



INDIANA BASEBALL

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129TH SEASON || 114 MLB DRAFT PICKS || 22 ALL-AMERICANS || 11 BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS || 9 NCAA TOURNAMENT APPEARANCES

2023 Schedule & Results

February		(3-4)	
17	at --/22 Auburn	SEC Network+	L, 4-8
18	at --/22 Auburn	SEC Network+	L, 1-6
19	at --/22 Auburn	SEC Network+	W, 11-2
21	MIAMI (OHIO)	B1G+	W, 13-5
24	at Texas	Longhorn Network	L, 2-4
25	at Texas	Longhorn Network	L, 2-5
26	at Texas	Longhorn Network	W, 4-2
28	BUTLER	B1G+	4 p.m.

March (0-0)

LeClair Classic (Greenville, N.C.; Clark-LeClair Stadium)

3	at 9/20 East Carolina	ESPN+	4:30 p.m.
4	vs. Georgetown	--	Noon
5	vs. Long Beach State	--	11 a.m.

8	PURDUE FORT WAYNE	B1G+	4 p.m.
10	BELLARMINE	B1G+	5 p.m.
11	BELLARMINE (DH)	B1G+	Noon
12	BELLARMINE	B1G+	2 p.m.
14	at Kentucky	SEC Network+	5 p.m.
17	MOREHEAD STATE	B1G+	5 p.m.
18	MOREHEAD STATE	B1G+	1 p.m.
19	MOREHEAD STATE	B1G+	Noon
21	INDIANA STATE	B1G+	5 p.m.
24	OHIO STATE	B1G+	6 p.m.
25	OHIO STATE	B1G+	1 p.m.
26	OHIO STATE	B1G+	Noon
28	KENT STATE	B1G+	6 p.m.
31	at Penn State	B1G+	6 p.m.

April (0-0)

1	at Penn State	B1G+	1 p.m.
2	at Penn State	B1G+	Noon
4	at Indiana State	--	6 p.m.
7	IOWA	B1G+	7 p.m.
8	IOWA	BTN	2 p.m.
9	IOWA	B1G+	1 p.m.
11	BALL STATE	B1G+	3 p.m.
14	at Illinois	BTN	7 p.m.
15	at Illinois	B1G+	4 p.m.
16	at Illinois	B1G+	2 p.m.
18	14/4 LOUISVILLE	ESPNU	6 p.m.
19	at Cincinnati	ESPN+	6 p.m.
21	OHIO	B1G+	6 p.m.
22	OHIO	B1G+	1 p.m.
23	OHIO	B1G+	Noon
25	at Ball State	--	3 p.m.
28	18/17 MARYLAND	B1G+	6 p.m.
29	18/17 MARYLAND	B1G+	1 p.m.
30	18/17 MARYLAND	B1G+	Noon

May (0-0)

5	at Northwestern	B1G+	6 p.m.
6	at Northwestern	B1G+	1 p.m.
7	at Northwestern	B1G+	Noon
9	SOUTHERN INDIANA	B1G+	6 p.m.
12	PURDUE	B1G+	6 p.m.
13	PURDUE	B1G+	1 p.m.
14	PURDUE	B1G+	Noon
16	EVANSVILLE	BTN	6 p.m.
18	at Michigan State	B1G+	6 p.m.
19	at Michigan State	B1G+	6 p.m.
20	at Michigan State	B1G+	1 p.m.

Big Ten Tournament (Omaha, Neb.; Charles Schwab Field)
24-28 Top Eight Seeds --

All times eastern and subject to change

HOME GAMES IN BOLD CAPS | * - Big Ten Conference game

Rankings listed D1Baseball/Baseball America

Indiana

Record (B1G): 3-4 (-)
H/A/N: 1-0 / 2-4 / --

Head Coach: Jeff Mercer
Record at IU (Yrs.): 102-83 (5th)
Career Record (Yrs): 179-121 (7th)

Batting Average: .234
Runs Per-Game: 5.3
Hits Per-Game: 8.0
Slugging Percentage: .338

ERA: 3.97
K's/BB Ratio: 1.56/1
Batting Average Against: .258

First Year of Baseball: 1895 (127th season)
Program Record: 2,398-1,876-24 (.561)

Butler

Record (Big East): 2-5 (-)
H/A/N: -- / 0-3 / 2-2

Head Coach: Blake Beamer
Record at BU (Yrs.): 2-5 (1st)
Career Record (Yrs): Same

Batting Average: .249
Runs Per-Game: 7.8
Hits Per-Game: 8.7
Slugging Percentage: .400

ERA: 7.78
K's/BB Ratio: 1.43/1
Batting Average Against: .295

The Rotation

Tuesday, February 28, 2023
IU: Ty Bothwell, LHP, R-Sr. 0-1, 7.71 ERA
BU: Grant Brooks, RHP, Fr. 0-0, 9.00 ERA

Gameday Information

Butler at Indiana

Bart Kaufman Field (Bloomington, Ind.)

Tuesday

First Pitch: 4 p.m.
TV: --
Internet Stream: B1G+
Radio: Indiana Hoosiers Sports Network
(online only)
Audio Stream: IUHoosiers.com/audio

Quick Hitter

- Indiana and Butler will meet for the second straight season after IU grabbed a 9-1 victory at Victory Field last season behind a 15 strikeout game from the pitching staff.
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- Indiana placed four student-athletes on the All-Big Ten Freshman Team in 2022 and redshirt-junior **Matthew Ellis** was named third-team All-B1G by the conference coaches.
- Freshman **Carter Mathison** and redshirt-senior **Matthew Ellis** each hit home runs on opening weekend to bring their career totals to 20 and 19, respectively, for the Cream and Crimson.
- Mathison has played in 66 career games and has 64 career RBIs over that span to go along with his 20 home runs.
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- Senior **Hunter Jessee** carries a 23-game reached base streak into the week, which dates back to the 2022 season, and marks a career long for the left-handed hitter.
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- Jessee posted his second career multi home run game versus Miami (Ohio) with a first inning home run to right field and a seventh inning shot to the opposite field.
- Indiana's pitching staff posted a program record 600 strikeouts in 2022. That mark ranks No. 2 in Big Ten history, behind Iowa's 602 punchouts in 2022, as well.
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- Head coach **Jeff Mercer** became the eighth IU skipper to reach 100 victories in the cream and crimson with a series finale win at Auburn on February 19, 2023.
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2021 Roster

Numerical

#	Name	Pos.	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.	Hometown/High School (Previous School)
1	Phillip Glasser	IF	L/R	6-0	195	Sr.+	Tallmadge, Ohio/Tallmadge (Youngstown State)
2	Luke Hayden	RHP	R/R	6-1	200	So.	Bloomington, Ind./Edgewood
3	Carter Mathison	OF	L/L	6-1	210	So.	Fort Wayne, Ind./Homestead Senior
4	Hunter Jessee	OF	L/L	6-0	195	Sr.	South Lebanon, Ohio/Kings
5	Devin Taylor	OF	L/R	6-1	210	Fr.	Cincinnati, Ohio/LaSalle
6	Peter Serruto	C	R/R	6-1	205	Sr.+	Short Hills, N.J./Millburn (Rutgers)
7	Ethan Vecrumba	OF	L/R	6-4	225	Sr.	Bloomington, Ind./Edgewood
8	Tyler Cerny	IF	R/R	6-2	185	Fr.	Greenwood, Ind./Center Grove
9	Brock Tibbitts	C	R/R	6-4	220	So.	New Albany, Ohio/New Albany
10	Morgan Colopy	OF	R/R	6-1	230	R-Jr.	Centerville, Ohio/Centerville
11	Jorge De Goti	IF	R/R	6-1	185	So.	Miami, Fla./Belen Jesuit Prep (Florida)
12	Craig Yoho	RHP	R/R	6-3	225	R-Sr.	Fishers, Ind./Fishers (Houston)
14	Connor Foley	RHP	R/R	6-5	235	Fr.	Jasper, Ind./Jasper
15	Austin Bode	C	L/R	6-0	200	So.	Columbus, Ind./Columbus North (Louisville)
16	Bobby Whalen	OF	R/R	6-0	185	R-Jr.	Camp Hill, Pa./Cedar Cliff (Louisville)
18	Grant Holderfield	LHP	L/L	6-2	215	So.	Oak Park, Ill./Oak Park & River Forest
19	Evan Goforth	IF	R/R	6-2	195	So.	Greenville, Ind./Floyd Central
23	Joey Brenczewski	IF	S/R	6-3	195	Fr.	Fishers, Ind./Fishers
27	Brooks Ey	RHP	R/R	6-2	215	Jr.	Philadelphia, Pa./Central (Fordham)
28	Sam Murrison	OF	R/R	5-11	175	Jr.	Boca Raton, Fla./American Heritage
29	Ryan Kraft	LHP	L/L	6-4	220	So.	Mokena, Ill./Lincoln-Way Central
30	Seti Manase	RHP	R/R	6-4	250	Jr.	Puyallup, Washington/Graham Kapowsin (Tacoma C.C.)
31	Evan Whiteaker	RHP	R/R	6-4	195	Fr.	West Chester, Ohio/Lakota East
32	Josh Pyne	IF	R/R	6-1	190	So.	Bloomfield, Ind./Linton-Stockton
33	AJ Shepard	C	R/R	6-0	215	Fr.	Manassas, Va./Patriot
34	Gabe Levy	RHP	L/R	6-0	200	Gr.+	Seattle, Wash./Ingraham (Davidson)
35	Matthew Ellis	C	L/R	6-4	245	R-Sr.	Waddy, Ky./Shelby County (Walters State C.C.)
36	Riley Langerman	C	R/R	6-1	180	Sr.+	Parker, Colo./Chaparral (Maryland)
37	Luke Sinnard	RHP	R/R	6-8	250	So.	Hendersonville, Tenn./Beech (Western Kentucky)
38	Cooper Katskee	RHP	R/R	6-4	220	Fr.	Greenwood Village, Colo./Cherry Creek
39	Nathan Ball	LHP	L/L	6-3	205	Sr.	Perrysburg, Ohio/Perrysburg (Youngstown State)
40	Ethan Phillips	RHP	S/R	6-0	190	Fr.	Dunedin, Fla./Calvary Christian
41	Ty Bothwell	LHP	L/L	5-10	195	R-Sr.	Hebron, Ind./Boone Grove
42	Ben Seiler	LHP	R/L	6-6	250	Sr.+	Albany, N.Y./The Albany Academy (Siena)
43	Adrian Vega	RHP	R/R	6-0	205	So.	Miramar, Fla./ Archbishop McCarthy (Butler)
44	Cooper Hellman	RHP	R/R	6-4	185	So	Goshen, Ky./North Oldham (Western Kentucky)
45	Aydan Decker-Petty	RHP	R/R	6-5	195	Fr.	New Castle, Ind./New Castle
51	Brayden Risedorph	RHP	R/R	6-3	220	Fr.	Kendallville, Ind./East Noble
55	Wes Burton	RHP	R/R	6-8	215	Gr.	Santa Monica, Calif./Windward School (Ole Miss)
22	Jeff Mercer - Head Coach (Fifth Season at Indiana, Seventh Overall; Wright State, 2009)						
24	Derek Simmons - Assistant Coach/Recruiting Coordinator (Fourth Season; Georgia State, 2009)						
25	Dustin Glant - Assistant Coach (Second Season; Purdue, 2003)						
13	Zach Weatherford - Volunteer Assistant Coach (Second Season; Wright State, 2019)						

NOTE: IU Athletics advanced players eligibility forward as normal in 2020-21. Any extra seasons of eligibility awarded due to COVID-19 will be recognized following a player's regular senior season. A "+" will be added to indicate the extra season.

Alphabetical

#	Name	Pos.	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.
39	Ball, Nathan	LHP	L/L	6-3	205	Sr.
15	Bode, Austin	C	L/R	6-0	200	So.
41	Bothwell, Ty	LHP	L/L	5-10	195	R-Sr.
23	Brenczewski, Joey	IF	S/R	6-3	195	Fr.
55	Burton, Wes	RHP	R/R	6-8	215	Gr.
8	Cerny, Tyler	IF	R/R	6-2	185	Fr.
10	Colopy, Morgan	OF	R/R	6-1	230	R-Jr.
11	De Goti, Jorge	IF	R/R	6-1	185	So.
45	Decker-Petty, Aydan	RHP	R/R	6-5	195	Fr.
35	Ellis, Matthew	C	L/R	6-4	245	R-Sr.
27	Ey, Brooks	RHP	R/R	6-2	215	Jr.
14	Foley, Connor	RHP	R/R	6-5	235	Fr.
25	Glant, Dustin	Assistant Coach				
1	Glasser, Phillip	IF	L/R	6-0	195	Sr.+
19	Goforth, Evan	IF	R/R	6-2	195	So.
2	Hayden, Luke	RHP	R/R	6-1	200	So.
44	Hellman, Cooper	RHP	R/R	6-4	185	So
18	Holderfield, Grant	LHP	L/L	6-2	215	So.
4	Jessee, Hunter	OF	L/L	6-0	195	Sr.
38	Katskee, Cooper	RHP	R/R	6-4	220	Fr.
29	Kraft, Ryan	LHP	L/L	6-4	220	So.
36	Langerman, Riley	C	R/R	6-1	180	Sr.+
34	Levy, Gabe	RHP	L/R	6-0	200	Gr.+
30	Manase, Seti	RHP	R/R	6-4	250	Jr.
3	Mathison, Carter	OF	L/L	6-1	210	So.
22	Mercer, Jeff	Head Coach				
28	Murrison, Sam	OF	R/R	5-11	175	Jr.
40	Phillips, Ethan	RHP	S/R	6-0	190	Fr.
32	Pyne, Josh	IF	R/R	6-1	190	So.
51	Risedorph, Brayden	RHP	R/R	6-3	220	Fr.
42	Seiler, Ben	LHP	R/L	6-6	250	Sr.+
6	Serruto, Peter	C	R/R	6-1	205	Sr.+
33	Shepard, AJ	C	R/R	6-0	215	Fr.
24	Simmons, Derek	Assistant Coach				
37	Sinnard, Luke	RHP	R/R	6-8	250	So.
5	Taylor, Devin	OF	L/R	6-1	210	Fr.
9	Tibbitts, Brock	C	R/R	6-4	220	So.
7	Vecrumba, Ethan	OF	L/R	6-4	225	Sr.
43	Vega, Adrian	RHP	R/R	6-0	205	So.
13	Weatherford, Zach	Assistant Coach				
16	Whalen, Bobby	OF	R/R	6-0	185	R-Jr.
31	Whiteaker, Evan	RHP	R/R	6-4	195	Fr.
12	Yoho, Craig	RHP	R/R	6-3	225	R-Sr.

Program Quick Facts

School Information	
Location	Bloomington, Indiana
Population	85,071
Founded	1820
Enrollment	48,514
Nickname	Hoosiers
Colors	Cream and Crimson
Conference	Big Ten
University President	Pamela Whitten
Athletics Director	Scott Dolsen
Faculty Athletics Representative	Dr. Kurt Zorn
Bart Kaufman Field	
Opened	March 20, 2013
	<i>Miami (Ohio); W, 15-1</i>
Record	166-59-1 (.736)
Capacity	4,000
Dimensions	330-370-400-380-340
Attendance Record	4,312
	<i>Stanford; 5/31/14 (NCAA Super Regional)</i>
Regular Season Attendance Record	3,862
	<i>Purdue; 5/4/14</i>

2022 Team Information

Overall Record	27-32
<i>Home/Road/Neutral Site</i>	<i>15-9/8-19/4-4</i>
Big Ten Record (Finish)	10-14 (7-8th)
Position Starters Returning/Lost (25-plus starts)	7/1
Pitchers Returning/Lost (10-plus appearances)	4/6
Letterwinners Returning/Lost	16/16
Newcomers	23 (11 freshmen, 12 transfers)
Program Information	
First Year of Baseball	1895 (128th season)
First Year in Big Ten	1899
All-Time Record (Win %)	2,398-1,876-24 (.561)
All-Time Big Ten Record (Win %)	843-1,012-8 (.455)
<i>Big Ten Championships (Last)</i>	<i>7 (2019)</i>
Big Ten Tournaments (Last)	17 (2022)
<i>Big Ten Tournament Record (Win %)</i>	<i>30-28 (.517)</i>
<i>Big Ten Tournament Championships (Last)</i>	<i>4 (2014)</i>
NCAA Tournaments (Last)	9 (2019)
NCAA Super Regionals (Last)	1 (2013)
College World Series (Last)	1 (2013)

Pronunciation Guide

Joey Brenczewski	Brin-CHESS-key
Tyler Cerny	Sir-knee
Morgan Colopy	coll-uh-P
Jorge De Goti	hor-hey duh GOAT-ee
Brooks Ey	eye
Seti Manase	set-ee Muh-nahh-say
Carter Mathison	math-uh-sun
Josh Pyne	pine
Brayden Risedorph	rise-dorf
Ben Seiler	S-eye-lur
Peter Serruto	suh-rue-toe
Luke Sinnard	Sinn-nard
Ethan Vecrumba	vuh-crum-buh
Adrian Vega	Vay-guh
Bobby Whalen	way-lin
Evan Whiteaker	white-aker
Craig Yoho	yo-hoh

Team Notes

Opening Day Notes

- Indiana opened its 129th year of baseball at Auburn with an 8-4 setback to make its Opening Day record 77-51-1.
- The latest season opener came on June 7, 1922 against Purdue, while the earliest IU opened a season was on February 6, 1998 versus Kansas State in Phoenix.
- The longest winning streak in season openers was a 12-game stretch from 1939-50, which was part of a 20-game unbeaten streak (1931-50). IU won seven straight openers, before tying DePauw in 1938.
- Since site data for games became available in 1965, IU's record in season openers break down like this:

Games	59
Home	12-3
Away	9-17
Neutral Site	8-10
- IU has won four of its last seven true road openers, with losses coming at No. 11 LSU (2020), at Clemson (2022) and at Auburn (2023).

Long Ball Launching

- With 73 home runs, Indiana finished the season ranked No. 6 on the single season charts.
- The 2022 edition is just the 11th in program history to reach the 60-home run mark and the sixth to eclipse the 70-home run standard.
- The Hoosiers had multiple hitters with double-digit home runs for the 19th time in program history.
- Mathison set the standard for freshmen home runs at IU with his 15th blast of the season at Michigan and finished with 19 for the season.

	HR	Year
1.	95	2019
2.	85	2010
3.	82	1992
4.	81	1985
5.	75	2017
6.	73	2022
7.	68	2018
8.	67	1986 & 1999
10.	61	1991 & 2009

Seven is a Winning Number

- Since **Jeff Mercer** took over the program in 2019, Indiana's magic number has been seven runs. Over the past four seasons, Indiana has scored seven-or-more runs on 85 occasions.
- In those 85 games, IU owns a 69-16 (.811) record, including 27 straight victories between 2020-22.
- The 2020 team went 5-0 during the COVID-19 shorten campaign and 15-0 during the 2021 season, before seven-straight wins to start 2022.
- Overall in 2022, Indiana was 21-12 in games which it scored seven-or-more runs.

Inside The Series

Scouting The Opponent

- Butler enters the week with a 2-5 record, winning two of four games over Fairleigh Dickinson in Lexington, South Carolina, to open the season, before dropping all three games at Campbell last weekend.
- Freshman Joey Urban leads the team with a .419 batting average, 13 hits - eight for extra bases - and 10 runs scored.
- Graduate student Jake DeFries paces the squad with three stolen bases and eight runs scored. He is one of three Bulldogs with a home run in 2023, as well.
- The Bulldogs are averaging 11.0 strikeouts per game and are batting .249 as a team. On the base paths, BU is 10-of-12 on stolen base attempts through seven games.
- The pitching staff has struck out 63 and walked 44 over the first 61 1/3 innings and have allowed 10.1 hits per game in seven contests.
- Relievers Lukas Galdoni and Jon Vore each lead the team with three appearances in the early season. Each have three strikeouts in 4 and 5 2/3 innings, respectively.

Series Notes

- Indiana and Butler will meet for the 126th time on Tuesday, with the Hoosiers owning a 95-30 all-time edge in the series that dates back to 1896.
- IU won the first six games in the series and have met in each decade since the 1920s.
- The Hoosiers have won the only three neutral site meetings between the two programs, which were played in 1998 (Evansville), 2016 (Port Charlotte, Fla.) and 2022 (Indianapolis).
- Since 1970, the two teams have played in Bloomington 37 times and Indiana owns a 30-7 mark in those games. Of those games, 13 have been decided by two-or-fewer runs.
- Tuesday will mark the second game played between Butler and Indiana played in February, with the earliest meeting coming on Feb. 27, 2019, a 9-3 victory for IU at Bart Kaufman Field.
- The latest meeting in a season came on May 30, 1938, a 5-4 Butler victory in Indianapolis.

Series History

(Last 10 Meetings)

Date	Location	Result
4/20/2013	Bloomington, Ind.	W, 5-2
4/21/2013	Indianapolis, Ind.	W, 10-3
3/6/2016	Port Charlotte, Fla.	W, 2-1
3/23/2016	Bloomington, Ind.	W, 27-1
4/19/2017	Bloomington, Ind.	L, 5-7
3/29/2018	Bloomington, Ind.	W, 6-5
3/30/2018	Bloomington, Ind.	W, 13-0
3/31/2018	Bloomington, Ind.	W, 10-3
2/27/2019	Bloomington, Ind.	W, 9-3
4/26/2022	Indianapolis, Ind.	W, 9-1

Pitching Probables

* - Game started



41 | Ty Bothwell | R-Jr. | LHP

Quick Stats

	W-L	ERA	BAA	IP	SO/BB
2023	0-1	7.71	.375	2.1	2/1
Career	5-4	3.95	.194	86.2	116/56

Last Three Appearances

5/15/22	at Iowa	L, 1-2
2.0 IP, 1 R, 1 ER, 3 BB, 6 K (ND)		
5/26/22	vs. Maryland	L, 5-6 (10)
3.2 IP, 7 R, 4 ER, 2 BB, 6 K (ND)		
2/18/23	at Auburn	L, 1-6
2.1 IP, 3 R, 2 ER, 4 BB, 1 K (Loss)		



Hitting Totals/Streaks

MULTI-HIT GAMES	2	3	4	5+	'23	Career
Glasser, Phillip	4	--	--	--	4	*65
Pyne, Josh	1	2	--	--	3	25
Jessee, Hunter	--	1	1	--	2	22
Whalen, Bobby	2	--	--	--	2	21
Mathison, Carter	1	--	--	--	1	16
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Colopy, Morgan	--	--	--	--	--	14
Ellis, Matthew	--	--	--	--	--	14
Goforth, Evan	--	--	--	--	--	3
Murrison, Samuel	--	--	--	--	--	6
Serruto, Peter	--	--	--	--	--	*11
Tibbitts, Brock	--	--	--	--	--	13
TEAM	8	3	1	--	12	

MULTI-RBI GAMES	2	3	4	5+	'23	Career
Tibbitts, Brock	1	1	--	--	2	14
Jessee, Hunter	--	1	1	--	2	10
Glasser, Phillip	1	--	--	--	1	*22
Mathison, Carter	--	--	1	--	1	18
Ellis, Matthew	1	--	--	--	1	17
Pyne, Josh	1	--	--	--	1	17
--						
Colopy, Morgan	--	--	--	--	--	6
Goforth, Evan	--	--	--	--	--	1
Murrison, Samuel	--	--	--	--	--	2
Serruto, Peter	--	--	--	--	--	*7
Whalen, Bobby	--	--	--	--	--	8
TEAM	4	2	2	--	8	

HITTING STREAKS	Current	'23 Long	Career
Glasser, Phillip	1	5	*10
Whalen, Bobby	1	3	8
Jessee, Hunter	1	3	8
Pyne, Josh	1	3	15
Serruto, Peter	2	2	5 (3x)
Ellis, Matthew	--	2	8
Tibbitts, Brock	2	2	8
Colopy, Morgan	--	1	9
De Goti, Jorge	1	1	1
Taylor, Devin	--	1	1
Mathison, Carter	1	1	11
Goforth, Evan	--	1	3
Cerny, Tyler	1	1	1
--			
Murrison, Samuel	--	--	6

REACHED BASED	Current	'23 Long	Career
Jessee, Hunter	^26	7	^23
Tibbitts, Brock	7	7	15
Glasser, Phillip	7	7	20 (2x)
Whalen, Bobby	6	6	15
Ellis, Matthew	--	4	12
Pyne, Josh	1	3	29
Cerny, Tyler	3	3	3
Serruto, Peter	2	2	*10
Colopy, Morgan	--	2	11
Mathison, Carter	2	2	26
Goforth, Evan	--	2	9
De Goti, Jorge	1	1	1
Taylor, Devin	1	1	1
--			
Murrison, Samuel	2	--	8
Vecrumba, Ethan	--	--	3 (3x)

* - Includes totals from previous school
^ - Streak spanned 2022 & 2023 seasons

Big Ten Update

Standings

	B1G	Pct.	GB	Overall	Pct.	Home	Away	Neutral	L10	Streak
-- Iowa	--	--	--	5-1	.833	--	--	5-1	5-1	W2
-- Penn State	--	--	--	4-2	.667	--	1-2	3-0	4-2	W3
-- Purdue	--	--	--	5-3	.625	--	--	5-3	5-3	L1
-- Michigan	--	--	--	3-2	.600	--	2-3	2-2	3-2	W2
-- Illinois	--	--	--	4-3	.571	--	0-2	2-0	4-3	W1
-- Michigan State	--	--	--	4-3	.571	--	2-2	2-1	4-3	L2
-- Nebraska	--	--	--	3-3-1	.500	--	3-3-1	--	3-3-1	W3
-- Indiana	--	--	--	3-4	.429	1-0	2-4	--	3-4	W1
-- Maryland	--	--	--	3-4	.429	0-1	3-3	--	3-4	L2
-- Ohio State	--	--	--	3-5	.375	--	0-2	3-3	3-5	W1
-- Rutgers	--	--	--	2-4	.333	--	1-2	1-2	2-4	L2
-- Northwestern	--	--	--	0-6	.000	--	0-6	--	0-6	L6
-- Minnesota	--	--	--	0-7	.000	--	--	0-7	0-7	L7

Schedule/Results

all times eastern

Tuesday, Feb. 28

Indiana hosts Butler	4:00 p.m.
Maryland hosts Delaware	4:00 p.m.
Iowa hosts Loras	5:05 p.m.
Michigan at UC Irvine	9:00 p.m.

Wednesday, March 1

Rutgers hosts Saint Joseph's	3:00 p.m.
Minnesota hosts Milwaukee	7:00 p.m.
Michigan at UCLA	8:00 p.m.

Friday, March 3

Nebraska vs. Vanderbilt	Noon
Iowa vs. Southern	1:00 p.m.
Purdue vs. Akron	3:00 p.m.
Maryland vs. Ole Miss	4:00 p.m.
Michigan vs. TCU	4:00 p.m.
Michigan State at Charleston	4:00 p.m.
Rutgers at UNC Greensboro	4:00 p.m.
Indiana at East Carolina	4:30 p.m.
Ohio State vs. Mississippi State	7:00 p.m.
Northwestern at Louisiana Tech	7:00 p.m.
Illinois at Sam Houston	7:30 p.m.
Minnesota hosts Hawaii	8:00 p.m.

Saturday, March 4

Penn State vs. Wagner	11:00 a.m.
Maryland vs. Vanderbilt	Noon
Michigan vs. Texas Tech	Noon
Indiana vs. Georgetown	Noon
Purdue vs. Akron (DH)	1:00 p.m.
Michigan State at Charleston Southern	1:30 p.m.
Rutgers at UNC Greensboro	2:00 p.m.
Penn State vs. Dartmouth	2:00 p.m.
Northwestern at Louisiana Tech	3:00 p.m.
Nebraska vs. Hawaii	4:00 p.m.
Illinois at Sam Houston	4:00 p.m.
Ohio State vs. California	6:00 p.m.
Iowa at South Alabama	7:30 p.m.
Minnesota hosts Ole Miss	8:00 p.m.

Sunday, March 5

Maryland vs. Hawaii	10:30 a.m.
Indiana vs. Long Beach State	11:00 a.m.
Michigan vs. Louisville	Noon
Iowa vs. Pepperdine	Noon
Rutgers at UNC Greensboro	1:00 p.m.
Penn State vs. Holy Cross	1:00 p.m.
Purdue vs. Akron	1:00 p.m.
Michigan State at Charleston	1:00 p.m.
Northwestern at Louisiana Tech	2:00 p.m.
Illinois at Sam Houston	2:00 p.m.
Nebraska vs. Ole Miss	2:30 p.m.
Ohio State vs. Oklahoma	4:00 p.m.
Minnesota hosts Vanderbilt	7:00 p.m.

Career Situational Statistics

* - Includes Totals from Previous School

Runners On Base (H-AB)

Name	'20	'21	'22	'23	Total	Avg.
Cerny, Tyler	xx	xx	xx	1-3	1-3	.333
Colopy, Morgan	xx	16-62	5-34	1-10	22-106	.208
Ellis, Matthew	xx	xx	34-117	2-13	36-130	.277
Glasser, Phillip *	10-19	19-64	29-88	3-10	83-255	.325
Goforth, Evan	xx	xx	8-24	0-6	8-30	.267
De Goti, Jorge *	xx	xx	0-2	--	0-2	.000
Jessee, Hunter	6-23	5-23	32-84	5-16	48-146	.329
Mathison, Carter	xx	xx	33-108	2-14	35-122	.287
Murrison, Samuel	xx	6-18	5-39	--	11-57	.193
Pyne, Josh	xx	xx	44-127	6-17	50-144	.347
Serruto, Peter *	5-22	8-37	4-43	1-5	18-107	.168
Taylor, Devin	xx	xx	xx	1-2	1-2	.500
Tibbitts, Brock	xx	xx	32-107	3-9	49-173	.283
Vecrumba, Ethan	2-15	4-12	0-2	0-1	6-30	.200
Whalen, Bobby	xx	1-10	35-111	5-12	41-133	.308
TOTAL					409-1,440	.284

Runners in Scoring Position (H-AB)

Name	'20	'21	'22	'23	Total	Avg.
Cerny, Tyler	xx	xx	xx	1-2	1-2	.500
Colopy, Morgan	xx	10-44	3-21	1-2	14-67	.209
Ellis, Matthew	xx	xx	26-83	1-5	27-88	.307
Glasser, Phillip *	4-11	11-48	13-50	2-5	47-134	.351
Goforth, Evan	xx	xx	6-15	0-2	6-17	.353
Jessee, Hunter	1-2	3-13	15-49	3-6	22-70	.314
Mathison, Carter	xx	xx	21-73	1-6	22-79	.278
Murrison, Samuel	xx	1-8	3-25	--	4-33	.121
Pyne, Josh	xx	xx	33-84	1-5	34-89	.382
Serruto, Peter *	4-17	3-27	0-27	0-3	16-100	.160
Taylor, Devin	xx	xx	xx	1-1	1-1	1.000
Tibbitts, Brock	xx	xx	19-70	1-5	20-75	.267
Vecrumba, Ethan	3-4	3-9	--	--	6-13	.462
Whalen, Bobby	xx	1-4	23-75	2-3	26-82	.317
TOTAL					245-848	.289

NOTE: xx = non-Division I season (HS/JUCO) | -- = No at-bats in category

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How It Was Won

(* - Walk-off hit)

Below is a chart representing how the eventual game-winning run was recorded for Indiana in 2023.

Gm	Opponent	Final	Player	Inn.	Outs	Play	Score at Time
1	at Clemson	4-8	--				
2	at Clemson	1-6	--				
3	at Clemson	11-2	Mathison, Carter	1	--	Grand Slam	0-0
4	Miami (Ohio)	13-5	Cerny, Tyler	3	2	RBI Single	5-1
5	at Texas	2-4	--				
6	at Texas	2-5	--				
7	at Texas	4-2	Tibbitts, Brock	4	2	2RBI Double	2-2

Indiana When...

	'21	'22	'23
Overall	26-18	27-32	3-4
vs. Top-10 Teams	--	1-4	--
vs. Top-25 Teams	--	--	--
Non-Conference	--	17-18	3-4
Big Ten	26-18	10-14	--
At Home	14-6	15-9	1-0
On the Road	10-10	8-19	2-4
At Neutral Sites	2-2	4-4	--
In Day Games	23-17	17-20	3-3
In Night Games	3-1	10-12	0-1
vs. Teams .500 Or Better	14-15	14-22	2-2
vs. Teams Worse Than .500	12-3	13-10	1-2
vs. Left-Handed Starter	9-9	10-6	2-1
vs. Right-Handed Starter	17-9	17-26	1-3
When Starter Receives Decision	17-13	12-18	3-2
When Reliever Receives Decision	9-5	15-14	0-2
When Starter Goes 5+ Innings	20-7	13-7	2-1
When Starter Goes <5 Innings	6-11	14-25	1-3
When Scoring First	20-3	17-12	2-1
When Opponent Scores First	6-15	10-20	1-3
When Leading After 6 Innings	22-2	20-5	3-0
When Trailing After 6 Innings	2-13	6-26	0-3
When Tied After 6 Innings	2-3	1-1	0-1
When Leading After 8 Innings	22-1	24-2	3-0
When Trailing After 8 Innings	1-13	2-26	0-4
When Tied After 8 Innings	1-3	1-2	--
In One-Run Games	4-7	6-8	--
In Two-Run Games	5-2	4-7	1-1
In 5+ Run Games	13-3	15-12	2-1
Weekend Series W-L-T	7-3-0	6-7-0	0-2-0
Series Sweeps/Times Swept	2/1	-/4	-/-
Scoring 0-2 Runs	3-10	0-10	0-3
Scoring 3-5 Runs	6-7	2-8	1-1
Scoring 6-9 Runs	12-1	12-9	--
Scoring 10+ Runs	5-0	13-5	2-0
Shutouts/Times Shut Out	4/1	3/4	-/-
In Extra Innings	1-2	1-2	--
Opponent Scores 4 Runs Or Less	22-7	18-4	2-1
Opponent Scores 5 Runs Or More	4-11	9-28	1-3
Out-Hitting Opponent	24-5	19-10	3-0
Out-Hit by Opponent	1-10	6-20	0-4
Hits Are Equal	1-3	2-2	--
Hitting A Home Run	16-8	19-19	2-1
Opponent Hits A Home Run	10-11	13-22	3-2
Errorless	14-4	9-8	1-2
Committing One Error	7-6	14-10	2-0
Committing 2+ Errors	5-8	4-14	0-2
Opponent is Errorless	8-10	9-13	1-1
Opponent Commits One Error	9-7	3-12	1-3
Opponent Commits 2+ Errors	9-1	15-7	1-0
Game 1 of Weekend	--	4-10	0-2
Game 2 of Weekend	--	7-7	0-2
Game 3 of Weekend	--	5-9	2-0
Monday	1-0	--	--
Tuesday	0-1	6-3	1-0
Wednesday	--	3-0	--
Thursday	--	0-3	--
Friday	8-5	5-8	0-2
Saturday	8-8	5-8	0-2
Sunday	9-4	8-10	2-0

NOTE: Big Ten played a conference-only schedule in 2021

Career Game-Winning Plays

WO = Walk-off game-winning play

	'20	'21	'22	'23	WO	Total		'20	'21	'22	'23	WO	Total
Cerny, Tyler	--	--	--	1	--	1	Pyne, Josh	--	--	6	--	1	6
Colopy, Morgan	--	1	--	--	--	1	Serruto, Peter	--	--	1	--	--	1
Ellis, Matthew	--	--	2	--	--	2	Tibbitts, Brock	--	--	3	1	--	4
Glasser, Phillip	--	--	1	--	--	1	Vecrumba, Ethan	--	1	--	--	--	1
Mathison, Carter	--	--	5	1	--	6	Whalen, Bobby	--	--	3	--	--	3
Murrison, Samuel	--	--	1	--	--	1							

Infield

1	Phillip Glasser	L/R	Sr.+	Tallmadge, Ohio
8	Tyler Cerny	R/R	Fr.	Greenwood, Ind.
9	Brock Tibbitts	R/R	So.	New Albany, Ohio

11	Jorge De Goti	R/R	So.	Miami, Fla.
19	Evan Goforth	R/R	So.	Greenville, Ind.
23	Joey Brenzewski	S/R	Fr.	Fishers, Ind.

32	Josh Pyne	R/R	So.	Bloomfield, Ind.
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- After a standout playing career at Georgia Southern, assistant coach **Derek Simmons** oversees the infield group and assists head coach **Jeff Mercer** with the hitters, while serving as the programs recruiting coordinator.
- Simmons has long been regarded as one of the top recruiters in the NCAA, with a pair of top-25 recruiting class to go along with four other "top classes" per Collegiate Baseball Newspaper.
- Senior **Phillip Glasser** captains the defense from the shortstop position, as he owns 169 career starts - 54 coming at Indiana over the last two seasons - after transferring from Youngstown State.

- The Tallmadge, Ohio, native sits among the NCAA active leaders in five marquee categories:

Category	Rank	Total
Games Played	35th	172
At-bats	27th	643
Runs	18th	136
Hits	12th	200
Walks	22nd	95

- Over his 54 career games at Indiana, he reached base in 50 games with a hit in 40 of those games. In 2023, Glasser has four multi-hit games over his first six contests.
- Glasser started 47 games in 2022 - 45 at shortstop - and missed 12 of 13 games from March 20-May 12 due to injury (finger).
- Sophomore **Josh Pyne** started 56 games at third base and was a consensus second-team Freshman All-American in 2022 after leading the team in hits (74) and doubles (20).
- Just the sixth IU freshman to reach the 70-hit mark, Pyne was the first rookie to lead the team in hits since **Sam Travis** (2012).
- His doubles total tied for No. 8 on the single season list with **Josh Phegley** (20; 2008) and **Kevin Goins** (1991)
- Pyne reached base safely in 52 of 57 games played with a hit in 44 of those games. His 15-game hitting streak from March 8-April 2, 2022 was the longest streak for an IU hitter since 2014 and tied for the ninth longest single-season streak since at least 2005.

- Along with figuring out college pitching for the first time in 2022, **Brock Tibbitts** also switched positions after being a full-time catcher his entire youth/prep career and went on to earn Freshman All-America honors from Collegiate Baseball Newspaper.
- At the plate, Tibbitts finished No. 12 on Indiana's freshman RBI charts (43) and joined **Carter Mathison** (58) and Pyne (57) as the first IU freshman trio to drive in 40 RBIs in the same season in program history.
- The New Albany, Ohio, native hit nine home runs in 2022 to finish No. 5 on the Indiana freshman charts.
- In his career, Tibbitts reached base safely in 53 of 66 games played and owns a hit in 41 games.
- Sophomore **Evan Goforth** was a Big Ten All-Freshman Team pick in 2022 after playing in 26 games with 10 starts. his starts came at second base (2), third base (2), shortstop (5) and designated hitter (1).
- Sophomore **Jorge De Goti** (*pronounced duh goat-ee*) transferred from Florida, where he appeared in nine games for the Gators.
- He made his collegiate debut against Georgia Southern (2/26) as a pinch hitter and the next week collected his first collegiate hit against Florida A&M (3/2).
- De Goti debuted for Indiana in a pinch-hit appearance against Texas and collected his first hit.
- Freshmen **Tyler Cerny** and **Joey Brenzewski** (*pronounced brin-chess-key*) will each look to develop during their freshmen seasons with a veteran group around them.
- A four-year letterwinner at Center Grove High School, freshman Tyler Cerny was rated the No. 8 overall prospect and No. 2 shortstop in Indiana by Perfect Game.
- Following the COVID-19 pandemic year, Cerny missed most of his junior season due to a non-COVID illness, but returned to help his team to a conference championship as a senior.
- Made his collegiate debut in the series finale at Auburn (2/19) as a defensive replacement at second base and started his first collegiate game at second base against Miami (Ohio) (2/21) with his first hit and RBI in that contest.

- The the No. 11 overall prospect and No. 3 shortstop in Indiana by Perfect Game, Brenzewski earned high honorable mention All-America from Perfect Game as a junior and senior.
- He owns the single season and career stolen base records at Fishers High School.
- His father, Brett, lettered in baseball at St. Joseph's University and both brothers also played college baseball. Brother, Caleb, lettered for Lipscomb (2019) and Indiana Wesleyan (2020-21), while brother, Kiel, is a member of the Navy baseball program.



Outfield

3	Carter Mathison	L/L	So.	Fort Wayne, Ind.	7	Ethan Vecrumba	L/R	Sr.	Bloomington, Ind.	28	Sam Murrison	R/R	Jr.	Boca Raton, Fla.
4	Hunter Jessee	L/L	Sr.	South Lebanon, Ohio	10	Morgan Colopy	R/R	R-Jr.	Centerville, Ohio					
5	Devin Taylor	L/R	Fr.	Cincinnati, Ohio	16	Bobby Whalen	R/R	R-Jr.	Camp Hill, Pa.					

- The most experienced group on the team patrols the outfield, with 270 career games started entering the season, including all 177 starts from the 2022 campaign.
- Volunteer assistant coach **Zach Weatherford** oversees the group for the second season, as well as working the base runners.
- In four seasons as a student-athlete at Wright State - three playing for IU head coach **Jeff Mercer** - Weatherford set the WSU single season stolen base record (36) and won the Rawlings Gold Glove patrolling center field.
- Weatherford played one season in the Cleveland Guardians system, before getting his start in college baseball at Wright State as the director of operations.
- Sophomore **Carter Mathison** is well on his way to etching his name into Indiana baseball history after a historic rookie campaign in 2022. In 66 games played, Mathison has 20 career home runs and 64 career RBIs.
- His first home run of the 2023 season was a first-inning grand slam at Auburn (2/19) that set the tone for IU's 11-2 win in the series finale that game Mercer his 100th coaching victory at Indiana.
- The Fort Wayne, Indiana, native set the Indiana freshman record for home runs with a team-best 19 during the 2022 season, a total that ranks No. 2 all-time in Big Ten history among freshmen (12 - **Brad Carlson**, Iowa; 1999).
- Mathison toppled **Alex Dickerson's** mark of 14 home runs in 2009 and became the first freshman to lead Indiana in home run since **Sam Travis** (9) in 2012.
- He also tied IU's 34 year-old freshman RBI record with 58 in 2022, which equaled the mark of **Phil Dauphin** (1988) on his way to consensus Freshman All-America honors.
- His 10 home runs and 28 RBIs in Big Ten play during the 2022 season rank tied for No. 2 and No. 10, respectively, on the conference only charts at Indiana. He is just the fourth Hoosier to reach double-digit home runs in conference-only action in program history.
- Redshirt-junior **Bobby Whalen** is in his third season with the program after spending his true freshman season at Louisville.
- A Pennsylvania high school wrestler, Whalen patrols center field with an edge that includes crashing into walls and multiple diving catches. In 2022, Whalen left his feet on 14 occasions to rob opponents of possible extra bases.
- Whalen is from an athletic family with father, Bob (Cornell wrestling), sisters Ashton (Villanova field hockey) and Brett (Notre Dame track and field) and brother Cole (Lafayette College baseball) all participating in college athletics.
- After playing in just eight games as a redshirt freshman, Whalen started all 59 games in 2022 and reached base safely in 50 of those contests with at least one hit in 42 games.
- His aggressive approach also showed on the bases with a team-best 22 stolen bases in 2022. Whalen is just the fourth Hoosier since 2010 to reach the 20 stolen base mark and first since **Matt Gorski** (24) in 2018.
- Senior **Hunter Jessee** appeared in 14 of 15 games in 2020 (12 starts) then saw action in just 21 games in the 2021 campaign, before breaking out in 2022.
- The left-handed hitter became the first Indiana hitter to hit .400 in conference play since **Dustin DeMuth** (.448) in 2014 with a .402 batting average against Big Ten opposition in 2022.
- The South Lebanon, Ohio, native also posted highest single-season on-base percentage since Dickerson (.472) in 2010. That was thanks in part to 33 walks and four hit-by-pitch to only 33 strikeouts in 2022.
- Jessee reached base safely in the final 19 games of the season - missing the final game due to an injury (hand) he suffered in a win over Maryland at the Big Ten Tournament - and has been on base in all seven games in 2023 to equate to a 26-game reached base streak.
- Freshman **Devin Taylor** will look to make an immediate impact after a decorated prep career at LaSalle High School in Cincinnati, Ohio.
- The No. 78 overall prospect and No. 19 outfielder nationally by Perfect Game made his collegiate debut in the middle game of the series at Auburn and collected his first career hit and RBI in the series finale with the Tigers.
- Selected second-team All-America by Perfect Game as a senior, he hit .317 with five home runs and 20 RBIs in 24 games. Arrived on the prep scene with a .443 average, three home runs and 30 RBIs as a freshman.
- Redshirt junior **Morgan Colopy** missed a good chunk of the 2022 season due to injury (wrist), but returns to enter the rotation in the outfield that will also include veterans junior **Sam Murrison** and senior **Ethan Vecrumba**.
- Colopy has started 57 career games at Indiana in the outfield with eight career home runs and 29 RBIs, with five and 21, respectively, coming as a redshirt freshman in 2021.
- Murrison started 23 games in 2022 and hit .229 with 17 runs scored and 10 RBIs. He also hit his first career home run at Purdue (4/10), a day that saw him homer in both games of a doubleheader.
- Vecrumba is a Bloomington, Indiana, native and has appeared in 44 career games with 15 starts. His best season came in 2021 with a .238 average and five RBIs.





On The Mound

2	Luke Hayden	RHP	So.	Bloomington, Ind.
12	Craig Yoho	RHP	R-Sr.	Fishers, Ind.
14	Connor Foley	RHP	Fr.	Jasper, Ind.
18	Grant Holderfield	LHP	So.	Oak Park, Ill.
27	Brooks Ey	RHP	Jr.	Philadelphia, Pa.
29	Ryan Kraft	LHP	So.	Mokena, Ill.
30	Seti Manase	RHP	Jr.	Puyallup, Washington

31	Evan Whiteaker	RHP	Fr.	West Chester, Ohio
34	Gabe Levy	RHP	Gr.+	Seattle, Wash.
37	Luke Sinnard	RHP	So.	Hendersonville, Tenn.
38	Cooper Katskee	RHP	Fr.	Greenwood Village, Colo.
39	Nathan Ball	LHP	Sr.	Perrysburg, Ohio
40	Ethan Phillips	RHP	Fr.	Dunedin, Fla.
41	Ty Bothwell	LHP	R-Sr.	Hebron, Ind.

42	Ben Seiler	LHP	Sr.+	Albany, N.Y.
43	Adrian Vega	RHP	So.	Miramar, Fla.
44	Cooper Hellman	RHP	So	Goshen, Ky.
45	Aydan Decker-Petty	RHP	Fr.	New Castle, Ind.
51	Brayden Risedorph	RHP	Fr.	Kendallville, Ind.
55	Wes Burton	RHP	Gr.	Santa Monica, Calif.

• The 2023 pitching staff features 20 student-athletes, with just four throwing a pitch for the Cream and Crimson entering 2022. Of the 15 newcomers, six are true freshmen, eight are Division I transfers and one is a junior college transfer.

• Thus far in 2023, Indiana has used 17 pitchers, its most since using a program-high 18 arms in the 2011 season.

• With experience at every level of baseball from high school to Major League Baseball, pitching coach **Dustin Glant** has impacted the Indiana staff in just two seasons on campus.

• In his first year, Indiana became the second team in Big Ten history to reach the 600-strikeout mark in a season. In 2022, the Hoosiers joined Iowa (602 strikeouts) as the only Big Ten programs to strikeout 600 in a single season.

• The Hoosiers finished No. 2 in the Big Ten in total strikeouts (600) and strikeouts per nine innings (10.5), a total that sat No. 12 in Division I.

• During his time at Ball State, Glant's staff set a then-NCAA record with 11.1 strikeouts per nine innings during the 2019 season.

• Since 2019, Indiana has seen a Big Ten-best 19 student-athletes taken in the Major League Baseball Draft, with 11 of those pitchers.

• The 11 pitchers drafted includes eight of the possible 12 weekend starters over that span. All three weekend starters were picked in 2019 and 2021 and seven of the 11 had at least one year of eligibility remaining, with two drafted after their second full collegiate seasons.

• Redshirt senior **Ty Bothwell** brings the most returning experience to the mound with 34 career appearances and seven starts at Indiana. He owns 86 2/3 innings of work with 116 strikeouts.

• His 6.33 hits per nine innings rank No. 11 among the NCAA active leaders and his 12.05 strikeouts per nine innings sit No. 10 among the active Division I pitchers.

• In 2022, Bothwell took the mound in the third inning of a resumed game from the day before and tossed the final seven innings hitless against Minnesota (5/15).

• A season after stranding all 18 inherited runners, sophomore **Grant Holderfield** will miss the season due to injury.

• The left-hander did not allow a run of his own 11 outings and issued two-or-fewer walks in 23 appearances, including nine with zero walks over a team-high 25 appearances in 2022.

• Holderfield posted two wins, two holds and two saves in his first collegiate season.

• Sophomore **Ryan Kraft** is in his second season on the mound after a rookie campaign that featured a team-high-tying 25 appearances with one start.

• Kraft finished tied for No. 2 among Indiana freshman all-time in strikeouts (59), equaling the mark of **Tim Clifford** (1978) and **Blake Monar** (2009). The 59 strikeouts were the most among IU freshman that were primarily relievers in program history.

• Of his 25 appearances, 14 of those went multiple innings, including 10 relief outings that accounted for two-or-more innings of work in 2022.

• Kraft earned his first career save with three scoreless innings in the series finale at Texas. He allowed one hit and struck out two.

• Sophomore **Luke Hayden** is a Bloomington, Indiana, native and appeared in 20 games with six starts in 2022. He collected four wins to rank No. 2 on the team.

• The No. 104 overall prospect in the country by Perfect Game in the 2022 recruiting class, he helped Edgewood High School to a Indiana High School Athletic Association Class 3A state runner-up finish as a all-state pitcher his junior season.

• Fishers, Indiana, native **Craig Yoho** spent his first two collegiate seasons as a hitter at University of Houston, before transferring to Indiana for the 2021 season.

• Yoho suffered a pair of injuries that kept him out of the 2021 (arm) and 2022 (arm & knee) seasons. He married the former Sydni Dusek on July 2, 2022 in Dripping Springs, Texas.

• The right-hander fired his first collegiate pitch against Miami (Ohio) on February 21, 2023 and worked two scoreless innings with five strikeouts

• After four seasons at Davidson College, right-hander **Gabe Levy** adds versatility to the Indiana staff, as he has served as a starter and closer in his career.

• The Seattle, Washington, native sits among the NCAA active leaders in five marquee categories:

Category	Rank	Total
Appearances	40th	65
Innings Pitched	37th	185 2/3
Victories	36th	13
Saves	2nd	20
Walks Per 9 IP	33rd	2.04
Strikeouts	32nd	180

• Levy started 20 of 40 appearances over his first two seasons at Davidson, before made 23 relief appearances with eight saves as a senior. He also had 11 saves as a freshman in 2019.

• After 38 career appearances at Siena, **Ben Seiler** made his first career Indiana appearance in a start on opening night at Auburn (2/17).

• Seiler ranks No. 36 among active pitchers with 31 career starts and has piled up 157 strikeouts in 157 1/3 innings of work in his career.

• The Albany, New York, native owned the top single game strikeout mark in NCAA Division I during the 2022 season with 19 punchouts against Niagara (4/23/22).

• After posting nine quality starts in 12 starts on the mound for Tacoma Community College in 2022, **Seti Manase** was named the Northwest Athletic Conference West Region Pitcher of the Year in 2022.

• Manase led the team in victories (9), innings pitched (74 2/3), strikeouts (92), ERA (1.69), appearances (13) and games started (12) and allowed three-or-fewer runs in 10 of 12 starts.

• In 2022, Manase piled up the 92 strikeouts by accounting for seven-or-more strikeouts seven times, including three double-digit strikeout games.

• In 2023, Manase has made three appearances - two starts - and allowed just one unearned run on one hit over six innings of work. Opponents are hitting just .059 against the right-hander.

• After two seasons at Fordham, **Brooks Ey** joined the IU pitching staff with 27 appearances - 20 starts - and 128 innings of work for the Rams. He struck out 105 batters and won four games on the mound.

• A pair of right-handers transferred to Indiana from Western Kentucky in **Cooper Hellman** and **Luke Sinnard**. Both have experience in a relief and starting role during their first collegiate season.

• Sinnard earned his first action in the cream and crimson in the series finale at Auburn (2/19) with five innings of one-run work. He struck out four, walked one and allowed just one hit in a victory.

• Sinnard followed his first outing up with five innings of two-run work on Sunday at Texas to earn the victory. He struck out seven and allowed five hits with no walks.

• The 6-foot-8 Sinnard struck out 28 batters over 26 1/3 innings at WKU in 2022 over 11 appearances.

• Hellman has thrown twice in an Indiana uniform over the first four games with one hit allowed and two strikeouts. He appeared at Auburn and versus Miami (Ohio).

• At WKU, Hellman made 16 appearances with eight starts and struck out 32 batters in 33 innings of work. He held opponents to a .209 batting average against.

• Graduate transfer **Wes Burton** joins the staff a season after being a part of the College World Series championship team at Ole Miss.

• Of the six true freshmen pitchers on the roster, four of them have already debuted in 2023. **Connor Foley**, **Cooper Katskee**, **Brayden Risedorph** and **Evan Whiteaker** all appeared versus Miami (Ohio) on February 21.

• Foley was a two-time all-state pick out of Jasper (Ind.) High School, where he helped the program to the Indiana High School Athletic Association Class 4A state championship as a junior. He struck out 86 batters 54 innings as a senior.

• Katskee earned honorable mention All-West Region from Perfect game on three occasions and led Colorado High School Activities Association Class 5A in regular season strikeouts (74) as a senior. He was a two-time state champion in football as a quarterback, once at Cherry Creek High School (Colo.) and once at Burke (Omaha, Neb.) High School.

• Rated No. 221 overall prospect and No. 66 right-handed pitcher nationally by Perfect Game, Risedorph was the No. 4 prospect in Indiana after striking out 74 batters in 39 innings of work as a senior.

• Whiteaker (*pronounced White-acre*) was a top-15 recruit out of Ohio by Perfect Game after posting the lowest WHIP in program history at Lakota East. The right-hander also lettered in hockey.

• **Aydan Decker-Petty** and **Ethan Phillips** have yet to appear. Decker-Petty was ranked as the No. 149 right-handed pitcher nationally by Perfect Game, while Phillips was rated as the No. 104 prospect in Florida by Perfect Game.

Outfield

6	Peter Serruto	R/R	Sr.+	Short Hills, N.J.	33	AJ Shepard	R/R	Fr.	Manassas, Va.
9	Brock Tibbitts	R/R	So.	New Albany, Ohio	35	Matthew Ellis	L/R	R-Sr.	Waddy, Ky.
15	Austin Bode	L/R	So.	Columbus, Ind.	36	Riley Langerman	R/R	Sr.+	Parker, Colo.

- Redshirt senior **Matthew Ellis** earned third-team All-Big Ten honors in 2022 after hitting 18 home runs and driving in 65 RBIs, both which rank among the top 10 on the IU single season charts.
- He finished tied for No. 7 on IU's single season home run charts (18) with **Kyle Schwarber** (2013) and **Alex Smith** (1986), and tied for No. 10 on the single season RBI charts (65) with **Seth Bynum** (2004), **Vasili Spanos** (2002) and **Doug DeVore** (1999).
- In 59 starts in 2022, Ellis reached base safely in 52 of them with a hit in 38 games. Along with leading the team in RBIs, he also led the roster in walks (40).
- Ellis spent his first collegiate season at Tennessee, but did not appear in a game. He transferred to Walters State Community College and reached base in 76 of 87 games over two seasons.
- After three seasons at Big Ten foe Rutgers, **Peter Serruto** transferred to Indiana after playing in 84 career games with 58 starts for the Scarlet Knights.
- In his first season at Indiana, Serruto appeared in 34 games with 23 starts behind the plate and earned his degree in liberal studies in 2022.
- At Texas on Feb. 26, Serruto gunned down three potential base stealers in a 4-2 Indiana victory in the series finale. He also caught one runner trying to advance to second on a wild pitch that got off the home plate dirt.
- Out of high school, Serruto was drafted in the 22nd round of the 2018 Major League Baseball Draft by the Cincinnati Reds after he was ranked the No. 62 catcher nationally by Perfect Game.
- Sophomore **Brock Tibbitts** was No. 65 catcher nationally and No. 14 overall prospect in Ohio per Perfect Game as a prep and should see some time behind the plate during the 2023 season. **MORE INFO ON PAGE 7**
- Freshman **AJ Shepard** was rated the No. 359 overall prospect and No. 23 catcher nationally by Perfect Game as a senior and earned high honorable mention All-America from the publication.
- Older brother, Corey, was a collegiate swimmer at the United States Air Force Academy and competed at the 2020 USA Swimming Olympic Trials.
- A pair of transfers were added to the catching corps, in Louisville transfer **Austin Bode** and Maryland transfer **Riley Langerman**.
- Bode appeared in 16 games with one start at Louisville and helped the Cardinals to the NCAA Super Regional round in 2022. He hit .294 with five RBIs and owned a .409 on-base percentage.
- Langerman started 16 games over two seasons at Maryland after playing two seasons at Ventura (Calif.) College. He was a part of back-to-back NCAA Regional appearances, the 2022 Big Ten Championship team and Super Regional squad.





Going Yard

Below is a listing of home runs for the 2023 season, including expanded data for games where available.

<i>Gm</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Inn.</i>	<i>On Base</i>	<i>Exit Velo</i>	<i>Launch Angle</i>	<i>Distance</i>
1	Ellis, Matthew	2	1	--	--	--
3	Mathison, Carter	1	3	102.7	36	360 feet
4	Jessee, Hunter	1	--	102.5	29	403 feet
4	Jessee, Hunter	7	1	95.5	30	365 feet

4 total home runs

! - Home run led off an inning | * - Walk-off home run

^ - Leadoff home run (bottom/top 1st) | \$ - Pinch hit home run

The Last Time...

- Big Ten Tournament | % - NCAA Regional | ^ - NCAA Super Regional | \$ - College World Series

AN INDIANA TEAM...

Won 15+ Consecutive Games	18 - March 10-April 6, 2013
Won 10+ Consecutive Games	12 - February 28-March 22, 2015
Won 10+ Consecutive Big Ten Games	10 - March 28-April 25, 2014
Won 5+ Consecutive Big Ten Games	7 - March 7-19, 2021
Lost 5+ Consecutive Games	5 - May 16-23, 2021
Lost 5+ Consecutive Big Ten Games	5 - May 16-23, 2021
Swept a Three-Game Series	Minnesota; April 23-25, 2021
at Home	Minnesota; April 23-25, 2021
on The Road	at Maryland; May 1-3, 2015
Swept a Non-Conference Three-Game Series	Evansville; April 13-14, 2019
at Home	Evansville; April 13-14, 2019
on The Road	at Florida A&M; March 16-17, 2007
Swept a Three-Game Big Ten Series	Minnesota; April 23-25, 2021
at Home	Minnesota; April 23-25, 2021
on The Road	at Maryland; May 1-3, 2015
Was Swept in a Three-Game Series	at Iowa; May 19-21, 2022
at Home	Minnesota; April 22-23, 2011
on The Road	at Iowa; May 19-21, 2022
Was Swept in a Three-Game Non-Conference Series	at Troy; March 11-13, 2022
at Home	Minnesota; April 22-23, 2011
on The Road	at Troy; March 11-13, 2022
Was Swept in a Three-Game Big Ten Series	at Iowa; May 19-21, 2022
at Home	Minnesota; April 22-23, 2011
on The Road	at Iowa; May 19-21, 2022
Played An Extra-Inning Game	W, 6-4 (11 innings) - vs. Maryland; May 28, 2022 #
Won An Extra-Inning Game	W, 6-4 (11 innings) - vs. Maryland; May 28, 2022 #
Lost An Extra-Inning Game	L, 5-6 (11 innings) - vs. Maryland; May 26, 2022 #
Played Three Consecutive Extra-Inning Games	March 15-17, 2011; vs. Jacksonville (W, 7-6; 10 innings), vs. UMass (W, 11-10; 11 innings), vs. Bucknell (L, 4-5; 10 innings)
Played Consecutive Extra-Inning Games	April 2 & 4, 2017; Nebraska (T, 1-1; 11 innings), Ball State (W, 3-2; 11 innings)
Won Consecutive Extra-Inning Games	March 15-16, 2011; vs. Jacksonville (W, 7-6; 10 innings), vs. UMass (W, 11-10; 11 innings)
Won on a Walk-Off	W, 7-6 - Illinois; April 29, 2022 Josh Pyne RBI single in the ninth inning
Won Consecutive Games Via A Walk-Off	April 11 & 13, 2012; Indiana State (W, 8-7), Michigan State (W, 3-2) Chris Sujka RBI bunt single in the ninth inning Michael Basil scored on wild pitch in ninth inning

AN INDIANA OFFENSE...

Scored 40+ Runs	45 - Butler; April 11, 1896
Scored 30+ Runs	30 - IU-Southeast; April 30, 1997
Scored 25+ Runs	27 - Butler; March 23, 2016
Scored 20+ Runs	20 - Kentucky; March 15, 2022
Scored 15+ Runs	16 - at Iowa; May 19, 2022
Scored 10+ Runs In An Inning	11 (7th inning) - Butler; March 23, 2016
Scored 9+ Runs In An Inning	9 (5th inning) - Minnesota; April 15, 2017
Scored 8+ Runs In An Inning	8 (5th inning) - Illinois; May 1, 2022
Had 30+ Hits	N/A
Had 25+ Hits	27 - Michigan; April 4, 2010
Had 20+ Hits	22 - at Purdue-2; April 10, 2022
Had 20+ Hits in Back-to-Back Games	N/A
Had 7+ Home Runs	9 - at Maryland; March 30, 2019
Had 6+ Home Runs	6 - Kentucky; March 15, 2022
Had 5+ Home Runs	6 - Kentucky; March 15, 2022
Hit Back-To-Back Home Runs	9th Inning, Carter Mathison (3-run)/Tyler Doanes (solo) - at Indiana State; April 12, 2022
Hit Back-To-Back-To-Back Home Runs	3rd Inning, Kyle Schwarber (two-run), Sam Travis (solo) and Scott Donley (solo) - at Iowa; May 3, 2009
Had 3+ Triples	3 - vs. Valparaiso; March 2, 2008
Had 9+ Doubles	9 - Kentucky; March 15, 2022
Had 8+ Doubles	9 - Kentucky; March 15, 2022
Had 7+ Doubles	9 - Kentucky; March 15, 2022
Had 6+ Doubles	9 - Kentucky; March 15, 2022
Had 15+ Walks	16 - Ball State; April 18, 2018
Had 10+ Walks	10 - Miami (Ohio); March 1, 2022
Had 10+ Stolen Bases	12 - Indiana State; April 18, 2006
Had 9+ Stolen Bases	9 - at North Florida; March 14, 2007
Had 8+ Stolen Bases	8 - vs. South Alabama; February 18, 2018
Didn't Strikeout in a Game	Iowa; April 1, 2012
Had Two or Fewer Strikeouts	2 - Xavier-1; March 20, 2022
Was Shut Out	at Iowa (0-12); May 20, 2022
at Home	Penn State (0-3); April 5, 2019
on The Road	at Iowa (0-12); May 20, 2022
Neutral Site	vs. Stanford (0-13); February 27, 2022
Back-To-Back Games	May 20-21, 2016 (at Nebraska [0-2], at Nebraska [0-3])
Three-Straight Games	April 23-24, 1954 (Ohio State [0-2], Ohio State [0-5], Ohio State [0-8])

AN INDIANA PITCHING STAFF...	
Threw a No-Hitter	McCade Brown (5 IP); Braydon Tucker (4 IP); Illinois, April 10, 2021
Held Opponent To 1 Hit	Minnesota-1; May 15, 2022
Held Opponent To 2 Hits	Cincinnati; March 8, 2022
Struck Out 20+ Batters	21 - Ball State; April 18, 2018
Struck Out 15+ Batters	18 - vs. Maryland; May 28, 2022 #
Did Not Issue A Walk	Cincinnati; March 8, 2022
Shut Out An Opponent	Minnesota-1 (12-0); May 15, 2022
at Home	Minnesota-1 (12-0); May 15, 2022
on The Road	at Northwestern (4-0); April 18, 2021
Neutral Site Game	vs. Washington (1-0); March 18, 2019
Postseason Game	vs. Texas Southern (6-0); June 2, 2018 %
Back-To-Back Shutouts	2014 (Western Kentucky [1-0], Michigan State [7-0])
Three Straight Shutouts	March 24-26, 1988 (at Butler [14-0], at Rose-Hulman [10-0], at Rose-Hulman [2-0])
Four Straight Shutouts	April 6-10, 1937 (Carleton [8-0], DePauw [7-0], Miami (Ohio) [10-0], Miami (Ohio) [7-0])
Shut Out A Big Ten Opponent	Minnesota-1 (12-0); May 15, 2022
at Home	Minnesota (12-0); May 15, 2022
on The Road	at Northwestern (4-0); April 18, 2021
Neutral Site	vs. Michigan (5-0); May 22, 2014 #

AN INDIANA BATTER HAD...	
Hit for the Cycle	Josh Phegley; Valparaiso, March 2, 2008
Walk-Off Hit	Josh Pyne (RBI single); Illinois, April 29, 2022
Walk-Off Home Run	Collin Hopkins (2-run HR); Illinois, April 9, 2021
8+ At-Bats	8 - Jeremy Houston; Ball State, April 18, 2018
5 Hits	5 - Grant Richardson; at Maryland, March 30, 2019
4+ Hits	4 - Hunter Jessee; at Auburn; February 19, 2023
2+ Hits In An Inning	Evan Goforth (bottom fifth; single & single); Illinois, May 1, 2022
6 Runs Scored	6 - Jay Brant; Shawnee State, March 30, 2005
5+ Runs Scored	5 - Drew Ashley; at Maryland, March 31, 2019
4+ Runs Scored	4 - Bobby Whalen; Illinois, April 29, 2022
3+ Doubles	3 - Phillip Glasser; Kentucky, March 15, 2022
2+ Triples	2 - Casey Rodriguez; College of Charleston, February 28, 2015
4 Home Runs	4 - Byron Bradley; Tri-State, March 5, 1992
3+ Home Runs	3 - Grant Richardson; Maryland, March 30, 2019
2+ Home Runs	2 - Hunter Jessee; Miami (Ohio), February 21, 2023
Inside-The-Park Home Run	Matt Gorski; at Purdue, April 25, 2018
Pinch Hit Home Run	Carter Mathison (9th inning, 3-run HR); at Indiana State, April 12, 2022
Leadoff Home Run (Top or bottom of 1st inning)	Tyler Doanes; at Clemson, February 19, 2022
Hit a Grand Slam	Carter Mathison; at Auburn, February 19, 2023
A Walk-Off Grand Slam	Logan Kaletha; vs. South Alabama, February 18, 2018
10+ RBIs	Never
9+ RBIs	9 - Mike Smith; Milwaukee, March 1, 1992
8+ RBIs	N/A
7+ RBIs	7 - Matt Ellis; at Missouri State, March 5, 2022
15+ Total Bases	15 - Josh Phegley; at Northwestern, March 24, 2017
10+ Total Bases	10 - Matt Ellis; at Missouri State, March 5, 2022
5+ Walks	5 - Logan Sowers; Ball State, April 18, 2018
4+ Walks	4 - Jeremy Houston; vs. Nebraska, May 9, 2021
3+ Walks	3 - Brock Tibbitts; at Illinois State, April 27, 2022
4+ Stolen Bases	4 - Micah Johnson; Evansville, March 27, 2011
3+ Stolen Bases	3 - Bobby Whalen; Cincinnati, March 8, 2022
Stole Home	Hunter Jessee (7th Inning); vs. Butler, April 26, 2022
3+ Hit By Pitches	3 - Michael Basil; at Michigan State, April 14, 2013

AN INDIANA PITCHER HAD...	
A Perfect Game	N/A
A No-Hitter	McCade Brown (5 IP); Braydon Tucker (4 IP); Illinois, April 10, 2021
A Complete Game No-Hitter	Mark Gramer (7 IP); Rose-Hulman, April 25, 1984
A Complete Game (9 Inn.)	Bradley Brehmer; vs. Illinois, May 27, 2022 #
A Complete-Game Shutout	Kyle Hart (9.0 IP); Georgia Southern, April 21, 2012
at Home	Kyle Hart (9.0 IP); Georgia Southern, April 21, 2012
on The Road	Tyler Tufts (7.0 IP); at Penn State, April 29, 2006
Neutral Site	Pauly Milto (9.0 IP); vs. Texas Southern, June 2, 2018 %
Big Ten Game	Tyler Tufts (7.0 IP); at Penn State, April 29, 2006
as a Freshman	Tyler Tufts (7.0 IP); at Penn State, April 29, 2006
Postseason Game	Pauly Milto (9.0 IP); vs. Texas Southern, June 2, 2018 %
16 Strikeouts	16 - McCade Brown; Penn State, March 13, 2021
15+ Strikeouts	16 - McCade Brown; Penn State, March 13, 2021
10+ Strikeouts	11 - Bradley Brehmer; Nebraska, April 23, 2022

AN INDIANA DEFENSE...	
Turned 5+ Double Plays	6 - at Michigan State; May 17, 2008
Turned 4+ Double Plays	4 - vs. Texas A&M; June 3, 2018 %
Turned 3+ Double Plays	3 - Minnesota; May 14, 2022
Turned A Triple Play	vs. Radford; May 30, 2015 %
Had 5+ Errors	5 - vs. Nebraska; May 8, 2021
Had 4+ Errors	4 - at Iowa; May 19, 2022
Threw Out 4 Base Runners	4 - Northern Illinois; March 17, 2018
Threw Out 4 Base Runners	3 - at Texas; February 26, 2023

Hit It Hard

Top 10 Exit Velocities

Below is a listing of the top-10 hardest hit balls by IU in 2023.

Exit Velocity	Name	Opponent	Result
105.96	Ellis, Matthew	Miami (Ohio)	Double
105.57	Mathison, Carter	at Auburn	Out
105.34	Pyne, Josh	at Auburn	Out
104.75	Tibbitts, Brock	at Auburn	Out
104.59	Colopy, Morgan	Miami (Ohio)	Single
104.54	Whalen, Bobby	at Auburn	Single
104.22	Glasser, Phillip	at Auburn	Double
103.8	Jessee, Hunter	at Miami (Ohio)	Single
103.78	Glasser, Phillip	at Miami (Ohio)	Single
103.77	Tibbitts, Brock	at Miami (Ohio)	Triple

Individual Exit Velocities

Below is a listing of each IU student-athlete's average and top exit velocity of the 2023 season.

Name	Top EV	Average EV
Cerny, Tyler	82.21	70.34
Colopy, Morgan	104.59	77.74
Ellis, Matthew	105.96	89.00
Glasser, Phillip	104.22	91.61
Goforth, Evan	101.26	87.16
Jessee, Hunter	103.8	93.74
Mathison, Carter	105.57	88.84
Pyne, Josh	105.34	86.55
Serruto, Peter	102.9	86.47
Taylor, Devin	97.83	97.83
Tibbitts, Brock	104.75	84.74
Whalen, Bobby	104.54	90.19

Barrel Count

Below is a listing of each IU student-athlete's total barreled balls in 2023.

Name	'23 Barrels	Career
Colopy, Morgan	--	6
Ellis, Matthew	2	23
Glasser, Phillip	2	9
Jessee, Hunter	1	6
Mathison, Carter	1	18
Murrison, Sam	--	1
Pyne, Josh	--	7
Serruto, Peter	--	1
Tibbitts, Brock	2	20
Whalen, Bobby	--	4

NOTE: A barreled ball is 98-plus exit velocity and a 10-35 degree launch angle. Barreled balls include only balls put in play.



Season Statistics

Record: 3-4 Home: 1-0 Away: 2-4 Big Ten: 0-0

Player	avg	gp-gs	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	rbi	tb	slg%	bb	hp	so	gdp	ob%	sf	sh	sb-att	po	a	e	fld%
4 Jessee, Hunter	.346	7-7	26	6	9	2	0	2	7	17	.654	4	2	5	1	.455	1	0	0-0	10	2	0	1.000
1 Glasser, Phillip	.345	7-7	29	5	10	1	1	0	4	13	.448	2	1	4	1	.394	1	0	3-3	8	19	1	.964
32 Pyne, Josh	.333	7-7	30	4	10	2	0	0	4	12	.400	0	1	7	1	.344	1	0	0-0	3	6	1	.900
16 Whalen, Bobby	.273	7-6	22	4	6	0	0	0	0	6	.273	4	1	5	0	.407	0	0	0-1	16	2	0	1.000
9 Tibbitts, Brock	.208	7-7	24	3	5	1	1	0	6	8	.333	5	1	7	1	.367	0	0	0-0	53	4	1	.983
35 Ellis, Matthew	.158	7-7	19	4	3	1	0	1	3	7	.368	4	3	6	0	.385	0	0	0-0	30	2	0	1.000
3 Mathison, Carter	.103	7-7	29	3	3	1	0	1	6	7	.241	2	0	11	0	.161	0	0	0-0	3	0	1	.750
10 Colopy, Morgan	.071	6-4	14	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	.071	3	1	2	1	.278	0	0	0-0	7	0	0	1.000

11 De Goti, Jorge	1.000	1-0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1.000	0	0	0	0	1.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
8 Cerny, Tyler	.250	4-2	8	2	2	0	0	0	1	2	.250	1	1	2	1	.400	0	0	1-1	11	8	1	.950
6 Serruto, Peter	.222	4-3	9	3	2	0	0	0	0	2	.222	0	0	3	0	.222	0	1	0-0	21	7	0	1.000
5 Taylor, Devin	.167	4-1	6	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	.167	1	0	4	0	.286	0	0	0-0	0	0	1	.000
19 Goforth, Evan	.077	6-5	13	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	.077	2	0	5	1	.200	0	1	0-0	10	7	1	.944
7 Vecrumba, Ethan	.000	2-0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1-1	0	0	0	.000
28 Murrison, Sam	.000	1-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
36 Langerman, Riley	.000	2-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	1	0	0	1.000
Totals	.234	7	231	37	54	8	2	4	34	78	.338	28	11	61	7	.341	3	2	5-6	177	67	7	.972
Opponents	.258	7	217	32	56	16	0	5	28	87	.401	34	4	53	3	.364	3	4	2-7	186	68	6	.977

LOB - Team (52), Opp (53). DPs turned - Team (3), Opp (7).

(All games Sorted by Earned run avg)

Player	era	w-l	app	gs	cg	sho	sv	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	2b	3b	hr	b/avg	wp	hp	bks	sfa	sha
37 Sinnard, Luke	2.70	2-0	2	2	0	0/0	0	10.0	10	3	3	1	11	4	0	1	.256	0	0	0	0	0
42 Seiler, Ben	3.68	0-1	2	2	0	0/0	0	7.1	8	4	3	6	7	0	0	0	.296	1	0	0	0	2
29 Kraft, Ryan	3.86	0-1	3	0	0	0/0	1	7.0	7	5	3	3	7	0	0	1	.250	0	0	0	0	0

30 Manase, Seti	0.00	1-0	3	2	0	0/0	0	6.0	1	1	0	4	2	1	0	0	.059	0	0	0	1	0
44 Hellman, Cooper	0.00	0-0	3	0	0	0/0	0	3.0	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	.111	1	2	0	0	0
12 Yoho, Craig	0.00	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	3.0	2	0	0	1	6	0	0	0	.182	0	1	0	0	0
31 Whiteaker, Evan	0.00	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	2.0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
51 Risedorph, Brayden	0.00	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	1.2	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
55 Burton, Wes	0.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	1.0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0	0
43 Vega, Adrian	2.25	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	4.0	1	1	1	3	2	0	0	0	.083	0	0	0	1	0
27 Ey, Brooks	6.75	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	2.2	2	2	2	2	2	1	0	0	.222	0	1	0	0	1
41 Bothwell, Ty	7.71	0-1	1	1	0	0/0	0	2.1	3	2	2	4	1	2	0	0	.375	0	0	0	0	1
2 Hayden, Luke	9.00	0-0	3	0	0	0/0	0	3.0	5	3	3	1	1	2	0	0	.417	1	0	0	0	0
38 Katskee, Cooper	9.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	1.0	3	1	1	0	2	2	0	0	.600	0	0	0	0	0
14 Foley, Connor	9.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	1.0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	.333	0	0	0	0	0
34 Levy, Gabe	11.25	0-1	2	0	0	0/0	0	4.0	10	7	5	2	5	4	0	2	.455	1	0	0	1	0
39 Ball, Nathan	99.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	0.0	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	1.000	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	3.97	3-4	7	7	0	0/0	1	59.0	56	32	26	34	53	16	0	5	.258	5	4	0	3	4
Opponents	5.23	4-3	7	7	0	0/0	1	62.0	54	37	36	28	61	8	2	4	.234	2	11	1	3	2

PB - Team (1), Ellis 1. Pickoffs - Team (2), Whiteaker 1, Seiler 1. SBA/ATT - Serruto (1-4), Ellis (1-2), Hellman (0-1), Vega (1-1), Kraft (0-1), Foley (0-1), Seiler (0-1), Bothwell (1-1), Sinnard (0-1).

Last Week's Games Statistics

(Week of Feb. 20-26, 2023 Sorted by Batting avg)

Record: 2-2 Home: 1-0 Away: 1-2 Big Ten: 0-1

Player	avg	gp-gs	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	rbi	tb	slg%	bb	hp	so	gdp	ob%	sf	sh	sb-att	po	a	e	fld%
32 Pyne, Josh	.375	4-4	16	3	6	1	0	0	2	7	.438	0	1	5	0	.412	0	0	0-0	2	5	0	1.000
1 Glasser, Phillip	.313	4-4	16	2	5	0	1	0	3	7	.438	1	0	3	1	.333	1	0	3-3	4	6	0	1.000
4 Jessee, Hunter	.313	4-4	16	4	5	0	0	2	4	11	.688	1	0	4	1	.333	1	0	0-0	7	1	0	1.000
16 Whalen, Bobby	.286	4-4	14	3	4	0	0	0	0	4	.286	2	1	3	0	.412	0	0	0-1	9	2	0	1.000
8 Cerny, Tyler	.250	3-2	8	2	2	0	0	0	1	2	.250	1	1	2	1	.400	0	0	1-1	9	7	1	.941
9 Tibbitts, Brock	.214	4-4	14	1	3	1	1	0	6	6	.429	2	1	4	1	.353	0	0	0-0	29	3	1	.970
35 Ellis, Matthew	.200	4-4	10	2	2	1	0	0	1	3	.300	2	1	4	0	.385	0	0	0-0	19	2	0	1.000
10 Colopy, Morgan	.143	4-2	7	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	.143	2	1	2	0	.400	0	0	0-0	2	0	0	1.000
3 Mathison, Carter	.067	4-4	15	2	1	0	0	0	1	1	.067	2	0	5	0	.176	0	0	0-0	3	0	1	.750

11 De Goti, Jorge	1.000	1-0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1.000	0	0	0	0	1.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
6 Serruto, Peter	.500	2-1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	.500	0	0	1	0	.500	0	1	0-0	9	5	0	1.000
19 Goforth, Evan	.000	3-2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	1	.000	0	1	0-0	4	3	1	.875
5 Taylor, Devin	.000	2-1	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	.000	1	0	3	0	.200	0	0	0-0	0	0	1	.000
36 Langerman, Riley	.000	1-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	1	0	0	1.000
28 Murrison, Sam	.000	1-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
7 Vecrumba, Ethan	.000	1-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	.242	4	128	21	31	3	2	2	20	44	.344	14	6	37	5	.340	2	2	4-5	102	39	5	.966
Opponents	.246	4	118	16	29	8	0	3	14	46	.390	16	2	29	1	.341	2	2	1-6	105	37	4	.973

LOB - Team (26), Opp (22). DP's turned - Team (1), Opp (5).

(Week of Feb. 20-26, 2023 Sorted by Earned run avg)

Player	era	w-l	app	gs	cg	sho	sv	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	2b	3b	hr	b/avg	wp	hp	bks	sfa	sha
42 Seiler, Ben	0.00	0-0	1	1	0	0/0	0	5.0	4	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	.267	0	0	0	0	2
30 Manase, Seti	0.00	1-0	2	2	0	0/0	0	5.0	1	1	0	4	1	1	0	0	.071	0	0	0	1	0
37 Sinnard, Luke	3.60	1-0	1	1	0	0/0	0	5.0	5	2	2	0	7	2	0	1	.263	0	0	0	0	0
29 Kraft, Ryan	4.50	0-1	2	0	0	0/0	1	4.0	4	4	2	2	3	0	0	0	.250	0	0	0	0	0

12 Yoho, Craig	0.00	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	3.0	2	0	0	1	6	0	0	0	.182	0	1	0	0	0
44 Hellman, Cooper	0.00	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	2.0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	.167	0	1	0	0	0
31 Whiteaker, Evan	0.00	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	2.0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
51 Risedorph, Brayden	0.00	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	1.2	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
2 Hayden, Luke	4.50	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	2.0	2	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	.286	1	0	0	0	0
38 Katskee, Cooper	9.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	1.0	3	1	1	0	2	2	0	0	.600	0	0	0	0	0
14 Foley, Connor	9.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	1.0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	.333	0	0	0	0	0
43 Vega, Adrian	9.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	1.0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	.333	0	0	0	1	0
34 Levy, Gabe	20.25	0-1	1	0	0	0/0	0	1.1	3	3	3	1	1	2	0	1	.429	0	0	0	0	0
39 Ball, Nathan	99.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	0.0	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	1.000	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	3.44	2-2	4	4	0	0/0	1	34.0	29	16	13	16	29	8	0	3	.246	1	2	0	2	2
Opponents	5.40	2-2	4	4	0	0/0	1	35.0	31	21	21	14	37	3	2	2	.242	1	6	1	2	2

PB - Team (1), Ellis 1. Pickoffs - Team (2), Whiteaker 1, Seiler 1. SBA/ATT - Serruto (0-3), Ellis (1-2), Seiler (0-1), Vega (1-1), Kraft (0-1), Hellman (0-1), Sinnard (0-1), Foley (0-1).



Team Game-by-Game (Hitting)

Date	Opponent	ab	r	h	rbi	2b	3b	hr	tb	bb	ibb	sb	cs	hbp	sac	sf	gdp	k	po	a	e	lob	avg
Feb 17	at Auburn	33	4	5	3	0	0	1	8	4	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	12	24	6	2	9	.152
Feb 18	at Auburn	30	1	4	1	1	0	0	5	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	5	24	13	0	6	.143
Feb 19	at Auburn	40	11	14	10	4	0	1	21	7	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	7	27	9	0	11	.223
Feb 21	MIAMI (OHIO)	37	13	14	12	1	2	2	25	3	0	2	0	2	0	1	1	10	27	10	1	6	.264
Feb 24	at Texas	30	2	7	2	1	0	0	8	5	0	1	0	1	1	1	2	8	24	12	0	9	.259
Feb 25	at Texas	27	2	2	2	0	0	0	2	6	0	0	0	3	0	0	2	7	24	7	3	7	.234
Feb 26	at Texas	34	4	8	4	1	0	0	9	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	12	27	10	1	4	.234
Totals		231	37	54	34	8	2	4	78	28	0	5	1	11	2	3	7	61	177	67	7	52	.234

Team Game-by-Game (Pitching)

Date	Opponent	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	2b	3b	hr	wp	bk	hbp	dp	ibb	score	w-l	sv	era
Feb 17	at Auburn	8.0	11	8	5	7	11	2	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	4-8	0-1	0	5.62
Feb 18	at Auburn	8.0	8	6	6	9	4	4	0	0	2	0	2	2	0	1-6	0-2	0	6.19
Feb 19	at Auburn	9.0	8	2	2	2	9	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	11-2	1-2	0	4.68
Feb 21	MIAMI (OHIO)	9.0	11	5	5	5	14	3	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	13-5	2-2	0	4.76
Feb 24	at Texas	8.0	8	4	4	4	3	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2-4	2-3	0	4.71
Feb 25	at Texas	8.0	4	5	2	6	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2-5	2-4	0	4.32
Feb 26	at Texas	9.0	6	2	2	1	9	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4-2	3-4	1	3.97
Totals		59.0	56	32	26	34	53	16	0	5	5	0	4	3	0	37-32	3-4	1	3.97



Non-Starter Statistics

Player	avg	gp-gs	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	rbi	tb	slg%	bb	hp	so	gdp	ob%	sf	sh	sb-att	po	a	e	fld%
11 De Goti, Jorge	1.000	1-0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1.000	0	0	0	0	1.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
5 Taylor, Devin	.333	3-0	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	.333	0	0	2	0	.333	0	0	0-0	0	0	1	.000
8 Cerny, Tyler	.000	2-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0	.500	0	0	0-0	3	3	0	1.000
10 Colopy, Morgan	.000	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
7 Vecrumba, Ethan	.000	2-0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1-1	0	0	0	.000
16 Whalen, Bobby	.000	1-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0	1.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000

19 Goforth, Evan	.000	1-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
36 Langerman, Riley	.000	2-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	1	0	0	1.000
6 Serruto, Peter	.000	1-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	1	0	0	1.000
Totals	.286	6	7	1	2	0	0	0	1	2	.286	2	0	2	0	.444	0	0	1-1	8	6	1	.933
Opponents	.125	6	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	.125	1	0	1	0	.222	0	0	0-0	9	1	0	1.000

(All games Sorted by Earned run avg)

Player	era	w-l	app	gs	cg	sho	sv	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	2b	3b	hr	b/avg	wp	hp	bk	sfa	sha
12 Yoho, Craig	0.00	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	3.0	2	0	0	1	6	0	0	0	.182	0	1	0	0	0
31 Whiteaker, Evan	0.00	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	2.0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
44 Hellman, Cooper	0.00	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	2.0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	.143	1	2	0	0	0
51 Risedorph, Brayden	0.00	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	1.2	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
30 Manase, Seti	0.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
55 Burton, Wes	0.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	1.0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0	0
43 Vega, Adrian	2.25	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	4.0	1	1	1	3	2	0	0	0	.083	0	0	0	1	0
29 Kraft, Ryan	6.75	0-1	2	0	0	0/0	0	4.0	6	5	3	3	5	0	0	1	.316	0	0	0	0	0
27 Ey, Brooks	6.75	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	2.2	2	2	2	2	2	1	0	0	.222	0	1	0	0	1
2 Hayden, Luke	9.00	0-0	3	0	0	0/0	0	3.0	5	3	3	1	1	2	0	0	.417	1	0	0	0	0
14 Foley, Connor	9.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	1.0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	.333	0	0	0	0	0
38 Katskee, Cooper	9.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	1.0	3	1	1	0	2	2	0	0	.600	0	0	0	0	0
34 Levy, Gabe	11.25	0-1	2	0	0	0/0	0	4.0	10	7	5	2	5	4	0	2	.455	1	0	0	1	0
39 Ball, Nathan	99.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	0.0	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	1.000	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	5.34	0-2	6	0	0	0/0	0	30.1	33	22	18	18	31	9	0	4	.280	4	4	0	2	1
Opponents	4.50	2-0	6	0	0	0/0	1	32.0	27	17	16	15	29	4	1	1	.221	2	6	0	2	0

National Rankings

Hitting	NCAA	B1G	Total	Hitting	Name	NCAA	B1G	Total	Pitching	Name	NCAA	B1G	Total
Base on Balls	172	7	28	Base on Balls	--	--	--	--	Complete Games	--	--	--	--
Batting Average	219	11	.234	Batting Average	--	--	--	--	Earned Run Average	--	--	--	--
Doubles	234	13	8	Doubles	--	--	--	--	Games Started	Seti Manase	8	1	2
Doubles Per Game	246	12	1.14	Hit by Pitch	Matthew Ellis	84	3	3		Ben Seiler	8	1	2
Hit by Pitch	77	4	11	Hits	--	--	--	--		Luke Sinnard	8	1	2
Hits	198	11	54	Home Runs	--	--	--	--	Hit Batters	--	--	--	--
Home Runs	196	8	4	On Base Percentage	--	--	--	--	Hits Per Nine Innings	--	--	--	--
Home Runs Per Game	214	9	0.57	Runs	--	--	--	--	Pitching Appearances	--	--	--	--
On Base Percentage	211	11	.341	Runs Batted In	--	--	--	--	Saves	Ryan Kraft	46	1	1
Runs	180	9	37	Sacrifice Bunts	Evan Goforth	96	3	1	Strikeout-to-Walk Ratio	Luke Sinnard	72	4	11
Sacrifice Bunts	113	6	2		Peter Serruto	96	3	1	Strikeouts	--	--	--	--
Sacrifice Flies	96	6	3	Sacrifice Flies	Phillip Glasser	103	3	1	Strikeouts Per Nine Innings	--	--	--	--
Scoring	194	11	5.3		Hunter Jessee	103	3	1	Victories	Luke Sinnard	5	1	2
Slugging Percentage	241	11	.338		Josh Pyne	103	3	1		Seti Manase	125	7	1
Stolen Bases	191	8	5	Slugging Percentage	--	--	--	--	WHIP	--	--	--	--
Stolen Bases Per Game	199	9	0.71	Stolen Bases	Phillip Glasser	121	7	3	Walks Per Nine Innings	Luke Sinnard	71	4	0.9
Triples	67	5	2	Total Bases	--	--	--	--					
Triples Per Game	85	7	0.29	Toughest to Strike Out	--	--	--	--					
				Triples	Phillip Glasser	49	3	1					
					Brock Tibbitts	49	3	1					
Pitching	NCAA	B1G	Total										
Earned Run Average	64	3	3.97										
Hit Batters	255	13	4										
Hits Allowed Per Nine Innings	104	6	8.54										
Shutouts	--	--	--										
Strikeout-to-Walk Ratio	196	10	1.56										
Strikeouts Per Nine Innings	210	10	8.10										
WHIP	134	6	1.53										
Walks Allowed Per Nine Innings	168	6	5.19										
Fielding	NCAA	B1G	Total										
Fielding Percentage	115	6	.972										
Double Plays	178	9	3										
Double Plays Per Game	196	10	0.43										



Bullpen Tracker

Below is a listing of decisions (win or loss), holds and saves/blown saves from the Indiana bullpen in 2023.

NOTE: A hold occurs when a relief pitcher enters the game in a save situation and maintains the team's lead, while recording at least one out. In order for a pitcher to be credited with a hold one of two conditions must be met: 1) He enters with a lead of three runs or less and maintains that lead while recording at least one out. 2) He enters the game with the tying run on-deck, at the plate or on the bases, and records an out.

Opponent (Date)	Result	Pitcher	Line
Miami (Ohio) (2/21)	Hold (1)	Evan Whiteaker	1.0 IP, 1 BB, 2 K
	Hold (1)	Connor Foley	1.0, 1 R, 1 ER, 1 BB, 1 K
at Texas (2/24)	Blown Save (1)	Vega, Adrian	1.0 IP, 1 H, 1 ER, 1 BB
	Loss (1)	Levy, Gabe	1.1 IP, 3 H, 3 R, 3 ER, 1 BB, 1 K
at Texas (2/25)	Loss (1)	Kraft, Ryan	1.0 IP, 3 H, 4 R, 2 ER, 2 BB, 1 K
at Texas (2/26)	Hold (1)	Hellman, Cooper	1.0 IP, 1 BB
	Save (1)	Kraft, Ryan	3.0 IP, 1 H, 2 K

Individual Relief Breakdown (Statistics include only relief appearances)

Name	Win	Hold/Save	Loss/Blown Save
Foley, Connor	--	1/--	--/--
Hellman, Cooper	--	1/--	--/--
Kraft, Ryan	--	--/1	1/--
Levy, Gabe	--	--/--	1/--
Vega, Adrian	--	--/--	--/1
Whiteaker, Evan	--	1/--	--/--



22 | Jeff Mercer



Fifth Season at Indiana
Seventh Season as a Head Coach
Wright State, 2009



Entering his fifth season at the helm of the Indiana baseball program, head coach Jeff Mercer continues to build the program through high-level high school talent and deliberate evaluation of the transfer portal. The player development within the program has also shown in his first four seasons with a Big Ten-best 19 student-athletes drafted over that span.

Mercer start this his IU coaching career has seen him join IU coaching legend Everett Dean as the only IU coaches to win a Big Ten title in their first year as a head coach, a trip to the NCAA Louisville Regional, a season cut short due to a global pandemic and the first-ever conference-only slate in Big Ten history.

Mercer brought a winning background to Indiana. In his time as a head coach (2017-18) and an assistant coach (2014-16) at Wright State, he was a part of three Horizon League regular season and conference tournament titles, three NCAA appearances, and a combined record of 199-92 (.684). The Raiders won four NCAA tournament games over that span, having reached the regional finals twice.

Indiana Era (2019-present)

In 2022, the freshman trio of Carter Mathison, Josh Pyne and Brock Tibbitts each earned Freshman All-America honors, while the trio was joined by Evan Goforth on the Big Ten All-Freshman Team. The freshman home run record was topped by Mathison at 19 home runs, which raced past Alex Dickerson's mark (14) from 2009. That total ranked No. 3 among Division I freshmen and his 58 RBIs were No. 8 among rookies nationally.

Catcher Matthew Ellis – a junior college transfer – was among the veterans to impact the 2022 season with his 18 home runs ranking No. 2 on the team. Ellis was a third-team All-Big Ten selection at seasons end. Starting pitcher Jack Perkins made the most of his one year in Bloomington with 15 starts and 91 strikeouts, before the Oakland Athletics made him the organization's fifth-round pick in the 2022 Major League Baseball Draft.

Bradley Brehmer and Reese Sharp also hear their names called in the draft, both by the Baltimore Orioles. Brehmer was the 12th round selection and Sharp was the taken in the 20th round of the event.

The conference-only slate of 2021 produced just the second 20-plus win Big Ten effort in program history (2014) and a school-record 26 wins against B1G opponents. Twice during the season, the Hoosiers won eight of nine games, including eight straight games after dropping the season opener. Grant Richardson was a first-team All-Big Ten pick, while Gabe Bierman (second team), McCade Brown (second team) and Cole Barr (third team) also earned all-conference honors.

In the Major League Baseball Draft, the Hoosiers saw its three weekend starting pitchers, closer and top two RBI producers selected. With four picks in the first 10 rounds, the 2021 edition marked the second time in program history that four Hoosiers were taken in the top 10 rounds (2009).

In the shortened 2020 season, Mercer led the Hoosiers to a 9-6 record overall. Indiana recorded three road victories over ranked teams, beating No. 11 LSU, No. 30 South Alabama, and No. 17 East Carolina. IU also defeated in-state rival Purdue, 17-2, in seven innings.

Individually, Richardson posted a .424 batting average with three doubles, two triples, five home runs, 17 RBI and 21 runs scored over 15 games. The sophomore led the Big Ten in runs scored, home runs, slugging percentage, and total bases. He finished among the top 20 nationally in runs per game (No. 5), total bases (No. 11), slugging percentage (No. 12) and RBIs (No. 19).

In his first season as head coach, Mercer led the Hoosiers to the 2019 Big Ten regular season title and earned Big Ten Coach of the Year. The conference title was the seventh in program history for IU and the first since 1914.

The Bargersville, Indiana, native became the first Big Ten head coach since 1982 (John Anderson, Minnesota) to win a regular season conference title in their first season as the skipper. He became just the second coach in IU history – any sport, men's or women's – to win an outright Big Ten championship in his or her first year. Everett Dean (1924-25) did it in baseball in his first year at the helm.

Indiana earned the No. 2 seed in the NCAA Louisville Regional and finished the season with an overall record of 37-23 and a Big Ten mark of 17-7. A school-record 10 Hoosiers were selected in the 2019 MLB Draft, led by outfield Matt Gorski. The highest drafted Hoosier since Kyle Schwarber (No. 4 overall) in 2014, Gorski was picked in the second round (57th overall) by the Pittsburgh Pirates.

Pitcher Andrew Saalfrank was named the Big Ten Pitcher of the Year and earned a spot on the All-Big Ten first team along with utility player Matt Lloyd. Scotty Bradley, Cole Barr and Gorski each made the second team. Elijah Dunham rounded out the all-conference honors with a third-team selection.

Wright State Era (2014-18)

The first former student-athlete to be named head coach of the baseball program, Mercer led Wright State for two seasons and amassed 77 victories. In his two seasons at the helm, WSU won nearly 70 percent of its games and averaged 38.5 wins per season. The 2018 Horizon League Coach of the Year, the Raiders won the regular season and conference tournament title in the 2018 to earn a spot in the NCAA Stanford Regional. In 2017, Mercer's squad earned the programs first-ever national ranking.

The 2018 Horizon League champions, Wright State won eight of its last 10 games and 15 of its last 19 to close the season. The Raiders grabbed the tournament title with three-straight wins and outscored opponents 32-11 during the run. With a 39-17 overall record and a 22-6 league mark, WSU ranked No. 8 in the country in scoring (7.8 rpg) and stolen bases (110) and was No. 21 in on-base percentage (.394). The Raiders' .979 fielding percentage was No. 10 nationally.

Wright State was led by Horizon League Player of the Year Gabe Snyder, who paced the conference in home runs (15) and RBI (73), and was second in batting average (.359), missing the league's Triple Crown by one batting average point. Snyder was one of 11 Raiders who earned all-league honors, including five first team honorees (Snyder, Matt Morrow, Chase Slone, Peyton Burdick and Ryan Weiss), four second teamers (Seth Gray, JD Orr, Zane Harris and Derek Hendrixson) and two named to the freshman team (Harris and Quincy Hamilton).

Wright State saw three players drafted in the 2018 MLB Draft, each taken in the first 21 rounds, led by Weiss in the fourth round by the Arizona Diamondbacks (129th overall). Caleb Sampen (20th round) was picked by the Los Angeles Dodgers and Snyder (21st round) went to the Minnesota Twins.

Known for his strength as a recruiter, Mercer and his staff helped Wright State compiled its first-ever top 100 ranked recruiting class. The 2018 signing class was ranked 87th nationally.

WSU received its first-ever top 25 ranking in 2017 and finished the year at 38-21 and 21-9 in league action. Mercer's aggressiveness in the run game resulted in Wright State ranking No. 2 nationally with 130 stolen bases.

Weiss was selected as the 2017 Horizon League Freshman of the Year and first-team all-league along with Morrow. Pitcher Danny Sexton was named a second-team All-Horizon League along with Hendrixson and Gray. Both Weiss earned Freshman All-American and second-team ABCA All-Midwest selection.

Mercer, who was a two-time All-Horizon League honoree in 2008 and 2009, returned to the Raiders as an assistant coach in 2013 and promptly helped WSU set a then-school record for wins (43) in 2015. The Raiders followed that up with a program-record 46 victories.

He assisted then-head coach Greg Lovelady, who is now the head coach at UCF, and coached six players that were taken in the MLB Draft, including five in 2016. During Mercer's three years as an assistant, the Raiders had 30 All-Horizon League honorees, two Horizon League regular season and tournament titles and two NCAA appearances.

The program's recruiting coordinator, Mercer brought in a wealth of talent to one of the premier mid-major programs in the country. He also excelled in his role as hitting coach, with 47 home runs in 2016, its most in a season since 2009.

Early Coaching Career (2010-13)

Prior to the return to his alma mater, Mercer spent two seasons as a volunteer assistant coach at Western Kentucky University (2012-13). While with the Hilltoppers, he worked with pitchers and outfielders, and was also instrumental in the development and organization of the program's camps.

His first Division I experience came at the University of Michigan as the volunteer assistant coach in 2011. During his time with the Wolverines, he worked with the catchers and outfielders.

Before his arrival in Ann Arbor, Mercer spent the 2010 season as the graduate assistant coach at Ohio Northern University where he was in charge of the infielders and hitters and was the recruiting coordinator.

Personal

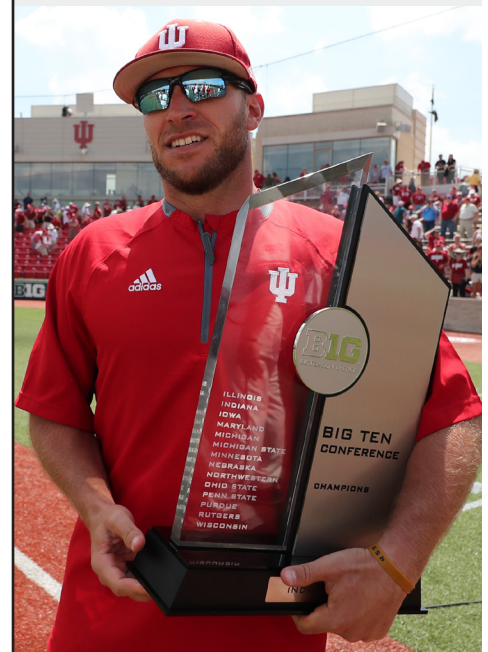
Hometown: Bargersville, Indiana
Wife: Stephanie
Children: Grace & Grady
College: Wright State, 2009

Coaching Career

2019-	Indiana Head Coach
2017-18	Wright State Head Coach
2014-16	Wright State Assistant Coach
2012-13	Western Kentucky Volunteer Assistant Coach
2011	Michigan Volunteer Assistant Coach
2010	Ohio Northern Graduate Assistant Coach

Mercer's Year-by-Year

As a Head Coach		* - NCAA postseason canceled	
School	Record	Postseason	
2023	Indiana 3-4	--	
2022	Indiana 27-32	--	
2021	Indiana 26-18	--	
2020*	Indiana 9-6	--	
2019	Indiana 37-23	Big Ten Champions NCAA Regional	
2018	Wright State 39-17	NCAA Regional	
2017	Wright State 38-21	--	
IU	5th Season	102-83	1 NCAA Regional
Totals	7th Season	179-121	2 NCAA Regionals
As an Assistant Coach			
2016	Wright State 46-17	NCAA Regional	
2015	Wright State 43-17	NCAA Regional	
2014	Wright State 35-22	NCAA Regional	
2013	WKU 28-29	--	
2012	WKU 25-33	--	
2011	Michigan 17-37	--	
2010	Ohio Northern 26-12	--	
Totals	7 Seasons	220-167	3 NCAA Regionals



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1 | Phillip Glasser
IF | L/R | Sr.+
Tallmadge, Ohio



2 | Luke Hayden
RHP | R/R | So.
Bloomington, Ind.



3 | Carter Mathison
OF | L/L | So.
Fort Wayne, Ind.



4 | Hunter Jessee
OF | L/L | Sr.
South Lebanon, Ohio



5 | Devin Taylor
OF | L/R | Fr.
Cincinnati, Ohio



6 | Peter Serruto
C | R/R | Sr.+
Short Hills, N.J.



7 | Ethan Vecrumba
OF | L/R | Sr.
Bloomington, Ind.



8 | Tyler Cerny
IF | R/R | Fr.
Greenwood, Ind.



9 | Brock Tibbitts
C | R/R | So.
New Albany, Ohio



10 | Morgan Colopy
OF | R/R | R-Jr.
Centerville, Ohio



11 | Jorge De Goti
IF | R/R | So.
Miami, Fla.



12 | Craig Yoho
RHP | R/R | R-Sr.
Fishers, Ind.



14 | Connor Foley
RHP | R/R | Fr.
Jasper, Ind.



15 | Austin Bode
C | L/R | So.
Columbus, Ind.



16 | Bobby Whalen
OF | R/R | R-Jr.
Camp Hill, Pa.



18 | Grant Holderfield
LHP | L/L | So.
Oak Park, Ill.



19 | Evan Goforth
IF | R/R | So.
Greenville, Ind.



23 | Joey Brenzewski
IF | S/R | Fr.
Fishers, Ind.



27 | Brooks Ey
RHP | R/R | Jr.
Philadelphia, Pa.



28 | Sam Murrison
OF | R/R | Jr.
Boca Raton, Fla.



29 | Ryan Kraft
LHP | L/L | So.
Mokena, Ill.



30 | Seti Manase
RHP | R/R | Jr.
Puyallup, Washington



31 | Evan Whiteaker
RHP | R/R | Fr.
West Chester, Ohio



32 | Josh Pyne
IF | R/R | So.
Bloomfield, Ind.



33 | AJ Shepard
C | R/R | Fr.
Manassas, Va.



34 | Gabe Levy
RHP | L/R | Gr.+
Seattle, Wash.



35 | Matthew Ellis
C | L/R | R-Jr.
Waddy, Ky.



36 | Riley Langerman
C | R/R | Sr.+
Parker, Colo.



37 | Luke Sinnard
RHP | R/R | So.
Hendersonville, Tenn.



38 | Cooper Katskee
RHP | R/R | Fr.
Greenwood Village, Colo.



39 | Nathan Ball
LHP | L/L | Sr.
Perrysburg, Ohio



40 | Ethan Phillips
RHP | S/R | Fr.
Dunedin, Fla.



41 | Ty Bothwell
LHP | L/L | R-Jr.
Hebron, Ind.



42 | Ben Seiler
LHP | R/L | Sr.+
Albany, N.Y.



43 | Adrian Vega
RHP | R/R | So.
Miramar, Fla.



44 | Cooper Hellman
RHP | R/R | So.
Goshen, Ky.



45 | Aydan Decker-Petty
RHP | R/R | Fr.
New Castle, Ind.



51 | Brayden Risedorff
RHP | R/R | Fr.
Kendallville, Ind.



55 | Wes Burton
RHP | R/R | Gr.
Santa Monica, Calif.



22 | Jeff Mercer
Head Coach
Fifth Season



24 | Derek Simmons
Recruiting Coordinator
Fourth Season



25 | Dustin Glant
Pitching Coach
Second Season



13 | Zach Weatherford
Volunteer Assistant Coach
Second Season