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Richmond, Ky. Subregional ■ Alumni Coliseum
UC Irvine vs. Eastern Kentucky ■ November 24

Players to Watch



Eric Wise

So. ■ F
6-5 ■ 235
14.0 ppg
6.0 rpg

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Led the Anteaters in scoring last year (14.0 ppg) and was the squad's second-leading rebounder (6.0 rpg)...his father, Francois Wise, was an All-American at Long Beach State in 1980 and is the 49ers' career leader in rebounds...Eric's uncle, Willie Wise, was a stand-out in the ABA in the 1970s with the Los Angeles (later Utah) Stars and the Virginia Squires...he also played a year and a half in the NBA after the merger between the two leagues.



Justin Stommes

Jr. ■ G/F
6-7 ■ 200
10.1 ppg
3.3 rpg

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Made an appearance in 29 games with 27 starts a year ago...led the team in free throw shooting (82 percent) while finishing fourth in the Ohio Valley Conference in three-point shooting (41.9 percent)...posted a team-high 19 dunks...reached double figures in scoring five times in the final seven games while shooting 49 percent from the floor.

UC IRVINE ANTEATERS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.	Hometown (Previous School)
0	Derick Flowers	G	6-0	175	Fr.	Los Angeles, Calif. (Pacific Hills)
1	Darren Moore	G	6-3	185	Jr.	Chino Hills, Calif. (Citrus Coll.)
2	Rashaad Ubah	F	6-6	210	So.	Riverside, Calif. (King)
3	Derrick Strings	G	6-2	180	So.	Pasadena, Calif. (Leuzinger)
4	Zack Atkinson	C	6-9	220	Sr.	Bishopville, S.C. (Feather River Coll.)
5	Michael Hunter	G	5-10	160	Sr.	Aurora, Colo. (Maine Central Institute)
10	Patrick Rembert	G	6-0	185	Jr.	Long Beach, Calif. (Lakewood)
11	Brandon Scott	G	6-2	180	Fr.	Los Altos Hills, Calif. (Archbishop Mitty)
20	Adam Folker	F	6-8	220	So.	Markham, Ont. (Markham District)
22	Jonas Lalehzadeh	G	6-5	203	So.	Irvine, Calif. (University)
23	Mike Wilder	G	6-2	205	Fr.	Long Beach, Calif. (Wilson)
25	Emil Kim	G	6-4	200	Jr.	Santa Ana, Calif. (Cal State East Bay)
32	Pavol Lososky	F	6-8	235	Jr.	Pezinok, Slovakia (Butte Coll.)
34	Eric Wise	F	6-5	235	So.	Riverside, Calif. (King)
42	Peter Simek	C	6-9	245	Jr.	Bratislava, Slovakia (Butte Coll.)

Head Coach – Pat Douglass (13th season)

Assistant Coaches – Doug Oliver, Ross Land and Ryan Badrtalei

About UC Irvine – Two all-conference honorees lead seven returning players for 13th-year head coach Pat Douglass, the winningest coach in UCI history with 183 victories...Eric Wise led the Anteaters in scoring as a freshman last season in being named to the All-Big West Conference second- and freshman-teams... Michael Hunter averaged 11.9 points and was an All-Big West honorable mention selection last season.

EASTERN KENTUCKY COLONELS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.	Hometown (Previous School)
1	Willie Cruz	G	6-4	203	Fr.	Rochester, N.Y. (L'Anse Creuse [Mich.])
3	Robin Mestdagh	G	6-4	192	Sr.	Ieper, Belgium (Sint-Vincentius College)
4	Antonio Gilkey	G	6-0	168	Jr.	Louisville, Ky. (Indiana University Southeast)
5	Joshua Jones	G	6-4	185	So.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Warren Central)
10	Mike Lewis	G	5-7	140	So.	Upper Marlboro, Md. (Charis Prep [N.C.])
11	Papa Oppong	G	6-4	180	Sr.	Toronto, Ont. (Panola J.C. [Texas])
21	Cordaro Ellis	F	6-8	231	So.	Lynchburg, Va. (E.C. Glass)
22	Josh Daniel	G	6-5	200	Jr.	Charleston, W.Va. (South Charleston)
23	Dayvon Ellis	G	6-0	178	Sr.	Elgin, Ill. (Kaskaskia J.C.)
24	Josh Taylor	F	6-6	245	Sr.	Pittsburgh, Pa. (Brentwood)
31	Justin Stommes	G/F	6-7	200	Jr.	Cold Spring, Minn. (Rocori)
32	Spencer Perrin	F	6-5	185	Jr.	Danville, Ky. (Lake Land College [Ill.])

Head Coach – Jeff Neubauer (fifth season)

Assistant Coaches – Ted Hotaling, Everick Sullivan and Josh Merkel

About Eastern Kentucky – EKU has been a model of consistency during the last four years under head coach Jeff Neubauer, winning at least 10 OVC games every year...last year, EKU made its presence felt in the national stats as the Colonels ranked among the nation's top 10 in three-point shooting (40.1 percent), three-pointers made per game (10.3), assist-to-turnover ratio (1.45), and fewest turnovers per game (10.9).