



TASF NEWSLETTER



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TUSKEGEE AIRMEN SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



Jerry T. Hodges Jr.
President

On behalf of the Tuskegee Airmen Scholarship Foundation's Board of Directors, I am honored to present the President's Message in this issue of the newsletter.

The year 2007 was another banner year for TASF. The Scholarship Selection Committee is composed of elected TAI members from each of the organization's regions plus other appointed members by the Board of Directors.

The Scholarship Selection Committee again performed magnificently in rating the applications. Thanks to Rosylyn Johnson, Scholarship Operations Management Chairperson, and others on the committee for coordinating, summarizing and timeliness reporting of the results.

A total of forty-one \$1,500 scholarships were awarded in 2007.

We are pleased with our partnership with Pratt & Whitney, a United Technologies Corporation. Each year Pratt & Whitney provides a four year \$20,000 grant to a high school senior seeking a career in either aviation, aerospace, engineering, science or technology.

TASF is committed to preserving the legacy of the Tuskegee Airmen by continuing to provide scholarships to deserving students.

Your support is greatly appreciated.

Jerry T. Hodges Jr.
President

STUDENT PROFILE



NAME: Dayvie J. Paschall

SCHOOL: Florida A&M University

MAJOR: Architecture

GPA: 3.56

GRADUATION: April 2009

HONORS: National Dean's List;
Alpha Rho Chi Professional Fraternity

Greetings to all and Happy New Year! My winter break went fine. I returned to work at National Airport and spent time with friends and family. But now it's back to business.
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DECEMBER 2007**

www.taisf.org

The scholarship application deadline to the TAI Chapters was February 9, 2008. Each chapter may recommend up to 6 applications for TASF consideration by March 7th. Forty-one \$1,500 scholarships and one \$20,000 scholarship will be awarded. Scholarship winners will be announced on May 18, 2008.



**2007 PRATT & WHITNEY GOLDEN
EAGLE SCHOLARSHIP AWARD WINNERS**



**IMANI ADAMS SHAUNA ADAMS
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*For List of 2007 National Scholarship Winners
visit www.taisf.org.*



**MARK YOUR CALENDARS!
TUSKEGEE AIRMEN INC. 2008 NATIONAL
CONVENTION, PHILADELPHIA, PA**

The convention will be held at the Marriott-Downtown Hotel, 1201 Market St., Philadelphia, PA, July 17 - 20. For additional information, visit the TAI - National Website (www.tuskegeairmen.org)

Visit the website for scholarship information, how to donate on-line, other ways to help, and more!

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STUDENT PROFILE *(continued from page 1)*

This semester is progressing well and I am currently in the process of contracting my honors courses. I am taking 5 classes = 17 credit hours; which include Design Studio 2.2, Structures I, Building Construction, Architectural History III, and CADD. I anticipate that studio and structures will be the most time consuming, However I believe that this semester will be less stressful since I am no longer on line and at my wit's end to find more hours in a day, lol. I have managed to stay ahead of the degree's outlined curriculum, taking a few classes a semester in advance. I project that this will lighten my work load as I advance to upper division. In addition, I enjoy taking classes with some of the older students, for they have a great deal to offer and I have made many friends throughout the program where I am comfortable with working in many atmospheres.. This semester has also afforded many opportunities for me to become more active in the school community. I serve on the Dean's Council as a sophomore representative, as well as a member of the studio culture committee.

I have recently taken on the role of publications chair for my fraternity and partake in many of their other extra-curricular activities. I'm going to be even more productive this year. I am also in the course of finding a summer internship. Please keep your eyes and ears open for me! I would really like to work at a firm this year. I have an extensive foundation in engineering, yet I wish to partake in a hands-on architectural environment.

... I want to thank you for being supportive over these last few years and I will continue to write.

TTYL,
Dayvie J. Paschall