

## SOCON 2025 Preseason All Conference Team

### OFFENSE

|           | 1st TEAM                             | 2nd TEAM                               | 3rd TEAM                              |
|-----------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| <b>QB</b> | Quincy Crittendon, Samford, Sr.      | Taron Dickens, Western Carolina, Soph. | Trey Hedden, Furman, Soph.            |
| <b>RB</b> | Branson Adams, Western Carolina, Sr. | Gavin Hall, Furman, Soph.              | Garrison Johnson, The Citadel, Sr.    |
| <b>RB</b> | Devontae Johnson, ETSU, Sr.          | Autavius Ison, Mercer, Jr.             | Kyle Parsons, Wofford, Sr.            |
| <b>WR</b> | Adonis McDaniel, Mercer, Jr.         | Ephraim Floyd, ETSU, Sr.               | Ethan Harris, Furman, Jr.             |
| <b>WR</b> | Hakeem Meggett, ETSU,                | Jai Boyd, Western Carolina, Soph.      | Xavier Gaillardetz, ETSU, Jr.         |
| <b>WR</b> | Adjatay Dabbs, Mercer, Soph.         | Isaiah Scott, Wofford, Soph.           | Malik Knight, Western Carolina, Soph. |
| <b>TE</b> | Jackson Pryor, Furman, Soph.         | John McIntyre, Chattanooga, Soph.      | Malik Simmons, Mercer, Sr.            |
| <b>OL</b> | Luke Petit, Furman, Sr.              | Mason Howard, Wofford, Jr.             | Luke Moise, Wofford, Soph.            |
| <b>OL</b> | Mike Bartilucci, The Citadel, Sr.    | B.J. Ragland, Chattanooga, Sr.         | Eli Brasher, Furman, Jr.              |
| <b>OL</b> | Quincy Hughes, Wofford, Sr.          | Tyler Murray, Mercer, Soph.            | Micah Sumpter, ETSU, Jr.              |
| <b>OL</b> | Xavier Jennings, Mercer, Sr.         | Jonathan Cline, ETSU, Soph.            | Ashton Flinn, ETSU, Sr.               |
| <b>OL</b> | Will McCraw, ETSU, Sr.               | Jamari Freeman, Mercer, Jr.            | Amarii Atchison, Mercer, Soph.        |

### DEFENSE

|           | 1st TEAM                                   | 2nd TEAM                              | 3rd TEAM                                      |
|-----------|--------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| <b>DL</b> | Andrew Zock, Mercer, Soph.                 | Marion Smokes, Wofford, Soph.         | Brenden LeBlanc, ETSU, Jr.                    |
| <b>DL</b> | Nick Hunter, ETSU, Sr.                     | Caleb Fisher, Western Carolina, Sr.   | Ty Kauserud, Furman, Soph.                    |
| <b>DL</b> | Conroy Cunningham II, Samford, Sr.         | Micah Nelson, Western Carolina, Sr.   | Jacob Moore, VMI, Jr.                         |
| <b>DL</b> | Chris Iverson, The Citadel, Sr.            | Brandon Maina, Wofford, Sr.           | Caden Cameese, Mercer, Jr.                    |
| <b>LB</b> | Jaden Mosley, Samford, Sr.                 | TY Anderson, ETSU, Sr.                | Raleigh Herbert, Furman, Soph.                |
| <b>LB</b> | Hayward McQueen Jr., Western Carolina, Sr. | Ryan Earl, Furman, Soph.              | Zion Rutledge, Chattanooga, Jr.               |
| <b>LB</b> | Blue Monroe, Western Carolina, Jr.         | Jalen Rambert, Wofford, Soph.         | Stephen Dean III, VMI, Jr.                    |
| <b>LB</b> | Je'Mazin Roberts, The Citadel, Jr.         | Teddy Wilson, ETSU, Sr.               | Ryan McKinnis, Western Carolina, Soph.        |
| <b>DB</b> | CJ Coombes, Wofford, Soph.                 | Cale Williams, The Citadel, Sr.       | Maximus Pulley, Wofford, Sr.                  |
| <b>DB</b> | Ken Moore Jr., Western Carolina, Jr.       | Jimmy Bowdry, ETSU, Sr.               | Bo Simpson-Nealy Jr., Western Carolina, Soph. |
| <b>DB</b> | Caleb Williams, Furman, Sr.                | Samaurie Dukes, Western Carolina, Sr. | Ed Jones IV, Western Carolina, Sr.            |
| <b>DB</b> | Donovan Watkins, Mercer, Soph.             | Kouri Crump, VMI, Jr.                 | Jeremiah Batiste, Chattanooga, Jr.            |

### SPECIAL TEAMS

|           | 1st TEAM                       | 2nd TEAM                          | 3rd TEAM                            |
|-----------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| <b>K</b>  | Reice Griffith, Mercer, Jr.    | Ian Williams, Furman, Sr.         | Jude Kelley, Chattanooga, Sr.       |
| <b>P</b>  | James Platte, The Citadel, Sr. | John McConnell, Mercer, Sr.       | Nate Brackett, ETSU, Sr.            |
| <b>KR</b> | Brayden Smith, Mercer, Jr.     | Kyle Parsons, Wofford, Sr.        | Braylon Knaught, The Citadel, Soph. |
| <b>PR</b> | Brayden Smith, Mercer, Jr.     | AJ Colombo, Western Carolina, Sr. | Xavier Gaillardetz, ETSU, Jr.       |
| <b>AP</b> | Brayden Smith, Mercer, Jr.     | AJ Colombo, Western Carolina, Sr. | Kyle Parsons, Wofford, Sr.          |
| <b>LS</b> | Alex Applefield, Samford, Sr.  | Brock Winstead, ETSU, Jr.         | Blake Shirley, Wofford, Jr.         |

**2025 SOCON PRESEASON OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR:** RB Devontae Johnson, ETSU, Sr.

**2025 SOCON PRESEASON DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR:** DE Andrew Zock, Mercer, Soph.