Distinguished Faculty and Staff Awards

Frederick A.P. Barnard Distinguished Professorships
Frederick A.P. Barnard Distinguished Professorships 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 Emeritus of Economics (1998)

College of Liberal Arts - Instructor of the Year
The award was created in 2011. They are recognized during the commencement ceremony, have their names added to a plaque, and receive $1,000. Eligibility is limited to instructors, lecturers, senior lecturers, and instructional assistant professors.
- **KATHERINE R FIELDS** - INSTRUCTOR IN ART (2011)

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.
- **Beth Ann Fennelly** - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH (2011)
- **Jason E Klodt** - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF MODERN LANGUAGES (2010)
- **Ross Jay Haenfler** - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF SOCIOLOGY (2009)
- **Daniel Edmund O'Sullivan** - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF MODERN LANGUAGES AND SENIOR FELLOW OF RESIDENTIAL COLLEGE (2008)
- **SHERI F RIETH** - CHAIR AND ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF ART (2007)
- **John R Neff** - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF HISTORY (2005)
- **Douglas Sullivan-Gonzalez** - DEAN, SALLY MCDONNELL BARKSDALE HONORS COLLEGE AND ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF HISTORY (2001)
- **Daniell L Mattern** - PROFESSOR OF CHEMISTRY AND BIOCHEMISTRY (1998)
- **LEE N BOLEN** - Professor Emeritus of Physics and Astronomy (1996)
- **COLBY H KULLMAN** - PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH (1995)
- **Talmage James Reid** - PROFESSOR OF MATHEMATICS (1994)
- **Donald L Dyer** - CHAIR AND PROFESSOR OF MODERN LANGUAGES (1992)
- **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
- **Gerard J Buskes** - PROFESSOR OF MATHEMATICS (2011)
- **Alan M Gross** - PROFESSOR OF PSYCHOLOGY AND DIRECTOR OF CLINICAL TRAINING (2007)

Distinguished Research and Creative Achievement Award

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.
- **CYRIL HART ROSENBLETT** - LECTURER IN POLITICAL SCIENCE (2010)
Staff Council Award - Overall
- Dawn Anne Bullion - SENIOR STAFF ASSISTANT (2011)
- JOSHUA L DAVIS - ADJUNCT INSTRUCTOR IN CENTER FOR WRITING AND RHETORIC (2010)

Staff Council Award - EEO4
- ANN DAVIS HITCHCOCK - ADMINISTRATIVE COORDINATOR (2005)
- MARILYN ELIZABETH ALLEN - SENIOR SECRETARY (2004)

Staff Council Award - EEO5
- Vernita J Ivy - PRODUCTION CONTROL CLERK (2011)
- NAVEENKUMAR AMRADI - NETWORK ADMINISTRATOR (2006)
- JEFFREY W HOWELL - COMPUTER TECHNICIAN (2001)

Staff Council Award - EEO6

Outstanding Staff Award
A staff member of the School of Engineering who has demonstrated exemplary service, leadership, and commitment.
- Bethany Ferguson LaValley - ACADEMIC COUNSELOR (2010)

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)
- WILLIAM A STATON - PROFESSOR OF MATHEMATICS (1997)
- John W Winkle - PROFESSOR OF POLITICAL SCIENCE (1992)

Frist Service Award
- Charles W Eagles - WILLIAM F WINTER PROFESSOR OF HISTORY (2010)
- Valeria Beasley Ross - ASSISTANT DEAN OF STUDENTS FOR MULTI-CULTURAL AFFAIRS AND VOLUNTEER SERVICES (2010)
- BILLY A BARRIOS - Staff Psychologist and Associate Professor of Psychology (2007)
- MARJORIE POTTS - SENIOR SECRETARY (2004)
- BRUCE LAFORESE - ACTING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF CLASSICS (2000)
- WILLIAM A STATON - PROFESSOR OF MATHEMATICS (1999)
- BARBARA B LEETON - ASSISTANT TO THE DEAN (1996)
- Patricia C Treloar - DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENTAL STUDIES (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.
- ERIC T WEBER - ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF PUBLIC POLICY LEADERSHIP (2011)
- Sarah Louisa Haney - ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF ART (2010)
- Gregory S Tschumper - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF CHEMISTRY AND BIOCHEMISTRY (2009)
Elodie M. Hood Outstanding Teacher Award
The Elodie M. Hood Outstanding Teacher of the Year for the University is selected from nominations submitted by students, alumni and faculty.

- **Evelyn Young Scurlock** - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH AND AFRICAN-AMERICAN STUDIES AND SENIOR FELLOW OF LUCKYDAY RESIDENTIAL COLLEGE (2011)
- **John R Neff** - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF HISTORY (2009)
- **Gregory Alan Schirmer** - PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH (2008)
- **RON G DALE** - Professor Emeritus of Art (2002)
- **Ronald A Schroeder** - PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH (2001)
- **Colby H Kullman** - PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH (1997)
- **Billy A Barrios** - Staff Psychologist and Associate Professor of Psychology (1995)
- **Daniel L Mattern** - PROFESSOR OF CHEMISTRY AND BIOCHEMISTRY (1992)
- **William A Staton** - PROFESSOR OF MATHEMATICS (1988)
- **John W Winkle** - PROFESSOR OF PSYCHOLOGY AND PHARMACOLOGY; AND RESEARCH PROFESSOR, RESEARCH INSTITUTE OF PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES (1988)
- **Vaughn L Grisham** - PROFESSOR EMERITUS AND DIRECTOR OF THE GEOEORGE MCLEAN CENTER FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT (1978)

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.

- **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.

- **Beth Ann Fennelly** - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH (2011)
- **Jason E Klotz** - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF MODERN LANGUAGES (2010)
- **John R Neff** - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF HISTORY (2009)
- **Jeffrey R Watt** - PROFESSOR OF HISTORY (2007)
- **Aileen Ajoitian** - CHAIR OF CLASSICS AND ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF CLASSICS AND ART (2005)
- **Benjamin F Fisher** - PROFESSOR EMERITUS OF ENGLISH (2001)
- **Kathryn B McKee** - MCMLLAN 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)
- **Colby H Kullman** - PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH (1995)