Distinguished Faculty and Staff Awards

Frederick A.P. Barnard Distinguished Professorships
Frederick A.P. Barnard Distinguished Professors are recognized for their excellence and innovation in teaching and research.

- James G Vaughan - Director Emeritus of the Haley Barbour Center for Manufacturing Excellence; F.A.P. Barnard Distinguished Professor Emeritus of Mechanical Engineering; Associate Dean Emeritus of the School of Engineering (1998)
- SAM SHU-YI WANG - Director Emeritus, National Center for Computational Hydroscience and Engineering and F.A.P.Barnard Distinguished Professor Emeritus of Mechanical Engineering (1988)

Distinguished Research and Creative Achievement Award
- ATEF Z ELSHERBENI - Associate Dean Emeritus for Research and Graduate Programs and Professor of Electrical Engineering (2012)
- SAM SHU-YI WANG - Director Emeritus, National Center for Computational Hydroscience and Engineering and F.A.P. Barnard Distinguished Professor Emeritus of Mechanical Engineering (2008)

The Distinguished Professor Award
The Award acknowledges outstanding faculty by conferring the honorific title of Distinguished Professor. Appointment as a Distinguished Professor is reserved for only the very best faculty members in recognition of sustained excellence.

- A M Rajendran - Chair and Distinguished Professor of Mechanical Engineering (2020)
- John N Daigle - Distinguished Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering (2018)

Excellence in Advising Award - Office of the Provost
To recognize outstanding academic advising by a faculty member and to demonstrate the University of Mississippi's commitment to excellent advising.

- Byunghyun Jang - Associate Professor of Computer & Information Science (2016)
- Cathy A Grace - Adjunct Instructor in Geology and Geological Engineering (2014)

Staff Council Award - EEO1
- BRADFORD BAKER - (2014)

Staff Council Award - EEO3
- Elizabeth D Stidham - Senior Accountant (2006)

Staff Council Award - EEO4
- Sheree G Jones - ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY II (2011)

Staff Council Award - EEO5
- Jeffery Anthony Hubbard - Network Administrator (2013)

School of Engineering, Junior Faculty Research Award
- Thomas Anthony Werfel - Assistant Professor of Biomedical Engineering and Affiliate Assistant Professor of Chemical Engineering and Joint Assistant Professor of BioMolecular Sciences (2022)
- Alexander Miguel Lopez - Assistant Professor of Chemical Engineering (2021)
- Taiho Yeom - Assistant Professor - Thermo Fluids Energy (2021)
- Brian Frederic Platt - Associate Professor of Geology & Geological Engineering (2020)
- Hakan Irfan Yaserer - Assistant Professor of Civil Engineering (2020)
- Hunain Said Alkhatib - Associate Professor of Civil Engineering (2019)
- Esteban Urena Benavides - ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERING (2018)
- Matthew Arthur Morrison - ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING (2017)
- Adam Eugene Smith - Chair and Associate Professor of Chemical Engineering and Academic Director of General Engineering and Associate Professor of Biomedical Engineering (2016)
- Byunghyun Jang - Associate Professor of Computer & Information Science (2015)
The Faculty Achievement Award is given annually to recognize unusual effort in the classroom, involvement with students, and active scholarship.

Outstanding Staff Award
A staff member of the School of Engineering who has demonstrated exemplary service, leadership, and commitment.

- Dianne Roberts Welch - Manager of Project Resources (2015)
- Lynne McAlla Trusty - Operations Coordinator II (2014)
- Jeffery Anthony Hubbard - Network Administrator (2012)
- Carrie Dawn Long - Application Analyst II (2011)
- Aubrey D Bolen - Staff Assistant (2010)
- Bethany Ferguson LaValley - Coordinator of Professional Development-CMSE (2010)
- DOROTHY ANNE LLOYD - SENIOR SECRETARY (2009)
- MARTYF E HICKMAN - SUPERVISOR, ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING SHOPS (2008)
- BERNICE HEROD - SENIOR ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY (2007)
- Cathy A Grace - Adjunct Instructor in Geology and Geological Engineering (2005)
- DORIS T VINSON - SENIOR SECRETARY (2002)
- R. B. PRIVETT - ASSISTANT TO THE DEAN, SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING (2001)

School of Engineering, Senior Faculty Research Award
- John N Daigle - Distinguished Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering (2019)
- Alexander Borisovitch Yakovlev - Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering (2018)
- Wei-Yin Chen - Professor Emeritus of Chemical Engineering (2017)
- Lei Cao - Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering (2016)
- Ahmed Hajmohammad-Khalil Al-Ostaz - Brevard Family Chair in Civil Engineering, Professor of Civil Engineering and Director of Center for Graphene Research & Innovation (2012)
- ATEF Z ELSHERBENI - Associate Dean Emeritus for Research and Graduate Programs and Professor of Electrical Engineering (2011)
- Gregory L Easson - Associate Dean for Research and Graduate Programs for the School of Engineering, Director of the Mississippi Mineral Resources Institute, and Professor of Geology and Geological Engineering (2010)
- Wei-Yin Chen - Professor Emeritus of Chemical Engineering (2009)
- Prabhakar R Mantena - Professor Emeritus of Mechanical Engineering (2008)
- SAM SHU-YI WANG - Director Emeritus, National Center for Computational Hydroscience and Engineering and F.A.P.Barnard Distinguished Professor Emeritus of Mechanical Engineering (2007)
- ATEF Z ELSHERBENI - Associate Dean Emeritus for Research and Graduate Programs and Professor of Electrical Engineering (2006)
- AHMED KISHK - Dir of Antenna Sytms Lab & Prof Emeritus of Electrical Engin (2005)
- AJIT SADANA - Professor Emeritus of Chemical Engineering (2004)
- Wei-Yin Chen - Professor Emeritus of Chemical Engineering (2003)
- AHMED KISHK - Dir of Antenna Sytms Lab & Prof Emeritus of Electrical Engin (2001)
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Friday, August 9, 2024 at 7:50:11 am CDT
Hakan Irfan Yasar - Assistant Professor of Civil Engineering (2021)
John H O'Haver - Professor Emeritus of Chemical Engineering (2020)
Grace McMahan Rushing - Instructor in Civil Engineering and Instructor in General Engineering (2020)
Taiho Yeom - Assistant Professor - Thermo Fluids Energy (2020)
Michael William Gill - Professor of Practice of Chemical Engineering, Center for Manufacturing Excellence, and General Engineering (2019)
Adam Eugene Smith - Chair and Associate Professor of Chemical Engineering and Academic Director of General Engineering and Associate Professor of Biomedical Engineering (2018)
Alexander Borisovitch Yakovlev - Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering (2017)
Erik Curtis Hurlen - INSTRUCTIONAL ASSISTANT PROFESSOR IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING (2016)
Byunghyun Jang - Associate Professor of Computer & Information Science (2015)
Dawn E Wilkins - Chair and Professor of Computer & Information Science (2012)
A M Rajendran - Chair and Distinguished Professor of Mechanical Engineering (2011)
Cristiane Januzzi Queiroz Surbeck - Chair and Professor of Civil Engineering (2010)
Chung Rak Song - Adjunct Professor of Civil Engineering (2009)
Peter C Sukaneck - Chair Emeritus & Professor Emeritus of Chemical Engineering (2008)
Ellen Lackey - Emerita Professor of Mechanical Engineering and Director of Composite Materials Research Group Test Facilities (2007)
Wei-Yin Chen - Professor Emeritus of Chemical Engineering (2006)
Jeffrey A Roux - Professor Emeritus of Mechanical Engineering (2004)

School of Engineering Outstanding Teacher of the Year
Ahmed Hajmohammad-Khalil Al-Ostaz - Brevard Family Chair in Civil Engineering, Professor of Civil Engineering and Director of Center for Graphene Research & Innovation (2022)
Byunghyun Jang - Associate Professor of Computer & Information Science (2021)
Adam Eugene Smith - Chair and Associate Professor of Chemical Engineering and Academic Director of General Engineering and Associate Professor of Biomedical Engineering (2020)
Alexander Borisovitch Yakovlev - Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering (2019)
Lei Cao - Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering (2018)
Ramanrayanan Viswanathan - Chair and Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering (2017)
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