

# EAST COAST ALL-STARS

## PLAYER INFORMATION



### #02 Russ Smith

6-0 Sr. Guard Louisville

2013 — Top scorer for the 2013 National Champion Louisville Cardinals and Most Outstanding Player of the Midwest Regional. An All-BIG EAST 1<sup>st</sup> team selection, Smith was selected as a 3<sup>rd</sup> team All-American by the Associated Press, The Sporting News and NABC, and the College Sports Madness All-America 1<sup>st</sup> team. Selected the national Player of the Year by Ken Pomeroy.



### #03 Tate Unruh

6-4 Sr. Guard Northern Colorado

2013 — Has led Northern Colorado in scoring each of the past two seasons. Was named to the Big Sky All-Conference Second Team this past season. Considered one of the premier three-point marksmen in the country. Broke Northern Colorado's Division I single-season record for 3-pointers in a season. Prepped at Branson High where he was named a 2009 McDonalds All-American nominee.



### #04 Jabrille Williams

6-6 So. Guard Binghamton

2013 — Versatile wing shot 53% from floor and 35% from three. Led high school team with 18.6 points, 10.1 rebounds and 4.2 blocks during prep career. Chosen Hackley Tournament Most Valuable Player. Was an All-New England Class D honorable mention selection. Named to the first-team All-City. Son of former NBA player and current New York Knicks assistant coach Herb Williams.



### #05 Eron Harris

6-2 So. Guard West Virginia

2013 — Explosive guard who led West Virginia in scoring this past season. Averaged 19.7 points for the Mountaineers in three game stretch against Baylor, Kansas, and Oklahoma. Prepped at Lawrence North High in Indianapolis. Was selected the Eric Gordon Super Shootout All-Star game Most Valuable Player. Rated three stars by recruiting service Scout.com.





## #10 Michael Rudy

6-7 Sr. Forward Lycoming

2013 — Lycoming and Middle Atlantic Conference blocked shots leader. A force around the rim, brought the Warriors to back-to-back conference championship appearances. The teams top free throw shooter as a sophomore. Prepped at Danville High School (PA) where he was selected first team All-Heartland Conference as well as to the league's All Defensive Team.



## #11 Mike Gbinije

6-7 So. Guard Syracuse

2013 — Sat out 2012-13 after transferring from Duke, Gbinije was ranked the 28<sup>th</sup> best player by ESPNU 100, 26<sup>th</sup> by Scout.com, and 9<sup>th</sup> among small forwards by Rivals.com. Gbinije prepped at Evangel Christian. He was named the 2008 VISAA Player of the Year after leading his squad to the state championship, scoring 26 points and being named MVP.



## #12 Jarrod Uthoff

6-8 So. Forward Iowa

2013 — Sat out 2012-13 after transferring from the University of Wisconsin. Named 2011 Mr. Basketball and 2011 Gatorade Player of the Year in Iowa. Jarrod was first team all-state and Mississippi Valley Conference Player of the Year after averaging 26.2 points, 11.2 rebounds and 3.2 blocks per game his senior campaign. He was also Academic all MVC as both a junior and senior.



## #13 Justin Miller

6-8 Sr. Center Lycoming

2013 — Post presence with versatility inside and out. Shot 53% from the field and 84% from the line this season for the Warriors. Helped lead Lycoming College to back-to-back Middle Atlantic Conference championship appearances. A 2011 Coaches Award winner, Miller prepped at famed Bridgeton Academy under legendary Coach Whit Leisure.





## #14 Phillip Nolan

6-9 So. Forward UConn

2013 — Appeared in 23 games for the Huskies this season. Prepped at Riverside University High School in Milwaukee where he was a Third Team All-City selection. In his senior season at Riverside Nolan averaged 16.7 points, 9.4 rebounds, 3.0 blocks, and 2.3 assists per game, while shooting 63.3 percent from the field.



## #15 Kadeem Batts

6-9 Sr. Forward Providence

2013 — Received the 2013 Big East Most Improved Player Award along with All Big East Honorable Mention Honors. Co-Winner of the Defensive Player of the Year Award. Prepped at John McEachern High School in Georgia where he averaged 15 points, 11 rebounds and three assists per game and was named to All-State and All-Region honors.



## #20 Rakeem Christmas

6-9 Jr. Forward Syracuse

2013 — Started all 40 games for Syracuse leading the team in blocked shots in route to an NCAA Final Four appearance. Christmas' prep career had him rated 19th overall and 2<sup>nd</sup> among centers in the 2011 *ESPNU* Top 100, the number-one rated center and 19<sup>th</sup> overall by *Scout.com*, and 27<sup>th</sup> overall and 2<sup>nd</sup> among centers by *Rivals.com*



## #21 Tom Knight

6-10 Gr. Forward Notre Dame

2013 — Helped Notre Dame to the Big East Semi-Final and an NCAA Tournament appearance. Was honored as Maine Mr. Basketball as well as a Gatorade Player of the Year nominee. Knight was selected Lewiston Sun Journal Player of the Year and the Most Outstanding Player by the Maine Sunday Telegram averaging 22.9 points, 11.6 rebounds, 3.5 blocked shots, 3.0 assists and 2.5 steals.



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10	Michael Rudy	6-7	Senior	Forward	Lycoming
11	Mike Gbinije	6-7	Sophomore	Guard	Syracuse
12	Jarrood Uthoff	6-8	Sophomore	Forward	Iowa
13	Justin Miller	6-8	Senior	Center	Lycoming
14	Phillip Nolan	6-9	Sophomore	Forward	UConn
15	Kadeem Batts	6-9	Senior	Forward	Providence
20	Rakeem Christmas	6-9	Junior	Forward	Syracuse
21	Tom Knight	6-10	R-Senior	Center	Notre Dame

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## ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

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