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*March 27-28, 2008  
Oxford, MS*

**MAIR 2008 Spring Conference Agenda**  
**March 27-28, 2008, Oxford, MS**

**Thursday, March 27: Downtown Inn and Suites**

- 12:00 – 12:30** Registration
- 12:30 – 2:00** “Ready, Set, Go ... Preparing for Reaffirmation and Substantive Changes”  
*Presenters:*  
*Dr. Judy Woods and Liz Edwards, Itawamba Community College*  
*Dr. Sharon Enzer, Blue Mountain College*  
*Mitzy Johnson, Mississippi State University*
- 2:00 – 2:15** Break
- 2:15 – 3:30** “Accountability Issues in Higher Education: Blackboard/Community College Assessment and The Voluntary System of Accountability”  
*Presenters:*  
*Dr. Cathy Ellett, Copiah-Lincoln Community College*  
*Dr. Karen Yoshino, Blackboard*  
*Mitzy Johnson and Julie Fulgham, Mississippi State University*
- 3:30 – 3:45** Break
- 3:45 – 4:30** “Follow the Yellow Brick Road”  
*Presenter: Dr. Glenda Lester, IHL*
- 4:30 – 5:15** Reception
- 5:30 – 6:30** Double Decker Bus Tour of Historic Oxford and University (Optional)
- 6:30 – 8:00** Dinner at the Downtown Grill

**Friday, March 28: Ole Miss Campus**

*(A complimentary breakfast is served at the hotel.)*

- 8:30 – 11:15** Choose one of the following workshops:

**“IPEDS Workshop Featuring the Peer Analysis System”**

*Presented by Darline Morris and sponsored by AIR*  
(Location: Weir Hall Lab)

– OR –

**“Have Qualitative Data? Create a Rubric!”**

*Presented by Dr. Margie Hobbs and Mary Harrington, University of Mississippi*  
(Location: HR Training Room, PBJ)

- 11:30 – 12:30** Luncheon in Lyceum and MAIR Business Meeting

- 12:30** Adjournment

*Special thanks to Blackboard for sponsoring dinner.*

