# STUDENT RESOURCES

# **Campus Map**

The University of Mississippi is a friendly and open campus, widely recognized for its unusual beauty and mix of historic and modern buildings. Our host community, Oxford, is an ideal college town, noted by USA Today as one of "America's Top Six College Towns." For a short virtual tour of the campus please visit <a href="http://www.olemiss.edu/tour/">http://www.olemiss.edu/tour/</a>.

To locate and view specific places on campus including academic buildings, residence halls, and athletic venues, check out <a href="http://www.olemiss.edu/cmap/">http://www.olemiss.edu/cmap/</a>.

# **Information Technology**

Powers Hall • (662) 915-7206 • http://www.olemiss.edu/depts/it/

The Office of Information Technology (IT) offers students a wide array of services, from supercomputers to personal computing support to e-mail accounts and space for creating Web pages. Students may contact the IT Helpdesk <a href="http://www.olemiss.edu/helpdesk/">http://www.olemiss.edu/helpdesk/</a> by phone (662-915-5222), e-mail (helpdesk@olemiss.edu) or walk-in (100 Weir Hall) for technological assistance.

# **Student Media Lab**

The Student Media Lab is available for class / group projects, and practicing your presentations. This lab contains many valuable technology resources for students including:

- Windows based & Apple Computers
- Ceiling mounted projector
- Printing Services

IT maintains public computing labs <a href="http://www.olemiss.edu/itlabs/">http://www.olemiss.edu/itlabs/</a> in the Galtney Center in Weir Hall with approximately 70 desktop units distributed across PC/Windows and Macintosh platforms. These computers are configured with Web browsers, office application software, and other special-purpose programs.

### **Admission to the University**

Martindale Suite A • (662) 915-1185 • FAX (662) 915-5869 • <a href="http://admissions.olemiss.edu/">http://admissions.olemiss.edu/</a> Admission to the university is administered under policies established by state law, the Board of Trustees of State Institutions of Higher Learning, and the university's faculty. Admission requirements are subject to change without notice at the discretion of the Board of Trustees.

# Registrar

Martindale Suite B • (662) 915-7792 • <a href="http://registrar.olemiss.edu/">http://registrar.olemiss.edu/</a>

Responsibilities of the Office of the Registrar include registration of students for classes, recording of class grades on official university records, maintaining and supplying transcripts of students' academic work, and processing course withdrawals.

#### Bursar

202 Martindale • (800) 891-4596 • <a href="http://www.olemiss.edu/depts/bursar/">http://www.olemiss.edu/depts/bursar/</a>

Responsibilities of the Office of the Bursar include the collection, custody, and disbursement of funds for the university.

#### **Financial Aid**

257 Martindale • (800) 891-4596 • http://finaid.olemiss.edu/

In order to be considered for aid, students may be required to submit one or more applications to the Office of Financial Aid and the federal government. Incoming freshmen who wish to be considered for internal scholarships based on academics, leadership, and/or merit must complete the online scholarship application when applying for admission, but no later than the final deadline of April 1 in the year of enrollment. Students wishing to apply for all need-based scholarships and federal aid must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at www.fafsa.ed.gov.

## Office of Student Disability Services

Martindale Suite F • (662) 915-7128 • http://sds.olemiss.edu/

The University of Mississippi is committed to ensuring equal access to an education for enrolled or admitted students who have verified disabilities under Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA).

The office serves those with physical and nonphysical disabilities. University policy calls for reasonable accommodations to be made for eligible students with verified disabilities on an individual and flexible basis. It is the responsibility of students with disabilities to seek available assistance from the university and to make their needs known by contacting the Office of Student Disability Services (SDS) in a timely manner.

# **Health Professions Advising Office**

Martindale Suite Q • (662) 915-1674 • http://healthprofessions.olemiss.edu/

The Office of Health Professions Advising at The University of Mississippi is committed to helping students achieve their professional goals in medicine, dentistry, nursing, optometry, veterinary medicine, and allied health fields, including cytotechnology, dental hygiene, health informatics information management, clinical laboratory science, radiologic sciences, occupational therapy, medical technology and physical therapy.

### **Center for Student Success and First-Year Experience**

Martindale Suite P • (662) 915-5970 • http://cssfye.olemiss.edu/

The Center for Student Success and First-Year Experience (CSSFYE) at The University of Mississippi includes among its duties the development and implementation of academic support services offered to students. CSSFYE advisors place particular emphasis on academic advising, including advisement of students without declared majors as well as advisement and support for freshmen in Accountancy, Applied Sciences, Business, Engineering, and various departments within Liberal Arts.

**EDHE 105** • Freshman Year Experience is designed to help first-year students adjust to the university, develop a better understanding of the learning process, acquire essential survival skills, and begin the major/career exploration process.

**EDHE 305** • Transfer Student Experience is designed to help transfer students adjust to the university setting, develop a better understanding of university learning, and expand on their major/career explorations.

**EDLD 201** • Career Decision Making aids in the development of self-awareness and career/life planning skills through exposure to theories of career development, self-assessment instruments, decision-making models, and occupational exploration.

**Veterans and Military Services •** provides assistance, advocacy, and counseling to veterans, service members, and dependents who are pursuing a degree at Ole Miss.

#### **Career Center**

Martindale Suite I • (662) 915-7174 • http://www.career.olemiss.edu/

The Career Center provides a wide variety of programs for students of differing career needs. The services are offered to help students select a major, develop career goals, identify potential employment opportunities, and learn job search and marketing strategies. Services provided for university students include the following:

**Career Exploration** • Counseling is available for individual career concerns. Several decision-making, interest, and general self-assessment inventories are available.

**EDHE 301** Career and Life Planning is offered to juniors and seniors who desire job search training.

# **Office of International Programs**

331 Martindale • (662) 915-7404 • <a href="http://international.olemiss.edu/">http://international.olemiss.edu/</a>

The Office of International Programs assists international students with admission and placement, arrival services and orientation, counseling, and intercultural, social, and educational activities. The staff support and assist in the organization of intercultural activities and festivals, and other activities to encourage social interaction among students from throughout the world. International document processing and visa advisory services are offered for international students, researchers, staff, and faculty.

# **Division of Outreach and Continuing Education**

E.F. Yerby Conference Center • (662) 915-7282 • <a href="http://www.outreach.olemiss.edu/">http://www.outreach.olemiss.edu/</a>
The Division of Outreach and Continuing Education provides professional development and public service for diverse populations within the state and across the region. The division's courses and programs are offered on and off campus; these include study abroad, institutes, conferences, seminars, and teleconferences for professional development, as well as youth-oriented and general interest activities. Academic credit activities include independent study and online courses and off-campus courses at the Tupelo, Booneville, and Southaven locations.

### **Study Abroad**

318 Martindale • <a href="http://www.outreach.olemiss.edu/study\_abroad/">http://www.outreach.olemiss.edu/study\_abroad/</a> • (662) 915-1508

The university sponsors direct exchange, short-term, and other study abroad opportunities at many locations, in programs originating at the university and through partner institutions.

Participating students in approved programs pay fees to the university, receive University of Mississippi credit, and are considered to be in residence at the university so that grants, loans, and scholarships often may be applied to costs. To qualify for a study abroad program, a student must be in good academic and disciplinary standing and must meet whatever requirements are set by the specific program. An updated list of exchange sites can also be found online.

#### **Croft Institute for International Studies**

304 Croft Institute Building • (662) 915-1500 • <a href="http://croft.olemiss.edu/home/">http://croft.olemiss.edu/home/</a>

The Croft Institute for International Studies promotes teaching, research, and professional development activities regarding international studies. The Croft Institute helps prepare its own

majors and other students at The University of Mississippi for leadership in business, public service, and other fields in an increasingly interdependent world.

# The Sally McDonnell Barksdale Honors College

Honors Center • (662) 915-7294 • http://www.honors.olemiss.edu/

The mission of the Sally McDonnell Barksdale Honors College (SMBHC) is to offer a vibrant center of academic and scholarly excellence in a public university setting. Merging academics with public service, the curriculum is designed for the academically versatile student who enjoys intellectual curiosity. Students from all majors and schools who meet the admission criteria of the college may participate in the program. Admission is based on a combination of considerations: grade-point average; SAT and/or ACT scores; writing ability; commitment to public service; and recommendations of teachers. Students must apply separately to the SMBHC in addition to applying to the university.

# **Lott Leadership Institute**

Lott Leadership Institute • (662) 915-3189 • <a href="http://lottinst.olemiss.edu/">http://lottinst.olemiss.edu/</a>

The Lott Leadership Institute was established in 1999 to honor U.S. Senator Trent Lott, a distinguished graduate of the university. The Lott Institute prepares students to assume positions of leadership in an increasingly complex world and develops a wide range of leadership and outreach programs to enhance the opportunities and lives of our citizens. Through the Lott Institute, the College of Liberal Arts offers a B.A. degree in public policy leadership. The program joins the systematic study of public policy with the study of the leadership qualities necessary for the successful formation and implementation of policy.

# **Psychological Services Center**

G-382 Kinard Hall • (662) 915-7385 • http://www.olemiss.edu/depts/psc/

The Psychological Services Center (PSC) is an outpatient training clinic that serves the University, Oxford, and surrounding communities offering help with family, relationship, and self-concept problems as well as for problems that can be more severe, such as depression, panic attacks, agoraphobia, and sexual assault. PSC therapists are advanced doctoral students in clinical psychology who are supervised by staff psychologists.

### **Student Health Center**

V.B. Harrison Health Center • (662) 915-7274 • <a href="http://healthcenter.olemiss.edu/">http://healthcenter.olemiss.edu/</a> The Student Health Service is a general practice medical clinic providing care to students.

Routine clinic services are provided from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Tuition covers the cost of the office visit of the health care professionals. Prescription and nonprescription drugs, laboratory tests, and X-ray procedures are provided to the student at a nominal fee. Prescriptions are dispensed at the Student Health Pharmacy, and charges may be billed to the student's bursar account, or prescriptions may be filled at local pharmacies. All students born after Jan. 1, 1957, must show proof of two measles and one rubella immunizations prior to registration.

# **University Counseling Center**

320 Lester Hall • (662) 915-3784 • <a href="http://counseling.olemiss.edu/">http://counseling.olemiss.edu/</a>

**Psychological Counseling and Crisis Intervention** • The University Counseling Center is a professional facility available to assist students, faculty, and staff with problems in their lives

that may interrupt day-to-day functioning, such as depression, anxiety, family and relationship problems, alcohol and drug abuse, and other identity and trauma issues. The counselors provide short-term therapy, support groups, and assistance in locating the proper referral sources, if needed. A counselor is on call 24 hours a day for crisis intervention. Counseling staff include licensed professionals and other appropriately trained counselors and therapists.

### **Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning**

106 Hill Hall • (662) 915-5312 • http://cetl.olemiss.edu/

Under the auspices of the Provost Office, the center will work with faculty members to promote good teaching and learning, serving all teaching faculty, including tenure-track faculty, visiting faculty, adjunct faculty and graduate teaching assistants and instructors. Faculty appealing to the center can expect to receive such services as guidance and resources in assembling and maintaining teaching portfolios; individual and confidential consultations regarding course plans, classroom management, presentation content and style; and classroom observations for self-evaluation and improvement.