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# GAME 14

## BOISE STATE VS. OREGON

**CBI SEMIFINALS - MARCH 23, 2011 - 7 PM PT**  
**MATT ARENA - EUGENE, ORE.**

### PROBABLE LINEUPS

BOISE STATE	POS	OREGON	POS
La'Shard Anderson	G	Garrett Sim	G
Jeff Elorriaga	G	Malcolm Armstead	G
Robert Arnold	F	E.J. Singler	F
Daequon Montreal	F	Tyrone Nared	F
Ryan Watkins	F	Joevan Catron	F

### PLAYERS TO WATCH



#### LA'SHARD ANDERSON Sr. • G • Boise State

Completed the regular-season as the WAC leader in steals (2.4 spg)...also ranked second in assists (4.8 apg) and fifth in scoring (15.5 ppg)...garnered

two WAC Player of the Week honors this season, and was named first-team All-WAC, WAC All-Defensive, and WAC All-Tournament...became Boise State's all-time single-season leader in assists this season, and also climbed into the top four on the Broncos' single-season steals list...ranks second all-time in career steals and fifth on the career assists list...is the 21st player in school history to reach 1,000 for his career.



#### JOEVAN CATRON Sr. • F • Oregon

Second-team Pac-10 All-Conference...has led the team in scoring 18 times this season (21 times in his career)...also led the team in rebounding 18 times this

season (44 times in his career)...has a team-best 15.2 ppg average...has scored in double figures in 24 of the 33 games he played in this season...of his 10 career 20-point games, nine have come this season.

### TONIGHT'S OTHER GAMES

**UCF @ Creighton • 8 p.m. ET on HDNet**  
**Qwest Center Omaha • Omaha, Neb.**

UCF reached this evening's semifinal round match by defeating Rhode Island at home on Monday, 66-54. The win improved the Knights' record to 15-0 against non-conference competition. At 21-11 overall, UCF has reached the 20-win plateau for the sixth time since joining the Division I ranks in 1984.

Creighton set a CBI presented by Zebra Pen record in posting a 102-92 win over Davidson on Monday. The Bluejays' scoring output topped the previous record of 96 points, which was reached three times before, last by Boston University at Oregon State in last year's opening round. With a 21-14 mark, Creighton has won 20 or more games 12 of the last 13 years.

Tonight marks the first-ever meeting between UCF and Creighton.

The winner of this evening's game will meet either Boise State or Oregon in the best-of-three championship series that begins on Monday.

### BOISE STATE BRONCOS

22-12 overall, 10-6 Western Athletic Conference (2nd)

NO	NAME	POS	HT	WT	CL	HOMETOWN (PREVIOUS SCHOOL)	G	MIN	PTS	REB	AST
1	Robert Arnold	F	6-6	176	R-Sr.	Lancaster, Calif. (Antelope Valley Coll.)	34	26.5	12	4.4	0.85
2	Daequon Montreal	F	6-8	230	Sr.	Syracuse, N.Y. (Coll. of Southern Idaho)	34	26.3	10.5	5.2	0.88
3	G.A. Hill	G	5-9	150	R-Fr.	Aransas Pass, Texas (Aransas Pass)	6	1.7	0	0.2	0.33
4	Justin Salzwedel	G	6-2	182	R-Sr.	Phoenix, Ariz. (Phoenix Coll.)	10	3.3	0.6	0.3	0.00
10	Tre Nichols	G	5-11	168	Jr.	Killeen, Texas (Texas State Univ.)	27	11.1	3.6	0.7	0.74
11	Jeff Elorriaga	G	6-2	180	Fr.	Portland Ore. (Jesuit)	29	17.7	3.4	1.4	1.03
12	La'Shard Anderson	G	6-1	170	Sr.	San Diego, Calif. (Irvine Valley Coll.)	34	32.4	15.2	3.2	4.82
13	Isaac Oeltjen	F	7-0	224	Fr.	Welch, Minn. (Red Wing)	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
15	Thomas Bropleh	F	6-5	203	Fr.	Denver, Colo. (New Hampton Prep)	33	12.2	3.7	2.4	0.45
20	Sean Imadiji	F	6-7	215	R-Sr.	Chandler, Ariz. (Univ. of New Mexico)	27	7.6	2.1	1.6	0.26
22	Drew Wiley	G	6-7	215	Jr.	McKenzie River, Ore. (Univ. of Oregon)	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
23	Ryan Watkins	F	6-8	247	Fr.	Canyon County, Calif. (Reseda)	34	14.1	5.9	3.5	0.38
25	Paul Noonan	F	6-7	210	R-Sr.	Beaverton, Ore. (Beaverton)	34	28.7	10	3.3	1.71
30	Westly Perryman	G	6-1	180	R-Jr.	Boston, Mass. (Monroe Coll.)	34	23.2	6.2	2.5	1.71
32	Zach Moritz	C	6-10	239	R-Sr.	Vancouver, Wash. (Columbia River)	32	10.2	3.3	2.1	0.38
42	Sam Hicks	F	6-9	248	R-Fr.	Redding, Calif. (Liberty Christian)	7	2	1.3	0.1	0.14

**Head Coach** – Leon Rice

**Associate Head Coach** – Dave Wojcik

**Assistant Coaches** – Jeff Linder, Shaun Vandiver

**ABOUT BOISE STATE** – The Broncos won each of their final seven regular-season games...only eight teams completed their regular-season with a longer winning streak...Boise State ended the regular-season ranked second in the nation in turnover margin, forcing 5.4 more turnovers per game than committing...the Broncos have won 20 or more games for just the ninth time since becoming a four-year institution prior to the 1968-69 season...in posting 21 wins, Boise State is 9-7 on the road, tied for the sixth-best regular-season mark nationally among teams that had played at least 16 road games through March 7...first-year head coach Leon Rice currently owns the best winning percentage (22-12, .647) for a first-year head coach in school history...since Boise State joined the WAC prior to the 2001-02 season, the league has seen 19 first-year head coaches, and only four have posted a higher winning percentage than Rice.

### OREGON DUCKS

18-17 overall, 7-11 in Pacific-10 Conference (T-7th)

NO	NAME	POS	HT	WT	CL	HOMETOWN (PREVIOUS SCHOOL)	G	MIN	PTS	REB	AST
1	Nicholas Fearn	G	6-1	188	Jr.	Seattle, Wash. (Seattle Prep)	26	4.5	0.2	1	0.2
2	Matt Losli	G	6-4	185	So.	Tualatin, Ore. (Tualatin)	12	2.2	0.3	0.5	0.2
3	Garrett Sim	G	6-1	181	Jr.	Portland, Ore. (Sunset)	35	26	8.2	2.4	1.9
4	Nicholas Lucenti	G	6-3	212	Fr.	Los Angeles, Calif. (Loyola)	4	1.8	0.3	0	0.0
10	Johnathan Loyd	G	5-8	160	Fr.	Las Vegas, Nev. (Bishop Gorman)	35	18.9	4.6	1.9	2.1
11	Malcolm Armstead	G	6-0	195	Jr.	Florence, Ala. (Chipola Coll.)	34	27.5	8.5	2.9	4.4
12	Martin Seiferth	C	6-10	223	Fr.	Berlin, Germany (VfB Hermsdorf)	11	4.5	0.7	0.8	0.2
15	John Elorriaga	G	6-2	205	Jr.	Portland, Ore. (Jesuit)	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
22	Teondre Williams	G	6-4	218	Jr.	Atlanta, Ga. (Meadowcreek)	33	15.8	4.7	1.9	0.6
23	Jeremy Jacob	F	6-8	226	Jr.	Baton Rouge, La. (Chipola Coll.)	17	14.6	6.2	3.5	0.5
25	E.J. Singler	F	6-6	210	So.	Medford, Ore. (South Medford)	35	30.4	11.5	5.7	1.7
31	Tyrone Nared	F	6-8	210	Jr.	Woonsocket, R.I. (Monroe Coll.)	35	19.5	5.2	3.9	0.3
34	Joevan Catron	F	6-6	245	R-Sr.	Phoenix, IL. (Thornton Township)	33	27.5	15.2	6.5	1.5
55	Jay-R Strowbridge	G	5-10	180	Sr.	Huntsville, Ala. (Jacksonville State)	35	25.6	9.6	2.4	1.0

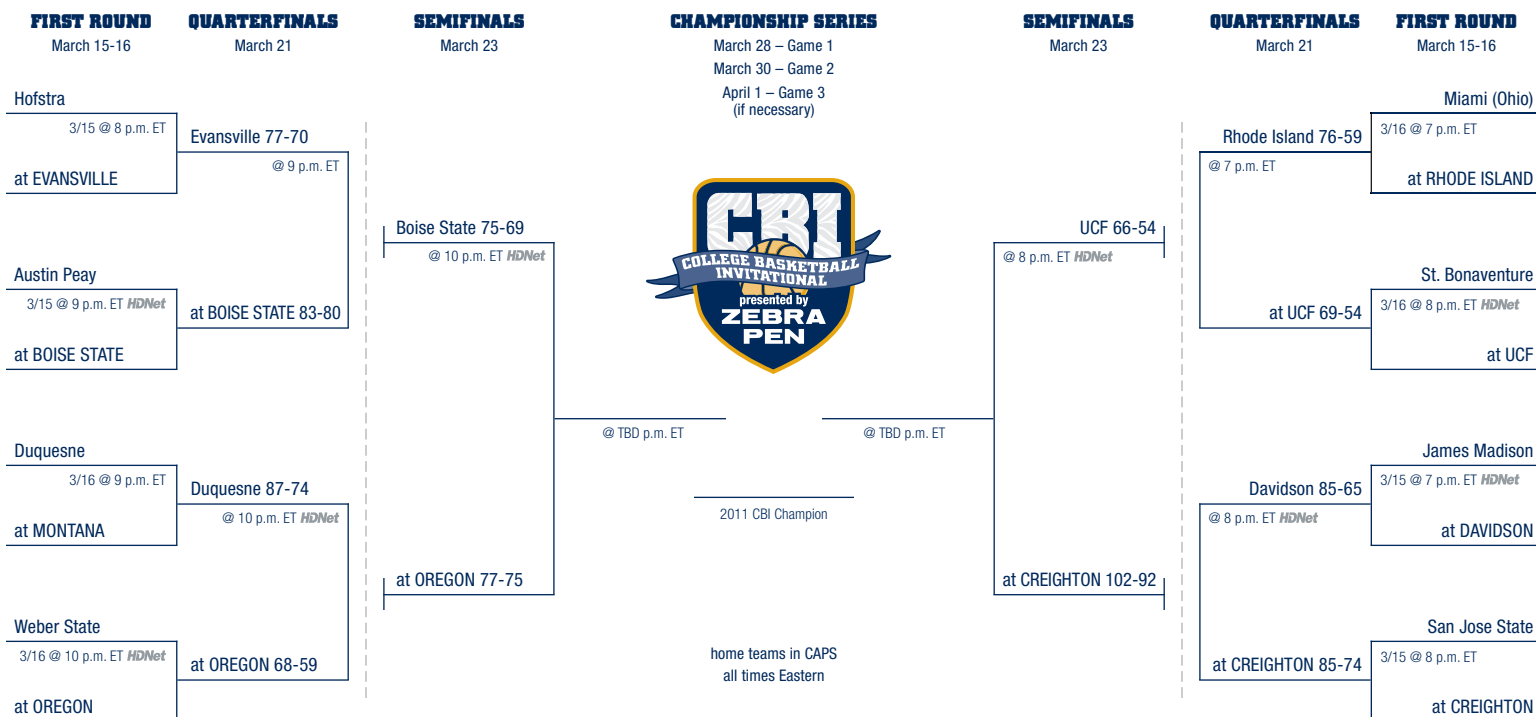
**Head Coach** – Dana Altman

**Assistant Coaches** – Kevin McKenna, Brian Fish, Tony Stubblefield

**ABOUT OREGON** – The Ducks are making their first postseason appearance since the 2007-08 season...this year saw Oregon set a school record for steals, registering 288 on the year to pass the previous mark of 263 held by the 2002-03 UO squad...Oregon is 18-17...senior forward Joevan Catron was named second-team Pac-10 all-conference and was also named to the NABC Division I All-District 20 second-team...he is the first Oregon player to receive all-league recognition since the 2007-08 season...sophomore forward E.J. Singler was named to the 2011 Pacific Life Pac-10 Conference all-tournament team, where he averaged 18.7 points and 5.0 rebounds in three games and a semifinal appearance.

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# 2011 CBI PRESENTED BY ZEBRA PEN TOURNAMENT BRACKET



## ABOUT THE CBI presented by ZEBRA PEN

The College Basketball Invitational presented by Zebra Pen provides a meaningful opportunity for teams that deserve a postseason experience. Sixteen teams compete in this four-year-old postseason event, hosted at on-campus arenas throughout the country.

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

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## 2011 TOURNAMENT NOTES

### Fourth Annual CBI presented by Zebra Pen

The fourth annual CBI presented by Zebra Pen began on March 15 with four Opening Round games, with four additional Opening Round games played on March 16. The Quarterfinals were played on March 21, followed by Semifinal Round action this evening.

The unique quality of the CBI presented by Zebra Pen is its best-of-three Championship Series, which will be held March 28, March 30, and April 1. One team will host two games should a third game be necessary.

### Breeding Success

Six participants in the 2010 CBI presented by Zebra Pen earned berths in the 2011 NCAA Tournament: Akron, Boston University, Indiana State, Morehead State, Princeton, and VCU. Below is a look at how other postseason tournaments fed into this year's NCAA Tournament:

CBI - 6 of 16 (38%)  
NIT - 7 of 32 (22%)  
CIT - 1 of 16 (6%)

### History Made

History was made in the Opening Round of the CBI presented by Zebra Pen. Rhode Island's Delroy James became the first player in URI history to record a triple-double when he went for 22 points, 11 rebounds, and a career-high 10 assists in the Rams' 76-59 win over Miami (Ohio) on Wednesday. The win was URI's 20th of the year, giving the current senior class - James, Marquis Jones, Ben Eaves, Will Martell - a school record 90 career wins... Hofstra's Charles Jenkins scored 14 points in the Pride's 77-70 loss at Evansville on Tuesday to become just the 62nd player in NCAA history to score

2,500 career points. He ends his career with 2,513 career points... UCF's 69-54 win over St. Bonaventure on Wednesday marked the first ever Division I postseason win for the Knights... Creighton and Davidson played a record-setting game in the Quarterfinal Round. The Bluejays and Wildcats combined to score 194 points to establish a CBI standard in a 102-92 Bluejays' win. Creighton's 102 points set a CBI presented by Zebra Pen record.

### Believe it...or Not

Games in the CBI presented by Zebra Pen have been the most competitive of the postseason (average margin of victory):

	NCAA	NIT	CBI
2010	10.6 points	8.7 points	9.0 points
2009	12.7 points	9.0 points	6.6 points
2008	13.8 points	12.7 points	7.1 points

### Did You Know...

Tulsa (2008) and Oregon State (2009) won the first two CBIs. 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. Last year, VCU became the first team to need only two games to win the CBI crown.

### Fantastic

213,587 fans attended games at the first three CBIs.

### Conference Call

The 2011 CBI presented by Zebra Pen includes teams from 10 different conferences. They are: Atlantic 10 (3), Big Sky (2), Colonial Athletic (2), Missouri Valley (2), Western Athletic (2), Conference USA, Mid-American, Ohio Valley, Pac-10, and Southern.

## HDNet TELEVISION SCHEDULE (all times Eastern)

### March 15

James Madison at Davidson – 7 p.m.  
Austin Peay at Boise State – 9 p.m.

### March 16

St. Bonaventure at UCF – 8 p.m.  
Weber State at Oregon – 10 p.m.

### March 21

Davidson at Creighton – 8 p.m.  
Duquesne at Oregon – 10 p.m.

### March 23

UCF at Creighton – 8 p.m.  
Boise State at Oregon – 10 p.m.

### March 28

Championship Series, Game 1 – TBD

### March 30

Championship Series, Game 2 – TBD

### April 1 (if necessary)

Championship Series, Game 3 – TBD