

# GREG PYKE

GEORGIA

Height: 6'6"

Weight: 313

Arms:

Combine:

40 yd Dash: DNP

3 Cone: DNP

20 yd Shuttle: DNP

Vert: DNP

**Pros:**

- Big frame with good weight distribution
- Good feet, gets out in front of play well
- Adept run blocker, good foot and handwork
- Flexible enough to get low and win leverage
- Strong player to root out DT's
- Speed to get out and pull
- Good pulling technique

**Cons:**

- Looks lost in space
- Pass blocking technique is raw and unrefined
- Doesn't work well to the 2<sup>nd</sup> level yet
- Good but not great athlete
- Stilted kick slide, poor footwork
- Narrow base in pass pro

Summary: Redshirt senior lineman Greg Pyke played out of position in 2016 at right tackle. After spending two years at guard and earning a 2<sup>nd</sup> team All-SEC selection in 2015, the Baltimore native moved out to right tackle. While it makes sense with Pyke's frame and movement skills, he struggles mightily to have even an adequate kick slide. His footwork in pass protection is stilted, awkward and doesn't do his decent athletic ability justice. He's a strong player who plays with great intensity and fire. He's a superb run blocker, using great leverage, hip snap and upper body strength to root out bigger defensive tackles. Despite his height, he was able to win inside on a regular basis. Pyke has the ability to be a quality starting offensive linemen, most likely at guard, but his footwork in pass protection will have to be rebuilt from the ground up. He will also have to work on his pulling. While he is adept at getting out into space and looks comfortable moving, he struggles to make contact and land a block. With good physical skills and a strong run blocking portfolio, Pyke will likely be drafted but should not see the field until he can adequately pass block. Final day selection for a team that has a great teacher for an offensive line coach.