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a - April 30, 2021: The Browns traded 2021 2ns and round picks to Carolina for 2021 2nd and 4th round picks.

b - April 24, 2020: The Browns traded 2020 3rd and 7th round picks to New Orleans for 2020 3rd and 2021 3rd round pick.

c - Oct. 28, 2019: The Browns traded DE Genard Avery to Philadelphia for 2021 4th round pick.

d - May 1, 2021: The Browns traded 2021 4th and 7th round picks to Detroit for 2021 5th and 2022 4th round pick.

e - Oct. 15, 2019: The Browns traded C Austin Corbett to L.A. Rams for 2021 5th round pick.

f - Sept. 3, 2020: The Browns traded 2021 5th round pick to Jacksonville for S Ronnie Harrison.

g - March 20, 2020: The Browns traded 2021 7th round pick to Denver for FB Andy Janovich.



GREG NEWSOME II

6-0, 192 • NORTHWESTERN
5/18/2000 • D1 - '21 • ROOKIE



CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Originally drafted by the Cleveland Browns in the first round (26th overall) of the 2021 NFL Draft.

KEY NOTES

- Played in 21 games from 2018-20 at Northwestern, collecting 71 tackles, 25 pass breakups, one interception and one fumble recovery.
- Named to second team All-America by both Phil Steele and Football Writer Association of America in 2020.
- Received third team Associated Press All-America honors and became a consensus first team All-Big Ten selection.
- Earned CoSIDA Academic All-District honors for his efforts in the classroom as a junior and sophomore.
- Led the Big Ten with 10 passes defended (nine break up and one interception) in 2020.
- Appeared in nine games with eight starts in 2019, making 36 tackles.
- Led the team and ranked second in the Big Ten with 11 pass breakups.
- Appeared in six games with four starts as a first-year defensive back in 2018, making 23 tackles and breaking up four passes.

PERSONAL

- Native of Chicago, Ill. And attended IMG Academy (Bradenton, Fla.), after playing his sophomore and junior seasons at Glenbard North High School (Carol Stream, Ill.).
- Also lettered three times in basketball.



JEREMIAH OWUSU-KORAMOAH



6-2, 221 • NOTRE DAME
11/4/1999 • D2 - '21 • ROOKIE

28 LB

CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Originally drafted by the Cleveland Browns in the second round (52nd overall) of the 2021 NFL Draft.

KEY NOTES

- Played in 27 games with 142 tackles, five forced fumbles, four fumble recoveries and one interception from 2018-20 at Notre Dame.
- Won the Butkus Award and was a unanimous All-America selection in 2020 after registering 62 tackles, 1.5 sacks, three forced fumbles, four fumble recoveries and one interception in 12 games.
- Received All-America First Team nods from the Associated Press, Walter Camp, Sporting News, FWAA and Phil Steele.
- Named ACC Defensive Player of the Year.
- Started all 13 games, while tying for the team lead with 80 tackles in 2019.
- Added 5.5 sacks, four pass breakups, two forced fumbles and two fumble recoveries.
- Played in two games as a sophomore in 2018.
- One of 10 scholarship freshmen who spent the 2017 season on scout team.

PERSONAL

- Native of Hampton, Va. And attended Bethel High School.
- 2016 First Team Virginia High School League All-State.





ANTHONY SCHWARTZ

6-0, 186 • AUBURN
9/5/2000 • D3 - '21 • ROOKIE

LOWR

CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Originally drafted by the Cleveland Browns in the third round (91st overall) of the 2021 NFL Draft.

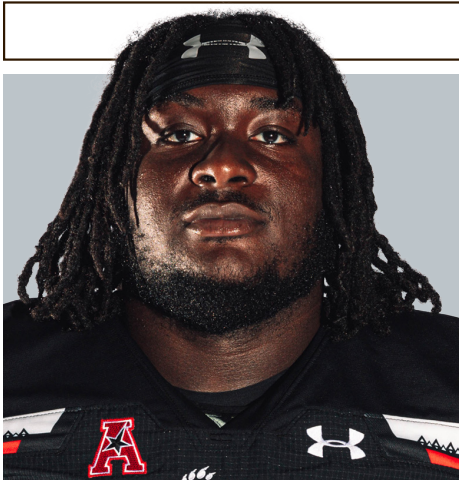
KEY NOTES

- Totaled 1,433 career receiving yards on 117 catches with six touchdowns in 36 games from 2018-20 at Auburn.
- Ranked 10th in career receptions and 17th in career receiving yards in school history.
- Caught 54 passes for 636 yards and three touchdowns, all career highs, as a senior in 2020.
- Posted 41 catches for 440 yards and a touchdown during his junior season in 2019.
- As a freshman in 2018, registered 22 receptions for 357 receiving yards and a pair of touchdowns.
- Also competed in indoor and outdoor track and field at Auburn in 2019 as a sprinter.
- Tied school freshman 60m record in first appearance in an Auburn uniform, taking gold at the Bob Pollock Invitational (indoor) in 6.65.
- Broke school freshman record with 6.59 to finish third at the Tiger Paw Invite (indoor).
- Ranked eighth nationally on the 60m performance list and was the top freshman.

PERSONAL

- Native of Pembroke Pines, Fla. and graduated from American Heritage (Plantation, Fla.).
- Helped the American Heritage Patriots to back-to-back Florida Class 5A state titles.
- Named the Broward County track and field athlete of the year as a junior and an all-USA sprinter.
- Set a world youth record with a 10.15 100m in the 2017 Florida Relays.
- Was the 2018 Gatorade national boys' track and field athlete of the year.
- Won Florida state Class 2A 100m (10.07) and 200m (20.41) in record times.
- At the IAAF U20 world championships in Finland in 2018, took the silver medal in 100m and gold medal in 4x100 relay.
- Majored in business.





JAMES HUDSON III

6-5, 313 • CINCINNATI
5/13/1999 • D4A - '21 • ROOKIE

667

CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Originally drafted by the Cleveland Browns in the fourth round (110th overall) of the 2021 NFL Draft.

KEY NOTES

- Played in 11 games at Cincinnati from 2019-20 after transferring from Michigan (2017-18).
- Received 2020 first-team All-American Athletic Conference honors.
- Helped bookend an offensive line which was tabbed as a semifinalist for the Joe Moore Award.
- Cincinnati averaged an AAC-best 5.6 yards per carry in 2020 and ran for 212.4 yards per game on the ground.
- Cincinnati allowed an AAC-low nine sacks during the regular season in 2020.
- Played in one game in 2019, but sat out the remainder of the season after having a hardship waiver denied following his transfer from Michigan.

PERSONAL

- Native of Toledo, Ohio and attended Central Catholic High School.
- Registered 80 tackles and eight sacks as a senior.
- Recorded 82 tackles and 8.5 sacks as a junior.
- Named to the 2016 Associated Press First Team All-Ohio list.
- Named to the Associated Press Northwest Ohio All-District first team his last two seasons.





TOMMY TOGIAI

6-2, 296 • OHIO STATE
9/19/1999 • D4B - '21 • ROOKIE



CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Originally drafted by the Cleveland Browns in the fourth round (132nd overall) of the 2021 NFL Draft.

KEY NOTES

- Played in 33 games and started seven times for the Buckeyes from 2018-20.
- Named second-team all-Big Ten Conference in 2020 by both the coaches and the media.
- Recorded 49 tackles, three sacks and a forced fumble at Ohio State.
- Notched 8.5 TFLs, including three sacks, in the 2020 win over Penn State.
- Played in seven of team's eight games in 2020 and recorded 23 tackles and three sacks.
- Played in all 14 games in 2019 and finished with 16 tackles.
- Was one of 18 true freshmen who saw playing time in 2018 for the Big Ten and Rose Bowl champion Buckeyes.

PERSONAL

- Native of Pocatello, Idaho and attended Highland High School.





TONY FIELDS II

6-0, 222 • WEST VIRGINIA
6/18/1999 • D5A – '21 • ROOKIE



CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Originally drafted by the Cleveland Browns in the fifth round (153rd overall) of the 2021 NFL Draft.

KEY NOTES

- Played in nine games for West Virginia in 2020, registering 88 tackles, one sack, one interception and three passes defended.
- Finished No. 1 in the Big 12 and No. 27 nationally in tackles per game (9.8).
- Ranked No. 16 in the Big 12 in solo tackles (34).
- Tabbed Big 12 Defensive Newcomer of the Year (Coaches, AP, Heartland), Reese's Senior Bowl All-America First Team, All-Big 12 First Team (Coaches, AP, Heartland) and All-Big 12 Second Team (Phil Steele)
- Transferred to West Virginia from Arizona (2017-19), where he played in 37 games and posted 287 tackles and 8.5 sacks.
- In 2019, was second on the team with 94 tackles, 1.5 sacks, three pass breakups, one interception and one forced fumble.
- As a sophomore in 2018, played in 12 games with 89 tackles and two sacks.
- Played in 13 games as a true freshman in 2017 and led the team with 104 total tackles, the most for a UA freshman in more than 20 years.

PERSONAL

- Native of Las Vegas, Nev. And attended Desert Pines High School.
- Was an All-State First-Team selection as a linebacker his senior season, as well as an All-Sunset League First-Team offense and defense honoree.
- Earned a bachelor's degree in literacy, learning and leadership.



RICHARD LECOUNTE III



5-11, 196 • GEORGIA
9/11/1999 • D5B - '21 • ROOKIE

395

CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Originally drafted by the Cleveland Browns in the fifth round (169th overall) of the 2021 NFL Draft.

KEY NOTES

- Played in 44 games at Georgia, posting 176 tackles, 19 pass breakups, eight interceptions, six fumble recoveries and four forced fumbles.
- Played in six games, starting in five, as a senior in 2020.
- Finished season with 26 total tackles, three interceptions and four pass breakups.
- Missed four games (plus all but the final play of the Cincinnati game) due to injuries sustained in an Oct. 31 traffic accident.
- Co-winner of Defensive Most Improved Player award in his junior season in 2019.
- Saw action in all 14 games and was the team's third-leading tackler with 61 total stops.
- Led the SEC in fumbles recovered with three and was second in interceptions with four
- Notched two interceptions in the Sugar Bowl win over Baylor.
- Caused and recovered a third-quarter Texas A&M fumble and was also the team's leading tackler in the game with seven stops.
- Started 13 of 14 games in 2018 and was the Bulldogs' leading tackler with 74 total stops.
- Appeared in 10 games as a true freshman in 2017.

PERSONAL

- Native of Riceboro, Ga. and attended Liberty County High School (Hinesville, Ga.).
- Was named to the American Family Insurance 2016 USA Today All-USA Team First Team defense and to the 2016 Georgia Sports Writers Association All-State Class AAA First Team defense.
- As a senior, recorded 100 tackles, with two forced fumbles and two interceptions, including one for a touchdown.
- Also caught 39 passes for 800 yards and 17 touchdowns, threw for two touchdowns and rushed for another.
- Also participated in basketball and track and field.
- Majored in sport management.





DEMETRIC FELTON

5-9, 190 • UCLA
7/16/1998 • D6 – '21 • ROOKIE

25 RB

CAREER TRANSACTIONS

Originally drafted by the Cleveland Browns in the sixth round (211th overall) of the 2021 NFL Draft.

KEY NOTES

- Played in 37 games at UCLA, rushing 101 times for 433 yards and two touchdowns.
- Played receiver in his redshirt freshman and sophomore seasons before sitting to running back in 2018.
- Also registered 77 receptions for 799 yards and five touchdowns.
- Topped the Pac-12 and ranked sixth in the nation in all-purpose yards (165.83) per game as a redshirt senior.
- Led the Bruins in rushing with 86 attempts for 331 yards and a score, while ranking 14th in the nation and fourth in the Pac-12 in yards rushing per game (111.13).
- Named first-team all-purpose (AP); first-team running back (PFF); second-team running back (AP); second-team running back (Coaches); second-team running back (Phil Steele).
- Set a UCLA record for running backs with 55 receptions in 2019.
- Set a school record with four scoring plays of at least 75 yards in 2019.
- Named to the Athletic Director's Academic Honor Roll in Fall 2016, Winter 2020 and Spring 2020 quarters.

PERSONAL

- Native of Temecula, Calif. and attended Great Oak High School.
- As a senior, rushed for 1,347 yards on 166 carries and 14 touchdowns, while catching 23 passes for 391 yards and a pair of scores.

