

PLAYER SCOUTING REPORT

Player Information

- Name: Andrew Young
- Height/Weight: 6'9" / 200 lbs
- Position: Forward (PF)
- Current Team: Missouri S&T Miners (GLVC, NCAA Division II)
- Hometown / High School: Ballwin, MO / Marquette High School



OVERVIEW

Andrew Young is a forward with strong size and good mobility for his frame. He plays for Missouri S&T and has steadily raised his game each season, becoming one of the premier players in the Great Lakes Valley Conference (GLVC). Has earned All-GLVC First Team, Academic honors, and midwest region recognition. He balances solid scoring with great efficiency, rebounding ability, and shot blocking, making him a two-way threat.



COLLEGE CAREER

2022–23 – Freshman: 7.3 PPG, 3.8 REB, 1.1 BLK.

2023–24 – Sophomore: 10 PPG, 6.4 REB, 1.6 BLK

2024–25 – Junior: 16.7 PPG, 7.6 REB, 1.8 BLK.

Overall: Named to the All-Midwest Region first team by the NABC and D2CCA...also landed All-GLVC first team honors...three-time GLVC Player of the Week selection during the season



STRENGTHS

- High efficiency scoring inside paint and near the rim.
- Excellent shot blocking for his height and level; protects rim well.
- Solid rebounder on both ends; finishes possessions and gains extra opportunities.
- Durability & consistency—plays many games, scores in double figures often.
- Good size and frame for a forward in mid-to-upper tier overseas leagues.

WEAKNESSES

- Three-point or long-range shooting is limited or undeveloped (not a consistent outside threat yet).
- Playmaking / ball handling are basic; not much of a perimeter creator.
- Athleticism and quickness vs. high-level wings may be a challenge.
- Needs experience versus top Division I or pro-level defenders to test his defensive footwork and speed.

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PLAYING STYLE & PROJECTION

Young plays physical, strong inside, reliable as a post/paint forward who can score, rebound, and defend. He's not flashy but gets his work done. Projections point toward him being a power forward in European leagues where inside scoring, rebounding, and rim protection are valued. He could fit as a strong frontcourt rotation player, especially in leagues that emphasize bigs who can defend and clean up.



COMPARABLE PLAYERS

Drew Peterson (USC / Boston Celtics, NBA / Overseas Pro)

Andrew Young shares similarities with Drew Peterson in terms of efficiency, versatility, and basketball IQ. While Peterson developed into a stretch forward with perimeter scoring, Young provides his impact inside with rebounding and rim protection. Both bring consistency and smart decision-making, rarely forcing bad shots. Young mirrors Peterson's ability to influence games beyond scoring, using size and positioning. If Young expands his range, he could follow Peterson's path as a reliable overseas pro.



Mike Tobey (Dreamland Gran Canaria, Liga ACB / Slovenia NT)

Andrew Young's game has shades of Mike Tobey, especially in the paint. Like Tobey, Young is an effective finisher around the rim, strong on the glass, and a dependable interior presence. Both players thrive by maximizing size and touch rather than relying on flashy athleticism. While Tobey developed into a EuroLeague-caliber center, Young shows a similar foundation of efficient scoring and rim protection that could translate to long-term success in European frontcourts.



CONCLUSION

Andrew Young is a very solid prospect. With his efficiency, shot-blocking, and rebounding, he has everything needed to get professional looks, especially overseas. If he adds range or more polished perimeter skills (passing or dribble-drive), he could increase his upside significantly.

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