CFPA Announces 2015 FCS Defensive Awards Watch List



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College Football Performance Awards (CFPA) today announced its 2015 FCS Defensive Awards Watch List. The list includes thirty-two defensive backs, thirty-two linebackers, and thirty-four defensive linemen from the Football Championship Subdivision.

All FCS players are eligible for awards at their respective positions. Players are not preemptively eliminated from consideration.

The award winners will be announced January 13, 2016.

2015 CFPA FCS Defensive Back Award Watch List:

Jabari Butler, Abilene Christian Clayton Ewell, Bucknell Bryan Marine, Bucknell B.J. Nard, Cal Poly Tremon Smith, Central Arkansas Dee Delaney, The Citadel David Caldwell, Dartmouth Cameron Stubbs, Dayton Stanley Absanon, Eastern Kentucky Trey Robinson, Furman Dallas Jackson, Jacksonville Taylor Reynolds, James Madison Derrick Farrow, Kennesaw State Dominique Hill, McNeese Mike Basile, Monmouth Justin Grier, Morehead State Eddie Horn, Northern Arizona

Deiondre' Hall, Northern Iowa Ian Dobbins, Pennsylvania Patrick Onwussor, Portland State

Ed Britt, Presbyterian

David Jones, Richmond

Ayo Ogunniyi, Richmond

Delondo Boyd, Saint Francis U

Devyn Bryant, San Diego

Harlan Miller, Southeastern Louisiana

Mike Ford, Southeast Missouri

Miles Killebrew, Southern Utah

Donald Payne, Stetson

Aaron Diggs, Western Illinois

DeAndre Houston-Carson, William & Mary

LeRoy Alexander, Youngstown State

2015 CFPA FCS Linebacker Award Watch List:

Kourtney Berry, Alabama State

Solomon Brown, Charleston Southern

Nakevion Leslie, Chattanooga

Will McNamara, Dartmouth

Folarin Orimolade, Dartmouth

John Hugunin, Drake

Christian Kuntz, Duquesne

Kamu Grugier-Hill, Eastern Illinois

Cory Magwood, Furman

Chad Geter, Gardner-Webb

Pat Meehan, Illinois State

Myke Tavarres, Incarnate Word

Andrew Ankrah, James Madison

Ashari Goins, McNeese

Dylan Cole, Missouri State

Kendrick Van Ackeren, Montana

Mac Bignell, Montana State

Joel Scott, Morgan State

Deon King, Norfolk State

Will Ratelle, North Dakota

Nick DeLuca, North Dakota State

Brett McMakin, Northern Iowa

Tyler Drake, Pennsylvania

Darnell Sankey, Sacramento State

James Rentz, Sacred Heart

Tre' Bennett, Southeastern Louisiana

Chase Allen, Southern Illinois

Mike Needham, Southern Utah

Don Cherry, Villanova

Tyson Dickson, Western Carolina

Daniel Riddle, Western Carolina

Luke Rhodes, William & Mary

2015 CFPA FCS Defensive End/Defensive Tackle Award Watch List:

Ben Schumacher, Bucknell

Jonathan Woodard, Central Arkansas

Keionta Davis, Chattanooga

Mitchell Jeter, Citadel

Pat Afriyie, Colgate

Gabe Sherrod, Delaware State

Dino Fanti, Eastern Illinois

Noah Spence, Eastern Kentucky

Rob Sullivan, Elon

O.J. Mau, Gardner-Webb

Miles Grooms, Hampton

David Perkins, Illinois State

Javancy Jones, Jackson State

Darius Jackson, Jacksonville State

Larance Hale, Lamar

Chima Uzowihe, Liberty

Trevor Bates, Maine

Patrick Ricard, Maine

Tyrone Holmes, Montana

Caleb Kidder, Montana

Cam Shorey, New Hampshire

Angelo Keyes, North Carolina A&T

Greg Menard, North Dakota State

Isaac Ales, Northern Iowa

Karter Schult, Northern Iowa

P.J. Hall, Sam Houston State

Javon Hargrave, South Carolina State

Reggie Owens, South Carolina State

Andrew Van Ginkel, South Dakota

James Cowser, Southern Utah

Davion Belk, Stetson

Victor Ochi, Stony Brook Rodney Edwards, Tennessee State Derek Rivers, Youngstown State