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Frederick A.P. Barnard Distinguished Professorships

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

- WINTHROP D JORDAN - WILLIAM F WINTER PROFESSOR OF HISTORY AND PROFESSOR OF AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES (1998)
- WILLIAM FRANKLIN SHUGHART - PROFESSOR OF ECONOMICS (1998)

College of Liberal Arts - Outstanding Teacher of the Year

In 1985, the College of Liberal Arts began this award to recognize faculty members who demonstrate excellence of class instruction, intellectual stimulation of students, and concern for students welfare.

- ROSS JAY HAENFLER - ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF SOCIOLOGY (2009)
- DANIEL EDMUND O’SULLIVAN - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF MODERN LANGUAGES AND SENIOR FELLOW, RESIDENTIAL COLLEGE (2008)
- SHERI F RIETH - INTERIM CHAIR AND ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF ART (2007)
- JOHN R NEFF - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF HISTORY (2005)
- DOUGLASS SULLIVAN-GONZALEZ - DEAN, SALLY MCDONNELL BARKSDALE HONORS COLLEGE AND ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF HISTORY (2001)

- DANIELL L MATTERN - PROFESSOR OF CHEMISTRY AND BIOCHEMISTRY (1998)
- TALMAGE JAMES REID - PROFESSOR OF MATHEMATICS (1994)
- DONALD L DYER - CHAIR AND PROFESSOR OF MODERN LANGUAGES (1992)
- WILLIAM F LAWHEAD - CHAIR & PROFESSOR OF PHILOSOPHY AND RELIGION (1988)
- SHEILA SKEMP - CLARE LESLIE MARQUETTE PROFESSOR OF AMERICAN HISTORY (1985)

School of Applied Sciences - Thomas A. Crowe Award


Award for Excellence in Promoting Inclusiveness in Graduate Education

- ALAN M GROSS - PROFESSOR OF PSYCHOLOGY AND DIRECTOR OF CLINICAL TRAINING (2007)

Staff Council Award - EEO4

- ANN DAVIS HITCHCOCK - ADMINISTRATIVE COORDINATOR (2005)
- MARY ELIZABETH ALLEN - SENIOR SECRETARY (2004)

Staff Council Award - EEO5

- JEFFREY W HOWELL - COMPUTER TECHNICIAN (2001)

Staff Council Award - EEO6

- RICHARD SCOTT WATKINS - MECHANICAL SYSTEMS ENGINEER (2000)

Faculty Achievement Award

The Faculty Achievement Award is given annually to recognize unusual effort in the classroom, involvement with students, and active scholarship.

- SHEILA SKEMP - CLARE LESLIE MARQUETTE PROFESSOR OF AMERICAN HISTORY (2009)
- DOUGLAS ROBINSON - PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH AND DIRECTOR OF FIRST YEAR WRITING (2008)
- GARY R GASTON - PROFESSOR OF BIOLOGY (2007)
- ROBERT D BROWN - PROFESSOR OF POLITICAL SCIENCE (2006)
- KENNETH J SUFKA - PROFESSOR OF PSYCHOLOGY AND PHARMACOLOGY; AND RESEARCH PROFESSOR, RESEARCH INSTITUTE OF
PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES (2005)
- WILLIAM A STATON - PROFESSOR OF MATHEMATICS (1997)
- CHARLES L HUSSEY - CHAIR AND PROFESSOR OF CHEMISTRY AND BIOCHEMISTRY (1996)
- JOHN W WINKLE - PROFESSOR OF POLITICAL SCIENCE (1992)

Frist Service Award
- BILLY A BARRIOS - STAFF PSYCHOLOGIST AND ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF PSYCHOLOGY (2007)
- JOHN W WINKLE - PROFESSOR OF POLITICAL SCIENCE (2006)
- MARJORIE POTTS - SENIOR SECRETARY (2004)
- BRUCE LAFORSE - ACTING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF CLASSICS (2000)
- BARBARA B LEETON - ASSISTANT TO THE DEAN (1996)
- PATRICIA C TRELOAR - DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT STUDIES AND INSTRUCTOR IN MATH (1996)

College of Liberal Arts - Cora Lee Graham Outstanding Teaching of Freshmen
In 1984, Cora Lee Graham of Union City, Tennessee, established an endowment and directed that the proceeds from her gift be used to help retain your better professors who teach the freshman classes in the College of Liberal Arts.
- GREGORY S TSCHUMPER - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF CHEMISTRY AND BIOCHEMISTRY (2009)
- TAMAR GOULET - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF BIOLOGY (2008)
- JASON E RITCHIE - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF CHEMISTRY AND BIOCHEMISTRY (2007)
- JOE TURNER CANTU - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF THEATRE ARTS (2006)
- AILEEN AJOOTIAN - CHAIR AND ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF CLASSICS AND ART (2005)
- GARY R GASTON - PROFESSOR OF BIOLOGY (2002)
- TIMOTHY W NORDSTROM - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF POLITICAL SCIENCE AND DIRECTOR, SOCIAL SCIENCE RESEARCH LABORATORY (2001)
- WALTER E CLELAND - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF CHEMISTRY AND BIOCHEMISTRY (1997)
- HANS-JURGEN GAYCKEN - PROFESSOR OF MODERN LANGUAGES (1996)
- WILLIAM D SCOTT - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF CHEMISTRY AND BIOCHEMISTRY (1993)
- GERARD J BUSKES - PROFESSOR OF MATHEMATICS (1992)
- JEFFREY R WATT - PROFESSOR OF HISTORY (1991)
- JON F PARCHER - RESEARCH PROFESSOR EMERITUS AND VISITING PROFESSOR EMERITUS OF CHEMISTRY AND BIOCHEMISTRY (1987)

Elsie M. Hood Outstanding Teacher Award
The Elsie M. Hood Outstanding Teacher of the Year for the University is selected from nominations submitted by students, alumni and faculty.
- JOHN R NEFF - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF HISTORY (2009)
- GREGORY ALAN SCHIRMER - PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH (2008)
- LAURDELLA FOULKES-LEVY - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF MUSIC (2006)
- RONALD A SCHROEDER - PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH (2001)
- COLBY K KULLMAN - PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH (1997)
- KENNETH J SUFKA - PROFESSOR OF PSYCHOLOGY AND PHARMACOLOGY; AND RESEARCH PROFESSOR, RESEARCH INSTITUTE OF PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES (1996)
- DANIELL L MATTERN - PROFESSOR OF CHEMISTRY AND BIOCHEMISTRY (1992)
- WILLIAM A STATON - PROFESSOR OF MATHEMATICS (1988)
- NATALIE SCHROEDER - PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH (1987)
Distinguished Faculty Fellows (Liberal Arts)

In 2002, the College of Liberal Arts began the Distinguished Faculty Fellowship Program to reward and support senior faculty members who have distinguished records of research, teaching, and service.

- **RICHARD RASPET** - PROFESSOR OF PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY AND PRINCIPAL SCIENTIST IN NATIONAL CENTER FOR PHYSICAL ACOUSTICS (2007)
- **ALAN M GROSS** - PROFESSOR OF PSYCHOLOGY AND DIRECTOR OF CLINICAL TRAINING (2003)
- **H BARRY HANNAH** - WRITER IN RESIDENCE (2003)

University of Mississippi Humanities Teacher of the Year

The College of Liberal Arts and the Mississippi Humanities Council co-sponsor this award to highlight an outstanding humanities faculty member each fall during Arts and Humanities Month in October.

- **JOHN R NEFF** - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF HISTORY (2009)
- **DANIEL EDMUND O’SULLIVAN** - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF MODERN LANGUAGES AND SENIOR FELLOW, RESIDENTIAL COLLEGE (2008)
- **JEFFREY R WATT** - PROFESSOR OF HISTORY (2007)
- **ANN FISHER-WIRTH** - PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH (2006)
- **AILEEN AJOOTIAN** - CHAIR AND ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF CLASSICS AND ART (2005)
- **BENJAMIN F FISHER** - PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH (2001)
- **KATHRYN B MCKEE** - MCMULLAN ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF SOUTHERN STUDIES AND ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH (2001)
- **MARY E STUCKEY** - PROFESSOR OF POLITICAL SCIENCE (1999)
- **WINTHROP D JORDAN** - WILLIAM F WINTER PROFESSOR OF HISTORY AND PROFESSOR OF AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES (1998)
- **CHARLES R WILSON** - COOK CHAIR OF HISTORY AND PROFESSOR OF SOUTHERN STUDIES (1997)
- **COLBY H KULLMAN** - PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH (1995)