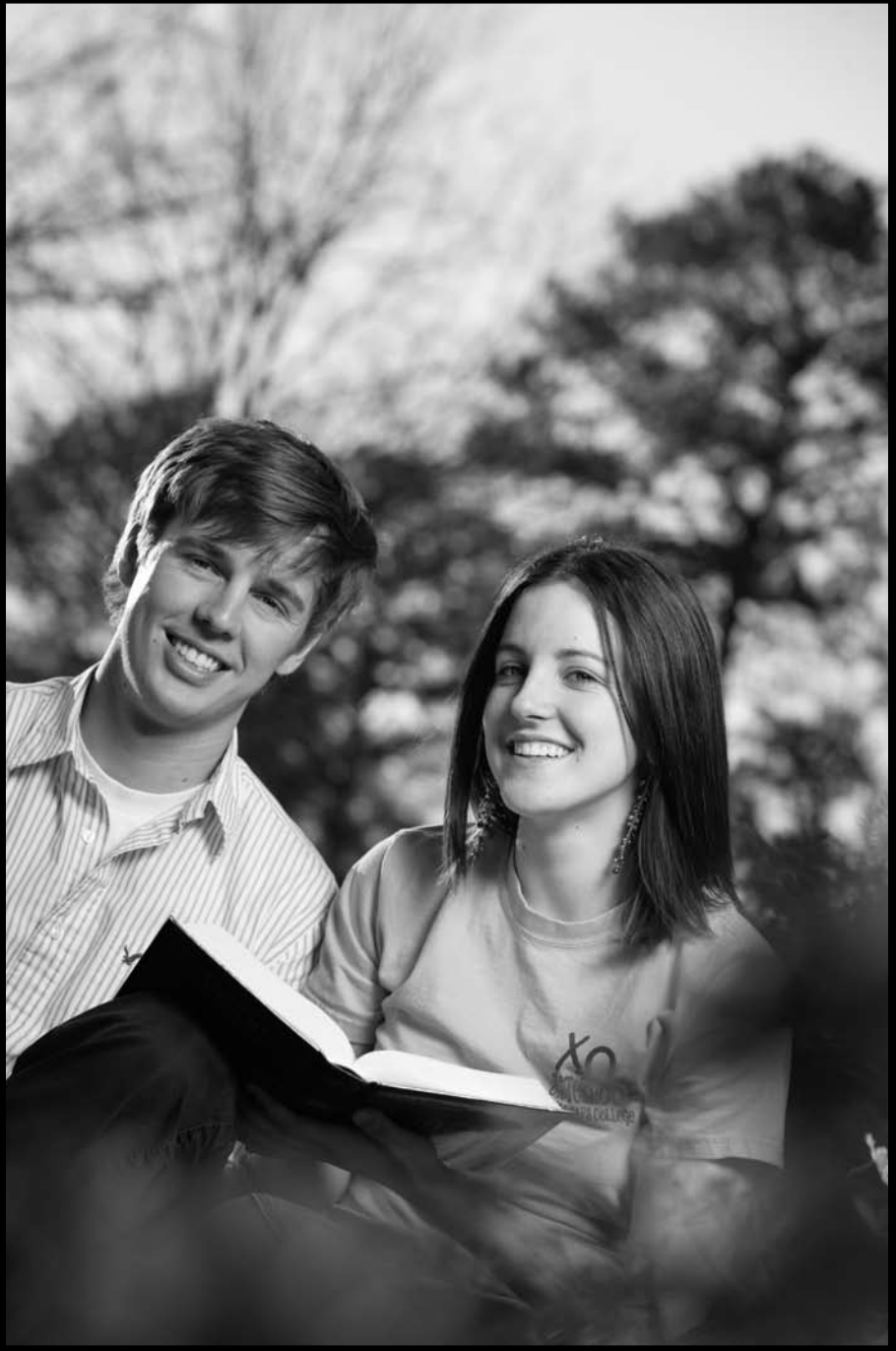


# STUDENT LIFE



# Student Life

## Campus Ministry

Religious life at Millsaps centers around the churches, synagogues, and other faith communities of the city of Jackson, as well as the Campus Ministry Program coordinated through the Campus Ministry Team, the Office of the Chaplain, and denominational groups on campus. Churches, temples, and mosques provide communities of faith for students, faculty, and staff. Independent and denominational campus ministry groups provide opportunities for worship, accountability, and study together. The heart of religious life at Millsaps is the Campus Ministry Team, an ecumenical and interfaith, student-led organization that provides experiences that explore the meaning of a life of faith for a college community.

To accomplish this, a varied program is offered: sponsorship of special programs on the Millsaps Forum series on social, religious, and personal issues; field trips including the New York Seminar and the Delta Immersion Experience; faculty-student-staff programs addressing issues on campus and in the larger society; fellowship experiences; Bible studies; mentoring programs in neighboring schools; projects working with disadvantaged populations; chapel and special services such as All Saints Day, Advent, Ash Wednesday, and Maundy Thursday services. In addition, the campus chapter of Habitat for Humanity is very active, and Project Midtown involves the campus community in an effort to be in relationship with our neighbors in Jackson. All of these experiences are meant to communicate an active understanding of the life of faith as it addresses crucial social needs. The Campus Ministry program at Millsaps has attracted national attention for its variety and effectiveness.

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In addition to the Campus Ministry Team, other programs operating on campus include Catholic Campus Ministry, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, the Wesley Fellowship, Canterbury Club, Jewish Cultural Organization, Millsaps Christian Fellowship, and SALT. All campus ministry is strongly ecumenical. Persons from local congregations also work with the denominational groups on campus, and staff members from the athletic department work with the Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

The Office of the Chaplain serves as a liaison with churches, the Mississippi Conference of the United Methodist Church, and other denominations. The Office of the Chaplain also collaborates with the Faith & Work Initiative to lead the campus community in building meaningful, mutually beneficial relationships with our neighbors in the North Midtown Community and the K-12 education system through 1Campus 1Community. Contact the college chaplain at [chaplain@millsaps.edu](mailto:chaplain@millsaps.edu) or 601.974.1205 for more information about religious life, campus ministry and community service at Millsaps.

## Public Events

The Public Events Committee receives funds from the student government and the College to sponsor programs of general interest to the campus and community. Its major activity is the Millsaps Forum series, a continuing slate of speakers scheduled throughout the academic year. The objective of the series is to provide information and stimulate interest in current issues, to explore historical events, and to present differing perspectives on controversial subjects. Faculty members, local authorities, and national experts are invited to present their thoughts on a variety of literary, cultural, scientific, political, religious, and historical topics. In addition to the Forum series, the public events committee sponsors special events throughout the academic year. It provides funds to student organizations and academic departments interested in organizing programs open to the entire campus. These programs include films, guest speakers, and music recitals.

## Athletics

The athletics policy of Millsaps College is based on the premise that athletics exist for the benefit of the students and not primarily to enhance the prestige and publicity of the College.

Competitive sports conducted in an atmosphere of good sportsmanship and fair play can make a significant contribution to the complete physical, emotional, moral, and mental development of the individual. They are thus an integral part of the educational process. Every attempt is made to provide a sports-for-all program.

### Intercollegiate Athletics

There are 14 varsity sports, seven for men and seven for women. The program for men includes football, basketball, baseball, cross country, tennis, golf, and soccer. The program for women includes basketball, tennis, soccer, cross country, volleyball, golf, and softball. Lacrosse for men and women will be offered in 2010-2011.

The programs are conducted under guidelines established by the National Collegiate Athletic Association for Division III institutions and the Southern Collegiate Athletic Conference.

Those who participate in intercollegiate athletics are required to observe and maintain the same academic standards as other students.

### Campus Recreation

The Department of Campus Recreation offers open recreation, intramural sports, club sports, group fitness classes, fitness certification opportunities, and special events. More than 25 intramural sports are offered, including flag football, basketball, volleyball, team handball, indoor and outdoor soccer, disc golf, dodge ball, Ultimate Frisbee, inner tube water polo, and softball.

Sport clubs continue to grow in popularity. Active clubs include outdoor adventure, Ultimate Frisbee, women's lacrosse, crew, rugby, and martial arts.

### Publications

*Purple & White*, the official student newspaper of Millsaps College, is edited, managed, and written by students. The P&W provides coverage of Millsaps events, as well as serving as a campus forum.

*Bobashela*, the student yearbook of Millsaps College, gives an annual comprehensive view of campus life. Bobashela is a Choctaw word for "good friend."

*Stylus*, the student literary magazine of Millsaps College, publishes twice a year the best poetry, short stories, essays, and art submitted by Millsaps students.

*Promenade*, the collection of some of the outstanding essays written in different sections of Core 1, is published annually.

## Music and Theatre

The Department of Performing Arts offers many opportunities for students to study and perform. Studio classes in music and theater are open to all students for academic credit. The studio music classes are private lessons in voice or instruments such as piano, organ, and guitar. Acting and directing classes can be taken by all students at Millsaps College.

Participation in productions of the **Millsaps Players** is offered to all students. Casting is by open audition. The Players typically produce several plays each year. Whether you prefer acting onstage or working backstage, there are wonderful dramatic opportunities with the Millsaps Players. Participation in Players productions can earn academic credit and also earns credit toward membership in **Alpha Psi Omega**, the national honorary dramatics fraternity.

The oldest music performance organization at the College is the **Millsaps Singers**. Membership is open to all students by audition. Each year this 70- to 85-voice choir performs a variety of accompanied and a cappella music for the College and community, and there is usually at least one performance with a professional orchestra. Music for Singers includes a highly diverse repertoire—masterworks, international and ethnic works, and recent additions to the choral repertory. Academic credit is awarded for participation each semester.

**Chamber Singers** is selected by audition from the Millsaps Singers. Membership in this 16- to 24-voice choir carries a performance scholarship in recognition of the travel and performance responsibilities of the ensemble. Recent tours have taken the Chamber Singers to San Antonio, Washington, D.C., Chicago, St. Louis, Orlando and New York. During the summer of 1998, the choir toured Germany, the Czech Republic, and Austria. Most recently, the group has toured Spain, Portugal, England, and Greece. Academic credit is awarded following the second semester of participation.

Music majors, minors, and concentrators can become eligible for membership in **Mu Phi Epsilon**, an international professional music fraternity. (Professional fraternities are organized to promote professional competency and achievement within the field.) Mu Phi Epsilon promotes scholarship, musicianship, and friendship through service to school and community. Members are eligible for scholarships, grants, and awards.

## Student Organizations

Millsaps College currently has more than 80 registered student organizations. Organizations vary in their individual purposes but all serve to contribute to the educational mission and purpose of the College. Please contact the Division of Student Life if you would like to obtain a complete list of registered student organizations or to start a new organization. A few of the organizations currently active on the campus are:

**The Anthropology Club** promotes research, awareness, and overall interest in anthropology—past, present, and future—within the Millsaps community.

**The Art Club** spreads awareness and understanding of art throughout the Millsaps and Jackson communities and beyond.

**The American Production and Inventory Control Society (APICS)** enhances student knowledge of operations management by conducting plant tours of local manufacturing and service organizations.

**The Black Student Association (BSA)** offers an outlet for students of color to belong to a recognized organization that offers positive support and focuses on the constructive richness that the African-American heritage has contributed throughout American history.

**C.A.L.L.S. (Considering a Life of Leadership and Service)** is a community that extends emotional, spiritual, and financial resources to people who are seeking to nurture their spiritual life, to think deeply, and talk honestly with others about God and the world, and to prepare themselves to respond to God's call.

**The Campus Ministry Team (CMT)** is motivated by moral and ethical concerns to fulfill the emotional, spiritual, physical, and intellectual needs of the campus and the community through different outreach and service projects.

**Canterbury Club** supports the spiritual growth of Millsaps students by providing opportunities for worship, fellowship, and service in the Episcopal tradition.

**The Catholic Student Association** is an outreach group for Catholic students at Millsaps College.

**The Chinese Student Association** provides mutual support and assistance to new international students from China and to current Chinese students studying at Millsaps.

**Circle K** provides an opportunity for leadership training and service on campus and in the community. Members also develop aggressive citizenship and the spirit of service for improvement of all human relationships.

**Classics Club** strives to provide a forum for the discussion and discovery of Classical Studies.

**College Republicans** seek to make known and promote Republican principles and aid in the election of Republican candidates on all levels.

**The Cycling Club** was formed to provide a healthy and active environment for students and faculty with a common interest.

**Environmental Activists Ready To Help (E.A.R.T.H.)** is a student-led environmental organization committed to educating the campus and the community about the importance of environmental sustainability through such programs as recycling, Gleaners, Pack Rat, campus cleanups, Earthfest, speakers, and sustainability efforts.

**The English Club** is intended to help spread awareness of literature as a fundamental aspect of human life and to provide a sense of community among people on campus who care about literature.

**The Family and Friends Pride Coalition** provides support for gays, lesbians, bisexuals, and transgender individuals and their friends.

**Fellowship of Christian Athletes** strives to spread Christ's news among student athletes.

**The Financial Management Association** manages the Wilson Fund portfolio and is open to anyone with an interest in finance.

**The French Club** was organized to provide students, faculty, and staff of Millsaps College the opportunity to share their interest in the French culture.

**Habitat for Humanity** is an ecumenical Christian housing organization that works in partnership with people in need to improve the conditions in which they live.

**The International Student Association** is a social organization for international students. Any American student interested in different cultures is also welcome to join. The goal of the association is to increase the awareness and activities of international students.

**The Jewish Culture Organization (JCO)**, a member of Hillel International, is for Jewish students and those interested in Jewish culture. It meets regularly for Jewish holidays and sponsors social, educational, and service events on campus and in the community.

**Men's Lacrosse Club** promotes sportsmanship and campus participation through the sport of lacrosse.

**The Millsaps Christian Fellowship** seeks to unite the community of Christians across denominational lines and to provide a service for people searching for spiritual worth.

**Millsaps Film Society** offers quality domestic and foreign films for the entertainment and education of the Millsaps community.

**The Millsaps Secular Society** provides a sense of community on a campus for students without a religious affiliation.

**The Math Club** fosters student interest in mathematics, acquaints students with career opportunities in mathematics, and provides a forum for intellectual discussions on mathematical topics.

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**The Millsaps Players** encourages participation in the dramatic arts and an appreciation for the dramatic arts. The Millsaps Players produce a variety of standard and original dramatic works, maintaining high production values and encouraging artistic growth among the student body at Millsaps.

**NOW Millsaps CAN (National Organization for Women's Campus Action Network)** allows pro-choice affiliated students a forum through which they may voice their opinions and raise awareness of women's health issues on the Millsaps campus.

**Outdoor Adventure Club** provides experiential education opportunities for students, faculty, and staff.

**The Pathfinders** assist the admissions office in recruiting students.

**The Phi Theta Kappa Alumni Association** continues the Phi Theta Kappa tradition at the Institution of Higher Learning level. The association provides resources to transfer students and aids in the recruitment of Phi Theta Kappa students to Millsaps College.

**Presidential Ambassadors** assists the Admissions Office in achieving enrollment goals.

**The Psychology Club** seeks to keep Millsaps psychology students informed and educated on topics related to the study and applications of psychology.

**The Rock and Roll Club** is intended to unite students who share an interest in popular music.

**SAPS** is the campus programming board. Members select, organize and host events for the campus including performances by hypnotists and comedians, as well as concerts, outdoor movies, ice skating, and talent shows.

**S.L.A.C.K.E.R. (Society for Learning All Cosmic Knowledge of Epistemology and Religion)** provides a platform for students and faculty to discuss religious and cultural issues around the world.

**The Student Body Association (SBA)** membership is composed of all regularly enrolled undergraduate students of Millsaps College. Those taking at least three courses, or part-time students who pay the SBA fee, have full power of voting. The SBA is governed by the Student Senate, the Student Judicial Council, and SBA officers.

**The Society of Physics Students** seeks to encourage and help students interested in physics to develop the knowledge, enthusiasm, and responsibility essential to the advancement of physics.

**The Spanish Club** promotes the Spanish language and Hispanic culture.

**The Speech and Debate Club** develops the oratory skills already instilled within the Millsaps curriculum to achieve a high level of speech and debate proficiency.

**Student Affiliates of the American Chemical Society (SAACS)** serves the Millsaps community and the Jackson area by encouraging interest in chemistry.

**The Student Athlete Advisory Committee** promotes student athletes and programs at Millsaps.

**Thursday Night Bible Study** was organized to accurately and thoughtfully present the Bible in its entirety to a student body and become a community to produce joy in hearts and bring glory to Jesus Christ.

**Ultimate Frisbee Club** members play Frisbee on a competitive level, and the club provides students an organization that enhances fitness.

**The United Nations Association** seeks to educate the College and Jackson community about the United Nations. A secondary mission is to sponsor the participation of delegations from Millsaps in Model UN activities.

**The Wesley Fellowship** is a group of Christian believers seeking to listen to God and to live more faithfully as disciples of Jesus Christ.

**Women's Lacrosse Club** promotes sportsmanship and campus participation through the sport of lacrosse.

**Young Democrats** provides an organization structure for politically like-minded students, promotes free and open discussion of political and social issues, and informs students on the agenda of the Democratic Party.

## Honor Societies

**Alpha Epsilon Delta** is an honorary pre-health fraternity. Leadership, scholarship, expertness, character, and personality are the qualities by which students are judged for membership. The organization seeks to bridge the gap between pre-medical and medical studies.

**Alpha Kappa Delta**, an international sociology honorary, promotes the use of the sociological imagination in understanding and serving human beings. The chapter, Gamma of Mississippi, founded in 1984, is a joint chapter with Tougaloo College.

**Alpha Psi Omega**, a national honorary dramatics fraternity, recognizes members of the Millsaps Players for their effective participation in acting, directing, makeup, stage management, costuming, lighting, and publicity.

**Beta Alpha Psi** encourages and recognizes scholastic and professional excellence in accounting.

**Beta Beta Beta**, established at Millsaps in 1968, is a national honor fraternity for students in the biological sciences. Its purposes are to stimulate sound scholarship, to promote the dissemination of scientific truth, and to encourage investigation of the life sciences.

**Beta Gamma Sigma** is a national honor society dedicated to the principles and ideals essential to a worthy life, as well as to a commendable business career. Membership is the highest scholastic honor that a student in a school of business or management can achieve.

**Eta Sigma Phi** is a national honor fraternity recognizing ability in classical studies. Alpha Phi, the Millsaps chapter, was founded in 1935.

**Financial Management Association National Honor Society**, established in 1984 on the Millsaps campus, encourages and rewards scholarship and accomplishment in financial management, financial institutions, and investments among undergraduate and graduate students and encourages interaction between business executives, faculty, and students of finance.

**Kappa Pi** is an international honorary art fraternity established in 1911.

**Mu Phi Epsilon** promotes scholarship and musicianship among its members, promotes service and friendship on campus and in the community, and rewards excellence in music.

**Omicron Delta Epsilon** is the international economics honorary society. It is dedicated to the encouragement of excellence in economics, with a main objective of recognizing scholastic attainment in economics. The Delta chapter of Mississippi was formed at Millsaps in 1981.

**Omicron Delta Kappa** is a leadership society with chapters in principal colleges and universities. Pi Circle at Millsaps brings together members of the student body, faculty, and administration interested in campus activities, with a limited number of alumni, to plan for the betterment of the College.

**Order of Omega** is a national leadership society that recognizes student achievement in promoting inter-Greek activities. The Millsaps chapter, Eta Kappa, was founded in 1986.

**Phi Alpha Theta**, founded in 1921, is an international honor society in history. Membership is composed of students and professors, elected on the basis of excellence in the study and writing of history. It encourages the study, teaching, and writing of history among all its members.

**Phi Beta Kappa**, the nation's oldest academic honor society, was installed at Millsaps in the spring of 1989. It recognizes and encourages excellence in the liberal arts. The Millsaps chapter, Alpha of Mississippi, elects members from the senior class on the basis of broad cultural interests, scholarly achievement, and good character.

**Phi Delta Kappa** is an international association for professional educators.

**Phi Eta Sigma** is a national honorary society that recognizes outstanding academic achievement among freshmen. The Millsaps chapter was established in 1981. Membership is open to all full-time freshmen who achieve a grade point average of 3.5 in either the first semester or both semesters of the freshman year.

**Phi Sigma Tau** is a national philosophy honorary.

**Pi Delta Phi**, the national French honor society, was established at Millsaps in 1957. This honor society recognizes attainment and scholarship in the study of the French language and literature.

**Pi Mu Epsilon** is a national mathematics honorary.

**Pi Sigma Alpha** is the national political science honor society for college and university students of government in the United States. It seeks to stimulate productive scholarship and intelligent interest in the subject of government among students.

**Psi Chi** is the national honor society in Psychology, founded in 1929 for the purposes of encouraging, stimulating, and maintaining excellence in scholarship, and advancing the science of psychology.

**Sigma Delta Pi**, the international Spanish honorary, was established at Millsaps in 1968. This honor society recognizes attainment and scholarship in the study of the Spanish language and literature.

**Sigma Gamma Epsilon** is a national geology honor society. Established in 1993, the organization recognizes achievement in geological sciences.

**Sigma Lambda** is a leadership and service honorary society whose members are primarily sophomores selected on the basis of character, scholarship, and involvement in College and community activities.

**Sigma Pi Sigma**, a national honor society in physics, was established at Millsaps in 1988. Its purpose is to honor excellence in physics.

**Sigma Tau Delta** is the national English honor society. The purposes of the society are to confer distinction for achievement in the English language and literature, to promote interest in literature and the English language, and to foster the discipline of English in all its aspects, including creative and critical writing. The Zeta Sigma chapter was chartered at Millsaps in 1983.

## Fraternities and Sororities

There are five fraternities and six sororities at Millsaps. All chapters are members of well-established national and/or international organizations.

The fraternities are Alpha Phi Alpha, Kappa Alpha, Lambda Chi Alpha, Pi Kappa Alpha, and Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

The sororities are Alpha Kappa Alpha, Chi Omega, Delta Delta Delta, Delta Sigma Theta, Kappa Delta, and Phi Mu.

Policies governing fraternity and sorority life are formulated and implemented by the Panhellenic Council, the Interfraternity Council, and the National Panhellenic Council.

Questions regarding the Millsaps Greek system, sororities, or fraternities may be directed to the Division of Student Life office.

Eligibility for membership in sororities and fraternities is governed by the following regulations:

### A. General conditions

1. Only bona fide regular students (carrying at least three courses) may be pledged. Activity classes do not count toward this requirement.
2. A student may not be pledged to a fraternity or sorority until official registration for classes has been cleared by the Office of Records.
3. Only persons who are bona fide students at Millsaps at initiation time can be initiated.

### B. Scholastic requirements

1. To be eligible for initiation, a student must have earned in the most recent semester of residence credit for a minimum of three courses, must not have a grade below D in more than one subject, and must have earned a 2.0 grade point average for the semester.
2. A student who drops a course after the end of the half semester shall receive an F for sorority or fraternity purposes, as well as for academic averages.
3. The two terms of the summer session combined shall count as one semester for sorority or fraternity purposes.

*Note: Individual organizations may have higher standards for admission.*

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## Awards

### College Awards

**Founders' Medal.** Awarded at Commencement to the senior who has the highest grade point average for the entire College course of study at Millsaps College and has received a grade of Excellent on the comprehensive examinations. Only students who have completed all of the work required for the degree at Millsaps College are eligible for this award.

**Tribette Scholarship.** Awarded to the member of the sophomore or junior class whose quality index is highest for the year.

**Henry and Katherine Bellamann Awards.** Presented to graduating seniors who have shown particular distinction in one of the creative or performing arts.

**Omicron Delta Kappa Awards.** Recognizes Outstanding Freshman Man and Woman of the Year and Leader of the Year.

**Bishop's Medal.** Presented to the outstanding senior entering seminary who plans to pursue the pastoral ministry of the United Methodist Church.

**Velma Jernigan Rodgers Scholarship Award.** Presented to the rising senior woman student who has the highest grade point average in the humanities.

**Janet Lynne Sims Award.** A medal and stipend presented to a rising senior who is a full-time student in premed and has completed five semesters of work. Selection is made on the basis of academic excellence. A second award is given to an entering freshman. Selection is made on the basis of pre-medical interest and academic excellence.

**Dr. Thomas G. Ross Scholarship.** Presented by the faculty to the outstanding senior pre-medical student.

**Frank and Rachel Ann Laney Award.** Given each spring for the best reflective paper written to satisfy the Core 10 requirement during the academic year. The award is intended to encourage students to reflect on the value of their education in the liberal arts.

**Hall of Fame.** The Hall of Fame is the highest honor bestowed by the Student Body Association and the Division of Student Life to a graduating senior. The Hall of Fame recognizes overall excellence in scholarship; leadership; participation in activities, organizations, and campus life; service to the Millsaps student body, College community, and/or local community; and other notable achievements.

**Don Fortenberry Award.** The Don Fortenberry Award is presented each year to a graduating senior who is considered to have performed the most notable, meritorious, diligent, and devoted service to Millsaps College.

## Division of Arts and Letters

### Classics Awards.

Swearingen Prize for Excellence in Introductory Greek

Swearingen Prize for Excellence in Introductory Latin

Swearingen Prize for Excellence in Second Year Latin

Presented to the students with the highest scholastic averages in Latin and Greek.

**Magnolia Coulet Senior Classics Award.** Presented to the senior who has best demonstrated excellence in and love for the classics.

**American Bible Society Award.** Presented to an outstanding student in the study of Greek and religion.

**Dora Lynch Hanley Award for Distinguished Writing.** Awarded annually to honor excellence in writing.

**Clark Essay Award.** Awarded to the senior English major who presents the best and most original paper in an English course.

**Paul D. Hardin Senior English Award.** Given annually to the outstanding senior major in English.

**Robert H. Padgett English Award.** Given annually to the student with the most outstanding work on the English comprehensive exam.

**Albert Godfrey Sanders Award in French.** Presented to the outstanding student in French language and literature.

**Albert Godfrey Sanders Award in Spanish.** Presented to the outstanding student in Spanish language and literature.

**Pi Delta Phi Intermediate French Award.** Presented to the outstanding student in intermediate French.

**Sigma Delta Pi Intermediate Spanish Award.** Presented to the outstanding student in intermediate Spanish.

**Ross H. Moore History Award.** Presented to the outstanding senior history major.

**Senior Music Award.** Presented to the senior music major who, in the opinion of the faculty, has been the most outstanding student in the Department of Music.

**Sweat Summer Studies Awards.** Presented for excellence in music performance.

**Frank M. Laney Jr. Award.** Presented to a senior history major who has had an outstanding record in history and plans to pursue a graduate education in history.

**Mu Phi Epsilon Senior Achievement Award.** Presented to an outstanding senior member for excellence in scholarship and leadership, as well as for participation in fraternity, school, and professional activities.

**Philosophy Award.** Presented to a student who has shown excellence in philosophy.

**William D. Rowell Memorial Award in Art.** Presented to the senior demonstrating a commitment to and growth in studio art.

**Excellence in Art History Award**

**Art History Paper Award**

**Outstanding Junior Studio Art Award**

## **Division of the Sciences**

**Biology Award.** Recognizes an outstanding biology major.

**Biology Research Award.** Recognizes a biology major who has won recognition in biology on the basis of interest, scholarship, and demonstration of research potential.

**Tri Beta Award.** Recognizes an outstanding member of the chapter who has demonstrated scholastic excellence and service in the field of biology.

**J. B. Price General Chemistry Award.** Presented annually to the student with the highest scholastic average in general chemistry.

**Junior Analytical Chemistry Award.** Awarded to the most outstanding junior enrolled in analytical chemistry.

**Senior Chemistry Award.** Awarded to the senior with the most outstanding record in chemistry study and research.

**Chemistry Department Service Award.** Awarded to the chemistry major who has demonstrated leadership and service among his fellow students.

**Computer Studies Award.** Presented to the outstanding computer studies graduate.

**Richard R. Priddy Award.** Presented to the geology major with the highest cumulative scholastic average.

**Wendell B. Johnson Award.** Presented to the geology student with the highest departmental average.

**Geologist of the Year.** Presented to geology majors of demonstrated ability and scholastic achievement.

**Samuel R. Knox Senior Mathematics Award.** Presented to the outstanding senior mathematics major.

**Outstanding Freshman Mathematics Award.** Presented to the outstanding freshman in mathematics.

**General Physics Awards.** Presented to the two students with the highest scholastic averages in general physics.

**Physics Service Award.** Presented to a physics student in recognition of service to the Department of Physics.

**Frances and L. B. Jones Award in Anthropology.** Presented to the outstanding anthropology major.

**Award for Excellence in Elementary Student Teaching.** Given to the senior who demonstrates potential for outstanding contributions in teaching at the elementary school level.

**Award for Excellence in Secondary Student Teaching.** Given to the senior who demonstrates potential for outstanding contributions in teaching at the secondary school level.

**Outstanding Scholarship Award.** Given to the senior receiving teacher certification with the highest scholastic average.

**Mary Sue Enochs Lewis Endowed Scholarship.** Presented to a woman in the junior class who has demonstrated academic excellence and leadership and who plans to teach upon graduation.

**Reid and Cynthia Bingham Awards.** Presented to the junior and senior scholars of distinction in political science.

**John F. Kennedy Award.** Presented to the outstanding senior in political science demonstrating excellence in academics, personal integrity, and commitment to the highest ideals of the public good in a democratic society.

**William James Award for Academic Excellence.** Presented to the outstanding graduating senior(s) majoring in psychology.

**Mary Whiton Calkins Award for Outstanding Research in Psychology.** Presented for excellence in psychological research.

**Gordon Allport Award for the Application of Psychology.** Presented for outstanding involvement in the application of psychological science to the public interest.

**Frances H. Coker Award in Sociology.** Given each year to the outstanding senior majoring in sociology.

**Chi Omega Social Science Award.** Presented to the outstanding female senior in the social sciences.

### **Else School of Management**

**Richard B. Baltz Award.** Presented to the outstanding student majoring in economics.

**Financial Management Association Challenge Award.** Presented to the student who has demonstrated high performance in investments.

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**Wall Street Journal Award.** Presented to the business administration senior who scores highest on the nationally normed field exam.

**Mississippi Society of CPAs Award.** Presented to a senior accounting major who has compiled an outstanding record.

**Merrill Lynch Award.** Presented to the student who has demonstrated high achievement in the area of finance.

**Charles W. and Eloise T. Else Scholars.** Presented to seniors in the Else School of Management who have distinguished themselves academically in their overall College work and in required junior-level course work.

**Charles Sewell Award.** Presented to the most outstanding M.B.A. student.