

Breaking News

Clark Elected to Graduate Council, CoB Admin Will be Watching

HATTIESBURG – Just as predicted by a USMNEWS.NET reader, sources tell our reporters that associate professor of finance, John Clark, was indeed elected as one of the CoB's representatives to USM's Graduate Council. Clark is also the Director of the CoB's Center for Financial Services, a position he has used in the past as a sinecure, but one that provides the highly coveted course release and salary stipend. Our sources and our reader-prognosticator believe that Clark's *inaction* in his CFS Director capacity, in conjunction with his relatively high salary, is at least partly responsible for his victory in the Graduate Council election in the CoB, as administrators, both past and present, likely sought to ensure that Clark's workload increases over the coming months.



John Clark

As reported on these pages over the past two years, the Graduate Council is a relatively time-consuming service duty at USM. Additionally, because our staff often tracks CoB faculty attendance in the Graduate Council and the Academic Council, sources say it's a good bet that those same CoB administrators alluded to above will be checking future USMNEWS.NET reports on this topic in the months to come.