

Student-Athlete Panel Host

Richard Howell, NC State Basketball (2009-2013) Current Head Basketball Coach: Green Hope High School

Richard Howell is a former professional basketball player known for his impactful college career at North Carolina State University (NC State) and his professional experience in both the NBA and international leagues. Born on September 26, 1990, in Marietta, Georgia, Howell made a name for himself on the court with his impressive skills and strong work ethic.

Howell played for the NC State Wolfpack from 2009 to 2013, where he became a key player known for his rebounding ability, scoring, and versatility on the court. In his senior year, he was named to the All-ACC First

Team and earned a reputation as one of the best forwards in the conference. His physical presence and ability to dominate in the paint made him a standout during his collegiate career.

After his time at NC State, Howell entered the professional basketball scene, beginning his career in the NBA D-League (now known as the NBA G League) with the Idaho Stampede. He also had short stints with NBA teams such as the Portland Trail Blazers. Throughout his career, Howell played for various international teams, including stints in Israel, France, Italy, and the Philippines.

Off the court, he is known for his commitment to the sport and his drive to continuously improve. While his professional career has included numerous teams and countries, Howell's foundation as a standout player at NC State remains a significant part of his legacy.

In April of 2024 Richard Howell become the Head Basketball Coach of Green Hope High School in Cary, North Carolina.