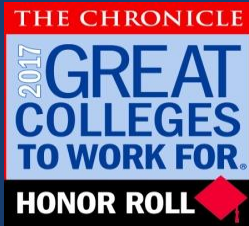


# Fall Convocation

August 21, 2017





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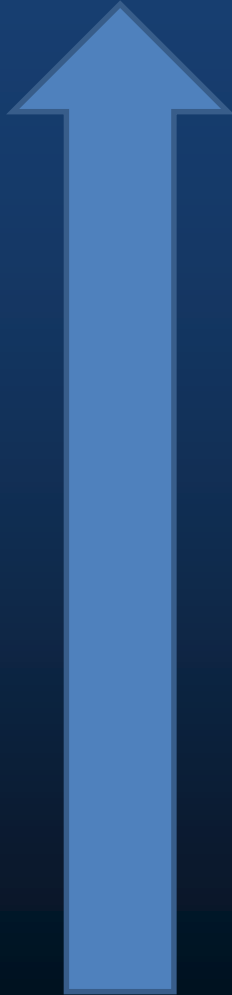
- ❖ Great Colleges to Work For Honor Roll
- ❖ President's Higher Education Service Honor Roll
- ❖ No. 36: Washington Monthly's Best Bang for the Buck & National Top 100 Master's University
- ❖ No. 15: US News & World Report Best Colleges (Southern Public Regional)
- ❖ Mississippi's "best value"--lower tuition, retention, students among top earners
- ❖ No. 3: Most affordable competitive colleges for online RN to BSN degrees
- ❖ 2016 Military Friendly School



**GRATITUDE**

- ❖ **Alumni, Friends, Faculty, Staff, and Students**
- ❖ **Curriculum & degree program changes**
- ❖ **Efficiencies/Reorganization**
- ❖ **Facility investments**
- ❖ **Strategic path with University Priorities**
- ❖ **Student Success/Outcomes**

# Strong Performance



882

32.3/100 FTE

2,718 FTE

# Alumni Participation Rate

*Number of undergraduate alumni donors  
divided by the number of undergraduate  
alumni of record*

- ❖ National Average = 12%
- ❖ MUW = **10%** (Up from 5%)

**OPPORTUNITY**

- ❖ **Accountability**
- ❖ **Affordable college education**
- ❖ **Closing achievement gaps**
- ❖ **Competition for students**
- ❖ **Demographics and changing expectations**
- ❖ **Revenue sources and changing share**



# Today's Students

- ❖ 55 of +/- 700 new transfer students in face-to-face only schedules (Fall 2016)
- ❖ 860 study totally on-line schedules (Fall 2016)
- ❖ 80% work; 40% full-time
- ❖ 50% majoring in health care related programs (Fall 2016)
- ❖ 35% over the age of 25

# Financial Sustainability

# Enrollment Sustainability

# Campus Safety

**We study for light to bless with light**

**“We are—and will remain—unwaveringly committed to embracing the diversity of thought, opinion, cultural background, experience, and identity to foster an inclusive and intellectually enriched university community.”**

# Building A Safe, Ethical Community

## *Reporting Channels*

[www.muw.edu/reporting](http://www.muw.edu/reporting)

[www.muw.edu/titleix/sexualmisconductpolicy](http://www.muw.edu/titleix/sexualmisconductpolicy)

## *ETHICS LINE*

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*Bystander Intervention--Look out for one another*

