

GEORGIA STATE BASKETBALL

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REVIEW



# 2009-10 BASKETBALL SEASON STATS



## Georgia State Combined Team Statistics (as of Mar 12, 2010) All games

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	15-15	9-7	6-7	0-1
CONFERENCE	6-12	4-5	2-7	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	9-3	5-2	4-0	0-1

#	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds				pf	dq	a	to	blk	stl	pts	avg		
					fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fa	ft%	off	def	tot	avg										
42	McKeller, Danyell	27-27	940	34.8	196-484	.405	0-2	.000	87-131	.664	54	108	162	6.0	68	1	29	86	9	70	479	17.7		
12	Harris, Chan	6-6	154	25.7	25-43	.581	0-0	.000	16-27	.593	21	16	37	6.2	16	0	5	19	8	7	66	11.0		
02	Burtts, Angelique	30-30	922	30.7	127-329	.386	15-70	.214	38-63	.603	50	87	137	4.6	90	4	81	97	15	57	307	10.2		
44	Williams, Jylisa	11-2	249	22.6	30-67	.448	0-1	.000	25-32	.781	10	21	31	2.8	28	0	20	20	1	13	85	7.7		
25	Rawls, Shay	30-24	933	31.1	85-170	.500	0-0	.000	56-87	.644	104	136	240	8.0	94	2	21	58	19	37	226	7.5		
23	Johnson, Crystal	30-29	1110	37.0	79-212	.373	3-21	.143	59-97	.608	20	70	90	3.0	73	2	161	93	4	75	220	7.3		
10	Graham, Brittany	30-29	807	26.9	56-153	.366	46-126	.365	10-13	.769	12	61	73	2.4	23	0	50	37	3	31	168	5.6		
22	Haltiwanger, Traci	25-0	370	14.8	31-114	.272	19-76	.250	8-10	.800	17	25	42	1.7	46	1	21	24	2	19	89	3.6		
30	Sumpter, Erika	22-0	197	9.0	21-35	.600	0-0	.000	10-12	.833	15	25	40	1.8	35	0	6	12	6	6	52	2.4		
33	Paulk, Cody	23-3	193	8.4	18-35	.514	0-0	.000	4-9	.444	20	18	38	1.7	24	0	3	10	21	4	40	1.7		
04	Anderson, Tiffany	19-0	116	6.1	9-27	.333	1-2	.500	8-11	.727	11	4	15	0.8	14	0	7	10	2	7	27	1.4		
32	Taylor, Jerlisa	5-0	9	1.8	2-5	.400	1-1	1.000	2-2	1.000	1	1	2	0.4	2	0	0	3	0	1	7	1.4		
Team											53	74	127											
Total.....		30	6000		679-1674	.406	85-299	.284	323-494	.654	388	646	1034	34.5	513	10	404	485	90	327	1766	58.9		
Opponents.....		30	6000		570-1508	.378	132-442	.299	387-577	.671	392	683	1075	35.8	464	-	312	607	81	212	1659	55.3		

TEAM STATISTICS	GSU	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
SCORING	1766	1659	11/14/09	at Kennesaw State	W 77-52	671
Points per game	58.9	55.3	11/22/09	FLORIDA STATE	L 53-66	614
Scoring margin	+3.6	-	11/27/09	MURRAY STATE	W 87-72	349
FIELD GOALS-ATT	679-1674	570-1508	11/28/09	TROY UNIVERSITY	W 61-45	379
Field goal pct	.406	.378	12/05/09	at Presbyterian College	W 58-44	212
3 POINT FG-ATT	85-299	132-442	12/12/09	NICHOLLS STATE	W 79-50	408
3-point FG pct	.284	.299	12/16/09	at Delaware State	W 66-42	175
3-pt FG made per game	2.8	4.4	12/18/09	at Iona College	W 64-56	245
FREE THROWS-ATT	323-494	387-577	12/22/09	GEORGIA TECH	L 50-62	557
Free throw pct	.654	.671	12/29/09	UT MARTIN	W 61-32	308
F-Throws made per game	10.8	12.9	12/30/09	MD.-EASTERN SHORE	W 76-49	257
REBOUNDS	1034	1075	* 1/3/10	UNC WILMINGTON	W 63-53	353
Rebounds per game	34.5	35.8	* 1/7/10	at James Madison	L 60-68	1863
Rebounding margin	-1.4	-	* 01/10/10	at Hofstra	L 49-58	658
ASSISTS	404	312	* 1/14/10	VCU	L 60-76	456
Assists per game	13.5	10.4	* 1/17/10	TOWSON	W 71-62	368
TURNOVERS	485	607	* 1/21/10	at Old Dominion	L 54-58	2473
Turnovers per game	16.2	20.2	* 1/24/10	JAMES MADISON	L 61-67	496
Turnover margin	+4.1	-	* 1/28/10	at George Mason	W 46-36	338
Assist/turnover ratio	0.8	0.5	* 01/31/10	at VCU	L 39-53	308
STEALS	327	212	* 2/4/10	NORTHEASTERN	L 53-61	645
Steals per game	10.9	7.1	* 2/7/10	WILLIAM & MARY	W 63-60	249
BLOCKS	90	81	* 02/12/10	at Towson	L 50-55	219
Blocks per game	3.0	2.7	* 02/14/10	at Delaware	L 65-68	3606
ATTENDANCE	6593	13509	* 2/18/10	OLD DOMINION	L 61-63	325
Home games-Avg/Game	16-412	13-879	* 02/21/10	at Northeastern	L 40-50	214
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	1-2076	* 2/25/10	DREXEL	W 60-58	391
			* 2/28/10	GEORGE MASON	L 43-47	438
			* 03/03/10	at UNCW	W 54-50	451
			3/11/10	vs Northeastern	L 42-46	2076

\* = Conference game

**Who LED The Panthers ?**

Who Led the Team in Scoring (# of Games)

• Danyzell McKeller	17
• Angelique Burttts	4
• Shay Rawls	3
• Brittany Graham	2
• Crystal Johnson	2
• Chan Harris	1
• Jylisa Williams	1

Who Led the Team in Rebounding (# of Games)

• Shay Rawls	18
• Danyzell McKeller	4
• Angelique Burttts	3
• Erika Sumpter	1
• Cody Paulk	1
• Crystal Johnson	1
• Brittany Graham	1
• Chan Harris	1

Who Led the Team in Steals (# of Games)

• Crystal Johnson	11
• Danyzell McKeller	7
• Angelique Burttts	5
• Shay Rawls	2
• Brittany Graham	2
• Erika Sumpter	2
• Traci Haltiwanger	1

Who Led the Team in Assists (# of Games)

• Crystal Johnson	22
• Angelique Burttts	5
• Brittany Graham	2
• Traci Haltiwanger	1

Assist-Turnover Plus For Season

• Crystal Johnson	161-93	+68
• Brittany Graham	50-37	+13

Four Players in Double Figures

- 2 Games

Three Players in Double Figures

- 11 Games

**DOUBLE the FUN**

**Double-Figure Scoring Games**

	This Year	Career
Danyzell McKeller	23	60
Shay Rawls	10	25
Angelique Burttts	14	16 (40 w/JUCO)
Crystal Johnson	7	17
Brittany Graham	5	10 (28 w/JUCO)
Chan Harris	4	19
Jylisa Williams	4	22
Traci Haltiwanger	3	15
Cody Paulk	2	2

**20-Point Scoring Games**

Danyzell McKeller	13	19
Angelique Burttts	2	2 (12 w/JUCO)
Chan Harris	1	2
Shay Rawls	1	1
Jylisa Williams	1	2

**Double-Figure Rebounding Games**

Shay Rawls	9	27
Angelique Burttts	2	3 (13 w/JUCO)
Danyzell McKeller	1	14
Chan Harris	1	6
Crystals Johnson	1	1

**Double-Figure Assists Games**

Crystal Johnson	3	4
Angelique Burttts	1	1

**Double-Double Games**

Shay Rawls	4	13
Chan Harris	1	6
Angelique Burttts	1	1 (11 w/JUCO)
Crystal Johnson	1	2

**Triple-Double Games**

Angelique Burttts	1	1
Crystal Johnson	1	1

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## Georgia State Team Game-by-Game (as of Mar 12, 2010) All games

### TEAM STATISTICS

Opponent	Date	Score	W/L	Total		3-Pointers		Free throws		Rebounds				pf	a	t/o	blk	stl	pts	avg
				fg-fga	pct	3fg-fga	pct	ft-fa	pct	off	def	tot	avg							
at Kennesaw State	11/14/09	77-52	W	34-60	.567	1-7	.143	8-12	.667	13	23	36	36.0	13	18	28	0	12	77	77.0
FLORIDA STATE	11/22/09	53-66	L	20-48	.417	3-8	.375	10-20	.500	10	22	32	34.0	21	13	17	2	9	53	65.0
MURRAY STATE	11/27/09	87-72	W	29-75	.387	6-23	.261	23-30	.767	21	23	44	37.3	23	24	8	3	7	87	72.3
TROY UNIVERSITY	11/28/09	61-45	W	25-55	.455	4-8	.500	7-9	.778	9	20	29	35.2	17	18	17	4	16	61	69.5
at Presbyterian College	12/05/09	58-44	W	21-48	.438	4-12	.333	12-24	.500	14	23	37	35.6	26	4	20	5	13	58	67.2
NICHOLLS STATE	12/12/09	79-50	W	30-54	.556	3-10	.300	16-22	.727	9	24	33	35.2	23	19	20	6	14	79	69.2
at Delaware State	12/16/09	66-42	W	28-49	.571	2-3	.667	8-13	.615	11	23	34	35.0	9	18	15	6	9	66	68.7
at Iona College	12/18/09	64-56	W	27-59	.458	2-10	.200	8-11	.727	8	24	32	34.6	17	15	16	1	12	64	68.1
GEORGIA TECH	12/22/09	50-62	L	21-64	.328	4-12	.333	4-6	.667	9	24	33	34.4	18	14	15	4	13	50	66.1
UT MARTIN	12/29/09	61-32	W	27-59	.458	2-6	.333	5-6	.833	16	18	34	34.4	12	16	10	10	13	61	65.6
MD.-EASTERN SHORE	12/30/09	76-49	W	22-49	.449	5-8	.625	27-40	.675	10	28	38	34.7	21	13	14	9	10	76	66.5
UNC WILMINGTON	1/3/10	63-53	W	26-60	.433	3-12	.250	8-11	.727	12	19	31	34.4	12	16	13	3	17	63	66.2
at James Madison	1/7/10	60-68	L	26-67	.388	4-5	.800	4-12	.333	14	27	41	34.9	20	19	14	2	5	60	65.8
at Hofstra	01/10/10	49-58	L	17-57	.298	3-8	.375	12-15	.800	15	12	27	34.4	20	11	18	1	10	49	64.6
VCU	1/14/10	60-76	L	24-45	.533	0-3	.000	12-18	.667	9	18	27	33.9	20	14	22	2	6	60	64.3
TOWSON	1/17/10	71-62	W	19-48	.396	2-8	.250	31-41	.756	9	29	38	34.1	24	14	19	3	10	71	64.7
at Old Dominion	1/21/10	54-58	L	20-59	.339	4-11	.364	10-18	.556	15	22	37	34.3	15	11	17	1	9	54	64.1
JAMES MADISON	1/24/10	61-67	L	21-52	.404	4-12	.333	15-25	.600	14	22	36	34.4	18	15	12	1	6	61	63.9
at George Mason	1/28/10	46-36	W	18-47	.383	1-7	.143	9-16	.563	9	27	36	34.5	11	13	17	1	9	46	62.9
at VCU	01/31/10	39-53	L	14-43	.326	2-10	.200	9-17	.529	11	18	29	34.2	18	8	28	0	17	39	61.8
NORTHEASTERN	2/4/10	53-61	L	22-64	.344	5-21	.238	4-9	.444	18	18	36	34.3	16	10	13	1	11	53	61.3
WILLIAM & MARY	2/7/10	63-60	W	26-56	.464	3-9	.333	8-13	.615	8	25	33	34.2	12	18	14	6	10	63	61.4
at Towson	02/12/10	50-55	L	18-59	.305	4-13	.308	10-18	.556	20	22	42	34.6	23	14	14	2	13	50	60.9
at Delaware	02/14/10	65-68	L	27-71	.380	3-8	.375	8-11	.727	20	20	40	34.8	14	15	12	1	9	65	61.1
OLD DOMINION	2/18/10	61-63	L	22-56	.393	2-10	.200	15-24	.625	16	19	35	34.8	14	10	14	3	12	61	61.1
at Northeastern	02/21/10	40-50	L	16-55	.291	1-15	.067	7-8	.875	15	19	34	34.8	16	6	11	4	9	40	60.3
DREXEL	2/25/10	60-58	W	23-47	.489	4-14	.286	10-13	.769	11	20	31	34.6	17	14	20	2	5	60	60.3
GEORGE MASON	2/28/10	43-47	L	18-49	.367	0-5	.000	7-10	.700	13	20	33	34.6	16	8	20	3	14	43	59.6
at UNCW	03/03/10	54-50	W	20-55	.364	3-13	.231	11-17	.647	16	20	36	34.6	15	7	14	3	11	54	59.4
vs Northeastern	3/11/10	42-46	L	18-64	.281	1-8	.125	5-5	1.000	13	17	30	34.5	12	9	13	1	16	42	58.9
Georgia State		1766		679-1674	.406	85-299	.284	323-494	.654	388	646	1034	34.5	513	404	485	90	327	1766	58.9
Opponents		1659		570-1508	.378	132-442	.299	387-577	.671	392	683	1075	35.8	464	312	607	81	212	1659	55.3

Games played: 30  
Points/game: 58.9  
FG Pct: 40.6  
3FG Pct: 28.4  
FT Pct: 65.4

Rebounds/game: 34.5  
Assists/game: 13.5  
Turnovers/game: 16.2  
Assist/turnover ratio: 0.8  
Steals/game: 10.9  
Blocks/game: 3.0

**GEORGIA STATE AMONG CAA LEADERS**

**INDIVIDUAL - ALL GAMES**

Scoring:	Danyiell McKeller.....	4th	17.7
Rebounding:	Shay Rawls.....	4th	8.0
	Danyiell McKeller.....	18th	6.0
Off. Reb:	Shay Rawls.....	4th	3.5
Assists:	Crystal Johnson.....	1st	5.4
	Angelique Burtts.....	13th	2.7
Asst/TO Ratio:	Crystal Johnson.....	2nd	1.7
Steals:	Danyiell McKeller.....	2nd	2.6
	Crystal Johnson.....	3rd	2.5
	Angelique Burtts.....	11th	1.9
3-Pt. Pct.:	Brittany Graham.....	5th	.365
3-Pt. Made	Brittany Graham.....	10th	1.5
Blocks	Cody Paulk.....	6th	0.9

**TEAM - ALL GAMES**

Scoring.....	10th	58.9
Scoring Defense.....	1st	55.3
FG Percentage.....	5th	.406
Rebounding.....	5th	35.9
Offensive Rebounds.....	9th	12.9
Assists.....	2nd	13.5
Blocked Shots.....	8th	3.0
Steals.....	1st	10.9
Turnover Margin.....	2nd	4.1
3-Pt FG Made.....	12th	2.8
Assist/Turnover Ratio.....	3rd	0.8
FG Percentage.....	5th	.406
FG Percentage Defense.....	5th	.378
3-Pt FG Percentage.....	9th	.284
3-Pt FG Percentage Defense.....	4th	.299
FT Percentage.....	10th	.654

**CAA TOURNAMENT HISTORY**

*A different team has won the CAA Tournament in each of the past three years. James Madison will be the defending tournament champion after last year's win as the No. 2 seed. In 2009-10, Drexel claimed the championship after entering as the No. 1 seed from the regular season. In 2008-09, Old Dominion earned the championship as the No. 1 regular season seed. For Old Dominion, that marked a run of 17 consecutive years of winning the championship. Prior to ODU's run that started in 1992, Richmond had won a pair, James Madison had won four and East Carolina had won the first two CAA Championships ever played. The tournament site moves around and this year it will be held at a new venue for the CAA: The Show Place Arena in Upper Marlboro, Md., just outside Washington D.C. This will mark the first time the tournament has been held at a neutral site since 1998 when it was held at the Richmond Coliseum.*

**COLONIAL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION**

**STANDINGS**

2009-10

	CAA		Overall	
	W	L	W	L
Old Dominion	14	4	19	14
James Madison	13	5	26	7
VCU	12	6	22	13
Delaware	11	7	21	12
Hofstra	11	7	20	14
Drexel	11	7	17	14
Towson	9	9	15	16
Northeastern	7	11	13	18
<b>Georgia State</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>
UNC Wilmington	6	12	12	19
William and Mary	5	13	12	18
George Mason	3	15	10	20

**CAA Championship (Harrisonburg):**

- Mar. 11** Northeastern 46, Georgia State 42  
Delaware 58, George Mason 41  
UNCW 50, Towson 30  
Hofstra 66, William and Mary 50
- Mar. 12** ODU 68, Northeastern 49  
Delaware 67, Drexel 61 (OT)  
James Madison 67, UNCW 40  
VCU 51, Hofstra 38
- Mar. 13** Semifinals  
ODU 50, Delaware 49  
James Madison 79, VCU 70
- Mar. 14** James Madison 67, ODU 53

**Post-season Tournaments:**

- Mar. 17** WNIT - ODU 63, American 55
- Mar. 18 WNIT - Hofstra 76, Penn State 68
- Mar. 18 WNIT - VCU 74, Saint Joseph's 63
- Mar. 18 WNIT - Richmond 67, Delaware 49
- Mar. 18 WBI - Towson at Fairfield
- Mar. 19 WNIT - East Carolina 78 Drexel 76, OT
- Mar. 21 NCAA - Temple 65, JMU 53 (Norfolk)
- Mar. 21 WNIT 2nd - VCU 84, Hofstra 65
- Mar. 22 WNIT 2nd - Provicence 76, ODU 61
- Mar. 26 WNIT 3rd - Syracuse 74, VCU 59

*The CAA was rated 8th of the 31 NCAA Division I conferences by two rating services. The CAA was 9th in another and 10th in a fourth. Seven teams earned postseason bids.*

# 2009-10 SEASON REVIEW



Game 1: Nov. 14, 2009, 5:00 p.m.

## GEORGIA STATE 77, KENNESAW STATE 52

Kennesaw, Ga. (KSU Convocation Center)

In the season opener on the road, Georgia State got 22 points and 11 rebounds from 6-foot-2 Chan Harris as well as 22 points and seven rebounds from senior forward Danyieil McKeller. Newcomer Angelique Burts added 15 points and seven assists in her first game in the blue and white.

The Panthers' full-court defense forced 28 turnovers and had 12 steals in showing the form that ranked them No. 10 in the nation last season in steals. Georgia State shot 57.6 percent in the first half and 55.6 in the second half for a solid game of 56.7 percent. State's defense held Kennesaw State to 39 percent from the field. Georgia State's dominance saw them scored 46 points in the paint tonight.

"We felt we could have a good inside presence tonight with our size and experience and we did, especially in the first half," Coach Lea Henry noted postgame. "Our guards were patient and worked the ball inside well. I am pleased with our offensive execution."

Georgia State started strong with a quick 6-0 burst and built the margin quickly to 19-4 over the first seven minutes of the game with Harris going on a run scoring nine of 11 points for the Panthers in the early stretch.

The host Owls never got the lead back into single digits and State built the cushion to 42-20 by halftime, with Harris having 18 points in the opening half.

The visiting Panthers roared back out of the locker room in the second half by scoring the first six points and increasing the margin to 28 points at 48-20 just two minutes into the second half with Harris and McKeller adding quick buckets.

Georgia State got to use all the players on the roster and the closest Kennesaw State could ever get was 60-43 with seven minutes to go before State had another burst to get it back over 20 points to stay.

The taller Panthers held a 36-22 rebound margin.

The opening-day win marks a second straight season the Panthers have done so, following last year's season-opening win at Clemson, 82-75.

Game 2: Nov. 22, 2009, 2:00 p.m.

## FLORIDA STATE 66, GEORGIA STATE 53

Atlanta, Ga. (Georgia State Sports Arena)

Tenth-ranked Florida State held off scrappy Georgia State, 66-53, Sunday afternoon as the Panthers' second-half rally made it closer than the final score might indicate.

Florida State (4-0) won its 12th straight road game, but Georgia State (1-1) didn't go down without a fight. The host Panthers made a second-half rally to close within five points twice, the last at 47-42 with 11:11 on the clock. Georgia State was still battling at 53-46 with 7:56 just after the Seminoles All-America 6-foot-5 post player Jacinta Monroe went down with a knee injury at 8:28.

The physical game hampered Georgia State's press and ability to drive on offense and saw two starters foul out (Danyieil McKeller and Crystal Johnson) and two more end with four (Chan Harris and Angelique Burts).

Georgia State's rally saw them shoot 60.9 percent in the second half and outscore Florida State in the second half, 36-34.

"I liked how the team fought today, even when they got down," Coach Lea Henry said. "We gave ourselves a chance to win today, despite all the foul troubles. I had told the team before the game that three things could happen: we could win, we could battle hard to the finish and be competitive or we could lose badly. I said two of those three would be really good for us. And, we did battle hard to the finish, so I think we can be excited about the long season ahead."

In the first five minutes of the game, FSU held a 9-7 lead. But, a trio of treys, plus four points from Monroe, sparked a huge 16-0 run that made it 25-7 with 8:11 in the first half. The visitors held a 32-17 halftime lead.

It was still 44-28 with 15:16, but then Georgia State and Danyieil McKeller really went to work. The Panthers went on an 8-0 run to close to 44-36 with 13:55. After a Monroe basket for FSU, State grew that run to 13-2 as Graham hit a back door lay-up and then a trey to make it 46-41 at 11:48 and the game was back on. But, Harris and McKeller each had four fouls by this point and Johnson and Burts were playing with three fouls. Brevard and Monroe scored down low to grow the lead to 11 at 53-42 at 9:15, but Georgia State answered back with a jumper, followed by a pair of free throws from McKeller made it 53-46 with 7:56. Four more free throws by Florida State moved the lead back into double figures and the visitors held a 57-47 advantage with 3:47 left.

Game 3: Nov. 27, 2009, 2:00 p.m.

## GEORGIA STATE 87, MURRAY STATE 72

Atlanta, Ga. (Georgia State Sports Arena)

Georgia State raced past Murray State, 87-72, in the opening game of the Georgia State Thanksgiving Tournament on Friday afternoon.

The host Panthers (2-1) had four players in double figures, led by a rare triple-double from junior forward Angelique Burts. Burts produced just the third triple-double in school history with her 19 points, 11 assists and 10 rebounds. Senior forward Danyieil McKeller netted 21 points and nine rebounds for a third consecutive over 20 this season.

Georgia State trailed 39-33 at halftime with foul trouble (14 fouls and six players with two each) and cold shooting (28.6% on 14-for-49). But, the second half was totally different with a 54-point burst and 57.7% shooting. The host Panthers hustled to a 44-31 rebound advantage for the game, buoyed by 21 offensive boards.

Murray State, who came in averaging 80.8 points and nine three-point baskets a game, made just four-of-13 outside the arc in today's loss.

Georgia State led early by eight and were leading 12-8 just six minutes into the game when McKeller went to the bench with her second foul, not to return until the second half. Murray State rallied to tie the game for the first time at 27 with 5:12 in the half and built seven-point leads twice, the last with 1:09 in the half. Murray State hit 14-of-17 free throws in the first half to just 4-of-4 by State.

In the second half, Georgia State got the game tied at 48 in the first three minutes of the half, got the lead at 50-48, and Murray State tied it at 50 with 15:50 on the clock. The Panthers outscored the Racers 14-4 over the next five minutes, sparked by McKeller, and held a 64-54 advantage at 10:30. But, Murray State wasn't going down without a fight and came back to tie the game for a fourth time at 68 with 4:31 left. A trey by Johnson gave GSU the lead it would never lose. It was 72-70 with 2:36 left when GSU dominated the finish with a final 15-2 run.

The 87 points are the most for GSU since scoring 87 vs. Towson on Feb. 11, 2007...The aggressive Panthers scored 24 points off turnovers today.

### GEORGIA STATE 77 (1-0)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.	7-11	0-2	1-3	0	4	4	1	15	7	6	0	3	35
McKeller, f.	10-16	0-0	2-2	3	4	7	1	22	2	6	0	1	34
Harris, c.	9-15	0-0	4-5	6	5	11	1	22	1	5	0	2	34
Graham, g.	1-5	0-0	0-0	4	4	1	3	1	2	0	0	0	32
Johnson, g.	4-7	0-0	0-1	0	3	3	2	8	4	6	0	4	33
Anderson, g.	2-2	0-0	1-1	4	0	4	2	5	3	2	0	1	17
Rawls, g.	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Sumpter, g.	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	4
Taylor, g.	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	3
Paulk, g.	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3
Totals	34-60	1-7	8-12	13	23	36	13	77	18	28	0	12	200

FG%	1st: 19-33	57.6%	2nd: 15-27	55.6%	Game: 56.7%
3P%	1st: 0-4	00.0%	2nd: 1-3	33.3%	Game: 14.3%
FT%	1st: 4-5	80.0%	2nd: 4-7	57.1%	Game: 66.7%

### KENNESAW STATE 52 (0-1)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Bolden, f.	0-3	0-0	0-0	1	6	7	2	0	0	3	0	0	20
Bullock, f.	1-2	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	1	2	1	2	0	1	26
Nixon, c.	2-4	0-0	0-1	1	1	2	3	4	0	2	2	0	21
Smith, g.	5-15	2-7	5-8	1	2	3	4	0	7	3	4	0	27
Lockett, g.	2-3	1-2	2-2	0	0	0	0	1	7	5	0	3	21
Holliday, g.	3-4	3-4	0-0	1	0	1	1	9	0	2	0	1	11
Jones, g.	0-3	0-2	1-2	0	0	0	0	1	1	4	0	0	19
Weaver, g.	1-5	0-4	2-2	0	1	1	3	4	1	0	0	1	22
Gideon, g.	4-7	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	5	8	0	3	0	3	20
Capellan, g.	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	3
Totals	18-46	6-20	10-15	6	16	22	16	52	7	28	2	11	200

FG%	1st: 8-20	40.0%	2nd: 10-26	38.5%	Game: 39.1%
3P%	1st: 3-11	27.3%	2nd: 2-10	20.0%	Game: 23.8%
FT%	1st: 4-4	100%	2nd: 3-6	50.0%	Game: 70.0%

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
GEORGIA STATE	42	35	77
KENNESAW STATE	20	32	52

Officials: Mary Day, Meadow Overstreet, Esther Ray  
Attendance: 671

### #10 FLORIDA STATE 66 (4-0)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Harvin, f.	5-12	1-3	2-2	2	5	7	2	13	2	2	1	2	31
Monroe, f.	0-0	0-0	2-6	1	3	4	2	14	3	1	2	0	25
Bravard, c.	1-2	0-0	4-6	0	2	2	4	6	0	2	0	0	16
Gray, g.	2-4	1-1	2-3	1	3	4	3	7	2	2	0	1	24
Ward, g.	1-5	1-3	0-1	0	0	0	2	3	4	3	0	1	28
Clayton, g.	3-5	0-1	0-0	2	3	5	0	6	1	2	0	0	15
Deluzio, g.	1-4	1-3	0-0	0	2	2	2	3	2	2	0	1	17
Hunnicutt, g.	1-5	0-1	3-4	2	2	4	2	5	2	1	0	1	28
Keough, g.	2-2	2-2	0-0	0	0	0	0	6	0	1	0	0	3
Davis, g.	1-1	0-0	1-2	1	1	2	1	3	0	0	1	0	13
Totals	23-51	6-14	14-24	13	23	36	18	66	16	16	4	6	200

FG%	1st: 11-26	42.3%	2nd: 12-25	48.0%	Game: 45.1%
3P%	1st: 5-10	50.0%	2nd: 1-4	25.0%	Game: 42.9%
FT%	1st: 5-7	71.4%	2nd: 9-17	52.9%	Game: 58.3%

### GEORGIA STATE 53 (1-1)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.	3-5	1-1	1-3	0	2	4	8	3	3	0	2	25	
McKeller, f.	9-21	0-1	3-4	0	5	5	5	21	2	3	0	3	32
Harris, c.	1-4	0-0	1-5	5	3	8	4	3	0	4	0	0	29
Graham, g.	4-7	2-5	0-0	2	2	0	10	4	3	0	3	36	
Johnson, g.	1-6	0-1	5-8	1	1	2	5	7	0	1	0	1	38
Anderson, g.	0-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	11
Rawls, g.	2-2	0-0	0-0	2	6	8	3	4	3	2	1	0	21
Sumpter, g.	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Paulk, g.	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Totals	20-48	3-8	10-20	10	22	32	21	53	13	17	2	9	200

FG%	1st: 6-25	24.0%	2nd: 14-23	60.9%	Game: 41.7%
3P%	1st: 2-6	33.3%	2nd: 1-2	50.0%	Game: 37.5%
FT%	1st: 3-8	37.5%	2nd: 7-12	58.3%	Game: 50.0%

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
FLORIDA STATE	32	34	66
GEORGIA STATE	17	36	53

Officials: Douglas Cloud, Angelica Suffren, Diana DePaul  
Attendance: 614

### MURRAY STATE 72 (4-1)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Holderf, f.	4-7	0-0	0-2	3	5	3	8	0	3	0	0	0	20
Kluempers, f.	2-5	0-0	6-6	2	2	4	4	10	3	2	0	0	23
Isom, g.	2-8	0-4	8-8	0	3	3	1	12	2	4	0	0	38
Robinson, g.	5-13	2-5	1-2	1	2	3	13	2	1	0	2	26	
Lockett, g.	1-2	0-0	4-4	1	6	7	3	6	5	3	0	1	33
Cunningham, g.	1-2	0-0	1-1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	3
Elkins, g.	0-1	0-1	2-2	0	1	1	2	2	0	1	0	0	7
Schwab, g.	6-9	2-3	1-2	0	4	4	5	15	1	1	0	0	26
Nevels, g.	1-2	0-0	0-1	1	1	2	1	2	0	0	0	1	11
Thornton, g.	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	1	0	11
Totals	23-51	4-13	22-26	8	23	31	24	72	13	16	0	4	200

FG%	1st: 11-21	52.4%	2nd: 12-30	40.0%	Game: 45.1%
3P%	1st: 3-5	60.0%	2nd: 1-8	12.5%	Game: 30.8%
FT%	1st: 14-17	82.4%	2nd: 8-9	88.9%	Game: 84.6%

### GEORGIA STATE 87 (2-1)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.	6-19	3-13	4-4	6									

# 2009-10 SEASON REVIEW



**PANTHERS**

Game 4: Nov. 28, 2009, 4:00 p.m.

## GEORGIA STATE 61, TROY 45

Atlanta, Ga. (Georgia State Sports Arena)

Georgia State rode its pressure defense to a 61-45 romp over Troy for the championship of the Georgia State Thanksgiving Tournament Saturday afternoon. Morgan State defeated Murray State, 83-74 in the consolation game.

Georgia State (3-1) used 16 steals and 27 forced turnovers in today's win that was sparked by a 23-0 first half run to go from a 17-17 tie at 11:50 to a 40-17 lead at 1:55 in the opening half. During that 10:12 of holding Troy without a basket, Georgia State forced seven turnovers, had five steals and blocked a shot. Of course, that defense has been State's trademark after ranking #10 in the nation last year with 11.8 steals per game.

Georgia State and Troy traded early leads and ties in the first eight minutes when Georgia State upped the pressure and took over the game. McKeller's steal and lay-up started the long run where she scored eight points and Johnson had six points during the 23-0 domination.

The Panthers grew the lead to 25 points at 51-26 with 11:53 to play and had increased it 27 points at 61-34 with 4:02 left when the four freshmen got the final minutes as Troy cut into the final margin.

The 45 points allowed is a season best, lowering the 52 allowed to Kennesaw State. Georgia State has won its three games by 25, 16 and 15 points, losing only by 13 to No. 9 Florida State.

In addition to McKeller's MVP award, the all-tournament team was made up of Angelique Burts and Crystal Johnson of Georgia State, Donette McNair of Troy, Corin Adams of Morgan State and Mallory Luckett of Murray State.

Troy (3-2) was paced by forward Donette McNair's 13 points and six rebounds to go with Kirsten Smith's 12 points and eight rebounds

"We made some adjustments and got after them more in the first half and that 23-0 run was certainly the difference in the game," Coach Lea Henry noted. "The 40-point first half carried us and gave everyone a chance to play some today."

Game 5: Dec. 5, 2009, 5:00 p.m.

## GEORGIA STATE 58, PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE 44

Clinton, S.C. (Templeton Center)

Georgia State won its third straight game with a 58-44 decision over host Presbyterian College on Saturday evening in Clinton, S.C..

Georgia State (4-1) used its full-court pressure defense to amass 13 steals, force 24 turnovers and block five shots in the win over Presbyterian (0-9), a school that has played one of the toughest early-season schedules in the nation.

The Panthers were led by senior forward Danyell McKeller, who scored 22 points, just above her 20.5 season average that ranks her in the top 25 in the nation. Junior guard Traci Haltiwanger played her first game of the season and knocked down three 3-point baskets, while junior wing Angelique Burts added nine more points and five rebounds.

Georgia State dominated early in rolling out to a 15-2 lead over the first 10 minutes of the game with McKeller scoring 12 of those 15 points to go with a Haltiwanger trey.

State built the lead to 22-5 at 4:26 and took a 25-11 lead into the halftime break.

In the second half, visiting State applied more defensive pressure and held a 43-23 lead with 10 minutes to play. The Panthers had their largest lead of the game at 53-26 with 6:50 to play and the reserves scored only five points the remainder of the game.

"We were a little out of synch with the early foul trouble on a couple starters and had players moving to different positions, but the positive is we got a lot of minutes from a lot of players to help us later," Coach Lea Henry said.

"We didn't adjust to the calls and were too aggressive, but we got another road win, so we are happy. Their zone obviously kept the score down a little and we only had our good tempo during the first part of the second half, Henry said."

Presbyterian College, who has played one of the toughest schedules in the nation this year and was hosting its home opener, was led by Amanda Mills, who scored 15 points, including 10-of-14 from the free throw line. Mariah Pietrowski added 13 more points for the Blue Hose.

Game 6: Dec. 12, 2009, 2:00 p.m.

## GEORGIA STATE 79 NICHOLLS STATE 50

Atlanta, Ga. (Georgia State Sports Arena)

Georgia State women's basketball team won its fourth straight game by racing past Nicholls State, 79-50, Saturday afternoon.

Basically, it was a "typical" Georgia State win that started with the defense that forced 31 turnovers and made 14 steals, just above the 11.4 season steals average that is in the top 25 in the nation. The defense held a third consecutive opponent to 50 points or less for just the third time in school history. Offensive, State won its 11th straight game when scoring 70 or more points and topped their league-leading shooting percentage of 45 with a 55.6 percent day from the field today.

Georgia State (5-1) got a stellar 9-of-10 field goal performance from junior wing Angelique Burts as she led the team with 20 points and four steals. Senior forward Danyell McKeller shot 50% for her 16 points and six rebounds, while junior forward Chan Harris hit 5-of-7 shots for her 13 points. Shay Rawls had seven rebounds and Crystal Johnson led with five assists.

Nicholls State (2-6) saw its one-game win streak end, but had three players in double figures. Richsanda Bickham had 12 points before fouling out, while Alisha Allen and Jamia Akins each added 10 points.

The host Panthers ran off the first six points of the game and never looked back. They built the lead to 15-6 just past the midway point of the first half. They had it to 22-8 at 5:42 before Nicholls made a run to close to 26-18 at 1:10 before the hosts took a 31-21 lead into the halftime break.

In the second half, Georgia State opened with a quick 13-4 run to make it 44-25 after the first five minutes of that half. After Nicholls State closed to 44-30, Georgia State had another 15-8 run to make it 59-38 with 8:30 to go.

"We bothered them by being so active and forced a lot of turnovers," Coach Lea Henry said postgame. "We really got our tempo going in the second half and shot the ball very well that second half."

"Angelique (Burts) was huge today and she is capable of exploding on offense like that at any time. We played with energy and effort today and it was another good win."

### TROY UNIVERSITY 45 (3-2)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Shearing, f.....	3-5	3-5	0-2	0	2	2	2	9	0	2	1	3	27
McNair, f.....	5-8	0-0	3-4	0	6	6	3	13	0	3	0	2	30
Manuel, g.....	0-2	0-1	0-0	1	1	2	1	0	0	3	0	0	17
Davis, g.....	0-5	0-3	0-0	2	1	3	1	0	0	3	3	0	17
Smith, g.....	4-10	0-0	4-4	4	4	8	0	12	1	3	0	1	28
McAppion.....	1-2	0-0	2-2	1	0	1	1	4	1	4	0	4	14
Kleeman.....	0-6	0-5	0-0	0	2	2	1	0	1	3	0	1	29
Blake.....	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	0	5
Hawkins.....	1-3	0-0	3-4	0	1	1	1	5	0	1	0	0	13
Totals.....	15-42	3-14	12-16	9	20	29	11	45	6	27	1	12	200
FG% 1st:	7-22	31.8%	2nd:	8-20	40.0%	Game:	35.7%						
3P% 1st:	1-5	20.0%	2nd:	2-9	22.2%	Game:	21.4%						
FT% 1st:	4-4	100%	2nd:	8-12	66.7%	Game:	75.0%						

### GEORGIA STATE 61 (3-1)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.....	3-8	0-1	0-0	1	3	4	1	6	1	2	0	6	36
McKeller, f.....	6-19	0-0	6-7	3	4	7	1	18	0	4	0	3	35
Harris, c.....	5-6	0-0	0-0	2	0	2	3	10	0	1	1	0	16
Graham, g.....	3-7	3-6	0-0	0	4	4	2	9	7	0	0	3	36
Johnson, g.....	4-9	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	8	10	1	0	2	37
Anderson.....	1-1	1-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	0	1	9
Rawls.....	2-3	0-0	1-2	3	3	6	4	5	0	2	0	1	8
Sumpter.....	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	4	4	4	2	0	1	1	0	14
Taylor.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	3
Paulk.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	6
Totals.....	25-55	4-8	7-9	9	20	29	17	61	18	17	4	16	200
FG% 1st:	16-28	57.1%	2nd:	9-27	33.3%	Game:	45.5%						
3P% 1st:	2-4	50.0%	2nd:	2-4	50.0%	Game:	50.0%						
FT% 1st:	6-7	85.7%	2nd:	1-2	50.0%	Game:	77.8%						

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
TROY.....	19	26	45
GEORGIA STATE.....	40	21	61

Officials: Alicia Walker, Geraldine Smith, Rashaan Michel  
Attendance: 379

### GEORGIA STATE 58 (4-1)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.....	3-7	0-1	3-4	3	2	5	4	9	0	2	0	0	24
McKeller, f.....	10-20	0-0	2-4	2	4	6	2	22	0	4	0	2	33
Harris, c.....	1-1	0-0	2-5	2	2	4	1	4	0	5	3	2	19
Graham, g.....	1-6	1-5	0-0	5	5	1	3	0	1	0	0	0	29
Johnson, g.....	0-2	0-0	0-3	2	2	4	4	0	3	4	0	3	31
Anderson.....	1-1	0-0	1-1	1	1	2	3	3	0	0	0	2	13
Haltiwanger.....	3-7	3-6	0-0	0	0	0	4	9	1	1	0	3	23
Rawls.....	2-2	0-0	4-7	3	6	9	3	8	0	2	2	1	23
Sumpter.....	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	6
Totals.....	21-48	4-12	12-24	14	23	37	26	58	4	20	5	13	200
FG% 1st:	9-25	36.0%	2nd:	12-23	52.2%	Game:	43.8%						
3P% 1st:	2-8	25.0%	2nd:	2-4	50.0%	Game:	33.3%						
FT% 1st:	5-10	50.0%	2nd:	7-14	50.0%	Game:	50.0%						

### PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE 44 (0-8)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
David, g.....	1-7	1-2	7-12	2	2	4	2	10	2	7	0	4	35
Mills, g.....	2-9	1-7	10-14	2	0	2	2	15	0	3	0	0	36
Stevens, g.....	1-4	1-4	0-1	0	0	0	2	3	1	0	0	0	30
Wright, f.....	0-0	0-0	0-2	0	5	5	3	0	0	1	0	0	18
Pietrowski, c.....	5-9	0-0	3-4	0	3	3	1	13	1	5	0	1	28
Parker.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	2	0	0	2	0	1	5
Brown.....	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	10
Fothergill.....	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	3	0	1	1	0	0	14
Burnside.....	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	2	0	1	1	0	0	9
Smith.....	0-1	0-0	1-2	2	1	3	1	1	0	2	0	2	15
Totals.....	10-35	3-14	21-35	7	20	27	20	44	6	24	0	8	200
FG% 1st:	1-13	07.7%	2nd:	9-22	40.9%	Game:	28.6%						
3P% 1st:	0-5	00.0%	2nd:	3-9	33.3%	Game:	21.4%						
FT% 1st:	9-17	52.9%	2nd:	12-18	66.7%	Game:	60.0%						

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
GEORGIA STATE.....	25	33	58
PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE.....	11	33	44

Officials: Timothy Bryant, Karen Preato, Brian K. Miller  
Attendance: 212

### NICHOLLS STATE 50 (2-6)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
McNamee, f.....	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	6
Hearon, f.....	1-6	0-3	2-2	2	3	5	3	4	4	2	1	1	32
Allen, f.....	3-10	2-4	2-2	1	5	6	1	10	1	7	0	0	39
Bickham, g.....	4-11	2-5	2-4	1	2	3	5	12	0	14	0	0	28
Washington g.....	1-4	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	1	2	1	1	0	1	28
Akins.....	4-5	2-3	0-2	0	1	1	2	10	2	7	0	1	19
Hoskins.....	1-3	0-0	7-11	2	4	6	3	9	0	0	0	2	37
Hunter.....	1-2	0-0	1-2	2	1	3	3	3	1	0	0	0	11
Totals.....	15-42	6-16	14-23	9	19	28	21	50	9	31	1	5	200
FG% 1st:	4-20	20.0%	2nd:	11-22	50.0%	Game:	35.7%						
3P% 1st:	2-8	20.0%	2nd:	4-8	50.0%	Game:	37.5%						
FT% 1st:	11-17	64.7%	2nd:	3-6	50.0%	Game:	60.9%						

### GEORGIA STATE 79 (5-1)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.....	9-10	1-1	1-1	0	1	1	3	20	2	2	1	4	22
McKeller, f.....	6-12	0-0	4-6	2	4	6	4	16	1	3	0	2	31
Harris, c.....	5-7	0-0	3-5	2	2	4	3	13	1	1	3	0	20
Graham, g.....	1-4	1-4	0-0	0	1	1	0	3	3	0	0	0	19

# 2009-10 SEASON REVIEW



Game 7: Dec. 16, 2009, 5:30 p.m.

## GEORGIA STATE 66, DELAWARE STATE 42

Dover, Del. (Memorial Hall)

Georgia State rolled to a 66-42 road win over Delaware State on Wednesday evening at Memorial Hall.

The Panthers (6-1) won their fifth straight game by allowing a season-low 42 points and holding a fourth consecutive opponent to 50 points or less.

Georgia State got a career-best 26 points from senior forward Danyieil McKeller, who came in averaging 20 points a game to rank in the top 25 in the nation. This 11-of-18 shooting game was her fourth of 20 or more points this season. Junior wing Angelique Burts added 12 points, while sophomore guard Crystal Johnson provided 11 more points and seven assists. Senior forward Shay Rawls led the team with nine rebounds.

Georgia State, who ranks No. 15 in the nation in field goal percentage and leads the CAA at 46.8%, shot 65 percent in the first half and 57.1% for the game by hitting 28 of their 49 shots.

"We communicated well on defense, played a rare zone for us, and were patient in what we were doing," Coach Henry said. "Our defense frustrated them and we played with a purpose. I am thrilled at how hard the team is competing. This group really wants to do well and they are working hard."

The key run in the game came in the first half. Georgia State opened a quick seven-point lead at 11-4, but the host Hornets tied the game at 13 at 9:15. An increase in the defensive effort sparked a 16-1 run over those final nine minutes of the half and the Panthers went into halftime with a 29-14 cushion.

The closest Delaware State ever got again was 38-28 when the Panthers quickly answered with a 10-0 run to make it 48-28 with a little under nine minutes to play.

The 24-point win was just under the 29-win point win Saturday over Nicholls and the 25-point win over Kennesaw State as the Panthers have won all six games this year by 14 or more points.

The Panthers' defense limited the Hornets to 42 tonight, just below the 44 at Presbyterian College and the 45 to Troy University.

Game 8: Dec. 18, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

## GEORGIA STATE 64, IONA COLLEGE 56

New Rochelle, N.Y. (Mulcahy Center)

Georgia State won its sixth straight game with a 64-56 win over Iona College on Friday night at the Mulcahy Center.

The Panthers, now 7-1, are off to the fastest start in school history, topping the 6-1 start of the 1980-81 squad.

State improves to 4-0 on the road this year as well. The last time Georgia State won six straight games was three years ago in games 8 through 13 of the 2006-07 season.

Georgia State got 25 points and six rebounds from senior forward Danyieil McKeller, who entered the game ranked in the top 25 in the nation with her 20.9 average.

Senior forward Shay Rawls added 13 points and six rebounds, while sophomore guard Jylisa Williams also added 10 points and six rebounds.

GSU's defense, ranked in the top 25 in the nation in steals, added 12 more steals tonight and forced 23 turnovers, while holding Iona to 34 percent from the field.

The Panthers started with game with a 6-4 lead when the host Gaels went on a 10-0 run to take a 14-6 lead and held that at 17-8 with seven minutes played. But, the Panthers and McKeller went to work and had a big 11-0 run that got them the lead back at 19-17 at 8:53. After a tie at 23 at 6:15, a McKeller basket gave State the lead it would never lose. State led by eight at halftime, 33-25.

Georgia State was cruising along with a 51-37 lead at 10:40 and a 60-44 lead with just 5 minutes to play when Iona began a comeback that cut the lead to 60-54 with a minute to play as visiting State missed six shots and two free throws in that span.

McKeller hit four free throws in the final 30 seconds to secure the win.

"We played in a tough environment tonight, but did what we needed to do to win the game," Coach Henry said. "This team expects to win and they have the will to go out and do it. When things don't go as expected, you have to focus and play through that adversity."

An airplane problem, coupled with a foot of snow, forced the Panthers to stay longer and not get back to Atlanta until Sunday evening.

Game 9: Dec. 22, 2009, 12:00 p.m.

## GEORGIA TECH 62, GEORGIA STATE 50

Atlanta, Ga. (Georgia State Sports Arena)

Georgia State (7-2) and Georgia Tech (10-2) battled basket-for-basket for 35 minutes before visiting Tech turned a 44-42 lead with five minutes to play into a 62-50 win by making 9-of-10 free throws and hitting a pair of three-point baskets.

Georgia Tech (No. 24 AP) took advantage of its inside game with 17 points from 6-foot-2 Brigitte Ardossi and 16 points from 6-foot-5 Sasha Goodlett. Point guard Metra Walthour added 10 points with 6-6 free throws in the closing minutes.

Georgia State, whose only loss this year are to a pair of top 25 teams, got 14 points from Danyieil McKeller and 13 points and seven assists from Angelique Burts. The Panthers missed 6-foot-2 center Chan Harris, who is now out for the season with a broken foot. Brittany Graham provided a first-half spark by coming off the bench to hit three three-point baskets.

Both teams are nationally ranked in defense and steals, with State forcing 21 turnovers and making 13 steals today, while Tech forced 15 State turnovers and made seven steals. Tech could manage just 35.7% shooting against State's defense and State could hit just 32.8%. State was No. 9 in the NCAA before today with a 47.8% average. A big difference was Tech getting 21 free throw attempts to only six by Georgia State. Georgia Tech made 15 of its baskets in the paint to go with the 19 free throws.

The teams traded baskets early with Tech getting a 10-8 advantage five minutes into the game. The Yellow Jackets went on a 8-2 run to open its largest lead at 18-10 with 11:11, but host State forged back into an 18-18 tie, the third of the game, at 6:15 with its 8-0 spurt. When McKeller banked home a shot at 2:55, State got a 26-25 lead. But, Tech responded to close out the first half with a 31-26 lead.

In the second half, the battle continued with a McKeller basket closing the score to 33-32 at 13:21. Every time Georgia State would close within 3 points, four times over the next eight minutes, big six-foot-five Goodlett would provide the answer down low for Tech.

Angelique Burts brought State within 44-42 at 5:31 and the Panthers had a three-on-two break to forge another tie, but misfired up close. Tech began to pull away when Mo Bennett and Alex Montgomery made back-to-back three-point baskets at 3:18 and 2:40.

### GEORGIA STATE 66 (6-1)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.	5-10	1-1	1-2	3	3	6	2	12	4	4	3	1	37
McKeller, f.	11-18	0-0	4-5	2	2	4	3	26	2	2	0	5	38
Rawls, c.	2-4	0-0	2-2	4	5	9	2	6	0	1	2	1	33
Graham, g.	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
Johnson, g.	5-8	0-1	1-2	0	0	0	1	11	7	2	0	1	40
Haltiwanger, g.	3-3	1-1	0-0	0	1	1	0	7	1	2	0	0	8
Paulk, g.	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Sumpter, g.	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	8
Williams, g.	1-4	0-0	0-2	1	3	4	1	2	4	2	0	1	23
Totals	28-49	2-3	8-13	11	22	33	9	66	18	15	6	9	200

FG%	1st: 13-20	65.0%	2nd: 15-29	51.7%	Game: 57.1%
3P%	1st: 0-0	25.0%	2nd: 2-3	66.7%	Game: 66.7%
FT%	1st: 3-5	60.0%	2nd: 5-8	62.5%	Game: 61.5%

### DELAWARE STATE 42 (1-7)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Crockett, c.	6-16	2-4	0-0	2	3	5	1	14	2	2	0	1	35
D'Oliveira, g.	2-8	0-0	2-4	5	0	5	2	6	0	0	4	0	29
Galloway, g.	3-9	0-2	0-0	0	2	2	2	6	0	3	0	1	27
Clark, g.	3-6	0-0	0-1	2	0	2	1	6	2	4	0	2	29
Bowen, g.	2-4	0-0	0-0	3	5	8	4	4	1	4	0	0	37
Brush, g.	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4
Holloman, g.	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	9
Robinson, g.	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	8
Abraham, g.	1-5	1-3	0-0	1	0	1	1	3	0	2	0	1	12
Pitt, g.	1-1	1-1	0-0	1	1	2	0	3	0	1	0	0	10
Totals	18-53	4-12	2-5	15	14	29	12	42	6	18	4	6	200

FG%	1st: 6-24	25.0%	2nd: 12-29	41.4%	Game: 34.0%
3P%	1st: 1-5	20.0%	2nd: 3-7	42.9%	Game: 33.3%
FT%	1st: 1-2	50.0%	2nd: 1-3	33.3%	Game: 40.0%

Score by Periods.....1st 2nd Total  
 GEORGIA STATE.....29 37 66  
 PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE.....14 28 42  
 Officials: Taiqua Stewart, Erika Herriman, Angela Jones  
 Attendance: 175

### GEORGIA STATE 64 (7-1)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.	2-13	0-6	0-0	0	5	5	2	4	5	4	0	0	39
McKeller, f.	9-18	0-0	7-8	2	4	6	3	25	0	4	0	2	35
Rawls, c.	6-6	0-0	1-1	1	5	6	5	13	2	3	1	2	36
Graham, g.	3-4	2-3	0-2	0	2	2	0	8	0	0	0	0	14
Johnson, g.	2-4	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	3	4	4	3	0	4	29
Haltiwanger, g.	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	2	0	1	0	0	1	11
Sumpter, g.	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Williams, g.	5-12	0-0	0-0	4	2	6	2	10	3	2	0	3	27
Totals	27-59	2-10	8-11	8	24	32	17	64	15	16	1	12	200

FG%	1st: 15-29	51.7%	2nd: 12-30	40.0%	Game: 45.8%
3P%	1st: 0-5	00.0%	2nd: 2-5	40.0%	Game: 20.0%
FT%	1st: 3-3	100.0%	2nd: 5-8	62.5%	Game: 72.7%

### IONA COLLEGE 56 (3-6)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Ford, f.	6-16	0-1	0-0	2	3	5	3	12	1	3	1	1	33
Ivkovic, f.	2-10	0-2	3-4	6	6	12	1	7	2	5	1	1	30
McLean, c.	6-12	0-0	2-4	7	6	13	4	14	0	1	0	0	27
Fregosi, g.	1-2	1-2	0-0	1	1	2	0	3	3	2	0	1	31
Hubbard, g.	2-11	2-5	0-0	1	1	2	0	6	0	4	0	1	15
Bacic, g.	0-1	0-1	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	9
Paligoric, g.	2-2	0-0	2-2	1	3	4	2	6	2	1	0	0	17
Scannell, g.	1-1	0-0	1-1	1	3	4	2	3	1	0	0	0	5
Flagg, g.	1-2	0-0	1-6	0	0	0	4	3	1	3	0	0	14
Kochanek, g.	0-0	0-0	0-1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2
Lutz, g.	1-7	0-6	0-0	1	3	4	1	2	1	1	0	0	17
Totals	22-64	3-17	9-18	23	26	49	18	56	12	23	2	5	200

FG%	1st: 10-25	40.0%	2nd: 12-39	30.8%	Game: 34.4%
3P%	1st: 2-8	25.0%	2nd: 1-9	11.1%	Game: 17.6%
FT%	1st: 3-8	37.5%	2nd: 6-10	60.0%	Game: 50.0%

Score by Periods.....1st 2nd Total  
 GEORGIA STATE.....33 31 64  
 IONA COLLEGE.....25 31 56  
 Officials: Gary Schimel, Kenneth Kelly, Michelle Ross  
 Attendance: 245

### #24 GEORGIA TECH 62 (10-2)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Ardossi, f.	6-12	0-0	5-5	3	8	11	3	17	1	3	0	0	39
Goodlett, c.	6-11	0-0	4-6	5	3	8	1	16	0	2	0	0	30
Bennett, g.	2-7	1-3	4-4	0	4	4	0	9	0	1	1	2	25
Walthour, g.	2-8	0-4	6-6	0	3	3	0	10	5	2	0	2	37
Foster, g.	1-3	0-0	0-0	3	1	4	4	2	2	5	0	2	22
Montgomery, g.	3-8	2-6	0-0	0	7	7	2	8	2	1	0	0	21
Taylor, g.	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	1	3	0	1	13
Adams, g.	0-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	5
Regins, g.	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	8
Totals	20-56	3-13	19-21	14	33	47	10	62	11	21	1	7	200

FG%	1st: 12-31	38.7%	2nd: 8-25	32.0%	Game: 35.7%
3P%	1st: 1-6	16.7%	2nd: 2-7	28.6%	Game: 23.1%
FT%	1st: 6-7	85.7%	2nd: 13-14	92.9%	Game: 90.5%

### GEORGIA STATE 50 (7-2)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.	6-17	1-4	0-0	0	3	3	4	13	7	3	2	3	36
McKeller, f.	5-23	0-1	4-6	1	5	6	2	14	1	3	1	3	40
Rawls, c.	1-4	0-0	0-0	4	4	8	3	2	2	1			



Game 10: Dec. 29, 2009, 2:00 p.m.

### GEORGIA STATE 61, UT MARTIN 32 (TOURNEY)

Atlanta, Ga. (Georgia State Sports Arena)

Georgia State breezed to a 61-32 victory in the opening game of the 16th Annual Georgia State Invitational at the GSU Sports Arena. Mississippi Valley State and Maryland Eastern Shore were set to play the second game.

The Panthers (8-2) had its season-low defense and made this a fifth team held to 50 points or fewer points. Georgia State, who leads the CAA in almost every defensive category, forced 25 turnovers, made 13 steals, blocked 10 shots and held UT Martin to 27.9% from the field.

Senior forward Danyieil McKeller led the scoring with 19 points in her 28 minutes of action, with Shay Rawls adding 10 points, making six rebounds and blocking three shots. Angelique Burts led the defense with four steals, while adding eight points and three assists.

"The first game back after a break you have to work to get your timing back and it is good to get this win and move on to the championship game tomorrow," Coach Lea Henry said. "Our defense was aggressive and forced them to struggle against us today. Playing against the zone today slowed things down, so we want to play with better tempo tomorrow."

Coach Henry was pleased with the ball control that allowed just 10 turnovers, while allowing just five steals when they had the possession.

Georgia State opened the second half with a 17-7 run, sparked by McKeller, to get the margin from 30-18 at halftime to 47-25 with 10 minutes to play. The Panthers were able to get 61 minutes of the 200 in the game from the bench in this game. Seven players had a steal and five had a blocked shot. The Panthers shut down UT Martin with just 23% shooting in the second half.

The game began with McKeller hitting a pair of jumpers to get State started 4-0. A Weatherly three-point basket made it 4-3, but the host Panthers got two more baskets from McKeller and a two treys from Graham to open a quick 16-5 double-digit lead seven and a half minutes into the game.

A trey by Cupples cut it to eight points before a lay-up by Rawls just under 10 minutes made it a double-digit lead that would stay from that point on. State's largest lead of the opening half was at 30-14 at 3:13 before the teams went to the halftime break at 30-18.

### UT MARTIN 31 (1-9)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Smith, f	3-7	1-1	2-3	3	3	6	3	9	0	6	0	0	33
Weatherly, f	1-11	1-4	1-2	4	1	5	1	4	1	4	0	1	35
Lyles, f	3-10	0-0	0-2	6	2	8	2	6	0	1	1	3	33
Gilsson, g	1-4	0-1	0-0	0	3	3	1	2	4	7	0	0	39
Cupples, g	3-9	3-9	0-0	4	4	2	9	1	2	0	1	4	40
Vinson	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
Ward	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	3	2	2	4	0	0	18
Jones	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Greer	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	12-43	5-15	3-7	14	15	29	12	32	8	25	1	5	200

FG%	1st: 6-17	35.3%	2nd: 6-26	23.1%	Game: 27.9%
3P%	1st: 4-7	57.1%	2nd: 1-8	12.5%	Game: 33.3%
FT%	1st: 2-4	50.0%	2nd: 1-3	33.3%	Game: 42.9%

### GEORGIA STATE 61 (8-2)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f	4-13	0-1	0-0	2	2	4	3	8	3	4	0	4	30
McKeller, f	9-17	0-0	1-2	2	2	4	3	19	1	0	0	2	28
Rawls, c	4-6	0-0	2-2	4	2	6	1	10	4	1	3	3	28
Graham, g	2-3	2-3	0-0	3	1	4	1	6	0	3	1	2	22
Johnson, g	0-4	0-0	0-0	0	3	0	0	6	1	0	2	31	
Anderson	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	6	
Haltiwanger	1-4	0-2	0-0	1	1	2	3	2	1	0	0	11	
Sumpter	3-4	0-0	2-2	2	2	4	1	6	0	1	1	18	
Paulk	0-0	0-0	2-2	1	1	2	0	2	1	0	2	6	
Williams	3-6	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	0	6	0	2	0	20	
Totals	27-59	2-6	5-6	16	18	34	12	61	16	10	13	200	

FG%	1st: 14-28	50.0%	2nd: 13-31	41.9%	Game: 45.8%
3P%	1st: 2-4	50.0%	2nd: 0-2	00.0%	Game: 33.3%
FT%	1st: 0-0	00.0%	2nd: 5-6	83.3%	Game: 83.3%

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
UT MARTIN	18	14	32
GEORGIA STATE	30	31	61

Officials: Kathy Lonagan, John Almarode, Shannon Fox  
Attendance: 308

Game 11: Dec. 30, 2009, 4:00 p.m.

### GEORGIA STATE 76 UMES 49

Atlanta, Ga. (Georgia State Sports Arena)

Georgia State won the championship of the 16th Annual Georgia State Invitational with a 76-49 romp over the University of Maryland Eastern Shore (UMES).

The Panthers (9-2) up-tempo style upped the streak to 12 straight wins when scoring 70 or points and the full-court defense upped that streak to 49 straight wins when holding the opponent to under 50 points.

Senior forward Danyieil McKeller again led the scoring with 22 points on 7-of-11 shooting, while senior center Shay Rawls stepped up with a double-double game of 11 points and 11 rebounds.

Georgia State gained control midway through the first half when the Panthers broke from a 14-13 lead with a 15-4 run from 8:15 to 3:24 to make it 29-17. GSU held a 31-20 lead at halftime.

In the second half, State started with an 8-2 run in the first two minutes to make it 39-22 at 17:00 and the closest UMES could get after that was 15 points.

With 7:50 to play, State was cruising at 53-38 when it went on a quick 11-0 burst over the next 1:45 to make it 64-38 with 6:06 left on the clock.

The game included 48 fouls called, 27 on UMES and 21 on GSU. The Panthers hit a season-high 27-of-40 from the free throw line.

Georgia State's nationally-ranked defense forced 19 turnovers, made 10 steals, blocked nine shots and held UMES to 29.3% shooting on the evening.

"This was a physical, rough game, but the team stayed focused and got the job done," Coach Lea Henry said. "We are pleased to be 9-2 finishing up the non-conference portion of our schedule, bowing to only a pair of top 25-ranked teams." "We dedicated this tournament win to Chan Harris, recovering from her surgery last week on her foot," Henry added.

Danyieil McKeller was tournament MVP with the all-tournament team of Shay Rawls and Crystal Johnson (GSU), April McBride (UMES), Paige Smith (UT Martin) and Ashley Brown (MVSU).

The 9-2 marks the third time in school history, all tied behind the best of 11-2 in 1975-76.

### UMES 49 (2-5)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Sanders, f	4-9	1-2	2-2	4	4	4	5	11	2	1	0	0	22
McBride, f	6-18	0-2	0-2	5	4	9	3	12	1	4	2	3	34
Green, c	0-1	0-0	0-1	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	11
Cook, g	1-8	0-1	0-0	2	3	5	2	2	2	3	0	3	32
Morton, g	2-6	0-2	8-10	2	1	3	5	12	0	4	0	0	28
Agbasi	1-4	0-0	1-3	2	2	4	3	3	0	4	3	1	26
Jackson	1-4	0-2	3-6	1	4	5	1	5	1	1	0	1	16
Hayward	2-2	0-0	0-0	2	0	2	0	4	0	0	0	0	7
Roach	0-4	0-0	0-0	2	3	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	18
Frazier	0-2	0-2	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Totals	17-58	1-11	14-24	20	24	44	27	49	6	19	5	8	200

FG%	1st: 7-27	25.9%	2nd: 10-31	32.3%	Game: 29.3%
3P%	1st: 1-3	33.3%	2nd: 0-8	00.0%	Game: 09.1%
FT%	1st: 5-8	62.5%	2nd: 9-16	56.3%	Game: 58.3%

### GEORGIA STATE 76 (9-2)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f	3-9	0-0	3-4	0	2	2	3	9	2	2	1	2	28
McKeller, f	7-11	0-0	8-13	0	5	5	2	22	0	4	2	2	34
Rawls, c	3-9	0-0	5-9	5	6	11	4	11	1	2	2	0	36
Graham, g	3-5	3-4	0-0	0	5	5	1	9	2	2	0	1	22
Johnson, g	1-3	0-1	3-4	0	2	2	2	5	5	1	1	2	31
Anderson	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Haltiwanger	1-3	1-2	0-0	0	2	2	2	3	2	0	2	1	12
Sumpter	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	6
Paulk	1-1	0-0	0-2	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	4
Taylor	2-3	1-1	0-0	1	1	2	0	5	0	0	0	0	2
Williams	1-2	0-0	8-8	0	5	5	4	10	0	3	0	2	21
Totals	22-49	5-8	27-40	10	28	38	21	76	13	14	9	10	200

FG%	1st: 9-22	40.9%	2nd: 13-27	48.1%	Game: 44.9%
3P%	1st: 3-5	60.0%	2nd: 2-3	66.7%	Game: 62.5%
FT%	1st: 10-14	71.4%	2nd: 17-26	65.4%	Game: 67.5%

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
UMES	20	29	49
GEORGIA STATE	31	45	76

Officials: Diana DePaul, Billy Smith, Shannon Feck  
Attendance: 257

Game 12: Jan. 3, 2010, 2:00 p.m.

### GEORGIA STATE 63 UNC WILMINGTON 53

Atlanta, Ga. (Georgia State Sports Arena)

Georgia State earned a 63-53 opening day CAA win over UNC Wilmington in women's basketball action on Sunday.

The Panthers (10-2, 1-0) stormed back from a five-point halftime deficit in a game that included eight lead changes and five ties.

Visiting UNC Wilmington (5-7, 0-1) got the lead after four ties at 18-16 with 6:02 in the first half and took a 31-26 margin into the halftime break. The Seahawks had their largest lead at 38-30 with 13:21 to play and had a 40-34 advantage at 11:18. Georgia State then got five straight points from Crystal Johnson, followed by a basket from Danyieil McKeller to gain the lead again at 41-40 with 9:54 to go.

For the next five minutes, the teams battled to a 48-48 tie with just 5:46 left. However, the host Panthers had a determined 11-0 run sparked by six points from Angelique Burts, a trey from Brittany Graham and another basket by McKeller to make it 59-48 with 1:48 to go.

The Panthers finished the second half with a 42-27 scoring advantage and shot 54.8% in that half on 17-of-31.

Georgia State got 20 points from McKeller, her season average and eighth time of 20 or more this year, to go with seven rebounds and four steals. Sophomore point guard Crystal Johnson was as star of the game with her 13 points, her career-tying best 11 assists and career-tying six steals. Junior Angelique Burts scored 14 of her 16 points in the second half, while senior Brittany Graham added 11 more points with three treys to give the Panthers four players in double figures.

"Being down at the half, we just kind of told the team to get a little more fired up and challenged everyone else to help McKeller with the scoring," Coach Lea Henry said about career win No. 298.

The Panthers' 10-2 start is the second best in school history, behind only the inaugural year of 1975-76's 11-2 run to open the season.

Georgia State, who rank in the top 20 in the nation in steals again with an average of 12 per game, added 17 steals to that total today. The 17 steals are a season-best. Georgia State's defense of 51.8 per game lead the CAA and they allowed just one basket over that today (53).

### UNC WILMINGTON 53 (5-7, 0-1)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Blackwell, f	6-11	1-1	2-3	5	3	8	2	15	5	4	0	1	31
White, f	8-14	0-0	0-1	1	6	7	2	16	1	4	1	0	36
Luksyte, g	2-6	2-3	1-2	0	1	1	0	7	0	4	0	2	19
Hanzler, g	0-1	0-0	1-2	1	1	2	3	1	0	2	0	1	17
Sawhook, g	1-3	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	17
Simmons	1-5	0-1	0-0	1	1	2	2	2	4	2	0	1	22
Walker	1-2	0-0	2-3	3	4	7	3	4	1	2	0	1	33
Johnson	1-3	0-1	0-0	1	1	3	1	2	1	1	1	0	10
Finlay	1-3	0-2	0-0	1	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	6
Reitz	0-2	0-0	2-2	1	1	2	1	2	0	1	0	0	8
Totals	21-50	3-9	8-13	13	22	35	15	53	12	22	2	6	200

FG%	1st: 12-26	46.2%	2nd: 9-24	37.5%	Game: 42.0%
3P%	1st: 0-3	00.0%	2nd: 3-6	50.0%	Game: 33.3%
FT%	1st: 2-2	100%			



Game 13: Jan. 7, 20010, 7:00 p.m.

## JAMES MADISON 68 GEORGIA STATE 60

Harrisonburg, VA (JMU Convocation Center)

In a battle between the CAA's two 10-2 teams, host James Madison rallied in the second half to claim a 68-60 win over Georgia State Thursday night.

Brittany Graham's 16 points (4-for-4 outside the arc) and Danyiel McKeller's 16 points led the scoring for Georgia State (10-3, 1-1), who sustained their first road loss after four wins this season. The nation's #1 scorer, Dawn Evans, scored two points below her average (26 tonight) and shot just 5-of-28 against the Panthers, making 13-of-14 free throws.

The see-saw game saw 12 lead changes and 10 ties. Georgia State's defense held JMU to 22.9% in the first half (8-of-35) in taking a 28-27 lead into the locker room at halftime. JMU shot just 30% for the game, but went to the free throw line 28 times (23 made) compared to just 4-of-12 by Georgia State. JMU's other advantage came in rebounding with a 55-41 margin, including 24 offensive boards.

After seven ties early in the game, Georgia State made its first strong move of the game. Down 18-17, Georgia State pulled away to a 26-20 lead at 3:33 of the first half after a trey by Graham, followed by a steal and lay-up from Graham. The Panthers shut down the high-scoring Evans without a point until she made a free throw with just 5:51 left in the first half. But Evans made her first three-point basket of the game with 50 seconds left in the first half to pull JMU back to within just 28-27 at the break. JMU was 12-for-12 from the charity stripe in the first half, while the visiting Panthers were just 0-for-1 in free throws.

In the second half, the see-saw battle continued with visiting State holding three-point leads three times early, but host JMU answering each time. The game was tied for the final time at 46 with 10 minutes to play, then JMU had a 52-49 lead with 8:33 on the clock when the Dukes made their biggest run. Evans made a lay-up, followed by a trey and then two free throws at 6:53 for her seven points in a minute and 22 second-span for the largest lead of the game at 59-49.

But, visiting State was not done and closed back to 60-56 with just 3:54 left in the game. But, State lost its point guard Crystal Johnson when she was hit in the eye on a foul by Evans at 4:39 and didn't return.

It was still 64-60 with just 34.5 seconds

## GEORGIA STATE 60 (10-3, 1-1)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.....	2-8	0-0	1-2	4	2	6	4	5	0	2	0	0	20
McKeller, f.....	8-26	0-0	0-3	1	3	4	1	16	4	4	1	1	40
Rawls, c.....	2-7	0-0	3-4	4	4	8	4	7	1	3	0	1	34
Graham, g.....	6-7	4-4	0-0	1	7	8	2	16	3	1	0	2	35
Johnson, g.....	4-9	0-0	0-3	0	2	2	1	8	8	0	0	1	35
Haltiwanger.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0+
Paulk.....	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	1	2	0	0	1	0	4
Sumpter.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	2
Williams.....	3-9	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	4	6	3	3	0	0	30
Totals.....	26-67	4-5	4-12	14	27	41	20	60	19	14	2	5	200

FG%	1st: 13-36	36.1%	2nd: 13-31	41.9%	Game: 38.8%
3P%	1st: 2-3	66.7%	2nd: 2-2	100.0%	Game: 80.0%
FT%	1st: 0-1	00.0%	2nd: 4-11	36.4%	Game: 33.3%

## JAMES MADISON 68 (11-2, 1-1)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Taylor, f.....	1-5	0-0	0-0	5	4	9	2	2	0	5	0	0	24
Jiminez, c.....	6-12	0-0	2-2	6	3	9	1	14	0	2	1	0	25
Williams, g.....	2-2	0-0	0-1	1	12	13	0	4	1	0	0	1	38
Hislop, g.....	5-13	0-2	4-5	1	2	3	0	14	0	1	0	1	33
Evans, g.....	5-28	3-15	13-14	1	3	4	3	26	4	2	0	0	34
Hammer.....	0-1	0-0	2-2	0	1	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	8
Shepherd.....	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Newman.....	2-2	0-0	0-0	3	1	4	3	4	0	0	0	2	17
Glover.....	0-2	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Francisco.....	0-4	0-0	2-4	2	2	4	1	2	0	1	0	0	8
Totals.....	21-70	3-17	23-28	24	31	55	10	68	5	12	3	5	200

FG%	1st: 8-35	22.9%	2nd: 13-35	37.1%	Game: 30.0%
3P%	1st: 1-6	16.7%	2nd: 2-11	18.2%	Game: 17.6%
FT%	1st: 10-10	100.0%	2nd: 13-18	72.2%	Game: 82.1%

Score by Periods.....	1st	2nd	Total
GEORGIA STATE.....	28	32	60
JAMES MADISON.....	27	41	68

Officials: John Morningstar, John Almarode, Timothy Bryant  
Attendance: 1,863

Game 14: Jan. 10, 20010, 2:00 p.m.

## HOFSTRA 58 GEORGIA STATE 49

Hempstead, N.Y. (Mack Sports Complex)

Georgia State fell to Hofstra, 58-49, in CAA action Sunday. The Panthers (10-4, 1-2) shot just 17-of-57 (29.8%), while he hosts hit 21-of-39 (53.8%) in their win. The Panthers entered the game leading the CAA in field goal percentage on the season (45%).

The Panthers started with a quick 5-0 lead, but Hofstra got the lead back at 8-7 to keep it the remainder of the first half. Hofstra had grown the margin to 20-10, but the visiting Panthers scored the final nine of the first half to make it 20-19 at the halftime break.

State scored the first four points of the second half to finish that run from the first half at 13-0 and take aq 23-20 lead a minute into the second half. A Brittany Graham three and a pair of Burts free throws gave GSU a 28-24 lead with 17:43 to play.

But, the momentum shifted when Hofstra's Sam Brigham made a lay-up and Georgia State was assessed a technical foul. Brigham made those two free throws and the game was tied. Hofstra built that with five more points to finish a 9-0 run and take a 33-28 lead at 14:18. A McKeller basket cut that to 33-30, but three more Hofstra lay-ups made it 39-30 with 10 minutes left.

A Burts basket ended a four and half minute GSU drought to make it 39-32, but Hofstra run off seven more unanswered points to take full control at 48-34 with six minutes left. Georgia State's final push saw a 7-0 run to close back to 48-41 with just under three minutes left to play, but Hofstra closed out the game with eight straight free throws.

"This is the first time all year I have to say we just didn't play well enough to win," Coach Lea Henry said. "We tried, but we just missed so many shots when we had good solid looks at the basket. You have got to make those to win as you see what happens when you shoot under 30 percent."

The 49 points scored were a season-low for Georgia State. It was also the first time McKeller (20-point average) did not score in double figures this year as she hit just 4 of 19 shots... Georgia State forced 30 Hofstra turnovers and had 10 steals, but could not capitalize and turn those into enough points.

## GEORGIA STATE 49 (10-4, 1-2)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.....	4-13	1-3	2-2	1	1	2	5	11	1	2	0	1	29
McKeller, f.....	4-19	0-0	0-0	1	3	4	2	8	1	3	0	2	30
Rawls, c.....	2-5	0-0	0-0	4	1	5	3	4	1	3	0	0	25
Graham, g.....	2-4	2-3	0-0	0	1	1	6	0	1	0	0	0	18
Johnson, g.....	1-3	0-0	5-6	1	2	3	3	7	4	6	0	2	40
Haltiwanger.....	0-3	0-2	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Paulk.....	1-2	0-0	0-0	2	0	2	1	2	1	0	1	0	11
Sumpter.....	0-0	0-0	2-2	0	2	2	1	2	1	2	0	3	14
Williams.....	3-8	0-0	3-5	1	0	1	4	9	2	0	0	2	25
Totals.....	17-57	3-8	12-15	15	12	27	20	49	11	18	1	10	200

FG%	1st: 6-26	23.1%	2nd: 11-31	35.5%	Game: 29.8%
3P%	1st: 2-6	33.3%	2nd: 1-2	50.0%	Game: 37.5%
FT%	1st: 5-6	83.3%	2nd: 7-9	77.8%	Game: 80.0%

## HOFSTRA 58 (8-7, 1-2)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Evans, f.....	4-5	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	1	8	0	4	0	1	34
Fuller, c.....	6-10	0-0	2-5	2	5	7	4	14	1	5	4	1	34
Bellochio, g.....	4-8	0-2	6-6	0	4	4	3	14	2	9	0	1	37
Terry, g.....	2-4	0-1	2-2	0	6	6	2	6	3	2	0	0	25
Brigham, g.....	3-5	1-1	3-4	0	4	4	1	10	3	5	0	3	34
Bond.....	1-2	0-0	0-0	2	4	6	2	2	1	1	1	1	16
Jenkins.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Capurso.....	0-3	0-1	2-2	1	1	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	6
Malone.....	1-2	0-0	0-0	3	2	5	4	2	1	0	1	0	13
Totals.....	21-39	1-5	15-19	10	27	37	19	58	11	30	6	7	200

FG%	1st: 9-21	42.9%	2nd: 12-18	66.7%	Game: 53.8%
3P%	1st: 0-2	00.0%	2nd: 1-3	33.3%	Game: 20.0%
FT%	1st: 2-5	40.0%	2nd: 13-14	92.9%	Game: 78.9%

Score by Periods.....	1st	2nd	Total
GEORGIA STATE.....	19	30	49
HOFSTRA.....	20	38	58

Officials: Kenneth Weiland, Duane Mack, Heather Browne  
Technical Fouls: Georgia State (#10 Johnson, 17:23 2nd half)  
Attendance: 658

Game 15: Jan. 14, 2010, 6:00 p.m.

## VCU 76 GEORGIA STATE 60

Atlanta, Ga. (Georgia State Sports Arena)

First-place VCU remained unbeaten in the CAA with a hard-fought 76-60 win over Thursday night.

The Rams overcame an early Georgia State lead and gained a 37-26 halftime advantage by knocking down five-of-eight three pointers. VCU then held off multiple second-half Georgia State charges that cut the deficit to six points twice early in the second half (47-41, 12:24). State mounted its final comeback to come within seven points twice more, the last with 2:13 left at 65-58. But, VCU closed with its seventh and eighth treys of the game in the final 1:45 to secure the win.

Georgia State (10-5, 1-3) did a lot of their damage to themselves with 22 turnovers, high for a team ranked as the 48th best in fewest turnovers this year.

Both teams shot well with Georgia State hitting 53.3% and VCU 52% for the game. Georgia State held a 27-22 rebounding advantage.

"VCU is an experienced, physical and very good team," Coach Lea Henry said post-game. "VCU hit those big shots in the first half to get control and erase our lead. We didn't play as well as we would have liked, but the spirit is there and we can fix a lot of our mistakes and play smarter basketball than we did tonight."

The host Panthers had started strong and built an early 14-9 lead eight minutes into the game. But, a Jennifer Lane three-point basket, a Moss trey and a Robyn Hobson trey sparked a 13-VCU run that opened a 22-15 lead with 7:50 to play. It was 27-20 when Ebony Patterson became the fourth Ram to hit a trey in their first-half run. From 10:45 to 4:28, VCU made eight straight baskets without a miss in taking the 37-26 halftime lead.

VCU led 41-28 with 18:32 in the second half when Georgia State got a surge led by McKeller and Williams to cut the margin down to 45-39 with 13:37 to go. When it was 47-41, VCU got nine straight points over the next four minutes to build it to a game-high 15 points at 56-41 after a trey by Waller at 8:52. At 62-47, Georgia State surged back once again with a 9-1 run led by Crystal Johnson and McKeller to make it 63-56 with 3:00 on the clock. A pair of Lane free throws for VCU were followed by a jumped by Williams to keep it at 65-58 as the teams headed into the final two minutes.

## VCU 76 (11-5, 4-0)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Moss, f.....	8-16	3-5	8-10	1	2	3	2	27	1	1	0	1	38
Hurt, f.....	4-8	0-1	0-0	3	1	4	4	8	1	5	2	4	32
Lane, g.....	1-4	1-2	4-6	1	4	5	3	7	3	4	0	1	37
Patterson, g.....	3-8	1-1	0-0	0	1	1	2	7	5	1	0	1	38
Waller, g.....	7-11	2-3	3-7	2	0	2	3	19	5	1	0	1	24
Hobson.....	2-2	1-1	0-0	0	1	3	5	1	1	0	0	0	12
Solomon.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	4
Taylor.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	10
Perry.....	1-1	0-0	1-2	1	2	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	5
Totals.....	26-50	8-13	16-25	9	13	22	18	76	16	15	2	10	200

FG%	1st: 14-25	56.0%	2nd: 12-25	48.0%	Game: 52.0%
3P%	1st: 5-8	62.5%	2nd: 3-5	60.0%	Game: 61.5%
FT%	1st: 4-5	80.0%	2nd: 12-20	60.0%	Game: 64.0%

## GEORGIA STATE 60 (10-5, 1-3)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.....	3-9	0-1	0-0	2	3	5	5	6	3	5	1	2	28
McKeller, f.....	7-12	0-0	0										

Game 16: Jan. 17, 2010, 2:00 p.m.

### GEORGIA STATE 71 TOWSON 62

Atlanta, Ga. (Georgia State Sports Arena)

Georgia State outshot Towson from the free throw line to post a 71-62 Colonial Athletic Association (CAA) win.

Georgia State (11-5, 2-3) nailed 31-of-41 free throws (76%) while visiting Towson (8-8, 2-3) made just 21-of-38 (55%) of their charity tosses. The Panthers shot 20 free throws in the last 2:00 of the game as Towson kept fouling to try to close the deficit.

The Panthers improved to 7-3 at home and 2-1 in the CAA at home behind senior forward Danyell McKeller's personal-best tying 26 points (9-of-15 FG) as well as eight rebounds and sophomore guard Jylisa Williams' 15 points. Point guard Crystal Johnson added 13 points and nine assists, while senior forward Shay Rawls led with 10 rebounds.

Towson's Shanae Baker-Brice, averaging 19.4 per game after 32 and 28 points in her last two outings hit just 5-of-26 shots today for 14 points.

"We watched extra tape this week to show the kids that winning attitude they had earlier and encouraged them to be mentally tougher," Coach Lea Henry explained about career win No. 299. "I think we were focused and defended well most of the game. We held them to that 30% shooting with better effort than our last couple games."

Georgia State gained the lead at 6-5 and never lost it the rest of the game, but could never shake the pesky Tigers. With McKeller hot early, GSU opened up a 10-point lead at 22-12 with 9:23 in the first half. Four times the Panthers would gain an 11-point in the first-half, the last at 33-22 with 5:27, but Towson crept back to 37-30 at halftime.

The second half was more trading baskets than either team going on momentum runs as the lead varied between six and nine points through the first 18 minutes of the second half. Every time Towson could close it to six points, GSU would quickly answer with a basket on the other end.

Georgia State built the lead back up to 11 points with 1:33 left (59-48), but Towson would not quit after a three-point basket by Jaleesa Dryver and a three-point free throw sequence by Simona Petronyte after a foul shooting a trey closed the margin to 65-60 with 48.8 seconds. But, GSU kept making free throws and sealed the win.

### TOWSON 62 (8-8 2-3)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Snowden, f.	6-10	0-0	5-6	3	1	4	5	17	2	1	0	0	26
Miliauskaitė, f.	1-2	0-0	1-2	2	0	2	3	3	0	0	0	1	15
Davis, f.	3-5	0-0	1-3	4	10	14	3	7	1	0	2	1	30
Baker-Brice, g.	5-26	0-5	4-10	1	3	4	4	14	5	6	0	2	39
Petronyte, g.	0-4	0-4	3-3	0	0	3	3	1	2	0	3	21	
Wheeler	2-9	0-0	6-10	5	3	8	1	10	0	2	2	4	24
Watt	0-2	0-2	1-2	0	1	1	2	1	0	2	1	0	4
Dryver	3-3	1-1	0-0	2	3	5	4	7	0	1	0	0	23
Parker	0-2	0-2	0-0	2	3	5	0	0	2	3	0	3	13
Kennedy	0-2	0-2	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	5
Totals	20-65	1-14	21-38	21	26	47	25	62	11	18	5	14	200
FG%	1st: 12-34	35.3%	2nd: 8-31	25.8%	Game: 30.6%								
3P%	1st: 0-7	00.0%	2nd: 1-7	14.3%	Game: 07.1%								
FT%	1st: 6-12	50.0%	2nd: 15-26	57.7%	Game: 55.3%								

### GEORGIA STATE 71 (11-5, 2-3)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.	2-8	0-2	3-4	1	2	3	3	7	0	1	0	1	14
McKeller, f.	9-15	0-0	8-12	0	8	8	4	26	2	6	0	5	40
Rawls, c.	0-3	0-0	2-2	5	5	10	5	2	0	2	1	0	32
Graham, g.	2-4	2-4	2-2	0	2	2	1	8	1	1	0	0	27
Williams, g.	3-8	0-0	9-10	0	4	4	3	15	2	3	1	0	40
Johnson	3-7	0-0	7-11	0	2	2	3	13	9	5	0	3	33
Haltiwanger	0-3	0-2	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	5
Paulk	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	3	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	9
Totals	19-48	2-8	31-41	9	29	38	24	71	14	19	3	10	200
FG%	1st: 11-25	44.0%	2nd: 8-23	34.8%	Game: 39.6%								
3P%	1st: 2-5	40.0%	2nd: 0-3	00.0%	Game: 25.0%								
FT%	1st: 13-14	92.9%	2nd: 18-27	66.7%	Game: 75.6%								

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
TOWSON	30	32	61
GEORGIA STATE	37	34	71

Officials: Taiqua Stewart, Ron Clarkson, Jerrald Drummond  
Attendance: 468

Game 17: Jan. 21, 2010, 7:00 p.m.

### ODU 58 GEORGIA STATE 54

Norfolk, Va. (Ted Constant Convocation Center)

In a game with 13 ties, host ODU made the big plays at the end to erase GSU leads and prevail 58-54 in a CAA game.

Tied at 54, ODU guard Shadasia Green made her only basket of the second half on a drive down the lane with 21 seconds left and then Danyell McKeller missed a chance to tie with 10 seconds left as ODU improved to 5-1 in the CAA.

Georgia State (11-6, 2-4) controlled the game and lead for much of the second half. ODU (7-9, 5-1) went from 16:55 to 8:30 before they got the lead back from GSU when Jessica Canady scored. The teams were tied at 52 with 2:25 after a McKeller steal and lay-up and stayed that way after multiple possessions until ODU's Jasmine Parker scored with 52.7 seconds to put ODU ahead.

But with 34.4 seconds left, Georgia State's Angelique Burts made a steal after missing a chance to tie on a lay-up she missed and made the lay-up after her steal.

ODU came down for what appeared to be a last-possession chance, but Shadasia Green quickly drove to the basket with 21 seconds left and had a chance for a 3-point play. However, she missed the free throw and it was still 56-54 as GSU had time to set up for a potential game-tying basket or taking the lead with another trey.

The Panthers worked the ball into the paint to McKeller, but her turnaround jumper bounced off the rim. GSU fouled Tia Lewis for a one-and-one free throw opportunity with 6.6 and after three bounces off the rim, the ball went through for a three-point play. She made the second for the final cushion.

McKeller scored 22 points to lead the offense, while Shay Rawls garnered 11 rebounds. The Panthers hurt their chances for a second straight win over ODU by making just 10-of-18 free throws and shooting just 29 percent in the second half and 33.9 for the game.

The teams were tied at the half, 32-32, as GSU came out in the second-half and established a four-point lead at 43-39 with 13:05 to play. The Panthers had multiple three-point leads, but could never pull away after missing shots.

"I felt we kind of controlled the tempo most of the game, but we just didn't get the shots to go in most of the night," Coach Lea Henry said.

### GEORGIA STATE 54 (11-6, 2-4)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.	2-9	0-1	2-2	0	2	2	5	6	0	2	0	2	29
McKeller, f.	10-23	0-0	2-4	3	3	6	4	22	1	4	0	2	39
Rawls, c.	0-6	0-0	5-9	5	6	11	4	5	1	2	1	3	38
Graham, g.	3-6	2-5	0-0	1	4	5	0	8	3	1	0	1	34
Johnson, g.	3-9	0-1	1-3	2	2	4	1	7	2	7	0	0	39
Haltiwanger	2-5	2-4	0-0	3	1	4	0	6	4	0	0	1	18
Paulk	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Sumpter	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
Anderson	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1
Totals	20-59	4-11	10-18	15	22	37	15	54	11	17	1	9	200
FG%	1st: 12-32	37.5%	2nd: 8-27	29.6%	Game: 33.9%								
3P%	1st: 4-6	66.7%	2nd: 0-5	00.0%	Game: 36.4%								
FT%	1st: 4-7	57.1%	2nd: 6-11	54.5%	Game: 55.6%								

### ODU 58 (7-9, 5-1)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Canady, f.	6-11	0-0	3-6	6	8	14	1	15	0	0	0	3	34
Lewis, c.	5-7	0-0	4-4	2	9	11	3	14	2	6	2	0	28
Green, g.	3-12	0-1	0-1	5	6	1	6	2	0	2	0	0	30
Parker, g.	4-12	0-5	1-2	1	3	4	2	9	3	5	0	1	23
Byrd, g.	1-3	0-2	0-0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	6
Buchan	1-1	1-1	4-4	0	0	0	3	7	0	1	0	0	26
Cloutier	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	14
Cook	2-4	0-2	1-3	1	2	3	1	5	2	2	0	0	13
Guilford	0-1	0-1	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	1	3	0	1	14
Collier	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	8
Totals	22-53	1-12	13-20	14	30	44	13	58	13	20	5	5	200
FG%	1st: 14-29	48.3%	2nd: 8-24	33.3%	Game: 41.5%								
3P%	1st: 1-6	16.7%	2nd: 0-6	00.0%	Game: 08.3%								
FT%	1st: 3-5	60.0%	2nd: 10-15	66.7%	Game: 65.0%								

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
GEORGIA STATE	32	22	54
HOFSTRA	32	26	58

Officials: Angela Lewis, Kren Preato, Krista Vera  
Attendance: 2,473

Game 18: Jan. 24, 2010, 2:00 p.m.

### JAMES MADISON 67 GEORGIA STATE 61

Atlanta, Ga. (Georgia State Sports Arena)

The nation's leading scorer and three-point shooter, Dawn Evans, put on a second-half scoring show to finish with 30 points and 9-of-14 three-point baskets in leading James Madison to a 67-61 decision over Georgia State.

Host Georgia State (11-7, 2-5) was holding a slim 30-27 halftime advantage over James Madison (15-3, 5-2) with Evans having just nine points on 3-of-9 shooting. But, Evans knocked down three three-pointers in the first two minutes of the second half in which she scored 21 points with six treys. Evans' 30-point game was the 14th of her career as she hit 10-of-19 shots overall today.

After Evans helped give JMU a 43-32 lead five minutes into the half, the Panthers clawed back to 47-42 with 11:54 on the clock. However, Evans quickly hit a trey, a driving floater down the lane and another trey at 9:40 to put JMU back up 55-44.

When State answered back to close within five again at 62-57 at 1:18, the visiting Dukes made the free throws down the stretch to earn the win.

James Madison, who hit 12-of-21 outside the arc (57%), also got 16 points from Sarah Williams to support Evans. Evans' performance of nine treys was a school record and one shy of the CAA record. The Dukes 12 three-pointers tied their school record. The only other player known to have made nine treys in the GSU Sports Arena is Panthers' former star Kevin Morris with his nine-trey game.

In the first half, JMU went on a 10-0 run to open a 22-13 lead at 7:50 and led 24-18 with 6:44 when the momentum shifted to Georgia State. The host Panthers went on their 11-0 run and turned 24-18 deficit into a 29-24 lead with 2:45 left in the first half and took the 30-27 lead into the locker.

This 67-61 win gives JMU the series sweep after posting a 68-60 win in Harrisonburg 17 days ago.

The rough game saw leading scorer McKeller have two head injuries in the first half and leave the game at 5:40 for the rest of the half. The team doctor evaluated her condition at halftime and allowed her to return in the second half.

"We played hard and with intensity today, but we gave them too many easy looks," Coach Lea Henry said postgame. "We were not aggressive like we have been in defending the outside shot today and am disappointed in that."

### JAMES MADISON 67 (15-3, 5-2)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Taylor, f.	0-2	0-0	0-0	2	2	4	3	0	0	3	0	0	13
Jimenez, c.	2-9	0-0	6-6	5	2	7	0	10	1	3	0	1	26
Williams, g.	6-9	2-4	2-2	1	6	7	0	16	3	2	1	0	36
Hispol, g.	0-4	0-0	0-1	0	1	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	25
Evans, g.	10-19	9-14	1-6	2	0	2	3	30	4	1	1	1	37
Hammer	1-4	1-3	0-0	0	2	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	14
Shepherd	2-4	0-0	2-2	3	2	5	4	6	0	0	0	1	18
Newman	1-3	0-0	0-0	1	3	4	4	2	0	0	1	0	23
Francisco	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Totals	22-55	12-21	11-17	15	21	36	18	67	9	11	2	4	200
FG%	1st: 8-27	29.6%	2nd: 14-28	50.0%	Game: 40.0%								
3P%	1st: 5-10	50.0%	2nd: 7-11	63.6%	Game: 57.1%								
FT%	1st: 6-6	100.0%	2nd: 5-11	45.5%	Game: 64.7%								

### GEORGIA STATE 61 (11-7, 2-5)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.	1-7	0-3	2-4	2	2	4	2	4	3	0	0	1	24
McKeller, f.	7-15	0-0	4-7	2	4	6	2	18	1	5	0	0	31

Game 19: Jan. 28, 2010, 7:00 p.m.

## GEORGIA STATE 46 GEORGE MASON 36

Fairfax, Va. (Patriot Center)

Georgia State head coach Lea Henry recorded her 300th career victory as the Panthers earned a 46-36 win over George Mason in a Colonial Athletic Association game.

Georgia State (12-7, 3-5) also set their CAA lowest defensive yield with the 36 points allowed, the sixth lowest in school history. It is the seventh time this year the CAA's top defensive team has held an opponent to 50 points or fewer. The Panthers held Mason to 28.3% shooting and 0-for-12 outside the three-point arc. The Panthers have now won 50 straight games when holding an opponent to 50 points or fewer, including the 7-0 this season.

The Panthers got 21 points from Danyiel McKeller and a double-double of 16 points and 10 rebounds from junior forward Angelique Burts.

Henry, whose first head coaching win was as interim coach at the University of Florida on Feb. 14, 1990, later served as head coach at Mercer before coming to Georgia State in 1994. Henry, who was an Olympic gold-medal winning player and All-SEC guard at Tennessee, is in the Georgia Sports Hall of Fame and the Tennessee Vols Hall of Fame. This was her 242nd win at Georgia State.

"Yes, it feels special to get a road CAA win and a milestone win," Coach Henry said postgame. "You remember these things and seeing the players grinning over at me during the end of the game and being aware of something like this makes a coach feel good."

"We came in thinking about the importance of our defensive effort and the veterans understand how to play team defense," Henry noted. "We've had tough luck losing two key players for the season and to keep pulling together and finding ways to win is important to reinforce a winning attitude."

The visiting Panthers pulled from a 6-6 early tie with an 8-0 run sparked by McKeller and never let host Mason get the lead again. Georgia State held a 26-18 halftime lead.

A quick 10-4 run to start the second half gave Georgia State a 36-22 lead at the midpoint of the second half. Mason could get no closer than nine points with a final run at 43-34 with just 1:32 left.

Game 20: Jan. 31, 2010, 7:00 p.m.

## VCU 53 GEORGIA STATE 39

Richmond, Va. (Verizon Wireless Arena)

The two top defenses of the Colonial Athletic Association battled today and host VCU muscled its way to a 53-39 win over Georgia State.

VCU (15-6, 8-1) held Georgia State to 32.6% on 14-of-43 field goals, but Georgia State (12-8, 3-6) countered with 17 steals and 27 forced turnovers against VCU.

After three ties in the low-scoring first half, host VCU edged out to a 22-17 halftime lead.

In the second half, GSU's Brittany Graham hit a three-point shot to close to 25-22 at 18:28. But, host VCU went on a 15-2 run over the next seven minutes to forge a 38-24 lead at 12:47 and the Panthers could never recover.

Georgia State's Danyiel McKeller, who averages 19.5 a game, shot just 3-of-13 for seven points this afternoon to score just seven points. The leading scorer was Shay Rawls with 10 points to go with her eight rebounds.

VCU's Kita Waller followed her 35-point game of Thursday with a 28-point game today, hitting 8-of-12 field goals, including 4-of-7 three-point baskets, as well as 8-for-8 from the free throw line. Courtney Lane added 11 points and seven rebounds. Waller hit 17 of her 28 points in the second half.

VCU got a big boost by making 15-of-18 free throws (83.3%) today.

"First, VCU is a good, strong, physical first-place team," Coach Lea Henry, who picked up her 300th win Thursday said. "But, we had looks today and just didn't make enough shots. VCU makes it difficult for you, but we didn't execute as well as we could have. There is a lot of contact, a lot of pushing and shoving away from the ball and you have to respond. This was a tough trip with the five-hour bus ride in the snow yesterday, but that's part of the five-day trips we take in the CAA. Now, we get to come home for a pair of games and need to bounce back with more wins."

The two defenses combined to force 55 turnovers and make 26 steals.

A 13-inch snowfall blanketed Richmond on Saturday.

Game 21: Feb. 4, 2010, 6:00 p.m.

## NORTHEASTERN 61 GEORGIA STATE 53

Atlanta, Ga. (Georgia State Sports Arena)

Northeastern got the last ride on the roller coaster to roll away with a 61-53 win over host Georgia State. When the game starts with Northeastern opening with a 10-0 run down the roller coaster and Georgia State following back with 11-0 run to take the 11-10 lead, one knew this could be a little different.

After a level ride at 15-15, Georgia State hit the down slope and rolled another 10-3 run to open a 25-18 lead. The host Panthers maintained that with a 31-22 halftime lead.

Northeastern started the second half with its next run, a 7-2 slide to make it just 33-29 with 18:10 to play. But, GSU's 6-2 run opened it back to 39-31 with 16:31.

Once again, Northeastern's coaster ride took them on a 8-0 journey to take a 40-39 lead with 12:25 to go. Georgia State found the downslope again with its 6-0 ride to open a 45-40 margin with 11:05.

The Panthers were coasting at 47-42 as the game entered the final 10 minutes, but Northeastern took off on an 8-0 run to take a 50-47 advantage with 5:28 to play.

Northeastern was clinging to a 50-49 lead with 4:55 on the clock, but enjoyed the final 11-4 ride to claim the road win.

A big part was the Huskies' 17-of-22 free throws (77.3%) to just 4-of-9 from the charity stripe for the host Panthers. State held a 36-34 rebound advantage and made 22 baskets to NU's 20. Northeastern shot a key 57.1% in the second half and GSU hit just 29% in that second half. Georgia State's defense had 11 steals and forced 19 turnovers, but didn't capitalize.

Georgia State (12-9, 3-7) got a personal-best 27 points from senior forward Danyiel McKeller, her 12th 20-point game of the season and 18th of her career. McKeller also had a career-best six-ast game. Shay Rawls had 12 rebounds, while Crystal Johnson added nine points and five assists.

"Obviously, I am disappointed we didn't finish what we started," Coach Lea Henry said. "We had a lot of wide-open, great looks, but everybody just didn't put the ball in the basket tonight. It takes everyone on the roster contributing and stepping up to find a way to win. We just simply didn't make baskets on our home court that we should have made."

### GEORGIA STATE 46 (12-7, 3-5)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.	6-10	1-1	3-6	1	9	10	3	16	2	5	0	2	40
McKeller, f.	8-20	0-0	5-7	1	3	4	4	21	1	4	0	1	40
Rawls, c.	3-8	0-0	1-2	2	6	8	2	7	0	5	1	3	39
Graham, g.	0-6	0-5	0-0	1	5	6	0	0	1	0	0	3	40
Johnson, g.	1-3	0-1	0-1	1	1	2	2	2	2	9	2	0	40
Sumpter	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Totals	18-47	1-7	9-16	9	27	36	11	46	13	17	1	9	200

FG%	1st: 12-26	46.2%	2nd: 6-21	28.6%	Game: 38.3%
3P%	1st: 1-4	25.0%	2nd: 0-3	00.0%	Game: 14.3%
FT%	1st: 1-3	33.3%	2nd: 8-13	61.5%	Game: 56.3%

### GEORGE MASON 36 (8-11, 1-7)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Easter, f.	3-11	0-3	2-2	0	4	4	3	8	0	0	1	1	35
LaTouche, f.	1-6	0-0	2-2	4	4	9	2	4	2	1	0	1	33
Poindexter, g.	1-3	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	4
Saunders, g.	5-9	0-1	0-0	3	1	4	4	10	1	8	0	2	31
Eley, g.	5-15	0-3	1-2	1	5	6	1	11	4	2	2	0	40
Epps	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	8
Pickard	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5
Hobbs	0-7	0-4	1-2	1	2	3	2	1	2	4	0	1	34
Robinson	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	10
Totals	15-53	0-12	6-8	12	23	35	13	36	10	18	3	5	200

FG%	1st: 9-26	34.6%	2nd: 6-27	22.2%	Game: 28.3%
3P%	1st: 0-6	16.7%	2nd: 0-6	00.0%	Game: 00.0%
FT%	1st: 0-0	00.0%	2nd: 6-8	75.0%	Game: 75.0%

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
GEORGIA STATE	26	20	46
GEORGE MASON	18	18	36

Officials: Kathy Longergan, Warren Harding, Jr., Byron Davis

Attendance: 338

### GEORGIA STATE 39 (12-8, 3-6)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.	2-6	1-3	3-6	3	6	9	3	8	1	7	0	2	33
McKeller, f.	3-13	0-0	1-2	3	1	4	4	7	1	3	0	5	35
Rawls, c.	3-5	0-0	4-7	4	4	8	3	10	1	4	0	0	36
Graham, g.	1-4	1-4	0-0	0	0	0	3	3	1	2	0	3	27
Johnson, g.	3-8	0-1	1-2	0	1	1	1	7	3	4	0	6	40
Haltiwanger	0-3	0-2	0-0	0	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	1	15
Paulk	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Sumpter	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	2	0	2	0	0	7
Anderson	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	2	1	1	0	0	6
Totals	14-43	2-10	9-17	11	18	29	18	39	8	28	0	17	200

FG%	1st: 12-32	37.5%	2nd: 8-27	29.6%	Game: 33.9%
3P%	1st: 4-6	66.7%	2nd: 0-5	00.0%	Game: 36.4%
FT%	1st: 4-7	57.1%	2nd: 6-11	54.5%	Game: 55.6%

### VCU 53 (15-6, 8-1)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Moss, f.	3-9	0-1	0-0	2	4	6	3	6	3	3	0	2	34
Hurt, f.	4-10	0-0	3-4	3	4	7	4	11	0	5	0	3	27
Waller, g.	8-12	4-7	8-8	1	5	6	0	28	1	2	0	0	33
Patterson g.	0-2	0-1	1-2	0	3	3	2	1	2	5	0	1	33
Lane, g.	1-4	0-0	3-4	0	1	1	2	5	5	8	0	3	31
Taylor	0-1	0-1	0-0	1	2	3	1	0	2	2	0	0	25
Perry	1-3	0-0	0-0	2	0	2	2	2	0	1	0	0	7
Solomon	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Hobson	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Totals	17-41	4-10	15-18	9	21	30	16	53	13	27	0	9	200

FG%	1st: 7-18	38.9%	2nd: 10-23	43.5%	Game: 41.5%
3P%	1st: 3-6	50.0%	2nd: 1-4	25.0%	Game: 40.0%
FT%	1st: 5-6	83.3%	2nd: 10-12	83.3%	Game: 83.3%

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
GEORGIA STATE	17	22	39
VCU	22	31	53

Officials: Norma Jones, Mark Behrens, Kim Waller

Attendance: 308

### NORTHEASTERN 61 (9-12, 4-6)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Walton, f.	5-8	1-3	1-3	1	6	7	1	12	0	3	1	1	38
Carr, c.	6-8	0-0	5-5	3	2	5	1	17	1	3	2	2	40
Wilson, g.	4-13	0-3	6-8	3	6	9	4	14	1	3	1	3	34
Cannon g.	4-10	2-5	0-0	1	3	4	2	10	2	3	1	3	36
Kerkhof, g.	1-3	1-1	3-4	1	1	2	1	6	1	3	0	1	28
Pecota	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Tolbert	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Conroy	0-0	0-0	2-2	0	3	3	0	2	2	3	0	0	14
Iervolino	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Totals	20-44	4-13	17-22	10	24	34	9	61	7	19	5	10	200

FG%	1st: 8-23	34.8%	2nd: 12-21	57.1%	Game: 45.5%
3P%	1st: 1-6	16.7%	2nd: 3-7	42.9%	Game: 30.8%
FT%	1st: 5-7	71.4%	2nd: 12-15	80.0%	Game: 77.3%

### GEORGIA STATE 53 (12-9, 3-7)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.	2-5	0-1	0-0	0	1	2	4	0	3	0	0	0	15
McKeller, f.	12-28	0-0	3-7	5	3	8	2	27	0	1	1	6	40
Rawls, c.	0-2	0-0	1-2	4	8	12	4	1	0	0	0	1	40
Graham, g.	1-9	1-8	0-0	2	0	2	1	3	4	1	0	1	38
Johnson, g.	4-8	1-1	0-0	0	1	1	1	9	5	4	0	2	40

# 2009-10 SEASON REVIEW



**PANTHERS**

Game 22: Feb. 7, 2010, 1:00 p.m.

## GEORGIA STATE 63 WILLIAM & MARY 60

Atlanta, Ga. (Georgia State Sports Arena)

The Panthers got "super" efforts from several players to post a 63-60 Super Bowl Sunday afternoon win over CAA rival, William & Mary.

Point guard Crystal Johnson had a personally "super" day with a triple-double of 12 points, 11 assists, 10 rebounds and four steals, while Danyiel McKeller added 18 points, nine rebounds and 6-foot-3 freshman Cody Paulk came off the bench to provide six "super" blocked shots. Angeliqe Burts contributed 12 points.

Georgia State (13-9, 4-7) and William & Mary (10-12, 3-8) swapped the lead 12 times to go with four ties in a full 40-minute battle.

William and Mary had re-gained the lead at 60-59 with 3:21 on a pair of free throws by Jaelyn McKenna. But, Georgia State senior guard Brittany Graham had the answer for Georgia State with a three from deep in the corner to give the host Panthers a 62-60 advantage with 3:21 to play in a shot that proved to be the difference.

Crystal Johnson made a final free throw on the front end of a one-and-one with 31.5 seconds left. William and Mary, who had gotten 7 three-point baskets from Janine Aldridge, tried to get her one last look with screens and picks, but Aldridge ended up traveling with 5.5 seconds left before she could get off a shot.

With 4.5 seconds left, Johnson missed the front end of this one-and-one and the visiting Tribe got the rebound and got off desperation 25-footer from Taysha Pye that banged off the backboard at the buzzer.

"We needed to be aggressive and make things happen. It was good to see we were resilient enough to bounce back from the tough loss on Thursday and get this win today," said coach Lea Henry.

This was Georgia State's first-ever win over William and Mary in regular season, making the series now at 7-2, including the win in a conference tournament.

As the teams traded early scoring runs to start the game, William and Mary had gained the lead on Aldridge's second trey at 19-17 with 12:20 in the first half. But, Crystal Johnson three-pointer gave GSU a lead they wouldn't lose until the second half. The host Panthers had built seven-point leads four different times in the first half, the last at 37-30 with 1:52 left in the first half. But, another Aldridge trey and a pair of baskets in the final minute of the half by Pye and Benson cut the lead to 39-37 in favor of GSU at halftime.

In the second half, Aldridge's fifth trey gave William and Mary its largest lead of the game at 45-41 with 15:45 to play. But, the host Panthers had an answer with a 10-1 run to re-take the lead at 51-46 with 10:42 to go.

State was up by seven points at 55-48 with 8:46 to go when the Tribe made its strong run, led by center Tiffany Benson and Aldridge. The sixth and seventh treys of the game by Aldridge put the Tribe back up 58-57 with 4:44 to go.

Game 23: Feb. 12, 2010, 2:00 p.m.

## TOWSON 55 GEORGIA STATE 50

Baltimore, Md. (Towson Center)

Towson's Shanae Baker-Brice drained a key three-point basket from deep in the corner with the shot clock running down and 29.6 seconds left in the game to propel the host Tigers to a 55-50 decision over Georgia State Friday afternoon in a game delayed a day by the three-feet of snow in Baltimore.

In a game tied five times with six lead changes, the difference ended up being Towson's 22-of-31 from the free throw line to Georgia State's 10-of-18. The visiting Panthers had 17 more field goal attempts than Towson (59-42) and made 18 compared to Towson's 15 as GSU controlled the boards, 42-37, with 20 offensive rebounds. State's defense had 13 steals to 3 for the Tigers and forced 20 Towson turnovers while turning it over just 14 times themselves.

Georgia State shot just 30.5% for the game with a 28% cold first half, but the Panthers' defense was holding Towson to just 35% with just 30% in the second half to keep the game back and forth.

Georgia State (13-10, 4-8) got 11 points off the bench from Traci Haltiwanger and 11 points from point guard Crystal Johnson. But, Georgia State's ace, Danyiel McKeller, was just 1-of-13 with five points after entering the game in the top 20 in the country at 19.2 per game. McKeller did lead the Panthers with 10 rebounds and five steals.

Crystal Johnson had made one-of-two free throws with 9:12 left to send the game into its fifth tie. Towson responded with five-of-six free throws and a lay-up over the next eight minutes to maintain the lead when Johnson's jumper closed it to 50-47 with 55 seconds left.

The host Tigers called time out and then held the ball in the backcourt as GSU was in a zone hoping to force a long shot. As the clock ticked away its final five ticks of the shot clock, Baker-Brice launched her trey from the left corner over the outstretched hand of a Panther defender to make it a six-point lead.

But, GSU wasn't quite done as Traci Haltiwanger knocked down a three at 14.3 seconds to bring it back to 53-50. The Tigers got the ball into Baker-Brice, who was quickly fouled and went to the line for two free throws. She drained them both and re-sealed the victory.

"We showed toughness, came back and kept fighting, but our open shots weren't going in today," head coach Lea Henry said. "We're disappointed and know we played hard, but you have to shoot better from the field and the free throw line to win on the road in this league."

Game 24: Feb. 14, 2010, 12:00 p.m.

## DELAWARE 68 GEORGIA STATE 65

Newark, Del. (Bob Carpenter Center)

A missed lay-up with 1.3 seconds left that could have sent a game into overtime allowed host Delaware to escape with a 68-65 Colonial Athletic Association win over Georgia State before 3,606 on Valentine's Sunday.

Scrappy GSU (13-11, 4-9) had battled back within a basket at the end and had the ball with 9.7 seconds to go for a winning three or a tying two. Point guard Crystal Johnson beat her defender and penetrated the middle, then dished to a teammate for an open lay-up that bounced off the rim. A final foul by GSU and a free throw by UD (16-8, 8-5) with 1.3 seconds left provided the final score.

"It was a great play after our final timeout, but it just didn't drop today," Coach Lea Henry said. "Crystal Johnson penetrated, made a good decision and a good pass, but it didn't drop for Shay (Rawls). And, Shay had played so well today and all her previous good plays today had us in position for that final play."

Delaware had to shoot 61.9% in the second half to hold off the challenging Panthers and shot 53.8% for the game. The aggressive Panthers got off 71 shots to 52 for Delaware and had a 40-35 rebound advantage over the taller Blue Hens. State had 20 offensive rebounds. The Panthers added nine steals and forced 16 UD turnovers to keep the pressure on.

Georgia State, who led several times in the first half, but trailed by four at the halftime break, made several runs in the second half. When McKeller's jumper made it 51-48, Lauren Carra nailed a three to open it back up.

Later, McKeller followed up a miss and it was 54-52 with 8:57 to play. But, UD's Delle Donne responded with a three from the top of the key to push it back up to five.

State got a trey from Haltiwanger with 49.3 in the game, it was 65-62. But, with everyone in the building and all of Georgia States' defenders knowing Delle Donne was going to get the ball, the six-foot-five freshman went baseline and lofted a soft jumper over three outstretched GSU defenders to make it 67-62.

Haltiwanger nailed another three and it was 67-65 with just 12.5 seconds. The Panthers pressing defense forced a jump ball and gave them a chance for the win or tie at 9.7.

All-America forward Elena Delle Done had 35 points as she hit 15-of-22 shots with four-of-seven outside the arc.

Shay Rawls had a double-double for GSU with four Panthers in double figures, topped by McKeller's 23.

### WILLIAM AND MARY 60 (10-12, 3-8)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Correal, f.	1-3	0-0	2-2	3	2	5	1	4	0	2	0	1	16
Benson, c.	6-12	0-0	1-9	6	7	13	1	13	5	2	0	1	37
Pye, g.	5-17	0-1	1-2	2	4	6	2	11	4	2	0	1	35
DeHenzel, g.	1-6	1-5	0-0	0	2	2	3	4	3	0	0	0	37
Aldridge g.	8-17	7-14	0-0	0	3	3	2	23	1	5	0	1	34
McKenna	0-3	0-1	2-2	3	3	6	1	2	0	0	1	0	20
Hilton	1-5	0-0	0-1	2	1	3	2	2	0	0	0	1	12
Murchison	1-3	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	7
Moller	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Totals	23-66	8-21	6-16	22	27	49	12	60	14	17	1	5	200
FG%	1st: 16-36	44.4%	2nd: 7-30	23.3%	Game: 34.8%								
3P%	1st: 4-9	44.4%	2nd: 4-12	33.3%	Game: 38.1%								
FT%	1st: 1-9	11.1%	2nd: 5-7	71.4%	Game: 37.5%								

### GEORGIA STATE 63 (13-9, 4-7)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.	6-11	0-1	0-0	1	3	4	4	12	3	3	0	2	38
McKeller, f.	7-21	0-0	4-5	2	7	9	1	18	1	5	0	4	40
Rawls, c.	3-4	0-0	1-2	2	3	5	2	7	0	2	0	0	16
Graham, g.	3-10	2-7	0-0	0	0	1	8	3	3	0	0	0	39
Johnson, g.	4-6	1-1	3-5	1	9	10	1	12	11	1	1	4	40
Anderson	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Haltiwanger	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Paulk	3-4	0-0	0-1	1	1	2	3	6	0	0	5	0	24
Totals	26-56	3-9	8-13	8	25	33	12	63	18	14	6	10	200
FG%	1st: 17-33	51.5%	2nd: 9-23	39.1%	Game: 46.4%								
3P%	1st: 2-6	33.3%	2nd: 1-3	33.3%	Game: 33.3%								
FT%	1st: 3-6	50.0%	2nd: 5-7	71.4%	Game: 61.5%								

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
WILLIAM & MARY	37	23	60
GEORGIA STATE	39	24	63

Officials: Douglas Cloud, Alicia Walker, Lisa Ruggs  
Attendance: 249

### GEORGIA STATE 50 (13-10, 4-8)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.	3-11	0-1	0-0	2	1	3	5	6	3	2	1	2	27
McKeller, f.	1-13	0-0	3-4	5	5	10	4	5	3	3	1	3	39
Rawls, c.	2-7	0-0	1-3	3	5	8	3	5	0	0	0	2	23
Graham, g.	1-5	1-3	0-0	0	1	1	0	3	2	2	0	2	19
Johnson, g.	4-6	0-1	3-6	4	1	5	2	11	3	3	0	2	40
Haltiwanger	4-11	3-8	0-0	2	4	6	3	11	3	2	0	1	28
Paulk	1-3	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	2	2	0	0	0	1	7
Stumper	2-3	0-0	3-4	1	0	1	3	7	0	0	0	0	11
Anderson	0-0	0-0	0-1	1	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	6
Totals	18-59	4-13	10-18	20	22	42	23	50	14	14	2	13	200
FG%	1st: 8-28	28.6%	2nd: 10-31	30.0%	Game: 30.5%								
3P%	1st: 1-3	33.3%	2nd: 3-10	30.0%	Game: 30.8%								
FT%	1st: 7-12	58.3%	2nd: 3-6	55.6%	Game: 55.6%								

### TOWSON 55 (12-11, 6-6)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Wheeler, f.	4-9	0-0	7-7	8	5	13	3	15	1	1	2	0	34
Snowden, f.	0-3	0-0	2-2	0	0	0	2	2	1	3	0	0	24
Davis, f.	0-0	0-0	1-2	1	5	6	3	1	1	4	0	0	31
Baker-Brice g.	7-15	2-5	9-15	1	6	7	0	25	2	5	1	2	39
Parker, g.	0-5	0-1	1-2	2	5	7	2	1	4	5	1	0	31
Watt	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	0	1	13
Milaukaite	1-1	0-0	1-1	0	1	1	4	3	0	1	1	0	11
Fields	1-2	0-0	1-2	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	6
Petronyte	1-3	1-3	0-0	0	0	0	1	3	1	0	0	0	11
Totals	15-42	3-10	22-31	12	25	37	17	55	11	20	5	3	200
FG%	1st: 9-22	40.9%	2nd: 6-20	30.0%	Game: 35.7%								
3P%	1st: 2-6	33.3%	2nd: 1-4	25.0%	Game: 30.0%								
FT%	1st: 10-14	71.4%	2nd: 12-17	70.6%	Game: 71.0%								

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
GEORGIA STATE	24	26	50
TOWSON	30	25	55

Officials: Norma Jones, Kristi Vera, Kristina Densou  
Attendance: 219

### GEORGIA STATE 65 (13-11, 4-9)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.	4-12	0-1	2-2	5	4	9	1	10	5	4	0	3	40
McKeller, f.	10-31	0-0	3-4	3	5	8	3	23	1	1	0	2	40
Rawls, c.	7-14	0-0	3-5	6	4	10	3	17	0	2	0	1	40
Graham, g.	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	4
Johnson, g.	0-4	0-0	0-0	2	4	6	0	7	1	1	1	2	40
Haltiwanger	6-9	3-6	0-0	1	1	2	3	15	1	2	0	1	36
Anderson	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
Totals	27-71	3-8	8-11	20	20	40	14	65	15	12	1	9	200
FG%	1st: 14-29	48.3%	2nd: 13-42	31.0%	Game: 38.0%								
3P%	1st: 1-3	33.3%	2nd: 2-5	40.0%	Game: 37.5%								
FT%	1st: 1-1	100%	2nd: 7-10	70.0%	Game: 72.7%								

### DELAWARE 68 (16-8, 8-5)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Delle Donne, f.	15-22	4-7	1-1	2	5	7	1	35	1	1	6	2	40
Jenkins, f.	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	9
Bailey, g.	2-4												

# 2009-10 SEASON REVIEW



PANTHERS

Game 25: Feb. 18, 2010, 6:00 p.m.

## OLD DOMINION 63 GEORGIA STATE 61

Atlanta, Ga. (Georgia State Sports Arena)

First-place Old Dominion was trailing host Georgia State by a point with 7.3 seconds left and had the ball out of bounds 94 feet away after a time out.

Junior point guard Jasmine Parker drove the length of the floor and made a final pass just in the nick of time for Tia Lewis to lay it in the basket with 0.6 seconds left and then added a free throw for a 63-61 win.

Georgia State had re-taken the lead, 61-60, with 7.3 seconds after a pair of three throws by Crystal Johnson.

This marks the second time this year Johnson led Old Dominion to beat the Panthers in the final 30 seconds of a game.

GSU had battled back from a 16-point first-half deficit to take the lead with 5:50 left and led by three with 4:15 to play. But, the Lady Monarchs came right back to gain control, 60-57, with 1:50 left.

But, the host Panthers quickly got a basket from Shay Rawls to make it 60-59 with 1:23 left. The teams traded defensive stops and Georgia State got the ball back for a final time when Johnson was fouled and stepped to the line to become the potential game hero.

Shay Rawls led GSU (13-12, 4-10) with a career-best 22 points to go with 11 rebounds, while Danyiel McKeller added 16 more points and six rebounds.

ODU had shot 57% in the first-half in building a 39-31 halftime advantage and had broken from a 17-14 lead at 10:47 to a 33-17 lead at 4:50 on that 16-3 run. A pair of three-point baskets by Brittany Graham sparked a GSU surge to close back to the eight-point halftime deficit.

In the second half, host GSU went to work underneath the Rawls and McKeller to re-gain the lead at 44-43 with 13:37 to play with that 13-4 start to the second half with eight points from Rawls.

ODU answered and captured a six-point lead at 9:03, 54-48, on a trey by Kquanise Byrd. But, the Panthers defense and a more work by McKeller gave GSU a 9-0 run to take a three-point lead at 57-54 with 4:15.

"The team showed a lot of toughness and character to battle back and be in a position to beat the first-place team, so it hurts to lose a game like this," coach Lea Henry said. "But, Old Dominion made the final play that they had to make because we made a defensive mistake. This just shows how close the CAA competition is and how hard all the teams play for the full 40 minutes. I'm proud of the effort, but disappointed in the final result."

Game 26: Feb. 21, 2010, 2:00 p.m.

## NORTHEASTERN 50 GEORGIA STATE 40

Boston, Mass. (Solomon Court)

In a season where they have already lost two starters, it was another painful day for the Georgia State women's basketball team in a 50-40 loss at Northeastern.

Leading scorer Danyiel McKeller was lost less than two minutes into the game when she crumpled to the floor on a run-out transition fast break and went down clutching her hamstring. She left the gym on crutches to be examined further Monday back in Atlanta.

Junior Angelique Burts led the team with 14 points while freshman post player Cody Paulk contributed 10 points and eight rebounds. Senior Shay Rawls led with 10 rebounds.

The Panthers came out charged up Sunday and were out to a quick 6-0 lead as they charged on without McKeller. Visiting GSU had grabbed a quick 11-4 lead at 12:14 with Burts having seven of those 11. But three consecutive three-point baskets by the league's top three-point scoring club put host NU on top 13-11 at 9:37. GSU used its defense to try to account for the lack of offensive production from a scorer like McKeller who ranked in the top 25 in the nation this year (19 points a game). The visiting Panthers were trailing host Northeastern just 23-to-20 at the halftime break.

But, the key run came at the start of the second half when GSU could find the range on just one of its first 12 shots over the first eight minutes of the half and Northeastern was able to go on a 12-2 run to open a 35-22 advantage at 12:23.

The closest Georgia State could ever get again was eight points twice, at 46-38 with 1:45 left and 48-40 with 16 seconds in the game.

"We were in a tough situation today to lose Danyiel so early in the game, but we had our opportunities," Coach Lea Henry said. "I thought we missed way too many open shots, so not having Danyiel didn't make those shots not go in."

Host Northeastern converted its average seven three-point baskets to provide the offensive spark. Georgia State shot just 16-of-55 for the game (29%) and just 1-of-15 outside the three-point line. Northeastern's 42% second-half proved the difference as they hit just 30% for the overall game. GSU had one more field goal than Northeastern, but the Huskies hit 13-of-16 from the line to just 7-of-8 by GSU.

Game 27: Feb. 26, 2010, 6:00 p.m.

## GEORGIA STATE 60 DREXEL 58

Atlanta, Ga. (Georgia State Sports Arena)

Mission Impossible, but not Impossible. That was the story line for the short-handed Georgia State Panthers as they upset defending CAA Champion and current second-place Drexel, 60-58, Thursday night.

Georgia State, who had already lost two starters this season, was without senior leader Danyiel McKeller (injured hamstring Sunday), so with 40 points missing from the offense, the Panthers needed a lot of help from a lot of people.

The final hero was senior forward Shay Rawls, who scored a basket, was fouled and made the free throw with 11.8 seconds left to put GSU back on top 60-57. On Drexel's final possession, GSU coach Lea Henry opted to foul Drexel and send them to the line with 4.2 seconds, knowing the Dragons had already made 8 three-point baskets tonight. Marisa Crane made the first, then intentionally bounced the second hard off the rim with Gabriela Marginean grabbing a tipped rebound near the three-point line. Marginean launched an off-balance shot that was wide and GSU had the upset.

Drexel, 17-9 coming in, had just completed a Mission Impossible run of their own to set up the final heroics. With GSU leading, 55-43, with just 4:40 to play, visiting Drexel went on a 12-0 run to tie the game, 55-55, at 1:46. GSU's Traci Haltiwanger hit a jumper from the baseline with 50 seconds to put the Panthers back on top. But, Marginean went back to work and tied the game with a spinning drive with 37 seconds and got a free throw. The 89% free throw shooter missed and GSU got the rebound and the chance to set up the final go-ahead basket.

Georgia State (14-13, 5-11) got 20 points from junior Angelique Burts (7-of-13 and 3-of-6 outside the arc) with 17 of those coming in the first half.

Drexel (17-10, 11-5) was led by the league's MVP, forward Gabriela Marginean. Marginean was a spectacular 6-of-6 outside the three-point line and 11-of-19 overall for 34 points. She scored 23 of Drexel's last 28 points.

The game was tied at the half, 27-27. Host Georgia State scored the first basket of the half and had a 9-3 start to open a 36-30 lead at 14:59. State led by 7 at 42-35, when Marginean closed it back to 42-40 at 9:25 with a trey. But, the host Panthers had an 11-1 run over the next four minutes to make it 53-41 with 5:25. State repeated that 12-point cushion at 55-43 when the Dragons made the huge run to tie the game.

Georgia State's improbable win included 61.9% shooting in the second half (13-of-21). Georgia State's size helped them to a 31-21 rebounding advantage.

"We certainly had our backs against the wall tonight," Coach Lea Henry said postgame. "When some are out, it is the opportunity for others to step up and everyone on the team seemed to be making plays tonight."

### OLD DOMINION 63 (14-10, 12-2)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Canady, f.....	7-15	0-1	1-1	2	6	8	0	15	1	1	2	1	33
Lewis, c.....	4-6	0-0	2-3	3	6	9	4	10	1	3	0	1	33
Parker, g.....	1-7	1-5	0-0	0	3	3	4	3	5	5	1	2	28
Byrd, g.....	1-3	1-3	0-0	0	1	1	0	3	2	5	0	1	21
Green, g.....	6-9	0-0	7-10	3	1	4	2	19	4	0	2	2	29
Buchan.....	1-3	0-1	0-0	1	1	2	2	2	1	2	0	0	10
Cloutier.....	1-4	1-4	0-0	0	2	2	1	3	2	2	0	0	20
Tate-Dublin.....	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4
Guilford.....	3-6	1-1	1-2	3	3	6	3	8	2	0	0	1	15
Collier.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	7
Totals.....	24-54	4-15	11-16	13	23	36	18	63	18	18	5	9	200
FG% 1st:	16-28	57.1%	2nd:	8-26	30.8%	Game:	44.4%						
3P% 1st:	3-8	37.5%	2nd:	1-7	14.3%	Game:	26.7%						
FT% 1st:	4-7	57.1%	2nd:	7-9	77.8%	Game:	68.8%						

### GEORGIA STATE 61 (13-12, 4-10)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.....	5-12	0-2	0-4	3	2	5	4	10	1	6	1	1	25
McKeller, f.....	9-13	0-0	4-6	5	6	11	2	22	1	1	1	2	40
Rawls, c.....	5-15	0-0	6-8	3	3	6	1	16	0	2	1	3	39
Graham, g.....	2-5	2-4	0-0	2	1	3	3	6	3	2	0	2	33
Johnson, g.....	0-3	0-1	5-6	0	3	2	5	4	2	0	2	0	40
Anderson.....	1-2	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
Haltiwanger.....	0-6	0-2	0-0	0	1	2	0	1	1	0	2	0	20
Paulk.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Totals.....	22-56	2-10	15-24	16	19	35	14	61	10	14	3	12	200
FG% 1st:	11-27	40.7%	2nd:	11-29	37.9%	Game:	39.3%						
3P% 1st:	2-7	28.6%	2nd:	0-3	00.0%	Game:	20.0%						
FT% 1st:	7-14	50.0%	2nd:	8-10	80.0%	Game:	62.5%						
Score by Periods.....	1st	2nd	Total										
OLD DOMINION.....	39	24	63										
GEORGIA STATE.....	31	30	61										
Officials: Tommy Salerno, Dawn Marsh, Rashan Michel													
Attendance: 325													

### GEORGIA STATE 40 (13-13, 4-11)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.....	6-16	1-6	1-1	2	1	3	2	14	3	3	1	1	40
McKeller, f.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Rawls, c.....	1-6	0-0	2-2	4	6	10	2	4	0	3	1	0	40
Graham, g.....	1-5	0-3	0-1	0	2	2	3	2	0	1	0	1	27
Johnson, g.....	3-14	0-2	2-2	1	3	4	2	8	2	0	0	5	34
Haltiwanger.....	0-4	0-4	0-0	1	1	2	1	0	1	1	0	0	12
Anderson.....	0-1	0-0	2-2	0	1	1	2	2	0	1	0	0	6
Paulk.....	5-9	0-0	0-0	5	3	8	3	10	0	1	2	2	36
Sumpter.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	3
Totals.....	16-55	1-15	7-8	15	19	34	16	40	6	11	4	9	200
FG% 1st:	8-28	28.6%	2nd:	8-27	29.6%	Game:	29.1%						
3P% 1st:	1-8	12.5%	2nd:	0-7	00.0%	Game:	06.7%						
FT% 1st:	3-4	75.0%	2nd:	4-4	100.0%	Game:	87.5%						

### NORTHEASTERN 50 (12-14, 7-8)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Walton, f.....	4-14	3-9	0-0	3	5	8	0	11	0	1	0	0	35
Carr, f.....	5-12	0-0	6-8	7	3	10	0	16	2	6	2	1	40
Wilson, g.....	3-8	2-5	2-2	2	4	6	2	10	2	3	0	0	23
Conroy, c.....	1-3	0-2	5-5	0	2	2	4	7	2	1	0	2	31
Cannon, g.....	0-6	0-3	0-1	1	4	5	2	0	0	1	0	1	23
Pecota.....	0-2	0-1	0-0	2	1	3	2	0	0	1	0	1	14
Christian.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
Tolbert.....	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5
Iervolino.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Kerhof.....	2-4	2-3	0-0	2	2	4	3	6	1	1	0	0	13
Totals.....	15-50	7-23	13-16	17	25	42	14	50	7	16	2	6	200
FG% 1st:	7-31	22.6%	2nd:	8-19	42.1%	Game:	30.0%						
3P% 1st:	3-16	18.8%	2nd:	4-7	57.1%	Game:	30.4%						
FT% 1st:	6-8	75.0%	2nd:	7-8	87.5%	Game:	81.3%						
Score by Periods.....	1st	2nd	Total										
GEORGIA STATE.....	20	20	40										
DELAWARE.....	23	27	50										
Officials: Douglas Cloud, Billy Smith, Kenneth Weiland													
Attendance: 391													

### DREXEL 58 (17-10, 11-5)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Hale, f.....	2-6	0-1	1-2	1	2	3	3	5	2	2	0	1	31
Naciekaita, f.....	4-9	2-7	2-2	0	1	1	1	12	2	3	0	2	35
Marginean, f.....	11-19	6-6	6-9	1	3	4	3	34	1	3	0	3	29
Rossee, g.....	0-5	0-4	0-0	0	2	1	0	2	2	0	0	0	29
Crane, g.....	2-4	0-1	1-2	1	0	1	2	5	3	1	0	1	31
Lupariello.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	5
Mershon.....	1-2	0-1	0-0	0	3	3	1	2	0	1	0	0	10
Stjarnstrom.....	0-1	0-0	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	6
Wootton.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
Lee.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Totals.....	20-46	8-20	10-15	8	13	21	12	58	12	15	0	8	200
FG% 1st:	11-21	52.4%	2nd:	9-25	36.0%	Game:	43.5%						
3P% 1st:	5-10	50.0%	2nd:	3-10	30.0%	Game:	40.0%						
FT% 1st:	0-0	00.0%	2nd:	10-15	66.7%	Game:	66.7%						

### GEORGIA STATE 60 (14-13, 5-11)

Game 28: Feb. 28, 2010, 2:00 p.m.

### GEORGE MASON 47 GEORGIA STATE 43

Atlanta, Ga. (Georgia State Sports Arena)

George Mason led only in the first minute of the game and the last minute of the game and that is what counts as they upset Georgia State, 47-43, on Senior Day on Sunday at the GSU Sports Arena.

Brittany Poindexter's basket 56 seconds into the game gave Mason a 2-1 lead and then her basket with 46 seconds gave Mason its second lead of the game at 43-41. In the 38 minutes in between, host Georgia State had control with nine-point leads in both halves.

The Panthers were cruising along with a 39-30 lead with 4:53 to go and a 41-33 advantage with 4:06 to play, but four missed shots and four turnovers allowed George Mason to produce a 12-0 run that started with a pair of three-point baskets by Brittany Eley and Ashleigh Braxton. Braxton drove the lane to tie at 1:55 and then Poindexter's drive and bank in shot at 46 seconds gave Mason its lead.

With 13.5 seconds left, Mason's Amber Easter went to the line for two free throws to add to the two-point lead, but missed both shots. The ball bounced on the side of the rim and was tipped into the corner where Ashleigh Braxton claimed the ball and was fouled. Her two shots with 9.1 seconds secured Mason's third CAA win as they improved to 10-18.

Georgia State (14-14, 5-12) was playing its second game without senior leading scorer, Danyiel McKeller (hamstring), and the Panthers had trouble scoring. Senior Shay Rawls led the squad today with 18 points, while junior Angelique Burts added 16 as those two contributed 34 of the 43 points. Freshman Erika Sumpter led with seven rebounds.

Mason was topped by Braxton's 17 points, 14 coming in the second half, and 13 off the bench from Eley. The Patriots were led in rebounding by Angelee LaTouche's nine as they held a 39-33 advantage with 20 offensive rebounds.

"When you're without your leading scorer, others have to step up like they did in Thursday's win," Coach Lea Henry said. "But, we struggled all day getting it into the basket and quit scoring down the stretch. And, I wasn't pleased with our rebounding as we gave them way too many second chance opportunities. We let it slip away and it is tough to take at home. But, we've got another game Wednesday and will get McKeller back for the tournament, so we'll keep working and put this behind us."

Georgia State controlled most of the game thanks to its league-leading defense that allows just 56 points a game (No. 25 in the NCAA). The Panthers had 14 steals today, forced 20 turnovers, and held Mason to 23.5% field goal shooting for the game.

### GEORGE MASON 47 (10-18, 3-14)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Easter, f.	2-11	0-2	0-4	2	1	3	1	4	1	5	1	1	20
LaTouche, f.	0-2	0-0	5-6	4	5	9	1	5	0	2	0	2	35
Poindexter, g.	2-5	0-0	4-4	4	1	5	4	8	1	2	0	3	22
Saunders, g.	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0	2	0	0	3	3	0	1	26
Braxton, g.	5-9	3-7	4-5	2	0	2	2	17	0	0	0	0	29
Pickard, c.	0-6	0-2	0-0	1	6	7	1	0	4	2	1	3	25
Hobbs, g.	0-5	0-4	0-0	1	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	20
Eley, g.	3-9	2-6	5-5	2	3	5	0	13	1	3	0	1	23
Totals	12-51	5-21	18-24	20	19	39	11	47	10	20	2	11	200
FG%	1st: 6-27	22.4%	2nd: 6-24	25.0%	Game: 23.5%								
3P%	1st: 2-10	20.0%	2nd: 3-11	27.3%	Game: 23.8%								
FT%	1st: 4-4	100.0%	2nd: 14-20	70.0%	Game: 75.0%								

### GEORGIA STATE 43 (14-14, 5-12)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min	
Burts, f.	8-15	0-2	0-1	0	4	4	2	16	1	6	0	3	40	
Rawls, f.	7-12	0-0	4-6	3	3	6	2	18	0	1	0	2	40	
Paulk, c.	1-4	0-0	0-0	3	1	4	2	2	1	3	2	1	18	
Graham, g.	0-2	0-0	0-0	1	1	0	0	2	2	0	2	2	23	
Johnson, g.	1-7	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	3	2	2	4	0	5	40	
Haltiwanger, c.	0-6	0-1	2-2	3	2	5	4	2	0	1	0	1	17	
Sumpter, c.	1-3	0-0	1-1	3	4	7	3	3	2	1	1	0	22	
Totals	18-49	0-5	7-10	13	20	33	16	43	8	20	3	14	200	
FG%	1st: 8-24	33.3%	2nd: 10-25	40.0%	Game: 36.7%									
3P%	1st: 0-3	00.0%	2nd: 0-2	00.0%	Game: 00.0%									
FT%	1st: 6-7	86.7%	2nd: 1-3	33.3%	Game: 70.0%									
Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total											
GEORGE MASON	18	29	47											
GEORGIA STATE	22	21	43											

Officials: Alicia Walker, Angel Stanton, Lisa Ruggs  
Attendance: 438

Game 29: Mar. 3, 2010, 7:00 p.m.

### GEORGIA STATE 54 UNC WILMINGTON 50

Wilmington, N.C. (Trask Coliseum)

Wilmington, N.C. - Georgia State claimed a 54-50 road win over UNC Wilmington in the CAA regular season finale. With the win, the Panthers finish with a winning regular season (15-14) and the No. 9 seed in next week's CAA Tournament.

Brittany Graham led the way with 12 points, including 2 free throws with 3.9 seconds to ice the win. Freshman center Cody Paulk added 10 points and 9 rebounds. Point guard Crystal Johnson added 9 points, 5 rebounds and 4 steals to play a key role. Freshman Erika Sumpter had 6 points, 3 rebounds, a block and a steal in 16 key minutes.

The visiting Panthers trailed by six in the first half, but six final points by Paulk gave GSU a 20-18 lead to take into halftime. Trailing 23-22 with 18:06 to play, GSU went on a quick 8-0 run to gain a 30-23 lead they would never relinquish.

GSU was up 46-35 with 6:07 when the host Seahawks (11-18) found the three-point range to rally back to three at 48-45 with 2:31. A lay-up by Shay Rawls made it 50-45 with 1:23. A pair of free throws by UNCW made it 50-47 and then GSU's Crystal Johnson was fouled to go to the free throw line on the one-and-one and she made both for a 52-47 lead at 18.4 seconds. But, a final three by Treasure Johnson made it 52-50 with 10.3 seconds. GSU's in bounds pass was stolen, but the Seahawks traveled to give the ball back to GSU.

GSU called a timeout to set up a final inbounds play to the team's best free throw shooter, Graham, and she was fouled immediately and went to the line and knocked them down.

The Seahawks, who had won 4 of their previous 6, made 7-of-16 three's tonight to stay in the game. Forward Treasure Johnson's 14 points and seven rebounds led the Seahawks.

"The kids had a refuse-to-lose mentality tonight and I am proud of them," Coach Henry said. "They showed toughness and overcame adversity. With McKeller still out and Rawls battling a cold, the two freshmen post players (Paulk and Erika Sumpter) had to step up and they did."

"This gives us a positive attitude, a winning regular season, and getting McKeller back, we are ready to go to the tournament," Henry finished.

Tonight's game early-on included six ties and five lead changes. The Panthers held a 36-30 rebound advantage, sparked by 16 offensive rebounds. The Panthers defense made 11 steals, forced 22 turnovers and blocked 3 shots.

### GEORGIA STATE 54 (15-14, 6-12)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.	4-13	1-2	0-3	2	2	4	2	9	3	5	1	2	30
Rawls, f.	3-5	0-0	0-0	2	6	8	4	6	0	0	0	1	40
Paulk, c.	4-8	0-0	2-4	7	2	9	3	10	0	2	1	0	24
Graham, g.	2-8	2-8	6-6	0	2	2	1	12	0	2	0	2	37
Johnson, g.	3-11	0-1	3-4	1	4	5	1	9	3	2	0	4	40
Haltiwanger, c.	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	5
Anderson, g.	1-4	0-0	0-0	1	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	8
Sumpter, c.	3-4	0-0	0-0	2	1	3	4	6	1	1	1	1	16
Totals	20-55	3-13	11-17	16	20	36	15	54	7	14	3	11	200
FG%	1st: 9-29	31.0%	2nd: 11-26	42.3%	Game: 36.4%								
3P%	1st: 2-7	28.6%	2nd: 1-6	16.7%	Game: 23.1%								
FT%	1st: 0-2	00.0%	2nd: 11-15	73.3%	Game: 64.7%								

### UNC WILMINGTON 50 (11-18, 6-12)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min	
Johnson, f.	4-7	2-4	4-4	2	5	7	4	14	2	3	1	0	28	
Blackwell, f.	4-7	0-0	1-1	2	4	6	2	9	3	1	0	0	33	
White, c.	5-11	0-0	2-4	1	2	3	2	12	2	3	2	2	34	
Simmons, g.	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	5	5	1	0	3	3	0	0	26	
Walker, g.	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	2	10	
Lukyste, g.	2-5	2-4	0-0	0	1	1	0	1	6	1	3	0	18	
Sawhook, c.	2-5	2-4	0-0	0	0	0	1	6	0	3	0	0	17	
Reitz, c.	0-5	0-0	0-0	1	4	5	2	0	3	0	0	0	14	
Finlay, g.	1-2	1-2	0-0	0	0	0	1	3	1	0	0	0	7	
Hanzer, c.	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	6	
Levels, c.	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	
Totals	18-43	7-16	7-9	7	23	30	15	50	15	22	3	5	200	
FG%	1st: 8-21	38.1%	2nd: 10-22	45.5%	Game: 41.9%									
3P%	1st: 2-7	28.6%	2nd: 5-9	55.6%	Game: 43.8%									
FT%	1st: 0-0	00.0%	2nd: 7-9	77.8%	Game: 77.8%									
Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total											
GEORGIA STATE	20	34	54											
UNC WILMINGTON	18	32	50											

Officials: Diana DePaul, Janice Aliberti, Timothy Bryant  
Attendance: 451

Game 30: Mar. 11, 2010, 12:00 p.m.

### NORTHEASTERN 46 GEORGIA STATE 42

Harrisonburg, Va. (JMU Convocation Center)

Harrisonburg, Va (March 11) - Georgia State lost a 12-point first half lead and a 7-point second half lead as #8-seed Northeastern rallied for a 46-42 win over the Panthers in the opening game of the CAA Championship.

The hustling Panthers got off 21 more shots than Northeastern, but shot just 28% for the game and just 22.6% in the second half. The Panthers scored just 15 points in the second half, making just seven of 31 shots.

Georgia State was down five points early in the game at 11-6 when it went on a huge 19-2 run to gain control and open a 12-point lead at 25-13 with 5:12 in the first half. The Panthers took a 27-21 six-point lead into halftime.

In the second half, GSU continued to stay in control with a 35-28 margin with 13:30 left in the game. But, Northeastern continued to whittle away as GSU continued to miss everything from lay-ups to open jumpers. Eventually, Northeastern gained the lead with 6:44 left in the game on a pair of free throws by Afreyea Tolbert.

Georgia State wouldn't quit and re-gained the lead at 42-41 with 2:54 on an old-fashioned three-point play by Crystal Johnson. Northeastern got the lead back on its next possession on its third try with Kendra Walton hitting the basket to make it 43-42. Brittany Wilson drove the lane for the final basket at 1:54 and a three-point margin at 45-42.

Georgia State missed a trey, got an offensive rebound, but missed again. When State fouled Kendra Walton with 29 seconds, she missed the front end of the one-and-one and State had another chance. But, another three was wide. NU made the final free throw with 5.7 seconds left to advance to the quarterfinals. Georgia State missed its final five shots of the game.

"The defense gave us a chance, but we certainly didn't shoot the ball well enough to win," Coach Lea Henry said. "Our full court trap in the first half caused 15 turnovers, but we didn't get to use it much in the second half because we simply were not scoring to do so. We got a lot of shots, but just didn't get in to go in the hole today."

Georgia State's defense made 16 steals and forced 23 turnovers, while holding NU to just 39% from the field. GSU, who led the CAA all year with its 55 points a game allowed, held Northeastern to nine below that today.

### GEORGIA STATE 42 (15-15)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Burts, f.	2-13	0-1	0-0	3	3	6	2	4	1	1	0	3	34
McKeller, f.	5-20	0-0	2-2	1	4	5	2	12	1	3	1	5	40
Rawls, c.	3-7	0-0	2-2	5	10	3	8	0	1	0	3	40	
Graham, g.	0-1	0-1	0-0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	21
Johnson, g.	7-17	0-2	1-1	1	2	3	15	5	5	0	3	40	
Haltiwanger, c.	1-6	1-4	0-0	0	1	1	2	3	2	1	0	2	19
Paulk, c.	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Totals	18-64	1-8	5-5	13	17	30	12	42	9	13	1	16	200
FG%	1st: 11-33	33.3%	2nd: 7-31	22.6%	Game: 28.1%								
3P%	1st: 1-4	25.0%	2nd: 0-4	00.0%	Game: 12.5%								
FT%	1st: 4-4	100.0%	2nd: 1-1	100.0%	Game: 100.0%								

### NORTHEASTERN 46 (13-17)

Player	FG	3P	FT	O	D	Reb	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
Pecota, f.	3-6	0-3	0-0	1	4	5	1	6	1	2	0	0	19
Walton, f.	5-13	2-9	2-3	3	8	11	2	14	0	2	0	3	39
Carr, c.	3-6	0-0	3-5	2	5	7	0	9	0	4	2	1	39
Conroy, g.	0-3	0-0	1-2	8	10	2	1	2	7	0	2	35	
Cannon, g.	2-5	0-2	0-0	1	1	2	0	4	1	0	0	0	21
Tolbert, c.	2-4	1-1	2-2	1	2	3	2	7	1				

**Georgia State Points-Rebounds-Assists (as of Mar 12, 2010)**  
**All games**

Opponent	Date	Score	02	04	10	12	22	23	25	
			BURTT,S,ANG	ANDERSON,T	GRAHAM,BRI	HARRIS,CHA	HALTIWANGE	JOHNSON,CR	RAWLS,SHAY	
at Kennesaw State	11/14/09	77-52	w	15-4-7	5-4-3	3-4-1	22-11-1	DNP	8-3-4	0-1-0
FLORIDA STATE	11/22/09	53-66	L	8-2-3	0-0-1	10-2-4	3-8-0	DNP	7-2-0	4-8-3
MURRAY STATE	11/27/09	87-72	w	19-10-11	2-4-1	8-4-2	14-8-3	DNP	15-1-5	2-4-1
TROY UNIVERSITY	11/28/09	61-45	w	6-4-1	3-0-0	9-4-7	10-2-0	DNP	8-1-10	5-6-0
at Presbyterian College	12/05/09	58-44	w	9-5-0	3-2-0	3-5-0	4-4-0	9-0-1	0-4-3	8-9-0
NICHOLLS STATE	12/12/09	79-50	w	20-1-2	2-1-1	3-1-3	13-4-1	4-2-2	6-4-5	4-7-1
at Delaware State	12/16/09	66-42	w	12-6-4	DNP	0-0-0	DNP	7-1-1	11-0-7	6-9-0
at Iona College	12/18/09	64-56	w	4-5-5	DNP	8-2-0	DNP	0-1-1	4-2-4	13-6-2
GEORGIA TECH	12/22/09	50-62	L	13-3-7	0-0-0	9-2-0	DNP	4-5-0	6-5-3	2-8-2
UT MARTIN	12/29/09	61-32	w	8-4-3	2-0-0	6-4-0	DNP	2-2-1	0-3-6	10-6-4
MD.-EASTERN SHORE	12/30/09	76-49	w	9-2-2	0-0-0	9-5-2	DNP	3-2-2	5-2-5	11-11-1
UNC WILMINGTON	1/3/10	63-53	w	16-4-2	DNP	11-1-1	DNP	0-0-0	13-2-11	3-8-0
at James Madison	1/7/10	60-68	L	5-6-0	DNP	16-8-3	DNP	0-0-0	8-2-8	7-8-1
at Hofstra	01/10/10	49-58	L	11-2-1	DNP	6-0-0	DNP	0-1-0	7-3-4	4-5-1
VCU	1/14/10	60-76	L	6-5-3	2-0-0	0-1-1	DNP	1-0-0	5-2-7	12-6-1
TOWSON	1/17/10	71-62	w	7-3-0	DNP	8-2-1	DNP	0-0-0	13-2-9	2-10-0
at Old Dominion	1/21/10	54-58	L	6-2-0	0-0-0	8-5-3	DNP	6-4-4	7-4-2	5-11-1
JAMES MADISON	1/24/10	61-67	L	4-4-3	DNP	12-3-5	DNP	2-2-0	8-3-5	10-12-1
at George Mason	1/28/10	46-36	w	16-10-2	DNP	0-6-1	DNP	DNP	2-2-9	7-8-0
at VCU	01/31/10	39-53	L	8-9-1	2-0-1	3-0-1	DNP	0-1-0	7-1-3	10-8-1
NORTHEASTERN	2/4/10	53-61	L	4-1-0	DNP	3-2-4	DNP	9-4-1	9-1-5	1-12-0
WILLIAM & MARY	2/7/10	63-60	w	12-4-3	0-0-0	8-0-3	DNP	0-0-0	12-10-11	7-5-0
at Towson	02/12/10	50-55	L	6-3-3	0-2-0	3-1-2	DNP	11-6-3	11-5-3	5-8-0
at Delaware	02/14/10	65-68	L	10-9-5	0-0-0	0-1-1	DNP	15-2-1	0-6-7	17-10-0
OLD DOMINION	2/18/10	61-63	L	10-5-1	2-0-0	6-3-3	DNP	0-1-1	5-3-4	22-11-1
at Northeastern	02/21/10	40-50	L	14-3-3	2-1-0	2-2-0	DNP	0-2-1	8-4-2	4-10-0
DREXEL	2/25/10	60-58	w	20-7-4	DNP	2-1-0	DNP	11-0-0	9-3-9	13-9-0
GEORGE MASON	2/28/10	43-47	L	16-4-1	0-0-0	0-1-2	DNP	2-5-0	2-3-2	18-6-0
at UNCW	03/03/10	54-50	w	9-4-3	2-1-0	12-2-0	DNP	0-0-0	9-5-3	6-8-0
vs Northeastern	3/11/10	42-46	L	4-6-1	DNP	0-1-0	DNP	3-1-2	15-2-5	8-10-0

Opponent	Date	Score	30	32	33	42	44	
			SUMPTER,ER	TAYLOR,JER	PAULK,CODY	MCKELLER,D	WILLIAMS,J	
at Kennesaw State	11/14/09	77-52	w	2-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	22-7-2	DNP
FLORIDA STATE	11/22/09	53-66	L	0-0-0	DNP	0-0-0	21-5-2	DNP
MURRAY STATE	11/27/09	87-72	w	4-3-0	2-0-0	0-0-0	21-9-1	DNP
TROY UNIVERSITY	11/28/09	61-45	w	2-4-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	18-7-0	DNP
at Presbyterian College	12/05/09	58-44	w	0-1-0	DNP	DNP	22-6-0	DNP
NICHOLLS STATE	12/12/09	79-50	w	6-2-0	DNP	0-1-0	16-6-1	5-2-3
at Delaware State	12/16/09	66-42	w	2-2-0	DNP	0-0-0	26-4-2	2-4-4
at Iona College	12/18/09	64-56	w	0-1-0	DNP	DNP	25-6-0	10-6-3
GEORGIA TECH	12/22/09	50-62	L	DNP	DNP	DNP	14-6-1	2-1-1
UT MARTIN	12/29/09	61-32	w	6-4-0	DNP	2-1-1	19-4-1	6-2-0
MD.-EASTERN SHORE	12/30/09	76-49	w	0-0-1	5-2-0	2-1-0	22-5-0	10-5-0
UNC WILMINGTON	1/3/10	63-53	w	0-0-0	DNP	DNP	20-7-2	0-1-0
at James Madison	1/7/10	60-68	L	0-1-0	0-0-0	2-2-0	16-4-4	6-1-3
at Hofstra	01/10/10	49-58	L	2-2-1	DNP	2-2-1	8-4-1	9-1-2
VCU	1/14/10	60-76	L	DNP	DNP	DNP	14-7-0	20-4-2
TOWSON	1/17/10	71-62	w	DNP	DNP	0-3-0	26-8-2	15-4-2
at Old Dominion	1/21/10	54-58	L	0-0-0	DNP	0-2-0	22-6-1	DNP
JAMES MADISON	1/24/10	61-67	L	7-1-0	DNP	0-0-0	18-6-1	DNP
at George Mason	1/28/10	46-36	w	0-0-0	DNP	DNP	21-4-1	DNP
at VCU	01/31/10	39-53	L	2-1-0	DNP	0-0-0	7-4-1	DNP
NORTHEASTERN	2/4/10	53-61	L	DNP	DNP	0-0-0	27-8-0	DNP
WILLIAM & MARY	2/7/10	63-60	w	DNP	DNP	6-2-0	18-9-1	DNP
at Towson	02/12/10	50-55	L	7-1-0	DNP	2-1-0	5-10-3	DNP
at Delaware	02/14/10	65-68	L	DNP	DNP	DNP	23-8-1	DNP
OLD DOMINION	2/18/10	61-63	L	DNP	DNP	0-0-0	16-6-0	DNP
at Northeastern	02/21/10	40-50	L	0-0-0	DNP	10-8-0	0-1-0	DNP
DREXEL	2/25/10	60-58	w	3-7-1	DNP	2-2-0	DNP	DNP
GEORGE MASON	2/28/10	43-47	L	3-7-2	DNP	2-4-1	DNP	DNP
at UNCW	03/03/10	54-50	w	6-3-1	DNP	10-9-0	DNP	DNP
vs Northeastern	3/11/10	42-46	L	DNP	DNP	0-0-0	12-5-1	DNP