

SEDRICK VAN PRAN-GRANGER

AGE: 22 (October 23, 2001) COLLEGE: Georgia HOMETOWN: New Orleans, LA X SedrickVanPran HT: 6-4 | WT: 315 NFL EXP: Rookie ACQUIRED: Draft (2024, R5)

# **FIRST-AND-10**

**SEDRICK VAN PRAN-GRANGER** was selected by the Bills in the fifth round in 2024. Van Pran-Granger joins James Cook (2022) as draft picks out of Georgia on the Bills roster.

#### SHOUTOUTS

- During his tenure at Georgia (2020-23), started his final 44 games at center for the Bulldogs and helped UGA go 42-2 in those games.
- In 2023, started at center in all 14 games for the Bulldogs.
- 2023 honors for the season included: First Team All-American by ESPN and Sports Illustrated, Second Team All-American by AFCA, AP, CBS, Fox Sports, FWAA, The Sporting News, The Athletic and Walter Camp, recipient of SEC Jacobs Blocking Trophy, AP and Coaches All-SEC First Team selection, earning unanimous selection to AP roster, and was a finalist for Rimington Trophy.
- Named to the preseason watch list for the Rimington Trophy, given annually to the nation's top collegiate center in both 2022 and 2023.
- Started at center in all 15 of Georgia's games in 2022 and was named Coaches' and AP All-SEC Second Team.
- Started at center in all 15 of Georgia's games in 2021.
- Saw his first collegiate action as a reserve OL in Georgia's win over Auburn (10/3/20).

# THE STAMPEDE

First car: A 2001 Acura TL with 175,000 miles on it Favorite Movie: Paid In Full Bucket list item: Fly in a helicopter Favorite food: Fried shrimp Favorite gas station snack: Honey bun donut sticks Favorite musical artist: NBA YoungBoy Dream vacation spot: Bahamas Fun fact: Auditioned to be a child Disney actor Favorite video game: NBA 2K16

### IF YOU HAVEN'T HERD HONORING THOSE NO LONGER HERE

Early morning of Jan. 15, Bulldog offensive lineman Devin Willock and recruiting staffer Chandler LeCroy were killed in a high-speed crash...Willock remains with Van Pran-Granger still today in different ways. He wore his No. 77 jersey for the Florida and Ball State games, a tribute that Georgia offensive lineman are doing to honor Willock's memory for each game this season.

Van Pran-Granger also has worn a necklace with Willock's initials against an outline of the state of New Jersey. He said he bought it from the jeweler Jacob Mark in his hometown of New Orleans.

Van Pran-Granger was one of two Georgia players who spoke at a celebration of life for Willock in Engelwood, N.J. on Jan. 27. "I think it's something I still live with knowing that Devin isn't here," Van Pran Granger said. "It's tough. It's honestly tough. That was a guy, we used to go and get food together and do different things like that. That was a guy that I came in with."

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#### **QUITE THE ARTIST**

When Van Pran was in kindergarten or first grade, he said he picked up a pair of playing cards with a picture of a clown on it. He decided to sketch what he saw. He said his father, Sedrick Granger, called for his mother, Keon Van Pran-Wiltz, to come and watch. "He's showing her the card saying, "This is amazing," Van Pran-Granger said. He said his parents had him tested for "talented art," in about the third grade and he began taking visual art classes.

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# PERSONAL

Attended Warren Easton (LA) High School. Majored in interdisciplinary art. The son of Sedrick Granger and Keon Van Pran-Wiltz. Hobbies include art and video games.