

**THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN MISSISSIPPI**  
**THE ABBEY PROGRAM APPLICATION FORM - SPRING 2010**  
 Due by November 15, 2009. Complete **both** sides if not **currently enrolled** at Southern Miss  
**PROGRAM DATES: 12 FEBRUARY – 10 MAY**

**Print/Type**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Exactly as it will appear on your passport) Last Name First Name Middle Name

Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_  Male  Female

Current Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Street) (State) (Zip)

In case of emergency, notify \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Street) (State) (Zip)

Currently enrolled at \_\_\_\_\_ Major \_\_\_\_\_

Classification:  Freshman  Sophomore  Junior  Senior

How did you learn about The Abbey Program? \_\_\_\_\_

**Spring 2010 Course information:**

Students are required to enroll for a minimum of 13 credit hours and a maximum of 19 credit hours. You will receive verification of your application. Once accepted students will receive a schedule of classes and description of each course offered for the upcoming semester. At that time, you will need to choose your courses. Schedule changes may be made during the first week of classes at the Abbey.

**Lower Division Courses:**

- French language (at all levels - 3 credits),
- History – World Civilization (3 credits),
- English – World Literature (3 credits),
- Art History – Art Appreciation (3 credits),
- Economics – TBA (3 credits),
- Ambassador Series (1 credit – required for all students)

**Upper Division Courses:**

- French – TBA (3 credits),
- History – Modern France (3 credits),
- English – Children’s Literature (3 credits),
- Art History – Impressionism (3 credits),
- Economics – TBA (3 credits)

**Application Procedure:**

1. Return completed application with \$250 deposit to secure your space
2. Non-Southern Miss students should have their registrar send official transcripts to The Abbey Program, The University of Southern Mississippi, 118 College Drive #10047, Hattiesburg, MS 39406-0001.
3. Currently enrolled Southern Miss students are not required to submit a transcript. Use this form (**not SOAR**) to register

**Eligibility:**

Minimum program eligibility requirements include the completion of at least 14 semester hours with an overall 2.0 GPA. All students must be in clear academic standing. Prior knowledge of French is not necessary. All courses are taught in English (with the exception of French language classes). It is highly recommended to take a French language course while at the Abbey. First semester freshman will be given preliminary acceptance, pending review of their university transcript.

**Check the following categories that apply to you:**

- I am a Golden Key member (No. \_\_\_\_\_)
- I am a Southern Miss Honors College Student.
- I am a Luckyday Scholar.
- I intend to apply for financial aid (scholarships, loans, grants, etc.)
- I qualify for a Southern Miss/staff dependent scholarship
- I intend to apply for another Southern Miss study abroad program:  
Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Program Fees:**

Southern Miss &	
Midwestern State students:	<u>\$7,900.00</u>
Consortium University students:	<u>\$8,900.00</u>
Other:	<u>\$10,900.00</u>

*Program fees includes tuition, International Student ID Card, accommodation, lunch each weekday The Abbey is in session, academic transportation, and a week’s housing in Paris. Airfare, visa, personal travel, spending money, and other meals are not included in this cost.*

**Payment Schedule:**

1. \$250 Application deposit due November 15, 2009, **nonrefundable** unless refused acceptance or program cancelled
2. \$1,250 Housing deposit **nonrefundable** due December 1, 2009. Students may pay by cash, check, or credit card, or your student account may be billed. Any interest charges resulting from charges to your student account will be student’s responsibility.
3. Final program payment is due December 15, 2009, unless proof of financial aid is provided

<p><b>Method of Payment:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Check* <input type="checkbox"/> Money Order <input type="checkbox"/> VISA  <input type="checkbox"/> MasterCard <input type="checkbox"/> American Express <input type="checkbox"/> Discover</p> <p>Credit Card Number _____</p> <p>Expiration Date _____</p> <p>Cardholder Signature _____</p> <p><b>*Make checks payable to: USM – The Abbey</b></p>
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Acceptance for qualified applicants is made on a first-come, first-served basis and space is limited, students are encouraged to apply early. Applications may be faxed if accompanied by credit card information for deposit. Phone: 601.266.4344. Fax: 601.266.5699

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**Personal Information**

U.S. Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_

Legal Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last/Family First Middle/Second Maiden/Birth Name

Country of Citizenship  USA  Other, Specify \_\_\_\_\_ If you are not a U.S. citizen, are you a permanent resident of the U.S.?  Yes  No

If yes, print your Alien Registration Number A- \_\_\_\_\_ (Please forward a copy of both sides of your Alien Registration Card.)

Are you of Spanish/Hispanic/Latino origin?\*  Yes  No

Please check one or more of the following:\*  White  Black or African American  Asian  
 American Indian or Alaska Native  Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander

Gender:\*  Male  Female Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_ Marital Status:\*  Single  Married  Separated  Divorced  Widowed

Permanent Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a resident of Mississippi?  Yes  No Were you born in Mississippi?  Yes  No

Dates you lived in Mississippi?  From birth to present  Never  From \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

*If under 22 years of age, must claim residence of parents or guardian. If 22 years of age or older, must meet state of Mississippi residency law as stated in current Southern Miss Bulletin. An international applicant who is not a U.S. permanent resident may not be classified as a Mississippi resident.*

Permanent Address \_\_\_\_\_

**College Major Choice**

Proposed Major \_\_\_\_\_

Applying for Term Beginning: (August) Fall 20\_\_\_\_ (January) Spring 20\_\_\_\_ (May) Summer 20\_\_\_\_ Are you seeking a degree from USM?  Yes  No

I am in incoming:  Freshman  Transfer Student  HS Student dual enrolled at USM  2<sup>nd</sup> B.A./B.S or Other  Online Student only (*not eligible for financial aid & not seeking a degree*)  Visiting Student

I plan to attend classes in:  Hattiesburg  Gulf Coast  GCRL  Study Abroad  Extension  Online Format

**Education Background**

High School from which you graduated or will graduate \_\_\_\_\_

High School location \_\_\_\_\_ Graduate Date \_\_\_\_\_  
City State Month/Day/Year

*- For high school applicants, an official high school transcript and proof of national ACT/SAT scores must be submitted before action can be taken on your application.*

If you did not graduate from high school, did you earn a General Education Development (GED) diploma instead?  Yes  No

*- Official documentation of your GED scores must be submitted before action can be taken on your application.*

List all colleges and universities you have attended. An official transcript from each institution must be submitted before action can be taken on your application. Please indicate clearly if you are presently enrolled.

Name of College/University	City/State	Credit Completed (# of credits)	From (mm/yy)	To (mm/yy)

*I hereby affirm that to the best of my knowledge all information furnished on this form is complete and accurate. I understand that withholding information requested may make me ineligible for admissions and enrollment. I agree that any records of my academic performance may be furnished to any high schools or institutions of higher learning that I have attended. I am eligible to return to the last college or university that I attended. **A separate Residence Hall application is required for Hattiesburg on-campus housing.** Completion of application for admissions DOES NOT include application for financial aid or scholarships. Separate forms must be filed.*

Applicant's \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_