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Senior • 6-1 • 210 • RB

Baton Rouge, La.

Belaire HS

► Completed his career as the Tulane and C-USA all-time leader in rushing and all-purpose yards, and set 24 school and seven

league records. Ranks 11th on the NCAA Division I-A career all-purpose list with 6,505 yards and became just the SECOND player in NCAA Division I-A history to record 4,000 rushing and 2,000 receiving yards in his career, joining Stanford's Darrin Nelson. Compiled a school and C-USA record 22 career 100-yard rushing days, and added four 100-yard receiving games. Ranks THIRD all-time at Tulane, and seventh in C-USA, in career **catches** (189) and is eighth on the school's **receiving yards** chart (2,059). Second at Tulane and in C-USA in career TDs with 36. Caught at least one pass in 42 of his 44 career games. First player in NCAA Division I-A history to rush for over 1,250 yards and catch more than 60 passes in the same season, which he accomplished in 2001. Ranks seventh all-time at Tulane in total offense, the only running back in the top seven. A four-time first-team All-Louisiana selection.

2003: Ranked 14th in the country in all-purpose yards per game and 25th in rushing despite having his season cut short in the ninth game by a broken left hand. Second in Conference USA in rushing and all-purpose yards with 101.7 and 147.0 per game, respectively. Also finished ninth in the league in catches per game. Broke his left hand late in the Navy game and missed the final three games of the regular season after undergoing surgery. Tallied six 100-yard rushing days, including five straight to end his collegiate career. Established a personal best with his fifth straight 100-yard rushing day at Navy with 115 yards on 19 carries. Set season highs for yards (159) and carries (29) versus Memphis while picking up 123 rushing and 57 receiving yards the previous week at Louisville to total 170 all-purpose yards.



Moore's Honors

2003

- All-Conference USA (first team)
- All-Conference USA (Collegefootballnews.com)
- All-Louisiana (first team)
- Doak Walker Award Watch List
- Walter Camp Player of the Year Award Watch List

2002

- All-Conference USA (*The Sporting News*)
- All-Conference USA (second team)
- All-Louisiana (first team)

2001

- All-Conference USA (first team)
- All-Conference USA (*The Sporting News*)
- All-Conference USA (Collegefootballnews.com)
- Collegefootballnews.com All-American (hon. mention)
- Doak Walker Award Watch List
- All-Louisiana (first team)

2000

- Football News* Freshman All-American
- The Sporting News* Freshman All-American (second team)
- Conference USA Freshman of the Year
- All-Conference USA (second team)
- All-Louisiana (first team)

Moore's Career Stats

RUSHING

Year	G/GS	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	LP/Opp.
2000	10/7	174	890	5.1	2	58/Cincinnati
2001	12/12	262	1,421	5.4	8	75/BYU
2002	13/13	288	1,138	4.0	6	29/Hawai'i
2003	9/9	185	915	4.9	5	32/Texas
Career	44/41	909	4,364	4.8	21	75/BYU

RECEIVING

Year	G/GS	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	LP/Opp.
2000	10/7	33	350	10.6	1	74/Army
2001	12/12	65	756	11.6	7	52/Army
2002	13/13	52	545	10.5	3	47/TCU
2003	9/9	39	408	10.5	4	45/Army
Career	44/41	189	2,059	10.9	15	74/Army

ALL-PURPOSE YARDS

Year	G/GS	Rush	Rcvg	KO	Punt	Total	Avg/G
2000	10/7	890	350	0	0	1,240	124.0
2001	12/12	1,421	756	82	0	2,259	188.2
2002	13/13	1,138	545	0	0	1,683	129.5
2003	9/9	915	408	0	0	1,323	147.0
Career	44/41	4,364	2,059	82	0	6,505	147.8

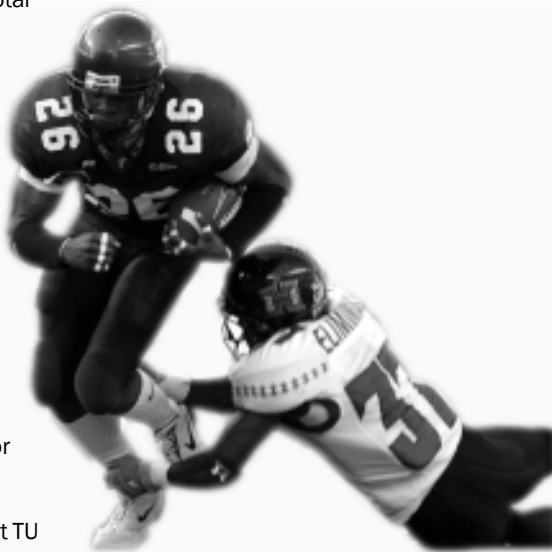
Gained 114 yards at Texas, including 32 on a season-long, highlight-film, touchdown run. Other 100-yard game in the streak came versus Houston (115). Finished second on the team in receiving with 39 catches for 408 yards, the first time in three seasons he did not lead

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the team. Recorded a "double-triple" for the second time in his career, and in Tulane history, with 100 rushing and 116 receiving yards versus Northwestern State. In that game, tied his career-high with nine catches while scoring three receiving TDs, including the game-winner in overtime. 660 of his 915 rushing yards (72 percent) came after the first contact by a defender as he broke a multitude of tackles in 2003. Voted the Preseason C-USA Offensive Player of the Year by league coaches.

2002: Became just the second player in school history to post back-to-back 1,000-yard rushing seasons after gaining 1,138 yards on a school-record 288 carries as a junior. Led Tulane in receiving for the second straight season with 52 catches for 545 yards. Caught five or more passes in seven games while passing the 45-yard mark in receiving eight times. Earned second team All-Conference USA honors. Totalled the third-most rushing yards in school history. Tallied his 16th career 100-yard rushing game in the Hawai'i Bowl with 116 yards on 30 carries and a touchdown while also catching six passes for 80 yards. Gained 136 yards on 32 carries versus Southern Miss (11/23) to surpass the 1,000-yard mark for the second time. Scored on a five-yard run against USM and caught five passes for 58 yards in the game to earn C-USA Offensive Player of the Week honors. His 32 carries in that game are the third-most in school history. Set the Green Wave career all-purpose mark on a season-long 47-yard touchdown catch versus TCU (11/9). Broke the school record for 100-yard games versus East Carolina (9/14) with 114 yards on 30 carries, and claimed sole possession of the C-USA 100-yard game record versus USM. Also scored a pair of rushing TDs at ECU. Picked up a season-high 147 rushing yards on 29 carries and had a 44-yard TD catch and run versus Southern. Rushed for 80 or more yards in eight of 12 games on the season, including 90 (vs. Houston) and 93 (vs. Cincinnati). Led Tulane in receiving in four games. Compiled amazing totals considering that opponents keyed on the junior all season and he played behind a young offensive line.

2001: Broke Tulane's 53-year old record for single-season rushing (1,421) and shattered the school and Conference USA single-season all-purpose yardage marks (2,259), finishing third in the nation in that category. First player in school history to gain 100 yards rushing (131) and 100 yards receiving (130) in the same game (versus Navy, 11/10). Led Tulane in receptions (65) and had a pair of 100-yard receiving games to go with seven 100-yard rushing games. Posted back-to-back 200-yard games versus Southern (201) and Cincinnati (249), setting the Tulane single-game record for yards in the latter game while also breaking C-USA and Tulane records for all-purpose yards in a game with 336 (249 rush, 87 receiving). Scored 15 touchdowns (8 rushing and 7 receiving) in 2001 to lead Tulane; that single-season total is second in school history. Compiled six of the top eight all-purpose yardage games in Tulane history, and averaged seven yards every time he touched the ball. His 65 catches established a new school record for receptions by a running back. Became the first TU



Moore Game-by-Game

2003 Game-By-Game

DATE	OPPONENT	RUSH	YDS	TD	REC	YDS	TD	PL	AP
9/01	TCU	19	42	1	4	32	0	23	74
9/06	NORTHWESTERN ST.	16	100	0	9	116	3	25	216
9/13	MISSISSIPPI ST.	23	92	0	6	55	0	29	147
9/20	at Army	16	55	0	6	81	1	22	136
9/27	at Texas	21	114	2	1	-2	0	22	112
10/11	HOUSTON	16	115	1	1	17	0	17	132
10/17	at Louisville	26	123	1	5	57	0	31	180
10/25	MEMPHIS	29	159	0	1	-3	0	30	156
11/01	at Navy	19	115	0	6	55	0	25	170
11/08	at UAB								dnp-inj
11/15	at Southern Miss								dnp-inj
11/22	EAST CAROLINA								dnp-inj

2002 Game-By-Game

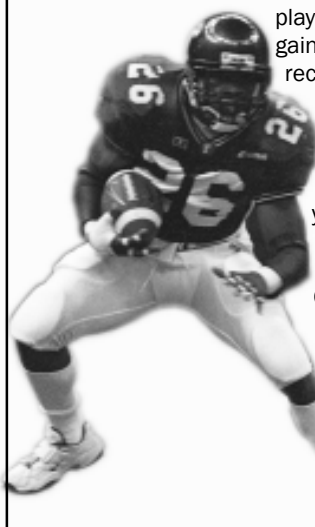
DATE	OPPONENT	RUSH	YDS	TD	REC	YDS	TD	PL	AP
8/31	Southern	20	147	0	5	67	1	25	214
9/07	at Houston	19	90	0	3	43	0	22	133
9/14	at East Carolina	30	114	2	6	34	1	36	148
9/21	at Memphis	18	63	0	6	48	1	24	111
9/28	TEXAS	15	52	0	0	0	0	15	52
10/5	at UL-Monroe	23	82	1	3	45	0	26	127
10/12	CINCINNATI	25	93	0	2	9	0	27	102
10/19	UAB	22	88	0	1	14	1	23	102
10/26	NAVY	17	87	1	3	25	0	20	112
11/9	at TCU	10	15	0	6	66	1	16	81
11/16	ARMY	18	55	0	6	56	0	24	111
11/23	SOUTHERN MISS	32	136	1	5	58	0	37	194
12/25	at Hawai'i (Bowl)	30	116	1	6	80	0	36	196

2001 Game-By-Game

DATE	OPPONENT	RUSH	YDS	TD	REC	YDS	TD	PL	AP
8/25	at BYU	22	176	1	5	66	2	28	252
9/01	at LSU	22	65	0	7	51	0	29	116
9/08	EAST CAROLINA	23	107	0	7	66	1	34	245
9/22	UCF	22	134	1	4	15	1	26	149
9/29	SOUTHERN	25	201	0	5	70	0	30	271
10/6	at Cincinnati	28	249	1	6	87	1	34	336
10/13	TCU	21	88	1	3	46	0	24	134
10/20	at UAB	15	35	0	5	38	0	20	73
10/27	at Army	26	80	1	9	168	2	35	248
11/3	LOUISVILLE	16	27	0	2	3	0	18	30
11/10	at Navy	22	131	2	9	130	0	31	261
11/17	at Southern Miss	20	128	1	3	16	0	23	144

2000 Game-By-Game

DATE	OPPONENT	RUSH	YDS	TD	REC	YDS	TD	PL	AP
9/2	at Ole Miss	16	82	0	1	3	0	17	85
9/16	at East Carolina	22	131	0	2	56	0	24	187
9/23	at SMU	17	104	0	4	21	0	21	125
9/30	CINCINNATI	14	114	0	3	32	0	17	146
10/7	at UL-Lafayette								DNP-inj
10/14	SOUTHERN MISS	14	34	0	0	0	0	14	34
10/21	at Army	15	49	0	6	101	1	21	150
10/28	at Louisville	12	55	0	9	70	0	21	125
11/4	HOUSTON	22	118	1	1	-3	0	23	115
11/11	NAVY	18	99	1	3	48	0	21	147
11/18	MEMPHIS	23	104	0	4	22	0	27	126



player since 1949, and the second all-time, to gain 1,000 yards rushing in a season. Set a TU record for most receiving yards by a running back with a career-high 168 yards and two TDs on nine catches at Army. It was the 13th-highest yardage total in school history. Scored three TDs at Army -- on 32 and 40 yard catches, and a two-yard run. Averaged 8.9 yards per carry vs. Cincinnati to break the record he had set a week earlier. Versus East Carolina, totalled 245 all-purpose yards with 72 yards on four kickoff returns, seven catches for 66 yards and a TD, and 107 rushing yards. Gained 176 yards rushing on 22 carries vs. BYU to tie for the 10th-best rushing day in TU history. In that game, broke a career-long 75-yard TD run, tied for the 12th-longest rush in Wave history and the longest at Tulane

since 1993. Scored three TDs vs. BYU with scoring catches of 10 and 15 yards among his five catches for 66 yards. A semifinalist for the 2001 Doak Walker Award as well as a first team All-Conference USA selection.

2000: Turned in one of the best rushing seasons in school history and the best-ever by a freshman. Posted the then-fourth-best single-season rushing total in Tulane history with 890 yards on 174 carries. It was the highest rushing total at Tulane since 1970. Ranked second in Conference USA in rushing, averaging 89 yards per game. Posted five 100-yard rushing days in 10 games played and narrowly missed a sixth with 99 yards vs. Navy (11/11). Had three straight 100-yard games vs. East Carolina (9/16), SMU (9/23) and Cincinnati (9/30). Slowed by a high ankle sprain in October, missed nearly two games and played hurt through two more. Caught 33 passes for 350 yards and a 74-yard TD (against Army, 10/21) to rank fourth on the squad in receiving. Also led Tulane in all-purpose yards with 124 per game (fourth in C-USA). Tallied a season-high 131 yards on 22 carries at East Carolina (9/16). Six receptions for 101 yards vs. Army (10/21) marked the first 100-yard receiving day by a Tulane running back since 1988. Named C-USA Freshman of the Year and was a member of two Freshman All-America teams.

HIGH SCHOOL: The all-metro offensive MVP and a two-time all-district selection playing for Coach Barry Amedee. Also selected to the Louisiana Sportswriters' All-State team and the Louisiana High School Coaches second team. Set Belaire records for career rushing yards and single-season touchdowns (24). Amassed 1,638 yards rushing and 279 yards receiving as a senior. Also a star baseball player, he was picked for the Louisiana Coaches All-State team as well as being honored as a first team all-district and an all-region selection. Set the school record for stolen bases. A member of the National Honor Society and a Mathematics Merit Award Winner. Chose Tulane over LSU, Southern Mississippi, and SMU.

PERSONAL: Mewelde Jaem Cadere Moore. His name is Swahili and translates to "he who gets his wisdom, knowledge and strength from God." Born July 24, 1982 in Hammond, La. The son of Sandra and Jerry Moore. Has two brothers and three sisters. Drafted in the fourth round of the 2000 Baseball Draft by the San Diego Padres and spent three summers playing baseball in their organization. Majoring in accounting and finance. Earned a spot on the CFA's "Good Works Team" his senior season. Presented with the Community Service Award for Business Ethics at the Tulane Council of Entrepreneurs and Business School Council Awards Gala in the spring of 2003. First name is pronounced "Muh-WELD-ee".

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Read more about Moore, including quotes from opposing coaches, view his complete record book and link to every Tulane release and other articles, at www.MeweldeMoore.net.

Moore in the Record Books

MOORE'S RECORDS

Rushing Yardage, career*	4,364
Rushing Attempts, career	724
100-Yard Rushing Games, career*	22
Rushing Yards Per Game, career	99.2
All-Purpose Yardage, career*	6,505
All-Purpose Plays, career	1,103
Running Back Receptions, career*	189
Rushing Yardage, season	1,421 (2001)
All-Purpose Yardage, season*	2,259 (2001)
All-Purpose Plays, season	340 (2002)
Rushing Attempts, season	288 (2002)
Running Back Receptions, season	65 (2001)
Rushing Yards Per Game, season	118.4 (2001)
100-Yard Rushing Games, season (tie)	7 (2001)
200-Yard Rushing Games, career and season	2 (2001)
Rushing Yards by a Freshman, season	890 (2000)
Rushing Yards by a Sophomore, season	1,421 (2001)
Rushing Yardage, game	249 v. Cincinnati, 10/6/01
All-Purpose Yardage, game*	336 v. Cincinnati, 10/6/01
100-Yards Rushing & 100-Yards Receiving, same game	2
.....	131 & 130 v. Navy, 11/10/01; 100 & 116 vs. NW State, 9/6/03
Yards Per Carry, game	8.9 v. Cincinnati, 10/6/01
Receiving Yards by a Running Back, game	168 v. Army, 10/27/01

*Indicates also holds Conference USA Record

MOORE ON THE GREEN WAVE CHARTS (in addition to records held)

Points Scored, career	Fourth, 220
Touchdowns Scored, career	Second, 36
Yards Per Carry, career	Fifth, 4.80
Receptions, career	Third, 189
Receiving Yardage, career	Eighth, 2,059
Touchdown Catches, career	Eighth, 15
100-Yard Receiving Games, career	Ninth (tie), 4
Rushing Touchdowns, career	Seventh, 21
Rushing Touchdowns, season	Sixth, 8 (2001)
Rushing Attempts, season	Second, 262 (2001)
.....	Eighth (tie), 185 (2003)
.....	Ninth, 174 (2000)
Rushing Yards, season	Second, 1,138 (2002)
.....	Sixth, 915 (2001)
.....	Seventh, 890 (2000)
Yards Per Carry, season	Seventh, 5.30 (2001)
.....	Tenth, 5.11 (2000)
Yards Per Game, season	Fourth, 101.67 (2003)
.....	Sixth, 89.00 (2000)
.....	Eighth, 87.54 (2002)
Points Scored, season	Fifth, 90 (2001)
Receptions, season	Tenth, 65 (2001)

MOORE ON THE C-USA CHARTS (in addition to records held)

Rushing Touchdowns, career	10th (tie), 21
Receptions, career	Seventh, 189
Receiving Yardage, career	12th, 2,059
Touchdowns, career	Second, 36
Rushing Attempts, season	Third, 288 (2002)
.....	Fourth, 262 (2001)
Rushing Yards, season	Third, 1,421 (2001)
Rushing Yards per Game, season	Fifth, 118.4 (2001)
Rushing Yards, game	Fifth, 249 (v. Cincinnati, 10/6/01)
All-Purpose Yards, game	Second, 319 (v. Southern, 9/29/01)
All-Purpose Yards, season	Third, 1,683 (2002)