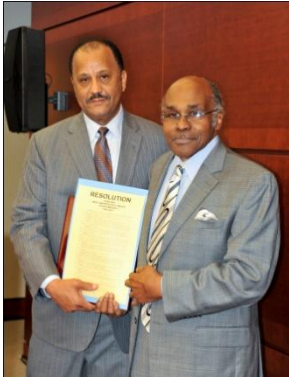




Mississippi Board of Trustees of State Institutions of Higher Learning

Black History Month 2012 Recognition



Black History Month Community Leader Honoree

Awarded Posthumously to Gwendolyn A. Magee (1943-2011), accepted by her husband, Dr. D.E. Magee, Jr.

From left to right:

- Trustee Bob Owens, Co-Chair, Diversity Committee
- Dr. D.E. Magee, Jr.



Black History Month Educator of the Year

From left to right:

- Dr. Martha Saunders, President, University of Southern Mississippi
- Dr. Kim M. LeDuff, Associate Professor and Associate Director, School of Mass Communication and Journalism, University of Southern Mississippi
- Trustee Bob Owens, Co-Chair, Diversity Committee



Alcorn State University Honoree

From left to right:

- Trustee Bob Owens, Co-Chair, Diversity Committee
- Dr. Ruth R. Nichols, Senior Director of Community Outreach and Partnership Development, Alcorn State University
- Dr. Christopher M. Brown II, President, Alcorn State University



Delta State University Honoree

From left to right:

- Trustee Bob Owens, Co-Chair, Diversity Committee
- Dr. Vicki N. Webster, Assistant Professor of Computer Information Systems, Delta State University
- Dr. Ann C. Lotven, Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs, Delta State University



Jackson State University Honoree

From left to right:

- Trustee Bob Owens, Co-Chair, Diversity Committee
- Dr. Mohammad Shahbazi, Professor and Chair, Department of Behavioral and Environmental Health and Director of Global Community Health Worker Training and Public Health Certification Program, Jackson State University
- Dr. Carolyn Meyers, Jackson State University



Mississippi State University Honoree

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- Trustee Bob Owens, Co-Chair, Diversity Committee
- Dr. Robert J. Damm, Professor of Music, Mississippi State University
- Dr. Mark Keenum, President, Mississippi State University



Mississippi State University, Division of Agriculture, Forestry and Veterinary Medicine, Honoree

From left to right:

- Trustee Bob Owens, Co-Chair, Diversity Committee
- Dr. Mark L. Lawrence, Associate Dean and Professor, College of Veterinary Medicine, Mississippi State University
- Dr. Gregory Bohach, Vice President for Agriculture, Forestry and Veterinary Medicine, Mississippi State University



Mississippi University for Women Honoree

From left to right:

- Trustee Bob Owens, Co-Chair, Diversity Committee
- Dr. Phillip Cockrell, Director of Student Life, Mississippi University for Women
- Dr. Jim Borsig, President, Mississippi University for Women



Mississippi Valley State University Honoree

Dr. Barbara Washington, Associate Professor of English, Mississippi Valley State University
(award accepted by MVSU President on honoree's behalf)

From left to right:

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- Dr. Donna H. Oliver, President, Mississippi Valley State University



University of Mississippi Honoree

From left to right:

- Trustee Bob Owens, Co-Chair, Diversity Committee
- Ms. Janice W. Murray, Professor of Art and Associate Dean, College of Liberal Arts, University of Mississippi
- Dr. Dan Jones, Chancellor, University of Mississippi



University of Mississippi Medical Center Honoree

From left to right:

- Trustee Bob Owens, Co-Chair, Diversity Committee
- Dr. Loretta Jackson-Williams, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs and Associate Professor of Emergency Medicine, The University of Mississippi Medical Center
- Dr. James Keeton, Vice Chancellor for Health Affairs and Dean of the School of Medicine, University of Mississippi Medical Center