



EASTERN ILLINOIS

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GAME 12



COACHES:

Kim Dameron (Arkansas, 1983)

EIU Record..... 12-11 (2nd year)
OVC Record..... 12-4 (2nd year)
vs. Northern Iowa..... First Meeting

Mark Farley (Northern Iowa, 1987)

UNI Record..... 127-60 (15th year)
MVFC Record..... 78-34 (15th year)
Overall Record..... Same
vs. Eastern Illinois..... 1-0

SERIES

23rd meeting - UNI leads 15-6-1
Last: UNI 49, @EIU 43 - Dec. 1, 2001
FCS Playoffs 1st Round Game

RANKINGS

Eastern Illinois 24 / 25
Northern Iowa 15 / 14
..... *STATS Media/FCS Coaches*

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Old Conference Rivalry Renewed In FCS Playoffs No. 24 Eastern Illinois visits No. 14 Northern Iowa

Eastern Illinois at Northern Iowa
UNI Dome (16,324) • Cedar Falls, Iowa
November 28, 2015 • 4 p.m. • TV: ESPN3

THE GAME

- Eastern Illinois earned an at-large playoff berth to the FCS playoffs marking the 16th time that EIU has made the postseason as an NCAA Division I program. The 16 playoff appearances are tied for sixth most among FCS programs. EIU's opponent, Northern Iowa, will be making its 18th appearance which ranks fifth all-time.
- Eastern Illinois went 7-1 in the Ohio Valley Conference with the Panthers lone loss to No. 1 ranked and national number one seed Jacksonville State. EIU and JSU were tied at 3-3 until the final fifteen seconds of the third quarter. The Panthers also lost at home in overtime to national number two seed Illinois State with EIU missing a field goal that would have won the game in regulation.
- Dino Fanti was named the Ohio Valley Conference Defensive Player of the Week for the second straight week after making five tackles, four tackles for loss, two sacks, two forced fumbles and two quarterback hurries in the win over Eastern Kentucky. Fanti is the EIU career leader for tackles for loss (54) and became the school single season record holder in the category against EKU. Fanti has 21 tackles for loss this season.
- Head Coach Kim Dameron becomes the fifth different EIU coach to guide the Panthers to the FCS playoffs joining Darrell Mudra, Al Molde, Bob Spoo and Dino Babers.
- EIU was ranked No. 24/25 in the final regular season Top 25. EIU opened the year ranked No. 25 in the FCS Coaches poll but fell out after week one.

THE SERIES

- This will be the 23rd meeting between Eastern Illinois and Northern Iowa. UNI leads the all-time series 15-6-1 with five straight wins in the series dating back to the years when EIU and UNI were both rivals in the Gateway Football Conference. The last two meetings have taken place in the FCS playoffs. UNI won 49-43 in Charleston in 2001 and 21-14 in Cedar Falls in 1996. EIU's last win in the series was 1992 when EIU upset No. 1 ranked UNI 21-15. EIU is 0-11-1 in games in Cedar Falls, the tie was in 1982.

Eastern Illinois (7-4, 7-1 OVC)			Northern Iowa (7-4, 5-3 MVFC)		
Date	Opponent	Score/Time	Date	Opponent	Score/Time
Sept. 3	at Western Illinois	L 5-33	Sept. 5	at Iowa State	L 7-31
Sept. 12	at Northwestern	L 0-41	Sept. 12	EASTERN WASHINGTON	W 38-35
Sept. 19	ILLINOIS STATE	L 31-34 (ot)	Sept. 19	at Cal Poly	W 34-20
Oct. 3	• at Austin Peay	W 40-16	Oct. 3	• at Illinois State	L 13-21
Oct. 10	• SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	W 33-28	Oct. 10	• at North Dakota State	L 28-31
Oct. 17	• at Tennessee State	W 25-22 (ot)	Oct. 17	• WESTERN ILLINOIS	L 19-24
Oct. 24	• TENNESSEE TECH	W 51-20	Oct. 24	• at South Dakota State	W 10-7
Oct. 31	• at Murray State	W 34-20	Oct. 31	• SOUTH DAKOTA	W 20-7
Nov. 7	• JACKSONVILLE STATE	L 3-24	Nov. 7	• INDIANA STATE	W 59-13
Nov. 14	• at UT Martin	W 23-21	Nov. 14	• at Missouri State	W 41-0
Nov. 21	• EASTERN KENTUCKY	W 21-7	Nov. 21	• SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	W 49-28
Nov. 28	# at Northern Iowa	4 pm	Nov. 28	# EASTERN ILLINOIS	4 pm
	• Ohio Valley Conference Game			• Missouri Valley Football Conference Game	
	# FCS Playoff Game	All Times Central		# FCS Playoff Game	All Times Central

FCS TOP 25

**2015 STATS FCS MEDIA
(FINAL REGULAR SEASON)**

Rk.	Team	2015 Record
1.	Jacksonville State (135)	10-1
2.	North Dakota State (2)	9-2
3.	McNeese Sate (10)	10-0
4.	Illinois State	9-2
5.	Portland State	9-2
6.	Sam Houston State	8-3
7.	Chattanooga	8-3
8.	James Madison	9-2
9.	Charleston Southern	9-2
10.	South Dakota State	8-3
10.	Coastal Carolina	9-2
12.	Richmond	8-3
13.	William & Mary	8-3
14.	Fordham	9-2
15.	Northern Iowa	7-4
16.	Montana	7-4
17.	Southern Utah	8-3
18.	The Citadel	8-3
19.	Harvard	9-1
20.	Dartmouth	9-1
21.	Grambling State	8-2
22.	North Carolina A&T	9-2
23.	Eastern Washington	6-5
24.	EASTERN ILLINOIS	7-4
25.	Bethune-Cookman	9-2

Receiving Votes (OVC & 2015 EIU opponents):
Western Illinois, Eastern Kentucky, UT Martin

**2015 FCS COACHES
(FINAL REGULAR SEASON)**

Rk.	Team	2015 Record
1.	Jacksonville State (20)	10-1
2.	McNeese State (1)	10-0
3.	North Dakota State (1)	9-2
4.	Illinois State	9-2
5.	Portland State	9-2
6.	James Madison	9-2
7.	Charleston Southern	9-2
8.	Chattanooga	8-3
9.	Coastal Carolina	9-2
10.	Sam Houston State	8-3
11.	Richmond	8-3
12.	South Dakota State	8-3
13.	William & Mary	8-3
14.	Northern Iowa	7-4
15.	Fordham	9-2
16.	Southern Utah	8-3
17.	Montana	7-4
18.	The Citadel	8-3
19.	Harvard	8-3
20.	North Carolina A&T	9-2
21.	Bethune-Cookman	9-2
22.	Dartmouth	9-1
23.	Northern Arizona	7-4
24.	Grambling State	8-2
25.	EASTERN ILLINOIS	7-4

Receiving Votes (OVC & 2015 EIU opponents):
Western Illinois, UT Martin, Eastern Kentucky

- Jourdan Wickliffe picked off two passes on Saturday against Eastern Kentucky as the senior moved into a tie for second on the EIU career interceptions list. Wickliffe has five interceptions this season and 14 for his career. It was the third multiple interception game of Wickliffe’s career. Earlier this season he sealed EIU wins at UT Martin and Tennessee State with interceptions to end the game. Wickliffe would rank first in the OVC and ninth in the NCAA with his five interceptions, but has not played in enough games this season.

- Nick Horne has made back-to-back starts for Eastern Illinois filling in for All-OVC linebacker Kamu Grugier-Hill. On Saturday against Eastern Kentucky Horne made the most of his opportunity as he picked up a fumble and returned it 62 yards for a touchdown. It was the second longest fumble return for touchdown in school history. This season Horne has 33 tackles with 6.5 tackles for loss and 1.5 sacks.

- Senior Antonie Johnson broke up two passes on Saturday as the Panthers had a good defensive effort in the secondary. Johnson now has 21 pass break-ups in his two year career moving into ninth on the EIU career list. His 12 pass break-ups this season are tied for third on the EIU single season list. Johnson has 23 tackles with one tackle for loss this year.

- Eastern Illinois forced seven turnovers on Saturday against Eastern Kentucky with five interceptions and two fumble recoveries. Over the last five games EIU has 19 turnovers gained climbing to third in the nation with 29 total turnovers gained this year. It was the second time this season that EIU has intercepted five passes (previous on Oct. 24 vs. Tennessee Tech). The seven turnovers gained are the most for EIU since Nov. 8, 2003 when they had eight turnovers gained against Tennessee Tech (6 FR / 2 INT).

- Bradley Dewberry had two interceptions in the win over Eastern Kentucky to go with a team high eight solo tackles. Dewberry was named an FCS Stud of the Week by Hero Sports.com for his performance. On the season Dewberry has four interceptions while ranking second on the team with 69 tackles.

- Dylan Chatman picked off a pass on Saturday against Eastern Kentucky giving him four interceptions this year. Chatman was a two-year starter on the Panthers basketball team after beginning his hoops career at Southwestern Illinois College. Chatman graduated in May and is playing football for his final semester of college eligibility. This season he has started nine games with 29 tackles and seven pass break-ups.

- Eastern Illinois linebacker Seth McDonald had five tackles on Saturday against Eastern Kentucky including 1.5 tackles for loss. McDonald went over the 100 tackle mark for the year becoming the 38th player in school history with 100 or more tackles in a season. The last player to pass the century mark was Robert Haynes with 102 tackles in 2012. Tim Carver is the EIU single season tackles leader with 179 tackles in 1994.

- Dino Fanti set the EIU single season record for tackles for loss on Saturday against Eastern Kentucky passing Pete Catan. Fanti now has 21 tackles for loss. The senior defensive lineman is also making a run into two other season categories for EIU. Fanti needs one more sack to join the EIU single season top ten for sacks. He currently has 7.5. Fanti moved into third with his two forced fumbles giving him five for the year which is second in the NCAA. Catan and Nick Ricks hold the EIU single season record with seven.

- As a team Eastern Illinois has recorded 90 tackles for loss for 322 yards this season. That total ranks sixth best for a team at EIU in school history. The school record is 111 set in 2002 with the second best mark of 104 coming in 2000 when current head coach Kim Dameron served as the Panthers defensive coordinator. EIU is tenth in the NCAA this season and second in the OVC in tackles for loss per game.

- EIU has 19 interceptions this season which has the Panthers ranked second in the nation behind Jacksonville University with 20. The 19 interceptions are tied for the tenth best total in school history. The school record is 31 set in 1980. This season EIU has eight different players with at least one touchdown with three picks returned for scores.

2015 OVC Standings

Team	OVC	Pct.	All	Pct.
Jacksonville State	8-0	1.000	10-1	.909
Eastern Illinois	7-1	.875	7-4	.636
UT Martin	6-2	.750	7-4	.636
Eastern Kentucky	5-3	.625	6-5	.545
Southeast Missouri	3-4	.429	4-7	.364
Tennessee Tech	3-5	.375	4-7	.364
Murray State	2-6	.250	3-8	.336
Tennessee State	1-6	.143	4-6	.400
Austin Peay	0-8	.000	0-11	.000

This Week In OVC Football FCS Playoffs 1st Round

Saturday, November 28

Western Illinois at Dayton	11 am
Fordham at Chattanooga	12 pm
The Citadel at Coastal Carolina	1 pm
South Dakota State at Montana	2 pm
Southern Utah at Sam Houston State	2 pm
Colgate at New Hampshire	2:30 pm
Duquesne at William & Mary	2:30 pm
Eastern Illinois at Northern Iowa	4 pm

Saturday, December 5

FCS Playoff 2nd Round Games

The FCS Championship game will return for a sixth straight year to Pizza Hut Park in Frisco, Texas. The FCS Championship game will be played in January in the sixth year of the new FCS playoff format. Last year North Dakota State defeated Illinois State to win its fourth straight FCS National Championship.

After expanding to 20 teams for the 2010 FCS playoffs, the field expanded to 24 teams in 2013 with the Pioneer League now receiving an automatic bid. The eight top seeds will receive a first round bye. The first round of the playoffs is Saturday, Nov. 28

OVC Predicted Order Of Finish

1. Jacksonville State (16)	128
2. Eastern Illinois	107
3. Eastern Kentucky (2)	106
4. UT Martin	78
5. Tennessee State	66
6. Southeast Missouri	63
7. Tennessee Tech	45
8. Murray State	38
9. Austin Peay	17

(first place votes in parenthesis)

Eastern Illinois Players On All-OVC Preseason Team

Offense

Evan Kanz - Offensive Line

Defense

Dino Fanti - Defensive Line

Kamu Grugier-Hill - Linebacker

Jourdan Wickliffe - Defensive Back

• Eastern Illinois offensive line made it seven straight games without allowing a sack as the Panthers have now gone 556 plays since the last time an EIU quarterback was sacked. The last sack was by Austin Peay on the first play from scrimmage in the Ohio Valley Conference opener. For the season EIU ranks fifth in the nation in fewest sacks allowed with just nine sacks against them this season.

• Eastern Illinois will be making its 16th overall FCS playoff appearance this Saturday and the tenth appearance since the 2000 season when quarterback Tony Romo led EIU to three straight FCS appearances. Since the 2000 season EIU ranks third among current FCS schools in playoff appearances with ten. Montana is first with 13 followed by New Hampshire with 12. EIU's opening round opponent Northern Iowa is tied with McNeese State for fourth on that list with nine appearances since 2000.

• Eastern Illinois will be making its 16th FCS playoff appearance. EIU was 1-1 during the 2013 FCS playoffs losing to eventual national runner-up Towson in the quarterfinals. EIU was led by quarterback Jimmy Garoppolo that season as EIU won its first FCS playoff game since 1989. EIU is 4-15 all-time in the FCS playoffs with a 1-10 record in road games. EIU's FCS playoff road win was 1989 at Idaho.

• Jalen Whitlow scored the Panthers first touchdown on Saturday against Eastern Kentucky finishing the game with 26 yards rushing. Whitlow is second on the Panthers team with 493 yards and two rushing touchdowns. Earlier this season he became the 27th player and first quarterback in EIU history to rush for more than 1,000 yards. Whitlow is 24th on the career list with 1,285 yards. Whitlow went over the 3,000 yard passing mark this season as well currently ranking 11th all-time at EIU with 3,732 yards.

• Malik Harrison provided a spark for the Panthers offense on a cold and snowy day against Eastern Kentucky. Harrison finished with a game high 79 yards on 13 carries including a late third quarter touchdown. Harrison's 34 yard run late in the second quarter gave EIU the ball inside the 15 yard line and set up Jalen Whitlow's score. Earlier this season Harrison had a 123 yard game against Tennessee Tech.

• Eastern Illinois has been versatile in the backfield this season with four different players rushing for 100 or more yards in a game. Devin Church is the team leader with two 100-yard games against Illinois State and Tennessee State. Malik Harrison had a 100-yard game against Tennessee Tech. Quarterback Jalen Whitlow rushed for 142 yards in the road win at UT Martin. Senior Shepard Little had a 100-yard game against Murray State and has 12 career 100 yard games. Little is eighth on the Panthers career rushing list with 2,783 yards.

• Transfer James Brooks stepped in as the Panthers punt returner on Saturday against Eastern Kentucky finishing with three punt returns for 56 yards. His return late in the second quarter gave EIU the ball at midfield as they would eventually drive down and score the game's first touchdown. As a team EIU is averaging 11.7 yards per punt return this season which is 26th in the NCAA and first in the OVC. Since joining the line-up on Oct. 24 Brooks has seven catches for 98 yards and a touchdown.

• Devin Church was been one of the Panthers top all-purpose players this season. To open the season Church served as the kickoff return specialist in addition to starting running back. Entering the FCS playoffs Church is 42nd in the FCS in all-purpose yards with 115.73 per game. He leads EIU with 708 rushing yards. In addition Church is the team's leading receiver with 26 receptions for 208 yards. He has scored ten total touchdowns to rank ninth in the OVC in scoring.

• Eastern Illinois has been able to score on the big play (20 or more yards) 14 times this season with nine offensive touchdowns, four defensive touchdowns and a kickoff return by Tray Mitchell on special teams. Of the nine offensive touchdowns, three have been touchdown passes covering 60 or more yards and the other was an 83-yard touchdown run. EIU has a total of 34 touchdowns this season.

EIU HEAD COACH KIM DAMERON

Kim Dameron is in his second season as the Eastern Illinois head football coach. Dameron was the defensive coordinator at Louisiana Tech prior to taking the EIU head job and has more than 15 years of experience as a defensive coordinator with more than 30 years of experience as a college coach. Dameron served as the EIU defensive coordinator in 2000 helping the program rebound from a 2-10 season in 1999 to an 8-4 record and FCS playoff appearance in 2000. Dameron played football at Arkansas appearing in four bowl games between 1979-82. He is a 1983 graduate of Arkansas. Complete Coach Kim Dameron bio available on page 7 of EIU game notes...

NORTHERN IOWA HEAD COACH MARK FARLEY

Mark Farley is in his 15th season as the head coach at Northern Iowa after the Panthers posted a 7-4 record this season and 5-3 mark in the Missouri Valley Football Conference. UNI is making its ninth FCS playoff appearance with Farley at the helm. A former player and assistant coach at Northern Iowa, Farley took over the Panthers program in 2001 leading them to the FCS playoffs with an opening round win over Eastern Illinois and quarterback Tony Romo. His career record is 127-60.

SCOUTING NORTHERN IOWA

Northern Iowa's success has been predicated on running the football and stopping the run. The Panthers offense is triggered by Illinois transfer quarterback Aaron Bailey who ranks fourth in the NCAA in rushing touchdowns. Bailey leads UNI with 1,029 yards on the ground with 17 touchdowns. He has passed for 1,362 yards with another nine scores. On defense Karter Schult and Brett McMakin pace UNI. Schult is fourth in the nation with 12 sacks and has 22 tackles for loss with 70 total stops. McMakin has 96 tackles with 16 for loss. On special teams punt returner Makinton Dorleant is one of the best in the nation at 17.1 yards per return.

ON THIS DATE IN EIU HISTORY

November 28, 2009 - In the final season at McAndrew Stadium in Carbondale, Eastern Illinois scored on its first offensive possession of the game as Lorence Ricks scooted in from 11 yards out on a fourth and one call. The Panthers would struggle on offense after that drive turning the ball over six times as they lost at No. 1 ranked Southern Illinois. Mon Williams rushed for 109 yards in the loss for EIU.

DEFENSIVE SCORING

Eastern Illinois defense has been solid this year ranking second in the nation in interceptions, 32nd in fumbles recovered and third nationally in turnovers gained. Of the 29 forced turnovers, EIU has been able to convert four of those into scores with two other scores coming by the special teams unit on blocked kicks. The four defensive touchdowns by EIU are the most by a Panthers unit since the 2005 season when EIU had eight defensive touchdowns.

2015 Defensive Scores...

Seth McDonald 20-yard interception TD vs. Illinois State
Jarvis Williams 24-yard interception TD vs. Tennessee Tech
Thomas Coronado 45-yard interception TD at UT Martin
Nick Horne 62-yard fumble TD vs. Eastern Kentucky

Special Teams Scores on blocks

Bradley Dewberry - blocked extra point return for 2-points (WIU)
Brandon Neverdon - blocked punt out of end zone for safety (UTM)

TALE OF THE TAPE



Points Per Game.....	24.2	28.9
Average Points Allowed.....	24.2	19.7
First Downs.....	198	218
Rushing Yards Per Game	182.1	220.2
Rushing Touchdowns.....	19	26
Passing Yards Per Game	154.5	162.6
Passing Touchdowns	10	11
Average Yards Per Game	336.5	382.8
Interceptions Thrown	13	10
Fumbles - Lost	21-7	9-3
Turnovers Gained.....	29	23
Punting Average	34.8	43.0
Field Goals (ATT/MADE)	9-of-15	9-of-14
3rd Down Conversions	50-of-162 (31%)	59-of-158 (37%)
4th Down Conversions.....	8-of-20 (40%)	5-of-11 (45%)
Sacks By (Yards).....	23 (152)	32 (162)
Penalties (Yards)	88 (736)	67 (638)
Time of Possession (Game)	28:38	29:54

Statistical Leaders

RUSHING YARDS

EASTERN ILLINOIS	NORTHERN IOWA
Devin Church.....708	Aaron Bailey.....1029
Jalen Whitlow.....493	Tyvis Smith.....667

PASSING YARDS

EASTERN ILLINOIS	NORTHERN IOWA
Jalen Whitlow.....1657	Aaron Bailey.....1362
Austin Green.....33	Sawyer Kollmorgen.....377

RECEPTIONS

EASTERN ILLINOIS	NORTHERN IOWA
Devin Church.....26	Daurice Fountain.....37
Isaiah Nelson.....22	Charles Brown.....25
Anthony Taylor.....20	Darrian Miller.....20

TACKLES

EASTERN ILLINOIS	NORTHERN IOWA
Seth McDonald.....104	Brett McMakin.....96
Bradley Dewberry.....69	Karter Schult.....70
Kamu Grugier-Hill.....62	Deiondre' Hall.....69
Dino Fanti.....60	Jared Farley.....69
Jourdan Wickliffe.....58	D'Shawn Dexter.....57

TACKLES FOR LOSS / SACKS

EASTERN ILLINOIS	NORTHERN IOWA
Dino Fanti.....21.....7.5	Karter Schult.....22.....12
Kamu Grugier-Hill... 14.5...5.5	Isaac Ales.....15.....7.5
Jarvis Williams.....5.5.....2	Brett McMakin.....16.....2.5

RECORD BOOK WATCH LIST

CAREER RUSHING YARDS

1....	Poke Cobb (1976-79)	5,042
7....	Jabarey McDavid (1996-00)	2,837
8....	Shepard Little (2013-pres.)	2,783

21....	Dennis Bundy (1966-68)	1,410
22....	Bill Korosec (1991-94)	1,366
23....	Chris Hicks (1992-95)	1,323
24....	Jalen Whitlow (2014-pres.)	1,285

CAREER PASSING YARDS

1....	Jimmy Garoppolo (2010-13)	13,156
2....	Sean Payton (1983-86)	10,655
3....	Tony Romo (1999-02)	8,212
8....	Mike Simpson (1996-97)	3,901
9....	Ron Gustafson (1969-71)	3,820
10....	Bodie Reeder (2007-09)	3,741
11....	Jalen Whitlow (2014-pres.)	3,732

CAREER TOUCHDOWN PASSES

1....	Jimmy Garoppolo (2010-13)	118
9....	Anthony Buich (1998-99)	27
10....	Jalen Whitlow (2014-pres.)	24
....	Pete Mauch (1992-95)	24

CAREER RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS

1....	J.R. Taylor (1999-02)	51
2....	Poke Cobb (1976-79)	49
5....	Justin Lynch (1995-98)	27
6....	Shepard Little (2013-pres.)	24
....	Taylor Duncan (2011-14)	24

CAREER PUNT RETURN YARDS

1....	Frank Cutolo (1998-01)	795
2....	Pete Mauch (1992-95)	468
3....	Charlie Person (1980-83)	372
4....	Shepard Little (2013-pres.)	370

CAREER KICK OFF RETURN YARDS

1....	Andre Raymond (2000-03)	1,968
6....	Jamie Jones (1988-91)	1,235
7....	Trey Pendergrass (2012-)	1,095

CAREER ALL-PURPOSE YARDS

1....	Poke Cobb (1976-79)	6,077
8....	Willie High (1992-95)	4,379
9....	DuWayne Pitts (1984-87)	3,949
10....	Frank Cutolo (1998-01)	3,872
11....	Shepard Little (2013-pres.)	3,816

CAREER INTERCEPTIONS

1....	Rich Brown (1978-80)	17
2....	Jourdan Wickliffe (2012-pres.)	14
....	Rodney Reynolds (1986-89)	14
4....	Mike Grier (1970-71)	13

CAREER PASS BREAK-UPS

1....	Kourtney Young (1998-01)	33
6....	Terrance Sanders (2002-06)	23
....	James Dorsey (1992-95)	23
....	Ray McElroy (1991-94)	23
9....	Antonie Johnson (2014-pres.)	21
....	Jeff Mills (1985-89)	21

CAREER TACKLES FOR LOSS

1 ...	Dino Fanti (2012-pres.)	54
2....	Pete Catan (1976-80)	45
3....	Nick Ricks (2000-03)	43
6....	Artavious Dowdell (2009-12)	37.5
10....	Kamu Grugier-Hill (2012-pres.)	30
....	Ira Jefferson (1978-81)	30

CAREER FIELD GOALS MADE

1....	Steve Largent (1992-95)	46
2....	Cameron Berra (2010-13)	34
4....	Tyler Wilke (2005-08)	26
....	Chad Lerner (1996-99)	26
6....	Nick Bruno (2015-pres.)	23
7....	Jeff Sanders (1974-77)	22

CAREER EXTRA POINTS MADE

1....	Cameron Berra (2010-13)	172
2....	Chad Lerner (1996-99)	133
6....	Dan DiMartino (1978-79)	78
7....	Nick Bruno (2015-pres.)	73

TOTAL OFFENSE

1....	Jimmy Garoppolo (2010-13)	13,089
2....	Sean Payton (1983-86)	10,298
3....	Tony Romo (1999-02)	8,059
5....	Jeff Christensen (1980-82)	6,185
6....	Poke Cobb (1976-79)	5,161
7....	Jalen Whitlow (2014-pres.)	5,017

NCAA PLAYOFF APPEARANCES

School.....# Appearances (Last)

Montana	24 (2015)
Eastern Kentucky	21 (2014)
Appalachian State*	20 (2012)
Georgia Southern*	19 (2012)
Northern Iowa	18 (2015)
EASTERN ILLINOIS	16 (2015)
McNeese State	16 (2015)
Furman	16 (2013)
Delaware	15 (2010)
New Hampshire	14 (2015)
Jackson State	12 (1997)
Youngstown State	11 (2006)

* moved to the FBS level in 2013

FCS Division I Playoffs

1982	- Quarterfinals
1983	- First Round
1986	- Quarterfinals
1989	- Quarterfinals
1995	- First Round
1996	- First Round
2000	- First Round
2001	- First Round
2002	- First Round
2005	- First Round
2006	- First Round
2007	- First Round
2009	- First Round
2012	- First Round
2013	- Quarterfinals
2015	- ????



Division II Playoffs

1978	(National Champions)
1980	(National Runners-up)

FCS PLAYOFF APPEARANCES SINCE 2000

School.....# Appearances (Last)

Montana	13 (2015)
New Hampshire	12 (2015)
Appalachian State *	11 (2012)
EASTERN ILLINOIS	10 (2015)
McNeese State	9 (2015)
Northern Iowa	9 (2015)

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**Eastern Illinois In The
OVC/NCAA Stats
2015**

TEAM	NCAA	OVC
Rushing Offense (182.1)	40th	3rd
Passing Offense (154.5)	101st	8th
Passing Efficiency (100.92)	104th	8th
Total Offense (336.5)	84th	6th
Scoring Offense (24.2)	74th	7th
Rushing Defense (161.3)	61st	4th
Pass Defense (191.2)	32nd	2nd
Pass Efficiency Def. (97.67)	4th	1st
Total Defense (352.5)	39th	3rd
Scoring Defense (24.2)	49th	2nd
Net Punting (30.39)	118th	9th
Punt Returns (11.67)	26th	1st
Kickoff Returns (19.71)	82nd	6th
Turnover Margin (0.82)	13th	2nd
Turnovers Gained (29)	3rd	1st
Sacks (23)	53rd	5th
Tackles For Loss (90)	10th	2nd
Sacks Allowed (9)	5th	1st
3rd Down Conversion (30.9)	101st	7th
4th Down Conversion (40.0)	85th	8th
3rd Down Defense (33.5)	22nd	2nd
Red Zone Offense (26-of-34 - 20 TDs)	77th	6th
Red Zone Defense (30-of-47 - 19 TDs)	8th	1st
Time of Possession (28:37)	85th	6th
Blocked Kicks (7)	4th	1st
Passes Intercepted (19)	2nd	1st

INDIVIDUAL (Top 50)

	NCAA	OVC
Devin Church (All-Purpose)	42nd	3rd
Isaiah Nelson (Yards Per Catch)	51st	3rd
Nick Bruno (Field Goals)	49th	4th
Ben Odugbesan (Blocked Kicks)	13th	1st
Tray Mitchell (KOR Touchdowns)	9th	1st
Tray Mitchell (Kick Returns)	26th	2nd
Dino Fanti (Forced Fumbles)	2nd	1st
Mike Gunter (Fumbles Recovered)	21st	1st
Dylan Chatman (Interceptions)	26th	2nd
Bradley Dewberry (Interceptions)	26th	2nd
Antonie Johnson (Passes Defended)	33rd	2nd
Dylan Chatman (Passes Defended)	41st	4th
Dino Fanti (Tackles for loss)	7th	2nd
Kamu Grugier-Hill (Tackles for loss)	15th	3rd
Seth McDonald (Tackles)	36th	3rd
Dino Fanti (Sacks)	26th	2nd
Kamu Grugier-Hill (Sacks)	44th	4th

SHUT OUT STREAK ENDS

Eastern Illinois had its 139 game streak of not being shut out in a game end on Saturday at Northwestern during 41-0 loss. The last time EIU was shut out was Oct. 11, 2003 during a 41-0 loss versus Eastern Kentucky. In the season opener EIU had its streak of consecutive games scoring a touchdown end at 65 after the Panthers were held out of the end zone. The last time EIU failed to score a touchdown was October 10, 2009 at Penn State. EIU's longest streak of consecutive games without being shutout was 197 from 1977-1997 which ranks fourth all-time among FCS schools.

Longest EIU Streaks

197 (1997-97) ended 8/28/97 at Western Illinois
139 (2003-15) ended 9/12/15 at Northwestern

OVC SUCCESS

• Eastern Illinois was the OVC's most successful school in terms of wins during the first decade of the 2000's as the Panthers posted 72 wins during that span. EIU leads the conference with the most post-season appearances since the Panthers joined the league in 1996.

(FCS Playoff Appearances Since 1996)

- 11 - Eastern Illinois
- 6 - Jacksonville State
- 5 - Eastern Kentucky
- 3 - Tennessee State
- 2 - Murray State
- 1 - UT Martin
- 1 - Southeast Missouri
- 1 - Tennessee Tech
- 1 - Western Kentucky

FUTURE FBS GAMES

• Eastern Illinois played an FBS opponent for the 18th straight year this season facing Northwestern in the second week of the season. It marked the eighth time EIU has played a team from the Big Ten Conference.

2015

Sept. 12 at Northwestern

2016

Sept. 10 at Miami of Ohio

PANTHERS NFL CONNECTION

• Eastern Illinois was once again the Cradle of NFL Head Coaches in 2010 as three EIU alums were NFL head coaches during the season. Mike Shanahan with the Washington Redskins, Sean Payton with the New Orleans Saints and Brad Childress with the Minnesota Vikings all have ties to EIU. EIU currently has the following alums as coaches/players in the NFL

EIU NFL Connections

- Tony Romo - Dallas Quarterback
- Jimmy Garoppolo - New England Quarterback
- Sean Payton - New Orleans Head Coach
- Greg McMahon - New Orleans Special Teams
- Ryan Pace - Chicago Bears General Manager

SAME FACE, NEW NUMBER

• Six players have changed numbers for the Panthers during the off season. (note some number changes due to position change).

Player.....New.....Old

Anthony Goodman	1	13
Antonie Johnson	5	28
Austin Green	14	16
Vincent Speller	28	41
Cody Edwards	35	69
Taylor Shepard	56	91

NCAA FBS TRANSFERS

• Like most schools at the FCS level, Eastern Illinois has a number of FBS transfers on its roster. This year the Panthers added 11 FBS transfers for a total of 14.

EIU FBS Transfers

- 1 - James Brooks (Kent State)
- 2 - Jalen Whitlow (Kentucky)
- 3 - Anthony Standifer (Ole Miss)
- 8 - Mack Weaver (Vanderbilt)
- 9 - Devin Church (Illinois)
- 13 - Mitch Kimble (Syracuse)
- 22 - Korliss Marshall (Arkansas)
- 33 - Jerron Seymour (Vanderbilt)
- 57 - Scott Taylor (Northern Illinois)
- 59 - Jareem Fleming (Northern Illinois)
- 77 - Josh Doyle (Northern Illinois)
- 91 - Jarvis Williams (Troy)
- 92 - Horace Arkadie (Arkansas)



KIM DAMERON
(Arkansas, 1983) -- 2nd Season

Kim Dameron was hired as the 24th head coach in program history and the fifth in the NCAA Division I era in January of 2014.

In his first season Dameron coached the Panthers to a 5-7 record including 5-3 in the Ohio Valley Conference as the Panthers were in the championship race until the final weeks of the season. Dameron's first career victory came on Sept. 20 against Austin Peay as the Panthers won 63-7. In the game EIU tied a school record for rushing yards with 413. The team featured three All-American selections including first team offensive lineman Collin Seibert and freshman All-American kicker Nick Bruno. Dameron's squad had five first team All-OVC selections and five second team All-OVC honorees. The team was among the best on both sides of the ball in the OVC ranking second in total offense (11th nationally) and third in total defense.

Dameron spent the 2013 season as the defensive coordinator at Louisiana Tech where he directed a much improved defensive unit. The Bulldogs finished ranked 69th in the nation in total defense under Dameron's direction after being ranked 120th the previous season. Dameron's defense was the fourth most-improved squad in the FBS last season.

THE COACH DAMERON FILE

EDUCATION

University of Arkansas.....Bachelor's, 1983

PLAYING CAREER

Arkansas •4-year player (1979-82)

COACHING CAREER

- Jan. 10, 2014-present...**Eastern Illinois University**
Head Coach
- 2013**Louisiana Tech** (Def. Coordinator)
- 2012**Cornell** (Def. Coordinator)
- 2011**Cornell** (Assistant)
- 2008-10**Mississippi** (Assistant)
- 2005-07**Louisiana Monroe** (Def. Coordinator)
- 2001-04**Stephen F. Austin** (Def. Coordinator)
- 2000**Eastern Illinois** (Def. Coordinator)
- 1999**Toronto - CFL** (Assistant)
- 1998**Cincinnati** (Def. Coordinator)
- 1996-97**Cincinnati** (Assistant)
- 1993-95**Murray State** (Def. Coordinator)
- 1992**UNLV** (Assistant)
- 1986-91**Missouri State** (Assistant)
- 1983**Arkansas** (Graduate Assistant)

PLAYOFFS & BOWL GAMES AS A COACH

- 2009** - Cotton Bowl (Mississippi)
- 2008** - Cotton Bowl (Mississippi)
- 2000** - FCS Playoffs (Eastern Illinois)
- 1997** - Humanitarian Bowl (Cincinnati)
- 1995** - FCS Playoffs (Murray State)
- 1990** - FCS Playoffs (Missouri State)
- 1989** - FCS Playoffs (Missouri State)

- 1982** - Bluebonnet Bowl (Arkansas)
- 1981** - Gator Bowl (Arkansas)
- 1980** - Hall of Fame Classic (Arkansas)
- 1979** - Sugar Bowl (Arkansas)

An experienced defensive coach with more than 15 years as a defensive coordinator Dameron will take over an Eastern Illinois program that advanced to the FCS playoff quarterfinals last season. It will be Dameron's second stint in Charleston as he previously worked as the defensive coordinator at EIU in 2000 as a member of head coach Bob Spoo's staff. During that 2000 season, Dameron helped transform the Panthers defense as they rebounded from a 2-10 season in 1999 to 8-4 and Ohio Valley Conference Champions in 2000.

Dameron spent three seasons as the safeties coach at Ole Miss as the team appeared in two Cotton Bowls. Two of his players were selected in the NFL draft as his pass defense unit ranked 11th in the NCAA in pass efficiency defense and 15th in pass defense.

Prior to his stint at Ole Miss, Dameron was the defensive coordinator at Louisiana-Monroe as the program became bowl eligible at the FBS level for the first time in 2007 while also picking up a win over Alabama. The ULM defense led the Sun Belt Conference in fewest points allowed and ranking third nationally in turnovers gained.

Dameron has previous stops as the defensive coordinator at Stephen F. Austin and as the secondary coach at Cincinnati and UNLV. He spent the 1999 season as the secondary coach in the Canadian Football League with the Toronto Argonauts.

He has previous FCS coaching experience on the staffs of Murray State and Missouri State where he helped coach both teams to FCS playoff appearances.

Dameron began his coaching career as a graduate assistant under Lou Holtz at Arkansas, his alma mater, after earning his degree. He was a four-year player for the Razorbacks from 1979-82 at wide receiver and defensive back. As a Razorback he participated in four bowl games including the 1979 Sugar Bowl.

Dameron and his wife Debbie, have one daughter Krystle. Krystle and her husband Mike, gave birth to daughter Emma the day prior to Dameron coaching his first collegiate game as a head coach on August 28, 2014 at Minnesota.





Kim Dameron
Head Coach
(2nd year)
Arkansas, 1983



Greg Stevens
Asst HC / Off. Coordinator
(2nd year)
Eastern Oregon, 1992



Kane Wommack
Defensive Coordinator
(2nd year)
Southern Miss, 2009



Mark Hutson
Assoc HC / Offensive Line
(5th year)
Oklahoma, 1990



Tony Gilbert
Special Teams / Corners
(2nd year)
Missouri State, 1989



Danny Nutt
Running Backs
(2nd year)
Arkansas, 1985



Micah Smith
Tight Ends
(2nd year)
Chadron State, 2008



TD Woods
Wide Receivers
(2nd year)
Tennessee, 1996



Dennis 'Dirt' Winston
Defensive Line
(2nd year)
Arkansas, 1989



Michael Hodges
Linebackers
(2nd year)
Texas A&M, 2010



James Truxillo
Huskies
(2nd year)
Louisiana Monroe, 2009



Ty Webb
Strength Coach
(1st year)
Louisiana College, 2010



Jason Heiar
Football Athletic Trainer
(2nd year)
Iowa, 2000



Clint Bays
Equipment Manager
(8th year)
Eastern Illinois



Lucas Stortzum
Dir. Football Operations
(2nd year)
Eastern Illinois, 2010

EIU LAST TIME IT HAPPENED

Eastern Illinois Football The Last Time It Happened....

Passed for more than 300 yards...

Jalen Whitlow, 312, vs. Murray State (Nov. 8, 2014)

Passed for more than 400 yards...

Jimmy Garoppolo, 477 at UT Martin (Nov. 23, 2013)
Garoppolo has passed for 400 or more yards five times in 2013

Threw four touchdown passes...

Jalen Whitlow, 4, at Tennessee Tech (Nov. 1, 2014)
Jimmy Garoppolo, 7, vs. Illinois State (Sept. 14, 2013)
Jimmy Garoppolo, 6, at UT Martin (Nov. 23, 2013)
Jimmy Garoppolo, 6, at Northern Illinois (Sept. 21, 2013)
Garoppolo had four or more touchdown passes eight times in 2013

Rushed for more than 200 yards...

Shepard Little, 245 vs. Jacksonville State (Nov. 16, 2013)

Rushed for three touchdowns...

Jalen Whitlow, 3, at Southeast Missouri (Oct. 18, 2014)

Rushed for four touchdowns...

J.R. Taylor, 4 vs. Florida Atlantic (Nov. 16, 2002)

Had 12 Receptions...

Adam Drake, 13 at Eastern Kentucky (Oct. 11, 2014)
Erik Lora, 21 vs. Murray State (Sept. 22, 2012) ** OVC & EIU Single Game Record
Erik Lora, 18 vs. Towson (Dec. 13, 2013) ** FCS Playoff Single Game Record

Had 3 touchdown receptions...

Adam Drake, 3, at Tennessee Tech (Nov. 1, 2014)

Had 200 yards receiving...

Erik Lora, 269 vs. Murray State (Sept. 22, 2012) ** EIU Single Game Record
Adam Drake, 225 at UT Martin (Nov. 23, 2013)

Returned a punt for a touchdown...

Erik Lora, 1, vs. Tennessee Tech (Nov. 2, 2013) - (80 yards)
Shepard Little, 1, vs. Tennessee Tech (Nov. 2, 2013) - (75 yards)
Shepard Little, 1 at San Diego State (Aug. 31, 2013) - (60 yards)

Returned a kick-off for touchdown...

Tray Mitchell, 1 at Murray State (Oct. 31, 2015) - (94 yards)

Returned an interception for touchdown...

Jarvis Williams, 1 vs. Tennessee Tech (Oct. 24, 2015) - (24 yards)
Seth McDonald, 1 vs. Illinois State (Sept. 19, 2015) - (20 yards)

Returned a fumble for touchdown...

Nick Horne, 1 vs. Eastern Kentucky (Nov. 21, 2015) - (62 yards)

Recorded a safety...

Robert Haynes, 1 at Illinois State (Sept. 13, 2014) - combined with Taylor Laquesse Taylor, 1 at Illinois State (Sept. 13, 2014) - combined with Haynes Team at UT Martin (Nov. 14, 2015) - blocked punt out of end zone

Blocked a punt...

Brandon Neverdon at UT Martin (Nov. 15, 2015) - resulted in a team safety

Returned a blocked punt for touchdown - blocked by...

Antoine Johnson, 1 vs. Austin Peay (Sept. 20, 2014)... - Antonie Johnson

Blocked a field goal...

LeQuince McCall, 1 at Illinois State (Sept. 15, 2012)
Pat Wertz, 1 vs. Jacksonville State (Oct. 13, 2012)

Returned a blocked field goal for touchdown - blocked by...

Rashad Haynes, 1 vs. Samford (Nov. 17, 2007) - Trevor Frericks

***Returned a point after attempt for 2-point conversion...

Bradley Dewberry at Western Illinois (Sept. 3, 2015) - first in school history

EIU scored a two-point conversion

- (Rush) - J.R. Taylor, 2, at Murray State (Nov. 23, 2002)
- (Pass) - Addison Bounds from Jalen Whitlow at Tennessee State (Oct. 17, 2015)

Won a game on a field goal...

Cameron Berra, 36 yards at Southern Illinois (Sept. 7, 2013)

Had 15 or more tackles on defense...

Seth McDonald, 17 vs. Jacksonville State (Nov. 7, 2015)
Seth McDonald, 17 at Western Illinois (Sept. 3, 2015)

Had 3 or more sacks on defense...

Kory Lothe, 4 vs. Tennessee Tech (Nov. 8, 2003)

Recovered an onside kick...

Jeff LePak, 1, at Minnesota (August 28, 2014)

Offensive Lineman Scored a Touchdown

Scott Taylor 1, at Austin Peay (Oct. 3, 2015)
--- picked up fumble for 12-yard TD rush

2015 EASTERN ILLINOIS TOUCHDOWNS

Qtr.....	Play	Opponent
1.....	Anthony Taylor 23 pass from Jalen Whitlow	Illinois State
1.....	Devin Church 5 run.....	Illinois State
2.....	Seth McDonald 20 interception return.....	Illinois State
4.....	Jalen Whitlow 5 run	Illinois State
1.....	Devin Church 13 run.....	at Austin Peay
2.....	Shepard Little 6 run	at Austin Peay
2.....	Devin Church 21 pass from Jalen Whitlow	at Austin Peay
2.....	Isaiah Nelson 31 yard pass from Jalen Whitlow.....	at Austin Peay
2.....	Devin Church 1 yard run.....	at Austin Peay
4.....	Scott Taylor 12 yard run.....	at Austin Peay
1.....	Devin Church 3 yard run.....	SE Missouri
3.....	Addison Bounds 11 pass from Jalen Whitlow	SE Missouri
3.....	Addison Bounds 65 pass from Jalen Whitlow	SE Missouri
4.....	Devin Church 6 pass from Jalen Whitlow	SE Missouri
1.....	Devin Church 8 run.....	at Tenn. State
2.....	Addison Bounds 62 pass from Jalen Whitlow	at Tenn. State
4.....	Devin Church 25 run.....	at Tenn. State
1.....	Shepard Little 5 run	Tenn. Tech
2.....	James Brooks 16 pass from Jalen Whitlow	Tenn. Tech
3.....	Devin Church 1 run.....	Tenn. Tech
3.....	Shepard Little 12 run	Tenn. Tech
4.....	Jarvis Williams 24 interception return	Tenn. Tech
4.....	Paul Gossage 33 pass from Austin Green	Tenn. Tech
4.....	Malik Harrison 83 run.....	Tenn. Tech
1.....	Tray Mitchell 94 kickoff return.....	at Murray State
2.....	Shepard Little 1 run	at Murray State
3.....	Ben Odugbesan 80 pass from Jalen Whitlow	at Murray State
4.....	Shepard Little 40 run	at Murray State
1.....	Shepard Little 5 run	at UT Martin
2.....	Devin Church 2 run.....	at UT Martin
4.....	Thomas Coronado 45 interception return	at UT Martin
2.....	Jalen Whitlow 9 run	Eastern Kentucky
3.....	Nick Horne 62 fumble return.....	Eastern Kentucky
3.....	Malik Harrison 9 run.....	Eastern Kentucky

EASTERN ILLINOIS OVC WEEKLY AWARDS (2015 Conference Player of the Week Honors)

Sept. 6	Seth McDonald	Defense
Sept. 20	Seth McDonald	Defense
Oct. 11	Mike Bernier	Specialist
Oct. 18	Devin Church	Newcomer
Oct. 25	Kamu Grugier-Hill.....	Defense
Nov. 15.....	Dino Fanti	Defense
Nov. 22	Dino Fanti	Defense

Bold indicates National Player of the Week

2015 Preseason All-American Honors

Kamu Grugier-Hill

3rd team STATS

2nd team PhilSteele.com

Dino Fanti

2nd team FootballGamePlan.com

Jalen Whitlow

CFPA Player of the Year Watch List



EASTERN ILLINOIS NCAA FCS PLAYOFFS HISTORY

2013

2nd Round @ Charleston, Ill. -- Eastern Illinois def. Tennessee State, 51-10
 Quarterfinal @ Charleston, Ill. -- Towson def. Eastern Illinois, 49-39

2012

1st Round @ Brookings, SD. -- South Dakota State def. Eastern Illinois, 58-10

2009

1st Round @ Carbondale, Ill. -- Southern Illinois def. Eastern Illinois, 48-7

2007

1st Round @ Carbondale, Ill. -- Southern Illinois def. Eastern Illinois, 30-11

2006

1st Round @ Charleston, Ill. -- Illinois State def. Eastern Illinois, 24-13

2005

1st Round @ Charleston, Ill. -- Southern Illinois def. Eastern Illinois, 21-6

2002

1st Round @ McComb, Ill. -- Western Illinois def. Eastern Illinois, 48-9

2001

1st Round @ Charleston, Ill. -- Northern Iowa def. Eastern Illinois, 49-43

2000

1st Round @ Missoula, Mont. -- Montana def. Eastern Illinois, 45-13

1996

1st Round @ Cedar Falls, Iowa -- Northern Iowa def. Eastern Illinois, 21-14

1995

1st Round @ Nacogdoches, Texas -- Stephen F. Austin def. Eastern Illinois, 34-29

1989

1st Round @ Moscow, Idaho -- Eastern Illinois def. Idaho, 38-21
 Quarterfinal @ Missoula, Mont. -- Montana def. Eastern Illinois, 25-19

1986

1st Round @ Charleston, Ill. -- Eastern Illinois def. Murray State, 28-21
 Quarterfinal @ Charleston, Ill. -- Eastern Kentucky def. Eastern Illinois, 24-22

1983

1st Round @ Terre Haute, Ind. -- Indiana State def. Eastern Illinois, 16-13 (2OT)

1982

1st Round @ Charleston, Ill. -- Eastern Illinois def. Jackson State, 16-13 (OT)
 Quarterfinal @ Nashville, Tenn. -- Tennessee State def. Eastern Illinois, 20-19
TSU win later vacated due to use of ineligible player

All-Time FCS Playoff Record: 4-15

Home Record: 3-5

Road Record: 1-10

Division II Playoffs

1978 (National Champions)

Eastern Illinois def. UC Davis, 35-31

Eastern Illinois def. Youngstown State, 26-22

Eastern Illinois def. Delaware, 10-9

1980 (National Runners-up)

Eastern Illinois def. Northern Colorado, 21-14

Eastern Illinois def. Northern Alabama, 56-31

Cal Poly def. Eastern Illinois, 21-13

**EIU FCS PLAYOFF
 TOP SINGLE GAME
 PERFORMANCES**

PASSING YARDS

398..... Sean Payton vs. Murray State (Nov. 29, 1986)

PASSING TOUCHDOWNS

5..... Tony Romo vs. Northern Iowa (Dec. 1, 2001)

PASSING COMPLETIONS

38..... Jimmy Garoppolo vs. Towson (Dec. 13, 2013)

RUSHING YARDS

184..... Shepard Little vs. Tennessee State (Dec. 7, 2013)

TOUCHDOWNS

3..... Frank Cutolo vs. Northern Iowa (Dec. 1, 2001)

RECEPTIONS

18..... Erik Lora vs. Towson (Dec. 13, 2013) (FCS Record)

RECEIVING YARDS

217..... Frank Cutolo vs. Northern Iowa (Dec. 1, 2001)

LONGEST FIELD GOAL

47..... Zach Yates vs. Illinois State (Nov. 25, 2006)

TACKLES

17..... Tristan Burge vs. Illinois State (Nov. 25, 2006)
 Jeff Mills at Montana (Dec. 2, 1989)

SOLO TACKLES

10..... Nick Nasti at Southern Illinois (Nov. 28, 2009)

SACKS

2..... Pierre Walters vs. Illinois State (Nov. 25, 2006)

INTERCEPTIONS

2..... Donald Thomas vs. Illinois State (Nov. 25, 2006)
 Obinno Coley at Montana (Nov. 25, 2000)

TEAM GAME RECORDS

TOTAL OFFENSE:

739.....vs. Illinois State	Sept. 14, 2013
704.....at UT Martin	Nov. 23, 2013
683.....vs. Winona State	Nov. 1, 1986
676.....vs. Saginaw State	Sept. 21, 1985
671.....vs. Austin Peay	Sept. 29, 2012
665.....vs. Southeast Missouri	Oct. 19, 2013
656.....vs. Illinois-Chicago	Sept. 27, 1969
654.....vs. Murray State	Nov. 8, 2014
637.....at UT Martin	Nov. 14, 1998
629.....vs. Indiana State	Sept. 9, 2006

RUSHING YARDAGE:

413.....vs. Austin Peay	Sept. 20, 2014
413.....vs. Jacksonville State.....	Nov. 16, 2013
398.....vs. St. Joseph	Oct. 27, 1973
384.....vs. Grand Valley State.....	Sept. 17, 1983
382.....at UT Martin	Nov. 1, 2001
379.....vs. Florida Atlantic	Nov. 16, 2002
378.....vs. Northern Michigan	Oct. 20, 1979

RUSHING ATTEMPTS:

72.....vs. Western Illinois	1976
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PASSING YARDAGE:

509.....vs. Austin Peay	Sept. 29, 2012
509.....vs. Saginaw Valley	Sept. 21, 1985
501.....at UT Martin	Nov. 23, 2013
491.....vs. Illinois State	Sept. 14, 2013
486.....at Missouri State	Oct. 27, 1984
482.....vs. Western Kentucky	Nov. 10, 1984

PASSING ATTEMPTS:

62.....vs. Murray State	Sept. 22, 2012
61.....vs. Illinois State	Sept. 15, 2012
58.....at Southern Illinois	Sept. 7, 2013
..... (4 other games with 58 attempts)	

PASSES COMPLETED:

40.....vs. Murray State	Sept. 22, 2012
40.....vs. Saginaw Valley	Sept. 21, 1985

TOUCHDOWNS:

12.....vs. Merom Academy	1920
10.....at UT Martin	Nov. 23, 2013
10.....vs. Kentucky State	Nov. 13, 1982

TOUCHDOWN PASSES:

7.....vs. Illinois State	Sept. 14, 2013
7.....vs. Southern Illinois	2012
6.....at UT Martin	Nov. 23, 2013
6.....at Northern Illinois	Sept. 21, 2013
..... (3 other games with 6 TD passes)	

MOST EIU POINTS IN A QUARTER:

35.....vs. Jacksonville State.....	Nov. 16, 2013
30.....vs. Kentucky State	Nov. 13, 1982
30.....vs. Central State	Sept. 26, 1981

MOST POINTS SCORED BY BOTH TEAMS:

105.....at Illinois State.....	Sept. 15, 2012
..... (ISU 54, EIU 51 - 2OT)	
102.....vs. Tennessee State.....	Nov. 2, 2002
..... (EIU 54; TSU 48)	

POINTS

82.....Merom Academy	Nov. 18, 1920
73.....Kentucky State.....	Nov. 13, 1982
70.....at UT Martin	Nov. 23, 2013
69.....Illinois College	1917
65.....Austin Peay	Sept. 29, 2012
64.....Winona State	Nov. 1, 1986
63.....Austin Peay.....	Sept. 20, 2014
63.....at Austin Peay	Oct. 10, 2013
62.....Lock Haven.....	Aug. 31, 1991
60.....at Wayne State.....	Nov. 9, 1968
60.....Oakland City	Oct. 17, 1925

EIU LOWEST OFFENSIVE TOTAL:

76.....at Youngstown State	Oct. 13, 1973
120.....Central Arkansas	Sept. 11, 2010
130.....at Central Michigan	Oct. 25, 1969
138.....at Northwestern.....	Sept. 12, 2015
138.....Illinois State.....	Nov. 25, 2006
142.....at McNeese State	Sept. 11, 1993
142.....at San Jose State	Sept. 5, 1987
142.....at Northern Iowa	Sept. 6, 1975

EIU FEWEST RUSHING YARDS:

-12.....at Northern Iowa	Oct. 7, 1995
-6.....Tennessee Tech	Sept. 17, 2011
-5.....UT Martin	Oct. 22, 2011
-3.....at San Jose State.....	Sept. 5, 1987
-3.....at Toledo.....	Sept. 22, 1984
1.....Illinois State.....	Oct. 6, 1984

EIU FEWEST PASSING YARDS:

-1.....at Murray State (2-of-6) +.....	Nov. 16, 1974
0.....Southeast Missouri *	Oct. 13, 2001
0.....Truman State (0-of-9).....	Sept. 10, 1977
5.....at Central Missouri (2-of-7)	Oct. 4, 1975
10.....at Truman State (1-of-4).....	Sept. 11, 1976
10.....Fairmount State (1-of-13).....	Sept. 28, 1968
12.....at Indiana State (2-of-11)	Nov. 18, 1995

* EIU did not attempt a pass in the game
+ EIU completed one pass for 5 yards and one pass for negative 6 yards in the game.

QUARTERBACK SACKS:

12.....vs. Southwest Missouri	1986
12.....vs. Kentucky State	1982

TURNOVERS:

8.....vs. Youngstown State.....	1981
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TURNOVERS CAUSED:

13.....vs. Northern Illinois	1940
9.....vs. Northeast Missouri	1983
9.....vs. Western Illinois	1980

EIU OVERTIME GAMES

DOUBLE OVERTIME

+ Nov. 26, 1983 at Indiana State.....	L 13-16
Nov. 11, 2000 at Illinois State.....	L 41-44
Sept. 15, 2012 at Illinois State	L 51-54
Sept. 14, 2013 at Southern Illinois	W 40-37

OVERTIME

+ Nov. 27, 1982 vs. Jackson State.....	W 16-13
Sept. 11, 2004 vs. Indiana State	L 30-33
Nov. 6, 2004 at Tennessee Tech	L 37-40
Nov. 6, 2010 at Tennessee State	W 31-28
Sept. 22, 2012 vs. Murray State.....	W 50-49
Oct. 11, 2014 at Eastern Kentucky.....	L 33-36
Sept. 19, 2015 vs. Illinois State.....	L 31-34
Oct. 17, 2015 at Tennessee State.....	W 25-22

+ 1982 & 1983 games in FCS playoffs

MOST PLAYS IN A GAME:

112.....at UT Martin	Nov. 23, 2013
106.....at Illinois State.....	2012
104.....vs. Murray State.....	Nov. 8, 2014

MOST PLAYS IN A GAME BY BOTH TEAMS:

210.....vs. Murray State.....	2012
.....Murray State (110), EIU (100)	

OPPONENTS AGAINST EASTERN ILLINOIS

TOTAL OFFENSE:

675.....Tennessee State	Nov. 2, 2002
674.....at Illinois State.....	Oct. 18, 1969
656.....at Marshall	Sept. 12, 1992
631.....at Western Michigan	Sept. 8, 2012
629.....at San Diego State.....	Oct. 6, 2001
609.....at Northern Illinois	Sept. 24, 1994

RUSHING YARDAGE:

490.....at Central Michigan	Oct. 23, 1971
472.....Towson.....	Dec. 13, 2013
468.....at Illinois State.....	Oct. 18, 1969
434.....at South Dakota State.....	Nov. 24, 2012
432.....Eastern Michigan	Oct. 21, 1972
425.....Southern Illinois	Nov. 7, 1987
420.....Central Michigan	Oct. 24, 1970
418.....at Northern Illinois	Sept. 24, 1994
411.....at Southeast Missouri	Oct. 1, 2011

PASSING YARDAGE:

529.....Hawai'i	Sept. 30, 2006
473.....Illinois State.....	Sept. 15, 2012
453.....Hawai'i	Aug. 31, 2002
452.....Hawai'i	Sept. 11, 1999
444.....Idaho	Nov. 25, 1989
435.....Tennessee State	Nov. 2, 2002
423.....Murray State	Sept. 22, 2012
419.....Truman State (NEMo.).....	Sept. 6, 1986

POINTS

74.....Illinois Wesleyan	Sept. 30, 1921
63.....at Kansas State.....	Sept. 14, 2002
63.....at Marshall	Sept. 12, 1992
61.....at Hawai'i	Aug. 31, 2002
61.....Central Michigan	Nov. 2, 1957
61.....Millikin	Nov. 1, 1941
60.....Central Michigan	Oct. 2, 1954

LOWEST OFFENSIVE TOTAL:

-12.....vs. Kentucky State	Nov. 13, 1982
47.....Butler.....	Sept. 8, 1979
50.....UT Martin	Sept. 25, 1996
61.....California (Pa.).....	Aug. 30, 2003
65.....Central State (Ohio).....	Sept. 26, 1981
66.....Illinois State.....	Nov. 10, 1979

OPPONENT FEWEST RUSHING YARDS:

-67.....Kentucky State.....	Nov. 13, 1982
-23.....Eastern Kentucky	Nov. 18, 2000
-1.....Southeast Missouri	Nov. 9, 1996
-1.....Southern Illinois	Sept. 10, 1983
0.....Northern Michigan.....	Nov. 1, 1980

OPPONENT FEWEST PASSING YARDS:

5.....Central State (OH) (4-of-16)	Sept. 26, 1981
7.....Youngstown State (1-of-12)	Dec. 2, 1978
10.....Missouri State	Oct. 24, 1992
13.....Northwestern (La.) State.....	Sept. 8, 1990
20.....Butler.....	Sept. 8, 1979
20.....Cameron (Okla.)	Oct. 15, 1977
22.....Austin Peay.....	Nov. 2, 1996

INDIVIDUAL GAME RECORDS

TOTAL OFFENSE:

Sean Payton..... 507 vs. Saginaw Valley 1985
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 501 vs. Austin Peay 2012
 Sean Payton..... 498 vs. SW Missouri 1984
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 476 at UT Martin 2013
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 469 vs. Illinois State 2013
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 442 at Southern Illinois 2013
 Sean Payton..... 441 vs. W. Kentucky 1984
 Anthony Buich 440 vs. SE Missouri 1999

RUSHING YARDAGE:

J.R. Taylor 308 vs. Florida Atlantic..... 2002
 Kevin Staple 283 vs. Grand Valley..... 1983
 Nate Anderson 268 vs. St. Joseph 1973
 Nate Anderson 259 vs. SW Missouri 1972
 Shepard Little 245 vs. Jacksonville State 2013

RUSHING ATTEMPTS:

Willie High 48 vs. Northern Iowa..... 1993

PASSING YARDAGE:

Sean Payton..... 509 vs. Saginaw Valley 1985
 Sean Payton..... 486 vs. SW Missouri 1984
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 480 vs. Illinois State 2013
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 477 at UT Martin 2013
 Sean Payton..... 461 vs. W. Kentucky 1984
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 453 vs. Austin Peay 2012
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 450 at Northern Illinois 2013
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 440 at Southern Illinois 2013

PASSING ATTEMPTS:

Jimmy Garoppolo ... 61 at Illinois State 2012
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 60 vs. Murray State..... 2012
 Tony Romo 58 vs. Hawai'i..... 2002
 Sean Payton..... 58 vs. Saginaw Valley 1985
 Sean Payton..... 58 vs. Northern Iowa..... 1984

PASSES COMPLETED:

Sean Payton..... 40 vs. Saginaw Valley 1985
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 39 vs. Murray State..... 2012
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 37 at Illinois State 2012
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 35 at UT Martin 2012
 Anthony Buich 36 vs. SE Missouri 1999

RECEIVING (CATCHES):

Erik Lora..... 21 vs. Murray State..... 2012
 * OVC Record
 Erik Lora..... 18 vs. Towson 2013
 Erik Lora..... 17 at UT Martin 2012
 Erik Lora..... 15 vs. SE Missouri 2012
 Willie White 15 vs. Illinois State 1971
 Adam Drake 14 at UT Martin 2013
 Erik Lora 14 at Northern Illinois 2013
 Andre Raymond 14 vs. Hawai'i..... 2002
 Rob Mehalic 14 vs. Delaware State..... 1981

RECEIVING (YARDS):

Erik Lora..... 269 vs. Murray State..... 2012
 Frank Cutolo..... 239 vs. Tennessee St. 2001
 Calvin Pierce 238 vs. SW Missouri 1986
 Adam Drake 225 at UT Martin 2013
 Chris Wright..... 217 at Tennessee State..... 2010
 Frank Cutolo 217 vs. Northern Iowa..... 2001
 Erik Lora..... 215 at UT Martin 2012
 Ralph Stewart..... 201 vs. S. Illinois 1988

ALL-PURPOSE RUSHING:

Poke Cobb 336 vs. Butler 1976
 Andre Raymond 335 vs. Hawai'i..... 2002

TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS:

Scott McGhee 4 vs. Northern Iowa..... 1978
 James Warring 4 vs. Northern Michigan..... 1978

RUSHING YARDS BY A QB:

Jalen Whitlow 142 at UT Martin 2015

TOUCHDOWNS:

Steve Turner 6 vs. Mecom Academy 1920
 KSteve Staple..... 5 vs. Kentucky State 1982
 Erik Lora 4 vs. Tennessee Tech 2013
 J.R. Taylor 4 vs. Florida Atlantic..... 2002
 J.R. Taylor 4 vs. Tennessee-Martin..... 2002
 Kevin Staple 4 vs. Grand Valley 1983
 James Warring 4 vs. Northern Michigan..... 1978
 Scott McGhee 4 vs. Northern Iowa..... 1978

TOUCHDOWN PASSES:

Jimmy Garoppolo ... 7 vs. Illinois State 2013
 Jimmy Garoppolo, 4 at UT Martin 2013
 Jimmy Garoppolo, 6 at Northern Illinois 2013
 Tony Romo 6 vs. Murray State 2000
 Jeff Christensen 6 vs. Kentucky State 1982
Others (5 touchdown passes in a game)
 Jimmy Garoppolo 4 times, Sean Payton 2 times
 Tony Romo 1 time, Steve Turk 1 time

SOLO TACKLES:

Thomas Williams.... 20 vs. St. Joseph 1997
 Nick Ricks 18 vs. E. Kentucky 2002
 Chris Nicholson 17 vs. SW Missouri 1983
 Tim Lance..... 17 vs. Northern Iowa 1987
 John Noll 15 vs. Northern Iowa..... 1987
 Tim Lance..... 15 vs. W. Kentucky 1990
 Jeff Mills 14 vs. Western Illinois 1988
 Jeff Mills 14 vs. SW Missouri 1988

TOTAL TACKLES:

Tim Carver..... 31 vs. Texas-El Paso 1994
 Jeff Mills 29 vs. SW Missouri 1988
 Thomas Williams.... 27 vs. St. Joseph 1997
 Nick Ricks 25 vs. E. Kentucky 2002
 Tyrone Covington... 25 vs. Illinois State 1984
 John Noll 23 vs. Northern Iowa 1988
 Ray Jeske 21 vs. Delaware 1978

TACKLES FOR LOSS:

Trevor Frericks 7.0 vs. Tennessee State 2009

QUARTERBACK SACKS:

John Jurkovic 6 vs. SW Missouri 1986
 Pete Catan 6 vs. Southern Illinois 1979

PASSES INTERCEPTED:

Bill Glenn 5 vs. Northern Illinois 1940

MOST PASS RECEPTIONS BY A RUNNING BACK:

DuWayne Pitts..... 9 vs. SW Missouri 1984

LONGEST TOUCHDOWN PASS:

Tony Romo to 98 vs. E. Kentucky 2000
 Will Bumphus

LONGEST TOUCHDOWN RUN:

Jimmy Lera..... 96 at Southeast Missouri 2014
 Poke Cobb 96 vs. Tennessee Tech 1976

LONGEST INTERCEPTION RETURN FOR TD:

Roosevelt Williams. 98 vs. Tennessee St. 2001

LONGEST FUMBLE RETURN FOR TD:

Anthony Goodman, 70 vs. Eastern Kentucky 2013

LONGEST FIELD GOAL:

Rich Ehmke..... 58 vs. Northern Iowa..... 1986
 Steve Largent..... 53 vs. SW Missouri 1993

LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN:

Chris Watson..... 100 vs. Northern Iowa..... 1995
 Marcus Potts 100 vs. Youngstown St. 1977

LONGEST PUNT:

Bob Babb 100 vs. Illinois State..... 1946
 Kevin Cook..... 86 vs. Southeast Missouri... 2010
 (EIU Division I record)

LONGEST PUNT RETURN:

Bob Babb 100 vs. Millikin 1949
 Erik Lora..... 80 vs. Tennessee Tech 2013
 Jermaine Mobley.... 80 vs. Tennessee State 2004
 Frank Cutolo..... 80 at Central Florida 1999

MOST BLOCKED KICKS:

Kourtney Young..... 3 vs. Illinois State 2000
 Scott Johnson 3 vs. Western Illinois 1988
 Scott Johnson 3 vs. Western Kentucky 1988

MOST CONSECUTIVE PASSES COMPLETED:

Sean Payton..... 17 vs. Western Kentucky... 1986
 Tony Romo..... 16 vs. Indiana State 2001

MOST FIELD GOALS:

Rich Ehmke..... 5 vs. Winona State..... 1986

MOST FUMBLE RECOVERIES:

Tied by many..... 2

MOST INTERCEPTIONS THROWN:

Jeff Thorne 7 vs. McNeese State..... 1993



All eyes are on **Rich Ehmke's (#6)** record-setting 58 yard field goal that gave the No. 8 ranked Panthers a 31-30 victory over No. 11 Northern Iowa on the last play of the game in 1986. Often described as the "most exciting game in EIU history," the Homecoming win in front of 11,000 plus fans propelled the Panthers on to the conference championship that season.

HOW DO YOU SAY THAT - EIU Pronunciation Guide

HC	Kim Dameron	dam-wren
	Coach Kane Wommack	WAUM-uck
5	Brandon Neverdon	nah-ver-done
8	Fedney Delphonse	fed-knee * dell-fonz
11	Ben Krol	rhymes with "Roll"
12	Dysaun Smith.....	dah-shawn
13	Xzavier Shugars	X-ZAVIER
23	Dylan Chatman	Dillon
29	Elven Walker	L-vin
32	Kamu Grugier-Hill.....	Kah-moo * grew-jay
34	Tony Elias	ee-LY-us
36	Mike Bernier.....	Bur-neer
55	Steven Mychalczuk.....	Muh-KOWL-chuk
56	Taylon Shepard.....	TAY-lin
59	Jareem Fleming	jah-rheem
65	Eric Luhrsen.....	lure-sin
70	Louis Vailopa	Vi-low-pah
73	Evan Kanz.....	rhymes with "Fans"
80	Ben Odugbesan.....	oh-duh-BESS-in
86	Jack Kwiatkowski	KWEE-uh-t-kow-ski
92	Horace Arkadie.....	ark-Uh-die
94	Stephen Davis	Steffen
97	Dino Fanti	Fon-tec

EIU 2015 ROSTER BREAKDOWN BY STATE/YEAR

EIU Roster By Home State

Illinois	40
Florida	8
Missouri	7
Alabama	4
Arkansas.....	4
Georgia.....	4
Hawai'i.....	3
Kentucky.....	3
Texas.....	3
Wisconsin.....	3
California.....	2
Maryland.....	2
Michigan.....	2
New York.....	2
Mississippi.....	1
New Jersey.....	1
North Carolina.....	1
Ohio.....	1
South Carolina.....	1
Tennessee.....	1
Washington D.C.....	1

EIU Roster By Class

Graduate Student.....	1
Senior.....	16
Junior.....	22
Sophomore.....	22
Redshirt Freshmen.....	7
Freshmen.....	24

MEDIA OPPORTUNITIES & RESOURCES

EASTERN ILLINOIS QUICK FACTS

LOCATION:	Charleston, Illinois
FOUNDED:	1895
ENROLLMENT:	8,913
COLORS:	Blue & Gray
CONFERENCE:	Ohio Valley
STADIUM:	O'Brien Field (10,000)
SURFACE:	Matrix Turf
PRESIDENT:	Dr. David Glassman
ATHLETIC DIRECTOR:	Tom Michael
O'BRIEN PRESS BOX PHONE:	(217) 581-7770
EIU TICKET OFFICE:	(217) 581-2106
EIU SPORTS INFORMATION:	(217) 581-7480
EIU WEBSITE:	www.EIUpanthers.com

WEEKLY PRESS CONFERENCE: Head coach Kim Dameron and EIU players will be available for media interviews following Tuesday practices each game week. Additional interview opportunities may be set through the EIU Media Relations Office.

OVC TELECONFERENCE: Each week during the football season all 9 head coaches in the Ohio Valley Conference will take part in a weekly teleconference on Tuesday mornings. The first teleconference will be Tuesday, September 1. EIU head coach Kim Dameron will speak at 10:14 a.m. (Central) each Tuesday. Media members can obtain the phone number and pass code from the EIU Sports Information office.

LIVE STATS: Live stats for EIU football games can be found via links found on the internet at www.eiupanthers.com

INTERNET RADIO: Live streaming of all EIU football games can be heard at www.weihitmix.net

PANTHER RADIO NETWORK: Eastern Illinois football can be heard live on the radio via the Panther Football Radio Network. Games will be broadcast by the "Voice of the Panthers" Mike Bradd with color commentary by Jack Ashmore. Games will be carried on Hit Mix 88.9 FM WEIU in the Charleston/Coles County Market. Network stations include WHOW 1520 AM (Clinton), WMKR 94.3 FM (Taylorville) and WSVZ 98.3 FM (Shelbyville / Effingham).

2014 EASTERN ILLINOIS ALL-OHIO VALLEY CONFERENCE

FIVE PLAYER EARN FIRST TEAM ALL-OVC HONORS

Eastern Illinois had five players earn first team All-OVC honors in 2014 as the Panthers finished tied for third in the OVC race.
(regular season stats)

EASTERN ILLINOIS OVC FIRST TEAM SELECTIONS

WR	Adam Drake	93 catches, 1,321 yards, 12 TD
TE	Jeff LePak	30 catches, 321 yards, 1 TD
OG	Collin Seibert	Consensus first team All-American
LB	Kamu Grugier-Hill	97 tackles, 9.5 TFL, 3 INT
DB	Jourdan Wickliffe	62 tackles, 2 TFL, 4 INT

EASTERN ILLINOIS OVC SECOND TEAM SELECTIONS

QB	Jalen Whitlow	2,075 pass yards, 15 TDs, 782 rush yards
C	Nick Borre.....	Starter at center
OT	Evan Kanz.....	Started at both guard and tackle
DT	Dino Fanti	64 tackles, 15.5 TFL, 2 FF
LB	Robert Haynes.....	75 tackles, 13.5 TFL, 2.5 Sacks

EASTERN ILLINOIS OVC ALL-NEWCOMER SELECTIONS

QB	Jalen Whitlow	2,075 pass yards, 15 TDs, 782 rush yards
K	Nick Bruno.....	14-of-16 FG, 44-of-45 PATs

#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	YR	EXP	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/JC/LAST)
1	Anthony Goodman	DB	5-9	185	SR	3	Lansing, Mich. (J.W. Sexton)
1	James Brooks	WR	5-9	200	R-JR	TR	Groveland, Fla. (South Lake / Kent State Univ.)
1	Jeremy Joseph	QB	6-6	230	R-FR	RS	Auburn, Ala. (Lee-Scott Academy)
2	Jourdan Wickliffe	SAF	6-1	200	R-SR	3	Columbus, Ohio (St. Charles College Prep)
2	Jalen Whitlow	QB	6-2	220	SR	1	Montgomery, Ala. (Prattville/Univ. of Kentucky)
3	Anthony Taylor	WR	6-0	187	R-JR	2	Wheaton, Ill. (Lombard Montini)
3	Anthony Standifer	CB	6-2	175	R-SR	1	Chicago, Ill. (Crete-Monee/Univ. of Mississippi)
4	Pono Choy	DB	5-10	182	R-JR	2	Kalihi, Haw. (Kamehameha)
4	Isaiah Nelson	WR	6-0	180	R-JR	TR	Royal Palm Beach, Fla. (Jupiter Christian/LA Pierce College)
5	Antoine Johnson	CB	5-10	172	R-SR	1	Washington, D.C. (Eleanor Roosevelt/Nassau CC)
5	Brandon Neverdon	WR	5-8	170	R-JR	TR	Baltimore, Md. (Calvert Hall/Hartnell College)
6	Tray Mitchell	WR	5-11	186	R-SO	1	Wentzville, Mo. (Holt)
6	Cedric Julius	CB	5-10	175	JR	1	Rancho Cucamonga, Calif. (Rancho Cucamonga/San Bernardino Valley College)
7	Bradley Dewberry	SAF	6-0	196	SO	1V	Stockbridge, Ga. (Eagles Landing)
8	Fedney Delphonse	DE	6-3	245	R-SR	3	Naples, Fla. (Golden Gate)
8	Mack Weaver	TE	6-5	255	R-SO	TR	Collierville, Tenn. (Harding Academy/Vanderbilt Univ.)
9	Devin Church	RB	5-8	190	R-JR	TR	Detroit, Mich. (Brother Rice/Univ. of Illinois)
9	Jermiah Rainey	DB	5-9	175	JR	TR	Charlotte, NC (Myers Park/Contra Costa College)
11	Ben Krol	TE	6-6	240	R-SR	3	Bull Valley, Ill. (Marian Central Catholic)
12	DySaun Smith	DB	5-10	172	R-FR	RS	Lake Cormorant, Miss. (Lake Cormorant)
13	Xzavier Shugars	DB	5-10	178	FR	HS	Chamblee, Ga. (Chamblee)
13	Mitch Kimble	QB	6-3	185	R-SO	TR	Jerseyville, Ill. (Jerseyville/Syracuse Univ.)
14	Austin Green	QB	6-3	210	R-SO	1	Rochester, Ill. (Rochester)
15	Jared Pilson	QB	6-1	175	R-FR	RS	Mattoon, Ill. (Mattoon)
16	Jeff Jones	DL	6-5	220	FR	HS	Fairview Heights, Ill. (O'Fallon Township)
20	Corey Patterson	WR	5-11	180	FR	HS	St. Louis, Mo. (Christian Brothers)
21	Shepard Little	RB	5-10	197	R-SR	2	Schaumburg, Ill. (Schaumburg)
22	Korliss Marshall	RB	6-0	205	JR	TR	Osceola, Ark. (Osceola/Univ. of Arkansas)
23	Dylan Chatman	DB	6-1	180	R-SR	0	Belleville, Ill. (Belleville West)
24	Jonathan Draper	SAF	6-1	180	R-FR	RS	Ford Heights, Ill. (Crete-Monee)
25	Cornelius Page	DB	6-1	175	FR	HS	Camden, Ark. (Camden Fairview)
26	Trey Pendergrass	WR	5-6	165	R-SR	3	Royal Palm Beach, Fla. (Jupiter Christian)
27	Karon Jackson	DB	5-9	170	FR	HS	Miami Gardens, Fla. (American)
28	Vincent Speller	SAF	6-2	205	R-SO	1	Chicago, Ill. (Chicago Mt. Carmel)
29	Elven Walker IV	CB	5-10	185	R-JR	2	Wheaton, Ill. (Glenbard South)
30	Nick Horne	LB	6-2	210	R-SO	TR	Park Forest, Ill. (Rich East/Winona State Univ.)
31	Malcolm Miller	DB	6-1	205	R-SO	1	Park Forest, Ill. (Rich East/Winona State Univ.)
32	Kamu Grugier-Hill	LB	6-2	215	SR	3	Papakolea, Haw. (Kamehameha)
33	Jerron Seymour	RB	5-7	196	GRAD	TR	Hialeah, Fla. (Hialeah HS/Vanderbilt Univ.)
34	Tony Elias	LB	6-2	205	FR	HS	Plano, Ill. (Plano)
35	Cody Edwards	P	6-3	220	R-SO	1	High Ridge, Mo. (Rockwood Summit)
36	Mike Bernier	P	6-2	205	FR	HS	Madison, Ala. (Bob Jones)
37	Malik Harrison	RB	6-1	198	R-SO	1	Springfield, Ill. (Springfield)
39	Mike Gunter	SAF	6-3	245	R-SR	3	Rochester, Ill. (Rochester)
40	Houston Angel	RB	5-10	180	R-FR	RS	Little Rock, Ark. (Little Rock Academy)
41	Robert Columbus	SAF	6-2	190	FR	HS	Kirkwood, Mo. (Kirkwood)
43	Nick Bruno	K/P	6-1	170	SO	1	Daytona Beach, Fla. (Mainland)
44	Josh Price	DL	6-0	235	FR	HS	Marietta, Ga. (Hillgrove)
45	Joe Caputo	LB	6-2	210	FR	HS	Mount Prospect, Ill. (John Hersey)
49	Nathan Kelly	TE	6-4	205	FR	HS	Sherrard, Ill. (Sherrard)
50	Carlo Mosnia	K	5-11	205	R-SO	TR	Belton, Texas (Belton/Mary-Hardin Baylor Univ.)
51	Seth McDonald	LB	6-1	230	JR	2	Sandwich, Ill. (Sandwich)
52	Jaylon Winston	LB	6-2	220	FR	HS	Bessemer, Ala. (Bessemer Academy)
53	Camden Meade	LB	6-1	220	FR	HS	West Chicago, Ill. (Wheaton Academy)
54	AJ Hantak	LS	6-4	242	R-SO	1	Fenton, Mo. (Rockwood Summit)
55	Steven Mychalczuk	LB	6-3	245	JR	TR	Monmouth Junction, NJ (South Brunswick / College of DuPage)

#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	YR	EXP	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/JC)
56	Taylor Shepard	DT	6-0	281	R-FR	RS	Brenham, Texas (Brenham)
57	Scott Taylor	OL	6-2	274	R-JR	TR	Marengo, Ill. (Marian Catholic/Northern Illinois Univ.)
58	Thomas Coronado	DE	6-5	240	SR	1	Fresno, Calif. (Edison/Fresno City College)
59	Jareem Fleming	LB	5-11	225	R-FR	TR	Chicago, Ill. (Morgan Park/Northern Illinois Univ.)
64	Logan Ross	OL	6-3	285	FR	HS	Walton, Ky. (Ryle)
65	Eric Luhrsen	OL	6-5	275	R-SR	3	Wheaton, Ill. (Wheaton-Warrenville South)
67	Austin Askin	OL	6-7	282	SO	1	Louisville, Ky. (Saint Xavier)
68	Austin O'Leary	OL	6-4	340	FR	HS	Champaign, Ill. (Centennial)
70	Louis Vailopa	OL	6-3	310	SO	1	Waianae, Haw. (Saint Louis)
71	Lazarus Daniels	OL	6-1	270	R-SO	RS	Chicago, Ill. (Hyde Park Academy/Lincoln Univ. (Mo.))
72	Grant Branch IV	OL	6-4	282	FR	HS	Bolingbrook, Ill. (Lombard Montini Catholic)
73	Evan Kanz	OL	6-5	310	R-JR	2	Luxemburg, Wis. (Luxemburg-Casco)
74	Aaron Callaway	OL	6-5	295	FR	HS	St. Charles, Mo. (Francis Howell)
75	Jimmy Lowery	OL	6-4	290	R-JR	2	Burr Ridge, Ill. (Lombard Montini)
76	Alton Kelly	OL	6-6	300	JR	TR	Malverne, NY (Malverne/Nassau CC)
77	Josh Doyle	DL	6-4	301	R-FR	TR	Lake Geneva, Wis. (Badger/Northern Illinois Univ.)
78	Kurtis Brummerstedt	OL	6-7	320	R-SO	1	Yorkville, Ill. (Yorkville)
80	Ben Odugbesan	TE	6-4	215	JR	TR	Elmont, NY (Elmont Memorial/Nassau CC)
81	Aaron Gooch	WR	5-9	170	R-FR	RS	Flossmoor, Ill. (Homewood-Flossmoor)
82	Paul Gossage	WR	6-3	175	FR	HS	Mokena, Ill. (Lincoln-Way East)
83	Colby Barnes	WR	6-3	185	FR	HS	Lexington, Ky. (Henry Clay)
84	Jack Kwiatkowski	TE	6-3	212	R-SO	TR	Oswego, Ill. (Oswego/Truman State Univ.)
86	James Sheehan	WR	6-3	210	FR	HS	Flossmoor, Ill. (Homewood-Flossmoor)
87	Matt Christensen	WR	6-3	182	R-SO	1	Racine, Wis. (Wilmot Union)
88	Justin Goff	WR	6-0	185	FR	HS	Trenton, Ill. (Wesclin)
89	Addison Bounds	WR	6-4	220	R-SO	1	Fairbury, Ill. (Prairie Central)
90	Daniel Chism	DL	6-2	295	JR	2	Warrenville, Ill. (Wheaton-Warrenville South)
91	Jarvis Williams	DL	6-1	245	R-JR	TR	Greer, S.C. (Byrnes/Troy Univ.)
92	Horace Arkadie	DT	6-4	305	R-SR	1	Irving, Texas (Irving/Univ. of Arkansas)
94	Stephen Davis	DL	6-0	261	R-JR	HS	Chicago, Ill. (Thorndridge)
95	James Jackson	DL	6-4	225	SO	TR	Plainfield, Ill. (Evergreen Park / Robert Morris Univ. (Ill.))
96	Jacari Neil	DL/LS	6-1	210	FR	HS	Chicago, Ill. (Phillips)
97	Dino Fanti	DT	6-1	265	R-SR	3	Venice, Fla. (Venice)
98	Taylor Arterburn	DL	6-1	240	FR	HS	Cartersville, Mo. (Webb City)
99	Kylin Washington	DL	6-2	287	FR	HS	Fort Smith, Ark. (Northside)

EASTERN ILLINOIS ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

#.....PLAYER.....POS	#.....PLAYER.....POS	#.....PLAYER.....POS	#.....PLAYER.....POS
40.... Houston Angel .....RB	35.... Cody Edwards .....P	73.... Evan Kanz .....OL	26.... Trey Pendergrass .....WR
92.... Horace Arkadie .....DT	34.... Tony Elias .....LB	76.... Alton Kelly .....OL	15.... Jared Pilon .....QB
98.... Tayler Arterburn .....DL		49.... Nathan Kelly .....TE	44.... Josh Price .....DL
67.... Austin Askin .....OL	97.... Dino Fanti .....DL	13.... Mitch Kimble .....QB	
	59.... Jareem Fleming .....LB	11.... Ben Krol .....TE	9.... Jeremiah Rainey .....DB
		84.... Jack Kwiatkowski .....WR	64.... Logan Ross .....OL
83.... Colby Barnes .....WR	88.... Justin Goff .....WR		
36.... Mike Bernier .....P	81.... Aaron Gooch .....WR	48.... Jake Lang .....LB	33.... Jerron Seymour .....RB
72.... Grant Branch .....OL	1.... Anthony Goodman .....DB	21.... Shepard Little .....RB	86.... James Sheehan .....TE
1.... James Brooks .....WR	82.... Paul Gossage .....WR	75.... Jimmy Lowery .....OL	56.... Taylor Shepard .....DT
89.... Addison Bounds .....TE	14.... Austin Green .....QB	65.... Eric Luhrsen .....OL	13.... Xzavier Shugars .....DB
78.... Kurtis Brummerstedt .....OL	32.... Kamu Grugier-Hill .....SAF		12.... DySaun Smith .....DB
43.... Nick Bruno .....K/P	39.... Mike Gunter .....SAF	22.... Korliss Marshall .....RB	28.... Vince Speller .....SAF
		51.... Seth McDonald .....LB	3.... Anthony Standifer .....DB
74.... Aaron Callaway .....OL	54.... AJ Hantak .....LS	53.... Camden Meade .....LB	
45.... Joe Caputo .....LB	37.... Malik Harrison .....RB	31.... Malcolm Miller .....DB	3.... Anthony Taylor .....WR
23.... Dylan Chatman .....DB	30.... Nick Horne .....LB	6.... Tray Mitchell .....WR	57.... Scott Taylor .....OL
90.... Dan Chism .....DL		50.... Carlo Mosnia .....K	
4.... Pono Choy .....DB	95.... James Jackson .....DL	55.... Steven Mychalczuk .....LB	70.... Louis Vailopa .....OL
87.... Matt Christensen .....WR	27.... Karon Jackson .....DB		29.... Elven Walker .....DB
9.... Devin Church .....RB	5.... Antonie Johnson .....DB	96.... Jacari Neil .....LS	99.... Kylin Washington .....DL
58.... Thomas Coronado .....DE	16.... Jeff Jones .....DL	4.... Isaiah Nelson .....WR	8.... Mack Weaver .....TE
	1.... Jeremy Joseph .....QB	5.... Brandon Neverdon .....WR	2.... Jalen Whitlow .....QB
71.... Lazarus Daniels .....OL			2.... Jourdan Wickliffe .....DB
94.... Stephen Davis .....DL	6.... Cedric Julius .....DB	80.... Ben Odugbesan .....TE	91.... Jarvis Williams .....DL
8.... Fedney Delphonse .....DL		68.... Austin O'Leary .....OL	52.... Jaylon Winston .....LB
7.... Bradley Dewberry .....SAF			
77.... Josh Doyle .....DL			
24.... Jonathan Draper .....SAF			

EIU OFFENSE

QUARTERBACK

2 ... Jalen Whitlow	6-2	220	Sr
14 ... Austin Green	6-3	210	R-So

RUNNING BACK

9 ... Devin Church	5-8	190	R-Jr
37 ... Malik Harrison	6-1	198	R-So
21 ... Shepard Little	5-10	197	R-Sr

RECEIVER

3 ... Anthony Taylor	6-0	187	R-Jr
82 ... Paul Gossage	6-3	175	Fr

TIGHT END

89 ... Addison Bounds	6-4	220	R-So
8 ... Mack Weaver	6-5	255	R-So

RIGHT TACKLE

73 ... Evan Kanz	6-5	310	R-Jr
76 ... Alton Kelly	6-6	300	Jr

RIGHT GUARD

57 ... Scott Taylor	6-2	274	R-Jr
74 ... Aaron Callaway	6-5	295	Fr

CENTER

70 ... Louis Vailopa	6-3	310	So
65 ... Eric Luhrsen	6-5	275	R-Sr

LEFT GUARD

67 ... Austin Askin	6-7	282	So
78 ... Kurtis Brummerstedt	6-7	320	R-So

LEFT TACKLE

75 ... Jimmy Lowery	6-4	290	R-Jr
72 ... Grant Branch IV	6-4	282	Fr

RECEIVER

1 ... James Brooks	5-9	200	R-Jr
6 ... Tray Mitchell	5-11	186	R-So

RECEIVER

4 ... Isaiah Nelson	6-0	180	R-Jr
5 ... Brandon Neverdon	5-8	170	R-Jr

EIU COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Kim Dameron (Arkansas, 1983 - 2nd year)
(Career Record 12-11; OVC Record 12-4)

Defensive Coordinator: Kane Wommack (2nd year)

Assistant HC / Offensive Coordinator: Greg Stevens (2nd year)

Associate Head Coach / Offensive Line: Mark Hutson (1st year)

Secondary: Tony Gilbert (2nd year)

Running Backs: Danny Nutt (2nd year)

Wide Receivers: TD Woods (2nd year)

Tight Ends: Micah Smith (2nd year)

Defensive Line: Dennis 'Dirt' Winston (2nd year)

Linebackers: Michael Hodges (2nd year)

Huskies: James Truxillo (2nd year)

Trainer: Jason Hejar (2nd year)

Strength Coach: Ty Webb (1st year)

Football Operations: Lucas Stortzum (2nd year)

Equipment Manager: Clint Bays (7th year)

EIU DEFENSE

DEFENSIVE END

58 ... Thomas Coronado	6-5	240	Sr
92 ... Horace Arkadie	6-4	305	R-Sr

NOSE GUARD

90 ... Dan Chism	6-2	295	Jr
91 ... Jarvis Williams	6-1	245	R-Jr

DEFENSIVE TACKLE

97 ... Dino Fanti	6-1	265	R-Sr
56 ... Taylon Shepard	6-0	281	R-Fr

WOLF

8 ... Fedney Delphonse	6-3	245	R-Sr
39 ... Mike Gunter	6-3	245	R-Sr

LINEBACKER

51 ... Seth McDonald	6-1	230	Jr
52 ... Jaylon Winston	6-2	220	Fr

LINEBACKER

32 ... Kamu Grugier-Hill	6-2	215	Sr
30 ... Nick Horne	6-2	210	R-So

LEFT CORNERBACK

23 ... Dylan Chatman	6-1	180	R-Sr
1 ... Anthony Goodman	5-9	185	Sr

HUSKIE

28 ... Vincent Speller	6-2	205	R-So
31 ... Malcolm Miller	6-1	205	R-So

ROVER

7 ... Bradley Dewberry	6-0	196	So
1 ... Anthony Goodman	5-9	185	Sr

FREE SAFETY

2 ... Jourdan Wickliffe	6-1	200	R-Sr
6 ... Cedric Julius	5-10	175	Jr

RIGHT CORNERBACK

5 ... Antoine Johnson	5-10	172	R-Sr
12 ... DySaun Smith	5-10	172	R-Fr

EIU SPECIALISTS

KICKER

43 ... Nick Bruno	6-1	170	So
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KICKOFF

50 ... Carlo Mosnia	5-11	205	R-So
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PUNTER

36 ... Mike Bernier	6-2	205	Fr
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HOLDER

14 ... Austin Green	6-3	210	R-So
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LONG SNAPPER

54 ... AJ Hantak	6-4	242	R-So
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PUNT RETURNS

1 ... James Brooks	5-9	200	R-Jr
21 ... Shepard Little	5-10	197	R-Sr

KICK RETURNS

6 ... Tray Mitchell	5-11	196	R-So
9 ... Devin Church	5-8	190	R-Jr
5 ... Brandon Neverdon	5-8	170	R-Jr



GAME 1 - September 3, 2015

Eastern Illinois 5
Western Illinois 33

Macomb, Ill.
Hanson Field (5,985)

Scoring	1	2	3	4	Final
Eastern Illinois	3	0	2	0	5
Western Illinois	7	7	16	3	33

FIRST QUARTER

EIU - Bruno 33 field goal (3:00)
WIU - Lenoir 19 pass from Norvell (Knuffman kick) (2:22)

SECOND QUARTER

WIU - Moore 1 run (Knuffman kick) (5:32)

THIRD QUARTER

WIU - Knuffman 24 field goal (13:30)
WIU - Taylor 42 interception return (kick blocked) (2:59)
EIU - Dewberry PAT return (2:59)
WIU - Moore 4 run (Knuffman kick) (0:54)

FOURTH QUARTER

WIU - Knuffman 26 field goal (12:42)

TEAM STATSEIU WIU

First Downs	21	18
Rushes-Yards	49-155	44-77
Passing-Yards	153	189
Comp-Att-Int	17-37-3	18-35-1
Total Offense	308	266
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	3-2
Penalties-Yards	14-113	11-113
Int Returns-Yards-TD	1-0-0	3-41-1
Time of Possession	32:17	27:43
Sacks-Yards	2-13	2-11

LEADERS

RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)

EIU - Seymour (12-59-0), Church (6-29-0)
WIU - McShane (14-52-0), Moore (23-33-2)

PASSING (Att-Cmp-Int-Yds-TD)

EIU - Whitlow (35-17-3-153-0), Green (1-0-0-0-0)
WIU - Norvell (35-18-1-189-1)

RECEIVING (No -Yds -TD)

EIU - Church (6-43-0), Nelson (3-69-0)
WIU - Lenoir (10-124-1), Borsellino (4-36-0)

DEFENSE (Tackles - Solo, Assist, TFL)

EIU - McDonald (12-5-2), Speller (8-4-0), Goodman (5-3-1)
WIU - Rowe (6-1-0), Diggs (4-3-1), Moon (3-4-0)

RECAP

Eastern Illinois turned the ball over five times as the No. 25 ranked Panthers dropped their season opener at Western Illinois, 33-5. It marked the first time since October 10, 2009 that EIU failed to score a touchdown in a game. EIU's defense forced three turnovers of its own including one on the opening drive. EIU then drove to the goal line but fumbled the ball inside the 2-yard line. After taking the lead on 33-yard Nick Bruno field goal with 3:00 to play in the first quarter, EIU allowed a big kick return to the Leathernecks. Lance Lenoir, who had the big return for WIU, caught a 19-yard touchdown pass three plays later to give WIU the momentum they needed. Lenoir finished with 280 all-purpose yards. EIU's other score came in the third quarter when Vince Speller blocked a PAT attempt that was returned by Bradley Dewberry for two points. It was the first time that has occurred in EIU history.



GAME 2 - September 12, 2015

Eastern Illinois 0
Northwestern 41

Evanston, Ill.
Ryan Field (29,131)

Scoring	1	2	3	4	Final
Eastern Illinois	0	0	0	0	0
Northwestern	10	17	14	0	41

FIRST QUARTER

NU - Mitchell 22 field goal (9:41)
NU - Jackson 11 run (Mitchell kick) (1:40)

SECOND QUARTER

NU - Mitchell 33 field goal (12:09)
NU - Long 8 run (Mitchell kick) (6:12)
NU - Thorson 8 run (Mitchell kick) (0:13)

THIRD QUARTER

NU - Carr 44 pass from Thorson (Mitchell kick) (9:18)
NU - Harris 71 interception return (Omilian kick) (1:08)

TEAM STATSEIUNU

First Downs	8	28
Rushes-Yards	29-70	69-344
Passing-Yards	68	152
Comp-Att-Int	10-20-2	11-16-0
Total Offense	138	496
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	2-1
Penalties-Yards	3-17	3-26
Int Returns-Yards-TD	0-0-0	2-94-1
Time of Possession	22:55	37:05
Sacks-Yards	1-1	3-23

LEADERS

RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)

EIU - Church (11-63-0), Whitlow (13-6-0)
NU - Jackson (22-78-1), Long (12-72-1)

PASSING (Att-Cmp-Int-Yds-TD)

EIU - Whitlow (19-10-1-68-0), Kwiatkowski (0-1-1-0-0)
NU - Thorson (16-11-0-152-1)

RECEIVING (No -Yds -TD)

EIU - Nelson (3-36-0), A. Taylor (3-18-0)
NU - Vitale (4-40-0), Carr (2-61-1)

DEFENSE (Tackles - Solo, Assist, TFL)

EIU - Dewberry (6-6-1), McDonald (3-7-1)
NU - Walker (4-3-2), Henry (4-0-0)

RECAP

Northwestern held the ball for just over 20 minutes in the opening half as the Wildcats built a 27-0 lead at the break during a 41-0 win over Eastern Illinois. It marked the first time in 139 games that EIU had failed to score in a game. The Panthers offense never reached the red zone in the loss with the closest driving ending at the NU 28 yard line. EIU's defense was able to hold on the opening drive limiting Northwestern to a Jack Mitchell field goal. The defense held two other times inside the ten with another Mitchell field goal in the second quarter and a goal line stand in the fourth. Justin Jackson, Warren Long and Clayton Thorson all had short rushing touchdowns with the Wildcats defense adding a 71-yard interception return for a score. Devin Church was a bright spot for EIU with 183 all-purpose yards in the game. Bradley Dewberry led EIU's defense with 12 tackles.



GAME 3 - September 19, 2015

Illinois State 34
Eastern Illinois 31 (ot)

Charleston, Ill.
O'Brien Field (8,104)
104th Mid-America Classic

Scoring	1	2	3	4	OT	Final
Illinois State	10	14	0	7	3	34
Eastern Illinois	14	7	0	10	0	31

FIRST QUARTER

EIU - A. Taylor 23 pass from Whitlow (Bruno kick) (10:59)
ILS - Slattery 50 field goal (7:56)
ILS - Coprich 5 run (Slattery kick) (3:06)
EIU - Church 2 run (Bruno kick) (0:02)

SECOND QUARTER

ILS - Roberson 3 run (Slattery kick) (10:50)
ILS - Clements 40 pass from Roberson (Slattery kick) (1:07)
EIU - McDonald 20 interception return (Bruno kick) (0:12)

FOURTH QUARTER

EIU - Bruno 21 field goal (14:18)
ILS - Coprich 15 run (Slattery kick) (7:37)
EIU - Whitlow 5 run (Bruno kick) (1:48)

OVERTIME

ILS - Slattery 32 field goal

TEAM STATSEIU ILS

First Downs	24	17
Rushes-Yards	48-209	48-216
Passing-Yards	165	204
Comp-Att-Int	16-29-0	12-27-1
Total Offense	374	420
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	7-44	4-38
Int Returns-Yards-TD	1-20-1	0-0-0
Time of Possession	27:59	32:01
Sacks-Yards	1-9	3-23

LEADERS

RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)

EIU - Church (20-109-1), Whitlow (15-55-1)
ILS - Coprich (33-178-2), Roberson (10-28-1)

PASSING (Att-Cmp-Int-Yds-TD)

EIU - Whitlow (28-16-0-165-1), Green (0-1-0-0-0)
ILS - Roberson (27-12-1-204-1)

RECEIVING (No -Yds -TD)

EIU - Nelson (5-62-0), A. Taylor (4-49-1), Church (4-34-0)
ILS - Warrum (5-96-0), Clements (2-50-1)

DEFENSE (Tackles - Solo, Assist, TFL)

EIU - McDonald (6-6-0), Goodman (6-6-0)
ILS - Kocour (3-11-1), McCown (3-7-2)

RECAP

Illinois State beat Eastern Illinois in overtime in the 104th playing of the Mid-America Classic. EIU tied the game at 31-31 with 1:48 left to play in regulation. The Panthers defense forced an ISU three-and-out but the Panthers missed on a late field goal which would have won the game. In overtime ISU's Sean Slattery made a 32-yard field goal to win the contest. EIU led 14-10 after the first quarter with Anthony Taylor catching a touchdown and Devin Church rushing one in from 2-yards out. Church finished with 109 yards rushing and 248 all-purpose yards. Seth McDonald cut the halftime score to 24-21 with a 20-yard interception return for touchdown with less than 2-minutes to play in the first half. McDonald led EIU with 12 tackles.



GAME 4 - October 3, 2015
Eastern Illinois 40
Austin Peay 16

Clarksville, Tenn.
 Governors Stadium (2,531)

Scoring	1	2	3	4	Final
Eastern Illinois	7	27	0	6	40
Austin Peay	0	10	0	6	16

FIRST QUARTER

EIU - Church 13 run (Bruno kick) (11:35)

SECOND QUARTER

AP - Birchfield 27 field goal (14:49)
 EIU - Little 6 run (Bruno kick) (10:36)
 EIU - Church 21 pass from Whitlow (kick failed) (8:27)
 AP - Morris 74 run (Birchfield kick) (4:48)
 EIU - Nelson 31 pass from Whitlow (Bruno kick) (3:44)
 EIU - Church 1 run (Bruno kick) (0:44)

FOURTH QUARTER

AP - Taylor 3 run (pass failed) (7:00)
 EIU - S. Taylor 12 run (run failed) (0:22)

TEAM STATSEIUAP

First Downs	27	14
Rushes-Yards	50-261	47-268
Passing-Yards	266	41
Comp-Att-Int	16-31-1	6-24-0
Total Offense	527	309
Fumbles-Lost	4-1	3-1
Penalties-Yards	13-105	6-49
Int Returns-Yards-TD	0-0-0	1-37-0
Time of Possession	31:57	28:03
Sacks-Yards	1-7	1-8

LEADERS

RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)

EIU - Little (19-96-1), Church (12-81-2), Whitlow (14-40-0)
 AP - Morris (25-141-1), Taylor (10-55-1)

PASSING (Att-Cmp-Int-Yds-TD)

EIU - Whitlow (30-15-1-266-2), Bernier (1-1-0-0-0)
 AP - Taylor (24-6-0-41-0)

RECEIVING (No -Yds -TD)

EIU - A. Taylor (3-49-0), Bounds (3-18-0), Nelson (2-71-1)
 AP - Beard (3-24-0), Roberson (2-4-0)

DEFENSE (Tackles - Solo, Assist, TFL)

EIU - Wickliffe (6-3-1), McDonald (4-3-0.5), Fanti (1-5-1)
 AP - Whitfield (5-4-0), Owens (3-3-0)

RECAP

Eastern Illinois scored 27 points in the second quarter as the Panthers pulled away for a 40-16 win over Austin Peay in their Ohio Valley Conference opener. Devin Church found the end zone three times with two rushing touchdowns and one touchdown reception. Shepard Little added a rushing score and Isaiah Nelson hauled in a 31-yard touchdown pass. EIU held the Governors to just 41 yards passing. After opening the first quarter 4-of-5 on pass attempts, APSU signal caller Trey Taylor completed one 2-of-19 for the remainder of the game. Jourdan Wickliffe led EIU's defense with nine tackles.



GAME 5 - October 10, 2015
Southeast Missouri..... 28
Eastern Illinois 33

Charleston, Ill.
 O'Brien Field (7,911)
 Family Weekend

Scoring	1	2	3	4	Final
Southeast Missouri	0	7	7	14	28
Eastern Illinois	10	3	14	6	33

FIRST QUARTER

EIU - Church 3 run (Bruno kick) (12:30)
 EIU - Bruno 20 field goal (0:51)

SECOND QUARTER

EIU - Bruno 39 field goal (5:28)
 SEMO - Kinzer 28 interception return (McCrum kick) (1:16)

THIRD QUARTER

EIU - Bounds 11 pass from Whitlow (Bruno kick) (10:52)
 EIU - Bounds 65 pass from Whitlow (Bruno kick) (6:34)
 SEMO - Washington 8 pass from Vandeven (McCrum kick) (4:23)

FOURTH QUARTER

SEMO - Vandeven 1 run (McCrum kick) (13:39)
 EIU - Church 6 pass from Whitlow (pass failed) (8:57)
 SEMO - McRoberts 8 pass from Vandeven (McCrum kick) (5:30)

TEAM STATSEIUSEMO

First Downs	23	15
Rushes-Yards	46-173	30-117
Passing-Yards	282	217
Comp-Att-Int	19-29-1	20-32-1
Total Offense	455	334
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	13-96	6-34
Int Returns-Yards-TD	1-19-0	1-28-1
Time of Possession	32:45	27:15
Sacks-Yards	1-10	0-0

LEADERS

RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)

EIU - Whitlow (12-78-0), Church (20-75-1), Little (12-36-0)
 SEMO - Vandeven (9-55-1), McCullough (17-30-0)

PASSING (Att-Cmp-Int-Yds-TD)

EIU - Whitlow (29-19-1-282-3)
 SEMO - Vandeven (32-20-1-217-2)

RECEIVING (No -Yds -TD)

EIU - Bounds (5-107-2), Gossage (3-62-0), Church (3-21-1)
 SEMO - McRoberts (9-132-1), McCullough (4-29-0)

DEFENSE (Tackles - Solo, Assist, TFL)

EIU - Wickliffe (6-5-1), Grugier-Hill (4-4-4), Miller (2-4-1)
 SEMO - Williams (5-6-0), Garrett (2-6-0), Slania (4-3-2)

RECAP

Bradley Dewberry was among a host of players that knocked down a Southeast Missouri Hail Mary pass in the end zone as time expired helping Eastern Illinois hang on for 33-28 win over the Redhawks. EIU had built a 27-7 lead midway through the third quarter on Addison Bounds second touchdown reception of the game. Bounds hauled in a 65-yard pass from Jalen Whitlow as the tight end had five catches for 107 yards. SEMO closed to 33-28 with 5:30 to play in the game. Instead of attempting an onside kick, SEMO kicked deep. EIU offense ran nearly four minutes off the clock as Whitlow hit Paul Gossage for one first down and rushed six yards for another. Mike Bernier pinned SEMO at the five with 34 seconds to play with a 54-yard punt. Whitlow passed for 282 yards and three touchdowns in the win.



GAME 6 - October 17, 2015
Eastern Illinois 25
Tennessee State 22

Nashville, Tenn.
 Nissan Stadium (22,144)

Scoring	1	2	3	4	OT	Final
Eastern Illinois	7	7	0	8	3	25
Tennessee State	0	10	9	3	0	22

FIRST QUARTER

EIU - Church 8 run (Bruno kick) (7:25)

SECOND QUARTER

TSU - Butler 30 run (Clark kick) (11:21)
 EIU - Bounds 62 pass from Whitlow (Bruno kick) (9:50)
 TSU - Clark 31 field goal (4:16)

THIRD QUARTER

TSU - Clark 41 field goal (8:59)
 TSU - Sanders-McCollum 7 pass from Butler (run failed) (3:20)

FOURTH QUARTER

EIU - Church 25 run (Bounds reception from Whitlow) (10:55)
 TSU - Clark 50 field goal (6:41)

OVERTIME

EIU - Bruno 26 field goal

TEAM STATSEIUTSU

First Downs	17	15
Rushes-Yards	37-181	44-162
Passing-Yards	120	125
Comp-Att-Int	12-27-2	12-28-2
Total Offense	301	287
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	6-70	14-101
Int Returns-Yards-TD	2-78-0	2-69-0
Time of Possession	22:43	37:13
Sacks-Yards	3-21	0-0

LEADERS

RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)

EIU - Church (17-125-2), Whitlow (10-34-0)
 TSU - Butler (18-104-1), Hooks (12-42-0)

PASSING (Att-Cmp-Int-Yds-TD)

EIU - Whitlow (27-12-2-120-1)
 TSU - Butler (28-12-2-125-1)

RECEIVING (No -Yds -TD)

EIU - A. Taylor (4-33-0), Nelson (2-7-0), Bounds (1-62-1)
 TSU - Smith (3-55-0), Medley (2-11-0)

DEFENSE (Tackles - Solo, Assist, TFL)

EIU - McDonald (6-2-1), Dewberry (6-0-0), Arkadie (4-0-0)
 TSU - Collins (6-2-0), Kamara (6-1-0), Justice (4-2-1)

RECAP

Jourdan Wickliffe picked off a pass in overtime as Eastern Illinois beat Tennessee State, 25-22, to improve to 3-0 in the Ohio Valley Conference. Tied at 22-22 at the end of regulation, Nick Bruno knocked home a 26-yard field goal on EIU's offensive possession. Wickliffe then picked off a pass at the two yard line and ran 78 yards before going out of bounds for the win. That was the second of two big interceptions by the EIU defense. The first came in the closing seconds of the first half as Dylan Chatman picked off a pass at the one yard line to stop a TSU drive. The Panthers offense was carried by Devin Church with 125 yards rushing and two touchdowns. His score in the fourth quarter put EIU 22-19 after the Panthers converted a two-point conversion with Jalen Whitlow hitting Addison Bounds. That combo hooked up earlier in the game for a 62-yard touchdown pass.



GAME 7 - October 24, 2015
 Tennessee Tech 20
 Eastern Illinois 51

Charleston, Ill.
 O'Brien Field (6,713)
 Homecoming

Scoring	1	2	3	4	Final
Tennessee Tech.....	0	10	3	7	20
Eastern Illinois	10	7	14	20	51

FIRST QUARTER

EIU - Little 5 run (Bruno kick) (13:14)
 EIU - Bruno 30 field goal (10:04)

SECOND QUARTER

TTU - Carter 2 run (Arnold kick) (13:58)
 TTU - Arnold 44 field goal (9:07)
 EIU - Brooks 16 pass from Whitlow (Bruno kick) (5:34)

THIRD QUARTER

TTU - Arnold 40 field goal (13:13)
 EIU - Church 1 run (Bruno kick) (11:10)
 EIU - Little 12 run (Bruno kick) (1:00)

FOURTH QUARTER

EIU - Williams 24 interception return (Bruno kick) (14:48)
 EIU - Gossage 33 pass from Green (rush failed) (6:15)
 TTU - Jobe 11 run (Arnold kick) (2:54)
 EIU - Harrison 83 run (Bruno kick) (2:40)

TEAM STATSEIU TTU

First Downs.....	21	17
Rushes-Yards.....	44-240	48-152
Passing-Yards.....	193	205
Comp-Att-Int.....	16-29-0	10-30-5
Total Offense.....	433	357
Fumbles-Lost.....	3-2	2-1
Penalties-Yards.....	6-64	9-75
Int Returns-Yards-TD.....	5-64-1	0-0-0
Time of Possession.....	28:48	31:12
Sacks-Yards.....	3-21	0-0

LEADERS

RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)

EIU - Harrison (5-123-1), Little (10-39-2), Church (11-32-1)
 TTU - Vanlier (15-78-0), Annoor (11-48-0)

PASSING (Att-Cmp-Int-Yds-TD)

EIU - Whitlow (23-15-0-160-1), Green (6-1-0-33-1)
 TTU - Brown (15-7-0-115-0), Jobe (9-2-1-74-0), Davis (6-1-4-16-0)

RECEIVING (No -Yds -TD)

EIU - Church (5-65-0), Brooks (3-21-1), Gossage (2-46-1)
 TTU - McCoy (3-88-0), Vanlier (2-24-0)

DEFENSE (Tackles - Solo, Assist, TFL)

EIU - McDonald (7-2-0), Delphonse (7-2-1.5), Grugier-Hill (8-0-3)
 TTU - Hall (7-2-2), Rudwall (4-4-0), Flanigan (3-2-1)

RECAP

Eastern Illinois forced six turnovers including three interceptions on Tennessee Tech's first three offensive possessions as the Panthers won 51-20 on the 100th homecoming on campus. The Panthers converted those six turnovers into 24 points with Jarvis Williams scoring a defensive touchdown to open the fourth quarter with a 24-yard INT return. Bradley Dewberry, Seth McDonald and Kamu Grugier-Hill had the first three interceptions of the game while Jourdan Wickliffe added one late in the contest. The Panthers used an early balanced offensive attack taking advantage of the good field position. Shepard Little scored two rushing touchdowns. Malik Harrison led EIU with 123 yards, 83 coming on a long touchdown run in the fourth quarter.



GAME 8 - October 31, 2015
 Eastern Illinois 34
 Murray State 20

Murray, Ky.
 Stewart Stadium (2,108)

Scoring	1	2	3	4	Final
Eastern Illinois	10	7	7	10	34
Murray State.....	13	0	0	7	20

FIRST QUARTER

MUR - Sanford 26 interception return (kick failed) (14:54)
 EIU - Mitchell 94 kick return (Bruno kick) (14:41)
 EIU - Bruno 40 field goal (11:30)
 MUR - Blackburn 27 pass from Humphries (Mitchell kick) (4:38)

SECOND QUARTER

EIU - Little 1 run (Bruno kick) (14:34)

THIRD QUARTER

EIU - Odugbesan 80 pass from Whitlow (Bruno kick) (2:33)

FOURTH QUARTER

EIU - Bruno 31 field goal (6:49)
 MUR - Blackburn 14 pass from Humphries (Mitchell kick) (2:48)
 EIU - Little 40 run (Bruno kick) (1:45)

TEAM STATSEIUMUR

First Downs.....	16	18
Rushes-Yards.....	43-175	28-81
Passing-Yards.....	236	346
Comp-Att-Int.....	18-27-1	28-51-0
Total Offense.....	411	427
Fumbles-Lost.....	2-0	5-3
Penalties-Yards.....	8-68	2-10
Int Returns-Yards-TD.....	0-0-0	1-26-1
Time of Possession.....	33:27	26:33
Sacks-Yards.....	4-26	0-0

LEADERS

RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)

EIU - Little (17-109-2), Whitlow (7-39-0), Church (13-30-0)
 MUR - Clay (15-50-0), Humphries (13-31-0)

PASSING (Att-Cmp-Int-Yds-TD)

EIU - Whitlow (27-18-1-236-1)
 MUR - Humphries (51-28-0-346-2)

RECEIVING (No -Yds -TD)

EIU - Odugbesan (3-80-1), Nelson (3-54-0), Mitchell (3-17-0)
 MUR - Rice (7-136-0), Blackburn (6-86-2)

DEFENSE (Tackles - Solo, Assist, TFL)

EIU - Wickliffe (5-6-0), Dewberry (7-2-1), Fanti (6-0-4)
 MUR - Dean (5-2-1), Jackson (4-3-0.5), Williams (4-2-2)

RECAP

Eastern Illinois led 7-6 over Murray State 19 seconds into the game with only one offensive play ran in the contest. Marquez Sanford intercepted a pass on the first play of the game and returned it 26 yards for a Racers touchdown. Tray Mitchell then answered with a 94-yard kickoff return for EIU to give the Panthers a one point lead after MSU missed their point-after-attempt. Murray State would go up 13-10 before EIU's defense clamped down on Racers quarterback KD Humphries shutting him down for two and a half quarters. Dino Fanti had four tackles for loss as he and Kamu Grugier-Hill each had two sacks. Shepard Little rushed for 109 yards and two touchdowns. His 40-yard score in the final 1:45 of the game iced the win for EIU.



GAME 9 - November 7, 2015
 Jacksonville State..... 24
 Eastern Illinois 3

Charleston, Ill.
 O'Brien Field (4,221)

Scoring	1	2	3	4	Final
Jacksonville State.....	0	3	7	14	24
Eastern Illinois	0	3	0	0	0

SECOND QUARTER

EIU - Bruno 23 field goal (14:12)
 JSU - Rouleau 23 field goal (0:15)

THIRD QUARTER

JSU - Screws 43 pass from Jenkins (Rouleau kick) (0:15)

FOURTH QUARTER

JSU - Pope 10 run (Rouleau kick) (11:20)
 JSU - Wells 35 interception return (Rouleau kick) (11:03)

TEAM STATSEIUJSU

First Downs.....	14	21
Rushes-Yards.....	38-175	56-236
Passing-Yards.....	64	149
Comp-Att-Int.....	7-26-1	12-24-0
Total Offense.....	239	385
Fumbles-Lost.....	3-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards.....	4-32	5-40
Int Returns-Yards-TD.....	0-0-0	1-35-1
Time of Possession.....	25:11	34:49
Sacks-Yards.....	2-7	0-0

LEADERS

RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)

EIU - Church (15-84-0), Little (11-81-0), Whitlow (9-24-0)
 JSU - Pope (21-114-1), Jenkins (24-93-0)

PASSING (Att-Cmp-Int-Yds-TD)

EIU - Whitlow (24-6-1-55-0)
 JSU - Jenkins (24-12-0-149-1)

RECEIVING (No -Yds -TD)

EIU - Mitchell (2-30-0), Brooks (1-15-0)
 JSU - Screws (4-89-1), Barge (3-44-0)

DEFENSE (Tackles - Solo, Assist, TFL)

EIU - McDonald (6-11-0.5), Grugier-Hill (6-5-1)
 JSU - Johnson (4-4-0), Bender (3-5-1)

RECAP

Eastern Illinois went toe-to-toe with the number one team in country for nearly three quarters but a wild scramble with 15 seconds left in the third quarter gave Jacksonville State the momentum it needed for a 24-3 win. JSU quarterback Eli Jenkins evaded a strong pass rush by EIU and scrambled out the pocket throwing a long pass to the end zone that Dalton Screws caught just inches from end line for a touchdown with 15 seconds left in the third quarter. JSU's defense then forced a 3-and-out by EIU and the Gamecocks drove down for a Troymaine Pope rushing touchdown. The final score was on an interception return for touchdown in the fourth quarter. EIU had a couple of scoring opportunities throughout the game but only came away with three points in the second quarter on a Nick Bruno field goal. Seth McDonald had a game high 17 tackles in the loss for EIU.



GAME 10 - November 14, 2015
Eastern Illinois 23
UT Martin 21

Martin, Tenn.
 Graham Stadium (3,761)

Scoring	1	2	3	4	Final
Eastern Illinois	9	7	0	7	23
UT Martin	3	9	3	6	21

FIRST QUARTER

UTM - Redditt 32 field goal (7:47)
 EIU - Little 5 run (Bruno kick) (4:09)
 EIU - Team Safety (punt blocked out of end zone) (3:12)

SECOND QUARTER

UTM - Wright 27 pass from Neal (Redditt kick) (14:53)
 EIU - Church 2 run (Bruno kick) (8:58)
 UTM - Team Safety (fumble out of end zone) (1:07)

THIRD QUARTER

UTM - Redditt 21 field goal (6:53)

FOURTH QUARTER

EIU - Coronado 45 interception return (Bruno kick) (10:59)
 UTM - Fair 5 run (rush failed) (4:51)

TEAM STATSEIU UTM

First Downs	15	24
Rushes-Yards	40-196	29-81
Passing-Yards	80	322
Comp-Att-Int	8-18-2	30-50-4
Total Offense	276	403
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	8-79	6-47
Int Returns-Yards-TD	4-48-1	2-29-0
Time of Possession	24:13	35:47
Sacks-Yards	2-9	0-0

LEADERS

RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)

EIU - Whitlow (13-142-0), Church (12-43-1), Little (8-23-1)
 UTM - Fair (9-27-1), Ray (7-27-0)

PASSING (Att-Cmp-Int-Yds-TD)

EIU - Whitlow (18-8-2-80-0)
 UTM - Neal (49-30-4-322-1)

RECEIVING (No -Yds -TD)

EIU - Little (3-27-0), Gooch (2-28-0)
 UTM - Tanner (8-103-0), Weathers (8-62-0), Wright (6-82-1)

DEFENSE (Tackles - Solo, Assist, TFL)

EIU - Goodman (8-5-0), Wickliffe (6-4-0), Fanti (3-4-2.5)
 UTM - Clemons (6-5-0), Taylor (2-6-0.5), Evans (2-5-0)

RECAP

Dino Fanti made two big fourth quarter plays that helped Eastern Illinois pick up a 23-21 win over UT Martin. With EIU leading 16-15, Fanti hit UTM quarterback Jarod Neal from behind forcing an errant pass that was picked off by Thomas Coronado. Coronado returned the interception 45 yards to give EIU an eight point lead. Later in the fourth quarter, UTM closed to 23-21 on a short touchdown run by Ladevin Fair. On the ensuing two-point conversion attempt, Fanti tackled Neal in the backfield to preserve EIU's two point lead. The Skyhawks would get only one more offensive possession which was ended on the first play of that drive as Jourdan Wickliffe picked off a Neal pass, the fourth interception of the day by the Panthers. Quarterback Jalen Whitlow rushed for 142 yards on the ground with Devin Church and Shepard Little each scoring on short touchdown runs. Fanti ended the day with seven tackles, 2.5 tackles for loss, one sack and one forced fumble.



GAME 11 - November 21, 2015
Eastern Kentucky 7
Eastern Illinois 21

Charleston, Ill.
 O'Brien Field (1,438)

Scoring	1	2	3	4	Final
Eastern Kentucky	0	0	0	7	7
Eastern Illinois	0	7	14	0	21

SECOND QUARTER

EIU - Whitlow 9 run (Bruno kick) (1:47)

THIRD QUARTER

EIU - Horne 62 fumble return (Bruno kick) (12:56)
 EIU - Harrison 9 run (Bruno kick) (4:35)

FOURTH QUARTER

EKU - Curry 35 blocked punt return (Williams kick) (4:20)

TEAM STATSEIU EKU

First Downs	12	14
Rushes-Yards	52-168	34-40
Passing-Yards	72	153
Comp-Att-Int	8-21-0	19-41-5
Total Offense	240	193
Fumbles-Lost	4-0	7-2
Penalties-Yards	6-48	2-30
Int Returns-Yards-TD	5-17-0	0-0-0
Time of Possession	32:38	27:22
Sacks-Yards	3-28	0-0

LEADERS

RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)

EIU - Harrison (13-79-1), Chruh (15-37-0), Whitlow (9-26-1)
 EIU - Thomas (11-40-0), Lane (11-38-0)

PASSING (Att-Cmp-Int-Yds-TD)

EIU - Whitlow (21-8-0-72-0)
 EIU - Swafford (24-10-4-99-0), Coney (17-9-1-54-0)

RECEIVING (No -Yds -TD)

EIU - Taylor (2-20-0), Church (2-9-0), Bounds (1-22-0)
 EIU - Madon (6-52-0), Beasley (4-49-0)

DEFENSE (Tackles - Solo, Assist, TFL)

EIU - Dewberry (8-0-0), Fanti (5-0-4), McDonald (4-1-1.5)
 EIU - Kelly (7-3-2), Northington (6-2-0)

RECAP

Eastern Illinois defense stepped up big for the second straight week as Dino Fanti had a sack that forced a fumble early in the third quarter. Nick Horne picked up the fumble and returned it 62 yards for a touchdown that gave EIU some breathing room in a 21-7 win over No. 23 Eastern Kentucky. Malik Harrison provided a spark in the backfield off the bench with 79 yards on 13 carries. His 34 yard rush in the second quarter gave the Panthers the ball inside the 15-yard line. Jalen Whitlow scored three plays later to give EIU a 7-0 lead. The drive was started by a good punt return by James Brooks that gave EIU the ball at midfield, a big advantage on a snowy day at O'Brien Field. Harrison added a touchdown in the third quarter as EIU won on senior day. Dino Fanti became the EIU single season record holder for tackles for loss with four on the day including two sacks and two forced fumbles. EIU scored with 4:20 to play in the fourth quarter on a blocked punt returned for a touchdown. The Colonels had another drive that was ended on the fifth interception of the day by EIU's defense. The Panthers forced seven turnovers in the game.

2015 EIU PANTHERS FOOTBALL
 EASTERN ILLINOIS Game Results
 All games

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall Record	Ohio Valley Record	Time	Attend
Sep 3, 2015	at Western Illinois	5-33 L	0- 1- 0	0- 0- 0	3:40	5,985
Sep 12, 2015	at Northwestern	0-41 L	0- 2- 0	0- 0- 0	2:51	29,131
Sep 19, 2015	#5 ILLINOIS STATE	31-34 Lot	0- 3- 0	0- 0- 0	3:25	8,104
* Oct 3, 2015	at Austin Peay	W 40-16	1- 3- 0	1- 0- 0	3:24	2,531
* Oct 10, 2015	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	W 33-28	2- 3- 0	2- 0- 0	3:30	7,911
* Oct 17, 2015	at Tennessee State	W 25-22 ot	3- 3- 0	3- 0- 0	3:42	22,144
* Oct 24, 2015	TENNESSEE TECH	W 51-20	4- 3- 0	4- 0- 0	3:19	6,713
* Oct 31, 2015	at Murray State	W 34-20	5- 3- 0	5- 0- 0	2:59	2,108
* Nov 7, 2015	#1 JACKSONVILLE STATE	3-24 L	5- 4- 0	5- 1- 0	3:04	4,221
* Nov 14, 2015	at UT Martin	W 23-21	6- 4- 0	6- 1- 0	3:16	3,761
* Nov 21, 2015	#23 EASTERN KENTUCKY	W 21-7	7- 4- 0	7- 1- 0	3:27	1,438

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* indicates Ohio Valley Conferece game

2015 EASTERN ILLINOIS STARTERS

OPPONENT	WR	TE/WR	RT	RG	C	LG	LT	WR	TE	RB	QB
Western Illinois	Mitchell	A. Taylor	Kanz	S. Taylor	Vailopa	Askin	Lowery	Nelson	Bounds	Little	Whitlow
Northwestern	Mitchell	A. Taylor	Kanz	S. Taylor	Vailopa	Askin	Lowery	Nelson	Odugbesan	Church	Whitlow
Illinois State	Mitchell	A. Taylor	Kanz	Callaway	Vailopa	Askin	Lowery	Nelson	Odugbesan	Church	Whitlow
Austin Peay	Kwiatkowski	Weaver	Kanz	S. Taylor	Vailopa	Askin	Lowery	Nelson	Bounds	Church	Whitlow
SE Missouri	Mitchell	Little	Kanz	S. Taylor	Vailopa	Askin	Lowery	Nelson	Bounds	Church	Whitlow
Tennessee St	Mitchell	Gossage	Kanz	S. Taylor	Vailopa	Askin	Lowery	Nelson	Odugbesan	Seymour	Whitlow
Tennessee Tech	Gooch	Gossage	Kanz	S. Taylor	Vailopa	Askin	Lowery	Nelson	Bounds	Church	Whitlow
Murray State	Mitchell	Brooks	Kanz	S. Taylor	Vailopa	Askin	Lowery	Nelson	Bounds	Church	Whitlow
Jacksonville St.	Brooks	Weaver	Kanz	S. Taylor	Vailopa	Askin	Lowery	Nelson	Bounds	Church	Whitlow
UT Martin	Brooks	Weaver	Kanz	Callaway	Vailopa	Askin	Lowery	Little	Bounds	Church	Whitlow
Eastern Ky.	Brooks	A. Taylor	Kanz	S. Taylor	Vailopa	Askin	Lowery	Nelson	Bounds	Church	Whitlow

OPPONENT	DE	NG	DT	WOLF	LB	LB	HUSKIE	CB	ROVER	FS	CB
Western Illinois	Coronado	Williams	Fanti	Delphonse	McDonald	Grugier-Hill	Goodman	Johnson	Speller	Dewberry	Standifer
Northwestern	Fanti	Chism	Williams	Delphonse	McDonald	Grugier-Hill	Goodman	Johnson	Speller	Dewberry	Chatman
Illinois State	Coronado	Williams	Fanti	Delphonse	McDonald	Grugier-Hill	Julius	Johnson	Speller	Dewberry	Chatman
Austin Peay	Coronado	Williams	Fanti	Delphonse	McDonald	Grugier-Hill	Goodman	Johnson	Speller	Wickliffe	Chatman
SE Missouri	Coronado	Williams	Fanti	Delphonse	McDonald	Grugier-Hill	Dewberry	Johnson	Speller	Wickliffe	Chatman
Tennessee St	Coronado	Arkadie	Fanti	Delphonse	McDonald	Grugier-Hill	Dewberry	Smith	Miller	Wickliffe	Julius
Tennessee Tech	Coronado	Williams	Fanti	Delphonse	McDonald	Grugier-Hill	Dewberry	Johnson	Miller	Wickliffe	Chatman
Murray State	Coronado	Chism	Fanti	Delphonse	McDonald	Grugier-Hill	Dewberry	Johnson	Speller	Wickliffe	Chatman
Jacksonville St.	Coronado	Chism	Fanti	Delphonse	McDonald	Grugier-Hill	Dewberry	Johnson	Speller	Wickliffe	Chatman
UT Martin	Coronado	Chism	Fanti	Delphonse	McDonald	Horne	Dewberry	Johnson	Goodman	Wickliffe	Chatman
Eastern Ky.	Coronado	Chism	Fanti	Delphonse	McDonald	Horne	Dewberry	Johnson	Speller	Wickliffe	Chatman

EASTERN ILLINOIS FOOTBALL
Eastern Illinois Overall Team Statistics (as of Nov 21, 2015)
All games

Team Statistics	EIU	OPP
SCORING	266	266
Points Per Game	24.2	24.2
Points Off Turnovers	64	68
FIRST DOWNS	198	201
Rushing	110	93
Passing	73	88
Penalty	15	20
RUSHING YARDAGE	2003	1774
Yards gained rushing	2328	2133
Yards lost rushing	325	359
Rushing Attempts	476	480
Average Per Rush	4.2	3.7
Average Per Game	182.1	161.3
TDs Rushing	19	16
PASSING YARDAGE	1699	2103
Comp-Att-Int	147-294-13	178-358-19
Average Per Pass	5.8	5.9
Average Per Catch	11.6	11.8
Average Per Game	154.5	191.2
TDs Passing	10	10
TOTAL OFFENSE	3702	3877
Total Plays	770	838
Average Per Play	4.8	4.6
Average Per Game	336.5	352.5
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	42-828	39-653
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	15-175	19-200
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	19-246	13-355
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	19.7	16.7
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	11.7	10.5
INT RETURN AVERAGE	12.9	27.3
FUMBLES-LOST	21-7	26-10
PENALTIES-Yards	88-736	68-563
Average Per Game	66.9	51.2
PUNTS-Yards	72-2508	60-2301
Average Per Punt	34.8	38.3
Net punt average	30.4	33.1
KICKOFFS-Yards	54-2952	56-3224
Average Per Kick	54.7	57.6
Net kick average	38.9	37.9
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	28:38	31:22
3RD-DOWN Conversions	50/162	65/194
3rd-Down Pct	31%	34%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	8/20	14/30
4th-Down Pct	40%	47%
SACKS BY-Yards	23-152	9-65
MISC YARDS	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	34	32
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	9-15	15-22
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	0-2
RED-ZONE SCORES	(26-34) 76%	(30-47) 64%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(20-34) 59%	(19-47) 40%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(29-31) 94%	(27-29) 93%
ATTENDANCE	28387	65660
Games/Avg Per Game	5/5677	6/10943
Neutral Site Games		0/0

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Eastern Illinois	70	75	51	67	3	266
Opponents	43	87	59	74	3	266

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Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
CHURCH, Devin	11	152	746	38	708	4.7	8	42	64.4
WHITLOW, Jalen	11	127	626	133	493	3.9	2	42	44.8
LITTLE, Shepard	10	93	467	32	435	4.7	6	41	43.5
HARRISON, Malik	10	21	231	11	220	10.5	2	83	22.0
SEYMOUR, Jerron	8	39	115	15	100	2.6	0	14	12.5
BROOKS, James	5	9	58	2	56	6.2	0	17	11.2
GREEN, Austin	11	8	31	8	23	2.9	0	11	2.1
NEVERDON, Brandon	11	7	25	3	22	3.1	0	14	2.0
GOOCH, Aaron	10	2	16	0	16	8.0	0	8	1.6
TAYLOR, Scott	10	0	12	0	12	0.0	1	0	1.2
MITCHELL, Tray	11	2	8	4	4	2.0	0	8	0.4
TAYLOR, Anthony	10	1	3	0	3	3.0	0	3	0.3
PENDERGRASS, Trey	11	1	0	4	-4	-4.0	0	0	-0.4
NELSON, Isaiah	11	1	0	7	-7	-7.0	0	0	-0.6
BERNIER, Mike	11	1	-10	4	-14	-14.0	0	0	-1.3
TEAM	10	12	0	64	-64	-5.3	0	0	-6.4
Total	11	476	2328	325	2003	4.2	19	83	182.1
Opponents	11	480	2133	359	1774	3.7	16	74	161.3

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
WHITLOW, Jalen	11	102.81	144-281-12	51.2	1657	9	80	150.6
GREEN, Austin	11	78.58	1-9-0	11.1	33	1	33	3.0
BERNIER, Mike	11	50.00	1-2-0	50.0	0	0	0	0.0
KWIATKOWSKI, Jack	11	-200.00	0-1-1	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
BROOKS, James	5	175.60	1-1-0	100.0	9	0	9	1.8
Total	11	100.92	147-294-13	50.0	1699	10	80	154.5
Opponents	11	97.67	178-358-19	49.7	2103	10	61	191.2

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
CHURCH, Devin	11	26	208	8.0	2	29	18.9
NELSON, Isaiah	11	22	347	15.8	1	40	31.5
TAYLOR, Anthony	10	20	204	10.2	1	38	20.4
BOUNDS, Addison	11	14	257	18.4	3	65	23.4
LITTLE, Shepard	10	14	115	8.2	0	53	11.5
MITCHELL, Tray	11	13	129	9.9	0	23	11.7
GOSSAGE, Paul	8	9	154	17.1	1	33	19.2
ODUGBESAN, Ben	10	7	112	16.0	1	80	11.2
BROOKS, James	5	7	98	14.0	1	33	19.6
NEVERDON, Brandon	11	7	21	3.0	0	9	1.9
GOOCH, Aaron	10	4	30	7.5	0	19	3.0
PENDERGRASS, Trey	11	2	21	10.5	0	12	1.9
SEYMOUR, Jerron	8	2	3	1.5	0	3	0.4
Total	11	147	1699	11.6	10	80	154.5
Opponents	11	178	2103	11.8	10	61	191.2

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
LITTLE, Shepard	9	103	11.4	0	37
BROOKS, James	3	56	18.7	0	32
NEVERDON, Brandon	1	6	6.0	0	0
DRAPER, Johnathan	1	6	6.0	0	0
WEAVER, Mack	1	4	4.0	0	0
Total	15	175	11.7	0	37
Opponents	19	200	10.5	1	42

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
WICKLIFFE, Jourdan	5	89	17.8	0	78
CHATMAN, Dylan	4	0	0.0	0	0
DEWBERRY, Bradley	4	9	2.2	0	6
McDONALD, Seth	2	27	13.5	1	20
WILLIAMS, Jarvis	1	24	24.0	1	24
CORONADO, Thomas	1	45	45.0	1	45
GRUGIER-HILL, Kamu	1	33	33.0	0	33
SPELLER, Vince	1	19	19.0	0	19
Total	19	246	12.9	3	78
Opponents	13	355	27.3	5	71

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
CHURCH, Devin	17	357	21.0	0	36
MITCHELL, Tray	15	380	25.3	1	94
GUNTER, Mike	3	28	9.3	0	10
LITTLE, Shepard	2	37	18.5	0	21
NEVERDON, Brandon	2	10	5.0	0	10
GOOCH, Aaron	1	7	7.0	0	7
ODUGBESAN, Ben	1	-4	-4.0	0	0
WEAVER, Mack	1	13	13.0	0	13
Total	42	828	19.7	1	94
Opponents	39	653	16.7	0	71

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
HORNE, Nick	1	62	62.0	1	62
Total	1	62	62.0	1	62
Opponents	1	11	11.0	0	11

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Scoring	td	fg	PAT				dxd	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass			
CHURCH, Devin	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	
BRUNO, Nick	-	9-15	29-30	-	-	-	-	56	
LITTLE, Shepard	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	36	
BOUNDS, Addison	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	20	
WHITLOW, Jalen	2	-	-	-	-	1-2	-	12	
HARRISON, Malik	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	
BROOKS, James	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
GOSSAGE, Paul	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
NELSON, Isaiah	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
TAYLOR, Anthony	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
TAYLOR, Scott	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
ODUGBESAN, Ben	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
CORONADO, Thomas	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
WILLIAMS, Jarvis	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
McDONALD, Seth	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
MITCHELL, Tray	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
HORNE, Nick	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
TEAM	-	-	0-1	-	-	-	1	2	
DEWBERRY, Bradley	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	
GREEN, Austin	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	-	0	
Total	34	9-15	29-31	0-1	1	1-2	1	266	
Opponents	32	15-22	27-29	0-2	-	0-1	-	266	

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
WHITLOW, Jalen	11	408	493	1657	2150	195.5
CHURCH, Devin	11	152	708	0	708	64.4
LITTLE, Shepard	10	93	435	0	435	43.5
HARRISON, Malik	10	21	220	0	220	22.0
SEYMOUR, Jerron	8	39	100	0	100	12.5
BROOKS, James	5	10	56	9	65	13.0
GREEN, Austin	11	17	23	33	56	5.1
NEVERDON, Brandon	11	7	22	0	22	2.0
GOOCH, Aaron	10	2	16	0	16	1.6
TAYLOR, Scott	10	0	12	0	12	1.2
MITCHELL, Tray	11	2	4	0	4	0.4
TAYLOR, Anthony	10	1	3	0	3	0.3
PENDERGRASS, Trey	11	1	-4	0	-4	-0.4
NELSON, Isaiah	11	1	-7	0	-7	-0.6
BERNIER, Mike	11	3	-14	0	-14	-1.3
TEAM	10	12	-64	0	-64	-6.4
Total	11	770	2003	1699	3702	336.5
Opponents	11	838	1774	2103	3877	352.5

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
BRUNO, Nick	9-15	60.0	0-0	4-4	4-8	1-3	0-0	40	0

FG Sequence	Eastern Illinois	Opponents
Western Illinois	(33),46	41,(24),(26)
Northwestern	-	(22),(33)
Illinois State	(21),31	(50),47,49,(32)
Austin Peay	39	(27)
Southeast Missouri	(20),(39)	33
Tennessee State	(26)	(31),(41),(50)
Tennessee Tech	40,(30)	(44),40,(40)
Murray State	(40),(31)	-
Jacksonville State	(23)	(23),53
UT Martin	37	(32),(21),33
Eastern Kentucky	36	-

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
BERNIER, Mike	61	2304	37.8	56	6	18	22	6	4
BRUNO, Nick	6	170	28.3	41	0	0	0	0	1
TEAM	5	34	6.8	19	0	0	0	0	0
Total	72	2508	34.8	56	6	18	22	6	5
Opponents	60	2301	38.3	74	7	10	11	10	6

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydln
MOSNIA, Carlo	54	2952	54.7	8	3			
Total	54	2952	54.7	8	3	16.7	38.9	26
Opponents	56	3224	57.6	11	2	19.7	37.9	27

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

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All games

All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
CHURCH, Devin	11	708	208	0	357	0	1273	115.7
LITTLE, Shepar	10	435	115	103	37	0	690	69.0
MITCHELL, Tray	11	4	129	0	380	0	513	46.6
WHITLOW, Jale	11	493	0	0	0	0	493	44.8
NELSON, Isaiah	11	-7	347	0	0	0	340	30.9
BOUNDS, Addis	11	0	257	0	0	0	257	23.4
HARRISON, Mal	10	220	0	0	0	0	220	22.0
BROOKS, Jame	5	56	98	56	0	0	210	42.0
TAYLOR, Antho	10	3	204	0	0	0	207	20.7
GOSSAGE, Pau	8	0	154	0	0	0	154	19.2
ODUGBESAN,	10	0	112	0	-4	0	108	10.8
SEYMOUR, Jerr	8	100	3	0	0	0	103	12.9
WICKLIFFE, Jou	8	0	0	0	0	89	89	11.1
NEVERDON, Br	11	22	21	6	10	0	59	5.4
GOOCH, Aaron	10	16	30	0	7	0	53	5.3
CORONADO, T	11	0	0	0	0	45	45	4.1
GRUGIER-HILL,	9	0	0	0	0	33	33	3.7
GUNTER, Mike	11	0	0	0	28	0	28	2.5
McDONALD, Set	11	0	0	0	0	27	27	2.5
WILLIAMS, Jarvi	11	0	0	0	0	24	24	2.2
GREEN, Austin	11	23	0	0	0	0	23	2.1
SPELLER, Vinc	8	0	0	0	0	19	19	2.4
WEAVER, Mack	11	0	0	4	13	0	17	1.5
PENDERGRAS	11	-4	21	0	0	0	17	1.5
TAYLOR, Scott	10	12	0	0	0	0	12	1.2
DEWBERRY, Br	11	0	0	0	0	9	9	0.8
DRAPER, Johna	11	0	0	6	0	0	6	0.5
BERNIER, Mike	11	-14	0	0	0	0	-14	-1.3
TEAM	10	-64	0	0	0	0	-64	-6.4
Total	11	2003	1699	175	828	246	4951	450.1
Opponents	11	1774	2103	200	653	355	5085	462.3

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##	Defensive Leaders	gp	Tackles				tfl/yds	Sacks no-yds	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot				int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
51	McDONALD, Seth	11	52	52	104	6.0-36	2.0-15	2-27	1	4	1-0	2	.	.	
7	DEWBERRY, Bradley	11	49	20	69	3.5-7	.	4-9	4	.	.	.	.	.
32	GRUGIER-HILL, Kamu	9	37	25	62	14.5-71	5.5-40	1-33	2	2	1-0	.	.	.	
97	FANTI, Dino	11	26	34	60	21.0-72	7.5-51	.	1	9	1-0	5	.	.	
2	WICKLIFFE, Jourdan	8	36	22	58	5.0-14	1.0-7	5-89	4	.	.	.	.	.
1B	GOODMAN, Anthony	11	32	23	55	3.5-10	1.0-5	.	6	2	.	1	.	.	
28	SPELLER, Vince	8	24	23	47	1.5-2	.	1-19	4	.	1-0	1	1	.	
8B	DELPHONSE, Fed	9	17	20	37	5.0-16	1.0-6	.	.	4	.	.	1	.	
92	ARKADIE, Horace	10	17	17	34	2.5-5	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.
30	HORNE, Nick	11	14	19	33	6.5-22	1.5-14	.	.	1	1-62	.	.	.	
91	WILLIAMS, Jarvis	11	14	18	32	5.5-14	2.0-2	1-24	1	4	.	1	.	.	
58	CORONADO, Thomas	11	18	13	31	2.5-10	1.0-7	1-45	2	4	1-0	.	.	.	
23	CHATMAN, Dylan	11	20	9	29	1.0-5	.	4-0	7	.	.	.	.	.
31	MILLER, Malcolm	11	14	12	26	2.0-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
39	GUNTER, Mike	11	12	12	24	1.5-7	.	.	.	1	2-0	.	.	.	
5B	JOHNSON, Antonie	11	16	7	23	1.0-1	.	.	12	.	.	1	.	.	
90	CHISM, Dan	8	7	6	13	1.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
12	SMITH, DySaun	10	9	3	12	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.
52	WINSTON, Jaylon	11	5	6	11	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
3B	STANDIFER, Anthony	4	6	4	10	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.
9B	RAINEY, Jermiah	6	4	4	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
8B	DELPHONSE, Fedney	2	2	4	6	1.5-7	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
56	SHEPARD, Taylon	9	2	4	6	2.0-9	0.5-5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
24	DRAPER, Johnathan	11	2	3	5	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
6B	JULIUS, Cedric	11	3	1	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
6	MITCHELL, Tray	11	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
29	WALKER, Elven	4	2	2	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
55	MYCHALCZUK, Steven	6	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
4B	CHOY, Pono	8	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
80	ODUGBESAN, Ben	10	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.
37	HARRISON, Malik	10	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
77	DOYLE, Josh	2	3	.	3	1.0-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
57	TAYLOR, Scott	10	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
84	KWIATKOWSKI, Jack	11	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
14	GREEN, Austin	11	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
81	GOOCH, Aaron	10	.	1	1	0.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
33	SEYMOUR, Jerron	8	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3	TAYLOR, Anthony	10	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
89	BOUNDS, Addison	11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
70	VAILOPA, Louis	11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2B	WHITLOW, Jalen	11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
36	BERNIER, Mike	11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
9	CHURCH, Devin	11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
8	WEAVER, Mack	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
5	NEVERDON, Brandon	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
50	MOSNIA, Carlo	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
TM	TEAM	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Total		11	466	369	835	90-322	23-152	19-246	54	32	10-62	17	7	1	
Opponents		11	419	364	783	73-235	9-65	13-355	49	21	7-11	6	5	1	

EASTERN ILLINOIS FOOTBALL
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TEAM STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot off
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp-att-int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	
Sep 03	at Western Illinois	49	155	0	15	17	153	0	33	17-37-3	153	0	33	5	98	0	25	0	0	0	0	308
Sep 12	at Northwestern	29	70	0	15	10	68	0	23	10-20-2	68	0	23	7	128	0	36	0	0	0	0	138
Sep 19	ILLINOIS STATE	48	209	2	23	16	165	1	23	16-29-0	165	1	23	5	105	0	29	1	-2	0	0	374
Oct 03	at Austin Peay	50	261	4	20	16	266	2	53	16-31-1	266	2	53	3	19	0	13	2	37	0	33	527
Oct 10	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	46	173	1	27	19	282	3	65	19-29-1	282	3	65	3	62	0	33	1	37	0	37	455
Oct 17	at Tennessee State	37	181	2	27	12	120	1	62	12-27-2	120	1	62	4	100	0	35	3	6	0	5	301
Oct 24	TENNESSEE TECH	44	240	4	83	16	193	2	34	16-29-0	193	2	34	4	88	0	28	2	32	0	17	433
Oct 31	at Murray State	43	175	2	40	18	236	1	80	18-27-1	236	1	80	3	109	1	94	1	6	0	0	411
Nov 07	JACKSONVILLE STATE	38	175	0	42	7	64	0	21	7-26-1	64	0	21	4	47	0	16	1	-3	0	0	239
Nov 14	at UT Martin	40	196	2	42	8	80	0	19	8-18-2	80	0	19	3	72	0	31	1	6	0	0	276
Nov 21	EASTERN KENTUCKY	52	168	2	34	8	72	0	22	8-21-0	72	0	22	1	0	0	0	3	56	0	32	240
Opponents		476	2003	19	83	147	1699	10	80	147-294-13	1699	10	80	42	828	1	94	15	175	0	37	3702
Opponents		480	1774	16	74	178	2103	10	61	178-358-19	2103	10	61	39	653	0	71	19	200	1	42	3877

Games: 11 • Avg/rush: 4.2 • Avg/catch: 11.6 • Pass effic: 100.92 • KR avg: 19.7 • PR avg: 11.7 • All purpose avg/game: 450.1 • Total offense avg/gm: 336.5

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT Attempts			off			
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds		ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup		kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts	
Sep 03	at Western Illinois	35	61	96	13.0-42	2.0-13	3	2-0	1-0	4	11	3	0-0	0	0	0	0	2	5
Sep 12	at Northwestern	47	62	109	7.0-13	1.0-1	2	1-0	0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 19	ILLINOIS STATE	35	48	83	4.0-18	1.0-9	0	0-0	1-20	3	5	0	4-4	0	0	0	7	31	
Oct 03	at Austin Peay	39	32	71	10.0-31	1.0-7	2	1-0	0-0	5	4	1	4-6	0	0	0	0	40	
Oct 10	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	34	32	66	10.0-28	1.0-10	0	0-0	1-19	3	4	0	3-3	0	0	0	0	33	
Oct 17	at Tennessee State	49	10	59	7.0-26	3.0-21	0	0-0	2-78	2	3	1	2-2	0	1	0	0	25	
Oct 24	TENNESSEE TECH	50	14	64	9.0-43	3.0-21	0	1-0	5-64	3	5	0	6-6	0	0	0	24	51	
Oct 31	at Murray State	45	24	69	9.0-37	4.0-26	5	3-0	0-0	3	4	0	4-4	0	0	0	3	34	
Nov 07	JACKSONVILLE STATE	43	38	81	7.0-17	2.0-7	1	0-0	0-0	1	6	1	0-0	0	0	0	0	3	
Nov 14	at UT Martin	43	38	81	5.0-12	2.0-9	1	0-0	4-48	2	4	1	3-3	0	0	1	14	23	
Nov 21	EASTERN KENTUCKY	46	10	56	9.0-55	3.0-28	3	2-62	5-17	5	8	0	3-3	0	0	0	14	21	
Opponents		466	369	835	90.0-322	23.0-152	17	10-62	19-246	32	54	7	29-31	0	1	1	64	266	
Opponents		419	364	783	73.0-235	9.0-65	6	7-11	13-355	21	49	5	27-29	0	0	1	68	266	

Date	Opponent	Punting							Field Goals			Kickoffs						
		no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
Sep 03	at Western Illinois	8	279	34.9	45	1	0	2	0	1	1-2	33	0	2	125	62.5	0	0
Sep 12	at Northwestern	7	264	37.7	56	0	0	1	1	4	0-0	0	0	1	57	57.0	0	0
Sep 19	ILLINOIS STATE	7	274	39.1	46	0	0	2	0	2	1-2	21	0	6	292	48.7	0	0
Oct 03	at Austin Peay	3	127	42.3	55	0	1	1	1	0	0-1	0	0	7	386	55.1	1	1
Oct 10	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	5	203	40.6	54	0	2	0	1	1	2-2	39	0	7	394	56.3	1	0
Oct 17	at Tennessee State	7	213	30.4	45	1	0	6	0	5	1-1	26	0	4	220	55.0	0	1
Oct 24	TENNESSEE TECH	5	147	29.4	42	1	0	0	0	1	1-2	30	0	9	490	54.4	4	0
Oct 31	at Murray State	9	325	36.1	52	0	2	1	2	3	2-2	40	0	7	404	57.7	1	1
Nov 07	JACKSONVILLE STATE	7	254	36.3	50	1	0	3	1	2	1-1	23	0	2	95	47.5	0	0
Nov 14	at UT Martin	4	146	36.5	48	0	0	1	0	2	0-1	0	0	5	295	59.0	1	0
Nov 21	EASTERN KENTUCKY	10	276	27.6	49	1	1	1	0	1	0-1	0	0	4	194	48.5	0	0
Opponents		72	2508	34.8	56	5	6	18	6	22	9-15	40	0	54	2952	54.7	8	3
Opponents		60	2301	38.3	74	6	7	10	10	11	15-22	50	0	56	3224	57.6	11	2

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Eastern Illinois Opponent Game-by-Game (as of Nov 21, 2015)
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OPPONENT STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot off
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds		td	lg
Sep 03	at Western Illinois	44	77	2	14	18	189	1	29	18-35-1	189	1	29	2	105	0	71	4	68	0	42	266
Sep 12	at Northwestern	69	344	3	31	11	152	1	44	11-16-0	152	1	44	1	24	0	24	2	-2	0	1	496
Sep 19	ILLINOIS STATE	51	216	3	33	12	204	1	40	12-27-1	204	1	40	5	71	0	23	3	8	0	5	420
Oct 03	at Austin Peay	47	268	2	74	6	41	0	13	6-24-0	41	0	13	5	54	0	20	0	0	0	0	309
Oct 10	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	30	117	1	25	20	217	2	38	20-32-1	217	2	38	6	97	0	23	1	8	0	8	334
Oct 17	at Tennessee State	44	162	1	30	12	125	1	26	12-28-2	125	1	26	3	22	0	14	1	22	0	0	287
Oct 24	TENNESSEE TECH	48	152	2	24	10	205	0	56	10-30-5	205	0	56	5	91	0	28	1	2	0	0	357
Oct 31	at Murray State	28	81	0	13	28	346	2	61	28-51-0	346	2	61	5	95	0	21	2	5	0	10	427
Nov 07	JACKSONVILLE STATE	56	236	1	19	12	149	1	43	12-24-0	149	1	43	1	19	0	19	3	33	0	12	385
Nov 14	at UT Martin	29	81	1	13	30	322	1	27	30-50-4	322	1	27	4	64	0	24	1	3	0	3	403
Nov 21	EASTERN KENTUCKY	34	40	0	18	19	153	0	19	19-41-5	153	0	19	2	11	0	14	1	53	1	35	193
Eastern Illinois		480	1774	16	74	178	2103	10	61	178-358-19	2103	10	61	39	653	0	71	19	200	1	42	3877
Eastern Illinois		476	2003	19	83	147	1699	10	80	147-294-13	1699	10	80	42	828	1	94	15	175	0	37	3702

Games: 11 • Avg/rush: 3.7 • Avg/catch: 11.8 • Pass effic: 97.67 • KR avg: 16.7 • PR avg: 10.5 • All purpose avg/game: 462.3 • Total offense avg/gm: 352.5

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT Attempts			off		
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds		ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup		kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts
Sep 03	at Western Illinois	39	58	97	11.0-32	2.0-11	1	2-0	3-41	1	10	1	3-4	0	0	0	16	33
Sep 12	at Northwestern	31	26	57	8.0-34	3.0-23	0	0-0	2-94	2	2	0	5-5	0	0	0	14	41
Sep 19	ILLINOIS STATE	33	58	91	7.0-28	3.0-23	1	1-0	0-0	1	7	0	4-4	0	0	0	3	34
Oct 03	at Austin Peay	41	28	69	4.0-15	1.0-8	1	1-0	1-33	2	2	0	1-1	0	0	0	6	16
Oct 10	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	38	38	76	5.0-10	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-28	2	4	0	4-4	0	0	0	7	28
Oct 17	at Tennessee State	44	16	60	5.0-12	0.0-0	1	1-0	2-69	1	1	1	1-1	0	0	0	0	22
Oct 24	TENNESSEE TECH	45	26	71	8.0-23	0.0-0	1	2-11	0-0	4	6	1	2-2	0	0	0	6	20
Oct 31	at Murray State	44	22	66	8.0-20	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-26	0	2	0	2-3	0	0	0	6	20
Nov 07	JACKSONVILLE STATE	30	28	58	8.0-29	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-35	3	5	1	3-3	0	0	0	7	24
Nov 14	at UT Martin	25	40	65	2.0-2	0.0-0	0	0-0	2-29	2	5	0	1-1	0	0	1	3	21
Nov 21	EASTERN KENTUCKY	49	24	73	7.0-30	0.0-0	1	0-0	0-0	3	5	1	1-1	0	0	0	0	7
Eastern Illinois		419	364	783	73.0-235	9.0-65	6	7-11	13-355	21	49	5	27-29	0	0	1	68	266
Eastern Illinois		466	369	835	90.0-322	23.0-152	17	10-62	19-246	32	54	7	29-31	0	1	1	64	266

Date	Opponent	Punting							Field Goals			Kickoffs						
		no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
Sep 03	at Western Illinois	6	221	36.8	48	2	0	1	0	2	2-3	26	0	7	451	64.4	2	0
Sep 12	at Northwestern	2	73	36.5	37	0	0	1	0	0	2-2	33	0	8	466	58.2	1	0
Sep 19	ILLINOIS STATE	4	162	40.5	56	0	0	2	1	1	2-4	50	0	6	357	59.5	1	0
Oct 03	at Austin Peay	7	184	26.3	39	1	0	1	0	1	1-1	27	0	4	182	45.5	1	0
Oct 10	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	6	292	48.7	65	0	2	0	3	0	0-1	0	0	5	313	62.6	2	0
Oct 17	at Tennessee State	7	252	36.0	54	1	0	1	2	0	3-3	50	0	5	292	58.4	1	0
Oct 24	TENNESSEE TECH	4	166	41.5	49	0	0	2	0	1	2-3	44	0	5	249	49.8	0	0
Oct 31	at Murray State	8	364	45.5	74	0	3	1	2	1	0-0	0	0	3	147	49.0	0	0
Nov 07	JACKSONVILLE STATE	5	190	38.0	52	1	1	1	1	3	1-2	23	0	5	295	59.0	1	0
Nov 14	at UT Martin	2	44	22.0	44	1	0	0	0	0	2-3	32	0	6	375	62.5	2	1
Nov 21	EASTERN KENTUCKY	9	353	39.2	61	0	1	0	1	2	0-0	0	0	2	97	48.5	0	1
Eastern Illinois		60	2301	38.3	74	6	7	10	10	11	15-22	50	0	56	3224	57.6	11	2
Eastern Illinois		72	2508	34.8	56	5	6	18	6	22	9-15	40	0	54	2952	54.7	8	3

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INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes	20	CHURCH, Devin vs Illinois State (Sep 19, 2015)
	20	CHURCH, Devin vs Southeast Missouri (Oct 10, 2015)
Yards Rushing	142	WHITLOW, Jalen at UT Martin (Nov 14, 2015)
TD Rushes	2	CHURCH, Devin at Austin Peay (Oct 03, 2015)
	2	CHURCH, Devin at Tennessee State (Oct 17, 2015)
	2	LITTLE, Shepard vs Tennessee Tech (Oct 24, 2015)
	2	LITTLE, Shepard at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
Long Rush	83	HARRISON, Malik vs Tennessee Tech (Oct 24, 2015)
Pass attempts	36	WHITLOW, Jalen at Western Illinois (Sep 03, 2015)
Pass completions	19	WHITLOW, Jalen vs Southeast Missouri (Oct 10, 2015)
Yards Passing	282	WHITLOW, Jalen vs Southeast Missouri (Oct 10, 2015)
TD Passes	3	WHITLOW, Jalen vs Southeast Missouri (Oct 10, 2015)
Long Pass	80	WHITLOW, Jalen at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
Receptions	6	CHURCH, Devin at Western Illinois (Sep 03, 2015)
Yards Receiving	107	BOUNDS, Addison vs Southeast Missouri (Oct 10, 2015)
TD Receptions	2	BOUNDS, Addison vs Southeast Missouri (Oct 10, 2015)
Long Reception	80	ODUGBESAN, Ben at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
Field Goals	2	BRUNO, Nick vs Southeast Missouri (Oct 10, 2015)
	2	BRUNO, Nick at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
Long Field Goal	40	BRUNO, Nick at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
Punts	9	BERNIER, Mike at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
Punting Avg	42.3	BERNIER, Mike at Austin Peay (Oct 03, 2015)
	42.3	BERNIER, Mike vs Jacksonville State (Nov 07, 2015)
Long Punt	56	BERNIER, Mike at Northwestern (Sep 12, 2015)
Punts inside 20	5	BERNIER, Mike at Tennessee State (Oct 17, 2015)
Long Punt Return	37	LITTLE, Shepard vs Southeast Missouri (Oct 10, 2015)
Long Kickoff Return	94	MITCHELL, Tray at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
Tackles	17	McDONALD, Seth at Western Illinois (Sep 03, 2015)
	17	McDONALD, Seth vs Jacksonville State (Nov 07, 2015)
Sacks	2.0	GRUGIER-HILL, Kamu at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
	2.0	FANTI, Dino at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
	2.0	FANTI, Dino vs Eastern Kentucky (Nov 21, 2015)
Tackles For Loss	4.0	GRUGIER-HILL, Kamu vs Southeast Missouri (Oct 10, 2015)
	4.0	FANTI, Dino at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
	4.0	FANTI, Dino vs Eastern Kentucky (Nov 21, 2015)
Interceptions	2	DEWBERRY, Bradley vs Eastern Kentucky (Nov 21, 2015)
	2	WICKLIFFE, Jourdan vs Eastern Kentucky (Nov 21, 2015)

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TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes	52	vs Eastern Kentucky (Nov 21, 2015)
Yards Rushing	261	at Austin Peay (Oct 03, 2015)
Yards Per Rush	5.5	vs Tennessee Tech (Oct 24, 2015)
TD Rushes	4	at Austin Peay (Oct 03, 2015)
	4	vs Tennessee Tech (Oct 24, 2015)
Pass attempts	37	at Western Illinois (Sep 03, 2015)
Pass completions	19	vs Southeast Missouri (Oct 10, 2015)
Yards Passing	282	vs Southeast Missouri (Oct 10, 2015)
Yards Per Pass	9.7	vs Southeast Missouri (Oct 10, 2015)
TD Passes	3	vs Southeast Missouri (Oct 10, 2015)
Total Plays	86	at Western Illinois (Sep 03, 2015)
Total Offense	527	at Austin Peay (Oct 03, 2015)
Yards Per Play	6.5	at Austin Peay (Oct 03, 2015)
Points	51	vs Tennessee Tech (Oct 24, 2015)
Sacks By	4	at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
First Downs	27	at Austin Peay (Oct 03, 2015)
Penalties	14	at Western Illinois (Sep 03, 2015)
Penalty Yards	113	at Western Illinois (Sep 03, 2015)
Turnovers	5	at Western Illinois (Sep 03, 2015)
Interceptions By	5	vs Tennessee Tech (Oct 24, 2015)
	5	vs Eastern Kentucky (Nov 21, 2015)
Punts	10	vs Eastern Kentucky (Nov 21, 2015)
Punting Avg	42.3	at Austin Peay (Oct 03, 2015)
Long Punt	56	at Northwestern (Sep 12, 2015)
Punts inside 20	5	at Tennessee State (Oct 17, 2015)
Long Punt Return	37	vs Southeast Missouri (Oct 10, 2015)

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OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes	33	COPRICH,Marshau, vs Illinois State (Sep 19, 2015)
Yards Rushing	178	COPRICH,Marshau, vs Illinois State (Sep 19, 2015)
TD Rushes	2	Devon Moore, at Western Illinois (Sep 03, 2015)
	2	COPRICH,Marshau, vs Illinois State (Sep 19, 2015)
Long Rush	74	MORRIS,Kendall, at Austin Peay (Oct 03, 2015)
Pass attempts	51	HUMPHRIES, KD, at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
Pass completions	30	NEAL, Jarod, at UT Martin (Nov 14, 2015)
Yards Passing	346	HUMPHRIES, KD, at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
TD Passes	2	VANDEVEN, Dante, vs Southeast Missouri (Oct 10, 2015)
	2	HUMPHRIES, KD, at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
Long Pass	61	HUMPHRIES, KD, at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
Receptions	10	Lance Lenoir, at Western Illinois (Sep 03, 2015)
Yards Receiving	136	RICE, Paul, at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
TD Receptions	2	BLACKBURN, Jess, at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
Long Reception	61	RICE, Paul, at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
Field Goals	3	CLARK, Lane, at Tennessee State (Oct 17, 2015)
Long Field Goal	50	SLATTERY,Sean, vs Illinois State (Sep 19, 2015)
	50	CLARK, Lane, at Tennessee State (Oct 17, 2015)
Punts	9	WRZUSZCZAK, K., vs Eastern Kentucky (Nov 21, 2015)
Punting Avg	48.7	KNIGHT, Alex, vs Southeast Missouri (Oct 10, 2015)
Long Punt	74	STRATTON, Lando, at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
Punts inside 20	2	N. Knuffman, at Western Illinois (Sep 03, 2015)
	2	MacINNES,Hamish, vs Jacksonville State (Nov 07, 2015)
	2	WRZUSZCZAK, K., vs Eastern Kentucky (Nov 21, 2015)
Long Punt Return	42	Lance Lenoir, at Western Illinois (Sep 03, 2015)
Long Kickoff Return	71	Lance Lenoir, at Western Illinois (Sep 03, 2015)
Tackles	14	KOCOUR,Alec, vs Illinois State (Sep 19, 2015)
Sacks	2.0	PERKINS,David, vs Illinois State (Sep 19, 2015)
Tackles For Loss	3.0	EDWARDS, Rodney, at Tennessee State (Oct 17, 2015)
	3.0	MASON, Demetriu, at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
Interceptions	2	Harris, Matthew, at Northwestern (Sep 12, 2015)

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OPPONENT TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes	69	at Northwestern (Sep 12, 2015)
Yards Rushing	344	at Northwestern (Sep 12, 2015)
Yards Per Rush	5.7	at Austin Peay (Oct 03, 2015)
TD Rushes	3	at Northwestern (Sep 12, 2015)
	3	vs Illinois State (Sep 19, 2015)
Pass attempts	51	at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
Pass completions	30	at UT Martin (Nov 14, 2015)
Yards Passing	346	at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
Yards Per Pass	9.5	at Northwestern (Sep 12, 2015)
TD Passes	2	vs Southeast Missouri (Oct 10, 2015)
	2	at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
Total Plays	85	at Northwestern (Sep 12, 2015)
Total Offense	496	at Northwestern (Sep 12, 2015)
Yards Per Play	5.8	at Northwestern (Sep 12, 2015)
Points	41	at Northwestern (Sep 12, 2015)
Sacks By	3	at Northwestern (Sep 12, 2015)
	3	vs Illinois State (Sep 19, 2015)
First Downs	28	at Northwestern (Sep 12, 2015)
Penalties	14	at Tennessee State (Oct 17, 2015)
Penalty Yards	113	at Western Illinois (Sep 03, 2015)
Turnovers	7	vs Eastern Kentucky (Nov 21, 2015)
Interceptions By	3	at Western Illinois (Sep 03, 2015)
Punts	9	vs Eastern Kentucky (Nov 21, 2015)
Punting Avg	48.7	vs Southeast Missouri (Oct 10, 2015)
Long Punt	74	at Murray State (Oct 31, 2015)
Punts inside 20	3	vs Jacksonville State (Nov 07, 2015)
Long Punt Return	42	at Western Illinois (Sep 03, 2015)

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3rd-Down Conversions

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall		1st Qtr		2nd Qtr		3rd Qtr		4th Qtr		Overtime	
Sep 03, 2015	at Western Illinois	L 5-33	6-18	33.3	2-4	50.0	1-4	25.0	0-4	0.0	3-6	50.0		
Sep 12, 2015	at Northwestern	L 0-41	0-11	0.0	0-3	0.0	0-2	0.0	0-4	0.0	0-2	0.0		
Sep 19, 2015	ILLINOIS STATE	L 31-34	6-14	42.9	2-3	66.7	0-4	0.0	1-3	33.3	3-4	75.0	0-0	0.0
Oct 03, 2015	at Austin Peay	W 40-16	8-16	50.0	4-5	80.0	2-4	50.0	2-5	40.0	0-2	0.0		
Oct 10, 2015	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	W 33-28	8-16	50.0	2-5	40.0	1-4	25.0	1-2	50.0	4-5	80.0		
Oct 17, 2015	at Tennessee State	W 25-22	3-13	23.1	1-3	33.3	0-1	0.0	2-4	50.0	0-4	0.0	0-1	0.0
Oct 24, 2015	TENNESSEE TECH	W 51-20	3-12	25.0	1-5	20.0	2-3	66.7	0-2	0.0	0-2	0.0		
Oct 31, 2015	at Murray State	W 34-20	8-19	42.1	3-5	60.0	1-4	25.0	1-4	25.0	3-6	50.0		
Nov 07, 2015	JACKSONVILLE STATE	L 3-24	3-14	21.4	1-3	33.3	0-3	0.0	0-3	0.0	2-5	40.0		
Nov 14, 2015	at UT Martin	W 23-21	3-12	25.0	0-2	0.0	1-4	25.0	1-3	33.3	1-3	33.3		
Nov 21, 2015	EASTERN KENTUCKY	W 21-7	2-17	11.8	0-4	0.0	1-4	25.0	1-5	20.0	0-4	0.0		
Eastern Illinois			50-162	30.9	16-42	38.1	9-37	24.3	9-39	23.1	16-43	37.2	0-1	0.0
Opponents			65-194	33.5	15-41	36.6	23-58	39.7	13-44	29.5	14-49	28.6	0-2	0.0

4th-Down Conversions

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall		1st Qtr		2nd Qtr		3rd Qtr		4th Qtr		Overtime	
Sep 03, 2015	at Western Illinois	L 5-33	0-1	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-1	0.0		
Sep 12, 2015	at Northwestern	L 0-41	1-4	25.0	0-1	0.0	0-1	0.0	1-2	50.0	0-0	0.0		
Sep 19, 2015	ILLINOIS STATE	L 31-34	1-1	100.0	1-1	100.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0
Oct 03, 2015	at Austin Peay	W 40-16	1-3	33.3	0-1	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-1	0.0	1-1	100.0		
Oct 10, 2015	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	W 33-28	1-1	100.0	0-0	0.0	1-1	100.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0		
Oct 17, 2015	at Tennessee State	W 25-22	1-1	100.0	1-1	100.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0
Oct 24, 2015	TENNESSEE TECH	W 51-20	1-2	50.0	0-1	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	1-1	100.0		
Oct 31, 2015	at Murray State	W 34-20	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0		
Nov 07, 2015	JACKSONVILLE STATE	L 3-24	0-3	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-1	0.0	0-2	0.0		
Nov 14, 2015	at UT Martin	W 23-21	1-1	100.0	0-0	0.0	1-1	100.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0		
Nov 21, 2015	EASTERN KENTUCKY	W 21-7	1-3	33.3	0-1	0.0	0-0	0.0	1-2	50.0	0-0	0.0		
Eastern Illinois			8-20	40.0	2-6	33.3	2-3	66.7	2-6	33.3	2-5	40.0	0-0	0.0
Opponents			14-30	46.7	1-3	33.3	2-6	33.3	3-5	60.0	8-16	50.0	0-0	0.0

Time of Possession

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Overtime
Sep 03, 2015	at Western Illinois	L 5-33	32:17	9:24	7:14	7:08	8:31	
Sep 12, 2015	at Northwestern	L 0-41	22:55	4:18	5:17	11:11	2:09	
Sep 19, 2015	ILLINOIS STATE	L 31-34	27:59	9:21	5:21	5:38	7:39	0:00
Oct 03, 2015	at Austin Peay	W 40-16	31:57	8:17	7:59	6:54	8:47	
Oct 10, 2015	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	W 33-28	32:45	8:59	8:13	5:55	9:38	
Oct 17, 2015	at Tennessee State	W 25-22	22:43	5:15	3:15	9:37	4:36	0:00
Oct 24, 2015	TENNESSEE TECH	W 51-20	28:48	9:07	6:45	7:29	5:27	
Oct 31, 2015	at Murray State	W 34-20	33:27	8:27	7:33	7:55	9:32	
Nov 07, 2015	JACKSONVILLE STATE	L 3-24	25:11	7:54	4:55	6:18	6:04	
Nov 14, 2015	at UT Martin	W 23-21	24:13	7:19	5:31	6:29	4:54	
Nov 21, 2015	EASTERN KENTUCKY	W 21-7	32:38	6:50	9:00	7:46	9:02	
Eastern Illinois			Total	85:11	71:03	82:20	76:19	0:00
			Avg.	7:44	6:27	7:29	6:56	0:00
Opponents			Total	79:49	93:57	82:40	88:41	0:00
			Avg.	7:15	8:32	7:30	8:03	0:00

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Eastern Illinois Inside Opponent Red-Zone

Date	Opponent	Score	Times In RZ	Times Scored	Total Pts	Rush TDs	Pass TDs	FGs Made	Failed to score inside RZ						
									FGA	Down	Int	Fumb	Half	Game	
Sep 03, 2015	at Western Illinois	L 5-33	3	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	
Sep 12, 2015	at Northwestern	L 0-41	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sep 19, 2015	ILLINOIS STATE	L 31-34	5	4	24	3	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	
Oct 03, 2015	at Austin Peay	W 40-16	5	4	27	4	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Oct 10, 2015	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	W 33-28	4	4	23	3	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Oct 17, 2015	at Tennessee State	W 25-22	2	1	7	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Oct 24, 2015	TENNESSEE TECH	W 51-20	6	5	31	4	3	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	
Oct 31, 2015	at Murray State	W 34-20	2	2	10	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Nov 07, 2015	JACKSONVILLE STATE	L 3-24	1	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Nov 14, 2015	at UT Martin	W 23-21	3	2	14	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	
Nov 21, 2015	EASTERN KENTUCKY	W 21-7	3	2	14	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	
Totals			34	26	156	20	16	4	6	3	2	1	1	1	0

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Opponents Inside Eastern Illinois Red-Zone

Date	Opponent	Score	Times In RZ	Times Scored	Total Pts	Rush TDs	Pass TDs	FGs Made	Failed to score inside RZ						
									FGA	Down	Int	Fumb	Half	Game	
Sep 03, 2015	at Western Illinois	L 5-33	6	5	27	3	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Sep 12, 2015	at Northwestern	L 0-41	6	5	27	3	3	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	
Sep 19, 2015	ILLINOIS STATE	L 31-34	5	4	24	3	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	
Oct 03, 2015	at Austin Peay	W 40-16	4	2	9	1	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	
Oct 10, 2015	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	W 33-28	4	3	21	3	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	
Oct 17, 2015	at Tennessee State	W 25-22	4	2	9	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	
Oct 24, 2015	TENNESSEE TECH	W 51-20	5	3	17	2	2	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	
Oct 31, 2015	at Murray State	W 34-20	2	1	7	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	
Nov 07, 2015	JACKSONVILLE STATE	L 3-24	4	2	10	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	
Nov 14, 2015	at UT Martin	W 23-21	5	3	12	1	1	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	
Nov 21, 2015	EASTERN KENTUCKY	W 21-7	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	
Totals			47	30	163	19	14	5	11	2	6	4	1	4	0

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NCAA Statistics

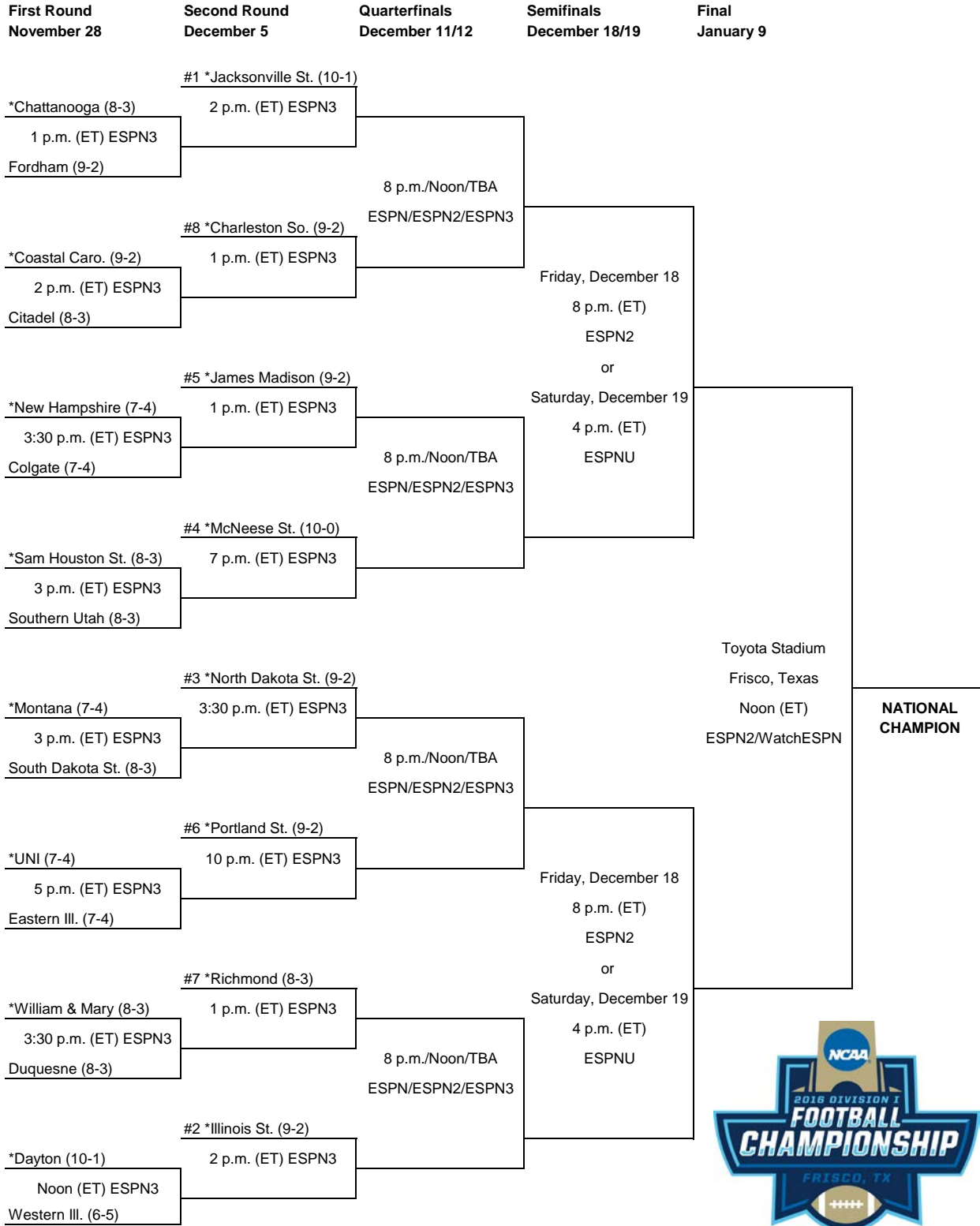
Eastern III. - 2015-16 Football Ranking Summary thru games 11/21/2015

Statistic	National Rank	Conference Rank	Value	National Leader	Value	Conference Leader	Value
3rd Down Conversion Pct (123 ranked)	101	7	0.309	James Madison	0.553	UT Martin	0.456
3rd Down Conversion Pct Defense (123 ranked)	22	2	0.335	South Carolina St.	0.232	Jacksonville St.	0.280
4th Down Conversion Pct (123 ranked)	85	8	0.400	N.C. Central	0.818	Jacksonville St.	0.750
4th Down Conversion Pct Defense (123 ranked)	45	2	0.467	N.C. Central	0.083	Jacksonville St.	0.200
Blocked Kicks (85 ranked)	4	1	7	Prairie View	10	Eastern III.	7
Blocked Kicks Allowed (123 ranked)	99	7	5	14 teams tied	0	Tennessee Tech Eastern Ky.	1 1
Blocked Punts (27 ranked)	1	1	6	Eastern III. South Carolina St.	6 6	Eastern III.	6
Blocked Punts Allowed (123 ranked)	122	8	5	54 teams tied	0	Eastern Ky. Murray St.	0 0
Completion Percentage (123 ranked)	106	9	0.500	Samford	0.697	Murray St.	0.619
Defensive TDs (0 ranked)							
Fewest Penalties (123 ranked)	106	9	88	Mercer	36	Tennessee Tech	55
Fewest Penalties Per Game (123 ranked)	102	8	8.00	Mercer	3.27	Tennessee Tech	5.00
Fewest Penalty Yards (123 ranked)	98	9	736	Mercer	313	Tennessee Tech	477
Fewest Penalty Yards Per Game (123 ranked)	96	8	66.91	Mercer	28.45	Tennessee Tech	43.36
First Downs Defense (123 ranked)	41	3	201	McNeese St.	137	Jacksonville St.	168
First Downs Offense (123 ranked)	82	6	198	James Madison	313	Jacksonville St.	279
Fumbles Lost (123 ranked)	36	4	7	South Dakota St.	1	Tennessee St. Southeast Mo. St.	3 3
Fumbles Recovered (123 ranked)	32	3	10	Grambling	18	Tennessee Tech	15
Kickoff Return Defense (123 ranked)	11	2	16.74	Alcorn	13.87	Eastern Ky.	15.46
Kickoff Returns (123 ranked)	82	6	19.71	N.C. A&T	26.60	Murray St.	21.48
Net Punting (123 ranked)	118	9	30.39	McNeese St.	41.04	Southeast Mo. St.	39.24
Passes Had Intercepted (123 ranked)	92	7	13	Colgate	1	Austin Peay	4
Passes Intercepted (122 ranked)	2	1	19	Jacksonville	20	Eastern III.	19
Passing Offense (123 ranked)	101	8	154.5	Eastern Wash.	353.3	Murray St.	347.3
Passing Yards Allowed (123 ranked)	32	2	191.2	Alcorn	104.1	Jacksonville St.	184.5
Passing Yards per Completion (123 ranked)	76	5	11.56	Kennesaw St.	19.05	Tennessee Tech	13.12
Punt Return Defense (123 ranked)	88	8	10.53	Coastal Caro.	0.00	Jacksonville St.	5.89
Punt Returns (123 ranked)	26	1	11.67	Northern Colo.	24.18	Eastern III.	11.67
Red Zone Defense (123 ranked)	8	1	0.638	McNeese St.	0.500	Eastern III.	0.638
Red Zone Offense (123 ranked)	77	6	0.765	Mercer	0.932	UT Martin	0.868
Rushing Defense (123 ranked)	61	4	161.3	McNeese St.	78.6	Jacksonville St.	92.6
Rushing Offense (123 ranked)	40	3	182.1	Cal Poly	387.3	Jacksonville St.	278.7
Sacks Allowed (123 ranked)	5	1	0.82	Lamar	0.45	Eastern III.	0.82
Scoring Defense (123 ranked)	49	2	24.2	Dartmouth	10.1	Jacksonville St.	16.3
Scoring Offense (123 ranked)	74	7	24.2	Prairie View	44.9	Jacksonville St.	37.5
Tackles for Loss Allowed (123 ranked)	73	5	6.64	Colgate Citadel William & Mary	3.45 3.45 3.45	UT Martin	3.91
Team Passing Efficiency (123 ranked)	104	8	100.92	Northern Ariz.	180.27	UT Martin	139.87
Team Passing Efficiency Defense (123 ranked)	4	1	97.67	South Carolina St.	89.98	Eastern III.	97.67
Team Sacks (122 ranked)	53	5	2.09	South Carolina St.	4.18	Jacksonville St.	3.18
Team Tackles for Loss (123 ranked)	10	2	8.2	South Carolina St.	11.0	Jacksonville St.	9.9
Time of Possession (123 ranked)	85	6	28:37	North Dakota St.	36:20	UT Martin	33:28
Total Defense (123 ranked)	39	3	352.5	Stony Brook	250.1	Jacksonville St.	277.1
Total Offense (123 ranked)	84	6	336.5	James Madison	549.7	Jacksonville St.	503.0
Turnover Margin (123 ranked)	13	2	0.82	Southern Utah	1.91	Southeast Mo. St.	0.91
Turnovers Gained (123 ranked)	3	1	29	Dartmouth	32	Eastern III.	29
Turnovers Lost (122 ranked)	75	6	20	Southern Utah	8	Southeast Mo. St. Austin Peay	11 11
Winning Percentage (123 ranked)	30	2	0.636	McNeese St.	1.000	Jacksonville St.	0.909

Statistic	Player	National Rank	Conference Rank	Value	National Leader	Value	Conference Leader	Value
All Purpose (200 ranked)	Devin Church	42	3	115.73	Kade Harrington, Lamar	213.36	Ladarius Vanlier, Tennessee Tech	147.55
Blocked Kicks (13 ranked)	Ben Odugbesan	13	1	2	Nick Brewer, Prairie View	6	5 players tied	2
Combined Kick Returns (199 ranked)	Tray Mitchell Devin Church	85 91	3 5	380 357	Deion Holliman, Missouri St.	1,233	Pokey Harris, Murray St.	859
Completion Percentage (105 ranked)	Jalen Whitlow	90	6	0.511	Devlin Hodges, Samford	0.694	Eli Jenkins, Jacksonville St.	0.622
Completions Per Game (150 ranked)	Jalen Whitlow	72	6	13.09	KD Humphries, Murray St.	30.00	KD Humphries, Murray St.	30.00
Field Goal Percentage (89 ranked)	Nick Bruno	65	4	0.600	Lance Geesey, Saint Francis (PA)	0.941	John Arnold, Tennessee Tech	0.818
Field Goals Per Game (125 ranked)	Nick Bruno	49	4	0.90	Anthony Pistelli, Samford	1.82	Lucas Williams, Eastern Ky.	1.22
Forced Fumbles (45 ranked)	Dino Fanti	2	1	0.45	John Hugunin, Drake	0.82	Dino Fanti, Eastern Ill.	0.45
Fumbles Recovered (21 ranked)	Mike Gunter	21	1	2	Kashawn Butler, Florida A&M	4	7 players tied	2
Interceptions Per Game (118 ranked)	Dylan Chatman Bradley Dewberry	26 26	2 2	0.4 0.4	Justin Grier, Morehead St. Patrick Onwuasor, Portland St.	0.8 0.8	Mike Ford, Southeast Mo. St.	0.5
Kickoff Return TDs (9 ranked)	Tray Mitchell	9	1	1	Willie Quinn, Southern U.	4	Janawski Davis, Murray St. Cameron Sanders, Southeast Mo. St. Tray Mitchell, Eastern Ill.	1 1 1
Kickoff Returns (114 ranked)	Tray Mitchell Devin Church	26 76	2 4	25.3 21.0	Lorenzo Jerome, Saint Francis (PA)	31.2	Ladarius Vanlier, Tennessee Tech	25.8
Passes Defended (41 ranked)	Antoine Johnson Dylan Chatman	33 41	2 4	1.1 1.0	5 players tied	1.6	Maleek Hall, Tennessee Tech	1.6
Passing Efficiency (105 ranked)	Jalen Whitlow	93	6	102.4	Quentin Williams, Bethune-Cookman	187.2	Eli Jenkins, Jacksonville St.	143.0
Passing TDs (138 ranked)	Jalen Whitlow	80	7	9	Case Cookus, Northern Ariz.	37	Jarod Neal, UT Martin	30
Passing Yards (150 ranked)	Jalen Whitlow	69	5	1,657	KD Humphries, Murray St.	3,778	KD Humphries, Murray St.	3,778
Passing Yards Per Game (150 ranked)	Jalen Whitlow	73	6	150.6	KD Humphries, Murray St.	343.5	KD Humphries, Murray St.	343.5
Passing Yards per Completion (105 ranked)	Jalen Whitlow	64	3	11.51	Tre Roberson, Illinois St.	20.51	Jarod Neal, UT Martin	12.67
Points Responsible For (0 ranked)								
Points Responsible For Per Game (149 ranked)					Johnathan Williams, Grambling	22.8	Jarod Neal, UT Martin	16.7
Punt Return TDs (4 ranked)					Ellis Onic, Northern Colo. Lavontis Smith, N.C. Central Khris Gardin, N.C. A&T	2 2 2	Tyrell Curry, Eastern Ky. Darrius Darden-Box, Southeast Mo. St. Paul McRoberts, Southeast Mo. St.	1 1 1
Punt Returns (52 ranked)					Khris Gardin, N.C. A&T	22.2	Paul McRoberts, Southeast Mo. St.	11.6
Punting (108 ranked)	Mike Bernier	84	9	37.8	Ryan Hawkins, Northern Ariz.	46.3	Alex Knight, Southeast Mo. St.	44.8
Receiving TDs (110 ranked)					Cooper Kupp, Eastern Wash.	19	Rod Wright, UT Martin	14
Receiving Yards (150 ranked)					Cooper Kupp, Eastern Wash.	1,642	Patrick Smith, Tennessee St.	996
Receiving Yards Per Game (200 ranked)					Cooper Kupp, Eastern Wash.	149.3	Patrick Smith, Tennessee St.	99.6
Receptions Per Game (194 ranked)					Cooper Kupp, Eastern Wash.	10.4	Paul Rice, Murray St.	7.2
Rush Yards Per Carry (155 ranked)	Devin Church Jalen Whitlow	93 128	8 11	4.66 3.88	Lenorris Footman, Alcorn	8.71	Troymaine Pope, Jacksonville St.	7.05
Rushing TDs (126 ranked)	Devin Church Shepard Little	54 97	3 6	8 6	Kade Harrington, Lamar	21	Roman Clay, Murray St. Troymaine Pope, Jacksonville St.	11 11
Rushing Yards (200 ranked)	Devin Church Jalen Whitlow Shepard Little	79 147 168	5 11 12	708 493 435	Kade Harrington, Lamar	2,092	Troymaine Pope, Jacksonville St.	1,092
Rushing Yards Per Game (200 ranked)	Devin Church Jalen Whitlow Shepard Little	88 160 168	6 11 12	64.4 44.8 43.5	Kade Harrington, Lamar	190.2	Troymaine Pope, Jacksonville St.	99.3
Sacks (48 ranked)	Dino Fanti Kamu Grugier-Hill	26 44	2 4	0.68 0.61	Victor Ochi, Stony Brook	1.30	Noah Spence, Eastern Ky.	1.05
Scoring (188 ranked)	Nick Bruno Devin Church	114 119	9 10	5.6 5.5	Chase Edmonds, Fordham	13.6	Lucas Williams, Eastern Ky.	8.2
Solo Tackles (41 ranked)					Donald Payne, Stetson	7.4		
Tackles For Loss (88 ranked)	Dino Fanti Kamu Grugier-Hill	7 15	2 3	1.9 1.6	Gabe Sherrod, Delaware St.	2.3	Noah Spence, Eastern Ky.	2.0
Total Offense (199 ranked)	Jalen Whitlow	67	6	195.5	Mark Iannotti, Southern Ill.	355.5	KD Humphries, Murray St.	348.3
Total Tackles (197 ranked)	Seth McDonald Kamu Grugier-Hill	36 174	3 10	9.5 6.9	Deon King, Norfolk St.	14.8	Tra'Darius Goff, Tennessee Tech	12.0
Yards per Pass Attempt (105 ranked)	Jalen Whitlow	87	6	5.88	Quentin Williams, Bethune-Cookman	11.13	Eli Jenkins, Jacksonville St.	7.59
Yards per Reception (200 ranked)	Isaiah Nelson	51	3	15.77	Anthony Warrum, Illinois St.	23.98	Krys Cates, Tennessee Tech	21.88



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2015 All-Ohio Valley Conference Football Team

(Selected by OVC Head Football Coaches and Sports Information Directors)

OVC Offensive Player of the Year: Eli Jenkins (QB), Jacksonville State

OVC Co-Defensive Player of the Year: Dino Fanti (DT), Eastern Illinois

OVC Co-Defensive Player of the Year: Noah Spence (DE), Eastern Kentucky

OVC Freshman of the Year: Dante Vandeven (QB), Southeast Missouri

Roy Kidd OVC Coach of the Year: John Grass, Jacksonville State

FIRST-TEAM OFFENSE

<u>Player</u> , <u>School</u>	<u>Pos.</u>	<u>Ht.</u>	<u>Wt.</u>	<u>Yr.</u>	<u>Hometown</u>	<u>Key Stats</u>
Eli Jenkins, Jacksonville State *	QB	6-2	205	Jr.	Birmingham, Ala.	2185 pass yds., 18 TDs, 640 rush yds., 8 TDs
Troymaine Pope, Jacksonville State	RB	5-9	205	Sr.	Anniston, Ala.	1092 yards, 11 TDs, 10 catches, 1 TD
Tremane McCullough, Southeast Missouri	RB	5-10	170	Jr.	Royal Palm Beach, Fla.	1028 yds, 5 TDs, 33 catches, 279 yds.
Paul McRoberts, Southeast Missouri *	WR	6-3	197	Sr.	St. Louis, Mo.	76 catches, 940 yards, 9 TDs
Josh Barge, Jacksonville State #!	WR	6-1	178	Jr.	Carrollton, Ga.	75 catches, 887 yards, 11 TDs
Ben Madon, Eastern Kentucky	TE	6-5	252	Sr.	Pineville, Ky.	34 catches, 456 yards, 3 TDs
Casey Dunn, Jacksonville State	C	6-3	285	Jr.	Trussville, Ala.	
Adam Wright, Jacksonville State *	OG	6-4	310	Sr.	Centerpoint, Ala.	
Blake Burks, Jacksonville State	OG	6-1	320	Sr.	Hoover, Ala.	
Justin Lea, Jacksonville State #%	OT	6-4	295	So.	Henagar, Ala.	
Brett Eyckmans, Eastern Kentucky *	OT	6-5	301	Sr.	Lexington, Ky.	

FIRST-TEAM DEFENSE

<u>Player</u> , <u>School</u>	<u>Pos.</u>	<u>Ht.</u>	<u>Wt.</u>	<u>Yr.</u>	<u>Hometown</u>	<u>Key Stats</u>
Noah Spence, Eastern Kentucky	DL	6-3	261	Jr.	Harrisburg, Pa.	63 tackles, 22.5 TFL, 11.5 sacks, 15 QBH, 3 FF
Dino Fanti, Eastern Illinois #^	DL	6-1	265	Sr.	Venice, Fla.	60 tackles, 21.0 TFL, 7.5 sacks, 9 QBH, 5 FF
Chris Landrum, Jacksonville State #!	DL	6-3	260	Sr.	Sweet Water, Ala.	37 tackles, 13.0 TFL, 6.0 sacks, 5 QBH, 2 FF
Ebenezer Ogundeko, Tennessee State	DL	6-3	255	So.	Brooklyn, N.Y.	58 tackles, 10.5 TFL, 5.0 sacks, 3 QBH, 1 FF
Kamu Grugier-Hill, Eastern Illinois *	LB	6-2	215	Sr.	Papakolea, Hawaii	62 tackles, 14.5 TFL, 5.5 sacks, 1 INT, 1 FR
Dawson Wells, Jacksonville State	LB	6-1	235	Sr.	Ocean Springs, Miss.	71 tackles, 8.0 TFL, 3 INT, 3 QBH, 2 TDs
Tra'Darius Goff, Tennessee Tech ^	LB	5-11	240	Sr.	Columbia, Tenn.	132 tackles, 7.0 TFL, 2.0 sacks, 1 FF, 1 FR
Jourdan Wickliffe, Eastern Illinois *\$	DB	6-1	200	Sr.	Columbus, Ohio	58 tackles, 5.0 TFL, 5 INT, 4 PBU
Brandon Bender, Jacksonville State	DB	5-9	180	Sr.	McCalla, Ala.	68 tackles, 9.5 TFL, 3.0 sacks, 3 PBU, 3 FF
Jermaine Hough, Jacksonville State *&	DB	5-10	185	Sr.	Lovejoy, Ga.	27 tackles, 2.0 TFL, 1 INT, 2 PBU
Folo Johnson, Jacksonville State	DB	5-11	202	Sr.	Dallas, Ga.	53 tackles, 2.5 TFL, 1 INT, 5 PBU

FIRST-TEAM SPECIALISTS

<u>Player</u> , <u>School</u>	<u>Pos.</u>	<u>Ht.</u>	<u>Wt.</u>	<u>Yr.</u>	<u>Hometown</u>	<u>Key Stats</u>
Lucas Williams, Eastern Kentucky	K	6-1	210	So.	Russell Springs, Ky.	11-of-14 FGs, Long of 45, 41-of-42 PATs
Keith Wrzuszcak, Eastern Kentucky	P	5-11	194	So.	Geelong, Australia	43.7 yards/punt, Long of 75, 20 of 50+ yds.
Ladarius Vanlier, Tennessee Tech #&	RS	5-8	175	Sr.	Nashville, Tenn.	25.8 yards/KOR, Long of 55

* - 1st Team All-OVC in 2014

\$ - 1st Team All-OVC in 2013

- 2nd Team All-OVC in 2014

^ 2nd Team All-OVC in 2013

% - OVC All-Newcomer Team in 2014

! - OVC All-Newcomer in 2013

& - OVC All-Newcomer in 2012



SECOND-TEAM OFFENSE

<u>Player. School</u>	<u>Pos.</u>	<u>Ht.</u>	<u>Wt.</u>	<u>Yr.</u>	<u>Hometown</u>	<u>Key Stats</u>
KD Humphries, Murray State	QB	6-3	225	Jr.	Montgomery, Ala.	3778 pass yds., 22 TDs, 224 rush yds., 4 TDs
Jarod Neal, UT Martin	QB	6-1	210	Sr.	Hendersonville, Tenn.	3117 pass yds., 30 TDs, 208 rush yds.
Devin Church, Eastern Illinois	RB	5-8	190	Jr.	Detroit, Mich.	708 yards, 8 TDs, 26 catches, 208 yds., 2 TDs
Roman Clay, Murray State	RB	5-11	225	Jr.	Lancaster, Pa.	935 yards, 11 TDs, 27 catches, 184 yds.
Brock McCoin, Tennessee Tech %	WR	6-0	185	So.	Livingston, Tenn.	61 catches, 747 yards, 4 TDs
Rod Wright, UT Martin	WR	6-1	175	Sr.	Memphis, Tenn.	62 catches, 963 yards, 14 TDs
Patrick Smith, Tennessee State	WR	6-0	190	So.	Memphis, Tenn.	54 catches, 996 yards, 10 TDs
Jesse Blackburn, Murray State	TE	6-3	240	Jr.	Gardendale, Ala.	48 catches, 612 yards, 5 TDs
Charles Mouton, Tennessee Tech	C	6-3	305	Jr.	Victorville, Calif.	
Jessamen Dunker, Tennessee State	OG	6-5	290	Jr.	Boynton Beach, Fla.	
Garret Baker, Southeast Missouri	OG	6-2	280	Jr.	Owensville, Mo.	
Jackson Roberts, UT Martin	OT	6-7	300	Sr.	St. Louis, Mo.	
Jimmy Lowery, Eastern Illinois !	OT	6-4	290	Jr.	Burr Ridge, Ill.	

SECOND-TEAM DEFENSE

<u>Player. School</u>	<u>Pos.</u>	<u>Ht.</u>	<u>Wt.</u>	<u>Yr.</u>	<u>Hometown</u>	<u>Key Stats</u>
Devaunte Sigler, Jacksonville State *%	DL	6-3	290	Sr.	Mobile, Ala.	20 tackles, 1.0 TFL, 1.5 sacks, 1 PBU
Darius Jackson, Jacksonville State	DL	6-3	230	So.	Bessemer, Ala.	33 tackles, 14.0 TFL, 6.0 sacks, 2 QBH
Bryce Krebs, Eastern Kentucky	DL	6-2	300	Sr.	Greenwood, Ind.	26 tackles, 3.5 TFL, 1 PBU, 1 QBH
Damani Taylor, UT Martin	DL	6-2	300	Jr.	Martin, Tenn.	54 tackles, 9.0 TFL, 5.5 sacks, 2 QBH
Chris Kelly, Eastern Kentucky	LB	5-11	220	Sr.	Cold Spring, Ky.	56 tackles, 5.0 TFL, 1.0 sack, 4 QBH, 1 FR
Marquise Piton, Eastern Kentucky	LB	6-2	220	Sr.	Pembroke Pines, Fla.	44 tackles, 7.0 TFL, 3.5 sacks, 4 QBH, 1 FF
Roper Garrett, Southeast Missouri	LB	6-1	234	Jr.	Farmington, Mo.	106 tackles, 10.0 TFL, 4.5 sacks, 1 FF, 1 FR
Marquis Clemons, UT Martin	DB	5-11	220	Sr.	St. Louis, Mo.	79 tackles, 2.5 TFL, 1 INT, 3 PBU, 2 QBH
Maleek Hall, Tennessee Tech	DB	5-10	190	Jr.	Clarksville, Tenn.	64 tackles, 3.0 TFL, 1 INT, 17 PBU
Dylan Chatman, Eastern Illinois	DB	6-1	180	Sr.	Belleville, Ill.	29 tackles, 1.0 TFL, 4 INT, 7 PBU
DeQuinten Spraggins, Murray State	DB	6-2	187	Sr.	West Point, Miss.	90 tackles, 4.0 TFL, 2 INT, 8 PBU
Mike Ford, Southeast Missouri	DB	5-11	188	So.	Alton, Ill.	44 tackles, 2.0 TFL, 5 INT, 7 PBU, 1 TD

SECOND-TEAM SPECIALISTS

<u>Player. School</u>	<u>Pos.</u>	<u>Ht.</u>	<u>Wt.</u>	<u>Yr.</u>	<u>Hometown</u>	<u>Key Stats</u>
Jackson Redditt, UT Martin	K	6-1	230	Sr.	Mt. Juliet, Tenn.	12-of-17 FGs, Long of 41, 46-of-47 PATs
Alex Knight, Southeast Missouri	P	6-1	199	Jr.	Boca Raton, Fla.	44.8 yards/punt, Long of 65, 18 of 50+ yds.
Lawon DeBardelaben, Jacksonville State	RS	5-8	168	Jr.	Prattville, Ala.	23.1 yards/KOR, Long of 37

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ALL-NEWCOMER TEAM

<u>Player. School</u>	<u>Pos.</u>	<u>Ht.</u>	<u>Wt.</u>	<u>Yr.</u>	<u>Hometown</u>	<u>Key Stats</u>
Kendall Morris, Austin Peay	RB	5-10	188	R-Fr.	St. Peters, Mo.	690 rush yards, 5 TDs, 6 catches, 44 yards
Devin Church, Eastern Illinois	RB	5-8	190	Jr.	Detroit, Mich.	708 yards, 8 TDs, 26 catches, 208 yds., 2 TDs
Dylan Chatman, Eastern Illinois	DB	6-1	180	Sr.	Belleville, Ill.	29 tackles, 1.0 TFL, 4 INT, 7 PBU
Ethan Thomas, Eastern Kentucky	RB	5-11	210	Fr.	Johnson City, Tenn.	498 rush yards, 4 TDs, 15 catches, 129 yds.
Noah Spence, Eastern Kentucky	DE	6-3	261	Jr.	Harrisburg, Pa.	63 tackles, 22.5 TFL, 11.5 sacks, 15 QBH, 3 FF
Desmond Owino, Jacksonville State	DL	6-5	289	Jr.	Nairobi, Kenya	28 tackles, 4.0 TFL, 2.5 sacks, 5 QBH
Joel McCandless, Jacksonville State	LB	6-1	229	So.	Birmingham, Ala.	56 tackles, 9.5 TFL, 2.5 sacks, 1 INT, 2 QBH
Tremane McCullough, Southeast Missouri	RB	5-10	170	Jr.	Royal Palm Beach, Fla.	1028 yds, 5 TDs, 33 catches, 279 yds.
Dante Vandeven, Southeast Missouri	QB	6-2	190	Fr.	Jackson, Mo.	1568 pass yds., 11 TDs, 292 rush yds., 6 TDs
Ebenezer Ogundeko, Tennessee State	DE	6-3	255	So.	Brooklyn, N.Y.	58 tackles, 10.5 TFL, 5.0 sacks, 3 QBH, 1 FF
O'Shay Ackerman-Carter, Tennessee State	QB	6-3	215	R-Fr.	Jacksonville, Fla.	1279 passing yards, 11 TDs
Patrick Smith, Tennessee State	WR	6-0	190	So.	Memphis, Tenn.	54 catches, 996 yards, 10 TDs
Damani Taylor, UT Martin	DE	6-2	300	Jr.	Martin, Tenn.	54 tackles, 9.0 TFL, 5.5 sacks, 2 QBH

Note: The All-Newcomer team is comprised of first-year players in the OVC - that can be either true freshmen, redshirt freshmen or first-year transfers. The team consists of 13 total players (2 extra this year due to ties in voting) and is not voted on by position.

There were 13 players on the All-OVC second-team offense (2 QB's, 3 WR's) and 12 players on the All-OVC second-team defense (5 DB's) due to ties in voting.