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### Game 27 - Baylor, Saturday, Feb. 22, 2025 CU Events Center, Boulder, Colo.

	2024-25 SCHE	DULE		
DATE	OPPONENT (AP/USAT)	W/L	TIME/RES	TV
0 19	Pomona-Pitzer (Exh.)		95-62	
N 4	EASTERN WASHINGTON	W	76-56	ESPN+
N 8	NORTHERN COLORADO	W	90-88 20T	ESPN+
N 13	CAL STATE FULLERTON	W	83-53	ESPN+
N 17	HARVARD	W	88-66	ESPN+
N 25	^vs. Michigan State (RV/RV)	L	56-72	ESPN2
N 26	^vs. UConn (2/2)	W	73-72	ESPN2
N 27	^vs. Iowa State (5/5)	L	71-99	ESPN2
D 2	PACIFIC	W	75-66	ESPN+
D 7	COLORADO STATE	W	72-55	ESPN+
D 13	SOUTH DAKOTA STATE	W	81-70	ESPN+
D 21	BELLARMINE	W	79-55	ESPN+
D 30	*IOWA STATE (3/3)	L		CBSSN
J 4	*at Arizona State (RV/)	L	61-81	ESPN+
J 8	*at UCF	L	74-75	ESPN+
J 12	*WEST VIRGINIA (21/23)	L	70-78	ESPN+
J 15	*CINCINNATI (RV/)	L		ESPN+
J 18	*at Oklahoma State	L	73-83	ESPN+
J 21	*BYU	L	67-83	ESPNU
J 25	*at Arizona (RV/RV)	L	63-78	ESPN+
J 28	*ARIZONA STATE	L	68-70	ESPN+
F 2	*at TCU	L	57-68	ESPN+
F 5	*at Utah	L	59-72	ESPN+
F 8	*HOUSTON (5/5)	L		ESPN+
F 11	*at Kansas (17/20)	L	59-71	ESPN2
F 15	*UCF	W	76-63	ESPN+
F 18	*at lowa State (8/8)	L		ESPN+
F 22	*BAYLOR		2 p.m.	ESPN+
F 24	*KANSAS		9 p.m.	ESPN
M 2	*at Kansas State		2 p.m.	ESPN+
M 5	*at Texas Tech		6 p.m.	ESPN+
M 8	*TCU		2 p.m.	ESPN+
	Big 12 Championship		TBA	TBA
	NCAA First Four		TBA	TBA
	NCAA 1st & 2nd Rounds		TBA	TBA
1	NCAA Regional		TBA	TBA
A 5-7	NCAA Final Four		TBA	TBA

#### Home Games In BOLD CAPS

\*Big 12 Conference Game; ^-Maui Invitational (Lahaina Civic Center) CBSSN - CBS Sports Network





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**THE BUFFALOES:** Colorado is 10-16 overall and 1-14 in Big 12 Conference play after falling to a top 10 lowa State team for the third time this season, 79-65, on Feb. 18 in Ames, Iowa. On Feb. 15, the Buffaloes defeated UCF, 76-63, at the CU Events Center to snap a 13-game losing streak, the Buffaloes' longest since the 1985-86 season.

Colorado's win over UCF allowed the Buffaloes to break a rare six-game home skid, their most since the 1985-86 season. Prior to the beginning of this streak, Colorado had won 24 of 25 at the CU Events Center dating back to last season.

Colorado is averaging 70.2 points per game, shooting 44.9 percent from the field, but those numbers have dipped to 65.5 points on 43.0

### Colorado Buffaloes 10-16, 1-14



### Baylor Bears 16-10, 8-7



Team Comparison Av	erages - (	Overall	Team Comparison Averages - Overall					
	CU	BU		CU	BU			
Points	70.2	78.7	Offensive Rebounds	9.3	12.6			
Points Allowed	71.9	70.0	Defensive Rebounds	25.4	23.3			
Scoring Margin	-1.7	+8.6	Total Rebounds	34.7	35.9			
Field Goals	24.3	27.8	Rebounding Margin	+1.9	+3.5			
Field Goal Att.	54.2	60.8	Fouls	16.7	16.1			
Field Goal Pct.	.449	.458	Assists	14.4	15.2			
3-pt Field Goals	6.7	8.7	Turnovers	14.8	11.4			
3-pt Field Goal Att.	20.4	24.2	Turnover Margin	-3.2	+1.9			
3-pt Field Goal Pct.	.328	.359	Assist/TO Ratio	1.0	1.3			
Free Throws	14.9	14.3	Blocks	3.9	3.1			
Free Throw Att.	19.8	19.1	Steals	7.2	7.9			
Free Throw Pct.	.752	.748	Otouio		7.0			
Probable Starters								

Co	Colorado								
Ρ	No	Name	Ht	Wt	Yr	Hometown	PPG	RPG	MISC
G	3	Julian Hammond III	6-2	195	Sr.	Denver, Colo.	12.9	2.5	3.1 apg
F	23	Andrej Jakimovski	6-8	220	Gr.	Kriva Palanka, North Macedonia	9.9	4.4	1.3 apg
F	7	Sebastian Rancik	6-9	210	Fr.	Bratislava, Slovakia	5.8	2.6	.450 fg%
F	8	Bangot Dak	6-11	185	So.	Lincoln, Neb.	8.0	4.0	1.5 bpg
С	50	Elijah Malone	6-10	268	Gr.	LaGrange, Ind.	7.7	3.0	.565 fg%
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Ρ	No	Name	Ht	Wt	Yr	Hometown	PPG	RPG	MISC
G	1	Robert Wright III	6-1	180	Fr.	Wilmington, Del.	12.3	2.2	4.6 apg
G	7	VJ Edgecombe	6-4	190	Fr.	Bimini, Bahamas	15.0	5.2	2.1 spg
G	13	Langston Love	6-5	215	Jr.	Universal City, Texas	9.1	2.9	1.1 apg
G	32	Jalen Celestine	6-7	216	Gr.	Ajax, Ont.	7.8	3.3	40 3fgm
F	15	Norchad Omier	6-7	244	5th	Bluefields, Nicaragua	15.7	10.3	.561 fg%

#### 2024-25 COLORADO MEN'S BASKETBALL ROSTER

No. Player Pos. Ht. Wt. Cl. Exp. Hometown (High School) 3 Julian Hammond III G 6-2 195 Sr. 3L Denver, Colo. (Cherry Creek) Leads team in scoring, assists and steals; 2nd in Big 12, 9th in NCAA DI in FT% (.909)		Game Highs (CU Only) Season: Pts: 26 Reb: 6 Ast: 7 Career: Pts: 26 Reb: 6 Ast: 7
5 RJ Smith G 6-3 186 So. 1L Chino, Calif. (Damien) 3rd in 3FG made and 2nd in 3FG%; career-high two blocks at ISU		Season: Pts: 14 Reb: 8 Ast: 5 Career: Pts: 14 Reb: 8 Ast: 5
6 Trevor Baskin F 6-9 205 Gr. TR Arvada, Colo. (Pomona/Colorado Leads Colorado in rebounding (5.0 rpg), second in steals and blocks	o Mesa)	Season: Pts: 23 Reb: 11 Ast: 7
7 Sebastian Rancik F 6-9 210 Fr. HS Bratislava, Slovakia (JSerra Cath Avg 11.0 points, 5.7 rebounds, last three games; Career-high 19 points, 9 rebounds at KU	nolic [Calif.]	Season: Pts: 19 Reb: 9 Ast: 2
8 Bangot Dak F 6-11 185 So. 1L Lincoln, Neb. (Southeast) Career-high 20 pts, 8 FGM at ISU; Fourth in blocks in Big 12 games (1.9 bpg)		Season: Pts: 20 Reb: 12 Ast: 5 Career: Pts: 20 Reb: 12 Ast: 5
11 Javon Ruffin G 6-5 185 Jr. 2L New Orleans, La. (PHHoenix Pre Led team with 13 points at Utah; second on the team in assists (52)	p [Ariz.])	Season: Pts: 15 Reb: 7 Ast: 5 Career: Pts: 15 Reb: 7 Ast: 5
13 Courtney Anderson, Jr. F 6-5 192 Fr. RS Vallejo, Calif. (Dublin) Scored first career points against Bellarmine		Career: Pts: 2 Reb: 2 Ast: 1
15 Felix Kossaras G 6-5 192 Fr. HS Montreal, Que. (Fort Erie Internation 3 pts, 5 reb, 2 asst off the bench at ISU; Career-best 5 points vs. Houston, 2-2 from the field.	tional Acad. [Ont.])	Season: Pts: 5 Reb: 5 Ast: 2
23 Andrej Jakimovski F 6-8 220 Gr. TR Kriva Palanka, North Macedonia (Bask Secoond on the team in scoring (9.9 ppg), rebounding (4.5 rpg) and 3-point FG (36)	et Torino/Washington State)	Season: Pts: 20 Reb: 10 Ast: 4
30 Greg Gerhardt F/C 6-10 215 So. 1L Superior, Colo. (Monarch/Sunrise Season debut vs. Bellarmine; appeared in one game in 2023-24 (Utah Tech)	e Christian [Kan.])	Season: Pts: 0 Reb: 1 Ast: 1 Career: Pts: 0 Reb: 1 Ast: 1
31 Harrison Carrington G/F 6-7 207 So. 1L Menlo Park, Calif. (Northfield Mo Career-high 11 points, 4-5 FG at ISU	ount Hermon [Mass.]	Season: Pts: 11 Reb: 4 Ast: 2 Career: Pts: 11 Reb: 4 Ast: 2
34 Jack Pease G 6-0 185 Jr. 2L Dallas, Texas (Highland Park) Appeared in two games (Michigan State, Bellarmine)		Season: Pts: 0 Reb: 0 Ast: 0 Career: Pts: 2 Reb: 2 Ast: 1
35 Assane Diop F 6-8 210 Fr. HS Dakar, Senegal (Accelerated Sch Matched career-high 10 rebounds vs. UCF; 33 of 39 FT (.846) in Big 12 games	nools of Denver)	Season: Pts: 15 Reb: 10 Ast: 5 Career: Pts: 15 Reb: 10 Ast: 5
40 Grady Whitt G 6-3 170 Fr. RS Raleigh, N.C. (Leesville Road) Made collegiate debut vs. Bellarmine, recording a steal; 2023-24 Redshirt		Career: Pts: 0 Reb: 0 Ast: 0
41 Nick Randall F 6-8 185 Fr. RS Fort Collins, Colo. (Fossil Ridge) Made collegiate debut vs Bellarmine, recording 2 points and 1 rebound; 2023-24 Redshirt		Career: Pts: 2 Reb: 1 Ast: 0
42 Andrew Crawford G 6-6 180 Fr. HS Littleton, Colo. (ThunderRidge) 2024 Denver Post All-Colorado boys basketball team. Two-time Class 6A All-State First Team		Career: Pts: - Reb: - Ast: -
50 Elijah Malone C 6-10 268 Gr. TR LaGrange, Ind. (Prairie Heights/C Shooting a team-best .565 from the field, went over 2,000 career collegiate points vs. Harvard	Grace College [Ind.])	Season: Pts: 27 Reb: 9 Ast: 3
Head Coach: Tad Boyle (15th Year at CU, 308-199/19th Year Overall, 364-265) Associate Head Coach: Mike Rohn (15th Year) Assistant Coach: Bill Grier (9th Year) Assistant Coach: Danny Manning (1st Year) Assistant Coach/Director of Player Personnel: Zach Ruebesam (4th Year) Assistant Coach/Quality Control Analyst: Evan Battey (1st Year) Director of Operations: Bill Cartun (15th Year) Assistant to the Head Coach: Marge Marcy (16th Year) Head Athletic Trainer: Rawley Klingsmith (12th Year) Dir. of Strength & Conditioning/Olympic Sports: Stephen Englehart (9th Year)	Pronunciation Guide Bangot Dak Assane Diop Andrej Jakimovski Felix Kossaras Sebastian Rancik Jack Pease Javon Ruffin	Bang-got DACK AH-SAHN JZOPE (rhymes with rope) Ohn-Dray Yah-KEY-mov-ski Kuh-SARE-us RAHN-cheek PEEZ Juh-VON

percent shooting during conference games. The Buffaloes broke out of a scoring slump in the win over UCF with 76 points, their most in the Big 12 this season. Colorado had been held under 60 points the previous four games.

Defensively, Colorado is allowing 71.9 points per game overall while opponents are shooting 44.9 percent. During Big 12 games, Colorado is allowing 74.5 points while opponents shoot 45.4 percent.

Colorado had a season-high 52 rebounds against UCF, its most in a game since grabbing 55 against Oregon on March 10, 2022 at the Pac-12 Tournament. The Buffaloes had 16 offensive rebounds, their most since recording 19 against Florida State on Nov. 21, 2023.

The Buffaloes rank fourth in the Big 12 in free throw percentage (.752), seventh in defensive rebounds (25.4 drpg) and rebounding defense (32.8 rpg). During Big 12 games, Colorado is in the top half of the leagfue in free throw percentage (4th, .754), blocked shots (7th, 3.9 bpg), rebounding defense (7th, 33.7 rpg), defensive rebounds (8th, 23.8 drpg) and steals (8th, 6.9 spg).

**Julian Hammond III,** the most experienced player in terms of games for the Buffaloes (played in his 114th career game at Iowa State), leads Colorado at 12.9 points and 3.1 assists per game. Hammond also tops the Buffaloes in steals (30), 3-point field goals made (44), free throws made (70) and free throw percentage (.909).

Hammond is second in the Big 12 and ranks ninth in the nation in free throw percentage. He has made 70 of 77 on the season (.909) which includes consecutive made streaks of 21 (between UNC and UCF) and 18 which ended against Cincinnati. Hammond tops the Big 12 in conference games at 89.6 percent.

Hammond had a game-high 22 points against Houston, highlighted by a career-best five 3-point field goals. It was his team-best sixth 20-point game of the season.

**Andrej Jakimovski**, a four-year standout at old Pac-12 rival Washington State, is averaging 9.9 points ranking second on the team in 3-point field goals (36) and rebounding (4.4 rpg) and is tied for third in steals (22).

Jakimovski had a team-high 15 points in the win over UCF, leading the Buffaloes in scoring for the fifth time this season. He grabbed seven rebounds against the Knights, his most in a Big 12 game. Jakimovski was 3 of 7 from downtown against UCF.

Jakimovski averaged 11.3 points and a team-best 6.0 rebounds at the Maui Invitational. He had Colorado's first double-double of the season, and the fifth of his collegiate career with 12 points and 10 rebounds against UConn. He also hit the eventual game-winning shot against the No. 2 ranked Huskies with under eight seconds remaining.

It was Jakimovski's eighth career double-figure rebounding game. One of his four previous double-doubles came against Colorado while he was at Washington State on Jan. 30, 2022.

**Elijah Malone**, the 2024 Bevo Francis Award winner as the best small-school player in the nation (Grace College [Ind.] - NAIA) tops the Buffaloes in shooting at 56.5 percent while averaging 7.7 points an outing. Malone is third on the team in blocks (14), fourth in scoring and fifth in rebounding at 3.0 per game.

Malone had his best offensive game of the Big 12 season at Kansas. He had 10 points on 5 of 7 from the field. Against Harvard, he went over the 2,000-point milestone for his collegiate career.

#### Colorado's 2024-25 Record When

Colorados	2024	-23 N
2024-25 Record:	10-16	Playing
Conference:	1-14	Playing
Home:	9-6	Playing
Away:	0-8	Playing
Neutral:		Playing
		Playing
CU leads at the half	7-1	Playing
Game is tied at the half		Day Ga
Opponent leads at half		Night 6
CU scores under 50		vs. Rar
CU scores 50-59		In Over
CU scores 60-69		In Whit
CU scores 70-79		In Blac
CU scores 80-89		In Grav
CU scores 90+		In Whit
Opponent scores under 50		
Opponent scores 50-59		All-Tin
Opponent scores 60-69		at h
Opponent scores 70-79		at C
Opponent scores 80-89		on t
Opponent scores 90+		neu
Margin of 1-5 points		Cor
Margin of 6-10 points		Big
Margin of 11-15 points		in N
Margin of 16-20 points		in D
Margin of 21-25 points		in J
Margin of 26+ points		in F
CU outshoots opponents		in M
Opponent outshoots Colorado		Pos
CU and opponents shoot equal	0-0	Big
CU shoots 50% or better	5-1	NČ/
CU shoots 45% or better		NIT
CU shoots 40% or better		Sea
CU shoots below 40%	0-4	Hon
Opponent shoots 50% or better	0-4	Cor
Opponent shoots 45% or better	1-11	Big
Opponent shoots 40% or better		Ove
Opponent shoots below 40%		
CU shoots 40% from 3		Locati
CU shoots below 40% from 3		Pop
Opponent shoots 40% from 3		Enrolln
Opponent shoots below 40% from 3		Founde
CU shoots 70% from FT line		Nickna
CU shoots under 70% FT		Colors
Opponent shoots 70% FT		Masco
Opponent shoots under 70% FT		Arena:
CU more FT made than Opp FT At		Yea
CU outrebounds opponents		Cap
Opponents outrebound CU		Confe
Rebounds are equal Sub .400 FG Def & +8 reb		Presid
CU dishes more assists		Chanc Facult
Opponent dishes more assists		Athleti
Assists are equal		SWA:
Opp. turnovers greater than CU		JWA.
CU commits more turnovers		
CU and opp. turnovers are equal		Colora
CU more assists than turnovers		MBB C
CU more turnovers than assists		Office.
CU assists and turnovers are equa		Athletic
No Buffs Score in double figures.		Cell
One Buff scores in double figures		Athletic
Two Buffs score in double figures		Email:.
Three Buffs score in double figure		Big 12
Four Buffs score in double figures		Email
Five+ Buffs score in double figure		CU On
Playing in November		Big 12
Playing in December		-
Playing in January		
Playing in February		
Playing in March	0-0	

25 Record When
Playing on a Sunday1-2
Playing on a Monday2-2
Playing on a Tuesday 1-4
Playing on a Wednesday 1-4
Playing on a Thursday0-0
Playing on a Friday2-0
Playing on a Saturday 3-4
Day Games 4-8
Night Games 6-8
vs. Ranked Teams
In Overtime
In Black Uniforms 0-9
In Gray Uniforms 2-1
In White Throw Back Uniforms 1-4
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All-Time Record1435-1290 (.527)
at home:925-379 (.709)
at CU Events Center:515-197 (.723)
on the road:374-751 (.332) neutral sites:136-160 (.459)
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Conference:709-798 (.470)
Big 12:96-159 (.376)
in November:146-55 (.726)
in December:388-268 (.591)
in January:342-377 (.476)
in February:410-394 (.510) in March:154-189 (.449)
Postseason Tourneys:59-78 (.432)
Big 12 Postseason:9-15 (.375)
NCAA Tournament:13-18 (.419)
NIT14-12 (.538)
Season Openers:87-35 (.713)
Home Openers:98-24 (.803)
Conference Openers:50-63 (.442)
Big 12 Openers:2-14 (.125)
Overtime56-57 (.496)
La cation Boulder Octo
Location: Boulder, Colo.
Population:
Founded:
Nickname:Buffaloes (Buffs)
Colors: Silver, Black & Gold
Mascot (live):Ralphie VI
Arena:CU Events Center
Year Opened:1979
Capacity: 11,064
Conference:Big 12
President:Todd Saliman
Chancellor: Dr. Justin Schwartz
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**Trevor Baskin**, an NCAA Division II All-American at Colorado Mesa, leads Colorado in rebounding (5.0 rpg), is second in steals (29) and is (17) and third in overall shooting at 50.4 percent.

Baskin led Colorado at Arizona State with a personal CU-high 23 points on 9 of 14 from the field. He added a game-high 10 rebounds for his second CU double-double and 24th overall in his collegiate career. It was also his 24th collegiate 20-point scoring game.

Baskin flirted with a triple-double against Pacific, finishing with 13 points, 10 rebounds and seven assists. His seven assists were a team season-high and were an overall collegiate personal best (he had six in a game at New Mexico Highlands on Feb. 23, 2024).

**Bangot Dak** is averaging 8.0 points and 4.0 rebounds per game while shooting 51.3 percent from the field and leading the Buffaloes in blocked shots (38). During conference games, Dak is Colorado's leading shooter (.535), rebounder (4.7 rpg) and shot blocker (29) and ranks second in scoring at 9.2 points per game.

Dak scored a game and career-high 20 points on 8 for 14 shooting at Iowa State. He had 11 points, three rebounds and a pair of blocks at Kansas. Dak is averaging 11.0 points, 5.4 rebounds and 2.0 blocks over the last seven games.

Dak just missed a double-double with nine points and a career and team season-high 12 rebounds at TCU. It was his first double-figure rebounding game of his career.

Dak is tied for seventh in the Big 12 in overall blocked shots (1.5 bpg) and fourth in league only games (1.9 bpg). With his recent uptick in blocks - 14 in the last seven games - he's among the nation's top 100 in both overall blocks (38, 86th).

**Javon Ruffin** is averaging 6.1 points and ranks second on the team in assists (52) and fourth in 3-point field goals (22). He led the Buffaloes in scoring for the first time this season with 13 at Utah while matching a personal best with three 3-point field goals.

Freshman **Sebastian Rancik** is averaging 5.8 points on the season, but since entering the starting lineup against Arizona State he is averaging 8.6 points and 4.1 rebounds per game. He averaged 14.5 points and 8.0 rebounds during the two-game span at Kansas and home vs. UCF. Rancik had a career-night at Kansas leading the Buffaloes with 19 points and nine rebounds, both personal bests.

Sophomore **Assane Diop** is averaging 3.9 points and is third on the team in rebounding at 4.2 per game. Diop matched his career-best 10 rebounds in the win over UCF, also hitting that mark against Northern Colorado. Diop has made 33 of 40 free throw attempts during the conference season (.825).

Sophomore **RJ Smith** is averaging 5.2 points and is second on the team in 3-point percentage (.388), third in 3-pointers made (26), fourth in assists (47) and fifth in steals (18). Smith had nine points and six rebounds in the win over UCF.

Colorado received strong contributions off the bench at Iowa State. Sophomore **Harrison Carrington** recorded his first double-digit scoring game with a career-best 11 points on 4 of 5 from the field. Freshman **Felix Kossaras** led the Buffaloes in rebounding with a career-best five along with three points and a pair of assists. Kossaras had recorded just two rebounds in the previous eight Big 12 games he had appeared in.

**ABOUT THE BEARS:** Baylor is 16-10 overall and in a three-way tie for sixth place in the Big 12 standings at 8-7. Baylor averages

2024-2	_	-		-			2024-25 Big 12		rts
		Big		Over:		D. I	All Gar	nes Rank	Stats
Houston	<b>W</b> 14	L 1	Pct. .933	<b>W</b> 22	<b>L</b> 4	Pct. .846	Category/Name Scoring Offense	nalik 14	70.2
Arizona	12		.800	18	8	.692	Scoring Defense	13	71.9
owa State	11		.733	21	5	.808	Scoring Margin	15	-1.7
Texas Tech	11		.733	20	6	.769	Free Throw %	4	.752
BYU	9		.600	18	8	.692	Field Goal %	11	.449
Kansas	8		.533	17	9	.654	Field Goal % Def	12	.436
aylor	8		.533	16	10	.615	3-Point Field Goal %	12	.328
CU	8		.533	15	11	.577	3-Point FG Pct. Def	13	.338
Vest Virginia	7	8	.467	16	10	.615	Rebounding Offense	12	34.7
Jtah	7	8	.467	15	11	.577	Rebounding Defense	7	32.8
Kansas State	7	8	.467	13	13	.500	Rebounding Margin	10	+1.9
Cincinnati	5	10	.333	15	11	.577	Blocked Shots	9	3.9
Oklahoma State	5	10	.333	13	13	.500	Assists	9	14.4
JCF	4	11	.267	13	13	.500	Steals	11	7.2
Arizona State	3	12	.200	12	14	.462	Turnover Margin	16	-3.2
Colorado	1	14	.067	10	16	.385	Assist/Turnover Ratio	15	1.0
							Offensive Rebounds	14	9.4
uesday, Feb. 18							Defensive Rebounds	7	25.4
t Iowa State 79,	Colo	rado	65				Defensive Rebound %	6	.721
t TCU 69, Texas Te	ch 6	6					Offensive Rebound %	14	.289
louston 80, at Ariz	ona S	State	65				3-Point FG Made	13	6.7
t BYU 91, Kansas	57								
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<b>Vednesday, Feb.</b> 1 t West Virginia 62,		oinne	ti 50				Scoring	nank	State
at Oklahoma State							Julian Hammond III	t-19	12.9
ii Ukianoma State	104,	UUF	90				Free Throw %	1-13	12.0
Saturday, Feb. 22							Julian Hammond III	2	.909
• ·							Blocked Shots	2	.503
aylor at Colorado CU at Cincinnati, 1							Bangot Dak	t-7	1.5
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Oklahoma State at							Conference		
BYU at Arizona, 8 p	.m.	,					Category/Name	Rank	Stats
<i>,</i> .							Scoring Offense	14	65.5
unday, Feb. 23							Scoring Defense	13	74.1
Itah at UCF, 2 p.m.							Scoring Margin	15	-8.6
rizona State at Ka		Sta	te. 2 p.	m.			Free Throw %	4	.754
			, ,				Field Goal %	10	.429
Monday, Feb. 24							Field Goal % Def	12	.451
Cansas at Colorac	lo. 9	p.m					3-Point Field Goal %	15	.297
Houston at Texas To	•	•					3-Point FG Pct. Def	15	.353
	,						Rebounding Offense	t-11	33.1
Tuesday, Feb. 25							Rebounding Defense	7	33.7
Baylor at Cincinnat	i, 5 n	.m.					Rebounding Margin	9	-0.6
owa State at Oklah			te, 6 n	m.			Blocked Shots	7	3.9
TCU at West Virgini			, 5 p.				Assists	11	12.6
	, · I						Steals	t-8	6.9
Wednesday, Feb. 2	26						Turnover Margin	15	-4.1
Kansas State at UC		o.m.					Assist/Turnover Ratio	16	0.8
Utah at Arizona, 7 p							Offensive Rebounds	13	9.4
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NCAA Individual Rankings (Top 100)

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Bangot Dak

Julian Hammond III

78.7 points while shooting 45.8 percent from the field. The Bears rank fourth in the Big 12 in 3-point field goals making 8.7 per game. Baylor is the second-best offensive rebounding team in the Big 12 at 12.6 per contest. Defensively, Baylor gives up 70.0 points per game while opponents shoot 44.0 percent from the field. The Bears allow opponents to shoot 35.4 percent from 3-point range, ranking second-to-last in the Big 12.

Fifth-year forward Norchad Omier leads Baylor at 15.7 points and 10.3 rebounds per game while shooting 56.1 percent from the field. Omier tops the Big 12 in rebounding and has a league-leading 14 double-doubles, ranking sixth in the nation. Freshman guard VJ Edgecombe averages 15.0 points and 5.2 rebounds with a team leading 50 steals. Robert Wright III averages 12.3 points and a team-best 4.6 assists per game.

Scott Drew is in his 22nd year as the head coach at Baylor with a record of 460-254 (.644). He's in his 23rd year overall with a record of 480-265 (.644).

THE SERIES: This will be the 28th meeting between Colorado and Baylor with the Buffaloes holding a 16-11 advantage. The teams met three times on neutral floors during Colorado's time in the Pac-12, with Bears winning two of those contests including an NCAA Tournament second round game in 2012. Colorado holds an 8-2 advantage in Boulder as the teams will meet at the CU Events Center for the first time since a 78-71 Colorado win on Jan. 12, 2010.

Colorado head coach Tad Boyle is 1-3 as a head coach against Baylor. Scott Drew 7-6 against Colorado as a head coach.

**AGAINST RANKED TEAMS:** Taking the latest rankings into account, the Buffaloes are projected to have nine games against ranked opponents this season, which would tie for the most in program history, joining teams in 1989-90, 1991-92 and 2010-11. Colorado is 1-6 against ranked opponents in 2024-25.

The win over No. 2/2 UConn marks the highest-ranked win away from Boulder in program history. Colorado has two previous wins over No. 2 teams, both coming in Boulder (Feb. 12, 1992 vs. #2 Oklahoma State, 57-53 & Feb. 26, 2022 vs. #2 Arizona, 79-63). Senior **Julian Hammond III** and redshirt junior **Javon Ruffin** were both on that team that defeated Arizona. The previous best neutral site win came against No. 4 Washington on Dec. 30, 1953 in Kansas City (Big 7 Holiday Tournament).

Colorado's last win against a defending national champion came against the 1952 NCAA champion Kansas Jayhawks on Jan. 20, 1953, 72-68 in Boulder.

Colorado's 28 wins over ranked Associated Press ranked opponents in the Tad Boyle era is by far the best in team history. In fact Boyle coached teams, with a record of 28-55, have accounted for 39 percent of wins over ranked opponents (72) since 1949-50.

Colorado faced two ranked nonconference opponents on back-to-back days for the first time in 26 years, Nov. 26-27, 1998, when the Buffaloes played No. 4 Kentucky (L, 52-64) and No. 10 Xavier (L, 61-74) in San Juan, Puerto Rico.

**TOP 5 RARITY:** The game against Houston was Colorado's fourth top 5 ranked opponent this season. It's just the fourth time in the AP rankings era (since 1948-49) the Buffaloes have played four top 5 opponents in one season. The others were 1957-58, 1989-90 and 2001-02.

	2024-25 Asso Top 25 Poll			2024-25 USA Today Sports Coaches Top 25 Poll - Feb. 17					
Rk	Team	Rec	Pts	Prv	Rk	Team	Rec	Pts	Prv
1	Auburn (59)	23-2	1499	1	1	Auburn (31)	23-2	775	2
2	Florida (1)	22-3	1387	3	2	Florida	22-3	712	3
3	Duke	22-3	1382	3	3	Duke	22-3	704	5
4	Alabama	21-4	1335	2	4	Alabama	21-4	692	1
5	Houston	21-4	1290	6	5	Houston	21-4	672	6
	Tennessee	21-5	1147	5	6	Tennessee	21-5	605	4
7	Texas A&M	20-5	1140	8	7	Texas A&M	20-5	570	9
8	Iowa State	20-5	1034	10	8	Iowa State	20-5	534	10
9	Texas Tech	20-5	969	12	9	St. John's	22-4	501	8
	St. John's	22-4	933	9	10	Texas Tech	20-5	488	12
	Wisconsin	20-5	879	16	11	Wisconsin	20-5	441	15
	Michigan	20-5	734	20	12	Michigan	20-5	413	17
	Purdue	19-7	732	7	13	Michigan State	20-5	407	11
	Michigan State	20-5	724	11	14	Purdue	19-7	388	7
15	Missouri	19-6	573	21	15	Marquette	19-6	284	16
	Marquette	19-6	527	18	16	Missouri	19-6	272	22
	Kentucky	17-8	518	15	17	Clemson	21-5	267	19
	Clemson	21-5	499	23	18	Arizona	17-8	223	13
	Arizona	17-8	362	13	19	Memphis	21-5	184	14
	Maryland	20-6	361	25	20	Maryland	20-6	183	25
	Mississippi State	18-7	325	22	21	Kentucky	17-8	162	18
	Memphis	21-5	308	14		Louisville	20-6	109	NR
	Kansas	17-8	193	17	23	Mississippi State	18-7	106	NR
	Ole Miss	19-7	177	19		Saint Mary's	23-4	86	NR
25	Louisville	20-6	137	NR	25	Kansas	17-8	69	20
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2024-25 Opponents in Bold

In 2001-02, Colorado played three games against Kansas teams ranked either No. 1 or No. 2 and once against No. 5 Oklahoma - then coached by current Houston coach Kelvin Sampson. Colorado's first three top 5 battles this year came within the first 12 games of the season.

The most top 5 teams Colorado has faced in one season came in 1989-90 when the Buffaloes had five games against top 5 opponents shared between Oklahoma, Kansas and Missouri.

**HAMMOND CAREER NUMBERS:** Senior guard **Julian Hammond III** is climbing Colorado's career assists and steals leaderboard. He became the 30th player to reach 200 with a pair of assists against Cincinnati. Hammond matched a career-high with seven assists against TCU and in the process jumping into the top 25. He's 15 assists away from the top 20.

#### **Career Assists**

Rk.	Player	Seasons	Assists
20.	Jay Sferra	1973-77	242
21.	Howard Frier	1994-98	231
22.	Lynn Baker	1963-67	229
23.	Julian Hammond III	2021-pre	227
	Spencer Dinwiddie	2011-14	227

Hammond had a pair of steals at Arizona to jump into the top 30 list all time, needing 12 more to become the 24th player in team history to reach 100.

#### **Career Steals**

Rk.	Player	Seasons	Steals
24.	Tyler Bey	2017-20	98
	Dominique Collier	2014-18	98
26.	Spencer Dinwiddie	2011-14	97
27.	Jacques Tuz	1978-82	96
28.	Jaquay Walls	1998-00	95
29.	Emmett Lewis	1967-79	94
30.	Julian Hammond III	2021-pre	88

Hammond is also on pace to rank highly on a pair of shooting percentage lists. He is shooting 83.9 percent (156-186) from the free throw line for his career which currently is the third-best mark in program history. Hammond has made 38.1 percent of his career 3-point field goals (115-302) which is currently 10th.

**RETURN HOME TO THE BIG 12:** Colorado returns to the Big 12 where it had been a charter member for the 1995-96 season when the old Big Eight Conference and four teams from the dissolved Southwest Conference merged to form the Big 12. The Buffaloes left for the Pac-12 for the 2011-12 season.

In their last Big 12 season in 2010-11, led by then first-year head coach Tad Boyle, the Buffaloes tied for fifth place in the league standings that season at 8-8 advancing to the Big 12 Championship semifinals. Colorado won a then-school record 24 games in 2010-11 (24-14), finishing its season in the NIT semifinals at Madison Square Garden.

**BD's BIG DAY:** Sophomore forward **Bangot Dak** had a career-night against Cincinnati with 19 points, eight blocks and eight rebounds. He recorded career highs in points, blocks, 3-point field goals (2) and overall field goal attempts (13) while matching personal bests in rebounds and field goals made (7).

His eight blocks are the third-most in a single game since the stat became official in 1977-78.

#### **CU Single Game Blocks**

- 11, David Harrison vs. Nebraska, March 8, 2003
- 10, David Harrison vs. Stetson, Nov. 24, 2002
- 8, Bangot Dak vs. Cincinnati, Jan. 15, 2025
- 7, eight times, last by Wesley Gordon vs. Nicholls, Dec. 18, 2015

**SEASON BLOCK NUMBERS: Bangot Dak's** 38 blocked shots are the most by Colorado in a season since Tyler Bey had 44 in 2018-19. He's tied with Shaun Vandiver (1990-91) for 26th on Colorado's single-season list, just three outside the single-season top 20.

#### Season Blocks

Rk.	Player	Season	Blocks
15.	Josh Scott	2014-15	46
16.	Tyler Bey	2018-19	44
17.	Andre Roberson	2010-11	42
	Martice Moore	1996-97	42
19.	Wesley Gordon	2013-14	41
	Andre Roberson	2012-13	41
21.	Josh Scott	2013-14	40
	Donnie Boyce	1993-94	40
	Ronnie DeGray	1997-98	40
24.	Carlton Carter	1998-99	39
	Ronnie DeGray	1996-97	39
26.	Bangot Dak	2024-25	38
	Shaun Vandiver	1990-91	38

**ROAD RARITY:** Colorado's game at Arizona State on Jan. 4, the 13th of 2024-25, was the latest for the Buffaloes' first true road game in any season in program history. It's the latest in a calendar year since the Buffaloes traveled to play at Colorado College on Jan. 5, 1945, but that was only the fourth game of the season.

Colorado did play three high-level games at the prestigious Maui Invitational away from home. A thrilling 73-72 win over then-No. 2/2 ranked UConn on the tournament's second day (Nov. 26) highlighted the trip for the Buffaloes who eventually fell to No. 5/5 Iowa State 99-71 in the consolation final (fifth place game) on Nov. 27 to round out the event with a 1-2 record.

STEALS AND TURNOVERS: Colorado recorded 15 steals in the win over Bellarmine, the program's most since having 15 against USC on Jan. 10, 2013. The Buffaloes have five games of double-digit steals (12 at OSU, 10 at ASU and 12 in each of the first two games against UNC & Eastern Washington). Colorado had just one game of double-digit steals all of last season (11 vs. Miami, Fla., in Brooklyn, Dec. 10, 2023).

Colorado had a season-low eight turnovers at Kansas.

RIGHT AT HOME: At the CU Events Center, the Buffaloes have won:

- 12 of their last 18
- 25 of 32 (25-7)
- 38 of 50 (38-12)
- 61 of 81 (61-20)
- 74 of 96 (74-22)
- 89 of 113 (89-24)
- 101 of 128 (101-27)

In the **Tad Boyle** era, Colorado is 202-46 at home (.815). The Buffaloes are 515-197 (.723) all-time at the CUEC. The Buffaloes have won at least 10 games at home each of the last 15 seasons.

Colorado was 16-1 at the CU Events Center in 2023-24, tying for the most regular season home wins in a season joining the 2015-16 (16-1) and 2013-14 (16-2) teams at that mark (the 2010-11 team won a school-record 18 home games, which included three postseason NIT victories).

**BOYLE MILESTONES:** Head coach **Tad Boyle**, in his 15th season, picked up his 300th win at Colorado during the win over Northern Colorado, the most in program history.

Boyle-led teams own 10 of the 14 20-win seasons in team history, the top five single-season win totals and seven of the top eight. With a record of 308-199 at CU, he owns the second-best winning percentage in team history with at least four seasons coached at .607, trailing Forrest "Frosty" Cox who was 147-89 (.623) from 1936-50.

During Colorado's 13-year stint in the Pac-12 Conference, Boyle won 131 regular season league games, tying with Ernie Kent (Oregon 1998-2010 & Washington State 2014-19) for 17th in conference history.

Boyle owns the most wins at a state of Colorado NCAA Division I institution. He is 364-265 (.579) in his 19th year between Colorado and Northern Colorado (four seasons, 2006-10). Boyle is currently fifth in career wins for a head coach at any Colorado four-year school.

**GOLD STANDARD:** Colorado is 96-6 in the Tad Boyle era when meeting the program's "Gold Standard" of holding an opponent to 40 percent or less from the field and having a plus-8 rebounding edge. The Buffaloes have met that mark six times this season (6-0) after holding UCF to 34.4 percent from the field and enjoying a plus-23 advantage on the boards (52-29).

**COMEBACK WINS:** Colorado has had to overcome double-figure deficits in three wins including a rally from 11-down in the win over Pacific. The Buffaloes erased a 17-point deficit in the opener over Eastern Washington.

In the comeback win over Eastern Washington, Colorado trailed 27-10 at the 6:44 mark of the first half but was able to cut the margin to six at halftime thanks to a 10-2 run over the last 3:30 of the period. The Buffaloes then took over in the second half, outscoring the Eagles 51-25.

The 17-point deficit tied for the Buffaloes' eighth-best comeback since 1947. Colorado had overcome a 17-point deficit on three other occasions, with one being another game against Eastern Washington on Dec. 22, 2016. The Buffaloes trailed 19-2 right out of the gate in that contest before fighting back for a 76-68 victory.

**IN THE OT:** Colorado defeated Northern Colorado in double overtime on Nov. 8, improving to 56-57 (.496) all-time in overtime games. The Buffaloes are 33-23 (.589) in overtime games at the CU Events Center and are winners in their last six OT contests at home. The Buffaloes moved to 10-5 in double overtime games. It was the first double overtime home game since a 112-103 win over South Dakota State on Dec. 15, 2017.

**NONCONFERENCE NUMBERS:** Colorado is 136-41 (.768) in nonconference regular season games under head coach **Tad Boyle** including an 89-24 mark (.788) since the beginning of the 2014-15 season.

Colorado is 104-8 (.929) in nonconference home games under Boyle, a record which includes a 7-2 mark in postseason action.

**OPENERS:** Colorado improved to 87-35 (.713) in all-time season openers and has won its last nine. The Buffaloes are 13-2 under head coach **Tad Boyle** and 40-5 in overall season openers since 1980-81.

The Buffaloes are 98-24 (.803) all-time in home openers, have won their last 17 and 23 of their last 24. Boyle's teams are 15-0 in home openers.

**WALL OF HONOR:** A new display at the CU Events Center will honor a select group who's on the court achievements have expanded well beyond their days in Boulder.

The Men's Basketball Wall of Honor will celebrate those former Buffaloes that have achieved at least five years of service in the NBA or competed on the world stage as an Olympic Gold Medalist. The initial 10 legends to be honored are:

- Chauncey Billups (1995-97)
- Alec Burks (2009-11)
- Jim Davis (1961-64)
- Spencer Dinwiddie (2011-14)
- Burdette "Burdie" Haldorson (1951-55)
- Jay Humphries (1980-84)
- Cliff Meely (1968-71)
- Andre Roberson (2010-13)
- Scott Wedman (1971-74)
- Derrick White (2016-17)

The honorees will have their Colorado jersey displayed high above the concourse on the northwest corner of the CU Events Center. Wall of Honor members will be recognized in person with their jerseys officially unveiled at upcoming games.

Haldorson, Meely and Davis were the first Wall of Honor members to be recognized on Jan. 28 during the Arizona State home game. Humphries was celebrated at Colorado's game with Houston on Saturday, Feb. 8. White had his jersey unveiled during the UCF game on Feb. 15. The schedule for the remaining honorees will be announced at a later date.

**CLASS OF '25:** Colorado has added five nationally acclaimed prospects for the 2025-26 season Colorado head coach Tad Boyle announced on Nov. 13.

Jalin Holland (Los Lunas, New Mexico), Fawaz "Tacko" Ifaola (Lagos, Nigeria), Ian Inman (The Woodlands, Texas), Isaiah Johnson (Valley Village, Calif.) and Josiah Sanders (Denver, Colo.) have signed Financial Aid Agreements to join the Buffaloes next winter, a group that, on signing day, ranked No. 23 in the country by Rivals and No. 32 by 247Sports.

**PRESEASON POLL:** Colorado was picked to finish 15th in the annual Big 12 Preseason Coaches Poll released Oct. 10. Kansas, which received nine first place votes, was picked to win the league, followed by Houston, Iowa State, Baylor and Arizona to round out the top five.

**COLORADO TO THE NBA:** Colorado had seven players listed on NBA rosters to begin the 2024-25 season, the fourth most of any Big 12 school, trailing only Arizona (12), Kansas (11) and Baylor (11).

Tristan da Silva, Orlando Magic Alec Burks, Miami Heat Spencer Dinwiddie, Dallas Mavericks KJ Simpson, Charlotte Hornets Jabari Walker, Portland Trail Blazers Derrick White, Boston Celtics Cody Williams, Utah Jazz

White became Colorado's fourth alum to win an NBA championship doing so with the Celtics this last spring.

The Buffaloes had a historic 2024 NBA Draft, with three selections including two in the first round. Cody Williams became the fourth-highest pick in team history going 10th overall to the Jazz. Tristan da Silva was selected at No. 18 by the Magic. KJ Simpson was selected as the 12th pick of the second round (42nd overall) by Charlotte.

It was the first time in team history Colorado had two first round draft picks and the first time with three in the first two rounds. It was the eighth time in 14 years the Buffaloes have been represented in the draft tying for the ninth-most in the nation over that span.

Colorado's three draft picks in 2024 tied with Kentucky for the second-most. Defending national champion UConn led the way with four.

In addition, Chauncey Billups (Portland) and Jamahl Mosley (Orlando) are in their fourth seasons as NBA head coaches.



## Tad Boyle Head Coach

#### 15th Year at Colorado - 308-199 (.607) 19th as a Head Coach - 364-265 (.579)

- All-time leader in CU men's basketball coaching victories at 308.
- Second in winning percentage (.607 minimum 4 years).
- 202-46 record at home (.815).
- 0wns 10 of CU's 14 20+ win seasons.
- Owns all six of the program's top-win seasons and seven of top eight.
- Has coached two of Colorado's seven winning streaks of 10 games or more
- 32-25 (.561) in postseason games (21-13 conference, 6-5 NIT, 4-6 NCAA, 1-1 CBI) over 14 years.
- .561 postseason winning percentage ranks first in school history.
- 19-12 in the Pac-12 Conference Tournament (.613).
- Advanced to the conference tournament finals three times (2024, 2021, 2012) and semifinals seven times (Pac-12: 2024, 2022, 2021, 2019, 2014 & 2012; Big 12: 2011).
- Owns 21 of Colorado's 32 all-time conference tournament coaching wins.
- Seven NBA Draft picks in 13 years, including three first round.

#### 2023-24: 26-11

- NCAA Second Round (2-1)
- School Record 26 wins
- 3 NBA Draft Picks

#### 2022-23: 18-17

- NIT Second Round
- Became CU's all-time leader in wins in program history.
- Head Coach USA Basketball U19 FIBA World Cup Team

#### 2021-22: 21-12

- NIT First Round
- 4th in Pac-12; second straight Pac-12 Tournament bye; advancing to the semifinal round
- Four-year run with 88 wins, second best stretch in team history
- Head coach USA Basketball U18 FIBA Americas Team (Gold Medal)

#### 2020-21: 23-9

- NCAA Second Round
- Pac-12 Tournament Runner-up
- Ranked in both AP/Coaches final polls for first time since 1996-97
- School-record 14 conference wins
- No. 9 in the Final NCAA Evaluation Tool

#### 2019-20: 21-11

- Ranked for 13 weeks, peaking at No. 16 (AP) and No. 15 (Coaches) on Feb. 10.
- No. 25 in the Final NCAA Evaluation Tool
- NCAA postseason canceled due to the coronavirus pandemic

#### 2018-19: 23-13

- NIT Quarterfinals
- 23 wins, tied for the third most in team history and one off school record.
- Pac-12 Tournament Semifinals last Pac-12 program with at least one win in every Pac-12 Tournament since league expansion in 2011-12.

#### 2017-18: 17-15

- 2018 Paradise Jam Champions
- Wins over two ranked teams, coming in back-to-back outings against No. 4/6 Arizona State and Arizona. First back-to-back wins over AP Top 15 teams in school history.
   Named NABC Division I Team of the Week

#### 2016-17: 19-15

- NIT First Round
- School-record seventh-straight postseason tournament.
- Wins over three ranked teams including eventual Pac-12 champion and NCAA Final Four participant Oregon.
- Head Coach NABC All-Stars West squad at NCAA Final Four
- Assistant Coach USA U19 World Cup Team.

#### 2015-16: 22-12

- NCAA Tournament Appearance (1st Round); seeded eighth
- Tied the school record for regular season wins (21) while the 22 overall wins tied for the fourth best mark in team history.
- 11-game win streak during non-conference play, the fifth longest in program history.

#### 2014-15: 16-18

- College Basketball Invitational (CBI) quarterfinals.
- Named Team USA assistant coach for 2015 Pan American Games, July 21-25, Toronto (bronze medal).

#### 2013-14: 23-12

- NCAA Tournament (1st Round)
- Nationally ranked 6-straight weeks, topping at No. 15 in Associated Press, CU's highest in any poll since 1996-97.
- Ranked in the Coaches' Poll 5-straight weeks (No. 17 high).
- Set a school record for season total attendance (173,429), topping the previous high set during the 2012-13 season (155,884).
- Named one of three court coaches for the 2013 USA Basketball Men's World University Games training camp.

#### 2012-13: 21-12

- NCAA Tournament (1st Round).
- Back-to-back NCAA Tournaments appearances (2011-12 & 2012-13) for the first time since 1961-62 & 1962-63 (50 years).
- First at-large invite since 2002-03.
- No. 19 Associated Press/USA Today Coaches' Poll (Nov. 26)
- AP No. 23 ranked (Nov. 19) first time CU ranked in a major poll since earning back-to-back No. 25 rankings in 2005-06 Coaches Poll.

#### 2011-12: 24-12

- NCAA Tournament (2nd Round), a school-first since 2002-03 First CU head coach to win 20 or more games in his first two years; 48 wins, the best in school history in any
- Guided CU to Pac-12 Conference Championship winning four games in four days; first conference title since 1968-69.
- Just the 10th team from the "big six" conferences to win four games in four days en route to the conference title.
- National Association of Basketball Coaches (NABC) District 20 Coach of the Year (1st CU coach named).
- 11 Pac-12 Conference wins, most wins in season (1996-97; 11).

#### 2010-11: 24-14

- School-best 24 wins in his first season at CU; School-best 18 home wins.
- Four attendance marks: sellouts a season (5); all games (140,284); conference total (78,472); conference average (9,809).
- NIT Final Four.
- Highest Big 12 Conference finish (5th) since 2005-06.
- Advanced to the Big 12 Tournament semifinals for the first time
- Named National Coach of the Week by The Hoops Report in its weekly awards for the week of Jan. 10-16, 2011.

#### Colorado Record Year-By-Year

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Year	Conf.	Overall	Finish	Other
2010-11	8-8	24-14	t-5th/Big 12	NIT Semifinals
2011-12	11-7	24-12	t-5th/Pac-12	Tourn. Champs
				NCAA 2nd
2012-13	10-8	21-12	5th/Pac-12	NCAA 1st
2013-14	10-8	23-12	t-3rd/Pac-12	NCAA 1st
2014-15	7-11	16-18	t-8th/Pac-12	CBI Quarters
2015-16	10-8	22-12	5th/Pac-12	NCAA 1st
2016-17	8-10	19-15	7th/Pac-12	NIT 1st
2017-18	8-10	17-15	t-8th/Pac-12	
2018-19	10-8	23-13	t-4th/Pac-12	NIT Quarters
2019-20	10-8	21-11	t-5th/Pac-12	(No Postseason)
2020-21	14-6	23-9	3rd/Pac-12	NCAA 2nd
2021-22	12-8	21-12	4th/Pac-12	NIT 1st
2022-23	8-12	18-17	t-8th/Pac-12	NIT 2nd
2023-24	13-7	26-11	3rd/Pac-12	NCAA 2nd
2024-25	1-14	10-16		
Totals	140-133	308-199		

#### **Previous Coaching Experience:**

- Head Coach, Nothern Colorado (2006-10)

- Head Guach,	MOUNCHIN COID	1au0 (2000-11	0)	
Year	Conf.	Overall	Finish	Other
2006-07	2-14	4-24	9th/Big Sky	1st Year In Big Sky
2007-08	6-10	13-16	7th/Big Sky	
2008-09	8-8	14-18	5th/Big Sky	1st Big Sky Tourn
2009-10	12-4	25-8	2nd/Big Sky	CIT Quarters

Assistant Coach, Wichita State (2000-06)

- 2006 Missouri Valley Champs, NCAA Sweet 16
- Three NIT's (2003-05)

Assistant Coach, Jacksonville State (1998-00)

Director of Operations, Tennessee (1997-98)

- NCAA Tournament

Assistant Coach, Oregon (1994-97)

- 1995 NCAA Tournament, 1997 NIT



## 3 Julian **HAMMOND III**6-2 - 195 - Sr. - G Denver, Colo. (Cherry Creek)

2024-25 (Senior): Colorado's most experienced player in terms of games played and started in a Buffaloes uniform.

- Leads Colorado in scoring, 3-pointers made, assists, steals, free throws made and percentage.
- Second in the Big 12 and ranks ninth in the nation in free throw percentage. Has made 63 of his last 69 which includes separate consecutive made streaks of 21 and 18.
- Six 20-point games this season
- On pace for the second-best single-season free throw shooting season in team history.
- 23rd in career assists and 30th in steals. On pace for top 10 finishes in career 3-point and free throw percentage.

2023-24 (Junior): Missed final 11 games of the season with a knee injury.

- Averaged 7.0 points over his last six games after scoring just six points in the four games prior to that.
- Fourth on the team in 3-pointers made and tied for fifth in assists.

#### 2022-23 (Sophomore):

- Career-high 21 points in the Pac-12 Tournament win over Washington.
- Co-led the Buffs in scoring in two tournament games at 17.5 ppg.
- Career-high six assists vs. UCLA in the Pac-12 Tournament
- 15 points, 5 assists, 5 steals vs. Utah. Only 15-5-5 game in the Pac-12 this year and first by a Buff in 15 years (Marcus Hall, 2008).

754:54 111-266 .417 44-113 .389 70-77 .909

459:57 63-164 .384 23-64 .359 43-48 .896

Pct

.351

.399

448

417

.411

3FG

17

26

28

44

115

- Made his first 16 free throws during conference play.
- Second on the team in assists, third in steals and 3-pointers made.

#### 2021-22 (Freshman):

\*at Texas Tech (3/5)

GP

29

35

24

26

114

GS

5

5

5

26

41

Min

363

714

507

755

2339

Avg

12.5

20.4

21.1

29.0

20.5

FG FGA

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81

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111

284

77

203

145

266

691

\*TCU (3/8)

**Totals** 

Big 12

Year

2021-22

2022-23

2023-24

2024-25

**Totals** 

#### 2024-25 GAME-BY-GAME Season Highs Total 3-Pt Reb Points - 26 at UCF (1/8/25) Team (Date) FG-A Pct FGA Pct FT-A Pct 0 D F-O TO S В Pts Α Rebounds - 6 vs. Cincinnati (1/15/25) EASTÈRN WASHINGTON (11/4) \*28:48 3-8 .375 .250 0-0 .000 3 0 0 7 Field Goals - 9 vs. lowa State (12/30/24) NORTHERN COLORADO (11/8) \*33:12 .400 0-1 .000 8-10 .800 0 4 4 2 4 12 2-5 1 FG Attempts - 17 vs. lowa State (12/30/24) CAL STATE FULLERTON (11/13)\*21:35 4-7 .571 2-4 .500 1-1 1.000 0 2 2 0 0 2 0 11 3PT Field Goals - 5 vs. Houston (2/8/25) HARVARD (11/17) \*20:19 3-9 .333 2-5 .400 0-0 .000 0 0 4 1 0 0 8 vs. Michigan State (11/25) \*24:27 6-11 .545 3-7 .429 0-0 .000 0 3 3 4 3 0 0 15 **3PT FG Attempts -** 7 four times (last vs. Houston, vs. UConn (11/26) \*30:52 6-11 .545 4-5 .800 0-0 .000 2 2 2 0 16 2/8/25) vs. Iowa State (11/27) \*28:49 .545 2-5 .400 6-6 1.000 0 3 3 4 2 20 6-11 1 1 Free Throws - 8 three times (last vs. West Virginia, PACIFIC (12/2) \*23:07 2-6 .333 1-3 .333 4-4 1.000 0 2 3 0 9 1/12/25) COLORADO STATE (12/7) \*32:26 5-12 .417 3-6 .500 0-0 .000 0 2 2 0 2 0 13 FT Attempts - 10 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24) SOUTH DAKOTA STATE (12/13) .571 2-5 1.000 0 3 3 0 0 23 \*27:41 8-14 .400 5-5 Assists - 7 at TCU (2/2/25), vs. South Dakota State BELLARMINE (12/21) \*23:41 3-8 .375 1-4 .250 3-3 1.000 4 0 0 10 5 (12/13/24)\*IOWA STATE (12/30) .529 3-7 429 0 4 4 0 0 0 21 \*34:11 9-17 0-0.000 1 Blocks - 2 vs. UCF (2/15/25) 0 0 \*at Arizona State (1/4) \*30:27 0-7 .000 0 - 3.000 0-0 .000 0 0 1 3 2 0 Steals - 4 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24) \*at UCF (1/8) \*34:23 8-14 .571 2-4 .500 8-9 .889 0 5 5 5 5 0 26 1 Minutes - 34:23 at UCF (1/8/25) \*WEST VIRGINIA (1/12) 3 3 \*30:24 6-13 .462 3-7 .429 8-8 1.000 2 0 0 23 3 \*CINCINNATI (1/15) \*34:17 1-6 .167 0-2 .000 3-4 .750 0 6 6 1 2 2 0 5 Career Highs \*29:27 4-4 1.000 2 4 3 \*at Oklahoma State (1/18) 3-10 .300 0 - 3.0000 1 1 0 10 Points - 26 at UCF (1/8/25) \*BYU (1/21) \*27:48 6-12 .500 3-6 .500 2-3 .667 0 2 0 17 Rebounds - 6 three times (last vs. Cincinnati, 1/15/25) \*at Arizona (1/25) \*31:17 7-13 .538 4-6 .667 1-2 .500 0 3 3 2 2 0 19 Field Goals - 9 vs. lowa State (12/30/24) \*ARIZONA STATE (1/28) \*33:21 5-16 .313 0-5 .000 3-3 1.000 0 5 5 2 2 0 0 13 FG Attempts - 17 vs. lowa State (12/30/24) \*28:38 \*at TCU (2/2) 2-8 .250 0-1.000 2-2 0 0 3 2 0 6 1.000 3PT Field Goals - 5 vs. Houston (2/8/25) 2 \*at Utah (2/5) \*29:15 3-9 .333 1-4 .250 1-1 1.000 Λ 0 0 4 0 0 8 \*HOUSTON (2/8) \*27:14 7-13 .538 5-7 .714 3-4 .750 0 0 0 2 2 0 22 **3PT FG Attempts -** 7 five times (last vs. Houston, \*at Kansas (2/11) \*31:10 1-7 .143 0-2 .000 0-0 .000 0 0 3 1 0 2 2/8/25) \*UCF (2/15) \*28:34 2-10 .200 1-3 .333 6-6 1.000 4 2 3 2 5 11 Free Throws - 8 four times (last vs. West Virginia, 1 \*at Iowa State (2/18) 2 9 \*29:32 3-9 .333 1-4 .2502-2 1.000 1 1 2 4 0 1/12/25) \*BAYLOR (2/22) FT Attempts - 10 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24) \*KANSAS (2/24) **Assists -** 7 at TCU (2/2/25), vs. SDSU (12/13/24) \*at Kansas State (3/2) Blocks - 2 vs. UCF (2/15/25)

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Pct FT FTA

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**Career Statistics** 

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37 16

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18 57

16 43

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47 202

2 192

Tot

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59

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249

Avg

1.7

2.1

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2.5

Def

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- Co-winner of team's Most Improved Player Award.

- Dished out 17 of his season's 32 assists over the final six games (2.8 apg). Had a career-high five in the Pac-12 semis vs. Arizona.
- Pac-12 Freshman of the Week on Jan. 10 averaging 8.0 ppg, 2.5 rpg, 2.0 spg & 2.0 apg.
- Career-high 14 points against Washington, hitting 5 of 7 from the field including all four 3-point attempts.

#### Before CU/Personal:

- Averaged 19.4 points, 5.6 rebounds and 1.9 steals over four seasons in high school.
- 2020-21 Colorado Gatorade Player of the Year and the CSHAA Class 5A Player of the Year, averaging 22.4 points, 5.5 rebounds, 3.8 assists and 2.3 steals; shooting 51 percent overall and 41 percent from 3-point rage.
- He helped the Bruins to a 17-1 record, a Centennial Conference championship and a trip to the state semifinals.
- Two-time all-state and Centennial Conference Player of the Year and a three-time all-conference honoree.
- Led the Bruins to a 19-5 record in 2019-20, averaging 21.9 points, 7.0 rebounds and 3.6 assists per game.
- Holds Cherry Creek records for career points and 3-pointers made.
- A two-time all-state and all-conference performer at quarterback for the Cherry Creek football team. Led the Bruins to a pair of state championships and had a 23-0 record as a starter.
- 247Sports listed him as the top player in the state of Colorado and the 25th best combo guard in the nation.
- Played club basketball for the Chauncey Billups Elite (now known as College Bound Elite). His U15 team was once ranked No. 18 nationally.
- Majoring in Communication at Colorado with a Leadership minor.
- He is the son of Ruby and Julian Hammond II, who both also played basketball at Cal Poly and Loyola Marymount.
- Grandfather, Julian Hammond, Sr., played for the Denver Rockets of the ABA from 1967-72
- Was recruited by Northern Colorado for both football and basketball, Denver and Wyoming for basketball and Idaho and Montana State for football.

Steals - 5 vs. Utah (3/4/23)

Minutes - 37 vs. Seton Hall (3/14/23)

PF FO

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46 0 71 58 29 3 240

37 0 44 39 13 3 177

35 0 80 63

139 0 227 187 88 14 839

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32 27

S B Pts Avg

16 2 86 3.0

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336 12.9

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7.4



## 5 RJ SMITH

6-3 - 190 - So. - G Chino, Calif. (Damien)

**2024-25 (Sophomore):** Second on the team in 3-point percentage, third in 3-point field goals made, fourth in assists and and fifth in steals.

- Five of his seven career blocked shots have come in the last four games, including his first multiple-block game at Iowa State.

- Grabbed a career-best eight rebounds at UCF, leading the Buffaloes in rebounding for the second time.

- Four career double-figure scoring games, including three in a row.
- Made his first career start vs. Colorado State.
- Hit 4 of 7 from 3-point range in Maui and was second in assists with eight.

2023-24 (Redshirt Freshman): Missed the final 30 games of the season with a lower leg inury.

- First career double-digit game with 11 points on 3 of 4 from 3-point range against Milwaukee.
- Made his collegiate debut against Towson.

**2022-23 (Freshman):** Sat out the season as a redshirt in the Colorado basketball program.

Before CU/Personal: A 2022 graduate of Damien High School.

- Averaged 15.7 points, 7.0 rebounds and 7.0 assists over his four-year career with the Spartans.
- He is the school's all-time leader in steals (260) and wins (112) and is second in career rebounds (824) and third in points (1,777).
- Helped Damien to the 2022 CIF State Division I championship and Baseline League title with a 32-4 record.
- A four-time All-CIF and Baseline League First Team pick. Named the 2022 Baseline League and San Gabriel Valley Tribune MVP.
- Selected to the All-CIF State Southern Section First Team.
- Played two years of club basketball with Prodigy out of Rancho Cucumonga, Calif.
- Majoring in Psychology at Colorado. Was an Honor Roll student at Damien.
- His mother, Monica Smith, played basketball at Cal State Los Angeles.
- Enjoys listening to music, watching movies and playing basketball.
- Favorite team is the Los Angeles Lakers.
- He can juggle.

	2024-25 GAME-BY-GAME Total 3-Pt Reb. Team (Date) Min FG-A Pct FGA Pct FT-A Pct O D T F-O A TO S B Pts														Season Highs	
Toom (Data)	FG-A				FT A	Det		нер. D		<b>-</b> 0		т0		_	Pts	Points - 14 vs. lowa State (12/30/24)
<b>Team (Date)</b> Min EASTERN WASHINGTON (11/4) 19:08	3-7	.429		.500	0-0	Pct .000	0	J	<b>T</b> 1	<b>r-</b> 0	2	<b>TO</b> 2	<b>S</b>	<b>B</b> 0	8	<b>Rebounds -</b> 8 at UCF (1/8/25)
NORTHERN COLORADO (11/8) 24:25	3-7 4-5	.800		1.000	0-0	.000	0	3	3	ى 1	1	0	ა 1	1	9	Field Goals - 5 vs. lowa State (12/30/24)
CAL STATE FULLERTON (11/13) 18:45	2-4	.500		.500	1-2	.500	0	0	0	1	4	2	0	0	7	
HARVARD (11/17) 20:35	1-2	.500		.500	1-2	.500	0	3	3	2	1	2	0	0	4	FG Attempts - 10 vs. lowa State (12/30/24)
vs. Michigan State (11/25) 18:08	1-4	.250		.000	0-2	.000	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	2	<b>3PT Field Goals -</b> 3 three times (last vs. lowa State,
vs. UConn (11/26) 15:52	3-3			1.000	0-2	.000	0	2	2	3	3	1	0	0	8	12/30/24)
vs. Iowa State (11/27) 15:50	2-6	.333	2-4		0-0	.000	0	4	4	1	3	0	0	0	6	3PT FG Attempts - 6 vs. lowa State (12/30/24)
PACIFIC (12/2) 25:24	3-7	.429		.500	0-0	.000	0	7	7	2	3	1	0	0	8	Free Throws - 4 vs. UCF (2/15/25)
COLORADO STATE (12/7) *26:51	3-4	.750		1.000	1-1	1.000	0	4	4	1	1	5	0	0	9	FT Attempts - 4 vs. UCF (2/15/25)
SOUTH DAKOTA STATE (12/13) *27:01	4-6	.667	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	0	2	2	1	5	2	2	0	11	Assists - 5 at Arizona State (1/4/25), vs. South Dako-
BELLARMINE (12/21) *20:02	4-7	.571		.750	0-0	.000	0	5	5	1	2	1	2	0	11	ta State (12/13/24)
*IOWA STATE (12/30) *32:50	5-10	.500	3-6	.500	1-2	.500	0	2	2	3	1	2	1	1	14	Blocks - 2 at Iowa State (2/18/25)
*at Arizona State (1/4) *28:31	1-4	.000	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	1	2	3	0	5	0	1	0	2	Steals - 3 at UCF (1/8/25), vs. Eastern Washington
*at UCF (1/8) *35:10	2-8	.250	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	1	7	8	2	0	6	3	0	4	(11/4/24)
*WEST VIRGINIA (1/12) *16:00	1-4	.250	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	0	2	2	1	1	1	0	0	3	Minutes - 35:10 at UCF (1/8/25)
*CINCINNATI (1/15)	DNP	00		00	0 0	.000	•	_	_	•	•	•	·	·	•	,
*at Oklahoma State (1/18) *19:03	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	2-2	1.000	0	0	0	4	1	1	1	0	2	Career Highs
*BYU (1/21) *19:52	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	Ö	1	1	2	1	0	i	0	2	<b>Points -</b> 14 vs. Iowa State (12/30/24)
*at Arizona (1/25) 16:38	2-4	.500	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	Ö	0	0	0	2	1	i	0	4	<b>Rebounds -</b> 8 at UCF (1/8/25)
*ARIZONA STATE (1/28) 12:41	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	Ö	1	1	2	0	3	0	0	0	Field Goals - 5 vs. Iowa State (12/30/24)
*at TCU (2/2) 14:24	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	2	2	0	Ö	0	Ö	FG Attempts - 10 vs. Iowa State (12/30/24)
*at Utah (2/5) 5:37	0-2	.000	0-2		0-0	.000	0	Ō	0	0	1	Ō	Ō	0	0	3PT Field Goals - 3 four times (last vs. Iowa State,
*HOUSTON (2/8) 17:22	2-5	.400	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	1	1	2	1	2	Ō	Ō	1	5	12/30/24)
*at Kansas (2/11) 17:01	1-3	.333	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	2	,
*UCF (2/15) *30:57	2-5	.400	1-4	.250	4-4	1.000	0	6	6	3	1	0	0	1	9	<b>3PT FG Attempts -</b> 6 vs. lowa State (12/30/24)
*at lowa State (2/18) 20:14	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	4	2	1	0	2	0	Free Throws - 4 vs. UCF (2/15/25)
*BAYLOR (2/22)																FT Attempts - 4 vs. UCF (2/15/25)
*KANSAS (2/24)																Assists - 5 at Arizona State (1/4/25), vs. South Dako-
*at Kansas State (3/2)																ta State (12/13/24)
*at Texas Tech (3/5)																Blocks - 2 at Iowa State (2/18/25)
*TCU (3/8)																Steals - 3 at UCF (1/8/25), vs. Eastern Washington
. ,																(11/4/24)
	47-107						4	58	62	41	47		18	7	130	Minutes - 35:10 at UCF (1/8/25)
Big 12 286:20	17-52	.327	6-34	.176	7-8	.875	4	27	31	25	20	16	9	6	47	

**Career Statistics** GS Min Avg FG **FGA** Pct 3FG **FGA** Pct FT Pct Off Def Tot Avg F0 В Pts Avg 7 83 15 .333 5 .455 5 7 .714 8 8 9 0 5 4 0 20 2.9 2023-24 0 11.9 5 11 0 1.1 1 10 518 20.7 47 107 .439 26 67 .388 10 15 .667 58 62 41 0 47 32 18 7 130 5.2 2024-25 25 2.5 Totals 32 10 601 18.8 52 122 .426 31 78 .397 15 22 .682 66 70 2.2 50 0 52 36 19 7 150 4.7



\*KANSAS (2/24)
\*at Kansas State (3/2)
\*at Texas Tech (3/5)
\*TCU (3/8)

## 6 Trevor BASKIN 6-9 - 205 - Gr. - F Arvada, Colo, (Pomona/Colorado Mesa

**2024-25 (Graduate):** Leads the Buffaloes in rebounding and is second in steals and blocks.

- CU-high 23 points and 10 rebounds at ASU. 24th career double-double and 24th 20-point game.
- Just missed a double-double with nine points and a team season-high 11 rebounds against CSU.
- Personal best and team season-high seven assists vs. Pacific.
- Made his first CU start against Harvard.

**2020-24 (Colorado Mesa):** A three-time All-Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference First Team selection, and two-time all-region pick.

- Averaged 13.4 points, 6.2 rebounds and shot 56.6 percent over four seasons at Colorado Mesa.
- Ranks fifth in school history with 1,656 career points and is sixth in rebounds (767) and second in blocks (145).
- Earned Division II All-America honors from both the National Association of Basketball Coaches (NABC) and the D2 Conference Commissioners

Association (D2CCA).

- Led the Mavericks to a 29-5 record in 2023-24 as CMU won the RMAC regular season title and advanced to the championship game of the NCAA South Central Regional.
- Named the 2023-24 RMAC Player of the Year, averaging 18.2 points, 8.3 rebounds and 3.9 assists while shooting 57.4 percent from the field and 36.5 percent from 3-point range.

**Before CU/Personal:** A 2020 graduate of Pomona High School, he was a three-time All-Jeffco League selection.

- An All-Colorado pick as a senior, averaging 24.8 points, 12.7 rebounds, 6.5 assists and 4.6 blocks per game.
- Pursuing his master's of science degree in Organizational Leadership at Colorado.
- Earned his bachelor's degree in Business Administration and Finance from Colorado Mesa in May 2024.
- A 2023-24 First Team Academic All-American. Three-time RMAC All-Academic First Team and two-time College Sports Communicators (CSC) Academic All-District.
- His father Jon played basketball at Colorado Mesa and is the program's all-time leading scorer.

		Total		3-P	t				Reb							
Team (Date)	Min	FG-A	Pct	FGA	Pct	FT-A	Pct	0	D	Т	F-O	Α	TO	S	В	Pts
EASTÈRN WASHINGTON (11/4	) 22:07	3-4	.750	0-0	.000	6-7	.857	3	3	6	2	2	4	2	2	12
NORTHERN COLORADO (11/8)	24:59	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	5-9	.556	3	6	9	3	0	4	1	1	9
CAL STATE FULLERTON (11/13	3) 18:01	2-5	.400	0-2	.000	2-3	.667	1	5	6	1	1	2	1	1	6
HARVARD (11/17)	*20:07	6-8	.750	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	2	5	7	2	1	0	1	2	13
vs. Michigan State (11/25)	*22:26	3-7	.429	0-1	.000	3-4	.750	1	2	3	1	2	2	1	0	9
vs. UConn (11/26)	19:50	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	1-3	.333	1	2	3	1	1	1	0	0	5
vs. Iowa State(11/27)	*20:07	2-5	.400	1-2	.500	2-2	1.000	3	5	8	2	3	3	0	0	7
PACIFIC (12/2)	*26:44	3-7	.429	1-2	.500	6-8	.750	3	7	10	2	7	1	2	3	13
COLORADO STATE (12/7)	23:00	3-5	.500	0-1	.000	3-5	.600	3	8	11	2	2	5	2	2	9
SOUTH DAKOTA STATE (12/13)	22:44	2-5	.400	0-1	.000	4-4	1.000	1	4	5	3	2	0	0	1	8
BELLARMINE (12/21)	17:43	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	3-4	.750	1	2	3	2	3	2	1	0	5
*IOWA STATE (12/30)	*23:21	3-6	.500	0-0	.000	2-3	.667	1	3	4	3	4	1	1	0	8
*at Arizona State (1/4)	29:04	9-14	.643	0-0	.000	5-7	.714	5	5	10	2	2	2	4	1	23
*at UCF (1/8)	16:41	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	1	2	5-1	1	2	1	0	2
*WEST VIRGINIA (1/12)	24:13	4-8	.500	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	2	4	6	3	2	3	1	0	9
*CINCINNATI (1/15)	*23:01	3-7	.429	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	5	6	3	2	3	2	0	8
*at Oklahoma State (1/18)	18:40	2-6	.333	1-3	.333	3-4	.750	0	2	2	4	4	1	1	0	8
*BYU (1/21)	22:42	2-5	.400	0-1	.000	2-4	.500	2	4	6	1	0	2	1	0	6
*at Arizona (1/25)	17:31	3-5	.600	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1	2	3	0	0	1	0	0	6
*ARIZONA STATE (1/28)	31:11	7-11	.636	1-2	.500	4-6	.667	2	2	4	2	1	2	4	0	19
*at TCU (2/2)	*16:59	2-2	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	2	3	1	4	2	0	3	4
*at Utah (2/5)	*20:43	2-6	.333	0-2	.000	0-1	.000	4	3	7	4	1	1	0	0	4
*HOUSTON (2/8)	20:49	1-4	.250	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	0	2	1	2	0	2
*at Kansas (2/11)	8:43	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	2
*UCF (2/15)	10:36	0-2	.000	0-1	.000	1-2	.500	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1
*at Iowa State (2/18)	5:59	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-4	.000	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	0
*BAYLOR (2/22)																

2024-25 GAME-BY-GAME

**CU Career Highs** 

Points - 23 at Arizona State (1/4/25)

Rebounds - 11 vs. Colorado State (12/7/24)

Field Goals - 9 at Arizona State (1/4/25)

FG Attempts - 14 at Arizona State (1/4/25)

**3PT Field Goals -** 1 five times (last vs. Arizona State, 1/28/25)

**3PT FG Attempts -** 3 at Oklahoma State (1/18/25) **Free Throws -** 6 vs. Pacific (12/2/24), vs. Eastern

Washington (11/4/24)

FT Attempts - 9 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)

Assists - 7 vs. Pacific (12/2/24)

**Blocks -** 3 at TCU (2/2/25), vs. Pacific (12/2/24)

**Steals -** 4 vs. Arizona State (1/28/25), at Arizona State (1/4/25)

Minutes - 31:11 vs. Arizona State (1/28/25)

Totals 528:00 68-135 .504 5-22 .227 57-87 .655 42 87 129 51-1 48 47 29 17 198 Big 12 290:12 39-78 .500 2-11 .182 22-37 .595 20 38 58 30-1 24 23 18 5 102

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Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	FG	FGA	Pct	3FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FO	Α	TO	S	В	Pts	Avg
2020-21	23	0	305	13.3	44	90	.489	5	17	.294	17	30	.567	21	54	75	3.3	46	0	7	23	8	22	110	4.8
2021-22	36	26	886	24.6	200	356	.562	22	84	.262	69	109	.633	42	146	188	5.2	89	5	47	69	32	42	491	13.6
2022-23	31	31	882	28.5	169	289	.585	18	51	.353	79	115	.687	55	166	221	7.1	79	1	61	88	32	35	435	14.0
2023-24	34	34	994	29.2	229	399	.574	35	96	.365	127	189	.672	66	217	283	8.3	86	3	131	96	38	46	620	18.2
CMU	124	91	3067	24.7	642	1134	.566	80	248	.323	292	443	.659	184	583	767	6.2	300	9	246	276	110	145	1656	13.4
2024-25	26	8	528	20.3	68	135	.504	5	22	.227	57	87	.655	42	87	129	5.0	51	1	48	47	29	17	198	7.6
Overall	150	99	3595	24.0	710	1269	.559	85	270	.315	349	530	.658	226	670	896	6.0	351	10	294	323	139	162	1854	12.4

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\*KANSAS (2/24) \*at Kansas State (3/2) \*at Texas Tech (3/5) \*TCU (3/8)

### 7 Sebastian RANCIK 6-9 - 210 - Fr. - F Bratislava, Slovakia (JSerra Catholic [Calif.]

**2024-25 (Freshman):** - Averaged 11.0 points and 5.7 rebounds the last three games.

Averaging 8.6 points and 4.1 rebounds since joining the starting linuep (last seven games).

- Led Colorado at Kansas with career highs in points, rebounds, field goals made and attempted, 3-point attempts, free throws and minutes.

- Led Colorado in scoring in his collegiate debut with 13 points against Eastern Washington.

**Before CU/Personal:** A 2024 graduate of JSerra Catholic School in San Juan Capistrano, Calif., where he spent his entire high school career after coming to the United States from Slovakia his freshman year.

- Earned All-CIF-SS Division 1 and All-Los Angeles Times First Team honors as a junior helping the Lions to a 22-9 record and a spot in the quarterfinals of the CIF-Southern Section Division 1 championship.
- Averaged 16.5 points and 7.7 rebounds along with 45 blocks.
- A four-star prospect ranked 70th in the nation by On3.com and 108th by Rivals.
- Averaged 14.7 points, 5.9 rebounds and 3.1 assists for Slovakia at the 2022 FIBA U18 European Championship Division B. A year earlier, he pitched in 6.3 points and 2.5 rebounds for Slovakia at the FIBA U18 European Challengers tournament.

An Exploratory Studies major at Colorado.

- His father, Martin, played for Iowa State from 1997-2001.

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Team (Date)	Min	FG-A	Pct	<b>FGA</b>	Pct	FT-A	Pct	0	D	Τ	F-O	Α	TO	S	В	Pts
EASTERN WASHINGTON (11/	4) 15:44	4-6	.667	4-5	.800	1-2	.500	0	3	3	2	0	0	0	1	13
NORTHERN COLORADO (11/8	3) 13:08	1-2	.500	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0	0	3	0	0	3
CAL STATE FULLERTON (11/	13) 16:38	4-6	.667	1-2	.500	2-2	1.000	1	1	2	1	1	2	0	0	11
HARVARD (11/17)	15:24	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	3	3	1	1	2	0	0	2
vs. Michigan State (11/25)	16:43	0-4	.000	0-2	.000	4-6	.667	2	1	3	2	0	1	1	0	4
vs. UConn (11/26)	8:35	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Iowa State (11/27)	11:42	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	0	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	3
PACIFIC (12/2)	5:51	1-2	.500	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3
COLORADO STATE (12/7)	6:40	0-2	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
SOUTH DAKOTA STATE (12/1	3)	DNP														
BELLARMINE (12/21)	15:35	3-6	.500	1-3	.333	0-1	.000	2	2	4	0	2	2	2	1	7
*IOWA STATE (12/30)	16:13	1-3	.333	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0	4	4	1	0	0	1	2	3
*at Arizona State (1/4)	14:59	2-7	.286	0-4	.000	2-2	1.000	0	2	2	1	1	0	1	0	6
*at UCF (1/8)	12:17	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
*WEST VIRGINIA (1/12)	11:03	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	2-4	.500	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	2
*CINCINNATI (1/15)	24:59	3-6	.500	0-0	.000	3-5	.600	0	3	3	1	1	0	0	0	9
*at Oklahoma State (1/18)	21:21	3-5	.600	1-2	.500	4-4	1.000	0	3	3	1	0	1	0	0	11
*BYU (1/21)	13:26	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	2-4	.500	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
*at Arizona (1/25)	17:32	2-5	.400	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	1	4	5	1	1	1	0	0	5
*ARIZONA STATE (1/28)	*23:11	3-7	.429	1-3	.333	2-4	.500	1	3	4	0	0	0	2	1	9
*at TCU (2/2)	*25:07	2-5	.400	0-2	.000	3-5	.600	1	2	3	1	0	1	0	0	7
*at Utah (2/5)	*23:24	2-5	.400	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0	2	2	2	1	2	1	0	5
*HOUSTON (2/8)	*25:28	2-4	.500	0-1	.000	2-3	.667	0	3	3	1	1	0	1	0	6
*at Kansas (2/11)	*30:09	7-13	.538	1-5	.200	4-6	.667	2	7	9	2	2	0	1	1	19
*UCF (2/15)	*30:37	4-11	.364	0-2	.000	2-2	1.000	2	5	7	2	1	4	1	0	10
*at Iowa State (2/18)	*17:24	2-2	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	5-1	0	1	0	0	4
*BAYLOR (2/22)																

2024-25 CAME-RV-CAME

Career Highs

Points - 19 at Kansas (2/11/25)

Rebounds - 9 at Kansas (2/11/25)

**Field Goals -** 7 at Kansas (2/11/25) **FG Attempts -** 13 at Kansas (2/11/25)

**3PT Field Goals -** 4 vs. Eastern Washington (11/4/24) **3PT FG Attempts -** 5 at Kansas (2/11/25), vs. Eastern

Washington (11/4/24)

Free Throws - 4 three times (last at Kansas, 2/11/25)
FT Attempts - 6 at Kansas (2/11/25), vs. Michigan
State (11/25/24)

**Assists -** 2 at Kansas (2/11/25), vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)

**Blocks -** 2 vs. lowa State (12/30/24)

**Steals -** 2 vs. Arizona State (1/28/25), vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)

Minutes - 30:37 vs. UCF (2/15/25)

Totals 433:09 49-109 .450 14-44 .318 34-51 .667 15 51 66 30-1 13 23 11 6 146 Big 12 307:08 34-77 .442 6-27 .222 26-39 .667 9 38 47 21-1 8 10 8 4 100

**Career Statistics** 

Year GP Min Avg FG FGA Pct 3FG FGA Pct FT FTA Pct Off Def Tot Avg Pts Avg 2024-25 25 433 49 .450 .318 66 2.6 13 23 17.3 109 14 44 51 .667 16



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6-11 - 185 - So. - F Lincoln, Neb. (Southeast)

**2024-25 (Sophomore):** First career 20-point outing at lowa State, hitting 8 of 14 from the field.

- Averaging 11.0 points, 5.4 rebounds and 2.0 blocks over the last seven games.
- Leads Colorado in rebounding (4.7 rpg), blocks (1.9 bpg) and shooting (.535) while ranking second

in scoring in Big 12 games.

- Career and team season-high 12 rebounds at TCU.
- Eight blocks against Cincinnati, the third most in a game since 1977-78.
- 7th in the Big 12 in blocks (1.5 bpg) and fourth in conference-only games (1.9 bpg).
- His 38 blocks tie for 26th on CU's single-season list and are the most in a season since Tyler Bey had 44 in 2018-19.
- Hig 7 of 8 from the field (.875) against CSU is the team's best percentage with at least four field goals made.

#### 2023-24 (Freshman): Team Most Improved Player Award.

- Matched career-high five points and hit his second 3-point field goal at Washington.

- Career-best five rebounds vs. Northern Colorado.
- Recorded his first career blocked shot against Pepperdine.
- Made his collegiate debut against Towson.
- Scored his first two field goals and season-high five points vs. Iona.

Before CU/Personal: A 2023 graduate of Lincoln Southeast High School.

- Averaged 11.8 points, 9.8 rebounds and 2.3 blocks per game as a senior, leading the Knights to the quarterfinals of the Nebraska Class A State Tournament.
- He had 12 double-doubles (in 26 games), including a 17-point, 10-rebound effort in the state quarterfinals against Gretna, the Knights' first state tournament game in nine years.
- A Class A All-State honorable mention selection, he ranked as the second-best rebounder and shot blocker in the state's largest school division.
- Named to the Lincoln Journal Star All-City and Super State teams. Played four years of club basketball with Nebraska Supreme in Lincoln.
- An Open Option major at Colorado.
- Would like to pursue professional basketball after Colorado.
- Enjoys playing video games
- Lists KD (Kevin Durant) as his favorite NBA player.
- Chose Colorado because it was a great place for his development.

2024-25 GAME-BY-GAME Total 3-Pt Reb.  Team (Date) Min FG-A Pct FGA Pct FT-A Pct O D T F-O A TO S B Pts  Season Highs Points - 20 at lowa State (2/18/25)	
EASTERN WASHINGTON (11/4) *11:33 2-3 .667 1-1 1.000 0-0 .000 1 3 4 1 0 3 0 0 5 Rebounds - 12 at TCU (2/2/25)	
NORTHERN COLORADO (11/8) *14:44 2-7 .286 0-3 .000 0-0 .000 0 1 1 1 2 1 0 0 4   Field Goals - 8 at lowa State (2/18/25)	
CAL STATE FULLERTON (11/13) 17:57 3-5 .600 1-1 1.000 0-0 .000 1 4 5 2 0 3 0 3 7 FG Attempts - 14 at lowa State (2/18/25)	
HARVARD (11/17) 13:41 0-5 .000 0-0 .000 0-0 .000 1 4 5 3 2 0 0 0 0   3PT Field Goals - 2 vs. Cincinnati (1/15/25)	
vs. Michigan State (11/25) 15:50 1-5 .200 0-2 .000 1-2 .500 0 1 1 2 0 0 0 0 3 3PT FG Attempts - 5 vs. Cincinnati (1/15/25)	
vs. UConn (11/26) 14:05 1-4 .250 0-2 .000 3-4 .750 0 1 1 2 0 0 0 0 5 Free Throws - 3 seven times (last at lowa State,	
vs. Iowa State (11/27) 18:10 3-5 .600 1-1 1.000 1-2 .500 0 1 1 0 2 0 1 0 8 2/18/25)	
PACIFIC (12/2) 24:57 3-8 .375 0-2 .000 1-2 .500 2 4 6 2 3 0 1 4 7 FT Attempts - 4 six times (last at Kansas, 2/11/25)	
COLORADO STATE (12/7) 18:04 7-8 .875 1-2 .500 1-2 .500 3 1 4 1 1 2 1 0 16 Assists - 5 vs lowa State (12/30/24)	
SOUTH DAKOTA STATE (12/13) 12:11 3-5 .600 0-1 .000 2-2 1.000 1 1 2 2 0 2 0 1 8   Rincks - 8 vs. Cincinnati (1/15/25)	
BELLARMINE (12/21) 14:34 3-4 .750 0-1 .000 1-2 .500 2 1 3 0 0 1 3 1 7   Steals - 3 at Utah (2/5/25) vs. Bellarmine (12/21/2	1)
10WA STATE (12/30) 17:31 2-5 .400 0-1 .000 0-0 .000 3 5 8 3 5 4 1 2 4   Minutes - 30:30 vs Cincipnati (1/15/25)	'
"at Arizona State (1/4) 3:31 0-1 .000 0-0 .000 0-0 .000 0 0 1 0 1 1 0 0	
*at UCF (1/8) 18:15 3-4 .750 1-1 1.000 3-4 .750 1 2 3 4 0 1 1 2 10 Career Highs	
WEST VIRGINIA (1/12) 10.51 1-1 1.000 0-0 .000 2-4 .500 0 1 1 3 1 2 0 0 4   Pointe 20 at love Ctate (0/19/05)	
ONIONIVATI (1/15) 50.05 7-10 .000 2-3 .400 0-4 .700 0 0 1 1 1 1 0 19   Balance 40 at TOLL (0/05)	
*at Oklahoma State (1/18)  *26:27  6-8  .750  0-1  .000  3-3  1.000  1  4  5  1  2  2  1  1  15  Rebounds - 12 at TCU (2/2/25)	
*BYU (1/21)	
*at Arizona (1/25)	
*ARIZONA STATE (1/28) *23:47 5-8 .625 0-1 .000 3-4 .750 2 4 6 4 2 1 0 2 13 3PT Field Goals - 2 vs. Cincinnati (1/15/25)	
*at TCU (2/2)	
*at Utah (2/5)	
*HOUSTON (2/8)	
*at Kansas (2/11)	
*UCF (2/15)	
*at Iowa State (2/18)	
*BAYLOR (2/22)  Steals - 3 at Utah (2/5/25), vs. Bellarmine (12/21/2	1)
*KANSAS (2/24) Minutes - 30:39 vs. Cincinnati (1/15/25)	
*at Kansas State (3/2)	
*at Texas Tech (3/5)	
*TCU (3/8)	
Totals 499:51 81-158 .513 11-36 .306 35-50 .700 30 73 103 53 29 38 22 38 208	
Big 12 324:06 53-99 .535 7-20 .350 25-34 .735 19 51 70 37 19 26 16 29 138	

**Career Statistics** Min FG FGA Pct 3FG FGΔ Pct FT FΤΔ Pct Off Def PF S Year GP GS Avq Tot Avq FΩ TO Pts Avg 7.0 32 .438 2 9 18 .556 5 22 27 15 0 9 5 2023-24 23 0 160 14 .222 10 1.2 7 4 40 1.7 2024-25 26 13 500 19.2 81 158 .513 11 36 .306 35 50 .700 30 73 103 4.0 53 0 29 38 22 38 208 8.0 660 13.5 95 190 .500 13 45 .289 45 68 .662 35 95 130 2.7 68 0 38 45 27 42 248 **Totals** 49 13 5.1



## 1 1 Javon RUFFIN 6-5 - 185 - Jr. - G New Orleans, La. (PHHoenix Prep [Ariz.])

**2024-25 (Junior):** Second on the team in assists, third in 3-point percentage and fourth in 3-pointers made.

- Led the Buffaloes in scoring for the first time this season with 13 at Utah while matching a personal best with three 3-point field goals.
- Career-high 15 points against Harvard, hitting an efficient 4 of 5 from the field and 4 of 4 from the line.
- Career-high five assists vs. Cal State Fullerton.
- Back-to-back double figure scoring games for the third time and first since freshman season.

**2023-24 (Sophomore):** Made his season debut vs. Washington, his first game since Feb. 18, 2023 (at Arizona).

- Had knee surgery in April 2023 that was supposed to keep him out for the season, but rehab went better than expected and was cleared to play in December right before the conference season.

#### 2022-23 (Redshirt Freshman):

- Missed the final seven games of the season with a knee injury.
- Averaged 11.5 points and 5.5 rebounds while shooting 53 percent on the ASU-Arizona trip.

- Career and then team-season best 7 of 7 from the line at UCLA.
- Made his first collegiate start vs. Tennessee.

 ${\bf 2021\hbox{-}22}$  (Freshman): Sat out the season as a redshirt in the Colorado basketball program.

**Before CU/Personal:** A 2021 graduate of PHHoenix Prep in Arizona where he played his senior season in the "Grind Session" and was named to the All-Star Team from a squad that featured eight future NCAA Division I players.

- Averaged 22.3 points, 8.2 rebounds and 3.2 assists as a junior for Isidore Newman High School in his hometown of New Orleans.
- An All-State selection by the Louisiana State Writers Association, he helped the Greenies to a district title and the semifinals of the Division III state semifinals.
- An Information Science major at Colorado.
- His father, Michael, is a Denver native and a former assistant coach with the Phoenix Suns. Michael played collegiately at Tulsa and in nine seasons in the NBA for six different teams.
- The third of seven children in the Ruffin family, along with brothers Deionte, Zathan and Gabriel and sisters Milaya, Kalea and Neriah.

	2024-25 GAME-BY-GAME Total 3-Pt Reb. am (Date) Min FG-A Pct FGA Pct FT-A Pct O D T F-O A TO S B Pts														Season Highs		
Team (Date) Mi	lin				-	FT-Δ	Pct			т	F-O	Δ	TΩ	S	R	Dte	Points - 15 vs. Harvard (11/17/24)
EASTERN WASHINGTON (11/4) *24:		5-9	.556	0-2	.000	2-3	.667	1	2	3	0	2	1	0	0	12	Rebounds - 7 vs. West Virginia (1/12/25)
NORTHERN COLORADO (11/8) *33:		4-8	.500	1-3	.333	3-4	.750	0	3	3	3	1	i	1	1	12	Field Goals - 5 at Arizona (1/25/25), vs. Eastern
CAL STATE FULLERTON (11/13)*21		3-6	.500	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	0	2	2	1	5	2	3	0	7	Washington (11/4/24)
` ,	9:08	4-5	.800	2-3	.667	5-5	1.000	0	2	2	1	4	2	1	0	15	FG Attempts - 10 vs. Cincinnati (1/15/25)
	2:28	1-4	.250	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	3PT Field Goals - 3 at Utah (2/5/25)
vs. UConn (11/26) *30:	0:42	1-4	.250	1-2	.500	3-5	.600	1	2	3	2	2	1	0	1	6	3PT FG Attempts - 6 at Utah (2/5/25)
vs. Iowa State (11/27) 20:	):41	0-2	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	4	4	0	1	0	0	Free Throws - 3 vs. UConn (11/26/24), vs. Northern
PACIFIC (12/2) 5:2	:26	0-3	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	Colorado (11/8/24)
COLORADO STATE (12/7) 15:	5:38	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	3	3	4	3	0	1	0	0	FT Attempts - 5 vs. UConn (11/26/24)
,	3:04	0-5	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	Assists - 5 vs. Cal State Fullerton (11/13/24)
BELLARMINE (12/21)		DNP															Blocks - 1 four times (last at Kansas, 2/11/25)
- ( )	3:23	4-7	.571	0-2	.000		1.000	0	0	0	4	2	3	0	0	9	Steals - 3 vs. Cal State Fullerton (11/13/24)
	:03	1-4	.250	1-4	.250	2-2	1.000	0	3	3	4	4	2	0	0	5	Minutes - 33:27 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)
*at UCF (1/8)		DNP															Caracy Highs
- ( )	:43	1-7	.143		.333	2-2	1.000	1	6	7	5-1	4	2	1	0	5	Career Highs Points - 15 vs. Harvard (11/17/24)
( ' - /		4-10	.400		.500	0-0	.000	0	2	2	1	1	3	0	0	9	<b>Rebounds -</b> 7 vs. West Virginia (1/12/25), at Arizona
	3:10	1-4	.250	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0	0	0	3	3	3	1	1	3	State (2/16/23)
- ( ' )	3:39	2-6	.333		.500	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	2	4	2	0	6	Field Goals - 5 three times (last at Arizona, 1/25/25)
	2:05	5-9	.556		.500	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	12	FG Attempts - 10 four times (last vs. Cincinnati,
/	':48	2-5	.400	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	5	1/15/25)
*at TCU (2/2) 22:		3-6	.500	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	0	2	2	1	2	1	1	0	8	3PT Field Goals - 3 four times (last at Utah, 2/5/25)
	':15	4-9	.444		.500	2-3	.667	0	2	2	3	3	3	1	0	13	3PT FG Attempts - 7 three times (last at Arizona,
	2:44		.333	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0	2	2	1	2	3	1	0	3	2/18/23)
	9:09		.000	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	0	3	3	1	2	1	0	1	0	Free Throws - 7 at UCLA (1/14/23)
()	3:48	3-5	.600	2-4	.500	0-1	.000	1	1	2	1	2	3	1	0	8	FT Attempts - 7 at UCLA (1/14/23)
	3:42	2-5	.400	0-2	.000	2-2	1.000	0	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	6	Assists - 5 vs. Cal State Fullerton (11/13/24)
*BAYLOR (2/22)																	Blocks - 1 nine times (last at Kansas, 2/11/25)
*KANSAS (2/24)																	Steals - 3 vs. Cal State Fullerton (11/13/24)
*at Kansas State (3/2)																	Minutes - 33:27 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)
*at Texas Tech (3/5)																	11111111111111111111111111111111111111
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**Career Statistics** FGA 3FG Off GP GS Min FG Pct FGA Pct FT FΤΔ Def PF FO TΩ S R Pts Year Avq Pct Tot Avq Avq 2022-23 24 2 351 14.6 46 109 422 24 67 .358 28 32 .875 5 53 58 2.4 32 0 19 19 13 3 144 6.0 7 2023-24 18 0 178 9.9 11 37 .297 25 .280 9 11 .818 5 24 29 1.6 18 0 13 14 4 2 38 2.1 .386 64 22 .759 5 38 43 39 6.1 2024-25 24 6 512 21.3 51 132 22 .344 29 1.8 43 52 15 146 1 **Totals** 1041 15.8 108 278 156 .340 .819 115 130 1 85



\*at Arizona (1/25)

\*at Utah (2/5)

\*UCF (2/15)

\*HOUSTON (2/8)

\*at Kansas (2/11)

\*at Iowa State (2/18)
\*BAYLOR (2/22)
\*KANSAS (2/24)
\*at Kansas State (3/2)
\*at Texas Tech (3/5)
\*TCU (3/8)

\*ARIZONA STATE (1/28) \*at TCU (2/2)

## 13 Courtney ANDERSON, JR. 6-5 - 192 - Fr. - G

Vallejo, Calif. (Dublin)

**2024-25 (Redshirt Freshman):** Scored his first collegiate points on a basket vs. Bellarmine.

- Made his collegiate deubt in the final minutes of the win over Eastern Washington.

**2023-24 (Freshman):** Sat out the season as a redshirt in the Colorado basketball program.

Before CU/Personal: A 2023 graduate of Dublin High School.

- Earned all-state and all-area honors his sophomore through senior years.
- A two-time all-league and San Francisco Chronicle All-Metro pick.
- Averaged 20.1 points and nearly five rebounds a game as a junior, helping the Gaels to an 8-1 league record and a spot in the North Coast Section Open Division tournament.

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- Rated as a four-star guard by ESPN and the 15th best player in the state of California.
- Scored a Griddly Tournament record 98 points in a three-game span. Played two years with the West Coast Elite club program.
- An Exploratory Studies major at Colorado, he was named a Scholar-Athlete in high school.
- Born Aug. 15, 2005, in Berkeley, Calif., he is considered one of the youngest players in NCAA Division I as a freshman.
- His father, Courtney Sr. played four seasons in the NFL as a tight end, mostly with the Oakland Raiders who selected him in the seventh round of the 2004 NFL Draft.
- Enjoys movies and video games.
- Favorite athlete is LeBron James.
- Chose Colorado over numerous schools, including Arizona State, Cal, San Diego State and Santa Clara in part because "the culture and the experiences I would get on and off the court."

	Total	202	4-25 G 3-P		BY-GA	ME		Reb.								Career Highs
Team (Date) Min	FG-A	Pct	FGA	Pct	FT-A	Pct	0	D	Τ	F-0	Α	TO	S	В	Pts	Points - 2 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)
EASTERN WASHINGTON (11/4) 1:54	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	Rebounds - 2 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)
NORTHERN COLORADO (11/8)	DNP															Field Goals - 1 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)
CAL STATE FULLERTON (11/13) 1:34	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	FG Attempts - 4 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)
HARVARD (11/17)	DNP															3PT Field Goals -
vs. Michigan State (11/25) 1:42	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	3PT FG Attempts - 2 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)
vs. UConn (11/26)	DNP															Free Throws -
vs. Iowa State (11/27)	DNP															FT Attempts -
PACIFIC (12/2)	DNP															Assists - 1 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)
COLORADO STATE (12/7)	DNP															Blocks -
SOUTH DAKOTA STATE (12/13)	DNP	050	0.0	000	0.0	000	_	_	_	^		_	_	^	^	Steals -
BELLARMINE (12/21) 10:30	1-4 DNP	.250	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	U	ı	U	U	U	2	Minutes - 10:30 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)
*IOWA STATE (12/30) *at Arizona State (1/4)	DNP															, , ,
*at UCF (1/8)	DNP															
*WEST VIRGINIA (1/12)	DNP															
*CINCINNATI (1/15)	DNP															
*at Oklahoma State (1/18)	DNP															
*BYU (1/21)	DNP															

Totals 15:40 1-4 .250 0-2 .000 0-0 .000 0 3 3 1 1 1 0 0 2

**Career Statistics** 

**FGA** 3FG Year GP GS Min Avg FG Pct FGA Pct FT FTA Pct Off Def Tot Avg PF FO TO Pts Avg .250 2 2024-25 4.0 0 .000 0 .000 0 3 3 8.0 0 2 0.5 0 16



### Felix KOSSARAS 6-5 - 192 - Fr. - G Montreal, Que. (Fort Erie International Acad [Ont.])

2024-25 (Freshman): Led Colorado in rebounding at Iowa State with a career-best five boards. Had only two in his previous eight Big 12 games.

Career-best five points and first game with multiple field goals vs. Houston.

- First career 3-point field goal at TCU.

Made his collegiate debut against Eastern Washington scoring two points with three rebounds.

- Recorded the first two blocks of his career vs South Dakota State.

Before CU/Personal: A 2024 graduate of Fort Erie International Academy in Fort Erie, Ontario, Canada.

- A four-star prospect by On3.com which rates him as the 92nd best prep prospect and the 21st at his position.
- Played internationally for Team Canada at the FIBA 2022 U17 World Cup in Spain.
- Was one of 24 players selected to play in the 2023 BioSteel All-Canadian Basketball Game, recording 11 points, five rebounds and two assists.
- He participated in the Basketball Without Borders Global Camp in Salt Lake City in conjunction with the NBA All-Star Game in February 2023, winning the camp's 3-point contest.
- An Exploratoy Studies major at Colorado.

		Total		4-25 ( 3-P		BY-GA	ME		Reb.								Car
Team (Date)	Min	FG-A		FGA		FT-A	Pct	0	D.	Т	F-0	Α	то	s	В	Pts	Poi
EASTERN WASHINGTON (11/4)		1-6	.167	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	2	1	3	2	0	0	1	0	2	Reb
NORTHERN COLORADO (11/8)		1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	2	Fiel
CAL STATE FULLERTON (11/13		1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	0	3	3	1	2	0	0	0	4	FG
HARVARD (11/17)	13:21	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	2	1	1	1	0	0	3РТ
vs. Michigan State (11/25)	7:21	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	0	2	2	2	1	2	1	0	2	2/18
vs. UConn (11/26)	2:34	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	3PT
vs. Iowa State (11/27)	7:14	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	Fre
PACIFIC (12/2)	8:20	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	12/2
COLORADO STATE (12/7)	2:02	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	FT
SOUTH DAKOTA STATE (12/13)	9:36	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	1-2	.500	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	Ι.
BELLARMINE (12/21)	15:04	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	2-2	1.000	0	2	2	1	2	0	0	0	4	Ass
*IOWA STATE (12/30)	1:42	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
*at Arizona State (1/4)		DNP															Ste
*at UCF (1/8)	2:27	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	1	Min
*WEST VIRGINIA (1/12)		DNP															
*CINCINNATI (1/15)		DNP															
*at Oklahoma State (1/18)	7:10	1-1	1.000		.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	3	0	1	1	0	2	
*BYU (1/21)	3:54	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	
*at Arizona (1/25)		DNP															
*ARIZONA STATE (1/28)		DNP						_						_	_	_	
*at TCU (2/2)	10:46	1-3	.333	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	3	
*at Utah (2/5)	3:48	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
*HOUSTON (2/8)	9:16	2-2	1.000	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	5	
*at Kansas (2/11)	3:07	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
*UCF (2/15)	14.05	DNP 1-1	1 000	4.4	1 000	0-0	000	2	3	5	2	2	1	4	0	0	
*at Iowa State (2/18)	14:35	1-1	1.000	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	2	3	Э	2	2	- 1	1	U	3	
*BAYLOR (2/22)																	
*KANSAS (2/24) *at Kansas State (3/2)																	
*at Texas Tech (3/5)																	
*TCU (3/8)																	
100 (0/0)																	
Totals	158:59	10-24	.417	3-10	.300	8-14	.571	5	18	23	18	12	12	6	2	31	
Big 12	56:45	6-9	.667	3-6	.500	1-4	.250	2	5	7	8	4	6	3	0	16	

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oints - 5 vs. Houston (2/8/25) ebounds - 5 at Iowa State (2/18/25)

eld Goals - 2 vs. Houston (2/8/25)

G Attempts - 6 vs. Eastern Washington (11/4/24) PT Field Goals - 1 thee times (last at lowa State, 18/25)

PT FG Attempts - 3 at TCU (2/2/25)

ree Throws - 2 three times (last vs. Bellarmine, 2/21/24)

Attempts - 2 six times (last at UCF, 1/8/25)

ssists - 2 three times (last at lowa State, 2/18/25) locks - 2 vs. South Dakota State (12/13/24)

teals - 1 six times (last at lowa State, 2/18/25)

inutes - 15:04 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)

**Career Statistics** 

GP GS Min FG FGA Pct 3FG FGA Pct FT FTA Pct Off Def Ava PF FO A TO В Pts Avg Year Ava Tot 2024-25 20 159 7.9 10 24 .417 10 .571 5 23 1.2 0 12



\*KANSAS (2/24) \*at Kansas State (3/2) \*at Texas Tech (3/5) \*TCU (3/8)

### **93** Andrej **Jakimovski**

6-8 - 220 - Gr. - F

Kriva Palanka, North Macedonia (Basket Torino/Wash. St.)

**2024-25 (Graduate):** Second on the team in scoring, 3-point field goals and rebounding and third in steals.

- Led Colorado in scoring for the fifth time this year with 15 vs. UCF.
- Scored 16 points at UCF, surpassing the 1,000-point mark for his collegiate career.
- 200th 3-point field goal of his career vs. Pacific.
- Averaged 11.3 points and a team-best 6.0 rebounds in Maui.
- Fifth career double-double vs. UConn.
- Game-high 20 points against Harvard, the fifth 20-point game in his college career.
- Tied his collegiate best with five 3-point field goals against Cal State Fullerton.

2020-24 (Washington State): Averaged 7.1 points and 4.6 rebounds over 120 career games at Washington State. He

- Made 184 3-point field goals, ranking ninth on the Cougars' all-time list.

- As a senior in 2023-24, he averaged 9.7 points and 5.6 rebounds, helping the Cougars to a 25-10 record and the second round of the NCAA Tournament.
- Started all 35 games for the Cougars in 2023-24, ranking second on the team in rebounding, 3-point field goals (67) and steals (21).
- Averaged 7.7 points and 4.6 rebounds in 23 games as a junior, scoring a career-high 22 points against Arizona State.
- Shot 38 percent from 3-point range as a sophomore in 2021-22.
- One of his four career double-doubles came against Colorado, a 14-point, 10 rebound effort.

**Before CU/Personal:** Played for Reale Mutua Torino in the Italian Serie A2 Basket League before enrolling at Washington State.

- Averaged 28 points, 14 rebounds, 4.3 assists per game at the Italian Next-Gen Under-19 competition.
- A member of the North Macedonia national team, playing in European qualifying play.
- Was the top scorer at the 2019 FIBA U18 European Championship at 18.4 points per game while adding 9.4 rebounds and 3.1 assists per contest.
- Graduated from Washington State in 2024 with bachelor's degrees in Finance and Marketing.
- Majoring in Italian at Colorado.

			202	4-25 C	AME-	BY-GA	ME									
		Total		3-P	t				Reb							
Team (Date)	Min	FG-A	Pct	FGA	Pct	FT-A	Pct	0	D	Т	F-O	Α	TO	S	В	Pts
EASTERN WASHINGTON (11/4	) *30:02	3-9	.333	1-4	.250	4-5	.800	0	7	7	0	2	1	3	0	11
NORTHERN COLORADO (11/8)	*37:57	2-9	.222	0-4	.000	5-6	.833	3	3	6	2	0	3	4	0	9
CAL STATE FULLERTON (11/1)	3)*19:59	6-12	.500	5-8	.625	0-0	.000	1	2	3	1	1	1	0	0	17
HARVARD (11/17)	*27:04	7-14	.500	2-6	.333	4-5	.800	3	2	5	0	1	0	1	0	20
vs. Michigan State (11/25)	*28:11	1-7	.143	1-4	.250	1-2	.500	1	3	4	1	2	0	1	0	4
vs. UConn (11/26)	*32:41	4-7	.571	2-4	.500	2-2	1.000	3	7	10	2	1	0	1	0	12
vs. Iowa State (11/27)	*28:08	5-13	.385	2-6	.333	6-6	1.000	0	4	4	1	1	2	0	0	18
PACIFIC (12/2)	*31:02	6-13	.462	4-7	.571	1-1	1.000	0	4	4	1	2	0	0	0	17
COLORADO STATE (12/7)	*29:45	4-12	.333	1-8	.125	0-0	.000	1	2	3	0	3	1	0	0	9
SOUTH DAKOTA STATE (12/13)	*32:16	2-8	.250	0-6	.000	0-0	.000	1	3	4	0	3	1	3	0	4
BELLARMINE (12/21)	*21:02	1-3	.333	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	1	4	1	1	0	2
*IOWA STATE (12/30)		DNP														
*at Arizona State (1/4)	*30:20	4-14	.286	1-6	.167	0-0	.000	2	3	5	3	1	1	1	0	9
*at UCF (1/8)	*36:09	6-9	.667	4-5	.800	0-0	.000	0	4	4	1	1	1	1	0	16
*WEST VIRGINIA (1/12)	*35:55	3-6	.500	0-3	.000	2-2	1.000	1	5	6	2	0	0	1	0	8
*CINCINNATI (1/15)	*29:25	1-6	.167	0-2	.000	0-3	.000	1	0	1	4	1	0	1	1	2
*at Oklahoma State (1/18)	*24:49	3-7	.429	1-5	.200	0-0	.000	1	2	3	0	2	0	1	1	7
*BYU (1/21)	*22:43	3-7	.429	0-3	.000	3-4	.750	1	2	3	2	0	0	0	0	9
*at Arizona (1/25)	*24:36	3-7	.429	2-4	.500	2-2	1.000	1	2	3	1	2	4	0	0	10
*ARIZONA STATE (1/28)	*32:39	2-7	.286	1-3	.333	2-2	1.000	2	2	4	3	0	0	0	0	7
*at TCU (2/2)	*23:59	5-9	.556	2-4	.500	1-1	1.000	1	3	4	2	0	1	1	0	13
*at Utah (2/5)	*30:41	2-9	.222	1-6	.167	2-2	1.000	0	6	6	1	1	0	1	0	7
*HOUSTON (2/8)	*22:38	0-4	.000	0-4	.000	3-4	.750	1	4	5	3	3	2	0	0	3
*at Kansas (2/11)	*27:27	3-9	.333	3-7	.429	0-0	.000	1	3	4	2	0	1	0	0	9
*UCF (2/15)	*26:22	6-10	.600	3-6	.500	0-0	.000	1	6	7	4	1	3	0	0	15
*at Iowa State (2/18)	*24:11	4-8	.500	0-3	.000	2-5	.400	2	2	4	1	1	3	1	0	10
*BAYLOR (2/22)																

CU Career Highs

Points - 20 vs. Harvard (11/17/24)

**Rebounds -** 10 vs. UConn (11/26/24) **Field Goals -** 7 vs. Harvard (11/17/24)

FG Attempts - 14 at Arizona State (1/4/25), vs.

Harvard (11/17/24)

**3PT Field Goals** - 5 vs. Cal State Fullerton (11/13/24) **3PT FG Attempts** - 8 vs. Colorado State (12/7/24), vs. Cal State Fullerton (11/13/24)

Free Throws - 6 vs. Iowa State (11/27/24)

FT Attempts - 6 vs. Iowa State (11/27/24), vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)

Assists - 4 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)

**Blocks -** 1 at Oklahoma State (1/18/25), vs. Cincinnati (1/15/25)

Steals - 4 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)

Minutes - 37:57 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)

Totals 710:02 86-219 .393 36-119 .303 40-52 .769 28 83 111 38 33 26 22 2 248 Big 12 391:54 45-112 .402 18-61 .295 17-25 .680 15 44 59 29 13 16 8 2 125

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Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	FG	FGA	Pct	3FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	F0	Α	TO	S	В	Pts	Avg
2020-21	25	19	630	25.2	46	147	.313	33	103	.320	12	20	.600	25	79	103	4.1	38	0	44	40	8	4	137	5.5
2021-22	37	5	700	18.9	66	171	.386	44	115	.383	23	32	.719	45	99	144	3.9	69	1	28	30	17	5	199	5.4
2022-23	23	21	613	26.7	61	169	.361	40	116	.345	16	26	.615	31	75	106	4.6	51	0	26	26	15	6	178	7.7
2023-24	35	35	1178	33.7	116	321	.361	67	202	.332	42	70	.600	38	157	195	5.6	63	0	46	35	21	14	341	9.7
WSU	120	80	3121	26.0	289	808	.358	184	536	.343	93	148	.628	139	409	548	4.6	212	1	144	131	61	29	855	7.1
2024-25	25	25	710	28.4	86	219	.393	36	119	.303	40	52	.769	28	83	111	4.4	38	0	33	26	22	2	248	9.9
Overall	145	105	3831	26.4	375	1027	.365	220	655	.331	133	200	.665	167	492	659	4.5	250	1	177	157	83	32	1103	7.6

Career Statistics



Year

2023-24

2024-25

**Totals** 

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Min

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**FGA** 

2 .000

16

18 .333

Pct FT

.375

# 31 Harrison CARRINGTON 6-7 - 207 - So - G/F Menlo Park, Calif. (Northfield Mount Hermon [Mass.])

**2024-25 (Sophomore):** First double-figure scoring game with 11 points on 4 for 5 shooting at lowa State.

- Has made 20 of 26 attempts inside the 3-point arc (.769)
- Made his first career start at Arizona.
- Career-best four rebounds vs. Pacific.
- Connected on his first career 3-point field goal against the Crimson.
- Came to Colorado as a walk-on in the fall of 2022 and was awareded a full scholarship prior to his sophomore season.

**2023-24 (Redshirt Freshman):** Played a career-high 17 minutes and personal-best three rebounds vs. Washington.

- Made his collegiate debut against Towson.
- Scored his first career field goal against Iona.

**2022-23 (Freshman):** Sat out the season as a redshirt in the Colorado basketball program.

#### **Before CU:**

- A 2021 graduate of Sacred Heart Prep.
- Averaged 20.2 points, 8.5 rebounds, 3.0 assists, 2.2 blocks and 1.2 steals per game while shooting 53 percent from the field as a senior.
- Named league and team MVP. Spent the 2021-22 academic year at Northfield Mount Herman, a prep school in Massachusetts.
- Helped the Hoggers to a second-place finish in the New England Prep School Athletic Council Class AAA Division and was a national prep championship finalist.
- Scored 40 points and had 18 rebounds in a game at Northfield Mount Herman.
- Majoring in Finance at Colorado.
- His father John is a CU alum.
- Favorite professional teams are the Denver Nuggets and Denver Broncos and is favorite athlete is Kla Thompson.
- Enjoys hanging out with friends and playing golf.

		Total		4-25 ( 3-P		BY-GA	ME		Reb.								Season Highs
Team (Date)	Min	FG-A			-	FT-A	Pct	0	neb. D	т	F-0	Α	то	s	В	Pts	Points - 11 at Iowa State (2/18/25)
EASTERN WASHINGTON (11/4)		0-1	.000		.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	()	Rebounds - 4 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24), vs. Pacific
NORTHERN COLORADO (11/8)	0.02	DNP	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	'	U	'	U	U	'	U	U	U	(12/2/24)
CAL STATE FULLERTON (11/13	10.00	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	2-2	1.000	0	0	0	2	1	3	Λ	0	4	Field Goals - 4 at lowa State (2/18/25)
HARVARD (11/17)	9:59	2-2	1.000		1.000	4-4	1.000	0	2	2	1	Ö	1	1	0	9	FG Attempts - 5 at Iowa State (2/18/25), vs. Bellarm-
vs. Michigan State (11/25)	12:01	0-0	.000		.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	Ö	0	Ö	i	0	0	ine (12/21/24)
vs. UConn (11/26)	2:05	0-0	.000		.000	0-2	.000	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3PT Field Goals - 1 six times (last at lowa State,
vs. Iowa State (11/27)	9:35	1-1	1.000		.000	1-1	1.000	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	3	2/18/25)
PACIFIC (12/2)	20:18	2-4	.500		.000	2-2	1.000	1	3	4	2	1	1	0	0	6	3PT FG Attempts - 2 four times (last vs. BYU, 1/21/25)
COLORADO STATE (12/7)	10:15	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	Free Throws - 4 vs. South Dakota State (12/13/24),
SOUTH DAKOTA STATE (12/13)		1-1	1.000		1.000	4-4	1.000	1	2	3	1	1	Ō	0	0	7	vs. Harvard (11/17/24)  FT Attempts - 4 three times (last at Arizona State,
BELLARMINE (12/21)	11:36	2-5	.400	0-2	.000	1-1	1.000	1	3	4	1	0	2	1	1	5	1/4/25)
*IOWA STATE (12/30)	14:56	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	Assists - 2 vs. BYU (1/21/25)
*at Arizona State (1/4)	9:02	1-2	.500	1-2	.500	3-4	.750	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	6	Steals - 1 nine times (last at Utah, 2/5/25)
*at UCF (1/8)	2:07	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	Blocks - 2 vs. West Virginia (1/12/25)
*WEST VIRGINIA (1/12)	13:29	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	1-2	.500	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	2	3	Minutes - 21:27 vs. Cincinnati (1/15/25)
*CINCINNATI (1/15)	21:27	3-3	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	1	2	4	0	2	1	0	6	
*at Oklahoma State (1/18)	11:36	2-3	.667	1-2	.500	1-2	.500	0	1	1	3	0	1	1	0	6	Career Highs
*BYU (1/21)	18:18	2-3	.667	1-2	.500	2-2	1.000	1	2	3	1	2	2	1	0	7	Points - 11 at Iowa State (2/18/25)
*at Arizona (1/25)	*8:46	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	Rebounds - 4 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24), vs. Pacific
*ARIZONA STATE (1/28)	3:15	1-1	1.000		.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	(12/2/24)
*at TCU (2/2)	5:57	1-2	.500		.000	0-0	.000	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	Field Goals - 4 at lowa State (2/18/25)
*at Utah (2/5)	3:25	0-0	.000		.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	FG Attempts - 5 at Iowa State (2/18/25), vs. Bellarm-
*HOUSTON (2/8)	3:52	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	ine (12/21/24)
*at Kansas (2/11)	2:43	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	3PT Field Goals - 1 six times (last at lowa State,
*UCF (2/15)		DNP															2/18/25)
*at Iowa State (2/18)	16:58	4-5	.800	1-1	1.000	2-3	.667	2	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	11	3PT FG Attempts - 2 four times (last vs. BYU, 1/21/25)
*BAYLOR (2/22)																	Free Throws - 4 vs. South Dakota State (12/13/24),
*KANSAS (2/24)																	vs. Harvard (11/17/24)  FT Attempts - 4 three times (last at Arizona State,
*at Kansas State (3/2)																	1/4/25)
*at Texas Tech (3/5)																	<b>Assists -</b> 2 vs. BYU (1/21/25)
*TCU (3/8)																	Steals - 1 10 times (last at Utah, 2/5/25)
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## 35 Assane DIOP 6-8 - 210 - So - F Dakar, Senegal (Accelerated Schools of Denver)

**2024-25 (Sophomore):** Third on the team in rebounding.

- Matched a career-high with 10 rebounds vs. UCF.
- Led Colorado in scoring for the first time vs. Bellarmine with career-highs in points (15) and field goals made and attempted (7 of 11)
- Made his first-career 3-pointer against UNC.

2023-24 (Freshman): Led Colorado freshmen in games played.

- Career-high seven rebounds against California.
- Career-best 10 points in 16 minutes vs. Oregon State.
- Hit a career-best three field goals against the Beavers on four attempts. Had been just 2 of 4 from the field in seven previous Pac-12 games.
- Made his collegiate debut against Towson.

**Before CU/Personal:** Spent his senior year with Accelerated Prep, a private basketball program associated with Accelerated Schools of Denver.

- McDonald's All-American nominee.

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- A four-star and No. 2 ranked prospect in the state of Colorado for the Class of 2023.
- A top 100 national prospect, he was rated No. 74 overall in the ESPN Top100 and 13th-best at his position. He ranked No. 100 in the nation according to 247Sports Composite Rankings and the 13th-best post player in the nation.
- Spent his junior season at Denver Prep Academy, playing on The Grind Session, a national-travel basketball circuit, averaging eight points and nearly nine rebounds per game.
- Helped Wesminster's Belleview Christian to the Colorado Class 1A State Championship as a sophomore in 2020-21.
- Played three years for the Colorado Hawks club team.
- A Communication major at Colorado.
- A native of Dakar, Senegal, he moved to Colorado in January 2020 to pursue basketball and educational opportunities.
- Enjoys watching movies and hanging out with friends.
- Favorite NBA players are LeBron James and Kyrie Irving and likes the Los Angeles Lakers and Denver Nuggets.
- Enjoys playing ping pong, bowling and is learning how to play pickle ball and tennis.
- Played alongside fellow countryman and Kansas State sophomore Baye Fall in high school.

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EASTERN WASHINGTON (11/4) 15:		1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	4	5	0	3	2	1	0	2	Colorado (11/8/24)
NORTHERN COLORADO (11/8) 26:		1-5	.200	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	2	8	10	4	2	2	2	1	3	Field Goals - 7 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)
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(	18:37	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	5-6	.833	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	5	1/12/25)
,	15:18	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2	2	4	0	2	0	0	0	2	3PT FG Attempts - 3 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24), vs.
	12:53		1.000		.000	2-2	1.000	1	4	5	4	0	1	1	0	4	Colorado State (12/7/24)
,	17:00	1-4	.250	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0	8	8	0	3	0	0	2	3	Free Throws - 7 at UCF (1/8/25)
( ) -	19:23	1-2	.500	0-1	.000		1.000	0	3	3	1	0	2	1	0	4	FT Attempts - 8 at UCF (1/8/25)
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( )	17:35	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	2	3	1	1	5	0	0	4	Blocks - 2 vs. Colorado State (12/7/24)
	14:00	1-5	.200	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	3	0	3	1	1	2	0	0	2	Steals - 2 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)
	21:24	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	7-8	.875	1	5	6	4	5	1	1	0	9	Minutes - 26:25 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)
- ( ' /	22:42	3-4	.750		1.000	6-6	1.000	1	4	5	1	2	1	0	0	13	, ,
/	15:16	1-5	.200	0-2	.000	2-3	.667	2	6	8	3	0	3	0	0	4	Career Highs
	7:58	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	5-1	0	0	1	0	0	Points - 15 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)
- ( ' )	16:41	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	4-6	.667	2	2	4	2	0	3	0	0	6	Rebounds - 10 vs. UCF (2/15/25), vs. Northern
	1:15	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	3	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	1	Colorado (11/8/24)
( /	3:35	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	3	4	2	0	1	0	0	0	Field Goals - 7 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)
/ /	4:51	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	<b>FG Attempts -</b> 11 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)
( ( )	8:49	3-6	.500	0-2	.000	5-6	.833	0	4	4	2	0	1	0	0	11	3PT Field Goals - 1 four times (last vs. West Virginia,
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*KANSAS (2/24)																	FT Attempts - 8 at UCF (1/8/25)
*at Kansas State (3/2)																	<b>Assists -</b> 5 at UCF (1/8/25)
*at Texas Tech (3/5)																	Blocks - 2 vs. Colorado State (12/7/24)
*TCU (3/8)																	Steals - 2 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24), vs. Gram-
Totals 416	16:15	27-75	360	1_91	.190	44-54	.815	26	02	100	42-1	26	30	10	3	102	bling State (11/10/23)
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**Career Statistics** 

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\*at Kansas State (3/2) \*at Texas Tech (3/5) \*TCU (3/8)

## **50** Elijah **MALONE**6-10 - 268 - Gr. - C LaGrange, Ind. (Prairie Heights/Grace College)

**2024-25 (Graduate):** Leads the team in field goal percentage and is third blocked shots.

- Reached the career 2,000-point mark as a collegian against Harvard.
- Game-high 27 points against UNC, his 28th career game of 20-plus points (including Grace Col-

lege).

- Made the 100th 3-point field goal of his career against UNC.

**2020-24 (Grace College):** A two-time NAIA All-American and three-time All-Crossroads League pick.

- Named the recipient of the 2024 Bevo Francis Award, given to the nation's best small college player, encompassing NCAA II, III, NAIA and junior colleges.
- Averaged 14.1 points, 7.3 rebounds and 2.2 blocks over 139 career games at Grace. He is the Lancers' career leader in blocks (308) and field goal percentage (.653) and ranks ninth in both points (1,953) and rebounds (1,017).

- Averaged 17.3 points, 8.3 rebounds and 2.5 blocks as a senior, guiding Grace to a 34-2 record and the NAIA Fab Four (national semifinals).
- The 2024 NAIA Player of the Year, he shot 63 percent from the floor, 37 percent from 3-point range and 81 percent from the line.
- Named the Crossroads League Player of the Year and earned a spot on the NAIA All-Tournament Team. A
- As a junior, he averaged 14.9 points and 7.7 rebounds while shooting 62 percent from the field.
- Shot 69.7 percent from the field as a sophomore, setting a Grace single-season school record.
- A 2020 graduate of Prairie Heights High School, he averaged 15.7 points, on 72 percent shooting, 8.2 rebounds and 2.3 blocks as a senior helping the Panthers to an 18-6 record and No. 9 ranking in Indiana's Class 2A final poll. Named a small school all-state honoree.

Earned his bachelor's degree in Marketing from Grace College and is a Non-Degree Unclassified Undergrad at Colorado.

- A brother, Isaiah plays basketball at St. Francis (Ind.).

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NORTHERN COLORADO (1	1/8) *30:36	8-12	.667	1-2	.500	10-12	.833	2	3	5	1	0	2	2	0	27	П
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HARVARD (11/17)	*21:22	5-9	.556	0-0	.000	6-6	1.000	4	3	7	2	0	2	0	4	16	13
vs. Michigan State (11/25)	*25:30	7-10	.700	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	5	5	3	1	2	0	1	14	L
vs. UConn (11/26)	*24:07	6-10	.600	0-0	.000	4-6	.667	1	0	1	1	2	3	1	0	16	13
vs. Iowa State (11/27)	*24:29	2-7	.286	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	1	0	4	0	0	4	li
PACIFIC (12/2)	*15:58	4-6	.667	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	4	2	1	2	0	8	Б
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*BYU (1/21)	15:23	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	3-4	.750	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	3	Н
*at Arizona (1/25)	17:27	1-5	.200	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1	5	6	3	2	0	0	0	2	
*ARIZONA STATE (1/28)	*13:32	0-2	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1	2	3	1	1	1	1	0	0	
*at TCU (2/2)	12:54	1-2	.000	0-0	.000	3-4	.750	1	1	2	4	0	3	0	1	5	
*at Utah (2/5)	11:30	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	3	0	2	0	0	0	
*HOUSTON (2/8)	7:15	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	1	3	
*at Kansas (2/11)	15:42	5-7	.714	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	1	2	1	0	1	0	0	10	
*UCF (2/15)	13:31	3-5	.600	0-1	.000	1-2	.500	1	4	5	3	0	4	0	0	7	
*at Iowa State (2/18)	*17:04	0-4	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	0	0	0	4	1	0	1	0	2	
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*KANSAS (2/24)																	
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2024-25 GAME-BY-GAME

**CU Career Highs** 

State, 12/13/24)

Points - 27 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)
Rebounds - 9 vs. South Dakota State (12/13/24)

Field Goals - 8 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)
FG Attempts - 12 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)
3PT Field Goals - 1 three times (last vs. South Dakota

**3PT FG Attempts -** 2 vs. Iowa State (12/30/24), vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)

Free Throws - 8 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)

FT Attempts - 10 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)
Assists - 3 four times (last vs. West Virginia, 1/12/25)

Blocks - 4 vs. Harvard (11/17/24)

Steals - 3 vs. lowa State (12/30/24)

Minutes - 30:36 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)

Totals 453:00 74-131 .565 3-13 .231 42-55 .764 30 44 74 57 28 40 15 14 193 Big 12 212:47 23-54 .426 0-7 .000 15-20 .750 11 19 30 34 13 23 7 4 61

**Career Statistics** Pct Pct Year GP Pct Off Def PF FO Pts GS Min Avg FG **FGA** 3FG FGA FT FTA Tot Avg Α TO S В Avg 2020-21 32 13 599 18.7 171 .696 23 .348 61 .622 57 117 0 26 11 60 307 9.6 119 8 98 174 5.4 69 51 2021-22 36 34 851 23.6 184 264 .697 24 41 .585 113 170 .665 62 215 277 7.7 93 1 38 76 9 71 505 14.0 35 35 314 29 84 345 757 49 219 268 47 520 800 22 9 194 .618 103 136 77 63 0 67 18 87 149 2022-23 36 35 226 359 38 103 .369 131 59 239 298 0 68 73 90 2023-24 881 24.5 .630 161 .814 8.3 68 21 621 17.3 1 179 267 Grace 139 117 3131 22.5 723 1108 .653 99 251 .394 408 565 .722 227 790 1017 7.3 293 59 308 1953 14.1 2024-25 25 17 453 18.1 74 131 .565 3 13 .231 42 55 .764 30 44 74 3.0 57 0 28 40 15 14 193 7.7 797 .386 450 .726 834 1 207 307 74 322 2146 Overall 164 134 3584 21.9 1239 .643 102 264 620 257 1091 350



## **30** Greg **GERHARDT**6-10 - 215 - So. - F/C Superior, Colo. (Monarch/Sunrise Christian [Kan.])

**2024-25 (Sophomore):** Season debut against Bellarmine, attempting the first three shots of his career and first ever rebound.

**2023-24 (Redshirt Freshman):** Made his collegiate debut in the final minute against Utah Tech.

**2022-23 (Freshman):** Sat out the season as a redshirt in the Colorado basketball program.

Before CU/Personal: A 2021 graduate of Monarch High School.

 A three-year letter winner for the Coyotes, he averaged 9.5 points and 5.2 rebounds as a senior earning All-Front Range League honors and was an honorable mention to the BoCoPreps All-Region Team.

- Spent the 2021-22 season at Sunrise Christian Academy (Kan.), helping the Buffaloes to the national tournament.
- Played club basketball for the Billups Elite in Denver with current Buff Julian Hammond III.
- Majoring in Business Management at Colorado.
- Enjoys being outdoors.
- Favorite team is the Portland Trailblazers.
- Chose Colorado because "it was a no-brainer; a dream school of mine ever since I moved here."

Career Highs

Rebounds - 1 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24) FG Attempts - 3 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24) 3PT FG Attempts - 2 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24) Minutes - 3 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)

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Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	FG	FGA	Pct	3FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FΟ	Α	TO	S	В	Pts	Avg
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2024-25	1	0	3	3.0	0	3	.000	0	2	.000	0	0	.000	1	0	1	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Totals	2	0	4	2.0	0	3	.000	0	2	.000	0	0	.000	1	0	1	0.5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0



## 34 Jack PEASE

6-0 - 185 - Jr. - G Dallas, Texas (Highland Park)

**2024-25 (Junior):** Appeared in two games (Michigan State and Bellarmine).

**2023-24 (Sophomore):** Made his season debut, and first game in nearly two years, against Oregon State collecting his first two career rebounds and first assist.

2022-23 (Redshirt Freshman): Intended to transfer to NCAA Division II Colorado Christian, but an injury

changed those plans and instead took a gap year back home and returned to Colorado for the Fall 2023 semester.

**2021-22 (Freshman):** Played in two games, appearing in the final minutes of the home wins over Maine (11/15) and Oregon State (2/5).

- Hit one of two field goal attempts on the season, scoring his lone points on a field goal against the Beavers.
- Joined the Colorado program as a walk-on in the fall of 2021.

Before CU: A 2021 graduate of Highland Park High School.

- Averaged 12.1 points and 4.5 assists as a senior, helping the Scots to a 22-5 record, the District 13-5A title and a spot in the region semifinals.
- Named the District 13-5A Offensive Player of the Year and earned Texas Association of Basketball Coaches All-Region honors.

- A three-year letterwinner, two-time captain, team MVP and assist-award winner.
- Averaged 11.7 points and 4.5 assists as a junior. Ranks third in assists on Highland Park's all-time list.
- Played club basketball for the Texas Dynasty and one year with the Lone Star Elite.
- A Religious Studies major at Colorado.
- Enjoys Church, music, food, golf, playing cards and going to the movies.
- Member of Young Men's Service League in high school and was honored with the Presidential Award for the most hours of community service as a senior.
- An Eagle Scout.
- Would like to play basketball professionally overseas and then either becoming a coach or doing something in Ministry.
- A Black Belt in Taekwondo.

**Career Highs** 

Points - 2 vs. Oregon State (2/5/22)

Rebounds - 2 vs. Oregon State (1/20/24)

Field Goals - 1 vs. Oregon State (2/5/22)

FG Attempts - 3 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)

**3PT FG Attempts -** 1 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24), vs.

Oregon State (1/20/24)

Assists - 1 vs. Oregon State (1/20/24)

Minutes - 3 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24), vs. Oregon

State (2/5/22)

Career	<b>Statistics</b>
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Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	FG	FGA	Pct	3FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FΟ	Α	TO	S	В	Pts	Avg
2021-22	2	0	5	2.5	1	2	.500	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1.0
2023-24	1	0	2	2.0	0	1	.000	0	1	.000	0	0	.000	0	2	2	2.0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0.0
2024-25	2	0	3	1.5	0	3	.000	0	1	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Totals	5	0	10	2.0	1	6	.167	0	2	.000	0	0	.000	0	2	2	0.4	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0.4



## 40 Grady WHITT 6-3 - 170 - Fr. - G Raleigh, N.C. (Leesville Road)

**2024-25 (Redshirt Freshman):** Collegiate debut against Bellarmine recording a steal.

**2023-24 (Freshman)**: Sat out the season as a redshirt in the Colorado basketball program.

**Before CU/Personal:** A 2023 graduate of Leesville Road High School.

- Averaged 16 points, seven rebounds and nearly eight assists as a senior for the Pride.
- A two-time all-conference selection, helped Leesville Road to a pair of conference titles and regional playoff berths.
- Averaged 12.6 points, seven assists and six rebounds as a junior.

- Holds the school record for most steals in a game with 12.
- Played club ball with Team Go Hard out of Raleigh for four years.
- A Business major at Colorado and is also interested in history. Graduated from high school Magna Cum Laude and is a member of the Rho Kappa Honor Society.
- An older brother, Carter, plays basketball at Furman
- Enjoys golf, traveling, stock trading and politics.
- Would like to pursue being a sports agent or coach or work in politics or on Wall Street, but hasn't decided yet.
- Favorite NBA player is Chris Paul and favorite sports team is the Carolina Hurricanes.

Career Highs

**Steals -** 1 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24) **Minutes -** 3 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)

#### Career Statistics

Year GP GS Min FG FGA Pct 3FG FGA Pct FT FTA Pct Off Def PF FO A TO В Pts Ava Tot Ava Ava 2024-25 .000 0 .000 0 0.0



## 41 Nick RANDALL 6-8 - 185 - Fr. - F Fort Collins, Colo. (Fossil Ridge)

**2024-25 (Redshirt Freshman):** Collegiate debut vs. Bellarmine, scoring his first career points and grabbing a rebound.

**2023-24 (Freshman):** Sat out the season as a redshirt in the Colorado basketball program.

**Before CU/Personal:** A 2023 graduate of Fossil Ridge High School, averaging 23 points, on 70 percent shooting, 9 rebounds, 2 assists, 2 steals and 2 blocks over his four-year career.

- Fossil Ridge's all-time leader in rebounds and field goals made while holding the program's single-season record in rebounds and single-game mark for field goals.
- Named to the 2023 Denver Post All-Colorado Team averaging 22.1 points, 9.2 rebounds and 1.7 blocks as a senior, guiding the Sabercats to a 25-3 record and a second-straight appearance in the Class 6A state title game.

- First-Team Class 6A All-State, Front Range Conference Player of the Year and runner up for Colorado's Gatorade Player of the Year honor.
- Second team all-state as a junior.
- Played club basketball for ATR Elite out of Northern Colorado.
- A Business-Open Option major at Colorado.
- Favorite NBA team is the New York Knicks and favorite player is Jalen Brunson.
- Enjoys the mountains, golf and spending time with friends and family.

Career Highs

Points - 2 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)
Rebounds - 1 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)
Field Goals - 1 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)
FG Attempts - 1 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)
Minutes - 3 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)

#### **Career Statistics**

Year GS Min Avg **FGA** Pct 3FG **FGA** Pct FT FTA Pct Off Def Tot Avg Pts Avg 1.000 2024-25 0 3.0 0 .000 .000 0 1.0 0 2.0



## **42** Andrew **CRAWFORD**6-6 - 180 - Fr. - G

Littleton, Colo. (ThunderRidge)

**Before CU/Personal:** A 2024 graduate of ThunderRidge High School.

- Named to the 2024 Denver Post All-Colorado boys basketball team.

- Two-time Class 6A All-State First Team, helped ThunderRidge to three state title games.
- Averaged 14.3 points, 5.9 rebounds and 5.2 assists as a senior.
- A consensus four-star prospect and the top player in the state of Colorado for the Class of 24, he is the No. 85 overall prospect on the ESPN100 rankings and 80th in the nation according to On3. com.
- An Exploratory Studies major at Colorado.

#### **COLORADO 76, EASTERN WASHINGTON 56** Nov. 4, 2024, Boulder, Colo. (CU Events Center)

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## Play	er	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to	s	bk	min
33 Emn	nett Marquardt	f 1-2	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	4	2	0	2	0	0	11
2 Mas	on Williams	g 1-11	1-5	1-2	0	2	2	1	4	1	5	4	0	30
9 Andr	ew Cook	g 3-8	0-0	1-2	0	2	2	0	7	0	0	2	0	19
11 Nic I	/IcClain	g 6-9	0-0	4-6	0	5	5	3	16	4	5	3	0	30
21 Seba	stian Hartmann	g 3-5	0-1	0-0	1	4	5	2	6	1	1	1	1	26
0 Ange	elo Winkel	0-3	0-0	0-0	2	0	2	2	0	0	1	0	2	15
	Zanki	4-11	4-8	0-0	0	3	3	1	12	1	1	2	1	24
1 Tyle	Powell	1-4	0-1	1-2	0	0	0	2	3	4	0	1	0	18
5 Elijal	n Thomas	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	10
22 Jack	son Seale	2-4	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	0	4	1	0	0	0	10
14 Pavl	o Dziuba	0-0	0-0	2-2	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	3
35 Shai	ımba Ngoyi	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
20 Sam	Stockton	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
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18 56 13 1514 4 200 Game: 36.2% DEADBALL Game: 31.3% REBOUNDS Game: 64.3% 3,0 

HOME: Colorado 1-0														
## Player		fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to	s	bk	min
8 Bangot Dak	f	2-3	1-1	0-0	1	3	4	1	5	0	3	0	0	12
23 Andrej Jakimovski	f	3-9	1-4	4-5	0	7	7	0	11	2	1	3	0	30
50 Elijah Malone	С	2-3	0-0	0-0	3	4	7	2	4	1	0	1	2	13
3 Julian Hammond III	g	3-8	1-4	0-0	1	2	3	0	7	4	4	1	0	29
11 Javon Ruffin	ğ	5-9	0-2	2-3	1	2	3	0	12	2	1	0	0	25
5 RJ Smith	-	3-7	2-4	0-0	0	1	1	3	8	2	2	3	0	19
6 Trevor Baskin		3-4	0-0	6-7	3	3	6	2	12	2	4	2	2	22
35 Assane Diop		1-3	0-0	0-0	1	4	5	0	2	3	2	1	0	15
7 Sebastian Rancik		4-6	4-5	1-2	0	3	3	2	13	0	0	0	1	16
15 Felix Kossaras		1-6	0-2	0-0	2	1	3	2	2	0	0	1	0	12
31 Harrison Carrington	n	0-1	0-1	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	6
13 Courtney Andersor	١J	r0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
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27-59 9-23 13-17 15 30 45 13 76 16 1812 5 200 Totals. TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 9-27 33.3% 2nd Half: 18-92 56.3% Game: 45.8% DEADBALL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 1-9 11.1% 2nd Half: 8-14 57.1% Game: 39.1% REBOUNDS FThrow % 1st Half: 6-9 66.7% 2nd Half: 7-8 87.5% Game: 76.5% 2,0

Officials: Robert Felder, DG Nelson, Kirk Smith Score by Periods 1st 2nd Tota Eastern Washington 31 25 25 Colorado

BOULDER — Colorado overcame a 17-point first-half deficit Monday night to take control in the second half and collect a 76-56 win over Eastern Washington in the Buffaloes' season opener at the CU Events Center.

Colorado improved to 13-2 in season openers under head coach **Tad Boyle** 

and 15-0 in home openers in the Boyle era.

But this one didn't come easily. The Buffs were plagued by turnovers and poor shooting early and trailed, 27-10, with just under seven minutes to play in the first

nair.

But Colorado shaved the deficit to six points, 31-25, at the break, then slowly erased the deficit in the second half. The Buffs took their first lead of the game, 48-47, with just under 10 minutes to play, then cranked up the pressure with a 17-2 run to take control down the stretch and collect the win.

Colorado put four players in double figures, led by 13 points from freshman Sebastian Rancik, who was 4-for-5 from long distance. Javon Ruffin and Trevor Baskin each tallied 12 and Andrej Jakimovski added 11.

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The Buffs had 13 turnovers in the first half but just five after the break. After shooting just 33 percent in the first half, CU shot 56 percent after the break to finish the game 27-for-59 (45.8 percent).

Colorado held the Eagles to 36 percent shooting (21-for-58) and the Buffs also held a commanding 45-28 edge on the boards. Jakiovski and Elijah Malone each had seven rebounds for CU while Julian Hammond III led CU with four assists.

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HOW IT HAPPENED: The Buffs were plaqued by turnovers from the outset. Colorado committed six miscues in the first six minutes and with 13:54 to play in CUI's troubles continued over the next seven minutes. The Buffs hit just five of

their first 21 field goal attempts, including an 0-for-8 effort from 3-point range, and with 6:45 remaining in the half, the Eagles held a 27-10 lead.

But the Buffs finally found their footing and began to narrow the gap.

Hammond started a 9-2 CU run with a drive to the hoop, followed by a Ruffin

field goal and Baskin free throw

EWU momentarily stopped the run with a basket inside but Colorado quickly responded with a 3-pointer from Rancik and a free throw from Jakimovski to complete a 9-2 surge.

Colorado continued to chip away at the deficit over the final two minutes. Ruffin hit another bucket in the paint before Jakimovski connected on two free throws to pull the Buffs to within single digits, 31-23.

The Buffs then cut the EWU to six just before halftime. Baskin made a nice hustle play on the baseline to keep a loose ball alive and flipped it back to Ham-mond, who scored just before the buzzer to send the Buffs into the break trailing 31-25.

Colorado opened the second half with a 6-0 run, getting a Baskin bucket and free throw and a Jakimovski 3-pointer to tie the score at 31-31. But the Eagles answered with a 6-0 run of their own and held onto the lead over the next six

But the Buffs finally shifted momentum in their favor. After pulling to within 44-40 on a Bangot Dak 3-pointer and Ruffin basket inside, Colorado hit seven straight field goal attempts coming out of a timeout to take the lead.

Rancik started the surge with a free throw before following with a 3-pointer to tie the game at 44-44. EWU temporarily regained the lead before Ruffin scored to

tie it again at 46-46.

EWU once again regained the lead with a free throw but Ruffin finally gave CU

its first lead of the game, 48-47, with a basket inside.

Colorado then followed with five points in a row to take control. Hammond hit a 3-pointer off a nice leed from Diop and Diop followed with a basket off the glass. That completed a CU 7-0 run and elicited a timeout from EWU with the Buffs

holding a 53-47 lead with 8:29 to play.

Defensively, the Buffs were also much better in the second half, holding EWU to just 9-for-28 shooting after the break. The Buffs forced six straight empty Eagles possessions in the decisive stretch.

The Buffs then pushed their run to 12-0 after the timeout. Rancik hit another 3-pointer and Baskin scored off an offensive rebound, and with just under six minutes to play, Colorado was in control with a 58-47 lead.

The Buffs continued to exert their will over the next three minutes. Jakimovski

scored in the paint, **RJ Smith** hit a 3-pointer and Baskin hit a layup to complete a 17-2 Buffs run and give CU a 63-49 lead with 3:43 to play.

The Buffs then maintained control over the final minutes. Another Smith 3-pointer with 2:34 to play gave the Buffs a 17-point lead, 68-51, and Colorado kept the Eagles at bay down the stretch for the season-opening win.

#### GAME 2

#### **COLORADO 90, NORTHERN COLORADO 88 20T**

Nov. 8, 2024, Boulder, Colo. (CU Events Center

VISITORS: Northern	Colora	do 1-1									
## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to s b	k min
14 Brock Wisne	f 4-6	0-1	0-0	2	4	6	5	8	0	11(	22
23 Isaiah Hawthorne	f 6-13	2-5	5-5	1	1	2	4	19	1	2 1 (	30
6 Langston Reynolds	g 6-14	0-1	1-2	2	2	4	5	13	3	5 1 (	32
9 Jaron Rillie	g 5-13	5-9	1-2	1	7	8	5	16	7	4 2 (	47
11 Zach Bloch	g 4-9	2-7	4-4	0	3	3	1	14	1	0 2 (	48
32 Luca Colceag	1-5	1-5	0-0	1	0	1	0	3	1	100	15
33 Egan Shields	1-2	0-0	0-0	3	1	4	5	2	0	100	21
42 Marcell McCreary	5-12	3-8	0-4	1	2	3	0	13	5	2 5 (	31
21 William Humer	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	3	0	0	100	) 4
TEAM					2	2					
Totals	32-74	13-36	11-17	12	23	35	28	88	18	1712 (	250

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 12-29 41.4% 2nd Half: 16-35 45.7% OT: 4-10 40.0% Game: 43.2% DEADBALL 3-PL: FG% 1st Half: 5-14 35.7% 2nd Half: 4-15 26.7% OT: 4-7 57.1% Game: 36.1% REBOUNDS FThrow% 1st Half: 1-3 33.3% 2nd Half: 1-3 33.3% OT: 9-11 81.8% Game: 64.7% 2,0

HOME: Colorado 2-0												
## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to :	s bk	min
8 Bangot Dak	f 2-7	0-3	0-0	0	1	1	1	4	2	1	0 0	15
23 Andrej Jakimovski	f 2-9	0-4	5-6	3	3	6	2	9	0	3 -	4 0	38
50 Elijah Malone	c 8-12	1-2	10-12	2	3	5	1	27	0	2	2 0	31
3 Julian Hammond III	g 2-5	0-1	8-10	0	4	4	4	12	2	4	1 1	33
11 Javon Ruffin	g 4-8	1-3	3-4	0	3	3	3	12	1	1	1 1	33
5 RJ Smith	4-5	1-1	0-0	0	3	3	1	9	1	0	1 1	24
6 Trevor Baskin	2-4	0-0	5-9	3	6	9	3	9	0	4	1 1	15
35 Assane Diop	1-5	1-2	0-0	2	8	10	4	3	2	2 :	2 1	26
7 Sebastian Rancik	1-2	1-2	0-0	0	1	1	0	3	0	3	0 0	13
15 Felix Kossaras	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	2	1	1	0 0	11
TEAM				1	1	2						
Totals	27-58	5-18	31-41	11	34	45	19	90	9	211	2 5	250

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 11-26 42.3% 2nd Half: 10-21 47.6% OT: 6-11 54.5% Game: 46.6% DEADBALL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 3-11 27.3% 2nd Half: 1-6 16.7% OT: 1-1 100% Game: 27.8% REBOUNDS FThrow% 1st Half: 7-9 77.8% 2nd Half: 14-19 73.7% OT: 10-13 76.9% Game: 75.6% 7,0

Officials: Ray Natili, Jeffre	y Anders	son, Wa	acey L	.ym	
Score by Periods	1st	2nd	ΟT	OT2	Total
Northern Colorado	30	37	9	12	88
Colorado	32	35	9	14	90

BOULDER — It took two overtime periods, but Colorado finally gave head coach Tad Boyle his 300th victory as the Bulfaloes head coach Friday with a 90-88 win over Northern Colorado at the CU Events Center.

The Buffs trailed by six midway through the second half but fought back to take a six-point lead with just more than a minute remaining in regulation.

The Bears, though, railled to force overtime and the Buffs couldn't get the potential game winner to go down in the final seconds of the first extra period. But the Buffs finally came up with some key defensive stops in the final minute of the second overtime to collect the win.

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Elijah Malone led CU with 27 points. Javon Ruffin and Julian Hammond III each chipped in 12 while Trevor Baskin had nine points and nine rebounds.

The Buffs were once again plagued by turnovers, committing 21 miscues that led to

20 UNC points. points. th Hawthorne led the Bears with 19 points, including two of UNC's 13 3-pointers.

HOW IT HAPPENED: The lead see-sawed over the first eight minutes as the Buffs

were plaqued by poor shooting.

Colorado took a 12-10 lead at the 13:20 mark on an **Andrej Jakimovski** offensive rebound and bucket but the Bears regained the edge, 15-12, a minute later on a Jaron

rebound and bucker but the bears regarded.

CU then jumped back in front, 17-15, on the back of a **Sebastian Rancik** 3-pointer and an **RJ Smith** layup with 11:10 to play.

But the Bears rattled off an 8-0 run, aided by a pair of CU turnovers, and Colorado trailed, 23-17, with 7:36 to play in the half.

The Buffs hi just 7 of their first 18 field goal tries, including a 1-for-9 effort from 3-point. The Buffs hit just 7 of their first 18 field goal tries, including a 1-for-9 effort from 3-point range while the Bears were 9-for-19 over the same span, including 5-for-10 from long range. The Buffs finally found their shooting range over the final seven minutes of the half.

Malone hit his first 3-pointer as a Buff to pull CU to within two, 24-22, and the Buffs finally requined the lead with 1:34 to play in the half when an Assane Diop 3-pointer gave Colorado a 30-28 edge.

Both teams then added a bucket in the final minute, with a Felix Kossaras basket with 11 seconds remaining in the half giving CU a 32-30 lead at the break. Colorado s halftime lead didn't last long. UNC used a 7-0 run to take a 43-37 lead five minutes into the half as the Bears hit six of their first seven shots from the floor.

The Buffs slowly chipped away at the deficit and finally regained the lead, 49-48, on a Ruffin basket off a Baskin offensive rebound midway through the half.

The teams then traded the lead two more times before the Buffs finally took control. Malone broke a 54-54 tie with 5:58 to play with a pair of free throws for a 56-54 edge, then bumped CU's lead to five with a three-point play to give the Buffs a five-point cushion—their largest of the game to that point.

Malone then added a free throw following a timeout to push Colorado's lead to six, but the Bears stayed within reach, cutting the deficit down to three with just more than two minutes to play.

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The Buffs got two more free throws from Malone with 1:16 to play to bump their cushion back to six only to see the Bears rally in the final minute.

The Bears cut the deficit to three with 13 seconds to play and forced a CU turnover after the basket. UNCS Marcell McCreary then grabbed an offensive rebound and swished a trey from the corner with a half-second left on the clock to tie the game and force overfine.

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The turnover was CUs 19th, with UNC reaping 18 points off those miscues. The turnover was CUs 19th, with UNC reaping 18 points off those miscues. The Buffs again took the lead in the extra period on a Ruffin 3-pointer. But the Bears answered another McCreary 3-pointer to lie the game before Hammond hit one of two free throws to give the Buffs a one-point edge.

UNC again took the lead on two free throws before Malone hit two free throws with 1:21 remaining to give CU a 75-74 lead.

The Bears answered with two more free throws with 1:03 remaining to regain the lead before Malone hit one of two from the stripe for Colorado to lie the game at 76-76 with 49 seconds remaining. CU had a chance to win the game in the final seconds of the first overdise meaning. Cu had a chance to win the game in the final seconds of the first overdise meaning. Cu had a chance to win the game in the final seconds of the first overdise meaning. Cu had a chance to win the game in the final second overtime.

The Buffs couldn't get a defensive stop in the second extra period. The Bears hit three 3-pointers to take an 87-85 lead with just more than two minutes remaining.

CU's Hammond hit a driving layup to tie the game again at 87-87 before the Bears hit one of two free throws to take an 88-87 lead. UNC rebounded the missed free throw but the Buffs forced a missed field goal and grabbed the rebound.

Baskin was then foulded and hit both free throws to give Colorado the lead, 89-88, with 1.01 remaining. The Buffs forced annother UNC miss to regain possession and called timeout with 40 seconds remaining.

Colorado then missed with 20 seconds remaining but Baskin grabbed the offensive rebound and Hammond was fouled with 15 seconds left. Hammond hit one of two free throws and Colorado led, 90-88, with 14 seconds remaining and Colorado took possession with just a single tick remaining to collect the win.

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GAME 3 **COLORADO 83, CAL STATE FULLERTON 53** 

Nov. 13, 2024, Boulder, Colo. (CU Events Center)

VISITORS: Cal State Fullerton 0-3 g 4-8 g 4-13 3 7 3 2 2 2 1 2 1 2 8 0 2 1 0 1 13 1 1 0 0 1 2 1 2 0 0 4 7 0 0 1 0 0 8 2 0 0 0 2 0 0 3 0 0 3 4 0 1 2 0 0 7 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 1-3 0-4 0-0 5 Donovan Oday 10 Antwan Robinson 5 2 0 4-4 2 0 0 24 0-0 1-1 g 12 Zachary Visentin 26 0 0 0 18 3 0 0 17 1 2 0 14 Davis Évnum 3-9 0-1 2-4 0-1 0-2 1-3 0-0 2-2 2-2 0-0 0-3 1-4 0 0 1 2 0 21 LoLo Budolph Freddie Cooper 2-6 11 Zion Richardson 0-1 0-1 13 Kaleb Brown TEAM

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 11-25 44.0% 2nd Half: 7-33 21.2% Game: 31.0% DEADBALL 1st Half: 2-9 22.2% 2nd Half: 0-8 0.0% Game: 11.8% REBOUNDS 1st Half: 5-7 71.4% 2nd Half: 10-10 100% Game: 88.2% 1,0 3-Pt. FG% F Throw %

18-58 2-17 15-17 11 17 28 16 53 4 11 6 1 200

HOME: Colorado 3-0 ## Player fg-a 3fg-a ft-a of 23 Andrej Jakimovski f 6-12 5-8 0-0 1 35 Assane Diop f 0-0 0-0 0-0 1 de tot pf tp a 2 3 1 17 1 to s bk min 2 3 8 1 0 0 20 1 0 0 19 0 9 11 35 Assane Diop 50 Elijah Malone 0 3 4 5 2 2 2 4 2 2 Julian Hammond III g 11 Javon Ruffin g 3-6 1-4 0-0 0 2 3 0 22 1 7 5 2 3 0 1 7 4 2 0 0 1 6 1 2 1 1 2 7 0 3 0 3 1 11 1 2 0 0 1 4 2 0 0 0 2 4 1 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5 4 5 R.I Smith 2-4 2-4 1-2 2-3 0-0 2-2 2-2 2-2 0-0 0 1 1 1 0 6 5 2 19 Trevor Baskin 2-5 0-2 1-1 1-2 Bangot Dak 3-5 18 17 Sehastian Rancik 4-6 3 3 0 0 0 0 2 3 15 Felix Kossaras 1-1 31 Harrison Carrington 1-2 13 Courtney Anderson Jr0-0 0-0 0-1 0-0 0 0 0 0 0 13 TFAM 30-53 12-27 11-14 8 3 38 14 83 22 16 6 5 200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 14-27 51.9% 2nd Half: 16-26 61.5% Game: 56.6% DEADBALL 1st Half: 5-13 38.5% 2nd Half: 7-14 50.0% Game: 44.4% REBOUNDS 1st Half: 2-2 100% 2nd Half: 9-12 75.0% Game: 78.6% 1,0 3-Pt. FG% F Throw %

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Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
Cal State Fullerton	29	24	53
Colorado	35	48	83

Totals.

BOULDER - Colorado drained 12 3-pointers and the Buffaloes ran away from Cal State Fullerton in the second half Wednesday night for an 83-53 win at Tad Boyle's Buffs improved to 3-0 with the win while the Titans dropped to 0-3.

The Buffs led by just six at the half, 35-29, but used a decisive 16-6 run midway through the second half to push their lead to 20, then slowly built the cushion down the stretch.

CU's Andrej Jakimovski, a grad transfer from Washington State, tied his

career best with five 3-pointers and finished with 17 points. Freshman Sebastian Rancik came off the bench to tally 13, Julian Hammond III had 11 points and four assists and Elijah Malone had nine points and four rebounds. Assane Diop led the Buffs on the boards with eight rebounds.

Donovan Oday led the Titans with 13 points.
Colorado finished with a season-best 22 assists while shooting 30-for-53 from the field (56.6 percent), including 12-for-27 from long range. The Buffs also had a 38-28 edge on the boards while holding the Titans to 31 percent shooting (18-for-

58), including 2-for-17 from beyond the arc.

"You win by 30 at home and you defend pretty well, you rebound the ball pretty well, a lot to be pleased with," said Boyle, whose Buffs are now 99-8 in non-conference home games in his tenure. "I thought we really took a step forward offensively tonight in terms of our ball movement and the ball not sticking in people's hands. We had 22 assists on 30 baskets, which is phenomenal. We'll take

that every night."

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HOW IT HAPPENED: Colorado led from the outset, getting a Jakimovski 3-pointer to start the game, his first of four treys in the opening half.

The Titans managed to stay close to the Buffs over the first 10 minutes before CU finally pulled away, using a 9-2 run to turn a 20-17 lead into a 29-19 edge with 7:17 to play, Jakimovski had five points in the surge, including his fourth 3-pointer of the half, and Rancik added a bucket.

But CSU Fullerton refused to go away quietly. The Titans slowly chipped away at Colorado's lead and with 2:54 to play in the half, they pulled to within four, 33-29, on a Keith Bichard bucket.

29, on a Keith Richard bucket.

Both teams went cold over the final two minutes, with the Buffs coming up

empty on five straight possessions, including a pair of turnovers.

But CU finally ended the drought with a Malone basket with 16 seconds remaining to take a 35-29 lead into the break.

"We shot the ball well," Boyle said. "It's nice to see Andrei come out and make

a few and get himself going, because we've been struggling from three a little bit consistently, but we got great looks."

Jakimovski had 14 points in the opening half, including four 3-pointers, while Rancik added six and Hammond chipped in five. But CU also had eight turnovers

in the half, leading to four points for the Titans.
"We still have to figure out our turnover issues," Boyle said. "We just find new ways to turn it over.

But the Buffs took control early in the second half, jumping out with a 7-0 run to start the period. Malone scored inside, Jakimovski hit his fifth 3-pointer of the game and Malone recorded a follow dunk to give the Buffs a 42-29 lead less than two minutes into the half.

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That was the biggest lead the Buffs could muster over the next six minutes as the Titans managed to pull within 10 at a couple different junctures.

But CU then blew the game open with a 16-6 run, fueled by four 3-pointers. Hammond pushed CU's lead back to 13 with his second 3-pointer of the

game, 52-39, before **RJ Smith** knocked down a pair of treys to give Colorado a 15-point edge, 58-43, with just under eight minutes to play. Malone then scored inside and **Javon Ruffin** drained a 3-pointer to give the Buffs a 63-43 lead with 7:09 to play.

Colorado then pushed its lead to as much as 30 down the stretch to improve

to 3-0 on the season.

Eleven different Buffs played double-digit minutes, with no player on the floor for more than 22 minutes.

"Our depth is good for us," Jakimovski said. "The minutes that we play out there, we can give everything we have, and then sub on and sub out and rest and

come back and be at maximum every time."

Boyle also singled out the play of Diop, who did not take a shot in his 19 minutes on the floor but finished with a team-best eight rebounds with CU a plus-25 when he was on the floor. in he was on the tioor.

"That is the epitome of being unselfish and being a team guy," Boyle said, important that I mention it ... There's a selflessness about him, and he plays "It's important that I mention it ...

extremely hard, and he's just a great teammate that we can all learn from."

COLORADO 88, HARVARD 66

Nov. 17, 2024, Boulder, Colo. (CU Events Center)

VISITORS: Harvard 1	-4													
## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to	s	bk	min	
15 Thomas Batties II	f 1-6	0-1	0-0	0	3	3	2	2	2	1	4	1	27	
35 Luca Ace-Nasteski	f 3-4	0-0	0-0	2	2	4	4	6	4	0	0	2	16	
4 Robert Hinton	g 3-13	0-0	2-2	3	1	4	1	8	2	0	1	0	26	
11 Evan Nelson	g 4-10	3-5	0-0	0	1	1	1	11	1	3	0	0	28	
13 Chandler Pigge	g 3-11	0-3	5-8	1	3	4	3	11	1	0	1	0	30	
8 Tey Barbour	4-7	2-5	0-0	1	3	4	1	10	2	1	1	0	20	
12 Dutch Dowdell	3-7	2-5	2-2	1	0	1	3	10	1	2	0	0	22	
17 Leo Byrne	0-2	0-2	0-0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	5	
5 Ben Eisendrath	1-1	0-0	1-2	0	1	1	0	3	0	1	2	0	12	
3 Xavier Nesbitt	2-4	1-2	0-0	0	1	1	0	5	1	0	0	0	14	
TEAM				3	4	7								
Totals	24-65	8-23	10-14	11	19	30	17	66	14	8	9	3	200	

 TOTAL FG%
 1st Half: 10-30 33.3%
 2nd Half: 14-35 40.0%
 Game: 36.9%
 DEADBALL

 3-Pt: FG%
 1st Half: 6-13 46.2%
 2nd Half: 2-10 20.0%
 Game: 34.8%
 REBOUNDS

 F Throw %
 1st Half: 8-10 80.0%
 2nd Half: 2-4 50.0%
 Game: 71.4%
 2,0

HOME: Colorado 4-0												
## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to s	bk mi	in
6 Trevor Baskin	f 6-8	1-2	0-1	2	5	7	2	13	1	0 1	2 20	0
23 Andrej Jakimovski	f 7-14	2-6	4-5	3	2	5	0	20	1	0 1	0 2	7
35 Assane Diop	f 0-0	0-0	1-2	0	4	4	0	1	3	2 1	0 19	9
50 Elijah Malone	5-9	0-0	6-6	4	3	7	2	16	0	2 0	4 2	1
3 Julian Hammond III g	3-9	2-5	00	0	1	1	0	8	4	1 0	0 20	0
5 RJ Smith	1-2	1-2	1-2	0	3	3	2	4	1	2 0	0 2	1
8 Bangot Dak	0-5	0-0	0-0	1	4	5	3	0	2	0 0	0 14	4
11 Javon Ruffin	4-5	2-3	5-5	0	2	2	1	15	4	2 1	0 19	9
7 Sebastian Rancik	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	3	3	1	2	1	2 0	0 1	5
15 Felix Kossaras	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	2	0	1	1.1	0 13	3
31 Harrison Carrington	2-2	1-1	4-4	0	2	2	1	9	0	1.1	0 10	0
TEAM				1	1	2						
Totals	29-56	9-19	21-25	11	32	43	14	88	18	13 6	6 20	0

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 16-25 64.0% 2nd Half: 13-31 41.9% Game: 51.8% DEADBALL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 4-10 40.0% 2nd Half: 5-9 55.6% Game: 47.4% REBOUNDS F Throw % 1st Half: 10-12 83.3% 2nd Half: 11-13 84.6% Game: 84.0% 1.0

Officials: Ray Natili, Brooks Wells, Christopher Merlo 1st 2nd Total Harvard 34 32 66

BOULDER - Colorado put four players in double figures Sunday and the Buffaloes pulled away from Harvard down the stretch to take an 88-66 win at the CU Events Center.

Tad Boyle's Buffs improved to 4-0 as Colorado won its seventh straight game at home and 20th in the last 21. Harvard dropped to 1-4.

Andrej Jakimovski led CU with 20 points. Elijah Malone scored 16 and added seven rebounds, Javon Ruffin scored 15 and Trevor Baskin added 13 points and seven boards in his first start as a Buff.

Evan Nelson and Chandler Pigge each scored 11 for the Crimson.

Colorado led by 12 at the half and pushed the lead to 17 early in the second period. Harvard managed to cut the deficit to just six midway through the half before the Buffs put the game away with a 21-4 run that gave Colorado a 77-54 cushion with 5:42 to play.

The bigger Buffs finished with a 43-30 edge on the boards while holding Harvard to 37 percent shooting (24-for-65). Colorado is now 93-6 in the Boyle era when hitting the "gold standard" of having at least a plus-eight rebound advantage and holding opponents to 40 percent or less shooting.

Colorado did finish with 13 turnovers, but just five in the second half when the

Buffs put the game away.

"A good win against a really, really good program," Boyle said. "I've got a lot of respect for Harvard as an institution, but also (coach) Tommy Amaker and the kind of coach he is, kind of human being he is .. We did a much better job in the second half, much better job taking care of the ball. We had three turnovers the first 17 minutes in the second half. They only made two threes in the second half, we had

18 assists and we were pretty efficient offensively. Overall, pretty pleased."

HOW IT HAPPENED: Harvard led early before the Buffs took the lead for good on an Malone bucket inside, the beginning of a 9-0 run that gave the Buffs a 14-6 edge eight minutes into the game.

But the Crimson managed to stay close, cutting the deficit down to three, 18-

15, with a 3-pointer at the 8:38 mark, one of five treys Harvard hit in the opening minutes.

Colorado, though, pushed its lead to 10 three minutes later on the heels of a 10-4 run. Malone tallied a three-point play, Jakimovski scored inside, Julian Hammond III drained a 3-pointer and Baskin connected from the lane to give the Buffs a 31-21 edge.

Harvard answered one more time, putting together a 7-0 run to pull back within three, 31-28.

But Colorado finished the half with a 15-6 run to take control. Ruffin hit two treys in the surge and Jakimovski added five points and the Buffs took a 46-34 lead into the break

The Buffs threatened to blow the game open early in the second half with a quick 5-0 run. Malone hit two free throws and Baskin swished a 3-pointer to give Colorado a 17-point edge, 51-34.

But the Crimson answered with a 14-3 run that included two 3-pointers while the Buffs endured a 1-for-7 shooting stretch. With 11:41 to play, Colorado's lead had dwindled to just six. 56-50.

Colorado's shooting woes contributed to Harvard's brief surge as the Buffs hit just five of their first 21 field goal tries of the half.

But just as quickly as Harvard pulled back within range, the Buffs put the game away with a 21-4 run that saw CU hit seven of eight field goal tries.

Sebastian Rancik started the surge with a drive inside, RJ Smith hit a 3-pointer and Ruffin sank three free throws to give CU a 64-52 lead. Baskin then hit back-to-back baskets inside. Jakimovski and Hammond drained 3-pointers and

a Malone dunk gave Colorado a 77-54 cushion with just under six minutes to play. After giving up six 3-pointers to Harvard in the first half. Colorado held the Crimson to just two after the break.
"We really just took away the threes," Ruffin said. "That was a big emphasis of

ours coming into the game. We knew that they shot 31 threes last game, which is a lot. Our goal was to take away as many as possible and we didn't do that in the first half. We also gave them easy offense by just giving them turnovers and free buckets. I think that's what changed in the second half."

After building their 23-point edge, CU then kept the lead at a comfortable level down the stretch for the win.

#### GAME 5

#### MICHIGAN STATE 72. COLORADO 56

Nov. 25, 2024, Lahaina, Hawai'i (Lahaina Civic Center)

VISITORS: Colorado 4	1-1												
## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to s	bk	min	
6 Trevor Baskin	f 3-7	0-1	3-4	1	2	3	1	9	2	2 1	0	22	
23 Andrej Jakimovski	f 1-7	1-4	1-2	1	3	4	1	4	2	0 1	0	28	
35 Assane Diop	f 0-2	0-1	1-2	1	2	3	2	1	1	1 1	0	15	
50 Elijah Malone	7-10	0-0	0-0	0	5	5	3	14	1	2 0	1	26	
3 Julian Hammond III	g 6-11	3-7	0-0	0	3	3	1	15	4	3 0	0	24	
8 Bangot Dak	1-5	0-2	1-2	0	1	1	2	3	0	0 0	0	16	
5 RJ Smith	1-4	0-1	0-2	0	0	0	0	2	2	0 1	0	18	
7 Sebastian Rancik	0-4	0-2	4-6	2	1	3	2	4	0	1 1	0	17	
11 Javon Ruffin	1-4	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0 0	0	12	
31 Harrison Carrington	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0 1	0	12	
15 Felix Kossaras	0-0	0-0	2-2	0	2	2	2	2	1	2 1	0	7	
13 Courtney Anderson	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1 0	0	2	
34 Jack Pease	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 0	0	1	
TEAM				2		2							

3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 2-12 16.7% F Throw % 1st Half: 5-8 62.5%

HOME: Michigan Sta	ate	5-1									
## Player		fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to s bk min
Jaxon Kohler	f	2-4	0-2	0-0	1	6	7	0	4	0	1 0 1 20
8 Frankie Fidler	f	3-8	1-4	2-2	0	6	6	1	9	0	0 1 0 21
10 Szymon Zapala	С	2-5	0-0	3-4	5	3	8	2	7	0	0 0 0 17
<ol> <li>Jeremy Fears Jr.</li> </ol>	g	4-6	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	2	8	6	2 1 0 23
3 Jaden Akins	g	2-8	0-4	0-0	0	3	3	1	4	2	1 2 0 26
5 Tre Holloman	-	2-7	0-2	3-3	0	1	1	0	7	1	3 0 0 14
11 Jase Richardson		6-8	1-2	0-0	1	3	4	1	13	1	1 0 0 23
15 Carson Cooper		3-3	0-0	0-0	1	5	6	2	6	0	1 0 1 16
34 Xavier Booker		2-6	0-4	2-2	0	1	1	4	6	0	1 0 2 16
55 Coen Carr		4-4	0-0	0-2	0	0	0	2	8	0	0 2 0 16
2 Kur Teng		0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	1	0	1	1 0 0 4
7 Gehrig Normand		0-2	0-2	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0 0 0 2
20 Nick Sanders		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 0 0 1

30-61 2-21 10-13 9 33 42 17 72 11 11 6 4 200 Totals. TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 15-30 50.0% 2nd Half: 15-31 48.4% Game: 49.2% DEADBALL 3-PL: FG% 1st Half: 0-9.0.0% 2nd Half: 2-12 16.7% Game: 9.5% REBOUNDS FThrow % 1st Half: 8-9 88.9% 2nd Half: 2-4 50.0% Game: 76.9% 3,0 Officials: Larry Scirroto, AJ Desai, Tyler Kumpf

Score by Periods 1st 2nd Colorado 38 34 Michigan State 72

LAHAINA, Hawai'i — Colorado started fast but couldn't keep pace with Michigan State on Monday, as the Buffaloes dropped a 72-56 decision in the opening round of the Maui Invitational at the Lahaina Civic Center.

Tad Boyle's Buffs suffered their first loss of the season, falling to 4-1 while Michigan State improved to 5-1.

The Buffs got off to a good start, taking an early lead on 3-pointers from Julian Hammond III and Andrei Jakimovski. The Buffs were still tied with the Spartans midway through the first half when Elijah Malone scored inside to knot the score

But the Buffs went cold from that point on and the Spartans closed the half with a 17-4 run to take a 38-25 lead at halftime.

CU then briefly cut the lead back to seven early in the second half on two more 3-pointers from Hammond. But the Spartans then slowly pulled away, building their lead to 17 at the midway point of the half and pushing it to as much as 20 down the stretch.

Hammond led CU with 15 points while Malone added 14 points on 7-for-10 shooting along with five rebounds.

Jase Richardson led MSU with 13 points.

Colorado was dominated inside as the Spartans held a 50-28 edge in points in the paint, including a 22-6 edge in fast break points. CU also shot just 37 percent from the floor (20-for-56) while MSU shot 49 percent (40-for-61) despite hitting just two of 21 3-point tries.

Michigan State also held a commanding 42-29 rebound edge. "They didn't do anything that we didn't expect," Boyle said. "Unfortunately, we

didn't show up. We showed up the first 10 minutes. We played hard, you know, we made shots, but then we lost this game on every front — offensively, defensively, rebounding the ball, all the things that we work on, and they were better than us in

HOW IT HAPPENED: The Buffs started out on a hot note, hitting their first three shots, including 3-pointers from Hammond and Jakimoski, to take a quick

The two teams then traded the lead several times, with Colorado taking a 16-13 edge on a **Bangot Dak** transition dunk. MSU then jumped ahead with a quick 4-0 surge before the Buffs battled back to tie the game at 21-21 on a Malone basket inside with 9:13 to play in the half.

But then the roof caved in on the Buffs. CU endured a 1-13 shooting slump over the final nine minutes of the half, including an 0-for-7 stretch. That paved the way for a 17-4 MSU run, sending Colorado into the locker room at halftime trailing 38-25

"We didn't do a good job of adjusting and getting back to what we did in the first 10 minutes of the game," said Buff Trevor Baskin, who finished with nine points and three rebounds.

Along with their shooting slump, the Buffs were also pounded inside. While the Spartans missed all nine of their 3-point attempts in the first half, they still held a decisive 26-10 edge in points in the paint to take their halftime lead. "We knew they were going to crash the boards, we knew they were going to

get out and run on makes and misses," Boyle said. "We knew they wanted to get downhill, get the ball in the paint. We just didn't do anything to stop them.'

Colorado started again fast in the second half, getting a Malone bucket and back-to-back 3-pointers from Hammond to cut MSU's lead to seven, 40-33.

But the Buffs then turned the ball over on their next three possessions and couldn't come any closer.

The Spartans then finally found their 3-point shot after missing their first 14 from long distance. MSU hit a pair from beyond the arc, with the second from Frankie Fidler putting Colorado in a 52-37 hole with 12:09 to play

The Buffs never threatened again as Michigan State built its lead to as much as 20 down the stretch.

#### GAME 6

#### COLORADO 73, #2/2 UCONN 72

Nov. 26, 2024, Lahaina, Hawai'i (Lahaina Civic Center)

VISITORS: UConn 4-2 ## Player 11 Alex Karaban f 30 Liam McNeeley f 35 Samson Johnson f 1 Solo Ball g 10 Hassan Diarra g 20 Aidan Mahaney 5 Tarris Reed Jr.	fg-a 1-8 6-9 4-5 5-9 4-7 0-1 1-1	3fg-a 1-7 4-6 0-0 4-6 3-4 0-1 0-0	ft-a 3-4 4-4 0-0 2-3 0-0 0-0 1-2	of 1 0 0 0 1 0	de 4 1 1 2 1 1 5	tot 5 1 1 2 2 1 5	<b>pf</b> 2 1 5 1 3 0 5	tp 6 20 8 16 11 0 3	<b>a</b> 0 1 1 0 6 1 1	to 0 2 0 1 2 1 2	<b>s</b> 0 1 0 0 1 0 0	bk 1 0 1 0 1 0 1	min 28 33 13 32 21 7 20
5 Tarris Reed Jr. 23 Jayden Ross	1-1 0-3	0-0 0-3	1-2 0-0	0	5	5	5	3	1	2	0	1	20
3 Jaylin Stewart	3-5	0-2	0-0	1	2	3	2	6	i	Ö	Ŏ	0	19
Ahman Nowell     Youssouf Singare	1-3 0-1	0-2 0-0	0-0 0-0	2	1	3	0	2	5	0	1	0	13 5
TEAM	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	1	2		U	U	U	٠	٠	·
Totals	25-52	12-31	10-13	6	20	26	22	72	17	9	3	5	200

 TOTAL FG%
 1st Half: 14-25 56.0%
 2nd Half: 11-27 40.7%
 Game: 48.1%
 DEADBALL

 3-Pt. FG%
 1st Half: 8-16 50.0%
 2nd Half: 4-15 26.6%
 Game: 38.7%
 REBOUNDS

 F Throw%
 1st Half: 4-4 100%
 2nd Half: 6-9 66.7%
 Game: 76.9%
 2,0

HOME: Colorado 5-1		•											
## Player		3fg-a		of		tot	pf	tp	а		s		min
23 Andrej Jakimovski	f 4-7	2-4	2-2	3	7	10	2	12	1	0	1	0	33
35 Assane Diop	f 0-1	0-0	5-6	0	2	2	0	5	0	0	0	0	19
50 Elijah Malone	c 6-10	0-0	4-6	1	0	1	1	16	2	3	1	0	24
3 Julian Hammond III	g 6-11	4-5	0-0	0	2	2	2	16	3	4	1	0	31
11 Javon Ruffin	g 1-4	1-2	4-5	1	2	3	2	6	2	1	0	1	31
5 RJ Smith	3-3	2-2	0-0	0	2	2	3	8	3	1	0	0	16
6 Trevor Baskin	2-3	0-0	1-3	1	2	3	1	5	1	1	0	0	20
8 Bangot Dak	1-4	0-2	3-4	0	1	1	2	5	0	0	0	0	14
7 Sebastian Rancik	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
15 Felix Kossaras	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	3
31 Harrison Carrington	0-0	0-0	0-2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
TEAM				1	1	2							
Totals	23-45	9-16	18-28	8	20	28	14	73	12	11	3	1	200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 8-21 38.1% 2nd Half: 15-24 62.5% Game: 51.1% DEADBALL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 4-7 57.1% 2nd Half: 5-9 55.6% F Throw % 1st Half: 12-19 63.2% 2nd Half: 6-9 66.7% Game: 56.3% BEBOUNDS Game: 64.3% 4.2

Officials: Brent Hampton,	Eric Curry,	Tyler	Kump
Score by Periods	1st 2	2nd	Total
UConn	40	32	72
Colorado	32	41	73

LAHAINA, Hawai'i — Colorado's Andrei Jakimovski hit a driving lavup with 8 seconds left Tuesday for the winning bucket as the Buffaloes staged a big second-half rally to knock off No. 2-ranked UConn, 73-72, in the Maui Invitational.

Tad Boyle's Buffs improved to 5-1 with the win while two-time defending na-

tional champion UConn lost its second straight to slip to 4-2.

Julian Hammond III and Elijah Malone each had 16 points for the Buffs while
Jakimovski had a 12-point, 10-rebound double-double, his first as a Buff.

Liam McNeely led UConn with 20 points. Both of UConn's starting big men, Samson Johnson and Tarris Reed Jr., fouled out of the game in the second half, with CU's Malone drawing the majority of those fouls. Colorado trailed by as much as 11 in the first half and by eight at the half,

Colorado trailed by as much as 11 in the first half and by eight at the halt, 40-32. The Huskies rebuilt their edge to nine early in the second half, but the Buffs used an 11-0 run to take their first lead of the game, 48-45, with 14:02 to play. The lead then see-sawed for the remainder of the game, leading to Jakmovs-ki's winning basket. UConn had one last chance to win the game but the CU defense forced the Huskies to settle for a tough 3-pointer with 2 seconds remaining. The shot drew iron to give Colorado the win.

"Less than 24 hours ago, 1 was sitting here questioning the fight of these arms." Powle said in his nost-game press conference. "I said we'd find out a lot

guys." Boyle said in his post-game press conference, "I said we'd find out a lot about our team in the next 18 to 24 hours and 1 think we found out about this team, the fight that they have. Everybody that played for us played well, contributed to this win, and I couldn't be more proud of this group."

Colorado shot just 38 percent from the floor (8-for-21) in the opening half but

came back to blister the nets at a 62.5 percent clip after the break (15-for-24), including 5-for-9 from 3-point range.

At the same time, the Buffs held UConn to just 41 percent shooting after the

break (11-for-27), including 4-for-15 from beyond the arc.

CU also finished with a 28-26 edge on the boards and outscored the Huskies
26-22 in the paint.

The win was Colorado's third ever against a No. 2 team (Oklahoma State in 1992 and Arizona in 2022) and the highest-ranked team CU has ever beaten away

HOW IT HAPPENED: Colorado trailed by 11 late in the first half and still faced

an eight-point deficit, 40-32, at the break.
But the Buffs refused to fold. After UConn built a nine-point edge, Colorado put together an 11-0 run to take its first lead of the game.
Hammond started the run with a 3-pointer, Malone scored on an alley-oop

layup and Hammond tailled a bucket in transition. **Bangot Dak** then hit one free throw before Hammond connected on another trey — the Buffs' sixth straight successful field goal attempt — to give CU a 48-46 lead with 14:02 to play. The Huskles regained the lead with a quick 5-0 surge but Colorado had an-

other answer. Malone scored inside to cut UConn's lead to one before RJ Smith drained a long 3-pointer to give CU a 57-56 edge with 9:14 to play.

At that point, CU had hit 10 of 13 field goal tries in the second half, including a

4-for-5 effort from long range.

UConn came back to take a 61-59 lead before Jakimovski drained a corner trey for the Buffs to tie the score at 63-63 with 5:16 to play, then hit two free throws

to tie it again at 65-65. But the Huskies responded with a quick 5-0 run, getting a 3-pointer and layup

from Solo Ball to take a 70-65 lead with 3:28 to play.

Still, CU refused to give in. The Buffs answered with a **Trevor Baskin** bucket

inside, then two free throws from Malone after a steal to cut UConn's lead to one.

70-69, with two minutes to play.

The steal sent UConn's Reed to the bench with his fifth foul, and he and Johnson finished with just 11 points combined. The Huskies pushed their lead back to three on their next possession, getting

a tip-in to take a 72-69 edge with 1:34 on the clock.

But Colorado cut it back to one again, getting a Malone jump hook inside. CU then got a block from **Javon Ruffin** on the defensive end to take possession with

47 seconds left

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The Buffs missed a 3-point try but Baskin grabbed the rebound and called time out with 21 seconds remaining.

Jakimovski then gave the Buffs the lead with an off-balance right-hand drive to the hoop, giving Colorado a 73-72 lead with 8 seconds to play.

UConn inbounded the ball and then called time out. The Huskies took a diff-

ficult 3-point try with just a few ticks remaining and the ball bounced off the rim, handing the Buffs the win.

#### #5/5 IOWA STATE 99, COLORADO 71

Nov. 27, 2024, Lahaina, Hawai'i (Lahaina Civic Center)

### VISITORS: Colorado 5-2

## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to s	bk	min
6 Trevor Baskin	f 2-5	1-2	2-2	3	5	8	2	7	3	3 0	0	20
23 Andrej Jakimovski	f 5-13	2-6	6-6	0	4	4	1	18	1	2 0	0	28
35 Assane Diop	f 1-3	0-0	0-0	2	2	4	0	2	2	0 0	0	15
50 Elijah Malone	2-7	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	1	4	0	4 0	0	24
3 Julian Hammond III g	6-11	2-5	6-6	0	1	1	3	20	3	4 2	1	29
7 Sebastian Rancik	1-1	0-0	1-1	0	0	0	3	3	0	2 0	0	12
8 Bangot Dak	3-5	1-1	1-2	0	1	1	0	8	2	0 1	0	18
11 Javon Ruffin	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	4	0	4	0 1	0	21
5 RJ Smith	2-6	2-4	0-0	0	4	4	1	6	3	0 0	0	16
15 Felix Kossaras	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1 0	0	7
31 Harrison Carrington	1-1	0-0	1-1	0	0	0	1	3	0	1 0	0	10
TEAM				1	1	2				1		
Totals	23-55	8-19	17-18	7	18	25	17	71	18	18 4	1	200

 TOTAL FG%
 1st Half: 11-26 42.3%
 2nd Half: 12-29 41.4%
 Game: 41.8%
 DEADBALL

 3-Pt. FG%
 1st Half: 6-14 42.9%
 2nd Half: 2-5 40.0%
 Game: 42.1%
 REBOUNDS

 F Throw%
 1st Half: 6-6 100%
 2nd Half: 11-12 91.7%
 Game: 94.4%
 2,0

#### HOME: Iowa State 5-1

## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to s bk	min
2 Joshua Jefferson	f 3-6	0-1	4-4	2	4	6	3	10	1	1 1 0	21
22 Milan Momcilovic	f 9-13	6-9	0-0	0	1	1	1	24	3	1 0 0	29
<ol> <li>Dishon Jackson</li> </ol>	c 4-4	0-0	2-3	1	2	3	3	10	0	1 2 0	13
3 Tamin Lipsey	g 3-7	0-2	4-7	2	1	3	1	10	4	2 4 0	26
10 Keshon Gilbert	g 5-8	1-2	4-4	0	2	2	2	15	6	2 1 0	29
<ol> <li>Nate Heise</li> </ol>	2-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	2	4	0	1 2 0	20
5 Curtis Jones	7-14	3-9	2-2	0	6	6	1	19	3	0 1 0	26
33 Brandton Chatfield	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	4	5	3	0	1	1 2 0	18
15 Nojus Indrusaitis	2-4	1-2	2-3	0	1	1	1	7	0	0 0 0	11
11 Kayden Fish	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 0 0	2
13 Cade Kelderman	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0 0 0	2
30 JT Rock	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0 0 0	2
TEAM				1	2	3				1	
Totals	35-58	11-25	18-23	7	24	31	19	99	18	10 13 0	200

 
 TOTAL FG%
 1st Half: 19-33 57 6%
 2nd Half: 16-25 64 0%
 Game: 60.3%
 DEADBALL

 3-Pt. FG%
 1st Half: 5-15 33.3%
 2nd Half: 6-10 60.0%
 Game: 44.0%
 REBOUNDS

 F Throw %
 1st Half: 2-2 100%
 2nd Half: 16-21 76.2%
 Game: 78.3%
 3,0
 Officials: Brent Hampton, Jemel Spearman, Scott Brown

1st 2nd Score by Periods Total 3/1 37 Colorado 45 Iowa State

LAHAINA. Hawai'i - Colorado had no answer for Iowa State's pressure defense Wednesday and the Buffaloes dropped a 99-71 decision in their final game of the Maui Invitational.

Tad Boyle's Buffs fell to 5-2 while the fifth-ranked Cyclones improved to 5-1. The two teams will meet again Dec. 30 when they open Big 12 play with a 7 p.m. game in Boulder.

Julian Hammond III led CU with 20 points and Andrei Jakimovski scored 18. Trevor Baskin led the Buffs on the boards with eight rebounds.

lowa State put six players in double figures, led by 24 points from Milan Momcilovic.

ISU's defense caused problems throughout the game for CU. The Buffs finished with 18 turnovers that led to 37 lowa State points, including a 22-6 edge in fast break points.

The Buffs got off to a good start and held a 22-20 lead with nine minutes to play in the first half. But the Cyclones continued to force turnovers and finished the half with a 25-12 surge to take an 11-point edge into the break, 45-34

But unlike Tuesday's game, when the Buffs overcame an 11-point first-half deficit against No. 2 UConn to get the win, CU had no comeback in the second half. The Cyclones built their lead into the 20s and finally into the 30s as Colorado's turnover woes continued, resulting in a 54-37 scoring edge for ISU in the second half.

Colorado shot just 42 percent from the field (23-for-55) while the Cyclones shot 60 percent (35-for-58). ISU also held a 31-25 edge on the boards, including seven offensive rebounds that produced 14 points.

"I wasn't a math major but I can add, and 51 of their 99 points came off offensive rebounds where we don't box out and the other 37 come off turnovers," Boyle said, "That's 51 of their 99 points that we have a direct result of causing. You put the combination of turnovers and not boxing out and not guarding, this is what you get against a good team and Iowa State's a hell of a program, hell of a team.

HOW IT HAPPENED: Colorado started well, then survived a 1-for-9 shooting stretch to overcome a 15-11 deficit and take a 22-20 lead.

Bangot Dak hit a 3-pointer to pull Colorado within one before RJ Smith hit back-to-back trevs to give the Buffs a 20-17 lead. A minute later, an Elijah Malone bucket inside gave CU a 22-20 edge with 8:45 to play in the half.

"When we were strong with the ball and had strong cuts, good things happened for us." Boyle said, "We got good looks and we made some baskets."

But there weren't enough of those moments for the Buffs as the Cyclones controlled the game for the rest of the half with their swarming defense. ISU ripped off a quick 10-0 run as the Colorado committed four turnovers in five possessions before Jamikovski hit two free throws to pull CU within six, 30-24.

ISU, though, continued the onslaught. The Cyclones stretched their run to 15-4, pushing their cushion into double digits, 35-24, on a long 3-pointer thanks to a pair of offensive rebounds.

Colorado did get a pair of Jakimovski 3-pointers in the final two minutes of the half but CU couldn't come up with a defensive stop. By the time the halftime buzzer sounded ISU had a 25-12 run on the board over the final 8 minutes of the period to take a 45-34 lead into the break.

The Buffs committed nine turnovers in the first half leading to 20 points for ISU and the Cyclones also reaped nine second-chance points. Colorado shot just 11-for-26 in the opening half while lowa State shot 19-for-33.

The Buffs never found their rhythm in the second half. Iowa State's defense continued to cause problems for CU while the Cyclones continued to roll on the offensive end. ISU slowly built its lead over the first 10 minutes of the half, finally opening up a 25-point edge, 75-52, with nine minutes to play.

Iowa State then built its edge to as much as 33 in the final minutes as the Buffs never threatened to close the gap.

#### GAME 8

#### **COLORADO 75. PACIFIC 66**

Dec. 2, 2024, Boulder, Colo. (CU Events Center)

VISITORS: Pacific 5-5													
## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to	s	bk	min
2 Elias Ralph	f 9-19	1-2	5-6	3	4	7	3	24	0	1	1	2	33
10 Jazz Gardner	1-3	0-0	0-2	5	4	9	4	2	0	1	1	0	26
<ol> <li>Jefferson Koulibaly</li> </ol>	1-4	1-4	1-2	1	2	3	1	4	0	0	1	0	33
<ol> <li>Lamar Washington</li> </ol>	2-10	0-1	3-4	0	5	5	3	7	7	6	0	0	28
22 Elijah Fisher	5-14	0-1	7-10	1	7	8	3	17	1	2	0	0	37
11 Burke Smith	1-2	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	4	2	0	1	0	0	6
3 Petar Krivokapic	4-9	2-6	0-0	1	3	4	4	10	0	0	0	0	29
7 Seth Jones	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	8
TEAM				3	1	4							
Totals	23-63	4-16	16-24	14	27	41	22	66	8	11	4	2	200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 14-29 48.3% 2nd Half: 9-34 26.5% Game: 36.5% DEADBA 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 2-7 28.6% 2nd Half: 2-9 22.2% Game: 25.0% REBOUNDS FThrow % 1st Half: 8-11 72.7% 2nd Half: 8-13 61.5% Game: 66.7% 3.0

#### HOME: Colorado 6-2 e tot pf tp a to s bkmin 10 2 13 7 1 2 3 27 4 1 17 2 0 0 0 31 5 4 4 0 1 1 0 1 3 5 4 4 0 1 1 0 13 7 2 8 3 1 0 23 7 2 8 3 1 0 0 23 7 2 8 3 1 0 0 0 6 6 2 7 3 0 1 4 25 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 8 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 8 de tot pf 7 10 2 4 4 1 4 5 4 0 0 4 ## Player 6 Trevor Baskin 23 Andrej Jakimovski **fg-a 3fg-a ft-a** f 3-7 1-2 6-8 f 6-13 4-7 1-1 of 6-8 1-1 2-2 3 f 6-13 35 Assane Diop 1 0-0 50 Flijah Malone 0-1 Julian Hammond III g 2-6 RJ Smith 3-7 Sebastian Rancik 1-2 1-3 2-4 1-1 0-2 4-4 0-0 0-0 1-2 0-0 2-2 0 1 7 0 3-7 2-4 0-0 0 1-2 1-1 0-0 0 3-8 0-2 1-2 2 0-3 0-1 0-0 1 2-4 0-0 2-2 1 0-2 0-0 0-2 1 8 Bangot Dak 11 Javon Ruffin 31 Harrison Carrington 0 15 Felix Kossaras 0 TFAM

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 10-31 32.3% 2nd Half: 15-28 53.6% Game: 42.4% DEADBALL 1st Half: 6-14 42.9% 1st Half: 3-6 50.0% 2nd Half: 3-7 42.9% Game: 42.9% REI 2nd Half: 13-15 86.7% Game: 76.2% 3,0

25-59 9-21 16-21 9 31 40 21 75 20 10 7 7 200

Officials: Kipp Kissinger,	Tony Pag	dilla, Br	ooks Wells
Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
Pacific	38	28	66
Colorado	29	46	75

BOULDER — Colorado overcame a 10-point second half deficit and took control with a 29-8 surge Monday as the Buffaloes collected a 75-66 win over Pacific at the CU Events Center.

Tad Boyle's Buffs improved to 6-2 while Pacific dropped to 5-5

CU's Trevor Baskin filired with a triple-double, finishing with 13 points, 10 rebounds and seven assists. Andrej Jakimovski led CU with 17 points, RJ Smith had eight points and seven boards and Bangot Dak had seven points, six assists and four blocks.

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Elias Ralph led Pacific with 24 points.

The Buffs fell behind by 11 in the first half, thanks to a 15-0 Pacific run that saw the Tigers hit six straight shots while the Buffaloes missed 10 in a row. CU managed to briefly cut the deficit to four but trailed by nine at the break, 38-29, after the Tigers finished the half with a 5-0 run.

Colorado shot just 10-for-31 in the first half while the Tigers were 14-for-29. Pacific also held a 24-8 edge in the paint in the opening 20 minutes.

But the Buffs finally found their defense while also revving up their offense following the break. After Pacific took a 48-38 lead, the Buffs put together a 15-2 run to take their first lead since early in the game, 53-50, with 11 minutes to play. Pacific managed to keep it close over the next four minutes before CU finally took firm control using a 10-0 run to 14ke a 67-55 lead part of the decisive 29-8. took firm control, using a 10-0 run to take a 67-56 lead, part of the decisive 29-8

Colorado then held the Tigers at bay over the final minutes for the win. CU finished shooting just 42 percent (25-for-59) from the floor but the Buffs did hit nine of their 21 3-point tries. After their hot first half, the Tigers finished just 23-for-63 from the floor, including a 9-for-34 effort in the second half.

Pacific did have a 41-40 edge on the boards, including 14 offensive rebounds.

Pacific did have a 41-40 edge on the boards, including 14 offensive rebounds, and also had a 38-30 edge in the paint.

HOW IT HAPPENED: Colorado trailed by nine at the break, 38-29, after a poor first half on both ends of the floor.

But the CU defense finally kicked in after halftime. The Buffs got two buckets from Elijah Malone and a Jakimovski 3-pointer to start the half before cutting the deficit to five, 43-38, on a pair of Assane Diop free throws.

Pacific momentarily pushed its lead back to 10 with a quick 5-0 run but the Buffs then put together a 15-2 run to take their first lead since early in the game. Smith started the run with a 3-pointer, followed by a Dak block on the defensive end that led to a Harrison Carrington dunk.

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CU's 5-0 burst sparked a Pacific timeout and a Tigers bucket after the break, but the Buffs then continued their run. Malone scored inside, Jakimovski converted a three-point play and another Smith 3-pointer at the 11:22 mark gave Colorado a 51-50 lead, CU's first since an 8-7 edge in the first half.

Smith scored again after a Pacific miss to give the Buffs a three-point cushion and the two teams traded buckets on the next six possessions, leaving CU with a 57-56 edge with 7-00 holds.

57-56 edge with 7:40 to play.

The Buffs then took control with a 9-0 surge, fueled by Baskin. The grad trans-

fer tallied a transition dunk and three free throws, then notched his seventh assist of the night with a pass inside to Malone. Dak completed the run with a dunk to give CU an 10-point edge, 66-56, with five minutes to play.

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Dak then added a free throw after a timeout to give Colorado its biggest lead of the game, 67-56, as CU's turnaround run hit 29-8.

Pacific's Elijah Fisher finally stopped the run with a three-point play but the Buffs kept the Tigers at bay over the final two minutes to collect the win.

Colorado opened the game on a hot note as the Buffs hit their first three shots, including 3-pointers from Jakimovski and Julian Hammond III, to take an early

8-4 lead.

But things went south for Colorado in a hurry. The Buffs went cold on offense, missing their next 10 shots, and were equally inefficient on defense. That opened the door for a 15-0 Pacific run that included a 6-for-6 stretch from the floor for the Tigers, giving Pacific a 19-9 lead with 12-55 still to play in the first half.

Sebastian Rancik finally ended Colorado's nearly six-minute scoring drought with a 3-pointer but that didn't immediately cure the Buffs' wees. Pacific built its cushion back to 11 before finally began to chip away at the deficit.

Colorado pulled to within five on a pair of Hammond free throws, then cut the Pacific lead to four 32-90 on a lakingwisk 3-pointer with 3-printures left in the half

Pacific lead to four, 33-29, on a Jakimovski 3-pointer with 3 minutes left in the half. But the Buffs again went cold, coming up empty on six straight possessions and the half while Pacific went on a 5-0 run in the final three minutes to take a to end the half while Paci 38-29 lead into the break.

#### GAME 9

#### COLORADO 72, COLORADO STATE 55

Dec. 7, 2024, Boulder, Colo. (CU Events Center)

VISITORS: Colorado	State 5	-4											
## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to	s	bk	min
8 Jaylen Crocker-Johnson	f 0-6	0-2	0-0	2	1	3	1	Ò	0	0	2	0	13
0 Kyan Evans	g 4-10	1-6	2-2	0	2	2	4	11	0	2	0	0	24
10 Nique Clifford	4-15	2-6	0-0	2	6	8	2	10	1	2	1	0	38
15 Jalen Lake	g 5-11	3-5	5-5	0	5	5	1	18	2	1	2	1	33
21 Rashaan Mbemba	g 1-6	0-1	1-1	1	2	3	3	3	1	3	0	0	14
13 Bowen Born	2-8	0-5	0-0	0	3	3	0	4	1	2	1	0	22
25 Ethan Morton	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	5	0	2	0	1	1	28
35 Kyle Joregensen	1-3	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	14
11 Keshawn Williams	2-3	1-1	0-0	1	1	2	0	5	0	0	0	0	9
23 Nikola Djapa	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	3	4	1	2	0	1	0	0	5
TEAM													
Totals	20-64	7-27	8-8	8	25	33	18	55	7	11	7	2	200

 TOTAL FG%
 1st Half: 9:34 26.5%
 2nd Half: 11:30 36.7%
 Game: 31.3%
 DEADBALL

 3-PI: FG%
 1st Half: 2-12 6.7%
 2nd Half: 5:15 33.3%
 Game: 25.9%
 REBOUNDS

 F Throw%
 1st Half: 1-1 100%
 2nd Half: 7-7 100%
 Game: 100%
 0,0

HOME: Colorado 7-2													
## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to	s	bk	min
23 Andrej Jakimovski	f 4-12	1-8	0-0	1	2	3	0	9	3	1	0	0	30
35 Assane Diop	f 1-4	1-3	0-0	0	8	8	0	3	3	0	0	2	17
50 Elijah Malone	c 4-5	1-1	1-3	0	3	3	2	10	2	2	1	0	18
3 Julian Hammond III	g 5-12	3-6	0-0	0	2	2	0	13	1	1	2	0	32
5 RJ Smith	g 3-4	2-2	1-1	0	4	4	1	9	1	5	0	0	27
6 Trevor Baskin	3-6	0-1	3-5	3	8	11	2	9	2	5	2	2	23
8 Bangot Dak	7-8	1-2	1-2	3	1	4	1	16	1	2	1	0	18
11 Javon Ruffin	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	3	3	4	0	3	0	1	0	16
31 Harrison Carrington	1-1	0-0	1-1	0	1	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	10
7 Sebastian Rancik	0-2	0-1	0-0	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	7
15 Felix Kossaras	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
TEAM					3	3				1			
Totals	28-56	9-24	7-12	8	36	44	10	72	18	17	7	4	200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 18-33 54.5% 2nd Half: 10-23 43.5% Game: 50.0% DEADBALL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 5-13 38.5% 2nd Half: 4-11 36.4% Game: 37.5% REBOUNDS F Throw % 1st Half: 2-3 66.7% 2nd Half: 5-9 55.6% Game: 58.3% 0,0

Officials: Brooks Wells, E	ric Curry,	Bret S	Smith
Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
Colorado State	21	34	55
Colorado	43	29	72

BOULDER - Colorado used a 16-0 run to take control in the first half Saturday and the Buffaloes went on to collect a 72-55 win over in-state rival Colorado State at the CU Events Center.

Tad Boyle's Buffs improved to 7-2 while Colorado State fell to 5-4.

Colorado never trailed in the game, taking the lead for good early on a Bangot Dak 3-pointer. The Buffs then used a 16-0 run to build a 30-11 cushion with just under 8 minutes to play in the first half and extended the margin to 43-21 by the

CU pushed its lead to as much as 26 early in the second half, 56-30, before the Rams managed to shave the deficit into the teens down the stretch. But CSU never managed to get back within single digits and the Buffs held on for the win.

Dak led the Buffs in scoring with a career-high 16 points, Julian Hammond III added 13 and Elijah Malone chipped in 10. Trevor Baskin scored nine points and grabbed 11 boards and Assane Diop had eight rebounds.

Jalen Lake led CSU with 18 points while the Buffs held Rams leading scorer (and former Buff) Nique Clifford to just 10 points — two in the first half — on 4-for-

CU shot 50 percent (28-for-56) while holding the Rams to just 31 percent (20-for-64). The Buffs had a dominant 44-33 edge on the boards, finishing with 11 second-chance points on eight offensive rebounds, and also recorded 18 assists.

"Really a step in the right direction tonight for our team, our program," Boyle said "I thought we brought the fight to Colorado State from the get-go defensively. I felt like we exerted our will and they felt our presence a little bit in that first half . The (defensive) job that Andrei Jakimovski did on Nigue Clifford I thought was the individual defensive performance of the game, but I thought our team defense was really good as well. When you hold someone to 31 percent shooting, you're going to live with that every night."

HOW IT HAPPENED: The Buffs jumped out to an early lead and never trailed. A Diop 3-pointer broke a 5-5 tie and the Buffs quickly built the lead to seven on a Malone bucket inside.

CSU managed to shave the Colorado lead to three, 14-11, with a basket inside at the 12:15 mark but the Buffs then broke the game open with their decisive 16-0 run.

Baskin started the surge with a baseline drive and dunk, followed by a pair of Dak haskets inside

CU continued to pour it on after a timeout. Malone scored five in a row, getting a dunk inside before draining a 3-pointer from the top of the key, then handed out an assist to Harrison Carrington to push the run to 14-0.

Dak then finished the run with another basket inside and Colorado had a 30-11 lead with 7:38 still to play in the half.

CSU finally ended a five-minute scoring drought and 10 straight misses from the floor with a Keshawn Williams 3-pointer, but the Buffs didn't stop, pushing their lead to 35-14 on an Jakimovski offensive rebound and basket.

Colorado's offense then hit a brief lull that saw the Buffs commit three straight turnovers, allowing the Rams to cut CU's lead to 16.

But the Buffs finished the half on a strong note, out-scoring the Rams 8-2 over the final three minutes, with an RJ Smith 3-pointer just before the buzzer giving the Buffs a 43-21 lead at the break.

CU finished the half shooting 18-for-33 from the floor with 11 assists on those 18 buckets. The Buffs defense held CSU to 9-for-34 shooting and Colorado also had a 24-12 rebound edge in the first 20 minutes.

"I feel like we put a big emphasis on making them feel our pressure," Dak said. "We thought we made them feel our pressure from the start and that got them off their game. So I think that helped us all throughout the game."

Colorado then quickly built its lead to 26 early in the second half as five unanswered points from Dak gave CU a 56-30 cushion at the 12:10 mark.

The Rams then managed to cut the Buffs' edge to 14 down the stretch but the Buffs kept CSU at bay in the final minutes to secure the win.

#### GAME 10 **COLORADO 81, SOUTH DAKOTA STATE 71**

Dec. 13, 2024, Boulder, Colo. (CU Events Center)

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TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 12-28 42.9% 2nd Half: 13-30 43.3% Game: 43.1% DEADBALL 3-PL FG% 1st Half: 7-15 46.7% 2nd Half: 4-12 33.3% Game: 40.7% REBOUNDS F Throw% 1st Half: 4-7 57.2% 2nd Half: 5-6 83.3% Game: 69.2% 3,0

HOME: Colorado 8-2												
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23 Andrej Jakimovski	f 2-8	0-6	0-0	1	3	4	0	4	3	1 3	0	32
35 Assane Diop	f 1-2	0-1	2-2	0	3	3	1	4	0	2 1	0	19
	c 7-8	1-1	0-0	5	4	9	3	15	1	1 1	2	25
	g 8-14	2-5	5-5	0	3	3	1	23	7	1 0	0	28
5 RJ Smith	g 4-6	3-5	0-0	0	2	2	1	11	5	2 2	0	27
6 Trevor Baskin	2-5	0-1	4-4	1	4	5	3	8	2	0 0	1	23
8 Bangot Dak	3-5	0-1	2-2	1	1	2	2	8	0	2 0	1	12
11 Javon Ruffin	0-5	0-2	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1 0	0	16
15 Felix Kossaras	0-1	0-1	1-2	0	2	2	0	1	0	0 0	2	10
31 Harrison Carrington	1-1	1-1	4-4	1	2	3	1	7	1	0 0	0	8
TEAM					2	2						
Totals	28-55	7-24	18-19	9	26	35	13	81	19	10 7	6	200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 17-33 51.5% 2nd Half: 11-22 50.0% Game: 50.0% DEADBALL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 4-12 33.3% 2nd Half: 3-12 25.0% Game: 37.5% REBOUNDS F Throw % 1st Half: 2-2 100% 2nd Half: 16-17 94.1% Game: 94.7% 1,0

Officials: Kipp Kissinger, Brooks Wells, Gregory Nixon Score by Periods 1st 2nd South Dakota State 35 Colorado 40 41 81

BOULDER — Colorado's Julian Hammond III scored a career-high 23 points Friday to lift the Buffaloes to an 81-70 win over South Dakota State at the CU Events Center.

Tad Boyle's Buffs won their third in a row to improve to 8-2 overall while SDSU

Hammond scored 10 of his 23 in the final four minutes of the game, including a clutch 3-pointer and free throw with 49 seconds remaining to salt away the win. He also had seven assists and just one turnover. Elijah Malone had 15 points on 7-for-8 shooting and nine rebounds for CU and RJ Smith added 11 points.

Joe Sayler led the Jackrabbits with 16 points.

While the Buffs led for almost the entire game, they never pushed their lead into double digits until the final minutes. SDSU staved close by hitting 11 3-pointers, including seven in the first half, but the Buffs shot 50 percent from the floor (28-for-56) for the game to make the difference.

Colorado finished with a 34-26 edge on the boards and the Buffs were better defensively after the break, holding the Jackrabbits to just 4-for-12 shooting from

CU also hit 18 of its 19 free throw attempts, including 16 in the second half.

"I've got a lot of respect for them, and I knew it wasn't going to be easy," Boyle said. "I was disappointed in our ability to guard the 3-point line tonight  $\dots$  I thought we did some really good things offensively, but defensively, if we take away their threes and make those tough twos, you know, it's a 20-point game. But overall it's a good win and we'll take it."

HOW IT HAPPENED: Colorado led by as much as nine in the first half and had a five-point edge at the break, 40-35.

But the Buffs couldn't break away from the Jackrabbits. CU used quick buckets from Malone and Hammond to build a nine-point edge early in the second half, but the Jackrabbits answered with an 11-2 run to tie the game at 46-46 seven minutes in.

Colorado then went ahead again and protected its narrow margin over the next three minutes. But SDSU finally took its first lead of the game, 56-55, at the 10:08 mark on back-to-back baskets inside.

But CU quickly answered. After missing their first seven 3-point shots of the half, the Buffs got back-to-back treys from Malone and Hammond to take a fivepoint lead with 8:17 to play.

SDSU stopped the run with a quick basket inside before Colorado put up six more unanswered points. Assane Diop hit two free throws, Andrej Jakimovski scored a transition lavup and Trevor Baskin hit two free throws to complete a 12-2 CU run and give the Buffs a 67-58 edge with under six minutes to play.

CU then built its lead to 10 on a Hammond floater with 2:22 to play and the Buffs held the Jackrabbits at bay over the final minutes. Hammond hit a 3-pointer and free throw with 49 seconds remaining to give CU a 79-70 lead, then added two more free throws with 36 seconds remaining to put the game away.

The victory was the Buffs' 10th in a row on their home court.

The Buffs jumped out to an early lead, taking a quick 13-4 edge after six quick points from Malone and a Smith 3-pointer.

But CU's lead never hit double digits in the first half as the Jackrabbits stayed close with 3-pointers.

SDSU pulled within three, 22-19, on a Jaden Jackson 3-pointer before the Buffs pushed their edge back to eight, 30-22, when Smith drained his third trey of

But the Jackrabbits didn't go away quietly. CU led by seven with just 1:35 left in the half on another Malone bucket inside but SDSU cut the margin to five, 40-35, by the halftime break.

Colorado shot a comfortable 17-for-34 in the first half but just 4-for-12 from long range. The Jackrabbits, meanwhile, were more accurate from long range than they were from 2-point range (5-for-13).

GAME 11 COLORADO 79, BELLARMINE 55 Dec. 21, 2024, Boulder, Colo. (CU Events Center)

VISITORS: Bellarmine
Totals
3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 1-147.1% 2nd Half: 6-12 50.0% Game: 26.9% REBOUNDS
F Throw % 1st Half: 5-6 83.3% 2nd Half: 1-3 33.3% Game: 66.7% 2,0
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3 Julían Hammond III g 3-8 1-4 3-3 0 4 4 0 10 5 1 4 0 24 5 FJ Smith g 4-7 3-4 0 0 5 5 1 11 2 1 2 0 20 6 Trevor Baskin 1-3 0-0 3-4 1 2 3 2 5 3 2 1 0 18 8 Bangot Dak 3-4 0-1 1-2 2 1 3 0 7 0 1 3 1 15 31 Harrison Carrington 2-5 0-2 1-1 1 3 4 1 5 0 2 1 1 12 7 Sebastian Rancik 3-6 1-3 0-1 2 2 4 0 7 2 2 1 1 16 15 Felix Kossaras 1-2 0-1 2-2 0 2 2 1 4 2 0 0 0 1 1 30 Greg Gerhardt 0-3 0-2 0-0 1 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 3 34 Jack Pease 0-3 0-1 0-0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
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BOULDER — Colorado took care of business Saturday at the CU Events Center as the Buffaloes rolled past Bellarmine, 79-55, in their final tuneup before Big 12 play.

Tad Boyle's Buffs improved to 9-2 with their fourth straight win while the matched Knights dropped to 3-10.

Colorado used a 25-4 run in the first half to cruise to a 45-16 edge at the break and the Knights never threatened to make it a game after halftime.

CU led by as much as 37 early in the second half but the Buffaloes' defense let up down the stretch, allowing the Knights to outscore Colorado 39-34 in the final

The Buffs put three players in double figures, led by a career-high 15 points from sophomore forward **Assane Diop** on 7-for-11 shooting. Sophomore guard **RJ Smith** had 11 points and a team-high five rebounds while senior point guard Julian Hammond III had 10 points, five assists and four rebounds.

Dezmond McKinney led Bellarmine with 12 points.

Colorado

Colorado shot 29-for-62 (47 percent) from the floor while the Knights were 21-for-53 (39.6 percent). CU also had a 38-30 edge on the boards, making the Buffs 95-6 in the Boyle era when hitting the "gold standard" of holding a team to 40 percent or less shooting and collecting at least a plus-8 rebound edge.

But despite the lopsided win, Boyle wasn't pleased with CU's second-half ef-

fort. Bellarmine outscored Colorado in the second half by five points while shooting almost 62 percent from the floor (16-for-26, including 6-for-12 from 3-point

'I was really, really disappointed in the second half," said Boyle, whose Buffs open Big 12 play on Dec. 30 at home against No. 3 Iowa State. "I thought we kind of mailed it in at halftime, and that was a challenge I gave to our team — don't play the scoreboard, play the possession — and we didn't do that at all ... (The Knights) scored more points in the first eight minutes of the second half than they did the whole first half. That means our defense really took a step backwards and for us to be successful in the league we're going to play in starting December 30,

that ain't good enough. You have to play for 40 minutes, not 20."

HOW IT HAPPENED: The second-half lapse came after the Buffs put the game away in the first 20 minutes. After Bellarmine took a quick 6-4 lead Colorado

responded with a 25-4 run to take control.

Diop started the surge with his third bucket of the game, part of an 8-0 CU surge. Hammond added a three-point play, **Trevor Baskin** scored inside and Bangot Dak tallied a free throw to give CU a 12-6 edge.

Bellarmine momentarily stopped the run with a free throw and 3-pointer but Colorado then answered with a 15-0 surge to basically put the game away.

Dak scored on a dunk, Diop scored five in a row and Smith buried a corner 3-pointer to give CU a 24-10 lead. Elijah Malone then got into the act with three points and Diop scored again to give Colorado a 29-10 cushion with just more than five minutes to play in the half.

Defensively, the Buffs held Bellarmine to 1-for-11 shooting in the run, with the Knights going almost seven minutes without a point.

Colorado kept the pressure on after a timeout, building its lead to 45-16 by

halftime. Hammond added a 3-pointer, Felix Kossaras scored four in a row and Sebastian Rancik and Smith each hit 3-pointers in the final two minutes to give the Buffs their 29-point halftime cushion.

Colorado shot 16-for-31 from the floor in the opening half, with 13 assists on

the 16 baskets. The Buffs held the Knights to just 6-for-27 shooting, including 1-for-14 from long range, while also recording eight steals.

Boyle clearly liked what he saw from his squad in the first half, particularly on

"It's got to be that way for 40 minutes," he said, "Defense does not have possessions off, it doesn't have games off, doesn't have nights off. We don't understand that. We think, 'Oh, well, we were up by 29, game's over.' Well, the game's not over. They beat us. They scored 39 in the second half, and beat us."

Colorado built its lead to as much as 37 early in the second half before the

Knights found their shooting eye and managed to cut the deficit into the 20s.

Boyle emptied his bench with just more than three minutes to play, giving several walk-ons a chance for court time down the stretch.

#### GAME 12 #3/3 IOWA STATE 79, COLORADO 69

Dec. 30, 2024, Boulder, Colo. (CU Events Center)

VISITORS: Iowa Stat													
## Player		3fg-a				tot	pt	tp	а				min
2 Joshua Jefferson	f 6-12	0-1	1-1	1	6	7	1	13	2	3	8	1	28
22 Milan Momcilovic	f 2-9	1-4	0-0	1	2	3	3	5	1	0	0	0	27
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3 Tamin Lipsey	g 4-10	1-4	1-2	0	2	2	2	10	1	1	2	0	32
10 Keshon Gilberg	g 6-10	0-1	2-2	1	1	2	1	14	3	2	0	0	32
Nate Heise	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	2	2	2	0	1	0	1	0	16
5 Curtis Jones	5-16	2-7	8-8	0	3	3	2	20	0	1	1	0	29
33 Brandton Chatfield	3-4	0-0	3-7	7	0	7	1	9	0	0	0	2	19
TEAM				6	2	8							
Totals	29-68	4-18	17-22	20	20	40	14	79	9	9	13	3	200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 14-34 41.2% 2nd Half: 15-34 44.1% Game: 42.6% DEADBALL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 3-11 27.3% 2nd Half: 1-7 14.3% Game: 22.2% REBOUNDS F Throw % 1st Half: 6-7 85.7% 2nd Half: 11-15 73.3% Game: 77.3% 2.0

HOME: Colorado 9-3, ## Player		g 12 3fg-a	ft-a	of	da	tot	pf	tp	а	to		hk	min
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5 RJ Smith	5-10	3-6	1-2	0	2	2	3	14	1	2	1	1	33
7 Sebastian Rancik	1-3	1-3	0-0	0	4	4	1	3	0	0	1	2	16
8 Bangot Dak	2-5	0-1	0-0	3	5	8	3	4	5	4	1	2	18
11 Javon Ruffin	4-7	0-2	1-1	0	0	0	4	9	2	3	0	0	18
31 Harrison Carrington	0-1	0-1	0-0	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	15
15 Felix Kossaras	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
TEAM				4	1	5							
Totals	28-57	7-22	6-8	11	22	33	18	69	18	19	7	5	200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 12-24 50.0% 2nd Half: 16-33 48.5% Game: 49.1% DEADBALI 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 3-11 27.3% 2nd Half: 4-11 36.4% Game: 31.8% REBOUNDS F Throw % 1st Half: 4-5 80.0% 2nd Half: 2-3 66.7% Game: 75.0% 0,0

Officials: Tony Padilla,	Ronald Gro	over,	Roger Aye	rs
Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total	
lowa State	37	42	79	
Colorado	31	38	69	

BOULDER - Colorado threw a scare into No. 3 Iowa State on Monday in their Big 12 opener but the Buffaloes couldn't close the deal down the stretch and dropped a 79-69 decision at the CU Events Center.

Tad Boyle's Buffs fell to 9-3 overall and 0-1 in Big 12 play. Iowa State improved to 11-1, 1-0.

Colorado overcame a 12-point deficit early in the second half to take a 53-48 lead with 13 minutes to play. But the Buffs couldn't hold the lead as ISU took advantage of a CU cold streak to regain the edge, then used an 8-0 run in the final three minutes to put the game away.

Julian Hammond III led CU with 21 points on 9-for-17 shooting and also had four rebounds, four assists and no turnovers. RJ Smith added 14 points and Bangot Dak led the Buffs with eight rebounds.

Curtis Jones led ISU with 20 points.

The Buffs shot the ball well, hitting 49 percent from the floor (28-for-57) while holding the Cyclones to 43 percent (29-for-68).

But the difference came in turnovers and offensive rebounds. Colorado committed 19 miscues that ISU converted into 24 points and the Cyclones grabbed 20 offensive rebounds that led to 21 second-chance points.

Colorado also shot just eight free throws and made six while the Cylones were 17-for-22 from the line.

"I was pleased with our effort and our competitiveness." Boyle said, "But we had the answer to this test before the test. We talked about it in pregame - second-chance points, points off turnovers. They have 20 offensive rebounds and we turn it over 19 times, and still somehow we staved in the game until the end ... But we didn't do what we knew we had to do to beat this team.

HOW IT HAPPENED: The Buffs trailed by six at the half, 37-31, and the deficit ballooned to 12 when the Cyclones scored the first six points of the second half.

But just when ISU threatened to blow the game open, the Buffs responded with a 22-5 run.

Smith started the surge with back-to-back 3-pointers, followed by an Elijah Malone dunk. ISU momentarily halted the run with a free throw but the Buffs answered with 3-pointers from Sebastian Rancik and Hammond.

Colorado finally took its first lead of the half when back-to-back baskets from Trevor Baskin gave CU a 49-48 edge at the 13:58 mark. The Buffs then extended the margin to 53-48 on a Dak basket inside and a Javon Ruffin steal and layup.

But the Cyclones wouldn't go away, ISU used a 6-0 run to take a 56-55 lead. en answered a Colorado bucket from Assane Diop with five more points to take

a 61-57 lead with just under eight minutes to play.

Colorado managed to close the gap to one, 64-63, with five minutes remaining but the Cyclones responded with a 6-0 burst to take control and CU never got closer than four again.

lowa State then put the game away with an 8-0 run in the final three minutes. Colorado opened the game by taking a quick 5-0 lead on a pair of buckets from Hammond before ISU scored six in a row to take its first lead.

The two teams then traded the lead four times over the next five minutes as urnovers began to plague the Buffs.

Colorado then hit a hot streak midway through the period, using a 10-2 run to take a 23-19 lead with 6:32 to play in the half. Smith hit a 3-pointer, then set up Baskin for a breakaway dunk with a steal. Hammond wrapped up a 7-0 run with a basket inside, then drained a 3-pointer after a Dak offensive rebound to give the Buffs a four-point edge.

But the Buffs then turned it over on two of their next three possessions and the Cyclones turned both miscues into baskets, part of an 8-0 run.

Smith temporarily halted the surge with a pair of baskets to keep the Buffs within two 29-27

But the Cyclones came back with a 3-pointer, then got a second-chance. buzzer-beating trey at the end of the half to take a 37-31 lead into the break, finishing an 18-8 run.

#### ARIZONA STATE 81, COLORADO 61

Jan. 4, 2025, Tempe, Ariz, (Desert Financial Arena)

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 TOTAL FG%
 1st Half: 12-35 34.3%
 2nd Half: 11-31 35.5%
 Game: 34.8%
 DEADBALL

 3-Pt. FG%
 1st Half: 2-14 14.3%
 2nd Half: 11-10 10.0%
 Game: 12.5%
 REBOUNDS

 F Throw%
 1st Half: 1-1 100%
 2nd Half: 11-14 78.6%
 Game: 80.0%
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#### HOME: Arizona State 10-3, 1-1 Big 12 de tot pf tp 5 6 2 17 7 10 3 11 3 3 4 7 4 4 4 19 3 5 2 8 2 2 3 10 0 0 0 0 ft-a 1-2 0-2 Player fg-a 3fg-a Basheer Jihad f 6-9 4-6 Jayden Quaintance f 5-9 1-3 **a**2 2 4 4 2 0 1 1 3 0 0 1 2 0 5 2 1 30 0 2 3 33 21 Jayden Quaintance f 5-9 0 2 3 33 1 1 0 37 1 0 2 25 3 1 0 35 4 0 1 17 2 0 0 21 0 0 0 2 g 3-11 g 8-12 1-5 3-7 Alston Mason 0-0 0-0 0-0 4-8 7-7 0-0 10 BJ Freeman 3-4 0-0 1-3 0-0 44 Adam Miller g 3-6 2-3 9 Shawn Phillips Jr Amier Ali 0 0-0 11 Bobby Hurley TEAM Totals. 28-54 13-28 12-19 9 29 38 19 81 15 17 6 7 200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 15-29 51.7% 2nd Half: 13-25 52.0% Game: 51.9% DEADBALL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 6-14 42.9% 2nd Half: 7-14 50.0% Game: 46.4% REBOUNDS FThrow % 1st Half: 4-5 80.0% 2nd Half: 8-14 57.1% Game: 63.2% 5,0

Officials: Ray Natili, Tommy Johnson, Michael Reed Score by Periods 1st 2nd Total Colorado 27 34 61 Arizona State

TEMPE, Ariz. — A first half offensive explosion by Arizona State along with some Colorado shooting woes led to an 81-61 decision in favor of the Sun Devils Saturday afternoon at Desert Financial Arena.

Colorado trailed by double digits early in the game and could not mount a comeback to capture its first Big 12 Conference win of the season, falling to 9-4 (0-2) on the year while ASU improves to 10-3 (1-1).

Trailing by as much as 23 in the first half, the Buffaloes went on a 10-0 run in the final 2:35 minutes of the period to cut the deficit to 13 with another 20 minutes to play.

Graduate transfer Trevor Baskin scored a season-high 23 points on 9 of 14 from the floor with 10 rebounds, four steals, two assists, and a block. It marks his second double-double as a Buff and 24th of his collegiate career. It's also the first time he has logged 20 or more points in his time at CU.

The Buffs got a hefty 40 points from their bench. Javon Ruffin, Sebastian Rancik, and Harrison Carrington combined for 17 of those points, in addition to Baskin's 23

Arizona State's BJ Freeman posted a season-high 19 points in the win.

The difference was a season-low field goal percentage (34.8%) and threepoint field goal percentage (12.5%) by the Buffaloes, with the combination of the Sun Devils shooting 51.9% from the field and 46.4% from beyond the arc.

'They just had whatever they wanted," head coach Tad Boyle stated. "They'd beat us inside, they'd beat us outside. They got whatever they wanted. And we just didn't. We didn't dictate at all with our defense. We were on our heels. It felt like the whole night, both offensively and defensively.

HOW IT HAPPENED: The Buffaloes trailed 40-17 late in the first half before going on a 10-0 run in the final minutes to cut the Arizona State lead to 13 at the break

Colorado shot just 34.3 percent in the first half (12 for 35) while Arizona State shot over 50 percent as a unit and over 40 percent from three.

Andrei Jakimovski and Baskin combined for the Buffs 10 points through the first eight minutes of the second half while the team continued to struggle to knock shots down, going 3-for-16 to start the half.

Sun Devil Jay Quaintance entered double-digit scoring figures thanks to a jumper with nine minutes left in the game, giving ASU a 25-point lead, their largest of the night.

Arizona State would go on to hover around a 20-point lead the rest of the way, continuing to be more efficient from the field than Colorado.

"When we hold people under 40% field goal percentage and we out rebound them by eight or more, we're not undefeated," Boyle said. "It doesn't guarantee you're going to win the game...you got to be able to score the ball at some point and make open shots. So that was really disappointing we didn't."

#### GAME 14

#### UCF 75, COLORADO 74

Jan. 8, 2025, Orlando, Fla. (Addition Financial Arena)

VISITORS: Colorado 9-5, 0-3 Big 12												
## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to s	bk	min
23 Andrej Jakimovski	f 6-9	4-5	0-0	0	4	4	1	16	1	1 1	0	36
35 Assane Diop	f 1-2	0-0	7-8	1	5	6	4	9	5	1.1	0	21
50 Elijah Malone	c 3-8	0-0	0-1	2	0	2	2	6	3	4 0	0	21
3 Julian Hammond III	8-14	2-4	8-9	0	5	5	1	26	5	5 1	0	34
5 RJ Smith	2-8	0-3	0-0	1	7	8	2	4	0	6 3	0	35
6 Trevor Baskin	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	5	2	1	2 1	0	17
8 Bangot Dak	3-4	1-1	3-4	1	2	3	4	10	0	1.1	2	18
7 Sebastian Rancik	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0 0	0	12
15 Felix Kossaras	0-0	0-0	1-2	0	0	0	2	1	0	1 0	0	2
31 Harrison Carrington	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0 0	0	2
TEAM					2	2				1		
Totals	24-46	7-13	19-24	6	27	33	22	74	15	22 8	2	200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 10-20 50.0% 2nd Half: 14-26 53.8% Game: 52.2% DEADBALL 1st Half: 3-6 50.0% 2nd Half: 4-7 57.1% 1st Half: 14-18 77.8% 2nd Half: 5-6 83.3%

HOME: UCF 11-3, 2-	1 Big 12										
## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to s l	ok min
52 Moustapha Thiam	c 2-4	0-0	2-2	1	2	3	4	6	0	3 0	3 29
0 Jordan Ivy-Curry	g 7-13	4-10	4-5	1	5	6	1	22	4	1 3	0 37
3 Darius Johnson	g 5-13	2-6	5-6	1	4	5	3	17	2	2 4	1 32
4 Keyshawn Hall	g 5-14	2-7	6-9	3	4	7	4	18	1	1.1	1 35
6 Dallan Coleman	g 1-4	1-2	3-4	1	3	4	2	6	1	1 0	0 29
35 Rokas Jocius	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	1	0	0	1 0	0 3
2 JJ Taylor	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2 0	0 11
5 Benny Williams	1-3	1-2	1-2	0	0	0	2	4	2	0 1	2 13
7 Dior Johnson	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0 0	0 7
1 Mikey Williams	1-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0 0	0 4
TEAM				1	1	2				1	
Totals	22-56	10-28	21-28	9	19	28	21	75	12	12 9	7 200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 11-30 36.7% 2nd Half: 11-26 42.3% Game: 39.3% DEADBALL 3-PI: FG% 1st Half: 41-6 25.0% 2nd Half: 6-12 50.0% Game: 35.7% REBOUNDS F Throw % 1st Half: 8-12 66.7% 2nd Half: 13-16 81.3% Game: 75.0% 5,0

Officials: Jeffery Anderson,	Darron	Georg	je, Deron W	/hite
Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total	
Colorado	37	37	74	
JCF	34	41	75	

ORLANDO, Fla. - Colorado got a career-night from senior guard Julian

ORLANDO, Fla. — Colorado got a career-night from senior guard Julian Hammond III and shot over 50 percent as a team, but a season-high 22 turnovers allowed UCF to squeak out a 75-74 Big 12 Conference win over the Buffaloes Wednesday night at Addition Financial Arena.

Colorado, 9-5 overall, drops its third-straight to fall to 0-3 in conference play for the first time since 2016-17. UCF improves to 11-3, 2-1 in the Big 12.

Hammond, shaking off a scoreless performance at Arizona State, scored a career-high 26 points on 8 of 14 from the field and 8 of 9 from the line. Andrej Jakimovski had 16 points hitting 4 of 5 3-point attempts. Bangot Dak pitched in 10 points while RJ Smith grabbed career-high eight rebounds.

Jordan Ivy-Curry led UCF with 22 points.

Colorado, coming off a season low 34.8 percent at Arizona State, hit 52.2 percent from the field. The Buffaloes made 7 of 13 from 3-point range against UCF, compared to just 3 of 24 at ASU. Colorado also held UCF to 39 percent shooting and had a plus-5 advantage on the boards (33-28)

The Knights cashed in off Colorado miscues, scoring 24 points off turnovers compared to 10 Colorado points off 12 UCF turnovers.

Despite the turnovers, the Buffaloes had several shots at the end to put the gene in their favor. Tied at 74-41, Jakimovski missed on a drivet to the basket with 42 seconds left. Dak got the offensive board, but his put-back bounced out.

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Coleman misses on the first recent into watempt but made the second to give the Knights the one-point lead. After a timeout, Hammond got a slightly off-balanced look from the top of the key as the clock wound down but missed and UCF got the ball as it bounced out, off of Colorado, with just four seconds left.

The Knights had trouble getting the ball in and were called for a five-second count which gave the Buffaloes the ball back. Elijah Malone got the ball in the paint of the inbound, but his attempt at a layup from the left side was blocked by Keyshawn Hall. Darius Johnson snagged the rebound and vaulted the ball into the

Keyshawn Hall. Darius Johnson snagged the rebound and vaulted the ball into the air as time ran out on the Buffaloes.

HOW IT HAPPENED: Leading 37-34 at the half, Colorado had a great start to the second period hitting its first six and seven of its first eight shots. Jakimovksi hit a pair of 3-point shots that put him over 1,000 points for his collegiate career and gave CU a 53-44 lead at the15:05 mark. A Dak 3-pointer gave the Buffs their largest lead at 56-46 with 14:16 remaining.

Although the Buffs continued to hit shots, empty possessions allowed UCF to storm back. Fourteen of Colorado's 22 turnovers came in the second half with eight coming during a five-minute span which fueled a 14-2 UCF run that kept the game tight down the stretch.

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Ivy-Curry tied the game at 58, hitting a pair of free throws after **Assane Diop**was called for a flagrant foul against Johnson. Hall gave UCF the lead on the
ensuing possession, but Hammond countered with a pain bucket on the other end
to tie the game at 60. It would remain a two-possession contest the rest of the way.

UCF took a 71-67 lead with 5:15 left thanks to five-straight points by Johnson.
But Hammond stayed aggressive attacking the paint. He scored the games' next
seven points – four-straight free throws and a traditional 3-point play as Colorado
led 74-71 with 3:01 left.

Hall countered that aggression with the

Hall countered that aggression with three free throws to tie the game for the eighth and final time at 74 with a minute left setting up the closing sequence.

Colorado scored the first six points of the game. Hammond, more than ready

to shed his slump from ASU, scored three points in that early run, UCF missed its

to shed his slump from ASU, scored three points in that early run. UCF missed its first 10 shots, including six 3-point attempts. Ivy-Curry scored seven straight out of the first media timeout to give UCF the lead. Jakimovski quickly took back the lead with a 3-pointer and an RJ Smith steal and dunk gave the Buffaloes an 11-7 advantage.

UCF then went on an 8-0 run. Johnson got three shots at the line, Moustapha Thiam hit a hook shot and lvy-Curry nailed his second 3-pointer of the game giving him 10 points early and UCF a 15-11 advantage.

Colorado regained the lead with a 6-0 run of its own. Baskin had a steal and lavyp and Hammond hit a 3-pointer as CU led 17-15 with 10-44 left in the first half. The teams traded baskets as the lead changed hand four times and tied three others late in the first half. Jakimovski hit his second 3-pointer to give CU a 24-21 lead. hir Hall resoonded with one for UCF.

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Dak gave Colorado a little breathing room with five in a row, including a free throw that gave Colorado its largest first half lead at 35-28 with 3:06 left.

UCF scored four points from the line to cut CU's lead to three. Hammond hit a pair of foul shots but Johnson had a late basket to counter as Colorado led 37-34 at the break.

#### GAME 15

#### #21/23 WEST VIRGINIA 78, COLORADO 70

Jan. 12, 2025, Boulder, Colo. (CU Events Center)

VISITORS: West Virg	ginia 12-	3, 3-1	Big 12	2									
## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to	s	bk	min
11 Jonathan Powell	f 4-10	2-5	0-0	0	2	2	0	10	0	1	0	0	33
0 Eduardo Andre	c 5-5	0-0	2-2	1	3	4	5	12	1	0	4	0	23
5 Toby Okani	g 1-4	0-3	0-5	1	2	3	3	2	0	1	0	0	33
7 Javon Small	g 6-17	4-10	10-12	0	4	4	3	26	7	1	1	1	38
10 Sencire Harris	g 2-5	0-1	2-2	0	5	5	5	6	0	0	0	0	22
13 Amani Hansberry	1-4	0-1	2-2	2	2	4	4	4	1	2	0	0	17
<ol> <li>Joseph Yesufu</li> </ol>	6-9	2-3	4-5	0	3	3	3	18	0	1	2	0	28
8 Jake Auer	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	7
TEAM				4		4				1			
Totals	25-55	8-24	20-28	8	22	30	24	78	9	7	7	1	200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 14-28 50.0% 2nd Half: 11-27 40.7% Game: 45.5% DEADBALL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 4-13 30.8% 2nd Half: 4-11 36.4% Game: 33.3% REBOUNDS F Throw % 1st Half: 8-8 100% 2nd Half: 12-20 60.0% Game: 71.4 % 3.0

HOME: Colorado 9-6,		g 12 3fg-a	ft-a	of	da	tot	pf	tp	а	to	e I	hk	min
23 Andrej Jakimovski	f 3-6	0-3	2-2	1	5	6	2	8	0		1	0	36
	f 3-4	1-1	6-6	i	4	5	1	13	2		0	0	23
35 Assane Diop						5	. !					~	
50 Elijah Malone	c 0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	3	2	0	0	10
3 Julian Hammond III	q 6-13	3-7	8-8	1	3	4	2	23	0	3	0	0	30
5 RJ Smith	g 1-4	1-4	0-0	0	2	2	1	3	1	1	0	0	16
6 Trevor Baskin	4-8	0-0	1-2	2	4	6	3	9	2	3	1	0	24
8 Bangot Dak	1-1	0-0	2-4	0	1	1	3	4	1	2	0	0	11
11 Javon Ruffin	1-7	1-3	2-2	1	6	7	5	5	4	2	1	0	26
7 Sebastian Rancik	0-2	0-0	2-4	1	0	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	11
31 Harrison Carrington	1-2	0-1	1-2	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	1	2	13
TEAM				1	1	2							
Totals	20-48	6-19	24-30	8	27	35	22	70	13	14	4	2	200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 12-25 48.0% 2nd Half: 8-23 34.8% Game: 41.7% DEADBAL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 5-14 35.7% 2nd Half: 1-5 20.0% Game: 31.6% REBOUND 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 5-14 35.7 F Throw % 1st Half: 0-2 0.0% Game: 31.6% REBOUNDS 2nd Half: 24-28 85.7% Game: 80.0% 4.0

Officials: Kipp Kissinger,	Marques	Pettigr	rew, Michae	l Greensteii
Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total	
West Virginia	40	38	78	
Colorado	29	41	70	

BOULDER - Despite Colorado's second-half resurgence during Sunday afternoon's contest, the Buffaloes could not overcome their early turnover struggles, leading to a 78-70 win by West Virginia.

The Buffs, 9-6 overall and 0-4 in the Big 12, drop their fourth-straight, the program's longest since dropping the final five games of the 2019-20 season. West Virginia improves to 12-3, 3-1 in the conference.

"Well, another disappointing loss," head coach Tad Boyle said, "It's been like that now four games in a row. So I take responsibility for this. I'm the head coach. We let a team that's averaging 62 points a game come in our building and score 78 on us.

Julian Hammond III, coming off a career-high 26 points against UCF, led the Buffaloes with 23 points on 6-for-13 shooting. It was a team effort from CU, with nine different Buffs logging points in the score column.

"It's definitely frustrating losing four games in a row," Hammond said. "We haven't had a four game losing streak in a while, I can't remember last time. I don't even know if it's since I've been here, but obviously it's frustrating, but we try to keep our team together and keep our guys together because we know we have another game on Wednesday. So we got to be ready, we got to be ready for that."

Assane Diop had 15 points while going 3-for-4 from the field. Javon Ruffin chipped in with a season-high seven rebounds and four assists, leading the team in both categories.

Javon Small led West Virginia with 26 points, shooting 4-10 from the three.

The Buffs went 20-for-48 from the floor as a unit, for a 41.7 percent clip. They shot 6-for-19 from three, nailing just one in the second period. Hammond made three of the six three-pointers for Colorado.

Despite an impressive second-half defensive effort, Colorado's ball security issues turned out to be the difference in this one. West Virginia capitalized on Colorado's 11 first-half turnovers, outscoring the Buffs 12-0 on points off turnovers in the first 20 minutes of play.

It led to seven of the eight-man rotation for the Mountaineers to score at least

"We had some silly silly turnovers," Boyle stated. "We had 11 turnovers in the first half. And two illegal screens, two three balls, throwing it out of bounds, one dribble into traffic, it was just silly stuff. I like that we did a much better job in the second half. Only had three turnovers in the second half."

HOW IT HAPPENED: After a quick score from Diop to tip off the game, West Virginia scored 10 unanswered points from Jonathan Powell and Small to give them an early cushion. RJ Smith nailed a three to break up the scoring run for

Eight CU turnovers within the first eight minutes of the game led to more WVU opportunities, giving them a chance to build a double-digit lead at halftime, 40-29.

Small, WVU's leading scorer, opened the second half with back-to-back-toback three-pointers, but Hammond kept Colorado on the attack, scoring backto-back buckets of his own. Andrej Jakimovski had a pair of scores to cut the Mountaineers' lead to single digits.

Some strong defense paired with some West Virginia shooting woes brought the Buffs within four points with 11:06 remaining in the game. Harrison Carrington registered two blocks during the Mountaineers' 1-for-8 shooting run.

The Buffs were able to cut the West Virginia lead to just two points several times in the last eight minutes of the game. Trading free throws and possessions. WVU built the lead back up to five with a few minutes to play.

A Trevor Baskin put-back dunk off a Ruffin missed three-pointer at the 2:22 mark brought CU back within a one-possession game at 66-63. Joseph Yesefu converted back-to-back challenging buckets, including an and-one, to give his team a six-point lead with just a minute left in regulation.

#### CINCINNATI 68, COLORADO 62

Jan. 15, 2025, Boulder, Colo. (CU Events Center)

VISITORS: Cincinnat	i 11-5, 1	1-4 Big	g 12								
## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to s bk	min
23 Dillon Mitchell	f 3-10	0-1	5-7	1	4	5	0	11	2	1 0 0	30
41 Simas Lukosius	f 6-12	3-8	1-1	0	7	7	1	16	0	2 2 0	28
55 Aziz Bandaogo	c 1-3	0-0	2-2	5	5	10	2	4	1	3 2 1	25
<ol> <li>Dan Skillings Jr</li> </ol>	g 4-9	2-5	0-2	0	1	1	4	10	2	1 1 0	24
2 Jizzle James	g 1-7	1-5	2-2	0	2	2	2	5	2	0 1 0	22
1 Day Day Thomas	4-8	0-0	2-2	0	0	0	4	10	0	2 1 1	25
5 CJ Fredrick	1-1	1-1	2-3	0	1	1	3	5	1	0 0 1	12
10 Josh Reed	0-2	0-1	2-2	0	3	3	0	2	2	0 3 0	13
22 Arrinten Page	2-6	1-1	0-0	2	1	3	1	5	0	1 1 0	11
14 Tyler Betsey	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0 0 0	10
TÉAM				2	2	4					
Totale	22-60	8-23	16-21	10	27	37	10	68	10	10113	200

 TOTAL FG%
 1st Half: 13-34 38.2%
 2nd Half: 9:26 34.6%
 Game: 36.7%
 DEADBALL

 3-Pt. FG%
 1st Half: 5-12 41.7%
 2nd Half: 3-11 27.3%
 Game: 34.8%
 REBOUNDS

 F Throw%
 1st Half: 3-4 75.0%
 2nd Half: 13-17 76.5%
 Game: 76.2 %
 2,1

### ## Player fg-a 3fg-a ft-a of de tot pf tp f Trevor Baskin f 3-7 0-0 2-2 1 5 6 3 8 Banggot Dak f 1-13 2-5 3-4 3 5 8 1 19 23 Andrej Jakimovski f 1-6 0-2 0-3 1 0 1 4 2 35 Assane Diop f 1-5 0-2 2-3 2 6 8 3 4 Julian Hammond III g 1-6 0-2 3-4 0 6 6 1 5 7 Sebastian Rancik 3-6 0-0 3-5 0 3 3 1 9 11 Javon Ruffin 4-10 1-2 0-0 0 2 2 1 9 11 Javon Carrington 3-3 0-0 0-0 1 1 2 4 6 a to s bkmin 2 3 2 0 23 1 1 1 8 31 1 0 1 1 29 0 3 0 0 15 2 3 2 0 34 1 0 0 0 25 Ó Totals. 23-56 3-13 13-21 10 31 41 18 62 8 15 7 9 200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 9-28 32.1% 2nd Half: 14-28 50.0% Game: 41.1% DEADBALI 3-Pt FG% 1st Half: 2-8 25 0% 2nd Half: 1-5 20 0% Game: 23 1% REBOUNDS F Throw % 1st Half: 7-10 70.0% 2nd Half: 6-11 54.5% Game: 61.9% 3,0

Officials: Tony Padilla, Bret Smith, Tommy Johnson Score by Periods 2nd 1st Total Cincinnati 34 34 68 Colorado

BOULDER - A sluggish start offensively for Colorado was too much to handle against Cincinnati, leading to a 68-62 Bearcats win Wednesday night in the CU Events Center.

The Buffs have now dropped their fifth straight contest, falling to 9-7 overall and 0-5 in the Big 12. It's the first time Colorado has lost five consecutive games since the final five games of the 2019-20 season.

"I sound like a broken record here the last five games, but really, really disappointing, and we drop our third game at home," head coach Tad Boyle said. "We lost one in this building the entire season last year, and now we've lost three and all winnable games that we weren't good enough to win. And I told the team I feel like this is the poorest coached team in America. That's how I feel, because the stuff that we talk about in practice, the stuff we talk about in huddles, it doesn't translate to the games, for whatever reason which is really frustrating.

Bangot Dak had an impressive night for the Buffs, posting a career-highs with 19 points and eight blocked shots. It's the third most blocks ever by a CU player in a single game.

Dak also matched personal bests in field goals made, hitting 7 of 11, and eight rebounds, as the sophomore led the charge for the Buffaloes on both ends of the

Trevor Baskin notched eight points, six rebounds, and two steals on the night, Freshman Sebastian Rancik added nine points on 3-for-6 shooting.

Simas Lukoius led Cincinnati with 16 points, including going 3-for-8 from the

Similar to the last game against West Virginia, CU lost the battle for points off turnovers, with the Bearcats outscoring the Buffs 18-11 in that category. Colorado had 15 turnovers while Cincinnati had 10.

It was an off-night shooting from the floor for Colorado, going 23-for-56 (41.1%) overall but a season-low 3-for-13 (23.1%) from the three-point line, tying the lowest number of three-pointers made this season as a unit.

"All I want are great shots for our team, and I can't make the shots for them. but we got to get great shots and and in order to win games down the stretch, you have to have players that make plays, or I got to do a better job of crafting some stuff offensively for them, and have more sound defensively." Boyle stated, "And when you break down in this league, you're going to pay for it, and that's what our guys were doing."

HOW IT HAPPENED: It was a slow start for both sides, with Cincinnati opening the scoring with a bucket from the inside, earning an and-one. The Bearcats climbed up to a 6-0 lead after a three-pointer from Dan Skillings. Hammond struck first for the Buffs, nailing three free throw attempts after being fouled on the perim-

After a layup from Dak at the 15:11 mark in the first half. Colorado went on to shoot 1-for-14 from the floor before catching a rhythm again but not before Cincinnati was able to build a double-digit lead. The Bearcats went 5-12 (41.7%) from three-point land in the first half.

A tip-in dunk from Dak at the 1:46 mark followed up by a made free throw with a minute remaining brought CU within seven points at the break, 34-27.

Four turnovers early in the second half by the Buffs led to Cincinnati rebuilding their lead back to double digits. Back-to-back buckets inside the paint from Harrison Carrington cut the Cincinnati lead to 44-36 with 12:34 remaining in the game

Baskin assisted Dak on an impressive alley-oop dunk. It brought the CU deficit to just three points with 8:54 remaining in the contest. The Bearcats responded back with a three-pointer the next possession.

After recording his eighth block of the game. Dak knocked down a jumper with 5:07 remaining, cutting Cincinnati's lead to 50-49. Baskin then grabbed the first lead of the night for Colorado with a bucket in the paint.

Trailing 57-53 with 2:41 left to go. Andrei Jakimovski had three free throws. but missed them all. Cincinnati got a three-pointer from Lukosius to extend its lead to 60-53 with under two minutes remaining and kept it a two possession game the rest of the way.

#### GAME 17

#### **OKLAHOMA STATE 83, COLORADO 73**

Jan. 18, 2025, Stillwater, Okla, (Gallagher-Iba Arena)

VISITORS: Colorado s											
## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to s bk	min
8 Bangot Dak	f 6-8	0-1	3-3	1	4	5	1	15	2	2 1 1	26
23 Andrej Jakimovski	f 3-7	1-5	0-0	1	2	3	0	7	2	0 1 1	25
35 Assane Diop	f 0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	5	0	0	0 1 0	8
3 Julian Hammond III	3-10	0-3	4-4	0	1	1	1	10	2	4 3 0	29
5 RJ Smith	0-2	0-2	2-2	0	0	0	4	2	1	1 1 0	19
6 Trevor Baskin	2-6	1-3	3-4	0	2	2	4	8	4	1 1 0	19
11 Javon Ruffin	1-4	1-3	0-0	0	0	0	3	3	3	3 1 1	18
50 Elijah Malone	2-3	0-1	5-6	0	1	1	4	9	1	0 1 0	15
7 Sebastian Rancik	3-5	1-2	4-4	0	3	3	1	11	0	1 0 0	21
31 Harrison Carrington	2-3	1-2	1-2	0	1	1	3	6	0	1 1 0	12
15 Felix Kossaras	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	3	2	0	1 1 0	7
TEAM				1	4	5				2	
Totals	23-49	5-22	22-25	3	20	23	29	73	15	16123	200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 10-23 43.5% 2nd Half: 13-26 50.0% Game: 46.9% DEADBALL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 19-11.1% 2nd Half: 4-13 30.8% Game: 22.7% REBOUNDS FThrow% 1st Half: 12-12 100% 2nd Half: 10-13 76.9% Game: 88.0% 5,0

HOME: Oklahoma St	ate 10-7	7, 2-4 E	3ig 12							
## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to s bk min
25 Robert Jennings	f 1-3	0-0	7-8	3	1	4	3	9	1	1 0 0 15
33 Abou Ousmane	f 5-8	0-0	4-8	0	5	5	1	14	2	4 1 0 25
<ol> <li>Bryce Thompson</li> </ol>	g 4-10	0-1	7-9	0	2	2	3	15	2	1 1 0 28
2 Arturo Dean	g 1-3	1-2	2-4	0	2	2	1	5	3	1 3 0 24
14 Jamyron Keller	g 0-4	0-3	2-2	0	4	4	1	2	0	1 0 0 15
5 Khalil Brantley	2-2	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	3	4	1	3 1 0 17
<ol> <li>Marchelus Avery</li> </ol>	4-10	2-5	5-7	3	4	7	0	15	0	1 2 0 24
6 Brandon Newman	1-3	1-3	0-0	0	1	1	1	3	1	1 1 1 18
13 Connor Dow	2-2	2-2	0-0	2	0	2	3	6	0	0 0 0 12
4 Davonte Davis	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	3	0	3	1008
24 Pat Suemnick	3-4	0-0	4-4	3	1	4	2	10	0	0 0 0 15
7 Kirk Cole	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 0 0 0+
34 Tyler Caron	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 0 0 0+
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23-50 6-17 31-42 13 23 36 21 83 13 14 9 1 200 TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 9-21 42.9% 2nd Half: 14-29 48.3% Game: 46.0% DEADBALL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 4-8 50.0% 2nd Half: 2-9 22.2% Game: 35.3% REBOUNDS 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 21-26 80.8% 2nd Half: 10-16 62.5% Game: 73.8% 5,0

Officials: Kelly Self, Gary	Maxwell,	James	Duke
Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
Colorado	33	40	73
Oklahoma State	43	40	83

STILLWATER, Okla. - Turnovers and foul trouble plaqued Colorado against Oklahoma State on Saturday, as the Buffaloes dropped their sixth straight game 83-73 at the Gallagher-lba Arena.

Colorado (9-8, 0-6) battled Oklahoma State (10-7, 2-4), but a common theme

of turnovers and 3-point shooting woes, along with a season-high 29 fouls committed, did the Buffaloes in.

Colorado found itself within two possessions in both the first and second half

Oklahoma State didn't shoot lights out from the field as a team but shot a season-high 31 of 42 from the free-throw line. Five different players made at least

'It's really hard when you put a team at the line 42 times," head coach Tad Boyle said, "Forty-two free throws for them and 25 for us, it's not a good advan-

tage."

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opphoring Bango Dark en lie team in sculing for the Second Statight, same with 15 points shooting 6 of 8 from the field and 3 of 3 from the free throw line to go with five rebounds and a block.

Two other Buffs scored in double-digits. Sebastian Rancik had 11 on 3 of 5 from the floor and 1 of 2 from three as well as 10 from senior point guard Julian Hammond III.

Hammond III.

Avery Marchelus and Bryce Thompson led the Cowboys in points with each putting up 14 on 4 of 10 from the field. Thomspon would go 7 of 9 from the charity stripe, along with Marchelus going 2 of 5 from 3-point range.

Despite a few 3-point makes late Colorado shot just 5 of 22 (22.7%) and was outrebounded 36-23 by Oklahoma State.

"I thought they were the more aggressive team and that really shows up in the rebounding column, and they out rebounded us in a big way 36 to 23 that's minus 13," Boyle said: "We knew the only chance we had to win this game is two ways. One was to take care of the basketball, against their pressure, which we knew was coming, and then the second thing was keep them off the offensive glass, because they averaged 13 offensive rebounds a game, and they out their average. they out they averaged 13 offensive rebounds a game, and they got their average, they got their 13, and they scored 22 points off of those. So nobody to blame but ourselves. But give Oklahoma State credit, they were the tougher team, the more aggressive team, the better team tonight. We knew what we had to do to win this game. We didn't aet it done

HOW IT HAPPENED After going down 3-0 just over a minute into the game, Colorado would go on a quick 6-0 run to take the lead behind a basket by Andrej Jakimovski and free throws by Hammond and Dak.

The next 6:22 Oklahoma State was unable to make a field goal but stayed in the game making six free throws to keep the game close 10-9 with 13:06 in the first half

Like the Cowboys, Colorado struggled to make shots but were able to keep the game close making six free throws of their own before Jakimovski made the only 3-pointer in the first half to cut the lead to 24-21 with 8:16 in the half. Immediately Oklahoma State went on a 6-0 run to push the lead to 10 with

5.51 left in the half. Despite Colorado making four of its next five shots the lead still stayed at nine points with Oklahoma State continuing to get to the free-throw line. Colorado turned the ball over 10 times and allowed the Cowboys to shoot 21-26 from the free throw line in the first half. Colorado shot 12-12 from the line

21-26 from the free throw line in the first half. Colorado short 12-12 from the line themselves and 9-14 from inside the arc but went 1-9 on 3-point attempts.

"When we get good shots, we're pretty darn good," Boyle said on the turnovers. "The problem is we turn it over before we get good shots. Dead last in the league in that category (turnovers), and Oklahoma State knew it. That's why they pressed us, why they doubled our ball screens, and we've got to be able to handle

Foul trouble hurt the Buffs with three - Harrison Carrington, Elijah Malone

Foul trouble hurt the Bufts with three - Harrison Carrington, Elijah Malone, and Javon Ruffin with three fouls each in the first half. They weren't the only Buffs who committed fouls early with three other players with two fouls apiece. Down 10 points to start the second half, Colorado opened on a 5-0 run behind a basket by Hammond and an and-1 by Dak. Following a basket by Oklahoma State, Ruffin made his ninth three-pointer of the season to cut the lead to 45-41 the closest it would be for the rest of the game.

Turnovers and fouls continued to plaque the Buffs who ended with 16 turnovers and 29 fouls committed. A late flurry by the bench who scored 39 points kept the Cowbry lead beyering around 10, points before the closer are used and even the control to the place the control and even the control to th

Cowboy lead hovering around 10 points before the clock ran out and ended

#### GAME 18

#### **BYU 83, COLORADO 67**

Jan. 21, 2025, Boulder, Colo. (CU Events Center)

VISITORS: BYU 12-6	6. 3-4 Bio	112											
## Player		3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to	s	bk	mir
Mawot Mag	f 5-9	0-3	1-1	0	5	5	3	11	1	2	1	0	23
13 Keba Keita	c 3-5	0-0	0-0	4	4	8	4	6	0	1	2	0	21
3 Egor Demin	g 4-7	0-2	0-0	0	2	2	4	8	7	2	4	2	29
15 Richie Saunders	g10-15	3-6	2-3	2	3	5	1	25	1	0	1	1	33
21 Trevin Knell	g 4-6	4-6	2-4	0	0	0	3	14	1	2	1	0	25
6 Kanon Catchings	1-4	1-3	2-3	0	0	0	1	5	1	1	0	0	14
45 Fousseyni Traore	1-1	0-0	2-2	1	1	2	0	4	0	4	0	0	13
25 Dawson Baker	3-4	3-3	0-0	0	0	0	0	9	1	0	0	0	15
30 Dallin Hall	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	4	0	3	2	0	0	16
2 Elijah Crawford	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
5 Mihailo Boskovic	0-0	0-0	1-2	1	2	3	2	1	1	0	2	0	9
<ol> <li>Trey Stewart</li> </ol>	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
TEÁM					2	2							
Totals	31-53	11-24	10-15	8	19	27	22	83	16	14	11	3	200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 12-25 48.0% 2nd Half: 19-28 67.9% Game: 58.5% DEADBALL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 5-12 41.7% 2nd Half: 6-12 50.0% Game: 45.8% REBOUNDS F Throw% 1st Half: 9-13 69.2% 2nd Half: 1-2 50.0% Game: 66.7 % 4,0

23 Andrej Jakimovski 35 Assane Diop 3 Julian Hammond III 5 RJ Smith 6 Trevor Baskin 11 Javon Ruffin 50 Elijah Malone 7 Sebastian Rancik	fg-a f 2-3 f 3-7 f 1-4 g 6-12 g 1-2 2-5 2-6 0-1 1-2	3fg-a 1-1 0-3 0-0 3-6 0-1 0-1 2-4 0-0 0-1	0-0 3-4 4-6 2-3 0-0 2-4 0-0 3-4 2-4	of 1 1 2 0 0 2 0 0 0 1	de 2 2 2 1 1 4 0 1 0	3 3 4 1 1 6 0 1 0	pf 2 2 2 1 2 1 0 0	tp 5 9 6 17 2 6 6 3 4	<b>a</b> 0 0 0 2 1 0 2 1 0	3 0 3 1 0 2 4 1 0	0 0 0 1 1 1 2 1 0	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0	mii 16 23 17 28 20 23 24 15
		0-1 1-2	2-4 2-2	0	0	0	0	4	0	0		0	13
31 Harrison Carrington 15 Felix Kossaras TEAM	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	4
Totals	21-46	7-19	18-27	9	15	24	12	67	8	16	8	2	200

 
 TOTAL FG%
 1st Half: 11-22 50.0%
 2nd Half: 10-24 41.7%
 Game: 45.7%
 DEADBALL

 3-Pt. FG%
 1st Half: 4-9 44.4%
 2nd Half: 3-10 30.0%
 Game: 36.8%
 REBOUNDS

 F Throw%
 1st Half: 10-14 71.4%
 2nd Half: 8-13 61.5%
 Game: 66.7%
 6,0
 Officials: Brooks Wells, Don Daily, Chris Pacsi 1st 2nd Totals Score by Periods 38 15

RVII Colorado 36 31 67

BOULDER - After a back-and-forth first half. Colorado couldn't keep up with BYU in the final 20 minutes, leading to a Cougars 83-67 win over the Buffaloes Tuesday night in the CU Events Center.

Colorado drops its seventh game in a row, falling to 9-9 overall and 0-7 in the Big 12. It marks the first time the Buffaloes have lost seven consecutive contests. since 2016-17, when they started the Pac-12 Conference schedule 0-7.

"Their energy level, their toughness, their everything, you name it, they were the aggressor," head coach Tad Boyle said, "They were better, And it wasn't just one guy. It was the their whole team. This doesn't fall on one guy for the Buffaloes. I mean, if it did, I'd fix that. It falls on our entire group."

Colorado trailed by a single bucket to end a competitive first half, 38-36, but it was all BYU in the second half. The Cougars opened the second period with a 23-2 run, leading by as many as 23 at one point.

After starting the game 11-for-15 from the floor, the Buffs shot 0-for-16 as a unit from the 6:23 mark in the first half to 12:39 in the second half. Julian Hammond III led CU with 17 points on an efficient 3-for-6 from the pe-

rimeter. Harrison Carrington had seven points, three rebounds, and two assists. Richie Saunders led BYU with 25 points on 10-for-15 overall from the field.

Colorado shot 11-for-22 (50%) overall as a team in the first half, but struggled finding the back of the net in the second half, shooting 10-for-24 (41.7%). HOW IT HAPPENED: BYU nabbed the first points of the game on a baseline

layup. The Buffs answered back with a pair of Hammond scores and an Andrej Jakimovski bucket down low, heading into the first media break at 15:38 with a 6-4 lead

The Buffs committed five turnovers in the first five minutes, opening the door for the Cougars to build a four-point lead, 17-13, at the 12:25 mark. Javon Ruffin drilled his second three of the game to cut the deficit to one, only for Saunders to respond back with a three of his own for BYU.

Trailing by four, 22-18, with 9:53 remaining, the Buffs went on a 14-0 run to re-capture the lead. Jakimovski gave the Buffaloes the lead with a basket. Hammond extended the CU lead to four with a shot from deep. Hammond scored seven-straight points, including a pair of free throws. Assane Diop added two foul shots as the Buffaloes led 32-22 with 5:54 left in the half.

Three consecutive buckets from Saunders cut the Buffs lead to three 32-29. with 3:36 left in the period. BYU would continue their run with the next four points, an 11-0 run, to reclaim their lead 33-32 with just over two minutes left in the half. Trading buckets to end the half, the Cougars headed to the break with a 38-36 advantage.

A pair of 3-pointers from Trevin Knell and Saunders propelled BYU to a 9-1 run to start the second half, giving them a 47-37 lead with 17:41 left in the contest. The Cougars would then go on a 14-1 run, giving them a 61-38 lead, a 23-2 run to start the second half.

Colorado would end the game outscoring the Cougars 29-22 in the final 12:39 minutes of regulation, but it wouldn't be nearly enough as the Buffs fell by a score of 83-67.

#### ARIZONA 78, COLORADO 63

Jan. 25, 2025, Tucson, Ariz. (McKale Center)

HOME: Colorado 9-10. 0-8 Big 12 HUME: Colorado 9-10, 10-8 Big 12 fg-a 3fg-a 8 Bangot Dak f 0-4 0-0 23 Andrej Jakimovski f 3-7 2-4 3 Julian Hammond III g 7-13 4-6 11 Javon Ruffin g 5-9 2-4 31 Harrison Carrington g 1-2 0-0 5 12 Fg 18 Fg 14 fg 15 fg 1 **ft-a** 2-2 2-2 1-2 to s bk min 2 2 1 23 4 0 0 25 2 2 0 31 of de tot pf 0 4 4 3 1 2 3 1 0 3 3 1 **tp** 2 10 **a** 0 2 4 2 0 2 0 19 0-0 0-0 0-0 2 0 0 32 0 0 1 9 1 1 0 17 0 0 0 2 0 1 0 12 2 4 0 2-4 0-1 3-5 0-1 1-5 0-1 2-5 1-2 0-2 0-0 RJ Smith 0 0 4 2 0 6 0 3 2 2 1 5 1 0 1 0 Trevor Baskin 1 0 0 18 0 0 0 17 1 0 0 18 0-0 50 Elijah Malone 7 Sebastian Rancik 0-0 5 4 0 3 6 5 3 35 Assane Diop 1-2 3 1 0 0 11 TEAM 24-56 9-19 6-8 8 23 31 10 63 13 15 5 2 200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 12-29 41.4% 2nd Half: 12-27 44.4% Garne: 52.9% DEADBALL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 49 44.4% 2nd Half: 5-10 50.0% Garne: 47.4% REBOUNDS F Throw% 1st Half: 3-4 75.0% 2nd Half: 3-4 75.0% Garne: 75.0% 2,0

#### HOME: Arizona 13-6, 7-1 Big 12 ## Player fg-a 3fg-a ft-a 4 Trey Townsend f 4-7 0-1 0-0 30 Tobe Awaka f 4-6 0-0 0-0 de tot pf 2 4 0 8 15 4 2 2 2 4 6 0 0 0 0 2 2 1 4 4 2 2 2 2 2 to s bkmin 2 0 0 19 0 1 1 20 1 1 1 35 0 3 0 37 1 1 0 29 3 4 1 26 1 0 2 20 tp a 8 1 8 2 7 6 10 4 20 0 12 6 9 1 4 0 **of** 2 7 Jaden Bradley g 2-9 Caleb Love g 3-14 Anthony Dell'Orso g 7-11 0-4 2-8 6-9 0-3 3-3 2-2 0-0 2-4 2-2 0-0 0 2 0 0 0 5-9 3-5 2-3 K.I I ewis 1-1 0-1 1 0 2 Carter Bryant TEAM

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 13-34 38.2% 2nd Half: 17-30 56.7% Game: 46.9% DEADBALL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 4-14 28.6% 2nd Half: 5-13 38.5% Game: 33.3% REBOUNDS F Throw % 1st Half: 3-3 100% 2nd Half: 6-8 75.0% Game: 81.8% 0,0

30-64 9-27 9-11 13 24 37 11 78 20 1010 7 200

Officials: Bert Smith, Tony Chiazza, De Selle Dean Score by Periods 1st 2nd Total Colorado 31 32 63 33 Arizona

Totals

TUCSON, Ariz. - An efficient second-half shooting performance from Arizona was too much for Colorado to handle, leading to a Wildcats 78-63 win Saturday afternoon in the McKale Center.

The Buffs dropped their eighth consecutive game, falling to 9-10 on the season and 0-8 in the Big 12. It's the first time Colorado has dropped eight games in a row since losing its last 12 of the 2008-09 season.

"I'm proud of our guys for not losing their fight, and that's what it's going to take to win a game in this league," head coach Tad Boyle said. "And eventually I think we will, but I thought our game plan was good coming in here."

After a close first half, Colorado was unable to find a rhythm from the floor in the second period, shooting just 12-for-27 (44.4%) as a unit while Arizona shot 17-for-30 (56.7%) from the field.

Colorado lost the turnover battle 15-10, with the Wildcats capitalizing on it. outscoring the Buffaloes 19-10 off those miscues. Arizona also outscored Colorado 36-24 on points in the paint.

Julian Hammond III led CU with 19 points, including going 4 for 6 from downtown. He also had a team-high four assists.

Javon Ruffin chipped in 12 points and two assists on 5 for 9 shooting overall. Anthony Dell'Orso led Arizona with 20 points, nailing 6 of 9 from the 3-point line.

DECISIVE MOMENT: After a Hammond 3-pointer with 8:33 left in the second half pulled the Buffaloes to within six at 52-46, the Wildcats drilled back-to-back 3-pointers from Dell'Orso and Henri Veesaar. It gave Arizona a double-digit lead that the Buffaloes could not catch up with the rest of the way.

WHAT IT MEANS: Boyle and the Buffs drop their eighth contest in a row, still looking to crack through in the win column in Big 12 play.

HOW IT HAPPENED: Arizona came out of the gates with a 9-3 run, forcing a Colorado timeout at the 17:18 mark. Back-to-back scores from CU freshman Sebastian Rancik and RJ Smith brought the Buffaloes deficit to just two, 14-12, with 12 minutes left in the first half.

A shot beyond the arc from Andrei Jakimovski brought him to eight points on the afternoon with just under eight minutes to go, with the Buffs trailing by four. He would score again on the next CU possession, reaching double-digit points in the score column. Hammond captured the first lead for Colorado with a mid-range jumper at the 3:54 mark, giving his team a 26-25 advantage. A pair of Caleb Love 3-pointers propelled Arizona back into the lead headed to break up 33-31.

Five points out of the break from Dell'Orso pushed the Wildcats lead to 40-35, at the first media timeout of the second half. The Buffs responded quickly with buckets from Hammond and Malone to tie the game up.

A near three-minute scoring drought for the Buffs opened the door for Arizona to build an eight-point lead, forcing a timeout with 10:15 left in the game.

Colorado struggled to nail shots consistently like Arizona over the final 10 minutes, with Dell'Orso drilling another four 3-pointers.

#### GAME 20

#### ARIZONA STATE 70, COLORADO 68

Jan. 28, 2025, Boulder, Colo. (CU Events Center)

VISITORS: Arizona	State 12	8, 3-6	Big 12	2						
## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to s bk min
8 Basheer Jihad	f 1-6	0-2	9-11	2	6	8	4	11	1	6 0 3 35
9 Shawn Phillips Jr	c 5-7	0-0	3-5	2	6	8	4	13	0	1 0 2 28
1 Alston Mason	g 5-9	2-3	5-5	0	1	1	2	17	1	3 0 0 39
10 BJ Freeman	g 1-2	1-2	0-0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1 0 0 4
44 Adam Miller	g 7-10	4-5	0-2	1	3	4	3	18	6	1 2 0 39
3 Joson Sanon	1-7	0-5	0-0	0	2	2	3	2	2	1 0 0 29
5 Amier Ali	2-8	0-5	2-3	0	7	7	2	6	1	2 1 0 26
12 Trevor Best	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0 0 0 1
TEAM				2		2				1
Totals	22-49	7-22	19-26	7	25	32	19	70	11	17 3 5 200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 12-29 41.4% 2nd Half: 10-20 50.0% Game: 44.9% DEADBA 3-Pt. FG% F Throw % 1st Half: 4-16 25.0% 2nd Half: 3-6 50.0% Game: 31.8% REBOUNDS 1st Half: 5-6 83.3% 2nd Half: 14-20 70.0% Game: 73.1% 3.0

HOME: Colorado 9-11	, 0-9 B	ig 12										
## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to s	s bk	min
7 Sebastian Rancik	f 3-7	1-3	2-4	1	3	4	0	9	0	0 2	2 1	23
8 Bangot Dak	f 5-8	0-1	3-4	2	4	6	4	13	2	1 (	2	24
23 Andrej Jakimovski	f 2-7	1-3	2-2	2	2	4	3	7	0	0 (	0 0	33
50 Elijah Malone	0-2	0-1	0-0	1	2	3	1	0	1	1 :	1 0	14
3 Julian Hammond III g	5-16	0-5	3-3	0	5	5	2	13	4	2 (	0 0	33
6 Trevor Baskin	7-11	1-2	4-6	2	2	4	2	19	1	2 4	4 0	31
35 Assane Diop	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	3	4	2	0	0	1 (	0 0	9
5 RJ Smith	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	2	0	0	3 (	0 0	13
11 Javon Ruffin	2-5	1-2	0-1	0	0	0	2	5	2	0 (	0 0	18
31 Harrison Carrington	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1 (	0 0	3
TEAM				2	1	3				1		
Totals	25-58	4-17	14-20	11	23	34	19	68	10	12	7 3	200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 10-23 43.5% 2nd Half: 15-35 42.9% Game: 43.1% DEADBALL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 3-6 50.0% 2nd Half: 1-11 9.1% Game: 23.5% REBOUND 3-Pt. FG% F Throw % 1st Half: 3-6 50.0% 1st Half: 3-5 60.0% Game: 23.5% REBOUNDS 2nd Half: 11-15 73.3% Game: 70.0% 2.1

Officials: Antinio Petty, Jeffrey	y And	lerson,	DG Nelso
Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
Arizona State	33	37	70
Colorado	26	42	68

BOULDER - Colorado overcame a slow start, battled back, but fell just short to Arizona State, 70-68, Tuesday night at the CU Events Center.

Colorado falls to 9-11 on the year and 0-9 in the Big 12 Conference. It's the

ninth-consecutive loss for the Buffaloes, their longest streak since 2008-09.

Trevor Baskin led the Buffs with 19 points on 7 for 11 shooting with fou rebounds and four steals. Baskin also led CU in scoring with 23 points in the last match-up with Arizona State earlier in the month.

Julian Hammond III and Bangot Dak each chipped in 13 points for Colorado. Dak had a team-high six rebounds while shooting an efficient 5-for-8 from the

Adam Miller led Arizona State with 18 points and six assists, going 4-for-5 from the 3-point line.

Colorado trailed nearly the entire game, but had four looks to either tie the game or take the lead in the final minute. Freshman **Sebastian Rancik** had a chance to tie the game after being fouled on a 3-point play, but made just two of the attempts. Rancik had a second 3-point look just rim out from the baseline that would have given the Buffaloes the lead with :04 left.

Andrei Jakimovski had one final desperation shot from half court at the buzzer that sailed just off to the side.

"Well, I'm not sure I've ever felt as bad for a group of guys as I do for this group that was in the locker room because they are, as BD [Bangot Dak] and Trevor [Baskin] said, they're trying," head coach Tad Boyle said. "They really are. Now, we're not playing smart enough, we're not playing tough enough, we're not playing consistent enough. And that's my job. If you can do it once, you should be able to do it twice. If you do it twice, you should be able to do it three times. And look, the shots sometimes aren't going to go in. That's part of it. But this team, this program, I should say, this program, has set a standard of defending at a high level and rebounding at a high level consistently throughout the 14 years we've been here. This team is nowhere near good enough defensively or rebounding the basketball to win a game like tonight."

HOW IT HAPPENED: The Sun Devils opened the scoring with a shot from deep to go up 3-0 early on. Buffs got on the board via tip-in layup from Dak. ASU then gained an 11-2 lead over Colorado after another pair of 3-pointers with 14 minutes remaining in the half.

A Harrison Carrington dunk along the baseline cut ASU's lead to 14-9 at 9:43 mark in the first half. Arizona State responded with their fourth 3-pointer on the night followed up with a steal and score to go up double-digits.

Javon Ruffin drilled the first shot from deep for the Buffs at 7:33, cutting the ASU deficit to 21-15.Forcing a couple of turnovers, the Buffs found themselves trailing by just two after a Baskin layup and a Jakimovski 3-pointer with five minutes to go in the half.

Arizona State ended the half shooting 7-for-9 from the field, giving them a 33-26 edge headed into the break

Hammond and Rancik led the charge for the Buffs coming out of the second half, scoring 14 of the team's 17 points in the first few minutes, tying the game at 43 with 11:59 remaining in the contest. An Arizona State technical foul led to two free throws awarded to Colorado, giving the Buffs their first lead of the night, 47-45.

With under four minutes to go, both teams traded buckets back-and-forth, with ASU clinging on to a five-point lead. Dak brought Colorado within two points after a mesmerizing dunk at the 2:38 minute mark. Rancik tied the game at 64 the next possession with a lavup.

A score inside the paint with an and-one pushed the Arizona State lead back to three, 67-64, with just under a minute and a half to go. With 20 seconds to go in the game, Rancik was fouled from deep, sending him to the line for three shots with the potential to tie the game but was not able to sink the first attempt. Trailing by one with 16 seconds on the clock, ASU traveled to give CU one last possession. Another Rancik 3-pointer from the corner came up short, leading to the Arizona State win.

#### GAME 21

#### TCU 68, COLORADO 57

Feb. 2, 2025, Fort Worth, Texas (Schollmaier Arena)

HOME: Colorado 9-12	, 0-10	Big 12	2									
## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to s	bk	min
6 Trevor Baskin	f 2-2	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	1	4	4	2 0	3	17
7 Sebastian Rancik	f 2-5	0-2	3-5	1	2	3	1	7	0	1 0	0	25
8 Bangot Dak	f 4-6	0-0	1-2	2	10	12	2	9	2	3 2	3	24
23 Andrej Jakimovski	f 5-9	2-4	1-1	1	3	4	2	13	0	1 1	0	24
3 Julian Hammond III of	2-8	0-1	2-2	0	1	1	0	6	7	3 2	0	29
11 Javon Ruffin	3-6	2-4	0-0	0	2	2	1	8	2	1 1	0	22
35 Assane Diop	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0 0	0	15
50 Elijah Malone	1-2	0-0	3-4	1	1	2	4	5	0	3 0	1	13
5 RJ Smith	0-1	0-1	0-0	1	0	1	2	0	2	0 0	0	14
15 Felix Kossaras	1-3	1-3	0-0	0	1	1	1	3	1	1 0	0	11
31 Harrison Carrington	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	0	2	0	0 0	0	6
TEAM				1	2	3				4		
Totals	21-45	5-16	10-14	9	25	34	15	57	19	19 6	7	200

 TOTAL FG%
 1st Half: 10-22 45.5%
 2nd Half: 11-23 47.8%
 Game: 46.7%
 DEADBALL

 3-Pt. FG%
 1st Half: 4-9 44.4%
 2nd Half: 1-7 14.3%
 Game: 31.3%
 REBOUNDS

 F Throw%
 1st Half: 3-4 75.0%
 2nd Half: 7-10 70.0%
 Game: 71.4%
 4,1

#### HOME: TCU 11-10, 4-6 Big 12 ft-a of de tot pf 2-4 2 0 2 2 0-0 3 4 7 0 0-0 0 1 1 0 **fg-a 3fg-a** f 7-10 3-3 to s bk min ## Player 15 David Punch **tp a** 19 1 2-4 0-0 0-0 0-0 4-4 1-1 2-3 1 1 2 24 0 4 1 27 0 4 1 3 1 2002200423 c 0-1 g 2-8 g 4-11 Frnest Udeh Jr 0-0 2-7 0-3 1-3 0-1 0-3 0-0 2 0 6 8 11 5 4 1 5 9 Brendan Wenzel 3 Vasean Allette 21 Noah Reynolds 5 Micah Robinson 3 3 0 34 1 0 0 34 0 0 0 11 1 0 0 20 4-11 6 3-7 2-3 1-5 0-0 g 0 0 0 2 0 Ó Trazarien White 32 Malick Diallo 1-2 1 0 1 13 Isaiah Manning 2-4 3-5 1-2 1-2 0-0 2-3 0 0 0 0 0 41 Jace Posey TEAM Õ Ó Ö Ö 24-54 8-24 12-17 8 14 22 15 68 17 8 8 4 200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 11-26 42.3% 2nd Half: 13-28 46.4% Game: 44.4% DEADBALL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 4-13 30.8% 2nd Half: 4-11 36.4% Game: 33.3% REBOUNDS F Throw % 1st Half: 8-10 80.0% 2nd Half: 4-7 57.2% Game: 70.6% 1,1

Officials: Kipp Kissinger, Do	oug Sim	ons,	Tony Padilla
Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
Colorado	27	30	57
TCU	34	34	68

Totals

FORT WORTH, Texas - TCU used a late 15-2 run to break open a close game, taking a 68-57 decision over Colorado Sunday afternoon at Schollmaier

Colorado, 9-12 overall, falls for the 10th-straight time and is 0-10 in league play for the first time since 1985-86. TCU snaps a three-game skid to improve to 11-10 overall, 4-6 in the Big 12.

Andrej Jakimovski scored a team-high 13 points, hitting 5 of 9 from the field with four rebounds. Bangot Dak just missed a double-double with nine points and a career-high 12 rebounds. Leading scorer Julian Hammond III was held to six points on 2 of 8 shooting but tied a career-high with seven assists.

David Punch led TCU with a game-high 19 points, hitting 7 of 10 from the floor

including a perfect 3 of 3 from 3-point range.

Colorado shot well at 46.7 percent, shared the ball by dishing out 19 assists and enjoyed a plus-12 advantage on the boards (34-22) but as has been the case and elipyed a plus-iz advantage on the boards of ex-z2) but a fine been the case most of the year, turnovers were the Buffaloes' undoing. Colorado committed 19 turnovers, compared to just eight for the Homed Frogs. TCU took advantage outscoring the Buffaloes by 20 points (28-8) off miscues.

"We did some good things to have 19 assists on the road, that's hard to do," Colorado head coach **Tad Boyle** said. "The unfortunate thing is, we have 19 turnovers. And the bottom line, when you're playing on the road in the Big 12, you turn it over 19 times, and your opponent only turns it over eight times. It's really, really hard to overcome that. It's an 11-point game, we lose the turnover differential by

20. That's pretty much it. And it's been that way, pretty much since 2025 started. The Horned Frogs built a 10-point lead early in the second half at 39-29. Jakimovski scored five points, including a traditional 3-point play, and Sebastian Rancik made a layup off a fast break to narrow the gap to four at 40-36 at 16:28

TCU's Isaiah Manning hit a 3-pointer and Noah Reynolds got a steal which turned into a pair of free throws as the Horned Frogs pushed the lead back to nine at 49-40

Elijah Malone stopped TCU's run with a layup. Consecutive buckets by Dak, including a flying alley-oop dunk from Hammond, cut the deficit to five. Manning scored in the paint, but Rancik hit a pair of free throws to keep pace as TCU led 53-48 with 8:52 remaining.

TCU then put the game away with its 15-2 run which included 12 straight points following the Rancik free throws. Punch scored 11 of the Horned Frogs' points during that stretch, including two 3-pointers.

Colorado was scoreless for 5:17, missing four shots and committing four turn-overs during that span. Hammond stopped the 12-0 run with a floater in the lane, but Punch responded with his third and final 3-pointer to give TCU its largest lead at 68-50. The Buffaloes scored the final seven points in mop up time.

Colorado got off to a fast start, scoring the game's first eight points. Back-to-back transition dunks by **Trevor Baskin** and Dak forced a TCU timeout less than three minutes into the contest. Jakimovski hit a 3-pointer to extend CU's lead to 11-2 with 15:49 remaining.

Four CU turnovers led to a 9-2 TCU run that closed the Buffaloes' lead to 13-12. Malone converted a pair of free throws and a Javon Ruffin 3-pointer gave the Buffaloes an 18-14 lead with 11:40 in the first half. Colorado made 7 of its first 9 shots with assists on all seven, four coming from Hammond.

Colorado maintained its hot shooting by hitting 4 of 6 from 3-point range in cluding three consecutive makes from Ruffin, Felix Kossaras and Jakimovski to rebuild a 24-18 advantage.

The Buffaloes couldn't expand on that early shooting success. Colorado had 10 turnovers in the first half alone, four coming off shot clock violations. An 8-0 run gave TCU its first lead of the game at 26-24 on a 3-pointer by Jace Posey at the 4:11 mark.

The Buffaloes were held without a field goal for 6:31 down the stretch as the Horned Frogs held a 30-27 lead late in the period.

Rancik ended the drought with a dunk on a nice backdoor move, but TCU got a circus lavup by Vasean Allette and a pair of free throws by Reynolds to take a 34-27 advantage at the break

#### GAME 22 UTAH 72, COLORADO 59

Feb. 4, 2025, Salt Lake City, Utah (Huntsman Center)

HOMF: Colorado 9-13, 0-11 Big 12 Player fg-a 3fg-a
Trevor Baskin f 2-6 0-2
Sebastian Rancik f 2-5 1-2
Bangot Dak f 5-8 1-2 of de tot pf 4 3 7 4 0 2 2 2 1 3 4 2 to s bk min 1 0 0 21 2 1 0 23 3 3 3 26 ## Player 6 Trevor Baskin ft-a tp 4 5 11 7 8 0-1 0-0 0-0 8 Bangot Dak f 23 Andrej Jakimovski f 0 0 1 0 31 2 0 0 29 3 1 0 27 1 0 0 19 B Andrej Jakimovski f 2-9 Julian Hammond III g 3-9 0 6 0 2 4 1 4 3 2 3 0 0 2 11 Javon Ruffin 4-9 3-6 2-3 0 13 3 35 Assane Diop 11 0 0 0 3-6 0-2 5-6 50 Elijah Malone 5 RJ Smith 0-0 0-2 0-2 0-0 0-2 0-1 0-0 0-0 0-0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 15 Felix Kossaras 0-1 0 0 0 0 31 Harrison Carrington 0-0 0-0 0-0 0 Ö Ö 1 1 0 21-55 7-27 10-13 9 22 31 23 59 8 15 7 3 200 **Totals** 

2nd Half: 13-26 50.0% Game: 38.2% DEADBALL 2nd Half: 4-11 36.4% Game: 25.9% REBOUNDS TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 8-29 27.6% 2nd Half: 13-20 30.0% Game: 36.2% DEA 2nd Half: 4-11 36.4% Game: 25.9% REB 2nd Half: 9-11 81.8% Game: 76.9% 1,0 1st Half: 3-16 18.8% 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 3-16 18.8% F Throw % 1st Half: 1-2 50.0%

HOME: Olan 13-9, 5-	o big	12											
## Player	fg-	a 3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to	s	bk	min
2 Ezra Ausar	f 3-	6 0-1	4-7	1	6	7	2	10	1	4	2	1	23
10 Jake Wahlin	f 3-	6 2-3	1-1	1	3	4	3	9	1	1	0	0	25
34 Lawson Lovering	c 4-	7 0-0	4-10	2	4	6	4	12	3	3	2	0	25
25 Mike Sharavjamts	g 0-	0-0	2-5	1	2	3	2	2	0	1	1	1	20
55 Gabe Madsen	g 5-1	0 4-7	3-4	0	0	0	3	17	2	4	1	0	34
<ol> <li>Miro Little</li> </ol>	0-	1 0-1	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	11
32 Zach Keller	4-	5 0-1	0-2	0	2	2	0	8	0	0	2	0	13
8 Keanu Dawes	0-	2 0-0	1-2	1	2	3	1	1	2	0	0	0	15
<ol> <li>Hunter Erickson</li> </ol>	1-3	2 1-2	0-0	0	2	2	1	3	3	0	1	0	20
45 Mason Madsen	3-	B 1-3	3-4	4	1	5	0	10	3	2	0	1	13
TEAM				2	5	7							
Totals	23-	47 8-18	18-35	12	27	39	17	72	16	15	11	3	200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 11-23 47.8% 2nd Half: 12-24 50.0% Game: 48.9% DEADBALL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 2-4 50.0% 2nd Half: 6-14 42.9% Game: 44.4% REBOUNDS FThrow % 1st Half: 8-17 47.1% 2nd Half: 10-18 55.6% Game: 51.4% 7.0

Officials: D.J. Carstensen, Gregory Nixon, Darron George Score by Periods 1st 2nd Tota Colorado 20 39 59 32 40

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah - Colorado made a valiant comeback from a double-digit deficit only to fall at Utah Wednesday night at the Huntsman Center.

Colorado, 9-13 overall, drops its 11th-straight game and is 0-11 in league play for the first time since 1985-86. Utah is 13-9, 5-6.

Javon Ruffin led Colorado with 13 points on 4 of 9 shooting and three assists. Bangot Dak had 11 points, four rebounds, three steals and three blocked shots. Assane Diop finished with 11 points hitting 5 of 6 from the line.

Gabe Madsen led Utah with 17 points hitting 4 of 7 from downtown.

"I'm proud of our guys for fighting back in this game," Colorado head coach Tad Boyle said. "We clawed our way back in the second half and we were right there, but we just weren't able to sustain anything to get over the hump. They made plays down the stretch and we didn't."

Colorado shot just 38.2 percent from the field, but 50 percent in the second half. Utah held a sizeable lead in both rebounds, a 39-31 advantage, and free throws. The Utes went to the line 35 times, and while they made only 18, it was a considerable margin over CU's 10 for 13 night.

The Buffaloes trailed by 11 points early in the second half but had it down to a two-point game with just under eight minutes remaining. Colorado kept pace with Utah over the next four minutes, and when Trevor Baskin got a put back off a Ruffin miss it was 55-52 with 3:58 left. Baskin had a chance to cut it to two but missed the foul shot.

Madsen took countered with a basket to spark a 10-0 run to put the game away.

#### GAME 23

#### #5/5 HOUSTON 68, COLORADO 59 Feb. 8, 2025, Boulder, Colo. (CU Events Center)

VISITORS: Houston 19-4, 11-1 Big 12 fg-a 3fg-a f 0-2 0-0 f 9-11 0-0 to s bk min 0 0 0 28 0 0 0 32 ft-a 0-0 2-4 0-0 de tot pf 4 10 3 4 4 3 3 6 3 ## Player 11 Joseph Tugler **tp** 0 20 13 J'Wan Roberts 15 12 15 L.I Cryer 3-9 0 32 2-2 1-2 0-1 2-5 4-4 1-2 1 1 0 37 2 1 3 31 2 2 0 26 4-10 5-9 Milos Uzan 5 5 3 2 0 3 2 4 0 0 23 Terrance Arceneaux g 8 Mylik Wilson 3-6 0 0 7 0 0 0 0-0 0-1 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0 0 0 0 4 0 0 0 5 0 0 0 5 5 Ja'Vier Francis 25 Mercy Miller 0-0 1 0-0 0-1 0-0 0 0 2 Cedric Lath TEAM 27-56 6-15 9-15 15 23 38 18 69 10 9 5 3 200 Totals

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 12-31 38.7% 2nd Half: 15-25 60.0% Game: 48.2% DEADBALL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 4-10 40.0% 2nd Half: 2-5 40.0% Game: 40.0% REBOUNDS FThrow % 1st Half: 3-5 60.0% 2nd Half: 6-10 60.0% Game: 60.0% 1,0

HOME: Colorado 9-14, 0-12 Big 12

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7 Sebastian Rancik	f 2-4	0-1	2-3	0	3	3	1	6	1	0 1	0	26
8 Bangot Dak	f 2-6	1-2	1-2	1	3	4	2	6	1	0 0	2	30
23 Andrej Jakimovski	f 0-4	0-4	3-4	1	4	5	3	3	3	2 0	0	23
35 Assane Diop	f 1-2	0-1	2-2	0	1	1	1	4	0	1 0	0	13
3 Julian Hammond III	7-13	5-7	3-4	0	0	0	2	22	1	2 1	0	27
6 Trevor Baskin	1-4	0-1	0-0	0	2	2	0	2	2	1 2	0	21
11 Javon Ruffin	1-3	1-2	0-0	0	2	2	1	3	2	3 1	0	23
50 Elijah Malone	1-2	0-0	1-1	0	0	0	4	3	0	0 0	1	7
5 RJ Smith	2-5	1-3	0-0	1	1	2	1	5	2	0 0	1	17
15 Felix Kossaras	2-2	1-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	5	1	1 0	0	9
31 Harrison Carrington	0-1	0-1	0-0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0 0	0	4
TEAM				3	2	5				2		
Totals	19-46	9-23	12-16	8	18	26	15	59	13	12 5	4	200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 9-24 37.5% 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 4-15 26.7% F Throw % 1st Half: 5-7 71.4% 2nd Half: 10-22 45.5% Game: 41.3% DEADBALL 2nd Half: 5-8 62.5% Game: 39.1% REBOUNDS 2nd Half: 7-9 77.8% Game: 75.0% 0,1 Game: 39.1% RE Game: 75.0% 0,1

Officials: Deron White, Chance Moore, Robert Felder 1st 31 2nd 38 Score by Periods Houston 69 Colorado 32

BOULDER - Colorado head coach Tad Boyle has preached the importance of defense and rebounding; it's been a pillar of his program over the past 15 years.

Saturday afternoon, the Buffaloes went against one of the elite teams in the country in those two categories, one of which proved to be the difference in the

ball game.

No. 5 ranked Houston used a dominant performance on the glass to defeat the Buffaloes 69-59 at the CU Events Center

Colorado falls to 9-14 overall and 0-12 in the Big 12 Conference. The Buffaloes have lost their last 12, their longest losing streak since the end of the 2008-09 season. Houston, 19-4 overall, maintains at least a share of the Big 12 lead at

Julian Hammond III led all scorers with 22 points which included a ca-reer-high five 3-point field goals. He was Colorado's only player in double figures, Sebastian Rancik and Bangot Dak each had six points.

J'Wan Roberts led Houston with 20 points on 9 of 11 shooting

All season, and especially during conference play, turnovers and inconsistent rebounding have hurt the Buffaloes. On Saturday, Colorado had 12 turnovers, tying for its lowest figure in Big 12 play, but Houston had a 38-26 edge on the boards. The Cougars had 15 offensive rebounds which led to 18 second-chance points, compared to just seven second-chance points for the Buffaloes.

Houston also had a 42-20 advantage inside the paint. The Cougars shot 48.2 percent from the field, including 60 percent in the second half. Colorado shot 41.3

Houston quickly pushed a four-point halftime lead to nine when Roberts scored right out of the break and Terrance Arceneaux and LJ Cryer hit back-to-back 3-pointers to give the Cougars a 39-30 lead. Hammond made back-to-back 3-pointers of his own to cut the margin to three at 39-36 with 14:44 left.

Hammond, who entered the game having hit just 1 of 10 from deep over the

last three games, was 5 for 7 on his career-best day from long range.

Every time Colorado got close, it was Roberts that had the answer. He scored

seven of Houston's next nine points as the Cougars once again led by nine. Still, that didn't keep the Buffaloes from battling. Hammond and Dak hit con-

secutive 3-pointers to trim Houston's advantage to 48-45 with 8:49 remaining.

Arceneaux and Milos Uzan led a small 7-2 run to get Houston's lead back to 54-47. Colorado kept the pressure on Houston, getting to the foul line. Hammond, the second-best free throw shooter in the Big 12, made a pair of freebies. On the ensuing possession, Hammond got the steal, found **Andrej Jakimovsk**i who was fouled by Joseph Tugler on a 3-point attempt in transition. Jakmovski made all three free throws, making it a one-possession game at 54-52 Houston with 5:49

The fifth-ranked Cougars kept answering the call. Arceneaux stopped Colorado's run with a contested layup. Mylik Wilson got a steal on the next possession and went coast-to-coast for a dunk and a 58-52 lead.

Colorado stayed right with Houston. Hammond responded on another drive to the basket. Rancik aggressively drove the lane resulting in a thundering dunk with 3:45 left and the game was still a four-point contest at 60-56.

Roberts once again took over. He scored five points including back-to-back jumpers in the paint in Houston's decisive 7-0 run in the final two minutes, putting the lead in double-digits and out of reach at 67-56 with 1:12 left.

Houston opened the game with a 9-0 run as the Buffaloes missed their first

Elijah Malone got the Buffaloes on the board with a three-point play. A Uzan

3-pointer and Cryer basket gave Houston a 14-3 lead at the 13:43 mark.

Colorado ramped up its intensity, scoring 11 straight to tie the game at 14-14.

Javon Ruffin hit a deep 3-pointer and RJ Smith nailed a deep ball off a Dak offensive rebound. Felix Kossaras then scored five-straight points, joining the mini-3-point barrage then scoring on a slashing layup on a Dak assist to tie the game

The Buffaloes could never get over that hump. Houston settled down to score the next seven, and kept Colorado at arm's length, eventually taking a 31-27 lead into halftime.

#### GAME 24

#### #17/20 KANSAS 71, COLORADO 59

Feb. 11, 2025, Lawrence, Kan. (Allen Fieldhouse)

HOME: Colorado 9-15, 0-13 Big 12 
 HOME: Colorado 9-15, 0-13 Big 12

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 5 Tevor Baskin
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TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 9:27 33.3% 2nd Half: 13-30 43.3% Game: 38.6% DEADBALL 3-PL FG% 1st Half: 1-11 9.1% 2nd Half: 3-12 25.0% Game: 17.4% REBOUNDS F Throw % 1st Half: 7-11 63.6% 2nd Half: 4-5 80.0% Game: 68.8% 2,0

HOME: Kansas 17-7, 8-5 Big 12 fg-a 3fg-a ft-a of de tot pf f 5-7 0-0 0-1 2 3 5 1 to s bk min ## Player 24 KJ Adams **tp** 10 **a** 5 0 5 5 1 0 3 1 33 3 0 1 28 1 0 0 32 0-0 0-1 0-3 3-7 0-4 0-0 0-1 1-1 0-1 3-6 2-2 2-2 3-3 0-0 0-0 223001000 3 7 3 9 5 9 6 9 1 c 8-11 g 4-11 g 4-12 Hunter Dickinson Dajuan Harris Jr. 0 2 2 3 19 10 13 3 4 0 2 0 Zeke Mavo 33 17 Rylan Griffen g 0-5 40 Flory Bidunga 0 Shakeel Moore 2-3 0-1 6 5 1 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 4 8 0 AJ Storr 1-1 1-2 1 0 0 0 David Coit 3-6 2-3 0-0 0 0 17 ó 0-1 0-1 0-0 Ö Ö 0 0 27-58 6-21 11-16 9 30 39 12 71 18 8 6 4 200 Totals.

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 16-28 57.1% 2nd Half: 11-30 36.7% Game: 46.6% DEADBALL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 3-7 42.9% 2nd Half: 3-14 21.4% Game: 28.6% REBOUNDS F Throw % 1st Half: 5-8 62.5% 2nd Half: 6-8 75.0% Game: 68.8% 2,0

Officials: Margues Pettigrew, Gregory Nixon, Jason Garretson Score by Periods 1st 2nd Total Colorado 26 33 59 31

LAWRENCE, Kan. - Colorado's shaky first-half shooting was too much to overcome against a ranked Kansas team on the road, as the Javhawks defeated the Buffaloes by a score of 71-59 Tuesday night in Allen Fieldhouse.

The Buffs fall to 9-15 overall and 0-13 in Big 12 play this season, dropping their 13th straight overall

"I thought our fight in the second half was good," head coach Tad Boyle said. "Our defense was better in the second half. I thought we lost this thing in the first half. The whole key with Kansas we wanted was to keep the ball in front of us."

Freshman Sebastian Rancik led the Buffs with a career-high 19 points and nine rebounds on 7 for 13 shooting from the field. His previous career-high was set in the season opener against Eastern Washington when he had 13 points in

"His [Sebastian] toughness, he's not afraid, and he's going to keep getting better and better," Boyle stated. "But I'm proud of all of our guys, but Sebastian played well at times tonight on the offensive end."

Elijah Malone pitched in 10 points on an efficient 5 for 7 shooting from the floor. Andrei Jakimovkski drilled three 3-pointers for nine points along with four

Hunter Dickinson led No. 17 Kansas with 19 points on 8 for 11 shooting with nine rebounds.

The 33.3% (9-27) shooting clip overall for the Buffs in the first half was their downfall in this one, while Kansas knocked down a scorching 57.1% (16-28) of

their shots, leading to their 14-point lead at halftime. Colorado outscored Kansas 33-31 in the second half, but the CU struggles in the first half kept KU out in front comfortably for the rest of the game.

HOW IT HAPPENED: Bangot Dak kicked off the scoring for the Buffs on the night, getting them out to a 2-0 lead. After a pair of Kansas buckets, Rancik then drilled a 3-pointer to reclaim the lead. A 6-0 KU run put them up 10-7, but a Rancik score down low with an and-one tied the game at 10 at the 15:34 mark in the first half.

Kansas got out to a 19-14 lead after making 4 of 5 attempts, with 12:17 remaining in the period. The third 3-pointer of the game for the Jayhawks gave them a 24-16 lead, with just under 10 minutes to go in the half. They got out to a double-digit lead after a KJ Adams dunk, putting his team up 31-20 with five minutes to go in the half. Kansas outscored CU 9-6 over the final minutes of the first half. heading into the break with a 40-26 advantage.

Jakimovski entered the scoring column for Colorado with back-to-back 3-pointers to start the second half. Another Dak basket in the paint forced a KU timeout with 18:28 left in the game, with Colorado trailing 42-34. Jakimovski brought the Buffs within six, 45-39, with his third bucket from beyond the arc.

Consecutive scores from Malone at the 13:16 mark brought the CU deficit to just five, 50-45, forcing a Kansas timeout. The Jayhawks went on an 8-3 run over the next few minutes to recapture their double-digit lead.

Kansas had an answer for every Colorado score in the final eight minutes, never giving the Buffs a chance to gain momentum.

#### GAME 25 COLORADO 76, UCF 63

Feb. 15, 2025, Boulder, Colo. (CU Events Center)

VISITORS: UCF 13-1										
## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to s bk min
52 Moustapha Thiam	c 1-9	1-5	4-4	2	1	3	4	7	1	2 1 5 32
<ol> <li>Mikey Williams</li> </ol>	g 3-10	0-2	2-2	0	2	2	3	8	0	0 1 0 23
3 Darius Johnson	g 6-13	1-4	2-2	1	2	3	3	15	2	2 1 0 36
4 Keyshawn Hall	g 6-14	2-4	5-7	1	8	9	3	19	0	1 1 1 38
6 Dallan Coleman	g 0-5	0-3	1-3	0	0	0	3	1	0	0 4 0 20
35 Rokas Jocius	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 0 0 5
2 JJ Taylor	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1 1 0 4
15 Tyler Hendricks	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0 0 0 12
22 Nils Machowski	5-5	2-2	1-2	0	5	5	2	13	2	0 3 0 23
5 Benny Williams	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1008
TEAM				4	2	6				1
Totals	21-61	6-23	15-20	8	21	29	19	63	8	8 12 6 200

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 14-32 43.8% 2nd Half: 7-29 24.1% Game: 34.4% DEADBALL 3-PI: FG% 1st Half: 4-13 30.8% 2nd Half: 2-10 20.0% Game: 26.1% REBOUNDS F Throw % 1st Half: 4-5 80.0% 2nd Half: 11-15 73.3% Game: 75.0% 1,0

# HOME: Colorado 10-15, 1-13 Big 12 ## Player fg-a 31g-a rt-a of to to s bos bimin 7 Sebastian Rancik f 4+11 0-2 2-2 2 5 7 2 10 4 1 0 3 1 4 1 0 1 2 2 9 3 0 1 2 4 1 5 2 9 3 0 1 2 2 2 1 1 5 2 9 3 0 1 2 4 1 5 2 9 3 0 1 2 1 1 1 5 2 1 1 1 2 1 1 1 2 1 3 0 0 1 1 1 2 1 8 1 0 0 0 1 1 1

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 12-28 42.9% 2nd Half: 13-31 41.9% Game: 42.4% DEADBALL 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 4-12 33.3% 2nd Half: 3-10 30.0% Game: 31.8% REBOUNDS FThrow% 1st Half: 10-12 83.3% 2nd Half: 9-11 81.8% Game: 82.6% 1,0

Officials: Tyler Kumpf, Gary	y Maxw	ell, DG	Nelsor
Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
UCF	36	27	63
Colorado	38	38	76

**BOULDER** – The Colorado Buffaloes snapped their 13-game losing streak Saturday afternoon at home over UCF, taking down the Knights by a score of 76-63 for their first Big 12 Conference win of the season.

With the win, the Buffs move to 10-15 overall and 1-13 in Big 12 play. The UCF Knights fall to 13-12 overall and 4-10 in conference games. Both teams split the season series. 1-1.

"I'm happy for these guys, everybody in that locker room, what we've been through over the last month and a half," head coach **Tad Boyle** said. "Just battling, fighting, and scratching and clawing while just coming up short. And these guys have stuck together. They haven't lost their belief in each other or themselves, which is a testament to them. So it's nice to see them rewarded and really rewarded in a game where we were far from our best."

Andrej Jakimovski led all Colorado scorers with 15 points on 3 for 6 shooting from beyond the arc, along with seven rebounds. Assane Diop contributed a season-high 10 rebounds and six points off the bench for the Buffs.

"I thought his (Jakimovski) defensive effort on (Keyshawn) Hall was terrific," be stated. "He had to work for everything he got, and he really battled him all picht."

Hall led UCF with 19 points on 6 for 14 shooting while also grabbing nine rebounds.

The Buffs held the Knights to a 34% (21-61) shooting percentage, while shooting 42% (25-59) from the floor as a unit themselves.

All nine Buffaloes who saw the floor on Saturday logged at least one point in the contest. Eight of the nine scored at least six points.

Colorado was a dominant force on the glass, nabbing a season-high 52 rebounds as a team. Their previous high was 45 rebounds collected in each of the first two games of the season. UCF had just 29 total rebounds in the contest.

**DECISIVE MOMENT:** A 13-5 run by the Buffs in the first eight minutes of the second half got them a double-digit lead for the first time in the contest, a lead UCF would not be able to catch up with. Ten quick points in the paint and a Jakimovski 3-pointer propelled the second-half offense for Colorado.

HOW IT HAPPENED: Bangot Dak started the game off with a tough bucket down low that drew an and-one foul. Dak missed the following free throw. Keyshawn Hall hit a 3-pointer and a layup to give the Knights a 7-6 lead over CU at the 16-minute mark in the first half. RJ Smith drilled the first shot from distance for the Buffs, giving them an 11-9 lead with just over 13 minutes left in the period.

Back-to-back **Javon Ruffin** 3-pointers gave CU their biggest lead at the time, 22-16, with 8:48 remaining in the first half. Multiple turnovers led to a four-minute scoreless drought from the Buffs, opening the door to an 8-0 UCF run, giving the Knights a 29-27 advantage with three minutes left in the half. A 7-2 run in the final 1:30 of the half gave Colorado a one-possession lead, 38-36 headed into the break.

Colorado started the second half with a 9-3 run thanks to five quick points from Jakimovski, including his second 3-pointer of the afternoon. The Buffs gained their first double-digit lead of the day with 12:16 remaining, after a Ruffin layup in the paint to put CU up 51-41. The Knights managed to cut the deficit to five, 55-50, with just under eight minutes left, but another Jakimovski shot from deep put the Buffs back up by eight.

An Elijah Malone bucket at the 4:35 mark put Colorado up by 11, 64-53, their largest lead of the day. One free throw made by Malone followed up with a miss, but a tip-in layup from Sebastian Rancik gave CU a three-point swing. The 14-point Colorado lead was too much for UCF to catch up to in the final three minutes, giving the Buffs their first Big 12 win of the season.

#### GAME 26

#### #8/8 IOWA STATE 79, COLORADO 65

Feb. 18, 2025, Ames, Iowa (Hilton Coliseum)

VISITORS: Colorado	10-16,	1-14 B	ig 12								
## Player	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to s bk	min
7 Sebastian Rancik	f 2-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	5	4	0	1 0 0	17
8 Bangot Dak	f 8-14	1-3	3-3	0	4	4	4	20	1	2 2 0	26
23 Andrej Jakimovski	f 4-8	0-3	2-5	2	2	4	1	10	1	3 1 0	24
50 Elijah Malone	c 0-4	0-0	2-2	0	0	0	4	2	1	0 1 0	17
3 Julian Hammond III ;	g 3-9	1-4	2-2	1	2	3	1	9	2	4 1 0	30
5 RJ Smith	0-2	0-2	0-0	0	2	2	4	0	2	1 0 2	20
6 Trevor Baskin	0-0	0-0	0-4	0	2	2	0	0	0	0 0 1	6
35 Assane Diop	0-3	0-1	0-1	0	2	2	3	0	1	0 0 0	11
11 Javon Ruffin	2-5	0-2	2-2	0	2	2	0	6	0	1 0 0	17
31 Harrison Carrington	4-5	1-1	2-3	2	1	3	1	11	0	0 0 0	17
15 Felix Kossaras	1-1	1-1	0-0	2	3	5	2	3	2	1 1 0	15
TEAM				1		1				1	
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HOME: Iowa State 21	-5	, 11-4	4 Big 1	2										
## Player		fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	of	de	tot	pf	tp	а	to	s	bk	min
2 Joshua Jefferson	f	4-6	2-2	2-3	2	5	7	4	12	4	1	2	0	24
22 Milan Momcilovic	f	2-8	2-6	7-8	0	3	3	3	13	0	0	0	0	31
<ol> <li>Dishon Jackson</li> </ol>	С	3-4	0-0	7-10	0	3	3	5	13	1	1	0	2	21
3 Tamin Lipsey	g	4-7	2-4	2-2	1	4	5	0	12	3	2	2	0	32
10 Keshon Gilbert	g	1-3	1-2	2-4	0	1	1	1	5	5	6	3	0	27
Nate Heise		4-6	2-3	1-2	0	4	4	1	11	2	2	2	0	21
5 Curtis Jones		3-9	1-4	0-2	1	2	3	3	7	3	0	0	0	22
33 Brandton Chatfield		3-3	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	3	6	1	1	0	0	16
4 Demarion Watson		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
13 Cade Kelderman		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
15 Nojus Indrusaitis		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
30 JT Rock		0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
11 Kayden Fish		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1

Officials: Kipp Kissinger,	Brooks W	lells, A	ntinio Pett
Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
Colorado	28	37	65
Iowa State	45	34	79

AMES, Iowa – Colorado trailed by double-digits within the first seven minutes, which proved to be too much against a blistering Iowa State offense Tuesday night, with the Buffaloes falling by a score of 79-65 at Hilton Coliseum.

The Buffs fall to 10-16 overall and 1-14 in Big 12 play. Iowa State sweeps the season series over Colorado and improves to 21-6 overall and 11-4 in conference.

"They were the better team tonight," head coach **Tad Boyle** said. "They deserved to win, and I was really proud of our guys the last 10 minutes. If we would have played the first 30 minutes like we played the last 10 in terms of our aggressiveness and toughness and handling their pressure, attacking their pressure, and guarding them, I think it would have been a different game, but we didn't, and they deserve the credit."

Sophomore **Bangot Dak** led Colorado with a career-high 20 points on 8 for 14 shooting from the floor and four rebounds. His previous high was 19 points earlier this season against Cincinnati

Harrison Carrington put up a career-high 11 points while going an efficient 4 for 5 overall shooting. Freshman Felix Kossaras led the Buffs with five rebounds in just 15 minutes of game action.

"I still want to see improvement for this team, this year, and I think we saw that with both Harrison and Felix tonight, who didn't play against Central Florida, and tonight they they got their chance," Boyle stated. "I thought they played really well, especially in the second half. We've got 11 guys I feel really comfortable with in that rotation, and it's hard to play all 11 every night, but those two kids showed great character tonight, with with being resilient and being ready when their number was called."

Dishon Jackson led the Cyclones with 13 points on 3 for 4 shooting along with three rebounds.

Early shooting struggles for the Buffs in the first half (11% 3FG) were the x-factor in this one, allowing lowa State to start the game with a pair of 10-0 runs after CU managed to put up just five points in between those stretches.

The Cyclones' entire eight-man rotation logged at least one bucket in the first 20 minutes of play, en route to outscoring the Buffs 45-28.

Colorado had committed the same amount of turnovers as lowa State (14), but it was the Cyclones who capitalized, earning 18 points off turnovers in comparison to CU's 10 points.

The Buffs shot 59% (13-22) from the free-throw line on the night, their second-lowest shooting percentage of the season.

HOW IT HAPPENED: Dak scored the first points of the game via a free throw line after getting fouled on the way up to the rim. The Cyclones would score the next seven points to go up 7-2 at the first media break with 15:58 remaining in the half. An lowa State 3-pointer out of the break made it a 10-0 run.

Julian Hammond III nailed a deep 3-pointer of his own to bring the CU deficit to five, but the Buffs got themselves in foul trouble early on. ISU entered the bonus with 12 minutes left in the first half, which led to their second 10-0 run of the game, putting them up 20-5.

The Cyclones ended the half shooting 6 for 11 (55%) from beyond the arc, putting up 45 points of offense. The Buffs got a Hammond floater to hit for their final basket of the first half, putting up 28 as a team.

Both teams went to the free-throw line multiple times early on in the half, but the Cyclones built their lead to 20 over the Buffs after a Nate Heise 3-pointer with 13:10 remaining in the contest. Colorado responded with a Dak three and Harrison Carrington bucket down low.

Iowa State gained a 24-point advantage over the Buffs at the 10-minute mark thanks to a Joshua Jefferson shot from deep. Dak would go on to capture a career-high in points, but it wouldn't be enough for Colorado to catch up to Iowa State



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Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	10-16	9-6	0-8	1-2
CONFERENCE	1-14	1-6	0-8	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	9-2	8-0	0-0	1-2

Score by Periods

	Team	1st	2nd	ОТ	тот
l	Colorado	829	974	23	1826
١	Opponents	907	941	21	1869

Team	Box	Score
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Na	o. Player			Tota	3-Poi	3-Point F-Throv		ow	Rebounds													
NO.	Player	GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	тот	AVG	PF	DQ	Α	то	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
3	HAMMOND III, Julian	26-26	754:54	29.0	111-266	.417	44-113	.389	70-77	.909	5	60	65	2.5	35	0	80	63	4	30	336	12.9
23	JAKIMOVSKI, Andrej	25-25	710:02	28.4	86-219	.393	36-119	.303	40-52	.769	28	83	111	4.4	38	0	33	26	2	22	248	9.9
8	DAK, Bangot	26-13	499:51	19.2	81-158	.513	11-36	.306	35-50	.700	30	73	103	4.0	53	0	29	38	38	22	208	8.0
50	MALONE, Elijah	25-17	453:00	18.1	74-131	.565	3-13	.231	42-55	.764	30	44	74	3.0	57	0	28	40	14	15	193	7.7
6	BASKIN, Trevor	26-8	528:00	20.3	68-135	.504	5-22	.227	57-87	.655	42	87	129	5.0	51	1	48	47	17	29	198	7.6
11	RUFFIN, Javon	24-6	512:07	21.3	51-132	.386	22-64	.344	22-29	.759	5	38	43	1.8	43	1	52	39	4	15	146	6.1
7	RANCIK, Sebastian	25-7	433:09	17.3	49-109	.450	14-44	.318	34-51	.667	15	51	66	2.6	30	1	13	23	6	11	146	5.8
5	SMITH, RJ	25-10	518:21	20.7	47-107	.439	26-67	.388	10-15	.667	4	58	62	2.5	41	0	47	32	7	18	130	5.2
35	DIOP, Assane	26-17	416:15	16.0	27-75	.360	4-21	.190	44-54	.815	26	83	109	4.2	42	1	26	30	3	10	102	3.9
31	CARRINGTON, Harrison	24-1	235:27	9.8	26-42	.619	6-16	.375	26-32	.813	14	20	34	1.4	24	0	5	19	4	9	84	3.5
41	RANDALL, Nick	1-0	03:23	3.4	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2.0
15	KOSSARAS, Felix	20-0	158:59	7.9	10-24	.417	3-10	.300	8-14	.571	5	18	23	1.2	18	0	12	12	2	6	31	1.6
13	ANDERSON, Courtney	4-0	15:40	3.9	1-4	.250	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0	3	3	0.8	1	0	1	1	0	0	2	0.5
34	PEASE, Jack	2-0	04:06	2.0	0-3	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
30	GERHARDT, Greg	1-0	03:23	3.4	0-3	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
40	WHITT, Grady	1-0	03:23	3.4	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0.0
Tea	m										37	42	79					16				
Tot	al	26	5250		632-1409	.449	174-530	.328	388-516	.752	243	660	903	34.7	434	4	374	386	101	188	1826	70.2
Op	ponents	26	5250		652-1496	.436	202-598	.338	363-511	.710	255	598	853	32.8	484	10	337	303	85	220	1869	71.9

#### **Team Statistics**

	CU	OPF
Scoring	1826	1869
Points per game	70.2	71.9
Scoring margin	-1.7	-
Field goals-att	632-1409	652-1496
Field goal pct	.449	.436
3 point fg-att	174-530	202-598
3-point FG pct	.328	.338
3-pt FG made per game	6.7	7.8
Free throws-att	388-516	363-511
Free throw pct	.752	.710
F-Throws made per game	14.9	14.0
Rebounds	903	853
Rebounds per game	34.7	32.8
Rebounding margin	+1.9	-
Assists	374	337
Assists per game	14.4	13.0
Turnovers	386	303
Turnovers per game	14.8	11.7
Turnover margin	-3.2	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.0	1.1
Steals	188	220
Steals per game	7.2	8.5
Blocks	101	85
Blocks per game	3.9	3.3
Winning streak	0	-
Home win streak	1	-
Attendance	101241	80314
Home games-Avg/Game	15-6749	8-10039
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	3-2400

#### **Team Results**

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/04/2024	Eastern Wash.	W	76-56	5679
11/08/2024	Northern Colo.	Wot2	90-88	6152
11/13/2024	Cal St. Fullerton	w	83-53	5358
11/17/2024	Harvard	W	88-66	6288
11/25/2024	vs Michigan St.	L	56-72	2400
11/26/2024	vs UConn	w	73-72	2400
11/27/2024	vs Iowa St.	L	71-99	2400
12/02/2024	Pacific	W	75-66	5235
12/07/2024	Colorado St.	w	72-55	9143
12/13/2024	South Dakota St.	W	81-70	5942
12/21/2024	Bellarmine	w	79-55	7684
12/30/2024	Iowa St.	L	69-79	9157
01/04/2025	at Arizona St.	L	61-81	7998
01/08/2025	at UCF	L	74-75	8204
01/12/2025	West Virginia	L	70-78	6975
01/15/2025	Cincinnati	L	62-68	6576
01/18/2025	at Oklahoma St.	L	73-83	7247
01/21/2025	BYU	L	67-83	6166
01/25/2025	at Arizona	L	63-78	14688
01/28/2025	Arizona St.	L	68-70	6189
02/02/2025	at TCU	L	57-68	5029
02/05/2025	at Utah	L	59-72	7581
02/08/2025	Houston	L	59-69	7485
02/11/2025	at Kansas	L	59-71	15300
02/15/2025	UCF	w	76-63	7212
02/18/2025	at Iowa St.	L	65-79	14267





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ALL GAMES	1-14	1-6	0-8	0-0
CONFERENCE	1-14	1-6	0-8	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0

1	Score by Periods				
	Team	1st	2nd	ОТ	тот
	Colorado	443	539	0	982
l	Opponents	550	567	0	1117

**Team Box Score** 

N.	o. Player				Tota	ıl	3-Poi	nt	F-Thro	ow		Rebo	ounds	,								
NO.	Player	GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	тот	AVG	PF	DQ	Α	то	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
3	HAMMOND III, Julian	15-15	459:57	30.7	63-164	.384	23-64	.359	43-48	.896	4	35	39	2.6	20	0	41	37	2	16	192	12.8
8	DAK, Bangot	15-11	324:06	21.6	53-99	.535	7-20	.350	25-34	.735	19	51	70	4.7	37	0	19	26	29	16	138	9.2
23	JAKIMOVSKI, Andrej	14-14	391:54	28.0	45-112	.402	18-61	.295	17-25	.680	15	44	59	4.2	29	0	13	16	2	8	125	8.9
6	BASKIN, Trevor	15-4	290:12	19.3	39-78	.500	2-11	.182	22-37	.595	20	38	58	3.9	30	1	24	23	5	18	102	6.8
7	RANCIK, Sebastian	15-7	307:08	20.5	34-77	.442	6-27	.222	26-39	.667	9	38	47	3.1	21	1	8	10	4	8	100	6.7
11	RUFFIN, Javon	14-2	312:26	22.3	33-84	.393	17-45	.378	9-12	.750	2	23	25	1.8	27	1	31	31	2	8	92	6.6
50	MALONE, Elijah	14-6	212:47	15.2	23-54	.426	0-7	.000	15-20	.750	11	19	30	2.1	34	0	13	23	4	7	61	4.4
35	DIOP, Assane	15-8	222:32	14.8	14-43	.326	1-11	.091	33-40	.825	18	38	56	3.7	30	1	12	19	0	3	62	4.1
5	SMITH, RJ	14-7	286:20	20.5	17-52	.327	6-34	.176	7-8	.875	4	27	31	2.2	25	0	20	16	6	9	47	3.4
31	CARRINGTON, Harrison	14-1	135:51	9.7	16-25	.640	4-10	.400	11-15	.733	9	8	17	1.2	16	0	2	10	3	6	47	3.4
15	KOSSARAS, Felix	9-0	56:45	6.3	6-9	.667	3-6	.500	1-4	.250	2	5	7	0.8	8	0	4	6	0	3	16	1.8
Tea	am										27	27	54					13				
Tot	tal	15	3000		343-797	.430	87-296	.294	209-282	.741	140	353	493	32.9	277	4	187	230	57	102	982	65.5
Op	ponents	15	3000		378-832	.454	120-333	.360	241-346	.697	156	347	503	33.5	271	3	203	172	59	130	1117	74.5

#### **Team Statistics**

	CU	OPF
Scoring	982	1117
Points per game	65.5	74.5
Scoring margin	-9.0	-
Field goals-att	343-797	378-832
Field goal pct	.430	.454
3 point fg-att	87-296	120-333
3-point FG pct	.294	.360
3-pt FG made per game	5.8	8.0
Free throws-att	209-282	241-346
Free throw pct	.741	.697
F-Throws made per game	13.9	16.1
Rebounds	493	503
Rebounds per game	32.9	33.5
Rebounding margin	-0.7	-
Assists	187	203
Assists per game	12.5	13.5
Turnovers	230	172
Turnovers per game	15.3	11.5
Turnover margin	-3.9	-
Assist/turnover ratio	0.8	1.2
Steals	102	130
Steals per game	6.8	8.7
Blocks	57	59
Blocks per game	3.8	3.9
Winning streak	0	-
Home win streak	1	-
Attendance	49760	80314
Home games-Avg/Game	7-7109	8-10039
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

#### **Team Results**

ream nesures				
Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
12/30/2024	Iowa St.	L	69-79	9157
01/04/2025	at Arizona St.	L	61-81	7998
01/08/2025	at UCF	L	74-75	8204
01/12/2025	West Virginia	L	70-78	6975
01/15/2025	Cincinnati	L	62-68	6576
01/18/2025	at Oklahoma St.	L	73-83	7247
01/21/2025	BYU	L	67-83	6166
01/25/2025	at Arizona	L	63-78	14688
01/28/2025	Arizona St.	L	68-70	6189
02/02/2025	at TCU	L	57-68	5029
02/05/2025	at Utah	L	59-72	7581
02/08/2025	Houston	L	59-69	7485
02/11/2025	at Kansas	L	59-71	15300
02/15/2025	UCF	W	76-63	7212
02/18/2025	at Iowa St.	L	65-79	14267



#### **Colorado Points-Rebounds-Assists**

		_		3	5	6	7	8	11	13	15	23	30	31
Opponent	Date	Score		HAMMOND II	SMITH,RJ	BASKIN,TRE	RANCIK,SEB	DAK,BANGOT	RUFFIN,JAV	ANDERSON,C	KOSSARAS,F	JAKIMOVSKI	GERHARDT,G	CARRINGTON
Eastern Wash.	11/04/2024	76-56	W	7-3-4	8-1-2	12-6-2	13-3-0	5-4-0	12-3-2	0-0-0	2-3-0	11-7-2	DNP	0-1-0
Northern Colo.	11/08/2024	90-88	Wot2	12-4-2	9-3-1	9-9-0	3-1-0	4-1-2	12-3-1	DNP	2-1-1	9-6-0	DNP	DNP
Cal St. Fullerton	11/13/2024	83-53	W	11-2-4	7-0-4	6-6-1	11-2-1	7-5-0	7-2-5	0-0-0	4-3-2	17-3-1	DNP	4-0-1
Harvard	11/17/2024	88-66	W	8-1-4	4-3-1	13-7-1	2-3-1	0-5-2	15-2-4	DNP	0-2-1	20-5-1	DNP	9-2-0
vs Michigan St.	11/25/2024	56-72	L	15-3-4	2-0-2	9-3-2	4-3-0	3-1-0	2-1-0	0-1-0	2-2-1	4-4-2	DNP	0-1-0
vs UConn	11/26/2024	73-72	W	16-2-3	8-2-3	5-3-1	0-1-0	5-1-0	6-3-2	DNP	0-0-0	12-10-1	DNP	0-1-0
vs Iowa St.	11/27/2024	71-99	L	20-1-3	6-4-3	7-8-3	3-0-0	8-1-2	0-0-4	DNP	0-0-0	18-4-1	DNP	3-0-0
Pacific	12/02/2024	75-66	W	9-1-2	8-7-3	13-10-7	3-0-0	7-6-3	0-1-0	DNP	0-1-0	17-4-2	DNP	6-4-1
Colorado St.	12/07/2024	72-55	W	13-2-1	9-4-1	9-11-2	0-2-1	16-4-1	0-3-3	DNP	0-0-1	9-3-3	DNP	3-1-0
South Dakota St.	12/13/2024	81-70	W	23-3-7	11-2-5	8-5-2	DNP	8-2-0	0-0-0	DNP	1-2-0	4-4-3	DNP	7-3-1
Bellarmine	12/21/2024	79-55	W	10-4-5	11-5-2	5-3-3	7-4-2	7-3-0	DNP	2-2-1	4-2-2	2-2-4	0-1-0	5-4-0
Iowa St.	12/30/2024	69-79	L	21-4-4	14-2-1	8-4-4	3-4-0	4-8-5	9-0-2	DNP	0-0-0	DNP	DNP	0-1-0
at Arizona St.	01/04/2025	61-81	L	0-0-3	2-3-5	23-10-2	6-2-1	0-0-0	5-3-4	DNP	DNP	9-5-1	DNP	6-1-0
at UCF	01/08/2025	74-75	L	26-5-5	4-8-0	2-2-1	0-0-0	10-3-0	DNP	DNP	1-0-0	16-4-1	DNP	0-1-0
West Virginia	01/12/2025	70-78	L	23-4-0	3-2-1	9-6-2	2-1-0	4-1-1	5-7-4	DNP	DNP	8-6-0	DNP	3-0-0
Cincinnati	01/15/2025	62-68	L	5-6-2	DNP	8-6-2	9-3-1	19-8-1	9-2-1	DNP	DNP	2-1-1	DNP	6-2-0
at Oklahoma St.	01/18/2025	73-83	L	10-1-2	2-0-1	8-2-4	11-3-0	15-5-2	3-0-3	DNP	2-1-0	7-3-2	DNP	6-1-0
BYU	01/21/2025	67-83	L	17-1-2	2-1-1	6-6-0	4-0-0	5-3-0	6-0-2	DNP	2-0-0	9-3-0	DNP	7-3-2
at Arizona	01/25/2025	63-78	L	19-3-4	4-0-2	6-3-0	5-5-1	2-4-0	12-0-2	DNP	DNP	10-3-2	DNP	2-0-0
Arizona St.	01/28/2025	68-70	L	13-5-4	0-1-0	19-4-1	9-4-0	13-6-2	5-0-2	DNP	DNP	7-4-0	DNP	2-0-0
at TCU	02/02/2025	57-68	L	6-1-7	0-1-2	4-3-4	7-3-0	9-12-2	8-2-2	DNP	3-1-1	13-4-0	DNP	2-2-0
at Utah	02/05/2025	59-72	L	8-0-1	0-0-1	4-7-1	5-2-1	11-4-0	13-2-3	DNP	0-0-0	7-6-1	DNP	0-0-0
Houston	02/08/2025	59-69	L	22-0-1	5-2-2	2-2-2	6-3-1	6-4-1	3-2-2	DNP	5-0-1	3-5-3	DNP	0-2-0
at Kansas	02/11/2025	59-71	L	2-1-3	2-3-1	2-1-0	19-9-2	11-3-1	0-3-2	DNP	0-0-0	9-4-0	DNP	2-1-0
UCF	02/15/2025	76-63	W	11-5-1	9-6-1	1-0-1	10-7-1	9-5-3	8-2-2	DNP	DNP	15-7-1	DNP	DNP
at Iowa St.	02/18/2025	65-79	L	9-3-2	0-2-2	0-2-0	4-1-0	20-4-1	6-2-0	DNP	3-5-2	10-4-1	DNP	11-3-0

Opponent	Date	Score		34	35	40	41	50
Орроненс	Date	Score		PEASE, JACK	DIOP,ASSAN	WHITT,GRAD	RANDALL,NI	MALONE,ELI
Eastern Wash.	11/04/2024	76-56	W	DNP	2-5-3	DNP	DNP	4-7-1
Northern Colo.	11/08/2024	90-88	Wot2	DNP	3-10-2	DNP	DNP	27-5-0
Cal St. Fullerton	11/13/2024	83-53	W	DNP	0-8-0	DNP	DNP	9-4-3
Harvard	11/17/2024	88-66	W	DNP	1-4-3	DNP	DNP	16-7-0
vs Michigan St.	11/25/2024	56-72	L	0-0-0	1-3-1	DNP	DNP	14-5-1
vs UConn	11/26/2024	73-72	W	DNP	5-2-0	DNP	DNP	16-1-2
vs Iowa St.	11/27/2024	71-99	L	DNP	2-4-2	DNP	DNP	4-1-0
Pacific	12/02/2024	75-66	W	DNP	4-5-0	DNP	DNP	8-0-2
Colorado St.	12/07/2024	72-55	W	DNP	3-8-3	DNP	DNP	10-3-2
South Dakota St.	12/13/2024	81-70	W	DNP	4-3-0	DNP	DNP	15-9-1
Bellarmine	12/21/2024	79-55	W	0-0-0	15-1-0	0-0-0	2-1-0	9-2-3
Iowa St.	12/30/2024	69-79	L	DNP	4-3-1	DNP	DNP	6-2-1
at Arizona St.	01/04/2025	61-81	L	DNP	2-3-1	DNP	DNP	8-4-0
at UCF	01/08/2025	74-75	L	DNP	9-6-5	DNP	DNP	6-2-3
West Virginia	01/12/2025	70-78	L	DNP	13-5-2	DNP	DNP	0-1-3
Cincinnati	01/15/2025	62-68	L	DNP	4-8-0	DNP	DNP	DNP
at Oklahoma St.	01/18/2025	73-83	L	DNP	0-1-0	DNP	DNP	9-1-1
BYU	01/21/2025	67-83	L	DNP	6-4-0	DNP	DNP	3-1-1
at Arizona	01/25/2025	63-78	L	DNP	1-3-0	DNP	DNP	2-6-2
Arizona St.	01/28/2025	68-70	L	DNP	0-4-0	DNP	DNP	0-3-1
at TCU	02/02/2025	57-68	L	DNP	0-0-1	DNP	DNP	5-2-0
at Utah	02/05/2025	59-72	L	DNP	11-4-0	DNP	DNP	0-1-0
Houston	02/08/2025	59-69	L	DNP	4-1-0	DNP	DNP	3-0-0
at Kansas	02/11/2025	59-71	L	DNP	2-2-0	DNP	DNP	10-2-0
UCF	02/15/2025	76-63	W	DNP	6-10-1	DNP	DNP	7-5-0
at Iowa St.	02/18/2025	65-79	L	DNP	0-2-1	DNP	DNP	2-0-1



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				Total		3-Pointe	ers	Free thr	ows		Rebo	unds								
Opponent	Date	Score		FG-FGA	PCT	3FG-3FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	Α	то	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
Eastern Wash.	11/04/2024	76-56	W	27-59	.458	9-23	.391	13-17	.765	15	30	45	45.0	13	16	18	5	12	76	76.0
Northern Colo.	11/08/2024	90-88	Wot2	27-58	.466	5-18	.278	31-41	.756	11	34	45	45.0	19	9	21	5	12	90	83.0
Cal St. Fullerton	11/13/2024	83-53	W	30-53	.566	12-27	.444	11-14	.786	8	30	38	42.7	14	22	16	5	6	83	83.0
Harvard	11/17/2024	88-66	W	29-56	.518	9-19	.474	21-25	.840	11	32	43	42.8	14	18	13	6	6	88	84.3
vs Michigan St.	11/25/2024	56-72	L	20-54	.370	4-19	.211	12-20	.600	7	22	29	40.0	14	13	12	1	7	56	78.6
vs UConn	11/26/2024	73-72	W	23-45	.511	9-16	.563	18-28	.643	8	20	28	38.0	14	12	11	1	3	73	77.7
vs Iowa St.	11/27/2024	71-99	L	23-55	.418	8-19	.421	17-18	.944	7	18	25	36.1	17	18	18	1	4	71	76.7
Pacific	12/02/2024	75-66	W	25-59	.424	9-21	.429	16-21	.762	9	31	40	36.6	21	20	10	7	7	75	76.5
Colorado St.	12/07/2024	72-55	W	28-56	.500	9-24	.375	7-12	.583	8	36	44	37.4	10	18	17	4	7	72	76.0
South Dakota St.	12/13/2024	81-70	W	28-55	.509	7-24	.292	18-19	.947	9	26	35	37.2	13	19	10	6	7	81	76.5
Bellarmine	12/21/2024	79-55	W	29-62	.468	6-24	.250	15-19	.789	10	28	38	37.3	8	22	10	3	15	79	76.7
Iowa St.	12/30/2024	69-79	L	28-57	.491	7-22	.318	6-8	.750	11	22	33	36.9	18	18	19	5	7	69	76.1
at Arizona St.	01/04/2025	61-81	L	23-66	.348	3-24	.125	12-15	.800	15	19	34	36.7	16	17	14	2	10	61	74.9
at UCF	01/08/2025	74-75	L	24-46	.522	7-13	.538	19-24	.792	6	27	33	36.4	22	15	22	2	8	74	74.9
West Virginia	01/12/2025	70-78	L	20-48	.417	6-19	.316	24-30	.800	8	27	35	36.3	22	13	14	2	4	70	74.5
Cincinnati	01/15/2025	62-68	L	23-56	.411	3-13	.231	13-21	.619	10	31	41	36.6	18	8	15	9	7	62	73.8
at Oklahoma St.	01/18/2025	73-83	L	23-49	.469	5-22	.227	22-25	.880	3	20	23	35.8	29	15	16	3	12	73	73.7
BYU	01/21/2025	67-83	L	21-46	.457	7-19	.368	18-27	.667	9	15	24	35.2	12	8	16	2	8	67	73.3
at Arizona	01/25/2025	63-78	L	24-56	.429	9-19	.474	6-8	.750	8	23	31	34.9	10	13	15	2	5	63	72.8
Arizona St.	01/28/2025	68-70	L	25-58	.431	4-17	.235	14-20	.700	11	23	34	34.9	19	10	12	3	7	68	72.6
at TCU	02/02/2025	57-68	L	21-45	.467	5-16	.313	10-14	.714	9	25	34	34.9	15	19	19	7	6	57	71.8
at Utah	02/05/2025	59-72	L	21-55	.382	7-27	.259	10-13	.769	9	22	31	34.7	23	8	15	3	7	59	71.2
Houston	02/08/2025	59-69	L	19-46	.413	9-23	.391	12-16	.750	8	18	26	34.3	15	13	12	4	5	59	70.7
at Kansas	02/11/2025	59-71	L	22-57	.386	4-23	.174	11-16	.688	8	25	33	34.3	14	9	8	5	5	59	70.2
UCF	02/15/2025	76-63	W	25-59	.424	7-22	.318	19-23	.826	16	36	52	35.0	19	11	19	5	5	76	70.4
at Iowa St.	02/18/2025	65-79	L	24-53	.453	4-17	.235	13-22	.591	9	20	29	34.7	25	10	14	3	6	65	70.2
Total		1826		632-1409	.449	174-530	.328	388-516	.752	243	660	903	34.7	434	374	386	101	188	1826	70.2
Opponents		1869		652-1496	.436	202-598	.338	363-511	.710	255	598	853	32.8	484	337	303	85	220	1869	71.9

#### **Colorado Averages**

Games Played	Points/ game	FG Pct	3FG Pct	FT Pct	Rebounds/ game	Assists/ game	Turnovers/ game	Assist/Turnover ratio	Steals/ game	Blocks/ game
26	70.2	44.9	32.8	75.2	34.7	14.4	14.8	1.0	7.2	3.9





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				Total		3-Pointe	ers	Free th	rows		Rebo	unds	ı							
Opponent	Date	Score		FG-FGA	PCT	3FG-3FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	Α	то	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
Eastern Wash.	11/04/2024	76-56	W	21-58	.362	5-16	.313	9-14	.643	9	19	28	28.0	18	13	15	4	14	56	56.0
Northern Colo.	11/08/2024	90-88	Wot2	32-74	.432	13-36	.361	11-17	.647	12	23	35	31.5	28	18	17	0	12	88	72.0
Cal St. Fullerton	11/13/2024	83-53	W	18-58	.310	2-17	.118	15-17	.882	11	17	28	30.3	16	4	11	1	6	53	65.7
Harvard	11/17/2024	88-66	W	24-65	.369	8-23	.348	10-14	.714	11	19	30	30.3	17	14	8	3	9	66	65.8
vs Michigan St.	11/25/2024	56-72	L	30-61	.492	2-21	.095	10-13	.769	9	33	42	32.6	17	11	11	4	6	72	67.0
vs UConn	11/26/2024	73-72	W	25-52	.481	12-31	.387	10-13	.769	6	20	26	31.5	22	17	9	5	3	72	67.8
vs Iowa St.	11/27/2024	71-99	L	35-58	.603	11-25	.440	18-23	.783	7	24	31	31.4	19	18	10	0	13	99	72.3
Pacific	12/02/2024	75-66	W	23-63	.365	4-16	.250	16-24	.667	14	27	41	32.6	22	8	11	2	4	66	71.5
Colorado St.	12/07/2024	72-55	W	20-64	.313	7-27	.259	8-8	1.000	8	25	33	32.7	18	7	11	2	7	55	69.7
South Dakota St.	12/13/2024	81-70	W	25-58	.431	11-27	.407	9-13	.692	8	18	26	32.0	17	13	10	2	7	70	69.7
Bellarmine	12/21/2024	79-55	W	21-53	.396	7-26	.269	6-9	.667	4	26	30	31.8	19	11	18	3	9	55	68.4
Iowa St.	12/30/2024	69-79	L	29-68	.426	4-18	.222	17-22	.773	20	20	40	32.5	14	9	9	3	13	79	69.3
at Arizona St.	01/04/2025	61-81	L	28-54	.519	13-28	.464	12-19	.632	9	29	38	32.9	19	15	17	7	6	81	70.2
at UCF	01/08/2025	74-75	L	22-56	.393	10-28	.357	21-28	.750	9	19	28	32.6	21	12	12	7	9	75	70.5
West Virginia	01/12/2025	70-78	L	25-55	.455	8-24	.333	20-28	.714	8	22	30	32.4	24	9	7	1	7	78	71.0
Cincinnati	01/15/2025	62-68	L	22-60	.367	8-23	.348	16-21	.762	10	27	37	32.7	19	10	10	3	11	68	70.8
at Oklahoma St.	01/18/2025	73-83	L	23-50	.460	6-17	.353	31-42	.738	13	23	36	32.9	21	13	14	1	9	83	71.5
BYU	01/21/2025	67-83	L	31-53	.585	11-24	.458	10-15	.667	8	19	27	32.6	22	16	14	3	11	83	72.2
at Arizona	01/25/2025	63-78	L	30-64	.469	9-27	.333	9-11	.818	13	24	37	32.8	11	20	10	7	10	78	72.5
Arizona St.	01/28/2025	68-70	L	22-49	.449	7-22	.318	19-26	.731	7	25	32	32.8	19	11	17	5	3	70	72.4
at TCU	02/02/2025	57-68	L	24-54	.444	8-24	.333	12-17	.706	8	14	22	32.2	15	17	8	4	8	68	72.1
at Utah	02/05/2025	59-72	L	23-47	.489	8-18	.444	18-35	.514	12	27	39	32.5	17	16	15	3	11	72	72.1
Houston	02/08/2025	59-69	L	27-56	.482	6-15	.400	9-15	.600	15	23	38	32.8	18	10	9	3	5	69	72.0
at Kansas	02/11/2025	59-71	L	27-58	.466	6-21	.286	11-16	.688	9	30	39	33.0	12	18	8	4	6	71	72.0
UCF	02/15/2025	76-63	W	21-61	.344	6-23	.261	15-20	.750	8	21	29	32.9	19	8	8	6	12	63	71.6
at Iowa St.	02/18/2025	65-79	L	24-47	.511	10-21	.476	21-31	.677	7	24	31	32.8	20	19	14	2	9	79	71.9
Total		1869		652-1496	.436	202-598	.338	363-511	.710	255	598	853	32.8	484	337	303	85	220	1869	71.9
Colorado		1826		632-1409	.449	174-530	.328	388-516	.752	243	660	903	34.7	434	374	386	101	188	1826	70.2

**Opponents Averages** 

Games Played	Points/ game	FG Pct	3FG Pct	FT Pct	Rebounds/ game	Assists/ game	Turnovers/ game	Assist/Turnover ratio	Steals/ game	Blocks/ game
26	71.9	43.6	33.8	71.0	32.8	13.0	11.7	1.1	8.5	3.3



				Starters			High	High	High	High	High
Team (Date)	Result	G	G/F	G/F	F	F/C	Scoring	Rebounds	Assists	Steals	Blocks
EASTERN WASHINGTON (11/4)	) W 75-57	Hammond	Ruffin	Jakimovski	Dak	Malone	13-Rancik	7-Jakimovski/Malone	4-Hammond	3-Jakimovski/Smith	2-Baskin/Malone
NORTHERN COLORADO (11/8)	W 90-88 20	t Hammond	Ruffin	Jakimovski	Dak	Malone	27-Malone	10-Diop	2-BD/JH/AD	4-Jakimovski	1-5 players
CAL STATE FULLERTON (11/13)	W 83-53	Hammond	Ruffin	Jakimovski	Diop	Malone	17-Jakimovski	8-Diop	5-Ruffin	3-Ruffin	3-Dak
HARVARD (11/17)	W 88-66	Hammond	Baskin	Jakimovski	Diop	Malone	20-Jakimovski	7-Baskin/Malone	4-Hammond/Ruffin	1-6 players	4-Malone
vs. Michigan State (11/25)	L 56-72	Hammond	Baskin	Jakimovski	Diop	Malone	15-Hammond	5-Malone	4-Hammond	1-7 players	1-Malone
vs. #2/2 UConn (11/26)	W 73-72	Hammond	Ruffin	Jakimovski	Diop	Malone	16-Hammond/Malone	10-Jakimovski	3-Hammond/Smith	1-AJ/EM/JH	1-Ruffin
vs. #5/5 Iowa State (11/27)	L 71-99	Hammond	Baskin	Jakimovski	Diop	Malone	20-Hammond	8-Baskin	4-Ruffin	2-Hammond	1-Hammond
PACIFIC (12/2)	W 75-66	Hammond	Baskin	Jakimovski	Diop	Malone	17-Jakimovski	10-Baskin	7-Baskin	2-Baskin/Malone	4-Dak
COLORADO STATE (12/7)	W 72-55	Hammond	Smith	Jakimovski	Diop	Malone	16-Dak	11-Baskin	3-AJ/AD/JR	2-Baskin/Hammond	2-Baskin/Diop
SOUTH DAKOTA STATE (12/13)	W 81-70	Hammond	Smith	Jakimovski	Diop	Malone	23-Hammond	9-Malone	7-Hammond	3-Jakimovski	2-Malone/Kossaras
BELLARMINE (12/21)	W 79-55	Hammond	Smith	Jakimovski	Diop	Malone	15-Diop	5-Smith	5-Hammond	4-Hammond	1-BD/HC/SR
*#3/3 IOWA STATE (12/30)	L 69-79	Hammond	Smith	Baskin	Diop	Malone	21-Hammond	8-Dak	5-Dak	3-Malone	2-Dak/Rancik
*at Arizona State (1/4)	L 61-81	Hammond	Smith	Jakimovski	Diop	Malone	23-Baskin	10-Baskin	5-Smith	4-Baskin	1-Baskin/Malone
*at UCF (1/8)	L 74-75	Hammond	Smith	Jakimovski	Diop	Malone	26-Hammond	8-Smith	5-Diop/Hammond	3-Smith	2-Dak
*#21/23 WEST VIRGINIA (1/12)	L 70-78	Hammond	Smith	Jakimovski	Diop	Malone		7-Ruffin	4-Ruffin	1-4 players	2-Carrington
*CINCINNATI (1/15)	L 62-68	Hammond	Baskin	Jakimovski	Diop	Dak	19-Dak	8-Dak/Diop	2-Baskin/Hammond	2-Baskin/Hammond	8-Dak
*at Oklahoma State (1/18)	L 73-83	Hammond	Smith	Jakimovski	Diop	Dak	15-Dak	5-Dak	4-Baskin	3-Hammond	1-BD/AJ/JR
*BYU (1/21)	L 67-83	Hammond	Smith	Jakimovski	Diop	Dak	17-Hammond	6-Baskin	2-JH/JR/HC	2-Ruffin	1-Dak/Malone
*at Arizona (1/25)	L 63-78	Hammond		Jakimovski	Carringto	nDak	19-Hammond	6-Malone	4-Hammond	2-Dak/Hammond	1-Dak/Carrington
*ARIZONA STATE (1/28)	L 68-70	Hammond	Jakimovsk	iRancik	Dak	Malone	19-Baskin	6-Dak	4-Hammond	4-Baskin	2-Dak
*at TCU (2/2)	L 57-68	Hammond	Jakimovsk	iRancik	Baskin	Dak	13-Jakimovski	12-Dak	7-Hammond	2-Dak/Hammond	3-Baskin/Dak
*at Utah (2/5)	L 59-72	Hammond	Jakimovsk	iRancik	Baskin	Dak	13-Ruffin	7-Baskin	3-Ruffin	3-Dak	3-Dak
*#5/5 HOUSTON (2/8)	L 59-69	Hammond	Jakimovsk	iRancik	Diop	Dak	22-Hammond	5-Jakimovski	3-Jakimovski	2-Baskin	2-Dak
*at #17/20 Kansas (2/11)	L 59-71	Hammond		Jakimovski		Dak	19-Rancik	9-Rancik	3-Hammond	1-5 players	2-Dak
*UCF (2/15)	W 76-63	Hammond		Jakimovski		Dak	15-Jakimovski	10-Diop	3-Dak	1-5 players	2-Dak/Hammond
*at #8/8 Iowa State (2/18)	L 65-79	Hammond	Jakimovsk	iRancik	Dak	Malone	20-Dak	5-Kossaras	2-JH/RS/FK	2-Dak	2-Smith

Starting Combinations	Record
Hammond, Smith, Jakimovski, Diop, Malone	3-3
Hammond, Baskin, Jakimovski, Diop, Malone	2-2
Hammond, Ruffin, Jakimovski, Dak, Malone	2-0
Hammond, Ruffin, Jakimovski, Diop, Malone	2-0
Hammond, Jakimovski, Rancik, Baskin, Dak	0-2
Hammond, Smith, Jakimovski, Diop, Dak	0-2
Hammond, Jakimovski, Rancik, Dak, Malone	0-2
Hammond, Smith, Jakimovski, Rancik, Dak	1-0
Hammond, Smith, Baskin, Diop, Malone	0-1
Hammond, Baskin, Jakimovski, Diop, Dak	0-1
Hammond, Ruffin, Jakimovski, Carrington, Dak	0-1
Hammond, Jakimovski, Rancik, Diop, Dak	0-1
Hammond, Ruffin, Jakimovski, Rancik, Dak	0-1

#### Double-Doubles - 3 Trevor Baskin - 2

13 pts, 10 reb vs. Pacific (12/2) 23 pts, 10 reb at Arizona State (1/4)

#### Andrej Jakimovski - 1

12 pts, 10 reb vs. UConn (11/26)

#### 20-Point Games - 10 Julian Hammond III - 6

20 vs. lowa State (11/27) 23 vs. South Dakota State (12/13) 21 vs. lowa State (12/30)

26 at UCF (1/8/25)

23 vs. West Virginia (1/12)

22 vs. Houston (2/8)

#### Trevor Baskin - 1

23 at Arizona State (1/4)

#### Bangot Dak - 1

20 at Iowa State (2/18)

#### Andrej Jakimovski - 1

20 vs. Harvard (11/17)

#### Elijah Malone - 1

27 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8)

#### 10-Rebound Games - 7 Trevor Baskin - 3

11 vs. Colorado State (12/7) 10 vs. Pacific (12/2) 10 at Arizona State (1/4)

#### Assane Diop - 2

10 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8) 10 vs. UCF (2/15)

#### Bangot Dak - 1

12 at TCU (2/2/25)

#### Andrej Jakimovski - 1

10 vs. UConn (11/26)

#### 5-Assist Games - 10 Julian Hammond III - 4

7 vs. South Dakota State (12/13) 5 vs. Bellarmine (12/21)

5 at UCF (1/8) 7 at TCU (2/2)

#### RJ Smith - 2

5 vs. South Dakota State (12/13) 5 at Arizona State (1/4)

#### Trevor Baskin - 1

7 vs. Pacific (12/2)

#### Bangot Dak - 1

5 vs. lowa State (12/30)

#### Assane Diop - 1

5 at UCF (1/8)

#### Javon Ruffin - 1

5 vs. Cal State Fullerton (11/13)

#### 5-Block Games - 1

Bangot Dak - 1

8 vs. Cincinnati (1/15)

Scoring Double-Digi			Block Leaders	<b>'24-25</b>	Career	THE LAST TIME INDIVIDUAL
	<b>'24-25</b>	Career	Bangot Dak	15	18	20-29 Points: 20, Bangot Dak at Iowa State (Feb. 18, 2025)
Julian Hammond III	17	35	Julian Hammond III	3	7	30-39 Points 30, KJ Simpson at USC (Feb. 17, 2024)
Javon Ruffin	5	12	Javon Ruffin	3	7	
Andrej Jakimovski	11	11	Elijah Malone	6	6	40-Plus Points 43, Askia Booker at USC, 3 ots (Jan. 29, 2015)
Bangot Dak	8	8	Assane Diop	2	6	
Elijah Malone	7	7	Trevor Baskin	5	5	Two 20-point Scorers in Same Game: 23, KJ Simpson; 21, Eddie Lampkin
Trevor Baskin	5	5	Harrison Carrington	3	4	Jr vs. Florida (March 22, 2024)
Sebastian Rancik	5	5	Sebastian Rancik	2	2	
Assane Diop	3	4	RJ Smith	2	2	Three 20-point Scorers Same Game: Xavier Johnson (27), Josh Scott
RJ Smith	3	4	Felix Kossaras	1	1	
Harrison Carrington	1	1	Sebastian Rancik	1	1	(21), Askia Booker (20) vs. Washington (Feb. 9, 2014)
Double-Digit Rebour	ndina Ga	mae	Career Games	Starts	Played	
Double-Digit Neboui	'24-25	Career	Julian Hammond III	41	114	Five Double-Figure Scorers in Same Game: vs. Florida (March 22, 2024):
Trevor Baskin	3	3	Javon Ruffin	8	66	KJ Simpson (23), Eddie Lampkin Jr. (21), Tristan da Silva (17), J'Vonne
Assane Diop	2	2	Assane Diop	17	58	Hadley (16), Luke O'Brien (12)
Bangot Dak	1	1	Bangot Dak	13	49	
Andrej Jakimovski	1	1	Harrison Carrington	1	38	Six Double-Figure Scorers in Same Game: vs. Oregon State (Jan. 20,
			RJ Smith	10	32	
Double-Doubles	<b>'24-25</b>	Career	Trevor Baskin	8	26	2024): Tristan da Silva (19), Eddie Lampkin Jr (17), Cody Williams (16),
Trevor Baskin	2	2	Andrej Jakimovski	25	25	KJ Simpson (13), Assane Diop (10), Luke O'Brien (10).
Andrej Jakimovski	1	1	Elijah Malone	17	25	
•			Sebastian Rancik	7	25	Seven Double-Figure Scorers in Same Game: vs Iona (Dec. 29, 2019):
20-Point Games	<b>'24-25</b>	Career	Felix Kossaras	0	20	D'Shawn Schwartz (14), McKinley Wright IV (13), Evan Battey (12), Lucas
Julian Hammond III	6	7	Jack Pease	0	5	Siewert (12), Tyler Bey (11), Maddox Daniels (10), Daylen Kountz (10).
Trevor Baskin	1	1	Courtney Anderson Jr	0	4	Siewert (12), Tyler bey (11), Maddox Darileis (10), Dayleir Rodritz (10).
Bangot Dak	1	1	Greg Gerhardt	0	2	
Andrej Jakimovski	1	1	Nick Randall	0	1	<u>Double-Double:</u> Trevor Baskin 23 points, 10 rebounds at Arizona State
Elijah Malone	1	1	Grady Whitt	0	1	(Jan. 4, 2025)
Led in Scoring	<b>'24-25</b>	Career				CU Pair w/Double-Double Same Game: Eddie Lampkin Jr., 17 points, 12
Julian Hammond III	10	13				
Andrej Jakimovski	5	5				rebounds; KJ Simpson, 18 points, 10 rebounds vs. Utah (March 14, 2024)
Bangot Dak	4	4				
Sebastian Rancik	2	2				<u>Triple-Double</u> : David Harrison (20 points, 10 rebounds, 11 blocks) vs.
Trevor Baskin	2	2				Nebraska (Mar. 8, 2003)
Elijah Malone	2	2				
Javon Ruffin	1	2				20+ Rebounds: 20, Andre Roberson Stanford (Jan. 27, 2013)
Assane Diop	1	1				
		_				15+ Rebounds: 15, Tristan da Silva at Oregon State (Jan. 28, 2023)
Rebounding Leaders		Career				10+ Rebounds: 10, Assane Diop vs. UCF (Feb. 15, 2025)
Trevor Baskin	7	7				
Bangot Dak	5	5				Pair with 15+ rebounds in same game: Andre Roberson (15) & Alec Burks
Elijah Malone	5	5				(15) vs. Iowa State (Mar. 9, 2011, at Kansas City)
Assane Diop	4	4				(10) 101101010101010101010101010101010101
Andrej Jakimovski	3	3				10 : Assista 12 Malfinlay Wright IV vs. Coornatour (May 00 0001)
RJ Smith	2	2				10+ Assists: 13, McKinley Wright IV vs. Georgetown (Mar. 20, 2021)
Julian Hammond III	0	2				5+ Steals: 5, KJ Simpson vs. Northern Colorado (Dec. 15, 2023)
Felix Kossaras	1 1	1				6+ 3-Point FGs Made: 6, KJ Simpson at USC (Feb. 17, 2024)
Sebastian Rancik	1	1 1				5+ Blocked Shots: 8, Bangot Dak vs. Cincinnati (Jan. 15, 2025)
Javon Ruffin	'	'				•
Assist Leaders	<b>'24-25</b>	Career				THE LAST TIME TEAM
Julian Hammond III	15	30				100+ Points: 102, vs. Florida (March 22, 2024)
Javon Ruffin	7	7				
Trevor Baskin	3	3				Sub-50 Points: 43 at Washington State (Jan. 30, 2022)
Bangot Dak	3	3				Sub-40 Points: 33, at Wyoming (56), (Nov. 22, 2014)
Assane Diop	3	3				
RJ Smith	3	3				Shot 60%+: 63.0 vs. Florida (March 22, 2024)
Andrej Jakimovski	2	2				Shot Sub-35%: 34.8 at Arizona State (Jan. 4, 2025)
Harrison Carrington	1	1				31101 300-33 18. 34.8 at A112011a State (3a11. 4, 2023)
Felix Kossaras	1	1				
	-	•				30+ Free Throws: 31 vs. vs. Northern Colorado (Nov. 8, 2024)
Steal Leaders	<b>'24-25</b>	Career				10+ 3-Point Field Goals: 12 vs. Cal State Fullerton (Nov. 13, 2024)
Julian Hammond III	10	26				
Trevor Baskin	10	10				50+ Rebounds: 52 vs. UCF (Feb. 15, 2025)
Javon Ruffin	5	9				25+ Assists: 28 vs. Miami (Dec. 10, 2023)
Andrej Jakimovski	7	7				<u> 207 Madiala.</u> 20 va. Ivilatili (DGC. 10, 2023)
Bangot Dak	6	6				
RJ Smith	4	4				15+ Steals: 15 vs. Bellarmine (Dec. 21, 2024)
Harrison Carrington	3	4				10+ Blocked Shots: 10 at Utah (March 5, 2016)
Assane Diop	3	3				· · · ·
Elijah Malone	3	3				Sub-6 Turnovers: 4 vs. Utah (Feb. 24, 2024)
Sebastian Rancik	3	3				San o ramovolo. T vo. Olam (1 CD. LT, LULT)
Felix Kossaras	2	2				

COLORADO - PLAYER GAME HIGHS	OPPONENT - PLAYER GAME HIGHS
POINTS 27 Elijah Malone vs. UNC (11/8/24)	POINTS26Javon Small vs. WVU (1/12/25)
26Julian Hammond III at UCF (1/8/25)	
	124Elias Ralph vs. UP (12/2/24)
23 Trevor Baskin at ASU (1/4/25)	24Milan Momcilovic vs. ISU (11/27/24)
	FG MADE 10Richie Saunders vs. BYU (1/21/25)
FG MADE 9 Trevor Baskin at ASU (1/4/25)	
9Julian Hammond III vs. ISU (12/30/24)	9
84 times	
last by Bangot Dak at ISU (2/18/25)	8Hunter Dickinson at KU (2/11/25)
FG ATTEMPTS 17Julian Hammond III vs. ISU (12/30/24)	
	FG ATTEMPTS 19Elias Ralph vs. UP (12/2/24)
	LJ Cryer vs. UH (2/8/25)
last by Bangot Dak at ISU (2/18/25)	
FG %	
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last by Harrison Carrington at ISU (2/18/25) 3 PT FG MADE5Julian Hammond III vs. UH (2/8/25)	
	3-PT FG MADE 6Anthony Dell'Orso at ARIZ (1/25/25)
last by Julian Hammond III at ARIZ (1/25/25)	
3 PT FG ATT 8Andrej Jakimovski vs. CSU (12/7/24)	5Jaron Rillie vs. UNC (11/8/24)
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	last by Gabe Madsen at UU (2/5/25)
last by Andrej Jakimovski at KU (2/11/25)	3 PT FG ATT 10Javon Small vs. WVU (1/12/25)
3 PT FG %800 (4-5) Andrej Jakimovski at UCF (1/8/25)	
	95 times
	last by LJ Cryer vs. UH (2/8/25)
	3 PT FG % 1.000 (3-3) David Punch at TCU (2/2/25)
714 (5-7) Julian Hammond III vs. UH (2/8/25)	
FT MADE10	
8Julian Hammond vs. WVU (1/12/25)	750 (3-4) Kalen Garry vs. SDSU (12/13/24)
8	750 (3-4) Hassan Diarra vs. CONN (11/26/24)
8Julian Hammond III vs. UNC (11/8/24)	FT MADE 10Javon Small vs. WVU (1/12/25)
FT ATTEMPTS 12Elijah Malone vs. UNC (11/8/24)	9Basheer Jihad vs. ASU (1/28/25)
10Julian Hammond III vs. UNC (11/8/24)	8 Curtis Jones vs. ISU (12/30/24)
9Julian Hammond III at UCF (1/8/25)	76 times
9Trevor Baskin vs. UNC (11/8/24)	last by Momcilovic, Jackson at ISU (2/18/25)
FT %1.000 (8-8) Julian Hammond vs. WVU (1/12/25)	FT ATTEMPTS 12Javon Small vs. WVU (1/12/25)
1.000 (6-6) Julian Hammond vs. UCF (2/15/25)	Basheer Jihad vs. ASU (1/28/25)
1.000 (6-6) Assane Diop vs. WVU (1/12/25)	Dishon Jackson at ISU (2/18/25)
	10Lawson Lovering at UU (2/5/25)
	FT %
REBOUNDS 12Bangot Dak at TCU (2/2/25)	
11Trevor Baskin vs. CSU (12/7/24)	
	1.000 (5-5) Jalen Lake vs. CSU (12/7/24)
ASSISTS	1.000 (5-5) Isaiah Hawthorne vs. UNC (11/8/24)   REBOUNDS 15 Tobe Awaka at ARIZ (1/25/25)
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7Trevor Baskin vs. UP (12/2/24)	
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last by Hammond, Diop at UCF (1/8/25)	ASSISTS 74 times
STEALS 4 Trevor Baskin vs. ASU (1/28/25)	last by Egor Demin vs. BYU (1/21/25)
	STEALS 8 Joshua Jefferson vs. ISU (12/30/24)
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	9 times
BLOCKS 8	last by Dallan Coleman vs. UCF (2/15/25)
4Bangot Dak vs. UP (12/2/24)	BLOCKS 5 Moustapha Thiam vs. UCF (2/15/25)
HÙ (11/17/24)	34 times
35 times	last by Terrance Arceneaux vs. UH (2/8/25)
last by Bangot Dak at UU (2/5/25)	TURNOVERS 6Keshon Gilbert at ISU (2/18/25)
TURNOVERS 6RJ Smith at UCF (1/8/25)	Basheer Jihad vs. ASU (1/28/25)
54 times	
last by Julian Hammond III at UCF (1/8/25)	54 times
FOULS 54 times	last by Basheer Jihad at ASU (1/4/25)
last by Sebastian Rancik at ISU (2/18/25)	FOULS510 times
	last by Dishon Jackson at ISU (2/18/25)

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	90 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)	POINTS
	88 vs. Harvard (11/17/24)	vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)
	30vs. Cal State Fullerton (11/13/24)	FG MADE
	29 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)	
	29 vs. Harvard (11/17/24)	FG ATTEMPTS 74 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)
	66 at Arizona State (1/4/25) 62 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)	
	566 (30-53) vs. Cal State Fullerton (11/13/24)	585 (31-53) vs. BYU (1/21/25)
	522 (24-46) at UCF (1/8/25)	3-PT FG MADE 13 at Arizona State (1/4/25)
	12 vs. Cal State Fullerton (11/13/24)	
	9 7 times (last vs. Houston, 2/8/25)	3 PT FG ATT36vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)
3 PT FG ATT	27 at Utah (2/5/25)	
	27 vs. Cal State Fullerton (11/13/24)	3 PT FG %
	563 (9-16) vs. UConn (11/26/24)	
ET MADE	538 (7-13) at UCF (1/8/25) 31vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)	
I I WADE	24vs. West Virginia (1/12/25)	
FT ATTEMPTS	41 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)	FT ATTEMPTS42 at Oklahoma State (1/18/25)
	30 vs. West Virginia (1/12/25)	at Utah (2/5/25)
FT %	947 (18-19) vs. South Dakota State (12/13/24)	FT %1.000 (8-8) vs. Colorado State (12/7/24)
	944 (17-18) vs. Iowa State (11/27/24)	
	52 vs. UCF (2/15/25)	REBOUNDS42vs. Michigan State (11/25/24)41vs. Pacific (12/2/24)
	45 vs. Northern Colorado (11/8/24)	ASSISTS 20 at Arizona (1/25/25)
	45 vs. Eastern Washington (11/4/24)	
	22vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24) 22vs. Cal State Fullerton (11/13/24)	STEALS 14 vs. Eastern Washington (11/4/24)
	15 vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)	vs. lowa State (12/30/24)
1	12 3 times (last at Oklahoma St., 1/18/25)	vs. lowa State (11/27/24)
	9 vs. Cincinnati (1/15/25)	BLOCKED SHOTS at Arizona (1/25/25)
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	7 vs. Pacific (12/2/24)	7 at Arizona State (1/4/25) TURNOVERS
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COLORADO - GAME	<b>= LOWS</b> 56vs. Michigan State (11/25/24)	OPPONENT - GAME LOWS
	30 vs. Michigan State (11/23/24)	
		POINTS
	57 at TCU (2/2/25)	vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)
FG MADE	57 at TCU (2/2/25) 19 vs. Houston (2/8/25)	55vs. Bellarmine (12/21/24)55vs. Colorado State (12/7/24)
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3 Julian Hammond III 6-2, 195, Sr., G Denver, Colo.



**5 RJ Smith** 6-3, 190, So., G Chino, Calif.



**6 Trevor Baskin** 6-9, 205, Gr., F Arvada, Colo.



**7 Sebastian Rancik**6-9, 210, Fr., F
Bratislava, Slovakia



8 Bangot Dak 6-11, 185, So., F Lincoln, Neb.



**11 Javon Ruffin** 6-5, 185, Jr., G New Orleans, La.



13 Courtney Anderson, Jr. 6-5, 192, Fr., G Vallejo, Calif.



15 Felix Kossaras 6-5, 192, Fr., G Montreal, Quebec



Jakimovski 6-8, 220, Gr., TR Kriva Palanka, North Macedonia



**30 Greg Gerhardt** 6-10, 215, So., F Superior, Colo.



**31 Harrison Carrington** 6-7, 207, So., G/F Menlo Park, Calif.



**34 Jack Pease** 6-0, 185, Jr., G Dallas, Texas



**35 Assane Diop** 6-8, 210, So., F Dakar, Senegal



**40 Grady Whitt** 6-3, 170, Fr., G Raleigh, N.C.



**41 Nick Randall** 6-8, 185, Fr., F Fort Collins, Colo.



42 Andrew Crawford 6-6, 180, Fr., G Littleton, Colo.



**50 Elijah Malone** 6-10, 268, Gr., C LaGrange, Ind.



Tad Boyle Head Coach 15th Season



Mike Rohn Associate Head Coach 15th Season



**Bill Grier**Assistant Coach
Ninth Season



Danny Manning Assistant Coach First Season



Zach Ruebesam Assistant Coach Fourth Season



Evan Battey Assistant Coach First Season



**Bill Cartun**Director of Operations
15th Season