

2010 COLLEGE BASKETBALL INVITATIONAL

FIRST ROUND

MARCH 16 & 17

QUARTERFINALS

MARCH 22



SEMIFINALS

MARCH 24

CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES

MARCH 29 & 31, APRIL 2



GAME 7

IUPUI VS. HOFSTRA

CBI FIRST ROUND - MARCH 17, 2010 - 7 PM ET

MACK SPORTS COMPLEX - HEMPSTEAD, N.Y.

PROBABLE LINEUPS

IUPUI	POS	HOFSTRA	POS
John Ashworth	G	Charles Jenkins	G
Leroy Nobles	G	Cornelius Vines	G
Robert Glenn	F	Chaz Williams	G
Billy Pettiford	F	Miklos Szabo	F
Alex Young	F	Greg Washington	F

PLAYERS TO WATCH

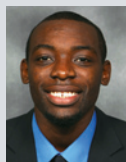


ROBERT GLENN

Sr. • F • IUPUI

Named a first-team all-conference performer by the coaches of the Summit League... enters the CBI with an overall scoring average of 19.5 ppg -

tops among the Jaguars...he also leads the team in rebounding (6.4 rpg) and blocks (45)...he was named the league's Player of the Week six different times, marking the most by a league player since the 1990-91 season...he is just the fifth player in school history to have scored 1,000 points in just two seasons and the sixth to reach that mark exclusively at the Division I level.



CHARLES JENKINS

Jr. • G • Hofstra

Tabbed Colonial Athletic Association Player of the Year... is the lone member of the Pride to average double digits with his 20.6 ppg average...he also averages 4.5 rebounds and 3.8 assists a game and leads Hofstra with 60 steals...he is one of only six players

to average at least 19 points, four rebounds, and four assists a year ago and the only one to return in 2009-10...for his career, Jenkins has 1,746 career points in 94 career games, which ranks among the top eight in school history, while his 325 career assists rank him among Hofstra's top 15.

TONIGHT'S OTHER GAMES

Duquesne vs. Princeton • 7 p.m. ET
Jadwin Gym • Princeton, N.J.

Green Bay vs. Akron • 7 p.m. ET
James A. Rhodes Arena • Akron, Ohio

Charleston vs. Eastern Kentucky • 7 p.m. ET
Alumni Coliseum • Richmond, Ky.

Colorado State vs. Morehead State • 9 p.m. ET
Ellis T. Johnson Arena • Morehead, Ky.

Boston University vs. Oregon State • 10 p.m. ET
Gill Coliseum • Corvallis, Ore.

IUPUI JAGUARS

24-10 overall, 15-3 Summit League (2nd)

NO	NAME	POS	HT	WT	CL	HOMETOWN (PREVIOUS SCHOOL)	G	MIN	PTS	REB	AST
1	Leroy Nobles	G/F	6-5	195	Jr.	Louisville, Ky. (Central)	34	32.5	13.4	4.2	1.6
2	Stephen Thomas	G	6-1	170	Jr.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Cathedral)	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
5	Alex Young	F	6-6	200	So.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Northwest)	34	31.4	18.4	4.6	1.3
11	Zach Litteral	G	6-1	175	R-Fr.	New Palestine, Ind. (New Palestine)	1	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
12	Greg Rice	G	5-11	175	Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Ben Davis)	12	13.0	3.5	1.0	1.1
13	David Mazanowski	G	6-3	190	Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Guerin Catholic)	7	1.3	0.0	0.1	0.0
15	Sean Esposito	G	6-3	180	R-Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Cathedral)	28	7.9	2.4	0.8	0.6
20	Jon Avery	F	6-7	205	Sr.	Mansfield, Ohio (Mansfield Senior)	34	24.5	8.1	4.2	1.0
23	Robert Glenn	F	6-7	200	Sr.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Ben Davis)	34	30.4	19.5	6.4	1.7
24	Nick Kitcoff	G/F	6-7	190	So.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Pike)	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
32	Anthony Williams	F	6-8	240	Jr.	Winter Haven, Fla. (Lake Region)	11	1.9	1.0	0.3	0.0
42	John Ashworth	G	6-3	195	Jr.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Franklin Central)	34	32.8	4.5	2.6	4.7
44	Nick DeSchepper	G	6-3	180	Jr.	Fishers, Ind. (Hamilton Southeastern)	9	4.8	0.8	0.4	0.7
54	Billy Pettiford	F	6-7	220	Sr.	Marion, Ind. (Marion)	34	33.1	5.7	5.9	3.8
55	Christian Siakam	F	6-7	230	So.	Cincinnati, Ohio (Harmony Community)	30	4.9	1.6	1.1	0.1

HEAD COACH - Ron Hunter (16th season), 272-204 (.571)

ASSOCIATE HEAD COACH - Todd Hunter

ASSISTANT COACHES - Matt Crenshaw, Austin Parkinson

ABOUT IUPUI - Senior Robert Glenn and sophomore Alex Young pace the Jaguars, who posted a 24-10 record in 2009-10... Glenn (19.5 ppg, 6.4 rpg) and Young (18.4 ppg, 4.6 rpg) both earned first-team All-Summit League honors, becoming IUPUI's first first-team duo since both Brandon Cole and George Hill were honored in 2005-06 and just the second tandem in school history to earn the distinction...senior Jon Avery was named the Summit's Sixth Man of the Year, coming off the bench in all 34 games to average 8.1 ppg and 4.2 rpg to go along with 38 steals.

HOW THEY GOT HERE - The Jaguars advanced to the finals of the Summit League tournament for the fifth time in 10 years as league members, falling to Oakland in the title game...IUPUI has reached the Summit semifinals nine times in 10 years... IUPUI finished 15-3 in league play...this is the Jaguars' first postseason trip since the 2003 NCAA Tournament.

HOFSTRA PRIDE

19-14 overall, 10-8 Colonial Athletic Association (7th)

NO	NAME	POS	HT	WT	CL	HOMETOWN (PREVIOUS SCHOOL)	G	MIN	PTS	REB	AST
1	Nathaniel Lester	G	6-5	200	Jr.	Brooklyn, N.Y. (Canarsie)	33	25.0	8.0	4.9	0.8
2	Miklos Szabo	F	6-9	250	Sr.	Szeghalom, Hungary (Broward)	33	18.5	6.7	4.7	0.3
3	Brad Kelleher	G	6-0	185	Jr.	Victoria, Australia (Midland)	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
5	Chaz Williams	G	5-9	170	Fr.	Brooklyn, N.Y. (Bishop Ford)	32	31.9	9.8	4.3	4.3
11	David Imes	F	6-7	230	Fr.	Brooklyn, N.Y. (Winchendon)	20	5.7	1.2	1.1	0.1
12	Paul Bilbo	F	6-8	230	Fr.	Oyster Bay, N.Y. (St. Dominic)	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
15	Halil Kanacevic	F	6-8	245	Fr.	Staten Island, N.Y. (Curtis)	33	26.6	8.5	7.6	1.2
20	Yves Jules	G	6-2	180	Fr.	Brooklyn, N.Y. (Winchendon)	28	8.6	1.8	0.7	0.4
22	Charles Jenkins	G	6-3	220	Jr.	Queens, N.Y. (Springfield Gardens)	33	36.2	20.6	4.5	3.8
23	Cornelius Vines	G	6-2	190	Sr.	Syracuse, N.Y. (Iowa Lakes)	32	28.8	8.4	3.4	2.4
31	Mike Moore	G	6-5	195	Jr.	New Haven, Conn. (Fordham)	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
32	Greg Washington	F	6-10	215	Jr.	Centereach, N.Y. (Winchendon)	33	25.0	6.6	6.2	0.8
35	Matt Grogan	G	6-5	195	Fr.	Middle Village, N.Y. (Lawrenceville)	13	3.7	0.5	0.2	0.0

HEAD COACH - Tom Pecora (ninth season), 155-125 (.553)

ASSOCIATE HEAD COACH - Van Macon

ASSISTANT COACHES - David Duke, Michael Kelly

ABOUT HOFSTRA - Over the last six years, Hofstra has more wins (121) than any other New York City area program...the Pride posted a 19-14 record in 2009-10 and one more win will give them 20 wins for the fifth time in the last six seasons... junior guard Charles Jenkins leads the Pride...the Colonial Athletic Association's Player of the Year averages a team-high 20.6 ppg...he also posts 4.5 rebounds and 3.8 assists an outing to go with a team-high 60 steals...freshman Halil Kanacevic leads Hofstra with a 7.6 rpg while tallying 8.5 points a game...Kanacevic and junior Greg Washington combine for 153 blocks on the season.

HOW THEY GOT HERE - Hofstra went 10-8 in the CAA this season and advanced to the quarterfinals of the CAA tournament, earning a one-point win over Georgia State before losing a double-overtime decision to Northeastern...the Pride are making their first postseason appearance since back-to-back NIT berths in 2005, 2006, and 2007.

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ABOUT THE CBI

The College Basketball Invitational (CBI) provides a meaningful opportunity for teams that deserve a postseason experience. Sixteen teams compete in this three-year-old postseason event, hosted at on-campus arenas throughout the country.

The CBI is a single-elimination tournament up until the Championship Series, with all games played at campus sites. The Championship Series is a best-of-three series.

The event features eight first-round games, four quarterfinal round games, a semifinal round, and then the Championship Series.

The goal of the brackets is to create a competitive balance within each bracket and to minimize missed class time. The final process takes place after the NCAA Tournament field is announced.

The 16-team field consists of teams not selected for the NCAA Tournament. Teams are invited based upon performance during their conference and non-conference schedules, as well as how well the team is playing at the end of the regular season.

The College Basketball Invitational is produced by The Gazelle Group in Princeton, N.J. The Gazelle Group is a sports marketing firm specializing in event production and management, client representation, and sponsorship consulting. For more information, visit gazellegroup.com.

2010 CBI TOURNAMENT NOTES

Third Annual CBI – The third annual College Basketball Invitational tips off on March 16 with a pair of Opening Round games, with six additional Opening Round games being played on March 17. The Quarterfinals commence on Monday, March 22, followed by Semifinal Round action on Wednesday, March 24.

The unique quality of the CBI is it's best-of-three Championship Round, which will be held March 29, March 31, and April 2. The highest remaining seed would host two games should a third game be necessary. In each of the first two CBIs, the Championship Round went the full three games.

Believe It...Or Not – The CBI had the most competitive games during the 2009 postseason:

- 6.6 – average margin of victory in CBI
- 9.2 – average margin of victory in NIT
- 13.3 – average margin of victory in NCAA

Did You Know – Tulsa (2008) and Oregon State (2009) won the first two College Basketball Invationals. Both series went the distance as Tulsa won Games 1 and 3 against Bradley in 2008 and Oregon State did the same in 2009 against UTEP.

Fantastic – 172,474 fans attended games at the first two CBI Tournaments. In both years, the final two games of the Championship Series were played before sellout crowds of 9,014 at Bradley (2008), 8,455 at Tulsa (2008), and 12,000 at UTEP (2009).

Conference Call – The 2010 CBI includes teams from 12 different conferences. Three conferences - Atlantic 10 (3), Colonial Athletic (2), and Ohio Valley (2) - received multiple bids. The other nine conferences represented

are: America East, Horizon, Ivy, Mid-American, Missouri Valley, Mountain West, Pac-10, Southern, and Summit.

Manning Up – If you want defense, you have come to the right place. The 2010 CBI will feature no less than five players who were named their league's Defensive Player of the Year. Charleston's Jeremy Simmons (co-Defensive Player) (Southern), Duquesne's Damian Saunders (Atlantic 10), Morehead State's Kenneth Faried (Ohio Valley), Oregon State's Seth Tarver (Pac-10), and VCU's Larry Sanders (CAA) all garnered the award.

In addition to being named Defensive Player of the Year, Faried was named the Ohio Valley Conference's Player of the Year. Hofstra's Charles Jenkins enters the CBI as the Player of the Year in the Colonial Athletic Association. Alex Young of IUPUI was the Sixth Man of the Year in the Summit League.

In all, 25 players in this year's CBI earned all-conference honors, including 11 first-team selections.

Welcome Back – Three teams that participated in the 2009 CBI return in 2010. Green Bay dropped its opener a year ago, falling to Vermont, 76-72; Charleston was victorious in its first game with a 93-91 win at Troy before falling at Richmond, 74-72; and Oregon State won the 2009 CBI with wins over Houston (49-45), Vermont (71-70, OT), and Stanford (65-62, OT) to advance to the Championship Series. There, the Beavers won Games 1 and 3 to earn the CBI title.

Win, Baby, Win – Nine teams in this year's CBI field won at least 20 games in 2009-10. Akron and IUPUI lead the way with 24 victories apiece. They are joined by Morehead State (23) VCU (22), Charleston (21), Green Bay (21), Eastern Kentucky (20), Princeton (20), and Saint Louis (20).

2010 CBI TOURNAMENT BRACKET



WHERE TO WATCH THE CBI

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HDNet TELEVISION SCHEDULE

(all times Eastern)

March 16

VCU vs. George Washington – 7 p.m.
Indiana State vs. Saint Louis – 9 p.m.

March 17

Duquesne vs. Princeton – 7 p.m.
Colorado State vs. Morehead State – 9 p.m.

March 22

Quarterfinal – TBD
Quarterfinal – TBD

March 24

Semifinal – TBD
Semifinal – TBD

March 29

Championship Series, Game 1 – TBD

March 31

Championship Series, Game 2 – TBD

April 2 (if necessary)

Championship Series, Game 3 – TBD