



WISCONSIN BASKETBALL

2011-12 Prospectus

QUICK FACTS

School: University of Wisconsin
City/Zip: Madison, WI 53711
Founded: 1848
Enrollment: 42,099 (28,897 undergrad)
Interim Chancellor: David Ward
Athletics Director: Barry Alvarez

Arena: Kohl Center
Capacity: 17,230
Record: 188-23 (.891) / 14 yrs
Conference: Big Ten
Nickname: Badgers
School Colors: Cardinal and White

Web site: www.UWBadgers.com
Twitter Feed: @BadgerMBall
Facebook Page: www.facebook.com/WisconsinMensBasketball

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Bo Ryan
Alma Mater/Year: Wilkes (Pa.) College, '69
Wisconsin Record: 242-91 (.727) / 10 years
Overall Record: 625-194 (.763) / 27 years

Associate Head Coach: Greg Gard (UW-Platteville, '95)
Assistant Coaches: Gary Close (Arizona State, '78) and Lamont Paris (Wooster, '96)
Director of Operations: Luke Wainwright

TEAM INFO

2010-11 Record: 25-9 **Home:** 16-0 **Away:** 5-6 **Neutral:** 4-3
Conference Record/Finish: 13-5/3rd
Starters Returning/Lost: 2/3
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 11/5
Postseason: Advanced to NCAA Tournament Sweet 16 as No. 4 seed, losing to No. 8 seed Butler

HISTORY

First Season of Basketball: 1898-89
All-Time Record: 1,413-1,126 (.557)
All-Time Big Ten Record: 727-805 (.475)
NCAA Tournament Appearances / Last: 17 / 2011
All-Time Record in NCAA Tournament: 23-15 (.605)
NCAA Final Four Appearances / Last: 2 / 2000
National Championships / Last: 1 / 1941
Big Ten Championships / Last: 17 / 2008
Big Ten Tournament Championships / Last: 2 / 2008

TEAM INFORMATION (2010-11 STATS)

RETURNERS	POS.	YR.	MPG	PPG	RPG	APG	NOTABLE
Evan Anderson	C	R-Fr.	--	--	--	--	Redshirted in 2010-11
Jared Berggren	F/C	R-Jr.	6.9	2.4	1.1	0.3	Shot .491 from field in 2010-11
Mike Bruesewitz	F	Jr.	19.9	4.6	3.1	1.0	8.7 ppg, 6.3 rpg in NCAA tourney
Ben Brust	G	So.	3.0	0.7	0.5	0.1	Appeared in 15 games as Fr.
Duje Dukan	F	So.	1.9	0.3	0.6	0.0	Appeared in 8 games as Fr.
Ryan Evans	G/F	R-Jr.	11.6	2.8	2.3	0.5	Played in 67 career games
Dan Fahey	G	Jr.	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	Walk-on lefty
Josh Gasser	G	So.	28.1	5.9	3.9	2.2	30 starts as Fr., 3rd most at UW
Jordan Taylor	G	Sr.	36.5	18.1	4.1	4.7	Led NCAA with 3.83 A/TO ratio
Rob Wilson	G/F	Sr.	7.3	1.6	1.0	0.3	Started 2 games in 2010-11
J.D. Wise	G	Jr.	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Walk-on

NEWCOMERS	POS.	YR.	PPG	RPG	APG	HOMETOWN (HS/PREVIOUS)
Zach Bohannon+	F	Jr.	4.3	2.0	0.8	Marion, Iowa (Linn-Mar/Air Force)
Traevon Jackson	G	Fr.	18.3	7.0	4.4	Westerville, Ohio (South)
Frank Kaminsky	F	Fr.	14.2	8.7	2.8	Lisle, Ill. (Benet Academy)
George Marshall	G	Fr.	17.3	5.9	5.4	Chicago, Ill. (Brooks College Prep)
Jordan Smith	G	Fr.	21.5	4.0	3.0	Orono, Minn. (Orono)
Jarrold Uthoff	F	Fr.	26.2	11.2	--	Cedar Rapids, Iowa (Jefferson)

+will redshirt in 2011-12

2011-12 SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Time	TV
NOV 5	UW-STEVENS PT <i>(Exhib.)</i>	7 PM	BTN.com
NOV 12	KENNESAW STATE	NOON	BTN.com
NOV 16	COLGATE	7 PM	ESPN3

Chicago Invitational (Kohl Center - Madison)

NOV 20	WOFFORD	7 PM	ESPN3
NOV 22	UMKC	7 PM	BTN

Chicago Invitational (Sears Centre - Hoffman Est., Ill.)

Nov 25	vs. Bradley	8 pm	BTN
Nov 26	vs. BYU/Nevada	TBD	BTN

Nov 30	at North Carolina	8:30 pm	ESPN
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(Big Ten/ACC Challenge)

DEC 3	MARQUETTE	3:30 PM	BTN
DEC 7	GREEN BAY	7 PM	ESPN3
DEC 10	UNLV	1 PM	BTN
Dec 13	at Milwaukee	tbd	
DEC 15	SAVANNAH STATE	7 PM	BTN
DEC 23	MISS. VALLEY ST.	4:30 PM	BTN

Dec 27	at Nebraska	8 pm	ESPN2
DEC 31	IOWA	NOON	BTN

JAN 3	MICHIGAN ST.	6 PM	ESPN2
Jan 8	at Michigan	tbd	CBS
Jan 12	at Purdue	6 pm	ESPN/2
JAN 15	NEBRASKA	5 PM	BTN
JAN 18	NORTHWESTERN	8 PM	BTN
Jan 22	at Illinois	1 pm	BTN
JAN 26	INDIANA	8 PM	ESPN/2
Jan 31	at Penn State	7 pm	BTN

FEB 4	OHIO STATE	1 PM	ESPN/2
Feb 9	at Minnesota	6 pm	ESPN/2
Feb 16	at Michigan State	6 pm	ESPN/2
FEB 19	PENN STATE	TBD	TBD
Feb 23	at Iowa	8 pm	ESPN/2
Feb. 25/26	at Ohio State	tbd	
FEB 28	MINNESOTA	7 PM	BTN

MAR 4	ILLINOIS	TBD	TBD
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Postseason

Mar 8-11	Big Ten Tournament (Indianapolis)
Mar 15-18	NCAA Tournament (Round 1-2)
Mar 22-25	NCAA Tournament (Sweet 16, Elite 8)
Mar 31	NCAA Final Four (New Orleans)
Apr 2	NCAA Championship (New Orleans)

All times central

2011-12 WISCONSIN BASKETBALL ROSTER

ALPHABETICAL	HT	WT	YR/ELIG	POS	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/LAST SCHOOL)
32 Anderson, Evan	6-10	260	So./Fr.	C	Stanley, Wis. (Eau Claire North)
40 Berggren, Jared**	6-10	235	Sr./Jr.	F/C	Princeton, Minn. (HS)
34 Bohannon, Zach+	6-6	210	Jr./Jr.	F	Marion, Iowa (Linn-Mar/Air Force)
31 Bruesewitz, Mike**	6-6	222	Jr./Jr.	F	St. Paul, Minn. (Henry Sibley)
1 Brust, Ben*	6-1	190	So./So.	G	Mundelein, Ill. (HS)
13 Dukan, Duje*	6-8	205	So./So.	F	Deerfield, Ill. (HS)
5 Evans, Ryan**	6-6	210	Sr./Jr.	G/F	Phoenix, Ariz. (Hamilton)
10 Fahey, Dan**	6-3	195	Jr./Jr.	G	Chicago, Ill. (St. Ignatius College Prep)
21 Gasser, Josh*	6-3	190	So./So.	G	Port Washington, Wis. (HS)
12 Jackson, Traevon	6-2	208	Fr./Fr.	G	Westerville, Ohio (South)
44 Kaminsky, Frank	6-11	230	Fr./Fr.	F	Lisle, Ill. (Benet Academy)
3 Marshall, George	5-11	180	Fr./Fr.	G	Chicago, Ill. (Brooks College Prep)
2 Smith, Jordan	6-1	175	Fr./Fr.	G	Orono, Minn. (Orono)
11 Taylor, Jordan***	6-1	195	Sr./Sr.	G	Bloomington, Minn. (Benilde-St. Margaret)
30 Uthoff, Jarrod	6-8	200	Fr./Fr.	F	Cedar Rapids, Iowa (Jefferson)
33 Wilson, Rob***	6-4	200	Sr./Sr.	G/F	Cleveland, Ohio (Garfield Heights)
22 Wise, J.D.*	6-1	185	Jr./Jr.	G	Whitefish Bay, Wis. (Dominican)

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34 Zach Bohannon+	6-8	210	Jr./Jr.	F	Marion, Iowa (Linn-Mar/Air Force)
40 Jared Berggren**	6-10	235	Sr./Jr.	F/C	Princeton, Minn. (HS)
44 Frank Kaminsky	6-11	230	Fr./Fr.	F	Lisle, Ill. (Benet Academy)

BY ELIGIBILITY

Seniors (2)

HT	WT	YR/ELIG	POS	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/LAST SCHOOL)
6-1	195	Jr./Jr.	G	Bloomington, Minn. (Benilde-St. Margaret)
6-4	200	Sr./Sr.	G/F	Cleveland, Ohio (Garfield Heights)

Juniors (6)

HT	WT	YR/ELIG	POS	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/LAST SCHOOL)
6-10	235	Sr./Jr.	F/C	Princeton, Minn. (HS)
6-8	210	Jr./Jr.	F	Marion, Iowa (Linn-Mar/Air Force)
6-6	222	Jr./Jr.	F	St. Paul, Minn. (Henry Sibley)
6-6	210	Sr./Jr.	G/F	Phoenix, Ariz. (Hamilton)
6-3	195	Jr./Jr.	G	Chicago, Ill. (St. Ignatius College Prep)
6-1	185	Jr./Jr.	G	Whitefish Bay, Wis. (Dominican)

Sophomores (3)

HT	WT	YR/ELIG	POS	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/LAST SCHOOL)
6-1	190	So./So.	G	Chicago, Ill. (Mundelein)
6-8	205	So./So.	F	Deerfield, Ill. (HS)
6-3	185	So./So.	G	Port Washington, Wis. (HS)

Freshmen (6)

HT	WT	YR/ELIG	POS	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/LAST SCHOOL)
6-10	260	So./Fr.	C	Stanley, Wis. (Eau Claire North)
6-2	208	Fr./Fr.	G	Westerville, Ohio (South)
6-11	230	Fr./Fr.	F	Lisle, Ill. (Benet Academy)
5-11	180	Fr./Fr.	G	Chicago, Ill. (Brooks College Prep)
6-1	175	Fr./Fr.	G	Orono, Minn. (Orono)
6-8	200	Fr./Fr.	F	Cedar Rapids, Iowa (Jefferson)

* letters earned

+ will reshirt in 2011-12

Head Coach: Bo Ryan

Associate Head Coach: Greg Gard

Assistant Coaches: Gary Close and Lamont Paris

Director of Basketball Operations: Luke Wainwright

Strength & Conditioning Coach: Scott Hettenbach

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Credentials: Wisconsin uses an online credentialing system for both men's basketball and football. For instructions on how to use the online system, please contact Charlie Healy in the UW Athletic Communications Office (608-262-1811). No emailed, faxed, mailed or telephone requests will be accepted. Upon receipt of applications, appropriate credentials are either mailed or made available at the Athletic Communications Office or with the parking attendant (white vehicle) at the entrance to Lot 91 off of Bedford Street, just east of the Kohl Center.

Interviews: Head coach Bo Ryan will normally be available for interviews after practice. Additionally, Ryan holds a weekly news conference every Monday throughout the season at 12:30 p.m. in the media room at the Kohl Center. Live streaming video of these press conferences will be available on the UW Athletics Department web site, UWBadgers.com.

Badger players are normally available for interviews after practices once before each game during the season. For a schedule of player availability or to arrange any interviews please contact Patrick Herb of the Athletic Communications Office at 608-890-2477. All requests for players or Coach Ryan should be arranged through Herb.

WISCONSIN BASKETBALL NOTES

ALL-AMERICAN JORDAN TAYLOR RETURNS

■ Second-team All-American Jordan Taylor returns for his senior season in 2011-12 and is poised for a run at Big Ten Player of the Year. A Cousy Award and Wooden Award Finalist in 2011, Taylor was one of college basketball's most well-rounded and efficient players a year ago.

Taylor averaged 18.1 ppg (5th in Big Ten) and 20.1 ppg during conference play. A lethal shooter, Taylor shot 43% from 3-point range (7th in Big Ten) and 85% from the free throw line (4th in Big Ten). Taylor also led the nation with a 3.83 assist-to-turnover ratio.

■ In addition to second-team All-American honors from the AP, Taylor also earned first-team All-Big Ten and Big Ten All-Defensive Team honors a year ago.

■ During the summer, Taylor was invited to some of the nation's elite amateur camps, including Chris Paul's CP3 Elite Guard camp, Deron Williams' Nike Skills Academy in Chicago and the World University Games training camp.

Taylor was forced to withdraw from trying out for Team USA when he underwent minor ankle surgery in late July.

■ Taylor earned second-team All-American honors in 2010-11 and now has eyes on being the next in a long line of first-teamers at Wisconsin. The Badgers have had 17 individuals earn a total of 20 consensus first-team All-America honors. UW's 17 All-Americans ranks third among all Div. I schools and the Badgers' 20 All-America honors ranks seventh all-time.

MOST CONSENSUS FIRST-TEAM ALL-AMERICANS

Team	All-Americans	Team	Individuals
1. Kansas	27	1. Kansas	20
2. North Carolina	25	2. Kentucky	18
3. Purdue	24	3. Wisconsin	17
Penn	24	4. North Carolina	16
5. Kentucky	23	Purdue	16
6. Notre Dame	22	6. Duke	15
7. Wisconsin	20	7. Penn	14
UCLA	20	UCLA	14
9. Columbia	19	9. Columbia	13
10. Duke	18	Notre Dame	13

BRUISER OVERSEAS

■ Junior Mike Bruesewitz, who started 13 games and appeared in all 34 a year ago, was selected to play for the East Coast All-Stars, a 10-man national team that competed in the Four Nations Cup in Estonia in August of 2011.

Playing against the national teams from Estonia, Georgia and Sweden - some that included NBA players, Bruesewitz averaged 9.3 points, 6.5 rebounds, 1.0 assists and 2.0 steals.

■ Sophomore Duje Dukan also experienced international competition over the summer playing with the Croatian National Team in the U-20 European Championships in Bilbao, Spain.

WINNING SEASONS

■ The Badgers won 25 games in 2010-11, tying as the 3rd-winningest season in school history. Ryan-led teams own each of the top seven spots in the UW record book for single-season wins.

Ryan's teams have won at least 20 games in eight of his 10 seasons at UW. Illinois (9) is the only Big Ten team to post more 20-win seasons since 2001-02.

Prior to Ryan's arrival, the Badgers had just four 20-win seasons in 103 years of basketball.

2011-12 OUTLOOK



■ Wisconsin returns its starting backcourt from a year ago in senior **Jordan Taylor** and sophomore **Josh Gasser**. UW also brings back reserve junior forward **Mike Bruesewitz**, who started 13 games and averaged 19.9 minutes per game last season.

Senior guard **Rob Wilson** (2) and junior **Jared Berggren** (1) each started at least one game last season, while junior **Ryan Evans** has appeared in all 67 games of his career.

■ Saying goodbye to a six-man senior class from a year ago, the Badgers will return 53.6 percent of their scoring, 54.7 percent of their rebounding and 68.8 percent of their assists from 2010-11. Overall, the Badgers will be looking to replace 46.0 percent of the minutes played last season.

■ Taylor returns after leading the nation with a 3.83 assist-to-turnover ratio last season. The 2012 Big Ten Player of the Year candidate finished third in the Big Ten averaging 20.1 points per game.

■ Gasser averaged 2.21 assists per game last season, second among Big Ten freshmen. His 2.50 assist-to-turnover ratio in 2010-11 is the 5th-highest single-season mark in UW history.

■ Taylor leads the returning Badgers with 49 career double-digit scoring games. The rest of the UW lineup owns a combined 25 games in double figures, including: Gasser 9, Evans 8, Bruesewitz 5, Wilson 2 and Berggren 1.

■ UW welcomes six newcomers in 2011-12, including five freshmen and one transfer. Junior Zach Bohannon (younger brother of former Badgers guard Jason Bohannon) will redshirt this season after transferring from Air Force.

■ The Badgers' non-conference schedule could feature as many as five 2011 NCAA Tournament teams, including a trio of Sweet 16 teams. UW will host Wofford, Marquette and UNLV in addition to traveling to North Carolina for the Big Ten/ACC Challenge. Wisconsin could also meet 2011 Sweet 16 qualifier BYU in the Chicago Invitational Challenge.

■ The Badgers will play a home-and-home series with seven of the Big Ten schools and have single meetings with the other four - home against Northwestern and Indiana, away against Michigan and Purdue.

■ UW is scheduled to have a minimum of 25 of its 31 games broadcast on national television this year with five of the remaining six contests streamed live on ESPN3 or BTN.com.

BADGERS IN THE PROS

■ Jon Leuer was selected in the second round of the 2011 NBA Draft (40th overall), marking the third player drafted into the NBA during Bo Ryan's 10 seasons. Overall, nine former Badgers have made an active NBA roster in the Ryan era.

■ During the NBA lockout, Leuer is currently playing professionally in Germany for the Fraport Skyliners. He is one of three Badgers from last season's roster to sign a contract in Germany, along with Keaton Nankivil (Ratiopharm Ulm) and Tim Jarmusz (Gotha Rockets).

NCAA REGULARS

■ Wisconsin made its 13th consecutive NCAA tournament appearance in 2010-11. UW is one of just six schools with an active NCAA tournament streak of at least 13 years: Kansas (22), Duke (16), Michigan St. (14), Gonzaga (13) and Texas (13).

■ The Badgers advanced to the Sweet 16 of the 2011 NCAA Tourney, finishing with a 25-9 record, including a 13-5 mark and third-place finish in the Big Ten.

■ UW has qualified for the NCAA tournament in each of Bo Ryan's 10 seasons in Madison, posting a 14-10 record over that span. Under Ryan, UW has won at least one game in nine of the 10 NCAA appearances. Among Big Ten teams, only Michigan St. (19) has won more NCAA tourney games than Wisconsin since 2001-02.

BIG TEN, BIG RESULTS

■ Since Bo Ryan took over in 2001, Wisconsin has been arguably the best team in the Big Ten.

■ In 10 seasons under Ryan, UW has won five Big Ten championships (3 regular season and 2 tournament). Only Ohio State (8; 5 regular season, 3 tourney) has won more titles during Ryan's tenure. Illinois also has 5 titles, but no other Big Ten school has more than 2 crowns over the last 10 seasons.

■ Ryan's teams have posted a 120-48 (.714) Big Ten record, the top mark in the conference over the last 10 seasons. Michigan State is second at 111-57 (.661) and Ohio State is third with a record of 109-59 (.649).

■ The Badgers posted a winning conference record for the 11th-straight season in 2010-11. Among the six major conferences, only Kansas (21 seasons) and Texas (13 seasons) have longer active streaks finishing above .500 in league play.

RECORD-SETTING STATS

■ Wisconsin led the nation in four statistical categories last season, including three team stats and one individual.

■ The Badgers ranked No. 1 in the nation by shooting 81.8 percent (435-533) from the free throw line. UW's percentage was the 2nd-best single-season mark in NCAA history, coming up just three made FTs short of breaking the all-time record.

■ Wisconsin set a new NCAA single-season record by turning the ball over just 7.59 times per game (258 turnovers in 34 games). That figure broke the previous NCAA record of 7.72 (247 turnovers in 32 games) set by Temple in 2006.

■ Wisconsin also led the nation with a 1.71 assist-to-turnover ratio (442 assists to 258 turnovers) last season.

UW's mark of 1.71 ranked as the 2nd-best single-season assist-to-turnover ratio in NCAA history (records go back to 1993). Only West Virginia's 2006 team had a better ratio (2.01).

■ Jordan Taylor led the nation with a 3.83 assist-to-turnover ratio on the season (161 assists, 42 TOs).

NEARLY UNBEATABLE AT THE KOHL CENTER

■ Wisconsin went 16-0 at the Kohl Center last season and has won 19 straight overall and 37 of the last 38.

That 19-game home win streak is the second-longest in the Big Ten (Ohio State - 20) and the 5th-longest in UW history. It is also tied for the 6th-longest active streak in the nation.

■ In Bo Ryan's 10 seasons at Wisconsin, the Badgers have compiled a 152-11 (.933) record at the Kohl Center, including a 78-6 (.929) mark in Big Ten home games.

■ In going a perfect 16-0 at home last season, the Badgers won those contests by an average of 18.4 points per game.

TOPS IN BIG TEN ATTENDANCE, AGAIN

■ Wisconsin has led the Big Ten in attendance in 8 of the last 9 seasons and has finished among the nation's top 7 in each of the last 11 years. In 2010-11, the Badgers led the Big Ten and finished 7th nationally by averaging a capacity 17,230 over their 16 home games.

Overall, Wisconsin has sold out every men's basketball game at the Kohl Center since 2003, a string of 138 consecutive games.

BO RYAN CHASING HISTORY

■ Wisconsin head coach Bo Ryan enters the 2011-12 season with 242 wins at UW, which ranks third on the school's all-time ledger. He needs 24 wins to become Wisconsin's all-time winningest coach.

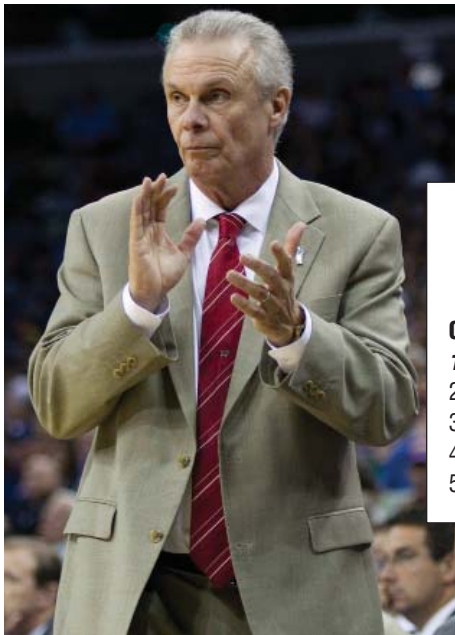
Ryan trails only Hall of Famer's Bud Foster (265) and Walter Meanwell (246).

■ Ryan's 120 career Big Ten wins rank third at UW, behind Meanwell (158) and Foster (143).

Ryan's 120 conference wins are also tied with former Michigan coach John Orr (1969-80) for 15th place in Big Ten annals. Among active coaches, Ryan is 2nd in Big Ten wins, trailing only Tom Izzo (183).



HEAD COACH BO RYAN



As Bo Ryan enters his 28th season as a head coach in 2011-12 – his 11th atop the Wisconsin program – it's difficult to decide which is more impressive, his incredible longevity or his unparalleled success. It is, however, safe to say that the combination of the two is what elevates Ryan among college basketball's elite.

With a win over Wofford in the 2010 NCAA Tournament, Ryan became the 56th coach in NCAA history to reach the 600-win plateau and one of just nine active Division I coaches to reach that hallowed ground. Ryan's career winning percentage of .763 is second only to North Carolina's Roy Williams among active coaches with 500 wins.

Already a member of the Wilkes College Athletic Hall of Fame (2003) and the Delaware County Chapter of the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame (2008), Ryan will be enshrined into two additional prestigious circles in 2011. A native of Chester, Pa., Ryan will be inducted into the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame this fall. His 34 years of excellence in the state of Wisconsin will also be recognized in October of 2011 as he will rightly take his place in the Wisconsin Basketball Coaches Association (WBCA) Hall of Fame.

WINNING AT WISCONSIN

Entering his 11th season as head coach at Wisconsin, Ryan has unquestionably established himself and the program among the most prestigious in college basketball.

Presiding over what is arguably the most successful 10-year stretch in UW history, Ryan's team owns:

- A .727 win pct. (242-91) overall
- A .714 win pct. (120-48) in Big Ten play
- A .933 win pct. (152-11) at home
- 5 Big Ten titles
- The 7 winningest seasons in UW history
- 5 players with AP All-America recognition
- 10 NCAA tournament, three Sweet 16s

With 242 victories at Wisconsin, Ryan ranks third on the school's all-time wins list, and is poised to take over the throne in 2012, surpassing basketball hall of famers Walter Meanwell (246) and Bud Foster (265).

Prior to Ryan's arrival in Madison, Wisconsin had never won more than 22 games in a season. Ryan's teams have averaged 24.2 wins in his 10 seasons.

WINNINGEST BIG TEN HEAD COACHES

Following is a list of the coaches with the best all-time winning percentages in Big Ten play (min. 5 years)

Coach (School)	Yrs.	Record	Pct.
1. Bo Ryan (WIS)	10	120-48	.714
2. Thad Matta (OSU)	7	85-35	.708
3. Bob Knight (IND)	29	353-151	.700
4. Ward Lambert (PUR)	29	228-105	.685
5. Tom Izzo (MSU)	16	183-85	.683

BIG TEN'S BEST

Wisconsin's success in Big Ten play under Ryan is unmatched. His .714 (120-48) winning percentage in conference games is the best of any Big Ten coach in history, surpassing Thad Matta (.708, 85-35) and Bob Knight (.700, 353-151) on the career ledger.

In 2010, Ryan earned his 100th Big Ten win, tying legendary Indiana coach Branch McCracken as the second-fastest coach in conference history to record 100 Big Ten wins, doing so in 140 games. Only Knight did it faster (131 games).

In 2002, Ryan's first season, Wisconsin earned a share of the Big Ten title for the first time since 1947. The next year, UW won the title outright, securing back-to-back championships for the first time since 1923 and 1924. Not to be outdone, Ryan led the Badgers to their first Big Ten tournament title in 2004. In 2008, Ryan and UW doubled up, winning the regular-season and tournament crowns in the same season for the first time in school history.

He is the first coach in conference history to lead a team to at least 11 Big Ten wins in each of his first four seasons. Prior to his arrival in 2001, UW had reached double-digit conference wins just three times since 1941. The Badgers have at least 10 conference wins in nine of Ryan's 10 seasons, including a school-record 16 in 2008.

600-WIN CLUB

Bo Ryan is one of 11 NCAA Division I coaches with 600 wins. Among that list, his .763 all-time winning percentage ranks second.

Coach (School)	Yrs.	Record	Pct.
1. Mike Krzyzewski (Duke) . . . . .	.36	900-284	.760
2. Jim Boeheim (Syracuse) . . . . .	.35	856-301	.740
3. Jim Calhoun (UConn) . . . . .	.39	855-358	.705
4. Bob Huggins (West Virginia) . . . . .	.29	691-253	.732
5. Gary Williams (Maryland) . . . . .	.33	668-380	.637
6. Roy Williams (N. Carolina) . . . . .	.22	643-163	.798
7. Jerry Slocum (Youngstown St.) . . . . .	.36	638-446	.589
8. Bo Ryan (Wisconsin)	27	625-194	.763
9. Cliff Ellis (Coastal Carolina) . . . . .	.33	614-385	.614
10. Mike Montgomery (California) . . . . .	.29	611-281	.695
11. Rick Byrd (Belmont) . . . . .	.30	610-333	.647

With Ryan at the helm, the Badgers have posted an above .500 conference record in every season and have never finished outside the top four in the Big Ten standings.

POSTSEASON PROMINENCE

The Badgers have appeared in the NCAA tournament in each of Ryan's 10 seasons, advancing to four Sweet 16s and the Elite Eight in 2005. Ryan's 14 NCAA tournament wins are a school record, and he is the first coach in UW history to lead a team to multiple Sweet 16 appearances.

Last season, Ryan guided the Badgers to the school's 13th-straight NCAA tournament appearance and its fifth Sweet 16 in the last 12 years. Wisconsin's 25 wins a year ago tied as the third-highest single-season total in school annals and UW reached 13 conference wins for just the fourth time in history.

COACH OF THE YEAR

Bo Ryan and the words Coach of the Year go together like a pick-and-roll. After winning back-to-back Big Ten Coach of the Year honors in his first two seasons at Wisconsin, Ryan burst onto the national coaching landscape when he received the 2007 Clair Bee National Coach of the Year Award, which honors the men's Division I basketball coach who has made the most significant positive contributions to his sport during the preceding year. Ryan also received the Adolph Rupp Cup as the national coach of the year from the Commonwealth Athletic Club of Kentucky. He was also a finalist for a number of other national Coach of the Year awards, including the Naismith Award.

He followed that up by being mentioned as a finalist for a number of national Coach of the Year awards in 2007-08. He was named the Jim Phelan Coach of the Year by collegeinsider.com and was the runner-up to Drake's Keno Davis for AP Coach of the Year. Ryan was also named a finalist for the Phelan Award in 2009-10.

GUARDIAN OF THE GAME

Ryan has experience as a Division I head and assistant coach, as well as a Division III head coach and is well-respected throughout the college basketball world. At the 2004 Final Four, he was honored with the NABC

Guardians of the Game Award for Service. The goal of the Guardians of the Game program is to focus attention on the positive aspects of basketball and the role coaches play in the lives of student-athletes, in addition to the contributions coaches make to their communities.

In 2009, the NABC presented Ryan with the Outstanding Service Award "for his actions inside and outside the lines of coaching that have distinguished him as a valuable members of his community." Ryan is one of college basketball's most active participants when it comes to improving the game. In the past Ryan has served on the NCAA Division I Men's Basketball Issues Committee and on the Academic Progress Rate committee. Ryan currently serves on the board of directors for both the NABC and the Wisconsin Basketball Coaches Association (WBCA).

2010-11 Wisconsin Men's Basketball
Wisconsin Combined Team Statistics (as of Mar 25, 2011)
All games

Overall record: 25-9 Conf: 13-5 Home: 16-0 Away: 5-6 Neutral: 4-3

#	Player	gp-gs	min	Total			3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds				pf	dq	a	to	blk	stl	pts	avg	
				avg	fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fa	ft%	off	def	tot	avg									
30	Leuer, Jon	34-34	1139	33.5	227-483	.470	54-146	.370	113-134	.843	57	189	246	7.2	75	1	56	54	30	17	621	18.3	
11	Taylor, Jordan	34-34	1241	36.5	194-448	.433	75-175	.429	154-185	.832	32	107	139	4.1	80	3	161	42	5	25	617	18.1	
52	Nankivil, Keaton	34-34	949	27.9	120-242	.496	59-129	.457	31-37	.838	62	82	144	4.2	67	2	23	29	42	16	330	9.7	
21	Gasser, Josh	34-30	957	28.1	68-144	.472	19-63	.302	47-55	.855	42	90	132	3.9	80	3	75	30	2	17	202	5.9	
31	Bruesewitz, Mike	34-13	675	19.9	57-121	.471	20-62	.323	22-29	.759	45	60	105	3.1	63	0	34	28	4	10	156	4.6	
24	Jarmusz, Tim	34-21	805	23.7	40-105	.381	32-89	.360	21-23	.913	29	46	75	2.2	35	1	43	12	1	23	133	3.9	
05	Evans, Ryan	34-0	393	11.6	33-106	.311	0-3	.000	29-39	.744	20	59	79	2.3	39	0	16	23	11	6	95	2.8	
40	Berggren, Jared	29-1	200	6.9	27-55	.491	7-22	.318	8-13	.615	10	21	31	1.1	37	1	9	14	10	1	69	2.4	
33	Wilson, Rob	23-2	168	7.3	14-42	.333	1-17	.059	7-8	.875	7	16	23	1.0	14	0	8	6	0	2	36	1.6	
15	Valentyn, Brett	24-0	123	5.1	8-23	.348	8-23	.348	1-2	.500	2	7	9	0.4	12	0	4	4	0	1	25	1.0	
01	Brust, Ben	15-0	45	3.0	4-16	.250	2-10	.200	0-0	.000	2	5	7	0.5	5	0	1	2	0	1	10	0.7	
02	Smith, Wquinton	26-1	128	4.9	5-16	.313	1-5	.200	2-6	.333	8	4	12	0.5	12	0	12	4	0	2	13	0.5	
13	Dukan, Duje	8-0	15	1.9	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2	3	5	0.6	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.3	
44	Gavinski, J.P.	6-0	9	1.5	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	2	0	2	0.3	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0.2	
22	Wise, J.D.	1-0	1	1.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
10	Fahey, Dan	3-0	2	0.7	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
Team											35	44	79	9									
Total.....		34	6850	798-1808		.441	278-744	.374	436-533	.818	355	733	1088	32.0	522	11	442	258	105	121	2310	67.9	
Opponents.....		34	6850	705-1647		.428	179-484	.370	403-542	.744	273	695	968	28.5	570	8	325	329	61	133	1992	58.6	

TEAM STATISTICS	UW	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.		
SCORING	2310	1992	11/14/10	PRAIRIE VIEW A&M	w 99-55	17230		
Points per game	67.9	58.6	11/16/10	NORTH DAKOTA	w 85-53	17230		
Scoring margin	+9.4	-	11/20/10	at UNLV	L 65-68	14736		
FIELD GOALS-ATT	798-1808	705-1647	11/25/10	vs Manhattan	w 50-35	3035		
Field goal pct	.441	.428	11/26/10	vs Boston College	w 65-55	3229		
3 POINT FG-ATT	278-744	179-484	11/28/10	vs Notre Dame	L 51-58	3428		
3-point FG pct	.374	.370	12/01/10	NC STATE	w 87-48	17230		
3-pt FG made per game	8.2	5.3	12/04/10	SOUTH DAKOTA	w 76-61	17230		
FREE THROWS-ATT	436-533	403-542	12/08/10	MILWAUKEE	w 61-40	17230		
Free throw pct	.818	.744	12/11/10	at Marquette	w 69-64	19074		
F-Throws made per game	12.8	11.9	12/13/10	GREEN BAY	w 70-56	17230		
REBOUNDS	1088	968	12/23/10	COPPIN STATE	w 80-56	17230		
Rebounds per game	32.0	28.5	* 12/28/10	MINNESOTA	w 68-60	17230		
Rebounding margin	+3.5	-	* 01/02/11	at Illinois	L 61-69	16618		
ASSISTS	442	325	* 01/05/11	MICHIGAN	w 66-50	17230		
Assists per game	13.0	9.6	* 01/11/11	at Michigan State	Lot 61-64	14797		
TURNOVERS	258	329	* 01/15/11	ILLINOIS	w 76-66	17230		
Turnovers per game	7.6	9.7	* 01/20/11	INDIANA	w 69-60	17230		
Turnover margin	+2.1	-	* 01/23/11	at Northwestern	w 78-46	7102		
Assist/turnover ratio	1.7	1.0	* 01/29/11	at Penn State	L 52-56	14292		
STEALS	121	133	* 02/01/11	PURDUE	w 66-59	17230		
Steals per game	3.6	3.9	* 02/06/11	MICHIGAN STATE	w 82-56	17230		
BLOCKS	105	61	* 02/09/11	at Iowa	Wot 62-59	12093		
Blocks per game	3.1	1.8	* 02/12/11	OHIO STATE	w 71-67	17230		
ATTENDANCE	275680	221320	* 02/16/11	at Purdue	L 62-70	14123		
Home games-Avg/Game	16-17230	11-14488	* 02/20/11	PENN STATE	w 76-66	17230		
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	7-8850	* 02/23/11	at Michigan	w 53-52	11023		
			* 02/27/11	NORTHWESTERN	w 78-63	17230		
Score by Periods	1st	2nd	OT	Totals				
Wisconsin	1074	1219	17	2310	* 03/03/11	at Indiana	w 77-67	16700
Opponents	909	1066	17	1992	* 03/06/11	at Ohio State	L 65-93	18809
					03/11/11	vs Penn State	L 33-36	18381
					03-17-11	vs Belmont	w 72-58	10293
					03-19-11	vs Kansas State	w 70-65	11267
					03/24/11	vs Butler	L 54-61	12320

* = Conference game