

Coach (Alma Mater) (Colleges Coached, Tenure)	Yrs.	W	L	T	Pct.†
14. *Larry Kehres (Mount Union 1971)..... (Mount Union 1986-07)	22	260	21	3	.921
15. Frank Girardi (West Chester 1961)..... (Lycoming 1972-07)	36	257	97	5	.723
LaVell Edwards (Utah St. 1952)..... (BYU 1972-00)	29	257	101	3	.716
17. Tom Osborne (Hastings 1959)..... (Nebraska 1973-97)	25	255	49	3	.836
Jim Malosky (Minnesota 1951)..... (Minn. Duluth 1958-97)	40	255	125	13	.665
19. Lou Holtz (Kent St. 1959)..... (William & Mary 1969-71, North Carolina St. 1972-75, Arkansas 1977-83, Minnesota 1984-85, Notre Dame 1986-96, South Carolina 1999-04)	33	249	132	7	.651
20. Mike Kelly (Manchester 1970)..... (Dayton 1981-07)	27	246	54	1	.819
21. Woody Hayes (Denison 1935)..... (Denison 1946-48, Miami [Ohio] 1949-50, Ohio St. 1951-78)	33	238	72	10	.759
22. Billy Joe (Villanova 1963)..... (Cheyney 1972-78, Central St. [Ohio] 1981-93, Florida A&M 1994-04)	31	237	108	4	.685
#John A. Merritt (Kentucky St. 1950)..... (Jackson St. 1952-62, Tennessee St. 1963-83)	32	235	70	12	.760
24. Bo Schembechler (Miami [Ohio] 1951)..... (Miami [Ohio] 1963-68, Michigan 1969-89)	27	234	65	8	.775
25. Arnett W. Mumford (Wilberforce 1924)..... (Jarvis Christian 1924-26, Bishop 1927-29, Texas Col. 1931-35, Southern U. 1936-42, 44-61)	36	233	85	23	.717
26. Hayden Fry (Baylor 1951)..... (SMU 1962-72, North Texas 1973-78, Iowa 1979-98)	37	232	178	10	.564
27. Fred T. Long (Millikin 1918)..... (Paul Quinn 1921-22, Wiley 1923-47, Prairie View 1948, Texas Col. 1949-55, Wiley 1956-65)	45	227	151	31	.593
28. *Bob Ford (Springfield 1959)..... (St. Lawrence 1965-68, Albany [N.Y.] 1973-07)	39	225	162	1	.581
29. Gene Carpenter (Huron 1963)..... (Adams St. 1968, Millersville 1970-00)	32	219	89	6	.707
@Ron Harms (Valparaiso 1959)..... (Concordia [Neb.] 1964-69, Adams St. 1970-73, Tex. A&M-Kingsville 1979-99)	31	219	112	4	.660
*Willard Bailey (Norfolk St. 1962)..... (Virginia Union 1971-83, Norfolk St. 1984-92, Virginia Union 1995-03, St. Paul's 2005-07)	34	219	132	7	.622
32. Ron Randleman (William Penn 1964)..... (William Penn 1969-75, Pittsburg St. 1976-81, Sam Houston St. 1982-04)	36	218	167	6	.565
33. Jim Christopherson (Concordia-M'head 1960)..... (Concordia-M'head 1969-00)	32	217	102	7	.676
Fred Martinelli (Otterbein 1951)..... (Ashland 1959-93)	35	217	119	12	.641
35. Bill Manlove (Temple 1958)..... (Widener 1969-91, Delaware Valley 1992-95, La Salle 1997-01)	33	215	111	1	.659
36. *Frank Beamer (Virginia Tech 1969)..... (Murray St. 1981-86, Virginia Tech 1987-07)	27	209	108	4	.657
*Dennis Douds (Slippery Rock 1963)..... (East Stroudsburg 1974-07)	34	209	140	3	.598
Peter Mazzaferro (Centre 1954)..... (Waynesburg 1959-62, Curry 1963, Bridgewater St. 1968-86, 88-04)	41	209	157	11	.569
39. *Jim Tressel (Baldwin-Wallace 1975)..... (Youngstown St. 1986-00, Ohio St. 2001-07)	22	208	73	2	.739
40. Jess Neely (Vanderbilt 1924)..... (Rhodes 1924-27, Clemson 1931-39, Rice 1940-66)	40	207	176	19	.539
41. Jim Butterfield (Maine 1953)..... (Ithaca 1967-93)	27	206	71	1	.743
42. Bud Elliott (Baker 1953)..... (Southwestern [Kan.] 1964-68, Washburn 1969-70, Emporia St. 1971-73, Texas-Arlington 1974-83, Northwest Mo. St. 1988-93, Eastern N.M. 1994-04)	37	205	179	9	.533
43. Alonzo S. Jake Gaither (Knoxville 1927)..... (Florida A&M 1945-69)	25	204	36	4	.844
44. *Mel Tjeerdsma (Southern St. 1967)..... (Austin 1984-93, Northwest Mo. St. 1994-07)	24	203	77	4	.722
Warren Woodson (Baylor 1924)..... (Conway St. 1935-40, Hardin-Simmons 1941-42, 46-51, Arizona 1952-56, New Mexico St. 1958-67, Trinity [Tex.] 1972-73)	31	203	95	14	.673
Cleveland L. Abbott (South Dakota St. 1916).... (Tuskegee 1923-54)	32	203	96	28	.664

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47. Don Nehlen (Bowling Green 1958)..... (Bowling Green 1968-76, West Virginia 1980-00)	30	202	128	8	.609
48. Vince Dooley (Auburn 1954)..... (Georgia 1964-88)	25	201	77	10	.715
Eddie Anderson (Notre Dame 1922)..... (Loras 1922-24, DePaul 1925-31, Holy Cross 1933-38, Iowa 1939-42, 46-49, Holy Cross 1950-64)	39	201	128	15	.606
Keith W. Piper (Baldwin-Wallace 1948)..... (Denison 1954-92)	39	201	141	18	.583

*Active coach. †Ties computed as half won and half lost. #Tennessee State's participation in 1981 and 1982 FCS championships (1-2 record) vacated by action of the NCAA Committee on Infractions. @Texas A&M-Kingsville's participation in the 1996, 1997 and 1998 Division II championships (2-3 record) vacated by action of the NCAA Committee on Infractions.

Winningest Active Coaches

BY PERCENTAGE

This list includes all coaches with at least five seasons at four-year colleges (regardless of division or association). Bowl and playoff games included.

Coach, College	Years	W	L	T	Pct.†
1. Larry Kehres, Mount Union	22	260	21	3	.921
2. Jim Purtil, St. Norbert	9	84	13	0	.866
3. Mike Sirianni, Wash. & Jeff.	5	50	8	0	.862
4. Pete Carroll, Southern California	7	76	14	0	.844
5. Chris Hatcher, Ga. Southern	8	83	16	0	.838
6. Chuck Broyles, Pittsburg St.	18	182	39	2	.821
7. Urban Meyer, Florida	7	70	16	0	.814
8. Joe Finchem, Wittenberg	12	108	25	0	.812
9. Chris Creighton, Drake	11	95	22	0	.812
10. Ken Sparks, Carson-Newman	28	269	63	2	.808
11. Bob Stoops, Oklahoma	9	89	22	0	.802
12. Mark Richt, Georgia	7	72	19	0	.791
13. Bobby Hauck, Montana	5	52	14	0	.788
14. John Gagliardi, St. John's (Minn.)	59	453	122	11	.782
15. Craig Bohl, North Dakota St.	5	43	12	0	.782
16. Myron Schulz, Mary	9	75	22	0	.773
17. Jimmie Keeling, Hardin-Simmons	18	149	45	0	.768
18. Mike Swider, Wheaton (Ill.)	12	96	29	0	.768
19. Phillip Fulmer, Tennessee	16	147	45	0	.766
20. Bryan Collins, C.W. Post	10	84	26	0	.764
21. Pete Fredenburg, Mary Hardin-Baylor	10	87	27	0	.763
22. Bill Zwaan, West Chester	11	99	31	0	.762
23. Bobby Bowden, Florida St.	42	373	119	4	.756
24. Dale Lennon, Southern Ill.	11	102	33	0	.756
25. John Luckhardt, California (Pa.)	23	182	59	2	.753

†Ties computed as half won and half lost.

BY VICTORIES

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1. John Gagliardi, St. John's (Minn.)	59	453	122	11	.782
2. Bobby Bowden, Florida St.	42	373	119	4	.756
3. Joe Paterno, Penn St.	42	372	125	3	.747
4. Ken Sparks, Carson-Newman	28	269	63	2	.808
5. Larry Kehres, Mount Union	22	260	21	3	.921
6. Bob Ford, Albany (N.Y.)	39	225	162	1	.581
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Dennis Douds, East Stroudsburg	34	209	140	3	.598
10. Jim Tressel, Ohio St.	22	208	73	2	.739
11. Mel Tjeerdsma, Northwest Mo. St.	24	203	77	4	.722
12. Joe Taylor, Florida A&M	25	197	76	4	.718
13. Al Bagnoli, Penn	26	194	69	0	.738
Jerry Moore, Appalachian St.	26	194	118	2	.621
15. Chris Ault, Nevada	23	191	85	1	.691
16. Mack Brown, Texas	24	189	99	1	.656
17. Eric Hamilton, TCNJ	31	188	118	6	.612
18. Walt Hameline, Wagner	27	186	97	2	.656
19. Joe Glenn, Wyoming	23	183	93	1	.662
20. Chuck Broyles, Pittsburg St.	18	182	39	2	.821
John Luckhardt, California (Pa.)	23	182	59	2	.753
Rob Ash, Montana St.	28	182	104	5	.634
Andy Talley, Villanova	28	182	116	2	.610
Jimmye Laycock, William & Mary	28	182	134	2	.575
25. Monte Cater, Shepherd	27	179	95	2	.652

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