



# 2017-18 PURDUE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Big Ten Champion — 1991, 1994, 1995, 1997, 1999, 2001, 2002  
 Big Ten Tournament Champion — 1998, 1999, 2000, 2003, 2004, 2007, 2008, 2012, 2013  
 NCAA Participant — 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003,  
 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2016, 2017  
 NCAA Champion — 1999  
 NCAA Runner-up — 2001

## UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

Location ..... West Lafayette, Ind.  
 Enrollment ..... 40,451  
 Founded ..... 1869  
 Nickname ..... Boilermakers  
 Colors ..... Old Gold (PMS 7502) and Black  
 President ..... Mitchell E. Daniels Jr.  
 Athletics Director ..... Mike Bobinski  
 S.W.A. .... Nancy Cross  
 F.A.R. .... Marcy Towns  
 ..... Phillip VanFossen  
 Conference ..... Big Ten  
 Arena ..... Mackey Arena (1967)  
 Seating Capacity ..... 14,804  
 Ticket Office ..... (800) 49-SPORT

## PROGRAM HISTORY

First Season ..... 1975-76 (43rd)  
 All-Time Record ..... 823-452 (.645)  
 All-Time B1G Record ..... 384-210 (.646)  
 Home Record (B1G) ..... 431-143 (220-77)  
 Road Record (B1G) ..... 261-235 (164-133)  
 Neutral Site Record ..... 131-74 (.639)  
 NCAA Tournament Apps. .... 26 (Last: 2017)  
 NCAA Tournament Record ..... 47-25 (.653)  
 NCAA Titles ..... 1 (1999)  
 Final Four Appearances ..... 3 (Last: 2001)  
 Big Ten Titles ..... 7 (Last: 2002)  
 Big Ten Tournament Titles ..... 9 (Last: 2013)  
 Big Ten Tournament Record ..... 42-14 (.750)

## COACHING STAFF

Head Coach ..... Sharon Versyp  
 Alma Mater ..... Purdue '89  
 Seasons at Purdue ..... 12th  
 Seasons as a Head Coach ..... 18th  
 Record at Purdue ..... 237-133 (.641)  
 Overall Record ..... 354-198 (.641)  
 Big Ten Record at Purdue ..... 111-75 (.597)  
 Big Ten Record ..... 120-82 (.594)  
 Associate Head Coach ..... Nadine Morgan  
 Assistant Coaches ..... Beth Couture  
 ..... Lindsay Wisdom-Hylton  
 Director of Operations ..... Terry Kix  
 Dir. Player Develop./Video ..... Matthew Layman  
 Athletic Trainer ..... Jessica Lipsett  
 Strength & Conditioning ..... Jennifer Jones  
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## 2017-18 Boilermakers

### Starters Returning (3)

No.	Name	Yr.	Pos.	Ht.	GP-GS	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
10	Andreona Keys	Sr.	G	5-10	35-35	9.8	6.1	3.4	.399	.262	.699
11	Dominique Oden	So.	G	5-8	36-33	10.8	3.1	2.0	.444	.365	.820
32	Ae'Rianna Harris	So.	F	6-1	36-14	7.2	5.2	0.7	.524	—	.551

### Additional Letterwinners Returning (5)

No.	Name	Yr.	Pos.	Ht.	GP-GS	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
2	Abby Abel	Jr.	G	5-5	6-0	0.5	0.2	0.0	.200	.250	—
3	Tiara Murphy	R-So.	G	5-7	9-2	3.4	1.2	1.6	.303	.368	.500
5	Miracle Gray	So.	G	5-6	21-0	0.2	0.4	0.3	.167	.000	.500
12	Nora Kiesler	Jr.	C	6-6	28-0	1.6	1.5	0.3	.354	—	.917
40	Lamina Cooper	So.	G	5-9	36-0	4.1	2.7	1.2	.477	.391	.556

### Newcomers (5)

No.	Name	Yr.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown (High School)
1	Karissa McLaughlin	Fr.	G	5-7	Fort Wayne, Ind. (Homestead)
15	Léony Boudreau	Fr.	G	5-10	Montreal, Quebec (Dawson College)
22	Dani Lawson	Fr.	F	6-2	Cleveland, Ohio (Hathaway Brown)
25	Tamara Farquhar	Fr.	G/F	6-0	Pierrefonds, Quebec (Dawson College)
45	Fatou Diagne	R-So.	C	6-4	Thies, Senegal (Karma Bocc)

### Letterwinners Lost (3)

Name	Pos.	Ht.	GP-GS	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
Dominique McBryde	F	6-2	35-25	6.7	6.3	1.3	.465	.000	.583
Ashley Morrissette	G	5-9	36-36	16.8	3/6	4.8	.406	.356	.818
Bridget Perry	F	6-2	35-34	10.5	5.4	2.0	.433	.280	.742

### Others Lost (1)

Name	Pos.	Ht.	GP-GS	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
Bree Horrocks	C	6-4	2-1	0.0	1.0	0.5	.000	—	—

## Returning/Lost Breakdown

Starters Returning/Lost	3/2
Letterwinners Returning/Lost	8/3
Points Returning/Lost	1220 (50.3%) / 1205 (49.7%)
Rebounds Returning/Lost	670 (55.4%) / 540 (44.6%)
Assists Returning/Lost	286 (50.0%) / 286 (50.0%)
Blocked Shots Returning/Lost	106 (60.6%) / 69 (39.4%)
Steals Returning/Lost	128 (45.9%) / 151 (54.1%)
Minutes Played Returning/Lost	4057 (56.1%) / 3168 (43.9%)

## 2016-17 Team Information

2016-17 Overall Record	23-13
2016-17 Home Record	10-5
2016-17 Road Record	7-5
2016-17 Neutral Record	6-3
2016-17 Big Ten Record	10-6
2016-17 Big Ten Finish	T-4th
2016-17 Final Ranking	RV/NR
2017 Postseason	NCAA Second Round

# 2017-18 Roster

## ROSTER BREAKDOWN

<b>By Class (Eligibility)</b>	
Seniors .....	1
Juniors .....	2
Sophomores .....	6
Freshmen .....	4
<b>By Position</b>	
Guards .....	8
Forwards .....	3
Centers .....	2
<b>By Home State/Country</b>	
Indiana .....	5
Georgia .....	3
Kentucky .....	1
Ohio .....	1
Canada .....	2
Senegal .....	1
<b>By Height</b>	
6-6 .....	1
..... Kiesler	
6-4 .....	1
..... Diagne	
6-2 .....	1
..... Lawson	
6-1 .....	1
..... Harris	
6-0 .....	1
..... Farquhar	
5-10 .....	2
..... Boudreau	
..... Keys	
5-9 .....	1
..... Cooper	
5-8 .....	1
..... Oden	
5-7 .....	2
..... McLaughlin	
..... Murphy	
5-6 .....	1
..... Gray	
5-5 .....	1
..... Abel	

## NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Student-Athlete	Yr.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown (High School / Previous School)
1	Karissa McLaughlin	Fr.	G	5-7	Fort Wayne, Ind. (Homestead)
2	Abby Abel	Jr.	G	5-5	Carmel, Ind. (Carmel)
3	Tiara Murphy	R-So.	G	5-7	South Bend, Ind. (South Bend Washington)
5	Miracle Gray	So.	G	5-6	Stone Mountain, Ga. (Stephenson)
10	Andreona Keys	Sr.	G	5-10	Atlanta, Ga. (Roswell)
11	Dominique Oden	So.	G	5-8	Atlanta, Ga. (Marist)
12	Nora Kiesler	Jr.	C	6-6	Louisville, Ky. (Assumption)
15	Léony Boudreau	Fr.	G	5-10	Montreal, Quebec (Dawson College)
22	Dani Lawson	Fr.	F	6-2	Cleveland, Ohio (Hathaway Brown)
25	Tamara Farquhar	Fr.	G/F	6-0	Pierrefonds, Quebec (Dawson College)
32	Ae'Rianna Harris	So.	F	6-1	Indianapolis, Ind. (Lawrence North)
40	Lamina Cooper	So.	G	5-9	Indianapolis, Ind. (Lawrence North)
45	Fatou Diagne	R-So.	C	6-4	Thies, Senegal (Kocc Barma / Gulf Coast State College)

## ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

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2	Abby Abel	Jr.	G	5-5	Carmel, Ind. (Carmel)
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## PURDUE COACHING / SUPPORT STAFF

Head Coach:	Sharon Versyp	12th season	Purdue (1989)
Associate Head Coach:	Nadine Morgan	12th season	James Madison (2003)
Assistant Coach:	Beth Couture	2nd season	Erskine (1984)
Assistant Coach:	Lindsay Wisdom-Hylton	6th season	Purdue (2009)
Director of Basketball Operations:	Terry Kix	12th season	Connecticut (1985)
Dir. of Player Develop. / Video Coord.:	Matthew Layman	3rd season	Manchester (2012)
Strength & Conditioning:	Jennifer Jones	1st season	Michigan State (1995)
Athletic Trainer:	Jessica Lipsett	15th season	Illinois (2000)
Graduate Assistant:	David Pennewell	1st season	Purdue (2017)
Graduate Assistant:	Meghan Thornburg	1st season	Purdue (2017)

## PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Abby Abel	able
Léony Boudreau	LEE-oh-NEE BOO-drough
Lamina Cooper	la-MIN-uh
Fatou Diagne	FAH-too de-yahn
Tamara Farquhar	tuh-MARE-uh FAR-quar
Ae'Rianna Harris	AIR-ee-AH-nuh
Andreona Keys	AHN-dree-AH-nuh
Nora Kiesler	KEYS-luhr
Karissa McLaughlin	mick-LAUF-lynn
Tiara Murphy	tee-AIR-uh
Sharon Versyp	VRR-sip
Beth Couture	COO-chur

## 2017-18 Schedule

Date	Opponent	Location	Time	TV/Radio
Sun. Nov. 5	UNIV. OF ST. FRANCIS (EXB)	West Lafayette, Ind.	2 PM	BTN Plus
Fri. Nov. 10	Central Michigan	Mount Pleasant, Mich.	7:30 PM	TBA
Wed. Nov. 15	MIAMI (OHIO)	West Lafayette, Ind.	7 PM	BTN Plus
Sat. Nov. 18	LAMAR	West Lafayette, Ind.	1 PM	BTN Plus
Mon. Nov. 20	Utah	Salt Lake City, Utah	9 PM	Pac-12 Network
2017 Rainbow Wahine Classic - Honolulu, Hawai'i (Stan Sheriff Center)				
Fri. Nov. 24	Southern California	Honolulu, Hawai'i	9 PM	TBA
Sat. Nov. 25	Hawai'i	Honolulu, Hawai'i	11:30 PM	BigWest.TV
Sun. Nov. 26	Marist	Honolulu, Hawai'i	8:30 PM	TBA
2017 ACC/Big Ten Challenge				
Thu. Nov. 30	Georgia Tech	Atlanta, Ga.	7 PM	ACC Extra
Mon. Dec. 4	BALL STATE	West Lafayette, Ind.	7 PM	BTN Plus
Fri. Dec. 8	VALPARAISO	West Lafayette, Ind.	7 PM	BTN Plus
Sun. Dec. 10	OHIO	West Lafayette, Ind.	2 PM	BTN
2017 Basketball Travelers Inc. Invitational				
Sun. Dec. 17	EASTERN WASHINGTON	West Lafayette, Ind.	12 PM	BTN
Mon. Dec. 18	UT MARTIN	West Lafayette, Ind.	6:30 PM	BTN Plus
Wed. Dec. 20	SAINT MARY'S	West Lafayette, Ind.	1:30 PM	BTN Plus
Thu. Dec. 28	at Rutgers	Piscataway, N.J.	2 PM	BTN Plus
Sun. Dec. 31	WISCONSIN	West Lafayette, Ind.	2 PM	BTN Plus
Sat. Jan. 6	at Indiana	Bloomington, Ind.	2 PM	BTN Plus
Wed. Jan. 10	RUTGERS	West Lafayette, Ind.	7 PM	BTN Plus
Sat. Jan. 13	at Iowa	Iowa City, Iowa	4 PM	BTN
Thu. Jan. 18	NORTHWESTERN	West Lafayette, Ind.	7 PM	BTN Plus
Wed. Jan. 24	at Nebraska	Lincoln, Neb.	8 PM	BTN Plus
Sun. Jan. 28	PENN STATE	West Lafayette, Ind.	12 PM	BTN
Thu. Feb. 1	at Michigan	Ann Arbor, Mich.	8 PM	BTN
Sun. Feb. 4	at Illinois	Champaign, Ill.	2 PM	BTN
Thu. Feb. 8	MINNESOTA	West Lafayette, Ind.	7 PM	BTN Plus
Mon. Feb. 12	INDIANA	West Lafayette, Ind.	7 PM	BTN
Thu. Feb. 15	at Maryland	College Park, Md.	6 PM	BTN
Sun. Feb. 18	at Ohio State	Columbus, Ohio	1 PM	ESPN2
Wed. Feb. 21	ILLINOIS	West Lafayette, Ind.	7 PM	BTN Plus
Sat. Feb. 24	MICHIGAN STATE	West Lafayette, Ind.	2 PM	BTN
Wed. Feb. 28 - Sun. March 4	Big Ten Tournament	Indianapolis, Ind. Bankers Life Fieldhouse	TBA	BTN/BTN Plus/ ESPN2

CAPS - home  
 Bold - Big Ten Conference  
 all times Eastern