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## Claflin University Statistics

**13:1**

Student to  
faculty ratio

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**1869**

Year founded

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**66**

student clubs  
and  
organization

**15%**

of student body  
in our Honors College

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**#1**

Rank among HBCUs  
in alumni giving

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**2,000**

Claflin's all-time high  
enrollment of students

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I am thankful for the overwhelming support Claflin University continues to receive from its various stakeholders, including faculty, staff, students, alumni, corporations and foundations. I am convinced one of the reasons is the University is an invaluable investment in the future of our nation.

Our nation's future depends on students like those attending Claflin University, gifted and talented visionary leaders who will make advancements in research, societal issues and public service. I assure you of our commitment to continue to produce the next generation of change agents for the world.

Thanks to your support, Claflin University is building a stronger future. Contributions from donors have enabled the University to offer scholarships to the best and brightest and others who seek a high-quality education. Taught by a world class faculty, they will be prepared and qualified to assume leadership roles for the global challenges ahead.

Your support is greatly appreciated. I am hopeful that Claflin University can count on you in the future in efforts to be recognized as a leading 21st Century institution of higher education that develops a diverse and inclusive community of globally engaged visionary leaders.

The following pages demonstrate our gratitude for your continuous investment in Claflin University.

Henry N. Tisdale '65  
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Thank you for your gifts and investment in Claflin University. Your support is crucial as we strive for excellence and to become one of the premier liberal arts institutions in the nation. It also will enable us to attract the best and brightest students and preserve the Claflin legacy of developing visionaries, men and women with the lifelong desire to transform society through selfless leadership and service.

We also thank all donors for advancing the growth and development of Claflin University. This report includes contributions for the period January 1, 2016 through December 31, 2016.

We appreciate all you do in support of Claflin University.

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# Claflin University Ranked as the Top HBCU in Alumni Giving Percentage by U.S. News and World Report's Short List



Claflin University's leadership in alumni annual giving was recently recognized by U.S. News and World Report's Short List article. Claflin is ranked Number 1 with a 47.7 percent alumni annual giving rate during the two-year period of 2013-14 and 2014-15. The report is based on the 46 historically black colleges/universities that submitted data to the publication in an annual survey.

"This recognition indicates that Claflin alumni are pleased and proud of the University's high-quality education," said President Henry N. Tisdale. "It also reflects the generosity of our alumni who understand the importance of alumni giving. This level of support from our alumni helps enable the University to continue developing a diverse and inclusive community of globally engaged visionary leaders for the 21st century."

Claflin reached a historic plateau in 2013 with its 52.2 percent alumni annual giving rate. For 2016, the University had a 52 percent alumni annual giving rate.

With remarkable alumni support, the University recently celebrated the largest fundraising effort in its history. The "Imagine the Possibilities" Capital Campaign raised \$105 million, exceeding its \$100 million goal.



*Please scan with your smartphone or tablet using a QR code reader to see highlights from the 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Claflin University International Alumni Association Convention.*

## The Bernard Osher Reentry Scholarship



During the 2016-2017 academic school year, 30 Professional and Continuing Studies Program students received The Bernard Osher Reentry Scholarship. This scholarship is for individuals who have experienced an interruption in their education of five or more years who want to resume their education at the undergraduate level.

Priscilla Mintz-Cooke, '17, was a recipient of the Bernard Osher Re-Entry Scholarship. Mintz was also a member of the inaugural class of graduates of Claflin's RN to Bachelor of Science in Nursing Program. She is a clinical coordinator in the operating room at The Regional Medical Center in Orangeburg, S.C. "After completing the extensive coursework in Claflin's nursing program, I am now able to fulfill my dreams of becoming a practitioner," said Mintz-Cooke.



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## Alice Carson Tisdale Honors College Scholars Graduate as Top Ten in Class of 2017



Sakshyam Dahal (pictured second from left), is one of 10 members of the Class of 2017 who achieved cumulative 4.0 grade point averages. Dahal was a computer science major and is now a quality engineer at Apple. He was also a Clafin University Presidential Scholar\*. Pictured left to right: Javan Francis, sport management major; Sakshyam Dahal, computer science major; Joshua Hughes, psychology major; Pradip Khanal, computer science major; Abigael Kosgel, biochemistry major; Brandi Miller, business administration major; Emmanuel Mong, computer science major; Taylor Reynolds, early childhood education major; Jenna Washington, mathematics major; Raven Woods, business administration major; and President Henry N. Tisdale. All 10 were members of the Alice Carson Tisdale Honors College.

### \*Clafin University's Presidential Scholars Program



2016-2017 Presidential Scholars (from left to right): Brandon Sanders, biology major; Chieu Nguyen, digital design major; Sebrena Brink, biology major; Lauren Everett, political science major; Daniel Farquharson, biology major; and Jira White, biochemistry major. Not pictured: Preston Bruce, bioinformatics major; Sakshyam Dahal, computer science major; and Ajaicia Hopkins, biotechnology major."

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# Claflin University Hosts Annual UNCF Community Prayer Breakfast



On October 1, 2016, Claflin University hosted its 16th Annual UNCF Community Prayer Breakfast. In his address, guest speaker Rev. Todd A. Brown, pastor of New Mount Zion Baptist Church in Orangeburg, S.C., referenced UNCF's nationally-recognized slogan "A mind is a terrible thing to waste, but it's a wonderful thing to invest in." "Many of us need to renew our minds and change our way of thinking. We have to get our minds right to be good servants and realize it's not what you get out of life that counts, but what you give that matters."

The breakfast is part of the University's campaign to raise \$60,000 to support student scholarships administered by the UNCF.



## How the UNCF Impacted Dennis Richmond, '17



Dennis Richmond received several UNCF scholarships prior to earning his degree in African American Studies at Claflin's 2017 Commencement. Richmond also earned a minor in Education. He was presented an "Evening of Stars Scholarship" during the UNCF's nationally-televised, celebrity-packed event that raises money to inspire and support the next generation of "Rising Stars, in 2015.

He was also selected to serve as the 2016 UNCF Ambassador for Claflin University. As the UNCF Ambassador, Richmond implemented informational scholarship sessions and encouraged students to apply for UNCF scholarships. Currently, he is attending graduate school in the Sarah Lawrence College Art of Teaching Program in New York.

*Please scan with your smartphone or tablet using a QR code reader to watch Dennis Richmond's story aired on the UNCF Evening of Stars.*



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Sylvia Prioleau  
Carmelita M. Pryor  
Derrick Quarles  
Lurma Rackley  
Elizabeth Ramos  
Amara Ransom  
Otejri Rascoe  
Asfar Rashid  
Carolyn Ravenell  
Joseph Ray  
Valarie Raysor  
Lassan Reaves  
Avery Reddick  
Barbara L. Reid  
Isaac Rice  
Alvin E. Richardson  
Charles W. Richardson  
Demier Z. Richardson  
Jazman Richardson  
Ella M. Richburg  
Theresa Richmond  
John H. Rickenbacker  
Natalie V. Ricks  
Antonio Riley  
Ella Riley  
Janice R. Rivers  
Jonisha Rivers

Kizzy M. Rivers  
Samuel G. Roberson  
Mark A. Roberts  
Rokeeah Robertson  
Xavier M. Robertson  
Annie Robinson  
Clara B. Robinson  
Danielle Robinson  
Henry J. Robinson  
Keenan Robinson  
Shonta Robinson  
Alexis Rogers  
Keysa L. Rogers  
Rayvon Rogers  
Emily Roland  
Benita Rollins  
Edwina Roseboro-Barnes  
Alphonso Ross  
Estate of Ernestine R. Ross  
Amanda Rush  
Patricia D. Ryan  
Alfreda Ryant  
Allison Y. Sabb-Glenn  
Sacajawea Salley  
Rose Samuels  
Babatunde Sanusi  
Juliette D. Satterwhite  
Andra Saxon  
Mary J. Scarborough  
Anton Scott  
Chantel D. Scoville  
Danielle Seawright  
Chasity N. Sello  
Richelle L. Sexton  
Tevin Sheard  
William A. Shepard  
Greg Shields  
Betty C. Shuler  
Harrison Shuler  
Julia Simmons  
Joshua Simon

Dennis Simpson  
Edwin Simpson  
Shaneal Simpson  
Jagreet Singh  
Geraldine S. Singleton  
Keylon Singleton  
Venice T. Singletary  
Barbara C. Sirmans  
Jerame Smalls  
Ruby Smalls  
Bettie J. Smith  
CJ Smith  
Craig K. Smith  
Darrell L. Smith  
Destinee Smith  
Jiimmilia Smith  
Joe Ann Smith  
Kalvin Smith  
Marshae Smith  
Marsheika Smith  
Mary Smith  
Robert Smith  
Shannon Smith  
W. Reeves Smith  
Tcheno Snell  
Jackie T. Snow  
Kaiyona Spann  
Shauna B. Spann  
Eris B. Speights  
De'Tress Spellman  
Brandon Spencer  
Eugene Spencer  
Olando C. Spiller  
Ahila Sriskanda  
Nesan Sriskanda  
Fallon Stanley  
Tashae Sterling  
Christal Stevens  
Donald W. Stevenson  
Owillinda H. Steward  
Ruby K. Stewart

Stanley Stewart  
Anthony Stidam  
Betty Stone  
Rose M. Storman  
Edward Strachan  
Alicia Stuckey  
Samone Stuckey  
Ashley Stukes  
Tanekqua Summers  
Genease F. Summerson  
Jennifer Sumter  
Allegra Sutton  
Janette M. Sweat  
Johnny Sweeney  
Jonathan Sweeney  
Betty H. Sweeper  
Arthur Talley  
Matthew Tant  
Avriel Taylor  
Justin Taylor  
Olivia S. Taylor  
Robin Taylor  
Carol J. Taylor-Allen  
Jameelah Thalley  
Monica Thapaliya  
Alicia Thomas  
Curtis Thomas  
Keyuna M. Thomas  
Beverly H. Thompson  
Jalen Thompson  
Pearl J. Thompson  
Diontravious Thorne  
Stanley Timmons  
Shaniqua Tisdale  
Michael D. Tomson  
Linh Tong  
Anh Tran  
Rachel Troutman  
Carlette Troy  
Alexus Tullock  
Marcia Turner

Alaisha Tyler  
Dion Tyler  
Thomasina C. Tyler  
Susan Ulmer  
Candace Vaughn  
Gail S. Vereen  
Ryan Vice  
James Vigen  
Skyler Waiters  
Mariam Walden  
Gene Walker  
Michelle W. Walker  
Nathan Walker  
Keith Walls  
Annie M. Walters  
Ida W. Walters  
Ivadella D. Walters  
Karen A. Walton  
Portland Ward  
Bertie M. Washington  
Donell Washington  
Edward Washington  
John Washington  
LaToya Washington  
Santrelle Washington  
Trelasha Washington  
Andres Waters  
Ebony Watson  
Lekeshia Watts  
Lekeshia N. Watts  
Morris Waymer  
Sara A. Waymer  
Bridget Webb  
Scorpio Welch  
Alexandria S. Wells  
Larry Wells  
Roberta Wells  
Saidah Whack  
Andre Whaley  
Barbara M. White  
Barry White

Brandon White  
Britney White  
Dia White  
Kaitlyn White  
Mary E. White  
Robert White  
Roberta S. White  
Nashayla Whitten  
Patricia Wilks  
Ayana Williams  
Barbara J. Williams  
Bobby L. Williams  
Charlone Williams  
Diamond Williams  
Ellen M. Williams  
Jacquelyn F. Williams  
James A. Williams  
John K. Williams  
LaQueen Williams  
Mary M. Williams  
Reginald L. Williams  
Ronnie E. Williams  
Sharon J. Williams  
Tanisha Williams  
Jerry Williamson  
Thomas Williamson  
Betty Wilson  
Kimberly Wilson  
Queen E. Wilson  
Robert Wilson  
Ruth Wilson  
Tyrea Wilson  
Minnie Wilson-Bivins  
Anne S. Winstead  
Phyllis J. Wolfe  
Markena Woodberry  
Darien Woods  
Betty J. Wright  
Johnnie Wright  
Philecia Wright  
Ruby J. Wright

Teresa H. Wright  
Stephanie Wyche  
Mary E. Yarborough  
Jacqueline Young  
Shanquel Young  
Theodore Young  
John H. Yow  
Christine B. Zeigler

## Clafin University Board of Visitors Raises Funds for FOCUS100



Board of Visitors

Established by Clafin University's Board of Visitors, The FOCUS100 Scholarship Fund contributes emergency funding assistance to students who might otherwise be forced to forfeit attending school due to short term financial hardships. This scholarship specifically provides tuition fees, housing fees, book stipends and coverage for other unexpected school-related financial emergencies.

The FOCUS100 Scholarship Fund provides a crucial financial bridge allowing students to fulfill their dream of graduating from Clafin University, and helps to eliminate the stress and heartbreak experienced by students forced to terminate degree achievement when personal resources are exhausted.



Johnasten Cooper

"Often times when we pray about things, God already sends the answer. The FOCUS100 scholarship was that answer for me," said Johnasten Cooper, '17, a native of Columbia, S.C. The former Mister Clafin and criminal justice major received the scholarship during a time when it was needed most - after the passing of his dad. Cooper is now employed at Vanguard in Charlotte, N.C. as a client relationship specialist.

To date, more than 1,200 students have been awarded FOCUS100 scholarships.

### 11th Annual Clafin University Golf Classic



Eighty-five golfers participated in the 11th Annual Clafin University Golf Classic that was held on November 17, 2016, at the Orangeburg Country Club as part of Clafin's 2016 Homecoming activities. The tournament is a fundraiser to support FOCUS100 and the Orange and Maroon Athletic Support Association (OMASA) scholarships.

## IN MEMORY OF

Amanda F. Allen	\$375.00
Phillis Anderson	\$200.00
Judy N. Broughton	\$110.00
Lorenzo S. Bryant	\$1,000.00
Harriet C. Dibble	\$375.00
Alzena Robinson	\$25.00
Lilly Rogers	\$30.00
James Dennis	\$25.00
Laverne Dorman Holmes	\$200.00
Rhett Jackson	\$150.00
Vivian Brockman-Swenson	\$400.00
Charles L. Johnson	\$5,000.00
CU Accident Victims	\$5,000.00
Clark Jenkins	\$4,050.00
Louise Jordan	\$100.00
Mildred H. Mack	\$5,000.00
Geneyce McAlister	\$200.00
James R. Lawrence, Sr.	\$700.00
Pauline J. McClam	\$525.00
Leonard A. Jordan	\$1,410.00
Sandra Burney Smalls	\$100.00
Willie Stewart	\$200.00
Michael Stukes	\$300.00
John Benjamin Taylor, Sr.	\$375.00
John Benjamin Taylor, Jr.	\$375.00
Vernell Williams	\$2,900.00
Martin L. Williams	\$100.00

## IN HONOR OF

Mac Arthur Goodwin	\$100.00
Mel & Joyce King	\$1,000.00
Gloria Blackwell	\$40.00
Cynthia Hicks	\$100.00
Alice Behlin	\$500.00

## STUDENTS

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc Gamma Nu Chapter	\$1,000.00
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Clafin University Student Government Association	\$890.00
Clafin University Student Development & Services	\$2,000.00
Delta Alpha Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.	\$400.00
Pre Alumni Council	\$162.35
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$4,452.35</b>

## FRATERNITIES, SORORITIES & ORGANIZATIONS

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. South Atlantic Region	\$1,000.00
Altrusa Club of the Capital City	\$30.00
BASF Corporation	\$146.00
Beta Zeta Omega Chapter	\$2,250.00
Bethel Construction of South Carolina, LLC	\$1,000.00
Boylan Haven Mather Academy	\$875.00
Charleston County Baptist	\$1,200.00
City of Lake City	\$600.00
Combined Federal Campaign	\$443.16
Delta Chi Boule	\$ 2,400.00
Delta Alpha Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc	\$400.00
Delta Omicron Sigma Chapter of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity	\$200.00
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. Orangeburg Alumnae Chapter	\$1,250.00
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. Chester Co. Alumnae Chapter	\$1,000.00
Epworth Children's Home	\$100.00
Forms & Supply, Inc.	\$1,000.00
Friends of Jim Clyburn	\$3,550.00
Granby's Funeral Service, Inc.	\$2,000.00
Improved Speech and Swallow	\$50.00
Koran Temple No. 88	\$100.00
Middleton & Association	\$20.00
Norman's Tile Construction Company	\$50.00
Orangeburg Adult Literacy Council	\$20.00

Orangeburg Chapter of The Links	\$200.00
Paragon Builders, Inc	\$1,000.00
Savannah River Remediation	\$5,000.00
South Carolina Research Authority	\$37,500.00
The Methodist Oaks	\$1,350.00
United Way of the Midlands	\$300.00
Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc Alpha Omicron Zeta Chapter	\$2,250.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$67,214.16</b>

## CHURCHES

Andrew Chapel Methodist	\$200.00
Bethel UMC	\$1,800.00
Biggers AME Church	\$50.00
Buckhead UMC	\$2,000.00
Bushy Pond Baptist Church	\$450.00
Camden First UMC	\$750.00
Canaan UMC (Cope, SC)	\$250.00
Canaan UMC (Ridgeville, SC)	\$25.00
Edisto Fork UMC	\$250.00
Enoch Chapel UMC	\$100.00
First McCanaan Baptist Church	\$125.00
First Presbyterian Church	\$650.00
Francis Burns UMC	\$2,000.00
Friendship MBC	\$1,193.00
General Board of Higher Education & Ministry	\$960,998.17
Greater St. Paul UMC	\$100.00
Hibben UMC	\$100.00
Indian Field UMC	\$100.00
Little David Baptist Church	\$200.00
Macedonia A.M.E. Church	\$190.00
Mt. Carmel Baptist Church	\$100.00
Mt. Hebron UMC	\$100.00
Mt. Nebo UMC	\$100.00
Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church	\$250.00
New Beginnings UMC	\$250.00
New Light UMC	\$500.00
New Mount Zion Baptist	\$500.00

North Orangeburg UMC	\$100.00
Open Hearts UMC	\$25.00
Progressive Church of our Lord Jesus Christ	\$500.00
Saint Mark UMC	\$100.00
Sandhill UMC	\$100.00
Silas UMC	\$600.00
South Carolina Conference UMC	\$403,044.05
St. Johns UMC	\$100.00
St. Luke Presbyterian	\$100.00
St. Matthews Christian Ctr.	\$300.00
St. Paul UMC	\$100.00
Toxaway UMC	\$100.00
Trenholm Road UMC	\$100.00
Trinity United Methodist Church (Orangeburg, SC)	\$2,975.00
United Methodist Women	\$100.00
Virginia Wingard Memorial	\$500.00
Wesley UMC (Moncks Corner, SC)	\$1,200.00
Wesley UMC (Aiken, SC)	\$100.00
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$1,383,475.22</b>

### ENDOWED & MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS

Abney Endowed Scholarship	\$100,000.00
Alpha Kappa Alpha Gamma Nu Endowed	\$12,070.00
Allen-Taylor/Dibble	\$2,200.00
Bethea Scholarship	\$1,000.00
Bolden ESF	\$500.00
Clyde & Sherry Bess ESF	\$600.00
Iris D. Bomar Endowed	\$1,000.00
Juanita Boyd Cooper ESF	\$1,500.00
Britt ESF	\$7,100.00
Boylan Hayen Mather Academy	\$5,076.00
Candis I. Bugg Endowed	\$1,000.00
Canaday ESF	\$13,227.88
Clafin Endowment	\$650.00
James K. Davis Jr. Scholarship	\$1,000.00

John & Georgia Dorman ESF	\$750.00
Dr. Marc S. Maynor Endowed Scholarship Fund	\$740.00
John & Nora Featherston ESF	\$1,000.00
Judge Richard Fields ESF	\$ 2,000.00
Myrtle E. Fields Endowed	\$ 2,000.00
Jessie M. Footmon Perry ESF	\$20,000.00
Frazier/Lee Family ESF	\$9,761.33
Gamma Chi Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority	\$1,922.00
Fred Golden ESF	\$11,000.00
Golden ESF	\$20,479.50
Robert & Catherine Gordon ESF	\$100.00
Blinzy L. Gore ESF	\$1,000.00
Clemmie B. Hatchett Endowed	\$1,400.00
Louis Haywood Endowed	\$2,360.00
Granville Hicks Endowed	\$2,000.00
James Bennett ESF	\$6,000.00
Wilhelmenia Jefferson Endowed	\$25,000.00
The Atty. William H. & Annette Johnson Scientific Award	\$10,000.00
Juliette Byrd ESF	\$1,000.00
Lambda Sigma Endowed	\$9,373.00
Leon Barnes Endowed	\$200.00
Lillie Ruth Jackson ESF	\$900.00
Walter & Laura Moore Endowed	\$5,000.00
Daniel C. Moss, Jr. & Alma Davis Moss ESF	\$1,250.00
Gladys V. Moss Endowed	\$900.00
Rosena E. Murray Future Educator Annual Scholarship	\$1,000.00
Nelson Mullins Riley ESF	\$1,000.00
OMASA/ Athletics ESF	\$1,800.00
Omicron Chapter - Phi Beta Sigma	\$2,170.00
Perry Fogle, Jr. Memorial	\$2,165.00
Roosevelt & Peggy Ratliff ESF	\$50.00
Mary Jane Frierson Richardson	\$1,000.00
Clarence & Learline D. Riley ESF	\$2,400.00
Rufus & Genova Lawrence ESF	\$200.00

Ruth B. Harrison Scholarship.	\$50.00
D.L. Scurry Annual	\$1,000.00
Sodexo Educational	\$100,000.00
Steward Twins Annual	\$490.00
Alice Carson Tisdale Annual	\$4,180.00
Leo & Rosa Twiggs	\$7,000.00
Viola Jefferson Middleton	\$4,340.00
John W. Walker ESF	\$2,500.00
Washington, DC Endowment	\$15,250.00
Frank M. Wilkins ESF	\$1,200.00
Alethia Worthy	\$8,735.00
Julia Wright & Carolyn Lecque	\$1,500.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 441,089.71</b>

### ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIPS

100 Black Men of Greater Columbia Scholarship Fund	\$1,500.00
Aiken County Funding for Scholarships	\$2,500.00
Ake Foundation	\$4,000.00
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Kappa Zeta Omega	\$1,000.00
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. Nu Delta Chapter	\$1,000.00
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.- Upsilon Omega Omega Chapter	\$1,500.00
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc - Beta Zeta Omega	\$2,000.00
Army Emergency Relief	\$2,600.00
Big 7 Association	\$500.00
Blackville Hilda Public Schools	\$1,000.00
Calvary Baptist Church	\$1,000.00
Center of Scholarship Admin, Inc.	\$2,000.00
Central Carolina Community Foundation	\$22,350.00
Chattanooga Chapter of the Links, Inc.	\$3,000.00
Coastal Community Foundation	\$5,200.00
College Foundation-District of Columbia	\$64,000.00

College Now Greater Cleveland, Inc.	\$17,400.00	G/S/A, Inc.	\$5,000.00	Saint John Baptist Church	\$2,000.00
College of Charleston	\$5,000.00	General Board of Higher Education & Ministry	\$12,000.00	SC Broadcaster's Association	\$2,000.00
College Success Foundation	\$7,441.00	George Rogers Foundation of Carolinas	\$2,000.00	SC General Assembly Women's Caucus	\$1,000.00
College Success Foundation-DC	\$12,800.00	Granby's Funeral Service, Inc.	\$2,000.00	Scholarship America	\$3,279.00
Columbia Urban League	\$1,500.00	Harlem Children's Zone-The College Success Office	\$4,720.00	Smart Scholarship Funding Corp.	\$1,500.00
Community Foundation of the Lowcountry	\$1,000.00	Help 4 Kids	\$1,819.85	St. Paul Baptist Church	\$1,000.00
Congressional Black Caucus Foundation, Inc.	\$1,025.00	Hopewell High School JROTC	\$500.00	The College Success Office	\$4,720.00
Corenic Construction Group, LLC	\$1,000.00	Hunter-Kinard Tyler School	\$500.00	The Greater Rome Foundation	\$1,000.00
County of Orangeburg	\$1,000.00	International Scholarship and Tuition Services, Inc.	\$7,764.00	The James Tatum Foundation for the Arts, Inc.	\$1,000.00
Cox Scholarship Fund	\$6,000.00	James E. Clyburn Scholarship & Research Foundation	\$35,000.00	The Nsoro Foundation	\$1,000.00
CSRA Alumni Chapter	\$250.00	James M. & Erma T. Freemont Foundation	\$1,000.00	The Pierians Detroit Michigan Chapter	\$2,000.00
Cynthia Scott	\$5,000.00	Jasper County School District	\$300.00	The Solomon Jackson, Jr. Foundation	\$28,000.00
DC College Foundation	\$2,550.00	John W. Matthews Scholarship Fund	\$1,000.00	The Spartanburg County Foundation	\$4,000.00
Decatur Education Foundation	\$1,000.00	Johnakin High School - Marion Alumni Assoc., Inc.	\$1,000.00	The State Agricultural & Mechanical Society of SC	\$4,500.00
Dell Scholars Program	\$20,000.00	Junior Service League of Orangeburg, Inc.	\$1,500.00	Tulsa Community Foundation	\$2,500.00
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority - Aiken Alumnae Chapter	\$1,000.00	Kiwanis Club of Orangeburg, Inc.	\$1,000.00	United Methodist Higher Education Foundation	\$2,000.00
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority-Columbia	\$1,000.00	Leon & Arline Harman Foundation	\$5,000.00	Urban League of the Upstate, Inc.	\$1,000.00
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority- Columbia, SC Alumnae Chapter	\$1,000.00	Major League Baseball Urban Youth Fund	\$2,500.00	Wando High School Choral Music Boosters	\$2,000.00
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority- Orangeburg Alumnae Chapter	\$1,500.00	Marine Corps Scholarship Foundation, Inc.	\$2,500.00	Watson Brown Foundation, Inc.	\$1,430.00
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. - Aiken Alumnae Chapter	\$2,250.00	Mount Carmel Baptist Church	\$6,000.00	Western Union Pride of the Caribbean Scholarship Program	\$12,500.00
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.- Aiken Alumnae Chapter	\$2,250.00	NASA Epscor SC	\$5,000.00	Wischer, Irene S Education Foundation Reserve Scholarship	\$4,250.00
Greenville Alumnae Chapter	\$1,000.00	New Faith Community Church	\$500.00	Wise Education Foundation	\$1,000.00
Dept. of Education	\$1,000.00	New Hope Baptist Church	\$2,000.00	Yawkey Scholars Program	\$2,000.00
Dept. of the Army -SCSU	\$7,991.00	New Light Beulah Baptist Church	\$300.00		
Dick Horne Foundation	\$26,000.00	Nsoro Educational Foundation, Inc.	\$1,000.00	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$442,389.85</b>
Emily and Ellsworth Austin Educational Trust	\$2,500.00	Nucor Corporation	\$3,200.00		
Enoree River Baptist Congress of Christian Education	\$800.00	Nucor Foundation	\$3,200.00		
Eutawville Community Funeral Home, Inc.	\$500.00	Police Athletic League of Philadelphia, Inc.	\$500.00		
Florence Aff. Counties Baptist Education Union	\$500.00	Prince Hall Freeman and Eastern Star Charitable Foundation, Inc.	\$1,000.00		
Friendship Public Charter School, Inc.	\$250.00				
From the Heart Church Ministries, Inc.	\$1,500.00				



**FOUNDATIONS, CORPORATIONS,  
BANKS AND BUSINESSES**

Aflac	\$30,000.00
America Honda Motor Company	\$10,500.00
Armed Forces Bank	\$210.00
AT&T of SC	\$10,000.00
Bank of America Foundation	\$3,000.00
BWC Consulting, LLC	\$1,000.00
Central Carolina Community Foundation	\$2,884.31
Cherry Bekaert & Holland	\$750.00
Chris Canty Foundation	\$1,000.00
City of Anderson	\$450.00
Coastal Community Foundation	\$5,200.00
CPM Federal Credit Union	\$250.00
Crankstart Foundation	\$50,000.00
D.L. Scurry Foundation	\$1,000.00
Dash Funeral Home	\$500.00
Davita Total Renal Care, Inc.	\$2,000.00
Dept. of Public Utilities	\$250.00
DG Marketing LLC	\$108.00
Dow Chemical Company	\$250.00
Dr. Brandon J. Hagan DMD	\$300.00
Duke Energy Foundation	\$2,200.00
Eastern Bank Charitable Foundation	\$1,000.00
Edisto Engineers Surveyors	\$200.00
Edisto Federal Credit Union	\$820.00
Elam Financial Group	\$250.00
G Mart	\$40.00
Gaylord & Dorothy Donnelly Foundation	\$50,000.00
Georgetown Auto Parts, Inc.	\$25.00
Gordon's Shoe Shop & Tax Service	\$20.00
Hawkins Investment Group	\$600.00
Health Force, LLC	\$600.00
Hickory Lakes Estates Owners Association, Inc.	\$100.00
Horizon Data Management System	\$50.00
House of Alpha Foundation	\$1,000.00

IBM International Foundation	\$5,000.00
Imara Communications Group, Inc.	\$500.00
International Paper Co. Foundation	\$238.41
Jamison's Pharmacy	\$7,750.00
Joe Jefferson for House 102	\$400.00
JS & L Properties, Inc.	\$50.00
Kashiba Enterprise	\$250.00
Law Offices of Ronnie A. Sabb, LLC	\$100.00
Lawrence J. Needle, PA	\$200.00
Lee Foundation	\$500.00
Leevy's Funeral Home	\$1,000.00
Leidos, Inc.	\$600.00
Lettie Pate Whitehead Foundation	\$105,000.00
Midlands Authority for Conventions, Sports & Tours	\$100.00
National Procurement Services, LLC	\$75.00
Neland Development, Co. Inc	\$150.00
Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough, L.L.P.	\$15,000.00
New America Corporation	\$320.00
New Perspectives Media Association	\$400.00
New York Life Foundation	\$10.00
Norfolk Southern Foundation	\$12,500.00
O.B.C. Home Builders Association	\$120.00
Orangeburg Cty. Consolidated District Four	\$55.00
Orangeburg Cty. Development Commission	\$300.00
Orangeburg Cty. DSS	\$550.00
Orangeburg Cty. School District Five	\$320.00
Orangeburg Kiddie Kollege	\$110.00
Orangeburg Wesley Foundation	\$450.00
Orion Construction Company Inc.	\$150.00
Palmetto Ford, Inc.	\$300.00
Palmetto Health Alliance	\$600.00
Plumbine Commun, LLC	\$100.00
RB Todd & Associates, Inc.	\$250.00
Savannah River Remediation, LLC	\$5,000.00
Sealed Air	\$2,000.00
Showa Denko Carbon, Inc.	\$4,000.00

Simmons Funeral Home, Inc.	\$250.00
Sodexo, Inc. Affiliates	\$211,000.00
SC United Foundation, Inc.	\$11,184.40
South State	\$2,750.00
Southern Mutual Church Insurance Company	\$8,700.00
State Farm Companies Foundation	\$950.00
Sunshine Lady Foundation, Inc.	\$5,000.00
Sweet's Discount Tire & Complete Auto	\$50.00
Synchrony Financial	\$500.00
Ted Wilson, Jr. Group LLC	\$750.00
The Abney Foundation	\$100,000.00
The Boeing Company	\$1,251.38
The Chapman Foundation	\$1,500.00
The Frazier Family Foundation	\$3,000.00
The Housing Authority of the City of Columbia, SC	\$600.00
The Music Doctor	\$165.00
The Okonite Company	\$450.00
The Regional Medical Center	\$8,800.00
The Rotonda Banquet Facility	\$55.00
The Times and Democrat	\$50.00
Tom Joyner Foundation, Inc.	\$20,000.00
Unique Gallery and Frame Shop	\$50.00
Universal Benefits	\$250.00
Verizon Foundation	\$500.00
Watson-Brown Foundation, Inc.	\$1,500.00
Wells Fargo Foundation	\$349.05
Williams Funeral Home, Inc.	\$100.00
Williamson Printing, Inc.	\$540.00
Wilson Termite & Pest Control	\$1,000.00
Winn Dixie Stores, Inc.	\$5,000.00
Xerox Foundation	\$30,000.00
Zeus Industrial Products, Inc.	\$125,000.00
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$882,300.55</b>

## CLASS REPORTS

**Class of 1937**           **\$1,500.00**  
Marie F. Saxon

**Class of 1938**           **\$147.00**  
Lillian L. Thomas

**Class of 1942**           **\$500.00**  
Eddie Mitchell Lebby

**Class of 1943**           **\$625.00**  
Clemmie Barnes Hatchett

**Class of 1946**           **\$347.00**  
Nellie Y. Brown

**Class of 1948**           **\$4,235.00**  
Juanita Boyd Cooper  
Ruth Hubbard Robinson  
Mattie McAllister Singletary

**Class of 1949**           **\$147.00**  
Olivian Gregg Clemmons

**Class of 1950**           **\$817.00**  
Ellen Ligons Cunningham  
Sarah Coger Leonard  
Novice Coger Manigault  
Elizabeth McMillan Rose  
Juanita Jackson Smart

**Class of 1951**           **\$5,541.00**  
Walter R. Allen  
Janie P. Burgess  
Juliet Evans Burnett  
James Felder  
Willie E. Ford  
Hattie Miller Fulton  
Zula M. Johnson  
Marie Jenkins Jones

Rubena Stoney Kemp  
Lydia Pelzer Kirkland  
William A. Purvis

**Class of 1952**           **\$5,515.00**  
Zenobia Jenkins Brown  
Ernest A. Finney  
Ruth Bradley Harrison

**Class of 1953**           **\$5,147.00**  
Edna L. Calhoun  
Almena Lucas Myers

**Class of 1954**           **\$29,952.00**  
Lela Montgomery Austin  
Annie L. Kennerly Bolden  
Birdadean Jamison Calhoun  
Arthur M. Gilliard  
Wilhelmenia Joyner Jefferson  
James Mack  
James E. Tolbert

**Class of 1955**           **\$3,127.00**  
Rubielee Lawrence Addison  
Margaret Berry Baylor  
Richard K. Blake  
Clantis Graham Butler  
Sarah Presley Fogan  
Carrie M. Nicholson  
Robert G. Reynolds  
Thomas Ann Rice  
Lula Dirton Thomas  
Andrew A. Wilson  
Vernell V. Wright

**Class of 1956**           **\$20,154.00**  
Nora Owens Barr  
Florence T. Brandyburg  
Juliette W. Byrd  
Ida V. Burroughs Gaddy  
John W. Heyward, Jr.

Norman Jamison  
Elizabeth Chandler Johnson  
Georgia Hook Johnson  
Walter R. Lowery  
Lorrie Smart Mack  
Ethel Rogers Mitchell  
Alma Davis Moss  
Doris Calhoun Nickoles  
Elizabeth G. Salley  
Leo F. Twiggs  
Ellen Shaw Wright

**Class of 1957**           **\$6,380.00**  
Artis Baskin  
Ellison E. Brown  
Bessie Ford Butler  
Maggie Inman Carmichael  
Willie G. Gamble  
Granville A. Hicks  
Hester Cooper Smith

**Class of 1958**           **\$3,255.00**  
Nellie Chambers Bradley  
Deloris Burnett  
Clyde M. Johnson  
Gladys Williams Moss  
Sarah J. Murray Perry  
Marjorie Tobin Pough  
Rosco Twiggs  
Ethel C. Williams

**Class of 1959**           **\$29,227.00**  
Clifton H. Anderson  
Harnetha Lee Benson  
Roosevelt Bryant  
Candis Williamson Bugg  
Louis T. Cannon  
Thomas Colter  
Jessie Oliver Cook  
Rebecca Holback Cunningham  
John B. Cunningham

Peggy Heyward Farmer  
Burnett C. Grayson  
Eartha Kizer Hubbard  
Franklin D. James  
Ruth E. Jordan  
Jeremiah Judge  
Donnell Stanley Keitt  
George F. Manigo  
Leslie H. McIver  
Shirley A. McPherson  
Edward R. Newton  
John C. Pearson  
Dozier Thomas

**Class of 1960**           **\$15,638.00**  
Hennie Wannamaker Blackman  
Mamie Greene Bostic  
Norvell Chambers  
Bernice Rhodes Dessauere  
Shirley Leonard Dunham  
Thomas W. Gaither  
Herman K. Gaither  
Wm. Henry Hammond  
Mattie S. Jefferson  
Shirley Cooper Johnson  
Mamie Dash Logan  
Henry L. Mack  
Myrtle Williamson Pollard  
Cecil J. Williams  
Harry L. Wright  
Mary J. Wright  
John Young

**Class of 1961**           **\$13,322.00**  
Dorothy Zimmerman Elmore  
Fred Golden  
Robert T. Jones  
Lillie Cobbs King  
Marion E. Mack  
Gladys P. Morgan-Bell  
Paul Waring

## Meet the Darla Moore Scholars

In December 2012, South Carolina's most prominent philanthropist and business leader, Darla Moore, committed \$1 million to Claflin University's Department of Music. The gift was used to establish an endowed scholarship fund for students in the University's nationally accredited music program which offers Bachelor of Arts degrees in music and music education. "This is an investment, and with investments, you not only expect a return, you do your homework up front to ensure you get a solid return," said Moore. "This is what I desire with my investment - the opportunity to open the door to success to as many young people as possible," she said.



Ivana Butler



Christoph McFadden



Ivana Butler

Ivana Butler is a freshman music education major with a concentration in voice. She grew up in Detroit, Mich., and attended Detroit School of Performing Arts High School where she graduated with a 3.6 GPA. She was a member of the Rackham Symphony Internship Program and the Achievers Ladies Ensemble for three years. She was inspired by her elementary music teacher, Mrs. Anderson, and middle school music teachers, Ms. Valendie and Mrs. Malabed to study music education. "All three of these wonderful ladies inspired me to choose my current major," she said. Upon graduating from Claflin, Butler aspires to attend graduate school for voice performance and to earn a master's degree in music education. She is very passionate about opera and the fact that it consists of many arts forms. She hopes to one day be a huge part of the world of opera. "Pursue what you are passionate about so that you will not work for the rest of your life, but live," she said.



Christoph McFadden

Christoph McFadden is a freshman music major with a concentration in voice. A native of Atlanta, Georgia he graduated from Martha Ellen Stilwell School of the Arts with a 3.7 GPA. As a child, Christoph was reared by a father who was a singer and lover of music. His father shared his passion for music and required McFadden to take piano lessons and learn about other instruments. "I found singing to be the most fulfilling outlet and I as I got older, I started to aspire to share the gift of music with the world," stated McFadden. Upon graduation from Claflin, he plans to earn a master's degree in contemporary music with a global jazz concentration from Berklee College of Music in Boston, Mass. "I believe that music is God's gift to the world, and serves as a conduit through which lives can be transformed," he said. His ultimate goal is to become a full-time singer and eventually a part time vocal coach.

**Class of 1962** **\$6,297.00**

Ruth Malachi Barrentine  
 Louise Glover Hollington  
 Annie Sue Henry Jackson  
 Emmaline Manning Page  
 Dorothy Middleton Satterwhite  
 Shellie Stroman  
 Betty Prince Sumter  
 Hattie Mitchell Whitmire

**Class of 1963** **\$12,173.00**

Marian G. Anderson  
 Willie O. Jamison Bouie  
 Annie Washington Burgess  
 Vergie Byrd Cowans  
 Glenda Gaither Davis  
 Gracie Days Dolly  
 Lillie R. Edwards  
 James Gallman  
 Margaret Moses Gass  
 Louie Golden  
 Sadie Davis Jarvis  
 Darius Thomas  
 Gertie Cooke Tillerson  
 Burnett T. Vanish  
 Gwendolyn Smith White

**Class of 1964** **\$8,113.50**

Robert B. Booker  
 Melvin D. Cowans  
 Charles W. Ellis  
 Eula Fulmore Gipson  
 Bernard Haire  
 Mattie Murray Mallory  
 Henry Murdaugh  
 Ernestine L. Neal-Ricks  
 William C. Price  
 Booker T. Whetstone  
 Flora B. Campbell Wilkins  
 Frank M. Wilkins

**Class of 1965** **\$38,922.26**

Essie M. Brown  
 Juanita Johnson Davis  
 James M. Epps  
 Ida Tate Haywood  
 Gertrude Stewart Johnson  
 Arthur Jones  
 Betty Pearson Malloy  
 Nannie Manigault  
 James Moss  
 Mildred Day Rose  
 Tryphenia Sumter Speed  
 Joseph Stroman  
 Henry N. Tisdale  
 Dorothy B. Wanton  
 Doris Bankhead Wilkins  
 Nancy Wilson Young

**Class of 1966** **\$27,876.00**

Joan Johnson Askew  
 Wallace M. Bartelle  
 Barbara Gass Bowman  
 Gloria Ponds Brewer  
 Loretta Hicks Brown  
 Wilhelmenia S. Brown  
 Mattie E. Curry Cheek  
 Willie C. Coleman  
 Carnell Collins  
 Barbara Leyfath Danner  
 Sophie Richardson Davis  
 John H. Elliott  
 Rosamae L. Emily  
 Alfonzo Greene  
 Ghussan Rouse Greene  
 Corrie L. Gregg  
 Betty Bolger Harrison  
 Cornell J. Harrison  
 Berniece Stokes Johnson  
 Charles L. Johnson  
 Boncile McCollum  
 Peytrienne G. McCormick

Robert Miller  
 Walter H. Moore  
 James O'Berry  
 Dorothy A. Pompey  
 Clarence Reid  
 Joan G. Session  
 Thomasena Watkins  
 Carol Spriggs Wilkins

**Class of 1967** **\$36,298.00**

Dorie N. Boyce  
 Allen G. Britt  
 Alma L. Cooper  
 Samuel B. Cooper  
 Theresa Thompson Davis  
 Virdeena Britt Dawkins  
 Estelle Gelzer Gerald  
 Robert C. Gerald  
 Johnny N. Jackson  
 Ruth M. Kelly  
 Delona Jamison Kindell  
 Carolyn E. Lecque  
 Mary Dunlap Lloyd  
 Mae Smalls Middleton  
 Joyce Tyler Parrish  
 Patricia Hayes Patterson  
 Susie Wiggins Sexton  
 Johnny Sweeney  
 Gustena Keels Tucker  
 Earline Haywood Ulmer  
 Julia Richardson Wright

**Class of 1968** **\$7,293.00**

Mary Settles Adams  
 Ruth Sanders Bowman  
 Judy T. Buck  
 Mack H. Burgess  
 Shirley Matthews Crisp  
 Maxine Robinson Cunningham  
 Rose A. Frederick  
 Lorena Brown Fuller

Macon A. Gardner  
 Nellie Kirkland Jenkins  
 Carolyn Wells Johnson  
 Patricia Ponds Lee  
 Jessie R. Henderson Littlejohn  
 Louis Mayrant  
 Ernest Moore  
 Willia Hilliard Pauling  
 Thelma M. Stanton  
 Bertha Mack Sullivan  
 Aubrey Tucker

**Class of 1969** **\$13,602.00**

Dorothy Allen-Greene  
 Barbara Brandyburg-Furness  
 Myril Primus Brown  
 Genevieve Fulton Burgess  
 Hessie Dykes Davis  
 Lamoris Eagleton  
 Kenneth W. Elliott  
 Jacqueline S. Gadsden  
 Gary L. Jackson  
 Delories Ford James  
 Betty Jenkins-Graham  
 Louis J. Jones  
 Freddie Kirkland  
 Margaret McDonald  
 Benjamin D. Snoddy  
 Isaac Templeton, Jr.  
 Ollie Thompson-Brisbane  
 Gertie Long Tippitt

**Class of 1970** **\$19,864.99**

George Alexander  
 Clyde A. Bess  
 Lee C. Bines  
 Rose M. Bland  
 Cynthia F. Blume  
 Vera Bodison  
 Shirley Bonaparte  
 Linda Tucker Booker

Joan Robinson Bradley  
 Joseph H. Brandenburg  
 Gloria A. Glover Breland  
 John C. Broughton  
 Bessie Berry Cleckley  
 Vernetta Pinkney Frederick  
 Carolyn Bradley Gass  
 Christine Donna McPherson Harris  
 Shirley A. Hugee  
 Joseph H. Jefferson  
 Liz Zimmerman Keitt  
 Ronald A. Ravenell  
 Corine C. Crawford Rawlison  
 Joan Steward-Stevens  
 Jennifer Green White  
 Patricia J. Williams

**Class of 1971**                    **\$16,255.44**

Juanita Bamberg Baker  
 Jeremiah A. Berry  
 Sherry Young Bess  
 Eddie C. Bines  
 Brenda Davis Bines-Watson  
 Lillie A. Bonnette  
 Willie L. Burgess  
 Mattie Jackson Burroughs  
 Gertrude E. Campbell  
 James D. Cannon  
 Harvey E. Choplin  
 Mamie J. Davis  
 Mary Thomas DePass  
 Kenneth Faison  
 Gerald J. Gadsden  
 Loretta McClain Green  
 Shirley Lester Halley  
 Mary Williams Harper  
 Jessica J. Hawkins  
 Roger Hudson  
 Harry L. Jenkins  
 Cassandra A. Jenkins  
 Rosa W. Kennerly-Dance

Amelia Lance  
 Mazie Glover Lewis  
 Martha M. Logan  
 Margaret McClam Lockett  
 Earline F. McClary  
 Samuel Neely  
 Paul E. Nelson  
 Lorine W. Pressley  
 Cathelyn P. Quick  
 Bernice Reynolds Scott  
 Lois A. Thompson  
 Verlie A. Tisdale  
 Frank Tucker  
 Veronica C. Vincent  
 Mary C. Washington Wilson  
 Audrey L. Wilborn  
 Connie D. Williams  
 Fred T. Williams  
 Margaret F. Williams

**Class of 1972**                    **\$43,759.00**

Deborah Stackhouse Armfield  
 Mary Green Blake  
 Eula Graham Brown  
 Bessie Haywood Byrd  
 Clay Sandra Bryant Dash  
 Linton Davis  
 Carrie Davis-Green  
 Leonia Penson Gray  
 Barbara McCray Hay  
 William H. Johnson  
 Barbara Kelly  
 Gloria Kinney Kirkland  
 George F. Lee  
 Larry D. McCutcheon  
 Franklin Murray  
 Stanley Newton  
 Zenobia Kearns Perkins  
 Kenneth B. & Carol R. Pinkney  
 Caesar R. Richburg  
 Ella M. Richburg

Henry J. Robinson  
 Martha McCord Robinson  
 Trinidad White Thomas  
 Dennis Thompson  
 Mary Swinton White  
 Edith Williams  
 Carolyn Middleton Young

**Class of 1973**                    **\$20,296.00**

Alvin Belton  
 William F. Blue  
 Bobby C. Brockman  
 Walter Butler  
 Barbara Pryor Elliott  
 Genar Flowers Faulk  
 Ida Evans Frasier  
 Jerry Harrison  
 Thelma Johnson Hudson  
 Deloris J. Jackson  
 Connie Leonard Kennedy  
 Wilma Cave Lee  
 Rowena Green Loadholt  
 Gwendolyn Tyler McClam  
 Mack C. McClam  
 Priscilla Hudson McClellan  
 Michael R. McKnight  
 Lillie Middleton  
 Whittaker V. Middleton  
 Katie McMillan Miller  
 Thomas J. Pearson  
 Bernice Pelzer  
 Estella Thomas Rickenbacker  
 Sylvia Ballenger Robinson  
 Carol C. Singletary  
 Alzine Houser Smith  
 Vernon Wallace  
 Bertie Brown Washington  
 Bronco Wilkes-Crooke  
 Mary Broughton Williams  
 JoAnn Pouncey Williamson  
 Charles K. Wilson

**Class of 1974**                    **\$10,578.00**

Ruth Aiken  
 Joann Richardson Berry  
 Connie Johnson Bowman  
 Leon Bradley  
 Howard C. Butler  
 Bernard Coaxum  
 James Frederick  
 Dorothy Fulmore  
 James Hanna  
 Louis Haywood  
 Carolyn Pearson Jenkins  
 Brenda R. Milton  
 Mattie Mack Mitchell  
 Betty Brunson Moses  
 Hazel Rivers Richberg  
 Betty Rush-Robinson  
 Jimmie Blake Shuler  
 Georgia Cato Walters  
 Dorothy White-Rouse  
 Vernell Waymer Williams  
 Mildred M. Wilson

**Class of 1975**                    **\$31,319.38**

Vannie D. Barr-Fisher  
 Clara Bookhardt Butler  
 Louise Cohen Conner  
 Olympia Fashion Jenkins  
 Frances Simon Fields  
 Willie L. Frazier  
 Michael V. Gamble  
 John Gooden  
 Arthurmae Simmons Gray  
 Lloyd A. Grimes  
 Moses L. Harvin  
 Hezekiah L. Hayes  
 Doris Tucker Jenkins  
 Nealie L. Johnson  
 Lether Johnson-Brock  
 Margie Zeigler Kennebrew  
 Lauretta Johnson Little

Anna Ruth Johnson McLendon  
 Vela McClam Mitchell  
 Paulette Sumter Morgan  
 Dorothy Larrimore Sanders  
 Edward Washington  
 Lisbon Williams  
 Gladys Livingston Wolfe

**Class of 1976**                   **\$17,161.00**

Loretta Martino Anderson  
 Betty A. Charles Barr  
 Alice M. Behlin  
 Gwendolyn Boyd Bright  
 Elizabeth Tisdale Brooks  
 James Ronald Brown  
 Lawrence Dagadu  
 Linda C. Dogan  
 Joyce Grant Gamble  
 Delores Dantzler Greene  
 Gwendolyn Hart  
 Gerald O. Henderson  
 Barney R. Jackson  
 Alvin C. Jones  
 Portia Jones-Jennings  
 Pat S. Kelly  
 Sheila Gadson Kennedy  
 Matlean Knotts  
 Nancy Perry Laribo  
 Saundra Taylor Linen  
 James E. McFarland  
 Maurice V. Mitchell  
 Ralph A. Martino  
 Dianne Darby Paul  
 Josie Reed Pough  
 Margaree Jenkins Richardson  
 Gail A. Richardson  
 Sam Richardson  
 Berty Riley  
 Karen Alford Walton  
 Lillian Hymes Washington

Donna Chisolm Williams  
 Jacquelyn Ford Williams

**Class of 1977**                   **\$6,856.00**

Henry Cobb  
 Lisa-Faye Gambrell-Burns  
 Harriett A. Haigler  
 Laverne Jackson Harvey  
 John O. Herring  
 Zelda Mention Lee  
 Daniel L. Lockamy  
 Janelle Sistrunk Mitchell  
 Linda D. Peeler  
 Dedra Blending Simmons  
 Janice Andrews Singletary  
 Jack C. Washington  
 Paul B. Wilson

**Class of 1978**                   **\$3,995.00**

Pamela Tisdale Anderson  
 Jo H. Baker  
 Charles E. Carter  
 Warren Dukes  
 Sylvia Green Ellis  
 Brenda Hearn Esau  
 Larry C. Hayes  
 Everleen Keller McFadden  
 Margarine Thomas Mungin  
 George Myers  
 Ruby Senior  
 Christine Berry Zeigler

**Class of 1979**                   **\$2,867.00**

Calvin Alston  
 Marilyn Gibbs Drayton  
 Sharon Ellison  
 Vanessa Hugee Ellison  
 Betty Dantzler Fludd  
 Jimmie Dean Frazier  
 Kenneth Gibson

Nancy Elaine Hopkins  
 Ethel Breeland Moseley  
 Frank Murph

**Class of 1980**                   **\$4,251.65**

Cynthia Anderson  
 Wayne Beauford  
 Norman A. Brown  
 Juliana Covington Brown  
 Leroy C. Fogle  
 Patricia White Howell  
 Louella Johnson Haymon  
 James A. Mack  
 Carolyn Mitchell  
 Mary Simmon  
 Lorraine Geddis White

**Class of 1981**                   **\$2,160.00**

Bernice Davis Cooper  
 Dorothy L. Johnson  
 Elizabeth Ellison Jones  
 Donna M. Smurtherman  
 Betty Smith White  
 Alice Rebecca Wilson

**Class of 1982**                   **\$1,160.00**

Timothy K. Brown  
 Gloria A. Lee Hawkins

**Class of 1983**                   **\$3,900.00**

Michael C. Butler  
 Carolyn Dupree  
 Audrey Willoughby Foster  
 Barbara Hamlin Gainer  
 Alfredia Freeman McClellan  
 Carolyn Riley Snell  
 Ivadella D. Walters

**Class of 1984**                   **\$1,552.00**

Wendell Anderson  
 Patricia Watson Brown

Vera Pope Campbell  
 Evelyn Epps Davis  
 Eric Hill  
 Albert B. Jones  
 Karen Watson Nelson  
 Anthony Phyllall  
 Veronica Robertson  
 James E. Stevenson  
 Sadie Jones Whitfield  
 Bobby L. Williams  
 Teresa Harvin Wright

**Class of 1986**                   **\$761.00**

Clarence L.B. Addison  
 Linda G. Gladden  
 Cassandra V. Brockington  
 Allen Jackson  
 Willie L. Lewis  
 Shauna Spann

**Class of 1987**                   **\$2,182.00**

Herbert W. Beard  
 Charlotte M. Blair  
 Levern Reese Lewis  
 Carl A. Oliver  
 Brenda N. Singleton  
 Valerie R. Watson

**Class of 1988**                   **\$400.00**

Margaret Butler  
 Robert Tyrone Simmons  
 Malissa Wright

**Class of 1989**                   **\$100.00**

Tammy Gilchrist Watts

**Class of 1990**                   **\$1,307.00**

Margie Ayers  
 Nathan Chaplin  
 Teresa Ford

# First Lady's Hats and Gloves Scholarship Tea at Claflin Celebrates Visionary Women Who Lead



From left to right: Mrs. Emma L. Harvin, Brandi C. Taylor, Melody K. Rivers, PennShelia L. Griffin and Mrs. Alice Carson Tisdale

The First Lady's Hats and Gloves Scholarship Tea is held annually in March as part of Claflin's celebration of National Women's History Month. Proceeds from the event benefit the Alice Carson Tisdale Scholarship.



PennShelia L. Griffin

Sophomore PennShelia L. Griffin, is a recent scholarship recipient of the 11th annual First Lady's Hats and Gloves Scholarship Tea. The Yamesse, S.C., native is active on campus and in the community and prides herself on academic excellence. During her freshman year, the human performance and recreation major set a goal of becoming a member of the Alice Carson Tisdale Honors College and obtaining scholarships to offset her financial needs. "I applied to every

scholarship that I could find because I was worried about how I would pay for college. I discovered the First Lady's Hats and Gloves Tea

Scholarship and applied," stated Griffin. Griffin's award-winning essay on African - American journalist, Ida B. Wells and was among the three essays chosen for the 2017 First Lady's Hats and Gloves Tea Scholarship.

In addition to receiving the Hats and Gloves Tea Scholarship, Griffin also accomplished her goal of becoming a member of the Alice Carson Tisdale Honors College. Griffin worked hard and ended her freshman year with a 4.0 GPA.

Her commitment to excellence goes beyond the walls of the classroom and is seen in her community service involvement. Griffin serves in organizations such as M.I.S.S. Women's Group, the psychology club, honors council, and the National Society of Leadership and Success. She also serves as the sophomore class secretary.

Additionally, her community service involvement spans from the Orangeburg community and her hometown. Griffin volunteers at the local Boys and Girls Club, a nursing home, an elementary school and various donation drives. Griffin also participated in the Mental Health Awareness Day on Claflin's campus. "Being active on campus and in the community is very important to me. I love serving others and learning from a variety of individuals," she said.

After graduating from Claflin, Griffin's goal is to attend medical school and become a physical therapist.



Cherrilyn Jenice Keaise  
Warren Murdock

**Class of 1991** **\$4,920.00**

Vickey M. Brown  
Melissa Green-Parker  
Charles D. Mills  
Alvin E. Richardson

**Class of 1992** **\$5,037.00**

Angela Bruno Andrews  
Willie Byrd  
Robin Dease  
Bryon Faulk  
Melissa Hughes Felder  
Kristen Wofford Fountain  
Michelle D. Jackson  
Shiela M. Keaise  
Larry Rivers  
Bobby Shaw

**Class of 1993** **\$827.00**

Michael L. Ellis  
Sandy Fields  
Roosevelt Geddis  
Minerva Hughes Jones  
Cristal Miller  
Abraham Nesmith  
Raynard Salley

**Class of 1994** **\$955.29**

Nicole Bruce  
Keith Hunter

**Class of 1995** **\$1,256.00**

Muhammed I. Bey  
Michelle Y. Daniels  
Kershena Dickey  
Clay E. Johnson  
Craig K. Smith  
Tangela Byrd Solomon

Eris Buxton Speights  
Eric Warren  
Harriet R. Young

**Class of 1996** **\$1,096.00**

Marcus H. Burgess  
Tammy P. Gibbs  
Monica Lyles Greene  
Tony L. Hemingway  
Urika M. Randolph  
Sharlonda L. Tullock

**Class of 1997** **\$1,010.00**

Kevyn J. Amos  
Raven Fleming Brannon  
Alfricquea Holman Fields  
Michiko G. McClary  
DeJuan N. Robinson  
Tonya A. Sanders

**Class of 1998** **\$1,494.00**

Amy Belton  
Keisha Cohen  
Jarrard N. Coleman  
Christopher K. Dickey  
Denise Corrine Dudley  
Latecia Long  
Epechal T. Smalls

**Class of 1999** **\$5,990.00**

Spencer R. Anderson  
LaShay Montgomery Austin  
Andrea Green Felder  
Treavor M. Haywood  
Andrana C. Lee  
Roberta Sonsaray White  
Betty Adams Wright

**Class of 2000** **\$1,320.00**

James B. Bennett  
Cynthia C. Felder

Laurtiza Salley Hill  
Tennille Jean-Paul  
Ericka L. Rhett

**Class of 2001** **\$1,701.00**

Timothy Alston  
Victoria Boyd  
Rochelle Yvette Jackson  
Kizzy Megayle Rivers

**Class of 2002** **\$1,527.85**

Travis D. Boyce  
Tiffany Simmons Goodson  
Hattie Jamison Harmon  
Temeshia L. Johnson  
Kevin M. Johnson  
Valanti C. Pelzer  
Titus I. Perry  
Betty Johnson Pringle  
Pamela Grant Shuler  
Annie H. Sistrunk  
Annie M. Walters

**Class of 2003** **\$2,252.00**

Dewan P. Andrews  
Antoine P. Barnes  
Anthony P. Barnes  
Yolanda C. Brown  
Samantha J. DeLoache  
Ashley N. Elliott  
Sanlare' Thomas Gordon  
Shana C. Graham  
Andrea Oliver Grant  
Walter A. Harley  
Donavan L. Moten  
Genease F. Summerson

**Class of 2004** **\$991.00**

Sharika Cooper  
Angela J. Dash  
Konist Davis-Johnson

Luvette D. Haigler  
Dwana D. Lee  
Leon C. Prieto  
Avion Hackett Rhoden  
Richelle L. Sexton

**Class of 2005** **\$2,279.16**

Nankwanga Cherry  
LeAna F. DeLoache  
Janet Felder Fields  
Paula D. Hampton  
Michelle McGill  
QueWanda A. Middleton  
Shalonda Myers Oliver  
Stephon C. Void  
Yolanda L. Williams

**Class of 2006** **\$3,004.00**

Courtney Gaillard Bradley  
Kawaii R. Elliott  
Jessica R. Fountain  
Sandra Powell Jordan  
Ruby E. Manuel  
Ernest B. Mensah  
Amber J. Nelson  
Allison Y. Sabb-Glenn  
Larry Williams

**Class of 2007** **\$2,489.00**

Akeem Boneparte  
Ruthie Washington Guinyard  
Jaylynn A. Johnson  
Brandon L. Mack  
Carlos Primus  
Devin L. Randolph  
Darrell L. Smith  
Mariam Walden  
Ronnie E. Williams  
Sierra Williams  
Maurice A. Williams



**Class of 2008** **\$1,882.57**

Veronica M. Chestnut  
 Jason L. Coakley  
 Jelissa D. Conway  
 Brittany Deas  
 Ashley Brown Faber  
 Cherise Frazier  
 Latoya Glen  
 Brenda Martino Harris  
 Bridgett D. Jamison-Black  
 Tevlin V. Jenkins  
 Jerome A. Jones  
 Tonyetta S. McDaniel

**Class of 2009** **\$566.00**

Audrey Asbury  
 Robin Middleton-Capers  
 Kianna Parrott  
 Steven A. Pearson  
 Monica F. Wade

**Class of 2010** **\$1,167.50**

Karen Bennett  
 Laquita N. Davis  
 Darlene Goodley Earle  
 Denise M. Foye  
 Larry Getter  
 Jamelia S. Graham  
 Alvina C. Harrison  
 Cynthia Pough Jamison  
 Angela Jamison  
 Denita A. Pleasant  
 Tracy Corbin Plush  
 Amara Ransom  
 Robert Wilson

**Class of 2011** **\$837.50**

Priscilla Nix Cleveland  
 Patrice Cooper  
 Julia A. Crutchfield  
 Perry L. Grayton

Krystal D. Lewis  
 Anh T. Nguyen  
 Ebony L. Perkins  
 John B. Taylor

**Class of 2012** **\$501.00**

Aubriaunna L. Boderick  
 Sheldon J. Brown  
 Devon M. Corbin  
 Mariette A. Dargan  
 Sharesa H. McCray  
 Nadine McMillan  
 Jacquelyn Jennings Reed  
 Lekeshia N. Watts

**Class of 2013** **\$1,851.00**

Quincy Allen  
 Victor Blair  
 Tamuka Chidyausiku  
 Regene Pleasants Coleman  
 Bernita Cooper  
 Anthony Davis  
 Marcus Howard  
 Elizabeth Mack  
 Angelica Moore  
 Kenita Pitts  
 Michelle Williams Walker

**Class of 2014** **\$881.00**

LeTasha Belle-Plush  
 Brandon Britt  
 Jessica L. Cole  
 Jessica Crawford  
 Amakia Gibson  
 Taryn Hargrove  
 Paris Johnson  
 Tabatha B. Livingston  
 Angel Oliver  
 Lauren Pennix  
 Derrick L. Quarles  
 Cailah Scott

Marshall Smith  
 Kaiyona Spann  
 Tanekqua Summers  
 Olivia S. Taylor  
 Barry White

**Class of 2015** **\$834.00**

LaShand Aiken  
 Ryan Black  
 Stephanie Johnson Cooper  
 Kendrick Felder  
 Cornelia Frierson  
 Gregory Goodwin  
 Bobby Haney  
 Neema Hooker  
 Kysmin Huff  
 La'Quentin Jenkins  
 Sylvett Porter  
 Lassan Reaves  
 Marsheika Smith  
 Shaniqua Tisdale  
 Andre Whaley  
 Darien Woods

**Class of 2016** **\$7,660.01**

Kailin Abercrombie  
 Maame A. Addo  
 Yewande Afolabi  
 Zakariya Ali  
 Jessica Allen  
 Michael Allen  
 Alexis Allen  
 Michael Alston  
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## The Claflin Donors Honored at Leadership Giving Luncheon



The Leadership Giving Program has been a tradition at Claflin University since 1996. Held during the University's Homecoming Weekend in November, the luncheon recognizes individuals who have made gifts to the University at the leadership level of \$1,000 and above. In 2016, Michael R. Brenan, the State/Group President of BB&T for South Carolina, and member of the Claflin University Board of Trustees, along with more than 200 other individuals were honored at the luncheon. Gifts that year totaled more than \$2 million.

"The Leadership Giving Luncheon is the University's way of saying 'thank you' to those who have made a phenomenal impact on the lives of Claflin students," said Rev. Whittaker V. Middleton, vice president for Institutional Advancement. "It also gives our donors an opportunity to fellowship with other individuals who share their enthusiasm and support for the institution's ideals and principles."

### Abney Scholarship Helps Claflin Student



The Abney Foundation has celebrated a strong and successful relationship with Claflin University for more than 30 years. The foundation has collectively contributed more than \$1 million to the University in scholarship aid. The Abney Scholarship provides support for students from Anderson, Greenwood, Greenville and Spartanburg counties.

Sophomore Makenzie Patrice Cain is a recipient of the Abney Scholarship. A native of Greer, S.C., Cain is a psychology major with a minor in English that aspires to become a lawyer. She is a member of the Alice Carson Tisdale Honors College and currently maintains a 4.0 GPA.

Cain was recently elected as the UNCF National Pre-Alumni Council Business Manager. At Claflin University, she is the sophomore class president, an orientation leader, a resident assistant, a peer mentor and a member of the Phi Alpha Delta Pre- Law Fraternity, International. Cain also had an internship with the Marlboro's Children Defense Fund. "The Abney Foundation scholarship helped to lift the burden of buying books and filled other financial gaps. I am grateful that I was chosen to receive the scholarship," she said.



## WAYS TO GIVE

Claflin University has been the beneficiary of valued contributions from many donors. As we look to an even brighter future in this new capital campaign, we reach out to donors to join us, to imagine the possibilities with us. Here are the many ways to give to Claflin University.

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Claflin students,  
faculty and staff hail  
from 43 countries

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# 60,000

Annual volunteer  
hours by students

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# 9

Varsity Claflin Panther  
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