

K. INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS

Mississippi State University is a member of the Southeastern Conference, which includes in its membership 12 of the leading universities of the South. Regulations regarding participation in athletics are subject to the action of the National Collegiate Athletic Association and the Southeastern Conference. Intercollegiate sports for men include football, basketball, baseball, track, tennis and golf. Intercollegiate sports for women include basketball, volleyball, tennis, golf, cross-country, track, soccer and softball. Overall supervision of intercollegiate athletics is provided by Larry O. Templeton, Director of Athletics.

Campus athletic facilities include Davis Wade Stadium at Scott Field (football stadium), with a current capacity of 41,200 and the Leo Seal M Club Center, the John H. Bryan Athletic Administration Building, a multi-purpose coliseum which seats 10,200 for basketball, four practice football fields, a six-court tennis complex, an indoor tennis practice facility, a lighted baseball park with a capacity of 6,700, an all-weather running track, a soccer field, a softball field, an indoor practice facility for basketball and volleyball, and a physical fitness complex which contains approximately half a football field covered with astro turf, a weight room, a training room, a team meeting room, and a locker room.

VII. TUITION and REQUIRED FEES FOR 2004-2005*

Except for tuition and required fees for the College of Veterinary Medicine stated hereafter, the following fees apply to students enrolled full time during the fall or spring term.

Tuition and Required Fees are assessed on a per credit hour basis at the prevailing rates as determined by The Institution of Higher Learning, the government board of the University. These rates are subject to change without notice.

	Fall Semester	Spring Semester	Total
A. Tuition & Required Fees	\$1,937.00	\$1,937.00	\$3,874.00
B. Residence Halls and Apartments	\$1,320.00	\$1,320.00	\$2,640.00
C. Non Resident Tuition:			
Additional fee for out-of-state students:	\$2,453.00	\$2,453.00	\$4,906.00

Note: Final registration includes payment of fees. Enrollment is not completed until fees are paid.

Tuition and required fees (Hourly, Rounded)

Undergraduate (for 1-11 hours)	
Resident	\$161.50 per hour
Non-resident fee	\$204.50 per hour
Graduate (for 1-8 hours)	
Resident	\$215.25 per hour
Non-resident fee	\$272.75 per hour

A student will be considered full-time for tuition and fee purposes when registered for 12 or more hours undergraduate and 9 or more hours graduate. Part-time (on-campus) students registered for from 1 to 11 hours undergraduate and 1-8 hours graduate will be charged at the pre-credit-hour rate for tuition and required fees.

Audit Charges

There are no extra fees for auditing a course; tuition is the same whether a course is taken as an audit or for credit.

International Student Charges

All international students are assessed an Administrative Programming fee of \$100 each fall, spring, and summer term. Sponsored international students whose programs of study are administered through the International Services Office are assessed an additional Administrative Service Fee of \$200 each fall, spring, and summer term. Health insurance for international students will be assessed at the prevailing rate for the fall semester and for the spring/summer semester. All international students are required to pay the International Health Insurance Fee unless an acceptable, alternative policy can be proven and accepted by the International Services Office, preferably prior to registration. Health insurance charges will not be removed after the 10th class day.

Sponsored International Student Charges

The International Services Office will administer the programs of study for international students who receive all or most of their financial support in the form of scholarships, grants, or awards from U.S. government agencies, foreign government agencies, private and/or international agencies, or foreign employers, and students whose financial support is administered by foreign embassies and third-party billed by Mississippi State University, assessing a fee of \$200 each fall, spring and summer term.

Tuition Waivers

Mississippi State University employees who have appropriate approval may have tuition and required fees remitted for up to six (6) hours per semester with a maximum of 18 hours per calendar year. Employees are required to pay tuition and required fees for any additional hours taken during the enrollment period and other assessments to their student account. Students, faculty and staff are responsible for service fees incurred if tuition waiver approval is not finalized on a timely basis.

Senior citizens (65 or over) may take courses without paying tuition and required fees, although registration is on a space available basis and must be completed after classes begin.

Unpaid balances from previous semesters

Any outstanding and past due amounts owed to the University must be paid in full before a student may register for additional courses or make schedule changes. All payments received on student accounts will be applied to charges in the same order in which the charges were incurred. A student who has a hold on his/her record because of an overdue account may not receive a transcript or a diploma until the account is cleared.

OTHER INFORMATION

Student Activities

All students, by payment of tuition and required fees, are eligible for use of facilities, participation in intramural sports, admission to intercollegiate athletic events, the student newspaper, student health services and other benefits.

* The University reserves the right to refuse acceptance of checks presented by students who have had previously returned checks. In such cases payment must be made by cash, money order, certified bank check or credit card.

Billing

Billing statements are available to students on about the 15th of each and every month via the University's Web page. These statements contain a comprehensive summary of most charges to the students account by the University. It is the responsibility of the student to maintain a current billing addresses via the web.

Service Charges

There is a 25 day grace period to make payment on billed charges. There will be a service charge at the rate of 1.5percent assessed per month on any charges outstanding greater than 25 days from billing. As a rule, the regular monthly due date falls on the 9th of each month.

Attorney and Collection Fees

Students who do not pay their fees by the end of the term may be turned over to an outside collection agency for assistance in collecting. The prevailing collection cost rate will be added to the amount owed by the student to cover the collection agency cost. If an Attorney's services are needed to collect an unpaid balance, the student shall be responsible for payment of the attorneys' fees, plus all court and other collection cost incurred.

Course Participation Fees

Fees in addition to tuition are associated with some courses which require the use of special equipment, facilities or materials. These fees, which vary from course to course, will be collected as part of registration.

Schedule Change Fees

Courses may not be added after the first 10 class days of a semester. Any change in class schedules between the 10th class day and two weeks before the end of a semester will incur a charge of \$50 per drop. Schedule changes made after initial registration and payment of fees may generate additional charges to students. Such additional charges are subject to the same payment schedules and penalties as the initial charges, and additional charges should be paid promptly to avoid service fees.

Other fees

Fees which may be incurred by students include Thesis/Dissertation Binding Fee, \$12; Microfilm Fee, Dissertation, \$55, Thesis, \$45; Copyright \$35; Student Identification Card Replacement Fee, \$10; and Spouse Identification Card, \$16 per semester (allows student spouse to attend campus events in same manner as student), and Professional Golf Management Fee, \$350.

Housing Fees

To live in a residence hall, students must sign a nine-month housing contract. Rent is payable at a rate of \$1,320.00 per semester for both the fall and spring semesters, based on double occupancy. Private rooms may be rented when space is available for \$1,675.00 per semester.

PAYMENT and REFUNDS

Current tuition and required fees should be paid at the established monthly due date. Partial payments of an account balance are permitted during the semester/term. However, a monthly service fee (1.5 percent) will be assessed on charges unpaid by the due date (approximately 25 days from the billing date). All service charges may be avoided by paying the full account balance each month by the payment due date. IF mailing your payment, **please mail at least five (5) business days prior to the date to insure it is received and credited to your account by the payment due date.**

You are responsible for payment of all tuition and fee charges unless you either CANCEL YOUR SCHEDULE OR WITHDRAW FROM SCHOOL. See refund schedule published in the Master Schedule or on the Web, click on *Refund Policy* for details of refund amounts at various stages of cancellation or withdrawal. **Failure to take appropriate withdrawal action may result in significant payment obligations.**

Accepted Forms of Payment: Personal or corporate checks, money orders, cashiers' checks, and credit cards (American Express, Discover, MasterCard, Visa). **PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER WITH ALL PAYMENTS. Cash payments may be made only at cashier windows. DO NOT mail or place cash payments in drop boxes.**

Payment of fees by students receiving financial aid or scholarships

Students who receive a scholarship or need-based financial aid from the University are expected to use their financial aid or scholarship award to complete payment of tuition and required fees. The remaining balance of scholarship and financial aid funds is available to be used for other educational expenses only after tuition and fees have been paid. A "Memo" balance of Financial Aid on your statement may not prevent service fees after the first billing for the term. Only timely filing of your Financial Aid will assure a timely disbursement to prevent service fees.

Refunds of tuition and fees

During the first 10 class days of an academic semester, courses dropped result in a 100 percent tuition and fees refund. No refunds are made for courses dropped after the 10th class day.

Drop Policy For First And Second 5-Week Terms

Drops for first five week and second five week summer terms will be refunded at 100 percent during the first three class days. After the third class day, no refunds are made for individual courses dropped. The 10 week term will be refunded at 100 percent during the first five class days. A refund schedule for withdrawals may be obtained from the Registrar.

Student Accounts. A financial record for each student is kept in the Account Services Office in Garner Hall. The information is considered confidential; however, the records of students will be available for examination by authorized representatives of the Government.

COLLEGE of VETERINARY MEDICINE - 2004-2005

To inquire about tuition and fee information, please contact the College of Veterinary Medicine at 662-325-1129 or visit our Web site at www.cvm.msstate.edu.

The College of Veterinary Medicine shall require a \$500.00 deposit from all new entering students into the (DVM) program. This deposit will be due as described in the letters of invitation from the College and shall be applied to the regular tuition of the student and is not refundable.

Overdue Accounts

The administrative authorities of the University will withhold the transcripts and diplomas, degree certification, letters of good standing, and other certification of enrollment and deny readmission of any student who incurs an over due financial obligation to the University.

The student's records may be cleared and a diploma or transcript released when the indebtedness is paid in full. The respective university department or agency will notify the University Registrar when the indebtedness has been paid.

If a financial hold is released based upon a financial agreement and the terms and conditions of that agreement are not met, we reserve the right to void the current term class schedule without notice and without promise of reinstatement of the same class schedule.

Student Obligation: Students who do not pay their fees by the end of the term may be turned over to an outside collection agency for assistance in collecting. The prevailing collection cost rate will be added to the amount owed by the student to cover the collection agency cost. If an Attorney's ser-

vices are needed to collect an unpaid balance, the student shall be responsible for payment of the attorneys' fees, plus all court and other collection cost incurred.

Use of Checks in Payment of University Fees and other Charges; Banking Facilities

Payment by Check. The University will accept checks in payment of amounts due to the University for University fees, residence hall or housing rentals, utility bills, laundry services, and other University charges.

The University reserves the right to defer payment on the balance of any check tendered in excess of the amount due the University, until the check has had time to clear for payment through banking channels. A student may be dropped from enrollment when a check offered to the University is not honored by the bank on which it is drawn.

The University expects that each debt created by a returned check will be promptly and fully corrected. Failure to respond to a notice concerning a returned check may result in legal action, the denial of readmission, and the withholding of records. The maximum penalty allowed by law will be charged for any check returned by your bank for any reason. Returned checks are considered non-payment and will result in the voiding of scheduling and assessment of appropriate fees. The University reserves the right to refuse acceptance of checks presented by students who have had previously returned checks. In such cases payment must be made by cash, money order, certified bank check, or credit card.

Banking Facilities. Automated teller machines are located in the One Stop on East Lee Boulevard and on the ground floor of Colvard Union. These machines offer 24 hour banking services for students, faculty and staff. There are four banks located in downtown Starkville. These banks offer full banking services to all students of Mississippi State University.

Information - Telephone Numbers (Information 325-2323)

For assistance with Fees and Expenses you may use the following resources:

MSU INFOLINE	325-4636
Account Services	325-2071
Student Financial Aid and Scholarships	325-2450
Registrar	325-2022
Housing and Residence Life	325-3555
MoneyMate	325-3387
Sponsored Student Programs	325-8017
Telecommunications	325-2212

Web Instructions

From the MSU main Web page, select *Intranet*; secure user access using your personal user i.d. and pin; from the menu select *personal information* main menu;

1. To change your billing address or E-mail address, select *Update Address Information*.
2. To view your current or prior billing statement, select *View Your Billing Statement*.
3. To view your current account detail, select *View Your Account Detail*.
4. To make a payment by credit card, select *Make a Payment by Credit Card*.

VIII. STUDENT FINANCIAL AID

General Information

Many Mississippi State University students receive various types of financial aid to help pay the costs associated with attending college. The following information is provided to inform students and their families of the estimated costs of attending MSU, the types of financial aid available to help pay these costs, some of the general aid eligibility requirements, and the aid application procedures. The information contained in this section is accurate as this document went to print. Please visit our Web site at www.sfa.msstate.edu for further information and updates.

I. Student Expenses - The Cost of Attending MSU - 2004-2005

The following list of basic university expenses covers those for a full-time, undergraduate student living in a residence hall on campus for a nine month academic year. Note: These costs are average costs, based on the 2003-2004 school year costs and are subject to change.

Tuition and Fees	\$3,874.00
Books and Supplies	\$ 800.00
Residence Halls	\$2,230.00
Meals*	\$3,035.00
Personal And Transportation	\$2,790.00
Total (Mississippi Resident)	\$12,729.00
Non-Resident Fees (Add)	\$4,906.00
	\$17,635.00 Non-Resident

II. Sources of Financial Aid

Federal Sources of Financial Aid Programs are "need based" or "non need based" as determined by the federally mandated needs analysis formula.

A. Federal Sources of Financial Aid

1. Pell Grants - A federal student aid program designed to provide a foundation of gift aid to students who demonstrate financial need. All undergraduate students enrolled for their first undergraduate degree are eligible to apply for Pell Grants. Pell Grants awards for the 2003-2004 year ranged from \$400 to a maximum of \$4,050. Depending on Congressional allocations, Pell Grant amounts may change each year.
2. Federal Work-Study - A program of part-time employment for students who demonstrate financial need. Eligible students may work up to 18 hours per week during regular school sessions.
3. Stafford (subsidized and unsubsidized) Student Loans - Long-term loans may be provided by participating banks and/or other lending institutions for students who need assistance in meeting educational expenses. Subsidized loans are based upon financial need. Unsubsidized loans are not based upon financial need.
4. Perkins Student Loans - A program of long-term, low-interest loans to students who demonstrate financial need to meet college expenses. No interest accrues, nor does payment begin, until after the borrower ceases to be at least a half-time student.
5. Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants - A federally sponsored program to provide gift aid for undergraduate students with exceptional financial need. Funds are limited. Apply early each year.

* Students participating in the University's Seven Day Meal Plan will incur an additional \$505.00 in costs (in addition to the above estimated meal costs).

6. Parent Loan for Undergraduate Students (PLUS) - PLUS Loans are for the parents of dependent students. Parents may borrow on behalf of their eligible dependent student. PLUS Loans are non-need based in that parents are eligible to be certified by the school if other funds have not covered the student's cost of attendance.
7. Leveraging Educational Assistance Partnership Program (LEAP) - A federal and state sponsored program to provide gift aid for undergraduate students with exceptional financial need. Funds are limited. Apply early each year.

B. Institutional Sources of Financial Aid

1. Academic Scholarships - These awards are provided by the University to recognize outstanding academic and personal achievement by students attending MSU. Scholarship amounts range from \$100 to \$8,500 per academic year and are awarded on a competitive and funds available basis by the University Scholarship Committee.
2. Regional Scholarships - These awards provide for payment of out-of-state fees for non-residents attending the University. Awards are made by the University Scholarship Committee on a competitive basis, depending on a student's academic and personal achievement.
3. Out-of-State Fee Waivers - Changes are effective for students beginning with the Fall 2001 term. Previously enrolled students will qualify for different waiver amounts and quality point averages as stated under the Bulletin guidelines for the term they initially enrolled.
 - a. Child of Alumni Waiver - This scholarship waives 50 percent of the Non-Resident Fee for sons and daughters of alumni. Minimum qualifications for an alum status is 48 semester hours of work completed at MSU. A student must maintain a 3.0 cumulative quality point average to renew the 50 percent waiver. A student may receive a 25 percent waiver if the cumulative quality point average drops below 3.0 but a 2.5 or better qpa must be maintained. If the cumulative quality point average ever drops below 2.5, the waiver will be permanently lost. The basis of the cumulative quality point average is monitored at the end of the fall semester.
 - b. ACT/SAT Waivers – Non resident freshmen who have an ACT composite score of 26 or above or a combined SAT score of 1170 or above, a high school grade point average of 3.0 or above, and who apply for admission by April 1, will receive a 100 percent waiver of the out-of-state tuition. Non resident entering freshmen who have an ACT composite score of 25 or a combined SAT score of 1130 and who apply for admission by April 1 will receive \$1,000 per year for four years. These fee waivers may be renewed if the recipient maintains a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or higher. If the cumulative GPA drops below 3.0 but above 2.5, the student can receive a 50 percent of the waiver. If the cumulative GPA drops below 2.5, the student loses the entire out-of-state tuition waiver. The loss is permanent. Cumulative GPAs are monitored at the end of each fall semester.
 - c. Community College Transfer Waiver - This scholarship waives 100 percent of the out-of-state tuition normally paid by non-Mississippi residents that are community college transfer students with 60 or more semester hours and a 3.5 or higher cumulative grade point average. The waiver will be renewed if the recipient maintains a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or higher. If the cumulative grade point average drops below 3.0 but above 2.5, the student can receive a 50 percent waiver. If the cumulative grade point average drops below 2.5, the student loses the entire out-of-state waiver. The loss is permanent. Cumulative grade point averages are monitored at the end of each fall semester.
4. Undergraduate Tuition Remission Policy for Children of Faculty and Staff - The partial tuition remission policy applies to all single dependent children of full time faculty and staff. See tuition remission policy for any restrictions that may apply.
5. Departmental Scholarships - Colleges and Departments within the University offer scholarships designed to assist students majoring in a specific discipline. Most are competitively awarded and renewable.
6. Emergency Short-Term Loans - The University has available for students a means of borrowing small sums of money to meet emergency expenses during the academic year. Such loans are repayable during the same semester in which the loan is made. Application is made to the Dept. of Student Financial Aid and Scholarships.
7. CIOS - A program of long-term, low interest student loans to students who demonstrate financial need to meet college expenses.
8. Summers Scholarships are available to permanent residents of Attala, Carroll, Choctaw, Montgomery and Webster counties in Mississippi. A Summers Scholarship application is available online at www.sfa.msstate.edu and must be submitted annually. The supplemental Summers Academic Excellence Scholarship recognizes outstanding achievement in current full time undergraduate and graduate students with an MSU grade point average of 3.5 or greater; all eligible applicants will be considered for the supplement.
9. A portion of student tuition and fee charges is used for scholarships, tuition waivers and other operating costs.

C. State and Other Sources of Financial Aid

1. Army/Air Force ROTC Four-Year Scholarships - Scholarships available to students interested in commissions as officers in either the Army or the Air Force. Scholarships are based on ACT scores and high school grades, not financial need. Visit the following Web pages for further information. Army ROTC: www.msstate.edu/dept/militaryscience/info. Air Force: www.msstate.edu/dept/afrotc.
2. The Mississippi Tuition Assistance/Mississippi Eminent Scholars Grant (MTAG/MESG) and other state aid programs are available to residents of the state of Mississippi. Information about these programs can be obtained from the Mississippi Office of Student Financial Aid in Jackson, MS. Phone: 1.800.327.2980. Web site: www.ihl.state.ms.us/financialaid.

III. To Apply for Financial Aid at MSU

For the 2004-2005 academic year the following forms MUST be completed by the student:

- A. Federal Student Aid - (Federal Pell Grant, Federal SEOG, LEAP, Federal Work Study, Federal Perkins Loan, Federal Stafford Subsidized and Unsubsidized Student Loans and the Federal PLUS Loan). Applicants must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) each year. The FAFSA can be submitted in paper form or over the web at www.FAFSA.ed.gov and should be submitted as soon as possible after January 1st each year for the coming school year. Any required verification or tax documents should be delivered to the Department of Student Financial Aid and Scholarships at MSU by April 1. Late applicants will be considered on a funds available basis. Mississippi State University's Federal School Code Number is 002423.
- B. Academic and/or Regional Scholarships - Submit an online MSU Scholarship application via the web. Application deadlines range from Feb. 1 to April 1. Please refer to the Scholarship application and guide for applicable deadline dates.
- C. Summers Scholarships - Students should submit the completed Summers Scholarship application to MSU via the Web by the April 1 priority deadline.
- D. The University Scholarship application and Summers Scholarship applications are available on line at our Web site at www.sfa.msstate.edu.
- E. Mississippi Tuition Assistance/Mississippi Eminent Scholars Grant (MTAG/MESG) - Applicants should apply directly with the Mississippi Office of Student Financial Aid (MOSFA) in Jackson, MS. Applications should be submitted in the Spring of each year prior to the coming school year but no later than the state deadline date of September 15. Phone: 1-800-327-2980 or visit www.ihl.state.ms.us financial aid for information about application procedures.
- F. Army/Air Force ROTC Four-Year Scholarships - Application forms should be available from high school counselors or from the ROTC staff at MSU as follows: Army ROTC, Box 5447, Mississippi State, MS 39762 or Air Force ROTC, P.O. Drawer AF, Mississippi State, MS 39762. Applications are also online at the following sites: www.ArmyROTC.com and www.afrotc.com.

IV. Financial Aid Policies

A. Scholarship Criteria:

1. All scholarship awards, academic and regional, are made in accordance with guidelines established by the MSU Scholarship Committee.
2. Students currently enrolled at MSU and college transfer students are evaluated primarily on the basis of their cumulative grade-point averages.
3. Entering freshmen are evaluated on the basis of their ACT composite scores, high school grade point average, high school class standing and leadership attributes.
4. Some Academic Scholarships are not automatically renewed. Students will compete for available scholarships in subsequent years.

5. Students from Attala, Carroll, Choctaw, Montgomery and Webster counties in Mississippi may be eligible to apply for the Summers Scholarship. Permanent residency in one of these five counties for 12 continuous months prior to the award period is the primary basis of eligibility.
6. All students have the right to appeal their Scholarship status. Exceptions may be made in cases of mitigating circumstances such as: Death in the immediate family, personal injury, illness, etc., as determined by the Department of Student Financial Aid and Scholarships and the University Scholarship Appeals Committee.

A student may appeal by writing to:
 University Scholarship Appeals Committee
 Department of Student Financial Aid & Scholarships
 Box 6035
 Mississippi State, MS 39762

All appeals must be in writing and include the student's name, social security number, telephone number and all the facts and documentation upon which the appeal is based. The appeals letter must be received by Student Financial Aid and Scholarships **at least** five (5) days prior to the last day to register during the spring and fall semester and prior to registration day for each summer session. The University Scholarship Appeals Committee has authority over all appeals and its decisions are final.

B. Federal Programs of Financial Aid

1. All Federal student-aid funds are awarded on the basis of criteria established by the United States Congress and the Department of Education, as required by Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended.
2. Priority in the awarding of some need-based aid is given to students with the greatest financial need first, within the availability of funds. Funds that are limited are awarded until depleted. Applicants are encouraged to apply early each year.
3. The family of a student is expected to make a maximum effort to assist the student with college expenses. Financial assistance from the University and other sources should be viewed only as supplementary to the efforts of the family. In determining the extent of a student's financial need, the University will take into account the financial support which may be expected from income, assets, and other resources of the parents and of the students as required by Federal Regulations.
4. Students themselves are also expected to use all available resources for their college expenses. This includes savings accounts, trust funds, etc.
5. The total amount of financial assistance offered by the University and other sources must not exceed the amount of financial need as determined by the student's cost of attendance and federal financial need analysis report as derived from the FAFSA. The student is responsible for notifying the Department of Student Financial Aid and Scholarships at Mississippi State University upon learning that additional educational resources/benefits (scholarships, tuition waivers, etc.) have been awarded or received.
6. Because the amount of financial assistance awarded usually reflects the financial situation of the student's family, the University does not make a public announcement of the amount of financial aid awarded.
7. The University will clearly state the total yearly cost of attendance. (See costs listed under "Students Expenses" or visit our Web site at www.sfa.msstate.edu.)
8. All financial assistance is awarded on an annual basis and no award implies automatic renewal from year to year. A new FAFSA, MTAG/MESG, and Summers application must be submitted each year. Other applications may also be required. Always check with the granting agency to determine application procedures and deadline dates.

C. Satisfactory Academic Progress for Purposes of Student Financial Aid

Purpose

To define reasonable standards for measuring academic progress in order for students to remain eligible for financial aid under Title IV.

Policy

Mississippi State University, as required by federal law, defines and enforces minimum standards for Satisfactory Academic Progress. Students receiving federal financial aid and Summers funds must conform to these minimum standards of Satisfactory Academic Progress. Students receiving federal financial assistance and Summers funds must enroll in courses leading to, and earning credit toward, a degree. These satisfactory academic progress standards will include an evaluation of each student's progress in terms of quality and quantity of progress toward the degree. Students who are not successfully completing appropriate courses will not be considered to be making satisfactory academic progress and will not be eligible for further federal financial aid. These satisfactory academic progress standards supersede any award letter that the student might have received. This policy applies to all Title IV federal Financial Aid programs at Mississippi State University and the Summers Scholarship Program.

For details regarding this satisfactory academic progress policy and other consumer information, visit our Web site at www.sfa.msstate.edu.

D. Withdrawal from School

Treatment of Student Aid Funds when a Student Withdraws from School:

Students who choose to withdraw from the University prior to the end of an enrollment period (semester) should follow the University's guidelines for withdrawing from school. An Official Withdrawal Form must be completed and submitted to the proper office before a student can be considered officially withdrawn. Information concerning the details of withdrawal procedures can be found in the MSU Bulletin or by contacting the University Registrar.

Federal student aid recipients who begin attending classes during a semester and who cease attending or performing academic activities prior to the end of the semester, and never complete an Official Withdrawal Form are considered by the federal government to have unofficially withdrawn. If University records indicate that a student did begin attending classes but subsequently unofficially withdrew, the University will consider the Unofficial Withdrawal date to be the midpoint of the semester (unless documentation exists of an earlier or later date of academic activity by the student).

When a federal student aid recipient withdraws, officially or unofficially, after attending at least the first class day, the University will return, and the student aid recipient will be required to repay, a prorated portion of funds received based upon a federally required calculation.

If University records show a federal student aid recipient never attended a class and/or never performed an academically related activity for a semester or term, then the recipient never established eligibility for any aid funds that may have been disbursed for that semester or term. In addition, any student aid recipient who withdraws, drops all classes, or voids his/her schedule, etc., with an effective date prior to the first day of class for a semester or term did not establish eligibility for any aid funds that may have been disbursed for that semester or term. In either case, the student aid recipient must repay the entire amount of aid disbursed for that semester or term.

If a student did not receive any federal student aid but did receive other types of aid funds, and subsequently officially withdraws, refunds and repayments will be based upon the University's refund schedule which can be found in the University catalog.

For more information regarding return and repayment of Title IV (federal) funds, see the Return of Title IV Funds section of "withdrawal from school" on our Web site at www.sfa.msstate.edu under Policies/Consumer Right to Know.

Note: The information contained in this section is subject to change, without notice, in order to comply with federal, state, or university requirements.

IX. SCHOLARSHIPS, MEMORIALS, and LOANS*

UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS AND MEMORIALS

Mississippi State University is committed to the recognition of outstanding students whose academic credentials confirm their potential for success as university students. Outstanding students may be eligible for various scholarships and honors.

Numerous privately funded scholarships support the University Scholarship Program to recognize continued academic success. Please visit our Web site at www.msstate.edu/dept/sfa for information regarding eligibility criteria and application information. Once an application is submitted, consideration will be given for all of the applicable awards as follows:

Daryl Ray Arnold Memorial Endowed Scholarship - established by Danny and Peggy Arnold. Candidates must be full-time students enrolled in the College of Business & Industry or the Department of Microbiology in the College of Arts & Sciences at MSU. Must have demonstrated academic achievement, a minimum of 3.0 GPA and be active participants in student activities. Priority will be given to eligible Kappa Sigma fraternity members.

Attala MSU Alumni Chapter Annual Scholarship Fund - established by the Attala Chapter of the Mississippi State University Alumni Association. Candidates must be residents of Attala County in Mississippi and be entering freshmen at MSU for the upcoming fall semester. Must have demonstrated academic achievement at high school level, be of good moral character, demonstrated leadership ability and financial need.

Robert G. Barnett Foundation Scholarship - established by the Robert G. Barnett Foundation. Candidates must be full-time students enrolled at Mississippi State University. Scholarship is available to all classifications - freshman through senior. Current students must have demonstrated academic achievement by maintaining a minimum of 2.5 GPA (based on a 4.0 scale). Must be graduates of either Indianola Academy or Indianola Gentry High School in south Sunflower County in Mississippi.

The Birmingham Alumni Chapter Scholarship Fund - established by the Birmingham Chapter of the Mississippi State University Alumni Association. Candidates must be full-time entering freshman students at MSU with a minimum high school GPA of 3.0, be residents of the Birmingham, Alabama area, be of good moral character, have demonstrated leadership ability, and have financial need.

The Black Voices Scholarship - established by the Black Voices Alumni Association. Applicants must be full-time student at MSU, active member of the Black Voices Choir.

Bolivar County Alumni Scholarship - established by the Bolivar County Alumni Chapter. This award is available to entering freshmen from Bolivar County based on a minimum GPA of 3.0, good moral character, leadership qualities, financial need.

William F. "Sonny" Bruce Scholarship Fund - established by friends of Sonny Bruce. Applicants must be full-time students at MSU with minimum high school GPA of 2.8 or higher and an ACT score of 23 or higher, be graduates of an accredited high school in Lowndes or Warren County, Mississippi, be of good moral character with demonstrated leadership and good citizenship, and have financial need.

James R. and Ressie Carpenter Scholarship - established by friends of Dr. Carpenter for his service with Mississippi Cooperative Extension Service. Applicants must be full-time students at MSU as sons or daughters of MCES employees.

Central Mississippi Chapter of the MSU Alumni Association Annual Scholarship - established by the Central Mississippi Chapter of the MSU Alumni Association. This scholarship will be awarded to deserving high school seniors who are planning to attend MSU and who are residents of Hinds, Madison, and Rankin counties in Mississippi.

Coahoma County MSU Alumni Chapter Annual Scholarship - established by the Coahoma County Alumni Chapter of the MSU Alumni Association. The scholarship will be used to assist enrolled students who are residents of Coahoma County.

Johnny and Bessie Lynn Crane Endowed Scholarship - established by Johnny and Bessie Lynn Crane. These scholarships will cover the cost of tuition, fees, room, and board for up to eight undergraduate semesters. Full-time entering students may apply. Applicants must also have a minimum ACT score of 29 (SAT score of 1280), distinguished academic achievement, and leadership ability.

Will R. Cooper Memorial Scholarship - established by Brenda C. Cooper to honor her late husband. Students must be classified as junior, senior, or graduate level and demonstrate good moral character and strong leadership ability.

Jack and Mavis Cristil Scholarship - established by the Lee County Alumni Chapter in memory of Mrs. Mavis Cristil and in honor of Mr. Jack Cristil's many years of service to Mississippi State University as the "Voice of the Bulldogs." This award is available to full-time freshmen students who have academic ability but do not have the financial resources to attend college and who have a 3.0 GPA or equivalent at the high school level.

George H. Critz Memorial Scholarship - donated by the George H. Critz Estate. This award is available to upperclass students based on academic excellence.

Archibald Stuart Davis Memorial Scholarship - established by Miss Alice Davis in memory of her father. This award is available to students from Mendenhall or Simpson County, or surrounding counties depending on financial need and academic achievement.

Luke and Ruth Davis Presidential Endowed Scholarship - established by Luke and Ruth Davis. These scholarships will cover the cost of tuition, fees, room, and board for up to eight undergraduate semesters. Full-time entering student may apply. Preference will be given to students from Tippah County, Mississippi. Applicants must also have a minimum ACT score of 29 (SAT score of 1280), distinguished academic achievement, and leadership ability.

Thomas C. and Shirley M. Dawkins Presidential Endowed Scholarship - established by Thomas and Shirley Dawkins. These scholarships will cover the cost of tuition, fees, room, and board for up to eight undergraduate semesters. Full-time entering students may apply. Applicants must also have a minimum ACT score of 29 (SAT score of 1280), distinguished academic achievement, and leadership ability.

Deanes-Johnson Scholarship Endowment - established by Marie Deanes Johnson to be awarded to Clay County residents.

Desoto County Alumni Chapter Annual Scholarship - established by Desoto County Alumni Chapter. Must be a resident of Desoto County. Students must be full-time entering freshman who graduated from Desoto County schools with a minimum GPA of 3.0 and have demonstrated leadership skills. In the event there are no eligible candidates, currently enrolled MSU students who graduated from Desoto County high schools will be considered.

Jehu J. Dillard Scholarship - established by Jehu J. Dillard. Recipients for this award usually have a minimum composite ACT score of 28 and a 90 percent or greater high school grade point average and must have graduated from Mississippi high schools.

Charles E. Donald, Sr. and Grover Goodman Endowed Scholarship - established by the Claiborne-Jefferson County MSU Alumni Chapter in honor of the late Charles Donald, Sr. and Grover Goodman. This award is available to entering freshmen from Chamberlain-Hunt Academy, Jefferson County High School, or Port Gibson High School based on good moral character and leadership qualities.

S. R. Evans, Scholarship - established by the Leflore-Carroll County Alumni Chapter in honor of Mr. Evans. This award is available to entering freshmen who have demonstrated academic achievement at the high school level or upperclass students with a minimum GPA of 3.0 based on good moral character, leadership qualities, and financial need.

* Unless otherwise directed in the separate lists or descriptions, address inquiries to the Department of Student Financial Aid and Scholarships, P. O. Box 6035, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

Farmers Grain Terminal - established by Farmers Grain Terminal. Candidates must be a full-time entering freshman at MSU. Consideration given to students from East Carroll, West Carroll, Richland, Madison, Franklin, Tensas, Catahoula, and Concordia parishes in Louisiana; Bolivar, Washington, Sunflower, LeFlore, Humphreys, Holmes, Yazoo, Sharkey and Issaquena counties in Mississippi; Drew Desha, Ashley, and Chicot counties in Arkansas. Must have demonstrated academic achievement by maintaining a minimum GPA of 3.0 in high school (based on a 4.0 system).

The John H. Filgo Trust Fund - established by the estate of John H. Filgo. Applicants must be full-time students at MSU, residents of Sunflower County, Mississippi, be worthy scholars maintaining appropriate scholastic progress while being enrolled in a bona fide degree program, and exhibit leadership qualities, high moral character, and good citizenship. Financial need will be a consideration, but not a determining factor for selection.

Jack "Soap" Francis Scholarship - established by members of the Monroe County Alumni Chapter of MSU. Must be residents of Monroe County. Priority will go to entering freshmen. Must have demonstrated academic achievement, a minimum of 3.0 GPA based on a 4.0 scale. Must have demonstrated need and merit.

Dan G. and Hilda F. Frank Memorial Scholarship - donated by the late Dan Gaston Frank. This award is available to full-time students who demonstrate academic achievement.

Paul A. and Mary Elgie Frederic Memorial Endowed Scholarship - established by the Trust of Paul A. Frederic and the Trust of Mary Elgie Frederic. Candidates must be full-time students enrolled at Mississippi State University. Must be residents of Warren County, Mississippi. Must be a graduate of St. Aloysius High School, Vicksburg High School or Warren Central High School, all located in Warren County, Mississippi. Must have demonstrated academic achievement, maintaining a 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale. Must have demonstrated financial need.

Harry S. Fugate Memorial Scholarship - established from the estate of Mrs. Virginia Black Fugate. Applicants must be full-time, entering freshmen, have demonstrated academic achievement, leadership ability, financial need, and be of good moral character.

Malcolm E. Gillis Endowed Scholarship - established by Malcolm E. Gillis. Candidates must be full-time students enrolled at Mississippi State University. Must be a student in good standing.

David L. and Marsha K. Grady Scholarship - established by David L. and Marsha K. Grady. Candidates must be full-time students at Mississippi State University. Must have demonstrated academic achievement, maintaining a minimum 3.0 MSU and cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale. Must have earned a minimum 27 semester hours (for emerging leaders) or a minimum of 54 semester hours (for current leaders) by the end of the spring semester. Must be in good disciplinary standing at Mississippi State University.

Vaughn A. and Neva Reed Green Endowed Scholarship - Established by Carole Green Henderson and James S. Green as a memorial to their parents. Applicants must be full-time students, have demonstrated academic achievement and leadership ability.

John and Renee Grisham Presidential Endowed Scholarship - established by John and Renee Grisham. These scholarships will cover the cost of tuition, fees, room, and board for up to eight undergraduate semesters. Full-time entering students may apply. Applicants must also have a minimum ACT score of 29 (SAT score of 1280), distinguished academic achievement, and leadership ability.

T.P. Groome Scholarship - established by T.P. Groome. This award is available to students who demonstrate academic achievement and financial need.

Senator Dick Hall Endowed Scholarship - established by family and friends of Senator Dick Hall on the occasion of his birthday. Applicants must be full-time students, have demonstrated academic achievement, leadership ability, financial need and be of good moral character.

The Hancock County Alumni Association Scholarship - established by the Hancock County Chapter of the MSU Alumni Association. Applicants must be residents of Hancock County and entering freshman at MSU.

Harrison-Stone County MSU Alumni Chapter Annual Scholarship - established by the Harrison County Chapter of the MSU Alumni Association. This scholarship will be used to assist students who are residents of Harrison County. Must be an undergraduate or graduate student at MSU.

Charles D. Havens, Sr. Annual Scholarship - renamed for the Huntsville-Decatur, Alabama MSU Alumni Chapter Annual Scholarship. This scholarship was named in memory of the late Charles D. Haven, Jr., who was a very active and loved member of this chapter. This award is available to entering freshmen from the Huntsville-Decatur, Alabama Alumni area, based on leadership ability and good moral character.

Hunter and Lila Henry Presidential Endowed Scholarship - established by Hunter W. Henry, Jr. These scholarships will cover the cost of tuition, fees, room, and board for up to eight undergraduate semesters. Full-time entering students may apply. Applicants must also have a minimum ACT score of 29 (SAT score of 1280), distinguished academic achievement, and leadership ability.

Mickey and Babs Holliman Presidential Endowed Scholarship - established by Mickey and Barbara Holliman. These scholarships will cover the cost of tuition, fees, room, and board for up to eight undergraduate semesters. Full-time entering students may apply. Applicants must also have a minimum ACT score of 29 (SAT score of 1280), distinguished academic achievement, and leadership ability.

John Kenneth Holloway Memorial Scholarship - established by the Greer Family. Candidates must be full-time students enrolled at Mississippi State University. Priority on the first award from this scholarship will be given to an entering freshman. Must have demonstrated academic achievement, a minimum 3.0 on a 4.0 scale. Must have demonstrated financial need. Preference will be given to first generation college students.

Richard Holmes Scholarship - named in honor of the first African-American student to receive a degree from Mississippi State University, Dr. Richard Holmes. This award is available to junior and senior students only and is based on need, merit, and academic record.

Laura and Larry Homan Endowed Scholarship - established by Larry E. Homan. Candidates must be full-time entering freshmen students enrolled at Mississippi State University. Must be a student(s) in good standing who were valedictorians of their high school graduating class and who score below 26 on the ACT. If multiple applicants meet the above criteria, the committee will consider factors such as involvement in high school organizations/clubs, leadership activities, community service and financial need.

Houston, Texas MSU Alumni Chapter Scholarship - established by the members of the Houston, Texas MSU Alumni Chapter. Must be residents of Houston, Texas area. This area will be defined for purposes of this scholarship as the counties of Harris, Montgomery, Waller, Fort Bend, Brazoria, Galveston, Chambers, Liberty, Matagorda, Wharton, Jefferson, Orange, Washington, Austin, Grimes, Brazos, Walker and San Jacinto in the state of Texas. Must be full-time entering freshmen who graduated from schools in the Houston, Texas area. In the event that there are no eligible applicants, currently enrolled students from the Houston, Texas area will be considered. Must have demonstrated academic achievement, a minimum 3.0 on a 4.0 scale. Must have demonstrated leadership skills. Leadership skills may include but are not limited to the following: community service, volunteer work, employment, club membership, awards and honors, and participation in athletics. Must write a one-page essay explaining why he or she is to attend Mississippi State University.

Peggy Howerton Memorial Scholarship - donated by the late Mr. J. D. Howerton to honor his wife. This award is available to juniors and seniors based on academic record.

The Jackson County Alumni Association Endowed Scholarship Fund - established by the Jackson County Chapter of the MSU Alumni Association. Applicants must be residents of Jackson County, who are entering freshman for the upcoming fall semester, and have demonstrated academic achievement, moral character, leadership ability and have financial need. (There are two Jackson Co. Scholarships.)

The Frank Janous Campus Leadership Scholarship - established by the Mississippi Farm Bureau with funds received from the friends and family of Frank Janous. Applicants must be full time students at MSU with a minimum GPA of 2.5, be of good moral character, have demonstrated leadership ability, concern for other people, truthfulness, unselfishness, and willingness to take risks for important principles. Preference will be given to active members of the Baptist Student Union, Campus Crusade for Christ, Canterbury Episcopal Fellowship, Catholic Student Association, Church of God Campus Ministry, Lutheran Student Fellowship, Nazarene Student Fellowship, Presbyterian College Fellowship, Reformed University Fellowship, or Wesley Foundation.

Ray W. Joe Memorial Scholarship - established by Mr. Clement Joe in memory of his father. Applicants should be full time freshmen or sophomore students from Leflore County. Special emphasis is given to those students with demonstrated financial need.

Ray W. Joe-Joe Bing Memorial Scholarship - established by Clement Joe and Johnny Bing Choo in honor of their fathers. This award is available to juniors and seniors based on financial need and academic record.

C.W. "Charley" and Novis M. Jones Endowed Scholarship - established by the children of C.W. "Charley" and Novis M. Jones. Candidates must be full-time students enrolled at Mississippi State University. Must be classified as juniors when the award is received. Must be residents of the State of Mississippi. Must have demonstrated academic achievement, a minimum of 2.5 GPA on a 4.0 scale. Must have demonstrated financial need.

Steven Thomas Jones Memorial Scholarship - donated by the family and friends in memory of Steven Thomas Jones. Applicants must be entering freshmen who graduated from Starkville High School. Three letters of recommendation from Starkville High School officials must accompany the application.

Kemp Foundation Annual Scholarship - established by the Nelson and Charleen Kemp Foundation. Candidates must be full-time students enrolled at Mississippi State University. The scholarship is available to all classifications. Must be graduates of Winfield High School in Winfield, Alabama. Must have demonstrated academic achievement, a minimum 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale. Must be a student in good standing.

Leah Langley Annual Scholarship - established by Ling (Leah) Lin. Students must be full-time students enrolled at MSU with a minimum GPA of 3.5, have demonstrated academic achievement. Must be attendant(s) (placed by Mississippi State University's Student Support Services) who care for students with disabilities.

Mozelle Leach Scholarship - established by Ms. Leach. This award is available to entering freshmen from Oktibbeha County with preference given to minorities and graduates of Alexander High School based on moral character, academic achievement, leadership qualities, and financial need.

Lee County Alumni Chapter Endowed Scholarship - established by the Lee County Alumni Chapter. Candidates must be full-time students enrolled at Mississippi State University. Must be entering freshmen who graduated from schools in Lee County. In the event there are no eligible candidates, currently enrolled MSU students who graduated from high school in Lee County will be considered. Must have demonstrated academic achievement, maintaining a 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale. Must have demonstrated leadership ability.

George R. Lewis Scholarship - established by friends and colleagues of Dr. Lewis upon his retirement after 28 years as Director of the MSU Mitchell Memorial Library. This award is available to junior or senior students who are residents of Webster County, Mississippi, have a minimum GPA of 3.0, and have demonstrated leadership ability and financial need.

Lincoln County Alumni Scholarship - established by the Lincoln County Alumni Chapter. This award is available to entering freshmen from Lincoln County based on moral character, leadership qualities, and financial need.

Lewis Love Memorial Scholarship Fund - established by the API Warrior Basin Chapter. Must be full-time entering freshmen at MSU. If there are no eligible candidates, then currently enrolled MSU students who meet qualifications may be considered. Priority will be given to dependents of an API member or oil field related personnel. Must have demonstrated leadership characteristics.

Bobby and Barbara Martin Presidential Endowed Scholarship - established by Bobby and Barbara Martin. These scholarships will cover the cost of tuition, fees, room, and board for up to eight undergraduate semesters. Full-time entering students may apply. Applicants must also have a minimum ACT score of 29 (SAT score of 1280), distinguished academic achievement, and leadership ability.

E. B. McCool Scholarship - donated by the late Inez and E. B. McCool. This award is available to upperclass students based on academic record.

James Leonard McCullough Scholarship - established by family and friends of Dean McCullough to be awarded to children of former Mississippi State athletes.

Alex McKeigney Scholarship - established by family and friends of Alex McKeigney. This award is available to upperclass students based on financial need and academic record.

Mississippi Homemaker Volunteers, Inc. Endowed Scholarship - established by the Mississippi Homemaker Volunteer Organization. Must be a full-time student of Mississippi State University. Must have completed requirements for high school graduation or have started college work or higher education. Must be a Mississippi Homemaker Volunteer member, or a child or grandchild of a Mississippi Homemaker Volunteer member for a minimum of 5 years prior to application. Must have at least a "C" average to apply. Must be of good character and have demonstrated leadership ability and financial need.

The Mississippi State University Women's Club Annual Scholarship - Established by the MSU Women's Club. Applicants must be full-time students enrolled in graduate studies in any discipline and be a United States citizen.

Mobile, Alabama Alumni Scholarship - established by the Mobile, Alabama Alumni Chapter to be awarded to students from the Mobile area who enroll at Mississippi State University.

Montgomery, Alabama Alumni Scholarship - established by the Montgomery, AL Alumni Chapter to be awarded to students of their area who enroll at MSU.

Janice Montgomery-Green Scholarship Fund - established by Jennifer Evans, Shawn and Marcus Montgomery. Candidates must be full-time students enrolled at Mississippi State University. Students with exceptional need may apply to the Dean of Students to receive funds.

G.V. "Sonny" Montgomery Scholars Program - established in honor of G.V. "Sonny" Montgomery. These scholarships will cover the cost of tuition, fees, room, and board for up to eight undergraduate semesters. Applicants must also have a minimum ACT score of 29 (SAT score of 1280), distinguished academic achievement, and leadership abilities (to include Montgomery Presidential Endowed Scholarships).

J.D. Moss and Mary Katherine Moss Endowed Scholarship - established by Dr. Jimmy D. Moss III in honor of his parents. Applicants must have graduated from a high school in Grenada and must be full-time undergraduate students. Students must have demonstrated academic achievement, leadership ability, financial need, and be of good moral character.

National Merit Scholarships - National Merit Program Finalists who name Mississippi State as their first choice may be awarded an additional \$2,000 which is distributed over the four year period.

Neshoba County Alumni Scholarship - established by the Neshoba County Alumni Chapter to be awarded to entering freshman students from Neshoba County.

New Orleans, Louisiana MSU Alumni Chapter Scholarship - established by the members of the New Orleans, Louisiana MSU Alumni Chapter. Candidates must be full-time students enrolled at Mississippi State University. Must be residents of the New Orleans, Louisiana alumni district. This area includes the parishes of Jefferson, Orleans, St. Charles, St. Bernard, Plaquemines, Lafourche, Terrebonne, and Assumption. Must be entering freshmen who graduated from schools in the New Orleans, Louisiana alumni district. In the event there are no eligible applicants, currently enrolled students from the New Orleans, Louisiana alumni district will be considered. Must have demonstrated academic achievement, maintaining a 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale. Must have demonstrated leadership ability and/or community involvement.

Optimist Club of Starkville R. Clay Simmons Memorial Scholarship - established by the Optimist Club of Starkville in memory of Mr. Simmons. This award is available to full time students with a minimum high school GPA of 3.0 or minimum ACT of 25 who are residents of Oktibbeha County. The recipient must maintain a 3.0 GPA.

Hal and Linda Parker Presidential Endowed Scholarship - established by Hal and Linda Parker. These scholarships will cover the cost of tuition, fees, room, and board for up to eight undergraduate semesters. Full-time entering students may apply. Applicants must also have a minimum ACT score of 29 (SAT score of 1280), distinguished academic achievement, and leadership ability.

Pearl River County Alumni Chapter Annual Scholarship - established by the Pearl River County Alumni Chapter of MSU. Must be residents of Pearl River County. Must be full-time entering freshmen who graduated from Pearl River County schools. In the event there are no eligible candidates, currently enrolled MSU students who graduated from Pearl River County high schools will be considered. Must have demonstrated academic achievement, a minimum of 3.0 GPA based on a 4.0 scale. Must have demonstrated leadership skills and financial need.

Mary Margarete Peebles Memorial Endowed Scholarship - established by the Estate of Mary Margarete Peebles. Candidates must be disabled and registered with the Department of Student Support Services, having submitted documentation that verifies the existence of the disability. Must have demonstrated academic achievement, maintaining a 2.5 or better GPA on a 4.0 scale.

Phi Kappa Phi Scholarship - This award is made each year by the Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi, Mississippi State University Chapter.

A. C. Pilgreen Memorial Scholarship - established by Mrs. A.C. Pilgreen. Candidates must be full-time students enrolled at Mississippi State University. Must be residents of Calhoun County, Mississippi. Must have demonstrated academic achievement, maintaining a 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale. Must have demonstrated leadership ability and financial need.

Barbara Burgin Pilkinton Memorial Endowed Scholarship - established by Henry C. Pilkinton, III. Candidates must be full-time students enrolled at Mississippi State University. This scholarship will cover tuition only. Must be a student in good standing. Recipient shall be a majorette in the Famous Maroon Band. Must have demonstrated financial need.

Emily Jones Pointer Memorial Scholarship - established from the Emily Jones Pointer Charitable Trust. This award is available to full time students with demonstrated academic achievement with first consideration given to Panola County residents.

Mississippi State University Rhodes Scholarship Fund - donated by Mr. and Mrs. William S. Montgomery in memory of his grandparents, Captain William Payne and Mrs. Genevieve W. Payne. To be awarded to highly qualified students by the MSU Rhodes Scholarship Committee, University Honors Program.

Thomas Mitchell Robinson Memorial Scholarship - established by the MSU class of 1937 in memory of the late T. Mitchell Robinson. The scholarship is available to students in all classes based on financial need and academic record.

Rotary Mentor Scholarship - established by the Starkville Rotary Club. Applicants should be graduating seniors from an Oktibbeha County school who demonstrate quality high school performance and financial need.

J.E. "Red" Ruffin Scholarship - established to memorialize and honor Mr. Ruffin who served as the first Director of Annual Giving at Mississippi State. This award is available to provide financial support of students with extraordinary need.

Ottillie Schillig Leadership Scholarship - established through the Ottillie Schillig Trust in Port Gibson. These scholarships cover the costs of tuition, fees, room and board, and books for four years. Recipients will be expected to participate in the University Honors Program. A minimum ACT score of 29 (SAT score of 1280) is required for consideration.

Dr. Thomas R. Shaw Memorial Endowed Scholarship - established by members of the George-Greene County Alumni Chapter of MSU. Must be residents of George-Greene County. Must be full-time students in any discipline who graduated from George or Green County high schools or whose parents are alumni of Mississippi State University. Must have demonstrated in order of priority: financial need, academic achievement, community service, extracurricular activities, employment, awards and distinctions, and other leadership skills.

Shelby S. Shows Scholarship - established by the Covington County Alumni Chapter in honor of Mr. Shows. This award is available to full-time students from Covington County based on minimum GPA of 3.0, moral character, leadership qualities, and financial need.

Alexander T. Sidorik Memorial Scholarship - established by Mrs. Jennie H. Sidorik in memory of her husband. This award is available to full-time students with a minimum GPA of 3.0 based on academic achievement, leadership ability and financial need.

Adeline and Percy Simpson Memorial Scholarship - established in 1959 through the generosity of the late Mr. Percy F. Simpson in memory of his wife, Mrs. Percy (Adeline) Simpson. The award is based on financial need and academic record. The recipient must be a resident of Hinds, Madison, or Yazoo County.

Southeast Mississippi Alumni Chapter Scholarship - established in honor of K. Ramsey O'Neal. Applicants must be admitted or enrolled students at MSU and residents of the tri-county area.

T. A. Spain Scholarship - donated by the late Mr. Thomas Spain. This award is given to upperclass students based on academic record, with preference given to black students.

Duff Walker Sudduth Memorial Scholarship - established from an endowment set up by Mrs. William F. Damon in memory of her late husband, Duff Walker Sudduth. This award is available to upperclass students based on academic record.

Sumners Scholarship—established by Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sumners. Students from Attala, Carroll, Choctaw, Montgomery, and Webster counties are eligible to apply for the Sumners Scholarship. Current residency in one of these counties is a requirement of eligibility for this scholarship.

James M. Thomas Memorial Annual and Endowed Scholarships - established by the James M. Thomas and Luvie C. Thomas Foundation. Candidates must be full-time students enrolled at Mississippi State University. Preference will be given to students from Leake County, Mississippi. If no student from Leake County is eligible, other Mississippi residents may be considered. Must have demonstrated academic achievement, leadership ability and be of good moral character. Financial need will be a consideration but not a determining factor.

Jesse I. and Lillian B. Timms Scholarship - established by the Timms estate. This award is available to entering freshmen with a minimum composite ACT score of 28 or a high school grade point average of 90 percent or greater.

Charles S. Tingle Scholarship - established by the Sharkey-Issaquena County Alumni Chapter to be awarded to residents of Sharkey-Assaquina County, be full-time entering freshmen who graduated from Sharkey-Issaquena Academy or South Delta High School and have demonstrated academic achievement, need and merit.

Tippah County Endowed Scholarship - established by the Tippah County Alumni Chapter to be awarded to residents of Tippah County and a graduate of Tippah County High School, full-time student of MSU, have demonstrated academic achievement, need, and merit.

William B. Turner Trust Scholarship - donated by the William B. Turner Trust in memory of William B. Turner. This award is available to upperclass students based on financial need and academic record.

Stuart Vance Scholarship - donated by Stuart Vance. This award is available to students of all academic classes based on academic record.

Warren County Alumni Chapter Endowed Scholarship - established by the Warren County Alumni Chapter. Applicants must be full-time students at MSU engaged in undergraduate studies or be entering freshmen from a high school in Warren County.

Murry and Laura Weaver Annual Scholarship - established by Murry and Laura Weaver. Applicants should be deserving and needy students who would not otherwise have the financial resources to meet the needs of the college expenses. It is the desire of the donors that the scholarships be used primarily for recruiting students from high schools in the state of Mississippi who have acceptable grades for admission. Those students must have an identified and legitimate financial need along with a documented record of extracurricular school, community, civic, work and leadership activities.

Wes Smythe Memorial Scholarship - Applicants must be national merit or national achievement semi-finalists and 90%+ high school grade point average and have demonstrated leadership ability through positions held during the high school years.

Robert Whitehead Endowment For BSU Scholarship Fund - established by Robert Whitehead. This award is available to juniors and seniors with a minimum of a 2.2 QPA and must be a resident of Mississippi.

Melissa Winfield Memorial Scholarship - established by Starkville Discount Drugs in memory of Melissa Winfield, daughter of Keith and Carol Winfield. Applicants from Oktibbeha County who have some type of physical handicap with demonstrated leadership and financial need are eligible.

Turner and Dean Wingo Endowed Scholarship - established by Turner A. Wingo and Dean K. Wingo. Candidates must be full-time students at MSU with a minimum of 3.0 GPA, have demonstrated academic achievements and financial need.

Yazoo County Alumni Scholarship - established by the Yazoo County Alumni Chapter. This award is available to entering freshmen from Yazoo County based on moral character, leadership qualities, and scholarship abilities.

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE and LIFE SCIENCES SCHOLARSHIPS and MEMORIALS

(Unless otherwise indicated, inquiries should be addressed to Dean, College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, Box 9760, Mississippi State, MS 39762).

Scholarships are available to undergraduates enrolled in the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences (CALs). Scholarships are awarded on an annual basis for both the fall and spring semesters. **Applications for scholarships can be made via the CALs Web site - <http://www.cals.msstate.edu>.** The deadline for submitting the form for the upcoming academic year (fall/spring semester) is April 1. Students selected to receive a CALs scholarship are notified in the summer.

William A. and Gretchen Adams Scholarship Fund - established by Mr. W.A. Adams; awarded to students on the basis of financial need, character and scholarship.

Agricultural 100 Club Scholarships - established by alumni and friends of the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences. Awarded to students on the basis of scholarship and financial need.

Alderman Memorial Scholarship - established by Mrs. Frances Alderman Smith as a memorial to her father, William Henry Alderman, and her uncles, Augustus Decatur Alderman and Elbert Martin Alderman.

Turner and Sybil Arant Endowed Scholarship - established by Mr. and Mrs. Turner Arant. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement and leadership ability.

Charlie Rabb Ashford Endowed Scholarship in Agriculture and Life Sciences - established by family in memory of Mr. Charlie Rabb Ashford (B.S., 1927; M.S., 1949); awarded to undergraduate or graduate students on the basis of academic achievement and leadership characteristics; may be awarded on a 2-year basis.

Bryan Baker and Bill G. Diggs Endowed Scholarship - established by Dr. and Mrs. James W. Shannon to honor former professors of Dr. Shannon; based on academic achievement, leadership, character, and need.

Robert S. Barker Endowed Scholarship - established by Robert B. Barker, Ann B. Sheppard, family and friends of Robert S. Barker. Preference to a Mississippi high school graduate with Mississippi residency. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement, character, leadership ability and financial need.

Brasfield Scholarship - established by Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Brasfield; awarded to deserving students.

Nathan Isaac Brown and Mary Buescher Brown Memorial Endowed Scholarship - established by Mrs. Mary Buescher Brown; awarded to students on the basis of academic achievement, leadership skills, and need; preference to students from Jones County, MS or transfer students from Jones County Community College.

C. V. Bruce, Jr. Memorial Scholarship - established by the friends and family of Mr. C. V. Bruce.

Maxie Bruce Endowed Scholarship - established by family, former students, and friends to honor Mr. Bruce, a former Vocational Agriculture teacher in Mississippi; awarded to student majoring in Agricultural Information Science and Education; based on academic achievement, leadership, and need.

Butler-York Endowed Scholarship - established by Mr. Eugene Butler in honor of his sister, Mrs. Cordra York; awarded to students on the basis of academic record, demonstrated leadership and financial need.

Will D. Carpenter Endowed Scholarship in Agriculture and Life Sciences - established in honor of members of the Carpenter family, including: Dr. Will Carpenter's parents, Mr. Horace Aubrey Carpenter (Class of 1908) and Mrs. Celeste Brian Carpenter, and his four sisters, Mrs. Mary Ella Carpenter Greenway, Mrs. Alma Carpenter Abdo, Mrs. Celeste Carpenter Sullivan, and Mrs. Anice Carpenter Powell; students must be juniors or seniors who have transferred from Mississippi Delta Community College and have been referred to the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences Scholarship Committee by the Community College; awarded on the basis of academic achievement, character, leadership ability, and need.

Fletcher and Linda Clark Endowed Scholarship - established by Fletcher T. Clark, Jr. and family to memorialize Linda Clark; awarded to students on the basis of academic achievement and leadership skills.

A. Wayne Cole Endowed Scholarship in Agriculture and Life Sciences - established by Dr. James E. Smith to honor Dr. Cole, his former professor; awarded to students of any classification whose major relates to the field of Weed Science.

Ferrell O. Cork Memorial Scholarship - established by Mrs. Vera Cork Eubanks in memory of her brother, Mr. Ferrell Ovona Cork. Awarded to a Choctaw County resident on the basis of financial need, merit and academic record.

The Si Corley Memorial Scholarship in Agriculture - established by the family of Mr. Corley in his honor; awarded to Mississippi residents who are juniors or seniors.

Phillip C. Cunningham Endowed Scholarship - established through the estate of Mr. Phillip C. Cunningham, a master gardener, who recognized the importance of a college education; awarded to students majoring in a field related to lawn care, landscaping, horticulture, home gardening, etc. on the basis of academic achievement, character, leadership ability, and financial need.

A.P. Fatherree Endowed Scholarship - established by family and friends in honor of A.P. Fatherree. Preference to students who were members of 4-H, FFA or the bull program sponsored by Mississippi Rural Rehabilitation Corporation. Awarded on the basis of character, leadership ability and financial need.

Sterling H. Floore, Sr. Academic Excellence Endowment - established by the Noxubee County Chapter of the of the Mississippi State University Alumni Association to honor Mr. Sterling H. Floore; awarded to students from Noxubee County or with ties to that county.

M. D. L. and Sophronia Alice Gholston Memorial Scholarship - established by Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Gholston.

Girod Scholarships - established by Mrs. Fred (Lora Mae) Girod; awarded to Mississippi residents who complete pre-veterinary requirements at Mississippi State University and who have been accepted into the College of Veterinary Medicine for the following fall semester.

Golightly Foundation Scholarship - established by Mrs. Wilma G. Person and Miss Annie L. Golightly as a memorial to their parents and brothers; awarded to students on the basis of scholarship and financial need.

Minor S. and Helen D. Gray Scholarship Fund - established by Mr. Calvin H. Gray in honor of his father and mother, Minor S. Gray and Helen D. Gray.

Perrin H. and Lela Grissom Scholarship in Agriculture and Home Economics - established by Mr. Perrin H. Grissom (B.S., 1939; M.S., 1940) and Mrs. Lela Grissom; awarded to students in all classifications; based on academic achievement, character, leadership ability, and financial need.

James Hand, Jr. Memorial Scholarship - established by James Hand, III and Kathleen Hand Carter in memory of their father, James Hand, Jr.; awarded to students from Sharkey County, with students from south Delta having second preference and students from the Delta at large, third preference on the basis of need and merit.

Wyatt B. Hodges-George D. Perry Memorial Scholarship in Golf - established by Mr. and Mrs. Alfred M. "Skip" Sears, Jr. (B.S., 1971) and their two daughters, Maggi and Katherine, in memory of Mr. Sears' grandfather, Mr. Wyatt B. Hodges, and Mr. George D. Perry (B.S., 1919); awarded to undergraduate students in Turfgrass Management and Professional Golf Management; based on academic achievement, involvement in extra curricular activities, character, leadership ability, and financial need.

Kirby Wesley Holloway Memorial Scholarship - established by Mrs. Roberta Thompson Holloway in memory of her husband, Kirby Wesley Holloway; awarded to juniors and seniors on the basis of academic record and proven need for financial assistance.

L.I. Jones Memorial Scholarship - awarded to undergraduate students, first preference to juniors and seniors; based on merit and financial need.

Mark Keenum Endowed Scholarship in Agriculture and Life Sciences - established by friends to honor Mark Keenum; awarded to students on the basis of academic achievement and leadership skills.

Joseph S. Latham Memorial Scholarship – established by Samuel B. and Rita K. Latham, along with family and friends as a memorial to the Lathams' son, Joseph S. Latham. Preference to handicapped students. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement.

Charles E. Lindley Leadership Award - established by Mr. James A. Bedenbaugh in the memory of his father, Mr. Poston Gore Bedenbaugh and his mother, Mrs. Parkie Childress Bedenbaugh to honor Dr. Charles E. Lindley; awarded to a senior on the basis of academic achievement, leadership skills and financial need.

Art and Mary Massey Endowed Scholarship in Agriculture and Life Sciences - established by Mr. James A. (Art) Massey (B.S., 1954) and Mrs. Mary Carmichael Massey; based on academic achievement, character, leadership ability, and financial need.

Robert H. McCarty Memorial Scholarship- established by family, friends, and associates to memorialize Robert H. McCarty; awarded to hard-working students committed to an agriculture-related career; preference to Mississippi residents with majors related to production agriculture.

Mississippi Agriculture Industry Council Scholarship - established by the Mississippi Agricultural Industry Council; awarded on the basis of academic achievement, character, leadership, and need.

Mississippi Rural Rehabilitation Corporation Endowed Scholarship - established by Mississippi Rural Rehabilitation Corporation; awarded to sophomores, juniors, or seniors from Mississippi, preferably rural areas, on the basis of academic achievement.

Mississippi Seedsmen's Association Scholarships - established by Mississippi Seedsmen's Association; awarded each year on the basis of academic record.

T. G. Owen and Son Memorial Scholarships - established by The Herman and Hazel Owen Foundation; awarded to juniors and seniors majoring in Horticulture and Landscape Architecture on the basis of need, academic proficiency, extracurricular activities, and expressed intention of remaining in Mississippi after graduation.

Jim Buck Ross Endowed Fund – established by Jim Buck Ross, his friends and associates. Awarded to one student majoring in Animal and Dairy Sciences with additional scholarships to students in any major in the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement, character, leadership ability and financial need.

Jimmy Sanders Scholarship - established by Mr. Jimmy Sanders; awarded to students on the basis of financial need, character, and scholarship.

Simmons Scholarship - established by Drs. Cecil and Sue Simmons in honor of his parents; awarded to students enrolled in the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences or the School of Forest Resources.

Boswell Stevens Scholarship - established by friends of Mr. Boswell Stevens in his honor; awarded to a deserving son or daughter of a Farm Bureau family.

Fred P. Sullivan Endowment Fund- awarded to students on the basis of academic achievement, leadership skills and financial need.

George Rea Walker, Sr. Memorial Scholarship- established by Stoneville Pedigreed Seed Company in memory of George Rea Walker, Sr.

W. Winston Walker Memorial Scholarship Fund - awarded to students on the basis of financial need and merit.

Will C. Wansley Memorial Scholarship- established by family and friends to memorialize Will C. Wansley; awarded to students on the basis of academic achievement, leadership skills, and financial need; preference to Agricultural Economics, Agribusiness, or Agronomy students from the South Delta area.

Watson Endowed Scholarship Fund – established by Vance and Jo Ann Watson and Lester and Myra Myers. Awarded to Mississippi State University students who are the son or daughter of a Mississippi Agricultural and Forestry Experiment Station (MAFES) Support Staff Employee (one-half time or more). Awarded on the basis of academic achievement, character, leadership ability and financial need.

Ernest Homer White Memorial Scholarship - established by Kathryn White Smith and William Robert Smith in memory of her father, Ernest Homer White; awarded to students from Scott County or surrounding counties.

DEPARTMENT of AGRICULTURAL and BIOLOGICAL ENGINEERING

Direct inquiries to Department of Agricultural and Biological Engineering, Box 9632, Mississippi State, MS 39762-9632.

Hugh M. Arant, Sr. Memorial Scholarship- established by family, friends and associates of Mr. Hugh M. Arant, Sr.; awarded to students majoring in Agricultural Engineering Technology and Business on the basis of leadership ability, financial need and merit. A GPA of 3.0 or higher is required.

Theo H. Dinkins, II Family Scholarship - established in memory of his father and brother, Claude Cameron Dinkins, Sr., (1916) and Claude Cameron Dinkins, Jr. (1956); awarded to a junior or senior undergraduate majoring in Agricultural Engineering Technology and Business. Based on merit and academic record with a GPA of 2.75 or above.

Kenneth B. Hood Scholarship in Cotton Gin Management and Technology - established by Kenneth Hood; awarded to students in the Gin Management and Technology emphasis of the Agricultural Engineering Technology and Business curriculum. It is awarded on the basis of leadership ability, financial need and interest in a career in cotton ginning to students with a GPA of 2.5 of higher.

Mississippi Section, American Society of Agricultural Engineers Scholarship - donated by members, American Society of Agricultural Engineers; awarded to any student majoring in Agricultural Engineering Technology and Business or Biological Engineering with an agricultural emphasis on the basis of financial need, merit, academic record, or any combination of these.

George B. Nutt Scholarship - donated by George B. Nutt; awarded to students majoring in Agricultural Engineering Technology and Business or Biological Engineering on the basis of merit, academic record, financial need, or any combination of these. A GPA of 3.0 or greater is required. Preference is given to Mississippi residents and those from Clarke County.

T. H. Scott Memorial Scholarship - donated by the family of T.H. And Mamy Scott; awarded to any student majoring in Biological Engineering or Agricultural Engineering Technology and Business on the basis of financial need, merit, academic record, or any combination of these. A GPA of 3.0 or higher is required.

Smith Tractor Company and M.R. Smith Memorial Scholarship - donated by Mrs. M. Ross Smith; awarded to any student majoring in Agricultural Engineering Technology and Business or Biological Engineering on the basis of financial need, merit, academic record, or any combination of these.

DEPARTMENT of AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS

Direct inquiries to Department of Agricultural Economics, Box 5187, Mississippi State, MS 39762-5187.

Paul T. Blair Memorial Scholarship - established by friends and colleagues to honor Dr. Paul T. Blair; awarded to junior or senior level undergraduates majoring in Agricultural Economics with an interest in Cooperative Marketing, on the basis of both need and merit.

William Edwin Christian Endowed Scholarship in Agricultural Economics - established by family and friends of Mr. William Edwin Christian, Jr. (B.S., 1942), a former faculty member; awarded to students in the Department of Agricultural Economics; based on academic achievement, character, leadership ability, and financial need.

Farmers Grain Terminal Scholarship - established by the Farmers Grain Terminal of Greenville, Mississippi; awarded to junior and senior level students enrolled in Agricultural Economics with preference given to students specializing in Grain Marketing, on the basis of need, merit, and above-average scholastic record.

Rupert Johnston Scholarship- established by friends and family to honor Dr. Rupert Johnston; awarded to undergraduate students majoring in Agricultural Economics or Agribusiness.

Bryce D. and Jean Jordan Endowed Scholarship - established by Mrs. Jean Jordan in memory of her husband, Bryce D. Jordan. Awarded to a junior or senior level student enrolled in the Department of Agricultural Economics. Based on academic achievement, moral character, leadership ability and financial need. Preference given to Junior College transfer students and students from Jones, Forrest, Sharkey and Issaquena counties.

Mark and Rhonda Keenum Annual Scholarship in Agricultural Economics - established by Dr. Mark Keenum (B.S., 1983; M.A., 1984; Ph.D., 1988); based on academic achievement, character, leadership ability, and financial need.

Dr. Ying-Nan Lin Memorial Scholarship in Agricultural Economics - established by family, friends, and associates in memory of Dr. Ying-Nan Lin, a former faculty member; awarded to students in the Department of Agricultural Economics; based on academic achievement, character, leadership ability, and financial need.

The G. Wayne Malone Endowed Scholarship in Agricultural Economics - established by Mrs. G. Wayne Malone to honor Dr. G. Wayne Malone; awarded to undergraduate students in Department of Agricultural Economics on the basis of demonstrated academic achievement, involvement in extracurricular activities, character, leadership ability, and financial need.

Walter Moore, Jr., Scholarship - established by the American Dairy Association of Mississippi in honor of Mr. Walter Moore, Jr.; awarded to undergraduate or graduate students in Agricultural Economics on the basis of merit with preference given to students with an interest in Dairy Production or Dairy Marketing on the basis of both need and merit.

Pace Scholarship - established by Mr. & Mrs. J. V. Pace; awarded to any undergraduate student majoring in Agricultural Economics with an interest in Marketing and Farm Management.

David W. Parvin, Sr. Memorial Scholarship - established by friends and family to honor Dr. David W. Parvin, Sr.; awarded to undergraduate or graduate students in Agricultural Economics on the basis of merit.

Charles F. Reynolds Scholarship - donated by Charles F. Reynolds, Jr. and Mrs. Frances Reynolds Simmons; awarded to the outstanding senior in the Department of Agricultural Economics on basis of prior three years' academic achievement.

David L. Trammell, Jr. Scholarship in Agricultural Economics - established by Mrs. David L. Trammell and the Trammell children, David L. Trammell, III, Diane Barnett and Lynn Trammell, to honor Dr. David Trammell; awarded to undergraduate or graduate students in the Department of Agricultural Economics on the basis of merit.

Dr. John E. Waldrop, Jr. Scholarship - established in memory of and to honor Dr. John E. Waldrop, Jr. (B.S., 1954; M.S., 1961), and a former faculty member; awarded to students in the Department of Agricultural Economics; based on academic achievement, involvement in extracurricular activities, character, leadership ability, and financial need; priority to students with catfish industry interests.

DEPARTMENT of AGRICULTURAL INFORMATION SCIENCE and EDUCATION

Direct inquiries to Department of Agricultural Information Science and Education, Box 9731, Mississippi State, MS 39762-9731.

Emmie Williams Memorial Scholarship- established in memory of Emmie Williams; awarded to undergraduate students majoring in Agricultural and Extension Education; on the basis of need, merit or any combination of these with a GPA of 3.0 or better.

Maxey Bruce Scholarship - established in recognition of the contributions made by Mr. Maxey Bruce to Agricultural Education; awarded to undergraduate students pursuing a major in Agricultural Information Science.

DEPARTMENT of ANIMAL and DAIRY SCIENCES

Direct inquiries to Department of Animal and Dairy Sciences, Box 9815, Mississippi State, MS 39762-9815.

Bryan and Nona Baker Endowed Scholarship in Animal and Dairy Sciences - established by Dr. Bryan Baker (B.S., 1947; M.S., 1952), a former faculty member, and his wife Mrs. Nona Baker; awarded to students, sophomore or above, in the Department of Animal and Dairy Sciences; based on academic achievement, leadership ability, and character.

Bedenbaugh Scholarship Fund - established by James A. Bedenbaugh for scholarships in Animal Science in memory of Poston Gore Bedenbaugh

Reverend and Mrs. William Page Brown Memorial Scholarship - established by Dr. and Mrs. Paul B. Brown in memory of his parents; awarded to students majoring in Animal Science.

Billy Gene Diggs Memorial Scholarship - established by friends and colleagues to honor Dr. Billy Gene Diggs; awarded to junior or senior level undergraduates and either majoring in Animal Science or an active member of the Block & Bridle Club on the basis of need and merit.

Dixie National Scholarship - donated by the Dixie National Association; two scholarships, awarded on the basis of financial need, merit, academic record or any combination of these. The recipients must be majoring in Animal Science.

Werner and Alice Essig Endowed Graduate Student Scholarship in Nutrition - established by Dr. Werner Essig, a former faculty member, and his wife Mrs. Alice Essig; awarded to graduate students pursuing either a M.S. degree or Ph.D. degree in Ruminant Nutrition in Animal and Dairy Sciences or in Human Sciences; based on academic achievement, leadership ability, character, and financial need.

Fuquay Endowed Scholarship in Animal and Dairy Sciences - established by Dr. John W. Fuquay, a former faculty member and his wife, Mrs. Charlotte Fuquay, with support from former students and associates; awarded annually to support the education of students with dairy interest in the Department of Animal and Dairy Sciences.

Higgins Memorial Scholarship(s) - donated by the Mississippi Jersey Cattle Club in memory of Mr. L. A. Higgins, Extension Dairyman; awarded to Dairy Science majors (Dairy Production option) who are residents of Mississippi. Students with Jersey cattle experience are given preference. Three or four scholarships are awarded annually.

Henry H. Leveck Memorial Scholarship - donated by Mrs. Hortense Leveck. Candidates must be full time students, junior or senior classification and be majoring in Animal Science. Awarded on the basis of leadership, academic achievement, financial need, or any combination of these.

Janice McCool Durff and Alma McCool Liles Endowment and Scholarship Fund - established by Barney and Inez McCool to honor their daughters. Candidates must be full time students majoring in Animal Science; awarded on the basis of financial need, merit, academic achievement, or any combination of these.

W. L. "Buddy" Richmond Scholarship - donated by the Mississippi Pork Producers Association in honor of W. L. "Buddy" Richmond, retired Extension Swine Specialist; awarded on the basis of financial need, merit, academic record or any combination of these. The student must be majoring in Animal Science.

O. W. Scott Memorial Scholarship - donated by Delta Santa Gertrudis Association in memory of O. W. Scott, a pioneer breeder of Santa Gertrudis cattle in Mississippi; awarded on the basis of financial need, merit, academic record or any combination of these. The recipient must be majoring in Animal Science.

DEPARTMENT of BIOCHEMISTRY and MOLECULAR BIOLOGY

Barrentine Endowed Scholarship in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology - established by the Barrentine family and the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology in memory of Dr. Benjamin F. Barrentine, the first head of the Department, and Mrs. Melle Ward Barrentine; based on record of academic achievement and demonstrated leadership skills; priority will be given to transfer students.

DEPARTMENT of ENTOMOLOGY and PLANT PATHOLOGY

J. Frank Killebrew Memorial Graduate Student Scholarship - established by individuals honoring the late Dr. J. Frank Killebrew; awarded to graduate students majoring in plant pathology, nematology or pest management. Selection made by Mississippi Association of Plant Pathologists and Nematologists. Direct inquiries to MAPPAN Fellowship- Scholarship, c/o Department of Entomology and Plant Pathology, Box 9775, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

Mississippi Agricultural Consultants Association Scholarship - established in 1992 by the Association; awarded to a student majoring in Agricultural Pest Management. Applications and inquires should be directed to : Marianna Hayes, Mississippi Agricultural Consultants Association, P. O. Box 38, Lexington, MS 39095; phone: 662-834-9938.

The following awards are presented each year during the Mississippi Entomological Association Meeting in early November. Direct inquiries to the Department of Entomology and Plant Pathology, Box 9775, Mississippi State, MS 39762-9775; phone: 662-325-2085; fax: 662-325-8837.

Pat and Linda Harris Endowed Scholarships - established by individuals and companies honoring Dr. Joseph P. "Pat" Harris (B.S., 1962; M.S., 1964; Ph.D., 1971) and his wife Mrs. Linda Harris (B.S., 1978; M.Ed., 1983); awarded to undergraduate and graduate students enrolled in the majors of Entomology and Agricultural Pest Management; based on academic achievement, character, residence, and financial need.

Mississippi Entomological Association Scholarship - established in 1960 by the Association; awarded to a student working toward a degree in Biological Sciences with emphasis in Entomology (minimum of 6 hours) or Agricultural Pest Management. Available at all Mississippi 4-year colleges.

H. C. Mitchell Entomological Memorial Scholarship - established in 1980 in memory of Dr. H. C. Mitchell by friends and colleagues; awarded to a student majoring in Entomology or Agricultural Pest Management at Mississippi State University.

Redd Pest Control Scholarship - established in the 1950's by J. C. Redd, founder of Redd Pest Control Company; awarded to a student working toward an advanced degree in entomology. Direct inquiries to Head, Department of Entomology and Plant Pathology, Box 9775, Mississippi State, MS 39762-9775.

Arlie and Ethel Wilson Entomological Endowed Scholarship Fund - established in 1993 by Dr. Arlie Wilson, Professor Emeritus, and his wife, Ethel Wilson. Awarded to full-time graduate (entomology) or undergraduate (agricultural pest management) students at Mississippi State University.

DEPARTMENT of FOOD SCIENCE and TECHNOLOGY

Direct inquiries to Department of Food Science and Technology, Box 9805, Mississippi State, MS 39762-9805.

G. R. Ammerman Food Technology Scholarship - established by the Food Science Club and friends of Gale Ammerman; awarded to undergraduate Food Technology students on the basis of academics, need and citizenship.

Joe and Leota Cardwell Scholarship Fund - donated by Dr. and Mrs. Joe Cardwell for Food Science and Technology students demonstrating academic achievement, leadership ability and financial need.

Lorena White Cobb and A.B. Cobb Endowed Scholarship - established by relatives in memory of Mrs. Lorena White Cobb and Mr. A.B. Cobb by a bequest from the estate of Mrs. Cobb; awarded to students in the Department of Food Science and Technology; based on academic achievement, character, leadership ability, and financial need.

Food Industry Endowed Scholarship - established by members of the food industry; awarded to students in Food Science and Technology major; based on academic achievement, character, and leadership ability.

James E. Garrison Dairy Foods Scholarship - donated by James E. Garrison to a Food Science and Technology major with an interest in dairy foods processing.

James E. Garrison Scholarship - donated by James E. Garrison; awarded to a Food Science and Technology major.

James O. Hearnberger Scholarship Fund - established by family, friends and the Tennessee Chapter Brotherhood of the Knights of the Vine for Food Science and Technology students demonstrating academic achievement and leadership ability and financial need. Recipient must be an active member of the Food Science Club.

L.Q. Patton Memorial Scholarship - established by Mr. and Mrs. Donald Patton for undergraduates majoring in Food Science and Technology who have an expressed interest in working with the Dairy Products area of the food industry.

SCHOOL of HUMAN SCIENCES

Direct inquiries to School of Human Sciences, Box 9745, Mississippi State, MS 39762-9745.

Bedenbaugh Scholarship Fund - established by James A. Bedenbaugh for scholarships in Human Sciences in honor of Parkie Childress Bedenbaugh.

Burris-Key Endowed Scholarship - established by Mrs. Ouida Burris. Mrs. Burris was a Home Demonstration Agent in Lowndes County and Clothing Specialist with the Mississippi Cooperative Extension Service between 1927 and 1947. The scholarship is named for a longtime friend and colleague, Mrs. Ida Morgan Key. The scholarship is awarded on the basis of scholarship and financial need.

Cardwell Scholarship - donated by Dr. and Mrs. Joe Cardwell; awarded to a Human Sciences major on the basis of leadership activities and scholastic record. Preference is given to a student who is in food, nutrition, and dietetics.

Dorothy Dickins Memorial Scholarship - established by friends in memory of Miss Dickins; awarded to several upperclass Human Sciences majors on the basis of scholarship and financial need.

Werner and Alice Essig Endowed Graduate Student Scholarship in Nutrition - established by Dr. Werner Essig and his wife, Mrs. Alice Essig; awarded to graduate students pursuing either a M.S. Degree or Ph.D. Degree in Human Nutrition in the School of Human Sciences or Ruminant Nutrition in Animal and Dairy Sciences; based on academic achievement, leadership ability, character, and financial need.

Helen Sawyer Endowed Scholarship - established by Ms. Helen Sawyer in 2003. Awarded to full-time undergraduate Human Science majors who demonstrate good academic standing, moral character, leadership skills and financial need.

Kappa Omicron Nu - members of the Human Sciences honorary are awarded on basis of scholarship, leadership, and service.

Dr. G. Wayne and Carolyn Malone Endowed Scholarship in Food and Nutrition - established by Mrs. Carolyn Malone to honor her late husband, Dr. G. Wayne Malone; awarded to undergraduate students in the School of Human Sciences with a major option in food and nutrition based on demonstrated academic achievement, involvement in extracurricular activities, character, leadership ability, and financial need.

Coy Hines Stennis Scholarship - established by the Home Economists in Homemaking of Starkville in memory of Mrs. John Stennis; awarded to Mississippi residents who are Human Sciences juniors or seniors with outstanding academic record and evidence of leadership.

DEPARTMENT of LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE

Direct inquiries to Department of Landscape Architecture, Box 9725, Mississippi State, MS 39762-9725.

James A. Bedenbaugh Landscape Design Fund - established by James A. Bedenbaugh; awarded on the basis of need and cumulative QPA.

Burris-Pittman Endowed Scholarship - donated by Mrs. Ouida Midkiff Burris in honor of Mrs. Myrtis Gill Pittman; awarded on the basis of need and cumulative QPA.

Robert A. Callaway Endowed Scholarship - established in memory of Robert A. Callaway; awarded to a Landscape Contracting and Management major on the basis of need and cumulative QPA.

Freda Wallace Harrison Scholarships - donated by Mr. Robert V.M. Harrison, in honor of Mrs. Harrison; awarded to Horticulture and Landscape Architecture students on the basis of need and cumulative GPA.

Edward C. Martin, Jr. Scholarship - funded by the Garden Clubs of Mississippi; awarded to a Mississippi native majoring in Landscape Architecture. Must be upperclassman with a minimum GPA of 3.0.

Charles E. Parks Memorial Fund in Landscape Design - established by family and friends in memory of Mr. Charles E. Parks, first department head of Landscape Architecture; awarded to undergraduates enrolled in the Department of Landscape Architecture, based on academic achievement, character, leadership ability, financial need.

R.W. Distributors, insurance Scholarship in Landscape Contracting - established by R.W. Distributors, Inc. to be awarded to a landscape contracting student; must be resident of Mississippi and have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0.

Robert Whitehead Scholarship in Landscape Contracting - established by Robert Whitehead; to be awarded to a landscape contracting student; must be a resident of Mississippi and have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0.

DEPARTMENT of PLANT and SOIL SCIENCES

Direct inquiries to Department of Plant and Soil Sciences, Box 9555, Mississippi State, MS 39762-9555.

Nan Watts Anderson Memorial Scholarship in Floriculture - donated by Mr. W. S. Anderson, in honor of Miss Nan Watts Anderson; awarded to students specializing in Floriculture and Ornamental Horticulture on the basis of academic achievement.

Ashley-Girling Scholarship - donated by Reverend Martha A. Girling, in honor of Mr. Thomas E. Ashley. Awarded to students specializing in Floriculture and Ornamental Horticulture, Vegetable Crop Production and Fruit Science on the basis of academic achievement, leadership qualities and financial need.

Walter E. Davis Scholarship Fund - donated by the Mississippi Nurserymen's Association, Inc. in honor of Dr. Walter E. Davis; awarded to a junior specializing in Floriculture and Ornamental Horticulture on the basis of academic achievement, leadership qualities and financial need.

Daylily Scholarship - donated by the Jackson Hemerocallis Society; awarded to upper class students (Mississippi residents) majoring in Floriculture and Ornamental Horticulture on the basis of academic achievement and leadership qualities.

Robert H. Dunlap Horticulture Scholarship - established by Mr. Robert H. Dunlap; awarded to students specializing in Floriculture and Ornamental Horticulture, Ornamental Horticulture, Fruit Science or Retail Floristry on the basis of academic achievement, leadership qualities and financial need.

Dr. Joseph B. Edmond Horticulture Scholarship Fund - established by Dr. J. B. Edmond, former Professor of Horticulture at Mississippi State University; awarded to students specializing in Floriculture and Ornamental Horticulture, Ornamental Horticulture or Fruit Science on the basis of academic achievement (minimum 3.0 GPA) and leadership qualities.

Garden Clubs of Mississippi Scholarship - funded by the Garden Clubs of Mississippi; awarded to upperclass students (Mississippi residents) majoring in Floriculture and Ornamental Horticulture on the basis of academic achievement and financial need.

Freda Wallace Harrison Scholarship - donated by Mr. Robert V. M. Harrison, in honor of Mrs. Harrison; awarded to upperclass students (Mississippi residents) majoring in Floriculture and Ornamental Horticulture on the basis of academic achievement and financial need.

C. D. Hoover Scholarship Fund - donated by Dr. Jack Hoover, Donald Hoover and Darrel Hoover, in honor of C. D. Hoover; awarded to students specializing in Integrated Crop Management, Seed Science and Technology and Soil and Environmental Sciences.

Jackson Council of Garden Clubs Scholarship - donated by the Jackson Council of Garden Clubs; awarded to students specializing in Floriculture and Ornamental Horticulture on the basis of academic achievement and financial need.

Mississippi Chapter of the American Society of Agronomy Scholarship - established by the MS Chapter of the American Society of Agronomy; awarded to junior and senior students majoring in agronomy at Mississippi State University demonstrating academic achievement and financial need.

Mississippi Florist Association Scholarship - established in memory of Dr. Coy O. Box. Applicants must be full-time undergraduate students who demonstrate academic achievement and leadership potential. Priority will be given to students in the Retail Floristry Program and children/grandchildren of members of the MS Florist Association.

Mississippi Nurserymen's Association Denny Phillips Endowed Scholarship - established in memory of Mr. Travis D. "Denny" Phillips, Jr., (BLA, 1982) by the Mississippi Nurserymen's Association, Inc.; awarded to juniors or above majoring in Floriculture or Ornamental Horticulture; based on academic achievement, character, leadership ability, and financial need.

Ralph Null Scholarship in Retail Floristry Management - established by Geni Fulcher in honor of Ralph Null, Professor Emeritus of Floral Design at Mississippi State University; awarded to students enrolled in Retail Floristry Management demonstrating academic achievement, leadership ability and financial need.

Overcash Horticulture Undergraduate Student Scholarship - donated by Dr. J. P. Overcash, Emeritus Professor, and Mrs. J. P. Overcash; awarded to upperclass students specializing in Floriculture and Ornamental Horticulture, Vegetable Crop Production and Fruit Science on the basis of academic achievement (minimum 3.3 G.P.A.) and leadership qualities.

Dr. William Andrew Raney Endowed Scholarship - established by Ms. Jane Raney, in memory of Dr. William A. Raney. Awarded to undergraduate students in Agronomy or Turfgrass Management in the Department of Plant and Soil Sciences. Based on academic achievement and financial need.

Harold and Robbie Snell Endowed Fund for Excellence in Turfgrass Management - established by Ms. Robbie Snell; awarded to students in the Turfgrass Management Program in the Department of Plant and Soil Sciences.

Imogene C. Triplett Endowed Scholarship in Ornamental Horticulture and Retail Floristry Management - established by Dr. Glover B. and Imogene C. Triplett. Awarded to students enrolled in Ornamental Horticulture and Retail Floristry Management demonstrating academic achievement, leadership ability and financial need.

H. B. Vanderford Soil Scholarships - donated by Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Vanderford, in honor of the Vanderford family; awarded to undergraduate and graduate students specializing in Soil and Environmental Sciences.

DEPARTMENT of POULTRY SCIENCE

Direct inquiries to Scholarship Committee, Department of Poultry Science, Box 9665, Mississippi State, MS 39762-9665.

Jason Armstrong Annual Scholarship in Poultry Science - established by Mr. Richard Armstrong and Mrs. Charlotte Armstrong in honor of their son, Jason (B.S., 1997); awarded annually to an undergraduate student in the Department of Poultry Science; based on academic achievement, character, leadership ability, and financial need.

Central Industries, Inc., Ltd. Scholarship(s) - donated by Central Industries, to support poultry science majors; awarded to undergraduates who are making satisfactory progress toward graduation. Direct inquiries to the Scholarship Committee, Poultry Science Department, P.O. Box 9665, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

James E. Hill Poultry Science Scholarship For Poultry Science Major - established by Alumni and friends of James E. Hill. The "James E. Hill Poultry Science Scholarship for Poultry Science Majors" will be awarded to a Poultry Science major who is making satisfactory progress toward his/her degree.

Hubbard Farms Scholarships(s) - donated by Hubbard Farms, Walpole, New Hampshire, to support Poultry Science majors; awarded to an undergraduate who is in the top 10% of his/her class.

H. F. McCarty, Jr. Family Scholarship - donated by H. F. McCarty, Jr. family to support Poultry Science majors; awarded to undergraduates who are making satisfactory progress toward graduation.

Poultry Science Club Scholarship(s) - donated by the Poultry Science Club at Mississippi State University, to support the Poultry Science majors; awarded to undergraduates who are making satisfactory progress toward graduation.

C.T. and Earline F. Ramzy Memorial Scholarship - donated by C.T. and Earline Ramzy Estate; awarded to Poultry Science majors who are residents of Mississippi. Priority will be given to residents of Leake County, Mississippi. Entering freshman must have a "B" average in high school and upperclassmen must have a minimum 2.5 GPA to qualify for the Scholarship.

Chip Rauch Memorial Scholarship - established by Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rauch and children in honor of their late son and brother; awarded to a Poultry Science major who distinguishes himself/herself by overcoming adversity and demonstrating outstanding academic achievement.

COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE SCHOLARSHIPS

COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS

Outstanding entering in-state as well as out-of-state freshmen are eligible for University academic scholarships. The College makes a special effort each year to recognize student achievement through numerous competitions and annual awards made possible by industry and building suppliers. These awards are made on the basis of demonstrated design excellence. All inquiries for scholarships, which are selected by the Architecture Scholarship Committee, should be directed to P.O. Box AQ, Mississippi State, MS 39762-5541.

AIA/AAF Minority/Disadvantaged Scholarship - Only students entering an accredited professional degree program leading to a Bachelor or Master of Architecture are eligible for this scholarship. Nominees should currently be high school seniors or college freshmen. Eligibility is also extended to students attending a community college or a technical school who plan to transfer to an NAAB-accredited program. Students who have completed one or more years of a standard university curriculum are not eligible to apply.

AIA/AAF Scholarship Program for Professional Degree Candidates - This program assists students in one of the final two years of a professional degree program in architecture. Students must be either in the third- or fourth- year of a five-year program leading to a bachelor or architecture or equivalent, or in the second- or third- year of a three-to-four year program leading to a master of architecture and whose undergraduate degree is in a discipline other than architecture.

Fred Carl, Sr. Memorial Scholarship - Applicants must be full-time students at Mississippi State University, entering students in the first-year design studio in the College of Architecture; residents of Mississippi; have achieved a minimum composite ACT score of 28 (or SAT equivalent), and can demonstrate financial need.

T. Steven Davis Annual Scholarship - Applicants must be full-time students at Mississippi State University, entering students in the first-year design studio in the College of Architecture; residents of Mississippi; African-American; and can demonstrate financial need.

Charles H. Dean Jr. Annual Scholarship - Students in their third- through fifth-year of design studio may apply. Applicants must be full-time students at Mississippi State University; have completed their second-year of design studio in the College of Architecture; residents of Mississippi; and can demonstrate financial need.

Ferretti/Karnstedt Annual Scholarship - Applicants must be enrolled as full-time students in the College of Architecture at Mississippi State University; have a minimum 3.00 overall grade point average; be of good moral character; and have demonstrated leadership ability.

Fulcher-Bailey Annual Scholarship - Applicants must be entering the first-year design studio in the College of Architecture; residents of Mississippi; and can demonstrate financial need.

Hollomon Architects Scholarship - Students must be entering their fifth year of academic work in the College of Architecture; residents of Mississippi; and can demonstrate financial need.

Stephanie Mihojevich Pizzetta Memorial Scholarship - Candidates must be full-time students at Mississippi State University; have completed their second year of design studio in the College of Architecture; have a minimum GPA of 3.0; and can demonstrate financial need.

Mockbee Hall & Drake Scholarship - Applicants must be entering the fifth-year design studio in the College of Architecture; have a minimum grade point average of 3.0; be of good moral character; and have demonstrated leadership ability.

Pryor & Morrow Annual Scholarship - Students in their second- through fifth-year of design studio may apply. Applicants must be full-time students at Mississippi State University; have completed their first-year design studio in the College of Architecture; are residents of Mississippi; and can demonstrate financial need.

Studio South Architects Annual Scholarship - Candidates must be enrolled as a full-time student at Mississippi State University; will be a student in the fifth-year design studio in the College of Architecture; residents of Mississippi; a minority student; and can demonstrate financial need.

Matt L. Virden, III Memorial Scholarship - Established to honor the distinguished career of architect Matt L. Virden, III. Students must be entering the third-year (or higher) of design studio in the College of Architecture; have a minimum 2.80 overall grade point average; be of good moral character; have demonstrated leadership; can demonstrate financial need; and be a resident of one of the following Mississippi Delta counties: Bolivar, Carroll, Coahoma, Desoto, Holmes, Humphreys, Issaquena, Leflore, Panola, Quitman, Sharkey, Sunflower, Tallahatchie, Tate, Tunica, Warren, Washington, Yazoo.

Johnson-McAdams Design Discovery Camp Scholarships - Eligible high school students should contact the College of Architecture to request a scholarship application. Applicants must be from Leflore County, Mississippi; be 16 years of age or older; and be genuinely interested in a career in architecture and related disciplines. This scholarship funds four students to attend this eight-day summer workshop. Each scholarship will pay for all costs (except for one meal) of the selected participants' meals, lodging, and supplies.

COLLEGE OF ARTS and SCIENCES SCHOLARSHIPS and MEMORIALS

COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS

Inquiries and applications should be directed to: Associate Dean, College of Arts and Sciences, P.O. Box AS, Mississippi State, MS 39762. The deadline for applications is March 8.

H. Dean Andrews Scholarship - endowed scholarship awarded annually to Arts & Sciences pre-medical and pre-nursing students, instructional (e.g., laboratory) equipment for above students. Special consideration given to residents of Warren County, Mississippi. The scholarship is for one year. Awardees are eligible for renewal of the scholarship but must compete with the new pool of applicants.

Boykin Leadership Scholarship - awarded annually to full-time freshmen enrolled in one of the major fields of study offered in the College of Arts & Sciences; ACT score of 25 or higher (or equivalent on SAT) and high school GPA not lower than 3.0; demonstrated achievements in citizenship and leadership.

Chickasaw County Students' Scholarship Fund - endowed scholarship awarded annually to full-time students with demonstrated academic achievement with a 3.0 GPA or higher, good moral character, demonstrated leadership, and financial need.

Rowena Henry Creighton Undergraduate Research Awards - endowed award for support of outstanding research-related activities by undergraduate students. Must be full-time student with a GPA of 3.0 or higher. The award is given on a year-to-year basis. Student is eligible for consideration for any other year if in compliance with the selection criteria.

The John Elliott Family Endowed Scholarship – awarded to a full-time undergraduate student in Arts & Sciences. The award is given on a year-to-year basis. A student is eligible for consideration in any other year; however they must again comply with the selection criteria; must maintain GPA equal to or greater than 3.0, be of good character, demonstrated leadership, willingness to work hard, financial need, interview with Arts and Sciences Scholarship Committee.

Drs. Karen and William Hulett Endowed Scholarship – annual scholarships for science majors, full-time students must be at least sophomores - for biology, chemistry, mathematics, or physics majors with GPA of at least 3.0 in science courses, and must be enrolled in at least eight semester hours of science courses at the time of application.

Hunter Henry Scholarship - endowed scholarship awarded on a four-year basis annually to (3) full-time freshman students enrolled at Mississippi State; must be a resident of the state of Mississippi, minimum ACT score of 25, and majoring in the field of chemistry or physics, demonstrate financial need. Students must maintain a 3.0 GPA and remain on pace for graduation in either chemistry or physics within four years excluding any time devoted to a co-op program.

Kerry D. Kimbrough Memorial Scholarship – endowed scholarship awarded yearly to a junior or senior majoring in any Arts & Sciences discipline. Candidates must have at least 2.75 GPA, resident of the state of Mississippi and demonstrate financial need.

DEPARTMENT SCHOLARSHIPS

DEPARTMENT OF AEROSPACE STUDIES (U.S. Air Force ROTC)

Inquiries should be directed to: Department Head, Department of Aerospace Studies, P. O. Box AF, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

Air Force ROTC Scholarships

High school seniors - any major, must have 3.0 GPA and 24 ACT to apply. Must apply by December 1 of their senior year. Four year scholarships available; full tuition, books, and monthly spending.

In-college Scholarship - any major, must have a 2.5 Cum GPA to apply. Must be enrolled in the Air Force ROTC program to apply for February and May boards. Must pass Air Force Officer Qualifying Test (AFOQT). Must pass the physical fitness test and the medical evaluation. Two and three-year scholarships available; full tuition, books, and monthly stipend.

Professional Officer Corps Incentive (POCI) - eligible juniors, seniors, or graduate students only; any major with 2.0 Cum GPA may apply; must be enrolled in Air Force ROTC. Must pass Air Force Officer Qualifying Test (AFOQT). Must pass the physical fitness test and medical evaluation. Two-year scholarships available; tuition, books, and monthly stipend.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY SCIENCE (U.S. Army ROTC)

Inquiries should be directed to: Head, Department of Military Science, P.O. Box 5447, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

Army ROTC Alumni Fund – offset room and board expenses for a three- or four-year Army ROTC scholarship recipient with good moral character and leadership ability.

Msgt. George Arthur Nowlin Endowed Scholarship/Leadership Award – junior- or senior-level student enrolled in the U.S. Army ROTC program.

Retired Officers' Association (TROA) Leadership Award – award alternates between Army and Air Force ROTC units each year. Full-time third-year cadet with at least 75 credit hours toward the degree and with demonstrated leadership qualities and potential for exemplary military service.

DEPARTMENT OF ART

Inquiries should be directed to: Head, Department of Art, P.O. Box 5182, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

Ferretti/Karnstedt Sophomore Portfolio Scholarship in Art – donated by Mr. and Mrs. John Ferretti; awarded to an Art student with the best portfolio presented at the second year Foundation Portfolio Review. The portfolio review is in December after students pass Design I & II, Drawing I & II, 3-D Design, and Intro to Computing for Artists and Designers.

Beverly B. Gulmon Scholarship in Art – endowed by Norman G. Germany in honor of Beverly B. Gulmon; awarded annually to entering freshmen on the basis of portfolio competition. High school seniors present a portfolio to the Art Department during the Spring Discovery Day competitions.

L. Donovan Dodd Memorial Potter's Wheel Endowment Fund

DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Inquiries should be directed to: Head, Department of Biological Sciences, P.O. Box GY, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

J. Scott Ferguson, M.D., Endowed Memorial Scholarship – awarded to full-time student planning to attend medical school in sciences (e.g., physics, chemistry, engineering).

Dr. William E. Gardiner Memorial Award – awarded to full-time student in plant sciences and/or genetics (e.g., biological sciences, biochemistry, agronomy, horticulture).

H. H. Harned, Sr. Endowment in Microbiology - endowed by the Harned family; awarded to a microbiology major on the basis of merit.

Louvenia Henderson Memorial Pre-Med Scholarship - donated by friends in memory of Louvenia Henderson; awarded on the basis of merit to a pre-med or pre-dental student by the Pre-Med Advisory Committee.

John C. Longest Pre-Med Scholarship – donated by friends to honor the physician's years of service to MSU; awarded on the basis of merit.

Mabry-Clark Memorial Scholarship in Biological Sciences – awarded to full-time female students in biological sciences (pre-medicine, pre-veterinary medicine, and medical technology majors).

Ramsay and Elaine O'Neal Scholarship – endowed by MSU medical alumni for freshmen pre-med majors; awarded and renewable for four years on the basis of merit and academic accomplishment.

Dr. Coy E. Patton Memorial Fund – awarded to full-time pre-dentistry students.

Mildred Watkins Brand Pre-Med Scholarship – established by Mrs. Brand in memory of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Charles A. Watkins; awarded annually to a pre-med student by the University Scholarship Committee from the recommendations received from the Pre-Med Advisory Committee; awarded on the basis of financial need and merit.

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY

Inquiries should be directed to: Head, Department of Chemistry, Box 9573, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

Alumni Scholarship - awarded to incoming freshman, offered at Spring Discovery Day to the winner of the Chemistry Competition. Distributed in increments per semester for a maximum of 8 semesters and is contingent upon maintaining an overall 3.0 GPA or better and remaining a full-time student majoring in chemistry.

The Behr Scholarship—awarded to a junior or senior chemistry major in the ACS curriculum. Distributed in increments for two semesters. Student must maintain a 3.0 or better QPA. Funds provided by children of Dr. Lyle Behr.

Dow Scholarship - awarded to continuing full-time student, chemistry major. Distributed each semester for previous semester. Student must maintain a 3.0 or better QPA. Funds provided by the Dow Chemical Corporation.

Chemistry Book Scholarship—awarded to second semester freshmen through first semester seniors. Distributed each semester according to QPA for previous semester. Student must maintain at least a 3.2 semester average and be a full-time student, chemistry major. Funds provided by donations from friends and alumni, and are disbursed as long as funds allow.

Hunter Henry Scholarship – awarded to incoming freshman. Distributed in increments each semester for 8 semesters. Student must maintain at least a 3.0 QPA and remain a full-time student majoring in chemistry.

Peoples Endowed Scholarship – awarded to a sophomore student who must have achieved a minimum of 3.0 QPA and is a full-time student, chemistry major. Show financial need. The scholarship will be awarded on a year to year basis. A student who is the recipient one year is eligible for consideration in any other year; however, they must again comply with the selection criteria.

Sheely Scholarship – awarded to a full-time freshmen or an incoming freshman. Distributed in increments for 2 semesters. Student must maintain at least a 3.25 QPA; incoming freshman must have 90 or better average. The scholarship will be awarded on a year to year basis. A student who is the recipient one year is eligible for consideration in any other year; however, they must again comply with the selection criteria.

Don G. Wright Memorial Scholarship – awarded to entering freshman and sophomore or junior college transfer students. Student must maintain a 3.0 or better QPA, be a full-time student and a chemistry major. The scholarship will be awarded on a year to year basis. A student who is the recipient one year is eligible for consideration in any other year; however, they must again comply with the selection criteria.

All Chemistry majors are automatically considered for all departmental scholarships for which they are eligible. Notifications of scholarship recipients are made at various times throughout the year.

It is possible that the Chemistry Department may employ undergraduate majors to work in the laboratories. Interested students should check with their academic advisor. Likewise, stipends are often available for undergraduates who wish to perform research. Please discuss this with your advisor.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATION

Inquiries should be directed to: Scholarship Chair, Department of Communication, P.O. Box PF, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

Turner Catledge Scholarship – endowed by the *New York Times* and friends of the Catledge family in memory of Mr. Catledge, Managing Editor, Executive Editor, and Vice-President of the *New York Times*; awarded to Communication majors on the basis of need and professional promise.

Founders Scholarships – endowed by faculty, alumni, and friends of the department in honor of four emeritus faculty who were instrumental in the creation of MSU's Communication programs: Robert G. Anderson, Dominic J. Cunetto, E. Samuel Dudley, and Henry F. Meyer. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement and professional talent.

Earl Love Guyton Scholarships – endowed by the Guyton family in honor of a former student who served as editor of the Reflector; awarded annually to juniors and/or seniors majoring in communication; based on demonstrated merit, need, and community service/involvement.

Paula Mabry Scholarship - funded by Don and Paula Mabry; awarded annually to theatre students, based on contributions and promise in theatre.

Helen and Joe Phillips Scholarships – endowed by their sons Norvell Williams and Joe Phillips; awarded annually to a junior and senior communication students, with priority given to broadcasting students; based on academic record and leadership ability.

Aggie G. Weems Scholarship in Journalism – endowed by Mrs. A. G. Weems; awarded to junior and senior communication students, with priority given to journalism students; based on academic record.

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

Inquiries should be directed to: Head, Department of English, P.O. Box E, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

The Eugene Butler Scholarships for Creative Writing – endowed by Mr. Eugene Butler; awarded annually to support effective writers selected in competition.

Howell H. Gwin Scholarships in English – endowed by Mrs. H. H. Gwin, the MSU faculty in English, and the friends of Howell H. Gwin; upper-division and graduate scholarships awarded annually on the basis of applicants' academic abilities and needs.

The William H. Magruder Memorial Scholarship – endowed by Mrs. Samuel Kelsall in honor of her great grandfather, Dr. William H. Magruder, one of the first professors of English at Mississippi State; awarded annually to upper-division and graduate student English majors from Mississippi.

George B. Nutt Scholarship – established by Mr. George B. Nutt in memory of a former member of the department, Thomas T. Brackin; awarded annually to undergraduate English majors, first preference to lower-division students and to applicants from Clarke County, MS, when available.

Creative Writing Scholarship

Lewis and Betty Nolan Endowed Book Fund

DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN LANGUAGES

Inquiries should be directed to: Head, Department of Foreign Languages, P.O. Box FL, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

James R. Chatham Scholarship

H. Stennis "Judge" Little, Sr. Scholarship – awarded to full-time International Business students/either in Arts and Sciences or Business and Industry. Students may be freshman through senior level; must have a minimum of 3.0 GPA, be of good moral character and have demonstrated leadership ability and financial need.

Jeanne Strauss Spanish Scholarship – preference given to students from Clarke County.

DEPARTMENT OF GEOSCIENCES

Inquiries should be directed to: Head, Department of Geosciences, P.O. Box 5448, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

Bahamian Field Studies Program Endowed Fund - established through the efforts of Bill Liebman, a friend of the Department who had participated in the Department's Bahamian Field Program, and who wanted more students to be able to benefit from the Bahamian field experience. Undergraduate and graduate students apply for financial assistance to the Bahamian Scholarship Committee, and awards are made depending on the student's need and academic record. The program is open to all students, but department majors are given first consideration. Award amounts vary from case to case.

Paul H. Dunn Memorial Scholarship – donated by Mr. Frederic Mellen, alumni, and friends of the Department of Geosciences in memory of Paul Dunn; awarded to one or more geology majors on the basis of the following criteria: must have completed at least one semester at Mississippi State University with a GPA of no less than 3.0/4.0 in all college work, and in all work in earth sciences; must demonstrate promise as a future professional geologist (as determined by faculty in the department).

Gordon Gulmon Memorial Scholarship – endowed by the late Gordon W. Gulmon; awarded by the faculty of the department on the basis of scholarship to the junior or senior majors with the best overall scholastic records. The overall records in earth science courses may be used in cases of multiple persons with identical overall records. It is possible for a student to receive this award two times - once as a junior, once as a senior. The student must have an overall GPA of 3.0/4.0.

Frederic F. Mellen Scholarship – in memory of Mr. Frederic Mellen; awarded to one or more geology majors who schedule the Summer Field Geology course for that specific summer. The scholarship is awarded based on grades, promise as a future professional geologist, and needs of the student. Interested students should file an application with the department.

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

Inquiries should be directed to: Head, Department of History, P.O. Box H, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

A.W. Garner Endowed Scholarship – awarded annually to a graduate student in good standing in the History program. Has demonstrated outstanding academic achievement. Awarded on a year to year basis. Recipient may re-apply.

A.W. Garner Scholarship - awarded annually to one or more full-time history majors with sophomore or higher class standing. Superior performance in college level history courses. Financial need not a requirement but may be considered.

James W. Garner Undergraduate Scholarship – awarded annually to one or more undergraduate students. Awards made on basis of scholarly excellence.

James Wilford Garner Graduate Fellowship - awards three fellowship annually to incoming masters students based on scholarly excellence.

John F. Marszalek Family Scholarship - awarded to students with high ACT scores.

Rowan Taylor Scholarship – awarded annually for four years to incoming freshman history major. Superior academic achievement required throughout the tenure of the award.

John C. Whittaker Endowed Scholarship - awarded to full-time African-American students majoring in history; at least junior standing; and demonstrated outstanding academic achievement.

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS

Inquiries should be directed to: Head, Department of Mathematics and Statistics, P.O. Box MA, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

Frank L. Culley Memorial Scholarship – endowed by Colonel Frank L. Culley; awarded to a junior or senior level student majoring in mathematics or physics on the basis of academic achievement (minimum 3.0 GPA), leadership, and professional development; preference given to female or unmarried parent. (Awarded alternately by the Departments of Mathematics & Statistics and Physics & Astronomy).

Alton C. Grimes Endowed Scholarship – endowed by Mr. Alton C. Grimes; awarded annually to a junior- or senior-level student whose program of study includes a minimum of 18 hours of mathematics at the level of Calculus or above.

Christopher Randolph Stark Memorial Scholarship in Mathematics – donated by Miss Betsy Stark and the Stark family; awarded to a superior junior or senior mathematics major with qualities of leadership and character; Mississippi resident.

Dolores M. and John L. Tilley Endowed Scholarship – endowed by Dolores M. and John L. Tilley; awarded on an annual basis to two mathematics majors, one junior-level and one senior-level, on the basis of academic achievement in the mathematics courses required of the mathematics major. Must have completed all required freshman and sophomore mathematics courses with a minimum 3.2 GPA with overall minimum of 3.0.

Quay Webb Camp Scholarship – awarded to full-time mathematics, statistics, or biometrics majors. African-American students of U.S. Birth, financial need, good moral character, with GPA of 2.5 in mathematics and GPA of 3.0 in statistics or biometrics.

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS AND ASTRONOMY

Inquiries should be directed to: Head, Department of Physics and Astronomy, P.O. Box 5167, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

Terry T. Crow Scholarship – donated by former students and friends of the former department head; awarded on the basis of merit to a freshman physics major.

Edward Fulton Scott Memorial Scholarship – endowed by Dr. and Mrs. Joel Callahan; awarded annually to a well-qualified freshman student in the study of physics.

Larry and Judy Grillot Endowed Scholarship - donated by Dr. and Mrs. Larry Grillot. Awarded on the basis of merit to a physics major. Preference will be given to freshmen who are Mississippi residents.

E. Irl Howell Scholarship in Physics – donated by E. Irl and Beverly Howell; awarded on the basis of merit to freshman and sophomore applicants and/or to upper division students for research as physics majors.

Hunter Henry Scholarship – for freshman residents of Mississippi majoring in chemistry or physics, with a minimum composite ACT score of 25 and demonstrated academic achievement and financial need.

Physics Scholarship Fund

Clifford A. Rose Scholarship – donated by family, former students and friends of the former physics professor; awarded on the basis of merit to a freshman physics major.

M. Stanley Rundel Memorial Scholarship – donated by Dr. Robert D. Rundel and family in memory of his father; awarded on the basis of merit to a freshman physics major.

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

Inquiries should be directed to: Head, Department of Political Science, P.O. Box PC, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

Haley Barbour Scholarships – endowed to honor Mr. Haley Barbour, a Mississippian and former National Chairman of the Republican Party; awarded annually by the Department of Political Science to one sophomore Political Science major who evidences a determination to become involved in the political life of the nation.

Morris W. H. "Bill" Collins Scholarship – endowed to honor Dr. Morris W. H. "Bill" Collins, John C. Stennis Chair emeritus; awarded annually by the Department of Political Science to one African American high school senior who is a resident of Mississippi, plans to major in political science, and demonstrates potential for making contributions in some area of public service.

John C. Stennis Scholarships – endowed in honor of John C. Stennis; awarded annually by the Department of Political Science to at least two graduating high school seniors and/or community college transfer students. Must be Mississippi residents who plan to major in political science and demonstrate the desire and potential to become actively involved as leaders in the political and governmental affairs of the community, the state, or the nation.

DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY

Inquiries should be directed to: Head, Department of Psychology, P.O. Box 6161, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

Peyman Psychology Graduate Student Scholarship – full-time graduate student in good standing in clinical psychology.

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY, ANTHROPOLOGY, AND SOCIAL WORK

Inquiries should be directed to: Head, Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Social Work, P.O. Box C, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

Fraternal Order of Police Scholarship (FOP) - endowed scholarship for the Program in Criminal Justice and Corrections. Awarded to at least one worthy Criminal Justice/Corrections student beginning in Fall 2003. Students will be able to apply for the scholarship in Spring 2003.

Kim Powers Memorial Award - awarded to a full-time student dedicated to the field of social work.

Reaves-Davenport Excellence in Social Work Scholarship –awarded to second-semester junior, senior, or graduate with GPA 3.0 in social work.

Margo Swain Endowed Social Work Student Fund – awarded to full-time social work majors with 30 credit hours and GPA of 2.5.

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS and INDUSTRY SCHOLARSHIPS and MEMORIALS**I. COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS**

Inquiries should be addressed to Sara Freedman, Dean, College of Business and Industry, P.O. Box 5288, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

James K. Ashford Business Honors Program - established by James and Jacque Ashford for graduates of Mississippi high schools with good moral character, financial need; academic and leadership achievement.

Albert C. Clark Scholarship - established by Albert and Glenda Clark. No guidelines set.

William and Jo Ann Clark Endowed Scholarship - established by Tony Clark in honor of his parents. This scholarship is for full-time students majoring in Finance, Accounting, Business Administration or Marketing. Student must have financial need, demonstrate leadership skills, and show involvement in community activities.

Ferrill D. & Elsa M. Battley Endowed Scholarship - donated by Ferrill and Elsa Battley of Madison, Miss., in honor of their three children; for juniors and seniors in Business; guidelines to be established.

Craft Scholarship - donated by Mr. and Mrs. William T. Wise in memory of their daughter Cathy Denise Craft; awarded each fall and spring semesters; available to all classes on the basis of need and merit. Awarded on a year-to-year basis. A student who is a recipient one year is eligible for consideration in any other year.

Clifford Dewitt Dalton Endowed Scholarship - established by Bill, Becky, and Will Dalton and AmFed Companies in memory of Cliff Dalton. Cliff was a 2001 graduate in General Business Administration. This scholarship is available to full-time students majoring in General Business Administration, Insurance, or Financial Services who maintain a 2.0 GPA; have shown financial need; are a natural born citizen of the United States; and have graduated from high school in the United States.

Clifford Dewitt Dalton Memorial Scholarship - established by Clifford and Mildred Worsham in memory of their grandson, Cliff Dalton. This scholarship has the same guidelines as the Clifford Dewitt Dalton Endowed Scholarship.

Betty Scales Bernard Douglas Memorial Scholarship - established by friends in memory of Betty Douglas, a 1942 graduate of the College of Business who served as Executive Secretary to Presidents of Mississippi State University from 1952 to 1984. This scholarship is awarded each fall and spring semesters; available to a junior or senior whose major is in the College of Business and has a minimum QP of 3.2 and who has demonstrated a financial need. Awarded on a year-to-year basis. A student who is a recipient as a junior is eligible for consideration as a senior.

Durward B. Dunn, Jr. Memorial Fund - established for a junior student in the College of Business & Industry with a minimum 3.0 QPA and financial need.

Bester M. Files Memorial Endowment - no established guidelines for students.

A.W. Garner Scholarship - in memory of A.W. Garner; awarded to a deserving student in the College of Business and Industry.

Charles H. Griffin Memorial Scholarship - established for a student in the College of Business & Industry with at least 60 earned credit hours; must have a minimum 3.0 GPA and good moral character with demonstrated leadership ability, civic interest, and financial need; junior college transfer students are eligible.

John Grisham Scholarship for Excellence - established for undergraduate students in the College of Business & Industry; must be at least a junior at the beginning of the relevant fall semester with a minimum of 30 hours in residence at MSU; must have a minimum 3.0 GPA.

Elizabeth Harrington Scholarship - established by Miss Harrington's major commitment of support. Scholarship will be awarded each fall and spring semesters to a College of Business student with financial need, good character, active in college activities, and in good academic standing.

Roland H. Hough, Jr. Endowed Scholarship - established by Roland H. Hough, Sr. and Bobbye Hough for their love and affection for their son, Roland H. Hough, Jr.; awarded to graduates of Mississippi high schools with high academic and leadership achievement, a financial need and good moral character.

L.A. Hurst, Jr. Endowment Fund - established by Louis A Hurst, Jr., a 1949 graduate of the College of Business. This scholarship is available to students majoring in the College of Business and Industry with a GPA of 3.0 or higher, strong moral and ethical character, and financial need. Students in all undergraduate classifications are eligible to apply.

Dr. S. Roland Jones Memorial Scholarship - established for a full-time student in the Professional Golf Management (PGM) Program in the College of Business & Industry; student must have earned at least 60 credit hours, be PGM students in "good standing" (minimum 2.5 GPA with no grade below a C in co-op work experience and no PGM probation); must be of good moral character and have demonstrated leadership ability and financial need.

Kerry D. Kimbrough Memorial Scholarship - set up by his parents, Floyd and Bea Kimbrough and his brother, Rick Kimbrough for Mississippi residents only in junior year for fall and spring semester on the basis of need, merit, and a minimum QP of 2.75.

H. Stennis "Judge" Little Scholarship - established for a student with a 3.0 minimum GPA, good moral character, leadership, and financial need. Selected by International Business Program faculty members and Director of International Business Program.

W. W. Littlejohn Scholarship - donated by alumni and friends of W. W. Littlejohn, Associate Dean Emeritus; awarded to juniors and seniors enrolled in the College of Business with a minimum of 30 hours in residence at Mississippi State University. Minimum QP of 3.0 and consideration given to financial need.

Jack Locke Memorial Endowed Scholarship - established in memory of Jack Locke, a 1940 College of Business and Industry graduate. This scholarship is for full-time students enrolled in the College of Business and Industry. Students must be in good standing.

The Garland J. McCool Scholarship Endowment - established by Ron J. and Carol McCool Ponder in memory of Garland J. McCool; awarded each fall and spring semesters; available to a junior or senior on the basis of need, merit, academic record of any combination. A student who is the recipient as a junior is eligible for consideration as a senior.

John G. and Karen J. McCord Endowed Scholarship - established by John and Karen McCord for graduates of Mississippi high schools majoring in Accounting or Finance. Applicants must have good moral character, financial need and a 3.0 GPA.

Merchants and Farmers Bank Endowed Scholarship - income from this endowment scholarship provided by Merchants and Farmers Bank is to be awarded for the fall and spring semesters of each school year on the basis of academic performance, need, and demonstrated leadership potential. The scholarship is to be available to undergraduate majors only. The recipient will be from counties in Mississippi which have Merchants and Farmers banks; and who must express a desire to work in Mississippi following graduation. A student who is the recipient one year is eligible for consideration in any other year.

Mississippi Power Company Endowed Scholarship - Business - established by Mississippi Power Company for a full-time undergraduate student in the College of Business and Industry majoring in finance, business administration, marketing, or accounting with a record of academic achievement and demonstrated leadership skills. Open to residents of Mississippi with preference given to residents of the Mississippi Power Company's 23-county service area.

Harry G. Mock Memorial Scholarship - established for a full-time student in the College of Business & Industry (must have earned at least 60 credit hours toward degree); must have a minimum 3.0 GPA and be of good moral character with demonstrated leadership ability, civic interest, and financial need; must also be working towards a degree with a career in outside sales; community college transfer students are eligible.

Davis and Ann Mortensen Endowed Scholarship - donated by Davis and Ann Mortensen; established for full-time undergraduate or graduate students enrolled in the College of Business and Industry who have composite ACT score of 26 or greater; records of academic achievement; and demonstrated leadership skills.

National Bank of Commerce of Mississippi Scholarship Fund - established for minority junior or senior students in the College of Business. Scholarship will be awarded fall and spring semesters on the basis of financial need, academic performance and demonstrated leadership potential and be from counties in MS which National Bank of Commerce of Mississippi serves.

Vertis Ramsay Memorial Scholarship - established by Ruth S. Ramsay for full-time students enrolled in the College of Business and Industry who have demonstrated academic achievement, with minimum of 3.0 GPA.

Wyeth T. Ramsey Memorial Scholarship - donated by Mrs. Wyeth T. (Lysbeth) Ramsey of Yazoo City, Miss.; for juniors and seniors in Business with a 3.0 or above GPA; must be a graduate of a public high school in Yazoo, MS.

Dr. J. William Rush Annual Scholarship Fund - donated by Kenneth M. Burns and Frederick Conner Burns, Jr. in honor of Dr. Bill Rush for 35 years of unselfish dedication to students; awarded to full-time juniors and seniors enrolled in the College of Business & Industry with at least 60 hours credit towards degree; must have a minimum 2.5 GPA; must be of good moral character and have demonstrated leadership ability and financial need.

J.B. Stroud Human Resource Management Scholarship - established by Roberta Stroud in memory of her late husband J.B. Stroud for full-time College of Business and Industry students who have completed 60 hours toward the degree (Community and Junior College transfer students are eligible), demonstrated academic achievement by having a minimum of 3.0 GPA, be of good moral character and demonstrated leadership ability, civic interest and financial need. Open to students working toward a BBA degree in Management with emphasis in Human Resource Management.

Sunburst Endowed Scholarship Fund - established for graduates of Mississippi and Louisiana high schools and any other state in which Sunburst may operate: students must have proven academic achievement; leadership achievement, and must have a financial need; must be of good moral character.

Mary Alice and R. Glenn Taylor Scholarship - donated by Mary Alice and R. Glenn Taylor of Memphis; established for full-time College of Business and Industry students who have earned at least 60 credit hours toward their degree; demonstrated academic achievement by having a minimum 3.0 GPA; of good moral character; and have demonstrated leadership ability, civic interest and financial need. Community and junior college transfer students are eligible and are encouraged to apply.

Bud and Sue Thompson Endowed Scholarship - established by Mr. and Mrs. J.F. Thompson, Jr. for full-time students enrolled in the College of Business and Industry who have demonstrated academic achievement by maintaining a minimum of 3.0 GPA.

Russell A. Weathersby Endowed Scholarship - donated by Russell A. Weathersby of Germantown, TN; established for full-time College of Business and Industry students who have earned at least 60 credit hours toward their degree; demonstrated academic achievement by having minimum 3.0 GPA; be of good moral character; and have demonstrated leadership ability, civic interest and financial need.

Norma Jean Whiteside Scholarship - established by Joseph B. Whiteside as a tribute to Norma Jean Whiteside; must be a College of Business & Industry student with a minimum of 30 hours towards degree (Community and junior college transfers students are eligible); must be a full-time student in the semester Scholarship is to be received; must have a minimum 3.00 GPA and be of good moral character; must demonstrate leadership ability, civic interest, and financial need.

II. SCHOOL/DEPARTMENTAL SCHOLARSHIPS

Some academic units in the College of Business and Industry award scholarships which have been established by gifts to these units. Students who have declared majors in these units may apply by writing to the addresses indicated.

SCHOOL OF ACCOUNTANCY

Inquiries should be addressed to Dan Hollingsworth, Director, School of Accountancy, P.O. Box EF, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

The Troy Baldwin Memorial Accounting Scholarship - donated by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baldwin in memory of Troy Baldwin; awarded to a junior or senior.

Mark David Brasfield Memorial Accounting Scholarship - donated by Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brasfield and Arthur Anderson & Company in memory of Mark David Brasfield; presented to a junior.

Cellular South Endowed Scholarship - in accounting for entering freshmen.

Eubank and Betts Graduate Assistantship - donated by Eubank & Betts, Certified Public Accountants, Jackson, Miss; awarded to a graduate student residing in the Jackson area.

W. M. Gulledge, Sr., Memorial Scholarship for Senior - donated by Mrs. W. M. Gulledge, Sr. and Morgan Gulledge in memory of Mr. W. M. Gulledge, Sr.; presented to a senior residing in the Leflore and Washington counties area.

W. M. Gulledge, Sr., Memorial Scholarship for Junior - donated by Mrs. W. M. Gulledge Sr. and Morgan Gulledge in memory of Mr. W. M. Gulledge, Sr.; presented to a junior residing in the Leflore and Washington counties area.

W. M. Gullege, Sr., Memorial Graduate Assistantship - donated by Mrs. W. M. Gullege, Sr., and Morgan Gulledge in memory of Mr. W. M. Gullege, Sr., presented to a graduate student residing in the Leflore and Washington counties area.

Dora Rose Herring Graduate Assistantship - donated by Dora Rose Herring; presented to a graduate student.

Roger N. Hill Memorial Accounting Scholarship - established by friends and family of Roger N. Hill in memory of Roger, a 1973 Accounting graduate. This scholarship is available to junior and senior accounting majors with a minimum of 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale; Students from Clay, Lowndes, Oktibbeha, and Noxubee counties will be given preference and all applicants must submit a one-page essay detailing any community service that they have performed.

DEPARTMENT of FINANCE and ECONOMICS

Inquiries should be addressed to Dr. Paul Grimes, Head, P.O. Box 9580, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

Theo H. Dinkins, II Family Scholarship - awarded to juniors and seniors majoring in Real Estate and Mortgage Finance and who are pursuing a career in real estate upon graduation.

Lonnie S. and Ida Mae Dyess Scholarship - donated by Lonnie S. Dyess, Jr. family in honor of his parents; awarded in alternate years to a junior or senior pre-medical student or economics majors with a minimum QP of 2.5. Need will be considered.

George B. Pickett/James A. Wheeler Insurance Scholarship - applicant must be a junior or senior majoring in insurance with an overall GPA of 3.0.

The Orrin Swayze Scholarship - donated by Young Bankers Section of the Mississippi Bankers Association in honor of Arrin Swayze; awarded to banking and finance majors in competition with banking and finance majors at other universities in Mississippi.

Richard G. (Dick) Wiggers Scholarship - established by Jimmy Galloway in honor of Dick Wiggers. This scholarship is for juniors and seniors majoring in Insurance and Risk Management. Students must maintain a 2.8 GPA or higher.

DEPARTMENT of MARKETING, QUANTITATIVE ANALYSIS & BUSINESS LAW

All inquiries should be addressed to Dr. Brian Engelland, Head, Box 9582 Mississippi State, MS 39762. .

Klumb Lumber Company Scholarship - donated by Klumb Lumber Company; awarded to a freshman marketing major with at least a 3.25 GPA, preferably from the Mississippi Gulf Coast.

PROFESSIONAL GOLF MANAGEMENT

All inquiries should be addressed to Jeff Adkerson, Coordinator, PGM, Box 6217, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

Gary Chittom Memorial Scholarship - established by friends of Gary Chittom in his memory. This scholarship is available every three years starting in 2003 to full-time students majoring in Professional Golf Management. Students must show financial need and have at least a 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale.

Golf Manufacturer's and Distributors Association Scholarship - established by the GMDS which represents U. S. and International companies who manufacture and distribute golf related items for a student majoring in Professional Golf Management. Minimum requirements are: MSU cumulative GPA of 2.50, eight months of completed coop with grade of B or better, and no PGM probations. Active participation in the PGM Club and other campus and community activities are considered.

Wyatt B. Hodges-George D. Perry Memorial Scholarship in Golf - Enrolled in academic area at MSU which supports the golf industry, with plans to possibly be employed in golf industry; demonstrated academic achievement and good moral character.

PGA Gulf States Section Mississippi Scholarship - established by the Gulf States Section of the Professional Golfers' Association of America for a Mississippi resident majoring in Professional Golf Management. Minimum requirements are: MSU cumulative GPA of 2.50, eight months of completed coop with grade of B or better, and no PGM probations. Active participation in the PGM Club and other campus and community activities are considered.

PGA Gulf States Section Louisiana Scholarship - established by the Gulf States Section of the Professional Golfers' Association of America for a Louisiana resident majoring in Professional Golf Management. Minimum requirements are: MSU cumulative GPA of 2.50, eight months of completed coop with grade of B or better, and no PGM probations. Active participation in the PGM Club and other campus and community activities are considered.

PGA Minority Scholarship - established by the Professional Golfer's Association of America. The purpose of these scholarships is to provide financial assistance to deserving PGM minority students, and/or PGM minority applicants planning to enroll in the Professional Golf Management Programs at universities having PGM programs endorsed by the PGA of America.

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIPS and MEMORIALS

Clara Adele Self Andrews Music Scholarship - established in her memory by her son, Dr. Lester Andrews. Applicants should be full-time students in their junior year who have earned at least 60 credit hours. Applicants should demonstrate musical and academic ability and promise.

Jack L. Beall Scholarship - donated by Mr. Jack L. Beall, a 1953 College of Education graduate. This award is available to students majoring in a Math/Science field who plan to remain in Mississippi and teach for a minimum of two years after graduation. The award is based on a minimum GPA of 3.0 and demonstrated academic achievement.

President George Bush Scholarship - established by MSU in honor of President Bush's commitment to education: to be awarded to an outstanding senior education major.

Barry F. Box Memorial Scholarship - established by the College of Education Alumni Association in memory of Barry F. Box; awarded to a College of Education undergraduate student on the basis of Scholarship.

Nan Carpenter Cain Endowed Scholarship - established by Winton, Brian, and Mark Cain in memory of Nan Carpenter Cain, a 1950 Industrial Arts Education graduate, who was named "Miss Industrial Education." The scholarship is to be given annually to a full-time student majoring in Technology and Education. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement (a minimum GPA of 3.0) and financial need.

Julia Higgins Carskadon Early Childhood Education Fund - established by the Morningstar Foundation in memory of Julia Carskadon; awarded to a full-time doctoral student in Curriculum and Instruction with an emphasis in early childhood education. Minimum 3.5 GPA on a 4.0 system.

Choral Ensemble Annual Scholarship - established by Walter and Ellen Newsom to be given annually to a student who is a resident of the state of Mississippi. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement (a minimum GPA of 3.0) and participation in the Choral Ensemble.

Durward Dunn Physical Education Scholarship - donated by Paul Dunn in memory of his father Mr. Durward Dunn. Awarded to student majoring in Physical Education.

Education Services Foundation Annual Scholarship - established by the Education Services Foundation to be given annually to a graduate student majoring in School Counselor Education. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement (a minimum GPA of 3.5).

Entergy Mississippi's Excellence in Education Scholarship - established by Entergy Mississippi, Inc., to be given annually to a full-time junior or senior majoring in General Science Education or Math Education. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement (a minimum GPA of 3.0). The recipient must be a resident of the state of Mississippi with preference given to students from one of the counties serviced by Entergy Mississippi, Inc. and who have not received scholarship or financial aid that would duplicate this scholarship.

Lois C. Kaufman Endowment for Music Education - established in memory of Dr. Harold F. Kaufman. Applicants should be full time Music Education majors, rising seniors, with demonstrated musical and academic achievement.

Herbert M. Handley Scholarship - donated by faculty, family and friends in memory of former Distinguished Professor Herbert M. Handley.

Leveck Freshman Piano Scholarship - donated by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leveck; awarded to the outstanding freshman piano major on the basis of competitive performance and first-semester grade-point average.

Annie Laurie Lyle Piano Scholarship - donated by the Starkville Nocturne Music Club in memory of Mrs. Annie Laurie Lyle, Charter music club member and prominent Starkville piano teacher; awarded annually to an undergraduate piano major on the basis of the most progress in piano study and performance.

Ellen Ricci Special Education Scholarship - donated by Mr. and Mrs. Armando Ricci in support of a student who is preparing to become a special education teacher. The Scholarship is awarded on the basis of merit.

Francis N. Matthews Memorial Scholarship - donated by Mrs. Louise M. Davis, in memory of Francis N. Matthews; awarded to students with desire to enter the teaching profession in Technology Education, on the basis of Scholarship and financial need.

Dewey and Marie Malouf Scholarship - donated by Martha and Watts Ueltschey and George and Kathy Malouf in honor of their parents Dewey and Marie Malouf. Awarded to students majoring in education. Priority given to students residing in Leflore County.

McClendon Scholarship-Special Education - donated by Katherine McClendon Holliman in honor of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. McClendon; awarded on the basis of scholastic ability and need, by a Special Education Scholarship Committee.

Merchants and Farmer Bank Endowed Scholarship- income from this endowment Scholarship provided by Merchants and Farmers Bank is to be awarded for the fall and spring semesters of each school year on the basis of academic performance, need and demonstrated leadership potential. The Scholarship is to be available to undergraduate majors only. The recipient will be from counties in Mississippi which have Merchants and Farmers banks; and who express a desire to work in Mississippi following graduation. A student who is the recipient one year is eligible for consideration in any other year. Direct inquiries on the above scholarships to the Assistant to the Dean for Student Services, Box 9710, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

Daniel R. Merrit Annual Scholarship - established by Patsy Merrit in memory of Daniel R Merrit, a lifetime educator and a 1961 College of Education graduate; to be awarded to a full-time undergraduate student majoring in Secondary Education. Minimum 2.5 GPA with financial need.

Hal and Joyce Polk Music Education Scholarship - established by Hal and Joyce Polk to be given annually to a full-time student in the Department of Music Education. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement (a minimum GPA of 3.0) and musical ability (as evidenced by an audition).

Cheryl Prewitt Christian Voice and Music Scholarship - donated by Mr. and Mrs. James W. Tennyson and Bill, and friends, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Tennyson, grandparents of Cheryl Prewitt, Miss America 1980; three scholarships, given annually to an entering freshman, a transfer student, and a resident student majoring in vocal music education. Awarded on the basis of character references and vocal competition.

Rehabilitation, Inc. Endowed and Annual Scholarship - established by Sam Cox, Pete Mills, and Lance Robinson to help graduate students who are majoring in vocational rehabilitation or similar majors in the counselor education department. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement (maintaining a GPA of 3.0) and financial need.

Lucinda H. Rose Scholarship - donated by Dr. Vincent McGrath in memory of his wife and faculty member, Dr. Lucinda H. Rose. Awarded to eligible seniors majoring in elementary education.

Royer/Scarborough Brass Scholarship - established by Michael and Karen Brown to be given annually to a full-time returning music education major (incoming freshmen are not eligible). Awarded to an outstanding brass performer on the basis of academic achievement (maintaining a GPA of 3.0) and financial need.

Harold Smith-Baldwin Piano & Organ Company Fund - donated by Baldwin Piano & Organ Company in honor of Harold Smith, retiring President of Baldwin Piano & Organ Company; awarded to students enrolled in Industrial Technology, on the basis of Scholarship and financial need.

Wilburn P. Sudduth Physical Education Scholarship - donated by Etoile Sudduth and family in memory of Mr. Wilburn P. Sudduth. Awarded to students majoring in the Teaching/Coaching concentration in Physical Education.

Katherine Gardner Thomas Memorial Piano Scholarship - donated by Mr. Garnett J. Thomas in memory of his wife; two scholarships awarded annually to freshman, sophomore, or junior piano majors, and one or two scholarships awarded to entering freshman or transfer students, all on competitive performance auditions. When an organ program becomes available at Mississippi State University, upperclass students enrolled in this program shall be eligible for the scholarships.

Cletora Tullos Piano Scholarship - donated by Mr. George Tullos in memory of his mother; awarded annually to an incoming freshman piano student majoring in music. Awarded on basis of candidate's musical ability (as evidenced by an audition), Scholarship, and need. Direct inquiries on the above scholarships to the Assistant to the Dean for Student Services, Box 9710, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

Henry Wamsley Famous 40 Band Scholarship - donated anonymously to honor Mr. Henry E. Wamsley and the Famous 40 Band.

Henry Wamsley Band Scholarship - given in honor of Mr. Henry E. Wamsley to a member of the famous Maroon Band. Direct inquiries on the above scholarships to the Director of MSU Bands, Department of Music Education, Box 9734, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIPS and MEMORIALS

Most freshman and community college scholarships require that you submit a written application to the Department of Financial Aid and Scholarships and are based on potential as indicated by prior school performance and/or ACT/SAT scores. On the other hand, most College of Engineering upperclass and departmental scholarships are awarded to students based on performance in engineering curriculum.

Outstanding entering freshman are eligible to apply for the Engineering and Computer Science Excellence Scholarships. The Henry scholarships are limited to freshman who enroll in Chemical Engineering or Mechanical Engineering.

Mississippi State University upperclassmen as well as students transferring to the College of Engineering from schools other than community colleges should direct inquiries regarding College of Engineering Scholarship opportunities to the Dean of Engineering, Office of Undergraduate Studies, Box 9544, Mississippi State, MS 39762.

ACCENTURE Scholarship - awarded to qualified upperclass College of Engineering students, College of Business and Industry BIS students, and College of Arts and Sciences statistics, math, chemistry, biology and physics students.

ADTRAN Scholarship - awarded to qualified students in Electrical, Computer or Mechanical engineering.

J. P. Applewhite Scholarship - awarded to qualified engineering students.

Babcock & Wilcox Scholarship - awarded to qualified students majoring in Mechanical Engineering.

J.W. Bagley Scholarship - established to enable talented and needy students to be able to pursue careers in engineering.

Robert & Fran Barker Scholarship - awarded to qualified engineering students.

Barrier Engineering Scholarship - awarded to engineering students who have demonstrated outstanding academic achievement.

Fred & Sara Jean Burke Engineering Scholarship - guidelines in process

John H. Caldwell Scholarship - established to enable talented and needy students to be able to pursue careers in engineering.

Sydney L. Cate, Jr. Engineering Scholarship- established to enable talented and needy students to be able to pursue a career in engineering. Preference will be given to students of single parent families who reside in Tate or DeSoto counties in Mississippi.

Chevron College of Engineering Scholarship- established to award scholarships to qualified engineering students.

Walter H. Clark Memorial Scholarship - guidelines in process.

Earnest & Laura Deavenport Scholarship- awarded to qualified freshman engineering students.

DOW Chemical Scholarship - awarded to qualified engineering students.

Eastman Scholars Scholarship - for upperclass minority students in Chemical, Industrial, Electrical, and Mechanical Engineering.

Alfred & Susan Eaton Scholarship- established to award scholarships to qualified upperclass engineering students, with preference given to students majoring in Aerospace Engineering.

Engineering Memorial Scholarship - established through the efforts of the Mississippi Alpha Chapter of the Tau Beta Pi in memory of the late Dean Lucius Lamar Patterson of the School of Engineering.

Ergon/Diversified Technology Scholarship - awarded to qualified Chemical, Civil, Electrical, Industrial and Mechanical Engineering students.

Michael Evans Memorial Scholarship - guidelines in progress.

H. G. Flanagan Scholarship Award in Engineering and in Science - donated by Dr. James L. Flanagan and Mr. Thomas M. Flanagan in honor of their father. Awarded to qualified juniors and seniors or graduate students in engineering.

U. Edwin & Mary K. Garrison Scholarship - established for full-time Mississippi resident students enrolled in the College of Engineering who have demonstrated academic achievement with a minimum 3.0 grade point average and who have demonstrated financial need.

Ken Graves Memorial Scholarship - established in honor of Ken Graves of the MSU Class of '77. Awarded to freshmen who plan to major in engineering with special emphasis on female and minority students.

A. S. Guerard Memorial Scholarship - donated by Mrs. A. S. Guerard; restricted for juniors or seniors in any engineering major.

Joseph M. Harvey Scholarship in Engineering - donated in honor of Joseph M. Harvey. Awarded to a junior or senior majoring in engineering, on the basis of achievement, leadership, and financial need.

Hearin Foundation Scholarships - awarded to outstanding entering freshmen each year in any engineering major.

Robert E. Herndon Scholarship - awarded to full-time engineering students. Based on academic achievement and leadership.

Hunter W. Henry, Jr. & James E. Henry Scholarship - awarded to two exceptionally qualified freshmen students in chemical and mechanical engineering. Preference given to Mississippi students, children of MSU alumni or those in need.

John P. Hosmer Engineering Scholarship - established to provide scholarships for Mississippi Resident students who are enrolled in the College of Engineering and who have demonstrated outstanding academic achievement.

Wallace J. Hosmer Engineering Scholarship - awarded to qualified freshmen engineering students residing in Alabama and Mississippi.

Otey & Edna Jackson Scholarship - established to provide scholarships to juniors and seniors based on academic record.

William T. Karnstadt Memorial Scholarship - guidelines in process.

Kerr McGee Scholarship - awarded to qualified engineering students.

Sam H. & Sandra K. Lee Scholarship - awarded to a qualified freshman engineering student. Preferably a student from Forest or Pearl River County.

Donald E. Meiners/Entergy Scholarship - established to provide scholarships to qualified engineering students.

Mississippi Manufacturer's Association Scholarship - awarded to qualified Mississippi residents students majoring in Civil Engineering.

Mississippi Power Company Scholarship - established to award scholarships to qualified engineering students.

B.C. and Patricia Moore Scholarship - guidelines being established.

Frank T., Sr., and Gaines W. Moore Scholarships - established by the Moore family in memory of Frank T. Moore, Sr. '33, and in honor of Gaines W. Moore, '34. Awarded to a junior or senior in any engineering major on the basis of academic record with need also being a consideration.

MOTIVA Scholarship - established to provide scholarships to students enrolled in Chemical, Electrical, or Mechanical Engineering, or Computer Science on the basis of academic or other achievements and at the same time have a recognizable need for financial assistance.

Alton C. & Roberta R. Morris Scholarship - established to enable students with great financial need to be able to pursue careers in engineering.

Frank E. Munn Memorial Scholarship - donated by Mrs. Frank E. Munn. Awarded to a junior or senior in Civil, Electrical, or Mechanical Engineering on the basis of merit and financial need.

H. P. Neal Memorial Scholarship - awarded to qualified engineering students.

J. Robert Newsom Memorial - donated by Newsom Brothers of Columbia, Mississippi. The recipient must be a Mississippi resident.

Nissan Technical Center North America Diversity Scholarship - awarded to qualified minority juniors or seniors enrolled in Electrical or Mechanical Engineering. Based on academic record.

O'Neal Family Endowed Scholarship - awarded to qualified engineering students with preference to U.S. Citizens and Aerospace Engineering students.

John E. Pearson Memorial Engineering Scholarship - donated by John E. Pearson; restricted to a senior.

William Peterhansen, Jr. Memorial Scholarship - awarded to qualified engineering students

Petroleum Engineering Alumni Scholarship - established through the efforts of Petroleum Engineering alumni for full-time engineering students having demonstrated academic achievement, leadership ability and financial need. Disabled students will be given special consideration.

Crymes Pittman Scholarship - awarded to a qualified freshman engineering student. Preferably to a student from Smith County.

Rockwell International Scholarship - established as a Scholarship award to female or minority students enrolled in Aerospace, Electrical or Mechanical Engineering.

Ralph E. Powe Scholarship - established in 1997 to provide assistance to a full-time entering freshman enrolling in the College of Engineering. (Preference is given to students in Mechanical Engineering).

William Douglass Rooker Memorial Scholarship - established as a Scholarship award to full-time engineering students at Mississippi State who have completed the freshman year. Candidates must be from Mississippi with first preference given to students from Pike County.

Bobby Shackouls-Burlington Resources Scholarship - awarded to qualified engineering students.

Clyde Q. & Katherine B. Sheely Scholarship - established to award assistance to students who have completed 30 credit hours. Available in alternate years to a student in engineering.

Shields Memorial Scholarships - awarded to qualified engineering students.

Simrall Scholarship in Engineering - donated by The Mississippi Engineering Society and the MSU Engineering Alumni Association in honor of Dean Emeritus Harry C. Simrall.

SECME University Scholarship (Southeastern Consortium for Minorities in Engineering) - established to provide Scholarship assistance to a Mississippi student who meets SECME eligibility requirements and is admitted to the College of Engineering.

ST Environmental Services Scholarship - established to award Scholarship assistance to qualified Engineering students.

Structural Steel Services Endowed Scholarship - awarded to qualified transfer students. Based on leadership and financial need.

Jim Henry Swain Scholarship - awarded to a qualified Civil Engineering student.

TVA Engineering Scholarship - established in 1999 to provide assistance to full-time engineering students. Candidates must be from a TVA serviced region.

Amelia Halbert Thaxton Scholarship - awarded to Mississippi residents, with preference given to juniors and seniors.

3M Scholarship - established to provide scholarships for students studying in the fields of Chemical, Electrical, or Mechanical Engineering and who are U.S. citizens in the North Alabama area.

Ziff Energy/Hank Kelly Scholarship - awarded to qualified students majoring in Mechanical or Electrical Engineering with an interest in pursuing a career in the energy field.

AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

Inquiries should be directed to the Department of Aerospace Engineering, Box A, Mississippi State, MS 39762. Scholarships include:

Charles B. Cliett Scholarship - awarded to freshman based on academic record.

Charles P. Downer, Jr. Memorial Scholars - awarded to juniors and seniors, based on academic record.

Henry W. Shurlds, Jr. Scholarship - awarded to juniors on the basis of merit and financial need.

AGRICULTURAL and BIOLOGICAL ENGINEERING

Inquiries should be directed to the Department of Agricultural and Biological Engineering, Box 9632, Mississippi State, MS 39762. Scholarships include:

ASAE Scholarship (McWhorter/Williamson)

T. H. Scott Scholarship

Marvin Ross Smith Scholarship

CHEMICAL ENGINEERING

Inquiries should be directed to the Department of Chemical Engineering, Swalm Building, Box 9595, Mississippi State, MS 39762-9595. Scholarships have been made available through the generosity of the following individuals:

C. Glendon Bradley Scholarship

Dave C. Swalm

David and Jean Bradford

David Purvis

E. Clarence Oden (for entering freshmen only)

In addition, one or more outstanding senior students may be awarded the **George R. Lightsey Memorial Scholarship** for outstanding professional leadership and academic achievement.

All Scholarship awards are made by the faculty of the Dave C. Swalm School Chemical Engineering in accordance with existing policies of the university.

CIVIL ENGINEERING

Inquiries should be directed to the Department of Civil Engineering, Box 9546, Mississippi State, MS 39762. Scholarship awards are restricted to junior and senior level students and are based on class standing. All students are considered for scholarships at the conclusion of the academic year in May. Students must have been enrolled in the department for one year to be considered for an award. Scholarships include:

Michael J. Baker, Jr. Scholarship

Carolyn and G. B. "Red" Beard Scholarship

Josephine Kellis Bounds Memorial Scholarship

Webb M. Bruce Scholarship

Chevron Oil Company Scholarship

Choctaw, Inc. Scholarship

Cook, Coggin, Engineers, Inc. Scholarship

John W. Duff Endowed Scholarship

Helen Joe Memorial Scholarship

William M Parker Memorial Scholarship

C. R. Patton Scholarship

Howard K. Williford Memorial Scholarship

Robert H. Wood Scholarship

Worthington Construction Company Scholarships

COMPUTER SCIENCE

Inquiries should be directed to the Department of Computer Science, Box 9637, Mississippi State, MS 39762. Scholarships include:

Cellular South Scholarship - awarded to qualified Mississippi residents.

Hilton Scholarship

ELECTRICAL and COMPUTER ENGINEERING

Inquiries should be directed to the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Box 9571, Mississippi State, MS 39762. Scholarships include:

Electric Power Association Scholarship

Ollie Hughes Graduate Fellowship

Lucius Lamar Patterson Memorial Scholarship in Electrical Engineering

E. Grady Perkins Memorial Scholarship

Robert Luckett Shuler Scholarship

A.T. Snider Memorial Scholarship

INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING

Inquiries should be directed to the Department of Industrial Engineering, Box 9542, Mississippi State, MS 39762. Scholarships include:

Durward B. Dunn, Jr. Scholarship

George Crow Dunn Scholarship

L.E. Gibens Family Scholarship

MSU I.E. Alumni Eastman Chemical Company Scholarship

Jesse H. Oswalt Industrial Engineering Scholarship

MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

Inquiries should be directed to the Department of Mechanical Engineering, Drawer ME, Mississippi State, MS 39762. Scholarships include:

Litton Industries Scholarship

Richard Eron Green Memorial Scholarship-awarded to juniors or seniors

Holmes-Neal Mechanical Engineering Scholarship**COLLEGE OF FOREST RESOURCES SCHOLARSHIPS and MEMORIALS**

(Inquiries should be directed to the College of Forest Resources, Box 9680, Mississippi State, MS 39762, unless otherwise noted.)

The Polly Anderson-Newsom Memorial Scholarship - established in memory of Polly Anderson Newsom by her children, Fred, Polly, Petty and David, her husband Roy, and many friends. Students from Amite and Pike County are given priority. Priority is also given to students in the Wildlife and Fisheries Department. It is awarded based on scholastic achievement, character, leadership and financial need.

The Dale Arner Endowed Scholarship in the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries - funded by the interest from gifts donated by friends, former students, and professional associates in honor of Dr. Dale Arner - professor emeritus. This scholarship supports exceptional wildlife and fisheries students who demonstrate high academic achievement, are active in student wildlife and fisheries' organizations, research, and have demonstrated leadership ability in the field.

The Larry B. Aycock Memorial Endowed Scholarship - established in memory of Larry B. Aycock II, this scholarship is awarded to a full-time junior or senior enrolled in forestry. Selection is based on academic achievement, character, and leadership ability.

The Robert Lee "Mr. Bob" Carlton Memorial Endowed Scholarship - established by the family of Robert Lee "Mr. Bob" Carlton. An annual award is given to a Wildlife or Fisheries Science major in their junior or senior year of study and is based on academic achievement and promise of an outstanding career in the wildlife and fisheries profession.

The Columbia Forest Products Annual Scholarship - funded by Columbia Forest Products of Trumann, Arkansas. This scholarship is awarded to students in the Forest Products major with interest in Lumber, composite or related areas. Offers students an opportunity to perform a summer internship. Candidates should have a GPA of 2.8 or higher.

The Durward B. and Georgene Dunn Endowed Scholarship - established in memory of their grandchild, Georgene Elizabeth Grand, the scholarships are awarded on an annual basis.

The Forest Products Endowment Fund Scholarship - supported by income from invested funds donated by friends and supporters of the Forest Products Laboratory; awarded to a student in Wood Science and Technology on the basis of academic record and merit.

The Forestry Suppliers, Inc. Endowed Scholarship - originally established as an annual scholarship by the company founder, James W. (Jim) Craig in the early 1960's, this award is given to students who show promise of success in the profession of forestry. Candidates must be full-time students in their junior or senior year of study, enrolled in the forestry major, and demonstrate academic achievement.

The Garden Clubs of Mississippi Scholarship - donated by The Garden Clubs of Mississippi to a student majoring in forestry. Selection is based on both need and academic achievement.

The Ernest A. Gluesing Memorial Award - established in memory of Ernest A. Gluesing, Associate Professor of Wildlife, it is awarded to the most outstanding graduate student in Wildlife and Fisheries each year.

The Larry E. Homan Scholarship in Forest Resources - Funded by the interest from an endowment established by the Larry E. Homan family, this Scholarship is awarded on the basis of academic merit and leadership potential. Preference is given to Fisheries students.

The Warren and Elsie Hood Endowed Scholarship in Forest Resources - funded by interest from a gift donated by Warren and Elsie Hood. Candidates must be full-time students at Mississippi State University enrolled in a major of the College of Forest Resources who have demonstrated academic achievement, leadership ability and financial need.

The International Paper Company Annual Scholarship - donated annually by International Paper Company to assist students who are members of under represented groups and who will diversify the workforce.

The Colonel Kenneth (K.D.) Johnson and Catherine B. Johnson Endowed Scholarship Fund - funded by the interest from a gift donated by Colonel Kenneth (K.D.) Johnson and Catherine B. Johnson, this scholarship is awarded to a student in the Forestry Major who has demonstrated acceptable academic achievement and shows promise of an outstanding career in the forestry area. Applicants with demonstrated financial need will be considered over other qualified students even though their grade point average might be below other applicants.

The Susan Jordan Endowed Scholarship - established by family and friends in memory of Susan Jordan for her dedication and long service to the students in the College of Forest Resources. This scholarship is awarded to students enrolled in the forestry major who demonstrate involvement and leadership in student organizations within the College of Forest Resources, while maintaining a high level of academic achievement.

The Howard McDuffie Memorial Endowed Scholarship - Established in memory of Howard McDuffie. The scholarship is awarded to a student majoring in Wildlife and Fisheries Science. Candidates must be in good standing. Preference is given to students who choose electives in water quality, resources, and flood control.

The Bynum L. Meeks Endowed Scholarship - established through generous contributions from family, friends, and professional associates in memory of Bynum L. Meeks. Candidates must be full-time students enrolled in the College of Forest Resources in the Forest Management Option within the Department of Forestry or one of the following options with the Department of Forest Products: Wood Industry Management or Wood Material Science. Eligible students must have completed summer, can and be in their junior or senior year of study, and be a resident from one of the following counties: Adams, Amite, Claiborne, Copiah, Franklin, Hinds, Jefferson, Lawrence, Lincoln, Madison, Pike, Walthall, Warren and Wilkinson.

The Mississippi Lumber Manufacturers' Association (MLMA) John L. Mabry Memorial Annual Scholarships - Mississippi Lumber Manufacturer's Association (MLMA) currently provides two annual scholarships in the College of Forest Resources in memory of John L. Mabry. These scholarships are awarded to one forestry management major and one Forest Products major with an emphasis on the forest products industry each year. Candidates must be full-time students, have demonstrated academic achievement, be of good moral character and have demonstrated leadership ability and financial need.

The Mississippi Wildlife Federation Scholarship - awarded to a graduate student in the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries on the basis of academic achievement, research proposal, and financial need.

The David M. Moehring Memorial Award - established in memory of David M. Moehring, Professor of Forestry. It is awarded to the most outstanding graduate student in Forestry each year.

The Davis and Ann Mortensen Endowed Scholarship in Forest Resources - established in December of 1999 by a generous contribution from Mr. and Mrs. Davis K. Mortensen. Candidates must have a composite ACT score of 26, have records of academic achievement and demonstrated leadership skills.

The David H. Nabi Memorial Award - established in memory of David Nabi, who was killed while a graduate student in Wildlife. The award honors graduate students in the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries for outstanding achievement and contributions to their fellow graduate students as exemplified by Mr. Nabi.

The Kevin Nolan Summer Field Session (Summer Camp) Annual Scholarship - established by Kevin Nolan to assist a full-time student majoring in Forestry who must attend summer camp. Candidates must have demonstrated academic achievement, show promise in an outstanding career in Forestry, and must have demonstrated financial need.

The Anne and Terry Ozier Endowed Scholarship - established by contributions from the Mississippi Forestry Association and the Ozier Family. This scholarship, in memory of Anne Ozier and in honor of Dr. Terry Ozier, was established to recognize their commitment to forestry in the state of Mississippi. Candidates must be full-time students in their sophomore year, enrolled in the Department of Forestry, and demonstrate academic achievement, leadership ability, and financial need.

The Roy L. Pugh Memorial Scholarship - supported by income from an endowment from Mr. and Mrs. Eugene R. Andrzejewski. Awarded to a student majoring in forestry.

The Ham Sanders Forestry Scholarship - sponsored by Mrs. Ham Sanders in honor of her husband. The award is based on need, character, and academic achievement or any combination of these. Preference is given to students studying Wood Science and Technology.

The Mark A. Schmoll Memorial Endowed Scholarship - established by family and friends in memory of Mark A. Schmoll, for his passion for wildlife and dedication to the wildlife profession, who died in a drowning accident while an undergraduate student in Wildlife and Fisheries. Candidates must be an undergraduate student in wildlife science/management who show promise of an outstanding career in the wildlife profession.

The Leo W. Seal Memorial Forestry Scholarship - in memory of Leo W. Seal, the Hancock Bank annually donates a scholarship for a student residing in Hancock, Harrison, Pearl River, or Stone County, Mississippi. The award is to a sophomore, junior or senior in the College of Forest Resources. Academic achievement, financial need, and personal character are factors considered in the selecting of recipients.

The Sharp Academic Scholarship - established through an endowment by the Kate Sharp family of Tishomingo County. Entering freshman with a composite ACT score of at least 27 or a minimum combined SAT score of 1310 are invited to apply for these scholarships. Awarded are up to \$12,000 for a four-year program of study. The scholarships are limited to students enrolled in the College of Forest Resources.

The Ike Shoemaker Memorial Scholarship - funded by funds from family and friends of Mr. Hilton H. "Ike" Shoemaker. Awarded to a junior or senior student enrolled in the Forestry major with wildlife management option or in the Fisheries option.

The South Mississippi Forest Products Annual Scholarship - established by the company owners, Skip and Julie McCollough of Hattiesburg, Mississippi. Candidates for the South Mississippi Forest Products Annual Scholarship must be in their junior or senior year, demonstrate acceptable academic achievement and show promise of an outstanding career in Forestry, Wildlife and Fisheries, or Forest Products. Applicants who demonstrate financial need will be considered over other qualified students though their grade point average may be below other applicants.

The John W. Starr, Sr. and Caroline B. Starr Memorial Scholarship in Forest Management - established in memory of John W. and Caroline B. Starr, the scholarships are awarded to junior and senior students enrolled in Forest Management on the basis of merit and academic record.

The STIHL, Inc./John Paul Pritchett, Sr. Memorial Annual Scholarship Fund - established by STIHL, Inc. in memory of John Paul Pritchett, Sr., who died in the line of duty. Candidates must be a full-time student enrolled in the College of Forest Resources with a major in the Department of Forestry, Forest Products or Wildlife and Fisheries. Must have demonstrated academic achievement, leadership abilities, and be of good moral character.

The Tenneco Packaging Company Forestry Scholarship - supported by income from a gift of stock from the Tenneco Packaging Company; awarded to a student enrolled in Forestry. Selection criteria include academic achievements and personal characteristics which indicate promise of success in the profession of forestry.

The J. S. Therrell Scholarship in Forest Resources - supported by income from funds donated by J. S. Therrell; awarded to a student in the College of Forest Resources on the basis of potential for leadership and academic excellence, with consideration given to potential to reflect favorably on the University in his or her professional career.

The Three Rivers Chapter of Quail Unlimited Annual Scholarship - established to support students who through education hope to advance and protect the tradition and sport of quail hunting. Candidates must be enrolled in the Wildlife and Fisheries major in any year of study and resident of Leflore, Carol, Grenada, Montgomery, or Holmes County. In the event a qualified student in the wildlife and fisheries major is not available, a forestry major with a concentration in wildlife management may be considered.

The Frank Troskey Annual Scholarship in Forestry - established by Philip A. Troskey and his wife Elizabeth in honor of his father Frank Troskey. Candidates must be full-time students in their sophomore, junior, or senior year, be enrolled in the forestry major, and demonstrate acceptable academic achievement, and show promise of an outstanding career in forestry.

The Hugo Wahlstab Scholarship in College of Forest Resources - established in memory of Hugo Wahlstab. Candidates must be full-time students enrolled in the College of Forest Resources in the Department of Forestry. Applicants must have demonstrated academic achievement and leadership ability, and must be of good moral character.

The Washington County Conservation League Scholarship - funded by the Washington County Conservation League of Greenville, Mississippi; awarded to an outstanding junior or senior majoring in forestry with a wildlife minor or in fishery management. Selection criteria include academic standing, student citizenship, professional promise, and financial need.

The Wildlife and Fisheries Scholarship - awarded to undergraduates or graduate students majoring in Wildlife Management, Marine Resources Management, and/or related degrees in the College of Forest Resources.

The Wood Component Manufacturers Association Annual Scholarship - established with a gift donated by the Wood Component Manufacturers Association to support deserving students in the College of Forest Resources with strong preference given to a student who plans a career in secondary wood products manufacturing management.

COLLEGE OF VETERINARY MEDICINE SCHOLARSHIPS AND MEMORIALS

The American Kennel Club Scholarships - Each College of Veterinary Medicine in the U.S. can submit up to four candidate applications. Criteria for awarding scholarships can include: financial need, academic achievement and potential; and perceived or demonstrated interests in canine biology and/or purebred dogs.

The Arkansas Veterinary Medical Foundation Scholarship - An applicant must be an Arkansas high school graduate; be a current freshman, sophomore or junior student at MSU CVM; and have an overall 2.5 GPA or better.

The Charles E. and Viola G. Bardsley Scholarship - Five scholarships are awarded, one to each of the following: the entering class, the freshman class, the sophomore class, the junior class and the senior class. Selection of incoming freshmen will be based on Applicant Admissions profile score compiled during admissions process. Selection of freshmen, sophomore and junior students will be based on GPA for the current year, faculty/peer evaluations, class leadership and level of professionalism. A graduating senior will be selected based upon overall GPA for four years of professional program.

The Bedenbaugh Scholarship in Veterinary Medicine - An applicant must meet the following criteria: be a student in good standing at the MSU-CVM; have a minimum GPA of 3.00/4.00 in his/her current program; and have exhibited leadership skills during his/her tenure as veterinary medical (or pre-vet, where applicable) student. Financial need may be used as selection criterion.

The James D. and Kay B. Bryan Scholarship - An applicant must have declared a career interest in food animal medicine; have met and maintained above-average scholarly requirements set forth by the MSU-CVM; be a current freshman, sophomore, or junior student or a senior student enrolled in the Production Medicine Masters program (PPM program students given preference); and be of good moral character and have demonstrated leadership ability and financial need. As many as five scholarships may be awarded each year.

The Morgan Freeman Endowment for Veterinary Medicine - An applicant must be a freshman, sophomore, or junior student at MSU-CVM; demonstrated effective leadership abilities, integrity, motivation, and potential as a representative of the veterinary medical profession. The scholarship will be awarded annually. As fund distribution permits, more than one scholarship may be awarded.

The Greenville Kennel Club Scholarship – An applicant must be a resident of the Arkansas/Mississippi Delta; have met and maintained above-average scholarly requirements set forth by the MSU/CVM; be of good moral character and have demonstrated leadership ability and financial need. First priority is given to current freshmen, sophomore, junior, and senior students. Second priority is given to entering freshmen.

The Allan H. Hart/IDEXX Scholarship – An applicant must be a current junior student at the MSU-CVM; and have a strong understanding of clinical pathology and its practical application to clinical classes.

The Clarice C. Jackson Memorial Scholarship – An applicant must be a freshman, sophomore, or junior student at MSU-CVM; have demonstrated interest in small animal medicine; and have met and maintained above-average scholarly requirements set forth by the MSU-CVM. The Dr. Betsy Lipscomb Scholarship is awarded annually. As fund distribution permits, more than one scholarship may be awarded.

The Dr. Betsy Lipscomb Scholarship in Veterinary Medicine – An applicant must be in their junior year of study; demonstrate interest in small animal medicine; demonstrate academic achievement, meet and maintain above-average scholarly requirements set forth by CVM. As fund distribution permits, more than one scholarship may be awarded.

The Mississippi State Kennel Club Scholarship – An applicant must be enrolled in the MSU-CVM; and be in the freshman year of study. Priority is given to residents of Hinds, Madison, and Rankin counties of Mississippi.

The Mississippi State University College of Veterinary Medicine Alumni Society Scholarship – An applicant must be a student in good standing at MSU-CVM; be of good moral character and have demonstrated leadership ability; and have demonstrated financial need.

MSU College of Veterinary Medicine Minority Assistance – An applicant must be an incoming freshman or current freshman, sophomore, or junior student enrolled at MSU CVM; be an African-American resident of Mississippi; have a 2.50/4.00 GPA and meet or exceed all established standards for entering the academic year for which the student is applying.

The Mississippi Veterinary Medical Association Scholarship – An applicant must have completed the fall semester of his/her sophomore year (current junior); have five years of residence in Mississippi, be of good moral character and have demonstrated leadership ability, and financial need.

The Thomas C. Randolph, Jr. Memorial Scholarship – An applicant must be an upcoming senior (current junior) student at MSU-CVM; and have demonstrated a career interest in food animal medicine during his/her first three years.

The Salsbury Scholarships – These scholarships are awarded on a funds-availability basis to senior students of the MSU-CVM to assist in completion of their fourth year of studies.

The Greta Somerville Endowed Scholarship in Veterinary Medicine – An applicant must be a student in good standing at the MSU-CVM; and have demonstrated leadership ability and financial need. This scholarship is awarded annually. As fund distribution permits, more than one scholarship may be awarded. During the selection process, consideration is to be given to need and academic merit.

The Hugh M. Arant, Sr. Memorial Scholarship in Veterinary Medicine – An applicant must be a member in good standing of the sophomore class of the MSU-CVM; have demonstrated exceptional overall academic performance, and make significant contributions to his/her class as well as to the MSU/CVM; and be of good moral character and have demonstrated leadership ability and financial need.

The Clio Annual Scholarship in Veterinary Medicine – An applicant must be a current junior at the MSU-CVM; have demonstrated interest in small animal medicine and have shown genuine compassion and empathy for clients and patients during small animal rotations; have demonstrated acceptable academic achievement and have shown promise for an outstanding career in veterinary medicine. Financial need may be considered over and above academic qualifications.

The Professional Liability Insurance Trust SAVMA Scholarship – An applicant must be a current senior in good standing at MSU-CVM; be a member of SCAVMA (Student Chapter of the American Veterinary Medical Association); and have demonstrated exemplary client communication skills.

The American Veterinary Medical Foundation Scholarship – An applicant must be a current freshman, sophomore, or junior student at MSU-CVM; and have demonstrated significant financial need. Awarded as fund distribution permits. Funds are distributed cyclically among U.S. Colleges of Veterinary Medicine.

The Ralston Purina Scholarship – An applicant must be a current sophomore or junior student at the MSU-CVM; have met and maintained above-average scholarly requirements set forth by the MSU-CVM; have demonstrated leadership ability; be involved in extracurricular activities; and have demonstrated financial need.

The Schering Plough Animal Health Scholarship – An applicant must be a current freshman, sophomore or junior student at MSU-CVM; have demonstrated academic achievement by realizing at least a 3.00 GPA; be of good moral character and have demonstrated leadership ability; be involved in student professional organizations; and have demonstrated financial need.

OFFICE OF DISTINGUISHED SCHOLARSHIPS

Mississippi State University provides the Office of Distinguished Scholarships to identify and assist well-qualified undergraduate students in becoming candidates for national and international awards such as the Rhodes Scholarship, the Goldwater Scholarship, the Marshall Scholarship, and the Truman Scholarship. The unit also assists students who are nominated for recognition in programs such as those sponsored by *USA TODAY* and the Rotary International.

Prospective students are encouraged to investigate the Web sites of the major scholarship programs. For information on the opportunities:

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Web: www.msstate.edu/dept/des

EMERGENCY SHORT-TERM LOANS

Bass Memorial Loan Fund - donated by Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Bass in memory of Isaac Houston Bass, Jr. and Levi Gaston Bass, their son and his brother.

Maurice D. and Pearl S. Blumberg Memorial Student Loan Fund - donated by Maurice D. Blumberg for loans to deserving students.

William Max Coggin Memorial Loan Fund - donated by Mrs. Grady Coggin in memory of her son, William M. Coggin.

Jill Sadler Memorial Loan Fund - donated by friends and family in memory of Jill Sadler. The recipient must be a junior or senior in Home Economics. Loans must be repaid one year from date of graduation.

Sidney Tonner and Dorothy Osborn Memorial Loan Fund - donated to provide loans to deserving students.

John Sharp Williams Memorial Loan Fund - donated by Mississippi Chemical Corporation for loans to deserving students.

L. C. Winterton Memorial Loan Fund - donated by Mr. Lester C. Winterton for low interest loans to deserving students.

GRADUATE ASSISTANTSHIPS

Research, teaching and service assistantships are available on an annual or nine-month basis. Individual academic and nonacademic departments/units are responsible for award decisions, the duties and responsibilities, stipend rate and work schedule. The minimum stipend rate is \$600 per month.

Application for an assistantship appointment must be submitted to the college, department, school, support unit, etc. where a position is available. A generic "Application for Graduate Assistantship" is provided on the Web by Office of Graduate Studies, location: <http://www.msstate.edu/dept/grad/forms.htm>; however, any work area has the option to require application submission on a form specific to that area. Departments are responsible for establishment of application deadlines and review procedures pertinent to the assigned work area.

Individuals interested in any other form of financial aid (grant, loan, or scholarship) should contact the Department of Student Financial Aid and Scholarships, Box AB, Mississippi State, MS 39762-5507. That office also has information available on the MSU Web - address: <http://www.msstate.edu/dept/sfa/>.

A Graduate Assistant Handbook containing more detail about requirements and procedures applicable to these awards is available in the Office of Graduate Studies, 116 Allen Hall. This handbook is available electronically, by accessing the following Web address: <http://www.msstate.edu/dept/grad/publications.htm>.

Required Course Load. Each student employed as a graduate assistant must maintain a full-time student status during enrollment periods throughout the employment duration.

Academic Performance. Students must demonstrate satisfactory progress in their specified program to retain an assistantship.

Matriculation Fee. When enrollment periods parallel an assistantship employment period, a graduate assistant will receive a student account credit of approximately 71 percent of assessed tuition and required fees plus 100% of assessed nonresident tuition fees. Student account charges in excess of the applied tuition exemption are the student's personal responsibility.

Graduate Research Assistantships. Graduate Research Assistants (GRAs) are employed by many of the University's academic, research, and administrative offices. This is an excellent opportunity to learn new techniques and methods, as well as expand knowledge by association with the research-oriented responsibilities.

Graduate Service Assistantships. Students who are employed to aid faculty and staff members with administration and operations within an office are classified as Graduate Service Assistants (GSAs). Many academic and nonacademic units offer these assignments with duties and work time variances depending on office needs.

Graduate Teaching Assistantships. Most academic areas offer teaching assistantships. Graduate Teaching Assistants (GTAs) normally serve in an instructional capacity and are selected on the basis of a student's past teaching experience or academic promise. All first time teaching assistants are required to attend the Teaching Assistant Workshop that is held annually by the Office of Graduate Studies prior to the beginning of the fall semester.

Teaching Assistant Workshop

All first time graduate teaching assistants are required to attend the Teaching Assistant Workshop which is held annually prior to the beginning of the fall semester. The Workshop consists of two (2) segments.

Segment one - Required of all teaching assistants. This segment focuses on the role of a classroom instructor. Presentations may include topics such as the role of a GTA, syllabus development, effective teaching techniques, understanding sexual harassment, the impact of cultural diversity, ethics in the classroom, assessing academic achievement, and academic support services.

Segment two - Required of all teaching assistants whose native language is not English. This segment focuses on communication skills, cultural adjustment, and University orientation and concludes with an English language proficiency test. The test consists of a five-minute student presentation to a panel of three judges. After each presentation, the judges engage the student in a dialog related to some aspect of their presentation in order to evaluate the students' language proficiency.

Student who are not successful in the language proficiency examination are invited to attend a special semester long class at no cost to them. This class further assists the students with their language deficiencies as diagnosed in the fall workshop. At the end of the semester, the students are again tested on their language skills.

Failure to complete segment one will render a student, international or domestic, ineligible for a teaching assistantship. Students whose native language is not English must satisfactorily complete both segments to be eligible for classroom instruction.

Minority Assistance Program. Some special funds usually exist to assist individuals who represent groups traditionally under-represented in a field of graduate study. An individual who represents such a group may make inquiry to the Office of Graduate Studies, P.O. Box G, Mississippi State, MS 39762-5507.

X. CONDUCT AND DISCIPLINE; TRAFFIC AND PARKING

A. STUDENT CONDUCT

Two objectives of higher education are to develop self-reliance and to form desirable and acceptable habits of conduct among students.

Instead of designing numerous regulations to cover in detail matters of student conduct, Mississippi State University recognizes students as adults who are expected to obey the law, rules and regulations of the University, to take personal responsibility for their conduct, to respect the rights of others, and to have regard for the preservation of State and University property as well as the private property of others. Mississippi State University will not police the personal lives of students on or off campus or invade their privacy by spying or intrusive searches; however, students whose conduct threatens to cause disorder, public disturbances, danger to themselves and others, or property damage will be disciplined.

A listing of acts of misconduct which are unacceptable and may require disciplinary action is provided online at <http://www.msstate.edu/web/security.htm>/ together with a detailed explanation of disciplinary processes for students in the University. Those apprehended and proven guilty of violating the law or rules and regulations of the University may receive a maximum penalty of expulsion from the University.

B. PARKING, VEHICLE REGISTRATION, AND TRAFFIC REGULATIONS

Possession and use of motor vehicles on the campus are controlled under regulations approved by the Board of Trustees of Institutions of Higher Learning. These regulations require that any person who regularly or occasionally operates or parks a motor vehicle on the campus and streets of the University must register the vehicle at the beginning of each school year or as soon as it is brought on the campus, and must display on it, as instructed, a numbered identifying decal or hang tag.

Parking areas are designated and clearly marked for staff, residence-hall students, and day students.

The rules governing parking and traffic on campus may be viewed at www.msstate.edu/dept/audit/91307.html For questions regarding parking, please contact the Parking Services unit at 662-325-2665 or 662-325-2661. Parking Services is located in the Roberts Building.

XI. ASSOCIATED AGENCIES

THE MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION INC.

The Mississippi State University Alumni Association was founded June 17, 1885. The mission of the Alumni Association is to generate support for Mississippi State University through the development and implementation of programs, activities and events for its alumni and friends.

The alumni of Mississippi State University have their permanent headquarters in the Hunter Henry Center on the campus. Housed there are over 130,000 address records of alumni and friends of Mississippi State University. In addition, the Center is used frequently by faculty, students and alumni for meetings, conferences and other events.

Some of the services rendered by the Association annually in the promotion of the University are: maintaining and updating biographic and demographic information of all alumni; mailing over 350,000 pieces of mail, including the *Alumnus* magazine and *Mississippi State University Connection*; planning and organizing numerous alumni meetings and special events; supporting various fund-raising programs for the University through the MSU Foundation's Fund for Excellence Program and the Bulldog Club; providing support for alumni chapter scholarship programs; supporting the University's appropriation requests from the Mississippi Legislature; assisting in the recruitment of prospective students to Mississippi State University, including the Scholars' Recognition Program; sponsoring the Alumni Delegates, student leaders preparing to be alumni leaders; partnering with the University's Career Center to assist students and alumni with employment opportunities; supporting excellence in teaching, research, and service through the annual Faculty Recognition Program; and assisting in the annual Staff Appreciation Day.

Sixty-five alumni chapters are chartered in Mississippi and 21 in other states. In addition to a 43-member National Board of Directors and five standing committees, most chapters and societies have officers, committees, and boards of directors. This totals more than 1,800 volunteer workers on all levels and provides for wide participation of former students and friends in the promotion of their alma mater each year.

For more information, visit the Association's home page at www.msbulldogs.msstate.edu.

THE MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION, INC.

Since 1962, the Mississippi State University Foundation, Inc., has served as a nonprofit corporation offering a comprehensive program of giving opportunities for alumni and friends of Mississippi State University. The foundation's purpose is fourfold:

- to provide the university a way to recruit and draw on the expertise of a network of dedicated volunteers who can assist in soliciting gifts from alumni and friends;
- to provide a mechanism to keep private gifts clearly separate from public funds and to provide flexibility in the use of private funds;
- to assist the university in the investment of endowed funds (the foundation has greater flexibility than the public university to seek the most favorable return on investments); and
- to ensure that funds designated for a particular purpose are used in the manner intended by the donors, and to ensure that funds unrestricted by the donors as to their use are appropriately distributed.

Since the incorporation of the foundation, alumni and friends have invested nearly \$450 million in Mississippi State University through the foundation. In the past five years, more than \$230 million of this money has been contributed. Also during the same period, the endowment has grown from \$79 million to over \$160 million.

XII. EQUAL OPPORTUNITY STATEMENT

Mississippi State University does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, sexual orientation or group affiliation, age, disability, or veteran status. This nondiscriminational policy applies to all programs administered by the University. However, this policy should not be construed to infringe upon the free exchange of ideas essential to the academic environment.

To the extent allowed by law, all employment decisions, including those affecting hiring, promotion, demotion or transfer; advertisement of vacancies; layoff and termination; compensation and benefits; or selection for training will be made consistent with the policy articulated above.

Responsibility for communicating, interpreting and monitoring the University's equal opportunity policy has been assigned to the Office of Diversity and Equity Programs, 106 McArthur Hall, PO Box 6199, Mississippi State, MS 39762. 662-325-2493. Campus mailstop 9609.