#### Tupelo Rotary Club

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## Value of higher education to Mississippi

- No matter the question, issue, or problem...education is the answer
- Return \$2.13 for every dollar spent
- Earn 66% more than typical high school graduate
- Research and innovation that encourages economic growth and opportunities for all Mississippians

## Comparing MISSISSIPPI with nations and other states percentage of young-adult degree attainment (ages 25-34)

Sources: Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, Education at a Glance, 2011 National Center for Higher Education Management Systems, Information Center, 2010

Massachusetts North Dakota Minnesota New York, New Jersey New Hampshire, Iowa, Connecticut	52 50 48	Korea (63%) Canada, Japan (56%) Ireland (48%) Norway, New Zealand (47%) Denmark (45%)
Virginia, Maryland, Illinois, Nebraska, Colorado Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Dakota Kansas, Vermont Wisconsin Washington, Missouri Montana, Utah, Hawaii, Ohio, Maine, California Delaware, Oregon, Wyoming, North Carolina, Michigan Florida, Indiana, South Carolina, Georgia Tennessee, Kentucky, Alaska, Texas Arizona, Alabama MISSISSIPPI, Louisiana, Idaho	44 42 41 40 39 37 35 32	Luxembourg (44%) Israel (43%) Israel, Belgium, Sweden (42%) <b>UNITED STATES (41%)</b> Switzerland , Netherlands (40%) Finland, (39%) Estonia (37%) Netherlands (36%) Chile, Poland (35%)
Oklahoma, Arkansas, West Virginia New Mexico, Nevada		Greece (29%) Germany (26%) Austria (21%) Mexico (20%) Turkey (17%)

#### The W's Mission

- Historic women's mission; not our only mission
- Teaching university, Regional stewardship
- Nurses & Teachers
- Culinary, Fine Arts, and Business
- Strong Liberal Arts education
- Distance learning excellence

#### IHL System

#### **Enrollment by Gender**

University	Percent Male	Percent Female
MUW	17	83
ASU	32	68
DSU	34	66
JSU	35.5	64.5
MVSU	37	63
USM	38	62
UM	45	55
MSU	52	48
SYSTEM	42	58

#### **Enrollment of Mississippians**

University	Percent
MUW	90
ASU	87
MVSU	87
USM	85
JSU	85
MSU	72
DSU	71
UM	60

#### You probably know...

- 1<sup>st</sup> publically chartered college for women in the US (1884) Co-ed (1982)
- #15 Top 100 Master's Universities in US: Washington Monthly magazine
- #18 US News & World Report (Southern Regional Public Universities)
- 50 undergraduate majors; 11 graduate

#### This might surprise you...

- #3--Online FTE students
- #2--BSN enrollment & graduates (2010-2011)
- #1 NCLEX pass rate (3 year mean)
- #1 Degree Completion Ratio
  24/100 FTEs (System 20/100 FTEs)
- 57% increase undergraduate degrees (2007-2012)

#### 2008-2012 Trends

 Total unduplicated headcount—3,483 Headcount growth--18%
 FTE growth—23%
 80 counties represented

# Distance Learning 2007 2012

Total Hours: 62,538 Total Online\*: 3,892 Percent Online\*: 6% Total Hours: 72,300 Total Online\*: 30,881 Percent Online\*: 43%

\*At least 50% of content delivered online

#### What keeps me up...

- Quality, access, and tuition
- Flat, declining state funding
- Generation I and technology
- Impact of technology on everything

#### What's Next?

- Nursing/health care education
- Distance learning: place bound
- Traditional college experience
- Athletics Self Study
- Branding/marketing
- Fund raising

## THANK YOU!