



2009-2010 CALENDAR OF CONVOCATIONS

Convocations: As a part of the Tougaloo College total educational experience, students are required to attend convocations throughout the academic year. These series of thematic assemblies are designed to inform and to inspire further thought, study, reflection, and discussion between faculty, students, and others in the College community. Convocations also serve to extend the College’s core curriculum; broaden students’ awareness of the liberal arts disciplines and professional fields; prepare students to be able to extract information, communicate effectively and learn essential presentation skills; and to highlight the College’s traditions.

Six (6) convocations are **required** for the entire College community to attend together: *President’s Opening Convocation; Provost’s Convocation; Founders’ Convocation; Thanksgiving Convocation; SGA Installation Convocation; and the Honors’ Convocation.* Unless otherwise noted, convocations are held on Wednesdays at the 10:00 a.m. hour.

Distinguished Presidential Lecture Series: Distinguished guest speakers are invited to speak on issues of interest to the College community. The lecture series are also designed to enhance the academic experience and to encourage intellectual communication across all disciplines. For the 2009-2010 academic year, two Distinguished Presidential lectures are scheduled. The entire College community and alumni are invited and encouraged to attend.

August 2009

26	Wed	President’s Convocation Kroger Gymnasium
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September 2009

2	Wed	Open
9	Wed	Pre-Alumni Council Holmes Hall Auditorium
16	Wed	Office of Counseling Services Woodworth Chapel
23	Wed	Provost/Vice President for Academic Affairs Convocation Holmes Hall Auditorium
30	Wed	Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. Woodworth Chapel

October 2009

7	Wed	Comprehensive Academic Resources Program (CARP) Woodworth Chapel
14	Wed	SGA Installation Convocation Woodworth Chapel Presidential Lecture 6:00 p.m. Woodworth Chapel Speaker: TBA
18	Sun	Founders' Convocation 10:00 a.m. Woodworth Chapel Speaker: TBA
21	Wed	Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. Woodworth Chapel
28	Wed	Office of Academic Affairs Holmes Hall Auditorium

November 2009

4	Wed	Pre-Law Society Woodworth Chapel
11	Wed	Honors Program Woodworth Chapel
18	Wed	American Education Week Woodworth Chapel
20	Fri	Thanksgiving Convocation 10:00 a.m. Woodworth Chapel

December 2009

2	Wed	Gamma Upsilon Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. Woodworth Chapel
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Spring Semester**January 2010**

20	Wed	NAACP Woodworth Chapel
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January 2010

27	Wed	Presidential Lecture 6:00 p.m. Woodworth Chapel Speaker: TBA
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February 2010

3	Wed	SGA Convocation Woodworth Chapel
10	Wed	Religious Emphasis Woodworth Chapel
17	Wed	Financial Aid Convocation Holmes Hall Auditorium
23	Wed	Jackson Heart Study Convocation Woodworth Chapel

March 2010

3	Wed	Destination Graduation Mentoring Program Woodworth Chapel
10	Wed	OIA Convocation Woodworth Chapel
24	Wed	Center for Civic Engagement & Social Responsibility Woodworth Chapel
31	Wed	Sigma Tau Delta International English Honor Society Woodworth Chapel

April 2010

7	Wed	Financial Aid Convocation Holmes Hall Auditorium
14	Wed	Comprehensive Academic Resources Program (CARP) Woodworth Chapel
21	Wed	Pre-Law Society Woodworth Chapel
23	Fri	Seniors' Honors Day Convocation Woodworth Chapel