

# 2015 MINNESOTA LYNX PRESEASON GUIDE 

## 2015 MINNESOTA LYNX TRAINING CAMP ROSTER

| No | Player |
| ---: | :--- |
| 33 | Seimone Augustus |
| 32 | Rebekkah Brunson |
| 51 | Anna Cruz |
| 34 | Damiris Dantas |
| 21 | Reshanda Gray |
| 11 | Amber Harris |
| 15 | Asjha Jones |
| 1 | Shae Kelley |
| 20 | Tricia Liston |
| 23 | Maya Moore |
| 3 | Darxia Morris |
| 0 | Jennifer O'Neill |
| 14 | Devereaux Peters |
| 31 | Asia Taylor |
| 13 | Lindsay Whalen |
| 22 | Monica Wright |

Head Coach:
Assistant Coaches:
Cheryl Reeve (La Salle)
Athletic Trainers:

| Pos | Ht | Wt | Birthdate | College/Year | Yrs |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| G | $6-0$ | 169 | $04 / 30 / 84$ | Louisiana State '06 | 9 |
| F | $6-2$ | 185 | $12 / 11 / 81$ | Georgetown '04 | 11 |
| G | $5-9$ | 155 | $10 / 27 / 86$ | Spain | 1 |
| F | $6-3$ | 196 | $11 / 17 / 92$ | Brazil | 1 |
| F | $6-2$ | 192 | $06 / 01 / 93$ | California '15 | R |
| F | $6-5$ | 193 | $01 / 16 / 88$ | Xavier '11 | 3 |
| F | $6-3$ | 187 | $08 / 01 / 80$ | Connecticut '02 | 11 |
| F | $6-1$ | 166 | $09 / 29 / 91$ | Minnesota '15 | R |
| F | $6-0$ | 185 | $02 / 20 / 92$ | Duke '14 | 1 |
| F | $6-0$ | 177 | $06 / 11 / 89$ | Connecticut '11 | 4 |
| G | $5-8$ | 155 | $10 / 09 / 89$ | UCLA '11 | 1 |
| G | $5-5$ | 141 | $04 / 19 / 90$ | Kentucky '15 | R |
| F | $6-2$ | 174 | $10 / 08 / 89$ | Notre Dame '12 | 3 |
| F | $6-1$ | 167 | $08 / 22 / 91$ | Louisville '14 | 1 |
| G | $5-9$ | 162 | $05 / 09 / 82$ | Minnesota '04 | 11 |
| G | $5-10$ | 182 | $07 / 15 / 88$ | Virginia '10 | 5 |

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## HOW THE LYNX WERE BUILT

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Monica Wright

2006 WNBA Draft (1st Round/1st Overall)
Acquired via Dispersal Draft of Sacramento on Dec. 14, 2009
Acquired from New York on Apr. 27, 2015, along with New York's 2015 2nd and 3rd Round Picks, in exchange for 2015 1st, 2nd and 3rd Round Picks
2012 WNBA Draft (1st Round/12th Overall)
2015 WNBA Draft (2nd Round/16th Overall)
2011 WNBA Draft (1st Round/4th Overall)
Acquired from Connecticut on May 14, 2015 in exchange for a 2016 2nd Round Pick 2015 WNBA Draft (3rd Round/35th Overall)
2014 WNBA Draft (1st Round/12th Overall)
2011 WNBA Draft (1st Round/1st Overall)
Signed as an unrestricted free agent on May 14, 2015
Signed as an unrestricted free agent on May 16, 2015
2012 WNBA Draft (1st Round/3rd Overall)
2014 WNBA Draft (3rd Round/36th Overall)
Acquired from Connecticut on Jan. 12, 2010, along with a 2010 1st Round Pick, in exchange for Renee Montgomery and a 2010 1st Round Pick 2010 WNBA Draft (1st Round/2nd Overall)

# TRAINING CAMP INFORMATION 

2015 Preseason Schedule

| Date | Opponent | Site | Time |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| May 27 | Washington | Verizon Center, Washington, DC | 10:30 a.m. |
| June 1 | New York | Target Center | 7:00 p.m. |
| 2014 Preseason Results |  |  |  |
| Date | Opponent | Site | Score |
| May 5 | Australia | Target Center | W, 82-66 |
| May 9 | Phoenix | ESPN Wide World of Sports, Orlando, FL | W, 72-64 |
| May 11 | Chicago | ESPN Wide World of Sports, Orlando, FL | W, 76-69 |

All-Time Preseason Results: 23-17

| 1999: | $0-2$ | $2007:$ | $1-1$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2000: | $2-2$ | $2008:$ | $2-1$ |
| 2001: | $3-1$ | $2009:$ | $0-1$ |
| 2002: | $1-2$ | $2010:$ | $0-2$ |
| 2003: | $2-1$ | $2011:$ | $2-0$ |
| 2004: | $3-0$ | $2012:$ | $2-0$ |
| 2005: | $0-3$ | $2013:$ | $1-1$ |
| 2006: | $1-1$ | $2014:$ | $3-0$ |

## Training Camp Practices: May 17 - June 4

Media access will be the final 30 minutes of practice. Lynx players and coaches will be available for interviews immediately following practice. Practices will be held at the Timberwolves and Lynx Courts of Mayo Clinic Square. The Timberwolves and Lynx Courts at Mayo Clinic Square are located on the third floor at Mayo Clinic Square in downtown Minneapolis. You can enter at ground level near Starbucks/Kierans or through the Target Center Skyway. When entering at skyway level walk across First Avenue until you enter the Mayo Clinic Square Skyway. Once in the Mayo Clinic Square skyway, walk along the glass windows on your right and make a slight right to reach the elevators. Proceed by taking the elevator up to the third floor lobby where someone from the public relations staff will be there to greet you and walk you to the courts.

PRACTICE LOCATIONS AND TIMES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE. For day-to-day updates on practice schedules and media availability, please call the Lynx public relations department at 612-673-1208.

## Locations:

- The Timberwolves and Lynx Courts at Mayo Clinic Square - 600 Hennepin Ave., Ste 300, Minneapolis
- Target Center (arena floor) - 600 First Avenue North, Minneapolis


## TRAINING CAMP SCHEDULE

| DAY | DATE | LOCATION | PRACTICE | MEDIA |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sunday | May 17 | The Timberwolves and Lynx Courts at Mayo Clinic Square | 12 p.m. - 2 p.m. | 1:30 p.m. |
| Monday | May 18 | The Timberwolves and Lynx Courts at Mayo Mayo Clinic Square | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \text { a.m }-12 \text { p.m. } \\ & 4 \text { p.m. }-5: 30 \text { p.m. } \end{aligned}$ | 11:30 a.m |
| Tuesday | May 19 | The Timberwolves and Lynx Courts at Mayo Clinic Square | 10 a.m-1 p.m. | 12:30 p.m. |
| Wednesday | May 20 | The Timberwolves and Lynx Courts at Mayo Clinic Square | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \text { a.m. }-12 \text { p.m. } \\ & 4 \text { p.m. }-5: 30 \text { p.m. } \end{aligned}$ | 11:30 a.m. |
| Thursday | May 21 | The Timberwolves and Lynx Courts at Mayo Clinic Square | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \text { a.m }-12 \text { p.m. } \\ & 4 \text { p.m. }-5: 30 \text { p.m. } \end{aligned}$ | 11:30 a.m. |
| Friday | May 22 | NO PRACTICE |  |  |
| Saturday | May 23 | The Timberwolves and Lynx Courts at Mayo Clinic Square | 10 a.m.- 1 p.m. | 12:30 p.m. |
| Sunday | May 24 | The Timberwolves and Lynx Courts at Mayo Clinic Square | 10 a.m. -1 p.m. | 12:30 p.m. |
| Monday | May 25 | Travel Day, NO PRACTICE |  |  |
| Tuesday | May 26 | NO PRACTICE |  |  |
| Wednesday | May 27 | Verizon Center, Washington, D.C. | v.s. Washington | 10:30 a.m. |
| Thursday | May 28 | Media Day, NO PRACTICE |  |  |
| Friday | May 29 | The Timberwolves and Lynx Courts at Mayo Clinic Square | 10 a.m. - 1 pm. | 12:30 p.m. |
| Saturday | May 30 | The Timberwolves and Lynx Courts at Mayo Clinic Square | 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. | 12:30 p.m. |
| Sunday | May 31 | The Timberwolves and Lynx Courts at Mayo Clinic Square | 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. | 12:30 p.m. |
| Monday | June 1 | Target Center, Minneapolis | v.s. New York | 7:00 p.m. |

# CHERYL REEVE <br> HEAD COACH 

## NOTABLE

- WNBA Champion $(2013,2011,2008,2006)$
- WNBA Coach of the Year (2011)
- WNBA Finals appearances (2013, 2012, 2011, 2008, 2007, 2006, 2001)
- Enters 2015 season with the highest winning percentage in WNBA history (.694)

Cheryl Reeve completed her fifth season as Lynx head coach in 2014, leading the Lynx to a $25-9$ record and their fourth consecutive postseason appearance. Since taking over as Lynx head coach, Reeve owns a career 118-52 record, the most coaching wins in franchise history. She was initially named head coach on Dec. 8, 2009, taking over for former head coach Jennifer Gillom. On Dec. 6, 2012, Reeve signed a multi-year contract extension with the club.

Under Reeve's tutelage, Minnesota became the first team in league history to string together four consecutive 25+ win seasons. Reeve has led the Lynx to WNBA championships in 2011 and 2013 and trips to the WNBA Finals in three consecutive seasons (2011-13). Minnesota's 105 regular season wins over the last four seasons match Los Angeles (19992002) for the best four-year aggregate win total in WNBA history. Since taking over in 2010, Reeve's .694 winning percentage ranks first in league history, one of just three coaches to win at least $60 \%$ of their games (Van Chancellor, .655; Michael Cooper, .650).

Reeve guided the Lynx to the first championship in franchise history in 2011, being named the WNBA Coach of the Year after leading Minnesota to a league-best 27-7 regular season record. The Lynx made a 14-game improvement from 2010, marking the second-largest single-season win increase in WNBA history.

Reeve's coaching resume includes 26 years as both an assistant and a head coach at the collegiate and WNBA levels. In 2009, Reeve served as an assistant coach with the WNBA's Detroit Shock, and was promoted to the team's general manager position just three games into the season. Hired by three-time WNBA champion head coach Bill Laimbeer, Reeve joined the Shock coaching staff in 2006 and helped the franchise reach the WNBA Finals in each of her first three years, winning WNBA titles in 2006 and 2008. During her four years with Detroit, the team held an 87-49 win/loss record and won at least 18 games each season, including 24 in 2007. Reeve also served as the Shock's director of player personnel in 2008.

Reeve got her start in the WNBA with the Charlotte Sting in 2001 when she joined Anne Donovan's staff as an assistant coach. After posting an 8-24 record in 2000, Charlotte turned things around in Reeve's first year, going 18-14 en route to advancing to the WNBA Finals. Reeve spent the 2002 season again in Charlotte before joining Dan Hughes' coaching staff in Cleveland for the 2003 season. Reeve returned to the Sting in 2004 and 2005 before joining Detroit in 2006. In Reeve's nine years as an assistant in the WNBA, she compiled a .543 winning percentage ( $163-137 \mathrm{~W} / \mathrm{L}$ ), including seven postseason appearances and advancing to the WNBA Finals four times.

Before joining the WNBA coaching ranks, Reeve spent 12 years coaching collegiately, including a five-year stint as head coach at Indiana State from 1995-2000. Reeve guided the Sycamores to the program's first postseason berth in 20 years following the 1998-99 campaign.

Reeve also spent five years as an assistant coach at George Washington. During that time, the Colonials posted five 20-win seasons, captured three Atlantic 10 Conference Championships and appeared in four NCAA Tournaments. Reeve got her start in coaching at her alma matter, La Salle, as an assistant coach for two seasons.

As a player at La Salle, Reeve led the nationally-ranked Explorers to a $25-5$ record in 1987-1988. She was named All-Metro Atlantic Conference and was an All-Big 5 selection as a senior. Reeve holds the school record for most games started (110) and ranks fourth on La Salle's career assist leader board (420).

Reeve excelled athletically and academically at La Salle, graduating with a degree in computer science/management information systems. A Rhodes Scholar nominee, Reeve received both a MAAC Scholar-Athlete Post Graduate Award and a NCAA Post-Graduate Scholarship in 1988. She went on to earn her master's degree in business administration from her alma mater while also serving two years as an assistant coach for the Explorers.

## JIM PETERSEN <br> ASSISTANT COACH

Jim Petersen completed his sixth season as the Lynx assistant coach in 2014. In 2009, Petersen was hired by then head coach Don Zierden as assistant coach, and remained behind the bench when Jennifer Gillom took over the reigns prior to the start of the season. New head coach Cheryl Reeve retained Petersen on her staff for the 2010 season.

With the Lynx, Petersen is responsible for the team's scouting efforts, talent evaluation, and player development with a focus on the post players.

In addition to his coaching duties with the Lynx, Petersen has spent the past 13 seasons with the Minnesota Timberwolves broadcast staff.

Petersen spent his eight-year NBA career (1984-92) with the Houston Rockets, Sacramento Kings and Golden State Warriors. Petersen finished with career averages of 6.9 ppg and 4.8 rpg in 491 games, 208 starts.

A native of Minneapolis, Petersen won the Minnesota Mr. Basketball award as a high school senior in 1980. Prior to his NBA playing and broadcasting careers, Petersen played four seasons for the University of Minnesota Golden Gophers, winning the Big Ten Championship in 1982.

After leaving the NBA, Petersen worked for the NBA Players Association in their player programs division, facilitating seminars in NBA locker rooms on topics such as AIDS awareness, substance abuse and career/financial planning for life after basketball.

Petersen currently resides in Wayzata along with his wife, Tika, and son, Sanjay.

## SHELLEY PATTERSON <br> ASSISTANT COACH

The 2014 season was Patterson's fourth year as an Assistant Coach and third year with the Minnesota Lynx.
With the Lynx, Patterson provides support in opponent scout preparation and game planning as well as individual player development.

Prior to coming to the Lynx, Patterson, a 22-year coaching veteran in both the professional and collegiate ranks, spent the previous three years on Brian Agler's staff in Seattle. Prior to that, Patterson spent parts of eight years working in different capacities with five WNBA organizations.

Patterson began her career in Houston where she served as Director of Basketball Operations and won a WNBA Championship with the Comets during the 1999 WNBA season. She then spent four years (2000-2003) working as an assistant coach with the Indiana Fever before joining the coaching staff of the Phoenix Mercury in 2004.

In addition to her work in the WNBA, Patterson served as head coach for the National Women's Basketball League's Chicago Blaze in 2005 and worked as an assistant coach with the Philadelphia Rage of the ABL during the 1998-99 season.

Patterson began her coaching career in 1989 as a recruiting coordinator at Indiana State University and has held positions at Ohio University, the University of Arizona, Wake Forest and Dayton.

# SEIMONE AUGUSTUS \#33 <br> LSU - GUARD - 6-0-169-9 YEARS 

## NOTABLE

- WNBA Champion $(2013,2011)$
- 2011 WNBA Finals MVP
- All-WNBA First-Team selection (2012)
- All-WNBA Second-Team selection (2006, 2007, 2011, 2013, 2014)
- Olympic gold medalist $(2012,2008)$
- WNBA All-Star $(2014,2013,2011,2007,2006)$
- WNBA Player of the Week (2011:3, 2010:1, 2009:1, 2008:1, 2006:1)
- WNBA Player of the Month (July 2011)
- Lynx franchise leader in points $(4,584)$ and field goals $(1,843)$
- Single-season franchise record holder for points (769)
- Reached 3,000 points in just 151 career games, matching Diana Taurasi as the fastest ever to the plateau
- One of three players in WNBA history to post a 50/45/85 season (2011)
- 88-time 20+ point games, most in franchise history
- 2006 WNBA Rookie of the Year


## CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Selected by Minnesota in the 1st round (1st overall) of the 2006 WNBA Draft... Signed on Apr. 19, 2006... Re-signed to a four-year contract on Feb. 9, 2010... Re-signed to a three-year contract on Sept. 13, 2013.

## 2014 SEASON

Finished her ninth season with Minnesota averaging 16.5 ppg and $3.6 \mathrm{rpg} .$. Started 24 games, missing 10 due to soreness in her left knee... Averaged $16.5 \mathrm{ppg}, 3.6 \mathrm{rpg}$ and 2.4 apg in 31.2 mpg , the latter her highest figure since $2010 \ldots$ Led all guards (12th overall) in FG accuracy at 51.1\%, the third time she's topped $50 \%$; she also shot $84.6 \%$ from the FT line and $33.3 \%$ from three-point range... Converted 11 of her final 23 trey attempts, following a 1 -for-13 start... Tallied 20+ points on five occasions, pushing her club-record career total to 101 such games, and was Minnesota's top scorer five times... Sank the game-winning basket as time expired on Aug. 5 at Indiana, her first career buzzer-beater... Hauled in a season-best eight rebounds July 31 vs. Phoenix; she dished a season-high six assists July 25 vs. San Antonio, one of three times she led... Selected for the 2014 WNBA All-Star Game, held July 19 in Phoenix, but did not play due to injury... Tallied a game- and season-high 26 points June 8 at Los Angeles... Led all scorers with 25 points June 1 at San Antonio; she averaged 19.9 ppg (on $55.6 \%$ shooting) during Minnesota's season-opening seven-game winning streak... Dished her 500th career assist May 30 at Chicago... Sank the game-tying FG with :02.3 left in regulation May 18 vs. Connecticut; the minute total ( $41: 37$ ) is her high since 2010.

## WNBA CAREER CAPSULE

2013: Averaged 16.3 ppg and shot a career-best $51.6 \%$ from the floor... Started 31 games, missing three (July $9-13$ ) due to a sprained left ankle suffered July 7 vs. Phoenix... Ranked 9th in the WNBA in scoring, 7th in FG accuracy and 8th in FT accuracy ( $87.9 \%$ ) while logging 29.7 mpg... Shot a career-low $29.0 \%$ from three-point range, but converted $35.1 \%$ (13-for-37) from beyond the arc in her final 16 contests after a 7 -for-32 (21.9\%) start... Tallied 20+ points on eight occasions, pushing her club-record career total to 96 such outings, and was Minnesota's top scorer six times... Her nine FT attempts Sept. 12 at Los Angeles are a season high, and her most in a road game since July 24, 2008 at Indiana... Grabbed a season-high eight rebounds Aug. 27 at New York; she pulled in 6+ boards five times in August... Dished a season-high six assists Aug. 22 at Connecticut, one of five times she's led; her 2.5 apg this year is the second-best of her career ( 2.7 in 2008)... Scored the 4000th point of her WNBA career Aug. 16 vs. Tulsa, becoming the 19th player in league history to do so; only Diana Taurasi, Cappie Pondexter and Lauren Jackson required fewer games to reach that mark... Finished with a season-high 29 points in that Aug. 16 vs. Tulsa; she had a team-best 26 points and six assists (in a season-high 39:20) Aug. 11 at Chicago... Started the 2013 WNBA All-Star Game on July 27 in Connecticut, scoring 12 points... Matched her career best with three blocks June 14 at Tulsa; her 27 FG attempts June 8 at Washington were one short of her career high... 2012: Again led the Lynx in scoring... Played in 29 games, missing two (June 6-9) due to a strained right quadriceps and three more (Sept. 9-14) with a sprained right foot... Ranked 9th in the league in scoring (16.6 ppg), 27th in assists ( 2.5 apg ) and among the top 15 in all three shooting categories -- 13th in FG accuracy (49.1\%), 4th in three-point accuracy (a career-best 43.7\%) and 11th in FT accuracy ( $85.2 \%$ ) -- while logging a career-low $28.5 \mathrm{mpg} .$. . Her 45 treys made are also a career high; she ran her string of consecutive made three-pointers to eight June 27 vs. Phoenix, one shy of the WNBA record... Closed the year by making 20 consecutive free throws (and 35 of her final 37), but dipped to $39.0 \%$ (46-for-118) from the floor over her last eight contests... The Sept. 17 win vs. Indiana halted her run of double-figure scoring nights at 29 games... Drilled a career-high six threepointers Sept. 4 vs. Los Angeles, part of a game-high 23-point performance; it was her franchise-record 88th career 20+ outing (8th this year, with Minnesota going 8-0)... Moved past Katie Smith (3605) into 1st place on the Lynx' career scoring
list in the Sept. 4 game, as well, ending the season with 3684 points... Her nine rebounds Aug. 31 vs. Tulsa tied a career best... Tallied a game-high 23 points Aug. 25 at Atlanta, one of 13 times she was the Lynx' leading scorer... Totaled a season-high 26 points June 21 vs. New York, adding seven rebounds and a season-best eight assists; the latter figure is her high since dealing nine vs. New York on June 24, 2008... Collected a game-high 25 points and a season-high three steals May 24 vs. Los Angeles... 2011: Started all 34 games for the first time since 2007 (third total)... Again led the Lynx in scoring, averaging 16.2 ppg to rank 8th in the WNBA, while logging a team-high 29.3 mpg (18th in the league)... Also placed among the top 12 in all three shooting categories -- FG accuracy ( $50.4 \%$, 12th), three-point accuracy ( $41.7 \%$, 9th) and FT accuracy ( $86.5 \%$, 10th) -- to become only the third player in league history to post a $50 / 40 / 85$ season (Lauren Jackson, 2007; Penny Taylor, 2010)... Named Western Conference Player of the Month for July, the first such honor of her career; she tallied 19.0 ppg (54.9\%) and 3.6 rpg in eight July outings... Earned Western Conference Player of the Week recognition three times (July 25, Aug. 8, Aug. 29), hiking her career total to seven... Was Minnesota's leading scorer on 17 occasions, reaching double figures 30 times... Went over the 3000-point mark Aug. 9 at Phoenix, doing so in her 151st WNBA game to tie Diana Taurasi for the fastest ever to 3000 ... Finished with a season-high 26 points in that Phoenix game, one of nine 20+ efforts... Collected nine points and three assists in the 2011 WNBA All-Star Game, held July 23 in San Antonio... 2010: Averaged 16.9 ppg (ranking 8th in the WNBA) and shot a career-low $42.9 \%$ from the floor... Started the final 25 games, having missed the first nine after undergoing abdominal surgery on Apr. 24; Minnesota went 11-14 with her in the lineup, following a 2-7 start... Ranked 3rd in the league in minutes played ( 33.3 mpg ) and 32nd in three-point accuracy (33.6\%)... Tallied $20+$ points on 10 occasions (the Lynx were $8-2$ ), hiking her career total to $71 \ldots$ Made her 1000th career FG on Aug. 10 at San Antonio... Scored the 2500th point of her career Aug. 1 vs. Seattle, reaching that mark in her 120th career game; only Cynthia Cooper (117) required fewer contests... Tallied 36 points July 24 vs. Phoenix, her lone 30+ effort of the year and the 13th of her career; Katie Smith held the previous club record with 12... The 36 points (and 14 FGM) are also Target Center records; Smith scored 34 points on three occasions... Matched her career high with five treys July 24 vs. Phoenix (also June 18 vs. Tulsa)... Named the WNBA's Western Conference Player of the Week for June 14-20... 2009: Saw her season cut short after suffering a torn anterior cruciate ligament in her left knee June 17 at Phoenix... She underwent surgery on July 7, and was sidelined for the final 28 games... Appeared in six games prior to the injury, averaging 21.0 ppg and 4.2 rpg while shooting a blistering $57.0 \%$ from the floor -- including $64.3 \%$ ( 9 -for-14) from three-point range -- and $90.5 \%$ from the FT line in 29.7 mpg... Named a member of USA Basketball's 2009-12 Women's National Team on Aug. 17... Racked up a pair of 30 -point nights (June 10 vs. Los Angeles, June 16 at Sacramento), boosting her career tally to 12 games with 30+ and matching Katie Smith's franchise record in that category... Named the Western Conference Player of the Week on June 15, the third such honor of her career... 2008: Finished as the WNBA's 3rd-leading scorer at 19.1 ppg... Started all 31 of her appearances, missing the first game of her WNBA career when a sprained toe on her right foot sidelined her June 28 at San Antonio... Also missed the season's final two games (Sept. 12-14) after sustaining a mild concussion Sept. 9 vs. Indiana... Left that contest in the first quarter, snapping her streak of 88 consecutive double-figure scoring nights, the second-longest such run in WNBA history (Cynthia Cooper, 92)... Scored her 2000th career point July 27 vs. Los Angeles, reaching the mark in her 93rd contest; only Cooper (90) accomplished that feat in fewer games... Earned Western Conference Player of the Week honors on June 2, her second career award... Was Minnesota's top scorer 19 times, with 15 games of 20+ points and nine of $25+$, and also led in assists on seven occasions... Poured in a season-high 30 points July 19 at San Antonio, her 10th career $30+$ night; she sank 11 straight FG attempts during the game, one short of her own franchise record... 2007: Earned Second Team All-WNBA honors and finished eighth in the league's Most Valuable Player balloting... Started all 34 games, ranking 2nd (behind only Lauren Jackson) in scoring at 22.6 ppg; her 769 total points surpass her own franchise record (744 in 2006) and mark the second-highest total in league annals (Diana Taurasi 860, 2006)... Became the first player since 1997 (Cynthia Cooper and Eva Nemcova) to finish among the league's top 10 in scoring and all three shooting categories -- 4th in FG accuracy (50.8\%), 5th in three-point accuracy (41.9\%) and 7th in FT accuracy (87.3\%)... Tallied 20+ a club-record 23 times, breaking Katie Smith's previous mark (21 in 2001)... Erupted for a career-high 39 points July 29 at Sacramento, her third 30+ effort of the season and equaling the 9th-best single-game total in WNBA history; the 16 FGM also broke the club record she shared with Smith... Contributed eight points, seven rebounds, two assists and two steals in the 2007 WNBA AllStar Game, played July 15 in Washington, D.C.... Scored her 1000th career point June 16 vs. Los Angeles (doing so in her 46th game), and crossed the 1500 -point plateau in the Aug. 19 finale vs. San Antonio... Set a WNBA single-game record for FG accuracy with her 11-for-11 effort June 8 at L.A... 2006: Capped off her first season in Minnesota by garnering Rookie of the Year honors and being named to the All-WNBA Second Team... Started all 34 games, tallying 21.9 ppg ; she ranked 2nd in the league in scoring, becoming one of just 10 players in WNBA history to average $20+\mathrm{ppg}$ over a season... Broke Katie Smith's franchise single-season scoring record (739 points, 2001) in the Aug. 13 finale at Los Angeles... Also set club records for FGs made (283) and attempted (620)... Was Minnesota's top scorer 27 times, tallying $20+$ points on 20 occasions... Registered six games with 30 or more, making her the third player in WNBA history to accomplish that feat (Taurasi, Cynthia Cooper)... Scored a season-high 32 points (including a franchise-record 17 in the 3rd quarter) July 30 at New York; she also tallied 32 points vs. San Antonio (July 9), vs. Phoenix (June 18) and vs. Seattle (June 14)... Was the Western Conference's top scorer with 16 points in the 2006 WNBA All-Star Game, held July 12 in New York... Her 28 FGAs June 24 vs. New York are a club single-game high, eclipsing her own mark (26 vs. Seattle, June 14)... Named WNBA Player of the Week on June 5, the first Minnesota player to be honored since Smith.

## PLAYOFFS

2014: Averaged 18.6 points, 3.2 rebounds and 2.4 assists in five games... Capped her $14^{\text {th }}$ career 20 -point playoff effort on Sunday, August 31 ...Combined with Maya Moore and Lindsay Whalen to tally 57 points on 26 -of- 59 shooting for the Lynx in game three of the Western Conference Finals... 2013: Started all seven playoff games to help led Minnesota two its second WNBA Championship... Averaged 17.4 points and 3.9 rebounds in 32.0 minutes per game...In Game 2 of the Finals, scored 20 points on 9 -of-12 shooting to help the Lynx go up 2-0 in the series over Atlanta... 2012: Averaged 17.9 points and 5.0 rebounds in 35.0 minutes per game while leading the Lynx to a second consecutive WNBA Finals appearance... In Game 2 of the Finals, scored 23 of her 27 points in the second half to help the Lynx finish off a 83-71 win to even the series... 2011: In her first career postseason appearance, led the Lynx to the first WNBA Championship in franchise history, averaging a team-best 22.0 points per game in eight postseason games...Was named 2011 WNBA Finals MVP after averaging 24.7 ppg as the Lynx swept the Atlanta Dream to win the championship... Scored a single-game franchise postseason high 36 points on 11 -of-14 shooting in Game 2 of the WNBA Finals against the Dream.

## INTERNATIONAL

2015: Participated in USA Basketball's Women's National Team mini-camp in Las Vegas, Nevada alongside teammates Maya Moore and Monica Wright... 2014: Earned gold at the 2014 FIBA World Championship, averaging 9.3 points, 3.7 rebounds and 1.7 assists per game in the tournament... 2012: Won gold at the 2012 Summer Olympics in London; she averaged $7.8 \mathrm{ppg}(43.1 \%)$ and 2.5 rpg in eight contests for Team USA... 2011: Participated in the USA Basketball Women's National Team May Training Camp in Las Vegas... 2010: Trained with the USA Basketball Women's National Team in preparation for the 2010 FIBA World Championship for Women, but did not make the final roster... 2009: Named to 2009-12 USA Basketball Women's National Team on Aug. 17, 2009... Forced to sit out Fall Training Camp session due to injury... 2008: A member of the gold medal-winning Team USA at the 2008 Summer Olympics in Beijing, China where she averaged 7.9 ppg ( .466 percent), 2.3 rpg and 1.4 apg in eight appearances ( 17.8 mpg )... Appeared in 22 games for USA Basketball during the 2007-08 winter campaign, scoring $11.1 \mathrm{ppg}(.559$ percent) with 2.8 rpg ... 2007: Won a gold medal at the 2007 FIBA Americas Championship last September in Valdivia, Chile, tallying 10.6 ppg ( $57.1 \%$ ) and 2.2 rpg in five appearances... 2006: Earned a bronze medal at the 2006 FIBA World Championships in São Paulo, Brazil, scoring $4.8 \mathrm{ppg}(51.6 \%)$ in eight contests... 2005: Member of USA Basketball's gold-medal-winning 2005 World University Games squad (held in Izmir, Turkey)... 2003: A member of the 2003 United States World Championship for Young Women Gold Medal team... Earned MVP of the 2003 FIBA World Championship for Young Women by leading the United States to the Gold Medal by averaging $10.6 \mathrm{ppg}, 3.8 \mathrm{rpg}$ and 2.4 spg .

## OVERSEAS

2014-15: Returned to Dynamo Kursk in Russia, averaging 13.1 points, 4.1 rebounds and 2.8 assits in 18 Premier League games... played 17 EuroLeague games with Dynamo Kursk, averaging 13.6 points, 4.7 rebounds and 2.9 assists per game.
2013-14: Played for Dynamo Kursk in Russia, averaging 14.9 points, 3.4 rebounds and 2.6 assists in 22 Premier League games... Appeared in 12 EuroCup games with Dynamo Kursk, averaging 14.1 points, 4.7 rebounds and 1.8 assists per game... 2012-13: Played with Sparta\&K Moscow Region for the second straight season, averaging 14.6 points, 3.9 rebounds and 2.5 assists in 25 Premier League games... Appeared in 15 EuroLeague games with Sparta\&K, averaging 13.6 points, 3.5 rebounds and 2.7 assists per game... 2011-12: Played for Sparta\&K Moscow Region in the Russian League...Appeared in 19 EuroLeague games with Sparta\&K, averaging 16.9 points on 48.7 percent shooting...Grabbed 4.6 rebounds and dished out 2.0 assists per game... Led Sparta\&K to a 6th place finish in EuroLeague play...Appeared in 26 games during Russian League play...Averaged 13.1 points, 3.8 rebounds and 1.7 assists in 26.1 minutes per game...Led Sparta\&K to second place finish in Russian League play... 2010-11: Returned to Galatasaray... In 12 EuroLeague games, averaged 13.8 points and 3.1 rebounds per game... Played in 34 games in the Turkish League, averaging 14.5 points per game while shooting 49.0 percent from the floor... 2009-10: Did not play overseas in order to rehabilitate knee injury suffered during 2009 WNBA season... 2008-09: Appeared in 41 games for Istanbul-based Galatasaray... In 26 games in the Turkish League, averaged 16.2 ppg and 4.1 rpg while shooting 51.0 percent from the floor... Led Galatasaray to the EuroCup Championship, averaging 20.0 ppg and 4.6 rpg in 15 games... Named EuroCup Player of the Year for her efforts... 2007-08: Played for Dynamo Moscow in the Superleague and EuroLeague, posting $16.8 \mathrm{ppg}, 5.0 \mathrm{rpg}$ and 2.1 apg in 11 EuroLeague contests while shooting $49.4 \%$ from the floor and $15.5 \mathrm{ppg}, 3.7 \mathrm{rpg}$ and 1.9 apg while shooting $50.9 \%$ in 17 Superleague games... $\underline{\text { 2006-07: }}$ Played for Dynamo Moscow in the Superleague and EuroCup, tallying 13.6 ppg and 3.7 rpg while shooting $54.6 \%$ from the floor and $40.3 \%$ from long range in 39 outings ... Sparked Dynamo to the EuroCup championship on Apr. 11, as well as a second-place finish in the Russian Superleague's regular season.

## COLLEGE

Became the first female athlete at LSU to have jersey retired when on Jan. 24, 2010, the program hung her \#33 jersey from the rafters of the Maravich Center, joining the likes of Pete Maravich, Bob Pettit, Rudy Macklin and Shaquille O'Neal... Scored in double digits in 132 of 140 career games (the most in NCAA history), including a school-record 97 straight games... Ended her career at LSU as the school's 2nd-leading scorer (5th in the SEC) all time with 2,702 points... 2005-06: Named the National Player of the Year by the Associated Press... Won the State Farm Wade Trophy, the Naismith Award and the John R. Wooden Award as the nation's top player... Named first-team All-American by the AP, the USBWA and the Wooden Award, and earned Kodak All-America honors for the third straight year... Received the Senior C.L.A.S.S. Award...

Named the SEC Player of the Year and earned first-team All-SEC honors by the coaches and the A.P.... Finished the season as the NCAA scoring leader with 22.7 ppg... Joined the 2006 USA Basketball Women's Senior National Team at the Opals World Challenge in Australia following the WNBA Draft... 2004-05: Won the State Farm Wade Trophy, the Naismith Award and the John R. Wooden Women's Award as the nation's top player... Named National Player of the Year by the USBWA and the A.P.... Named the 2004-05 Honda Sports Award winner for basketball... Received the Victor Award as the top female collegiate basketball player... Earned WBCA/Kodak All-America for the second straight year, and was a first-team AllAmerica selection by the Wooden Award, the USBWA and the A.P.... Named the SEC Player of the Year by the coaches and the A.P.... A unanimous first-team All-SEC selection by the coaches and the AP... Finished the year ranked 2nd in the SEC (10th in the NCAA) in scoring ( 20.1 ppg ), 6th in FG percentage (.539) and 2nd in FT percentage (.869)... Member of the 2005 United States World University Games Gold Medal Team... 2003-04: Named Kodak All-American by the WBCA and third-team All-American by the A.P.... Named first-team All-SEC by the coaches and the A.P.... Named the USA Basketball Female Athlete of the Year... Ranked 4th in points in a season by a sophomore with 679 (19.4 ppg)... Became the 23rd player in school history to reach 1,000 career points and the eighth to accomplish the feat in two seasons or less on Feb. 26 against Ole Miss... 2002-03: Named the National Freshman of the Year by the USBWA, Basketball Times, www.WOMENSCOLLEGEHOOPS.com and Gballmag.com... SEC Freshman of the Year by both the coaches and the A.P.... Second-Team All-American by Basketball Times... Her 88.8\% FT percentage was the best single-season mark in school history.

## PERSONAL

Born Apr. 30, 1984 in Baton Rouge, La.... The daughter of Kim and Seymore Augustus... Ranked 6th among 214 student in the senior class at Capitol H.S. in Baton Rouge, carrying a 3.71 GPA in accelerated classes... Volunteered at the Gus Young Center in Baton Rouge... Received the "Community Service Award" during the 2001 NAACP Freedom Fund Banquet... Enjoys video games, fashion and classic cars, including Chevy Impalas from the 1960s... Named Star Tribune's Sportsperson of the Year for 2011 after leading the Lynx to their first championship in franchise history.

# REBEKKAH BRUNSON \#32 GEORGETOWN - FORWARD-6-2-186-11 YEARS 

## NOTABLE

- WNBA Champion $(2013,2011,2005)$
- WNBA All-Star $(2013,2011,2007)$
- WNBA Player of the Week (2013-1, 2011-2, 2007-1)
- WNBA Player of the Month (June 2011)
- WNBA All-Defensive First Team selection (2011)
- WNBA All-Defensive Second Team selection (2013, 2010, 2008, 2007)
- Franchise leader in double-doubles (43)
- Single-season franchise record holder for rebounds (1,272), offensive rebounds (440) and defensive rebounds (832)
- One of 14 players to record 2,000+ rebounds in a career
- Matched WNBA record with six consecutive double-doubles to open the 2011 season
- Became one of eight players in league history to average a double-double over a full season in 2010


## CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Selected by Sacramento in the 1st round (10th overall) of the 2004 WNBA Draft... Re-signed by Sacramento to a four-year contract on Mar. 3, 2008... Acquired by Minnesota in a dispersal draft of former Sacramento players on Dec. 14, 2009... Resigned to a three-year contract on Sept. 1, 2011... Re-signed to a three-year contract on Aug. 16, 2014.

## 2014 SEASON

Wrapped up an abbreviated 11th WNBA campaign (fifth in Minnesota) by starting the final 11 games... Sidelined for the first 23 games after undergoing arthroscopic surgery on her right knee on May 13; entering the season, she'd missed a total of just 20 games in her career... Contributed $7.2 \mathrm{ppg}, 8.2 \mathrm{rpg}, 1.5 \mathrm{apg}$ and 0.73 bpg while logging $27.5 \mathrm{mpg} . .$. Shot a career-low $39.5 \%$ from the floor and $71.4 \%$ from the FT line... Averaged 10.5 ppg (on $49.0 \%$ shooting) and 8.2 rpg in six Target Center outings, compared with 3.2 ppg ( $23.3 \%$ ) and 8.2 rpg in five road starts... Was Minnesota's top rebounder eight times; the Lynx outboarded their opponents by an average of $+6.0 \mathrm{rpg}(38.4-32.4)$ in her 11 starts, having posted a $+1.1 \mathrm{rpg}(33.8-32.7)$ advantage in the first 23 games... Overtook Tamika Raymond (435) for 1st place on the club's career offensive rebounding list Aug. 15 at San Antonio... Moved past Yolanda Griffith and Lauren Jackson into 7th place on the WNBA's all-time rebounding chart on Aug. 9 at Phoenix... Contributed 10 points and a season-high 12 rebounds July 31 vs. Phoenix, her 43rd double-double in a Lynx uniform and the 69th of her career... Made her 2014 debut on July 22 vs. Atlanta, tallying a seasonhigh 17 points and 12 rebounds in a season-best 35:37.

## WNBA CAREER CAPSULE

2013: Appeared in 33 games, averaging 10.6 ppg and a team-high 8.9 rpg... Missed the July 16 game vs. Tulsa due to a sore right knee... Shot $49.7 \%$ from the floor (12th in the league) and $63.6 \%$ from the FT line; she also sank the first threepointer of her career on June 8 at Washington... Ranked 5th in the league in rebounding, 15th in steals ( 1.27 spg ) and 15th in blocks ( 0.88 bpg )... Tied her own franchise single-season record (set in 2010) with 12 double-doubles, pushing her overall totals to 41 in a Lynx uniform and 67 for her WNBA career... Eight of her double-doubles were posted on the road, where she netted 13.8 ppg (on $53.9 \%$ shooting) and 9.2 rpg... Led Minnesota with a season-high 24 points and 11 rebounds Aug. 22 at Connecticut, adding a career-high five assists; it's her eighth career 20/10 effort... Also went over the 3000-point mark for her career in that Connecticut outing... Totaled 20 points Aug. 6 at San Antonio, one of three 20+ nights; the four steals tied her season best... Started the 2013 WNBA All-Star Game on July 27 in Connecticut, finishing with 11 points and 11 boards... Moved past Tamika Raymond to become Minnesota's leading career rebounder in the July 24 game vs. Phoenix... Led the Lynx with 18 points and 13 boards July 21 at Phoenix... Named Western Conference Player of the Week on June 10... Added 21 points and a season-high 17 rebounds June 8 at Washington... 2012: Started 31 games, missing two (July 10-12) due to a strained left calf... Averaged 11.4 ppg and $8.9 \mathrm{rpg} \mathrm{--} \mathrm{good} \mathrm{for} \mathrm{4th} \mathrm{in} \mathrm{the} \mathrm{WNBA} \mathrm{--} \mathrm{while} \mathrm{playing} 27.0 \mathrm{mpg}$; she also ranked 8th in FG accuracy ( $50.5 \%$ ), 5th in blocked shots ( 0.94 bpg ) and 28th in steals ( 1.19 spg )... Led Minnesota in FT attempts with 112, converting at a $67.9 \%$ rate... Totaled 13 points and 19 rebounds over her final four outings (averaging 16.8 mpg ), on the heels of an eight-game run (Aug. 21-Sept. 11) in which she notched six double-doubles, averaging 16.4 ppg ( $53.7 \%$ ) and 12.4 rpg in $33.6 \mathrm{mpg} . .$. Was the Lynx' top scorer four times and leading rebounder on 21 occasions, registering nine point/rebound double-doubles to boost her franchise-best total to 29 and WNBA career tally to 55... Hauled down a career-high 10 offensive rebounds ( 18 total) Sept. 7 vs. Atlanta, logging a season-high 38:31... Claimed a careerhigh and franchise-record 20 rebounds Aug. 28 vs. San Antonio, becoming the 15th player in WNBA history to grab 20+ in a game... Also surpassed the 2000-career-rebound plateau in the San Antonio game, becoming the 14th player in league annals to reach that mark... Posted her second straight 20/10 effort (6th career) Aug. 25 in Atlanta, tallying a season-high 21 points with 13 rebounds; she had 20 points and 14 boards Aug. 21 at Seattle... Tied her career best with four assists July 1 at San Antonio, and scored the 2500th point of her career June 17 at Seattle... Totaled 14 points and 13 rebounds in the June 1 victory at Connecticut, and was credited with a season-high three blocks in the May 20 opener vs. Phoenix... 2011:

Started all 34 games for the first time in her career... Averaged 10.2 ppg anda team-leading 8.9 ppg (in 27.6 mpg ) while shooting a career-high $51.1 \%$ from the floor and $66.7 \%$ from the FT line... Ranked 3rd in the WNBA in rebounding and 9th in FG accuracy; she broke her own franchise single-season record by pulling down 205 defensive boards... Started the 2011 WNBA All-Star Game on July 23, netting 20 points and nine rebounds... Chosen Western Conference Player of the Week on July 18... Snared a season-high16 rebounds July 13 vs. Phoenix; she holds the club career record with 20 double-doubles... Named Western Conference Player of the Month for June, the first time a Lynx player has been so honored... The June 24 outing in Seattle halted her run of six straight double-doubles to open the season, tying the WNBA record shared by Lisa Leslie (2003) and Candace Parker (2010)... Had 22 points and 14 rebounds June 9 at Seattle, her fourth career 20/10 effort, and logged a season-high 37:23 vs. Atlanta on June 17... 2010: Completed her first season in Minnesota by shattering franchise records in all rebounding categories and being named to the league's All-Defensive Second Team for the third time in four years... Started the season's final 30 games, after being activated from the Suspended List on May $24 \ldots$ Tallied 11.3 ppg (on $42.9 \%$ shooting) and a career-high 10.3 rpg , becoming one of just eight players in league history to average a double-double over a full season...Ranked 2 nd in the league in rebounding and 1 st in offensive boards ( 4.1 rpg )... Led Minnesota in rebounding 23 times (16 double-digit nights) and ranked 6th in the WNBA with a franchise-record 12 point/rebound double-doubles... Scored her 2000th career point Aug. 15 vs. San Antonio, and hauled down the 1500th rebound of her career Aug. 20 at Los Angeles... Grabbed a club-record 18 rebounds Aug. 8 vs. New York, surpassing her previous season high of 17 set July 24 vs. Phoenix... Played for the WNBA Stars in the 2010 "Stars at the Sun" game July 10 in Uncasville, Conn... Finished with a game- and season-high 24 points July 8 vs. San Antonio, her third 20/10 effort; she tallied 23 points with 11 rebounds June 4 at Tulsa, and added 21 points with 13 boards June 22 at New York... 2009: Started 17 of 27 games played, averaging a career-high 12.3 ppg , good for 27 th in the league... Hauled in 7.0 rpg (10th best in the league), including five games of 10+ rebounds... Ranked third in the league in offensive rebounds per game (2.5)... Poured in a career-high 32 points on a career-high 13 field goals vs. Connecticut on Sept. 1, 2009... Scored in double-figure 19 times, including the last 17 contests, in which she averaged $15.3 \mathrm{ppg} .$. 2008: Averaged 10.9 ppg ( $50.0 \mathrm{FG} \%$, $67.1 \mathrm{FT} \%$ ), 7.1 rpg, $0.4 \mathrm{apg}, 1.2 \mathrm{spg}, 0.7 \mathrm{bpg}$, and 26.0 mpg in 30 games played ( 30 started)... Scored in double figures in 19 games and tallied five double-doubles... 2007: Averaged a career-high 11.5 ppg ( $47.3 \mathrm{FG} \%, 68.6 \mathrm{FT} \%$ ), $8.9 \mathrm{rpg}, 0.7 \mathrm{apg}, 1.3 \mathrm{spg}, 0.9$ bpg, and 28.2 mpg through 33 games played ( 28 started)... Named as a reserve for the 2007 All-Star Game, but could not participate due to injury... WNBA All Defensive Second Team honoree... Finished the season ranked first in the WNBA in offensive rebounds (130) and second in rebounds per game... Scored in double figures in 21 games and recorded 10 double-doubles... Led the league in offensive rebounds... Scored a career-high 24 points at Phoenix (8/19)... Grabbed a career-high 19 rebounds at San Antonio (8/9)... Recorded a career-high four blocks at San Antonio (8/15)... 2006: Averaged 6.8 ppg (46.1 FG\%, $58.7 \mathrm{FT} \%$ ), $5.6 \mathrm{rpg}, 0.5 \mathrm{apg}, 0.6 \mathrm{spg}, 0.4 \mathrm{bpg}$ and 17.6 mpg through 34 game played ( $14 \mathrm{started).}$. Scored a season-high 18 points at Detroit (7/30)... Recorded two double-doubles and scored in double figures eight times... 2005: Averaged 7.8 ppg ( $42.7 \mathrm{FG} \%$, $59.8 \mathrm{FT} \%$ ), $5.5 \mathrm{rpg}, 0.5 \mathrm{apg}, 0.8 \mathrm{spg}, 0.4 \mathrm{bpg}$ and 21.2 mpg through 34 game played (16 started)... Scored a season-high 17 points at Los Angeles (8/16)... Grabbed a season-high 14 rebounds vs. Detroit (7/24)... Recorded four double-doubles and scored in double figures 12 times... 2004: Averaged 4.4 ppg (42.1 FG\%, 71.7 FT\%), $3.6 \mathrm{rpg}, 0.6 \mathrm{apg}, 0.7 \mathrm{spg}, 0.4 \mathrm{bpg}$, and 14.5 mpg through 34 games played (one started).

## PLAYOFFS

2014: Started all fives games as the Lynx returned to the Western Conference Finals, averaging 6.8 points and 2.4 assists per game. 2013: Appeared in all seven games as the Lynx returned to the Finals for the third consecutive season, averaging 10.6 points and 10.1 rebounds per game... Posted 15 points and 12 rebounds in Game 3 of the Finals to help the Lynx to their second franchise WNBA Championship... 2012: Appeared in all nine games as the Lynx returned to the Finals for the second consecutive season, averaging 11.9 points and 9.7 rebounds per game... Scored 22 points and hauled down a game-high 15 rebounds in Game 2 of the Western Conference Semifinals... 2011: Captured her second WNBA Championship in 2011... Pumped in a career playoff high 26 points Oct. 2 vs. Atlanta, highlighting a postseason that saw her average $11.9 \mathrm{ppg}(47.3 \%)$ and 10.8 rpg in eight appearances... Hauled in a franchise playoff record 16 rebounds Sept. 18 at San Antonio... 2007: Averaged $15 \mathrm{ppg}(.613 \mathrm{FG} \%, .700 \mathrm{FT} \%$ ), $6.3 \mathrm{rpg}, 0.3 \mathrm{apg}, 1.0 \mathrm{spg}, 1.7 \mathrm{bpg}$ and 29.3 mpg through three playoff games (three started)... 2006: Averaged $6.0 \mathrm{ppg}(.333 \mathrm{FG} \%, 643 \mathrm{FT} \%$ ), $3.6 \mathrm{rpg}, 0.6 \mathrm{apg}, 0.3 \mathrm{spg}, 0.7 \mathrm{bpg}$ and 17.2 mpg in nine playoff games... 2005: Helped Sacramento win its lone WNBA title... Averaged 6.0 ppg (. 333 FG\%,. 643 FT\%), $3.6 \mathrm{rpg}, 0.6 \mathrm{apg}, 0.3 \mathrm{spg}, 0.7 \mathrm{bpg}$ and 17.2 mpg in nine playoff games... 2004: Averaged $3.2 \mathrm{ppg}(.350 \mathrm{FG} \%, .714 \mathrm{FT} \%)$, 2.8 $\mathrm{rpg}, 0.5 \mathrm{apg}, 0.3 \mathrm{spg}, 0.7 \mathrm{bpg}$ and 13.3 mpg in six playoff contests.

## INTERNATIONAL

2011: Participated in the USA Basketball-Women's National Team May Training Camp in Las Vegas... 2010: Added to the 2010-12 USA Women's National Team pool... 2008: Helped the USA Women's National Team earn the gold medal and qualify for the 2008 Beijing Olympics during the FIBA Americas Tournament in Chile... 2003: Won a silver medal with the USA team at the 2003 USA Pan American Games in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic.

## OVERSEAS

2013-14: Played her first season with Dynamo Kursk in the Russian Premier League... Appeared in 24 games, averaging 12.9 points, 6.9 rebounds and 1.1 steals per game... Appeared in one EuroCup game, pulling down seven rebounds and
recording two assists... 2012-13: Played her first season with USK Praha in the Czech League... Appeared in 29 ZBL games, averaging 16.3 points, 9.0 rebounds and 1.6 steals per game on $53.8 \%$ shooting... Won the ZBL Championship with USK Praha... Appeared in 12 EuroLeague games, averaging 12.2 points, 7.2 rebounds per game... 2011-12: Spent the winter playing for Nadezhda Orenburg (Russia), where she averaged 14.9 ppg ( $47.7 \%$ ) and 8.5 rpg in 28 Premier League appearances... Also tallied 15.5 ppg and 9.2 rpg while shooting $50.3 \%$ in 14 EuroLeague contests, helping Nadezhda advance to the postseason... $\mathbf{2 0 1 0 - 1 1 : ~ H e l p e d ~ S p a n i s h ~ c l u b ~ R o s ~ C a s a r e s ~ r e a c h ~ t h e ~ E u r o L e a g u e ~ F i n a l ~ F o u r , ~ t a l l y i n g ~} 15.5$ ppg and 9.2 rpg in 17 contests... Also averaged 16.7 ppg ( $52.8 \%$ ) and 8.8 rpg in 30 Liga Femenina starts... 2009-10: Spent her second off-season with Italian side Cras Basket Taranto... Averaged 14.7 ppg and 7.6 rpg in 30 Italian League contests... Also appeared in 12 EuroLeague games, averaging 15.7 ppg and 8.3 rpg in 29.6 mpg ... Played in the 2010 EuroLeague All-Star Game, scoring a team-high 15 points... 2007-08: Played for Cras Basket Taranto in Italy, averaging 20 ppg, $14 \mathrm{rpg}, 1 \mathrm{apg}, 2.2 \mathrm{spg}, 0.5 \mathrm{bpg}$ and $33.4 \mathrm{mpg} . . .2006-07$ : Played for Dynamo in Russia during the 2006-2007 off-season and averaged $11.2 \mathrm{ppg}(.462 \mathrm{FG} \%$, $.167 \mathrm{FFG} \%$, $.686 \mathrm{FT} \%$ ), $10.0 \mathrm{rpg}, 1.1 \mathrm{apg}, 1.4 \mathrm{spg}, 0.5 \mathrm{bpg}$ and $23.8 \mathrm{mpg} . .$. Won the 2007 FIBA Women's EuroCup... 2005-06: Played for Dexia Namur in Belgium for a second season, averaging 34.7 mpg , 17.6 ppg ( 47.6 FG\%), 11.0 rpg and 2.5 spg and played in the 2006 FIBA All-Star Game... 2004-05: Played for Dexia Namur in Belgium during the 2004-05 off-season and averaged 16 ppg and 8.9 rpg .

## COLLEGE

Georgetown's all-time leading rebounder $(1,093)$ and single season rebound record holder with 336 (2004)... Ranks second and third in blocked shots for a single season at Georgetown (51 in 2003, 50 in 2004)... Ranks second all-time in careerpoints (1,762)... 2003-04: Associated Press All-America honorable mention...BIG EAST Defensive Player of the Year... AllBIG EAST First Team... Candidate for Naismith College Basketball Player of the Year award... Led Georgetown in scoring (19.1 ppg), rebounding ( 12.0 rpg ), and blocks (50)... 2002-03: All-BIG EAST First Team... Led the BIG EAST in rebounding ( 10.7 rpg ), ranked second in blocks ( 1.8 bpg ) and ranked seventh in points (16.6 ppg)... 2001-02: All-BIG EAST honorable mention... Led Georgetown in scoring ( 15.1 ppg ) and rebounds ( 8.5 rpg )... Missed nine games with a stress fracture in her lower right leg... Set two Georgetown records - free throws made and attempted - netting 19-of-20 from the charity stripe vs. GW (12/5/01) and scored a career-high 29 points in that game... 2000-01: BIG EAST Rookie of the Year... All-BIG EAST honorable mention...Led the conference with 13 double-doubles... Became the first freshman to win the BIG EAST rebounding title $(9.2 \mathrm{rpg})$...Second on the team in scoring ( 14.8 ppg ) and scored 20 -plus points six times.

## PERSONAL

Born Dec. 11, 1981 in Washington, D.C.... Nickname is Bekky... Has a twin brother... Launched 32 Foundation in 2005, a non-profit corporation based in Maryland (but serves the Washington, D.C. Metropolitan Area) that provides academic and athletic enrichment programs, awards scholarships, initiates programs to spur amateur play and provides mentoring... Loves to buy and remodel houses... First Team All-Met selection her senior year in high school and a third team selection as a junior... Averaged 20.5 points and 15.2 rebounds per game her senior year at OHHS... Her first job was lifeguard duty (for three years)... Favorite TV show is Court TV... Loves to sleep and watch movies, especially scary ones.

# ANNA CRUZ \#51 <br> SPAIN - GUARD-5-9-1 YEAR 

## CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Signed by New York to a two-year contract on Apr. 11, 2014... Acquired by Minnesota from New York on Apr. 16, 2015, along with 2nd- and 3rd-round picks (16th and 35th overall) in the 2015 WNBA Draft, in exchange for 1st-, 2nd- and 3rdround picks (11th, 23rd and 28th overall) in the 2015 WNBA Draft.

## 2014 SEASON

Completed her first season in the WNBA playing 34 games for the New York Liberty ... averaged 7.7 points, 3.6 assists and 3.5 rebounds per game.

## INTERNATIONAL

Hasrepresented Spain as member of the national team since 2009, earning bronze medals at the 2009 Women European Championships and 2010 World Championships and the silver medal at the 2014 World Championships.

## OVERSEAS

2014-15: Played 27 games with Nadezhda Orenburg in the Russian League, averaging 8.6 points, 4.0 rebounds and 3.0 assists... Appeared in 16 EuroLeague games, averaging 9.3 points per game, 5.0 rebounds and 4.1 assists per game. 201314: Spent the 2013-14 season playing in Russia for Nadezhda Orenburg... Was named the 2014 Eurobasket.com AllEuropeans Point Guard of the Year and was also named to the Eurobasket.com All-European 1st Team 2014...Competed in the Spanish League for nine seasons, including the previous four with Rivas Ecopolis... Has also played for Olesa, Burgoes and Barcelona... Averaged 7.2 points, 2.9 rebounds and 3.4 assists in first season with Nadezhda Orenburg in the Russian League... Posted 8.8 points, 3.7 rebounds and 4.6 assists per game in Euroleague action... Nadezhda Orenburg was eliminated in the quarterfinals of the Euroleague Championships and fell to UMMC in the Championships of the Russian League.

## PERSONAL

Born Oct. 27, 1986 in Barcelona, Spain.

# DAMIRIS DANTAS \#34 <br> BRAZIL - FORWARD -6-2-196-1 YEAR 

## CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Selected by Minnesota in the 1st round (12th overall) of the 2012 WNBA Draft... Signed with Minnesota on Apr. $2,2014$.

## 2014 SEASON

Finished her rookie season as the third-youngest player in the WNBA and the youngest to don a Lynx uniform since Candice Wiggins in 2008... Saw action in 30 games, missing the final four due to personal reasons... Averaged 6.0 ppg , 5.1 rpg and 1.2 apg in 21.8 mpg , shooting $51.1 \%$ from the floor and $76.0 \%$ from the FT line... Started the first 23 contests (with Minnesota going 17-6); she contributed 7.2 ppg ( $50.4 \%$ ) and 5.8 rpg in 25.7 mpg as a starter... Grabbed a team-high 11 rebounds July 16 vs. Tulsa, part of her third point/rebound double-double... Totaled 10 points and a season-high 12 rebounds June 15 vs. Phoenix; she netted 15 points and 11 rebounds June 8 at Los Angeles... Scored a season-high 17 points (sinking her only three-point attempt of the year) May 30 vs. San Antonio... Swiped three steals May 24 vs. New York, and logged a season-high 40:15 vs. Connecticut... Hauled in a game-high 12 rebounds May 16 at Washington; she's the second player in league history to collect 10+ rebounds and 5+ assists in her WNBA debut (Candace Parker, 2008)... Signed on Apr. 2; she was originally selected by Minnesota in the 1st round (12th overall) of the 2012 WNBA Draft.

## PLAYOFFS

2014: Appeared in three playoff games, averaging 0.7 points and .3 assists per game.

## INTERNATIONAL

2014: Represented Brazil Brazil at the 2013 FIBA Americas Championship in Turkey where she averaged 3.5 points and 3.2 rebounds. 2013: Played with Brazil at the 2013 FIBA Americas Championship in Xalapa, Veracruz in Mexico. 2012: Represented team Brazil at the 2012 London Games, finishing ninth in the tournament... 2011: Appeared in the 2011 FIBA Americas Championship with Brazil, averaging 10.2 points and 5.8 rebounds per game... Played with Brazil in the 2011 FIBA U19 Championship, earning tournament MVP honors... Led Brazil with 20.9 points and 12.6 rebounds per contest... Helped lead Brazil to a bronze medal, its first medal at the U19 World Championship... 2010: Appeared in the 2010 FIBA World Championship with Brazil... Averaged 5.7 points and 4.2 rebounds per contest off the bench... Played in the 2010 South American Championship, averaging 11.4 points and 5.2 rebounds... Represented Brazil in the 2010 FIBA Americas U18 Championship, averaging 9.0 points and a team-high 10.6 rebounds... Averaged 19.7 points and 18.2 rebounds per contest during the 2010 South American U18 Championship.

## OVERSEAS

2014-15: Helped Americana in the Brazilian League win the LBF Championship series, 2-1, averaging 17.4 points per game, 7.4 rebounds and 1.8 assists in 24 games played. 2013-14: Played with Americana in the Brazilian League...Played in 18 games, averaging 11.8 points, 6.8 rebounds and 1.7 steals per game...Shot $51.4 \%$ from the field and $83 \%$ from the free throw line... 2012-13: Played with Maranhao in the Brazilian league... Appeared in 10 games in the LBF, averaging 12.4 points, 8.7 rebounds per game while shooting $49.5 \%$ from the floor... Appeared in 11 games in Paulista play, averaging 11.9 points and 6.9 rebounds per game... 2011-12: Appeared in 25 games with RC Celta Vigo in the Spanish League... Averaged 13.1 points and 7.0 rebounds in 27.2 minutes per game... Shot 38.7 percent from the floor, as well as 62.5 percent from the free throw line... Led the team in both points and rebounds.

## PERSONAL

Born Nov. 17, 1992, in Ferraz de Vasconcelos, São Paulo, Brazil...

# RESHANDA GRAY \#21 CALIFORNIA - FORWARD - 6-4-192-ROOKIE 

## NOTABLE

- 2015 AP All-American (3rd Team)
- 2015 WBCA All-Region
- 2015 Pac-12 Player of the Year
- 2015 Wade Trophy Finalist
- 2015 Wooden Trophy Finalist
- 2015 All-Pac-12 First Team (Coaches and Media)
- 2014 All-Pac-12 Selection (Coaches and Media)
- 2012 Pac-12 All-Freshman Team (Coaches and Media)


## CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Selected by Minnesota in the 2nd round (16th overall) of the 2015 WNBA Draft... Signed on Apr. 27, 2015.

## COLLEGE

2014-15: Completed her senior season for UCLA starting 34 of 34 games, averaging 17.4 points and 7.1 rebounds... Named to WBCA All-Region, Pac-12 Player of the Year, 2015 Wooden Award Finalist and 2015 All-Pac 12 (Coaches and Media)... Reached a season- and career-high 16 rebounds on January 1 against Washington State...2013-14: Selected by the coaches and media as a First Team All-Pac-12... scored a career-high 43 points against Washington State (February 27) four shy of the program record for single-game points... her 43 points are the most by a player in the Pac-12 this season and second-most by a post player in the country... ranks fifth in the NCAA with her . 604 field goal percentage... put up 15 doubledoubles, including eight straight to end the regular season... California's leading scorer and rebounder at 17.6 points per game and 9.0 rebounds per game... became the 26th Golden Bear to pass the 1,000-point threshold with her 24-point outing at Washington State (February 9)... pulled down a career-high 16 rebounds on two occassions, first against Washington State (February 27) and then again two days later against Washington (March 1)... named the Pac-12 Player of the Week on February 10 after averaging 22 points and 11 rebounds in wins at Washington and Washington State... 2012-13: Averaged 8.3 points and 5.2 rebounds in less than 20 minutes played per game... in her lone start against Utah, put up 19 points and 8 rebounds before injuring her hamstring, causing her to miss Cal's next three games... efficient scorer in the post ... scored a season high 22 points against Cal Poly behind a 10 -for-14 effort from the free throw line... opened the season with four consecutive games in double figures scoring (Lehigh, St. Mary's, Cal Poly, Eastenr Washington)... went scoreless but was noted for her defense on Stanford All-American Chiney Ogwumike in Cal's $67-55$ win at No. 5 Stanford on January 13... Flirted with double doubles against St. Mary's (11 points, 9 rebounds), Bakersfield (12 points, 8 rebounds), No. 19 Kansas ( 13 points, 7 rebounds), Stanford (8 points, 8 rebounds), USC ( 9 points, 9 rebounds) and Georgia ( 8 points, 11 rebounds) ... 11-rebound effort against Georgia in the NCAA Elite Eight was a season high... won a gold medal competing for the United States at the World University Games in Kazan, Russia, where she led the USA with a 846 (11-of-13) shooting percentage over 6 games... 2011-12: Was a member of the Pac-12 All-Freshman team... Pac-12 Media All-Freshman team...Full Court Freshman All-American Second Team...second on the team in scoring, averaging 10.5 ppg...third on the team in rebounding at 6.0 rpg...began her collegiate career with an 11-point performance at Rutgers... scored 11 points in nine minutes against Illinois...scored in double digits each of her first five games... had her first career double double with 13 points and 10 rebounds against CSU Bakersfield...scored 23 points in 17 minutes against UNLV...was named the MVP of the Cal Classic, scoring a combined 36 points with 14 rebounds... scored 10 points in the first half at USC, helping the Bears to erase a 16-point deficit...scored a combined 26 points in the home series against the Oregon schools...was a perfect 3-for-3 from the floor and 5-for-6 from the line against Oregon...scored 11 points, all in the second half, at Utah... scored 16 points, going 6 -for-10 from the floor and 4 -for- 4 from the free throw line, against Washington... in her second career start, got her second career double double with a game-high 22 points and a career-high 13 rebounds... had her second double double in three games with a career-high 14 rebounds and 17 points against UCLA... scored 29 points with 22 rebounds in the Pac-12 Tournament, nearly coming up with a double double ( $9 \mathrm{pts}, 8$ rebounds) going up against the Ogwumike sisters in the championship game against Stanford... scored 14 points with six rebounds in the NCAA Tournament first round game against lowa... scored 15 points in the second round game against Notre Dame.

## PERSONAL

Born June 1, 1993 in Los Angeles, Calif.... Parents are Janice Jones and Richard Gray... Has six siblings (three brothers, three sisters)... Was part of the leadership of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes at Washington Prep... Really likes squirrels... Social Welfare major.

# AMBER HARRIS \#11 XAVIER - FORWARD - 6-5-193-3 YEARS 

## NOTABLE

- WNBA Champion $(2013,2011)$


## CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Selected by Minnesota in the 1st round (4th overall) of the 2011 WNBA Draft... Signed on Apr. 20, 2011.

## 2014 SEASON

Missed the entirety of the 2014 season due to injury.

## WNBA CAREER CAPSULE

2013: Played in a career-high 30 games, drawing four DNP-CDs... Posted career lows in scoring ( 2.4 ppg ), rebounds (1.5 rpg) and FG accuracy ( $37.5 \%$ ) while logging 8.8 rpg... Made her first career start Aug. 8 vs. Washington, grabbing four rebounds in 11:17, but totaled just six points in 10 subsequent outings (logging a total of 40 minutes)... Led the Lynx with a career-high three assists June 21 at Los Angeles, and pulled in a season-high seven rebounds June 14 at Tulsa... Pumped in a career-high 18 points June 6 vs. Phoenix (her lone double-digit scoring night); her three blocksand 30:25 of playing time are also career bests... 2012: Appeared in 27 games... Sidelined for the first three contests after suffering a sprained left ankle in the May 10 preseason game at Connecticut, and missed the last four of the season due to illness... Averaged 3.5 ppg and 1.9 rpg in 8.9 mpg while shooting $40.0 \%$ from the floor, $38.9 \%$ from three-point range and $68.2 \%$ from the FT line... Misfired on her final six three-point attempts, after an 11-game stretch that saw her convert seven of nine... Shot 31.6\% (6-for-19) over her last six games, on the heels of an 11-game run at $47.2 \%$ ( 25 -for- 53 )... Totaled nine points and six rebounds (in 11:22) in the Aug. 25 victory at Atlanta... Chipped in a season-high 10 points July 5 at Los Angeles, her second doublefigure outing of the year (fifth career)... Also contributed 10 points June 27 vs. Phoenix; her assist (three) and block (three) totals in that game are career bests... Hauled in a team- and season-high seven rebounds June 15 at Phoenix... 2011: Saw action in 27 games during her rookie season, drawing five DNP-CDs and missing the final two contests due to a concussion suffered Sept. 4 at New York... Averaged 3.3 ppg and 2.2 rpg in 10.3 mpg , while shooting $39.8 \%$ from the field and $74.2 \%$ from the FT line... Collected season highs with 12 points and three blocks at New York on Sept. 4; she tallied 10 points in the 4th quarter, part of her third double-digit scoring night this year... Played 17:22 at Chicago on Aug. 12, her high total since logging 20:59 vs. Tulsa on June 7; she played 15+ minutes eight times, averaging 6.3 ppg and 4.8 rpg in those games... Shot $47.4 \%$ (27-for-57) over her final 21 appearances, following a $23.1 \%$ ( 6 -for-26) start to the year... Had 11 points and a season-high eight rebounds June 5 vs. Los Angeles.

## PLAYOFFS

2013: Appeared in five of Minnesota's seven playoff games, averaging 0.8 points and 0.8 rebounds. 2012: Appeared in six of Minnesota's nine playoff games, averaging 1.7 points and 0.7 rebounds per game... Scored nine points on 4 -of- 6 shooting in Game 1 of the Western Conference Finals vs. Los Angeles... 2011: Appeared in six of the Lynx' eight playoff games, averaging 1.5 ppg and 1.2 rpg in 5.2 mpg .

## OVERSEAS

2014-15: Played 15 games with Energa Torun in Poland to average 5.7 points per game, 3.6 rebounds and 0.6 assists in BLK play... Averaged 8.0 points, 5.0 rebounds and 0.6 assist in five games in the WKBL... 2012-13: Spent her winter with Samsung Life Bichumi in the WKBL (South Korea)... Averaged 21.9 points, 11.8 rebounds and 1.7 blocks in 36.7 minutes per game... Led Bichumi to a runner-up finish in the WKBL Finals, averaging 27.8 points and 13.6 rebounds per game in eight playoff games... 2011-12: Split her 2011-12 winter between Besiktas (Turkey) and Elizur Ramla (Israel)... Saw action in three TKBL games, netting 8.3 ppg and $5.7 \mathrm{rpg} .$. Wrapped up the season by helping Ramla reach the Israeli D1 League finals; she averaged 9.8 ppg (47.1\%) and 7.3 rpg in 16 contests.

## COLLEGE

Named the 2011 Atlantic 10 Player of the Year for the second time in her career in 2010... Four-time All-A-10 First Team honoree... First Musketeer to be honored as a WBCA State Farm All-American in 2009-10... All-time blocked shots leader at Xavier... Only the second player in school history to surpass the 2,000-point, 1,000-rebound mark... Averaged a career-high 18.7 points and 10.2 rebounds per game over her senior year in leading Xavier to the NCAA Tournament... Scored 20 or more points 37 times in her career, including 14 times her senior year... Redshirted the 2008-09 season due to an injury.

## PERSONAL

Born Jan. 16, 1988 in Indianapolis, Ind.... She is the daughter of Briggette Boyd... Graduated in the spring of 2010 with a bachelor's degree in liberal arts... Currently pursuing a degree in criminal justice.

# ASJHA JONES \#15 <br> CONNECTICUT-FORWARD-6-1-187-11 YEARS 

## NOTABLE

- Olympic gold medalist (2012)
- FIBA World Champion (2010)
- WNBA All-Star $(2009,2007)$
- FIBA World Championship Gold Medalist (2010)


## CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Selected by Washington in first round (4th overall) in the WNBA Draft on April 19, 2002... Washington signed and traded Jones to the Connecticut in a three-team deal that sent Tamicha Jackson from the Phoenix Mercury to the Washington Mystics and the Sun sent the 8th pick in the 2004 WNBA Draft to the Mercury. Signed with Minnesota on May 14, 2015.

## 2014 SEASON

Missed the entirety of the 2014 season due to injury.

## WNBA CAREER CAPSULE

2013: Missed the entirety of the 2013 season due to injury. 2012: Started 19 of 20 games played, averaging 12.2 points per game, 1.9 assists per game and 7.0 rebounds per game. 2011: Enjoyed a comeback season after being slowed the past two years by injuries...Posted a single-season career best 217 rebounds....Also had a new career high for defensive rebounds (153)...Was third on the team in scoring average (13.3)...Scored 453 points, her best single-season point total since 561 in 2008... Started 34 games in a season for the first time in her career...Had a single-season career-high seven doubledoubles...Scored in double figures 25 times with four games of at least 20 points...Tied a franchise record with 13 made field goals at Phoenix (8/7) ...Surpassed 3,500 career points against Atlanta (8/21)...Played her 300th career WNBA game against Atlanta (7/31)...Reached 500 career assists at Indiana (7/13)...Played a career-high 971 minutes...Scored a season-high 27 points at Phoenix (8/7)...Had second highest single-season totals for made field goals (198) and field goal attempts (446) in career. 2010: Appeared in 30 games with 29 starts...Averaged 10.8 points and 4.9 rebounds per game...Missed the first four games of the regular season while recuperating from surgery to remove debris from her left Achilles...Surgery took place on Feb. 22nd at Backus Hospital in Norwich...Averaged just 5.9 points in first 11 games back...Averaged 13.6 points in last 19 games of the season...Reached double figures 14 times, all in the last 19 games...Surpassed 3,000 career points against Atlanta (7/30)...Scored season-high 23 points against Washington (7/27)...Had season-high nine rebounds against Los Angeles (7/24)...Averaged 15.7 points over a stretch of 11 games late in the season. 2009: Promising season was cut short by strained left Achilles...Played just 23 games...Named to WNBA Eastern Conference All Star team for the second time in her career...Led the team in scoring (16.7 ppg)...Set new team record for consecutive double-figure scoring games with 18 (6/16-8/9)...Reached double figures 21 times in 23 games overall...Led the Sun in scoring 12 times, and in rebounding seven times...Had eight games of 20 or more points...Reached 2,500 career points during victory over Chicago (6/19)...Tied her career high with 12 rebounds against Atlanta (6/27)...Had three double-doubles...Had a career-high 13 made field goals against Sacramento (7/22)...Made 10 or more shots from the field four times. 2008: Put together MVP-caliber season...Named to All-WNBA Second Team...Finished ninth in MVP vote...Set a new single-season franchise record for made field goals (223)...Tied the franchise single-season record for scoring average (17 ppg.)...Established single-season career highs for total rebounds (201), defensive rebounds (128), offensive rebounds (73), assists (81), blocks (26) and free throws (110)...Led the Sun in scoring for 10 straight games from June 16th at Seattle until July 8th at Detroit, the longest such streak in franchise history and one of the longest in league history...Led the Sun in scoring 20 times overall...Reached double figures in 28 games, surpassing her previous single-season best of $25 \ldots$ Had 12 games with 20 or more points, three more than her previous single-season best...Scored 30 points for the second time in her career against Atlanta (6/27), tying the single-game franchise record for made field goals (13) that same night...Had seven games with 10 or more made field goals...Had two double-doubles...Led or tied for the lead in rebounding 10 times...Scored her 2,000th career point at Minnesota (6/10)...Became the sixth player to reach 1,500 points in a Sun uniform the same night...Started 33 games before sitting out the season finale against Washington (9/13). 2007: Veteran forward had a breakout season in first year as a fulltime starter...Named to the WNBA Eastern Conference All Star team for the first time...Set new single-season career highs in numerous categories, including scoring average (15.5 ppg), points (434), offensive rebounds (65), field goals (193), assists (75) and minutes (942)...Scored in double figures 25 times...Scored 20 or more points nine times, five more times than in her previous three seasons combined...Had a career-high 31 points in a win at Chicago (5/31)...Led the Sun in rebounding 10 times...Led the Sun in scoring eight times...Missed final three games of regular season with ankle injury. 2006: Among the top sixth women in the league again this year, she had the best season of her career...One of three Sun players to appear in all 34 games...Established then career highs for scoring average (11.1 ppg.), total rebounds (183), defensive rebounds
(124), offensive rebounds (59), assists (46), made free throws (62), free throw attempts (79), made field goals (155), field goal attempts (334) and minutes (777)... Became one of just six players in franchise history to score 20 or more points in consecutive games ( $7 / 30$ and $8 / 1$ )...Tied a franchise record for rebounds in a half with 11 against Phoenix (7/8)...Reached double figures in 20 games. 2005: One of the premier sixth women in the WNBA...Averaged a career-high 9.1 points per game...Closed out regular season with a then career-high 22 points at Charlotte...Had a nine made field goals in that same game...Scored in double figures 17 times, including five of the last six games she played...Surpassed 1,000 points and 400 rebounds for her career...Averaged 12 points per game in three starts while Margo Dydek competed for the national team in her native Poland...Had 40 assists, the most since joining Connecticut. 2004: Was productive as the first player off the bench in 33 of the 34 games during regular season...Had career-high seven assists and nine rebounds in only start of year vs. San Antonio (7/24)...Scored season-high 16 points on 8 -for-8 shooting from the free throw line in season finale vs. Indiana (9/19) to help Sun clinch Eastern Conference regular season title...Led or tied for the team-high in rebounds four times, including a season-high 10 rebounds vs. Washington ( $6 / 30$ )...Set a then career high with seven defensive rebounds vs. Washington $(6 / 30)$...Shot a team-high 85.4 percent (41-48) from the free throw line...Did not miss a free throw until second half of 16 th game of the season (Washington, 6/30), making 16 of 16 to start the year. 2003: Scored a then career-high 21 points vs. Indiana (7/29)...Had first career double-double with a then career-high 12 rebounds and a team-high 14 points at Connecticut (8/1)...Played a then career-high 42 minutes vs. Phoenix ( $8 / 3$ )...Finished in the top 20 in the WNBA in field goals per 40 minutes (16th at 6.5), blocks (18th with 25), field goal attempts per 40 minutes (18th at 14.9) and offensive rebounds (19th with 62). 2002: Scored 12 points and three rebounds at Phoenix (6/3)...Scored 11 points on 5 -of- 7 shooting with five rebounds and two blocks vs. Indiana (8/6)...Finished the season ranked sixth among rookies in rebounding per game and seventh in scoring average.

## PLAYOFFS

2012: Averaged 13.6 points per game, 6.4 rebounds per game and 2.6 assists per game. 2011: Averaged 15.5 points and 6.5 rebounds in two playoff games with Atlanta, making 15 of 41 shots from the field...Led the Sun with 15 points and seven rebounds and also had four assists in Game 2 at Atlanta (9/18)...Moved into second place in franchise history with 29 career playoff games...Played a total of 64 minutes in the series. 2008: Led the Sun in scoring and rebounding during first round series with New York...Averaged 15 points and 7.3 rebounds per game...Had 18 points and a playoff career-high 11 rebounds in Game 3 loss to Liberty (9/22)...Made 11 of 12 free throw attempts in the series. 2007: Averaged 15.7 points and eight rebounds per game in the playoffs...Notched first career playoff double-double with 20 points and 10 rebounds in tripleovertime victory over Indiana in Game 1 (8/23)...Tied her playoff career-high with 21 points in Game 3 loss at Indiana (8/27)...Established a career-best for the playoffs with six assists in Game 3. 2006: Averaged two assists per game in the playoffs...Had 11 points, five rebounds and three assists in Game 1 win at Washington (8/18)...Grabbed a postseason career-high eight rebounds and five defensive rebounds in Game 2 victory over Detroit (8/26). 2005: Scored a postseason high 21 points at Sacramento (9/21)...Played a postseason-high 29 minutes against Detroit (8/31) totaling 13 points and three rebounds in the victory. 2004: Scored in double figures three times, including 14 points on 5 -of- 9 shooting in Game 1 loss at Washington (9/25)...Averaged 7.4 points per game...Averaged 27 minutes...Scored 12 points in Game 3 of WNBA Finals on 6 -of-11 shooting.

## INTERNATIONAL

2012: Earned Gold at the 2012 London Games alongside Lindsay Whalen, Maya Moore and Seimone Augustus, averaging $3.1 \mathrm{ppg}, 1.7 \mathrm{rpg}$ and 0.9 apg in seven games played... 2011: Helped Team USA finish with a 3-2 record during its 2011 European Tour, sat out the first two games due to a sore knee. 2010: Earned gold at the 2010 World Championship, averaging $5.1 \mathrm{ppg}, 2.3 \mathrm{rpg}$ and 0.7 apg . 2009: Aided the U.S. National Team to a $3-0$ mark and the gold medal at the 2009 UMMC Ekaterinburg International Invitational, played the first two games for the U.S. and the final game for UMMC Ekaterinburg due to contractual obligations, averaged 12.0 ppg . and 4.5 rpg . for the U.S. in its first two games. 2008: Named to the 2007-08 USA Basketball Women's National Team on Sept. 7, 2007.

## OVERSEAS

2014-15: Played 6 Euroleague games for Good Angles Kosice (Slovakia-Extraliga), tallying 7.0 ppg and 1.0 apg... Averaged 14.5 ppg and 1.9 apg in 10 games of Slovakian League play. 2013-14: Played only seven games in Russian League play with Sparta\&K Vidnoe Moscow Region (Russia PBL), averaging 9.6 ppg and 0.7 apg ... Averaged 13.8 ppg and 2.8 apg in 5 games of Euroleague play. 2012-13: Played a team-high 29.9 minutes in 27 games with Abdullah Gul University (Turkey TKBL), averaging a team-high 14.6 points per game and 2.3 assists per game... Averaged 13.3 ppg and 1.7 apg of 10 Eurocup games. 2011-12: Was named MVP of the 2012 EuroLeague Final Eight after propelling her squad to the championship game; closed out the season averaging a EuroLeague career-high 17.9 ppg . and 9.0 rpg . for Rivas in EuroLeague games... Averaged 14.5 points per game and 1.2 assists in 27 games of Spanish League play. 2009-10: Saw time in six Russian League contests that year with averages of 9.8 points and 4.2 rebounds per game... Averaged 7.0 ppg . and 4.5 rpg . as UMMC again finished in third place at the 2010 EuroLeague Final Four. 2008-09: Played with UMMC Ekaterinburg in Russia... 2007-08: Competed part of the season with CSKA Moscow... Transferred to UMMC Ekaterinburg in Russia, where she helped her squad to the 2008 EuroLeague Final Four, where UMMC finished third, averaged 8.3 ppg. and 4.0 rpg. 2006-07: Played with Dynamo Energiya in Russia. 2005-06: Played with Dynamo Energiya in Russia. 2004-05:

Played in China. 2003-04: Played for Delta Basket Allessandria in Italy... 2002-03: Played in Russia during the 2002-03 offseason.

## COLLEGE

Graduated from UConn as an all-time Top 10 leader in games played and blocks... Was a four-time Big East Academic AllStar 2002: Helped lead UConn to 39-0 season culminating with the 2002 NCAA Championship... Named to the NCAA Final Four All-Tournament Team in 2002 and 2000...Named to the 2002 NCAA Regional All-Tournament Team...Named to the 2002 Associated Press Third Team All-America... Named 2002 Big East Tournament Most Outstanding Player... Led the Big East Conference by shooting 55 percent from the floor (247-445) in 2002...Named to the 2002 All-Big East First Team...Named to the CoSIDA District I All-Academic First Team in 2002...Named UConn Club Outstanding Senior ScholarAthlete in 2002...Named to the Big East Championship All-Tournament Team 2001: Named to the Big East Championship All-Tournament Team 1999: Named to the Big East Championship All-Tournament Team... Named to the 1999 NCAA Final Four All-Tournament Team...Scored 28 points in two Final Four games...Named to the 1999 Big East All Tournament Team and the All-Big East Rookie Team...Was a four-time Big East Academic All-Star

## PERSONAL

Born Asjha Takera Jones on August 1, 1980...Majored in Business...A Parade, USA Today and Street \& Smith First Team All-American at Piscataway High School, averaging 22.2 points, 11.1 rebounds, 3.6 assists, 2.5 blocks and 2.9 steals...Scored a school career-record 2,266 points and had 1,256 rebounds.

# SHAE KELLEY \#1 <br> MINNESOTA - FORWARD-6-0-166-ROOKIE 

## NOTABLE

- First Team All-Big Ten (Media)
- Second Team All-Big Ten (Coaches)


## CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Selected by Minnesota in the 3rd round (35th overall) of the 2015 WNBA Draft... Signed on Apr. 27, 2015.

## COLLEGE

2014-15: In her first season of play for the Gophers, she was named to the All-Big Ten First Team by media and All-Big Ten Second Team by coaches... Listed among the nation's top under-the-radar stars by espnW... earned Big Ten weekly honors five times during the season, which included three player of the week accolades... Led the team in steals, field goal attempts and free throw attempts... Ranked second on the team in points, scoring average, field goal percentage, field goals, free throws, rebounds, rebounding average, offensive rebounds, defensive rebounds, blocks and minutes played... Overall, ranked sixth in the Big Ten in scoring, offensive rebounds and double-doubles, seventh in rebounds and defensive rebounds and 15th in steal... In league only games, ranked fifth in scoring (17.8) and seventh in rebounding (9.7), offensive rebounds (3.3) and defensive rebounds (6.4)... Scored 10 or more points in 28 of the Gophers' 33 games played... Had 10+ rebounds in 15 games for the Gophers... Scored 20 or more points in 14 contests and 30 or more points in 1 game... Tied for sixth in the Big Ten with 14 double-doubles on the season - averaged 14.0 points, 9.3 rebounds and 1.8 assists per game against ranked opponents... Gophers finished the year 11-3 overall when Kelley led the team in scoring... Averaged 24.5 points, 10.5 rebounds and 2.5 steals per game at the 2015 B1G Tournament $\cdot$ her 26 points vs. Purdue were the most by a Gopher in a B1G Tournament game since Jamie Broback's 28 in 2005.)... 2013-14: Named to the 2014 All-Conference USA First Team as a member of the Old Dominion women's basketball team... Surpassed 1,000 career points in just her second year at ODU, becoming just the fifth Lady Monarch to do so... Averaged 17.8 points and 9.7 rebounds per game... Led the team in total points (605), rebounds (331), field goals made (225), free throws (151), blocked shots (42), steals (61), starts (34) and minutes per game (33.6)... Ranked No. 17 nationally with 17 double-doubles... Scored a career-high 32 points versus ECU . named to the 2014 VaSID All-State First Team... As a junior, her 6.9 defensive rebounds per game ranked third in C-USA standings, while her 1.8 steals and 1.2 blocks per game ranked 10th and 12th, respectively... Named MVP of the Basketball Hall of Fame Tournament... Garnered C-USA Player of the Week honors for the first time in program history on Dec. 9... 2012-13: Earned Second Team All-CAA honors, becoming the only underclassmen named to any of the league three allconference teams... Named to the CAA All-Defensive Team... Landed on Second Team All-State... Started in all 31 games for the Lady Monarchs... Ranked in the top-10 in the CAA in points, rebounds, blocks, steals and field goal percentage... Led the team with seven double-doubles (at Maryland Eastern Shore, vs. South Carolina State, vs. Delaware, vs. Georgia State, at William \& Mary, vs. UNCW, vs. William \& Mary)... Named CAA Player of the Week on Feb. 25... Scored in double figures in 22 of ODU's 31 games... Tied for first on the team with an average of 13.5 points per game... Led the squad in field goal percentage (.497)... Also led the team in rebounds, averaging 8.5 per game... Was first in steals, accumulating 73 on the season... Led the Lady Monarchs with 36 blocked shots... Third on the team with 59 assists... Scored a career-high 21 points first against No. 10/11 California (11/30) and again in the first round of the WNIT against Davidson (3/21)... Registered a career-high 10 free throws at No. 20/22 Delaware (2/14)... Had a career-high seven steals against Pittsburgh (1/2)... Recorded a career-high 17 rebounds in the win over UNCW (2/3)... Also scored 20 points and had 14 rebounds in the win over South Carolina State (12/29)... Racked up another 20 points and had six rebounds at No. 20/22 Delaware (2/14)... Against Northeastern (2/17), scored 19 points and had nine rebounds... Also recorded 18 points, 6 steals, and 10 rebounds at William \& Mary (1/27)... Named one of the team's co-captains.

## PERSONAL

Born Sept. 29, 1991 in Denver, Colo.... Daughter of Lewis and Anita Kelley... Has two siblings, Dominique and Isaiah... Pursuing a master's degree in youth development leadership.

# TRICIA LISTON \#20 <br> DUKE - GUARD -6-0-185-1 YEAR 

## NOTABLE

- 2014 Associated Press All-American Third Team
- 2014 All-ACC First Team
- 2014 ACC All-Tournament Team
- 2014 John R. Wooden Award Finalist
- 2013 All-ACC Second Team
- 2013 Norfolk Region All-Tournament Team
- 2013 All-ACC Academic Team


## CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Selected by Minnesota in the 1st round (12th overall) of the 2014 WNBA Draft... Signed on Apr. 22, 2014.

## 2014 SEASON

One of three rookies on the Lynx roster, she appeared in 25 games off the bench while drawing nine DNP-CDs... Chipped in 2.2 ppg and 1.1 rpg while logging 7.2 mpg , shooting $40.0 \%$ from the floor and $66.7 \%$ from the FT line... Led all rookies in three-point accuracy at $46.7 \%$ ( 14 -for-30), the best percentage for any player with at least five attempts this season... Played a total of 34 scoreless minutes over Minnesota's final 12 games, attempting just three shots; she'd tallied 54 points in the previous 13 contests... Had eight points and two blocks July 13 vs. Seattle... Handed out a season-high three assists July 8 vs. Los Angeles, and chipped in a season-high nine points June 17 at Los Angeles... Logged a season-high 19:02 June 15 vs. Phoenix, and snared a season-best four rebounds June 13 at Atlanta... Signed on Apr. 22... Selected by Minnesota in the 1st round (12th overall) of the 2014 WNBA Draft on Apr. 14.

## PLAYOFFS

2014: Played two games in the 2014 playoffs.

## OVERSEAS

2014-15: Played 25 games with C.U.S. Cagliari in the Italian League, averaging 20.8 points per game, 6.2 rebounds per game and 1.3 assists per game.

## COLLEGE

Duke's all-time leader in three-pointers made (252)... 2013-14: Knocked down a school-record 87 three-pointers...Seventh on the ACC all-time charts with 252 career three-pointers...Led team in scoring (17.2 ppg)...Averaged 17.2 points, 5.2 rebounds and 1.6 assists per game...Played and started all 35 games for the Blue Devils...Recorded 16 games with 20 or more points...Second in NCAA in three-point percentage (48.1\%)...Shot $52.5 \%$ from the field and $85.2 \%$ from the free throw line... 2012-13: Norfolk Region All-Tournament team...All-ACC second team, which was voted on by the coaches...All-ACC Tournament second team...All-ACC Academic team...selected ACC Player of the Week on Feb. 18...started 28 of 36 contests...averaged 13.5 points, 5.1 rebounds, 1.4 assists and 1.0 steals...espnW National Player of the Week on Feb. 18, after a career-high 29 points against Wake Forest...totaled six games with 20 or more points...drained a career-high six treys against N.C. State in the quarterfinals of the ACC Tournament...in the NCAA stats, ranked No. 3 in three-point field goal percentage (46.5)...ranked 11th in the ACC in scoring, first in free throw percentage, first in three-point field goal percentage (46.5) and fourth in three-point field goals made per game (2.2)...her 80 three-pointers marked a Duke single-season record and were tied for the most hit by an ACC player in 2012-13... 2011-12: Averaged 12.0 points, 3.9 rebounds, 1.5 assists and 1.3 steals...started 17 of 33 games played, including all four in the NCAA Tournament...led Duke with seven games of 20 or more points...drained 57 treys, which ranked 10th on the Blue Devil charts...led the ACC with a 46.0 three-point field goal ranked second in the ACC with an 86.7 free throw percentage...listed 11th in the ACC in free throw percentage (48.6) ... hit a career-high five three-pointers versus Pittsburgh...averaged 18.8 points, 4.3 rebounds, 1.5 assists and 1.5 steals in the NCAA Tournament...notched seven games with 20 or more points...All-ACC Academic Team selection... 2010-11: Played in 32 games...registered two games started against Virginia and on senior night versus 13th-ranked North Carolina...tallied six steals and a career-high 19 points in the win over Virginia Tech...knocked down 28 treys for a 38.9 percentage behind the arc...her 28 three-pointers ranks as the 10th-highest single-season total for a Duke freshman...averaged 5.5 points per game ... grabbed 67 rebounds and averaged 2.1 boards per game...scored double-digits in eight contests...hit multiple threepointers in nine games...registered double-figure scoring in three straight contests against 14th-ranked Maryland, 21stranked Florida State and Virginia Tech...hit a career-high 4-of-6 treys at Virginia...posted 15 points against Albany and Florida State... swiped a career-high six steals and dished a career-high four assists against Virginia Tech...her four treys at Virginia is tied for the second-most in a single game by a Blue Devil freshman.

## PERSONAL

Born Feb. 20, 1992 in Chicago, III.... Full name is Patricia Maureen Liston... Daughter of Brian and Molly Liston... Has three sisters, Brigid, Maura and Clare... Her father, Brian, played basketball at Loyola (Chicago) from 1978-82... Majored in psychology along with obtaining a markets and management certificate... ACC Honor Roll selection as a junior... Two-time Illinois Gatorade High School Player of the Year (2009, 2010)... 2009 ESPNChicago.com Girls Player of the Year... No. 33 ranked recruit by ESPN Hoopgurlz... Finished her prep career with 2,713 points.

# MAYA MOORE \#23 CONNECTICUT - FORWARD -6-0-177-4 YEARS 

## NOTABLE

-WNBA Champion $(2013,2011)$

- 2014 WNBA MVP
- 2013 WNBA Finals MVP
- All-WNBA First Team selection $(2014,2013)$
- All-WNBA Second Team selection (2012)
- WNBA All-Defensive Team (2014)
- Olympic gold medalist (2012)
- WNBA All-Star $(2014,2013,2011)$
-WNBA Player of the Week (2014-5, 2013-3, 2012 - 2 )
- WBBA Player of the Month (2014-2, 2013 -2)
- Single-season franchise record holder for points (812-2014)
- Matched WNBA record with five three-pointers in a quarter (Sept. 17, 2012)
- 2011 WNBA Rookie of the Year
- First overall pick in 2011 WNBA Draft


## CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Selected by Minnesota in the 1st round (1st overall) of the 2011 WNBA Draft... Signed on Apr. 14, 2011... Re-signed to a multi-year contract on May 7, 2015.

## 2014 SEASON

Wrapped up her fourth year by again starting all 34 contests, running her consecutive-games-played streak to 136... Named the league's Most Valuable Player and was voted to the All-Defensive Second Team... Led the league by averaging a career-high and franchise-record 23.9 ppg , adding a career-best 8.1 rpg and 3.4 apg while playing $34.7 \mathrm{mpg} .$. . Also ranked 8th in the WNBA in rebounding, 20th in assists, 5 th in steals ( 1.88 spg ), 14th in blocks ( 0.82 bpg ) and 2nd in minutes (34.7 mpg )... Shot $48.1 \%$ from the floor (13th), $33.5 \%$ from three-point range and a career-best $88.4 \%$ from the FT line (4th); her 181 FT attempts were good for 3rd in the league... Named Western Conference Player of the Month three times (May, July, August) and was also selected as Western Conference Player of the Week on five occasions, including an unprecedented string of four in a row through Aug. $4 \ldots$ Tallied $30+$ points 12 times - the top single-season total in league history - and had 22 games with 20 or more... Collected 10 point/rebound double-doubles (boosting her career total to 21 ), including four games with $30+$ points $/ 10+$ rebounds... Erupted for a club-record 48 points July 22 vs. Atlanta, the 2nd-highest single-game total in WNBA history and breaking Katie Smith's previous mark of 46 (set on July 8, 2001 at L.A.)... The 30 FGA vs. Atlanta are also a club record while the 16 FGs and seven treys made both tie single-game marks... Tallied 40 points on Aug. 2 at Tulsa, joining Smith (2001) and Taurasi (2006) as the only WNBA players to score 40+ twice in the same season... Started the 2014 WNBA All-Star Game on July 19 in Phoenix, scoring 24 points with eight assists... Dealt a season-high seven assists June 29 vs. Seattle; her four blocks are a career best... Tallied 38 points with a season-high 13 rebounds May 23 at Tulsa.

## WNBA CAREER CAPSULE

2013: Started all 34 contests, running her career total to 102 consecutive games played... Registered career highs in eight of the nine major statistical categories -- and finished among the league's top 20 in each -- highlighted by placing 3rd in the WNBA in scoring ( 18.5 ppg )... Also ranked 6th in steals ( 1.74 spg ), 12th in blocks ( 0.97 bpg ), 15th in rebounds ( 6.2 rpg ), 17th in assists (3.0) and 8th in minutes ( 31.4 mpg )... Shot $50.9 \%$ from the field (good for 10th), $88.2 \%$ from the FT line (7th) and a franchise-record $45.3 \%$ from three-point range to break Svetlana Abrosimova's previous club mark (44.6\% in 2007)... Drilled 72 treys overall, becoming the first player in WNBA history to lead the league in both three-pointers made and three-point accuracy in the same season... Named the WNBA's Western Conference Player of the Month for both August and September... They're the first such honors of her career; she also garnered Player of the Week accolades on three occasions (Aug. 12, Aug. 26, Sept. 16)... Picked off a season-high five steals Sept. 10 at Seattle, one of nine times she swiped $3+\ldots$ Scored 25 of her 30 points in the 1 st half Aug. 31 vs. Seattle; it's her second career 30+ effort... Poured in a career-high 35 points Aug. 24 vs. Indiana, joining Katie Smith and Seimone Augustus as the only players in Lynx history to score $35+\ldots$ Netted 26 points, 10 rebounds and six assists Aug. 6 at San Antonio, one of four double-doubles this year (11 career)... Started the 2013 WNBA All-Star Game on July 27 in Connecticut, tallying 14 points... Pulled in a career-high 16 rebounds June 19 at Phoenix, part of the first $25+$ point/15+ board effort in club history... Also had 26 points; it was the second time this year (fifth career) she led the Lynx across the board (pts/reb/ast) .. 2012: Was the Lynx' only player to start all 34 contests... Increased her averages and percentages in all nine major categories from her 2011 Rookie of the Year campaign, and joined Tamika Catchings as the only players to rank among the league's top 30 in every one... Tallied 16.4 ppg (11th), 6.0 rpg (14th), 3.6 apg (14th) and 1.47 spg (16th) while logging a team-high $29.7 \mathrm{mpg} .$. . Boosted that to 19.4 ppg,
$7.5 \mathrm{rpg}, 4.1 \mathrm{apg}$ and 1.65 spg in 31.6 mpg over the final 17 games... Shot $46.5 \%$ from the floor, $38.8 \%$ from beyond the arc and $87.9 \%$ (4th in the WNBA) from the FT line; her 73 treys made are the most by any Lynx player since Katie Smith had 78 in 2003... Collected six double-doubles; she was Minnesota's leading scorer 16 times, top rebounder six times and leader in assists on seven occasions... Scored her 1000th career point in the Sept. 23 finale at San Antonio... Tallied a career-high 29 points Sept. 17 vs. Indiana, matching a WNBA record by hitting five treys in the 3rd quarter... The Sept. 14 outing at Indiana was the third time she led the Lynx across the board (pts/reb/ast)... Named Western Conference Player of the Week twice (Aug. 20, Sept. 10)... Scored 19 of her 23 points after intermission Sept. 7 vs. Atlanta, adding a career-best 12 rebounds in a career-high 41:47... Her seven steals Sept. 4 vs. Los Angeles tied the franchise record; she handed out a career-high eight assists Aug. 31 vs. Tulsa... Scored 28 points July 12 vs. Tulsa, including a club-record 19 in the 2nd quarter; her 11-for-12 effort from the FT line marked career highs in both categories... Swiped five steals June 23 vs. Chicago, and poured in 26 points June 9 at Tulsa, the first of nine 20+ outings... 2011: Started all 34 games, the WNBA's only rookie to accomplish that feat... Collected $13.2 \mathrm{ppg}, 4.6 \mathrm{rpg}$ and 2.6 apg while playing 28.0 mpg ; she also ranked 12 th in the WNBA in steals ( 1.41 spg)... Shot $43.9 \%$ from the field, $36.9 \%$ ( 58 -for-157) from three-point range and $78.8 \%$ from the FT line; her accuracy climbed to $49.0 \%$ (71-for-145) -- 45.5\% (30-for-66) from beyond the arc -- over the final 14 games... Was the Lynx' top scorer seven times, with 23 double-figure nights and five $20+$ outings... Scored a game-high 19 points Sept. 4 at New York, one of seven times she led... Named the WNBA's Rookie of the Month for both July and August... Registered her first career double-double Aug. 28 at San Antonio, totaling 19 points and a season-high 12 rebounds... Pumped in a season-high 28 points Aug. 9 at Phoenix; she tied Tamika Catchings' WNBA record by shooting 6 -for- 6 from beyond the arc... Also swiped five steals at Phoenix, a team season best... Played a season-high 34:51 Aug. 2 vs. Phoenix... Started the 2011 WNBA AllStar Game on July 23 in San Antonio, totaling 10 points and three assists... Dealt a season-high six assists July 29 vs. Seattle, and had nine rebounds July 16 vs. Seattle; Minnesota went 11-0 when she grabbed 6+ boards... Netted 26 points July 9 vs. Connecticut; her six three-pointers were one short of Katie Smith's club single-game record (at Seattle, June 14, 2003)... Named the 2011 winner of the Honda-Broderick Cup on June 27, the second straight year she's been honored.

## PLAYOFFS

2014: Returned to the Western Conference Finals to average 19.8 points per game and 5.4 assists per game... Combined with Seimone Augustus and Lindsay Whalen to tally 57 points on 26-of-59 shooting for the Lynx on Sept. 2... 2013: Led the Lynx to the second WNBA Championship in franchise history, averaging a team-best 20.9 points per game in seven postseason games... was named the 2013 WNBA Finals MVP after averaging 20.0 ppg as the Lynx swept the Atlanta Dream to win the championship... 2012: Averaged 16.6 points, 5.2 rebounds and 2.8 assists in nine postseason games... Shot $43.3 \%$ from three-point range and $91.3 \%$ from the free-throw line...Scored $20+$ points four times in the postseason, including a postseason-high 23 against Indiana in Game 2 of the WNBA Finals... 2011: Averaged 13.8 ppg and 5.9 rpg in eight postseason contests, hitting $45.8 \%$ from the floor and $40.0 \%$ from long range... Put in 21 points with seven rebounds and five assists Sept. 25 at Phoenix, going 6-for-8 from beyond the arc.

## INTERNATIONAL

2015: Participated in USA Basketball's Women's National Team mini-camp in Las Vegas, Nevada alongside teammates Seimone Augustus and Monica Wright. 2014: Earned gold at the 2014 FIBA World Championship in Turkey, where she aveared 15.3 points, 6 rebounds and 3.5 assists... Was named the 2014 USA Basketball Female Athlete of the Year. 2012: Earned a gold medal at the 2012 Summer Olympics in London; she averaged 9.0 ppg ( $46.4 \%$ ) and 5.6 rpg in eight games (five starts) for Team USA... 2011: Participated in the USA Basketball Women's National Team May Training Camp in Las Vegas... 2010: Helped Team USA win the gold medal at the 2010 FIBA World Championships, held Sept. 23-Oct. 3 in the Czech Republic... Averaged $8.7 \mathrm{ppg}(48.9 \%)$ and 3.3 rpg in nine contests, scoring nine points in the gold-medal game Oct. 3 vs. the host Czechs... Played for the USA National Team in the 2010 "Stars at the Sun" contest July 10 in Uncasville, Conn.... 2009: Her USA Basketball résumé also includes gold medals at the 2009 World University Games (did not play due to injury), held in Belgrade, Serbia, and the 2007 FIBA U19 World Championships, held in Bratislava, Slovakia.

## OVERSEAS

2013-14: Won a second straight WCBA (China) championship with the Shanxi Flame... Averaged 39.3 points, 11.8 rebounds, 4.8 assists, 4.3 steals in 31 games... Scored a season high 57 points on Dec. 28 against Bayi...Scored 40 or more points 17 times...Pulled down a season high 21 rebounds on Feb. 22 against Zhejiang... 2012-13: Won the WCBA (China) championship with the Shanxi Flame in their first year of existence... Averaged 38.7 points, 12.6 rebounds, 4.5 assists, 3.6 steals in 28 games... Scored 60 points with 13 rebounds on Nov. 10 against Yunnan... Topped the 50-point mark four times during the winter... Recorded a triple double on Feb. 2 in the WCBA Finals, scoring 43 points, grabbing 12 rebounds and dishing out 11 assists... 2011-12: Helped Spanish power Ros Casares Valencia win EuroLeague and Liga Femenina championships... Averaged 13.1 ppg and 4.2 rpg in 20 Spanish league contests, shooting $50.0 \%$ from the field and $45.3 \%$ from long range; she registered 12.7 ppg and 6.2 rpg in 10 EuroLeague appearances.

UConn's career scoring leaders with a total of 3,036 points - surpassing Tina Charles' total of 2,346 on Dec. $5,2010 \ldots$ Trophy case includes three Wade Trophy Awards (given annually to the nation's best player), two Wooden and Naismith Awards and two National Championship trophies... Became just the second player in NCAA history to be named an AllAmerican four times... Captained the UConn women to an astounding 90 consecutive victories - a total that broke the NCAA record for consecutive wins without a loss... Finished career an incredible 150-4, setting the all-time NCAA mark for career wins - male or female... Shot over 50.0 percent from the floor in each of her four seasons with Connecticut and made 311 three-pointers over her career - second most in school history... Scored at least 20 points 76 times and 30 or more points 12 times in her career... Honored as the 2010 CoSIDA Academic All-American of the Year and as the 2010 BIG EAST ScholarAthlete of the Year... Moore was also honored as a CoSIDA Academic All-American in 2008-09... Became only the second freshman all-time to be honored as an AP First Team pick in 2007-08... Named to the 2009 WBCA Classic All-Tournament Team as a junior... Honored as the Most Outstanding Player of the 2010 NCAA Tournament and selected to the All-NCAA Tournament Team in 2009... Named Most Outstanding Player of the 2010 NCAA Dayton Regional and of the 2009 NCAA Trenton Regional... Broke the UConn single-season scoring record with her total of 754 points as a sophomore - besting Kara Wolters' previous record total (694)... A multi-dimensional player who can play any position on the floor... Named 200708, 2008-2009 and 2010-11 BIG EAST Player of the Year... Moore was the first freshman ever to be named BIG EAST Player of the Year in 2007-08... 2009 BIG EAST Tournament Most Outstanding Player... Has 50 double-doubles... Has registered double-figure points in 149 of 154 career games... Became the fastest player to reach the 2,000-point milestone in UConn history and the first junior to do so with 16 points vs. Syracuse (3/7/10)... Became the fastest player to reach the 1,000 -point milestone in UConn history, doing so in her 55th career game with 40 points vs. Syracuse (1/17/09), besting previous record of 63 games held by Svetlana Abrosimova... Set UConn and BIG EAST single-game records with 10 threepoint field goals vs. Syracuse (1/17/09)... Owns BIG EAST Freshman scoring record with 678 points besting Tamara James (Miami, Fla.) previous BIG EAST freshman record total of 650... The consensus 2007 National High School Player of the Year... Earned the Naismith following both her junior and senior prep seasons, becoming only the second two-time winner of the award... Named as the 2008 Atlanta Sports Awards High School Athlete of the Year... Graduated from high school with a 4.0 grade point average... Two-time McDonald's All-America selection.

## PERSONAL

Born June 11, 1989 in Jefferson City, Mo.... The daughter of Mike Dabney, a guard on the Rutgers University men's basketball team that reached the final four 1976, and Kathryn Moore... A Sports Media major at Connecticut... Had her first exposure to basketball at the age of three when mother, Kathryn, mounted a hoop on the back door of their apartment to prevent her from running around the apartment.

# DARXIA MORRIS \#3 <br> UCLA - GUARD - 5-2-155-1 YEAR 

## NOTABLE

- First Team All-Pac-10 Honors
- Pac-10 All-Tournament


## CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Signed by Minnesota on May 13, 2015.

## 2014 SEASON

Played four games in 2014 with the Los Angeles Sparks, averaging 1.5 points, 0.8 rebounds and 0.8 assists in 25 games.

## OVERSEAS

2014-15: Played with Artego Bydgoszcz (Poland BLK) in the 2014-15 season, averaging 13.8 points and 1.2 assists in 25 games... 2013-14: Morris averaged 19.1 points, 5.1 rebounds and 2.6 assists in 21 games with Azzurra Orvieto (Italy) in the 2013 season. 2012-13: Morris spent the 2012-13 season with GMA-Del Pozzuoli in the same Italian League (Lega A) where she averaged 16.3 points, 4.9 rebounds and 1.3 assists in 18 games played.

## COLLEGE

2010-11: Started all 33 games for the Bruins as a senior where she averaged 12.2 points, 3.2 rebounds, 2.5 assists and 1.8 steals... Was honored with First-Team All-Pac-10 honors, Pac-10 All-Tournament and honorable mention Pac-10 AllDefensive honors after leading the Bruins to a 28-5 finish and school records in regular season wins (26) and Pac-10 Conference victories (16). 2009-10: Led team and ranked fifth in the Pac-10 with 106 assists... Fourth in the Pac-10 in assist/turnover ratio (1.28)... Recorded 10 games with four or more assists... Played 20 or more minutes in 20 games... Starter in 26 games, saw action in 34 games... Scored in double digits in 16 games... UCLA's top scorer in six games... Led the team with 20 points, her third career 20-pt. game, vs. St. Mary's. 2008-09: Saw action in 27 games with 11 starts... Missed the first two games of the season while completing rehab on her knee... Played 20 or more minutes in 20 games... Had 10 double-digit scoring games, including in six of the final eight games of year... Credited with two or more steals in 11 contests... Scored a season-high 18 points vs. Cal and Stanford... Ranked 15th in the Pac-10 in assists (2.5) and 13th in steals (1.4) 2007-08: Named to honorable mention Pac-10 All-Freshman and All-Defensive teams...Ranked ninth in the/ Pac10 in steals (1.64)... Saw action in 28 games with 12 starts... Scored in double figures in nine contests... Led all players with 19 points on 9 -for-11 shooting from the field in the Pac-10 Tournament game against USC... Scored a team-high 20 points and matched her career-best with five assists in the upset win over Stanford... Led all players with a career-best 21 points and added four rebounds, four assists and four steals vs. Cal Poly... Had 12 games with at least three assists and 13 games with at least two steals... Played at least 20 minutes in 17 games.

## PERSONAL

Born Darxia Zenobia Morris on October 9, 1989 in Pasadena, California... Her biggest athletic thrill was signing her letter of intent and fulfilling her dream of playing Division I basketball... Admires former NBA great, Michael Jordan... Hobbies include listening to good music and spending time with friends.

# JENNIFER O'NEILL \#0 KENTUCKY - GUARD - 5-3-141-ROOKIE 

## NOTABLE

- SEC Co-6th Player of the Year (2014)
- All-SEC Second Team (Coaches, 2014)
- AP All-SEC Honorable Mention (2014)
- espnW National Player of the Week (Dec. 9, 2013)


## CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Signed by Minnesota on May 16, 2015.

## INTERNATIONAL

2014-15: Practiced with the Puerto Rican National Team to prepare for the 2015 Toronto Pan American Games and the FIBA Americas Championship. 2012-13: Represented Puerto Rico at the 2012 FIBA World Olympic Qualifying Tournament in Ankara, Turkey... Averaged 7 points, 2.6 rebounds and 1.2 assists per game at the 2012 Centrobasket Championship in Morovis, Puerto Rico, where Puerto Rico fell, 63-78, against Cuba in the final match.

## COLLEGE

Finished career among Cats' all-time leaders in made 3PFG (2nd), games (6th), points (12th). 2014-15: Had 29 double-figure scoring games, including last 10 straight; 6th in SEC in scoring, 7th in made threes. 2013-14: Played in all 35 of Kentucky's games with three starts... Led No. 10/11 Kentucky in scoring (12.6 ppg) and 3-point field goals made (55) and second on the team in field goals made (138) and assists ( 2.8 apg ) in 24.0 minutes per game... Named to the All-SEC Second Team by the league's coaches and AP All-SEC honorable mention and SEC Co-6th Player of the Year... Reached double figures in 23-of35 games this season... Started the season with double-figure scoring games in nine of the first 10 games... Kentucky was $19-4$ on the season when she scored 10 or more points... Led the team with six games of 20 or more points... Has 975 career points and needs 25 more to become the 30th member of UK's 1,000-point club... Ranks sixth on UK's career list for 3-point field goals made with 143 and eighth in career 3 -point field goal percentage at .360 percent... 2012-13: Played in 35-of-36 games with 32 starts, including 30 in a row... Assumed the starting role four games into the season, leading UK to a 27-5 record... Averaged 13.8 points and 3.3 assists overall in the NCAA Tournament... Named to the Bridgeport Regional AllTournament Team, averaging a team-high 16.0 points in two games... Tallied a career-high five steals in the Wildcats' NCAA Tournament first round win over Navy ... Finished third on the team in scoring overall, averaging 10.9 points per game... Double-digit points in 19 games, including 11-of-16 SEC contests ... Led the team lead in assists (99), averaging 2.8 per game... 2011-12: Did not play due to a stress fracture sustained in her right foot during the preseason which required surgery. 2010-11: Played in 29 games with three starts... Averaged 5.1 points per game overall and 7.3 points per game in conference play... Made 24 of her last 26 free-throw attempts, including nine in a row to end the season... Scored at least three points in seven of the final eight games... Ranked third on the team in 3-point field goals made (21) and 3-point field goal percentage (.362)... Hit 34-of-46 free-throw attempts (.739).

## PERSONAL

Born April 19, 1990. From Bronx, New York... Has trained on Long Island under Jerry Powell, who also has trained LeBron James, Kevin Durant, Rajon Rondo and Bria Harley... First player ever to wear 0 at Kentucky.

# DEVEREAUX PETERS \#14 <br> NOTRE DAME - FORWARD -6-1-174-3 YEARS 

## NOTABLE

- WNBA Champion (2013)
- Third overall pick in the 2012 WNBA Draft
- Led all rookies in field goal percentage (56.0\%)


## CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Drafted by Minnesota in the 1st round (3rd overall) in the 2012 WNBA Draft ... Signed on Apr. 29, 2012.

## 2014 SEASON

Completed her third season in Minnesota by playing in 28 games off the bench... Sidelined for the first five contests after undergoing arthroscopic surgery on her left knee on May 7, and drew a DNP-CD on June 6 at Seattle... Averaged 4.4 ppg , 3.7 rpg and 1.7 apg while logging 18.0 mpg ; she ranked 9th in the WNBA in blocked shots ( 1.00 bpg )... Shot $44.3 \%$ from the field and $73.7 \%$ from the FT line... Slipped to $3.5 \mathrm{ppg}(37.8 \%)$ and 3.5 rpg after the All- Star Break, after netting 7.4 ppg ( $50.0 \%$ ) 5.3 rpg in her previous seven outings... Matched her career high with four blocks July 25 vs. San Antonio, equaling the most by any Lynx player since Nicky Anosike had five at Tulsa on May 15, 2010... Picked up her lone double-double of the year (second career) July 13 vs. Seattle, totaling 10 points and a season high 10 rebounds... Tied her career best with the six assists July 10 at Tulsa; she also dealt six assists two nights earlier vs. Los Angeles... Swiped a career-high five steals July 3 vs. San Antonio, and picked up four steals June 29 vs. Seattle... Grabbed six rebounds June 22 vs. Indiana, one of three times she led the Lynx; the 28:51 of playing time was a season high.

## WNBA CAREER CAPSULE

2013: Played in all 34 games... Started the Aug. 11-16 contests, running her career total to four; her 83:41 of playing time in that span is the second-highest two-game haul in club history... Averaged 4.1 ppg and a career-best 4.6 rpg in 18.6 mpg ; she ranked 11th in the league and tops on Minnesota in blocks ( 1.00 bpg )... Shot $39.6 \%$ from the floor and $85.2 \%$ from the FT line... Grabbed a game- and season-high 10 rebounds Sept. 7 at Seattle, the fifth time she led the Lynx... Averaged 6.6 rpg over her final seven contests ( 13.4 per 40 ); she'd grabbed 6.4 reb/40 in the prior 16 games... Led the Lynx with eight rebounds Aug. 16 vs. Tulsa, adding a season-high five assists... Logged a career-high 44:49 at Chicago on Aug. 11, the most by any Lynx player since Katie Smith in 2001... Added 13 points July 19 at San Antonio, her second double-digit scoring night; the four blocks tied her career high and were a team season best... Pulled in 10 rebounds July 7 vs. Phoenix and scored a season-high 14 points June 28 vs. Los Angeles... 2012: Finished her rookie season by appearing in 30 games, missing three (July 7-12) due to a broken left hand suffered July 5 at Los Angeles... Averaged 5.3 ppg and 3.8 rpg while logging 14.1 mpg ; she led all rookies in FG accuracy ( $56.0 \%$ ) and shot $70.6 \%$ from the FT line... Reached double figures in three of the final five contests (seven total), averaging 10.4 ppg ( $57.4 \%$ ), 9.0 rpg and 2.00 bpg in 28.6 mpg in those five... Made her first start of the year Sept. 21 at Phoenix, leading the Lynx in rebounds and assists (a season-high six); her four blocks match a team season high... Collected her first double-double ( 17 points/13 rebounds) on Sept. 20 at Los Angeles; the rebound total equals the most by any Lynx player aside from Rebekkah Brunson since 2008... Dealt 23 assists after the Olympic break ( 4.1 per 40), and shot $62.5 \%$ ( 25 -for-40) from the floor in her final seven contests... Hauled down nine rebounds July 1 at San Antonio, and tallied a season-high 18 points June 21 vs. New York... Committed five TOs June 23 vs. Chicago... Added 14 points and four assists June 6 vs. Seattle.

## PLAYOFFS

2014: Appeared in all five playoff games in 2014, averaging 2.0 points and .2 assists in 11.4 minutes played. 2013: Appeared in all seven games for the Lynx, averaging 3.9 points and 3.4 rebounds per game as the Lynx won the 2013 WNBA Championship... 2012: Appeared in all nine games for the Lynx, averaging 1.3 points and 1.8 rebounds in 6.9 minutes per game.

## INTERNATIONAL

2011: Made her USA Basketball debut with the World University Games squad, helping pace the United States to a 6-0 record and the gold medal in Shenzhen, China... Had an impressive showing as the leading American scorer off the bench with $10.0 \mathrm{ppg} .$. Fourth on the team in rebounding ( 5.3 rpg ), and ranked among the top 10 in the entire tournament in FG percentage ( $56.0 \%$, second-best on team) and blocked shots (9th with team-high 1.0 bpg ).

## OVERSEAS

2014-15: Joined Campus Promete in the Spanish League to average 11.1 points, 9.8 rebounds and 1.4 assists in eight games played... 2013-14: Played for Dynamo-Guvd Novosibirsk in Russia...Appeared in 24 Premier League games where she averaged 13.9 points, 8 rebounds and 1.5 assists per game...Played in six EuroCup games, averaging 14.3 points and 7.3 rebounds per game...Finished 9th in league in scoring average (13.2 ppg)... 2012-13: Appeared in seven games for

Gesam Gas Lucca in LegA (Italy), averaging 10.9 points and 9.1 rebounds per game... Averaged 2.4 steals and 0.9 blocks per game.

## COLLEGE

Was only the fourth player in last 10 years (2001-02 through 2011-12) to have multiple seasons with 60 blocks, 60 steals and 60 assists, joining Tennessee's Candace Parker (2006-07 and 2007-08), Minnesota's Janel McCarville (2003-04 and 200405 ) and Appalachian State's Anna Freeman (2009-10 and 2011-12)... First Fighting Irish player to register 1,000 points, 500 rebounds, 200 blocks, 200 steals and 200 assists in her career... Appears in the top 10 on five of Notre Dame's career statistical lists - blocked shots (2nd - 227), rebounds (5th - 937), field goal percentage (7th - .550), steals (9th - 222) and double-doubles (9th - 23)... Stands 17th in school history with 1,319 career points... 2011-12: Only player in country (and just the second in the past decade) to register 75 blocks, 75 steals and 75 assists in a single season - other to accomplish this was Tennessee's Candace Parker in 2007-08 (Duquesne's Damian Saunders was only men's player to have a 75-75-75 season in last 10 years, doing so in 2009-10)... Her 363 total rebounds are second-most for one season in school history (368 by Katryna Gaither in 1996-97)... Only BIG EAST player to rank among top 10 in conference in the three major defensive categories this season - first in rebounding/42nd in nation (9.3 rpg.) third in blocked shots/40th in nation (2.0 bpg) and 10th in steals ( 2.0 spg )... Registered four games with 15 points \& 15 rebounds and seven 15-rebound games (both tying school records first set in 1977-78)... 2010-11: Ranked third on team in scoring (career-high 11.9 ppg ) and tops in rebounding ( 7.5 rpg ), blocks ( $1.7 \mathrm{bpg} ; 68$ total), field goal percentage (.593; fifth in nation) and double-doubles (career-high 10; most by ND player since 2003-04)... Fourth in steals (1.7 spg.; 66 total)... Only player in the nation with 65 blocks and 65 steals on the season... Joined Connecticut's Maya Moore as the only players to rank in top 15 in BIG EAST in three major defensive categories of rebounds, blocks and steals... 2009-10: Got late start to season while finishing rehabilitation protocol from her second knee surgery... Played in 25 games... Logged 6.7 points per game... Ranked second on team in rebounding ( 5.6 rpg ) and led team in blocks ( 1.2 bpg )... 2008-09: Appeared in three games (one start), averaging 7.3 points and 4.3 rebounds per game with .688 field goal percentage and six blocks ( 2.0 per game)... Injured left knee at Boston College, later diagnosed as season-ending torn anterior cruciate ligament (ACL)... Played in less than 30 percent of team's games and thus did not lose a year of athletic eligibility... Underwent successful two-part corrective surgery in February and May 2009.. 2007-08: Saw action in 23 games (two starts), averaging 9.0 points and 5.6 rebounds per game with teamleading 1.96 blocks per game, and .522 field goal percentage... Posted 45 blocks, the third-highest total ever by an Irish freshman... Made college debut vs. Miami (Ohio), coming off the bench to register six points, eight rebounds and game-high five blocks in 15 minutes... Scored 11 points and grabbed five rebounds in 13 minutes vs. No. 15 Pittsburgh on Feb. 10 before suffering left knee injury at 13:44 mark of second half; injury later confirmed to be a season-ending torn anterior cruciate ligament (ACL)... Underwent successful corrective surgery in April 2008.

## PERSONAL

Born Oct. 8, 1989 in Chicago, III.... First name is pronounced DEV-er-OH... Daughter of Denise Gladden-Peters and R. Delacey Peters, Jr.... Uncle, Tom Seabron, was a defensive end/linebacker on the Michigan football team (1975-78) and later was chosen by the San Francisco 49ers in the 5th round of 1979 National Football League draft... Received her bachelor's degree in film, television \& theater from Notre Dame's College of Arts and Letters in May 2011.

# ASIA TAYLOR \#31 LOUISVILLE - FORWARD -6-1-167-1 YEAR 

## NOTABLE

- 2014 American Athletic Conference Most Improved Player
- 2014 All-AAC First Team


## CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Selected by Minnesota in the 3rd round (36th overall) of the 2014 WNBA Draft... Signed on Apr. 21, 2014.

## 2014 SEASON

Finished her rookie season in the WNBA by playing in 22 contests in a reserve role... Drew 12 DNP-CDs, including 10 in the final 15 games... Netted 2.7 ppg and 1.4 rpg in 7.9 mpg , shooting $52.5 \%$ from the floor and $75.0 \%$ from the FT line... Put in nine points June 27 at Seattle, including a season-best 5 - for- 7 from the FT line; she averaged 5.6 FTAs per 40 on the year... Had a season-high 10 points May 24 vs. New York (logging a season-high 17:31), and added nine points June 15 vs. Phoenix... Started the May 11 preseason finale vs. Chicago, scoring 18 points... Signed on Apr. 27... Selected by Minnesota in the 3rd round (36th overall) of the 2014 WNBA Draft on Apr. 14.

## PLAYOFFS

2014: Played only 1.2 minutes over two games in the 2014 playoffs, averaging 1.0 points.

## OVERSEAS

2014-15: Joined Eliz ur Holon in Israel to average 13.8 points, 9.1 rebounds and 1.0 assists in 12 games of LegA play... Averaged 18.0 points, 11.3 rebounds and 3.3 assists in eight D1 games.

## COLLEGE

2013-14: Named to the All-American Athletic Conference First Team as well as the conference's Most Improved Player...Played and started in all 38 games for the Cardinal...Second on the team in scoring ( 10.8 ppg )...Averaged 10.8 points, a team-leading 7.2 rebounds and 2 assists per game...Shot $49.7 \%$ from the field and $75.8 \%$ from the free throw line...Averaged third-most minutes on the team ( 23.4 mpg )...Set career highs against Rutgers on Feb. 23 with 25 points and 15 rebounds...Recorded five double-doubles on the season...Posted a career-high three blocked shots against UConn on Feb. 9... 2012-13: Did not play due to injury, received medical redshirt... 2011-12: Saw action in 32 games, starting 20...Led the team in offensive rebounds with $71 \ldots$. Ranked second on the team in total rebounds with $152 \ldots$ Had the fourth best field goal percentage, connecting on 47.9 percent...Set a career-high with four steals against Kentucky...Dished out a career-high four assists against Seton Hall...Collected a career-high 13 rebounds against St. John's...Tied a career-high with two blocks against Providence and Seton Hall...Tied a career-high in free throws made with six against Villanova...Tied a career-high in minutes played (34) against Seton Hall...Scored 14 points and grabbed nine rebounds against Villanova...Recorded doubledoubles against DePaul with 12 points and 10 rebounds and against St. John's with 10 points and 13 rebounds...Finished the year averaging 5.6 points and 4.8 rebounds per game... 2010-11: Saw action in 31 games for the Cardinals, starting in 18...Scored a career-high 16 points against Notre Dame...Knocked down a career-high seven field goals against Notre Dame...Pulled down a career-high 12 rebounds against Gonzaga...Collected a career-high three steals against Notre Dame and Villanova...Scored 10 points and pulled down 12 rebounds against Gonzaga for her first career double-double...Scored double figures against Notre Dame and Gonzaga...Finished the season averaging 3.9 points and 3.3 rebounds per game... 2009-10: Saw action in 31 games, starting in 10 games...Earned a spot in the starting lineup in the month of February...Scored a career-high 14 points against Marquette...Pulled down a career-high eight rebounds against Marquette...Blocked a career-high two shots against Tennessee...Scored in double figures in three games...Dished out a career-high three assists against Old Dominion...Finished the season averaging 4.3 points and 2.6 rebounds per game.

## PERSONAL

Born Aug. 22, 1991 in Columbus, Ohio... Mother is Felicia Taylor... Major is sports administration... Second team Division 1 Ohio All-State selection her senior year at Whetstone High School after averaging 29.3 points and 17.1 rebounds a game... Member of Whetstone High School's Hall of Fame... High school's team MVP all four years.

# LINDSAY WHALEN \#13 MINNESOTA - GUARD-5-9-162-11 YEARS 

## NOTABLE

- WNBA Champion $(2013,2011)$
- All-WNBA First-Team selection $(2013,2011,2008)$
- All-WNBA Second-Team selection $(2014,2012)$
- Olympic gold medalist (2012)
- WNBA All-Star (2014, 2013, 2011, 2006, 2004)
-WNBA Player of the Week (2014-1,2010-1, 2008 - 2, 2007 - 1, 2005 - 1)
- WNBA Peak Performer for assists $(2012,2011,2008)$
- WNBA Player of the Month (August 2011)
- Lynx franchise leader for assists (947)
- Single-season franchise record holder for assists (199)
- One of six players in WNBA history with 3,000 points, 1,000 rebounds and 1,000 assists in a career


## CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Selected by Connecticut in the 1st round (4th overall) of the 2004 WNBA Draft... Re-signed by Connecticut to a three-year contract on Feb. 19, 2008... Acquired from Connecticut on Jan. 12, 2010, along with a 1st-round pick (2nd overall) in the 2010 WNBA Draft, in exchange for Renee Montgomery and a 1st-round pick (1st overall) in the 2010 WNBA Draft... Resigned to a three-year contract on Aug. 12, 2010... Re-signed to a three-year contract on Sept. 6, 2013.

## 2014 SEASON

Wrapped up her 11th WNBA season (fifth with the Lynx) by starting all 34 games for the sixth time... Tallied $14.1 \mathrm{ppg}, 4.2 \mathrm{rpg}$ and 5.6 apg while playing 30.6 mpg ; she shot $48.0 \%$ from the floor and $77.0 \%$ from the FT line... Ranked 2nd in assists, 14th in scoring, 14th in FG accuracy and 1st among guards in rebounding; she also led the WNBA in ast/TO ratio (a career-best 3.05-to-1)... Pumped in a season-high 26 points July 22 vs. Atlanta, her seventh 20+ outing of the year; the 45:39 of playing time is a career high... Averaged $15.9 \mathrm{ppg}(53.2 \%), 4.9 \mathrm{rpg}$ and 6.1 apg in 10 July starts... Selected for the 2014 WNBA AllStar Game, held July 19 in Phoenix, and totaled four points and four assists... Matched her season highs in assists (10) and rebounds (nine) July 10 at Tulsa, adding 21 points to finish one board short of a triple-double... It's her 12th career point/assist double-double (10th in a Lynx uniform) and fifth game with 20+ pts/10+ ast... Led Minnesota with nine rebounds July 8 vs. Los Angeles; she netted 22 points July 3 vs. San Antonio, one of three times she led the Lynx in scoring... Picked off four steals June 6 at Seattle, matching her best in a Lynx uniform; she also went over the 10,000-career minute plateau in that game... Named Western Conference Player of the Week on June 2, her sixth career honor... Scored Minnesota's final 10 points May 18 vs. Connecticut, tying her own club record for points in an OT period.

## WNBA CAREER CAPSULE

2013: Started all 34 games for the fifth time in her career... Tallied a career-best $14.9 \mathrm{ppg}, 4.4 \mathrm{rpg}$ and 5.8 apg while playing 29.6 mpg ; she shot $48.6 \%$ from the floor and $78.3 \%$ from the FT line... Topped the Lynx in FTs made (108) and attempted (138). but got to the line only 43 times in 17 games following the All-Star Break after taking 95 trips in the first 17... Ranked 15th in the league in scoring, 3rd in assists and 14th in FG accuracy; she also led the WNBA in ast/TO ratio at 2.66-to-1 (197 ast/74 TO)... Scored a game-high 23 points in the Sept. 14 finale vs. Chicago, her eighth 20+ effort of the season (Minnesota went $8-0$ in those contests) and the 10th time she led the Lynx... Scored the 4000th point of her WNBA career Sept. 7 at Seattle... Shot $59.2 \%$ ( 45 -for-76) over her final seven outings, after a six-game dip at $34.8 \%$ (23-for-66)... Handed out a career-high 14 assists Sept. 4 vs. Los Angeles, tying Noelle Quinn's franchise record (Aug. 19, 2007 vs. San Antonio)... Grabbed a season-high 10 rebounds (in a season-high $41: 31$ ) Aug. 11 at Chicago, part of her first point/rebound doubledouble in a Lynx uniform and the sixth of her career... Put in eight points in the 2013 WNBA All-Star Game, held July 27 in Connecticut... Notched a season-high 25 points and 11 assists July 13 at Tulsa; it's the second 25+ point/10+ assist game of her career and one of just eight in WNBA history... Scored 12 of her game-high 23 points in the final six minutes of the July 11 victory at Indiana... Dished 10 assists June 6 vs. Phoenix, the first of four double-digit nights this season... 2012: Led the league in assists for the second straight year ( 5.4 apg )... Started 33 games, missing the Sept. 20 contest at Los Angeles due to illness; it was her first DNP since June 6, 2010 vs. Indiana... Contributed 11.5 ppg and 4.2 rpg in 27.0 mpg , the league's leading rebounder among point guards... Topped $50 \%$ from the floor for the second straight year (50.5\%), ranking 9th in the WNBA; she went 13-for-26 from three-point range, but hit a career-low $72.7 \%$ from the FT line... Moved past Katie Smith atop the Lynx' all-time assist leader board Aug. 19 vs. Tulsa, and dealt her 1500th career assist Sept. 9 at San Antonio... Led Minnesota with eight rebounds Sept. 17 vs. Indiana (including a career-high six on the offensive end)... Sank the gamewinning basket with :01.6 to play Sept. 14 at Indiana, her second buzzer-beater this year (May 30 at Washington) and third for the Lynx... Snagged nine rebounds Sept. 7 vs. Atlanta, her high total in a Lynx uniform; she also logged a season-high $38: 20 \ldots$ Totaled 76 ast/22 TOs in 14 games following the Olympic break (3.45-to-1), finishing 2nd in the league overall (2.62-to-1)... Chipped in 19 points Aug. 31 vs. Tulsa, the third time she's led... Led all scorers with 25 points June 23 vs. Chicago,
her second 20+ effort... Put in 29 points June 15 at Phoenix, the most by any Lynx player since Seimone Augustus' 36-point effort in 2010... Dished 10 assists June 9 at Tulsa, her lone double-figure performance of the year; Minnesota went 14-0 when she handed out 6+ assists... 2011: Wrapped up her eighth WNBA season and second with the Lynx by starting all 34 games... Averaged $13.6 \mathrm{ppg}, 3.5 \mathrm{rpg}$ and a career-best (and league-leading) 5.9 apg while playing $28.1 \mathrm{mpg} .$. Shot a career-high $51.1 \%$ from the floor -- good for 8th in the league, and tops among guards... Her 199 assists for the season broke her own franchise record of 184 set a year ago; she ranked 2nd in the WNBA in assist/TO ratio (2.65-to-1)... Netted the third 20-point/10-assist outing of her career (all with the Lynx) on Sept. 8 vs. Chicago; it's the first time in WNBA history a player has tallied 20+ points, 10+ assists and zero turnovers in a game... Chosen Western Conference Player of the Month for August, the first such honor of her career... Scored her 3000th career point Aug. 9 at Phoenix, becoming the sixth player in league history with 3000 points, 1000 rebounds and 1000 assists... Sank the game-winning jumper with :01.5 to play July 31 at San Antonio, capping a 23-point effort that saw her register season highs in rebounds (seven) and steals (four)... Netted four points, five rebounds and six assists in the 2011 WNBA All-Star Game, held July 23 in San Antonio... Grabbed her 1000th rebound July 16 vs. Seattle... 2010: Completed her first season with the Lynx by starting 33 games, missing the June 6 contest vs. Indiana due to illness... Averaged a then-career-high and then-franchise-record 5.6 apg (ranking 3rd in the league), breaking the previous mark of 4.4 apg shared by Teresa Edwards (2003) and Noelle Quinn (2007)... Led the Lynx with 21 points and 12 assists Aug. 15 vs. San Antonio, her second career 20+ point/10+ assist effort (both this year) and fourth double-double of the season... Tallied season highs of 27 points and 12 assists Aug. 3 vs. Connecticut, one of six times she was Minnesota's top scorer... Named Western Conference Player of the Week for Aug. 2-8, the fifth such honor of her career... Played for the WNBA Stars in the 2010 "Stars at the Sun" contest July 10 in Uncasville, Conn.... Scored her 2500th career point July 24 vs. Phoenix, and registered the 1000th assist of her career June 10 at Phoenix... Saw her season-opening run of 41 consecutive made FTs ended June 4 at Tulsa; including last year, the streak reached 54 (the 2ndlongest in league history)... 2009: Started all 34 games, averaging 11.6 points, 4.2 rebounds, 4.9 assists and 1.4 steals in 29.4 minutes per game... Connected on .430 percent of her shots and shot .891 percent from the line... Her 4.6 assists per game was good for fifth-best in the league... Hauled in career-best 12 rebounds on June 7th, 2009 vs. New York... 2008: Narrowly edged for league MVP (276.79-242.08) by Los Angeles rookie Candace Parker in closest vote ever... Became just the second player in league history to average at least 10 points, five rebounds and five assists for a season, joining Nikki Teasley... Led the WNBA in assists average with 5.4 per game... Set new single-season career highs for made field goals (141), made threes (26) and made free throws (126)... Became the all-time franchise assist leader on July 1st, collecting her 738th assist to pass Shannon Johnson... Reached 800 career assists against Chicago (9/5)... Tied her career-high with 33 points at Washington (7/13)... Had 23 double-figure games, including 12 straight to open the season... Scored her 1,500th career point against New York (5/30)... 2007: Led the league in total assists (169)... Finished tied for the league lead in assist average (5.0) with Becky Hammon despite playing six more games... Averaged a career-best 13.4 points per game... Set new single-season highs for steals (73), rebounds (162), defensive rebounds (129), offensive rebounds (33) and made field goals (156)... Scored a career-high 33 points against Detroit (7/24), the most points ever scored by a Sun player in regulation... Set a franchise mark for made field goals (13) in the same game... Collected her 500th career assist at Minnesota (6/13)... Scored her 1000th career point in the season opener at Washington (5/19)... Registered the fourth double-double of her career with 12 points and 10 rebounds against Chicago (6/17)... Ranked 10th or higher in the WNBA in 12 different statistical categories... 2006: Played limited minutes through the early part of the season after undergoing surgery to repair ligaments in her left ankle on January 10th... Assist average (4.6) was fourth best in the WNBA... Free throw percentage of 90.3 was a career high and the third best in the league... Made first career start in the WNBA All-Star game... Had a career-high 105 defensive rebounds... 2005: Followed up a productive rookie season with improvement in almost every statistical category... Led the team with career highs in assists (172), made free throws (125) and free throw attempts (156)... Assist total was the second best single-season total in franchise history... Became the first Sun player since Nykesha Sales (July 2004) to have consecutive 20-point games... Earned the first WNBA Player of the Week Award of her career on June 27th... Underwent surgical procedure during the 2005 off-season (1/10/06) to tighten ligaments in her left ankle... 2004: Voted by fans onto the 2004 WNBA All-Star roster... Started 30 of 31 games she played in, missing three due to a strep throat... Ranked fifth in WNBA, first among rookies, in assist average (4.8)... Ranked sixth in WNBA in assist total (148)... Set a single-game franchise record with 13 assists at Detroit (6/27), while scoring 10 points for her first WNBA double-double... Set franchise records for most assists in two consecutive games (23), three consecutive games (30) and four consecutive games (40).

## PLAYOFFS

2014: Started all five games, averaging team-highs in points (20.6) and assists (6.0)... Pumped in a playoff career-high 31 points on Aug. 23; her 11 assists on Aug. 21 are a playoff career best and a club playoff record... 2013: Captured her second career WNBA Championship with the Lynx, averaging 9.7 points, 4.6 assists and 4.6 rebounds per game in all seven postseason contests... Scored 15 points, dished out five assists and grabbed three rebounds as teh Lynx swept the Dream in the WNBA Finals... 2012: Led the Lynx back to the WNBA Finals for the second consecutive season, averaging 13.3 points, 4.2 assists and 3.8 rebounds per game... Scored $20+$ points twice in the postseason, including scoring a game-high 20 points in Game 1 of the Western Conference Semifinals against Seattle... 2011: Captured her first WNBA Championship... Started all eight playoff games, averaging 12.0 ppg ( $46.3 \%$ ), 3.6 rpg and 3.8 apg... Led all scorers with 20 points Sept. 16 vs. San Antonio, adding a franchise playoff record (and career playoff best) four steals... 2008: Averaged 13.3 points, 4.6
rebounds and four assists in three games against New York... Led the Sun with 19 points, and also had seven rebounds in Game 3 (9/22)... Made 13-of-15 free throws in the series... 2007: Averaged 13.3 points, 7.0 rebounds and 5.0 assists per game... Recorded bookend double-doubles in the playoffs, collecting 13 points and 10 assists in Game 1 against Indiana (8/23) and 21 points and a team-high 10 rebounds in Game 3 at Indiana (8/27)... Was 9-of-10 from the free throw line during the series.... 2006: Averaged $12.6 \mathrm{ppg}, 3.8 \mathrm{rpg}$ and $2.2 \mathrm{apg} .$. Led the team in scoring during the Eastern Conference Semifinals against Washington, averaging 18.5 points... 2005: Scored 27 points in Game 2 of the Eastern Conference Semifinals against Detroit, tying her own franchise playoff record with 15 made free throws while setting a new mark for free throw attempts (17)... Averaged 16.5 points, 3.5 assists and 4.5 rebounds during sweeps of Detroit and Indiana... Suffered fracture in tibial plateau of her left leg during Game 2 of the Eastern Conference Finals against Indiana... Sprained ankle in Game 1 of WNBA Finals... Averaged just four points and three assists per game in the WNBA Finals, sitting out Game 2 because of her injuries... 2004: Established a WNBA playoff record against Washington Mystics (9/27) with 11 made free throws in a half during the Eastern Conference Semifinals.

## INTERNATIONAL

2014: Earned gold at the 2014 FIBA World Championship in Turkey, where she averaged 8.3 points, 3.3 rebounds and 2.7 assists. 2012: Helped Team USA win gold at the 2012 Summer Olympics in London; she averaged 8.0 ppg ( $53.3 \%$ ) and 2.4 apg in eight outings... 2011: Participated in the USA Basketball Women's National Team May Training Camp in Las Vegas... 2010: Earned a gold medal at the 2010 FIBA World Championships, held in the Czech Republic... Tallied 5.9 ppg ( $48.7 \%$ ) in nine outings for Team USA, including a 16-point effort vs. Canada on Sept. 27... 2009: Named to the U.S. Women's Fall Training Camp roster but could not participate due to injury... 2003: Won gold with Team USA at the 2003 FIBA World Championships For Young Women (U21) in Sibenik, Croatia.

## OVERSEAS

2014-15: Joined Abdullah Gul Universitesi in Turkey to lose the TKBL Championship series, 3-1... Whalen averaged 16.8 points, 4.2 rebounds and 3.3 assists in 26 TKBL games... Averaged 15.6 points, 3.9 rebounds and 3.6 assists in EuroLeague play...2013-14: Spent her first season with Dynamo Moscow in Russia...Averaged 13.5 points, 3.1 rebounds and 4.1 assists per game in 22 PBL games... Helped lead Dynamo Moscow to the 2014 EuroCup championship... Played in 11 EuroCup games, averaging 10.8 points, 3.5 rebounds and 4.5 assists per game... 2012-13: Spent her first season in Turkey with Galatasaray... Appeared in 14 TKBL games, averaging 14.4 points, 5.1 assists and 4.9 rebounds per game while shooting $56.9 \%$ from the floor... Played in 10 EuroLeague games with Galatasaray, averaging 13.6 points, 4.4 assists and 5.1 rebounds per game... 2011-12: Spent her fifth winter with USK Praha, averaging 13.7 ppg (on $64.2 \%$ shooting) and 4.5 rpg en route to winning her third ZBL championship... Also contributed 8.2 ppg ( $46.7 \%$ ), 5.8 rpg and 3.0 apg in six EuroLeague appearances... 2010-11: Spent the 2010-11 winter playing for USK Praha, tallying 11.2 ppg (56.5\%), 4.2 rpg and 3.4 apg in 34 ZBL appearances... Also led USK to the EuroLeague playoffs; she averaged $13.2 \mathrm{ppg}(46.4 \%), 5.0 \mathrm{rpg}$ and 4.6 apg in 13 contests... 2009-10: Returned to USK Praha, averaging $11.1 \mathrm{ppg}, 3.7 \mathrm{rpg}$ and 2.8 apg in 25 Czech League games... Also led USK to EuroLeague playoffs, tallying $15.6 \mathrm{ppg}, 4.8 \mathrm{rpg}$ and 2.7 apg in 12 appearances... 2008-09: Returned to Prague... Was a EuroLeague All-Star... 2007-08: Played for USK Blex Praha in Prague, Czech Republic... Named to the EuroLeague All-Star team... 2006-07: Spent the winter playing for UMMC in Ekaterinburg, Russia.

## COLLEGE

Galvanized state of Minnesota behind the women's program, which rose to national prominence during her storied career... Average attendance at women's basketball games grew from 1,087 during her freshman season to 9,866 her senior year... Became Minnesota's all-time leading scorer on January 25, 2004 against Michigan State, surpassing 1994 Wade Trophy Winner Carol Ann Shudlick... Finished career with 2,285 points, fifth-best in Big Ten history... Holds Minnesota career records in points, scoring average, games in double figures, free throws made and free throw percentage... Also among top10 leaders in field goals made, field goal attempts, field goal percentage, three-pointers made, three-pointers attempted, three-point field goal percentage, free throws attempted, assists and steals... Shares Minnesota's single-game record for free throw percentage (14-14 vs. Creighton on 12/4/03)... Only four-time team MVP in school history... Was a two-time Wade Trophy Finalist $(2004,2003)$... Two-time Naismith Award Finalist $(2004,2003)$... As a senior, was a Kodak All-American First Team, USBWA All-American Second Team and an AP All-American Second Team... First Golden Gopher to earn AllAmerican honors in three different seasons... Led Minnesota to the NCAA tournament three straight years, including its firstever Final Four appearance in 2004... Program had been to the tournament just once before her arrival... Named NCAA Mideast Region MVP for the 2004 NCAA tournament... Was unanimous selection for All-Big Ten First Team in 2004, 2003 and 2002... Three-time Academic All-Big Ten (2004, 2003, 2002)... As a junior, was a Kodak All-American First Team, USBWA All-American First Team and an AP All-American Second Team... Her \#13 was retired by the University of Minnesota during a ceremony at Williams Arena in January 2005.

## PERSONAL

Born May 9, 1982 in Hutchinson, Minn.... Full name is Lindsay Marie Whalen... The daughter of Neil and Kathy Whalen... Married former University of Minnesota All-American golfer Ben Greve on Oct. 6, 2008 in Hutchinson, Minn.... Oldest of five children, with two sisters (Katie and Annie) and two brothers (Thomas and Casey)... First woman to be named Minneapolis

Star Tribune Sportsperson of the Year, beating out Twins' Cy Young Award winner Johan Santana and NBA MVP Kevin Garnett for the honor in December 2004... Also recognized as Sportsperson of the Year by the St. Paul Pioneer Press... Her \#13 was retired by the University of Minnesota during a ceremony at Williams Arena in January 2005... Listed Charles Barkley, Jennifer Capriati, Kirby Puckett and Anthony Carter as her childhood sports heroes... Was the first athlete in University of Minnesota history to have her own bobblehead doll... Voted Favorite Female Athlete in City Pages Best of The Twin Cities reader's poll... Majored in sports management... Led Hutchinson H.S. to Missota Conference title three straight years (1997 99)... Averaged 22.8 points, 5.8 rebounds and 4.3 assists as a junior... Also an All-Conference selection in tennis and track.

# MONICA WRIGHT \#22 <br> VIRGINIA - GUARD-5-10-182-5 YEARS 

## NOTABLE

- WNBA Champion $(2013,2011)$
- WNBA All-Rookie selection (2010)
- Second overall pick in 2011 WNBA Draft


## CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Selected by Minnesota in the 1st round (2nd overall) of the 2010 WNBA Draft... Signed on Apr. 14, 2010... Re-signed to a three-year contract on Mar. 20, 2014.

## 2014 SEASON

Had a delayed start to her fifth WNBA season, missing the first 10 games following arthroscopic surgery on her left knee on Apr. 25... Appeared in 24 contests, including nine starts; she averaging $8.2 \mathrm{ppg}(45.2 \%)$ with 3.2 apg and 1.33 spg in 26.9 mpg as a starter... Tallied $5.8 \mathrm{ppg}, 2.2 \mathrm{rpg}$ and 2.1 apg in 18.4 mpg overall, shooting $41.9 \%$ from the field, $27.8 \%$ from threepoint range and $73.8 \%$ from the FT line... Closed the season by shooting $48.9 \%$ ( 23 -for- 47 ) in her final 10 outings... The Aug. 7 game vs. Chicago was the 150th of her career; she went over the 3000 -minute mark Aug. 2 at Tulsa... Reached double figures on four occasions, most recently in a 10-point effort July 25 vs. San Antonio... Tied her career highs with seven assists and two blocks July 22 vs. Atlanta... The five steals July 16 vs. Tulsa are a career best; she grabbed a seasonhigh five rebounds July 13 vs. Seattle... Tallied a season-best 17 points July 3 vs. San Antonio; the 32:07 was also a season high... Made her 2014 debut on June 15 vs. Phoenix.

## WNBA CAREER CAPSULE

2013: Played in 33 games, including three starts... The Aug. 18 contest vs. New York was the first she's missed due to injury (right quadriceps contusion) in her Lynx career... Averaged 9.0 ppg as well as career highs in rebounding ( 2.9 rpg ), assists ( 2.3 apg ) and steals ( 1.03 spg ) while logging $22.5 \mathrm{mpg} . .$. Shot $42.8 \%$ from the field and $79.1 \%$ from the FT line, but dipped to a career-low $25.6 \%$ from long distance... Reached double figures on 13 occasions, with Minnesota going 11-2 in those; she also led the Lynx in assists six times... Tallied 10.0 ppg (on $50.0 \%$ shooting) in her final five road contests, compared with 5.6 ppg ( $34.2 \%$ ) in her last seven at Target Center... Led the Lynx with six rebounds and a career-high seven assists Aug. 31 vs . Seattle... Swiped three steals on four occasions, most recently Aug. 4 vs. Seattle... Scored the 1000th point of her career July 24 vs. Phoenix... Pulled in a career-high nine rebounds (in a career-best 39:13) July 11 at Indiana... Started three straight games (July 9-13), scoring 22 points twice (July 9 vs. Atlanta, July 11 at Indiana) to run her career total to seven 20+ outings (five in 2010)... Added 16 points and six rebounds June 11 vs. San Antonio... 2012: Saw action in all 34 games... Averaged 8.6 ppg and 2.4 rpg in 19.4 mpg , and established career highs in assists ( 1.9 apg ) and steals ( 1.03 spg )... Shot a career-best $45.8 \%$ from the floor (ranking 21st in the league), $36.4 \%$ from three-point distance and $74.0 \%$ from the FT line... Started seven times, most recently in the Sept. 14 victory at Indiana; she averaged $9.9 \mathrm{ppg}(52.9 \%), 3.7 \mathrm{rpg}$ and 2.9 apg as a starter ( 28.4 mpg ), with the Lynx going 6-1... Netted a team- and season-high 19 points Sept. 20 at Los Angeles, the second time she was Minnesota's top scorer; the 9 -for-12 effort from the FT line represents career highs in both categories... The Sept. 9 outing at San Antonio was one of 13 double-digit efforts on the year (first since Aug. 21 at Seattle)... Shot just 3 -for34 from the floor in her last five Target Center stints; on the flipside, she hit $55.1 \%$ ( 43 -for- 78 ) over the last 12 on the road... Posted season bests with five assists and three steals July 10 at Tulsa... Saw her run of consecutive made FTs halted at 28 on July 1... Tallied 18 points (logging a career-high 34:34) June 9 at Tulsa, and led the Lynx with five assists May 20 vs. Phoenix... 2011: Appeared in 29 games, missing five (July 29-Aug. 7) due to personal reasons... Logged 13.6 mpg , chipping in 5.1 ppg and 1.6 rpg while shooting $37.9 \%$ from the field and $75.0 \%$ from the FT line... Led Minnesota with a season-high 15 points and a career-high six assists Sept. 11 at Phoenix, one of five double-digit scoring efforts on the year... Played a season-high 26:05 in that contest; the Lynx went $15-2$ when she logged $13+$ minutes... Averaged $6.8 \mathrm{ppg}(40.0 \%)$ and 1.00 spg in 17.5 mpg over the final 13 games; she also attempted 32 free throws in that stretch ( 5.9 per 40 minutes)...Scored 11 of her 13 points in the 4th quarter at Tulsa on Aug. 23... Matched a career best with four steals Aug. 14 vs. Tulsa... Handed out three assists June 30 at Tulsa, and scored 11 points June 5 vs. Los Angeles... 2010: Concluded her first summer in Minnesota by being named to the WNBA's All-Rookie Team... Appeared in all 34 games, starting 24 (the first six and last 18 contests), and averaged $11.1 \mathrm{ppg}, 2.9 \mathrm{rpg}$ and 1.00 spg while logging $25.5 \mathrm{mpg} .$. Ranked 2 nd among rookie scorers, 3rd in rebounds and 3rd in assists ( 1.5 apg ), while leading all first-year players in both three-point accuracy ( $34.0 \%$ ) and FT accuracy ( $81.9 \%$ )... Shot $37.0 \%$ from the floor, but increased that to $45.4 \%$ ( 74 -for-163) -- along with 13.7 ppg -- over the final 14 contests... Also connected on 19 of 45 ( $42.2 \%$ ) from beyond the arc after the All-Star Break, after hitting just 26.5\% through mid-July... Led the Lynx in scoring on five occasions, with 19 double-figure nights (including five 20+ efforts)... Three of the 20 -point outings were against Phoenix; she tallied 22.5 ppg (on $54.1 \%$ shooting) in four games vs. the Mercury... Grabbed a season-high seven rebounds twice (Aug. 17 at Seattle, Aug. 22 at Indiana), and swiped a season-high four steals (while tying her season best with four assists) July 17 vs. Seattle... Her 32-point effort June 1 vs. Phoenix is the 3rd-highest
total in WNBA history for a reserve... She joins Seimone Augustus (13 times), Katie Smith (12) and Betty Lennox (once) as the only players in Lynx history to score 30+; her six 3-pointers vs. Phoenix were one short of Smith's franchise record.

## PLAYOFFS

2014: Appeared in all five postseason games, averaging 4.6 points and 1.2 assists per game. 2013: Appeared off the bench in all seven postseason contests as the Lynx won the 2013 WNBA Championship... Averaged 9.1 points and 4.9 rebounds per game...2012: Appeared in all nine playoff games for the Lynx, averaging 5.6 points and 2.3 rebounds in 19.0 minutes per game... Scored eight points against Los Angeles in Game 2 of the Western Conference Finals, including knocking down the eventual game-winning three-pointer with 1:14 remaining in the fourth quarter to give Minnesota a 80-79 win... 2011: Averaged 2.5 ppg and 1.3 rpg while appearing in all eight playoff games ( 10.6 mpg ).

## INTERNATIONAL

2015: Participated in USA Basketball's Women's National Team mini-camp in Las Vegas, Nevada alongside teammates Seimone Augustus and Maya Moore. 2010: Named to 2010 US Women's Select Team... Participated in 2010 fall training session with U.S.Women's National Team... 2007: Captain of USA Basketball's gold-medal-winning entry at the 2007 FIBA U19 World Championships, held in Bratislava, Slovakia... Averaged 9.8 ppg ( $45.7 \%$ ), 2.4 rpg and 2.0 apg in nine contests.

## OVERSEAS

2013-14: Played six games with KEB Hanabank in WKBL (South Korea)... Averaged 10.2 ppg and 3.7 rpg in $13.7 \mathrm{mpg} . .$. 2012-13: Played with the Dandenong Rangers in the WNBL (Australia)... Averaged 13.9 points and 6.2 rebounds in 23.0 minutes per game for the Rangers... 2011-12: Led the TKBL in scoring, averaging 20.3 ppg (on $42.2 \%$ shooting) and 4.6 rpg in 26 games for Botas... Also scored 16.1 ppg ( $41.5 \%$ ) with 4.6 rpg in 12 EuroCup outings... 2010-11: Played for Lotos Gdynia in Poland, tallying 15.2 ppg ( $44.5 \%$ ), 6.0 rpg and 2.29 spg in 34 PLKK starts... Ranked 6th in the EuroLeague in scoring ( 17.4 ppg ) and 7th in steals ( 2.10 spg ), adding 4.7 rpg and 2.9 apg while shooting $48.3 \%$ in 10 contests...Earned a trip to the EuroLeague All-Star Game as a member of the 'Rest of the World' squad.

## COLLEGE

Three-time (2008-2010) Associated Press All-America selection... 2010 ACC Player of the Year... Three-time All-ACC performer... Supplanted Dawn Staley on Jan. 11, 2010 as the school's all-time scoring leader ( 2,540 )... Third on ACC's alltime scoring list... Averaged 19.1 ppg throughout her career... Holds top two single-season scoring marks in Cavalier history (2010-734; 2009-696)... Increased her scoring average each season over her four-year career, leading the ACC in scoring in 2009-10 with an average of 23.7 ppg, good for seventh nationally... In 2010, joined Dawn Staley as only UVA player with 2,000 points, 700 rebounds, 350 steals and 300 assists... First Cavalier to be named ACC Defensive Player of the Year (2010)... Also named WBCA National Defensive Player of the Year her senior season... Led ACC in steals per game (3.8) in 2010, which ranked second in the nation... Swiped a career-high and school-record 10 steals on Dec. 29, 2009 vs. Liberty... 2008 ACC All-Defensive Team member... A finalist for the Wade Trophy in 2009, and the Naismith Trophy and the Wooden Award in 2009 and 2010... In 2008, set the school's sophomore single-season scoring record (598 points)... ACC Rookie of the Year and ACC All-Freshman Team member in 2007.

## PERSONAL

Born July 15, 1988 in San Antonio, Tex.... Full name is Monica Ashante Wright... Daughter of Garry and Lynette Wright... Has an older brother Gerard... Volunteers at church basketball camps... A Boys \& Girls Club camp counselor... Logged more than 100 hours of community service in a school year... A sociology major at Virginia... Attended Forest Park High School in Dale City, Va. ... Averaged 22.6 points, 9.0 rebounds, 6.8 assists and 4.0 steals per game her senior year... A McDonald's, USA Today, WBCA and Street \& Smith's All-American... The Gatorade Virginia Player of the Year and Associated Press Group AAA Player of the Year in 2006... Ranked the No. 2 guard and No. 11 player overall in the nation coming out of high school... Hopes to attend law school.

