



ROY HOWARD COMMUNITY JOURNALISM CENTER

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MEDIA MENTORS

Friday, July 11 at 11 a.m.
Stout Hall, Room B
RSVP at rhjcnews.com/mm

SPEAKER NICOLE RUHNKE, THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN MISSISSIPPI

Ruhnke is the chief communication officer for The University of Southern Mississippi, where she also serves as director of the Office of University Communications. This office leads the university's marketing, media relations, social media management, video production, creative services and website development efforts. She is the spokesperson for the university. Ruhnke graduated from Southern Miss in 2008 with a degree in public relations and has held communications roles in the university's alumni relations office as well as for international missions and tourism organizations.



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WHAT IS MEDIA MENTORS?

A learning and development series hosted by the Roy Howard Community Journalism Center at The University of Southern Mississippi, Media Mentors connects students with pros in journalism, broadcasting, public relations and digital media. Each session provides career advice, industry insights and direct Q&A opportunities with media leaders.

ABOUT THE COMMUNITY JOURNALISM CENTER

Funded by the Scripps Howard Foundation beginning in 2025, the Roy Howard Community Journalism Center employs seven full-time media professionals and more than 20 student workers.