UC-Irvine Anteaters
Big West

Last NCAA Tournament Appearance: 2019

Current Status: Bubble
Projected JNG Seed: 16

Head Coach: Russ Turner
School: 347-202 (17 seasons)
Career: 347-202

Record		H/R/N/B		NET/WAB/SOS		Resume		Predictive		KenPom	
Overall	3-3	Home	3-0	NET	1	KPI	1	BPI	125	AdjO	252
vs D1	1-3	Road	0-1	WAB	1	SOR	243	T-R	110	AdjD	39
Conference	0-0	Neutral	0-2	N/C WAB	1	JNG	230	KenPom	115	Tempo	75
vs Tier 1-2	0-1	vs Board	0-0	SOS	1	AVG	158.0	AVG	116.7	Luck	363
vs Tier 1-3	0-3			N/C SOS	1	OAR: 145 (85.1 avg)*				Streak	L3

Average JNG Win: 197.0

Wins Tier 1 1-30/1-50/1-75

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score

Wins Tier 2 31-75/51-100/76-135

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score

Wins Tier 3 76-160/101-200/136-240

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score
110	11/21	vs San Diego	67-64
195	11/22	vs Loyola Marymount	72-68

Wins Tier 4 161+/201+/241+

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score
197	11/07	San Jose State	91-79
--	11/03	Chapman	92-66
--	11/11	Lincoln (CA)	90-40

Average JNG Loss: 129.0

Loss Tier 1 1-30/1-50/1-75

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score

Loss Tier 2 31-75/51-100/76-135

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score
82	*11/17*	*@ Stanford*	*65-61*

Loss Tier 3 76-160/101-200/136-240

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score

Loss Tier 4 161+/201+/241+

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REMAINING SCHEDULE

Date	JNG	Opponent
11/28	125	@ Seattle*
12/03	178	UC-Riverside
12/05	202	UC-San Diego
12/11	226	Northern Iowa*
12/18	119	New Mexico*
12/20	181	@ Hawai'i*
12/29	169	Fresno State*
12/31	304	@ Long Beach State
01/02	152	@ Cal State-Fullerton
01/07	329	Sacramento State
01/09	79	Utah Valley
01/14	271	@ California Baptist
01/16	178	@ UC-Riverside
01/21	152	Cal State-Fullerton
01/23	304	Long Beach State
01/28	206	@ Cal Poly
01/30	69	@ UC-Santa Barbara
02/04	118	Cal State-Bakersfield
02/06	340	Cal State-Northridge
02/11	79	@ Utah Valley
02/13	329	@ Sacramento State
02/18	271	California Baptist
02/20	202	@ UC-San Diego
02/25	69	UC-Santa Barbara
02/27	206	Cal Poly
03/04	340	@ Cal State-Northridge
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Glossary:

NET: NCAA NET Metric
WAB: Wins Above Bubble (NCAA Metric)
KPI: kpisports.net / Kevin Pauga
SOR: espn.com Strength of Record
JNG: hoopshd.com / Joby Fortson
BPI: espn.com BPI Ratings
T-R: barttorvik.com / Torvik Rankings
KenPom: kenpom.com / Ken Pomeroy
AdjO: Adjusted Offensive Efficiency per kenpom.com
AdjD: Adjusted Defensive Efficiency per kenpom.com
Tempo: Adjusted Tempo per kenpom.com
Luck: Luck Ranking per kenpom.com

OAR: Overall Average Ranking (average of NET, KPI, SOR, WAB, POM, BPI and T-R ranked 1-365)
Projected JNG Seed: NCAA Tournament Seed per the JNG Rating if this team qualifies for the NCAA Tournament
* Games marked with an * are non-conference games

UC-Irvine DEFCON Game Ratings for Wednesday, November 25, 2026

DEFCON 3

Time (ET)	Matchup	Broadcast	Desired Winner
9:30 PM	Colorado vs Grand Canyon	CBS-SN	Grand Canyon
10:30 PM	Jacksonville State vs Pacific	flohoops	Pacific

DEFCON 4

Time (ET)	Matchup	Broadcast	Desired Winner
3:00 PM	Southeastern Louisiana vs North Dakota	flohoops	Southeastern Louisiana
7:00 PM	Bellarmine at Northern Kentucky	ROCK/espn+	Bellarmine

DEFCON 5

Time (ET)	Matchup	Broadcast	Desired Winner
12:30 PM	Wright State vs Yale	ESPN2	Wright State
1:00 PM	Lindenwood at Stony Brook	flohoops	Lindenwood
3:00 PM	Jackson State at Oklahoma State	espn+	Oklahoma State
9:00 PM	Eastern Washington at Loyola Marymount	espn+	Loyola Marymount
9:00 PM	Mississippi Valley at New Mexico	mwnet	New Mexico
12:00 AM	Incarnate Word at Hawai'i	K5/mwnet	Hawai'i
12:00 AM	Stanford vs Saint Louis	ESPN2	Stanford