

2025 Honors Convocation



Honoring Student Scholars
&
New Honor Society Inductees

Troy University



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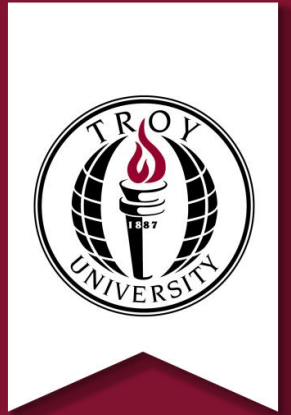
Honorable Judge Jack Weaver



Judge Jack Weaver, Presiding Judge of Alabama's 35th Circuit Court and 1985 Troy graduate, established the Joseph Barnett Weaver, Jr. and Joyce Booker Weaver Endowed Scholarship with his wife, Marthe, in 2020 in memory of his parents.



Mr. Roy Cain



Mr. Roy Cain earned his bachelor's in 1981 and master's in 1982. A longtime PSCM Lead at BP Oil, he established the Roy W. Cain, Jr. Endowed Scholarship in 2021 and joined the Troy Shield Society.



Dr. Leslie Black

Dr. Leslie Black earned both her bachelor's and master's degrees from Troy. Now a Sales Effectiveness Manager at Pfizer, she established the Dr. Leslie S. Black Endowed Scholarship in 2023.





Mr. Darryl Green



Mr. Darryl Green earned his bachelor's in 1986 and master's in 1999. A retired Air Force officer and registered nurse, he is now CEO of The Green Technology Group, LLC.



Ms. Jane Beasley



Ms. Jane Beasley, a 1974 Troy graduate, established the Marion Horne Beasley Scholarship in 2010 and the Fred B. Davis Pre-Law Scholarship in 2018 through the Jane Beasley Foundation.



Mr. Jerry and Mrs. Mary Williams



Mrs. Mary Williams earned her bachelor's in 1970 and master's in 1980. In 2017, she and her husband, Jerry, a fellow Troy graduate, established the Wilson-Williams Student Emergency Fund.



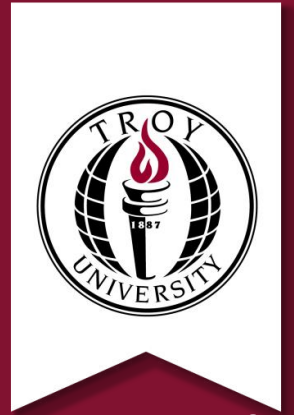
Lt. Col. Laura Ward (U.S.M.C. Retired)



Lt. Col. Laura Ward earned both her bachelor's and master's degrees from Troy. In 2024, she established the Claude K. and Diana K. Ward Endowed Scholarship in memory of her parents.



Mr. Marcus Hall



Mr. Marcus Hall, a 1998 graduate and financial advisor with Ameriprise, established the Hall Stewardship Endowed Scholarship in 2021 with his wife, Christy, to support single parents from the Wiregrass region.



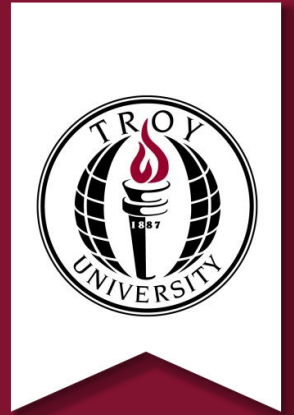
Mr. Derek L. Young



Mr. Derek L. Young, a 1986 Troy graduate, earned his master's from Vanderbilt and now serves as Global Head of Asset Management Distribution at Fidelity International.



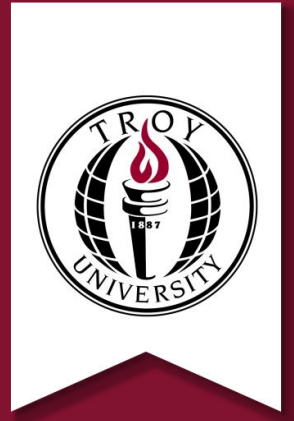
Mr. Scott Sport



Mr. Scott Sport, a 1986 graduate and partner at Ernst & Young Parthenon, established two scholarships with his wife, Colleen: the Joe R. and Barbara Sport Endowed Scholarship and the Scott and Colleen Sport Endowed Accounting Scholarship.



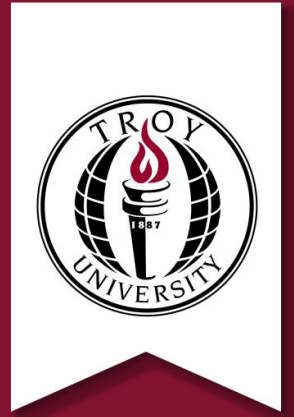
Dr. Will Byrd



Dr. Will Byrd, an orthopedic surgery resident at West Virginia University, earned his M.D. with honors from UAB after graduating from Troy. He lives in West Virginia with his wife, Dr. Katie Byrd, also a Troy alumna.



Dr. Katie Byrd



Dr. Katie Byrd, a Statistical Programmer Analyst for the NRMP, earned her master's and Ph.D. from USC after graduating from Troy. She lives in West Virginia with her husband, fellow Trojan Dr. Will Byrd.



Dr. Lance Tatum

Dr. Lance Tatum earned both his bachelor's and master's degrees from Troy and served in key roles, including Senior Vice Chancellor. Since 2023, he has been President of Northwest Missouri State University.





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Mr. Caleb Smith

President-Elect

Student Government Association





Dr. Kerry Palmer

Senior Vice Chancellor for
Academic Affairs & Provost





Dr. Jack Hawkins Jr.
Chancellor



Dr. Alvin Diamond

2024 Wallace D. Malone, Jr.
Distinguished Faculty Award
Recipient





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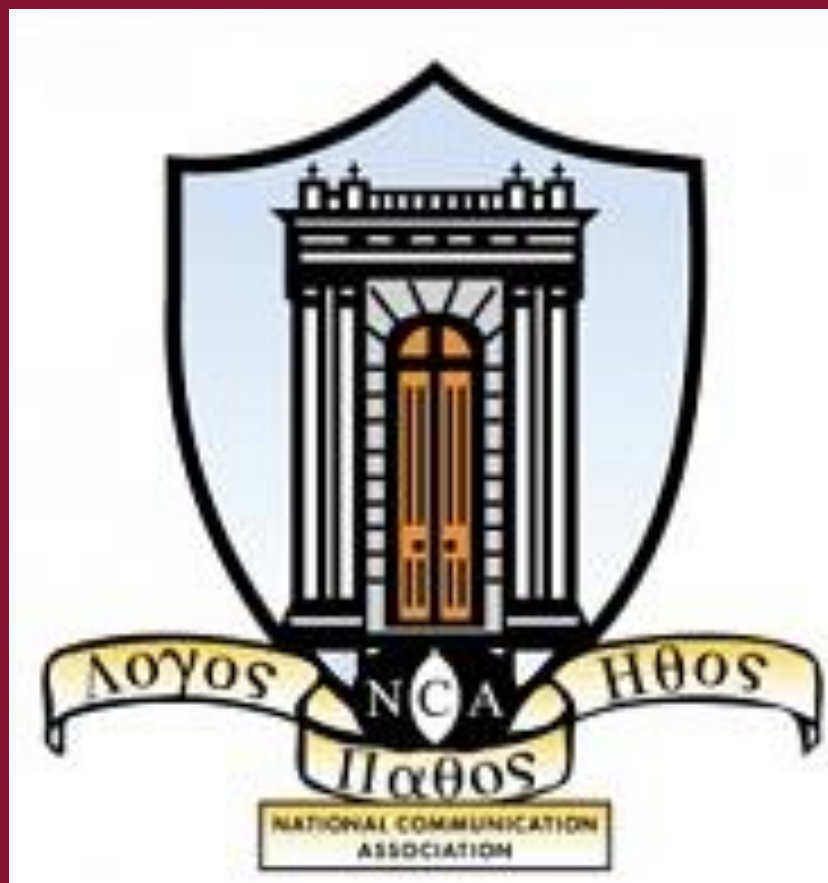
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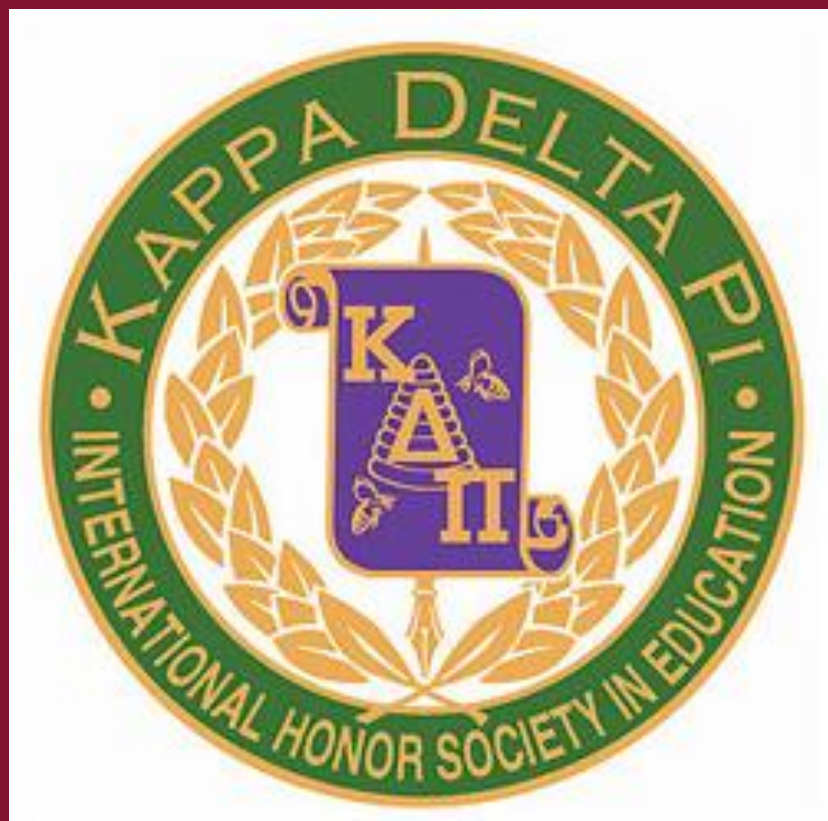


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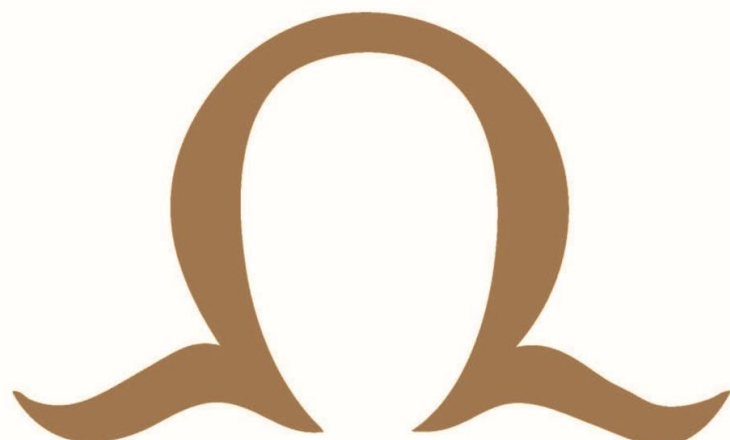
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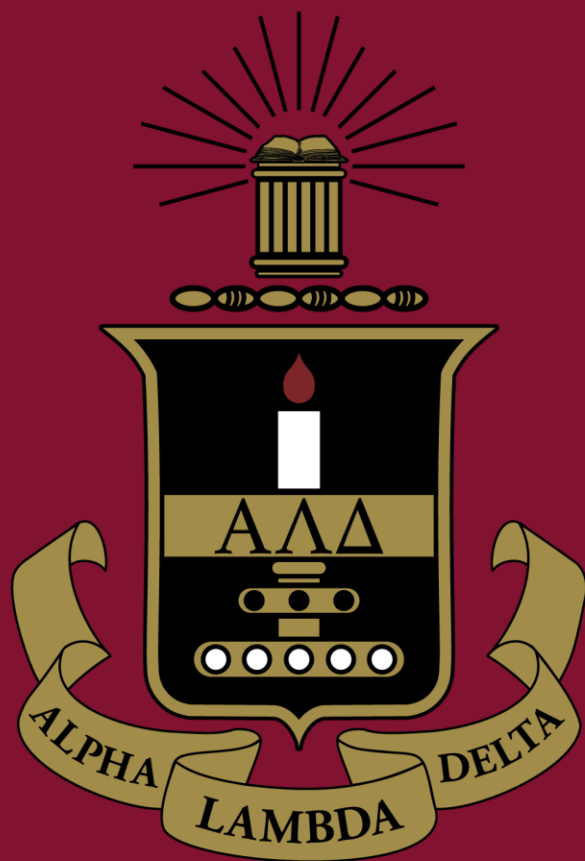
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Jeremy Mathews

Department of Mathematics
and Statistics Graduate Award



Anice Kiarra Thompson

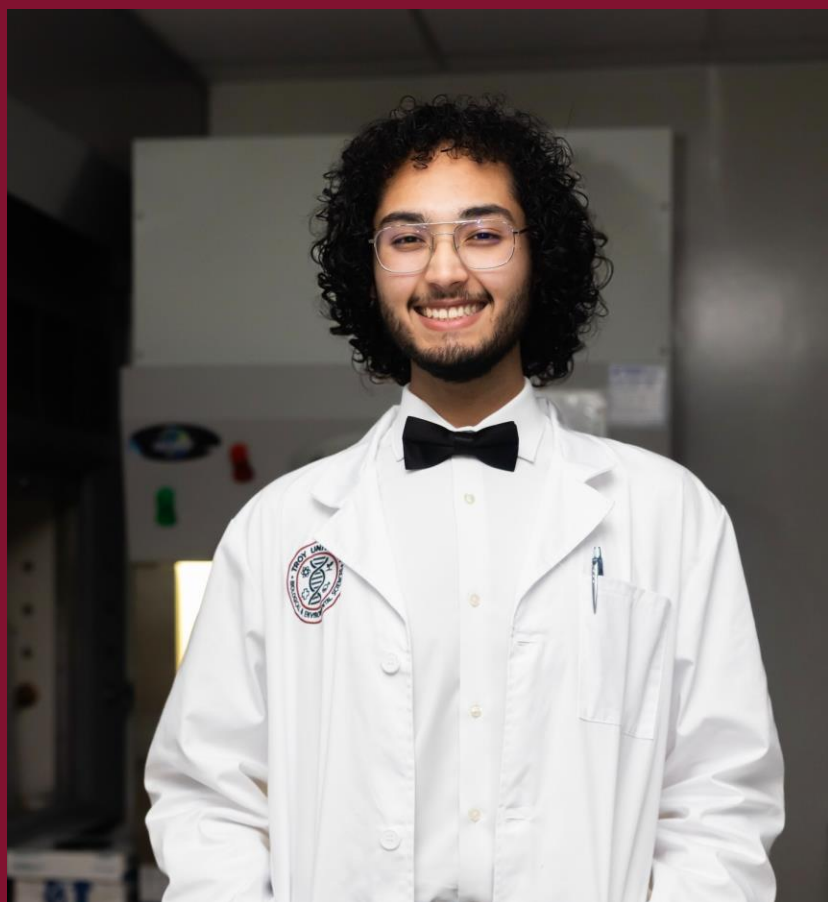
Dennis Lee Bowden
Computer Science Award





Sean William Marts

Dr. Sam Shelton Undergraduate
Political Science Award



Mario Robledo

Department of Biological
and Environmental Sciences
Scholar's Award



Mykenzi Lewis

Leonard Y. Trapp Memorial
Award



Jaci Mesa

School of Hospitality, Sport, and
Tourism Management
Outstanding Student Award



Emma Weeks

Carr School of Accountancy
Outstanding Student Award



Ansley Miller

Department of Management,
Human Resource Management, and
Law Outstanding Student Award



Olivia Barron

Department of Economics, Finance,
Risk Management Insurance,
Marketing, and Entrepreneurship
Outstanding Student Award





Chandler Farris

**Sorrell Outstanding Graduate
Student Award**



Emily Mosier

Bernard E. Williams Award



Michael Steven Olson

John M. Long
Achievement Award



Victoria Grace Tidwell

William R. Denison Choral
Excellence Award



Emily Bumgardner

Robert T. Joslin Award of
Excellence in Photography



Margaret Ann Scarbrough

David Dye Award for
Excellence in Theatre
Artistry and Academics



Noel Mosely

Chelsea Rae Huggins Memorial Psi
Chi Award for Outstanding
Scholarship in Psychology



Gracie Powell

Susan Gibson Vance
Outstanding Future Educator



Emma Henry

W.P. Lewis Award for
Outstanding Junior in Education



Shelby Lawrence

R.H. Ervin Award for
Outstanding Senior in Education



Maddie Giles

College of Education
Outstanding Student Award



Mary Ashlyn Shaver

Outstanding Undergraduate
KHP Student Award



Jayden Trimm

Sigma Theta Tau International
Outstanding Undergraduate
Nursing Student Award



Elizabeth N. Bennett

Outstanding Human
Services Award



Tra'Nyia Chatman

Outstanding Bachelor of
Social Work Student Award



Ti'Geronika Lindsey

**CHS Outstanding
Graduate Student Award**



Jeremy Mathews

Best Graduate Research Award



Rachel Ruoss

Academic Excellence Award for
Sororities

Alpha Gamma Delta



Bradley Smith

Academic Excellence Award for
Fraternities
FarmHouse



Alexandria Calhoun

Outstanding Freshman Award



Tram Ngoc Nguyen

Nolan C. Hatcher Outstanding
International Student Award



Emily Hyman

Phi Kappa Phi Outstanding
Junior Award



Adele Crabtree

Phi Kappa Phi Outstanding
Senior Award

Teresa Penn Rodgers Excellence in Student Advising Award



Honors one Troy faculty or staff member yearly for outstanding student advising.

Dr. Robert Kruckeberg Faculty Senate Excellence Award



Honors a non-tenure track faculty for excellence in research, teaching, and service.

The Ingalls Award



Honors a full-time Troy faculty member for outstanding in-person teaching, chosen by students.

The Algernon Sydney Sullivan Awards



Honors recipients for their excellence of character,
humanitarian service and spiritual qualities.



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