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## Furman Across the Country

Furman University held its inaugural Bell Tower Ball at the TD Convention Center in Greenville on April 2, 2016. Attended by more than 500 guests, the event celebrated the extraordinary accomplishments of the Furman family. Dubbed an "evening of excellence," the Bell Tower Ball recognized alumni, parents, students, and friends for their philanthropic contributions and volunteer service. Four alumni received special honors for distinguished professional achievement and generosity of spirit.

**Fran Smith '73 Ligler** was named the Carl F. Kohrt Distinguished Alumni, and Kohrt accepted the award on her behalf. **Dave Ellison '72** was presented the Gordon L. Blackwell Alumni Service Award, **Logan Hambrick '02** the Tom A. Triplitt Outstanding Young Alumni Award, and **Peter Griffin '11** the Wayne and Rubye Reid Award. *(The honorees are pictured, left to right, with President Elizabeth Davis.)* ●



- 1 President Davis with award winners. 2 Tom '58 and Sherry Atkinson, Bill '44 and Catherine Merritt. 3 Tom '76 (2015 recipient of the Blackwell Service Award) and Diane Wedgworth '78 Triplitt, Miriam Mitchell '78 Mulholland and Lt. Gen. John Mulholland '78 (2009 recipient of the Kohrt Distinguished Alumni Award). 4 The Root Doctors band provides live entertainment for dancing. 5 Zach Rosen '11, Peter Griffin '11, Sarah Saba '17, Martin Eguiguren '17, Max Dutcher '12, and Roe Morris '11. Founding members of the Furman Metropolitan Fellowship with student fellows. 6 Lindsay Timmerman '07 Niedringhaus and Steven Niedringhaus, Casey and Cal Hurst '04