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The links to the Arkansas stories about (former USM Provost) Tim Hudson were interesting. As an old timer, I have to say it doesn't come as much of a surprise. The whisper campaign around campus was that Tim liked to spend Foundation money because there was no way to see what he was doing. Now, he has [resigned as president](#) of Arkansas State University, based at least in part on a [financial audit](#). Sadly, Hudson is one in a long string of current and mostly former USM administrators who have been forced out of one school or another. Does USM have a graduate level class called, "cutting corners, self-dealing and cheating for administrators"?

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