

# COLLEGE BASEBALL

## A D V I S O R S



**DON MITCHELL**  
Professional Bio

Following his days as a Cincinnati Reds player, Don began his scouting career as an Area Scout with the Reds in 1986. He later was a Regional Scouting Supervisor for the Cleveland Indians and Pittsburgh Pirates before becoming the National Scouting Supervisor for the Atlanta Braves in 1993 and was presented a World Series Ring in 1995.

This propelled him to the position of the first Director of Scouting for the Arizona Diamondbacks from 1995 to 1999. He was responsible for the day to day operations of the scouting department supervising 35 scouts in 7 countries with an annual budget of over \$8 million. Some of the players Don has been involved in the scouting and signing of include Jim Thome, Brad Penny, Reggie Sanders, Lyle Overbay, Jose Valverde, Jermaine Dye Kevin Millwood, and Jason Kendall.