

# Honors. Realized.

*Fulfilling  
Our Future:*

## Achieving New Heights

Honors Day  
Convocation

10 a.m. March 27, 2009

HPER Complex

Albany State University



# About the Speaker

## Dr. Beverly J. Robinson

Dr. Beverly J. Robinson is Vice President for Enrollment Management and Student Affairs at Albany State University. She was previously the Provost at Palm Beach Community College, the first African-American in this position. As Provost, Dr. Robinson was responsible for the Western Region of Palm Beach County. She had overall responsibility for the daily operation of the Belle Glade campus, which housed a 466-seat performing arts theatre. Dr. Robinson was also responsible for managing four off-campus sites, including a technical education center.

Dr. Robinson also served as Associate Vice President for Educational Centers and Community Development at Central Florida Community College in Ocala, Florida, where she had administrative oversight of the Hampton Community Outreach and Preventive Health Center and the University Center, which housed bachelor's and master's degree programs for 10 state universities. She was responsible for college-wide diversity initiatives, government relations (serving as the legislative lobbyist for CFCC) and community development. She was the first African-American lobbyist for the Community College System in Florida. Dr. Robinson was the driving force behind the development of the present Hampton Community Outreach and Preventive Health Center. The center served the preventive health and education and training needs of CFCC's three county service area.



She has received numerous awards and in 2007 was the recipient of Success magazine's "25 Most Influential and Prominent African-American Women in South Florida Award." Dr. Robinson was the first African-American appointed by the late Florida Gov. Lawton Chiles to serve on the Commission for Education Reform and Accountability.

Dr. Robinson is best known for her ability to assess and successfully implement exemplary programs at rural branch campuses and revitalize distressed communities. She worked successfully with the sugar industries to develop the Sugar Technology Institute, the only program of its kind in North America where students can earn an Associate Degree in Sugar Technology, a Community College Certificate in Milling or a Community College Certificate in Processing.

Dr. Robinson has served as an adjunct faculty member at Lake-Sumter Community College and Florida Community College at Jacksonville. She is presently on the graduate faculty of Webster University.

The youngest of ten children, Dr. Robinson has one biological son – Minister Cleveland E. Robinson, II, a recording artist and author who resides in Nashville, Tennessee – and two adopted sons – David, a senior at FSU majoring in concert piano and biology, and Frederic, who lives in Atlanta, Georgia.

# Programme

*Dr. Melvin A. Shelton, Presiding  
Director, Velma Fudge Grant Honors Program*

PRELUDE .....	The Albany State University Concert Band Mr. Jesse Walker, Director
POSTING OF THE COLORS .....	The Albany State University ROTC
THE NATIONAL ANTHEM .....	The Albany State University Concert Band Mr. Jesse Walker, Director
INVOCATION .....	Mrs. Sheila Jones Eaddy President, Sigma Tau Delta English Honor Society
MUSIC .....	The Albany State University Chamber Singers Dr. Marcia Hood, Conductor
INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER .....	Dr. Everette J. Freeman President, Albany State University
THE HONORS DAY ADDRESS .....	Dr. Beverly Robinson Vice President, Enrollment Management and Student Affairs
MUSIC .....	The Albany State University Chamber Singers Dr. Marcia Hood, Conductor
ACADEMIC AWARDS .....	Dr. Shelton
TEACHER OF THE YEAR, RESEARCHER OF THE YEAR .....	Dr. Freeman
SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS .....	Dr. Shelton
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS & CLOSING REMARKS .....	Dr. Shelton
	THE ALMA MATER
RETIRING OF THE COLORS .....	The Albany State University ROTC
POSTLUDE .....	The Albany State University Concert Band Mr. Jesse Walker, Director



**Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society**  
**National Fraternity of Honor Societies**  
**Founded in 1937**

**Alpha Iota Chapter chartered in 1952**

Tracy Edwards, President  
Jessica Johnson, Vice President  
Ashley Powell, Secretary-Treasurer  
Candice Harwick, Parliamentarian  
De'Andria Owens, Reporter  
Advisor: Dr. Kimberly Fields

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Esther Anderson  
Ashley Bell  
Terri Benton  
Adrienne Bowman  
Britney Brinson  
Brittany Clardy  
Cynthia Coachman  
Kontorra Davis  
Lakeesh Dent  
Brittany Drakes  
Sheila Eaddy  
Felicia Griffin

Shamika Harp  
LaKeshia Hawkins  
Jaunita Holsey  
Maurice Houssel  
Alycia Hunter  
April Jones  
Shannon Lawrence  
Eric McCary  
Tia McCloud  
Monifa Montique  
Ashley Mount  
Britney Muhammad

Tashiba Nelson  
Christabell Osakwe  
Kenya Prentice  
Corey Riddick  
Michael Scott  
Mark Smith  
Cristy Statham  
Jasmine Sykes  
Brittany Turner  
Kindria Watkins  
LaToya Williams  
Jessica Whatley

**Kappa Delta Pi**

**National Honor Society in Education**

**Founded in 1911**

**Nu Omicron Chapter established in 1975**

Ashley Powell, President  
Ashley Hanshaw, Vice President  
Jordan Beard, Treasurer  
Laricia Bass, Secretary  
Advisor: Dr. Audrey Beard

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Yetay Anderson  
Angela Andrews  
Ka-Aja Brown  
Lania Dowdy  
Jeon Graham  
Lekikia Green  
D'Yana Hardaway  
Lakeshia Hawkins  
Crescentia Hubbard  
Cassandra Jackson

Richard Kennedy  
Shannon Lawrence  
Shakirah McConnell  
Kenya Prentis  
Brittney Rogers  
Iija Sheffield  
Ijill Sheffield  
Natoria Shine  
Nikita Walker  
Kalyndria Fears

Sherrie Gilford  
Karen Jackson  
Felicia Lattimore  
Nikki Lyons  
Thomas Marshall  
Ashley Rucker  
Sherita Shivers  
Shaneena Stinson  
Lonnie Thornton  
Jessica Whatley

**Pi Sigma Alpha**

**Sigma Tau Chapter**

**National Honor Society in Political Science**

Advisors: Dr. Kwame Dankwa, Ms. Sharon 'Nyota' Tucker

Anthony Morman, President  
Omar Landery, Vice President  
Ashley Bell, Secretary  
Terri Benton, Treasurer

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Natalie Eldeek  
Evantee Wyatt

Trentina Shealy

Charlotte Conner  
Alycia Hunter

**Delta Mu Delta**  
**Eta Pi Chapter**  
**National Honor Society in Business Administration**

Advisor: Dr. Scott Kelly  
Co-Advisor: Dr. Juan Jaramillo  
Tia McCloud, President  
Ashley Mount, Vice President  
John Adams, Secretary  
Jasmine McLeod, Treasurer

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Deramus Bradshaw  
Jackie Childs, Jr.  
Whitney Dean  
Jimeta Dennis  
Shanteria Dennis  
Donte' Douglas  
Shanice Dunn  
Taneisha Ellison  
Mia Francois  
Shamika Harp  
Domonique Harris

Asia Hollingsworth  
Queenora Golden  
Jessica Johnson  
Shantia Jones  
Seychel Kinney  
Ashley Lipscomb  
Shakevia Lovett  
Perotta Malone  
T'era Moore  
William Moultrie  
Karl Neal  
Lakeesha Oliver

Lequvia Ousley  
Keva Quimbley  
Jennifer Randall  
Jasmine Sykes  
Cristy Statham  
Tiffany Tennerson  
Sharonda Thompson  
Tia Vance  
Kindria Watkins  
Tony Westly  
Valeria Wyatt

**Sigma Tau Delta**  
**International Honor Society in English**  
**Zeta Phi Chapter**

Sheila Jones Eaddy, President  
Bonna King-Ware, Secretary  
Camile Matthews, Treasurer  
Advisors: Mrs. Rosemarie Mundy-Shephard, Ms. Yolande Penn

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Jamal Marquez Alexander  
Chenae Dunlap  
Sheila Jones Eaddy

James Jones  
Bonna King-Ware  
Katina Alvita Lockhart

Camile Matthews  
Cassandra Evette Starr  
LaToya Simone Williams

**Pi Alpha Alpha**  
**National Honor Society for Public Affairs and Administration**

Advisor: Dr. Veronica Adams-Cooper  
C-Advisor: Dr. Rita Henry Brown

Kanava Brown-Mitchell  
Sharonte' Edmonds  
Locelyn Florence  
Richard Gay  
Pamela Hall

Linda Means  
Tameka Price  
Francine Richardson  
Masooma Rizvi

Daaiyah Salaam  
Alphonso Samukai  
Jasmine Williams  
Recarlos Williams  
Geraldine Winns

**Phi Alpha Theta**  
**Omicron Theta Chapter**  
**International Honor Society in History**

Advisor: Dr. Emmanuel Konde

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Daa'iyah N. Salaam

Arpeja P. Shorts

Natalia L. Sisroe

# Velma F. Grant Honors Council

## Honors Program Students

(Affiliate of the Georgia Honors Council, Southern  
Regional Honors Council, and the National Collegiate Honors Council)

ASU Chapter established in 1984

Christopher Kinson, President

Cassandra Skaggs, Vice President

Devuan Lightner, Treasurer

Kerestin Goodman, Secretary

Advisor: Dr. Melvin Shelton

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Ashia Meridith	Tempest Green	Alexander J. Mack	Raquel Ewings
Donte P. Douglas	Celesta E. Robinson	Sean K. Morse	Chedric Harper
Vestria L. Barron	Kerestin Goodman	Symone Massey	Ciara A. Gordon
Amber Bennett	Cassandra Skaggs	Ashley Maclin	Monifa Montique
Kawanis Ellison	Norbert Thomas	Moultrie William	Cherese Shaw
Devuan Lightner	Jamar Hall	Quincey Hall	Nathaniel Rogers Jr.
Brandie Mims	Anthony G. Jenkins	Allison Scott	Shavonte' Avery
Ashlee Fogle	Michael K. Muraya	Crystal Thomas	Terri K. Benton
Durrell Smith	Alexander Covin	Porschia S. Phelps	Brandon J. Culbreath
Jasmine Edwards	David King	Richard D. Smith	Amber Barlow
Derek J. Davis	Chandra Moore	Jasmine Amiker	Adrienne L. Bowman
Joia E. Colbert	John Clark	Ali'Yah Arnold	Britney R. Brinson
Candice L. Hardwick	Candace Hart	Callie Hamilton	Vincent J. Mosley
Adrian B. Whearry	Shakeria D. Taylor	Me'Chelle Jacobs	Tracy D. Edwards
Sabrina Singleton	Leah Ewings	Devon A. Mitchell	Toni J. Richardson
Shanti Childs	Jameson D. Mason	Jessica J. Thomas	Simeon Young
Victoria Whitlow	Kerry Meadows	Christopher Kinson	Treva Clemmons
TimMeshawn Banks	Chasity Hampton	Stephanie Loggins	Christopher Atkinson
Breyonna Harris	James R. Jones	Jairus Cuffie	Dahlia Williams
Lorenzo Harper	LaToya S. Williams	Caitlin Gonzalez	
Domineque Reece		Jamal T. Riley	

## WHO'S WHO AMONG STUDENTS IN AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES & COLLEGES

Sheila Eaddy	Evan Haynie	Ashley Powell
Antoynette Finley	Linden Johnson	Diane Render
Felicia Griffin	James Jones	Rebecca Robitzsch
D'Yana Hardaway	Japhia McKibben	Laquata Sumter
Lakeshia Hawkins	Arnett Mitchell III	Courtney White
	Michael Muraya	

## HIGHEST RANKING STUDENTS (4.0 GPAs)

April S. Brown	Jennifer E. Keaton
Brittney S. Donaldson	Jasmine N. Kirkland
Brian K. Gary	NeAnn A. Wooten
Saryea N. Hughley	Chad W. Worsham

# FRESHMEN WITH 3.5 GPA AND ABOVE

Jamel B. Allen  
Jade T. Anderson  
Kabre'Shiya S. Austin  
LaShauna Antonique Bailey  
Tangela M. Brice  
April S. Brown  
Gabrielle A. Brown  
Zakiya A. Brown  
Shemeka N. Brownlee  
Shabreka C. Carter  
Trevia Trinise Clemmons  
Deleatrice E. Cummings  
Desiree Annette Crews  
Degoldyne Francois  
Carmella A. Gaither  
Chassidy Michelle Goggins  
Caitlin M. Gonzalez

Chasity J. Hampton  
Tyreija S. Harris  
Brittany S. Jordan  
Jennifer Elizabeth Keaton  
Marisa Raeva Kellogg  
Dejon J. Kemper  
Jasmine N. Kirkland  
Jasmine Allysia Lee  
La'Nice Loretta Lee  
Devuan John Lightner  
Amanda N. Malone  
Kiernea S. McDowell  
Asjah M. Miller  
Brandie S. Mims  
Lindsey Nichole Morgan  
NaQuaris Rashad Newton  
Ryan Andrew-Isaiah Patrick

Brishauna L. Peterson  
Monica Ashley Powell  
Evan Scott  
Brantley Steven Simmons  
Durrell Lamar Smith  
Jimmy Lee Thomas  
Charmaine Monique Trice  
Kelsey J. Varner  
Brittany C. Wheeler  
Crystal L. Whicker  
Kimberly N. Whitley  
Dahlia B. Williams  
Jasmine Rae Williams  
Kasheika Nacole Williams  
NeAnn Allegra Wooten  
Chad W. Worsham  
Deonte Terrence Wren

# MAJORS WITH 3.5 GPA AND ABOVE

## Accounting

Crystal F. Barnes  
Jamel B. Allen  
LaShauna A. Bailey  
Amber L. Bennett  
Deramus O. Bradshaw

Joyanne E. Dyett  
Jennifer L. Grant  
Seychel D. Kinney  
Jasmine A. Lee  
Devuan J. Lightner  
Tia E. McCloud

Brandie S. Mims  
Karl A. Neal  
Xavier R. Primus  
Jennifer M. Randall  
Marquez D. Wilson

## Art

Natasha M. Edwards  
Mica A. Godwin  
Carina D. Maye

Lindsey N. Morgan  
Evan Scott  
Durrell L. Smith

Dahlia B. Williams  
Precious J. Williams

## Biology

Willie D. Abney  
Shemeka N. Brownlee  
Desiree A. Crews  
Jasmine R. Edwards  
Monique Eppinger

Tekia A. Hamilton  
Candice L. Hardwick  
Jennifer E. Keaton  
Kiernea S. McDowell  
Yin N. Moe  
Christabell C. Osakwe

Asha B. Pittman  
Tedra C. Thomas  
Kimberly N. Whitley  
Victoria D. Whitlow  
Jasmine R. Williams

## Chemistry

Kofi Atta-Boateng  
Kerestin E. Goodman  
Amy J. Morris

Ashle' C. Perry  
Cassandra G. Skaggs  
Terrance J. Yarber

## Computer Science

Neville W. Brackett

Chasity J. Hampton

Eric A. McCary

## Criminal Justice

Jeanne E. Adkins  
Janice J. Brinson  
Brittany A. Clardy

Shawnay C. Giordano  
Saryea N. Hughley

Victoria A. Powell  
Brittany C. Wheeler  
Jack E. Williams, II

## Early Childhood Education

Brandon K. Brock  
Briana N. Chaney  
Tiffany D. Cook  
Michelle G. Duke  
Donna L. Elliott

Degoldyne Francois  
Jerry A. Graham  
Lakeshia L. Hawkins  
Kendra B. Lazenby  
Tracy H. Miller  
Pamela D. Moore

Ashley B. Powell  
Ashley L. Powell  
Rebecca T. Robitzsch  
Brittany J. Turner  
Tiffany D. Wright

## English

Amber R. Barlow  
April S. Brown  
Sheila A. Eaddy

Marisa R. Kellogg  
Cassandra E. Starr  
LaToya S. Williams

## Forensic Science

Kabre'Shiya S. Austin  
Brittney S. Donaldson

Ci'Andrea J. Ivery  
Monica Woodruff

## Health and Physical Education

Rebecca A. Bentley

Terry H. McGhee

Brishauna L. Peterson

## History

Olubunmi B. Ijose

Matthew R. Lockhart

Nadasha Okpodu

## Management

Domonique J. Harris  
O'Brien Arnett  
Bryan A. Burrell  
Whitney Y. Dean  
Brian K. Gary  
Trenanika T. Hoskins

Chiquita L. Jones  
La'Nice L. Lee  
Shakevia L. Lovett  
NaQuaris R. Newton  
Lakeesha J. Oliver

Steven L. Ramey  
Mark A. Smith  
Jimmy L. Thomas  
Shakevia L. Walker  
Joshua L. Williams  
Valeria M. Wyatt

## Management/Health Care Administration

Zakiya A. Brown

T'era D. Moore

## Marketing

Mia A. Francois  
Shamika T. Harp  
Ashley J. Jackson

Jessica L. Johnson  
Ashley N. Lipscomb  
Sherray L. Nelson

Porschia S. Phelps  
Brantley S. Simmons  
Jasmine A. Sykes

## Mass Communication

Shabreka C. Carter  
Andrea C. Crawford  
Chassidy M. Goggins

Tyreija S. Harris  
Khrystyn D. Meadors  
Ryan A. Patrick

Kelsey J. Varner  
Chad W. Worsham  
Deonte T. Wren



## Mathematics

Caitlin M. Gonzalez  
Felicia R. Griffin  
Linden D. Johnson

April D. Jones  
Christopher L. Kinson

Stephanie C. Loggins  
Diane L. Render  
Fakeyma N. Williams

## Middle Grades Education

Deleatrice E. Cummings  
Maurice A. Houssel

Brittany S. Jordan  
Shannon D. Lawrence  
Renee N. Shackelford

Jessica Whatley  
NeAnn A. Wooten

## Music

Jade T. Anderson

Dejon J. Kemper

## Music Education

Michael A. Scott

## Nursing

Chelsea M. Allen  
Dalandra C. Carter  
Carmella A. Gaither  
Jayvious L. Gilbert

Kimbrea S. Green  
Hyun Ju Lee  
Cedric L. Lewis  
Monifa K. Montique  
Britney Muhammad

Naeemah A. Peebles  
Cherese R. Shaw  
Kasheika N. Williams  
Jada R. Willis

## Political Science

Ashley S. Bell  
Terri K. Benton  
Mackenzie S. Calhoun  
Kontorra L. Davis

Lakeesh S. Dent  
Jaunita M. Holsey  
Alycia D. Hunter  
Araba A. Kwofie

Asjah M. Miller  
Stefon L. Plummer  
Sasha M. Reece  
Corey C. Riddick

## Psychology

Adrienne L. Bowman  
Treva T. Clemmons  
Tracy D. Edwards

D'Aia A. Ford  
Brinshay C. King  
De'Andria A. Owens

Monica A. Powell  
Charmaine M. Trice  
Lanee A. Waldrip

## Social Work

Kathy M. Adkins  
Tangela M. Brice  
Summer M. Dixon  
Danielle L. Figueroa

Whitney A. Fussell  
Bryon F. Harkleroad  
Jasmine N. Kirkland  
Amelia E. Lee  
Britni C. Morgan

Ashley R. Parker  
Ledora A. Smith  
Diane M. White  
Latonja A. White

## Speech and Theatre

Janerio L. Williams

## Technology Management

Perrotta M. Malone

## Undecided/Undeclared

Gabrielle A. Brown

Amanda N. Malone

# DEAN'S LIST

Willie D. Abney  
Kathy Marie Adkins  
Sandra Allen  
Kofi Atta-Boateng  
Terri K. Benton  
Deramus Bradshaw  
Cathy D. Bridges  
Brandon K. Brock  
Kaszia E. Brown  
Dalandra C. Carter  
Briana Nicole Chaney  
Cedric C. Clark  
Romania Lashel Clark  
Chanel V. Cobey  
Candace Skyler Cole  
Deleatrice E. Cummings  
Kontorra L. Davis  
Lakeesh Shahelen Dent  
Elizabeth M. Devane  
Summer M. Dixon  
Darin R. Edgecomb  
Natasha M. Edwards  
Natalie Eldeek  
Donna L. Elliott  
Teila Lori Elliott  
Martez Gerard Favis  
Danielle L. Figueroa  
D'Aia A. Ford  
Mia Angelle Francois  
Whitney Ann Fussell  
Essence D. Gant  
Sandra B. Gay  
Shawnay Christine Giordano  
Crystal Marshay Glass  
Jerry A. Graham  
Ayala K. Gray  
David P. Hall  
Tekia A. Hamilton  
Bryon F. Harkleroad  
Shamika Tashaun Harp  
Domonique Jessica Harris  
Lakeshia L. Hawkins  
Evan Eric Haynie  
Olubunmi B. Ijose  
Ci'Andrea Jena Ivery  
Ashley J. Jackson  
Whitney Ann Jewell  
Amy M. Johnson  
Brandi Noel Johnson  
Jessica L. Johnson  
Linden David Johnson  
Joycelyn J. Langes  
Shannon Dominique Lawrence  
Ashley Nicole Lipscomb  
Matthew Ryan Lockhart  
Shakevia Renee Lovett  
Alexander Johnathan Mack  
Perrotta Montrell Malone  
Dean F. Marshall  
Tammie Wright Maxwell  
Eric Anthony McCary  
Tracy Holloway Miller  
Elecia Candis Mitchell  
Pamela D. Moore  
T'era Denise Moore  
Amy Jacques Nicola Morris  
Charise L. Morris  
Karl Anthony Neal  
Sherray Lynn Nelson  
Nadasha Okpodu  
Christabell Chinonso Osakwe  
De'Andria Antonease Owens  
Ashley Renee Parker  
Morris S. Pate  
Camiella LaShawn Payton  
Porschia Sade Phelps  
Stefon L. Plummer  
David Price  
Akilah Adaiah Raines  
Steven L. Ramey  
Jennifer Monique Randall  
Kenni Sheree Reed  
Katie M. Reissig  
Corey Christopher Riddick  
Joleigh L. Sartiano  
Evan Scott  
Crystal Brinson Smith  
Glenda V. Smith  
Jean Marie Smith  
Kaleia Michelle Smith  
Kentraun E. Smith  
Cassandra Evette Starr  
Candice Lillie Stockham  
Chester Allen Taylor  
Tedra C. Thomas  
Tedra Carolyn Thomas  
Ciceli Jenei Vaughn  
Shakevia Lovett Walker  
Jessica Whatley  
Edward Wayne Whitaker  
Adrian Sharnaе Wilburn  
Janerio Leeshay Williams  
Precious J. Williams  
Marquez DeAndre Wilson  
Monica Woodruff

# COLLEGE AND DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

## College of Business

The College of Business awards the Birnell D. Rivers Scholarship Award (\$250 each) to two non-graduating upper classmen with the highest GPA in the College of Business.

- Dominique Harris
- Sherray Nelson

## Healthcare Administration Program

The Healthcare Administration Program awards trophies to its highest ranking students.

- T'era Moore
- Zakiya Brown

## College of Arts and Humanities

### Department of English, Modern Languages and Mass Communication

#### Academic Achievement Awards

- Marisa Kellogg, Highest Ranking Freshman in English, Book Award
- Amber Barlow, Highest Ranking Sophomore in English, Book Award
- Cassandra Starr, Highest Ranking Junior in English, Book Award
- Sheila Jones-Eaddy, Highest Ranking Senior in English, Book Award
- Chassidy Goggins, Highest Ranking Student in Mass Communication, Book Award

### Department of Fine Arts

#### James Barnett Jr. Memorial Scholarship (\$1,000)

- Teresa Harris
- Dwarttis Proctor
- Courtney Warner
- Jade Anderson
- Ashley Lawrence
- Xavier Jones

### Department of History, Political Science & Public Administration

The **Outstanding Academic Achievement List** is announced at the end of each school year, recognizes excellence in scholastic achievement among undergraduate students in the Department of History, Political Science & Public Administration. To be included on the Outstanding Academic Achievement List, a student must have a grade point average of 3.8 or higher on 4.0 scale. Each student will receive a Certificate of Recognition and a \$25 check.

- Terri K. Benton
- Matthew Lockhart

### Department of Psychology, Sociology and Social Work

Highest Ranking Student in Psychology – DeAndria Owens

## College of Education

### Department of Teacher Education

The Department of Teacher Education awards a plaque and a \$100 book scholarship to the highest ranking candidates in each discipline. The 2009 awardees are:

- Donna Elliott, Early Childhood Education
- Jessica Whatley, Middle Grades Education
- Valerie Clemons, Special Education

# College of Sciences and Health Professions

## Department of Criminal Justice and Forensic Science

Dean's Award – Monica Woodruff

## Department of Mathematics and Computer Science

Highest Ranking Mathematics Graduating Senior and Highest Ranking Computer Science Graduating Senior

Michael Muraya (dual major)

Dean's Award – Michael Muraya

## Department of Natural Sciences

Dean's Award – Christabell Osakwe

Highest Ranking in Biology – Christabell C. Osakwe

Highest Ranking Freshman in Biology – Jennifer E. Keaton

Award of Excellence for Academic Achievement in Biology

- Jasmine R. Edwards
- Monique Eppinger
- Asha B. Pittman
- Candice L. Hardwick
- Yin N. Moe
- Tedra C. Thomas

Highest Ranking in Chemistry (4.0 GPA irrespective of classification) – Kofi Atta-Boateng

Award of Excellence for Academic Achievement in Chemistry

- Terrance Yarber
- Amy Morris

Award of Excellence for Academic Achievement in Pre-Engineering

- Neville Brackett
- Ashley Perry

## Department of Nursing

Archbold Memorial Hospital Nursing Leadership Award – Aldrany Peak

HCA Palmyra Medical Centers Award – Dalandra Carter

Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital Clinical Award – Aldrany Peak

Jack Pyle Family RN Achievement Award – April Clark

Mildred Pryse Sophomore Award – Jada Willis

Eleanor Widner Junior Award – Cedric Lewis

Rosa Storrs Senior Award – Monifa Montique

Patricia Starck MSN Award – Willie Lattimore

Lucille Wilson Lifetime Achievement Alumni Award – Doretha Moultrie

## Center for Excellence in Teaching, Learning and Advising

Dr. Rosa Butler Tift Emerging Scholar Award (\$100 book scholarships) – Ashley Capers, Anterrio Reddick



# SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS

**The Irene C. and O.C. George Scholarship** in the amount of \$2,100 is presented to one full-time student from the College of Business and one full-time student from the College of Education in his/her junior year with a minimum GPA of 3.0 who graduated from a high school in Albany, GA, or Metro Atlanta. Irene C. and O.C. George are both graduates of Albany State in Education and Business Administration. Artexas Davis, daughter and scholarship administrator, is also an Albany State alumna. All are former resident of Albany, GA. Each scholarship recipient will receive \$1,050.

- Kenya Hicks, College of Education
- Ashia V. Merideth, College of Business

**Albany GA Chapter of The Links, Inc. Scholarship** of \$1,000 is presented to a deserving high school graduate who will be an Albany State University enrollee Fall Semester 2009.

- Efashia L. Mitchell, Dougherty High School.

**The Albany, Georgia Chapter of the Links (International Trends Committee)** presents a \$300 book award to an international student for the Summer or Fall Semester 2009.

- Carolina Ribiero

**The Thomas and Eddie Mae Dye and Robert and Estelle Jester Scholarship** of \$1,000 is presented to an outstanding and deserving student from Mitchell County High School, Camilla, GA; and \$1,000 to be presented to an outstanding and deserving student from Monroe High School, Albany, GA to enroll at Albany State University Fall Semester, 2009.

## AWARDS BY GREEK LETTER ORGANIZATIONS

**The Beta Nu Sigma Chapter of the Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.** awards the **Annual Reese-Granberry-Manning Scholarship** in the amount of \$1,650.00.

- Dexter D. White.

**The Albany Alumni Chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity** presents a scholarship in the amount of \$500 to each recipient.

- Deven Anthony Chapman (freshman, Fall 2009)
- Marvin Oliver, Jr. (sophomore)
- Terry McGhee (Highest GPA, Delta Xi Chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc.)

**Scholarships given by Delta Eta Omega Chapter, Inc. of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.**

- **Annie L. Sheffield Memorial Award (\$1,000)** – Awarded to a graduating education major in Gamma Sigma Chapter who plans to pursue a master's degree in the field of education beginning the following school term at an accredited college or university.
- **Christine D. Blaylock Service to All Mankind Scholarship Award (\$1,000)** – Awarded annually to a Gamma Sigma Chapter member who has participated in chapter projects that provide service to a needy group in the community for at least one year. Graduating seniors are eligible for this award providing they continue graduate school within the next academic year.

**Scholarship given by Gamma Sigma Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.**

- **Jacquelyn Ragsdale Memorial Scholarship (\$300)** – Awarded to the highest ranking Greek of junior classification enrolled at Albany State University
- **Christine D. Blaylock "Sister in Service" Memorial Scholarship (\$300)** – Awarded to a member of Gamma Sigma Chapter who best represents the ideals for "sisterhood in service."

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Albany State, we dearly love you,  
Whose walls are inscribed with knowledge so true.  
So solidly built on this foundation,  
A union of work and inspiration.  
Teacher for those who strive for success;  
To thee we give praises above all the rest.

Thy jubilant colors of blue and gold  
We'll ever honor, ever behold;  
Thy name is an anchor upon life's sea.  
And sailing, we put our trust in thee.  
In thee, dear school, we see all the best;  
To thee we give praises above all the rest.