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BNXT - ROOKIES ANALYSIS (version 1.0 - 08/10/2025)

The BNXT League has established itself as one of the main gateways for rookies transitioning from college to professional basketball. In recent seasons, several players have used this league as a springboard: Myles Cale reached the EuroLeague with Barcelona, Timmy Allen moved to the Italian LBA, Aundre Hyatt to France's Pro-A, and John Newman to the BBL.

This report provides a focused look at the rookies currently competing in the BNXT, with the goal of helping clubs identify players who are already adapting to the European context and could be monitored for future opportunities. Each profile includes a compact evaluation of role, skillset, and projection: a practical tool for technical staff and decision-makers.

JALEN BLACKMON - Combo Guard

6'3 - 191 cm - Hubo Limburg - American.

Proven scorer with perimeter shooting pedigree and offensive versatility. Excels as a shot-maker and rhythm scorer with confidence from deep. Needs improved shot selection, physicality, and defensive focus to sustain impact at higher levels.

STRENGTHS	WEAKNESSES
Scoring Ability: great creation off-the-dribble; consistent shot-maker in clutch moments.	Shot Selection: high-volume tendencies; efficiency fluctuates under pressure.
3-PT Threat: confident pull-up and catch-and-shoot scorer.	Physicality: limited upper-body strength; struggles vs. contact and bigger guards.
Composure: experienced guard used to large minutes and scoring responsibility.	Defensive Consistency: reactive but lacks aggressiveness and focus off-ball.

COMPARISON & PROJECTION: Comparable to Bryce Hamilton for offensive mindset and scoring confidence. A fearless shooter with microwave scoring potential who can change rhythm off the bench. Projected as a solid scorer in top-10 European leagues, pending adaptation and physical adjustment to pro contact.

TYTAN ANDERSON - Combo Forward

6'6 - 198 cm - Leuven Bears - American.

Energetic forward with a strong motor and defensive versatility. Reliable finisher and rebounder who impacts both ends through effort and IQ. Limited perimeter range but compensates with activity, toughness, and adaptability.

STRENGTHS	WEAKNESSES
Rebounding & Hustle: elite effort on glass; creates second chances and transitions.	Shooting Range: 27.7% 3-PT career; reluctant perimeter shooter limits spacing.
Versatility: defends multiple positions; reliable footwork and lateral mobility.	Offensive Creation: dependent on cuts and putbacks; lacks isolation scoring.
Physicality: plays through contact, strong inside presence for size.	Size to play inside: great energy but lacks in height and weight for a pro level.

COMPARISON & PROJECTION: Comparable to KC Ndefo for impact style: energetic, team-oriented, and defensively reliable despite limited size. Can immediately contribute in medium-level European leagues as a rotation defender and rebounder, with upside as a glue-guy for higher levels if his shooting range improves.

DANTE MADDOX - Combo Guard

6'2 - 188 cm - Okapi Aalst - American.

Compact and skilled combo guard with scoring ability on three levels. Strong frame, reliable shooter, and disciplined decision-maker. Brings immediate offensive value as a specialist, but lacks true playmaking instincts to manage a full offensive unit.

STRENGTHS	WEAKNESSES
Shooting Consistency: 40.4% from 3 over his career; efficient spot-up and off-screen scorer.	Shot Creation: limited self-creation off the dribble; tends to rely on rhythm shooting.
Physical Build: strong lower body; finishes through contact with balance and control.	Playmaking Vision: not a natural creator; limited reads as a secondary handler.
Discipline & IQ: good assist/turnover ratio; values possessions and fits structured systems.	Defensive Lateral Quickness: may struggle containing explosive guards in space.

COMPARISON & PROJECTION: Comparable to DJ Seeley for balance between perimeter scoring and control. A reliable combo guard who spaces the floor and contributes within system offense. Projected to make an immediate impact as a rotation shooter in top European leagues, with upside as a versatile backcourt scorer if mid-range creation expands.

DANE ERIKSTRUP - Stretch Five

6'11 - 211 cm - Donar Groningen - Danish.

Modern big man with shooting touch and size to stretch the floor. Effective in pick-and-pop situations and disciplined in team concepts. Lacks physicality for a pure center role but compensates with timing, coordination, and feel. A valuable profile for systems emphasizing spacing and inside-out balance.

STRENGTHS	WEAKNESSES
Shooting Range: reliable from deep; efficient pick-and-pop threat.	Physical Impact: struggles to absorb contact and maintain position against strong bigs.
Size & IQ: solid frame with good coordination and understanding of spacing.	Foul Trouble: 3.6 fouls per game; often limits his floor time and rhythm.
Versatility: decent passer; adaptable to multiple frontcourt systems.	Rebounding: below-average presence given his size and minutes.

COMPARISON & PROJECTION: Comparable to Tyronn Flowers for rhythm and role, a modern stretch-five with European adaptability. His blend of size, shooting, and Bosman-A passport makes him an appealing fit for Spain's Primera FEB or Germany's ProA. Projected to serve as a tactical floor-spacing weapon with developmental upside toward higher levels.

RASHEED BELLO - Point Guard

6'0 - 183 cm - Giants Antwerp - American.

Compact and aggressive point guard with a strong two-way identity. Combines quickness, toughness, and solid playmaking instincts, showing leadership and impact on both ends. Improved three-point consistency and defensive intensity make him an intriguing modern guard, though decision-making and efficiency remain areas for growth.

STRENGTHS	WEAKNESSES
Explosiveness: excellent first step; dynamic in attacking the rim and finishing through contact.	Shot selection: tends to force drives; needs to balance slashing and outside shooting.

Shooting Growth: significant leap in 3PT % (from 34.8% to 43.4% on 5.1 attempts).	Turnovers: 2.6 per game; must improve read-and-react timing under pressure.
On-Ball Defense: twice Conference All-Defensive Team; disruptive and physical perimeter defender.	Size & Strength: undersized vs. taller guards; can struggle in mismatches.

COMPARISON & PROJECTION: Comparable to Cobe Williams, whom he effectively replaced, shares the same quickness, intensity, and scoring versatility. Fits best as a high-energy point guard in pressing systems or fast-paced European leagues. Projected as a capable second-unit leader in mid-level leagues, with upside potential as his consistency develops.

WILL PRUITT - Combo Guard

6'3 - 191 cm - Leuven Bears - American.

Balanced combo guard with strong fundamentals and proven consistency. Mixes shooting, rebounding, and secondary playmaking with excellent feel for team concepts. A composed, high-IQ player who compensates average athleticism with positioning, awareness, and discipline.

STRENGTHS	WEAKNESSES
Shooting: reliable perimeter scorer; efficient both off-screen and spot-up.	Quickness: lacks elite foot speed; can struggle to create separation in isolation.
Rebounding Guard: 5.9 rpg shows size and toughness for position.	Aggressiveness: can be too conservative on both ends; low foul and steal rates.
Decision-Making: strong assist/turnover ratio; steady in structured systems.	Defensive reactivity: slow against quicker guards; needs more assertiveness.

COMPARISON & PROJECTION: Comparable to Billy Baron for style and maturity. A reliable two-way guard who can contribute immediately in mid-level European leagues. Projects as a rotation piece at higher levels, offering shooting gravity and leadership presence if lateral quickness improves.

KAMERON HOBBS - Scoring Combo

5'10 - 178 cm - Leeuwarden Basket - American.

Explosive point guard with elite quickness and high-level energy. Fast and creative in transition, capable of changing rhythm and creating separation in tight spaces. Despite his small frame, compensates with toughness, pace, and confidence, though his size can limit his finishing efficiency against bigger guards.

STRENGTHS	WEAKNESSES
Speed & Agility: outstanding first step and change of direction.	Size: undersized for the pro level, struggles to finish through length and strength.
Scoring Impact: versatile shot creator; effective pull-up and solid 3PT accuracy	Shot selection: can force shots when in rhythm; needs better game control.
Playmaking: improving creator, showed flashes of vision.	Defensive focus: loses positioning in rotations, inconsistent awareness off-the-ball.

COMPARISON & PROJECTION: Comparable to Zach Cooks for pace, creativity, and fearless scoring. Can bring instant impact as a spark-plug guard in up-tempo European systems. Has the potential to grow into a reliable second-unit scorer if defensive discipline and shot selection improve.

GARRETT HIEN - Stretch Four

6'9 - 206 cm - Belfius Mons - American.

Fundamental and team-oriented forward who plays within structure and understands spacing. Reliable passer and screener who contributes with balance and IQ rather than flash. Needs greater consistency from range to become a full stretch-four, but provides versatility and composure on both ends.

STRENGTHS	WEAKNESSES
Versatility: comfortable playing both PF and small-ball 5; good sense of spacing and timing.	Shooting consistency: still streaky from three
Passing & Reads: high-level facilitator for his position and efficient decision-maker.	Physicality: struggles to absorb contact vs stronger bigs, limited vertical pop.
Team Defense: disciplined rotations, active hands, reliable in help and boxouts.	Quickness: lacks elite lateral mobility; can be exposed by faster forwards.

COMPARISON & PROJECTION: Comparable to Rocky Kreuser for positional understanding and two-way discipline. Fits as a complementary forward in spacing-oriented European systems. Projected to stabilize as a rotation piece if his shooting consistency and lateral quickness continue to improve.

DRAKE DOBBS - Floor General

6'2 - 188 cm - Landstede Zwolle - American.

Intelligent point guard with strong decision-making and reliable shooting. Natural floor leader who reads the game early, distributes efficiently, and keeps control under pressure. Slightly undersized for the professional level, but compensates with poise, timing, and a clean offensive execution.

STRENGTHS	WEAKNESSES
IQ & Vision: anticipates plays and finds late passing lines; top-10 NCAA AST/TO ratio.	Size: undersized for pro standards, can struggle against stronger guards.
Shooting: high-level accuracy from deep and from the line.	Physical impact: lacks strength and explosiveness when driving or finishing through contact.
Efficiency: low-turnover guard with unselfish playmaking and good tempo control.	Aggressiveness: sometimes too passive, should trust his shot and scoring instincts more.

COMPARISON & PROJECTION: A European-style profile, comparable to Frankie Ferrari for control, pace, and IQ-driven approach. Can emerge as a steady organizer in structured European offenses. Projected as a balanced floor general off the bench or a starter in lineups rich in offensive talent, where his playmaking and composure can elevate team flow.

ZEB JACKSON - Forward/Guard

6'5 - 196 cm - Spirou Charleroi - American.

Left-handed swingman with quick handle and scoring instincts. Adds pace and creativity off the bench, attacking closeouts and midrange gaps. Still streaky from deep, but could provide scoring punch and lineup flexibility in European systems.

STRENGTHS	WEAKNESSES
Ball-handling & control: creates separation and finishes through contact.	Shooting mechanics: low release, inconsistent accuracy.
Playmaking: reads defenses well, unselfish passer in motion.	Shot selection: over-dribbles, loses rhythm in half-court.
Defense: active laterally, can guard both guard and wing spots.	Physicality: needs added strength to absorb contact and fight screens.

COMPARISON & PROJECTION: Comparable to forward/guards like Tevin Brown for profile and versatility. Ready for rotation minutes in Polish League or German ProA level clubs. Can impact as bench scorer or utility swingman if perimeter consistency improves.

References & Data Sources

Stats verified via NCAA official database, [Eurobasket.com](https://eurobasket.com), [Realgm.com](https://realgm.com) and domestic league logs. Video cross-checked with internal Synergy and game film review.

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