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FLORIDA STATE CAPS OFF 20-WIN SEASON IN SECOND ROUND OF NIT BACON AND BEASLEY EARN FRESHMAN ALL-AMERICAN HONORS

BOOKERT ENDS CAREER AMONG SEMINOLE LEADERS IN 3-POINT SHOOTING

FLORIDA STATE'S 2015-16 SEASON IN REVIEW

Florida State finished the 2015-16 season with a 20-14 overall record, an 8-10 mark in ACC play, advanced to the second round of the NIT, finished in fourth place at the Paradise Jam with wins over DePaul (83-67, Nov. 21) and Ohio (90-81, Nov. 23), defeated Florida Atlantic in the Orange Bowl Classic (64-59, Dec. 19) and won at Florida (73-71, Dec. 29) in finishing with a 10-2 non-conference record. The Seminoles earned two victories over nationally ranked teams with wins over No. 11 Virginia (69-62 on Jan. 17) and against then No. 20 Notre Dame (77-56 on Feb. 27) and totaled four wins over teams selected to play in the NCAA Tournament (Virginia, Notre Dame, Syracuse and VCU). Florida State played nine teams that were selected to play in the NCAA Tournament and faced four teams (Georgia Tech, Virginia Tech, Florida and Hofstra) that played in the NIT.

BACON NAMED OFFENSIVE MVP; BOOKERT EARNS DEFENSIVE MVP HONORS

Freshman Dwayne Bacon, who earned Freshman All-America and All-ACC Freshman team honors, earned four trophies including the coveted Dave Cowens Chairman of the Boards and Bob Sura Outstanding Offensive awards at the Seminoles' Honors Banquet on April 10, 2016. Bacon averaged a team-leading 15.8 points and a team leading 5.8 rebounds in becoming the first freshman in school history to lead the Seminoles in scoring and rebounding. Bookert was honored along with his senior teammates – Boris Bojanovsky, Montay Brandon, Michael Ojo and Michael Saxton for their accomplishments during the 2015-16 season and their four-year careers. Bookert was presented with the Charlie Ward Outstanding Defensive Player Award as he finished third in the ACC with a career-high 1.7 steals per game average.

BACON AND BEASLEY EARN FRESHMAN ALL-AMERICAN HONORS

Dwayne Bacon and Malik Beasley, the Seminoles' top two scorers during the 2015-16 season, were both named to the 2016 Kyle Macy Freshman All-American Team presented by collegeinsider.com. Bacon (15.8 ppg) and Beasley (15.6 ppg) enjoyed two of the most productive seasons in school history as they led the Seminoles to a 20-14 record and into the second round of the NIT. Bacon and Beasley, who were both named to the All-ACC Freshman team, where one of only three sets of teammates named to the 30-member squad. They were two of five ACC freshmen (Bryant Crawford of Wake Forest, Brandon Ingram of Duke, Malachi Richardson of Syracuse) included on the list and were two of the three freshmen who finished the season ranked among the ACC's top 20 overall scorers. Bacon was named the ACC Rookie of the Week a school-record five times this season. He finished his first collegiate season ranked 13th overall (and second among freshmen) in scoring and 20th overall (and third among freshmen) in rebounding making him one of only two freshmen in the ACC who ranked in the top 20 in the conference in scoring and rebounding.

BACON AND BEASLEY NAMED TO ALL-ACC FRESHMAN TEAM

Dwayne Bacon and Malik Beasley, two of the top first-year players in Florida State history, were named to the 2016 All-ACC Freshman team by the Atlantic Coast Sports Media Association. It marked the first time in school history multiple Seminoles have been named to the All-ACC Freshman team while their selections to the team mark the eighth and ninth players in school history to earn All-ACC Freshman team honors. Bacon (15.8 ppg and 5.8 rpg) and Beasley (15.7 ppg and 5.3 rpg) rank as the top freshmen scoring duo in school history and are the third highest scoring freshmen duo in ACC history with a combined scoring average of 31.5 points per game. Bacon has scored on double figures in 27 of 30 games with his career high of 27 points coming against Jacksonville on Nov. 17 while Beasley scored in double figures in the first 24 games of his career and in 26 games this season.

BRANDON SETS SCHOOL RECORD OR CAREER STARTS

Montay Brandon, who played on three postseason tournament teams and ranks among Florida State's all-time top-25 in four different categories closed his career at the Seminoles' all-time leader with 122 career games started. In addition to finishing as the all-time leader in games-started, he finished his career ranked fourth in school history with 135 career games played, ranked 16th in school history with 409 career free throws attempted and ranked 22nd in school history with 252 career free throws made. Brandon played in 135 of 137 games during his career and is the only player in school history to start 120 or more games as a Seminole.

BEASLEY BECOMES FLORIDA STATE'S 11TH NBA FIRST ROUND DRAFT PICK

Freshman Malik Beasley was selected with the 19th pick in the first round of the 2016 NBA Draft. He is the 11th first round NBA Draft Choice in school history and the fourth Seminole taken in the first round of the NBA Draft under head coach Leonard Hamilton. Beasley became the first Seminole chosen in the first round of the NBA Draft since Chris Singleton was selected 18th overall by the Washington Wizards in 2011 and is the first Florida State player selected in the draft since the Cleveland Cavaliers selected Bernard James in the second round of the 2012 NBA Draft. As one of 15 players invited by NBA officials to the attend the draft at the Barclays Center, Beasley became the first one and done player – he played only one season at Florida State – in school history. In being taken with the 19th pick overall, Beasley is just the seventh player in school history to be taken within the first 20 picks of the NBA Draft. Beasley's pick is the seventh highest in school history.

FLORIDA STATE IN THE NBA DRAFT

The Seminoles are fourth in the ACC in the last 13 seasons with 10 overall draft selections. Only North Carolina with 21 overall selections (including Brice Johnson and Marcus Paige in 2016), Duke with 20 selections (including Brandon Ingram in 2016) and Syracuse with 16 selections (including Malachi Richardson and Michael Gbinije in 2016) have had more players taken in the NBA Draft than Florida State since Tim Pickett was taken in the second round by the New Orleans Hornets in 2004.

2015-16 Florida State Results

N2	1	Lynn University	W, 114-68
N9	1	Southeastern University	W, 117-76
N15		Nicholls State	W, 109-62
N17		Jacksonville	W, 98-79
N20	2	vs. Hofstra	L, 77-82
N21	2	vs. DePaul	W, 83-67
N23	2	vs. Ohio	W, 90-81
D2	3	at Iowa	L, 75-78 ot
D6	4	vs. VCU	W, 76-71
D13		Southeastern Louisiana	W, 75-57
D16		Mississippi State	W, 90-66
D19	5	vs. Florida Atlantic	W, 64-59
D21		Charleston Southern	W, 75-64
D29		at Florida	W, 73-71
J2	*	at Clemson	L, 75-84
J4	*	North Carolina	L, 90-106
J9	*	at Miami	L, 59-72
J13	*	at NC State	W, 85-78
J17	*	Virginia	W, 69-62
J20	*	at Louisville	L, 65-84
J23	*	Pitt	L, 72-74
J26	*	at Boston College	W, 72-62
J30	*	Clemson	W, 76-65
F1	*	NC State	W, 77-73
F6	*	at Wake Forest	W, 91-71
F11	*	at Syracuse	L, 72-85
F14	*	Miami	L, 63-65
F17	*	Georgia Tech	L, 80-86
F20	*	at Virginia Tech	L, 73-83
F25	*	at Duke	L, 65-80
F27	*	Notre Dame	W, 77-56
M5	*	Syracuse	W, 78-73
M8	6	vs. Boston College	W, 88-66
M9	6	vs. Virginia Tech	L, 85-96
M15	7	vs. Davidson	W, 84-74
M17	8	at Valparaiso	L, 69-81

1 – Exhibition game at Donald L. Tucker Center; 2 – U.S. Virgin Islands Paradise Jam at University of the Virgin Islands
3 – ACC/Big Ten Challenge at Iowa City, Iowa. 4 – at Philips Arena, Atlanta, Ga. 5 – Orange Bowl Classic at Sunrise, Fla. 6 – ACC Tournament at Washington, D.C. 7 – NIT at Tallahassee, Fla. 8 – NIT at Valparaiso, Ind.

2015-16 ACC Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
N. Carolina	14	4	.778	33	7	.825
Virginia	13	5	.722	29	8	.784
Miami	13	5	.722	27	8	.771
Louisville	12	6	.667	23	8	.742
Duke	11	7	.611	25	11	.694
Notre Dame	11	7	.611	24	12	.667
Virginia Tech	10	8	.556	20	15	.571
Clemson	10	8	.556	17	14	.548
Pittsburgh	9	9	.500	21	12	.636
Syracuse	9	9	.500	23	13	.639
Florida State	8	10	.444	20	14	.588
Georgia Tech	8	10	.444	21	15	.583
NC State	5	13	.278	16	17	.485
Wake Forest	2	16	.111	11	20	.355
Boston College	0	18	.000	7	25	.219

Leonard Hamilton's Career Record

	W	L	Pct.	Years
Career	456	397	.535	1987-Pr.
at Okla. State	56	63	.471	1987-90
at Miami	144	147	.495	1991-00
at Florida State	256	187	.578	2002-Pr.

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**Florida State Men's Basketball
In the National Polls**

Associated Press

Rk.	Team (FPV)	Record
1.	Kansas (63)	30-4
2.	Michigan State (2)	29-5
3.	North Carolina	28-6
4.	Virginia	26-7
5.	Oregon	28-6
6.	Villanova	29-5
7.	Oklahoma	25-7
8.	West Virginia	26-8
9.	Xavier	27-5
10.	Miami (Fla.)	25-7
11.	Kentucky	26-8
12.	Purdue	26-8
13.	Utah	26-8
14.	Indiana	25-7
15.	Texas A&M	26-8
16.	Louisville	23-8
17.	Arizona	25-8
18.	Maryland	25-8
19.	Duke	23-10
20.	Seton Hall	25-8
21.	Baylor	22-11
22.	Iowa State	21-11
23.	California	23-10
24.	SMU	25-5
25.	Iowa	21-10

USA Today Coaches Poll

Rk.	Team (FPV)	Points
1.	Villanova (30)	750
2.	North Carolina	720
3.	Kansas	657
4.	Oklahoma	643
5.	Virginia	631
6.	Oregon	596
7.	Michigan State	488
8.	Miami (Fla.)	480
9.	Indiana	456
10.	Syracuse	446
11.	Xavier	361
12.	Texas A&M	358
12.	Maryland	358
14.	West Virginia	331
15.	Iowa State	315
16.	Kentucky	297
17.	Notre Dame	285
18.	Duke	263
19.	Purdue	184
20.	Utah	170
21.	Gonzaga	157
22.	Arizona	154
23.	Wisconsin	149
24.	Baylor	105
25.	Iowa	82

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Rank	Team (FPV)	Points
1.	North Carolina (60)	1,292
2.	Virginia (18)	1,226
3.	Duke (8)	1,187
4.	Notre Dame (1)	949
5.	Miami	841
6.	Florida State (1)	827
7.	Louisville	821
8.	NC State	808
9.	Syracuse (1)	666
10.	Pitt	623
11.	Wake Forest	391
12.	Clemson	359
13.	Georgia Tech	296
14.	Virginia Tech	260
15.	Boston College	134

Preseason All-ACC

Marcus Paige, UNC; Malcolm Brogdon; Va;
Xavier Rathan-Mayes, FSU; Brandon
Ingram, Duke; Demetrius Jackson, ND

FLORIDA STATE'S WIN TOTAL IN THE LAST 11 YEARS

Florida State is the third winningest program in the ACC in the last 11 years (since the start of the 2005-06 season) in total games played as a member of the ACC with 233 wins. The Seminoles average 21.2 wins per season with records of 20-10 (2005-06), 22-13 (2006-07), 19-15 (2007-08), 25-10 (2008-09), 22-10 (2009-10), 23-11 (2010-11), 25-10 (2011-12), 18-16 (2012-13), 22-14 (2013-14), 17-16 (2014-15) and 20-14 (2015-16).

ACC Standings Since The 2005-06 Season (as of March 15, 2015)

Team	05-06	06-07	07-08	08-09	09-10	10-11	11-12	12-13	13-14	14-15	15-16	Totals
Duke	32-4	22-11	28-6	30-7	29-5	32-5	27-7	30-6	26-9	35-4	25-11	316-75
N. Carolina	23-8	31-7	36-3	34-4	20-17	29-8	32-6	25-12	24-10	26-12	33-7	313-94
Fla. State	20-10	22-13	19-15	25-10	22-10	23-11	25-10	18-16	22-14	17-16	20-14	233-139
Miami	18-16	12-20	23-11	19-13	20-13	21-15	20-13	29-7	17-16	25-13	27-8	231-145
Virginia	15-15	21-11	17-16	10-18	15-16	16-15	22-10	23-12	30-7	30-4	29-8	228-132
Clemson	16-16	25-11	24-10	23-9	21-10	22-12	16-15	13-18	23-13	16-15	17-14	216-143
NC State	22-10	20-16	15-16	16-14	19-15	15-16	24-13	24-11	22-14	22-14	16-17	215-156
Va. Tech	14-16	22-12	21-14	19-15	23-8	22-12	16-17	13-19	9-22	11-22	20-15	190-172
Ga. Tech	11-17	20-12	15-17	12-19	22-12	13-18	11-20	16-15	16-17	12-19	21-15	169-181
Boston Col.	23-8	21-12	14-17	22-12	15-16	21-13	9-22	16-17	8-24	13-19	7-25	169-185
Wake	17-17	15-16	17-13	24-7	19-10	8-24	13-18	13-18	17-16	13-19	11-20	167-178

LEONARD HAMILTON AMONG ALL-TIME ACC COACHING GREATS

Florida State's Leonard Hamilton, the ACC Coach of the Year in 2009 and 2012, is the winningest coach in school history, is the 10th winningest all-time coach in ACC history (with 256 all-time victories at Florida State), is the 11th all-time winningest coach for career ACC victories (ACC regular season and ACC Tournament) with 115 and is the ninth all-time winningest ACC road game coach in ACC history (38). Hamilton needs nine overall wins to surpass Frank McGuire of North and South Carolina who won 264 career games; needs only three victories to surpass Norm Sloan of NC State with 117 career ACC wins and needs only five ACC road wins to surpass Lefty Driesell of Maryland who won 42 career ACC road games.

Winningest Coaches In School History (By Wins) (Overall Games)

Coach	Years	Record	Winning Percentage
Leonard Hamilton	2003-Pr.	256-187	.578
J.K. "Bud" Kennedy	1949-66	236-208	.532
Hugh Durham	1967-78	229-96	.705

Winningest Coaches In School History (By Wins) (ACC Games)

Coach	Years	Record	Winning Percentage
Leonard Hamilton	2003-Pr.	112-116	.491
Pat Kennedy	1993-97	45-45	.474
Steve Robinson	1998-02	25-55	.313

Winningest Coaches In School History (By Wins) (Postseason Tournament Games)

Coach	Years	Record	Winning Percentage
Leonard Hamilton	2003-Pr.	11-11	.500
Pat Kennedy	1987-97	11-7	.611
Hugh Durham	1967-78	4-3	.571

HAMILTON'S CONTRACT EXTENDED

Florida State University Director of Athletics Stan Wilcox announced on Feb. 28, 2016 that Florida State has reached an agreement in principle with head basketball coach Leonard Hamilton on an extension of his contract. The Seminoles' leader in all-time wins, Hamilton's current contract will be extended through the 2018-19 season. "Our goal is to be in the NCAA Tournament annually," said Wilcox. "Leonard has led this program admirably since 2002. This extension positions him to continue attracting the kind of talent we need to compete in the ACC and nationally."

FLORIDA STATE'S CAPTAINS

Head Coach Leonard Hamilton named Devon Bookert Florida State's captain and named Boris Bojanovsky and Michael Ojo as the Seminoles' co-captains.

BACON NAMED TO ALL-ACC ACADEMIC TEAM

Florida State's Dwayne Bacon, who was named the ACC Rookie of the Week a school-record five times during the 2015-16 season, was named to the All-Atlantic Coast Conference Academic Men's Basketball Team. To be eligible for consideration, a student-athlete must have earned a 3.0 grade point average for the previous semester and maintained a 3.0 cumulative average during his academic career. Bacon was one of 10 ACC freshmen named to the 26-member All-ACC Academic team and is one of seven All-ACC academic honorees averaged in double figures during the 2015-16 season.

SEMINOLES IN THE POSTSEASON

Florida State advanced to the second round of the NIT marking the 11th time under Leonard Hamilton the Seminoles' advanced to play in the postseason. The Seminoles have made four NCAA appearances and seven NIT appearances under Hamilton since the 2003-04 season.

SEMINOLES IN THE ACC STATISTICS

Florida State, which earned four of its eight ACC wins by double digits, finished third in the ACC in scoring with a 78.0 points scored per game average. It marked the first time the Seminoles averaged 77 or more points per game since the 1992-93 season when they averaged 86.3 points per game in advancing to the Elite Eight of the NCAA Tournament.

Florida State's ACC Rankings

Category	Statistic	ACC Rank	Notes
Scoring	78.0	3 rd	Highest scoring average since 1992-93 season (86.3 ppg)
Steals	7.2	3 rd	Sixth time in last eight seasons with 240 steals or more
Field Goal Pct.	.464	6 th	Second time in last three seasons above 46 percent

**Florida State Men's Basketball
Upcoming Milestones**

**Leonard Hamilton
Career Wins**

256 (current)
+9 (needs)
265

To become the ninth all-time winningest coach in ACC history surpassing Frank McGuire (North Carolina and South Carolina)

**Boris Bojanovsky
Career Blocked Shots**

Finished his career ranked third in blocked shots and one of only three players with 195 or more career blocked shots

**Devon Bookert
Career 3-Point Shots Made**

Finished his career ranked seventh for 3-point shots made and one of only seven players in school history who made 180 or more career-3-point shots

**Devon Bookert
3-Point Field Goal Percentage**

Finished his career ranked fifth for career 3-point field goal shooting percentage and one of only six players in school history to shoot better than 40 percent for his career as a Seminole

**Devon Bookert
Free Throw Shooting Percentage**

Finished his career ranked 11th in free throws shooting percentage and one of only 11 players in school history to shoot better than 79 percent from the free throw line for his career

**Devon Bookert
Career Assist**

Finished his career ranked 12th in school history and one of only 12 players in school history with 340 or more career assists

**Devon Bookert
Career Points Scored**

Finished his career ranked 32nd for career points scored and as one of only 34 players in school history to score 1,100 or more career points

**Devon Bookert
Career Steals**

Finished his career tied for 13th in career steals and as one of only 21 players in school history with 21 or more career steals

**Montay Brandon
Career Starts**

Finished his career as the all-time Florida State leader for career starts with 122. He surpassed Okaro White (1999-02) for the career lead in Florida State's victory over Syracuse (March 5, 2016)

STARTING LINE-UP FOR FLORIDA STATE...

F	#32	Montay Brandon (3.3 ppg, 3.1 rpg; Season-high 13 points in victory over Wake Forest, Feb. 6, 2016)
C	#15	Boris Bojanovsky (6.1 ppg, 1.7 bpg; Season-high 11 points vs. 5 teams; at Virginia Tech, Feb. 20, 2016)
G	#4	Dwayne Bacon (15.8 ppg, 5.8 rpg; Season-high 27 points vs. Jacksonville, Nov. 17, 2015)
G	#5	Malik Beasley (15.6 ppg, 5.3 rpg; Season-high 25 points against Hofstra, Nov. 20015)
G	#22	Xavier Rathan-Mayes (11.8 ppg, 4.4 apg; Season-high 30 points vs. North Carolina, Jan. 4, 2016)

...AND TOP RESERVES

G	#1	Devon Bookert (9.5 ppg, 2.8 apg; Season-high 21 points vs. Clemson, Jan. 2, 2016)
G	#14	Terance Mann (5.2 ppg, 3.7 rpg; Season-high 18 points against Georgia Tech, Feb. 17, 2016)
F	#23	Jarquez Smith (5.1 ppg, 3.5 rpg; Season-high 13 points at Boston College, Jan., 26, 2016)
C	#21	Chris Koumadje (1.3 ppg, 1.5 rpg; Season-high five points vs. 2 teams; at Louisville, Jan. 20, 2016)
G	#3	Benji Bell (3.8 ppg, 1.0 rpg; Season-high 18 points in win over SE Louisiana, Dec. 13, 2016)

2015-16 FLORIDA STATE ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown
0	Phil Cofer	F	6-8	218	So.	Atlanta, Ga./Whitewater
1	Devon Bookert	G	6-3	198	Sr.	Anchorage, Ak./West Anchorage
3	Benji Bell	G	6-4	204	Jr.	Gainesville, Fla./NW Florida State College
4	Dwayne Bacon	G	6-7	221	Fr.	Lakeland, Fla./Oak Hill Academy
5	Malik Beasley	G	6-5	196	Fr.	Alpharetta, Ga./Saint Francis School
14	Terance Mann	G	6-6	204	Fr.	Lowell, Mass./Tilton (N.H.) School
15	Boris Bojanovsky	C	7-3	248	Sr.	Bratislava, Slovak Republic/Oakley College
21	Chris Koumadje	C	7-4	233	Fr.	N'Djamena/Chad/Montverde Academy
22	Xavier Rathan-Mayes	G	6-4	208	So.	Scarborough, Ontario, Canada/Huntington WV Prep
23	Jarquez Smith	F	6-9	236	Jr.	Haddock, Ga./Jones County
24	Robbie Berwick	G	6-4	188	So.	Atascadero, Calif./Atascadero
31	Michael Saxton	G	6-5	213	Sr.	Orlando, Fla./Tallahassee C.C./Lake Highland Prep
32	Montay Brandon	G	6-8	229	Sr.	Greensboro, N.C./Wesleyan Christian
40	Brandon Allen	F	6-6	209	Jr.	Milton, Fla./Milton
50	Michael Ojo	C	7-1	304	Sr.	Lagos, Nigeria/Tennessee Temple High School

SENIORS ARE CELEBRATED AT FLORIDA STATE BASKETBALL BANQUET

Senior Devon Bookert won a team-high five awards and all five members of the Seminoles' graduating class were honored as head coach Leonard Hamilton and the Florida State basketball team celebrated its 2015-16 season at its annual honors banquet. Bookert earned the Sixth Man, best 3-Point Field Goal Percentage, Charlie Ward Outstanding Defensive Player award, the Tip of the Spear Award and was presented with a special commemorative basketball for surpassing the 1,000-point mark during his senior season. Bookert was honored along with his senior teammates – Boris Bojanovsky, Montay Brandon, Michael Ojo and Michael Saxton – for their accomplishments during the 2015-16 season and their four-year careers. The senior class helped lead the Seminoles to appearances in the 2014 and 2016 NIT (including a semifinal appearance the in the 2014 NIT at Madison Square Garden), five victories over ranked teams, two victories over Florida and multiple weeks spent in the national rankings during their careers.

Award

First Year Academic Achievement Award
Academic Achievement Award
Outstanding Student Athlete
Most Improved Student Athlete
Mr. Hustle
Sixth Man Award:
Best Field Goal Percentage:
Best Free Throws Percentage:
Best 3-Point Field Goal Percentage:
Otto Petty Most Assists:
Dave Cowens Chairman of the Boards:
Charlie Ward Outstanding Defensive Player Award:
Bob Sura Outstanding Offensive Player Award:
Unsung Hero:
Tip of the Spear:
Career Blocked Shots Award:
Career 1,000 Point Scorer:
Career Games Started Leader:

Winner

Dwayne Bacon
Brandon Allen
Dwayne Bacon
Phil Cofer
Terance Mann
Devon Bookert
Terance Mann
Malik Beasley
Devon Bookert
Xavier Rathan-Mayes
Dwayne Bacon
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Jarquez Smith
Devon Bookert
Boris Bojanovsky
Devon Bookert
Montay Brandon

FLORIDA STATE'S CAPTAINS

Head Coach Leonard Hamilton named his team captains for the 2015-16 season. The Seminoles' team captain was senior Devon Bookert and the team co-captains are seniors Boris Bojanovsky and Michael Ojo.

SEMINOLES WITH TWO VICTORIES OVER RANKED TEAMS

Florida State defeated No. 1 Virginia (69-62, Jan. 17, 2016) and No. 20 Notre Dame (77-56, Feb. 27, 2016) to mark the 31st and 32nd victories over nationally ranked teams under Leonard Hamilton since the start of the 2002-03 season. The Seminoles' victory over Virginia marked the Cavaliers largest margin in defeat during the regular season and their win over the Fighting Irish was their largest margin in defeat during the entire season. Florida State's +21-point victory over Notre Dame was its largest over a ranked team since it defeated then No. 3 North Carolina by a 90-57 margin (+33 points) on Jan. 14, 2012.

Quoting Florida State Men's Basketball

"They're (Dwayne Bacon and Malik Beasley) high-level athletes with the ability to score the ball, they've got high character, they've got great attitude, they're coachable. I'm not surprised at all that they are having a level of success. And they're team guys. They're humble enough to understand that their success is tied in to the success of the team."

Leonard Hamilton
Head Coach, Florida State

"Malik Beasley and Dwayne Bacon are two of the most dynamic wings in the country."

Jay Williams
ESPN

"I've been really impressed with how efficient of an offensive talent he (Malik Beasley) is, and he can score at all different levels. He plays at a good pace, he plays at a good tempo, he doesn't really force things ... he has a high basketball IQ and he takes good shots."

Martin Ingelsby
Assistant Coach, Notre Dame

"They've (Florida State) got so many guys that can score. They've got really good size, they've got experience, they've got tremendous offensive talent. They've got a tremendously talented team."

Jim Boeheim
Syracuse University

"Everybody loves bacon."

Cory Alexander
ESPN

"Those guys (Dwayne Bacon and Malik Beasley) are beasts."

Anish Shroff
ESPN

"I really like him (Devon Bookert). He is steady, makes shots, smart, takes care of the ball and he's just one of those guys that you win with. He is just a winner. He makes big plays and big shots, he plays with poise and he's a good player."

Brad Brownell
Head Coach, Clemson

"A star has been born tonight. A star. Remember the name. Dwayne Bacon. He is a solid gold diaper dandy and a flat out PTP'er."

Dick Vitale
ESPN / Dec. 29, 2015

"The title of best freshman scoring tandem has to go to Florida State's Malik Beasley and Dwayne Bacon. And it's not really even that close."

CL Brown
ESPN.com

"Dwayne Bacon and Malik Beasley have wasted no time establishing themselves as two of the ACC's best players — regardless of class."

Dan Collins
Winston-Salem Journal

"Malik Beasley of Florida State is a guy with all of the athletic ability in the world."

Dan Bonner
ACC Network, Fox Sports, CBS Sports

SEMINOLES SCORING

Florida State, which earned four of its eight ACC wins by double digits, enters Tuesday's ACC Tournament game against Boston College ranked third in the ACC in scoring as it averages 77.5 points scored per game. It's the first time the Seminoles have averaged 77 or more points per game since the 1992-93 season when they averaged 86.3 points per game in advancing to the Elite Eight of the NCAA Tournament.

Florida State's Scoring Improvement

Season	Games	Points	PPG	Notes
2015-16	34	2,652	78.0	80+ points in 4 ACC games (UNC, Wake, Ga. Tech, Va. Tech)
2014-15	33	2,199	66.6	80+ points in 2 ACC games (Virginia Tech, Wake)
Improvement			+11.4	Seminole averaged 74.5 ppg in 18 ACC games

FLORIDA STATE FROM THE 3-POINT LINE

Florida State made its season high of 11 3-point shots in its victory over No. 20 Notre Dame on Feb. 27 in Tallahassee and has made 18 3-point shots in its final two home games of the regular season (victories over Notre Dame and Syracuse). Florida State made at least 10 3-point shots in five different games during the 2015-16 season and were 4-1 in those games. Florida State made 220 3-point field goals – the fourth highest single season total in school history and the most since the Seminoles made 234 during the 2007-08 season. Florida State's 11 3-point field goals made in its victory over Notre Dame on Feb. 27, 2016 was its most 3-point shots made in an ACC game since making a school record for ACC games 16 in a victory over Maryland on Jan. 12, 2014.

Breaking Down Florida State From The 3-Point Line

Season	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.	Notes
2015-16	220	645	.341	Devon Bookert led Florida State with 59 3FGM
2014-15	147	470	.313	Xavier Rathan-Mayes led Florida State with 48 3FGM
Improvement	+73	+175	+.038	5 Seminoles with at least 23 3FGM in 2015-16

FLORIDA STATE RANKED THIRD IN ACC IN STEALS

Florida State, which earned its ACC season high of 13 steals against Louisville on Jan. 20, finished the 2015-16 season ranked third in the ACC with a 7.1 steals per game average for the season. The Seminoles 243 steals for the season marks the 13th season in Leonard Hamilton's 14-year tenure that the Seminoles would have earned 200 or more steals in a single season. Florida State closed out the regular season with 10 steals against Syracuse – the fourth time it earned at least 10 steals in an ACC game. The Seminoles averaged 10.0 steals in two games against Syracuse and totaled eight in their victory over Boston College on Jan. 26.

Breaking Down Florida State's Steals Totals

Season	Gms	Stls	SPG	Notes
2015-16	34	243	7.1	Seminole ranked third in ACC in steals per game
2014-15	33	181	5.5	Seminole ranked ninth in the ACC in steals per game
Improvement			+1.6	Seminole with 10 or more steals in eight different games

SEMINOLES SUCCESSFUL AWAY FROM TALLAHASSEE

Florida State had a 5-2 record in neutral site games during the 2015-16 season with two victories at the University of the Virgin Islands in the Paradise Jam (against Ohio and DePaul), one win against Florida Atlantic at the BB&T Center (home of the Florida Panthers of the NHL), one victory against VCU at Philips Arena (home of the Atlanta Hawks of the NBA) and one against Boston College in the first round of the ACC Tournament at the Verizon Center (home of the Washington Wizards of the NBA and the Washington Capitals of the NHL). The Seminoles also earned three ACC road wins (at Boston College, at NC State and at Wake Forest).

BOJANOVSKY APPROACHING CAREER GAMES PLAYED MARK AT FLORIDA STATE

Three members of the Seminoles' senior class – Boris Bojanovsky, Montay Brandon and Devon Bookert – finished their careers ranked in the top six at Florida State in games played for their careers. Bojanovsky, who played in 136 career games, finished tied for second in school history while Montay Brandon finished tied for fourth (135 games played) and Devon Bookert finished tied for sixth (131 games played). Okaro White (holds the school record for games played (2011-14).

Florida State's Games Played Chart

Rank	Player, Year	Games Played
1.	Okaro White, 2011-14	139
2.	Boris Bojanovsky, 2013-16	136
	Luke Loucks, 2009-12	136
4.	Montay Brandon, 2013-16	135
5.	Michael Snaer, 2010-13	134
6.	Devon Bookert, 2013-16	131
	Uche Echefu, 2006-09	131
	Deividas Dulkys, 2009-12	131

BORIS AMONG ALL-TIME FLORIDA STATE LEADERS

Senior Boris Bojanovsky finished his four-year Seminole career ranked in the in the top 10 of three different statistical categories at Florida State – he is tied for second with 136 career games played, third in blocked shots (195) and seventh in career field goal percentage (.577).

Breaking Down Bojanovsky From The Field

Season	Games	FGM	FGA	Pct.	Notes
2012-13	33	35	64	.547	Averaged 2.9 points per game
2013-14	36	77	131	.588	Averaged 5.9 points per game
2014-15	33	57	99	.576	Averaged 5.1 points per game
2015-16	34	75	129	.581	Averaged a career-high 6.2 points per game
Totals	136	244	423	.577	Averages 5.0 points per game for his 136-game career

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.584 Freshman Terance Mann finished the 2015-16 season as the Seminoles' leader with a .584 field goal shooting percentage.

.875 Florida State shot a season high .875 from the free throw line (21 of 24) in its victory over Davidson in the first round of the NIT.

1 Freshman phenom Dwayne Bacon established Florida State freshmen records for total points scored (536), points scored per game (15.8), field goals made (197), field goals attempted (441) and free throws made (110) as he enjoyed one of the most prolific seasons by any Florida State player in school history

1 Devon Bookert set the all-time single-season record for career 3-point field goal percentage - .525 – as a freshman during the 2012-13 season. It's the highest 3-point percentage in in school history.

1 Senior Montay Brandon established the school record for career starts during his four-year career as a Seminole. He finished his career with 122 career starts and is the only player in school history to start 120 or more games.

1 Freshman phenom Dwayne Bacon became the first freshman in school history to lead the Seminoles in both scoring (15.8 ppg) and rebounding (5.8 rpg) in the same season.

1 Malik Beasley was Florida State's leader in minutes played with 1,104 and a team-leading 29.8 minutes played per game average during the 2015-16 season.

1 Devon Bookert is the only player who is ranked among the top 10 multiple times in school history in the single season 3-point shooting statistics in Florida State history.

2 Boris Bojanovsky and freshman sensation Malik Beasley were the only two players to start all 34 games for the Seminoles during the 2015-16 season.

2 Freshman phenom Dwayne Bacon became the second freshman in school history to lead the Seminoles in rebounding during the 2015-16 season. He joined only Michael Joiner (2000-01) as the two freshmen who have led the Seminoles in rebounding.

2 Xavier Rathan-Mayes holds two of the top 25 single-season assists totals in school history – his 146 assists during the 2015-16 season is tied for the 19th-highest total and his 137 assists during the 2014-15 season is the 25th-highest total in school history.

3 Boris Bojanovsky is one of three players in school history to hold two of the top three spots on the Seminoles' all-time top-25 list for blocked shots in a single season. His 67 blocked shots during the 2013-14 season is the seventh highest total in in school history and his 59 blocked shots during the 2015-16 season is the eighth-highest single season total in school history.

Breaking Down Bojanovsky's Blocked Shots

Season	Games	Blocks	BPG	Notes
2012-13	33	25	0.8	Season high four blocked shots in victory over Maryland
2013-14	36	67	1.9	Career-high seven blocked shots in victory over UMass
2014-15	33	44	1.3	Season high four blocked shots in victories over Syr. and Wake
2015-16	34	59	1.7	Season high six blocked shots in victories over VCU and N. Dame
Totals	136	195	1.4	Blocked three or more shots in 28 career games

BOOKERT AMONG THE ACC'S ALL-TIME BEST

Senior Devon Bookert finished his career as one of the top 3-point shooters in school history. He is ranked fifth in school history with a career 3-point field goal shooting percentage of .419. He made a single-season career-high 59 3-point shots in 2015-16 with four coming against NC State (Jan. 13), at Louisville (Jan. 20) and against Virginia Tech in the second round of the ACC Tournament (March 9).

Breaking Down Bookert From The 3-Point Line

Season	Games	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.	Notes
2012-13	34	32	61	.525	Averaged 0.9 3FGM/Game
2013-14	36	44	102	.431	Averaged 1.2 3FGM/Game
2014-15	28	53	135	.393	Averaged a career high 1.9 3FGM/Game
2015-16	33	59	151	.391	Averaged 1.8 3FGM/Game
Totals	131	188	449	.419	Averaged 1.4 3FGM for his entire 131-game career

DEVON BOOKERT FINISHED HIS CAREER RANKED...

- ...5th in school history with a 3-point shooting percentage of .419;
- ...7th in school history with 188 career made 3-point field goals;
- ...9th in school history with 449 career 3-point field goals attempted;
- ...11th in school history with a free throw shooting percentage of .793
- ...12th in school history with 347 career assists (2.6 apg);
- ...13th in school history (tied) with 139 career steals (1.1 spg);
- ...32nd in school history with 1,120 career points – he averaged 8.5 points scored per game.

BACON AND BEASLEY'S FRESHMAN RANKINGS

Freshman phenom Dwayne Bacon and freshmen sensation Malik Beasley ranked in the top 10 in six different statistical categories for freshmen at Florida State. Bacon is ranked first in scoring average with his 15.8 points per game mark and 197 field goals made while Beasley is ranked second with his 15.6 points per game scoring average and first with his 55 3-point field goals made.

Top Freshmen Duo In School History

Category	Bacon Rank	Beasley Rank
Points	1st (536)	2nd (529)
PPG	1st (15.8)	2nd (15.6)
RPG	3rd (5.8)	6th (5.3)
Field Goals Made	1st (197)	2nd (185)
3FG Made	7 th (32)	1st (55)
Free Throws Made	1st (110)	2nd (104)

BACON AND BEASLEY BECOME FIRST FLORIDA STATE FRESHMEN TO REACH 500 POINTS

Freshman phenom Dwayne Bacon (536 points / 15.8 ppg) and freshman sensation Malik Beasley (529 points / 15.6 ppg) finished the 2015-16 season as the two highest scoring freshmen in school history and as the first two freshmen in school to score 500 or more points in a season. Both players were named to the All-ACC Freshman Team by the Atlantic Coast Sports Media Association and the ACC's 15 head coaches and Beasley earned All-ACC Honorable Mention All-ACC honors in a vote of the league's coaches. Bacon (five times) and Beasley (three times) combined to win the ACC Rookie of the Week award eight times this season. The five citations for Bacon established the school record for a single player while the eight combined honors set the school record ACC Rookie of the Week record in a single season at Florida State.

ACC's Top Scoring Freshmen Duos – in ACC History

Rank	Players, Schools	Year	Combined Points
1.	Mark Price (20.3) and John Sally (11.5) Georgia Tech	1983	31.8
2.	Malik Beasley (15.6) and Dwayne Bacon, (15.8) FSU	2016	31.4
3.	Johnny Dawkins (18.1) and Mark Alarie (13.0) Duke	1983	31.1
4.	Rodney Rogers (16.3) and Randolph Childress (14.0) Wake	1991	30.3
5.	Joe Smith (19.4) and Keith Booth (10.8) Maryland	1994	30.2

BEASLEY SET FSU FRESHMEN RECORD 24 STRAIGHT DOUBLE FIGURE SCORING GAMES

Freshman sensation Malik Beasley scored in double figures in each of the first 24 games of his career – the longest streak to begin a career at Florida State and the second longest double figure scoring streak to begin a career in ACC history. Stephon Marbury scored double figures in an ACC freshmen record 26 games to start his career.

BACON EARNS SCHOOL RECORD FOR FRESHMEN WITH 11 SCORING GAMES OF 20 OR MORE

Freshman phenom Dwayne Bacon scored 21 points against Notre Dame on Feb. 27 to raise his school record for a freshman with scoring games of 20 or more points scored to 11. His 21-point performance against Notre Dame brought to four his number of 20+ point performances in ACC play (21 at Clemson, 20 against NC State, 22 at Virginia Tech and 21 against Notre Dame) with two more coming against teams from the SEC (20 against Mississippi State and 24 at Florida). Freshman sensation Malik Beasley scored 20 points in Florida State's victory over Syracuse on Saturday in Tallahassee to raise his number of 20+ point performances to 10. Bacon and Beasley are the first freshmen duo in ACC history to both score 20 or more points 10 or more times.

Florida State's Incredible Freshmen Duo Sets Another Record

Rank	Player	Year	20+ Point Games	Total Points	PPG
1.	Dwayne Bacon	2016	11	536	15.8
2.	Malik Beasley	2016	10	529	15.6
3.	Xavier Rathan-Mayes	2015	8	476	14.9

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4 Florida State's 2,652 points scored during the 2015-16 season ranked as the fourth highest single-season total in school history. The Seminoles averaged 78.0 points scored per game – the third highest per game average in the ACC in 2015-16.

4 Florida State made 220 3-point field goals during the 2015-16 season – the fourth highest single season total in school history. Two players – Devon Bookert (59) and Malik Beasley (55) became the first pair of Seminoles to make at least 50 3-point shots in a single season since three players (Toney Douglas, Isaiah Swann and Ralph Mims) all made 50 or more 3-point shots during the 2007-08 season.

7 Xavier Rathan-Mayes made a career-high seven 3-point field goals in scoring 30 points for the fourth time in his career against North Carolina on Jan. 4, 2016. His seven 3-point field goals made are tied for the fifth most in a game in school history.

7 Boris Bojanovsky finished his career ranked seventh in school history with a career field goal shooting percentage of .577.

12 Florida State earned 12 of its 20 victories by 10 points or more including its 84-74 (+10 points) victory over Davidson in the first round of the NIT.

20 Florida State was undefeated, 20-0, when it outscored its opponent during the 2015-16 season.

20 Devon Bookert's team-leading 59 3-point field goals made during the 2015-16 season ranks as the 20th-highest single season total in school history.

24 Freshman sensation Malik Beasley scored in double figures in the first 24 games of his career – a Florida State record and the second highest total to start a career in ACC history. Stephon Marbury of Georgia Tech scored in double figures in the first 26 games of his career to begin the 1995-96 season. Beasley, as was Marbury, was first round NBA Draft selection after his one and only season as a collegiate player.

24 Freshman sensation Malik Beasley made a Seminole freshman record 33 3-point shots in 2015-16 – tied for the 24th highest total in school history.

25 Freshman phenom Dwayne Bacon scored 536 points (15.8 ppg) during the 2015-16 season. His total ranks as the highest by a freshman in school history and is the 25th highest single-season total by any player in school history.

33 Devon Bookert is one of only 33 players in school history to earn 100 or more career steals. He finished his four-year playing career tied for 13th in school history with 139 career steals.

43 Montay Brandon became the 43rd player in school history to pull down 500 or more rebounds in his career. His total of 518 career rebounds is the 32nd-highest rebounding total in school history.

BACON -- FLORIDA STATE'S DOUBLE-DOUBLE LEADER

Freshman phenom Dwayne Bacon earned his team-leading fourth double-double of the 2015-16 season with a 12-point / 10-rebound performance in the Seminoles' game at Duke on Feb. 25, 2016 and led the Seminoles with four double doubles. He was one of only three freshmen in the ACC with four or more double doubles and is one of only two ACC freshmen with a 20 (points) and 10 (rebounds) double double. Three of Bacon's four double doubles came on the road in ACC play (at Louisville, at Boston College and at Duke). Bacon is the first Seminole with at least two ACC double doubles on the road since Bernard James earned road double doubles at Virginia Tech (18 points and 15 rebounds) and at home against Clemson (13 points and 11 rebounds) during his senior season of 2011-12.

Bacon's Double Doubles Listed

Date	Opponent	Points	Rebounds	Notes
Dec. 21, 2015	Charleston Southern	20	10	Seminoles win, 75-64
Jan. 16, 2016	at Boston College	12	14	Seminoles win, 72-62
Jan. 20, 2016	at Louisville	12	10	Seminoles fall, 84-65
Feb. 25, 2016	at Duke	12	10	Seminoles fall, 80-65

BACON'S HONORS

Freshman phenom Dwayne Bacon set the school record for ACC Rookie of the Week citations (five) and was named the National Rookie of the Week on Dec. 21. He was also honored in both of the Seminoles' two early season tournaments as a member of the All-Tournament team at the Paradise Jam and as the MVP of the Seminoles' victory over FAU in the Orange Bowl Classic.

Bacon's Honors

Honor	Date	Named By
National Rookie of the Week	Dec. 21	CBS Sports
ACC Rookie of the Week (1)	Nov. 23	Atlantic Coast Conference
ACC Rookie of the Week (2)	Dec. 21	Atlantic Coast Conference
ACC Rookie of the Week (3)	Dec. 28	Atlantic Coast Conference
Paradise Jam All-Tournament Team	Nov. 23	Paradise Jam Organizing Committee
Orange Bowl Classic MVP	Dec. 19	Orange Bowl Committee

BACON HITS GAME-WINNER AGAINST FLORIDA

Freshman phenom Dwayne Bacon scored the game-winning basket for the Seminoles' with 4.6 seconds remaining in their 73-71 win over Florida in Gainesville on Dec. 29.

BEASLEY REACHES 50 3-POINT SHOTS

Freshman sensation Malik Beasley made a Seminole-freshmen record 55 3-point shots as he became the first freshman in school history to make 50 or more 3-point shots. He reached the plateau in spectacular fashion in Florida State's 78-73 victory Syracuse (March 5) in the regular season finale for both teams. He made three consecutive 3-point shots during a 1:20 span that saw Florida State begin the second half at a 35-31 disadvantage and hold a two-point lead when Beasley's magic moment was done. It was Beasley's 3-pointer with 18:16 left to play that gave the Seminoles a 40-38 lead – and though Syracuse would tie the game twice during the second half, the Seminoles never trailed after Beasley's trifecta. Beasley was three of five from the bonusphere against the Orange. He is the first freshman and the 27th player in school history to make 40 or more 3-point shots in a season.

RATHAN-MAYES RANKED SIXTH IN THE ACC IN ASSISTS

Sophomore Xavier Rathan-Mayes earned a single-season career-high 146 assists and finished his second season as a Seminole ranked sixth in the ACC in assists. His 146 assists (career-high 4.4 assists per game) are nine more than his team leading 137 assists (4.3 assists per game) during his freshman season. Rathan-Mayes had at least one assist in each of the 33 games he has played in this season and tied his career high with 11 assists against both Nichols State (Nov. 15) in the Seminoles' season-opener and in the Seminoles' victory over Southeastern Louisiana (Dec. 13).

RATHAN-MAYES CLIMBING THE 30-POINTS SCORED GAME LADDER

Sophomore Xavier Rathan-Mayes scored 30 points against North Carolina on Jan. 4, 2016 to mark the fourth time in his career that he had scored at least 30 points in a single game. His career high of 35 points has come against both North Carolina (January 24, 2015) and Miami (Feb. 25, 2015) while 30 points also came against Clemson in the second round of the ACC Tournament (March 11, 2015). Rathan-Mayes became the first freshman in ACC history to score 30 or more points at least three times as a freshman and added his fourth career 30-point game against the Tar Heels earlier this week.

Seminole's 30+ Points Game Leaders

Rank	Player	Years	30+ Point Games	Career High	FSU Career Points Rank
1.	Jim Oler	1953-56	12	42	No. 2, 1,817 career points
2.	Bob Sura	1992-95	11	35	No. 1, 2,130 career points
3.	Hugh Durham	1957-59	9	43	No. 18, 1,318 career points
4.	Ham Wernke	1952-55	7	35	No. 15, 1,404 career points
	Mitchell Wiggins	1982-83	7	37	No. 35, 1,067 career points
	Murray Brown	1977-80	7	42	No. 12, 1,479 career points
7.	Sam Cassell	1992-93	6	34	No. 25, 1,236 career points
	Tharon Mayes	1988-90	6	38	No. 22, 1,260 career points
	George McCloud	1986-89	6	36	No. 7, 1,574 career points
10.	Al Thornton	2004-07	5	45	No. 9, 1,521 career points
11.	Xavier Rathan-Mayes	2015-Pr.	4	35	No. 64, 866 career points