



# 2009 Southern Conference Football

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Week 2 - September 19, 2009

## 2009 SoCon Football Standings (through Sept. 12)

| C/SN  | Team              | CONFERENCE |   |       |    |    |      |      |        | OVERALL |   |       |    |    |      |      |        |
|-------|-------------------|------------|---|-------|----|----|------|------|--------|---------|---|-------|----|----|------|------|--------|
|       |                   | W          | L | Pct.  | PF | PA | Home | Road | Streak | W       | L | Pct.  | PF | PA | Home | Road | Streak |
|       | Furman            | 1          | 0 | 1.000 | 38 | 20 | 0-0  | 1-0  | W1     | 2       | 0 | 1.000 | 83 | 41 | 1-0  | 1-0  | W2     |
| 11/11 | Elon              | 0          | 0 | .000  | 0  | 0  | 0-0  | 0-0  | L1     | 2       | 0 | 1.000 | 97 | 7  | 1-0  | 2-0  | W2     |
|       | Georgia Southern  | 0          | 0 | .000  | 0  | 0  | 0-0  | 0-0  | W1     | 1       | 1 | .500  | 35 | 70 | 1-0  | 0-1  | L1     |
|       | Samford           | 0          | 0 | .000  | 0  | 0  | 0-0  | 0-0  | W1     | 1       | 1 | .500  | 51 | 28 | 1-0  | 0-1  | W1     |
| 15/14 | Wofford           | 0          | 0 | .000  | 0  | 0  | 0-0  | 0-0  | W3     | 1       | 1 | .500  | 49 | 54 | 1-0  | 0-1  | W1     |
|       | The Citadel       | 0          | 0 | .000  | 0  | 0  | 0-0  | 0-0  | W1     | 0       | 1 | .000  | 6  | 40 | 0-0  | 0-1  | L2     |
| 9/10  | Appalachian State | 0          | 0 | .000  | 0  | 0  | 0-0  | 0-0  | W12    | 0       | 2 | .000  | 59 | 69 | 0-1  | 0-1  | L3     |
|       | Western Carolina  | 0          | 0 | .000  | 0  | 0  | 0-0  | 0-0  | L2     | 0       | 2 | .000  | 20 | 72 | 0-1  | 0-1  | L4     |
|       | Chattanooga #     | 0          | 1 | .000  | 20 | 38 | 0-1  | 0-0  | L13    | 1       | 1 | .500  | 50 | 51 | 1-1  | 0-0  | L1     |

C - FCS Coaches Poll; SN - Sports Network Poll; # - Ineligible for Southern Conference championship.

## THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

| September 12 (Saturday)               | Series Record         | Last Meeting             | TV/Internet          | Time (ET) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|-----------|
| No. 14 Wofford at Wisconsin           | 0-0                   | First Meeting            | Big Ten Network      | 12:00     |
| Chattanooga at Presbyterian           | UTC leads 3-2         | UTC, 31-20, 1962         | BigSouthSports.com   | 1:30      |
| Furman at No. 25 Missouri             | 0-0                   | First Meeting            | Fox Sports PPV       | 2:00      |
| The Citadel at Princeton              | The Citadel leads 1-0 | The Citadel, 37-24, 2008 | GoPrincetonTigers.TV | 3:00      |
| Miles at Samford                      | Samford leads 2-0     | Samford, 30-7, 2006      | SamfordSports.com    | 3:00      |
| No. 11 Elon at Wake Forest            | WFU leads 8-0-1       | WFU, 34-0, 1939          | ACCSelect.com        | 6:30      |
| *Western Carolina at Georgia Southern | GSU leads 17-2        | GSU, 38-31 (OT), 2008    | SoCon.TV             | 7:00      |

## LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

### September 12 (Saturday)

No. 10 Elon 41, Presbyterian 7

*Outgained PC 614-91 in rout of Blue Hose.*

No. 16 McNeese St. 40, No. 2 Appalachian St. 35

*Last-second FG spoils ASU's home opener.*

Furman 38, Chattanooga 20

*Offense, defense and ST score TDs for FU.*

Gardner-Webb 27, Western Carolina 20

*Pittman's two TD catches not enough for Cats.*

No. 14 Wofford 42, Charleston Southern 14

*Terriers rush for 394 yards, 5 TDs.*

No. 21 South Dakota St. 44, Georgia Southern 6

*Eagles sacked 9 times; fewest points in 14 years.*

Samford 27, Jacksonville 0

*Bulldogs earn shutout in home opener.*

## QUICK HITS

Furman grabbed an early advantage by winning the only SoCon game scheduled thus far in 2009, 38-20 at Chattanooga ... In non-conference games, league teams struggled to a 3-3 mark, including a pair of losses at home by Appalachian State and Western Carolina ... 3 of the 7 games on the slate this week include SoCon teams visiting FBS opponents ... The last SoCon win over a FBS school was Appalachian State's historic upset of Michigan in 2007 (for a complete list of SoCon FBS wins, see p. 13 of notes) ... ASU, Elon and Wofford remain ranked in both major polls while Furman, Samford, Georgia Southern and The Citadel are receiving votes ... Elon's Scott Riddle set SoCon records Saturday with his 13th career 300-yard passing day and his 63rd career TD pass (both all-time marks).

## PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

### Offense

Jamal Shuman, Elon, So., RB

190 yards rushing, 1 TD, one of two Elon rushers over 100 yards.

### Defensive

Max Lerner, Furman, Jr., DB

INT return for TD and 1.5 tackles for loss.

### Freshman

Chris Awuah, Chattanooga, Fr., RB

93 total yards, including a 52-yard touchdown reception.

### Special Teams

Craig Camay, Chattanooga, Sr., PK

2-for-2 on FGs, 2-for-2 on PATs and successful onside kick to open the game.

# 2009 SOCON Composite Football Schedule

## September 3 (Thursday)

Chattanooga 30, Glenville State 12

## September 5 (Saturday)

East Carolina 29, No. 1 Appalachian State 24

Furman 45, Presbyterian 21

Georgia Southern 29, Albany 26

No. 21 North Carolina 40, The Citadel 6

No. 11 Elon 56, Davidson 0

South Florida 40, No. 10 Wofford 7

UCF 28, Samford 24

Vanderbilt 45, Western Carolina 0

## September 12 (Saturday)

No. 10 Elon 41, Presbyterian 7

No. 16 McNeese State 40, No. 2 Appalachian State 35

\*Furman 38, Chattanooga 20

Gardner-Webb 27, Western Carolina 20

No. 14 Wofford 42, Charleston Southern 14

No. 21 South Dakota State 44, Georgia Southern 6

Samford 27, Jacksonville 0

## September 19 (Saturday)

Wofford at Wisconsin (BTN) 12:00

Chattanooga at Presbyterian 1:30

Furman at Missouri (FSN-PPV) 2:00

The Citadel at Princeton 3:00

Miles at Samford 3:00

Elon at Wake Forest 6:30

\*Western Carolina at Georgia Southern 7:00

## September 26 (Saturday)

\*Georgia Southern at Elon 1:30

\*Samford at Appalachian State 3:30

\*Furman at Western Carolina (WMYA) 6:00

\*Wofford at Chattanooga 6:00

Presbyterian at The Citadel 7:00

## October 3 (Saturday)

\*Appalachian State at The Citadel 1:00

\*Georgia Southern at Wofford 1:30

\*Elon at Furman (SPSO) 3:00

\*Western Carolina at Samford 3:00

## October 10 (Saturday)

\*The Citadel at Elon 1:30

North Carolina Central at Appalachian State 3:30

\*Chattanooga at Samford (SPSO) 4:00

Georgia Southern at North Carolina TBA

## October 17 (Saturday)

\*Samford at Furman 2:00

\*Appalachian State at Wofford (SPSO) 3:00

\*The Citadel at Western Carolina (WMYA) 4:00

\*Chattanooga at Georgia Southern 6:00

## October 24 (Saturday)

\*Chattanooga at Elon 1:30

\*Furman at The Citadel 2:00

\*Georgia Southern at Appalachian State (SPSO) 3:00

\*Wofford at Western Carolina (WMYA) 4:00

## October 31 (Saturday)

\*Appalachian State at Furman (WLOS) 12:00

\*Samford at The Citadel 1:00

\*Elon at Wofford 1:30

\*Western Carolina at Chattanooga 2:00

## November 7 (Saturday)

\*Elon at Western Carolina 1:00

\*Georgia Southern at Samford 3:00

\*Wofford at The Citadel (SPSO) 3:00

\*Chattanooga at Appalachian State 3:30

Furman at Auburn (TBA/SEC) TBA

## November 14 (Saturday)

Western Carolina at Eastern Kentucky 1:00

\*Samford at Wofford 1:30

\*The Citadel at Chattanooga 2:00

\*Furman at Georgia Southern 2:00

\*Appalachian State at Elon (SPSO) 3:00

## November 21 (Saturday)

\*The Citadel at Georgia Southern 2:00

\*Elon at Samford 3:00

\*Wofford at Furman (SPSO) 3:00

\*Western Carolina at Appalachian State 3:30

Chattanooga at Alabama (TBA/SEC) TBA

## November 28 (Saturday)

NCAA FCS Playoffs (First Round)

## December 5 (Saturday)

NCAA FCS Playoffs (Quarterfinals)

## December 11 and 12 (Friday, Saturday)

NCAA FCS Playoffs (Semifinals)

## December 18 (Friday)

NCAA FCS Playoffs (Championship) ESPN2 8:00

\* Southern Conference game

HC – Homecoming

ALL TIMES EASTERN

Game times subject to change due to television.

BHSN – Bright House Sports Network

BTN – Big Ten Network

ESPN2 – ESPN 2

ESPN360 – ESPN360.com

FSN-PPV – Fox Sports Net Pay Per View

MASN – Mid-Atlantic Sports Network

SPSO – SportSouth

WLOS-TV – ABC 13, Asheville, N.C.

WMYA "My 40" – WMYA-TV, Asheville, N.C.

## 2009 SOCON Television Schedule

|          |                                        |       |            |
|----------|----------------------------------------|-------|------------|
| Sept. 5  | Appalachian State at East Carolina     | 12:00 | MASN       |
| Sept. 5  | Presbyterian at Furman                 | 5:00  | WMYA-TV    |
| Sept. 5  | The Citadel at North Carolina          | 6:00  | ESPN360    |
| Sept. 5  | Wofford at South Florida               | 7:00  | BHSN       |
| Sept. 5  | Samford at UCF                         | 7:30  | BHSN       |
| Sept. 5  | Western Carolina at Vanderbilt         | 7:30  | CSS        |
| Sept. 19 | Wofford at Wisconsin                   | 12:00 | Big Ten    |
| Sept. 26 | *Furman at Western Carolina            | 6:00  | WMYA-TV    |
| Oct. 3   | *Elon at Furman                        | 3:00  | SportSouth |
| Oct. 10  | *Chattanooga at Samford                | 4:00  | SportSouth |
| Oct. 17  | *Appalachian State at Wofford          | 3:00  | SportSouth |
| Oct. 17  | *The Citadel at Western Carolina       | 4:00  | WMYA-TV    |
| Oct. 24  | *Georgia Southern at Appalachian State | 3:00  | SportSouth |
| Oct. 24  | *Wofford at Western Carolina           | 4:00  | WMYA-TV    |
| Oct. 31  | *Appalachian State at Furman           | 12:00 | WLOS-TV    |
| Nov. 7   | *Wofford at The Citadel                | 3:00  | SportSouth |
| Nov. 14  | *Appalachian State at Elon             | 3:00  | SportSouth |
| Nov. 21  | *Wofford at Furman                     | 3:00  | SportSouth |



All Times Eastern

## SOCON Streaks

### Consecutive Wins

|   |        |
|---|--------|
| 2 | Elon   |
| 2 | Furman |

### Consecutive SoCon Wins

|    |                   |
|----|-------------------|
| 12 | Appalachian State |
| 3  | Wofford           |

### Consecutive Home Wins

|   |         |
|---|---------|
| 7 | Wofford |
|---|---------|

### Consecutive Home Regular Season Wins

|   |         |
|---|---------|
| 7 | Wofford |
|---|---------|

### Consecutive Home SoCon Wins

|   |                   |
|---|-------------------|
| 6 | Appalachian State |
| 4 | Wofford           |



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# SoCon News and Notes

**Elon, Samford Defense Continue Solid Play:** Samford and Elon, which finished ranked 1-2 in the SoCon in 2008 in both total defense and scoring defense, are continuing the solid defensive play in 2009, as each team has posted a shutout in the first two weeks of the season.

After giving up just 7 points (3.5 ppg) and 195 total yards (97.5 ypg) in two games, Elon leads the league in every major defensive statistical category. In fact, Elon's start has been so dominant that the Phoenix lead the nation in both total offense (594.5 ypg) and total defense while outscoring its opponents 97-7.

Samford, which shut out Jacksonville 27-0 on Saturday night, is second in the league in scoring defense (14.0 ppg) and total defense (191.5 ypg) after facing FBS Central Florida and the FCS non-scholarship Dolphins to open the season.

**Edwards, LeGree Watched for National Awards:** After stellar seasons in 2008, football writers and fans across the nation have taken note of Appalachian State's Armanti Edwards and Mark LeGree. LeGree, a junior defensive back who led the nation and tied a SoCon single-season record with 10 INTs in 2008, was named one of 62 official candidates for the 2009 Bronko Nagurski Trophy, which honors college football's top defensive player. LeGree is the only NCAA Division I FCS representative on the Nagurski Trophy's preseason watch list.

Likewise, Edwards is the sole FCS nominee for both the Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award and for the Manning Award. Both awards honor the top quarterback in collegiate football with the Unitas Award being limited to seniors.

**Edwards Vies For Payton Award Double in 2009:** Appalachian State quarterback Armanti Edwards was named as the recipient of the 2008 Walter Payton Award, which recognizes the top offensive player in FCS football. Edwards was the second straight SoCon QB to win the award, following Jayson Foster (Georgia Southern) in 2007. In total, five SoCon student-athletes have been honored with the award. A senior, Edwards is aiming to become the first player in the award's history to win it twice.

## Southern Conference Walter Payton Award Winners

1992 - Michael Payton, QB, Marshall  
1999 - Adrian Peterson, RB, Georgia Southern  
2000 - Louis Ivory, RB, Furman  
2007 - Jayson Foster, QB, Georgia Southern  
2008 - Armanti Edwards, QB, Appalachian State

**Evans, Hudgins, Roberts on Payton Radar:** In addition to Edwards, Samford's Chris Evans, Elon's Terrell Hudgins and The Citadel's Andre Roberts were also identified for the "Watch List" of candidates for the 2009 Walter Payton Award.

Evans was the SoCon's top rusher in 2009 with 1,284 yards in Samford's first league season. Hudgins is the conference's all-time leading receiver while Roberts topped the league in every major receiving category in 2008.

In last season's Payton Award balloting, Roberts placed 13th and Hudgins finished 15th.

**Appalachian Joins SoCon Record Books:** Appalachian State completed a perfect 8-0 Southern Conference season in 2008, wrapping up its fourth consecutive league title. Appalachian State joins a short list of four-time champions, and if it wins the league crown again in 2009, Appalachian would become just the second-ever SoCon team to win five league titles in a row.

## SoCon Football Championship Streak (Since 1933)

| Team                     | Seasons        | Consecutive Championships |
|--------------------------|----------------|---------------------------|
| Georgia Southern         | 1997-2002      | 6                         |
| West Virginia            | 1953-56        | 4                         |
| Furman                   | 1980-83        | 4                         |
| <b>Appalachian State</b> | <b>2005-08</b> | <b>4</b>                  |

**SoCon Teams Set Winning Standard This Decade:** The Southern Conference boasts three of the top 10 winningest teams in FCS football this decade (2000-present). Appalachian State's 90 overall victories during that span trail only Montana (106) while Furman (79) and Georgia Southern (77) sit in the sixth and ninth spots, respectively.

## Winningest FCS Teams This Decade (2000-present)

|                             |              |             |
|-----------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| 1. Montana                  | 107-22       | .829        |
| <b>2. Appalachian State</b> | <b>90-32</b> | <b>.738</b> |
| 3. Northern Iowa            | 83-33        | .716        |
| 4t. Colgate                 | 75-33        | .694        |
| 4t. McNeese State           | 75-33        | .694        |
| <b>6. Furman</b>            | <b>79-35</b> | <b>.693</b> |
| 7. North Dakota State       | 70-32        | .686        |
| 8. Hampton                  | 72-33        | .686        |
| <b>9. Georgia Southern</b>  | <b>77-36</b> | <b>.681</b> |
| 10. Lehigh                  | 72-34        | .679        |

**Rebuilding and Reloading:** SoCon teams return 65 percent of their starters from last season (148-of-228), up from just 57 percent returnees in 2008 ... the most experienced group are the specialists (73%) followed by defense (65%) and offense (63%) ... Elon has the most experienced group of returning starters for the second year in a row as 20-of-25 (80%) return from a Phoenix team which finished 8-4 overall and 6-2 in the SoCon last season ... Elon is the only league team to return 9 of its starters on offense while Appalachian State and The Citadel join the Phoenix with nine starting defenders back ... Wofford (46% starters returning) and Furman (52%) have the most holes to fill in the starting 25.

## SoCon Returning Starters

| Team              | Offense      | Defense      | Specialists | Total (Pct.)         |
|-------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|----------------------|
| Appalachian State | 7/4          | 9/2          | 2/1         | 18/7 (72%)           |
| The Citadel       | 5/6          | 9/2          | 2/1         | 16/9 (64%)           |
| Elon              | 9/2          | 9/2          | 2/1         | 20/5 (80%)           |
| Furman            | 7/4          | 4/7          | 2/1         | 13/12 (52%)          |
| Georgia Southern  | 7/4          | 7/4          | 3/0         | 17/8 (68%)           |
| Samford           | 8/3          | 6/5          | 2/0         | 16/8 (67%)           |
| Chattanooga       | 8/3          | 8/3          | 3/1         | 19/7 (73%)           |
| Western Carolina  | 7/4          | 7/4          | 3/2         | 17/10 (63%)          |
| Wofford           | 4/7          | 5/6          | 3/1         | 12/14 (46%)          |
| <b>Total</b>      | <b>62/37</b> | <b>64/35</b> | <b>22/8</b> | <b>148/228 (65%)</b> |



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# SoCon News and Notes

**SoCon Pair Among Nation's Rushing Elite:** Appalachian State senior quarterback Armanti Edwards and Samford junior running back Chris Evans are among the nation's elite when it comes to 100-yard rushing games. Through 2008, both rank in the FCS top 25 in active career 100-yard games; however, a deeper look at the rankings shows the each is tops nationally among his classmates. Edwards' 17 100-yard performances are equaled only by fellow seniors David McCarthy of Albany and Trevyn Smith of Weber State, and Evans' 11 games over the century mark are the most nationally among juniors.

## 100-Yard Rushing Games – Active FCS Players (Entering 2009 season)

- 17 Armanti Edwards, Appalachian State**
- 17 David McCarthy, Albany
- 17 Trevyn Smith, Weber State
- 15 J.T. Rogan, San Diego
- 14 William Ford, S.C. State
- 12 Joe Casey, Rhode Island
- 12 Conte Cuttino, Stony Brook
- 11 Chris Evans, Samford (Junior)**

**Hudgins, Roberts Rewriting Record Books:** Elon junior wide receiver Terrell Hudgins continues to shatter records with his latest entry into the SoCon record book coming in the form of a career mark. With a seven-catch, 120-yard effort against Western Carolina on Nov. 8, 2008, Hudgins surpassed Marshall's Mike Barber for the most receiving yards in league history. Hudgins broke the league records for career receptions and receiving touchdowns earlier in 2008. Close on Hudgins' heels is The Citadel junior Andre Roberts whose three touchdowns against Wofford (Nov. 8) moved him to second all-time on the career charts with 29.

## SoCon Career Receptions

- 1. 290, Terrell Hudgins (Elon), 2006-present**
2. 223, Michael Mayers (Elon), 2004-07
- 3. 218, Andre Roberts (The Citadel), 2006-present**
4. 209, Mike Barber (MAR), 1985-88
5. 201, DaVon Fowlkes (Appalachian State), 2001-04

## SoCon Career Receiving Touchdowns

- 1. 40, Terrell Hudgins (Elon), 2006-present**
- 2. 29, Andre Roberts (The Citadel), 2006-present**
3. 28, Chas Fox (Furman), 1982-85
4. 26, Gerald Harp (WCU), 1977-80
5. 26, B.J. Adigun (ETSU), 1994-97

## SoCon Career Receiving Yards

- 1. 3,907, Terrell Hudgins (Elon), 2006-present**
2. 3,520, Mike Barber (MAR), 1985-88
3. 3,124, Rick Beasley (Appalachian State), 1978-80
4. 3,091, Mark Stock (VMI), 1985-88
5. 3,025, Gerald Harp (WCU), 1977-80

**Experienced Coaches:** Appalachian State head coach Jerry Moore and Wofford head coach Mike Ayers are the deans of SoCon coaches, having combined for 274 victories while coaching in the Southern Conference ... Moore's 178 wins at Appalachian are the most in league history ... Ayers (96) is third on the list behind Moore and Duke's Wallace Wade ... Furman's Bobby Lamb (58 victories) needs six victories to enter the top 10.

**SoCon Players Make NFL Impact:** 14 players (13 on active roster, 1 on a practice squad) with SoCon ties are currently on NFL rosters ... the list includes Pro Bowl DB Courtland Finnegan of Samford who played in the OVC and three Marshall players who competed in the SoCon ... Appalachian State leads the way with three players while Chattanooga and Georgia Southern each have two ... Rob Bironas, Jerome Felton, Courtland Finnegan, Chris Hanson, Jason Hunter, Randy Moss, Terrell Owens and Chad Pennington are all expected to be in the starting lineup on week one.

## NFL Players with Southern Conference Ties

|                      |    |                   |                     |
|----------------------|----|-------------------|---------------------|
| Jason Hunter         | DE | Appalachian State | Detroit Lions       |
| Corey Lynch #        | DB | Appalachian State | Cincinnati Bengals  |
| Marques Murrell      | LB | Appalachian State | New York Jets       |
| Eldra Buckley        | RB | Chattanooga       | Philadelphia Eagles |
| Terrell Owens        | WR | Chattanooga       | Buffalo Bills       |
| Jerome Felton        | RB | Furman            | Detroit Lions       |
| Rob Bironas          | PK | Georgia Southern  | Tennessee Titans    |
| Adrian Peterson      | RB | Georgia Southern  | Chicago Bears       |
| Courtland Finnegan * | DB | Samford           | Tennessee Titans    |
| Brad Hoover          | RB | Western Carolina  | Carolina Panthers   |

## Former Members (played in SoCon)

|                   |    |                      |                      |
|-------------------|----|----------------------|----------------------|
| Gerald Sensabaugh | S  | East Tennessee State | Jacksonville Jaguars |
| Chris Hanson      | P  | Marshall             | New England Patriots |
| Randy Moss        | WR | Marshall             | New England Patriots |
| Chad Pennington   | QB | Marshall             | Miami Dolphins       |

\*Competed in the OVC

#Practice squad member

**Facilities Improve Throughout the Conference:** Both Kidd Brewer Stadium at Appalachian State and Seibert Stadium at Samford will look different to visitors this season as each stadium received significant upgrades during the offseason.

At ASU, a seven story, 120,000-square foot building behind the west stands at Kidd Brewer Stadium was officially opened this month. The facility is a part of ASU's \$50 million facilities enhancement campaign, which also included an indoor practice facility, baseball, softball and soccer stadiums. It provides office space in addition to locker rooms, club seating and a new press box.

Samford's home opener on Sept. 12 showcased the newly-constructed Cooney Family Field House, a \$7.5 million, 39,000 square-foot structure in the south end zone of Seibert Stadium.

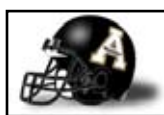
Elsewhere around the league, Furman installed a new scoreboard with video replay capabilities and Wofford opened a new building adjacent to Gibbs Stadium that houses a new weight room and coaches offices.



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# 2009 SOCON Football Schedules



## Appalachian State (0-2, 0-0)

|       |                          |          |
|-------|--------------------------|----------|
| S. 5  | at East Carolina         | L, 29-24 |
| S. 12 | No. 16 MCNEESE STATE     | L, 40-35 |
| S. 26 | *SAMFORD                 | 3:30     |
| O. 3  | *at The Citadel          | 1:00     |
| O. 10 | N.C. CENTRAL             | 3:30     |
| O. 17 | *at Wofford (SPSO)       | 3:00     |
| O. 24 | *GEORGIA SOUTHERN (SPSO) | 3:00     |
| O. 31 | *at Furman (WLOS)        | 12:00    |
| N. 7  | *CHATTANOOGA             | 3:30     |
| N. 14 | *at Elon (SPSO)          | 3:00     |
| N. 21 | *WESTERN CAROLINA        | 3:30     |



## The Citadel (0-1, 0-0)

|       |                          |         |
|-------|--------------------------|---------|
| S. 5  | at No. 21 North Carolina | L, 40-6 |
| S. 19 | at Princeton             | 3:00    |
| S. 26 | PRESBYTERIAN             | 7:00    |
| O. 3  | *APPALACHIAN STATE       | 1:00    |
| O. 10 | *at Elon                 | 1:30    |
| O. 17 | *at Western Carolina     | 1:00    |
| O. 24 | *FURMAN                  | 2:00    |
| O. 31 | *SAMFORD                 | 1:00    |
| N. 7  | *WOFFORD (SPSO)          | 3:00    |
| N. 14 | *at Chattanooga          | 2:00    |
| N. 21 | *at Georgia Southern     | 2:00    |



## Elon (2-0, 0-0)

|       |                           |         |
|-------|---------------------------|---------|
| S. 5  | DAVIDSON                  | W, 56-0 |
| S. 12 | at Presbyterian           | W, 41-7 |
| S. 19 | at Wake Forest            | 6:30    |
| S. 26 | *GEORGIA SOUTHERN         | 1:30    |
| O. 3  | *at Furman (SPSO)         | 3:00    |
| O. 10 | *THE CITADEL              | 1:30    |
| O. 24 | *CHATTANOOGA              | 1:30    |
| O. 31 | *at Wofford               | 1:30    |
| N. 7  | *at Western Carolina      | 1:00    |
| N. 14 | *APPALACHIAN STATE (SPSO) | 3:00    |
| N. 21 | *at Samford               | 3:00    |



## Furman (2-0, 1-0)

|       |                             |          |
|-------|-----------------------------|----------|
| S. 5  | PRESBYTERIAN                | W, 45-21 |
| S. 12 | *at Chattanooga             | W, 38-20 |
| S. 19 | at Missouri (FSN-PPV)       | 2:00     |
| S. 26 | *at Western Carolina (WMYA) | 6:00     |
| O. 3  | *ELON (SPSO)                | 3:00     |
| O. 17 | *SAMFORD                    | 2:00     |
| O. 24 | *at The Citadel             | 2:00     |
| O. 31 | *APPALACHIAN STATE (WLOS)   | 12:00    |
| N. 7  | at Auburn (TBA)             | TBA      |
| N. 14 | *at Georgia Southern        | 2:00     |
| N. 21 | *WOFFORD (SPSO)             | 3:00     |



## Georgia Southern (1-1, 0-0)

|       |                              |          |
|-------|------------------------------|----------|
| S. 5  | ALBANY                       | W, 29-26 |
| S. 12 | at No. 21 South Dakota State | L, 44-6  |
| S. 19 | *WESTERN CAROLINA            | 7:00     |
| S. 26 | *at Elon                     | 1:30     |
| O. 3  | *at Wofford                  | 1:30     |
| O. 10 | at North Carolina            | TBA      |
| O. 17 | *CHATTANOOGA                 | 6:00     |
| O. 24 | *at Appalachian State (SPSO) | 3:00     |
| N. 7  | *at Samford                  | 3:30     |
| N. 14 | *FURMAN                      | 2:00     |
| N. 21 | *THE CITADEL                 | 2:00     |



## Samford (1-1, 0-0)

|       |                       |          |
|-------|-----------------------|----------|
| S. 5  | at UCF                | L, 28-24 |
| S. 12 | JACKSONVILLE          | W, 27-0  |
| S. 19 | MILES                 | 2:00     |
| S. 26 | *at Appalachian State | 3:30     |
| O. 3  | *WESTERN CAROLINA     | 3:00     |
| O. 10 | *CHATTANOOGA (SPSO)   | 3:00     |
| O. 17 | *at Furman            | 2:00     |
| O. 31 | *at The Citadel       | 1:00     |
| N. 7  | *GEORGIA SOUTHERN     | 3:30     |
| N. 14 | *at Wofford           | 1:30     |
| N. 21 | *ELON                 | 3:00     |



## Chattanooga (1-1, 0-1)

|       |                       |          |
|-------|-----------------------|----------|
| S. 3  | GLENVILLE STATE       | W, 30-12 |
| S. 12 | *FURMAN               | L, 38-20 |
| S. 19 | at Presbyterian       | 1:30     |
| S. 26 | *WOFFORD              | 6:00     |
| O. 10 | *at Samford (SPSO)    | 3:00     |
| O. 17 | *at Georgia Southern  | 6:00     |
| O. 24 | *at Elon              | 1:30     |
| O. 31 | *WESTERN CAROLINA     | 2:00     |
| N. 7  | *at Appalachian State | 3:30     |
| N. 14 | *THE CITADEL          | 2:00     |
| N. 21 | at Alabama (TBA)      | TBA      |



## Western Carolina (0-2, 0-0)

|       |                       |          |
|-------|-----------------------|----------|
| S. 5  | at Vanderbilt         | L, 45-0  |
| S. 12 | GARDNER-WEBB          | L, 27-20 |
| S. 19 | *at Georgia Southern  | 7:00     |
| S. 26 | *FURMAN (WMYA)        | 6:00     |
| O. 3  | *at Samford           | 3:00     |
| O. 17 | *THE CITADEL (WMYA)   | 4:00     |
| O. 24 | *WOFFORD (WMYA)       | 4:00     |
| O. 31 | *at Chattanooga       | 2:00     |
| N. 7  | *ELON                 | 1:00     |
| N. 14 | at Eastern Kentucky   | 1:00     |
| N. 21 | *at Appalachian State | 3:30     |



## Wofford (1-1, 0-0)

|       |                             |          |
|-------|-----------------------------|----------|
| S. 5  | at South Florida            | L, 40-7  |
| S. 12 | CHARLESTON SOUTHERN         | W, 42-14 |
| S. 19 | at Wisconsin (Big Ten)      | 12:00    |
| S. 26 | *at Chattanooga             | 6:00     |
| O. 3  | *GEORGIA SOUTHERN           | 1:30     |
| O. 17 | *APPALACHIAN STATE (SPSO)   | 3:00     |
| O. 24 | *at Western Carolina (WMYA) | 4:00     |
| O. 31 | *ELON                       | 1:30     |
| N. 7  | *at The Citadel (SPSO)      | 3:00     |
| N. 14 | *SAMFORD                    | 1:30     |
| N. 21 | *at Furman (SPSO)           | 3:00     |

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# Game Capsules



## No. 14 Wofford at Wisconsin

(1-1, 0-0 SoCon) (2-0, 0-0 Big Ten)

Camp Randall Stadium (80,321), Madison, Wisc.

Sept. 19 • 12:00 p.m. (ET)

TV: Big Ten Network



### Capsule Summary

**Series Record** ..... 0-0  
**Last Meeting** ..... First Meeting  
**Series Streak** ..... First Meeting  
**Wofford on the Web** ..... [www.woffordterriers.com](http://www.woffordterriers.com)  
**SID Contact** ..... Brent Williamson ([williamsondb@wofford.edu](mailto:williamsondb@wofford.edu))  
**Coach Mike Ayers**  
**Overall Record (Years)** ..... 153-118-2 (25th)  
**Record at Wofford (Years)** ..... 142-97-1 (22nd)  
**Wisconsin on the Web** ..... [www.uwbadgers.com](http://www.uwbadgers.com)  
**SID Contact** ..... Brian Lucas ([bml@athletics.wisc.edu](mailto:bml@athletics.wisc.edu))  
**Coach Bret Bielema**  
**Overall Record (Years)** ..... 30-11 (4th)  
**Record at Wisconsin (Years)** ..... same

### Last Game

#### Sept. 12 - No. 14 Wofford 42, Charleston Southern 14

Wofford rushed for 394 yards and 5 touchdowns to win its home opener against Charleston Southern, 42-14. Mike Rucker and Eric Breitenstein each found the end zone twice and the Terriers' defense forced three CSU turnovers.

#### Sept. 12 - Wisconsin 34, Fresno State 31 (2 OT)

After battling it out in two overtimes, Wisconsin kicker Philip Welch drilled a 22-yard field goal attempt to give the Badgers the 34-31 win over Fresno State Saturday afternoon in front of 80,353 fans at Camp Randall Stadium.

### Game Notes

Saturday's game will mark Wofford's first-ever contest against a Big Ten school ... It will be the Terriers' second game against an FBS opponent following a 40-7 loss at South Florida on Sept. 5 ... The Badgers only game all-time against a current member of the SoCon was a 45-31 victory over The Citadel in a game that was tied 21-all at halftime ... Wofford is ranked second nationally (FCS) in rushing with an average of 285.5 yards per game.

### Tale of the Tape

| WOF           | Category        | WISC  |
|---------------|-----------------|-------|
| 24.5 (6 of 9) | Scoring Offense | 31.0  |
| 285.5 (1)     | Rushing Offense | 170.0 |
| 54.5 (9)      | Passing Offense | 253.0 |
| 340.0 (5)     | Total Offense   | 423.0 |
| 27.0 (5)      | Scoring Defense | 25.5  |
| 143.5 (4)     | Rushing Defense | 139.5 |
| 176.0 (6)     | Passing Defense | 231.5 |
| 319.5 (3)     | Total Defense   | 371.0 |

Southern Conference rank in parenthesis.



## Chattanooga at Presbyterian

(1-1, 0-0 SoCon) (0-2, 0-0 Big South)

Bailey Memorial Stadium (6,500), Clinton, S.C.

Sept. 19 • 1:30 p.m. (ET)

Internet: [BigSouthSports.com](http://BigSouthSports.com)

### Capsule Summary

**Series Record** ..... Chattanooga leads 3-2  
**Last Meeting** ..... Chattanooga won 31-20 (Nov. 3, 1962 in Clinton)  
**Series Streak** ..... Chattanooga has won 1  
**Chattanooga on the Web** ..... [www.gomocs.com](http://www.gomocs.com)  
**SID Contact** ..... Jay Blackman ([jay-blackman@utc.edu](mailto:jay-blackman@utc.edu))  
**Coach Russ Huesman**  
**Overall Record (Years)** ..... 1-1 (1st)  
**Record at Chattanooga (Years)** ..... same  
**Presbyterian on the Web** ..... [www.gobluehose.com](http://www.gobluehose.com)  
**SID Contact** ..... Brent Hager ([bchager@presby.edu](mailto:bchager@presby.edu))  
**Coach Harold Nichols**  
**Overall Record (Years)** ..... 0-2 (1st)  
**Record at Presbyterian (Years)** ..... same

### Last Game

#### Sept. 12 - Furman 38, Chattanooga 20

Senior wideout Blue Cooper was the standout for the Mocs in a 38-20 loss to Furman with a career-high 13 catches for 109 yards and a touchdown. A crowd of 11,201 was on hand, marking the fifth-largest crowd to witness a Chattanooga game at Finley stadium

#### Sept. 12 - No. 10 Elon 41, Presbyterian 7

Elon dominated from start to finish, outgaining the Blue Hose 614-97 en route to a 41-7 road victory. PC managed just 2 yards rushing in the contest and held possession for only 20:49 in losing its second straight game to a Southern Conference opponent to start the season.

### Game Notes

PC is now 0-2 against SoCon teams with games against Chattanooga and The Citadel (Sept. 26) remaining on the schedule ... UTC's last game against a Big South opponent was a 10-7 win at Liberty in 2005 ... QB B.J. Coleman has passed for more than 200 yards in each of his outings, totaling 3 TDs and just 1 INT ... Tailback Bryan Fitzgerald returning to the UTC lineup Saturday after missing all of 2008 and the 2009 opener with an injury.

### Tale of the Tape

| UTC           | Category        | PC    |
|---------------|-----------------|-------|
| 25.0 (5 of 9) | Scoring Offense | 14.0  |
| 76.5 (6)      | Rushing Offense | 71.0  |
| 246.5 (2)     | Passing Offense | 190.5 |
| 323.0 (6)     | Total Offense   | 261.5 |
| 25.5 (4)      | Scoring Defense | 43.0  |
| 184.5 (5)     | Rushing Defense | 239.0 |
| 173.5 (5)     | Passing Defense | 315.5 |
| 358.0 (5)     | Total Defense   | 554.5 |

Southern Conference rank in parenthesis.



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# Game Capsules



**Furman at No. 25 Missouri**  
**(2-0, 1-0 SoCon) (2-0, 0-0 Big 12)**  
**Memorial Stadium (71,004), Columbia, Mo.**  
**Sept. 19 • 2:00 p.m. (ET)**  
**TV: FSN Pay-Per-View**



## Capsule Summary

**Series Record** ..... 0-0  
**Last Meeting** ..... First Meeting  
**Series Streak** ..... First Meeting  
**Furman on the Web** ..... [www.furmanpaladins.com](http://www.furmanpaladins.com)  
**SID Contact** ..... Hunter Reid ([hunter.reid@furman.edu](mailto:hunter.reid@furman.edu))  
**Coach Bobby Lamb**  
**Overall Record (Years)** ..... 58-29 (8th)  
**Record at Furman (Years)** ..... same  
**Missouri on the Web** ..... [www.mutigers.com](http://www.mutigers.com)  
**SID Contact** ..... Chad Moller ([mollerc@missouri.edu](mailto:mollerc@missouri.edu))  
**Coach Gary Pinkel**  
**Overall Record (Years)** ..... 134-78-3 (19th)  
**Record at Missouri (Years)** ..... 61-41 (10th)

## Last Game

### Sept. 12 - Furman 38, Chattanooga 20

Furman's offense, defense and special teams each scored touchdowns as it won the SoCon opener over Chattanooga. The Paladins built a 28-10 halftime lead and led 38-13 before a late UTC touchdown. Tersoo Uhaa rushed for two scores to pace the Paladins, and Max Lerner returned an INT for a touchdown on the first play from scrimmage.

### Sept. 12 - No. 25 Missouri 27, Bowling Green 20

The 25th-ranked Tigers rallied from a 20-6 third quarter deficit to top Bowling Green and improve to 2-0 on the season. Derrick Washington rushed for 120 yards and a TD while QB Blaine Gabbart was 20-for-33 through the air for 172 yards and two scores.

## Game Notes

Missouri is 2-4-2 all-time against members of the SoCon (0-2 vs. Clemson, 1-0 vs. Duke, 0-2 vs. Maryland, 1-0 vs. Marshall and 0-0-2 vs. Tulane) but 0-0 against current members ... Furman has never faced a Big 12 school ... The Paladins have lost seven straight games to FBS opponents after defeating North Carolina 28-3 in 1999.

## Tale of the Tape

| FUR           | Category        | MU    |
|---------------|-----------------|-------|
| 41.5 (2 of 9) | Scoring Offense | 32.0  |
| 204.0 (3)     | Rushing Offense | 149.0 |
| 212.0 (5)     | Passing Offense | 248.5 |
| 416.0 (2)     | Total Offense   | 397.5 |
| 20.5 (3)      | Scoring Defense | 14.5  |
| 109.5 (3)     | Rushing Defense | 112.0 |
| 263.5 (9)     | Passing Defense | 210.5 |
| 373.0 (6)     | Total Defense   | 322.5 |

Southern Conference rank in parenthesis.



**The Citadel at Princeton**  
**(0-1, 0-0 SoCon) (0-0, 0-0 Ivy)**  
**Princeton Stadium (27,800), Princeton, N.J.**  
**Sept. 19 • 3:00 p.m. (ET)**  
**Internet: [GoPrincetonTigers.TV](http://GoPrincetonTigers.TV)**

## Capsule Summary

**Series Record** ..... The Citadel leads 1-0  
**Last Meeting** ..... The Citadel won 37-24 (Sept. 20, 2008 in Charleston)  
**Series Streak** ..... The Citadel has won 1  
**The Citadel on the Web** ..... [www.citadelsports.com](http://www.citadelsports.com)  
**SID Contact** ..... Noelle Orr Blaney ([noelle.orr@citadel.edu](mailto:noelle.orr@citadel.edu))  
**Coach Kevin Higgins**  
**Overall Record (Years)** ..... 76-51-1 (12th)  
**Record at The Citadel (Years)** ..... 20-26 (5th)  
**Princeton on the Web** ..... [www.GoPrincetonTigers.com](http://www.GoPrincetonTigers.com)  
**SID Contact** ..... Craig Sachson ([sachson@princeton.edu](mailto:sachson@princeton.edu))  
**Coach Roger Hughes**  
**Overall Record (Years)** ..... 43-46 (10th)  
**Record at Princeton (Years)** ..... same

## Last Game

### Sept. 5 - No. 21 North Carolina 40, The Citadel 6

The Citadel Football opened the 2009 season with a 40-6 loss to North Carolina before a crowd of 58,500 at Kenan Memorial Stadium in Chapel Hill, N.C. Redshirt freshman Joseph Boateng led the Bulldog defensive effort with seven tackles and two interceptions.

### Nov. 22, 2008 - Princeton 28, Dartmouth 10

Jordan Culbreath rushed for 276 yards, the second-most in a single game in Princeton history, and scored two touchdowns to lead Princeton to a 28-10 victory over Dartmouth on a frigid November day at Princeton Stadium.

## Game Notes

Last year's 37-24 The Citadel victory over Princeton in Charleston was the first-ever meeting on the gridiron between an Ivy League school and a current member of the Southern Conference ... Saturday's game is Princeton's season opener for 2009 ... Bart Blanchard equaled a season high with 3 TD passes against the Tigers in 2008 ... The Bulldogs have lost seven straight road games.

## Tale of the Tape

| CIT          | Category        | PU*   |
|--------------|-----------------|-------|
| 6.0 (9 of 9) | Scoring Offense | 18.3  |
| 30.0 (9)     | Rushing Offense | 168.1 |
| 123.0 (8)    | Passing Offense | 159.0 |
| 153.0 (9)    | Total Offense   | 327.1 |
| 40.0 (9)     | Scoring Defense | 21.4  |
| 261.0 (9)    | Rushing Defense | 126.4 |
| 114.0 (3)    | Passing Defense | 204.3 |
| 375.0 (7)    | Total Defense   | 330.7 |

Southern Conference rank in parenthesis.

\*2008 stats for Princeton



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# Game Capsules



**Miles at Samford**  
**(2-1, 2-1 SIAC) (1-1, 0-0 SoCon)**  
**Seibert Stadium (6,700), Birmingham, Ala.**  
**Sept. 19 • 3:00 p.m. (ET)**  
**Internet: SamfordSports.com**

## Capsule Summary

**Series Record** ..... Samford leads 2-0  
**Last Meeting** ..... Samford won 30-7 (Aug. 31, 2006 in Birmingham)  
**Series Streak** ..... Samford has won 2  
**Miles on the Web** ..... [www.milesgoldenbears.com](http://www.milesgoldenbears.com)  
**SID Contact** ..... Willie K. Patterson ([wpatterson@miles.edu](mailto:wpatterson@miles.edu))  
**Coach William "Billy" Joe**  
**Overall Record (Years)** ..... 241-117-4 (32nd)  
**Record at Miles (Years)** ..... 4-9 (2nd)  
**Samford on the Web** ..... [www.samfordsports.com](http://www.samfordsports.com)  
**SID Contact** ..... Joey Mullins ([jmmulli1@samford.edu](mailto:jmmulli1@samford.edu))  
**Coach Pat Sullivan**  
**Overall Record (Years)** ..... 35-55-1 (9th)  
**Record at Samford (Years)** ..... 11-13 (3rd)

## Last Game

### Sept. 12 - Benedict 40, Miles 31

Despite throwing for 330 yards on the day, Miles fell to Benedict 40-31 for its first loss of the season. The Golden Bears allowed 403 yards rushing on the day.

### Sept. 12 - Samford 27, Jacksonville 0

Samford's defense recorded its second shutout in as many seasons with a 27-0 win over Jacksonville in the home opener. Offensively, Dustin Taliaferro passed for 225 yards and two touchdowns while all-SoCon back Chris Evans rushed for 73 yards and a score while Erik Peterson led the defensive effort with two sacks, two forced fumbles and a fumble recovery.

## Game Notes

Located across town from one another, Samford and Miles meet up for just the third time on the gridiron ... After rushing for more than 100 yards in 7-of-11 games a season ago, Chris Evans is still looking to top the century mark in 2009, putting up 76 and 73 yards in his first two games ... A win would give Samford a 2-1 start for the fourth straight season.

## Tale of the Tape

| Miles | Category        | SAM           |
|-------|-----------------|---------------|
| 29.7  | Scoring Offense | 25.5 (4 of 9) |
| 133.7 | Rushing Offense | 112.0 (5)     |
| 205.0 | Passing Offense | 236.5 (4)     |
| 338.7 | Total Offense   | 348.5 (4)     |
| 24.7  | Scoring Defense | 14.0 (2)      |
| 232.7 | Rushing Defense | 79.0 (2)      |
| 133.0 | Passing Defense | 112.5 (2)     |
| 365.7 | Total Defense   | 191.5 (2)     |

Southern Conference rank in parenthesis.



**No. 11 Elon at Wake Forest**  
**(2-0, 0-0 SoCon) (1-1, 0-0 ACC)**  
**BB&T Field (31,500), Winston-Salem, N.C.**  
**Sept. 19 • 6:30 p.m. (ET)**  
**Internet: ACC Select**

## Capsule Summary

**Series Record** ..... Wake Forest leads 8-0-1  
**Last Meeting** ..... WFU won 34-0 (1939 in Greensboro)  
**Series Streak** ..... Wake Forest has won 2  
**Elon on the Web** ..... [www.elonphoenix.com](http://www.elonphoenix.com)  
**SID Contact** ..... Chris Rash ([crash@elon.edu](mailto:crash@elon.edu))  
**Coach Pete Lembo**  
**Overall Record (Years)** ..... 66-28 (9th)  
**Record at Elon (Years)** ..... 22-14 (4th)  
**Wake Forest on the Web** ..... [www.wakeforestsports.com](http://www.wakeforestsports.com)  
**SID Contact** ..... Steve Shutt ([shuttsj@wfu.edu](mailto:shuttsj@wfu.edu))  
**Coach Jim Grobe**  
**Overall Record (Years)** ..... 88-78-1 (15th)  
**Record at Wake Forest (Years)** ..... 55-45 (9th)

## Last Game

### Sept. 12 - No. 10 Elon 41, Presbyterian 7

Elon dominated from start to finish, outgaining the Blue Hose 614-97 en route to a 41-7 road victory. Elon held PC to just 2 yards rushing in the contest and held possession for 39:11. Two Phoenix rushers (Jamal Shuman and A.J. Harris) crossed the 100-yard barrier, marking the first time in 10 seasons that two Elon players had done so in the same game.

### Sept. 12 - Wake Forest 24, Stanford 17

Wake Forest scored 21 unanswered points and racked up 311 yards of total offense in the second half to post a thrilling 24-17 comeback win over Stanford. Riley Skinner scored the game-winning touchdown with just two seconds remaining.

## Game Notes

The matchup is just the second against an FBS opponent in Elon history (28-13 loss to South Florida in 2007) ... Wake's last game against a SoCon school was a 20-10 win over Appalachian State in Jim Grobe's second game as head coach (Sept. 8, 2001) ... Elon leads the FCS in both total offense (594.5 ypg) and total defense (97.5 ypg).

## Tale of the Tape

| Elon          | Category        | WFU   |
|---------------|-----------------|-------|
| 48.5 (1 of 9) | Scoring Offense | 22.5  |
| 227.0 (2)     | Rushing Offense | 188.5 |
| 367.5 (1)     | Passing Offense | 175.0 |
| 594.5 (1)     | Total Offense   | 363.5 |
| 3.5 (1)       | Scoring Defense | 20.5  |
| 32.5 (1)      | Rushing Defense | 156.0 |
| 65.0 (1)      | Passing Defense | 222.5 |
| 97.5 (1)      | Total Defense   | 378.5 |

Southern Conference rank in parenthesis.



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# Game Capsules/Preseason Information



**Western Carolina at Georgia Southern**  
**(0-2, 0-0 SoCon) (1-1, 0-0 SoCon)**  
**Paulson Stadium (18,000), Statesboro, Ga.**  
**Sept. 19 • 7:00 p.m. (ET)**  
**Internet: SoCon.TV**



## Capsule Summary

**Series Record** ..... Georgia Southern leads 17-2  
**Last Meeting** ..... GSU won 38-31 in OT (Oct. 25, 2008 in Cullowhee)  
**Series Streak** ..... GSU has won 14  
**Western Carolina on the Web** ..... [www.catamountsports.com](http://www.catamountsports.com)  
**SID Contact**..... Daniel Hooker ([dhooker@email.wcu.edu](mailto:dhooker@email.wcu.edu))  
**Coach Dennis Wagner**  
**Overall Record (Years)** ..... 47-48-1 (11th)  
**Record at Western Carolina (Years)** ..... 3-11 (2nd)  
**Georgia Southern on the Web** ..... [www.georgiasoutherneagles.com](http://www.georgiasoutherneagles.com)  
**SID Contact**... Patrick Osterman ([prosterman@georgiasouthern.edu](mailto:prosterman@georgiasouthern.edu))  
**Coach Chris Hatcher**  
**Overall Record (Years)** ..... 90-22 (10th)  
**Record at Georgia Southern (Years)** ..... 14-10 (3rd)

## Last Game

### Sept. 12 - Gardner-Webb 27, Western Carolina 20

Western Carolina scored 20 consecutive points to tie the game in the fourth quarter, but a 1-yard TD run by Stan Doolittle with 2:02 remaining gave GWU the win. Marquel Pittman caught 9 passes for 113 yards and 2 TDs and a two-point conversion to lead the Catamounts.

### Sept. 12 - No. 21 South Dakota State 44, Georgia Southern 6

Georgia Southern found itself down only by 10 at halftime but South Dakota State pulled away in the second half and handed the Eagles a 44-6 defeat. The loss also marked the first time Georgia Southern was held to less than seven points since 1995 (45-0 at Montana).

## Game Notes

Georgia Southern has won 14 straight against Western Carolina, including last year's rally from a 31-3 4th quarter deficit ... A GSU win would equal the longest active win streak in a SoCon series at 15 (Furman over Chattanooga) ... GSU has lost 5 straight SoCon games at home and 7 of 9 dating back to 2006 ... The Catamounts have lost 12 straight SoCon road contests.

## Tale of the Tape

| WCU           | Category        | GSU           |
|---------------|-----------------|---------------|
| 10.0 (8 of 9) | Scoring Offense | 17.5 (7 of 9) |
| 42.0 (7)      | Rushing Offense | 34.5 (8)      |
| 175.5 (7)     | Passing Offense | 245.5 (3)     |
| 217.5 (8)     | Total Offense   | 280.0 (7)     |
| 36.0 (8)      | Scoring Defense | 35.0 (7)      |
| 258.5 (8)     | Rushing Defense | 201.0 (7)     |
| 226.0 (7)     | Passing Defense | 147.5 (4)     |
| 484.5 (9)     | Total Defense   | 348.5 (4)     |

Southern Conference rank in parenthesis.

## 2009 Southern Conference Preseason All-Conference Teams

**Offensive Player of the Year:** Armanti Edwards, Sr., QB, ASU

**Defensive Player of the Year:** Jacque Roman, Sr., LB, ASU

### FIRST TEAM

#### Offense

QB Armanti Edwards, Sr., ASU  
 RB Mike Brown, Jr., FUR  
 RB Chris Evans, Jr., SAM  
 OL Mario Acitelli, Sr., ASU  
 OL Pat Illig, Jr., WOF  
 OL David Harrison, Sr., Elon  
 OL (tie) Brett Irvin, Jr., ASU  
 OL (tie) Daniel Kilgore, Jr., ASU  
 OL (tie) Jon Weber, Sr., SAM  
 TE Chris Truss, Sr., FUR  
 WR Andre Roberts, Sr., CIT  
 WR Terrell Hudgins, Sr., Elon

#### Defense

DL Jabari Fletcher, Jr., ASU  
 DL Terrence Reese, Sr., CIT  
 DL Mitch Clark, Sr., WOF  
 DL Eric Ludwig, Sr., Elon  
 LB Jacque Roman, Sr., ASU  
 LB Bryce Smith, Jr., SAM  
 LB Joshua Jones, So., Elon  
 DB Mark LeGree, Jr., ASU  
 DB Max Lerner, Jr., FUR  
 DB Karlos Sullivan, Sr., Elon  
 DB Cortez Gilbert, Jr., ASU

#### Specialists

PK Adrian Mora, So., GSU  
 P Trent Hawk, Sr., FUR  
 RS Andre Roberts, Sr., CIT

### SECOND TEAM

#### Offense

QB Scott Riddle, Jr., Elon  
 RB Devon Moore, Jr., ASU  
 RB Brandon Newsome, Jr., Elon  
 OL Cole Fountain, Sr., GSU  
 OL Thomas Suggs, Sr., CIT  
 OL Daniel DeHaven, Sr., CIT  
 OL Trey Johnson, Jr., WOF  
 OL Tyler Haynes, Sr., FUR  
 TE Ben Jorden, So., ASU  
 WR CoCo Hillary, Jr., ASU  
 WR Brian Quick, So., ASU

#### Defense

DL Brandon Ward, Jr., Elon  
 DL Anthony Williams, Sr., ASU  
 DL Justin Brown, Sr., FUR  
 DL Eric Eberhardt, So., WOF  
 LB D.J. Smith, Jr., ASU  
 LB Gary Blount, Sr., WOF  
 LB Dion Dubose, So., GSU  
 DB Ed Gainey, So., ASU  
 DB Mychael Johnson, Sr., WOF  
 DB Julian Hicks, Sr., FUR  
 DB (tie) Buster Skrine, Jr., UTC  
 DB (tie) Cortez Allen, Jr., CIT

#### Specialists

PK Jason Vitaris, Jr., ASU  
 P Bob Hooper, Jr., SAM  
 RS CoCo Hillary, Jr., ASU

## 2009 SoCon Football Preseason COACHES' Poll

| Place | School (First-place votes) | Points |
|-------|----------------------------|--------|
| 1.    | Appalachian State (8)      | 64     |
| 2.    | Wofford                    | 53     |
| 3.    | Elon                       | 51     |
| 4.    | Furman                     | 40     |
| 5.    | Georgia Southern (1)       | 39     |
| 6t.   | The Citadel                | 26     |
| 6t.   | Samford                    | 26     |
| 8.    | Western Carolina           | 15     |
| 9.    | Chattanooga                | 10     |

## 2008 SoCon Football Preseason MEDIA Poll

| Place | School (First-place votes) | Points |
|-------|----------------------------|--------|
| 1.    | Appalachian State (46)     | 429    |
| 2.    | Elon (1)                   | 360    |
| 3.    | Wofford                    | 326    |
| 4.    | Georgia Southern (1)       | 275    |
| 5.    | Furman                     | 260    |
| 6.    | Samford                    | 194    |
| 7.    | The Citadel                | 165    |
| 8.    | Western Carolina           | 94     |
| 9.    | Chattanooga                | 57     |



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# National Polls

## 2009 FCS Coaches Poll

| School                   | PS        | S 7       | S 14      | S 21 | S 28 | O 5 | O 12 | O 19 | O 26 | N 2 | N 9 | N 16 | N 23 | F |
|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------|------|-----|------|------|------|-----|-----|------|------|---|
| Richmond                 | 2         | 1         | 1         |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Villanova                | 5         | 3         | 2         |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Montana                  | 3         | 4         | 3         |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Northern Iowa            | 4         | 5         | 4         |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| William & Mary           | 14        | 7         | 5         |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| James Madison            | 6         | 6         | 6         |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| New Hampshire            | 8         | 9         | 7         |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Southern Illinois        | 7         | 8         | 8         |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| <b>Appalachian State</b> | <b>1</b>  | <b>2</b>  | <b>9</b>  |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| McNeese State            | 15        | 16        | 10        |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| <b>Elon</b>              | <b>11</b> | <b>11</b> | <b>11</b> |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Weber State              | 9         | 10        | 12        |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Central Arkansas         | 12        | 12        | 13        |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Cal Poly                 | 13        | 13        | 14        |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| <b>Wofford</b>           | <b>10</b> | <b>14</b> | <b>15</b> |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| South Carolina State     | 16        | 15        | 16        |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Massachusetts            | 18        | 18        | 17        |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Texas State              | 21        | 19        | 18        |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Maine                    | 19t       | 20        | 19        |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Eastern Washington       | 17        | 17        | 20        |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| South Dakota State       | 23        | 25        | 21        |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Jacksonville State       | 19t       | 21        | 22        |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Eastern Kentucky         | -         | 23        | 23        |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Liberty                  | -         | 24        | 24        |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Harvard                  | 22        | 22        | 25        |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Hofstra                  | 24        | -         | -         |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Grambling State          | 25        | -         | -         |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |

## 2009 The Sports Network Poll

| School               | PS | S 7 | S 14 | S 21 | S 28 | O 5 | O 12 | O 19 | O 26 | N 2 | N 9 | N 16 | N 23 | F |
|----------------------|----|-----|------|------|------|-----|------|------|------|-----|-----|------|------|---|
| Richmond             | 2  | 1   | 1    |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Villanova            | 5  | 3   | 2    |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Northern Iowa        | 4  | 4   | 3    |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Montana              | 3  | 5   | 4    |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| William & Mary       | 14 | 7   | 5    |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| New Hampshire        | 8  | 9   | 6    |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| James Madison        | 6  | 6   | 7    |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| McNeese State        | 15 | 16  | 8    |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Southern Illinois    | 7  | 8   | 9    |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Appalachian State    | 1  | 2   | 10   |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Elon                 | 11 | 10  | 11   |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Cal Poly             | 12 | 12  | 12   |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Weber State          | 9  | 11  | 13   |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Wofford              | 10 | 14  | 14   |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| South Carolina State | 16 | 15  | 15   |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Central Arkansas     | 13 | 13  | 16   |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Massachusetts        | 17 | 17  | 17   |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| South Dakota State   | 22 | 21  | 18   |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Texas State          | 20 | 19  | 19   |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Maine                | 19 | 20  | 20   |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Eastern Washington   | 18 | 18  | 21   |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Eastern Kentucky     | 23 | 22  | 22   |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Holy Cross           | 25 | 25  | 23   |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Jacksonville State   | 21 | 23  | 24   |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |
| Harvard              | 23 | 24  | 25   |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |     |      |      |   |

## This Date in SoCon History

### Sept. 19, 1981

Appalachian State jumped out to a 10-0 lead and never trailed in dispatching preseason SoCon favorite Chattanooga, 31-14.

Trailing 3-0 entering the final period, The Citadel rallied for a 12-3 victory over Western Carolina in Charleston.

Furman's defense limited East Tennessee State to 138 yards of total offense compared to the Paladins' 357 in a 21-0 shutout of the Buccaneers.

### Sept. 19, 1987

Tim Sanders rushed for 160 yards and three touchdowns as No. 7 Appalachian State topped VMI, 27-10, in Boone.

Todd Cottrell passed for 226 yards and a score to lead Western Carolina to a 20-14 victory over Furman – the Catamount's fourth win in the last five meetings with Furman.

### Sept. 19, 1992

No. 9 The Citadel rushed for a school-record 570 yards in a 28-7 win over East Tennessee State. Everette Sands (192, 2 TDs) and Jack Douglas (174, 2 TDs) led the Bulldogs' dominant ground attack.

Carl Tremble rushed for 168 yards and three touchdowns as Furman amassed 602 yards of total offense in a 43-7 win over Presbyterian.

### Sept. 19, 1998

Stuart Rentz rushed for 133 yards and Furman forced six turnovers in a 34-24 win over Samford in Birmingham.

Greg Hill passed for two touchdowns and ran for two more while Georgia Southern's defense accounted for a school record 12 sacks in the Eagles' 45-10 win over Wofford.

Western Carolina opened SoCon play with a 14-8 win at The Citadel as Brad Hoover rushed for 85 yards and a touchdown.

## SoCon Coaching Records

| Coch, School                    | Years<br>at School | Record<br>at School | SoCon<br>Record | SoCon<br>Pct. | Career<br>Record | Career<br>Pct. |
|---------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------|---------------|------------------|----------------|
| Jerry Moore, Appalachian State  | 21                 | 178-75              | 117-35          | .770          | 205-123-2        | .624           |
| Kevin Higgins, The Citadel      | 5                  | 20-26               | 12-17           | .414          | 76-51-1          | .594           |
| Pete Lembo, Elon                | 4                  | 22-14               | 12-10           | .545          | 66-28            | .702           |
| Bobby Lamb, Furman              | 8                  | 58-29               | 36-17           | .679          | 58-29            | .667           |
| Chris Hatcher, Georgia Southern | 3                  | 14-10               | 8-7             | .533          | 90-22            | .804           |
| Pat Sullivan, Samford           | 3                  | 11-13               | 4-4             | .500          | 35-55-1          | .390           |
| Russ Huesman, Chattanooga       | 1                  | 1-1                 | 0-1             | .000          | 1-1              | .500           |
| Dennis Wagner, Western Carolina | 2                  | 3-11                | 1-7             | .125          | 47-48-1          | .495           |
| Mike Ayers, Wofford             | 22                 | 142-97-1            | 62-51           | .549          | 153-118-2        | .564           |



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# SOCON vs. Other Conferences (7-8)

## FBS Opponents (0-5)



### Atlantic Coast (0-1)

No. 21 North Carolina 40, The Citadel 6  
Elon at Wake Forest, 6:30 p.m. Sept. 19  
Georgia Southern at North Carolina, TBA Oct. 10



### Big East (0-1)

South Florida 40, No. 10 Wofford 7



### Big Ten (0-0)

Wofford at Wisconsin, 12 p.m. Sept. 19



### Big 12 (0-0)

Furman at Missouri, 2 p.m. Sept. 19



### Conference USA (0-2)

East Carolina 29, No. 1 Appalachian State 24  
UCF 28, Samford 24



### Southeastern (0-1)

Vanderbilt 45, Western Carolina 0  
Furman at Auburn, TBA Nov. 7  
Chattanooga at Alabama, TBA Nov. 21

## FCS Opponents (6-3)



### Big South (3-1)

Furman 45, Presbyterian 21  
Elon 41, Presbyterian 7  
Gardner-Webb 27, Western Carolina 20  
Wofford 42, Charleston Southern 14  
Chattanooga at Presbyterian, 1:30 p.m. Sept. 19  
Presbyterian at The Citadel, 7 p.m. Sept. 26



### Independents (0-0)

N.C. Central at Appalachian State, 3:30 p.m. Oct. 10



### Ivy (0-0)

The Citadel at Princeton, 3 p.m. Sept. 19



### Missouri Valley (0-1)

South Dakota State 44, Georgia Southern 6



### Northeast (1-0)

Georgia Southern 29, Albany 26



### Ohio Valley (0-0)

Western Carolina at Eastern Kentucky, 1 p.m. Nov. 14



### Pioneer (2-0)

No. 11 Elon 56, Davidson 0  
Samford 27, Jacksonville 0



### Southland (0-1)

McNeese State 40, Appalachian State 35

## Non-Division I Opponents (1-0)

Chattanooga 30, Glenville State 12  
Miles at Samford, 3 p.m. Sept. 19

All Times Eastern

# 2009 NCAA Statistical Leaders

## Individual

### Rushing

|    |                         |            |
|----|-------------------------|------------|
| 3  | Jamal Shuman (Elon)     | 152.50 ypg |
| 19 | Devon Moore (ASU)       | 96.00 ypg  |
| 21 | Eric Breitenstein (WOF) | 93.50 ypg  |
| 25 | Tersoo Uhaa (FUR)       | 91.00 ypg  |
| 27 | A.J. Harris (Elon)      | 90.00 ypg  |
| 47 | Chris Evans (SAM)       | 74.50 ypg  |
| 48 | Mitch Allen (WOF)       | 73.50 ypg  |

### Passing Yards

|    |                         |            |
|----|-------------------------|------------|
| 4  | Scott Riddle (Elon)     | 336.00 ypg |
| 19 | B.J. Coleman (UTC)      | 241.50 ypg |
| 25 | Lee Chapple (GSU)       | 216.50 ypg |
| 27 | Jordan Sorrells (FUR)   | 212.00 ypg |
| 40 | Dustin Taliaferro (SAM) | 183.00 ypg |
| 44 | Zach Jaynes (WCU)       | 174.50 ypg |

### Passes Completed

|    |                         |           |
|----|-------------------------|-----------|
| 6  | Lee Chapple (GSU)       | 27.50 cpg |
| 9  | Scott Riddle (Elon)     | 23.50 cpg |
| 15 | Bart Blanchard (CIT)    | 21.00 cpg |
| 20 | B.J. Coleman (UTC)      | 20.00 cpg |
| 25 | Jordan Sorrells (FUR)   | 17.50 cpg |
| 30 | Jordan Taliaferro (SAM) | 17.00 cpg |
| 30 | Zach Jaynes (WCU)       | 17.00 cpg |

### Passing Efficiency

|    |                         |        |
|----|-------------------------|--------|
| 3  | Scott Riddle (Elon)     | 188.19 |
| 17 | Jordan Sorrells (FUR)   | 162.89 |
| 35 | B.J. Coleman (UTC)      | 136.11 |
| 37 | Dustin Taliaferro (SAM) | 130.95 |

### Total Offense

|    |                       |            |
|----|-----------------------|------------|
| 9  | Scott Riddle (Elon)   | 324.00 ypg |
| 29 | Jordan Sorrells (FUR) | 237.50 ypg |
| 30 | B.J. Coleman (UTC)    | 237.00 ypg |
| 44 | Lee Chapple (GSU)     | 195.50 ypg |

### Receptions per Game

|    |                         |           |
|----|-------------------------|-----------|
| 2  | Blue Cooper (UTC)       | 10.50 rpg |
| 3  | Andre Roberts (CIT)     | 10.00 rpg |
| 4  | Terrell Hudgins (Elon)  | 9.00 rpg  |
| 39 | Darreion Robinson (GSU) | 5.50 rpg  |
| 39 | Adam Urbano (GSU)       | 5.50 rpg  |
| 39 | Jamere Valentine (GSU)  | 5.50 rpg  |
| 39 | Marquel Pittman (WCU)   | 5.50 rpg  |

### Receiving Yards per Game

|    |                        |            |
|----|------------------------|------------|
| 3  | Terrell Hudgins (Elon) | 145.00 ypg |
| 9  | Blue Cooper (UTC)      | 118.00 ypg |
| 20 | Riley Hawkins (SAM)    | 104.00 ypg |

### All-Purpose Yards per Game

|    |                        |            |
|----|------------------------|------------|
| 5  | Jamal Shuman (Elon)    | 215.50 ypg |
| 11 | Kevin Hardy (CIT)      | 178.00 ypg |
| 29 | Terrell Hudgins (Elon) | 145.00 ypg |

|    |                     |            |
|----|---------------------|------------|
| 35 | Devon Moore (ASU)   | 137.50 ypg |
| 40 | Riley Hawkins (SAM) | 134.50 ypg |
| 40 | Mike Rucker (WOF)   | 134.50 ypg |

### Punting

|    |                       |            |
|----|-----------------------|------------|
| 15 | Charlie Edwards (GSU) | 42.30 avg. |
| 26 | Cass Couey (CIT)      | 39.67 avg. |
| 32 | Blake Cain (WCU)      | 38.92 avg. |

### Punt Returns

|    |                      |            |
|----|----------------------|------------|
| 5  | Travaris Cadet (ASU) | 14.33 avg. |
| 6  | Lance Camp (Elon)    | 13.17 avg. |
| 19 | Brenton Bersin (WOF) | 8.00 avg.  |
| 22 | Ronnie Wiggins (GSU) | 6.67 avg.  |

### Kickoff Returns

|    |                     |            |
|----|---------------------|------------|
| 21 | Darrell Pasco (GSU) | 28.25 avg. |
| 33 | Mike Rucker (WOF)   | 24.40 avg. |
| 34 | Kevin Hardy (CIT)   | 24.33 avg. |
| 35 | B.J. Frazier (ASU)  | 24.00 avg. |

### Field Goals per Game

|    |                      |          |
|----|----------------------|----------|
| 7  | Sam Keeler (CIT)     | 2.00 fpg |
| 7  | Adrian Mora (GSU)    | 2.00 fpg |
| 15 | Cameron Yaw (SAM)    | 1.50 fpg |
| 27 | Adam Shreiner (ELON) | 1.00 fpg |
| 27 | Matthew Cesari (FUR) | 1.00 fpg |
| 27 | Craig Camay (UTC)    | 1.00 fpg |
| 27 | Blake Bostic (WCU)   | 1.00 fpg |

### Scoring

|    |                         |           |
|----|-------------------------|-----------|
| 8  | Terrell Hudgins (Elon)  | 12.00 ppg |
| 8  | Tersoo Uhaa (FUR)       | 12.00 ppg |
| 30 | Adam Shreiner (Elon)    | 9.50 ppg  |
| 31 | Chris Awuah (UTC)       | 9.00 ppg  |
| 31 | Riley Hawkins (SAM)     | 9.00 ppg  |
| 31 | Eric Breitenstein (WOF) | 9.00 ppg  |

### Tackles

|    |                       |           |
|----|-----------------------|-----------|
| 8  | Joseph Thornton (UTC) | 12.00 tpg |
| 8  | Dion DuBose (GSU)     | 12.00 tpg |
| 16 | D.J. Smith (ASU)      | 11.00 tpg |
| 16 | Mike Niam (WOF)       | 11.00 tpg |
| 29 | Ricky Schwarz (WCU)   | 10.50 tpg |
| 33 | Jacque Roman (ASU)    | 10.00 tpg |
| 33 | Chris Collins (WCU)   | 10.00 tpg |

### Sacks

|    |                       |          |
|----|-----------------------|----------|
| 9  | Andre Campbell (Elon) | 1.25 spg |
| 15 | 6 players             | 1.00 spg |

### Interceptions

|    |                        |          |
|----|------------------------|----------|
| 1  | Joseph Boateng (CIT)   | 2.00 ipg |
| 8  | Cameron McGlenn (Elon) | 1.00 ipg |
| 45 | 10 players             | 0.50 ipg |

## Team

| Team              | Rushing<br>Off./Def. | Passing<br>Off./Def. | Scoring<br>Off./Def. | Total<br>Off./Def. |
|-------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| Appalachian State | 24/77                | 50/83                | 25/83                | 34/86              |
| The Citadel       | 106/100              | 89/14                | 107/97               | 106/70             |
| Elon              | 10/6                 | 4/4                  | 4/4                  | 1/1                |
| Furman            | 17/43                | 35/96                | 9/42                 | 21/68              |
| Georgia Southern  | 88/82                | 24/27                | 64/85                | 73/59              |
| Samford           | 67/26                | 28/12                | 39/19                | 43/8               |
| Chattanooga       | 91/76                | 23/46                | 42/57                | 53/62              |
| Western Carolina  | 101/99               | 61/77                | 80/87                | 93/99              |
| Wofford           | 2/59                 | 106/48               | 44/61                | 51/48              |



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# SOCON By the Numbers

## SOCON Players of the Week

### Offense

S. 7 Jordan Sorrells, FUR, QB 285 pass, 51 rush, 4 TDS  
S. 14 Jamal Shuman, Elon, RB 190 rush yards, 1 TD

### Freshman

S. 7 Jamere Valentine, GSU, WR 6 rec., 79 yards, 2 TDs  
S. 14 Chris Awuah, UTC, RB 93 total yards, 1 TD

### Defense

S. 7 Joseph Boateng, CIT, DB 2 INTs, team-high 7 tackles  
S. 14 Max Lerner, FUR, DB INT return for TD, 1.5 TFL

### Special Teams

S. 7 Lance Camp, Elon, PR 6 ret., 79 yards, 1 TD  
S. 14 Craig Camay, UTC, PK 2 FGs, 2 PATs, onsidies kick

## 2008 National Weekly Awards Winners

### College Sporting News National All Stars

Sept. 7 ..... Jordan Sorrells, Furman, QB



Furman quarterback Jordan Sorrells

## Career SOCON Weekly Award Winners (since 2005, among active players)

- 11 - Armanti Edwards (ASU, QB, 6 Off., 5 FR)
- 6 - Scott Riddle (Elon, QB, 3 Off., 3 Fr.)
- 4 - Jordan Sorrells (FUR, QB, 1 Off., 3 Fr.)
- 3 - Andre Roberts (CIT, WR/RS, 1 Fr., 2 ST)
- 2 - Craig Camay (UTC, PK, 2 ST); Bob Hooper (SAM, P, 2 ST); Terrell Hudgins (Elon, WR, 2 Off.); DeAndre Presley (ASU, QB, 1 Off., 1 Fr.); Jamal Shuman (Elon, RB, 1 Off., 1 Fr.); D.J. Smith (ASU, LB, 2 Def.); Karlos Sullivan (Elon, DB/RS, 1 Fr., 1 ST); Dustin Taliaferro (SAM, QB, 2 Fr.)
- 1 - Mitch Allen (WOF, QB, 1 Fr.); Chris Awuah (UTC, RB, 1 Fr.); Bart Blanchard (CIT, QB, 1 Fr.); Joseph Boateng (CIT, DB, 1 Def.); Mike Brown (FUR, RB, 1 Fr.); Blake Cain (WCU, P, 1 ST); Lance Camp (Elon, WR/PR, 1 ST); Lee Chapple (GSU, QB, 1 Off.); Terrell Dallas (CIT, RB, 1 Fr.); Andy Davis (SAM, DB, 1 Def.); Dion Dubose (GSU, LB, 1 Def.); Chris Evans (SAM, RB, 1 Off.); Cortez Gilbert (ASU, CB, 1 Def.); A.J. Harris (Elon, RB, 1 Fr.); Patrick Hatcher (SAM, DL, 1 Def.); Julian Hicks (FUR, S, 1 Def.); Zack Jaynes (WCU, QB, 1 Fr.); Mark LeGree (ASU, DB, 1 Def.); Max Lerner (FUR, DB, 1 Def.); Adrian McLeod (WCU, LB, 1 Def.); Marquel Pittman (WCU, WR, 1 Fr.); Brian Quick (ASU, WR, 1 Fr.); Devin Radford (ASU, RB, 1 Off.); Jacque Roman (ASU, LB, 1 Def.); Zeke Rozier (GSU, RB, 1 Fr.); Chris Teal (GSU, WR, 1 Fr.); Jamere Valentine (GSU, WR, 1 Fr.); Nolan Ward (Elon, LB, 1 Fr.); E.J. Webb (GSU, LB, 1 Fr.); Robert Welton (ASU, RB, 1 Off.); Brandon Wiggins (Elon, LB, 1 Fr.); Anthony Williams (ASU, DE, 1 Def.); Erroll Wynn (UTC, RB, 1 Fr.)



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# SoCon By the Numbers

## Wins vs. FBS (I-A) Teams

|      |                                                  |
|------|--------------------------------------------------|
| 1982 | Furman 28, South Carolina 23                     |
| 1982 | Furman 17, Georgia Tech 14                       |
| 1983 | Chattanooga 38, Louisiana-Lafayette 14           |
| 1983 | Appalachian State 27, Wake Forest 25             |
| 1984 | Chattanooga 9, Louisiana-Lafayette 7             |
| 1984 | Furman 34, North Carolina State 30               |
| 1985 | Furman 42, North Carolina State 20               |
| 1986 | Furman 17, Georgia Tech 17 (tie)                 |
| 1987 | East Tennessee State 29, North Carolina State 14 |
| 1988 | The Citadel 42, Navy 35                          |
| 1988 | Appalachian State 34, Wake Forest 34             |
| 1989 | Appalachian State 15, Wake Forest 10             |
| 1989 | The Citadel 14, Navy 10                          |
| 1990 | The Citadel 38, South Carolina 35                |
| 1991 | The Citadel 20, Army 14                          |
| 1991 | Appalachian State 17, Wake Forest 3              |
| 1992 | The Citadel 10, Arkansas 3                       |
| 1992 | The Citadel 15, Army 14                          |
| 1995 | Appalachian State 24, Wake Forest 22             |
| 1998 | Appalachian State 30, Wake Forest 27             |
| 1999 | Furman 28, North Carolina 3                      |
| 2000 | Wofford 24, Louisiana-Monroe 6                   |
| 2000 | Appalachian State 20, Wake Forest 16             |
| 2004 | Georgia Southern 53, Florida International 32    |
| 2007 | Appalachian State 34, Michigan 32                |

## 2009 Attendance

SoCon teams attracted 673,283 fans in 56 contests last season. Average attendance through two weeks in 2009 is up 474 fans per game.

| Rank                 | Team              | 2007 Avg.          | 2008 Avg.          | 2009 Avg.         | Change      |
|----------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| 1                    | Appalachian State | 24,219 (9)         | 25,161 (8)         | <b>27,914 (1)</b> | +2,753      |
| 6                    | Georgia Southern  | 18,925 (6)         | 18,168 (6)         | <b>18,118 (1)</b> | -50         |
| 19                   | The Citadel       | 13,757 (6)         | 12,261 (6)         | -                 | -           |
| 30                   | Furman            | 12,590 (5)         | 10,073 (6)         | <b>10,960 (1)</b> | +887        |
| 39                   | Elon              | 7,734 (6)          | 9,220 (6)          | <b>8,258 (1)</b>  | -962        |
| 47                   | Western Carolina  | 6,760 (5)          | 8,320 (6)          | <b>9,673 (1)</b>  | +1,353      |
| 52                   | Wofford           | 8,345 (7)          | 7,812 (6)          | 7,017 (1)         | -795        |
| 58                   | Samford           | 5,764 (6)          | 7,064 (6)          | <b>5,328 (1)</b>  | -1,736      |
| 69                   | Chattanooga       | 6,264 (6)          | 5,748 (6)          | 12,602 (2)        | +6,854      |
| <b>SoCon Average</b> |                   | <b>13,073 (50)</b> | <b>12,023 (56)</b> | <b>12,497 (9)</b> | <b>+474</b> |

## Shutout Chart

| Team | Last SHO Win              | Gms Ago | Last SHO Loss             | Gms Ago |
|------|---------------------------|---------|---------------------------|---------|
| ASU  | 41-0, Mars Hill, 2006     | 44      | 24-0, LSU, 2005           | 53      |
| CIT  | 76-0, Webber Int'l., 2007 | 23      | 61-0, Maryland, 2003      | 75      |
| Elon | 56-0, Davidson, 2009      | 2       | 21-0, Citadel, 2005       | 37      |
| FUR  | 10-0, Elon, 2004          | 57      | 33-0, Clemson, 1998       | 137     |
| GSU  | 35-0, Savannah St., 2003  | 70      | 45-0, Montana, 1995       | 170     |
| SAM  | 27-0, Jacksonville, 2009  | 1       | 29-0, Tenn. Tech, 2000    | 90      |
| UTC  | 38-0, Western Caro., 2003 | 63      | 55-0, Wofford, 2006       | 26      |
| WCU  | 35-0, Shorter, 2008       | 13      | 45-0, Vanderbilt, 2009    | 2       |
| WOF  | 55-0, Chatt., 2006        | 28      | 24-0, Western Caro., 2005 | 41      |

## Overtime Games

| Date           | Result                                           |
|----------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| Dec. 1, 1990   | Nevada-Reno 42, Furman 35 (3 OT)                 |
| Oct. 19, 1991  | Appalachian State 26, Furman 23 (3 OT)           |
| Nov. 2, 1991   | Marshall 27, Western Carolina 24 (3 OT)          |
| Nov. 21, 1992  | VMI 37, Chattanooga 34                           |
| Oct. 16, 1993  | VMI 35, Chattanooga 29 (2 OT)                    |
| Nov. 19, 1994  | VMI 26, Appalachian State 23                     |
| Nov. 26, 1994  | Appalachian State 17, New Hampshire 10           |
| Nov. 16, 1996  | VMI 34, The Citadel 27 (2 OT)                    |
| Oct. 11, 1997  | The Citadel 23, East Tennessee State 20          |
| Sept. 26, 1998 | Western Carolina 31, East Tennessee State 24     |
| Oct. 3, 1998   | Appalachian State 30, Wake Forest 27             |
| Oct. 24, 1998  | East Tennessee State 22, Furman 19 (2 OT)        |
| Nov. 6, 1999   | Samford 35, Western Carolina 32                  |
| Nov. 6, 1999   | Chattanooga 30, The Citadel 27                   |
| Nov. 27, 1999  | Massachusetts 30, Furman 23                      |
| Nov. 4, 2000   | Chattanooga 20, The Citadel 13                   |
| Nov. 18, 2000  | Furman 45, Chattanooga 44                        |
| Dec. 9, 2000   | Montana 19, Appalachian State 16                 |
| Oct. 13, 2001  | VMI 19, Chattanooga 16                           |
| Nov. 3, 2001   | The Citadel 20, Chattanooga 17 (2 OT)            |
| Oct. 5, 2002   | Wofford 27, Chattanooga 21                       |
| Sept. 11, 2003 | East Tennessee State 14, Tennessee-Martin 7      |
| Sept. 25, 2004 | Gardner-Webb 26, Western Carolina 20             |
| Sept. 25, 2004 | Pittsburgh 41, Furman 38                         |
| Sept. 3, 2005  | Chattanooga 30, Tennessee Tech 23                |
| Sept. 3, 2005  | Georgia Southern 41, Northeastern 38             |
| Sept. 25, 2005 | Furman 44, Hofstra 41 (2 OT)                     |
| Oct. 15, 2005  | Furman 39, The Citadel 31 (3 OT)                 |
| Sept. 9, 2006  | Charleston Southern 38, The Citadel 35 (2 OT)    |
| Oct. 14, 2006  | Chattanooga 17, Western Carolina 14              |
| Oct. 21, 2006  | Appalachian State 27, Georgia Southern 20 (2 OT) |
| Oct. 21, 2006  | Furman 28, Chattanooga 22                        |
| Oct. 21, 2006  | The Citadel 30, Western Carolina 27              |
| Nov. 18, 2006  | Central Arkansas 34, Georgia Southern 31         |
| Sept. 22, 2007 | Chattanooga 45, Georgia Southern 38              |
| Oct. 13, 2007  | The Citadel 54, Furman 51                        |
| Oct. 13, 2007  | Elon 36, Georgia Southern 33 (2 OT)              |
| Sept. 13, 2008 | Georgia Southern 34, Northeastern 27             |
| Sept. 27, 2008 | Wofford 38, Georgia Southern 37                  |
| Oct. 25, 2008  | Georgia Southern 38, Western Carolina 31         |
| Nov. 1, 2008   | Georgia Southern 44, The Citadel 41 (3 OT)       |

## Current League Members Overtime Records

|                   |              |             |
|-------------------|--------------|-------------|
| Appalachian State | 4-2          | .667        |
| The Citadel       | 4-5          | .444        |
| Elon              | 1-0          | 1.000       |
| Furman            | 4-6          | .400        |
| Georgia Southern  | 4-5          | .444        |
| Samford           | 0-0          | .000        |
| Chattanooga       | 5-7          | .417        |
| Western Carolina  | 1-6          | .143        |
| Wofford           | 2-0          | 1.000       |
| <b>Total</b>      | <b>24-30</b> | <b>.444</b> |



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# SOCON By the Numbers

## Home Field Records

| Team              | W   | L   | T | Pct. | Yrs. | Stadium Name   |
|-------------------|-----|-----|---|------|------|----------------|
| Appalachian State | 196 | 61  | 5 | .758 | 47th | Kidd Brewer    |
| The Citadel       | 200 | 124 | 3 | .616 | 62nd | Johnson Hagood |
| Elon              | 22  | 25  | 0 | .468 | 9th  | Rhodes         |
| Furman            | 142 | 35  | 1 | .801 | 29th | Paladin        |
| Georgia Southern  | 150 | 28  | 0 | .843 | 26th | Paulson        |
| Samford           | 129 | 66  | 4 | .658 | 42nd | Seibert        |
| Chattanooga       | 25  | 40  | 0 | .385 | 13th | Finley         |
| Western Carolina  | 105 | 73  | 2 | .589 | 36th | E.J. Whitmire  |
| Wofford           | 53  | 19  | 0 | .736 | 14th | Gibbs          |

## All-Time Conference Record

| Team              | Years | W   | L   | T  | Pct. |
|-------------------|-------|-----|-----|----|------|
| Appalachian State | 39    | 173 | 78  | 5  | .686 |
| The Citadel       | 67    | 173 | 256 | 5  | .404 |
| Elon              | 7     | 15  | 29  | 0  | .341 |
| Furman            | 71    | 232 | 174 | 11 | .570 |
| Georgia Southern  | 17    | 88  | 36  | 0  | .710 |
| Samford           | 2     | 4   | 4   | 0  | .500 |
| Chattanooga       | 34    | 97  | 127 | 2  | .434 |
| Western Carolina  | 34    | 93  | 135 | 1  | .408 |
| Wofford           | 13    | 56  | 36  | 0  | .609 |

## Overall Football Records Last Five Seasons (2005-09)

| (All Games)       |    |    |      |        |          |
|-------------------|----|----|------|--------|----------|
| Team              | W  | L  | Pct. | Titles | Playoffs |
| Appalachian State | 50 | 11 | .820 | 4      | 4        |
| Furman            | 34 | 17 | .667 | 0      | 2        |
| Wofford           | 32 | 17 | .653 | 1      | 2        |
| Elon              | 25 | 22 | .532 | 0      | 0        |
| Georgia Southern  | 25 | 22 | .532 | 0      | 1        |
| The Citadel       | 20 | 26 | .435 | 0      | 0        |
| Samford           | 19 | 27 | .413 | 0      | 0        |
| Chattanooga       | 13 | 34 | .277 | 0      | 0        |
| Western Carolina  | 11 | 34 | .244 | 0      | 0        |

## Overall Football Records Last 10 Seasons (2000-09)

| (All Games)       |    |    |      |        |          |
|-------------------|----|----|------|--------|----------|
| Team              | W  | L  | Pct. | Titles | Playoffs |
| Appalachian State | 90 | 32 | .738 | 4      | 7        |
| Furman            | 79 | 35 | .693 | 2      | 6        |
| Georgia Southern  | 77 | 36 | .681 | 4      | 5        |
| Wofford           | 72 | 37 | .661 | 2      | 3        |
| Samford           | 43 | 57 | .430 | 0      | 0        |
| Elon              | 43 | 60 | .417 | 0      | 0        |
| The Citadel       | 37 | 64 | .366 | 0      | 0        |
| Western Carolina  | 36 | 65 | .356 | 0      | 0        |
| Chattanooga       | 28 | 76 | .269 | 0      | 0        |

## SoCon Football Records Last Five Seasons (2005-09)

| (SoCon Games)     |    |    |      |        |          |
|-------------------|----|----|------|--------|----------|
| Team              | W  | L  | Pct. | Titles | Playoffs |
| Appalachian State | 26 | 3  | .897 | 4      | 4        |
| Wofford           | 20 | 9  | .690 | 1      | 2        |
| Furman            | 20 | 10 | .667 | 0      | 2        |
| Georgia Southern  | 15 | 14 | .517 | 0      | 1        |
| Samford           | 4  | 4  | .500 | 0      | 0        |
| The Citadel       | 12 | 17 | .414 | 0      | 0        |
| Elon              | 12 | 17 | .414 | 0      | 0        |
| Chattanooga       | 7  | 23 | .233 | 0      | 0        |
| Western Carolina  | 5  | 24 | .172 | 0      | 0        |

## SoCon Football Records Last 10 Seasons (2000-09)

| (SoCon Games)        |    |    |      |        |          |
|----------------------|----|----|------|--------|----------|
| Team                 | W  | L  | Pct. | Titles | Playoffs |
| Appalachian State    | 54 | 14 | .794 | 4      | 7        |
| Furman               | 49 | 20 | .710 | 2      | 6        |
| Georgia Southern     | 47 | 21 | .691 | 4      | 5        |
| Wofford              | 46 | 22 | .676 | 2      | 3        |
| Samford (since 2008) | 4  | 4  | .500 | 0      | 0        |
| Elon (since 2003)    | 15 | 29 | .341 | 0      | 0        |
| The Citadel          | 22 | 46 | .324 | 0      | 0        |
| Western Carolina     | 21 | 47 | .309 | 0      | 0        |
| Chattanooga          | 18 | 51 | .261 | 0      | 0        |

## Game Times Decrease with New Rule Changes in 2008

When the revised rules regarding the play clock went into effect last year, many thought game times would decrease again, much like during the 2006 season. Rules changes for the 2008 season included the institution of a 40-second play clock that begins immediately following the completion of a play, except in dead ball situations. Also, when a ball carrier runs out of bounds, the clock is stopped, but it is started again when the ball is set for play (except for the final two minutes of each half.)

The following is a comparison of the last four seasons:

| Team                 | 2005              | 2006              | 2007              | 2008              | Change      | Change             |
|----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------|--------------------|
|                      | Plays-Time        | Plays-Time        | Plays-Time        | Plays-Time        | Plays       | Time               |
| Appalachian State    | 137.0-2:59        | 129.4-2:51        | 145.3-3:16        | 139.0-3:02        | -6.3        | -14 minutes        |
| The Citadel          | 137.3-2:59        | 128.9-2:47        | 143.1-3:06        | 135.6-2:55        | -7.5        | -11 minutes        |
| Elon                 | 129.2-2:47        | 131.3-2:37        | 151.2-3:13        | 137.8-2:55        | -13.4       | -18 minutes        |
| Furman               | 146.5-3:13        | 124.7-2:56        | 141.3-3:12        | 131.4-2:52        | -9.9        | -20 minutes        |
| Georgia Southern     | 136.7-3:00        | 128.4-2:47        | 146.1-3:13        | 150.7-3:15        | +4.6        | +2 minutes         |
| Samford              | -                 | -                 | 142.0-3:11        | 129.6-2:49        | -12.4       | -22 minutes        |
| Chattanooga          | 140.1-3:03        | 129.7-2:45        | 140.6-3:06        | 131.2-2:58        | -9.4        | -8 minutes         |
| Western Carolina     | 131.5-3:03        | 120.7-2:40        | 140.3-3:19        | 132.8-2:58        | -7.5        | -21 minutes        |
| Wofford              | 141.1-2:51        | 125.8-2:37        | 144.1-3:09        | 138.6-2:55        | -6.5        | -14 minutes        |
| <b>SoCon Average</b> | <b>137.3-2:59</b> | <b>127.4-2:45</b> | <b>144.1-3:12</b> | <b>138.1-2:58</b> | <b>-6.0</b> | <b>-14 minutes</b> |



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# SOCON Active Career Leaders

| Rushing                   |      |       |       |       |       |                       |                       | Tackles                 |      |
|---------------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|------|
|                           | Gms  | Att   | Yards | TD    | YPC   | Yds/gm                |                       |                         | No   |
| (4) Armanti Edwards, ASU  | 40   | 631   | 3,754 | 49    | 5.9   | 93.9                  | (1) Jacque Roman, ASU |                         | 321  |
| (9) Chris Evans, SAM#     | 24   | 481   | 2,466 | 20    | 5.1   | 102.8                 | (5) D.J. Smith, ASU   |                         | 266  |
| Erroll Wynn, UTC          | 32   | 460   | 1,804 | 7     | 3.9   | 56.4                  | Chris Collins, WCU    |                         | 214  |
| Brandon Newsome, Elon     | 24   | 241   | 1,169 | 4     | 4.9   | 48.7                  | Joseph Thornton, UTC  |                         | 198  |
| Mike Brown, FUR           | 23   | 210   | 1,137 | 6     | 5.4   | 49.4                  | Brandon Wiggins, Elon |                         | 171  |
| Devon Moore, ASU          | 34   | 218   | 1,089 | 13    | 5.0   | 32.0                  | Nolan Ward, Elon      |                         | 160  |
| Bryan Fitzgerald, UTC     | 12   | 140   | 867   | 3     | 6.2   | 72.3                  | Anthony Williams, ASU |                         | 149  |
| Jeremy Marshall, WOF      | 30   | 117   | 767   | 3     | 6.6   | 25.6                  | Justin Brown, FUR     |                         | 137  |
| Mike Rucker, WOF          | 24   | 92    | 685   | 7     | 7.4   | 28.5                  | Walker White, Elon    |                         | 135  |
| Jamal Shuman, Elon        | 11   | 99    | 644   | 4     | 6.5   | 58.5                  | Gary Blount, WOF      |                         | 134  |
| Passing                   |      |       |       |       |       |                       |                       | Interceptions           |      |
|                           | Gms  | Comp. | Att.  | Pct.  | Yards | TD                    | INT                   |                         | No   |
| (3) Scott Riddle, Elon    | 25   | 656   | 1,004 | 65.3  | 7,360 | 63                    | 28                    | (4) Mark LeGree, ASU    | 10   |
| (4) Armanti Edwards, ASU  | 40   | 530   | 827   | 64.1  | 7,336 | 62                    | 26                    | Nolan Ward, Elon        | 7    |
| (18) Jordan Sorrells, FUR | 37   | 383   | 616   | 62.2  | 4,365 | 26                    | 20                    | Karlos Sullivan, Elon   | 6    |
| Bart Blanchard, CIT       | 20   | 284   | 473   | 60.0  | 3,377 | 26                    | 15                    | Ty Levie, SAM#          | 6    |
| Dustin Taliaferro, SAM    | 13   | 185   | 282   | 65.6  | 2,111 | 16                    | 5                     | Antoine George, WCU     | 6    |
| Zack Jaynes, WCU          | 12   | 161   | 286   | 56.3  | 1,514 | 12                    | 5                     | Max Lerner, FUR         | 5    |
| Lee Chapple, GSU          | 9    | 133   | 206   | 64.6  | 1,220 | 7                     | 7                     | Bryce Smith, SAM#       | 5    |
| Jare Gault, UTC           | 11   | 99    | 190   | 52.1  | 961   | 7                     | 6                     | Mitchell Bell, WCU      | 5    |
| Tony Pastore, UTC         | 8    | 44    | 93    | 47.3  | 706   | 6                     | 9                     | Cortez Gilbert, ASU     | 4    |
| B.J. Coleman, UTC         | 2    | 40    | 65    | 61.5  | 483   | 3                     | 1                     | Cameron McGlenn, Elon   | 4    |
|                           |      |       |       |       |       |                       |                       | Terrell Wilson, Elon    | 4    |
|                           |      |       |       |       |       |                       |                       | Joseph Thornton, UTC    | 4    |
| Receiving                 |      |       |       |       |       |                       |                       | Sacks                   |      |
|                           | Gms  | Rec.  | Yards | YPC   | YPG   | CPG                   | TD                    |                         | No   |
| (1) Terrell Hudgins, Elon | 35   | 290   | 3,907 | 13.5  | 111.6 | 8.3                   | 40                    | Mitch Clark, WOF        | 9.5  |
| (2) Andre Roberts, CIT    | 35   | 218   | 2,981 | 13.7  | 85.2  | 6.2                   | 29                    | Tony Robertson, ASU     | 9.0  |
| Jonathan Lowery, SAM#     | 34   | 105   | 1,222 | 11.6  | 35.9  | 3.1                   | 11                    | Anthony Williams, ASU   | 8.5  |
| Blue Cooper, UTC          | 32   | 89    | 1,202 | 13.5  | 37.6  | 2.8                   | 8                     | Shaun van Rensburg, FUR | 7.5  |
| Marquell Pittman, WCU     | 22   | 80    | 1,180 | 14.8  | 53.6  | 3.6                   | 11                    | Justin Brown, FUR       | 7.0  |
| CoCo Hillary, ASU         | 31   | 85    | 1,150 | 13.5  | 37.1  | 2.7                   | 5                     | Pierre Banks, ASU       | 6.5  |
| Clint Woods, UTC          | 32   | 102   | 1,052 | 10.3  | 32.9  | 3.2                   | 6                     | Jabari Fletcher, ASU    | 6.5  |
| Adam Mims, FUR            | 28   | 78    | 943   | 12.1  | 33.7  | 2.8                   | 5                     | John Michael Clay, SAM  | 6.5  |
| R.J. Webb, FUR            | 20   | 59    | 806   | 13.7  | 40.3  | 3.0                   | 5                     | Patrick Hatcher, SAM    | 6.5  |
| Riley Hawkins, SAM        | 13   | 31    | 674   | 21.7  | 51.8  | 2.4                   | 7                     | Lanston Tanyi, ASU      | 6.0  |
|                           |      |       |       |       |       |                       |                       | Dewitt Jones, CIT       | 6.0  |
| Field Goals               |      |       |       | Pct.  |       | Tackles for Loss      |                       |                         |      |
|                           | FGM  | FGA   |       |       |       |                       |                       |                         | No   |
| Adrian Mora, GSU          | 14   | 17    |       | 82.4  |       | Joseph Thornton, UTC  |                       |                         | 24.0 |
| Sam Keeler, CIT           | 14   | 21    |       | 66.7  |       | Terrence Reese, CIT   |                       |                         | 22.0 |
| Craig Camay, UTC          | 13   | 21    |       | 61.9  |       | Justin Brown, FUR     |                       |                         | 22.0 |
| Blake Bostic, WCU         | 12   | 17    |       | 70.6  |       | Tony Robertson, ASU   |                       |                         | 21.0 |
| Matthew Cesari, FUR       | 11   | 14    |       | 78.6  |       | Anthony Williams, ASU |                       |                         | 19.0 |
| Jason Vitaris, ASU        | 9    | 15    |       | 60.0  |       | Jabari Fletcher, ASU  |                       |                         | 18.5 |
| Cameron Yaw, SAM          | 3    | 3     |       | 100.0 |       | Mitch Clark, WOF      |                       |                         | 17.5 |
| Adam Shreiner, Elon       | 2    | 2     |       | 100.0 |       | Dewitt Jones, CIT     |                       |                         | 17.0 |
|                           |      |       |       |       |       | Eric Ludwig, Elon     |                       |                         | 16.0 |
|                           |      |       |       |       |       | Jacque Roman, ASU     |                       |                         | 15.0 |
| PAT                       |      |       |       | Pct.  |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
|                           | PATM | PATA  |       |       |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| (18) Jason Vitaris, ASU   | 74   | 79    |       | 93.7  |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| Matthew Cesari, FUR       | 48   | 49    |       | 98.0  |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| Craig Camay, UTC          | 39   | 41    |       | 95.1  |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| Sam Keeler, CIT           | 36   | 41    |       | 87.8  |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| Adrian Mora, GSU          | 34   | 34    |       | 100.0 |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| Blake Bostic, WCU         | 20   | 24    |       | 83.3  |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| Adam Shreiner, Elon       | 13   | 13    |       | 100.0 |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| Cameron Yaw, SAM          | 6    | 6     |       | 100.0 |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| Christian Reed, WOF       | 6    | 6     |       | 100.0 |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| Punt Returns              |      |       |       | TD    |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
|                           | No   | Yds   |       |       |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| (1) Andre Roberts, CIT    | 69   | 943   |       | 3     |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| (8) Karlos Sullivan, Elon | 57   | 590   |       | 2     |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| Adam Mims, FUR            | 21   | 218   |       | 0     |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| Richie Fordham, SAM       | 19   | 181   |       | 0     |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| Lance Camp, Elon          | 8    | 83    |       | 1     |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| Kickoff Returns           |      |       |       | TD    |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
|                           | No   | Yds   |       |       |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| (6) CoCo Hillary, ASU     | 79   | 1,854 |       | 1     |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| (12) Mike Rucker, WOF     | 67   | 1,560 |       | 1     |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| Stephone LaFrance, FUR    | 32   | 776   |       | 0     |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| Mike Brown, FUR           | 34   | 769   |       | 1     |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| Riley Hawkins, SAM        | 29   | 610   |       | 0     |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| Darrell Pasco, GSU        | 24   | 566   |       | 0     |       |                       |                       |                         |      |
| Sean Lees, WOF            | 21   | 509   |       | 1     |       |                       |                       |                         |      |

( ) - NCAA Ranking.

# - SAM stats prior to 2008 are listed here, but they do not count towards SoCon career records.



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# SoCon Media Services

## Press Releases

The Southern Conference utilizes e-mail and the league's website (www.soconsports.com) to distribute information, press releases, notes and statistics. If you wish to be added to the distribution list, please contact a member of the media relations staff.

## SoCon.TV

In July 2005, the Southern Conference launched SoCon.TV, a live video streaming network designed to bring SoCon sports to fans around the world through the internet. The network includes not only Southern Conference Championship events but also regular season events from around the league.

## SoCon Football Media Center

A new feature on SoConSports.com this season is the SoCon Football Media Center. This is your one-stop location for all pertinent information regarding SoCon football, including audio and video clips, rosters and other team information, media guides, game notes and more. This will be updated throughout the season to keep all media fully informed about SoCon football.

## SoCon Players of the Week

Each week, the league office will select an Offensive, Defensive, Special Teams and Freshman Player of the Week. Honorees will be released to the media on Monday afternoons via the conference website (www.soconsports.com) and by e-mail.

## Postseason Awards

Following the conclusion of the regular season, two all-conference teams are selected. Voting will be conducted by the league's coaches and the Southern Conference Sports Media Association (SCSMA). Each group selects a first-team and a second-team as well as an Offensive Player of the Year, Defensive

Player of the Year, Freshman of the Year and Coach of the Year. The conference coaches also select a recipient of the Jacobs Blocking Trophy, awarded to the top lineman in the conference.

## Coaches Teleconference

The Southern Conference will host a weekly teleconference featuring the league's head coaches each Tuesday morning throughout the season beginning on September 1 through November 24. The teleconferences will continue throughout the FCS postseason, as needed.

Each teleconference is recorded and will be available through the conference web-site (www.soconsports.com) on Tuesday afternoons.

## Weekly Teleconference Schedule

| Time (ET)   | Coach, School      |
|-------------|--------------------|
| 10:00-10:07 | Jerry Moore, ASU   |
| 10:07-10:14 | Kevin Higgins, CIT |
| 10:14-10:21 | Pete Lembo, Elon   |
| 10:21-10:28 | Bobby Lamb, FUR    |
| 10:28-10:35 | Chris Hatcher, GSU |
| 10:35-10:42 | Pat Sullivan, SAM  |
| 10:42-10:49 | Russ Huesman, UTC  |
| 10:49-10:56 | Dennis Wagner, WCU |
| 10:56-11:03 | Mike Ayers, WOF    |

## SoCon Football on the Air (Flagship Stations)

|                   |                 |
|-------------------|-----------------|
| Appalachian State | WKBC-FM (97.3)  |
| The Citadel       | WTMZ-AM (910)   |
| Elon              | WPCM-AM (920)   |
| Furman            | WOLT-FM (103.3) |
| Georgia Southern  | WPMX-FM (102.9) |
| Samford           | WVSU-FM (91.1)  |
| Chattanooga       | WTZO-FM (105.1) |
| Western Carolina  | WWCU-FM (90.5)  |
| Wofford           | WSPG-AM (1400)  |

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