A MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATURE

The Higher Education Appreciation Day, Working for Academic Excellence (HEADWAE) was established by the Mississippi Legislature in 1988 to honor academically talented students and faculty members who have made outstanding contributions in promoting academic excellence. This Appreciation Day is our way of saying "thank you" for your commitment to the future of Mississippi. It is an honor and privilege for the Legislature to recognize these honorees for their outstanding achievements. We wish them every success as they pursue their personal and professional goals.

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**HEADWAE SCHEDULE**

**February 28, 2006**

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<td>10:00 a.m.</td>
<td>Honoree Registration - State Capitol, First Floor</td>
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<td>10:15 a.m.</td>
<td>Official Welcome - State Capitol, Second Floor</td>
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<td>10:20 a.m.</td>
<td>Tour of Capitol - Capitol Hostess</td>
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<td>11:45 a.m.</td>
<td>Luncheon -Windsor I, II - The Marriott Hotel</td>
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<td>1:00 p.m.</td>
<td>Adjournment</td>
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<td>1:00 - 2:00 p.m.</td>
<td>Optional Photo Session - The Canterbury Room</td>
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HEADWAE STEERING COMMITTEE

THE HONORABLE AMY TUCK, CHAIR
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

MR. JOSEPH AMMERMAN
Director of Communication for the Lt. Governor

MS. NANCY BARKLEY
Assistant to the Lieutenant Governor

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Hinds County

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Mississippi Legislature

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Secretary/Treasurer, Mississippi Association of Colleges and Universities

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Commissioner of Higher Education
Mississippi Institutions of Higher Learning

DR. DAVID L. BECKLEY
President, Rust College
President, Mississippi Association of Colleges and Universities

DR. WAYNE STONECYPHER
Executive Director
State Board for Community and Junior Colleges
# Headway Honorees

## 2005-2006

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<td>Beth Ann Baker</td>
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<td>Elaine Storey Case</td>
<td>Thomas J. Rauch III</td>
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JAMAL L. JAMES

Class Standing: Senior
Major/Minor Field of Study: Biochemistry/Pre-Medicine
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.9 GPA; Dean's List Scholar (Fall 2004 and Spring 2005).
College Honors Held: Alcorn State University Men's Club; HBCU-UP Program participant; Student Government Association; voted Most Handsome Sophomore.
Career Goals: I plan to attend medical school and eventually practice family medicine.
High School: Vicksburg High School, Vicksburg
Parents: Ceola James
Home Town: Vicksburg

DARRYL VANRICH GRENNELL

Title, Department: Instructor, Department of Biological Sciences
Years of Service at Institution: 16
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 16
Academic Credentials:
Degree | Major | Institution | Year
--- | --- | --- | ---
M.S. | Biology | Alcorn State University | 1988-89
B.S. | Biology | Tougaloo College | 1983-87
Publications/Honors/Awards: Who's Who Among America's Teachers, 1994-2005; Most Professional and Dependable Award in Department of Biological Sciences, 1999; Reviewer for several college textbooks.
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: MAE, NEA, Beta Beta, Beta Kappa Chi, MS Academy of Science, Phi Delta Kappa past president; ASU Faculty Senate past president; Civic Activities: Board of Directors, Historical Natchez Foundation; Boys and Girls Club; Natchez Little Theater; NAACP; President of Adams County Board of Supervisors.
Hometown: Natchez
BRIANNA CRISLER

Class Standing: Senior
Major/Minor Field of Study: Sports Medicine and Exercise Science/Dance
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.9 GPA; President's List (twice) Dean's List (three times); invited and attended Belhaven College Honors Seminar for two years; received the 2005 Daniel Award for academic excellence and artistic achievement.
College Honors Held: Co-leader of the Belhaven College 2005 Missions Conference; member, Student Mission Fellowship leadership team; member, DOXA, and Sports Medicine Exercise Science Club; Resident Assistant (two years); co-author of a medical research article to be presented in Edinburgh at the World Federation of Athletic Training.
Career Goal: To dance professionally, obtain my master's degree, become certified as an athletic trainer, and specialize in performing arts medicine.
High School: Calvary Fellowship School, Florence, Alabama
Parents: Parke and Katherine
Home Town: Florence, AL

ROBERT WALTZER

Title, Department: Associate Professor of Biology
Years of Service at Institution: 12
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 19
Academic Credentials:

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Professional Affiliations/O ffices Held: Member, Mississippi Academy of Sciences; member, Society for Neuroscience.
Hometown: Jackson
JESI ROGERS

Class Standing: Senior
Major/Minor Field of Study: Biology, Chemistry/English
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 4.0 GPA; selected as "Most Intellectual" student; President's List; General Chemistry Award.
College Honors Held: Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges; Cap and Gown Honor Society, vice president; member, Student Government Association Council; president, Alumnae Ambassadors; associate editor, student literary journal "The Mountain Breeze;" vice president, Euzelian Society.
Career Goals: I plan to attend graduate school where I will pursue my interest in animal science.
High School: Bruce High School, Bruce
Parents: J. B. and Jennifer
Hometown: Pittsboro

WILLIAM L. DOWDY

Title, Department: Associate Professor of Art
Years of Service at Institution: 29
Years of Service in Higher Education: 32
Academic Credentials:

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Publications/Honors/Awards: Paintings and drawings exhibited in local and regional competitions in Alabama and Tennessee; one man shows in Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi and Tennessee; works hang in public buildings and private collections in 18 states.
Hometown: Blue Mountain
SAMANTHA HARDMON

Class Standing: Sophomore
Major/Minor Field of Study: Pre-Nursing
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.4 GPA.
College Honors Held: Miss Coahoma Community College; president, Ambassadors; member, SGA; cheerleader; member, The Baptist Club.
Career Goals: To become the best nurse I can be.
High School: Clarksdale High School, Clarksdale
Parents: Benita and William (deceased)
Home Town: Clarksdale

DONNA BURNSIDE

Title, Department: College Instructor, English and Foreign Language
Years of Service at Institution: 3
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 3
Academic Credentials:
Degree Major Institution
M.A. Communication University of Akron
B.A. Speech Communication Mississippi Valley State University
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: TYCA General Member (Two Year Colleges Association); Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.; Lamplighters, 2003.
Hometown: Clarksdale
TOMMY ASHLEY

Class Standing: Sophomore
Major/Minor Field of Study: Radiography
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.5 GPA; National Technical Honor Society, Phi Theta Kappa; Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges.
College Honors Held: President, Student Society of Radiologic Technologists; President's Council; Mississippi Society of Radiologic Technologists.
Student Career Goal: To attend pharmacy school at The University of Mississippi and obtain a doctorate degree. Then, I plan to work in research and development.
High School: Copiah Academy, Gallman
Home Town: Hazlehurst

BILLIE FAYE SARTIN

Title, Department: Medical Radiologic Technology Program Coordinator
Years of Service at Institution: 10
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 10
Academic Credentials:
Degree Major Institution Year
M S Teacher's License Vocational Education University of Southern MS 1997
Certificate Ultrasound Ultrasound Institute of Diagnosis 1985
A.A.S. Radiography Copiah-Lincoln Community College 1982
Publications/Honors/Awards: Career-Technical Instructor of the Year, 2005; participant, Lamplighters Conference.
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: Member, Copiah-Lincoln Education Association; MS Society of Radiologic Technologists; American Society of Radiologic Technologists; Students Society of Radiologic Technologist sponsor.
Civic Activities: Various church committees.
Family: Spouse: Robbie; daughters: Holly and Dana
Home Town: Brookhaven
VALERIE ELMA ORCUTT

Class Standing: Senior
Major/Minor Field of Study: Nursing
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.58 GPA; Dean's List.
College Honors Held: member, Omicron Delta Kappa; Student Government Association (SGA) president; SGA Executive Cabinet, 2 years; Kappa Delta Sorority; National Kappa Delta Collegiate Service Award recipient; Student Nurses Association; Catholic Student Association.
Career Goals: I will graduate from Delta State with a Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing. Afterwards, I plan on working for two years before returning to college to obtain a Master's Degree in psychiatric nursing to become a psychiatric nurse practitioner.
High School: Cathedral High School, Natchez
Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Orcutt
Hometown: Lorman

GEORGE CLIFTON WINGARD

Title, Department: Associate Professor of Mathematics
Years of Service at Institution: 10
Total Years of Service in Higher Education 11
Academic Credentials:

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Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: American Mathematical Society; Mathematical Association of America; National Council of Teachers of Mathematics; Newsletter Editor of Louisiana/Mississippi Section of the Mathematical Association of America; National Council of Supervisors of Mathematics.
Civic Activities: Member, Covenant Presbyterian Church, Cleveland, MS
Home Town: Cleveland
FRAN STEVENSON

Class Standing: Sophomore
Major/Minor Field of Study: Associate Degree Nursing
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.84 GPA; Who's Who Among American Community and Junior College Students; Student Nurse Hall of Fame; President's Scholar.
College Honors Held: Member of Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society.
Career Goals: To become a registered nurse and specialize in cardiac nursing or another specialty field.
High School: Winston Academy, Louisville
Home Town: Louisville

HAYWOOD REEVES

Title, Department: Mathematics Instructor
Years of Service at Institution: 7
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 8
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<td>East Central Community College</td>
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Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: Member, Mississippi Council Teacher of Mathematics.
Family: Spouse: Patricia; Son: Ryan
Home Town: Forest
WILLIAM CHANCE NICHOLSON

Class Standing: Sophomore
Major/Minor Field of Study: Psychology
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.85 GPA.
College Honors Held: Vice President, Phi Theta Kappa; USA All-American Team
Career Goal: Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology from Vanderbilt University.
High School: Newton County Academy
Parents: Mel and Mitzi
Home Town: Starkville

PAT CLOWERS

Title, Department: Director of Nursing
Years of Service at Institution: 5
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 6
Academic Credentials:

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Publications/Honors/Awards: Columbus Lowndes Development-Link; Post-secondary Educator of the Year, 2005; Excellence in Nursing Research, Sigma Theta Tau International, 1997; certified as Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner, American Nurses Credentialing Center, 2002.
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: Mississippi Nurses Association; Sigma Theta Tau International; Phi Kappa Phi.
Family: Spouse: David; Children: Josh and Angela
Home Town: Columbus
TOMMI ANN SMITH

Class Standing: Sophomore
Major/Minor Field of Study: Health Information Technology
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 4.0 GPA; President's List; Hinds Community College Development Foundation Scholarship; FORE Scholarship; Phi Theta Kappa; National Dean's List; Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges.
College Honors Held: Magna Cum Laude, Millsaps College, 1983, in Sociology; C. Wright Mills Award in Sociology.
Career Goals: In-patient coder in hospital, enter graduate program in Health Information and Information Management, sit for registered Health Information Administrators Certificate exam, implement and develop the electronic health record in Mississippi.
High School: West Lauderdale High School, Collinsville
Spouse: Howard
Home Town: Jackson

ANGELA KAYE GRIFFIN

Title, Department: Instructor, Chair, Business Technology Department
Years of Service at Institution: 21
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 21
Academic Credentials:

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Publications/Honors/Awards: Hinds Community College Lifestar Award; Hinds Community College Technical Educator of the Year; Hinds Community College Outstanding Technical Educator of the Year; Mississippi Business Educator, Technical Educator of the Year.
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: National Business Education Association, Southern Business Education Association; Association of Career and Technical Educators; Mississippi Association of Career and Technical Educators; Mississippi Educational Computing Association; advisor for local chapter of Phi Beta Lambda.
Civic Activities: Served as member of Mississippi Information Technology Board; serve as communications coordinator and minister of music for my church; serve as conference secretary for the United Methodist Women.
Family: daughter of the late Bessie and Albert Griffin
Home Town: Jackson
LAUREL JEANINE TYLER

Class Standing: Sophomore
Major/Minor Field of Study: Associate Degree Nursing
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.75 GPA; English Competition Award, 2004-2005; Phi Theta Kappa Presidential Scholar from Holmes Community College; Third Place for Literary Essay in Community College Competition.
College Honors Held: Phi Theta Kappa, Vice-President of Scholarship; Holmes Community College Ambassador; invitation to 2005 Scholarship Banquet.
Career Goals: To become a registered nurse, obtain my Ph.D. in nursing, work in the areas of patient care, administration, nursing education, and development of community-need oriented programs and services in Mississippi; more specifically, Grenada, my home town.
High School: Grenada High School, Grenada
Parents: Mother: Alfreda J. Tyler; Father: Howard Moore
Home Town: Grenada

BETTY CHRISTIAN PARHAM

Title, Department: Business Administration Instructor, Accounting and Economics Instructor
Years of Service at Institution: 19
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 21
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Publications/Honors/Awards: Economics Fellowship: University of Arizona, August, 1995; TATYC (Teachers of Accounting at Two Year Colleges) Harold Washington College, Chicago, IL, presenter, 1997; Business Administration Department Chair, Holmes Community College, 1998-1999.
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: TATYC; Phi Beta Lambda.
Civic Activities: Grenada Garden Club; Grenada Junior Auxiliary; Founder and Director of Wesley Foundation at HCC-Grenada.
Family: Spouse: Hunter; Sons: Robert and Andy; Daughter: Karen; Grandchildren: Jake, Bas, Luke Christian and Olivia Wren
Home Town: Grenada
LAUREN DALE GILLESPIE
Class Standing: Sophomore
Major/Minor Field of Study: Elementary Education
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.9 GPA; Who's Who Among American Community Colleges; Phi Theta Kappa; President's List Scholar.
College Honors Held: Student Government Association Representative; Indian Delegation, Student Recruiting Team; ACT/Academic Scholarship recipient; Leadership Scholarship recipient; member, Student Activities Governing Board.
Career Goals: I plan to receive a Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education and continue in graduate school to obtain a Master of Science in Counseling. I plan to become a counselor in higher education and student affairs.
High School: South Pontotoc High School, Pontotoc
Parents: Larry and Marilyn
Home Town: South Pontotoc

PAT MCCORMICK
Title, Department: English Instructor
Years of Service at Institution: 29
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 29
Academic Credentials:
Degree Major Institution Year
M.Ed. English/Education The University of Mississippi 1978
B.S.E. English/Education Delta State University 1962
Professional Affiliations/O ffices Held: Itawamba Community College Faculty Association; Two Year College Association
Civic Activities: Fulton Civic Club, president; MFWC District III, president.
Family: Alane Tentoni, Charlotte Attaway
Home Town: Fulton
JUSTIN L. RICE
Class Standing: Senior
Major/Minor Field of Study: Computer Engineering/Mathematics
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.97/4.0 GPA; High School Valedictorian (4.4/4.0 GPA); NASA Goddard Space Flight Center, Certificate of Achievement, summer 2004, summer 2005.
Career Goals: My future endeavors include: continuing my education by obtaining a doctorate in Computer Engineering with a concentration in digital design, gaining more experience by working in private industry/government for a few years, and investing back into the community by becoming a full-time computer engineering professor at a historically black college.
High School: Raymond High School, Raymond
Parents: William and Colette
Home Town: Terry

SHONDA LAWRENCE
Title, Department: Assistant Professor/College of Public Services
Years of Service at Institution: 2
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 9
Academic Credentials:
Degree Major Institution Year
Ph.D. Social Work University of Illinois, Chicago 2003
M.S.W. Social Work University of Illinois, Chicago 1996
M.S. Correctional/Criminal Justice Chicago State University 1988
B.S. Law Enforcement Admin. Western Illinois University 1984
Civic Activities: Board Member, Styx Incorporated; Expert Witness; U.S. District Court Southern District of MS; Downtown Jackson Community Development Corporation consultant; Greater Pearlie Grove M.B. Church; Red Cross Volunteer; Private Shelter Volunteer.
Family: Daughter: Jasmine; Son: Justin
Home Town: Ridgeland
ERIN A. WOOD

Class Standing: Sophomore
Major/Minor Field of Study: Biological Sciences
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 4.0 GPA.
College Honors Held: Wayne General Ladies Auxiliary Medical Scholarship, 2004; Thames Family Outstanding Math Scholarship, 2005; Letter “J” Award, 2005; National Dean’s List; Homecoming Queen, 2005; Freshman Class Favorite, 2004; President’s List; nominee for All-USA Academic Team; vice president of Phi Theta Kappa; selected to Who’s Who and Hall of Fame.
Career Goals: Pre-med.
High School: Wayne Academy, Waynesboro
Parents: Steve and Alecia
Home Town: Waynesboro

WYATT MOULDS

Title, Department: Chairman, Social Science Division
Years of Service at Institution: 23
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 23
Academic Credentials:

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Publications/Honors/Awards: Lamplighter, 1992; Jones County Community College Foundation Teaching Award; 2002 Humanities Teacher of the Year.
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: Mississippi Historical Festival.
Civic Activities: Deacon, Bethlehem Primitive Baptist Church, Bay Springs, MS.
Family: Spouse: Faye; Son: Zachary Wyatt; Daughter: Erin Faye
Home Town: Ellisville
DANIEL RAY RUSSELL

Class Standing: Senior
Major/Minor Field of Study: Bible Biblical Languages
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.86 GPA; President’s List, fall 2003, spring 2004, fall 2004; Dean’s List, spring 2005.
Career Goals: Ministry.
High School: Adamsville High School, Adamsville, TN
Parents: Larry and Jane
Home Town: Stantonville, TN

JOHN C. MCARTHUR

Title, Department: English Professor
Years of Service at Institution: 6
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 10
Academic Credentials:

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Publications/Honors/Awards: Star Teacher (5 times); Rockefeller Fellowship (Bread Loaf School of English); Teacher of the Year (6 times); Outstanding Service Award – MAE; Dow Jones Journalism Fellow.
Professional Affiliations/Office Held: American Federation of Teachers; National Council of Teachers of English; University of Mississippi Writing Project.
Civic Activities: Aberdeen Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors (5 years); Ten Men Scholarship Association.
Family: Children: Courtney and Jonathan
Home Town: Aberdeen
LISA T. HANCOCK

Class Standing: Sophomore
Major/Minor Field of Study: Nursing
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 4.0 GPA; President’s List; Dr. George Howell Scholarship; Member of Phi Theta Kappa.
Career Goals: Complete ADN program, work in Oncology, Hospice, or Renal Care.
High School: Clarksdale High School
Family: Spouse: Jeff; Children: Joshua, Caleb and Noah
Home Town: Union

MARK A CHANDLER

Title, Department: Program Coordinator, Instructor Hotel and Restaurant Management
Years of Service at Institution: 9
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 9
Academic Credentials:

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<td>Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: Mississippi Restaurant and Hospitality Association; Mississippi Hotel and Lodging Association; Meridian Community College Faculty/Staff Association; MCC Foundation.</td>
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<td>Civic Activities: Main Event/Business Expo Committee member; Advisory Committee member to Ross Collins Culinary Program; Delta Epsilon Chi Advisor.</td>
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Family: Spouse: Joyce; daughter: Lizzie
Home Town: Meridian
BETH ANN BAKER

Class Standing: Junior
Major/Minor Field of Study: Chemistry/French
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 4.0 GPA; Intermediate French Award; Tribette Award; member, Phi Eta Sigma freshman honorary.
College Honors Held: Treasurer, Gamma Zeta Chapter of Tri Delta; Treasurer, College Republicans; secretary, Southeast Region Orthodox Youth Organization; Delegate to College Board for Orthodox Church of Southeast Region.
Career Goals: Medical school – specialize in something related to pediatrics.
High School: Jackson Preparatory School, Jackson
Parents: Bill and Brenda
Home Town: Jackson

ELISE L. SMITH

Title, Department: Professor of Art History, Department of Art
Years of Service at Institution: 19
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 30
Academic Credentials:

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Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: College Art Association; Southeastern College Conference (board member for Mississippi); Historians of British Arts; Nineteenth Century Studies Association; Association of Historians of 19th Century Art.
Civic Activities: Red Cross volunteer.
Family: Spouse: Steven; Children: Matthew and Katy
Home Town: Jackson
WESLEY KYLE MCGEHEE

Class Standing: Senior
Major/Minor Field of Study: Biology Medical Science/Business
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.34 GPA; Mortar Board; President's List; Dean's List; American Southeast Conference All-Academic Team, 2003.
Career Goal: To receive a Masters in Business Administration then attend medical school.
High School: Puckett High School, Puckett
Parents: Bill and Lisa
Home Town: Brookhaven

DAVID H. MAGERS

Title, Department: Professor, Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry
Years of Service at Institution: 16
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 16
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Publications/Honors/Awards: Mississippi College Faculty Distinguished Professor of the Year, 2005; Mississippi College, College of Arts and Science Distinguished Faculty Lecturer, 2003; Mississippi Section of the American Chemical Society, 2003. Outstanding Chemist; 21 published articles in peer-reviewed journals, 19 invited lectures, 16 directed theses, 20 presentations, 156 directed student presentations, and 8 funded grants totaling over $748,000.
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: American Chemical Society: Division of Computers in Chemistry, Division of Physical Chemistry, and Mississippi Section where treasurer from 1994 to present; American Physical Society: Division of Atomic, Molecular, and Optical Physics; Mississippi Academy of Sciences: Past Chair of Division of Chemistry & Chemical Engineering Council on Undergraduate Research: Mississippi College Institutional Liaison.
Civic Activities: participates in pet therapy visits to local area nursing homes; served seven years as a scout leader.
Family: Spouse: Tina; Children: Brandon and Andrew
Home Town: Clinton
CHERISH CROUCH

Class Standing: Sophomore
Major/Minor Field of Study: Drafting and Design Technology
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.90 GPA; Member of Phi Theta Kappa and Who's Who Among Junior College Students.
Career Goal: After earning an Associate Degree in Drafting, I plan to major in Education. One day, I hope to get the Drafting Program into the Grenada School District to be taught as a high school level vocational course.
High School: Grenada High School, Grenada
Parents: Keith Crouch; Tony and Dianne Tilghman
Home Town: Grenada

BURNADETTE MCDONALD

Title, Department: Instructor of Health in Physical Education Department; Head Women's Basketball Coach
Years of Service at Institution: 6
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 16
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Publications/Honors/Awards: Delta State Hall of Fame, 2000; Mississippi Association of Community and Junior Colleges, Women's Basketball Coach of the Year, 2003 and 2005.
Civic Activities: Conduct summer league basketball camps for Delta area kids.
Family: Mother: Frances McDonald
Home Town: Moorhead
DEVAN COCKRELL

Class Standing: Sophomore
Major/Minor Field of Study: Mathematics/Computer Science
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 4.0 GPA; President's List Scholar for two semesters; Mathematics Department award and scholarship.
College Honors Held: President, Phi Theta Kappa Omicron Alpha Chapter; accepted to JD team Scholar's Bowl, Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College Honors Program.
Career Goal: To be a mathematician for the National Security Agency after earning a graduate degree in mathematics. Second choice would be a mathematics professor at a university.
High School: Long Beach High School, Long Beach
Parents: James F. and Joan
Home Town: Long Beach

MARSHA CLUFF

Title, Department: Business and Marketing Management Instructor
Years of Service at Institution: 25
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 25
Academic Credentials:
Degree | Major | Institution | Year
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B.S. | Clothing and Textiles | University of Southern Mississippi | 1975
Publications/Honors/Awards: Delta Epsilon Chi Honorary Life Member; Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College/Jackson County Campus Representative for Lamplighter, 1993; representative for Mid South Community College Fellowship Program, 2000; Selected to serve on Mississippi CPAS Writing Team and Curriculum Development, 2002/2003.
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: Member and sponsor of Delta Epsilon Chi, Mississippi Marketing Association, Mississippi Faculty Association, lifetime member of Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College Alumni Association.
Civic Activities: Palmer Creek Campground Association
Spouse: James
Home Town: Gulfport
JON DAVID COLE

Class Standing: Senior
Major/Minor Field of Study: History
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.5 GPA; Schlillig Scholar; Mortar Board; Phi Kappa Phi Golden Key.
College Honors Held: Student Association President; Mr. MSU; Reformed University Fellowship Core Group; Phi Delta Theta; Mississippi State University Executive Council; President's Commission on the Status of Minorities.
Career Goal: To attend law school; graduate work; possible Ph.D. in History or higher education administration.
High School: Northwest Rankin High School, Brandon
Parents: Steven and Cheryl
Home Town: Brandon

MARK GOODMAN

Title, Department: Associate Professor, Department of Communication
Years of Service at Institution: 13
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 24
Academic Credentials:

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Publications/Honors/Awards: Numerous publications on history of media law; publications on the presentation of women in the media; advising and teaching honors.
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: National Communication Association; Broadcasting Education Association; University Film and Video Association.
Civic Activities: Webmaster for several environmental organizations, director of the Mississippi Bird Breeding Project.
Family: Spouse: Carolyn; Sons: Nick and John
Home Town: Starkville
KATREECE M. ELLIS

Class Standing: Senior
Major/Minor Field of Study: Biology/Pre-medicine
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 4.0 GPA; National Dean's List; President's List; Centennial Scholarship; Honors College.
College Honors Held: Phi Kappa Phi; Alpha Epsilon Delta; Beta Beta Beta, secretary.
Career Goal: After the completion of my BS in Biology, I plan to obtain my doctorate in medicine.
High School: Ethel High School, Ethel
Parents: Dorothy and David
Home Town: West

JAMES D. ROTH

Title, Department: Associate Professor of Psychology, College of Education & Human Sciences
Years of Service at Institution: 5 1/2
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 17
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<td>General Arts and Sciences</td>
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Home Town: Columbus
TREMESHIA WATERS

Class Standing: Senior
Major/Minor Field of Study: Computer Science
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.63 GPA; Thurgood Marshall Scholar; Ronald E. McNair Scholar; and IBM Scholar Internship.
College Honors Held: Caterpillar Scholarship (freshman year); President of Alpha Chi; Vice president, Honors Program; Treasurer, Mathematics and Computer Science Club; member, Alpha Kappa Mu.
Career Goal: To obtain doctorate in computer science and ultimately move into corporate or higher education.
High School: Heidelberg High School, Heidelberg
Parent: Angela Waters
Home Town: Heidelberg

LAWRENCE GOLDMAN

Title, Department: Professor of Music, Department of Fine Arts
Years of Service at Institution: 26
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 30
Academic Credentials:

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<td>Piano Performance</td>
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Publications/Honors/Awards: Mississippi Valley State University Faculty Recitals; Lyceum Series; Mississippi Federation of Music Clubs, Steinway Day with the Artists; broadcast performances on Mississippi Public Broadcasting.
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: Chair of Music in Colleges and Schools; member, Mississippi Music Teachers Association, Music Teachers National Association; member, College Music Society, National Piano Foundation; Nationally Certified Teacher of Music through Music Teachers National Association.
Civic Activities: Active member of Greenwood Matinee Musicale; Founder/Director of Mississippi Valley State University Piano Festival.
Home Town: Greenwood
JESSICA MICHELLE ALLEN

Class Standing: Sophomore
Major/Minor Field of Study: Biology/Pharmacy or Pre-med
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 4.0 GPA; President’s List; Phi Theta Kappa.
College Honors Held: President, SGA; president, Phi Theta Kappa; on-campus coordinator for the Partnership for a Healthy Mississippi; secretary, Christians On-Campus; freshman and sophomore homecoming maid; orientation counselor.
High School: Booneville High School, Booneville
Parents: Johnny and Christi
Home Town: Booneville

RAY HARRIS

Title, Department: Instructor, Music Department of the Division of Fine Arts
Years of Service at Institution: 19
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 25
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Publications/Honors/Awards: Presented on Organ/Trumpet Recital at the National Shrine in Washington, D.C.; released a compact disc recording of Organ Music; past vice president for Public Relations, Mississippi Music Teachers Association; past editor of “Mississippi Music Teacher” newsletter; featured organ recitalist on “Mississippi Concert Hall” program on public radio.
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: American Guild of Organists; Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia music fraternity; Mississippi Music Teachers Association; Music Teachers National Association.
Civic Activities: Organist, First Presbyterian Church; volunteer musical director for youth music production at Corinth Theatre Arts, helped to organize various Phi Theta Kappa.
Home Town: Corinth
DARLENE F. SCHULTZ

Class Standing: Sophomore
Major/Minor Field of Study: Elementary Education
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 4.0 GPA.
College Honors Held: Phi Theta Kappa; Peer Tutor, Northwest Mississippi Community College.
Career Goal: To teach kindergarten or first grade, to work with small children.
High School: Terre Haute North Vigo, Terre Haute, IN
Family: Spouse: Brad; Children: Emily and Colin
Home Town: Oxford

KATHERINE C. KING

Title, Department: Instructor, Department of Mathematics
Years of Service at Institution: 19
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 19
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Publications/Honors/Awards: Awarded Star Teacher, twice.
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: member of committees at Northwest Mississippi Community College; adjunct faculty in the Department of Mathematics at The University of Mississippi; lifetime member, The University of Mississippi Alumni Association; member, United States Tennis Association.
Family: Daughters: Katherine Murphy and Carolyn May.
Home Town: Oxford
AMANDA ANNE HUSTED

Class Standing: Sophomore
Major/Minor Field of Study: Music Therapy/Saxophone Performance
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: Concert Choir, half tuition scholarship; Scholastic Excellence, half tuition scholarship; Voices Ensemble, half tuition scholarship; Marching Band, full tuition scholarship; Outstanding Musician Scholarship; Concert Band Scholarship; Jazz Band Scholarship.
College Honors Held: Section leader, Spirit of the River Saxophone Section (sophomore year); Who's Who Among American Junior College Students (sophomore year).
Career Goal: My goals as a music therapist are to help when medicine can't, to be the light when my patients feel lost, and, above all else, to spread the joy that music has instilled in me into the lives of those I encounter every day.
High School: Sumrall High School, Sumrall
Parents: Glenn and Lynn
Home Town: Sumrall

MARK HUGH MALONE

Title, Department: Director of Choral Music
Years of Service at Institution: 21
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 21
Academic Credentials:

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Publications/Honors/Awards: Numerous articles published in The Choral Journal; Outstanding Pearl River Community College Faculty, 1989; Outstanding Young Men in America, 1983.
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: American Choral Directors Association; Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia – National Music Fraternity; Phi Kappa Phi – National Honor Society; Phi Alpha Theta – National History Honoray Society.
Civic Activities: Director of Music Ministries – Heritage; band parent at Oak Grove Middle School.
Family: Spouse: Patricia; Children: Meagan, Elizabeth and Drew Kent
Home Town: Hattiesburg
ANNA LYNN PETTIT

Class Standing: Senior
Major/Minor Field of Study: Marriage and Family Therapy and Counseling; Biblical Studies.
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.83 GPA
College Honors Held: Bachelor of Science in Management from Birmingham University, State University of New York, 1993.
Career Goal: To become a marriage and family counselor.
High School: Locust Valley High School, Locust Valley, NY
Parents: Elga and James
Home Town: Locust Valley, NY

MICHAEL PAYNE

Title, Department: Professor of Theology and Missions
Years of Service at Institution: 9
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 20
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Publications/Honors/Awards: numerous scholarly articles.
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: Society of Christian Ethicists; American Academy of Religion.
Spouse: Karen
Home Town: Jackson
SHAKITA GAYDEN

Class Standing: Junior
Major/Minor Field of Study: English Liberal Arts
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.6; Highest GPA in Humanities, 2004-2005, Who's Who Among American Colleges and Universities; Dean's List; 2nd Place Debate Competition; winner at NAAHP Conference; Royal Scholar.
College Honors Held: Sigma Tau Delta English Honor Society, president; Pre-Law Club, vice-president, 2004-2005; English Club Public Relations; cheerleader squad captain; Honda Bowl team member.
Career Goal: To attend law school, then practice family law.
High School: Madison Central, Madison
Parents: Keith and Gleannette
Home Town: Madison

MARGARET DELASHMIT

Title, Department: Chair, Division of Humanities
Years of Service at Institution: 7
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 20
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Publications/Honors/Awards: Numerous presentations and publications on Toni Morrison's novels, on Writing Across Curriculum Programs, and on student assessment.
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: Modern Language Association member; South Atlantic Modern Language Association member; chaired sessions and served as secretary at conferences; national Council of Teachers of English.
Civic Activities: Trustee, First Presbyterian Church; Candidate for State Senate, 2003.
Family: Spouse: Charles; Children: Sharon, Ray and Michele
Home Town: Holly Springs
Joshua P. Spiers

Class Standing: Senior
Major/Minor Field of Study: Pastoral Ministries
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.15 GPA
College Honors Held: Who’s Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges; Dean’s List.
Career Goal: Serve in Christian ministry.
High School: Pearl River Central High School, Carriere
Parents: Phil and Cindy
Home Town: Carriere

Joseph Harris

Title, Department: Vice President
Years of Service at Institution: 19
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 19
Academic Credentials:
Degree Major Institution Year
M.A.R. Old Testament Liberty University 1990
B.S. Pastoral Training Southeastern Baptist College 1985
A.A. Bible Southeastern Bible College 1983
Publications/Honors/Awards: Who’s Who in American Universities and Colleges; Who’s Who in Religion in the Southeast; various articles in periodicals and journals.
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: Vice president, Christian Mission, Laurel M S; Hospice Advisory Committee, South Central Regional Medical Center, Laurel, M S.
Family: Spouse: Shirley; Daughter: Emily
Home Town: Laurel
MARY VIRGINIA DANCISISIN

Class Standing: Sophomore
Major/Minor Field of Study: Biomedical Engineering
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 4.0 GPA; High School Valedictorian; Hall of Fame; Who's Who Most Likely to Succeed; Rotary Club Student of the Month; Girl State Delegate; member, Beta Club, FCA, Interact, Mu Alpha Theta; Student Council; awards: Advanced Geography, Algebra II, Art, Geometry, Honors English III, Advanced Biology, Mississippi Studies, Nutrition.
College Honors Held: President, freshman class; member, SGA, Phi Theta Kappa, Bear Tracker; cheerleader; Who's Who, Class Beauty; BSU Praise team, BSU Council; president, sophomore class; Phi Theta Kappa, vice president of scholarship; co-captain, cheerleading squad; BSU Leadership Team.
Career Goal: Create or assist in engineering designs that aid in the replacement of living organs and artificial organs.
High School: North Pike High School, Summit
Parents: Paul Allen and Jan
Home Town: Summit

CARLA GRIFFIN

Title, Department: Chairperson, Math and Science Division; Biology Instructor.
Years of Service at Institution: 16
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 16
Academic Credentials:

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Publications/Honors/Awards: S. A. Rosenbaum Earthwatch Teaching Fellows Grant; studying Golden Eagles on the Isle of Mull, Scotland; Mississippi Humanities Council Scholar Presentation Award: presentation on Birds and Bird watching influence on history and literature.
Family: Spouse: Gilbert; Sons: Tony and Samuel; Daughter: Sarapha
Home Town: Summit
DON O’HARROLL JR.

Class Standing: Senior
Major/Minor Field of Study: English
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.0 GPA; Vice-president's Honor Roll; National Dean's List Scholar, 2002-2003 Edition.
College Honors Held: Member, Reuben V. Anderson Pre-Law Society; treasurer, Lingua Franca English Honor Society.
Career Goal: Attorney/Educator
High School: Forest Hill High School, Jackson
Parents: Don and Denise
Home Town: Jackson

SHARON T. STREETER

Title, Department: Associate Professor of Computer Science
Years of Service at Institution: 16
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 16
Academic Credentials:
Degree Major Institution Year
M.S. Computer Science Illinois Institute of Technology 1986
B.S. Mathematics/Computer Science Tougaloo College (Magna Cum Laude) 1983
Publications/Honors/Awards: Professor of the Year, Mathematics and Computer Science Club 2000; Van Guard Award, Tougaloo College, 1989 & 1993; Tougaloo College National Alumni Association Award for Outstanding Service, 1990; Distinguished Committee Woman, Tougaloo College, 1989; Valuable Volunteer Award, Tougaloo Child Development Center, 1992.
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: Chair, Mathematics Department, acting director of Academic Computing and the principle investigator of several grants. Currently conducting research on the socioeconomic impact of Hurricane Katrina using geographic information system; co-founder of TechForce - a tutorial company specializing in Test Prep and Computer Instruction.
Civic Activities: Member, Cedar Grove Baptist Church, Pocahontas, M S; director, Christian Education; Sunday school teacher for over 15 years.
Family: Children: Charles, Tylon and Taylor
Home Town: Jackson
REBECCA BERTRAND

Class Standing: Senior
Major/Minor Field of Study: Journalism and Political Science
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.51 GPA; Residential Scholar, Mortar Board; Omicron Delta Kappa; Lambda Sigma; Alpha Lambda Delta; Chancellor's Honor Roll; National Dean's List; Ole Miss Journalism scholarship; Houston Press Club scholarship, National Federation of Republican Women scholarship.
College Honors Held: Associated Student Body orientation leader; Alpha Omicron Pi, resident assistant; The Daily Mississippian; NewsWatch 12; Rebel Radio; Student Body Presidents' Council of Mississippi, state chair.
Career Goal: To work as a broadcast reporter focused on coverage of government and politics upon completion of my Master of Arts in Political Science at the University of Mississippi.
High School: Kingwood High School, Kingwood TX
Parents: Byron and Ginger
Home Town: Kingwood, TX

W. MARK WILDER

Title, Department: Associate Professor; KPMG Lecturer and Associate Professor of Accounting, Patterson School of Accounting
Years of Service at Institution: 12 1/2
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 15+
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Publications/Honors/Awards: Mississippi Society of CPAs (MSCPA) Outstanding Educator for 2006; The University of Mississippi Elise M. Hood Outstanding Teacher of the Year, 2005; The University of Mississippi University-Wide Achievement Award, 2004; twice named The University of Mississippi School of Accounting Outstanding Teacher; twice named The University of Mississippi School of Accounting Outstanding Researcher; inducted into the Alabama Tennis Hall of Fame, 2004; Approximately 18 scholarly publication and 35 research presentations.
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: Currently serving as statewide officer (Treasurer) of the MSCPA; served 2 years on the MSCPA Board of Governors; served as president of the Northeast Chapter of MSCPA; CPA Mississippi, 1994; member, American Accounting Association, ALCPA, M SC PA.
Civic Activities: Active in coaching youth sports including tennis, baseball, and basketball.
Family: Spouse: Denise "Dede"; Children: Zach and Sam Dixon
Home Town: Oxford
QUINCY C. MOORE III

Class Standing: Graduate Student, 5th Year
Major/Minor Field of Study: Microbiology (Ph.D. Student)
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.0 GPA; president, Graduate Student Organization, fall 2003-present; participant and presenter, Fourth Annual National Graduate Student Symposium at St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 2005; third place, Graduate Oral Presentation competition, Health Sciences Division, Mississippi Academy of Sciences, 2005; Corporate Activities Program Student Travel Grant (Division E), American Society for Microbiologists-105th General Meeting, Atlanta, GA, 2005; press release on research entitled, “Protection Against Pneumococcal Disease by General Immunization,” American Society for Microbiologist 192nd General Meeting, Salt Lake City, Utah, 2002; FASEB/MARC Program Poster/Oral Presentation Travel Award, fall 2002; Oral and Poster Presentation at local, regional, national and international meetings.
Career Goal: To obtain tenure track position and teach at a medical school or undergraduate institution. To conduct research that will benefit pediatric community. To become head of a microbiology Department. To become dean of a graduate school.
High School: Richland High School, Richland
Family: Spouse: Shari; Parents: Quincy and Rosie
Home Town: Pearl

JERRY M. FARLEY SR.

Title, Department: Professor, Vice Chairman, Department of Pharmacology/Toxicology
Years of Service at Institution: 25
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 25
Academic Credentials:
Degree Major Institution Year
Ph.D. Physiology and Biophysics West Virginia University 1996
B.A. Physiology Miami University 1992
Post Doctoral Pharmacology Duke University and Northwestern University 1976-80
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: Editorial Advisory Board, J. of Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics; member, NIH Molecular, Cellular and Developmental Neuroscience (MDCN-4) Study Section; American Institute of Biological Science; American Society of Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics; Society of Neuroscience and the Society of Toxicology.
Civic Activities: Very active in McRaven Road Church of Christ; regular volunteer at state and local science fairs.
Family: Spouse: Susan; Children: Jerry M. (Jr.), Joshua T., Jesse A., and Seth M.
Home Town: Jackson
JONATHAN KREBS

Class Standing: Senior
Major/Minor Field of Study: Business Management
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.7 GPA; President's List; Richard Vreeland Marketing Scholar; College of Business Advisory Board; Golden Key Honor Society; British Studies Scholar.
College Honors Held: president, SGA; vice-president, SGA; Center for Human Rights Executive Board; president, First Baptist Church First Team College; Summer Missions, Zambia and China; founder, Eaglepalooza.
Career Goal: A successful career in business and public service.
High School: Hattiesburg High School, Hattiesburg
Parents: Gary and Glenda
Home Town: Hattiesburg

GEORGE CARTER
Title, Department: Professor of Economics, Finance and International Business
Years of Service at Institution: 21
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 34
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Publications/Honors/Awards: Recipient of five teaching awards; author of fifty-five publications; and participant in numerous service activities; former president of the Academy of Economics and Finance; received the Academy's three awards of Teaching Fellow, Research Fellow, and Service Fellow; former Commissioner of Higher Education; retired U.S. Naval Reserve Captain; and a Mississippi native.
Civic Activities: Area Development Partnership, member, 1998-present; Hattiesburg Civic Association, member, 1997-present.
Spouse: Barbara
Home Town: Hattiesburg
STEPHEN B. SMITH
Class Standing: Middler
Major/Minor Field of Study: Master of Divinity; Pastoral Leadership/New Testament Studies
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.84 GPA.
Career Goal: Earn the Ph.D. in New Testament and then teach at a college or university.
Other Undergraduate/Graduate College or University: God's Bible School, Cincinnati, Ohio, B.A.
Home Town: Shelbyville, IN

MATT FRIEDEMAN
Title, Department: Professor, Evangelism and Christian Education
Years of Service at Institution: 19
Academic Credentials: 19
Degree Major Institution
Ph.D. University of Kansas
M.Div. Asbury Theological Seminary
M.A. Education University of Kansas
B.S. Secondary Education University of Kansas
Civic Activities: Transition team for Mississippi Governor Haley Barbour, “Family Issues”; deputized chaplain at Hinds County Detention Center.
Family: Spouse: Mary; Children: Caleb, Joshua, Elijah, Hannah, Ezekial, and Isaiah
Home Town: Jackson
LANCE A. SUDDUTH

Class Standing: Senior
Major/Minor Field of Study: Pastoral Ministries
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 4.0 GPA; President’s List; Old Testament Award.
College Honors Held: Who’s Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities.
Career Goal: To become a pastor and to teach God’s word not only from the pulpit, but in my every day life through my actions and words.
High School: Forest Hill High School, Jackson
Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Darnell Sudduth
Home Town: Jackson

CAROLYN L. KNIGHT

Title, Department: Professor of Missions
Years of Service at Institution: 7
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 7
Academic Credentials:
Degree    Major                     Institution            Year
D.Min.    Religious Studies        Trinity Seminary        2003
M.A.      Counseling               Liberty University       1988
B.A.      Bible                     Puget Sound Christian College 1984
Publications/Honors/Awards: Author, God’s Love Still at Work: Inspiring True Stores from the Lives and Ministries of One Missionary couple, 2005; Teacher of the Year, Wesley College.
Civic Activities: Director, Homeland Ministries for Congregational Methodist denomination; former missionary to East Africa, 1993-2002.
Family: Spouse: Phillip; Children: Andrew, Amanda, Austin, and Abel
Home Town: Florence
ELAINE STOREY CASE

Class Standing: Senior
Major/Minor Field of Study: Biology/Education
GPA and Academic Recognitions to Date: 3.29 GPA.
College Honors Held: Member, Chi Omega; member, Biological Sciences Journal Club; active in intramural sports.
Career Goal: To become a high school biology teacher and later earn a master’s degree in biology.
High School: Marvell Academy, Marvell, AR
Spouse: Blake
Home Town: Brookhaven

THOMAS J. RAUCH III

Title, Department: Assistant Professor, Biology
Years of Service at Institution: 5.5
Total Years of Service in Higher Education: 5.5
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Publications/Honors/Awards: Research articles on the community structure of northern Gulf of Mexico fishes; numerous review articles on marine animals for Resources and Sources.
Professional Affiliations/Offices Held: Animal Behavior Society; Mississippi American Fisheries Society.
Civic Activities: Cub Scouts of America Pack Leader (3 years) and Den Leader (5 years); Upward Basketball Coach (5 years); second vice president, Sacred Heart School PTO.
Family: Spouse: Charmaine; Son: Andrew
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