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Jackson State University Announces Commencement Speaker

(JACKSON, Miss.) — Jackson State University officials announced today that Debra Stewart, president of the Council of Graduate Schools, will be the speaker for the 2007 Summer Commencement Exercises scheduled for 9 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 4, at the Lee E. Williams Athletic & Assembly Center.

As the spokesperson for graduate education in America, Stewart leads the organization dedicated to the improvement and advancement of graduate education. Its 453 members award over 95 percent of all U.S. doctorates and approximately 70 percent of all U.S. master's degrees.

Photo of Dr. Debra Stewart: <http://www.jsums.edu/~announcements/DebraStewart.jpg>

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