

Scott Williams

General Manager

Scott Williams, General Manager of Sodexo at Jacksonville State, has quite the interesting Sodexo story. Born and raised in Jacksonville, Alabama, he found his start with Sodexo in the dish room while in the eleventh grade at Jacksonville High School. By the time he was a senior, he had progressed up to a cook's helper and would continue with Sodexo during his time at Jacksonville State University moving his way up into management as he pursued his degree.

By the time he graduated with a degree in Food Service Administration, he was the student manager for the cafeteria, and, thanks to his years of service with Sodexo, was hired out of college. His first position was in Arkansas as a production manager, but he quickly moved up and on to the University of South Carolina where he served as the service manager for the Grand Marketplace, their main dining hall, where they served over 10,000 students a day. After a few years, he again moved up to become the general manager for an account that encompassed two universities in South Carolina.

Having always desired to work once again at his alma mater, Williams finally found his way home in 1997 and has not left since. He truly enjoys his job here and finds the ever changing faces walking through the door refreshing. He understands the importance of students' opinions and is ever conscious of their desires and changing tastes when it comes to the culinary world.

In addition to his role in food service, he finds time to be the chapter advisor for his fraternity, Pi Kappa Phi, and raise four daughters with his wife of twenty-nine years. During race weekend at Talladega, he is most likely to be found there taking in his favorite sport and has even taking a few laps around the track in the driver's seat, as well.

Scott Williams most certainly has the Cinderella story of all Sodexo stories, and we are proud to have him as our general manager.



Scott Williams (right) with Chef Ronald Minezes from India during our Global Chef event in March of 2015