

2017 Air Force Football Quick Facts

General Information

Location:.....Colorado Springs, CO
Enrollment:.....4,000
Founded:.....1954
Nickname:.....Falcons
Colors (PMS):.....Blue (287), Silver (877)
Stadium:.....Falcon Stadium
Capacity:.....46,692
Surface:.....FieldTurf
Conference:.....Mountain West
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Air Force History

First Year:.....1956
All-Time Record:.....380-313-13 (61 years)
 Home:.....211-124-3
 Falcon Stadium:.....179-107 (Since 1962)
 Away:.....148-168-6
 Neutral:.....21-21-4
Bowl Record:.....12-11-1
Last Bowl:.....2016 Nova Home Loans
 Arizona Bowl
 Result:.....W 45-21 vs. South Alabama

Team Information

2016 Record:.....10-3 (5-3, 4th Mtn Div.)
Basic Offense:.....Multiple
Basic Defense:.....Multiple
Lettermen Ret:.....80 (38 Off, 38 Def, 4 ST)
Lettermen Lost:.....29 (10 Off, 17 Def, 2 ST)
Starters Ret:.....8 (5 Off, 1 Def., 2 ST)
Starters Lost:.....15 (5 Off, 10 Def., 1 ST)

Returning Offensive Starters (5)

55 Alex Norton, OG, 6-2, 288, Sr.
 77 JC Rast, OT, 6-4, 290, Sr.
 2 Arion Worthman, QB, 5-11, 201, Jr.
 (R: 130-674-6 TD; P: 23-39-546-4 TD, 2 INT)
 85 Ryan Reffitt, TE, 6-5, 240, Sr.
 (Rec: 8-173-21.6-2 TD)
 12 Tyler Williams, WR, 5-10, 185, Sr.
 (Rec: 6-136-22.7-0 TD; Rush: 49-270-5.5-6 TD)

Offensive Starters Lost (5)

56 Colin Sandor, OG
 67 Dylan Vail, OC
 73 Allen Caunitz, OT
 28 Jacobi Owens, TB (142-859-6.0-5 TD)
 3 DJ Johnson, FB (150-622-4.1-2 TD)
 9 Jalen Robinette, WR (35-959-27.4-6 TD)

Returning Defensive Starters (1)

44 Grant Ross, ILB, 6-0, 220, Sr.
 (Tkl: 28-39-67 TT; 5.5-30 TFL; 2.5-18 QBS)

Defensive Starters Lost (10)

40 Ryan Watson, DL (20-18-38; 11-59 TFL)
 54 Lacklin Deeks, DL (12-20-32; 2-9 TFL)
 93 Sam Byers, DL (18-15-33; 4.5-18 TFL)
 41 Patrick Healy, ILB (18-15-33; 4-13 TFL)
 48 Jacob Onyechi, OLB (25-15-40; 7.5-30 TFL)
 34 Haji Dunn, Jr., OLB (33-20-53, 11.5-43 TFL)
 21 Jesse Washington, CB (31-20-51; 2 INT)
 8 Weston Steelhammer, SS
 (47-33-80; 4.5-23 TFL, 7 INT)
 18 Brodie Hicks, FS (38-34-72; 2.5-6 TFL, 4 INTs)
 25 Roland Ladipo, CB (25-13-38; 1 INT)

Specialist Returning (2)

11 Luke Strebel, PK, 5-11, 175, Sr.
 (22-25 FG, 51-51 PAT, 117 Pts)
 59 Austin Cutting, LS, 6-4, 250, Jr.

Specialist Lost (1)

91 Steve Brosy, P (48-41.1 Avg)

2017 Schedule

Date	Time	Opponent (TV)
Sept. 2	TBA	VMI (TBA)
Sept. 16	TBA	at Michigan (TBA)
Sept. 23	5 p.m.	San Diego St.* (CBSSN)
Sept. 30	5 p.m.	at New Mexico* (CBSSN)
Oct. 7	3:30 p.m.	at Navy (CBS SN)
Oct. 14	TBA	UNLV* (TBA)
Oct. 20	6:30 p.m.	at Nevada* (CBS SN)
Oct. 28	TBA	at Colorado St.* (CBS SN)
Nov. 4	1:30 p.m.	Army (CBS SN)
Nov. 11	TBA	Wyoming* (ESPN Net)
Nov. 18	TBA	at Boise State* (ESPN Net)
Nov. 25	TBA	Utah State* (ESPN Net)

* - Mountain West game

All times local to site

Tentative schedule

2016 Results

Record: 10-3 (5-3 4th Mtn Div)

Date	Opponent	Result
Sept. 3	Abilene Christian	W 37-21
Sept. 10	Georgia State	W 48-14
Sept. 24	at Utah State*	W 27-20
Oct. 1	Navy	W 28-14
Oct. 8	at Wyoming*	L 26-35
Oct. 15	New Mexico*#	L 40-45
Oct. 22	Hawai'i*	L 27-34 2OT
Oct. 28	at Fresno State*	W 31-21
Nov. 5	at Army	W 31-12
Nov. 12	Colorado State*	W 49-46
Nov. 19	at San Jose State*	W 41-38
Nov. 25	Boise State*	W 27-20
Dec. 30	South Alabama%	W 45-21

*-Mountain West game; Times local to site;
 #-Cotton Bowl, Dallas, TX
 % - Nova Home Loans Arizona Bowl, Tucson, AZ

Coaching Staff

Head Coach:.....Troy Calhoun (Air Force, 1989)
Career/School Record:.....77-53 (11th year)

Assistant Coaches

Steve Russ (Air Force, 1995), 6th year
 Mike Thiessen (Air Force, 2001), 10th year
 Steed Lobotzke (Air Force, 1992), 3rd year
 Ron Vanderlinden (Albion, 1978), 4th year
 Matt Weikert (Ohio, 2002), 11th year
 Jake Campbell (Air Force, 1996), 6th year
 Tim Cross (Northern Colorado, 1990), 4th year
 Ben Miller (Air Force, 2002), 11th year
 John Rudzinski (Air Force, 2005), 8th year
 Ross Weaver (Air Force, 2006), 4th year
 Bart Miller (New Mexico, 2008), 1st year
 Taylor Stubblefield (Purdue, 2005), 1st year
 Nick Toth (Ohio, 1999), 1st year

Asst. Head Coach/Def. Coord./DBs
 Offensive Coord./Quarterbacks
 Offensive Line
 Inside Linebackers
 Outside Linebackers
 Assistant Offensive Backfield
 Defensive Line
 Running backs/Special Teams Coordinator
 Secondary
 Assistant Offensive Line
 Tight Ends
 Receivers
 Assistant



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AIR FORCE HAS NATION'S FIFTH LONGEST WIN STREAK

Air Force enters the season with the nation's fifth-longest active winning streak. The Falcons won their final six games last season. Oklahoma has the longest streak with 10 games, followed by USC with nine, Western Kentucky with eight and Coastal Carolina with seven.

Nation's Longest Win Streaks

#	School	Streak
1.	Oklahoma	10
2.	USC	9
3.	Western Kentucky	8
4.	Coastal Carolina	7
5.	Air Force	6
	Old Dominion	6
	Stanford	6

AIR FORCE AT HOME

Air Force is 47-15 in Falcon Stadium under head coach Troy Calhoun, including a school-record 15-game winning streak from 2014 to Oct. 22, 2016. The Falcons have won 17 of their last 18 at home dating back to 2014, including a 5-1 mark last season. Air Force's 17 wins over the last three years is a school record for a three-year stretch. Air Force finished 6-0 at home in 2014-15 to mark the first back-to-back undefeated home seasons in school history. Air Force has finished undefeated at home just five times overall in school history, three coming under Calhoun.

Year	Rec.	Notes
2016	5-1	Air Force has won 16 of its last 17 home games the last three years
2015	6-0	Fifth 6-0 mark in AF history, third under Calhoun
2014	6-0	Fourth 6-0 mark in AF history, second under Calhoun
2013	2-5	Lone losing record in Calhoun era
2012	5-1	Second-best mark in school history
2011	4-3	Sixth time with four or more wins in Calhoun era
2010	5-1	Combined with 2009, 10 wins in two seasons is third-best in AF history
2009	5-1	Second-best mark in school history
2008	3-3	Two losses at the hands of nationally ranked teams
2007	6-0	Just the third undefeated home record in school history
Total	47-15	

AIR FORCE VS. NON-CONFERENCE FOES UNDER CALHOUN

Air Force is 32-19 against non-conference opponents under head coach Troy Calhoun. The Falcons are 20-3 at home, 7-11 on the road and 5-5 in neutral site games. Air Force was 5-0 last season following a 37-21 win over Abilene Christian in the season opener, a 48-14 win vs. Georgia State Sept. 10, a 28-14 win over Navy Oct. 1, a 31-12 win at Army Nov. 5 and a 45-21 win over South Alabama in the Arizona Bowl Dec. 30.

The Falcons have gone undefeated in regular season non-conference games twice in the last three years (2014). Air Force is 10-2 in regular season non-conference games the last three years with the only losses coming at No. 4 Michigan State and at Navy in 2015.

AIR FORCE SCORING STREAK

- Air Force has scored in a school record 298 consecutive games.
- The streak is the third longest active streak in the nation.
- The streak is the fifth longest in Division I-A history.
- The Falcons were last shutout by Mississippi, 13-0, in the 1992 Liberty Bowl.

Longest Active NCAA Scoring Streaks

#	School	Streak	Last Shutout
1.	Florida	360	Oct. 29, 1988 vs. Auburn (0-16)
2.	TCU	306	Nov. 16, 1991 at Texas (0-32)
3.	Air Force (MW)	298	Dec. 31, 1992 vs. Ole Miss (0-13), Liberty Bowl

All-Time NCAA Scoring Streaks

#	School	Streak	Dates	Ended By
1.	Michigan	364	10/27/1984 - 9/6/14	Notre Dame
2.	Brigham Young	361	9/27/1975 - 11/15/2003	Utah
3.	Florida	360	11/5/1988 - Present	---
4.	TCU	306	11/23/1991 - Present	---
5.	Air Force	298	8/4/1993 - Present	---

STAFF CHANGES FOR 2017

Air Force welcomes three new coaches to the program for 2017. Bart Miller is the new tight ends coach, replacing Steed Lobotzke, who moved to the offensive line replacing Clay Hendrix. Hendrix is the new head coach at his alma mater, Furman. Taylor Stubblefield is the new receivers coach, replacing Jake Moreland, who left to take a position at his alma mater Western Michigan. Nick Toth has joined the staff as an assistant. His responsibilities will be determined by the fall.

Mountain West Conference

Mountain Division

Team	MW	All Games
Boise State	6-2	10-3
New Mexico	6-2	9-4
Wyoming	6-2	8-6
Air Force	5-3	10-3
Colorado State	5-3	7-6
Utah State	1-7	3-9

West Division

Team	MW	All Games
San Diego State	6-2	11-3
Hawaii	4-4	7-7
Nevada	3-5	5-7
UNLV	3-5	4-8
San Jose State	3-5	4-8
Fresno State	0-8	1-11

BOWL GAMES

Las Vegas Bowl, Dec. 17, 12:30 p.m.

San Diego State 34, Houston 10

Poinsettia Bowl, Dec. 21, 6 p.m.

BYU 24, Wyoming 21

New Mexico Bowl, Dec. 17, 12 p.m.

New Mexico 23, Texas-San Antonio 20

Potato Bowl, Dec. 22, 5 p.m.

Idaho 61, Colorado State 50

Hawaii Bowl, Dec 24, 3 p.m.

Hawaii 52, Middle Tennessee 35

Cactus Bowl, Dec. 27, 8:15 p.m.

Baylor 31, Boise State 12

Arizona Bowl, Dec. 30, 3:30 p.m.

Air Force 45, South Alabama 21

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He replaces Maj. Dylan Newman, who left for another Air Force assignment.

BLOCKED KICKS

- Air Force blocked three kicks last season, two punts and a PAT
- Brodie Hicks led the nation in blocked kicks with two, a punt vs. Navy and a PAT at Army
- Brett Baldwin blocked a punt vs. Boise State, which was returned for a TD
- Air Force has blocked at least one kick in each of Troy Calhoun's 10 seasons.
- Air Force has blocked 32 kicks since 2007 under head coach Troy Calhoun.
- Air Force has blocked 130 kicks since 1990 when the program began tracking them. The breakdown: 56 punts, 40 field goals and 34 PATs.

Blocked kicks since 2007

Year	Total	FG	PAT	Punt
2016	3	0	1	2
2015	3	2	1	0
2014	3	1	1	1
2013	6	2	4	0
2012	1	0	1	0
2011	5	2	3	0
2010	4	1	1	2
2009	4	3	1	0
2008	1	0	1	0
2007	2	2	0	0
Total	31	13	14	4

STREBEL AMONG THE NATION'S LEADERS

Senior kicker Luke Strelbel handled all the Air Force kicking duties last season (kickoffs, field goals and PATs). He led the conference and ranked among the national leaders in three categories. He tied for the national lead in PAT percentage (1.000), led the conference in kicker scoring (9.0) and was third overall in scoring. Strelbel led the conference and ranked ninth nationally in field goals (1.69).

Strelbel was perfect in 51 extra point attempts and hit 22 of 25 field goals last season. His 22 field goals tied for second all-time at Air Force in a single season. He set a new school and Mountain West record for consecutive field goals with 22 dating back to last season before missing vs. Hawaii, breaking the mark of 19 set by Chris Manfredini of TCU from 2005-06. Strelbel's 22 straight was the longest streak in the nation.

Strelbel is 32 of 36 for his career in field goals and has hit all 88 of his PAT tries. He is tied for first in school history in career PAT percentage at 1.000 and is one of just three to be perfect for his career. Strelbel is the career leader in field goal percentage with a .889 mark.

Air Force Career Kicking Records

PAT Percentage			Field Goal Percentage		
#	Name, Years	Pct.	#	Name, Years	Pct.
1.	Luke Strelbel, 2014-15	1.000 (88-88)	1.	Luke Strelbel, 2015-16	.889 (32-36)
	Tom Ruby, 1984-85	1.000 (57-57)	2.	Will Conant, 2013-14	.882 (30-34)
	Chris Blasy, 1986-87	1.000 (22-22)	3.	Jackson Whiting, 1998-99	.826 (19-23)
4.	Jackson Whiting, 1998-99	.987 (79-80)	4.	Joe Wood, 1989-91	.796 (39-49)
5.	Will Conant, 2013-14	.976 (81-83)	5.	Ryan Harrison, 2007-08	.768 (43-56)

WORTHMAN STEPS UP

Quarterback Arion Worthman stepped up big for Air Force to close last season as a sophomore. He recorded a 5-0 record as the starter. He finished third on the team in rushing with 674 yards and second with six touchdowns. He hit 23-39 passes for 546 yards and four TDs. He averaged 114.4 yards rushing as a starter and hit 22-38 passes for 529 yards which is an average of 105.8 yards per game.

He burst on the scene against Fresno State coming on in relief of an injured Nate Romine and rushed for 102 yards and two touchdowns to lead the Falcons to a come-from-behind win. He was named CollegeSportsMadness.com Mountain West Offensive Player of the Week for his efforts.

He started the first game of his career at Army Nov. 5 and responded with an outstanding performance. Worthman rushed for 63 yards and a touchdown on 19 carries and recorded then career highs in every passing category. He hit six of nine passes for 195 yards and a career-long 46 yard pass that went for a touchdown. Worthman averaged 32.5 yards per completion. He was named National Football Foundation player of the week for his performance.

He led the Falcons to a thrilling win over Colorado State Nov. 12 in his second-career start, rushing for a then-career-high 143 yards and scoring on a career-long 54 yard run. He hit 3-8 passes for 49 yards. Worthman set new career highs in ever rushing category while leading the Falcons past San Jose State, 41-38, Nov. 19. He had 28 carries for 215 yards and two touchdowns. His 215 yards are the 11th most in school history and fifth most by a quarterback. He is the first quarterback to rush for 200 or more yards since All-American Beau Morgan rushed for 217 vs. Fresno State in 1996.

Worthman played perhaps the best game of his career in the bowl game vs. South Alabama. He

Air Force Statistical Rankings

TEAM	Category	Stats	MWC	NCAA
	Scoring Offense	35.2	5th	30th
	Scoring Defense	26.2	3rd	49th
	Passing Offense	134.8	11th	123rd
	Passing Defense	250.7	12th	94th
	Kickoff Returns	25.4	2nd	9th
	Rushing Offense	317.4	2nd	3rd
	Rushing Defense	114.2	2nd	10th
	Total Offense	452.2	4th	36th
	Total Defense	364.8	2nd	33rd
	Punt Returns	11.0	2nd	19th
	Net Punting	38.9	5th	34th
	Turnover Margin	.46	2nd	28th
	Passing Efficiency	163.6	1st	8th
	Passing Eff. Def.	135.9	5th	83rd
	First Downs	302	2nd	28th
	Opp. First Downs	229	1st	16th
	Sacks For	30	T2nd	--
	Sacks Against	14	4th	--
	Third Down %	50.5	1st	6th
	Third Down Def.	43.5	8th	99th
	Penalties	52.4	6th	56th
	Field Goal %	88.0	7th	--
	PAT Kicking	1.000	T1st	--
	Fourth Downs %	53.3	7th	56th
	Time of Possession	34:03	1st	4th
	Kickoff Coverage	39.0	10th	--
	Red Zone offense	88.3	6th	27th
	Red Zone defense	81.4	1st	48th

INDIVIDUAL	Player	Stats	MWC	NCAA
	Jacobi Owens			
	Rushing	66.1	10th	--
	Jalen Robinette			
	Receiving Yards	73.8	7th	--
	Yards/Catch	27.4	1st	1st
	Tim McVey			
	All-Purpose	103.7	9th	--
	Kickoff Returns	26.3	3rd	16th
	Weston Steelhammer			
	Interceptions	.54	1st	3rd
	Passes Defended	.85	T8th	--
	Brodie Hicks			
	Interceptions	.31	4th	45th
	Steve Brosy			
	Punting	41.1	10th	--
	Luke Strelbel			
	Scoring	9.0	3rd	21st
	Kick Scoring	9.0	1st	--
	Field Goals	1.69	1st	9th
	Field Goal Pct.	88.0	6th	15th
	PAT Kicking	1.000	T1st	T1st
	Ryan Watson			
	Sacks	.82	1st	18th
	Tackles for Loss	1.00	4th	--
	Haji Dunn, Jr.			
	Tackles for Loss	.88	9th	--
	Fumbles Forced	.23	5th	--
	Fumble Recov.	.23	2nd	--
	Jesse Washington			
	Passes Defended	1.00	T5th	--
	Roland Ladipo			
	Passes Defended	.80	10th	--

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rushed for 71 yards on 21 carries and recorded career highs in every passing category. Worthman hit 7-10 passes for 207 yards and a career-long 75-yard TD. He was named the bowl's most valuable offensive player.

TOUCHDOWN TIM HAS 26 TOUCHDOWNS IN 27 CAREER GAMES

Senior unning back Tim McVey ranked among the Mountain West's top 10 in two categories last season. He finished third in the MW and 16th nationally in kickoff returns with a 26.3 average.

He was ninth in all-purpose yards with a 103.7 average.

McVey recorded career highs in every rushing category against Colorado State Nov. 12 with 15 carries for 184 yards and four touchdowns. He also had a season-long run of 38 yards. He moved into 10th on the Air Force career touchdowns list and has now scored 26 touchdowns in 27 career games.

McVey has made a career of big plays. He is averaging 26.8 yards per kickoff return which is second in Air Force history. He is also second in career receiving average with a 27.8 mark. McVey is the Air Force career leader in rushing average with an 8.4 mark. McVey rushed for 89 yards at San Jose State Nov. 19 to become the 46th player in school history to top the 1,000-yard mark for his career. McVey ranks 39th in Air Force history with 1,149 yards.

Air Force Career Leaders

Kickoff Return Average

# Name, Years	Avg.
1. Ron Gray, 1989-91	27.2
2. Tim McVey, 2015-present	26.6
3. Jemal Singleton, 1996-98	26.7
4. Anthony LaCoste, 2010-12	26.0
5. Ernie Jennings, 1968-70	25.5

Receiving Average

# Name, Years	Avg.
1. Craig Hancock, 1994-95	28.5
2. Tim McVey, 2015-present	27.8
3. Kevin Fogler, 2007-10	22.3
4. Jalen Robinette, 2013-16	21.5
5. Drew Coleman, 2009-12	20.3

Rushing Average

# Name, Years	Avg.
1. Tim McVey, 2015-present	8.4
2. Mike Brown, 1982-84	7.5
3. Antoine Banks, 1990-92	7.1
4. Anthony LaCoste, 2010-13	7.0
5. Dee Dowis, 1986-89	6.7

LOOKING BACK AT 2016

Air Force finished the season 10-3 overall, completing just the seventh 10-win season in school history. The Falcons closed the season with a six-game winning streak which tied as the fifth-longest in the nation. Air Force defeated South Alabama, 45-21, in the Nova Home Loans Arizona Bowl to post its second bowl win in three years. Air Force also won the Commander-in-Chief's Trophy for a record 20th time overall and second time in three years with victories over Army and Navy.

Air Force had a .769 winning percentage which ranked 12th nationally and ended up one of just 25 teams in the nation with 10 or more wins. The Falcons finished the season ranked third nationally in rushing with a 317.4 per-game average. The team was fourth nationally in time of possession with a 34:03 mark and seventh in third-down offense at 50.5 percent. Air Force was also effective through the air, leading the nation in yards per completion (25.8) and finishing eighth in passing efficiency (163.58).

AIR FORCE WINS RECORD 20TH COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF'S TROPHY

Air Force secured its record 20th Commander-in-Chief's Trophy with a 31-12 win at Army Nov.

5. The Falcons defeated Navy, 28-14, Oct. 1 in Falcon Stadium to post a 2-0 mark in the trophy competition.

The 2016 season marked the 45th year of Commander-in-Chief's trophy competition. The trophy goes annually to the winning academy with the best record in round-robin competition. The Falcons have a series-best 59-31 overall record and 20 titles.

Team	Record	Titles
Air Force	59-31-0	20
Navy	48-41-1	15
Army	27-62-1	6

Air Force outright CIC title years:

'82, '83, '85, '87, '89, '90, '91, '92, '94, '95, '97, '98, '99, '00, '01, '02, '10, '11, '14, '16

Air Force Rushing

- Air Force finished second in the MW and third nationally in rushing with a 317.4 average.
- Air Force has won 30 conference rushing titles since joining conference play in 1980.
- In 2002, the Falcons won the school's first national rushing title with a 307.8 per-game average.

Year	Stats	Conf.	National
1980	170.7	5th	79th
1981	185.1	4th	53rd
1982	301.7	1st	4th
1983	246.5	1st	2nd
1984	326.5	1st	2nd
1985	293.2	1st	6th
1986	232.6	1st	15th
1987	386.3	1st	2nd
1988	377.5	1st	2nd
1989	356.0	1st	3rd
1990	267.5	1st	7th
1991	338.1	1st	2nd
1992	242.4	2nd	7th
1993	284.9	1st	4th
1994	304.8	1st	2nd
1995	332.4	1st	2nd
1996	328.9	1st	2nd
1997	332.7	2nd	9th
1998	266.8	1st	3rd
1999	285.5	1st	2nd
2000	294.9	1st	2nd
2001	273.2	1st	3rd
2002	307.8	1st	1st
2003	280.6	1st	4th
2004	277.4	1st	4th
2005	246.5	1st	8th
2006	229.4	1st	3rd
2007	299.5	1st	2nd
2008	266.9	1st	6th
2009	283.5	1st	3rd
2010	306.5	1st	2nd
2011	314.8	1st	3rd
2012	316.2	1st	2nd
2013	262.7	2nd	13th
2014	273.1	2nd	6th
2015	319.4	1st	4th
2016	317.4	2nd	3rd

WEEK-BY-WEEK NATIONAL RANK

#	MW/Nat'l
1.	3/5 (401.0)
2.	1/1 (432.5)
3.	1/1 (432.5)
4.	1/2 (359.3)
5.	2/5 (312.8)
6.	2/7 (280.0)
7.	2/6 (275.2)
8.	2/5 (291.4)
9.	2/6 (295.9)
10.	2/5 (290.7)
11.	2/3 (310.1)
12.	2/4 (323.5)
13.	2/4 (322.8)
14.	2/4 (322.8)
15.	2/3 (317.4)

2017 Air Force Football Numerical Roster

#	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown (High School)
2	Marquis Griffin	DB	5-11	195	Sr.	Stockbridge, GA (Eagles Landing Christian)
2	Arion Worthman	QB	5-11	201	Jr.	Normal, IL (Normal Community West)
4	Ronald Cleveland	WR	5-9	174	Jr.	Franklin, TN (Battle Ground Academy)
4	James Jones	DB	5-11	171	So.	Broomfield, CO (J K Mullen)
5	Dailen Sutton	DB	6-1	172	Jr.	Dallas, TX (Bishop Dunne)
5	Malik Miller	RB	5-10	200	Jr.	Griffin, GA (Griffin)
5	Isaiah Sanders	QB	6-1	202	So.	Colorado Springs, CO (Palmer Ridge)
6	Nate Romine	QB	5-11	190	Sr.	Upland, CA (Upland)
6	Shaquille Vereen	LB	5-11	200	Sr.	Lilburn, GA (Parkview)
7	Ja'Mel Sanders	LB	6-1	200	Sr.	Dayton, OH (Dayton)
7	Zane Lewis	DB	6-2	186	So.	Richmond, VA (Trinity Episcopal)
7	Miller Mosley	QB	5-10	172	So.	Mobile, AL (Saint Pauls Episcopal)
8	Marcus Bennett	WR	6-0	186	Jr.	Marietta, GA (Marietta)
9	Grant Theil	DB	6-1	176	So.	Jasper, IN (Jasper)
10	Andrew Smith	WR	5-8	158	Jr.	Gainesville, GA (North Hall)
11	Luke Strebel	SPC	5-10	175	Sr.	Nashville, TN (Father Ryan)
11	Malik Dawkins	DB	6-0	177	So.	Conyers, GA (Rockdale County)
12	Tyler Williams	WR	5-10	185	Sr.	Oro Valley, AZ (Ironwood Ridge)
13	Geraud Sanders	WR	6-2	200	So.	Frisco, TX (Bishop Dunne)
13	Cody Bronkar	WR	6-4	205	Sr.	La Habra, CA (Whittier Christian)
15	Benjamin Waters	WR	6-0	195	So.	Littleton, CO (Valor Christian)
15	Brett Baldwin	DB	6-0	175	Sr.	Long Beach, CA (Saint John Bosco)
16	Justin Saylor	DB	6-2	170	So.	Martinsville, IN (Roncalli)
16	Robert Bullard	DB	5-10	180	Jr.	Covington, GA (Alcovy)
17	Andrew McAdams	LB	6-1	215	Jr.	Coppell, TX (Coppell)
17	Jake Matkovich	WR	6-5	185	Jr.	Milwaukee, WI (Marquette Univ.)
23	Jaylen Burgess	RB	5-10	214	So.	Maryville, TN (Maryville)
24	Benton Washington	RB	5-11	205	Sr.	Newnan, GA (Northgate)
26	Abraham Nuno	LB	6-0	205	Jr.	Moreno Valley, CA (Valley View)
26	Eric Ward	DB	5-10	168	So.	Kennedale, TX (Sam Houston)
29	Kyle Floyd	DB	6-0	197	Jr.	Houston, TX (Humble)
30	Garrett Kauppila	DB	6-2	200	Jr.	Rocklin, CA (Rocklin)
30	Jacob Stafford	FB	6-0	225	Sr.	Shiner, TX (Shiner)
31	Ross Connors	DB	5-11	184	Jr.	Bellevue, WA (Bellevue Senior)
31	Aubrey Duty-Tyson	FB	6-0	240	Sr.	Miami Gardens, FL (Univ. School)
32	Bryce VonZurmuehlen	DB	6-0	186	Jr.	Coppell, TX (Coppell)
32	Christian Mallard	RB	5-8	211	So.	San Antonio, TX (Communication Arts)
33	Tim McVey	RB	5-9	190	Sr.	Cleveland, OH (Saint Ignatius)
33	Taven Birdow	FB	6-1	220	So.	Atlus, OK (Atlus)
34	Kevin Fagan	FB	6-1	226	So.	Dunnellon, FL (Admiral Farragut)
35	Paul Love	LB	6-1	245	Sr.	Spring, TX (Spring)
36	Parker Wilson	RB	5-11	203	Jr.	Coppell, TX (Coppell)
36	Nolan Eriksen	RB	5-9	187	So.	Clarkston, MI (Clarkston)
39	Jarrod Hardrick	LB	6-0	215	Sr.	Huber Heights, OH (Wayne)
39	Jake LaCoste	WR	5-10	205	Sr.	Albany, OR (West Albany)
42	Blake Dailey	LB	6-3	215	Jr.	Gas City, IN (Mississinewa)
43	Colton Parton	FB	5-10	215	So.	Gurley, AL (Madison County)
44	Grant Ross	LB	6-0	220	Sr.	Houston, TX (Kashmere)
45	R.J. Jackson	LB	6-3	215	Jr.	Beloit, KS (Beloit)
47	Kyle Johnson	LB	6-1	221	So.	Jacksonville, FL (Bolles)
49	Brody Bagnall	LB	6-2	230	Jr.	Vancouver, WA (Evergreen)
50	Jack Flor	LB	6-2	225	Sr.	Bothell, WA (O'Dea)
51	Matt Evans	LB	6-4	240	Sr.	Golden, CO (Arvada West)
55	Alex Norton	OL	6-2	288	Sr.	Hamlet, NC (Richmond)
57	Ryan Darby	DL	6-3	240	Jr.	Missouri City, TX (Westbury Christian)
59	Austin Cutting	SPC	6-4	250	Jr.	Keller, TX (Central)

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60	Ernest McQuade	OL	6-1	263	Sr.	Aledo, TX (Aledo)
62	William Rehbock	OL	6-2	250	So.	Los Gatos, CA (Bellarmine College Prep)
62	Jordan Tyler	OL	6-2	270	Sr.	Hoschton, GA (Jefferson)
63	Christopher Mitchell	OL	6-2	268	So.	Vancouver, WA (Mountain View)
63	Justin Greene	SPC	6-0	240	Sr.	Copperas Cove, TX (Copperas Cove)
64	Ryan Beveridge	OL	6-0	270	Sr.	Hilliard, OH (Hilliard Bradley)
65	Neal Bess	OL	6-2	255	Sr.	Richmond, TX (George Ranch)
66	Jake Barnhorst	OL	6-4	275	Sr.	Cincinnati, OH (Sycamore)
68	George Jarvis III	OL	6-3	250	Jr.	Westminster, CO (Standley Lake)
71	Connor Vikupitz	OL	6-2	244	So.	Fresno, CA (Bullard)
72	Haydn Lewis	OL	6-2	270	So.	St. Clairsville, OH (St. Clairsville)
72	Tyler Rapp	OL	6-0	280	Jr.	The Woodlands, TX (Woodlands)
74	Griffin Landrum	OL	6-1	280	Jr.	Cummings, GA (South Forsyth)
75	Colin Marquez	OL	6-3	249	So.	Mesa, AZ (Red Mountain)
77	James Rast	OL	6-4	290	Sr.	San Antonio, TX (Johnson)
77	Deion Crisistomo-Fetui	DL	5-11	296	So.	Federal Way, WA (Eastside Catholic)
78	R.J. Slater	OL	6-2	285	Sr.	Sugar Land, TX (Clements)
80	Ethan Brown	TE	6-4	240	Sr.	Groveport, OH (Harvest Prep)
81	Lesley Dalger	WR	6-3	219	So.	Sunrise, FL (Westminster)
83	Ben Harris	DL	6-6	255	Jr.	Peculiar, MO (Raymore-Peculiar)
85	Ryan Reffitt	TE	6-5	240	Sr.	Galloway, OH (Hilliard Bradley)
86	C.J. Riazzi	TE	6-3	215	Sr.	Kettering, OH (Chaminade Julienne)
86	Danny Highland	DL	6-3	239	Jr.	Loveland, CO (Thompson Valley)
87	Kade Waguespack	TE	6-3	210	So.	Gonzales, LA (East Ascension)
88	Austin Morris	DL	6-3	225	Sr.	Carrollton, TX (Irving)
89	Robert Ator	DL	6-2	224	So.	Little Rock, AR (Pulaski Acad.)
90	Micah Capra	DL	6-2	260	Jr.	Argyle, TX (Argyle)
90	Matthew Gaiter	DL	6-3	255	So.	Littleton, CO (Chatfield)
94	Stone Miller	DL	6-3	248	Jr.	Mason, MI (Mason)
95	Cody Gessler	DL	5-11	263	Jr.	Katy, TX (Katy)
95	Cecil Moskowitz	SPC	6-1	200	Sr.	Roswell, GA (Milton)
95	Mosese Fifita	DL	6-0	298	So.	Everett, WA (Glacier Peak)
96	Cody Moorhead	DL	6-5	285	Sr.	Newcastle, WA (Hazen)
96	Matthew Philichi	SPC	5-9	178	Jr.	Gig Harbor, WA (Bellarmine Prep)
97	Charles Scott	SPC	6-1	192	So.	Greenwood Village, CO (Cherry Creek)
97	Santo Coppola	DL	6-4	285	Sr.	Santa Fe, NM (Saint Michaels)
98	Jake Koehnke	SPC	6-0	170	So.	Carlsbad, CA (La Costa Canyon)
98	Brayden Thomas	SPC	6-1	174	Jr.	Welborn, FL (Columbia)
98	Christian Frost	DL	6-4	275	Jr.	Rancho Santa Margarita, CA (Santa Margarita)
99	Kyler Ehm	DL	6-2	265	So.	Potwin, KS (Wichita Collegiate)

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#	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown (High School)
89	Robert Ator	DL	6-2	224	So.	Little Rock, AR (Pulaski Acad.)
49	Brody Bagnall	LB	6-2	230	Jr.	Vancouver, WA (Evergreen)
15	Brett Baldwin	DB	6-0	175	Sr.	Long Beach, CA (Saint John Bosco)
66	Jake Barnhorst	OL	6-4	275	Sr.	Cincinnati, OH (Sycamore)
8	Marcus Bennett	WR	6-0	186	Jr.	Marietta, GA (Marietta)
65	Neal Bess	OL	6-2	255	Sr.	Richmond, TX (George Ranch)
64	Ryan Beveridge	OL	6-0	270	Sr.	Hilliard, OH (Hilliard Bradley)
33	Taven Birdow	FB	6-1	220	So.	Atlus, OK (Atlus)
13	Cody Bronkar	WR	6-4	205	Sr.	La Habra, CA (Whittier Christian)
80	Ethan Brown	TE	6-4	240	Sr.	Groveport, OH (Harvest Prep)
16	Robert Bullard	DB	5-10	180	Jr.	Covington, GA (Alcovy)
23	Jaylen Burgess	RB	5-10	214	So.	Maryville, TN (Maryville)
90	Micah Capra	DL	6-2	260	Jr.	Argyle, TX (Argyle)
4	Ronald Cleveland	WR	5-9	174	Jr.	Franklin, TN (Battle Ground Academy)
31	Ross Connors	DB	5-11	184	Jr.	Bellevue, WA (Bellevue Senior)
97	Santo Coppola	DL	6-4	285	Sr.	Santa Fe, NM (Saint Michaels)
77	Deion Crisistomo-Fetui	DL	5-11	296	So.	Federal Way, WA (Eastside Catholic)
59	Austin Cutting	SPC	6-4	250	Jr.	Keller, TX (Central)
42	Blake Dailey	LB	6-3	215	Jr.	Gas City, IN (Mississinewa)
81	Lesley Dalger	WR	6-3	219	So.	Sunrise, FL (Westminster)
57	Ryan Darby	DL	6-3	240	Jr.	Missouri City, TX (Westbury Christian)
11	Malik Dawkins	DB	6-0	177	So.	Conyers, GA (Rockdale County)
31	Aubrey Duty-Tyson	FB	6-0	240	Sr.	Miami Gardens, FL (Univ. School)
99	Kyler Ehm	DL	6-2	265	So.	Potwin, KS (Wichita Collegiate)
36	Nolan Eriksen	RB	5-9	187	So.	Clarkston, MI (Clarkston)
51	Matt Evans	LB	6-4	240	Sr.	Golden, CO (Arvada West)
34	Kevin Fagan	FB	6-1	226	So.	Dunnellon, FL (Admiral Farragut)
95	Mosese Fifita	DL	6-0	298	So.	Everett, WA (Glacier Peak)
50	Jack Flor	LB	6-2	225	Sr.	Bothell, WA (O'Dea)
29	Kyle Floyd	DB	6-0	197	Jr.	Houston, TX (Humble)
98	Christian Frost	DL	6-4	275	Jr.	Rancho Santa Margarita, CA (Santa Margarita)
90	Matthew Gaiter	DL	6-3	255	So.	Littleton, CO (Chatfield)
95	Cody Gessler	DL	5-11	263	Jr.	Katy, TX (Katy)
63	Justin Greene	SPC	6-0	240	Sr.	Copperas Cove, TX (Copperas Cove)
2	Marquis Griffin	DB	5-11	195	Sr.	Stockbridge, GA (Eagles Landing Christian)
39	Jarrold Hardrick	LB	6-0	215	Sr.	Huber Heights, OH (Wayne)
83	Ben Harris	DL	6-6	255	Jr.	Peculiar, MO (Raymore-Peculiar)
86	Danny Highland	DL	6-3	239	Jr.	Loveland, CO (Thompson Valley)
45	R.J. Jackson	LB	6-3	215	Jr.	Beloit, KS (Beloit)
68	George Jarvis III	OL	6-3	250	Jr.	Westminster, CO (Standley Lake)
47	Kyle Johnson	LB	6-1	221	So.	Jacksonville, FL (Bolles)
4	James Jones	DB	5-11	171	So.	Broomfield, CO (J K Mullen)
30	Garrett Kauppila	DB	6-2	200	Jr.	Rocklin, CA (Rocklin)
98	Jake Koehnke	SPC	6-0	170	So.	Carlsbad, CA (La Costa Canyon)
39	Jake LaCoste	WR	5-10	205	Sr.	Albany, OR (West Albany)
74	Griffin Landrum	OL	6-1	280	Jr.	Cummings, GA (South Forsyth)
7	Zane Lewis	DB	6-2	186	So.	Richmond, VA (Trinity Episcopal)
72	Haydn Lewis	OL	6-2	270	So.	St. Clairsville, OH (St. Clairsville)
35	Paul Love	LB	6-1	245	Sr.	Spring, TX (Spring)
32	Christian Mallard	RB	5-8	211	So.	San Antonio, TX (Communication Arts)
75	Colin Marquez	OL	6-3	249	So.	Mesa, AZ (Red Mountain)
17	Jake Matkovich	WR	6-5	185	Jr.	Milwaukee, WI (Marquette Univ.)
17	Andrew McAdams	LB	6-1	215	Jr.	Coppell, TX (Coppell)
60	Ernest McQuade	OL	6-1	263	Sr.	Aledo, TX (Aledo)
33	Tim McVey	RB	5-9	190	Sr.	Cleveland, OH (Saint Ignatius)
5	Malik Miller	RB	5-10	200	Jr.	Griffin, GA (Griffin)

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94	Stone Miller	DL	6-3	248	Jr.	Mason, MI (Mason)
63	Christopher Mitchell	OL	6-2	268	So.	Vancouver, WA (Mountain View)
96	Cody Moorhead	DL	6-5	285	Sr.	Newcastle, WA (Hazen)
88	Austin Morris	DL	6-3	225	Sr.	Carrollton, TX (Irving)
95	Cecil Moskowitz	SPC	6-1	200	Sr.	Roswell, GA (Milton)
7	Miller Mosley	QB	5-10	172	So.	Mobile, AL (Saint Pauls Episcopal)
55	Alex Norton	OL	6-2	288	Sr.	Hamlet, NC (Richmond)
26	Abraham Nuno	LB	6-0	205	Jr.	Moreno Valley, CA (Valley View)
43	Colton Parton	FB	5-10	215	So.	Gurley, AL (Madison County)
96	Matthew Philichi	SPC	5-9	178	Jr.	Gig Harbor, WA (Bellarmine Prep)
72	Tyler Rapp	OL	6-0	280	Jr.	The Woodlands, TX (Woodlands)
77	James Rast	OL	6-4	290	Sr.	San Antonio, TX (Johnson)
85	Ryan Reffitt	TE	6-5	240	Sr.	Galloway, OH (Hilliard Bradley)
62	William Rehbock	OL	6-2	250	So.	Los Gatos, CA (Bellarmine College Prep)
86	C.J. Riazzi	TE	6-3	215	Sr.	Kettering, OH (Chaminade Julienne)
6	Nate Romine	QB	5-11	190	Sr.	Upland, CA (Upland)
44	Grant Ross	LB	6-0	220	Sr.	Houston, TX (Kashmere)
13	Geraud Sanders	WR	6-2	200	So.	Frisco, TX (Bishop Dunne)
5	Isaiah Sanders	QB	6-1	202	So.	Colorado Springs, CO (Palmer Ridge)
7	Ja'Mel Sanders	LB	6-1	200	Sr.	Dayton, OH (Dayton)
16	Justin Saylor	DB	6-2	170	So.	Martinsville, IN (Roncalli)
97	Charles Scott	SPC	6-1	192	So.	Greenwood Village, CO (Cherry Creek)
78	R.J. Slater	OL	6-2	285	Sr.	Sugar Land, TX (Clements)
10	Andrew Smith	WR	5-8	158	Jr.	Gainesville, GA (North Hall)
30	Jacob Stafford	FB	6-0	225	Sr.	Shiner, TX (Shiner)
11	Luke Strebel	SPC	5-10	175	Sr.	Nashville, TN (Father Ryan)
5	Dailen Sutton	DB	6-1	172	Jr.	Dallas, TX (Bishop Dunne)
9	Grant Theil	DB	6-1	176	So.	Jasper, IN (Jasper)
98	Brayden Thomas	SPC	6-1	174	Jr.	Welborn, FL (Columbia)
62	Jordan Tyler	OL	6-2	270	Sr.	Hoschton, GA (Jefferson)
6	Shaquille Vereen	LB	5-11	200	Sr.	Lilburn, GA (Parkview)
71	Connor Vikupitz	OL	6-2	244	So.	Fresno, CA (Bullard)
32	Bryce VonZurmuehlen	DB	6-0	186	Jr.	Coppell, TX (Coppell)
87	Kade Waguespack	TE	6-3	210	So.	Gonzales, LA (East Ascension)
26	Eric Ward	DB	5-10	168	So.	Kennedale, TX (Sam Houston)
24	Benton Washington	RB	5-11	205	Sr.	Newnan, GA (Northgate)
15	Benjamin Waters	WR	6-0	195	So.	Littleton, CO (Valor Christian)
12	Tyler Williams	WR	5-10	185	Sr.	Oro Valley, AZ (Ironwood Ridge)
36	Parker Wilson	RB	5-11	203	Jr.	Coppell, TX (Coppell)
2	Arion Worthman	QB	5-11	201	Jr.	Normal, IL (Normal Community West)

2017 Air Force Football Depth Chart

Offense

- OT 66 Jake Barnhorst (6-4, 275, Sr.) Montgomery, OH**
60 Ernest McQuade (6-1, 263, Sr.) Aledo, TX
- OG 64 Ryan Beveridge (6-0, 270, Sr.) Hilliard, OH**
72 Tyler Rapp (6-0, 280, Jr.) The Woodlands, TX
- OC 55 Alex Norton (6-2, 288, Sr.) Hamlet, NC**
62 Jordan Tyler (6-2, 270, Sr.) Hoschton, GA
- OG 74 Griffin Landrum (6-1, 280, Jr.) Cummings, GA**
78 RJ Slater (6-2, 285, Sr.) Sugar Land, TX
- OT 77 James Rast (6-4, 290, Sr.) San Antonio, TX**
68 George Jarvis III (6-3, 250, Jr.) Westminster, CO
- QB 2 Arion Worthman (5-11, 201, Jr.) Normal, IL**
6 Nate Romine (5-11, 190, Sr.) Upland, CA
- TB 33 Tim McVey (5-9, 190, Sr.) Lundhurst, OH**
24 Benton Washington (5-11, 205, Sr.) Newnan, GA
- FB 36 Parker Wilson (5-11, 203, Jr.) Coppell, TX**
30 Jacob Stafford (6-0, 225, Sr.) Shiner, TX
- TE 85 Ryan Reffitt (6-5, 240, Sr.) Galloway, OH**
86 C.J. Riazzi (6-3, 215, Sr.) Kettering, OH
- WR 4 Ronald Cleveland (5-9, 174, Jr.) Franklin, TN**
17 Jake Matkovich (6-5, 185, Jr.) Milwaukee, WI
- WR 12 Tyler Williams (5-10, 185, Sr.) Oro Valley, AZ**
8 Marcus Bennett (6-0, 186, Jr.) Marietta, GA

Defense

- DL 97 Santo Coppola (6-4, 285, Sr.) Santa Fe, NM**
57 Ryan Darby (6-3, 240, Jr.) Missouri City, TX
- NG 95 Cody Gessler (5-11, 263, Jr.) Katy, TX**
95 Mosese Fifita (6-0, 298, So.) Everett, WA
- DL 96 Cody Moorhead (6-5, 285, Sr.) Newcastle, WA**
90 Micah Capra (6-2, 260, Jr.) Argyle, TX
- OLB 3 Shaquille Vereen (5-11, 200, Sr.) Lilburn, GA**
39 Jarrod Hardrick (6-0, 215, Sr.) Huber Heights, OH
- ILB 44 Grant Ross (6-0, 220, Sr.) Houston, TX**
42 Blake Dailey (6-3, 215, Jr.) Gas City, IN
- ILB 50 Jack Flor (6-2, 225, Sr.) Bothell, WA**
49 Brody Bagnall (6-2, 230, Jr.) Vancouver, WA
- OLB 7 Ja'Mel Sanders (6-1, 200, Sr.) Dayton, OH**
35 Paul Love (6-1, 245, Sr.) Spring, TX
- CB 2 Marquis Griffin (5-11, 195, Sr.) Stockbridge, GA**
16 Robert Bullard (5-10, 180, Jr.) Covington, GA
- FS 30 Garrett Kauppila (6-2, 200, Jr.) Rocklin, CA**
31 Ross Connors (5-11, 184, Jr.) Bellevue, WA
- SS 29 Kyle Floyd (6-0, 197, Jr.) Houston, TX**
4 James Jones (5-11, 171, So.) Broomfield, CO
- CB 5 Dailen Sutton (6-1, 172, Jr.) Dallas, TX**
15 Brett Baldwin (6-0, 175, Sr.) Long Beach, CA

Special Teams

- PK 11 Luke Strebel (5-10, 175, Sr.) Nashville, TN**
96 Matthew Philichi (5-9, 178, Jr.) Gig Harbor, WA
- P 11 Luke Strebel (5-10, 175, Sr.) Nashville, TN**
98 Brayden Thomas (6-1, 174, Jr.) Welborn, FL
- LS 59 Austin Cutting (6-4, 250, Jr.) Keller, TX**
63 Justin Greene (6-0, 240, Sr.) Copperas Cove, TX

AIR FORCE HEAD COACH TROY CALHOUN

Troy Calhoun completed his 10th season as head coach at Air Force where he has a 77-53 overall record and a 45-34 mark in Mountain West play. He has led Air Force to nine bowl games, including a school-record six straight from 2007-12. Calhoun led the program to a 10-3 mark in 2016, just the seventh 10-win season in school history. Air Force won the Commander-in-Chief's Trophy for a record 20th time and won a bowl game for the second time in three seasons. He led the Falcons to an 8-6 overall record in 2015 and the Mountain Division championship and first-ever MW title game appearance. The Falcons were 6-2 in conference play.

Calhoun is the only coach in the 100-plus year history of service academy football to lead teams to at least seven wins and a bowl game in each of his first five seasons. Calhoun has twice been semifinalist for the National Coach of the Year award for his efforts on and off the field (2007, 2010).

Calhoun came to his alma mater in 2007 and took over a program that had three straight losing seasons. Air Force finished the 2007 season 9-4 overall and placed second in the Mountain West Conference with a 6-2 mark in Calhoun's first year. The Falcons earned their first bowl bid in five seasons, advancing to the Bell Helicopter Armed Forces Bowl in Fort Worth, Texas. The five-game turnaround from the previous season was the largest in the nation by a first-year head coach and tied as the third-largest overall in the nation.

Calhoun was named the conference's coach of the year for his efforts. In addition, he was named coach of the year in Region 5 by the American Football Coaches Association and was one of eight finalists for national coach of the year honors. Calhoun followed with back-to-back 8-5 overall records and fourth place conference finishes with 5-3 marks in 2008 and 2009. The team earned bids to the Armed Forces Bowl each season and posted the school's first bowl victory since 2000 with a 47-20 win over Houston in 2009.

In 2010 the Falcons posted a 9-4 overall record and recorded their fourth straight top four conference finish with a 5-3 mark. The Falcons were nationally ranked for the first time since 2003 and posted a victory as a ranked team for the first time since 2002. The team capped the season with a 14-7 win over George Tech in 2010 Independence Bowl to earn a second-straight bowl victory.

Air Force posted a 7-6 record in 2011 and qualified for the Military Bowl. The Falcons were 6-7 in 2012 while finishing fourth in the conference with a 5-3 mark. Air Force played in its fourth Armed Forces Bowl to extend the school's record of consecutive bowl games to six dating back to 2007.

Calhoun led the Falcons to new heights in 2014, posting a 10-3 overall record and a fourth place finish in the Mountain Division with a 5-3 mark. The eight-game turnaround from a 2-10 mark in 2013 is a school record and tied as the best in the nation. The Falcons capped the season with a record 19th Commander-in-Chief's Trophy and a victory over Western Michigan in the Famous Idaho Potato Bowl.

Calhoun brought a wealth of experience and impressive resume at the collegiate and professional levels that is flooded with success at every stop to the Academy. Calhoun came to the Academy after serving as offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach for the Houston Texans in 2006. The Texans were one of only two NFL teams to triple their number of wins from the previous year.

Calhoun became a well-rounded NFL coach, working as a defensive assistant, special teams assistant and offensive assistant with the Denver Broncos from 2003-05. He began his NFL coaching career by serving as the defensive assistant under defensive coordinator Larry Coyer in 2003. Prior to the NFL, Calhoun was an offensive coordinator for six seasons on the collegiate level. He began his coaching career at Air Force, where he worked as a graduate assistant from 1989-90. He started at quarterback for the Academy in 1986 and was one of only two freshmen to letter for the 1985 team that finished fifth in the final polls with a 12-1 record that included wins over national powers Notre Dame and Texas.

Calhoun served his country from 1989-95 as an active duty officer in the Air Force. He was the Falcons' recruiting coordinator and the junior varsity offensive coordinator in 1993-94. He moved to Ohio University in 1995 where he served as the quarterbacks coach for two seasons. Calhoun was promoted to offensive coordinator in 1997. Calhoun moved to Wake Forest in 2001 and remained there prior to his stint with the Broncos.

Groomed on the basics of integrity and passion, Calhoun is a native of Roseburg, Ore., and was raised in a home where both kids graduated from the Air Force Academy and were varsity letter winners on nationally-ranked teams. He and his wife, Amanda, live in Colorado Springs and have two children, Tyler (14) and Amelia (12).

CALHOUN FILE

PERSONAL

Hometown:.....Roseburg, Ore.
 Wife:.....Amanda
 Children:.....Tyler, Amelia
 Years in Coaching:.....24th
 AF/Career Record:.....77-53 (11th year)

BACKGROUND/HONORS

- 1989 graduate of the Academy
- First Academy graduate to be head coach
- 17 years as a college coach
- 4 years in the NFL
- 2007 MWC coach of the year
- 2007 Region 5 coach of the year
- Finalist for national coach of the year (2007)
- Tied as the winningest first-year head coach in school history
- Winningest first-year head coach in school history for conference games
- Colorado Coach of the Year (NFF), 2007, 2010
- Semifinalist for 2010 National Coach of the Year honors

COACHING EXPERIENCE

Air Force, Head Coach	2007-Present
Houston Texans, Off. Coord./QBs	2006
Denver Broncos	2003-05
Asst. to Head Coach	2005
Off./Special Teams Asst.	2004
Defensive Assistant	2003
Wake Forest, Offensive Coord.	2001-02
Ohio, Offensive Coord.	1996-00
Ohio, Quarterbacks	1995-96
Air Force, JV/Varsity Asst.	1993-94
Air Force, Grad Asst.	1989-90

CALHOUN VS. OPPONENTS

Army.....	9-1
BYU*.....	1-3
Boise State*.....	3-2
California##.....	0-2
Colorado State*.....	8-2
FCS.....	11-0
Fresno State*.....	2-1
Georgia State.....	2-0
Georgia Tech#.....	1-0
Hawai'i*.....	2-1
Houston##.....	2-1
Michigan.....	0-1
Michigan State.....	0-1
Minnesota.....	0-1
Navy.....	4-6
Nevada*.....	2-1
New Mexico*.....	6-4
Notre Dame.....	1-2
Oklahoma.....	0-1
Rice#.....	0-1
San Diego State*.....	3-6
San Jose State*.....	2-0
South Alabama#.....	1-0
TCU*.....	1-4
Toledo#.....	0-1
UNLV*.....	6-2
Utah*.....	1-3
Utah State*.....	2-2
Western Michigan#.....	1-0
Wyoming*.....	6-4

* - Conference opponent; # - Bowl game

Calhoun Head Coaching Record

Year	School	Record	MW	Home	Away	Neu.	Bowl
2016	Air Force	10-3	5-3/4th	5-1	4-1	1-1	Arizona Bowl, So. Alabama (W 45-21)
2015	Air Force	8-6	6-2/2nd	6-0	2-5	0-1	Armed Forces Bowl, Cal (L 36-55)
2014	Air Force	10-3	5-3/4th	6-0	3-3	1-0	Idaho Potato, W. Mich. (W 38-24)
2013	Air Force	2-10	0-8/6th	2-5	0-5	0-0	---
2012	Air Force	6-7	5-3/4th	5-1	1-5	0-1	Armed Forces, Rice (L 14-33)
2011	Air Force	7-6	3-4/5th	4-3	3-2	0-1	Military Bowl, Toledo (L 41-42)
2010	Air Force	9-4	5-3/T3rd	5-1	3-3	1-0	Independence, Ga. Tech (W 14-7)
2009	Air Force	8-5	5-3/4th	5-1	2-4	1-0	Armed Forces, Houston (W 47-20)
2008	Air Force	8-5	5-3/4th	3-3	4-1	1-1	Armed Forces, Houston (L 28-34)
2007	Air Force	9-4	6-2/2nd	6-0	3-3	0-1	Armed Forces, California (L 36-42)
	Totals	77-53	45-34	47-15	25-32	4-6	Bowl Record: 4-5