

## Time for a Center Swap

The College of Business (CoB) has two Centers: The Center for Financial Services (CFS) and the Center for Economic Education (CEE). The CFS is really a “Peripheral” for Financial Services (PFS) because it is a black hole that sucks money and other resources while providing the CoB nothing in return. Given the current arrangement, Dean Nail should terminate the existence of the “PFS” [please see other reports on this topic] in favor of the CEE. Susan Doty has worked hard and has been successful in the cause of the CEE. That physical space would make the CEE more visible and more accessible to visitors and students. With the space currently having computers in it, it would allow Professor Doty to utilize far more learning methods with existing resources. This is a natural: replace and showcase a vibrant Center with a faded, lifeless one. This would also feed into the Southern Miss President’s call for continuing to improve and serve even in this era of budget cuts – this would allow Dean Nail to be a leader in this without using any more scarce resources; in fact, Nail would gain one finance course each semester as an additional bonus. It is this type of leadership that Martha is looking for. Make it so.