Paul Wulff

Recruiter - Evaluator of Top Talent

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Biography

Paul Wulff is a veteran football coach with more than three decades of experience across the NFL, FBS, and FCS levels. Over the course of 33 years, he has built a reputation as an elite evaluator and developer of talent, rising from a volunteer coach to offensive line coach, offensive coordinator, and ultimately a multi-year head coach. Widely respected throughout the coaching community, Wulff is known for his technical expertise in offensive line play, his ability to elevate young talent, and his leadership in building successful football programs.

A former four-year letter winner and All-Conference center at Washington State University, Wulff signed with the New York Jets after college and went on to start two seasons in the World League of American Football. His playing background laid a strong foundation for a coaching career defined by toughness, detail, and a deep understanding of offensive football.

Wulff's head-coaching career began at Eastern Washington University, where he transformed the program into a consistent contender. Over eight seasons, EWU secured two Big Sky Conference championships and made three FCS playoff appearances. Wulff earned Big Sky Coach of the Year honors three times, and his teams became known for disciplined, physical play and strong offensive line production.

He later returned to his alma mater as head coach at Washington State University, gaining experience leading a Power-Five program and overseeing major rebuilding efforts. Wulff's career also includes NFL experience, serving as an assistant offensive line coach with the San Francisco 49ers, where he contributed to the team's run to Super Bowl XLVII.

In addition to head-coaching roles, Wulff has held a variety of high-impact positions including assistant head coach, run-game coordinator, offensive line coach, and offensive coordinator. His work at programs such as Sacramento State and Cal Poly further demonstrates his ability to elevate offensive line units, improve run-game production, and mentor both student-athletes and coaching staff. Many of the linemen he has coached have gone on to earn All-Conference honors, All-American recognition, and careers in the NFL.

Across every stop in his career, Paul Wulff has been recognized as one of the most respected offensive line coaches in the game. His extensive experience, player-first approach, and proven ability to build and develop programs make him a valuable asset for football organizations seeking leadership, stability, and a deep understanding of championship-level offensive football.

Statement

My commitment is 100% devoted to our athletes, organization, & staff, to maximize the potential of each individual in our program athletically, socially & academically - to strive for peak performance in all areas of our program. The goal is to always be the best we can be in all we do every day.

Achievement

Notable Players Coached
National Lineman of the Year – Michael Roos 2004
• Coached All-Pro Offensive Lineman, Joe Staley 2013 & 2014
• Mike Iupati, Alex Boone & Anthony Davis SF 49ers 2012-2013
• Coached Austin Reiter & Darrell Williams University of South Florida 2014

Coached in Super Bowl XLVII SF 49ers vs Baltimore Ravens
2013

Finalist for “Eddie Robinson” National Coach of the Year
2004 & 2007

4 Time FCS Playoff Participant 1997-2004-2005-2007
Semi & Quarter Finals

Coached 18-All-American Offensive Lineman 1993 to 2007
Finalist for “Eddie Robinson” National Coach of the Year 2007
• Big Sky Conference Coach of the Year 2005
• Finalist for “Eddie Robinson” National Coach of the Year 2004
• Big Sky Conference Coach of the Year 2004
• Big Sky Conference Coach of the Year 2001

3-Time Big Sky Conference Coach of the Year
2001-2004-2005

Big Sky Champions 2004-2005
FCS Playoffs Quarter Finals

Education

Bachelor's Social Science
Washington State University 1990

Feature

2023 - 2024 Top 5 FCS Recruiting Class
Paul Wulff signs back to back top 5 FCS recruiting classes at Cal Poly.

https://gopoly.com/news/2024/2/8/cal-poly-football-signs-top-five-ranked-recruiting-class

Paul Wulff Coaching and Life Philosophy
KSBY sits down with Paul Wulff ahead of 2023 season at Cal Poly.

PLAYER DEVELOPMENT

Charlie Adams
Cal Poly | Football
Charlie is in his first year after on year at JC. He also will be entering into the January 2026 portal. He also has several offers and will be our 3rd OL in two years being developed and sought after by the biggest colleges in the country.

Racin Delgatty
Cal Poly | Football

2 - time conference award winner. Currently heading into the transfer portal and already is one of the top sought after OL in the 2026 portal

Brady Norton
University of Michigan | Football
Coached Brady for the 2023 & 2024 seasons at Cal Poly before he transferred to Michigan in January 2025

ATHLETIC CAREER

Offensive Center - Long Snapper — New York/New Jersey NFL World League
WLAF - World League of American Football | Football | 1992 - 1992

Offensive Center - Long Snapper — Raleigh-Durham NFL World League 1991
WLAF World League Of American Football | Football | 1991 - 1991

Offensive Center - Long Snapper — New York Jets
NFL - National Football League | Football | 1990 - 1990

Player — Washington State University 1985 - 1990
NCAA Division I - National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I | Football | 1985 - 1989

COACHING CAREER

Assistant Coach & Head Coach — Cal Poly
NCAA Division I - National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I | Football | 2020 - 2025

Assistant Coach — UC Davis
NCAA Division I - National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I | Football | 2019 - 2019

Offensive Coordinator & Offensive Line Coach — Sacramento State University
NCAA Division I - National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I | Football | 2016 - 2018

Assistant Coach — Iowa St University
NCAA Division I - National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I | Football | 2015 - 2015

Offensive Coordinator — University of South Florida
NCAA Division I - National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I | Football | 2014 - 2015
Offensive Coordinator & Offensive Line

Assistant Coach — San Franciso 49ers
NFL - National Football League | Football | 2012 - 2013
Spent 2 years working and assisting the OL and evaluating college players for the NFL draft

Head Coach — Wasington State University
NCAA Division I - National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I | Football | 2008 - 2011
Head Football Coach

Head Coach & Assistant Coach — Eastern Washington University
NCAA Division I - National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I | Football | 1993 - 2007
Assistant Coach from 1993 to 1999 Head Coach from 2000 to 2007