

HOUSTON COUGARS

The Houston Cougars have become a regular before the television cameras again as they played before cable and national television audiences 23 times since 1997. The Cougars should be even more nationally exposed, with Conference USA signing a new multi-million dollar deal with both ESPN and CSTV, as well as Houston's local regional syndicated package.

Through Conference USA's television package with both ESPN and CSTV, as well as Houston's local regional syndicated package, the Cougars will once again be on the airwaves in 2006. With the new ESPN-Conference USA deal, college football will be seen on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays this fall. Conference USA games also will be broadcast nationally on Thursday nights and Saturday afternoons.

The Cougars are slated to face both Rice and Oklahoma State on nationally-televised CSTV broadcasts this fall. UH also will occasionally broadcast its road games not picked up by the national networks or ESPN back to Houston for live showing. A television partner with the Cougars in 2006 will be announced at a later date.



TV Totals

Overall:	38-67-3	National:	15-31-2	Regional:	23-36-1
ABC:	14-10-2	ABC:	5-2-1	ABC:	9-8-1
ESPN:	5-16-1	ESPN:	4-16-1	RAYCOM:	10-15-0
CBS:	2-4-0	CBS:	2-3-0	FOX SPORTS:	2-5-0
RAYCOM:	10-16-0	CSTV:	1-2-0	Other:	2-8-0
Other:	7-18-0	Other:	3-8-0		

Date	Opponent	Site	Score	W/L/T	Network	Bowl
09/11/65	Tulsa	Astrodome	0-14	L	NBC*	
11/01/69	Miami (Fla.)	Astrodome	38-36	W	ABC	
12/31/69	Auburn	Astrodome	36-7	W	Hughes*	Bluebonnet
11/26/70	Florida State	Tallahassee	53-21	W	ABC*	
12/05/70	Miami (Fla.)	Miami	36-3	W	ABC	
12/31/71	Colorado	Astrodome	17-29	L	Hughes*	Bluebonnet
09/16/72	Arizona State	Astrodome	28-33	L	ABC*	
12/29/73	Tulane	Astrodome	47-7	W	ABC*	Bluebonnet
09/21/74	Miami (Fla.)	Astrodome	3-20	L	ABC	
12/23/74	N.C. State	Astrodome	31-31	T	ABC*	Bluebonnet
09/11/76	Baylor	Waco	23-5	W	ABC	
11/20/76	Texas Tech	Lubbock	27-19	W	ABC	
01/01/77	Maryland	Dallas	30-21	W	CBS*	Cotton
09/12/77	UCLA	Astrodome	17-13	W	ABC*	
12/03/77	Texas A&M	College Station	7-27	L	ABC	
01/01/79	Notre Dame	Dallas	34-35	L	CBS*	Cotton
10/27/79	Arkansas	Fayetteville	13-10	W	ABC*	
11/23/79	Texas Tech	Astrodome	14-10	W	ABC*	
01/01/80	Nebraska	Dallas	17-14	W	CBS*	Cotton
10/18/80	SMU	Dallas	13-11	W	ABC	
11/22/80	Texas Tech	Lubbock	34-7	W	ESPN*	
11/29/80	Rice	Astrodome	7-35	L	ABC	
12/14/80	Navy	E. Rutherford	35-0	W	Mizlou*	Garden State
09/05/81	New Mexico	Astrodome	21-10	W	ESPN	
10/03/81	Baylor	Astrodome	24-3	W	ABC	
10/10/81	Texas A&M	College Station	6-7	L	ESPN*	
10/31/81	TCU	Ft. Worth	20-16	W	ABC	
11/07/81	Texas	Astrodome	14-14	T	ESPN*	
12/26/81	Oklahoma	El Paso	14-40	L	CBS*	Sun
09/11/82	Miami (Fla.)	Miami	12-31	L	ABC	
09/18/82	Arizona State	Astrodome	10-24	L	ESPN*	
10/02/82	Baylor	Waco	21-21	T	ABC	
10/16/82	SMU	Dallas	14-20	L	USA*	
10/23/82	Arkansas	Astrodome	3-38	L	CBS	
11/06/82	Texas	Austin	0-50	L	ESPN*	
11/03/84	TCU	Astrodome	14-21	L	RC	
11/10/84	Texas	Austin	29-15	W	RC	
01/01/85	Boston College	Dallas	28-45	L	CBS*	Cotton
10/05/85	Baylor	Astrodome	21-24	L	HSE	
10/19/85	SMU	Astrodome	13-37	L	HSE	
10/26/85	Arkansas	Little Rock	27-57	L	USA/RC*	
11/09/85	Texas	Astrodome	24-34	L	RC	
11/29/86	Rice	Rice Stadium	13-14	L	RC	
09/12/87	Oklahoma State	Astrodome	0-35	L	RC	
11/28/87	Rice	Rice Stadium	45-21	W	RC	
10/01/88	Baylor	Waco	27-24	W	RC	
10/22/88	Arkansas	Astrodome	21-26	L	RC	
11/05/88	Texas	Austin	66-15	W	RC	
11/12/88	Wyoming	Astrodome	34-10	W	ESPN*	
11/26/88	Rice	Astrodome	45-14	W	RC	
12/25/88	Washington State	Honolulu	22-24	L	ABC*	Aloha
09/13/90	Texas Tech	Lubbock	51-35	W	ESPN*	
10/06/90	Baylor	Waco	31-15	W	RC	
10/27/90	Arkansas	Astrodome	62-28	W	RC/PRIME	
11/10/90	Texas	Austin	24-45	L	ESPN*	
12/01/90	Arizona State	Tokyo, Japan	62-45	W	TBS*	
09/12/91	Miami (Fla.)	Miami	10-40	L	ESPN*	
09/21/91	Illinois	Champaign	10-51	L	ABC	
11/09/91	Texas	Astrodome	23-14	W	ABC	
11/30/91	Texas Tech	Astrodome	46-52	L	RC	

Date	Opponent	Site	Score	W/L/T	Network	Bowl
09/19/92	Illinois	Astrodome	31-13	W	ABC	
09/26/92	Michigan	Ann Arbor	7-61	L	ABC	
10/17/92	Baylor	Waco	23-29	L	RC	
10/24/92	Texas	Austin	30-38	L	RC	
11/12/92	Texas A&M	Astrodome	30-38	L	ESPN*	
11/28/92	Rice	Astrodome	61-34	W	RC	
09/04/93	USC	Los Angeles	7-49	L	ABC	
10/02/93	Baylor	Astrodome	24-3	W	RC	
10/09/93	Texas A&M	College Station	10-34	L	RC	
11/04/93	Texas	Astrodome	16-34	L	ESPN*	
11/26/93	Rice	Rice Stadium	7-37	L	ABC	
10/15/94	SMU	Dallas	39-33	W	RC	
11/12/94	Texas	Austin	13-48	L	RC	
11/19/94	Texas Tech	San Antonio	0-34	L	RC	
11/26/94	Rice	Astrodome	13-31	L	RC	
09/16/95	USC	Los Angeles	10-45	L	PRIME	
10/07/95	TCU	Fort Worth	21-31	L	RC	
10/25/95	Texas Tech	Astrodome	26-38	L	RC	
09/21/96	USC	Astrodome	9-26	L	FOX	
10/26/96	North Carolina	Astrodome	14-42	L	FSN	
11/16/96	Louisville	Astrodome	38-7	W	FSN	
12/27/96	Syracuse	Memphis	17-30	L	ESPN*	Liberty
08/30/97	Alabama	Tuscaloosa	17-42	L	JP	
09/06/97	California	Astrodome	3-35	L	FSN	
09/13/97	Pittsburgh	Robertson	24-35	L	FSN	
09/27/97	UCLA	Los Angeles	10-66	L	FSW	
10/18/97	Cincinnati	Robertson	41-38	W	FSN	
11/15/97	Southern Miss	Hattiesburg	0-33	L	FSN	
11/22/97	Tulane	Astrodome	10-44	L	FSN	
09/12/98	Minnesota	Robertson	7-14	L	MSC	
09/19/98	UCLA	Robertson	24-42	L	FX	
10/31/98	East Carolina	Greenville	34-31	W	FSS	
11/21/98	Tulane	New Orleans	20-48	L	FSS	
09/11/99	Alabama	Birmingham	10-37	L	JP	
10/30/99	East Carolina	O'Quinn Field	3-19	L	FSN*	
09/23/00	Texas	Austin	0-48	L	FSN*	
11/11/00	East Carolina	Greenville	20-62	L	FSN*	
09/22/01	Texas	O'Quinn Field	26-53	L	ESPN2*	
09/29/01	TCU	O'Quinn Field	17-34	L	ESPN Regional	
11/03/01	South Florida	Tampa	6-45	L	FSS	
09/21/02	Texas	Austin	11-41	L	FSN*	
11/23/02	South Florida	O'Quinn Field	14-32	L	FSS	
09/06/03	Michigan	Ann Arbor	3-50	L	ESPN*	
09/30/03	East Carolina	Greenville	27-13	W	ESPN2*	
10/25/03	TCU	O'Quinn Field	55-62	L	ESPN Regional	
11/15/03	Army	West Point	34-14	W	RNN	
12/25/03	Hawai'i	Honolulu	48-54 (3OT)	L	ESPN*	Hawai'i
09/11/04	Oklahoma	Norman	13-63	L	TBS*	
09/23/04	Miami (Fla.)	Reliant	13-38	L	ESPN*	
10/07/04	Southern Miss	Hattiesburg	29-35 (OT)	L	ESPN*	
09/01/05	Oregon	Reliant	24-38	L	ESPN2*	
09/16/05	UTEP	El Paso	41-44 (OT)	L	ESPN2*	
10/08/05	Tulane	Lafayette	35-14	W	PAX*	
10/15/05	Memphis	O'Quinn Field	20-35	L	CSTV*	
11/05/05	UCF	Orlando	29-31	L	PAX*	
12/23/05	Kansas	Fort Worth	13-42	L	ESPN*	Fort Worth

*Nationally televised: FSN-Fox Sports Net; FSW-Fox Sports West; JP-Jefferson Pilot; RC-Raycom; HSE-Home Sports Entertainment; USA-USA Network; MSC-Midwest Sports Channel; FX-Fox Cable Network; FSS-Fox Sports South; RNN-Regional News Network; TBS-Turner Broadcasting Station; PAX-PAX Network; CSTV-College Sports Television

COUGARS ON TELEVISION

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YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS

Year	Coach	Captain(s)	Overall				Nat'l. Rank [^]	Conference			
			W	L	T	Pct.		W	L	T	Finish
1946	Jewell Wallace	Bill Cook, Tony Ditta	4	6	0	.400	-	1	4	0	5th
1947	Jewell Wallace	Boyd Tingle, Evan Weaver	3	8	0	.273	-	0	6	0	7th
1948	Clyde Lee	Cecil Towns, Jack Gwin	5	6	0	.454	-	3	3	0	4th
1949	Clyde Lee	Aubrey Baker, Cecil Towns	5	4	1	.550	-	1	2	0	3rd
1950	Clyde Lee	Bill Moeller, Max Clark	4	6	0	.400	-	-	-	-	-
1951*	Clyde Lee	Gene Shannon, John O'Hara, Buck Miller	6	5	0	.545	-	2	2	0	4th
1952	Clyde Lee	Howard Clapp, John Carroll, J.D. Kimmell	8	2	0	.800	-	3	0	0	1st
1953	Clyde Lee	Buddy Gillioz, Paul Carr	4	4	1	.500	-	1	2	0	3rd
1954	Clyde Lee	Jack Patterson, George Hynes	5	5	0	.500	-	3	1	0	2nd
1955	Bill Meek	Jim Blackstone, Lavell Isbell	6	4	0	.600	-	2	2	0	3rd
1956	Bill Meek	Don Flynn, Ken Wind	7	2	1	.750	-	4	0	0	1st
1957	Hal Lahar	Mike Michon, Bob Blevins	5	4	1	.550	-	3	0	1	1st
1958	Hal Lahar	Hogan Wharton, Harold Lewis, Don Brown	5	4	0	.555	-	2	2	0	3rd
1959	Hal Lahar	Claude King, Howard Evans	3	7	0	.300	-	3	1	0	1st
1960	Hal Lahar	Wiley Feagin, Jim Kuehne, Jim Windham	6	4	0	.600	-	-	-	-	-
1961	Hal Lahar	Ken Bolin, Bill Brown, Joe Bob Isbell	5	4	1	.550	-	-	-	-	-
1962*	Bill Yeoman	Billy Roland, Bobby Brezina	7	4	0	.636	-	-	-	-	-
1963	Bill Yeoman	Clem Beard, Demaree Jones, Frank Brewer	2	8	0	.200	-	-	-	-	-
1964	Bill Yeoman	Horst Paul	2	6	1	.278	-	-	-	-	-
1965	Bill Yeoman	Cotton Guerrant	4	5	1	.450	-	-	-	-	-
1966	Bill Yeoman	Dick Post	8	2	0	.800	19 (U)	-	-	-	-
1967	Bill Yeoman	Royce Berry	7	3	0	.700	16, 19	-	-	-	-
1968	Bill Yeoman	Jerry Gardner, Bill Cloud, Paul Gipson	6	2	2	.700	18 (A)	-	-	-	-
1969*	Bill Yeoman	Jim Strong, Jerry Drones	9	2	0	.818	12, 14	-	-	-	-
1970	Bill Yeoman	Craig Robinson, Charlie Hall, Richard Harrington	8	3	0	.727	19, 13	-	-	-	-
1971*	Bill Yeoman	Robert Newhouse, Gary Mullins, Frank Ditta	9	3	0	.750	17, 14	-	-	-	-
1972	Bill Yeoman	Puddin' Jones, Randy Peacock, David Bourquin	6	4	1	.591	-	-	-	-	-
1973*	Bill Yeoman	Ken Baugh, D.C. Nobles, Deryl McGallion	11	1	0	.917	9, 11	-	-	-	-
1974*	Bill Yeoman	Bubba Broussard, Robert Giblin, Mack Mitchell	8	3	1	.708	19, 11	-	-	-	-
1975	Bill Yeoman	Paul Humphreys, Wilson Whitley	2	8	0	.200	-	-	-	-	-
1976*	Bill Yeoman	Paul Humphreys, Wilson Whitley, Val Belcher	10	2	0	.833	4, 4	7	1	0	t 1st
1977	Bill Yeoman	Danny Davis, Ramon Rosales, Kevin Rollwage, Vincent Greenwood	6	5	0	.545	-	4	4	0	t 4th
1978*	Bill Yeoman	Danny Davis, David Hodge, Jim Wells	9	3	0	.750	9, 11	7	1	0	1st
1979*	Bill Yeoman	David Hodge, Delrick Brown, Jim Wells	11	1	0	.917	5, 5	7	1	0	t 1st
1980*	Bill Yeoman	Terry Elston, Steve Bradham	7	5	0	.583	-	5	3	0	t 2nd
1981*	Bill Yeoman	Grady Turner	7	4	1	.625	-	5	2	1	3rd
1982	Bill Yeoman	Maceo Fifer, Greg Harmon, Weedy Harris	5	5	1	.500	-	4	3	1	4th
1983	Bill Yeoman	Eugene Lockhart, Duane Losack, Dwyane Love	4	7	0	.364	-	3	5	0	7th
1984*	Bill Yeoman	Audrey McMillian, Ray Rogers, Bryant Winn	7	5	0	.583	-	6	2	0	t 1st
1985	Bill Yeoman	Todd Schoppe, T.J. Turner	4	7	0	.364	-	3	5	0	5th
1986	Bill Yeoman	Robby Brezina	1	10	0	.091	-	0	8	0	9th
1987	Jack Pardee	Gary McGuire, Robert Jones, Tim Britton	4	6	1	.409	-	2	4	1	7th
1988*	Jack Pardee	Jet Brown, William Gant, Johnny Jackson, Keith Jenkins	9	3	0	.750	18 (A)	5	2	0	2nd
1989	Jack Pardee	Kimble Anders, Joey Banes, Tyrone Jones, Alton Montgomery	9	2	0	.818	14, 14	5	2	0	2nd
1990	John Jenkins	Reggie Burnette, Manny Hazard, Jason Jessup, Chuck Weatherspoon	10	1	0	.909	10, 12	7	1	0	2nd
1991	John Jenkins	Roman Anderson, David Klingler, Glenn Cadrez	4	7	0	.364	-	3	5	0	7th
1992	John Jenkins	Eric Blount, Freddie Gilbert, Chris Pezman, Jason Youngblood	4	7	0	.364	-	2	5	0	t 6th
1993	Kim Helton	Ryan McCoy, Jimmy Klingler	1	9	1	.136	-	1	5	1	t 7th
1994	Kim Helton	Clay Helton, Mike Meux, Billy Milner, Alfred Young	1	10	0	.091	-	1	6	0	6th
1995	Kim Helton	Larkay James, Thomas McGaughey, Chad O'Shea, Gerome Williams	2	9	0	.182	-	2	5	0	5th
1996*	Kim Helton	Gary Haynes, Antowain Smith, Charles West	7	5	0	.583	-	4	1	0	t 1st
1997	Kim Helton	Keon Banks, Jay McGuire, Mike Parker	3	8	0	.273	-	2	4	0	t4th
1998	Kim Helton	Jason deGroot, Jerrian James, Micah Malone	3	8	0	.273	-	2	4	0	t5th
1999	Kim Helton	Kelric Sanford, Mike James, Jeff Medford	7	4	0	.636	-	3	3	0	6th
2000	Dana Dimel	Jason McKinley, Mike Clark, Wayne Rogers, Josh Lovelady	3	8	0	.273	-	2	5	0	7th
2001	Dana Dimel	J. Beauford, J. Parker, Hm. Milligan, O. Iglesias, C.deGroot	0	11	0	.000	-	0	7	0	10th
2002	Dana Dimel	Braxton, Hadnot, Hill, Milligan, Reynolds, C. Robertson, Sowell	5	7	0	.417	-	3	5	0	8th
2003*	Art Briles	Chosen prior to each game	7	6	0	.538	-	4	4	0	T4th
2004	Art Briles	Chosen prior to each game	3	8	0	.273	-	3	5	0	T6th
2005*	Art Briles	Chosen prior to each game	6	6	0	.500	-	4	4	0	3rd/W
Totals	10 Coaches		329	308	15	.516		134	137	5	

*Record includes bowl game. ^Final national ranking according to Associated Press (A) and United Press International (U) or USA Today/CNN Coaches' polls. Where two numbers are listed, AP finish is indicated first.

UH Conference History

League	Years	Seasons	W	L	T	Pct.	Titles	League	Years	Seasons	W	L	T	Pct.	Titles
Lone Star	1946-48	3	4	13	0	.235	0	Southwest	1976-95	20	79	70	4	.529	4
Gulf Coast	1949	1	1	2	0	.333	0	Conference USA	1996-	10	27	45	0	.359	1
Missouri Valley	1951-59	9	23	10	1	.691	4	Total		43	134	137	5	.495	9

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Jewell Wallace
1946-47



Clyde Lee
1948-54



Bill Meek
1955-56



Harold Lahar
1957-61



Bill Yeoman
1962-86



Jack Pardee
1987-89



John Jenkins
1990-92



Kim Helton
1993-99



Dana Dimel
2000-03



Art Briles
2003-

COACHES YEAR-BY-YEAR

Coach	Alma Mater	Yrs	Overall				Yrs	Titles	Conference			Pct.	League
			W	L	T	Pct.			W	L	T		
Jewell Wallace	TCU '34	2	7	14	0	.333	2	0	1	10	0	.091	Lone Star
Clyde Lee	Centenary '32	7	37	32	2	.535	7	1	13	10	0	.565	Overall
							1	0	3	3	0	.500	Lone Star
							1	0	1	2	0	.333	Gulf Coast
							4	1	9	5	0	.643	MVC
Bill Meek	Tennessee '43	2	13	6	1	.675	2	1	6	2	0	.750	MVC
Harold Lahar	Oklahoma '41	5	24	23	2	.510	3	2	8	3	1	.708	MVC
Bill Yeoman	Army '50	25	160	108	8	.597	11	4	51	35	2	.591	SWC
Jack Pardee	Texas A&M '57	3	22	11	1	.662	3	0	12	8	1	.595	SWC
John Jenkins	Arkansas '73	3	18	15	0	.545	3	0	12	11	0	.522	SWC
Kim Helton	Florida '70	7	24	53	1	.314	7	1	15	28	1	.352	Overall
							3	0	4	16	1	.214	SWC
							4	1	11	12	0	.478	C-USA
Dana Dimel	Kansas State '86	3	8	26	0	.235	3	0	5	17	0	.227	C-USA
Art Briles	Texas Tech '79	3	16	20	0	.444	3	0	11	13	0	.458	C-USA
Totals	1946-2005	60	329	308	15	.516	44	9	134	137	5	.495	

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JEWELL WALLACE



The first head coach in UH Football history, Jewell Wallace's teams made their presence known in the State of Texas, defeating West Texas State and Stephen F. Austin and Texas A&I in the Cougars' first year of existence.

1946

Overall: 4-6

Lone Star Conference: 1-4 (5th)

Head Coach: Jewell Wallace

S21	L	Southwestern Louisiana (H-P)	7-13	11,000
S27	W	West Texas State (A)	14-12	4,000
O5	W	Fort Hood (A)	32-7	N/A
O12	W	Texas A&I (H-P)	34-0	6,500
O19	L	*East Texas State (A)	14-20	6,000
O26	L	Texas-El Paso (A)	7-21	7,500
N9	W	*Stephen F. Austin (H-P)	16-7	5,000
N16	L	*North Texas State (H-P)	3-7	3,500
N22	L	*Southwest Texas State (A)	7-21	N/A
N28	L	*Sam Houston State (H-P)	6-28	5,000
			140-136	48,500

*League game; P—Public School Stadium

1947

Overall: 3-8;

Lone Star Conference: 0-6 (7th)

Head Coach: Jewell Wallace

S20	W	Centenary (H-P)	19-7	7,000
S27	W	McMurray College (H-P)	14-13	5,000
O4	W	Daniel Baker (H-P)	35-12	4,000
O11	L	Texas A&I (A)	0-13	7,000
O18	L	*East Texas State (H-P)	7-33	6,000
O25	L	*Trinity (H-P)	0-20	4,500
N1	L	Hardin-Simmons (C)	7-33	8,000
N8	L	*Stephen F. Austin (A)	14-25	3,900
N15	L	*North Texas State (A)	0-33	10,000
N22	L	*Southwest Texas State (H-P)	0-2	N/A
N27	L	*Sam Houston State (A)	0-23	N/A
			96-214	55,400

*League game; P—Public School Stadium; C—Corpus Christi

CLYDE LEE



In just his second year as head coach Clyde Lee guided the Cougars to their first winning season in 1949. He later established two more firsts for UH Football, a bowl berth in 1951 and a conference championship in 1952.

1948

Overall: 5-6;

Lone Star Conference: 3-3 (4th)

Head Coach: Clyde Lee

S18	W	Texas A&I (H-P)	14-0	8,000
S25	L	Texas-El Paso (A)	7-35	6,000
O2	L	Southwestern Louisiana (A)	7-21	N/A
O9	W	Louisiana Tech (H-P)	40-33	5,000
O16	W	*East Texas State (A)	18-7	N/A
O23	L	*Trinity (A)	7-15	N/A
O30	L	West Texas State (A)	13-28	5,000
N6	L	*Stephen F. Austin (H-P)	13-21	N/A
N13	W	*North Texas State (H-P)	8-6	3,000
N20	L	*Southwest Texas State (A)	0-3	N/A
N25	W	*Sam Houston State (H-P)	22-13	N/A
			149-182	27,000

*League game; P—Public School Stadium

1949

Overall: 5-4-1

Gulf Coast Conference: 1-2 (3rd)

Head Coach: Clyde Lee

S17	L	William & Mary (H-P)	13-14	20,000
O1	W	Wichita State (H-P)	28-6	8,000
O8	W	Southwestern Louisiana (A)	28-7	N/A
O15	W	West Texas State (H-P)	14-13	6,000
O22	T	Hardin-Simmons (H-P)	27-27	8,000
O29	L	*Midwestern State (A-W)	21-33	12,000
N5	L	St. Bonaventure (A)	14-20	5,000
N12	L	*North Texas State (A)	23-28	10,000
N19	W	*Trinity (H-P)	28-21	7,500
N24	W	St. Louis (A)	35-0	6,823
			229-169	83,323

*League game; P—Public School Stadium; W—Wichita Falls

1950

Overall: 4-6

Head Coach: Clyde Lee

S23	L	St. Bonaventure (H-P)	14-29	14,000
S30	L	Baylor (A)	7-34	25,000
O7	L	Trinity (A)	16-20	1,456
O14	W	Louisville (H-P)	27-7	14,342
O20	L	Hardin-Simmons (A)	13-14	N/A
O28	W	Wichita State (A)	46-6	10,000
N11	L	North Texas State (H-P)	13-16	8,000
N18	W	William & Mary (H-R)	36-18	25,000
N24	W	Midwestern State (H-P)	40-18	2,500
D2	L	Tulsa (H-R)	21-28	10,000
			233-200	110,298

*P—Public School Stadium; R—Rice Stadium

1951

Overall: 6-5

MVC: 2-2 (4th)

Head Coach: Clyde Lee

S22	L	Baylor (H-R)	0-19	55,000
S28	W	*Detroit (A)	33-7	14,000
O6	W	Texas Tech (H-R)	6-0	15,000
O13	L	*Tulsa (A)	27-46	15,000
O20	W	Hardin-Simmons (H-R)	35-27	15,000
O27	L	Villanova (H-R)	27-33	N/A
N3	L	*Wichita State (A)	14-19	6,000
N10	L	Louisville (A)	28-35	2,500
N24	W	*Oklahoma State (H-R)	31-7	12,500
N30	W	North Texas State (A)	20-14	N/A

Salad Bowl

J1	W	Dayton (P)	26-21	17,000
			221-207	152,000

*League game; R—Rice Stadium; P—Phoenix, Ariz.

1952

Overall: 8-2

MVC: 3-0 (1st)

Head Coach: Clyde Lee

S20	L	Texas A&M (H-R)	13-21	54,000
S27	W	Arkansas (A)	17-7	12,000
O4	W	*Oklahoma State (A)	10-7	15,000
O11	W	*Tulsa (H-R)	33-7	31,000
O25	W	Arizona State (A)	6-0	15,000
N1	W	Texas Tech (A)	20-7	18,000
N8	L	Mississippi (H-R)	0-6	34,000
N15	W	Baylor (H-R)	28-6	33,000
N29	W	*Detroit (H-R)	33-19	7,200
D6	W	Wyoming (H-R)	20-0	23,000
			180-80	242,200

*League game; R—Rice Stadium

1953

Overall: 4-4-1

MVC: 1-2 (3rd)

Head Coach: Clyde Lee

S26	T	Texas A&M (A)	14-14	35,000
O3	L	Texas (A)	7-28	30,000
O9	W	*Detroit (A)	25-19	12,650
O17	L	*Oklahoma State (H-R)	7-14	25,000
O24	W	Arizona State (H-R)	24-20	12,000
N7	L	*Tulsa (A)	21-23	10,000
N14	W	Baylor (A)	37-7	15,000
N21	L	Texas Tech (H-R)	21-41	15,000
D5	W	Tennessee (H-R)	33-19	23,000
			189-185	177,650

*League game; R—Rice Stadium

1954

Overall: 5-5; MVC: 3-1 (2nd)

Head Coach: Clyde Lee

S18	L	Baylor (A)	13-53	22,000
O9	W	Texas A&M (H-R)	10-7	42,000
O16	W	*Oklahoma State (A)	14-7	24,000
O22	W	Villanova (A)	28-7	57,817
O30	L	*Wichita State (A)	7-9	16,115
N6	W	*Tulsa (H-R)	20-7	15,400
N13	L	Mississippi (H-R)	0-26	23,000
N20	L	Texas Tech (A)	14-61	14,000
N27	L	Arkansas (H-R)	0-19	25,000
D4	W	*Detroit (H-R)	19-7	7,500
			125-203	246,832

*League game; R—Rice Stadium

HOUSTON COUGARS

BILL MEEK



Even though he coached the Cougars for just two seasons, Bill Meek guided Houston to a Missouri Valley Conference championship in 1956 and posted an overall winning percentage of .675, the best in school history.

1955

Overall: 6-4

MVC: 2-2 (3rd)

Head Coach: Bill Meek

S17	W	Montana (H-R)	54-12	25,000
O1	L	Texas A&M (A)	3-21	26,000
O7	W	*Detroit (A)	7-0	11,470
O15	W	*Oklahoma State (H-R)	21-13	27,000
O22	W	Texas Tech (H-R)	7-0	28,000
O29	L	*Wichita State (H-R)	7-21	18,000
N5	L	*Tulsa (A)	14-17	12,059
N12	L	Mississippi (A)	11-27	20,000
N19	W	Villanova (H-R)	26-14	12,000
D3	W	Wyoming (H-R)	26-14	10,000
			176-139	189,529

*League game; R—Rice Stadium

1956

Overall: 7-2-1

MVC: 4-0 (1st)

Head Coach: Bill Meek

S29	W	Mississippi State (H-R)	18-7	56,000
O6	L	Mississippi (A)	0-14	25,000
O13	T	Texas A&M (H-R)	14-14	67,009
O20	W	*Oklahoma State (A)	13-0	25,000
O27	L	Auburn (A)	0-12	20,000
N3	W	*Wichita State (A)	41-16	11,193
N10	W	*Tulsa (H-R)	14-0	20,000
N17	W	Villanova (H-R)	26-13	15,000
N24	W	Texas Tech (A)	20-7	15,000
D1	W	*Detroit (H-R)	39-7	10,000
			185-90	264,202

*League game; R—Rice Stadium

HAROLD LAHAR



Continuing the excellence established by his predecessors, Harold Lahar captured conference championships in his first (1957) and third year (1959), the final one coming in the Cougars' final season in the MVC.

1957

Overall: 5-4-1

MVC: 3-0-1 (1st)

Head Coach: Harold Lahar

S21	W	Miami (FL) (H-R)	7-0	52,000
S28	L	Baylor (A)	6-14	22,000
O5	W	*Cincinnati (A)	7-0	N/A
O12	L	Texas A&M (A)	6-28	33,000
O19	T	*Oklahoma State (H-R)	6-6	20,000
O26	L	Auburn (H-R)	7-48	28,000
N2	L	Mississippi (A)	7-20	30,000
N9	W	Mississippi Southern (A-J)	27-12	11,000
N16	W	*Wichita State (A)	27-6	6,000
N23	W	*Tulsa (A)	13-7	13,486
			113-141	215,486

*League game; R—Rice Stadium; J—Jackson, Miss.

1958

Overall: 5-4

MVC: 2-2 (3rd)

Head Coach: Harold Lahar

S27	W	Texas A&M (H-R)	39-14	65,131
O4	W	*Cincinnati (A)	34-13	N/A
O11	W	*Wichita State (H-R)	44-0	25,000
O18	L	Oklahoma State (H-R)	0-7	27,000
N1	L	*Tulsa (H-R)	20-25	26,000
N8	L	Mississippi (A)	7-56	20,000
N15	L	*North Texas State (A)	6-10	N/A
N21	W	Miami (FL) (A)	37-26	24,822
N29	W	Texas Tech (H-R)	22-17	7,500
			209-152	195,453

*League game; R—Rice Stadium

1959

Overall: 3-7

MVC: 3-1 (1st)

Head Coach: Harold Lahar

S19	L	Mississippi (H-R)	0-16	45,000
S26	L	Alabama (H-R)	0-3	27,000
O3	W	*Cincinnati (H-R)	13-12	16,000
O10	L	Texas A&M (A)	6-28	25,000
O17	L	Oklahoma State (A)	12-19	13,000
O24	L	*North Texas State (H-R)	6-7	12,000
O31	W	*Tulsa (A)	22-13	12,034
N7	W	*Wichita State (A)	28-13	12,000
N14	L	Texas Tech (A)	0-27	20,000
N26	L	Washington State (H-R)	18-32	6,000
			105-170	188,034

*League game; R—Rice Stadium

1960

Overall: 6-4

Head Coach: Harold Lahar

S17	L	Mississippi (H-R)	0-42	44,000
S24	W	Mississippi State (A)	14-10	14,000
O1	L	Oregon State (A-P)	20-29	22,537
O8	W	Texas A&M (H-R)	17-0	42,000
O15	W	Oklahoma State (H-R)	12-7	15,000
O22	L	Alabama (A)	0-14	30,000
O29	W	North Texas State (A)	41-16	2,000
N5	W	Cincinnati (H-R)	14-0	10,000
N12	W	Florida State (A)	7-6	10,400
N26	L	Tulsa (H-R)	16-26	7,000
			141-150	196,937

R—Rice Stadium; P—Portland, Ore.

1961

Overall: 5-4-1

Head Coach: Harold Lahar

S23	T	Texas A&M (A)	7-7	22,000
S30	L	Mississippi State (H-R)	7-10	27,000
O7	W	Boston College (H-R)	21-0	12,000
O14	L	Mississippi (A-M)	7-47	15,106
O21	W	Cincinnati (A)	13-7	11,000
O28	L	Alabama (H-R)	0-17	24,000
N11	W	Tulsa (A)	14-2	10,278
N18	L	Oklahoma State (A)	24-28	10,000
N25	W	Florida State (H-R)	28-8	7,000
D2	W	Oregon State (H-R)	23-12	12,000
			144-138	150,384

R—Rice Stadium; M—Memphis, Tenn.

BILL YEOMAN



The "Father of Cougar Football" Bill Yeoman spent an illustrious 26 years at the helm of the Houston Football program, leading his Cougars to 11 bowl games and four Southwest Conference championships. His sparkling 160-108-8 record is the best in UH history, and he was rightfully inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame in 2001.

1962

Overall: 7-4

Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S22	W	Baylor (H-R)	19-0	32,000
S29	W	Texas A&M (H-R)	6-3	51,000
O6	L	Mississippi (A-O)	7-40	19,000
O13	L	Alabama (A)	3-14	30,000
O20	L	Mississippi State (H-R)	3-9	15,000
O27	L	Boston College (A)	0-14	17,500
N3	W	Florida State (A)	7-0	20,000
N10	W	Tulsa (H-R)	35-31	15,000
N24	W	Louisville (A)	27-25	4,126
D1	W	Cincinnati (H-R)	42-14	10,000

Tangerine Bowl

D22	W	Miami (OH) (N)	49-21	20,000
			198-171	233,626

R—Rice Stadium; O—Oxford, Miss.; N—Orlando, Fla.

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1963

Overall: 2-8

Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S21	L	Auburn (H-R)	14-21	30,000
S28	L	Baylor (A)	0-27	20,000
O5	L	Mississippi (H-R)	6-20	30,000
O12	L	Texas A&M (A)	13-23	18,500
O19	L	Mississippi State (A)	0-20	27,000
O26	L	Alabama (A)	13-21	27,000
N2	W	Detroit (H-R)	55-18	15,000
N16	L	Tulsa (A)	21-22	5,662
N30	L	Memphis State (A)	6-29	13,655
D14	W	Louisville (H-R)	21-7	5,000
			149-208	191,817

R—Rice Stadium

1964

Overall: 2-6-1

Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S12	W	Trinity (H-R)	34-7	13,000
S19	L	Auburn (A)	0-30	25,000
S25	W	Texas A&M (H-Rob)	10-0	30,000
O3	L	Mississippi (A)	9-31	24,000
O10	L	Tulsa (H-R)	23-31	15,000
O24	L	Mississippi State (A)	13-18	27,000
N7	T	Florida State (H-R)	13-13	16,000
N14	L	Penn State (H-R)	7-24	25,000
N28	L	Cincinnati (H-R)	6-20	10,000
			115-174	185,000

R—Rice Stadium; Rob—Robertson Stadium

1965

Overall: 4-5-1

Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S11	L	Tulsa (H-D)	0-14	37,138
S18	L	Mississippi State (H-D)	0-36	37,216
S24	W	Cincinnati (H-D)	21-6	27,576
O9	L	Texas A&M (A)	7-10	35,000
O16	L	Miami (FL) (A)	12-44	39,575
O23	L	Tennessee (A)	8-17	34,504
O30	W	Tenn.-Chattanooga (H-D)	40-7	32,731
N6	W	Mississippi (H-D)	17-3	38,197
N13	W	Kentucky (H-D)	38-21	37,248
N20	T	Florida State (A)	16-16	25,135
			159-174	334,320

D—Astrodome

1966

Overall: 8-2

National Ranking: 19th UPI

Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S17	W	Florida State (H-D)	21-7	35,643
S23	W	Washington State (H-D)	21-7	36,104
O1	W	Oklahoma State (H-D)	35-9	43,743
O15	W	Mississippi State (H-D)	28-0	47,870
O22	L	Mississippi (A-M)	6-27	14,118
O29	W	Tampa (H-D)	48-9	41,182
N5	W	Tulsa (H-D)	73-14	42,061
N12	W	Kentucky (A)	56-18	32,000
N26	L	Memphis State (H-D)	13-14	41,313
D3	W	Utah (H-D)	34-14	35,257
			335-125	369,291

D—Astrodome; M—Memphis, Tenn.

1967

Overall: 7-3

National Ranking: 16th AP, 19th UPI

Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S15	W	Florida State (H-D)	33-13	40,336
S23	W	Michigan State (A)	37-7	75,833
S29	W	Wake Forest (H-D)	50-6	41,769
O7	L	North Carolina State (H-D)	6-16	52,483
O21	W	Mississippi State (A)	43-6	17,000
O28	L	Mississippi (A-O)	13-14	26,500
N4	W	Georgia (H-D)	15-14	53,356
N11	W	Memphis State (H-D)	35-18	46,050
N18	W	Idaho (H-D)	77-6	40,050
N25	L	Tulsa (A)	13-22	26,300
			222-122	420,091

D—Astrodome; O—Oxford, Miss.

1968

Overall: 6-2-2

National Ranking: 18th AP

Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S14	W	Tulane (H-D)	54-7	36,415
S21	T	Texas (A)	20-20	66,397
O4	W	Cincinnati (H-D)	71-33	31,881
O12	L	Oklahoma State (H-D)	17-21	41,889
O26	W	Mississippi (A)	29-7	32,157
N2	T	Georgia (A)	10-10	59,381
N9	W	Memphis State (A)	27-7	35,592
N16	W	Idaho (H-D)	77-3	30,412
N23	W	Tulsa (H-D)	100-6	34,098
N29	L	Florida State (A)	20-40	39,400
			425-154	407,622

D—Astrodome

1969

Overall: 9-2

National Ranking: 12th AP, 14th UPI

Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S20	L	Florida (A)	34-59	53,807
S27	L	Oklahoma State (A)	18-24	23,500
O4	W	Mississippi State (H-D)	74-0	36,207
O11	W	Arizona (A)	34-17	32,800
O25	W	Mississippi (H-D)	25-11	48,049
N1	W	Miami (FL) (H-D)	38-36	25,498
N8	W	Tulsa (A)	47-14	17,750
N15	W	North Carolina State (A)	34-13	31,000
N22	W	Wyoming (H-D)	41-14	35,389
N29	W	Florida State (H-D)	41-13	36,508

Bluebonnet Bowl

D31	W	Auburn (D)	36-7	55,203
			386-199	395,711

D—Astrodome

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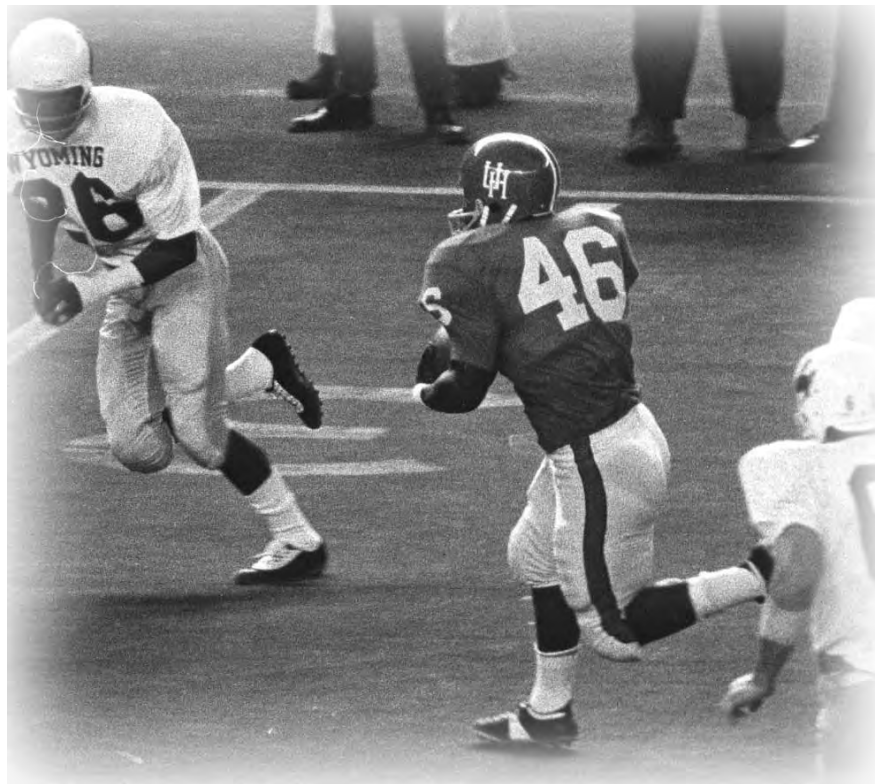
Overall: 8-3

National Ranking: 13th UPI, 19th AP

Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S19	W	Syracuse (H-D)	42-15	40,439
S26	L	Oklahoma State (A)	17-26	26,000
O10	W	Mississippi State (A)	31-14	28,000
O17	W	Oregon State (H-D)	19-16	37,791
O24	L	Alabama (H-D)	21-31	46,869
O31	W	Tulsa (H-D)	21-9	34,119
N7	L	Mississippi (A)	13-24	36,535
N14	W	Wyoming (H-D)	28-0	26,987
N21	W	Wake Forest (H-D)	26-2	28,569
N26	W	Florida State (A)	53-21	18,053
D5	W	Miami (FL) (A)	36-3	17,798
			295-173	341,160

D—Astrodome



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1971

Overall: 9-3
National Ranking: 14th UPI, 17th AP
Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S11	W	Rice (A)	23-21	62,000
S18	L	Arizona State (A)	17-18	50,446
S25	W	Cincinnati (A)	12-3	12,542
O2	W	San Jose State (H-D)	34-20	31,754
O15	W	Villanova (H-D)	42-9	26,709
O23	L	Alabama (A)	20-34	56,939
O30	W	Florida State (H-D)	14-7	33,598
N6	W	Memphis State (A)	35-7	10,132
N13	W	Virginia Tech (H-D)	56-29	28,105
N20	W	Miami (FL) (H-D)	27-6	29,276
N27	W	Utah (H-D)	42-16	26,618
Bluebonnet Bowl				
D31	L	Colorado (D)	17-29	54,720
			322-170	422,839

D—Astrodome

1972

Overall: 6-4-1
Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S9	L	Rice (A)	13-14	51,000
S16	L	Arizona State (H-D)	28-33	24,628
S23	W	Tulsa (A)	21-0	23,200
O7	T	Virginia Tech (A)	27-27	26,000
O14	W	San Diego State (H-D)	49-14	29,891
O21	L	Miami (FL) (A)	13-33	17,860
O28	L	Mississippi State (A)	13-27	29,000
N4	W	Florida State (A)	31-27	29,482
N11	W	Colorado State (H-D)	48-13	23,143
N18	W	New Mexico (H-D)	33-14	20,366
N25	W	Cincinnati (H-D)	49-0	18,795
			325-202	293,365

D—Astrodome

1973

Overall: 11-1
National Ranking: 9th AP; 11th UPI
Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S15	W	Rice (H-D)	24-6	43,917
S21	W	South Carolina (H-D)	27-19	24,019
S29	W	Memphis State (A)	35-21	40,126
O6	W	San Diego State (A)	14-9	37,489
O12	W	Virginia Tech (H-D)	54-27	27,103
O19	W	Miami (FL) (A)	30-7	29,340
O27	L	Auburn (A)	0-7	58,426
N3	W	Florida State (H-D)	34-3	27,587
N10	W	Colorado State (A)	28-20	17,532
N24	W	Wyoming (H-D)	35-0	18,441
D1	W	Tulsa (H-D)	35-16	21,500
Bluebonnet Bowl				
D29	W	Tulane (D)	47-7	44,358
			316-135	390,018

D—Astrodome

1974

Overall: 8-3-1
National Ranking: 11th UPI, 19th AP
Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S7	L	Arizona State (A)	9-30	50,227
S14	W	Rice (A)	21-0	40,000
S21	L	Miami (FL) (H-D)	3-20	18,767
S28	W	Virginia Tech (A)	49-12	30,000
O5	W	South Carolina (A)	24-14	38,147
O19	W	Villanova (H-D)	35-0	24,525
O25	W	Cincinnati (H-D)	27-6	19,193
N2	W	Georgia (A)	31-24	48,100
N16	W	Memphis State (H-D)	13-10	23,893
N23	W	Florida State (A)	23-8	18,195
N30	L	Tulsa (A)	14-30	15,500
Bluebonnet Bowl				
D 23	T	North Carolina State (D)	31-31	35,122
			249-154	361,669

D—Astrodome

1975

Overall: 2-8
Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S6	W	Lamar (H-D)	20-3	24,075
S13	L	Rice (H-D)	7-24	35,585
S27	L	SMU (H-D)	16-26	28,713
O11	L	North Texas State (I)	0-28	12,698
O17	L	Miami (FL) (A)	20-24	15,362
N1	L	Cincinnati (A)	23-28	16,246
N8	L	Virginia Tech (H-D)	28-34	17,350
N15	L	Memphis State (A)	7-14	22,630
N22	L	Florida State (H-D)	22-23	13,244
N29	W	Tulsa (H-D)	42-30	12,127
			185-244	198,030

D—Astrodome; I—Irving

1976

Overall: 10-2
SWC: 7-1 (1st)
National Ranking: 4th AP, UPI
Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S11	W	*Baylor (A)	23-5	37,500
S18	L	Florida (A)	14-49	49,820
S25	W	*Texas A&M (H-R)	21-10	70,001
O9	W	West Texas State (H-D)	50-7	23,498
O16	W	*SMU (A)	29-6	28,204
O23	L	*Arkansas (H-R)	7-14	47,192
O30	W	*TCU (H-D)	49-21	18,263
N6	W	*Texas (A)	30-0	77,809
N20	W	*Texas Tech (A)	27-19	45,102
N27	W	*Rice (A)	42-20	32,212
D4	W	Miami (FL) (H-D)	21-16	20,849
Cotton Bowl				
J1	W	Maryland (d)	30-21	58,500
			313-217	508,950

*League game; D—Astrodome; R—Rice Stadium; d—Dallas

1977

Overall: 6-5
SWC: 4-4 (4th)
Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S12	W	UCLA (H-D)	17-13	38,131
S17	L	Penn State (A)	14-31	61,704
S24	W	Utah (A)	34-16	26,232
O1	W	*Baylor (H-D)	28-24	37,421
O15	L	*SMU (H-D)	23-37	30,774
O22	L	*Arkansas (A-L)	0-34	53,924
O29	W	*TCU (A)	42-14	17,853
N5	L	*Texas (H-R)	21-35	72,124
N19	W	*Texas Tech (H-D)	45-7	43,989
N26	W	*Rice (A)	51-21	25,000
D3	L	*Texas A&M (A)	7-27	51,790
			282-259	458,942

*League game; D—Astrodome; L—Little Rock; R—Rice Stadium



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1978

Overall: 9-3
 SWC: 7-1 (1st)
 National Ranking: 9th AP, 11th UPI
 Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S16	L	Memphis State (A)	3-17	31,316
S23	W	Utah (H-D)	42-25	30,000
S30	W	Florida State (A)	27-21	41,142
O7	W	*Baylor (A)	20-18	35,000
O14	W	*Texas A&M (H-D)	33-0	52,156
O21	W	*SMU (A)	42-28	64,871
O28	W	*Arkansas (H-D)	20-9	50,913
N4	W	*TCU (H-D)	63-6	30,011
N11	W	*Texas (A)	10-7	83,053
N25	L	*Texas Tech (A)	21-22	36,691
D2	W	*Rice (H-D)	49-25	33,186
Cotton Bowl				
J1	L	Notre Dame (d)	34-35	72,000
			330-178	488,411

*League game; D—Astrodome; d—Dallas

1979

Overall: 11-1
 SWC: 7-1 (1st)
 National Ranking: 5th AP, UPI
 Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S8	W	UCLA (A)	24-16	40,008
S15	W	Florida (H-D)	14-10	34,432
S29	W	West Texas State (H-D)	49-10	27,080
O6	W	*Baylor (H-D)	13-10	41,371
O13	W	*Texas A&M (A)	17-14	59,545
O20	W	*SMU (H-D)	37-10	43,409
O27	W	*Arkansas (A)	13-10	43,319
N3	W	*TCU (A)	21-10	25,412
N10	L	*Texas (H-D)	13-21	55,155
N23	W	*Texas Tech (H-D)	14-10	25,637
D1	W	*Rice (A)	63-0	27,800
Cotton Bowl				
J1	W	Nebraska (d)	17-14	72,032
			278-121	495,200

*League game; D—Astrodome; d—Dallas

1980

Overall: 7-5
 SWC: 5-3 (1st)
 Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S13	L	Arizona State (A)	13-29	64,868
S20	L	Miami (FL) (H-D)	7-14	31,423
S27	W	North Texas State (H-D)	24-20	23,672
O4	L	*Baylor (A)	12-24	40,000
O11	W	*Texas A&M (H-D)	17-13	46,525
O18	W	*SMU (A)	13-11	32,109
O25	W	*Arkansas (H-D)	24-17	41,308
N1	W	*TCU (H-D)	37-5	26,502
N8	L	*Texas (A)	13-15	79,154
N22	W	*Texas Tech (A)	34-7	36,386
N29	L	*Rice (H-D)	7-35	29,950
Garden State Bowl				
D14	W	Navy (E)	35-0	41,117
			201-190	493,314

*League game; D—Astrodome; E—East Rutherford, N.J.



1981

Overall: 7-4-1
 SWC: 5-2-1 (3rd)
 Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S5	W	New Mexico (H-D)	21-10	26,435
S19	L	Miami (FL) (A)	7-12	32,586
S26	W	Utah State (H-D)	35-7	27,462
O3	W	*Baylor (H-D)	24-3	28,118
O10	L	*Texas A&M (A)	6-7	66,569
O17	L	*SMU (H-D)	22-38	36,892
O24	W	*Arkansas (A-L)	20-17	54,618
O31	W	*TCU (A)	20-16	13,257
N7	T	*Texas (H-D)	14-14	52,589
N21	W	*Texas Tech (H-D)	15-7	25,169
N28	W	*Rice (A)	40-3	25,000
Sun Bowl				
D26	L	Oklahoma (E)	14-40	33,816
			238-174	422,511

*League game; D—Astrodome; E—El Paso; L—Little Rock

1982

Overall: 5-5-1
 SWC: 4-3-1 (4th)
 Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S11	L	Miami (FL) (A)	12-31	24,687
S18	L	Arizona State (H-D)	10-24	30,103
S25	W	Lamar (H-D)	48-3	26,500
O2	T	*Baylor (A)	21-21	31,750
O9	W	*Texas A&M (H-D)	24-20	46,302
O16	L	*SMU (A)	14-20	31,817
O23	L	*Arkansas (H-D)	3-38	37,503
O30	W	*TCU (H-D)	31-27	21,103
N6	L	*Texas (A)	0-50	76,657
N20	W	*Texas Tech (A)	24-7	33,548
N27	W	*Rice (H-D)	28-21	20,103
			215-262	380,073

*League game; D—Astrodome

1983

Overall: 4-7
 SWC: 3-5 (7th)
 Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S1	W	*Rice (A)	45-14	30,000
S10	L	Miami (FL) (H-D)	7-29	25,000
S17	W	Lamar (H-D)	42-35	25,456
S24	L	Oregon (A)	14-15	26,105
O1	L	*Baylor (H-D)	21-42	26,640
O8	L	*Texas A&M (A)	7-30	57,622
O22	L	*Arkansas (A)	3-24	41,080
O29	W	*TCU (A)	28-21	16,810
N5	L	*Texas (H-D)	3-9	47,103
N19	W	*Texas Tech (H-D)	43-41	20,153
N26	L	*SMU (T)	23-34	70,000
			225-294	385,969

*League game; D—Astrodome; T—Mirage Bowl, Tokyo, Japan

1984

Overall: 7-5
 SWC: 6-2 (1st)
 Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S15	W	Miami (OH) (H-D)	30-17	28,750
S22	L	Washington (A)	7-35	59,534
S29	L	Louisville (H-D)	28-30	22,533
O6	W	*Baylor (A)	27-17	34,500
O13	W	*Texas A&M (H-D)	9-7	34,103
O20	W	*SMU (A)	29-20	28,361
O27	L	*Arkansas (H-D)	3-17	28,347
N3	L	*TCU (H-D)	14-21	20,102
N10	W	*Texas (A)	29-15	80,348
N24	W	*Texas Tech (A)	24-17	27,373
D1	W	*Rice (H-D)	38-26	30,123
Cotton Bowl				
J1	L	Boston College (d)	28-45	67,381
			238-222	394,474

*League game; D—Astrodome; d—Dallas

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1985

Overall: 4-7
SWC: 3-5 (5th)

Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S7	L	Tulsa (A)	24-31	28,156
S21	L	Washington (H-D)	12-29	20,522
S28	W	Louisville (A)	49-27	30,334
O5	L	*Baylor (H-D)	21-24	25,787
O12	L	*Texas A&M (A)	16-43	55,711
O19	L	*SMU (H-D)	13-37	21,761
O26	L	*Arkansas (A-L)	27-57	53,860
N2	W	*TCU (A)	26-21	19,854
N9	L	*Texas (H-D)	24-34	35,821
N23	W	*Texas Tech (H-D)	17-16	14,280
N30	W	*Rice (A)	24-20	16,492
			253-339	322,578

*League game; D—Astrodome; L—Little Rock

1986

Overall: 1-10
SWC: 0-8 (9th)

Head Coach: Bill Yeoman

S6	L	Arizona (A)	3-37	50,593
S20	W	Oklahoma State (A)	28-12	38,600
S27	L	Tulsa (H-D)	14-24	12,445
O4	L	*Baylor (A)	13-27	34,000
O11	L	*Texas A&M (H-D)	7-19	28,277
O18	L	*SMU (A)	3-10	25,967
O25	L	*Arkansas (H-D)	13-30	16,060
N1	L	*TCU (H-D)	14-30	10,125
N8	L	*Texas (A)	10-30	60,650
N22	L	*Texas Tech (A)	7-34	30,196
N29	L	*Rice (H-D)	13-14	10,399
			125-267	317,312

*League game; D—Astrodome

JACK PARDEE



Jack Pardee revolutionized the game of college football with his wide-open "Run-n-Shoot" offense. In just three seasons Pardee transformed the Cougars into a lethal machine, culminating in a Heisman Trophy for Andre Ware in 1989.

1987

Overall: 4-6-1
SWC: 2-4-1 (7th)

Head Coach: Jack Pardee

S12	L	Oklahoma State (H-D)	0-35	16,285
S26	W	Sam Houston State (H-D)	38-34	21,705
O3	L	*Baylor (H-D)	18-30	22,751
O10	L	*Texas A&M (A)	17-22	64,415
O17	L	Wyoming (A)	35-37	18,011
O24	L	*Arkansas (A)	17-21	34,820
O31	L	*TCU (A)	7-35	25,257
N7	W	*Texas (H-D)	60-40	36,274
N14	W	Temple (A)	37-7	12,780
N21	T	*Texas Tech (H-D)	10-10	19,295
N28	W	*Rice (A)	45-21	10,300
			284-292	281,893

*League game; D—Astrodome

1988

Overall: 9-3
WC: 5-2 (2nd)

National Rankings: 18th AP
Head Coach: Jack Pardee

S10	W	Louisiana Tech (A)	60-0	18,222
S17	W	Missouri (A)	31-7	36,287
O1	W	*Baylor (A)	27-24	34,719
O8	L	*Texas A&M (H-D)	16-30	42,361
O15	W	Tulsa (H-D)	82-28	14,068
O22	L	*Arkansas (H-D)	21-26	21,775
O29	W	*TCU (H-D)	40-12	15,582
N5	W	*Texas (A)	66-15	69,600
N12	W	Wyoming (H-D)	34-10	28,947
N19	W	*Texas Tech (A)	30-29	27,204
N26	W	*Rice (H-D)	45-14	16,923

Eagle Aloha Bowl

D25	L	Washington State (h)	22-24	35,132
			474-209	360,820

*League game; D—Astrodome; h-Honolulu, Hawaii

1989

Overall: 9-2; SWC: 5-2 (2nd)

National Rankings: 14th AP; 14th CNN/USA Today

Head Coach: Jack Pardee

S2	W	UNLV (A)	69-0	22,416
S23	W	Arizona State (A)	36-7	67,357
S30	W	Temple (H-D)	65-7	15,121
O7	W	*Baylor (H-D)	66-10	31,433
O14	L	*Texas A&M (A)	13-17	66,423
O21	W	*SMU (H-D)	95-21	20,009
O28	L	*Arkansas (A)	39-45	55,112
N4	W	*TCU (A)	55-10	19,212
N11	W	*Texas (H-D)	47-9	45,586
N25	W	*Texas Tech (H-D)	40-24	30,097
D2	W	*Rice (A)	64-0	22,700
			589-150	395,466

*League game; D—Astrodome



JOHN JENKINS



John Jenkins presided over what was probably the most potent offense in the history of college football...the 1990 squad that went 10-1. Quarterback David Klingler set several NCAA records that year, including several that still stand today.

1990

Overall: 10-1
SWC: 7-1 (2nd)

National Rankings: 10th AP; 12th CNN/USA Today

Head Coach: John Jenkins

S8	W	UNLV (H-D)	37-9	20,138
S13	W	*Texas Tech (A)	51-35	36,794
S29	W	*Rice (H-D)	24-22	24,130
O6	W	*Baylor (A)	31-15	36,289
O13	W	*Texas A&M (H-D)	36-31	45,141
O20	W	*SMU (A)	44-17	23,250
O27	W	*Arkansas (H-D)	62-28	27,352
N3	W	*TCU (H-D)	56-35	25,725
N10	L	*Texas (A)	24-45	82,457
N17	W	Eastern Washington (H-D)	84-21	17,050
D1	W	Arizona State (T)	62-45	50,000
			511-303	388,326

*League game; D—Astrodome; T—Tokyo, Japan

1991

Overall: 4-7
SWC: 3-5 (7th)

Head Coach: John Jenkins

A31	W	Louisiana Tech (H-D)	73-3	30,082
S12	L	Miami (FL) (A)	10-40	71,842
S21	L	Illinois (A)	10-51	60,182
O5	L	*Baylor (H-D)	21-38	37,022
O12	L	*Arkansas (A)	17-29	45,860
O19	W	*SMU (H-D)	49-20	17,339
O26	L	*Texas A&M (A)	18-27	65,812
N9	W	*Texas (H-D)	23-14	47,911
N16	W	*Rice (A)	41-21	22,800
N23	L	*TCU (A)	45-49	26,432
N30	L	*Texas Tech (H-D)	46-52	18,114
			353-344	443,396

*League game; D—Astrodome

1992

Overall: 4-7
SWC: 2-5 (16th)

Head Coach: John Jenkins

S5	L	Tulsa (A)	25-28	33,619
S19	W	Illinois (H-D)	31-13	25,931
S26	L	Michigan (A)	7-61	104,968
O3	W	Southwestern Louisiana (H-R)	63-7	17,123
O17	L	*Baylor (A)	23-29	27,890
O24	L	*Texas (A)	38-45	66,038
O31	W	*TCU (H-D)	49-46	15,126
N7	L	*SMU (A)	16-41	14,273
N12	L	*Texas A&M (H-D)	30-38	38,644
N21	L	*Texas Tech (A)	35-44	27,887
N28	W	*Rice (H-D)	61-34	15,006
			378-386	386,505

*League game; D—Astrodome; R—Rice Stadium

HOUSTON COUGARS

KIM HELTON



Charged with rebuilding the Houston program that was racked with probation, Kim Helton not only guided the Cougars through the demise of the Southwest Conference and into Conference USA, but he also captured the inaugural league title in 1996.

1993

Overall: 1-9-1

SWC: 1-5-1 (17th)

Head Coach: Kim Helton

S4	L	Southern California (A)	7-49	49,438
S11	L	Tulsa (H-D)	24-38	15,138
S25	L	Michigan (A)	21-42	104,196
O2	W	*Baylor (H-D)	24-3	20,123
O9	L	*Texas A&M (A)	10-34	60,575
O16	T	*SMU (H-D)	28-28	15,973
O30	L	*TCU (A)	10-28	19,606
N4	L	*Texas (H-D)	16-34	26,163
N13	L	Cincinnati (H-D)	17-41	10,860
N20	L	*Texas Tech (S)	7-58	28,652
N28	L	*Rice (A)	7-37	18,100
			171-392	368,824

*League game; D—Astrodome; S—San Antonio

1994

Overall: 1-10

SWC: 1-6 (6th)

Head Coach: Kim Helton

S1	L	Kansas (H-D)	13-35	18,150
S10	L	Louisiana Tech (A)	7-32	17,408
S17	L	Missouri (H-D)	0-16	18,310
S24	L	Ohio State (A)	0-52	91,740
O8	L	*Texas A&M (H-D)	7-38	40,184
O15	W	*SMU (A)	39-33	11,400
O22	L	*TCU (H-D)	10-31	14,933
O29	L	*Baylor (A)	13-52	35,174
N12	L	*Texas (A)	13-48	56,654
N19	L	*Texas Tech (S)	0-34	20,286
N26	L	*Rice (H-D)	13-31	14,963
			115-402	339,202

*League game; D—Astrodome; S—San Antonio

1995

Overall: 2-9

SWC: 2-5 (5th)

Head Coach: Kim Helton

S2	L	Florida (A)	21-45	84,672
S9	L	Louisiana Tech (H-Rob)	7-19	20,520
S16	L	Southern California (A)	10-45	50,279
S23	L	Kansas (A)	13-20	37,500
O7	L	*TCU (A)	21-31	34,684
O14	L	*Baylor (H-D)	7-47	17,754
O21	W	*SMU (H-D)	38-15	13,850
O28	L	*Texas A&M (A)	7-31	58,277
N11	L	*Texas (H-D)	20-52	32,520
N25	L	*Texas Tech (H-D)	26-38	15,220
D2	W	*Rice (A)	18-17	28,400
			188-360	393,676

*League game; Rob—Robertson Stadium; D—Astrodome

1996

Overall: 7-5

C-USA: 4-1 (11st)

Head Coach: Kim Helton

A31	W	Sam Houston State (H-Rob)	43-25	14,110
S7	L	LSU (A)	34-35	80,303
S14	W	Pittsburgh (A)	42-35 (OT)	27,648
S21	L	Southern California (H-D)	9-26	21,035
O5	W	Southwestern Louisiana (A)	31-24	18,247
O12	W	*Memphis (H-D)	37-20	15,553
O19	L	*Cincinnati (A)	20-31	19,064
O26	L	North Carolina (H-D)	14-42	16,850
N2	W	*Tulane (A)	20-17	14,474
N9	W	*Southern Miss (H-Rob)	56-49 (OT)	18,107
N16	W	*Louisville (H-D)	38-7	19,651
St. Jude Liberty Bowl				
D27	L	Syracuse (M)	17-30	49,163
			361-341	314,205

*League game;

D—Astrodome; Rob-Robertson Stadium; M-Memphis, Tenn.

1997

Overall: 3-8

C-USA: 2-4 (14th)

Head Coach: Kim Helton

A30	L	Alabama (A)	17-42	81,591
S6	L	California (H-D)	3-35	37,652
S13	L	Pittsburgh (H-Rob)	24-35	17,611
S27	W	Minnesota (A)	45-43	36,447
O4	L	UCLA (A)	10-66	38,004
O18	W	*Cincinnati (H-Rob)	41-38 (2OT)	14,457
O25	W	*Louisville (A)	36-22	21,432
N1	L	*Memphis (A)	3-24	20,181
N8	L	*East Carolina (H-Rob)	27-28	17,051
N15	L	*Southern Miss (A)	0-33	20,091
N22	L	*Tulane (H-D)	10-44	11,618
			216-410	316,135

*League game; D—Astrodome; Rob-Robertson Stadium

1998

Overall: 3-8

C-USA: 2-4 (15th)

Head Coach: Kim Helton

S5	L	California (A)	10-14	33,000
S12	L	Minnesota (H)	7-14	17,540
S19	L	UCLA (H)	24-42	19,540
S26	L	Tennessee (A)	7-42	106,417
O3	W	*Memphis (H)	35-14	13,140
O10	L	*Army (H)	28-38	18,480
O24	W	North Texas (A)	31-9	13,899
O31	W	*East Carolina (A)	34-31	26,821
N7	L	*Southern Miss (H)	15-21	16,260
N14	L	*Cincinnati	43-44	16,886
N21	L	*Tulane (A)	20-48	26,978
			254-317	308,961

*League game; All home games played at Robertson Stadium

1999

Overall: 7-4

C-USA: 3-3 (6th)

Head Coach: Kim Helton

S4	W	Rice (H)	28-3	31,784
S11	L	Alabama (A)	10-37	80,110
S18	W	Louisiana (H)	45-0	15,686
S25	L	*UAB (A)	10-29	28,572
O9	W	*Cincinnati (H)	23-20	22,315
O16	W	North Carolina (A)	20-12	32,000
O23	L	*Louisville (A)	33-39	27,261
O30	L	*East Carolina (H)	3-19	14,221
N6	W	*Tulane (H)	36-31	16,008
N13	W	LSU (A)	20-7	76,671
N20	W	*Army (A)	26-14	35,526
			254-209	380,154

*League game; All home games played at John O'Quinn Field @Robertson Stadium



HOUSTON COUGARS

DANA DIMEL



Dana Dimel arrived in Houston with résumé of success both on the field and on the recruiting trail. His hard work in recruiting resulted in three straight Top 50 classes, and UH had the third-best turnaround in wins from the 2001 season.

2000

Overall: 3-8

C-USA: 2-5 (17th)

Head Coach: Dana Dimel

S2	L	Rice (A)	27-30 (OT)	40,714
S9	L	LSU (A)	13-28	82,469
S16	W	*Army (H)	31-30	25,112
S23	L	Texas (A)	0-48	81,592
S30	W	SMU (H)	17-15	17,496
O7	L	*Cincinnati (A)	31-48	17,647
O21	W	*Memphis (A)	33-30 (3OT)	26,662
O28	L	*Southern Miss (H)	3-6	17,565
N4	L	*Tulane (A)	23-41	16,785
N11	L	*East Carolina (A)	20-62	33,339
N18	L	*Louisville (H)	13-32	3,006
			211-370	362,387

*League game; All home games played at John O'Quinn Field @Robertson Stadium

2001

Overall: 0-11

C-USA: 0-7 (10th)

Head Coach: Dana Dimel

S1	L	Rice (H)	14-21	23,985
S22	L	Texas (H)	26-53	31,784
S29	L	*TCU (H)	17-34	19,708
O6	L	*Army (A)	14-28	32,845
O13	L	*Memphis (H)	33-52	13,513
O20	L	*Cincinnati (H)	28-29	16,107
O27	L	*Southern Miss (A)	14-58	26,162
N3	L	South Florida (A)	6-45	32,711
N10	L	*Louisville (A)	10-34	40,479
N17	L	*UAB (H)	21-43	11,647
D1	L	Georgia (A)	7-35	86,520
			190-432	335,461

*League game; All home games played at John O'Quinn Field @Robertson Stadium

2002

Overall: 5-7

C-USA: 3-5 (8th)

Head Coach: Dana Dimel

A31	W	Rice (A)	24-10	30,747
S7	L	*Tulane (H)	13-34	16,307
S14	W	UL Lafayette (H)	36-17	19,569
S21	L	Texas (A)	11-41	82,936
O5	L	*TCU (A)	17-34	24,088
O12	L	*UAB (A)	34-51	13,897
O19	W	*Army (H)	56-42	16,469
N2	W	*Memphis (A)	26-21	20,532
N9	L	*East Carolina (H)	48-54 (3OT)	13,669
N16	L	*Cincinnati (A)	14-47	14,023
N23	L	South Florida (H)	14-32	12,856
N30	W	*Louisville (H)	27-10	11,048
			320-393	276,141

*League game; All home games played at John O'Quinn Field @Robertson Stadium



ART BRILES



When he accepted the head coaching job in December of 2002, Art Briles became the first-ever former Cougar to take over the reins of the UH program. In his first season Briles led the high-powered Cougars to a berth in the Sheraton Hawai'i Bowl.

2003

Overall: 7-6

C-USA: 4-4 (14th)

Head Coach: Art Briles

A30	W	Rice (H)	48-14	25,355
S6	L	Michigan (A)	3-50	109,580
S13	W	UL Lafayette (A)	21-14	11,127
S20	W	Mississippi State (H)	42-35	26,233
S30	W	*East Carolina (A)	27-13	33,250
O11	W	*Tulane (A)	45-42	27,420
O18	L	*Memphis (H)	14-45	22,623
O25	L	*TCU (H)	55-62	21,136
N8	L	*Southern Miss (H)	10-31	20,377
N15	W	*Army (A)	34-14	31,638
N22	L	*Louisville (A)	45-66	33,268
N29	W	*UAB (H)	56-28	15,120

Sheraton Hawai'i Bowl

D25	L	Hawai'i (Hon.)	48-54 (3OT)	29,005
			448-468	377,127

*League game; All home games played at John O'Quinn Field @Robertson Stadium; Hon-Honolulu, Hawai'i

2004

Overall: 3-8

C-USA: 3-5 (16th)

Head Coach: Art Briles

S5	L	Rice (A-Rel.)	7-10	28,726
S11	L	Oklahoma (A)	13-63	84,280
S18	W	*Army (H-Rob.)	35-21	18,687
S23	L	Miami, Fla. (H-Rel.)	13-38	36,698
O2	L	*Memphis (A)	14-41	35,297
O7	L	*Southern Miss (A)	29-35 (OT)	28,625
O23	L	*TCU (A)	27-34	36,276
O30	W	*Tulane (H-Rob.)	24-3	17,204
N6	W	*East Carolina (H-Rob.)	34-24	13,069
N13	L	*UAB (A)	7-20	13,240
N20	L	*Louisville (H-Rob.)	27-65	20,176
			230-354	332,278

*League game; Rob.-John O'Quinn Field at Robertson Stadium; Rel.-Reliant Stadium

2005

Overall: 6-6

C-USA: 4-4 (3rd)

Head Coach: Art Briles

S1	L	Oregon (H-Rel.)	24-38	19,981
S10	W	Sam Houston St. (H-Rob.)	31-10	15,649
S16	L	*UTEP (A)	41-44 (2OT)	45,558
O1	W	*Tulsa (A)	30-23	15,580
O8	W	*Tulane (L)	35-14	15,454
O15	L	*Memphis (H-Rob.)	20-35	12,800
O22	W	Mississippi State (A)	28-16	40,957
N5	L	*UCF (A)	29-31	32,635
N13	W	*Southern Miss (H-Rob.)	27-24	15,119
N19	L	*SMU (H-Rob.)	24-29	14,650
N26	W	*Rice (H-Rob.)	35-18	12,125

Fort Worth Bowl

D23	L	Kansas (F)	13-42	33,505
			337-253	225,054

*League game; Rob.-John O'Quinn Field at Robertson Stadium; Rel.-Reliant Stadium; (F) Fort Worth