Chavis, having served as the LSU secondary coach under Chavis from 2009-11. He mentored one of the top secondary rooms in the country, highlighted by national award winners Morris Claiborne, Patrick Peterson and Tyrann Mathieu. In both 2010 and 2011, Cooper and the Tigers defense featured the Thorpe Award winner (nation's top defensive back) in Patrick Peterson in 2010 and Claiborne in 2011, as well as the Bednarik Award winner (nation's top defender) in Peterson and Mathieu in 2011. LSU was also home to the SEC Defensive Player of the Year in Peterson (2010), Mathieu (2011 by AP) and Claiborne (2011 by Coaches).

Cooper has also made stops in the SEC at South Carolina (2004-08) and Mississippi State (2003). In 2008, Cooper assisted with a defense that ranked No. 1 in the SEC and No. 2 in the nation in pass defense, allowing just 160 yards per game. With the Gamecocks, Cooper helped lead the team to appearances in the 2005 Independence Bowl, 2006 Liberty Bowl and 2009 Outback Bowl.

He broke into the head coaching ranks with Eastern Michigan and went on to become head coach at Louisville and Alabama A&M. Cooper's 1995 Louisville team led the nation in takeaways and finished No. 9 nationally in scoring defense. The following season, the Cardinals ranked No. 4 in both total defense and rushing defense.



At Alabama A&M, Cooper guided the Bulldogs to the Southwestern Athletic Conference Championship Game in 2000. His squad led the nation in rushing defense and they ranked No. 8 nationally in scoring defense. He also discovered defensive end Robert Mathis and coached him in his first three collegiate seasons. Mathis went on to a 14-year NFL career with the Colts, making six Pro Bowls and earning AFC Defensive Player of the Year honors in 2013.

Before becoming the head coach at Eastern Michigan, Cooper served as an assistant coach at Notre Dame (1991-92), helping the Irish to victories in the 1992 Sugar Bowl and 1993 Cotton Bowl.

Cooper also served coaching stints at UNLV (1990), East Carolina (1989), Murray State (1987-88), Austin Peay (1985-86), Minnesota (1984) and Appalachian State (1983).

As a player, Cooper was a four-year letterman at Jacksonville State, where he helped the Gamecocks to Gulf South Conference titles in 1981 and 1982. Cooper played in the NCAA Div. II playoff three times during his career, including a semifinal run in 1982.

Cooper has three children: Deuce, Tyler and Tristan.

COACHING HISTORY

YEARS	SCHOOL	POSITION
1983	Appalachian State	Graduate Assistant
1984	Minnesota	Graduate Assistant
1985-86	Austin Peay	Assistant Coach
1987-88	Murray State	Defensive Coord.
1989	East Carolina	Assistant Coach
1990	UNLV	Defensive Coord.
1991-92	Notre Dame	Assistant Head Coach
1993-94	Eastern Michigan	Head Coach
1995-97	Louisville	Head Coach
1998-2001	Alabama A&M	Head Coach
2002	Wisconsin	Assistant Coach
2003	Mississippi State	Defensive Coord.
2004	South Carolina	Defensive Backs
2005	South Carolina	Outside Linebackers/Special Teams
2006-07	South Carolina	Assistant Head Coach/Defensive Backs
2008	South Carolina	Safeties
2009-11	LSU	Defensive Backs
2012	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	Defensive Backs
2013-14	USF	Assistant Head Coach/Defensive Backs
2015	FIU	Assistant Head Coach/Defensive Coordinator/Defensive Backs
2016	FIU	Assistant Head Coach/Defensive Coordinator/Linebackers
2016	FIU	Interim Head Coach
2017	Texas A&M	Defensive Backs
2018-present	Arkansas	Secondary

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DUSTIN FRY

**Offensive Line / Run Game Coordinator
Second Season at Arkansas**

Dustin Fry begins his second season on the Hill as the offensive line coach.

His first season was headlined by three starters who found their way onto NFL squads after the season. Hjalte Froholdt completed his second consecutive season without a sack allowed, anchoring the OL primarily at left guard. Froholdt was drafted by the New England Patriots in the fourth round, while teammates Johnny Gibson Jr. (Eagles) and Brian Wallace (Broncos) were signed to their respective squads after strong senior year performances.

Fry's first season with the Hogs also saw the development of young linemen Noah Gatlin and Dalton Wagner, who both earned starts as freshmen. Arkansas' recruiting class added much needed depth with six offensive linemen signing with the Hogs, including junior college transfers Myron Cunningham and Chibueze Nwanna.

Fry joined the Razorback staff after spending three seasons at SMU (2015-17) as the offensive line coach. Prior to his stint in Dallas, he served as an offensive graduate assistant at Clemson from 2012-14.

At SMU, Fry's offensive line cleared paths for a 1,000-yard rusher in both 2016 and 2017. His 2017 unit blocked for the Mustangs' offense to produce 3,000-plus passing yards and 2,000-plus rushing yards. The Mustangs averaged 5.0 yards per carry and were one of 18 FBS programs, including one of three in the American Athletic Conference, to accomplish that feat during the regular season. SMU's 2,230 rushing yards were its most in a regular season in 10 years.

According to Sport Source Analytics, Fry's offensive line in 2017 ranked No. 14 nationally in efficiency (79.6), based on tackle for loss percentage, sack percentage and third and fourth down run percentage.

In his three years at Clemson, he helped the Tigers to a 31-7 record with two top-10 finishes. He was a player development coach with the offensive line and helped center Dalton Freeman earn first-team All-America honors in 2012.

Fry lettered four years with Clemson and was a first-team All-ACC center and a National Strength and Conditioning Association (NSCA) All-American on the 2006 offense that averaged a school-record 6.5 yards per play. He played in the Senior Bowl and was a fifth-round draft pick of the Rams, playing for St. Louis in 2007 and 2008. He also spent time with the Cleveland Browns, Denver Broncos and Carolina Panthers.

He and his wife, Laura, have two sons, Hudson and Ryan.



COACHING HISTORY

YEARS	SCHOOL	POSITION
2012-14	Clemson	Graduate Assistant
2015-17	SMU	Offensive Line
2018-present	Arkansas	Offensive Line/Run Game Coordinator

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KENNY INGRAM

**Defensive Tackles
First Season at Arkansas**

Kenny Ingram begins his first year as the defensive tackles coach, joining Arkansas from Auburn, where he served as the Director of Player Relations for the last two years in his second stint with the Tigers.

Ingram held the same position in 2013-14 at Auburn after going to The Plains from Arkansas State, where he helped the Red Wolves win a Sun Belt Conference title as the team's defensive line coach. In between stops at Auburn, he coached the defensive tackles at Cincinnati in 2015 and 2016.

Ingram began his collegiate career at Tennessee State in 2005 as the Tigers' defensive line coach. He quickly moved back to his hometown of Memphis in 2006, taking over the linebackers for the University of Memphis before being named defensive coordinator in 2009. While at Memphis, he helped the Tigers to the 2007 New Orleans Bowl and 2008 St. Petersburg Bowl.

Prior to his collegiate coaching career, Ingram was the head coach at Melrose High School in Memphis from 2002-04. He led the Golden Wildcats to a 37-4 overall record after serving as the assistant head coach and defensive coordinator. He was a three-time Regional Coach of the Year and the Commercial Appeal's 2004 Coach of the Year for Metro Memphis.

Ingram starred at Whitehaven High School in Memphis, then was a four-year letterman at Arkansas State, serving as team co-captain in 1992. At Arkansas State, Ingram played for Steve Caldwell.

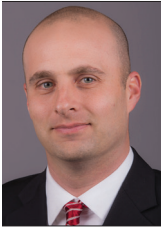
He and his wife, Carla, have five children: Kendrien, Taylor, Kameron and twins Kennedy and Karleigh.



COACHING HISTORY

YEARS	SCHOOL	POSITION
2001-02	Melrose (Tenn.) HS	Defensive Coordinator
2002-04	Melrose (Tenn.) HS	Head Coach
2005	Tennessee State	Defensive Line
2006-08	Memphis	Linebackers
2009	Memphis	Defensive Coordinator
2012	Arkansas State	Defensive Line
2013-14	Auburn	Director of Player Development
2015-16	Cincinnati	Defensive Line
2017-18	Auburn	Director of Player Relations
2019-present	Arkansas	Defensive Tackles

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BARRY LUNNEY JR.

**Tight Ends
Seventh Season at Arkansas**

Barry Lunney Jr., a former Arkansas starting quarterback, enters his seventh season as tight ends coach at his alma mater and his first as the Razorbacks' special teams coordinator. Lunney has strengthened the program's reputation as #TEU over his six years.

Last season, Arkansas made a living off production out of the tight end position, completing 58.8 percent of the group's targets, which was above the team average. The Razorbacks finished the year ranked second in the country in tight end touchdowns and tied for fourth in the nation in tight end first downs, as junior Cheyenne O'Grady led the team in receptions (30) and touchdowns (six).

Lunney's work has not only resulted success as Razorbacks, but also caught the interest of NFL personnel. Highlighted by Hunter Henry being the first tight end taken in the 2016 NFL Draft,

From 2014 to 2016, Lunney helped develop Henry into the best tight end in the nation. On December 9, 2015, that became official when Henry was named the John Mackey Award winner following his junior season. Henry joined D.J. Williams as former Razorbacks to win the award to make Arkansas the only program to have multiple winners in the award's history.

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

During his career, Henry hauled in 116 passes for 1,661 yards and nine touchdowns. He is one of only eight tight ends in SEC history to reach the triple-digit mark in receptions while playing in the conference. Of the eight, he is one of four to tally more than 1,500 receiving yards. In addition, his 1,661 career receiving yards rank second in program history among tight ends, only trailing Williams (1,855, 2007-10). His 116 receptions and 1,661 receiving yards through those three seasons were both tops in the SEC among tight ends.

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

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

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

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

In his eight years at Bentonville, the Tigers won 78 games, including 25 straight in 2010-11, played in four state championship games, claiming state titles in 2008 and 2010, and won six straight 7A West Conference crowns from 2007-12. Bentonville played in three 7A state championship games and won at least 12 games in four of his last five seasons.

Bentonville quarterback Dallas Hardison broke the Arkansas state single-season completion percentage record in 2010 and bettered the record in 2011 under the direct guidance of Lunney. In 2011 and 2012, the Tigers won their first 12 games to advance to the state championship game with an offense that averaged 42.5 and 36.8 points per game, respectively.



The 2010 Bentonville team finished the season 13-0 and won the 7A state championship. The offense averaged 47.0 points per game and scored at least 40 points nine times, including 49 points in the semifinal round and the state championship.

Lunney's first state title at Bentonville came in 2008 as the Tigers won 12 games for the first time since 2001. The offense averaged 30.2 points per game and scored more than 30 points in seven of 13 games.

Before moving to the high school coaching ranks, Lunney compiled seven years of collegiate coaching experience.

Lunney spent two seasons as the co-offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach at San Jose State. During his tenure, the offense produced six all-conference performers, and tight end Courtney Anderson was selected by the Oakland Raiders in the 2004 NFL Draft. In 2003, the Spartans ranked 17th in the NCAA in passing offense and quarterback Scott Rislav ranked third in the WAC in passing efficiency and total offense.

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

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

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

Lunney graduated from Arkansas in 1996 with a bachelor's degree in kinesiology. He and his wife, Janelle, have two sons, Luke and Levi. His grandfather, John lettered at Arkansas from 1946-49. His father, Barry Sr., retired after 28 years as a high school football coach in Arkansas, winning eight state championships at Bentonville HS and Fort Smith Southside HS.

COACHING HISTORY

YEARS	SCHOOL	POSITION
1998-99	Arkansas	Graduate Asst.
2000-01	Tulsa	Quarterbacks
2002	Tulsa	Wide Receivers
2003-04	San Jose State	Co-Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks
2005-12	Bentonville (Ark.) HS	Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks
2013-2018	Arkansas	Tight Ends
2019-present	Arkansas	Tight Ends/Special Teams Coordinator

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MARK SMITH

Secondary
Second Season at Arkansas

Mark Smith begins his second season at Arkansas in 2019 working with the team's cornerbacks.

In his first year with the Razorbacks in 2018, Smith helped guide a young group along with junior Ryan Pulley. Pulley put together a strong all-around performance with three interceptions, seven pass breakups, a forced fumble and 3.5 tackles for loss in his final year on the Hill. Playing alongside Pulley for most of the season were freshmen Montaric Brown and Jarques McClellion. The duo combined to start 12 games with Brown starting three and McClellion nine. McClellion's 25 tackles ranked behind only Pulley's 37 at the cornerback position.

A stellar recruiter, Smith helped land a pair of four-star cornerbacks in Gregory Brooks and Devin Bush who both enrolled early and went through spring practice. Speedster Malik Chavis will join the group this fall as well.

Smith arrived at SMU as the Director of Recruiting in 2015 and added defensive analyst to his duties for 2017 season. He joined the Mustangs with experience at both the college and high school levels having spent time as a high school head coach and at Oklahoma as a defensive quality control coach.

Prior to SMU, he served at Hurst L.D. Bell from 2009 to 2014, earning a promotion to head coach in early 2011. With Smith at the helm, Bell made the playoffs for three straight seasons. He also served as an assistant at Irving MacArthur and Colleyville Heritage high schools in Texas.

Smith was a member of the Board of Directors for the Texas High School Coaches Association and served as the President of the North Texas Football Coaches Association.

He and his wife, Michelle, have three children: Mikenna, Micah and Mailey.



COACHING HISTORY

YEARS	SCHOOL	POSITION
2000-03	Colleyville Heritage (Texas) HS	Assistant Coach
2004-07	MacArthur (Texas) HS	Defensive Coordinator
2008-09	Oklahoma	Defensive QC
2009-10	L.D. Bell (Texas) HS	Defensive Coordinator
2011-14	L.D. Bell (Texas) HS	Head Coach
2015-17	SMU	Director of Recruiting
2018-present	Arkansas	Secondary

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JUSTIN STEPP

Wide Receivers
Second Season at Arkansas

Justin Stepp enters his second season at Arkansas after spending six seasons as a wide receivers coach at SMU (2015-17) and Appalachian State (2012-14).

His first season on the Hill saw the development of a young group of wideouts, led by freshman Michael Woods. The Magnolia, Texas, native played in 10 games, starting seven, and racked up 206 yards on 18 catches, averaging 11.4 to top returners coming back for the 2019 season. Junior Deon Stewart led the receiving corps in receptions with 22 and started eight games. In all, the Hogs return four receivers that caught passes last fall with Jordan Jones and Tyson Morris joining Stewart and Woods.

Stepp was active on the recruiting trail for the Razorbacks this past offseason being named as one of the nation's Top 25 recruiters by Rivals thanks to the addition of four four-star receivers inking with the team including mid-year enrollees Trey Knox and Shamar Nash, as well as Treyton Burks and T.Q. Jackson. The Hogs were the only team in the nation to sign four four-star wide receivers.

In December 2017, he was selected to participate in the 2018 AFCA 35 Under 35 Coaches Leadership Institute, a prestigious program aimed at identifying and developing premier, future leaders in the football coaching profession. He was also named a finalist for the 2017 FootballScoop Wide Receivers Coach of the Year award.

During Stepp's seven seasons as a wide receivers coach, he's tutored three different players who have combined for four 1,000-yard receiving seasons.

Stepp's protégés Courtland Sutton and Trey Quinn at SMU were two of the most dynamic wide receivers in college football in 2017 and each went on to be selected in the 2018 NFL Draft. The Mustangs boasted one of the most prolific passing attacks in the nation on the strength of All-Americans Sutton and Quinn each posting 1,000-yard receiving seasons. SMU was one of only two schools with multiple 1,000-yard receivers in 2017. In addition, Sutton and Quinn were the only pair of teammates to rank in the top 10 in touchdown receptions and combined for 12 100-yard receiving games with six apiece. Quinn finished the year with 13 TD catches, while Sutton had 12.

A Biletnikoff Award and Earl Campbell Tyler Rose semifinalist, Quinn led the nation in receptions with 114 and ranked inside the top 15 nationally in receiving touchdowns (No. 4, 13), receiving yards per game (No. 10, 95.1) and receiving yards (No. 11, 1,236). He turned in two of the three top reception performances in the FBS during the regular season with 17 catches twice and became the only player this century to register 15-plus catches in three straight games. The Lake Charles, Louisiana, native was selected by the Washington Redskins with the 256th and final selection of the 2018 draft.

Sutton, a second-round pick of the Denver Broncos, posted career receiving totals of 3,152 yards and 31 touchdowns on 189 receptions in four seasons at SMU. He averaged 16.4 yards per catch in each of his last two seasons, and finished third on the Mustangs' all-time receiving chart behind Emmanuel Sanders and Aldrick Robinson.

In 2016, Sutton led the SMU offense for the second straight season, hauling in 76 passes for 1,246 yards and 10 TDs to become SMU's first 1,000-yard receiver since 2013. Sutton was not the Mustangs' only threat through the air, though, as James Proche, caught 57 passes for 709 yards and six scores on his way to Freshman All-America honors.

Stepp's first season at SMU saw him develop Sutton into one of the country's top freshman. Sutton was named a Freshman All-American in 2015 after leading all FBS freshmen with nine receiving touchdowns. He set an SMU freshman record for receiving yards with 862 and tied Sanders for most touchdowns by a freshman.

Over Stepp's first two seasons at Appalachian State, he coached three players who



combined to earn five All-Southern Conference honors, including All-American Sean Price who set NCAA Division I FCS freshman records with 81 receptions and 1,196 receiving yards in 2012.

Prior to Appalachian State, he spent three seasons at Clemson as an offensive graduate assistant coach (2011) and an offensive video graduate assistant (2009-10).

In 2011, Stepp played a key role in Clemson's offense, alongside Morris who was offensive coordinator. Stepp worked directly with the Tigers' running backs, quarterbacks, wide receivers and tight ends, while assisting in game-planning and in-game play-calling adjustments. With Stepp on the sideline, Clemson ranked second in the ACC and in the top 30 nationally in scoring (33.6) and total offense (440.8) and boasted a pair of All-Americans on the offensive side of the ball.

Stepp got his coaching start as the wide receivers coach and recruiting coordinator at NCAA Division II North Greenville in 2008. He also served as wide receivers and strength coach at Fort Mill (S.C.) High School in 2007.

Stepp was a standout wide receiver and punt returner at Furman from 2003-06. He earned All-SoCon recognition as a junior and senior and finished his playing career with 1,568 yards, 10 touchdown catches and 118 receptions, good for No. 4 on the school's career list at the time.

Stepp and his wife, Brooke, have a son, Courtland Spencer Stepp, and a dog, Holi.

COACHING HISTORY

YEARS	SCHOOL	POSITION
2007	Fort Mill (S.C.) HS	Wide Receivers/Strength & Conditioning
2008	North Greenville	Wide Receivers/Recruiting Coordinator
2009-10	Clemson	Graduate Assistant/Offensive Video
2011	Clemson	Graduate Assistant
2012-14	Appalachian State	Wide Receivers
2015-17	SMU	Wide Receivers
2018-present	Arkansas	Wide Receivers

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TRUMAIN CARROLL

**Strength & Conditioning
Second Season at Arkansas**

Trumain Carroll was named the program's head strength and conditioning coach on Jan. 9, 2018.

Carroll most recently worked with Morris at SMU, where he was the Mustangs' strength and conditioning coach for the last three seasons (2015-17).

Carroll joined the SMU staff after two seasons (2013-14) as assistant strength and conditioning coach at his alma mater Oklahoma State, his second stint with the Cowboys.

During his tenure at SMU, Carroll's efforts in the weight room aided in the development of wide receivers Courtland Sutton and Trey Quinn into All-Americans and NFL Draft selections. Sutton and Quinn were two of the most dynamic wide receivers in college football in 2017, each turning in 1,000-yard receiving seasons to become one of only two pairs of teammates in the FBS to accomplish that feat.

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Prior to Oklahoma State, Carroll was director of strength and conditioning South Carolina State (2011-12) after serving in the same role at the University of Missouri-Kansas City (2008-11).

Carroll joined UMKC from Oklahoma State, where he was the assistant strength and conditioning coach from 2006-08. While in Stillwater, Carroll designed and directed the strength program for the Oklahoma State women's basketball program that advanced to the Sweet 16 in the 2007 NCAA tournament. He also assisted in the strength and conditioning program with the Oklahoma State football team that won the 2006 Independence Bowl and the 2007 Insight.com Bowl.

Carroll was a defensive end at Oklahoma State from 2001 to 2005. During his playing career, he helped guide the Cowboys to three consecutive bowl games, including a victory in the 2002 Houston Bowl and appearances in the 2003 Cotton Bowl and 2004 Alamo Bowl.

Carroll received his Collegiate Strength and Conditioning Coach Certification in May 2007 and his USA Weightlifting Sports Performance Certification in February 2008.

He earned his bachelor's degree in business administration from Oklahoma State in December 2005.

Carroll and his wife, Jarne, have a son, Trumain "Deuce" Carroll, and a dog, Bo.



COACHING HISTORY

YEARS	SCHOOL	POSITION
2006-08	Oklahoma State	Assistant Strength & Conditioning Coach
2008-11	UMKC	Director of Strength & Conditioning
2011-12	South Carolina State	Director of Strength & Conditioning
2013-14	Oklahoma State	Assistant Strength & Conditioning Coach
2015-17	SMU	Strength & Conditioning Coach
2018-present	Arkansas	Head Strength & Conditioning Coach

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RANDY ROSS

**Director of Football Operations
Second Season at Arkansas**

A veteran in coaching and administration with more than 30 years of experience in college football, Randy Ross serves as coach Chad Morris' director of football operations.

Prior to coming to Fayetteville, Ross spent 11 years at SMU, where he served as the senior associate director of football operations, including three seasons under coach Morris.

In his role, Ross coordinates team travel, office management and administration, handles game-day responsibilities and serves as a liaison with athletics and university departments.

Ross is no stranger to SEC football having spent 17 seasons at Alabama, including the last four as director of football operations. He was an assistant coach from 1993-96 under Gene Stallings as well as the Crimson Tide's recruiting coordinator from 1990-98. He then spent one season in Alabama's development office before moving back to the football office in 2000 as the director of high school relations.

Prior to his time in Tuscaloosa, Ross was quarterbacks coach at Vanderbilt for three seasons.

Following his collegiate career at St. Bernard College, where he played baseball and earned All-Southern States Conference honors in 1975, Ross began his coaching career at Gaston High School before moving to Gadsden' Southside High School in 1976.

He served as Southside's head coach for nine seasons and then moved as head coach at Scottsboro High from 1985-86. He coached 15 players who later played college football, including former Tide quarterback David Smith. Ross was selected his area's Coach of the Year in 1980 and 1983. His 1980 squad finished 12-1 and was ranked third in the state.

Ross is married to the former Ann Lowe.



COACHING HISTORY

YEARS	SCHOOL	POSITION
1976	Gaston (Ala.) HS	Asst. Coach
1976-84	Southside (Ala.) HS	Asst. Coach
1985-86	Scottsboro (Ala.) HS	Head Coach
1987-89	Vanderbilt	Quarterbacks
1990-98	Alabama	Asst. Coach/Recruiting Coord.
2002-06	Alabama	Director of Football Operations
2007-17	SMU	Director of Football Operations
2018-present	Arkansas	Director of Football Operations

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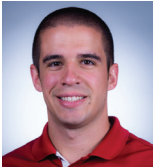
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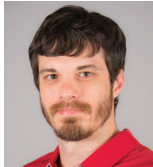
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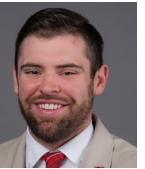
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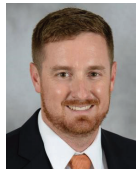
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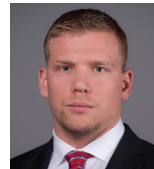
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