DEDICATED TO SERVICE: SC State University Alumnus Appointed as Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness

Upon learning that he would serve as the next under secretary of defense for Personnel and Readiness, SC State University alumnus, Dr. Clifford Stanley, ’69, described his feelings using two modest words. “I was humbled and honored to be selected for this position as it is very significant and one that you don't really aspire to,” Stanley exclaimed.

Although the range of responsibility is staggering, Stanley sees his new position as an opportunity to serve, something that he is not only passionate about, but has prided himself on throughout his entire career. “I come to work smiling everyday because I look forward to serving. I recognize that God put me here and it's not about what he has for me but how he wants me to serve his people more than anything else.” (Click here for full story).

SC State University Shifts all Student Loans to Direct Lending

Beginning fall 2010, SC State University will offer Stafford and Plus Loans funded through by the Federal Direct Loan Program. SC State University will no longer process Stafford and Parent PLUS Loans funded through Federal Family Education Program (FFELP) lenders. Please read this notice and all future communications from the Office of Financial Aid carefully.

If you have or will apply for a federal student loan through the Direct Loan program beginning fall 2010 there are three steps that you must complete in order to qualify for the loan. (Click here for full story).

SC State University Hosts Exhibition of Artist Mary Robinson

SC State University’s Fine Arts Center Gallery is currently hosting “Observing the Observing,” an exhibition by artist Mary Robinson. The exhibition will be on display through Thursday, April 22, 2010. “Observing the Observing” explores Robinson’s perceptions of the creative process through paintings and prints. “I observe my daily experiences of generation, breath, evolution, dissolution, clarity, and lack of clarity, and imagine these states of being occurring throughout the universe,” said Robinson. “How can I express in visual form what life feels like?” she continued. (Click here for full story).