

**Chancellor Austin A. Lane**

cordially invites you to join him in recognizing the recipients of the

# 2026 FACULTY AND STAFF EXCELLENCE AWARDS



**TUESDAY, APRIL 14 • 3 P.M.**  
Morris Library Guyon Auditorium

*Reception to follow in the Morris Library first floor rotunda*

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**James E. Garvey, Ph.D.**..... Scholar Excellence Award  
**Julia Marie Rendleman**..... Teaching Excellence Award  
**Jody Paulson**..... Teaching Excellence Award  
**Brent Pease, Ph.D.**..... Early Career Faculty Excellence Award  
**Maria Claudia Franca, Ph.D.**..... Women of Distinction Award  
**Marquitta Bowman, Psy.D.**..... Emerging Leader Award  
**Michael “Mickey” Soltys**..... Staff Excellence Award  
**Cay Gerlock**..... Staff Excellence Award



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