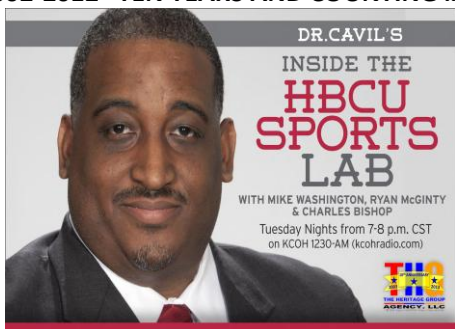


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Dr. Cavil's Inside The HBCU Huddle-- The Talladega Tornadoes earn the final season No. 1 Poll Rankings The Livingstone Blue Bears, Xavier Gold Rush, Paine Lions, and the Wiley Wildcats closeout the rankings at No. 2, No. 3, No. 4, and No. 5, respectively

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HOUSTON – The Talladega Tornadoes (32-5, 13-1) of the GCAC finish the season at No. 1 in the power rankings for Dr. Cavil's HBCU Mid-Major Division Men's Basketball Final Fabulous Five Poll Power Rankings. The Tornadoes made a NAIA tournament run to the semifinals. The Livingstone Blue Bear out of the CIAA finished ranked No. 2. The Xavier Gold Rush of the GCAC and the Paine Lions of the SIAC complete the season at No. 3 and No. 4, respectively. While, the Wiley Wildcats of the RRAC closeout the top five of power poll rankings at No. 5. The Gulf Coast Conferences ends the season with two teams in the final five power rankings.

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Rank	Team & Mascot	Record	FPV	Points	PWR	Conference
1	@-Talladega Tornadoes	(32-5, 13-1)	1	102	1	GCAC
2	Livingstone Blue Bears	(19-10, 10-6)	2	97	2	CIAA
3	Xavier Gold Rush	(24-10, 11-3)		86	3	GCAC
4	Paine Lions	(23-5, 17-2)		75	4	SIAC
5	Wiley Wildcats	(21-12, 15-5)		63	NR	RRAC

FPV = First Place Votes; PWR = Previous Week Ranking; NR = Not Ranked

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Dropped Out: N/A

Receiving Votes: Bowie State Bulldogs (22-8, 13-3)-56,

Benedict Tigers (19-11, 12-7)-54

