

# Kermit E. Buggs

## **Education**

### **The Pennsylvania State University; University Park, PA**

*Master of Education December 2006*

*Educational Leadership*

### **Norfolk State University; Norfolk, VA**

*Bachelor of Science May 1995*

*Exercise Science/ Athletic Training*

## **Professional Experience**

### **2013 Special Teams Coordinator/ Running Backs Coach**

#### **The University of Connecticut, Storrs, Connecticut**

Managed the Assistant coaches and players in the special teams area of game preparation.

Developed weekly Special Teams game plans. Called all of the special teams plays on game day.

Developed and Coached the Running Back position. Had significant input into the run game coordination and run play game day play calls.

*Recruiting Areas: Northern Virginia, Central Virginia, Southern Maryland, South Florida, Texas*

### **2012 Defensive Coordinator / Secondary Coach**

#### **Lock Haven University, Lock Haven, PA**

Managed the defensive assistant coaches and players in game preparation.

Developed defensive game plans along with calling the defensive plays on game day.

### **2007 - 2011 Assistant Football Coach in Charge of the Secondary**

#### **The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA**

*Recruiting Areas: Connecticut, Eastern New York, Tidewater Virginia, Georgia, San Diego, Texas*

*Other Football Duties: Kickoff Coverage/Field Goal Block Coordinator*

*In Charge of the Return men in both Kickoff and Punt Return*

*Game Day Duties: Press box Pass Route Recognition and 3<sup>rd</sup> and Long defensive calls*

### **2006 - 2007 Coordinator of Player Personnel and Development**

#### **The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA**

Coordinated all aspects of on campus recruiting. Mentored the freshmen class with their academic and athletic development.

*Game Day Duties: Personnel substitutions and play signals*

### **2003-2006 Offensive Graduate Assistant**

#### **The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA**

**2004-2006** In charge of the Running Backs

*Game Day Duties: Personnel substitutions and play signals*

**2003** In charge of the Tight Ends

*Game Day Duties: Press box Play Charting and coverage identification*

### **1999-2003 Head Football Coach/Health and Physical Education Teacher**

#### **Surry County High School, Dendron, VA**

**Career Record: 34 Wins 14 lost**

2002	Region A Division 1 Semifinalist
2000	Region A Division 1 Champions
2000	Division 1 State Semifinalist
1999	Tri-Rivers District Champions, Region A Division 1 Champions
1999	Virginia High School League Division 1 State Champions
1999-2003	Head Junior Varsity Basketball Coach

### **1997-1999 Health and Physical Education Teacher**

#### **L.P. Jackson Middle School, Dendron, VA**

1997-1998 Assistant Varsity Football Coach

1998 Assistant Coach in charge of Wide Receivers and Defensive Backs  
(State Champions)

1997 Assistant Coach in charge of Running Backs  
(State Finalist)

1998 Assistant Varsity Basketball Coach

### **Bowl Game Appearances**

- 2006 BCS Orange Bowl
- 2007 Outback Bowl
- 2007 Sylvania Alamo Bowl
- 2009 BCS Rose Bowl
- 2010 Capital One Bowl
- 2011 Outback Bowl
- 2012 Ticket City Bowl

### **Highlights**

- 2 Big Ten Championships 2005 & 2008
- Leaders Division Co-Champions 2011
- Top 5 Defense nationally over a 7 year span
- Top 8 Defense in Pass Efficiency over a 7 year span
- 5 All Conference Performers
  - 2005-2006 Tony Hunt (Running back)
  - 2008 Derrick Williams (Returner)
  - 2008 Anthony Sciroto (Safety)
  - 2009-2011 Drew Astorino (Safety)
  - 2011 Nick Sukay (Safety)
- 1 Academic All-American
  - 2008 Mark Rubin
- 1999 Tri-Rivers District Coach of the Year  
Region A Division 1 Coach of the Year  
VHSCA Division 1 Coach of the Year  
VHSCA East All-Star Team Coach

### **Playing Experience**

#### **1990-1994 Quarterback**

#### **Norfolk State University, Norfolk, VA**

Four-year letterman. Graduated as the School's All-Time leading passer

#### **Awards**

1994 Gold Bowl Classic Most Valuable Player

1993 Four Time recipient of the Coca-Cola Player of the Game Award

1992-93 Norfolk State University Vince Lombardi Award recipient for Leadership and Academic Achievement

1992 Professional Football Athletic Trainers Minority Scholarship Award (Indianapolis Colts)

1993 Three Time recipient of the Coca-Cola Player of the Game Award

1994 Norfolk State University Football Freshman of the Year Award

### **Professional Organizations**

American Football Coaches Association Member

Black Coaches Association Member

Member of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Inc.

## **Professional Development**

### **2010 Minority Coaches Forum**

**Invited by the Directors of the Six BCS conferences to participate in a networking opportunity to communicate with Athletic Directors and Conference Directors about potential aspirations of becoming a Head Coach.**

#### **NOTABLE RECRUITS**

Silas Redd	CONN	ARMY ALL-AMERICAN
Kharii Fortt	CONN	ARMY ALL-AMERICAN
Chris Bell	VA	ARMY ALL-AMERICAN
Kevin Newsome	VA	ARMY ALL-AMERICAN
Stephon Green	NY	NEW YORK STATE TOP 5
Stephen Obeng Agayapong	NY	NEW YORK STATE TOP 5
Malik Golden	CONN	STATE OF CONNETICUT TOP 5
Danton Lynn	TEXAS	TEXAS ALL-STATE

## **References**

### **Paul Pasqualoni**

**Former Head Coach of The University of Connecticut**

### **John Allen, Head Coach**

**Lock Haven University**

### **Bill Kenney, Offensive Line Coach**

**Western Michigan University**

### **Brian Norwood, Assistant Head Coach**

**Baylor University**

### **Chip West, Recruiting Coordinator/Cornerbacks Coach**

**University of Virginia**

### **Larry Johnson, Defensive Line Coach**

**The Pennsylvania State University**