



ROBERT "CAL" CALIHAN
University of Detroit

Bob Calihan...University of Detroit...whichever you heard first, immediately you think of the other.

Bob played for the University of Detroit and was their first All-American in 1939. After receiving his journalism degree, he served in the Navy as a Lieutenant commander for 14 months. He then played professionally in the NBL.

In 1948, Bob became Head Coach of the Titans. he held that position until he stepped down in 1969. During that time, his teams won 303 games and lost 237. They made appearances in the NCAA tournament once and the National Invitational three times. Bob, in 1963, became the Athletic Director, retiring from that post in February, 1977.

Bob is a charter member of the University of Detroit's Hall of Fame and Calihan Hall was named after him. He is also a member of the Michigan Sports Hall of Fame.

Presenter: Bob Taylor