

Just When You Think Dr. Saunders can't be More  
of an Embarrassment or a Spendthrift...

Did anyone but me see an embarrassingly amateurish video on CNBC today? If you haven't, take a look. It's on the [Southern Miss webpage](#). How much did this Christmas Cheer cost? Well, as students you can feel better. Your tuition has gone up how much, and how many times over the past decade? But, I'm sure you think it's really great. After all, Dr. Saunders gets to burnish her image on national TV at student expense and the expense of the taxpayers of the State of Mississippi. Maybe she even got to write a sizeable check to her old friend Mona Amodeo and her firm, id group for producing this poorly done farce. Isn't it absolutely [ripsnitious](#)?

Saunders has starred, front and center, in numerous videos this year. You have to ask, does she have time for anything else, like doing her job? Like reviewing the Samsung Tablet deal to ensure that it is legal and ethical?

Dr. Bounds, do you approve of Dr. Saunders' dubious use of student and taxpayer resources? If so, tell us why? Tell us how Dr. Saunders' self promoting videos improve the education of students at USM. Tell us how it advances the faculty's research.

If you can't explain, do your job. Make sure taxpayer resources and student tuition dollars are effectively and efficiently applied to the education of its students as the IHL is required under its policies.