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HUDSON COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE ESTABLISHES SCHOLARSHIP IN MEMORY OF SLAIN JERSEY CITY POLICE OFFICER MELVIN SANTIAGO

udson County Community College (HCCC) Board of Trustees Chairman William J. Netchert, Esq., and HCCC President Dr. Glen Gabert announced that the College is establishing a scholarship in memory of Jersey City Police Officer Melvin Santiago, who was slain in the line of duty on Sunday, July 13, 2014.

Officer Santiago attended Hudson County Community College as a Criminal Justice major from Fall 2011 through Spring 2013, and left the College to attend the Police Academy.

The Officer Melvin Santiago Memorial Scholarship is a full scholarship that covers tuition, fees, and books for a Jersey City law enforcement officer pursuing a degree in Criminal Justice (or a related field) at Hudson County Community College. The scholarship will be renewable for up to six semesters (three years).

"When an individual becomes a Hudson County Community College student, he or she becomes a member of

our family, and remains such," said Mr. Netchert. "We send heartfelt condolences to Officer Santiago's family. We are dedicating this scholarship to Officer Santiago so that others who are as committed as he was to serving and protecting the community may continue that work, to which he was so devoted."

Mr. Netchert said that it is the hope of the Board of Trustees, and the College's administrators, that this scholarship will contribute some good to what has been a tragic event.

"We want this scholarship to bring renewed unity and healing to our community," Dr. Gabert stated. "Every day the College – and the scholarships provided by the people of our community through our Foundation – open the doors to new opportunities for those who live and work here. Education lays the groundwork for improving lives and fostering understanding," he said.

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HUDSON COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE CENTER FOR BUSINESS & INDUSTRY GRADUATES 40 INDIVIDUALS FROM WORKFORCE 55+ PROGRAM



Pictured from left to right: Dr. Eric Friedman (Vice President for Academic Affairs), Sivaraman Anbarasan (Executive Director, NJCC Consortium for Workforce and Economic Development), Dr. Glen Gabert (Hudson County Community College President), Dr. Patricia Moran (NJLWD Director of Workforce Grants and Program Management), Robert Rosa (Chief Operating Officer, NJCC Consortium for Workforce and Economic Development), and Deborah Darbee (NJLWD) at the graduating event for the Workforce 55+ Program.

nemployment is physically, emotionally, and economically difficult for almost everyone, but it can be especially devastating for older individuals. Men and women in the 55-plus age group are often overlooked as candidates for employment, despite the fact that they have extensive work histories and a host of marketable skills that their younger counterparts do not possess.

In an effort to assist New Jersey's older residents in continuing to live self-sufficient lives, and contribute to the economic health of the State, the New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development (NJLWD) and New Jersey Council of County Colleges' (NJCCC) College Consortium for Workforce and Economic Development devised a special initiative called the WorkForce 55+ Program.

On Monday morning, July 7th, NJLWD Director of Workforce Grants and Program Management Patricia Moran, Ph.D. joined with Hudson County Community College (HCCC) President Dr. Glen Gabert and NJCCC Consortium

PHI THETA KAPPA HONOR SOCIETY NEWS





Lady Liberty Sharkfest Swim

On June 29, Professors Claudia Delgado, Kewal Krishan, and Ted Lai volunteered with nine Phi Theta Kappa members and two relatives of the members at the Lady Liberty Sharkfest Swim; a 1.5 mile race between Liberty Island and Liberty State Park. The members and their relatives are Martha Jaikissoon, Catherine Mascis, Florence McFadden, Jorge Palaguachi, Oliver Pavot, Rae Santana, Ana Polanco with her daughter Melanie, Vanessa Valeriano with her mother Elvia Pineda, and Melat Yasin. The volunteers helped set up at 5 a.m., checked in with swimmers, distributed swimming caps, tee-shirts, refreshments, provided information, checked their belongings, helped them on the ferry, and helped them onto the beach.



Pictured above: Professor Ted Lai alongside HCCC students Sitian Zhang, Qian Xie, Michael Cuillerier (Vice President of Friends of Liberty State Park), and Milton Siguenza help clean up Liberty State Park

CENTER FOR BUSINESS & INDUSTRY NEWS



Students from Community Partnerships in Hotel Employment training program cycle 19 with instructors Robert Hamer, Cathy Da Silva, Ilene Singh, and Sami Khouzam.

BI joined Women Rising and Jersey City Employment and Training Program on July 1 to celebrate the students of Community Partnership in Hotel Employment's (CPHE) cycle 19. Students received completion certificates. Representatives from Candlewood Suites and Embassy Suites attended as guests. Eight of the fourteen students are placed in employment with two more promises of employment. Upon successful completion of the program, students earn up to nine credits towards an Associates Degree in Hospitality at HCCC. One student has already decided to pursue a degree program this fall.

CBI hosted the 55+ graduation on July 7. NJ SCSEP/Workforce 55+ Program, done in partnership with the NJ Department of Labor and Workforce Development and the NJ Consortium of County Colleges, CBI trained low-income persons 55 or older who are unemployed and have poor employment prospects. Attending the graduation were members of the NJ Department of Labor and Workforce Development, and the NJ Consortium of County Colleges. Dr. Gabert gave the Welcoming Remarks, and over 40 students participated in the ceremony. (see article on page 1)

Recruitment has begun for Mortgage Loan Officers training, which begins Monday, September 8. If you are interested, please contact Monteria "Teri" Bass at (201) 360-4243 or mbass@hccc.edu.

Get free training for your business!

Your business may be eligible for free training in Microsoft Office products, Customer Service, Communications, English as a Second Language, and Spanish in the Workplace. If you are interested in more information, please contact Monteria "Teri" Bass at (201) 360-4242 or mbass@hccc.edu.



Upcoming Events

November 8, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., CBI has partnered with the Hudson County Office of Veterans Affairs to hold a Veterans Job and Resource Fair at the Culinary Conference Center.

CBI 2014 Calendar of Events

Tuesday, September 9 Lunch and Learn – "Hispanic Heritage Month"

Tuesday, October 7 Lunch and Learn – "National Work and Family Month"

Tuesday, November 4 Lunch and Learn

Saturday, November 8 Veterans Job & Resource Fair

Tuesday, December 2 Lunch and Learn

Visit CBI on Facebook and Twitter! View upcoming events, look through past events pictures, and get the latest news on training opportunities. "Like" us on Facebook www.facebook.com/cbihudsoncounty and "Follow" us on Twitter twitter.com/cbihudsoncounty.

CPHE training was made possible this year with funding from Jersey City Employment and Training Program, Inc. (JCETP). Seated are Dean Jennifer Dudley (HCCC Non-Traditional Programs), Gerard Del Piano (JCETP), and Perry Schwarz (JCETP). Standing are Ana Chapman-McCausland (HCCC CBI) and Sr. Roseann Mazzeo (Women Rising Inc.)

PROFESSIONAL NOTES



Lilisa Williams, Assistant to the Vice President for Academic Affairs won the Outstanding Service Award from the Leaders of Tomorrow program of the Black M.B.A. Association.



Pictured above from left to right: Vivian Brady-Phillips (Deputy Mayor of Jersey City), Maria Nieves (President & CEO Hudson County Chamber of Commerce), and Joseph D. Sansone (HCCC Vice President for Development) at a Chamber event put together by a Non-Profit Council, in which over 40 people attended from the various non-profit organizations from around the area.

HUDSON COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOUNDATION ONCE AGAIN OFFERS SUBSCRIPTION DINING SERIES

rea business people and residents are invited to take advantage of Hudson County Community College (HCCC) Foundation's Subscription Dining Series, which offers world-class dining experience at lunchtime on eight Friday afternoons this Fall. The proceeds from the Series are utilized to provide muchneeded financial assistance to deserving students.

The Subscription Dining Series was instituted after several business people expressed their desire to the College — which has received national acclaim for the HCCC Culinary Arts Institute (CAI) — for more fine dining options.

The HCCC Foundation Subscription Dining Series offers opportunities for groups of four diners to enjoy delicious, four-course meals planned and prepared by the Executive Chef, and professional chef-instructors of the College's renowned Culinary Arts Institute. The luncheons — which include soup, appetizer, entrée, and dessert courses accompanied by non-alcoholic beverages (beer, wine and cocktails are available at an additional charge) — are held in the elegantly appointed Banquet Room of the HCCC Culinary Conference Center at 161 Newkirk Street in Jersey City, just two blocks from the Journal Square PATH Station, and directly across the street from a public parking structure. All service at the luncheons is provided by the professionally trained CAI students.

Joseph Sansone, HCCC Vice President for Development, said that the cost for subscription in the series is priced at a very value-conscious \$995.00. "When you think about it, that comes to \$31.10 per person/per meal. There aren't many fine dining establishments where you may enjoy a gourmet, four-course meal for so little," he said. "What's more, the subscription fee is also a tax-exempt donation that helps the Foundation provide much-needed scholarships to Hudson County students," Mr. Sansone stated.

Hudson County Community College Foundation is a 501 (c) 3 corporation providing tax-exempt status to contributors. Founded in 1997, the HCCC Foundation is dedicated to generating financial support for the College and its students by developing needs-based and merit scholarships. The HCCC Foundation also provides seed money for innovative faculty programs, and contributes to the College's physical expansion.

To obtain further details on the Subscription Dining Series and to secure a subscription, interested persons are asked to phone 201-360-4006 or email jsansone@hccc.edu.

JOBS

Applicants are now being sought for the following positions:

Adjunct Instructors (Fall 2014)

Assistant Registrar

Associate Dean of Social Sciences

Associate Dean of STEM (12-month Administrative Position)

Chief Information Officer

Early Childhood Education Instructor

Instructional Designer Technologist (full-time position)

Instructional Technologist (part-time)

Part-Time Community Education ESL Instructors (Multiple)

PC Technician - 2 positions (1 position GRANT FUNDED for 24 months)

Psychology Instructor

Secretary - Student Activities

Secretary - Leap-Dual Enrollment Program (full-time position)

To apply, please submit a letter of application, resume, salary requirements, & three references to:

Hudson County Community College Human Resources Department 70 Sip Avenue, Third Floor Jersey City, NJ 07306 resumes@hccc.edu

Applicants for instructor and adjunct positions must submit transcripts.

For more information, please visit the New Jersey Higher Education Recruitment Consortium website at www.njherc.org, the Higher-EdJobs.com website at www.higheredjobs.com, www.latinoshighered.com or contact the Human Resources Department at (201) 360-4070. For a detailed description of these positions, please visit the "Jobs @ HCCC" page at www.hccc.edu.

MILESTONES

Congratulations to the following on their anniversary with Hudson County Community College!

One Year

Joseph Gallo Johanna Van Gendt

Fifteen Years

Jennifer Christopher Catherine Sirangelo

Thirty Years
Paul Dillon
Aura Matias

NEW HIRES

John Marlin, Associate Dean of Humanities

Kate Bellody, Librarian

Jenny Bobea, Transitional Program Coordinator

Kevin Eng, Systems Administrator

Office of College Life

Each month, the "College Life Corner" will introduce members of the College community and recognize milestone anniversaries among our employees. We will highlight employee publications, awards, officers in professional organizations, community service, and academic accomplishments.

For comments & suggestions for "College Life Corner," please contact College Life at (201) 360-4011 or efriedman@hccc.edu.



Karen O'Malley-Kostner, Executive Director, Community Education and Non-Credit Programs

Originally from Queens, New York, Karen O'Malley-Kostner has been focused on adult education, personal enrichment programs, and continuing education for several years. Prior to becoming the Executive Director of Community Education at HCCC, she worked as a Manager of Continuing Education at Washtenaw Community College in Ann Arbor, Michigan, a community with 5 colleges within 12 square miles, and she had worked on programs for adults at academic and public libraries (she holds a Masters of Library Science degree). "I enjoy serving the public, and providing opportunities for people to enrich their lives. That thread runs through my work at the library at Dowling College, Stony Brook University, Washtenaw, and now Hudson," she says. "Where I am now I can have the entrepreneurial spirit, while in an academic environment."

She is especially proud of the new summer youth programs that launched in her division this year. It became apparent that there were very few opportunities for young people to experience the college through community education, so she set to work with her staff to develop a wide array of programs for those interested in culinary arts, computers, science, and fashion among others. "There are classes for young people in collaboration with Liberty Science Center; this week they're dissecting pigs. There's a culinary program called 'Restaurant Possible', and they're learning knife skills and food preparation. In the third week of July we have 'Creative Cakes and Cookies', which sold out and has a waiting list!

These kids are so smart. They're so into their futures. If these young people have a good experience with community education, they'll come to college here later on." The result of this initiative has been a tripling of summer registrations from summer 2013 to summer 2014.

Non-credit ESL programs have been a special focus of the Community Education team over the last year. ESL students comprise the largest cohort in the non-credit area. The division is committed to putting its resources where they can have the greatest effect, and they have set out to redesign HCCC's non-credit ESL courses and to offer certificates of achievement for those who succeed in obtaining 300 hours of English instruction. The Community Education team members plan on having a special awards ceremony to recognize certificate students. Family members will be able to attend to celebrate with the program graduates.

An additional goal for 2014/2015 is to begin blending career readiness training directly into the curriculum of the ESL program.

Under Karen's leadership, the division has added a number of online classes in 2013/2014, including options in Allied Health career fields. The staff didn't want to turn students away because of a lack of computerbased learning opportunities. As a member of the Literacy Day planning committee, the Academic Computing Committee, and the College Life Committee, Executive Director O'Malley-Kostner seeks out ways to provide education through a number of modalities that make sense for busy, working adults.

"It's going to be a good year in Community Education. We're looking forward to great success!"



Lester McRae Instructor, Business

Lester McRae comes to the community college classroom with over 25 years of experience

in the field of accounting. His work history includes positions in financial services and real estate, and he served as Controller for the New Jersey division of Lefrak Properties. Having an entrepreneurial spirit, Lester eventually went out on his own and purchased a franchised tax preparation business which he owned and operated for 4

For Lester, accounting was natural. His father had been what was known in Guyana as a 'Chartered Accountant,' the equivalent of a C.P.A. in the United States. The family emigrated when Lester was 17, and his father found accounting work in the new home.

In the early 1980s, while he was earning a Bachelor's of Science degree in Accounting from NJCU, he was active as a tutor in NJCU's accounting program. "I found out that many students found accounting very difficult. I discovered that I had a talent for presenting concepts to students in ways that they could understand. That experience was in the back of my mind for decades." While at NJCU, Lester had a favorite professor who influenced him to continue on in his studies, and to become a Certified Public Accountant. "He would always tell me that I was going to be a C.P.A. He would embarrass

me in class and tell other students that I was the one who got the A's. I continued on after that and matriculated at Pace University for an M.B.A. in Finance and the C.P.A. That professor inspired me."

In the fall, he will be starting his second year as a full-time instructor. He has taught at Passaic County College, and had trained many of the accountants at his franchise business in how to prepare simple and complex tax returns. As adviser to the Business and Accounting Club, he helps students by training them in subjects that go beyond course requirements. "The club has good energetic student leadership," he says, "I find them motivated, curious and wanting to learn." Lester recently attended an information session for transfer students in the business department at Rutgers University to learn more about what they require from our students and to hear about their Public Accounting program, a possible pathway for transfers that has been somewhat hidden from view.

In addition to his teaching during fall and spring semesters, Instructor McRae teaches in the summer, revises courses, serves on the Planning and Development Governance Committee, and is developing a course in Federal Income Tax that will teach students how to use 'TurboTax." As he succinctly stated, "I would like to make the accounting program at HCCC much more vibrant. Not all of the students know what they want to do. I want to help them find a track."

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INFORMATION SESSIONS

August 21, 2014 11 a.m. - 1 p.m and 5 p.m. - 7 p.m. Culinary Conference Center 161 Newkirk Street Jersey City, NJ 07306

For questions or to register, please email admissions@hccc.edu

> Amayha Jimenez Started her world of possibilities at HCCC! Class of 2013, Transferred to Columbia University



Community Education course catalog is available now at www.hccc.edu/communityeducation

HUDSON COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE ANNOUNCES NEW COURSE OFFERINGS FOR FALL 2014 TERM

President Dr. Glen Gabert announced that the College has expanded its course offerings with a new Associate degree program in Business Administration, and two new certificate courses for Child Development Associate (CDA).

"All of these new offerings were developed to better serve the needs of our students and our community," Dr. Gabert said.

The Associate in Science (A.S.) in Business Administration degree will prepare students to make a seamless transfer to a four-year institution, and to complete a bachelor's degree in business-related fields. The determination to offer the A.S. in Business Administration degree was made after the College conducted a year-long comprehensive review of the existing Associate of Applied Science Management program. The new A.S. in Business Administration degree program will better prepare business students for successful academic and career achievements, and ready them for entry-level administrative and management positions.

The HCCC A.S. in Business Administration program will be offered at the College's Journal Square Campus, North Hudson Higher Education Center, and online. Articulation agreements have been arranged with Fairleigh Dickinson University, New Jersey City University, and St. Peter's University.

The new Professional Development Certificates were constructed in response to the national and statewide call for advanced training for those who work in Early Childhood Education. Section 648A of the Head Start Act requires that all Head Start Coordinators must hold at least a child development associate credential, and be enrolled in a program that will lead to an associate, or bachelor's degree, that will be completed in two years.

Dr. Gabert said that HCCC is part of an initiative of community colleges in New Jersey that banded together, and are working with Head Start and the New Jersey Department of Education to meet the new requirements.

Both the HCCC Infant/Toddler CDA Professional Development and the Preschool CDA Professional Development Certificates are elevencredit, certificate programs which include 120 hours of classroom instruction, and 120 hours of field experience. Those who successfully complete the Infant/Toddler CDA program will have ac-

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HCCC STUDENTS MAKE PRESENTATION AT NISOD



his was the first time that HCCC students made a presentation at National Institute for Staff and Organizational Development (NI-SOD). On the first day they were given a special session, which is set up for larger audiences.

Thanks goes to professors Rakki, El-Achkar, and Nutakor as their mentors, and Dr. Hedhli as their chaperone. A special thanks goes to Dr. Friedman, Dean Wahl, Dean Reimer, and Ms. Dallavalle who made this trip for the students possible.

HCCC ESTABLISHES SCHOLARSHIP IN MEMORY OF POLICE OFFICER MELVIN SANTIAGO

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The requirements and selection criteria for the Officer Melvin Santiago Memorial Scholarship are detailed here.

Applicants must ...

- Complete an application form. Jersey City law enforcement officers who are currently HCCC students are welcome to apply.
- Meet the standard admission requirements set forth by the College.
- Submit one letter of recommendation, preferably from his/her Jersey City Police Department supervisor.
- Write and submit a typed essay describing his/ her academic goals and how he/she expects his/her degree to enhance service to the Jersey City Police Department, and thereby to the community.
- Maintain a minimum cumulative grade-point average of 2.75 to continue scholarship eligibility. (Should a student's grade-point average fall below the minimum, he/she will have a one-semester grace period to bring their GPA up to the required minimum.)
- Submit a digital photo of himself/herself. The photo and words from the applicant's essay may be used in the College's publications.

Completed application packages must be received by August 15, 2014. Applications should be mailed or delivered to: Vice President for North Hudson & Student Affairs, ATTENTION: OMSMS, Hudson County Community College, 4800 Kennedy Boulevard, Union City, NJ 07087. Applicants will be notified of the selection committee's decision during the week of August 25, 2014.





Attention New Students!

It's official – you are a HCCC student!

During orientation you will

- Meet fellow students, faculty, and staff
- Learn about HCCC services
- Ways to get involved
- Access your email

Wednesday, August 13

College Orientation, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., North Hudson Higher Education Center, 4800 Kennedy Blvd., Union City

Please RSVP on the "New Student Orientation" page on the MyHudson Student Portal (https://myhudson.hccc.edu) or by calling (201) 360-4160.

Foundation Art Collection

The Hudson County Community College Foundation Art Collection, which includes artworks in media from painting and sculpture, photographs, American craft pottery, and ephemera, reveals aspects of America's and New Jersey's rich artistic and cultural history from the Hudson River School period to today. In recent years, the College's acquisition efforts have focused on strengthening its American and New Jersey modern, and contemporary collections.

Each month, this page in HCCC Happenings provides updates on artists whose work is in the collection, and new additions to the collection.

Artist News

Tom Holmes, whose sculpture *Glass Mobile* is installed in the 2nd floor conference room, 218 at the Culinary Conference center, has a solo exhibition "Men Built the World," through August 3, at Bau Gallery, 506 Main Street, Beacon, NY. Tom Holmes works in stone, metal, wood, light, ice, and water. All elements will be represented in this new body of work.

The art of **Robert Mangold**, whose work *A Square with Four Squares Cut Away* is installed at the North Hudson Library, and is on exhibit at the John Berggruen Gallery in San Francisco through August 16th. If you can't get up to North Hudson, or out to San Francisco, we will be installing a newly donated Mangold from the Dineen Hull collection later this year at the Jersey City campus.

If you like **Charles Burwell's** work in the 2 Enos Testing Center, you might enjoy this short video about a new exhibition at the McNay Gallery, in San Antonio, Texas, in which his work is included. Called, "Beauty Reigns," the exhibit is about beauty in contemporary art.



http://vimeo.com/100330155?utm_campaign=Charles+Burwell+%26+Ryan+McGinness&utm_medium=email&utm_source=McNay+Announcement+2+%28Video%29

Mickalene Thomas, whose works, Portrait de Priscilla Petit Chien and Priscilla la Petite Chienne Deux, are planned to be installed later this year, is featured in a solo exhibition at the Lehmann Maupin Gallery in New York City through August 8 at their 540 West 26th Street location in New York City. In her fourth solo exhibition with the gallery, Thomas explores the intricacies of female beauty through painting and collage, focusing on how artifice serves both to mask and reveal the individual essence of her subjects. Throughout much of her career, Thomas has drawn from art history with particular interest in classical portraiture, constructed interiors, and iconic representations of the female form. References to Édouard Manet, Henri Matisse, Romare Bearden, and Gustave Courbet may be found throughout her oeuvre. In this exhibit called Tête de Femme (translated as "head of a woman"), Thomas looks to early 20th century Cubism and contemporary Pop references, fragmenting and reducing portraiture to its most formal and geometric elements to create larger-than-life portraits of her models. While the artist's earlier works focused on Priscilla de Petit Chien Deux, 11x14, edition of 300, printed on 100% cotton rag Hahnemuhle paper with archival Epson inkjet pigments

classical depictions of the female form, primarily using powerful black women as the subjects, Tête de Femme more boldly conceptualizes female faces from collaged geometric cutouts. She relies on these shapes in the absence of glamourized female bodies placed in the highly conceptualized environments of her previous work. The series demonstrates the artist's interplay of line, form, and material, punctuated with an increased use of color. With an affinity for rhinestones and glitter, Thomas utilizes these materials in addition to introducing screen-printing to her practice, giving her paintings a new dimensionality. In addition to her exhibition at Lehmann Maupin, Thomas will be exhibiting this year at George Eastman House, Rochester, NY from June 20 to October 19, and L'Ecole des Beaux Arts de Monaco, Monaco from July 4 to August 31. She has also been commissioned to create a special mural for the US Embassy in Dakar, Senegal.

Mark Beard, who spoke at our Foundation Artists Lecture Series last year, will have work on exhibit at a show called, "A Nod to the Past," at Carrie Haddad Gallery in Hudson, New York through August 17. We plan to install his wonderful painting later this year.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT TRAINING FOR HEAD START CLASSROOM ASSISTANTS





uring the months of July and August, HCCC is providing professional development training for 50 potential Head Start classroom assistants. This is a new initiative in Hudson County sponsored by Greater Bergen Community Action (GBCA) as part of a grant initiative recently awarded to that organization, one of five awarded nationally.

Successful completion of the 11 credits of course work at HCCC will provide 120 hours of professional development, and 120 hours towards the 480 hours of working experience with young children between the ages of birth and 36 months of age needed to qualify the participants to apply for Infant/Toddler Child Development Associate (CDA) Credential. The minimum of an Infant/Toddler CDA Credential is now required by the Head Start Act (Section 645A: Staff Qualifications and Development) for individuals who work as caregivers in an Infant/Toddler setting.

As a response to national and statewide attention given towards advancing training for infant and toddler and preschool professionals, HCCC has recently launched new Professional Development Certificate Programs in Infant/Toddler CDA and in Preschool CDA. These certificates help prepare participants to obtain a Child Development Associate Credential, and also provide a pathway to earning an Associate Degree in the field. The CDA professional certificate programs will be offered totally online in the near future.

For more information regarding these Professional Development Certificate Programs, please contact: Alison Friars, HCCC Education Programs Coordinator (201) 360-5364 afriars@hccc.edu.

NOTIBREVES

HCCC ESTABLECE BECA EN MEMORIA DEL OFICIAL MELVIN SANTIAGO

William J. Netchert, Esq., Presidente de la Junta de Adminstradores de Hudson County Community College y el Dr. Glen Gabert, Presidente de HCCC anunciaron que la Universidad ha establecido una beca en memoria del fallecido Oficial de Policia de Jersey City Melvin Santiago, quien fue asesinado a principios del mes de Julio mientras cumplía con su deber.

El Oficial Santiago asistió a Hudson County Community College, programa de Justicia Criminal, entre Otoño 2011 y la Primavera 2013, y dejó la Universidad para asistir a la Academia de Policía.

La Beca en Memoria del Oficial Melvin Santiago cubrirá costos de matrículas y libros, para un oficial de la policía de Jersey City, en busca de un grado en Justicia Criminal (o relacionado) en Hudson County Community College. La beca puede ser renovada por hasta seis semestres (tres años).

"Cuando un individuo se convierte en estudiante de Hudson County Community College, él o ella se convierten en familia y permanecen como tal," dijo el Sr. Netchert. "Enviamos nuestras sentidas condolencias a la familia del Oficial Santiago. Estamos dedicando esta beca al oficial Santiago para que otros,

que estén tan comprometidos como lo estuvo él, a servir y proteger a la comunidad, puedan continuar el trabajo del cual él fue tan devoto."

El Sr. Netchert dijo que la Junta de Administradores y la administración de la Universidad esperan que la beca contribuya algo bueno en lo que ha sido este trágico evento.

"Queremos que esta beca traiga una renovada unidad y recuperación a nuestra comunidad," dijo el Dr. Gabert. "Cada día la Universidad – y las becas proveídas por la gente de nuestra comunidad – mediante la Fundación de HCCC – abre las puertas a nuevas oportunidades para aquellos que viven y trabajan aquí. Educación provee los fundamentos para mejorar vidas y albergar entendimiento," dijo.

Los requisitos y criterios de selección para la Beca en Memoria del Oficial Melvin Santiago son: Los aplicantes deberán:

- Completar el formulario de aplicación.
 Oficiales de policía que sean ya estudiantes de HCCC pueden aplicar.
- Cumplir con los requisitos de aplicación de la Universidad

- Presentar una carta de recomendación, preferiblemente de su supervisor (a) en el Departamento de Policía de Jersey City.
- Escribir y presentar un ensayo describiendo sus metas académicas y como espera que este título mejore su servicio en el Departamento de Policía de Jersey City, y por lo tanto, a la comunidad.
- Mantener un grado promedio de 2.75 para continuar su elegibilidad para la beca. (Si el grado promedio es más bajo del requerido, el estudiante tendrán un semestre de gracia para subir su GPA al mínimo requerido.)
- Presentar una fotografía digital de él/ella.
 La fotografía y palabras del ensayo del
 aplicante podría ser utilizado en publicaciones
 de la Universidad.

Paquetes de aplicación completos deben ser recibidos hasta el 15 de Agosto, 2014. Las aplicaciones deben ser enviadas o entregadas a: Vicepresidente de North Hudson y Asuntos Estudiantiles, ATTENTION: OMSMS, Hudson County Community College, 4800 Kennedy Boulevard, Union City, NJ 07087. Los aplicantes serán notificados de la decisión del comité, durante la semana del 25 de Agosto, 2014.

HCCC ANUNCIA DE UN NUEVO PROGRAMA PARA EL TÉRMINO DE OTOÑO 2014

l Dr. Glen Gabert, Presidente de Hudson County Community College (HCCC) anunció que la Universidad ha expandido su ofrecimiento de cursos, con un nuevo programa de Asociado en Administración de Negocios, y dos nuevos cursos para certificación como Asociado en Desarrollo de la Niñez (CDA).

"Todos estos nuevos ofrecimientos fueron desarrollados para servir mejor a las necesidades de nuestros estudiantes y nuestra comunidad," dijo el Dr. Gabert.

El grado de Asociado en Ciencias (A.S.) en Administración de Negocios preparará a estudiantes a hacer la transición a una institución de cuatro años, y completar el grado de bachiller en materias relacionadas. La determinación de ofrecer este programa fue tomada luego de haber hecho una revisión comprensiva al existente

programa de Asociado en Ciencias Aplicadas. El nuevo programa preparará a estudiantes de negocios para éxito académico y en sus carreras; y a estar listos para nivel inicial en posiciones administrativas y de gerencia.

El programa de A.S. en Administración de Negocios será ofrecido en los campus de Journal Square, Centro de Educación Superior de North Hudson, y en línea. Acuerdos de articulación han sido asegurados con Fairleigh Dickinson University, New Jersey City University, y Saint Peter's University.

Los nuevos programas de Desarrollo Profesional fueron construidos en respuesta al llamado estatal y nacional, de entrenamiento avanzado para aquellos en Educación Temprana de la Niñez. La Sección 648A del Acta de Inicio Temprano, requiere que todos los Coordinadores de Inicio Temprano, deben sostener por lo menos una credencial de asociado en desarrollo de la niñez, y estar enrolados en un programa que lo llevará a obtener un grado de asociado o bachiller, teniendo que completarlo en dos años.

El Dr. Gabert dijo que HCCC es parte de una iniciativa de las universidades comunitarias de New Jersey, que se unieron, y que están trabajando junto con Inicio Temprano (Head Start) y el Departamento de Educación de New Jersey, para cumplir con estos requisitos.

Información adicional acerca de estos programas pueden ser obtenidos en línea en hccc. edu, o enviando un correo electrónico a Janine Nunez – jnunez@hccc.edu, o Elana Winslow – ewinslow@hccc.edu.

Inscríbase a Connect-ED con HCCC!

Hudson County Community College ha implementado Connect-ED, un sistema de alerta de emergencias, de texto y voz, en caso de una crisis o emergencia, que posea un inmediato y eminente peligro a la comunidad universitaria.

Connect-ED es la respuesta de HCCC a una ley federal que requiere la emisión de información acerca de crimen y seguridad en el campus. Este sistema permitirá que la Universidad envíe notificaciones, dentro de un marco de tiempo inmediato, por teléfono, correo electrónico y/o mensaje de texto.



Estudiantes y empleados de HCCC han sido automáticamente registrados en el sistema de alerta de emergencias y recibirán alertas en sus correos electrónicos de HCCC a menos que opten por no recibirlos. Usuarios pueden accesar la página electrónica de la Universidad, www.hccc.edu, haciendo click en Connect-ED para registrar información de contacto adicional, tales como números de teléfono de casa, trabajo y celular.

Gratis y Confidencial: HCCC proveerá este servicio de emergencia sin costo alguno a estudiantes y empleados — y no hay cargos por registrarse. Por otra parte, los proveedores de servicios móviles podrían cobrar por mensajes entrantes, dependiendo del plan del individuo.Información personal ingresada al sistema de Connect-ED se mantendrá confidencial y no será usada para ningún otro propósito. Para más información acerca de Connect-Ed visite www.hccc.edu/emergency

Manténgase informado registrándose para Connect-ED hoy!

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CBI GRADUATES 40 INDIVIDUALS FROM WORKFORCE 55+ PROGRAM

for Workforce and Economic Development Executive Director Sivaraman Anbarasan in congratulating forty students graduating from the Workforce 55+ Program at HCCC.

WorkForce 55+ is designed to offer financially disadvantaged workers 55 years of age and older with opportunities to receive paid, on-the-job training, and to develop work experience that will lead to unsubsidized employment. The federally funded program is providing training to approximately 250 individuals from thirteen counties at Hudson County Community College, and nine other New Jersey community colleges.

The HCCC program had the largest number of participants of any in the State, and was administered by the College's Center for Business & Industry.

"The 55-plus age group can play an important role in contributing to the growth and development of commercial, and nonprofit, enterprises. This 'earn-while-you-learn' program is vital to the economic wellbeing of our community, and we are proud to be a part of it," said Dr. Gabert.

HCCC Center for Business & Industry Executive Director, Ana Chapman-McCausland, explained that participants in the WorkForce 55+ Program received individualized and small-group instruction in financial literacy, computer skills, interviewing skills, and job-search techniques using social media. Participants also received assessment and counseling, and were introduced to the State's Jobs4Jersey.com website which focuses on identifying how individual skill sets may be transferable to a variety of job openings.

"The WorkForce 55+ Program helps to bridge any skill deficiencies that our participants may

have, and it helps to prepare them to be more successful in securing a job in today's technology-based employment environment," Ms. Chapman-McCausland stated.

Additional information about the NJ Work-Force 55+ Program may be obtained by logging onto Jobs4Jersey.com and clicking on the "Older Workers" link. Information about eligibility criteria, and applying to participate in the program, is available at the Hudson County One-Stop Career Centers at 438 Summit Avenue in Jersey City and 530 48th Street in Union City.

The HCCC Center for Business & Industry (CBI) is dedicated to providing the Hudson County community with the skilled and educated workforce that will allow the area to prosper in today's global economy.

The HCCC CBI is committed to partnering with businesses, industries, government, and community-based organizations, and to producing and delivering high-quality, cost-effective, and customized training at times and places that are convenient to the organizations.

The organization is also committed to formulating and offering classes and courses for individuals that are relevant to the present and future business needs of the global economy, and that will lead to employment, and to job/career advancement.

The HCCC Center for Business & Industry is a member of the New Jersey Community College Consortium for Workforce and Economic Development, and a preferred provider of customized training recognized by the New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development.

Announcing Community Education's Join us for a week of FREE classes and FIRST ANNUAL FALL KICKOFF & OPEN HOUSE Information Seminars. Monday September 15, 2014 Monday, September 15 Information Session for ESL Program Presentation Skills for Professionals 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. 7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Tuesday, September 16 Stress Reduction Workshop 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Wednesday, September 17 Health Careers Information Seminar 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Thursday, September 18 Maintaining Balance with Social Media 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. **Culinary Demonstration** 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Bring your friends and learn about our exciting personal and professional development classes. Refreshments will be served. Pre-register by calling the Community Education office at (201) 360-4224.

CENTER FOR ONLINE LEARNING 2014 SUMMER TRAINING SCHEDULE

Hudson Online Faculty Training

August 11	9:00 a.m.	Catherine Sweeting
August 13	1:00 p.m.	Catherine Sweeting
August 15	1:00 p.m.	Catherine Sweeting
August 19	1:00 p.m.	Sharon D'Agastino
August 25	1:00 p.m.	Sharon D'Agastino

Getting Started with Blackboard

August 14 10:00 a.m. COL Staff August 18 2:00 p.m. COL Staff

The Getting Started with Blackboard and Hudson Online Faculty Trainings are required to teach an online or hybrid course. All Trainings are held at the Center for Online Learning Room C232. Please register at the link below: https://clients.mindbodyonline.com/ASP/home.asp?studioid=19976

If you have any questions or concerns, please send an email to col@hccc.edu

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HCCC ANNOUNCES NEW COURSE OFFERINGS FOR FALL 2014 TERM

quired the necessary instruction required for entry-level positions as caregivers in infant/toddler settings with children from birth to 36 months of age. The individuals who successfully complete the Preschool CDA program will have the necessary instruction prescribed for entry-level positions as Group Teachers in preschool settings with children 3 to 5 years of age. Both of these courses will prepare students for the final review with the Professional Specialist who conducts the final assessment for the Council of Professional Recognition, the national organization that awards the credential. Credits earned with these two certificates may be applied to the HCCC associate degree (AAS and AS) in Early Childhood Education.

Additional information on these programs may be obtained online at hccc.edu, by emailing Janine Nunez at jnunez@hccc.edu, or Elana Winslow at ewinslow@hccc.edu.



MUSLIM JOURNEYS

first class Muslim Journey: Taking a Magic Carpet Ride along the Silk Road at the Miftaahul Uloom Academy with Professor Lisa Bellan-Boyer.

Union City... In the past thirty years, expanding knowledge of the Silk Road's impact on trade, commerce, art, and cultural exchange across Eurasia has increased our understanding of the region's people, religious beliefs, civilization, and even literature. As part of the "Muslim Journeys" series sponsored by the HCCC Library, Lisa Belan-Boyer, adjunct instructor in religion and an ordained interfaith minister, took a group of students and faculty at the Miftaahul Uloom Academy on a magic carpet ride across the Silk Road on April 9. The journey was first-class!

Reverend Lisa anchored her presentation in the Aladdin story from the Arabian Nights collection. Known throughout Western civilization as a classic of Arabic literature, stories in the Arabian Nights, as well as other Eastern mythological or folk tales, contain themes that often bear a striking similarity to many Western tales we all know and love. As religious beliefs mixed with local customs and traditions, many of the

tales recounted by storytellers from diverse backgrounds took on new forms, characters, and action. Prof. Bellan-Boyer used food, clothing, and other artifacts to demonstrate how new ideas, designs, and cuisine spread throughout the East and influenced the world we know today. With both faculty and students in attendance, Reverend Lisa's demonstration was well-received by all who participated.

The library at Hudson County Community College (HCCC) has attempted to meet the challenge of media, information, and cultural content literacy not only by building a collection that recognizes the diversity of its learning community, but also by programming other learning experiences to complement and enhance the current curricula. The Silk Road lecture highlights and draws upon the complexity of a number of the earth's cultural mosaics, and offered a unique opportunity to explore a part of the world that is rarely covered in a cross-disciplinary fashion.

A number of students from the Academy participate in the HCCC LEAP program.

HCCC HOSTED THE SUMMER INSTITUTE



udson County Community College hosted the Summer Institute sponsored by Opening the Gate, a cooperative grant between HCCC and NJCU. The institute was held in the Culinary Center from July 7, 2014 to July 10, 2014. Thirty-five full time faculty and adjunct instructors from both institutions attended the 4 day institute. The workshops during the week included a book discussion of The 5 Elements of

Effective Thinking, a workshop on effective communication, a hands on workshop for creating content for developmental mathematics using technology. Other workshop titles were *The Mathematics of Music, Reasoning, and Sense Making Using Instructional Technology*, and *STEM Retention and Recruitment: Algebra Boot camp, Calculus with Pre-Calculus, and 3-D Printing.* The program was well attended.

HCCC STUDENTS PARTICIPATE IN MOOT COURT SESSION



Cathie Seidman (Associate Professor of Criminal Justice) and HCCC criminal justice students defended their positions in moot court.

HCCC TO RECRUIT ELIGIBLE INDIVIDUALS FOR HEALTH PROFESSION OPPORTUNITIES GRANT

udson County Community College, in partnership with Work First NJ of Hudson County, is recruiting eligible individuals who are interested in attaining the education, training, and advancement required for several occupations within the healthcare field.

The program is being conducted as a result of the award of a Health Profession Opportunities Grant (HPOG), and is open to Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) recipients and other income-eligible individuals. (TANF is a federal block-grant program designed to help move recipients into work.) The Health Professional Opportunities Grants are funded under the Affordable Care Act, and administered by the Administration for Children and Families. The grants will provide education and training for careers in healthcare occupations that pay well, and are expected to either experience labor shortages and/or be in high demand. These fields include Certified Nursing Assistant (C.N.A.), Practical Nurse (PN), Registered Nurse (RN), Medical Transcription, Paramedic Science, Medical Billing & Coding, Electronic Health Records Specialist, Clinical Medical Assistant, Pharmacy Technician, and Medical Administrative Assistant.

In addition to the education and training, those individuals who are chosen to participate in the program may qualify for free supportive services associated with their studies for the certification programs.

Eligibility screening (which includes criminal background check and medical clearance) is required and may be arranged through the Hudson County Department of Family Services -Division of Workforce and Development. Those who wish to arrange for the screening are asked to either visit that agency's offices at 257 Cornelison Avenue in Jersey City, or contact Erin Rinker at (201) 420-3000, extension 2127 or erinker@xbp. dhs.state.nj.us.

The names of individuals who prove to be eligible for the HPOG program will be placed in a pool, and a drawing will determine those who will be awarded entry into the program. Those who are not selected in the drawing will be afforded the opportunity to enroll in other programs and services for which they are eligible.

Additional information about HPOG may be obtained by contacting Tammy Hunter, the HPOG Site Coordinator at Hudson County Community College — (201) 360-4225 or thunter@hccc.edu.

TESTING SCHEDULE

All new students are required to take the CPT, which allows for course placement that is appropriate to their skill level. We have created a walk-in schedule to give students the opportunity to Study/Review their Math and English skills prior to visiting the Testing Center.

It is extremely important that you take the College Placement Test seriously. Depending on your score, you may have to register for and pay to take additional semesters of courses that do not bear college credit/ count toward graduation.

Before Taking the CPT:

- a. Students must submit an Application to Admissions (70 Sip Ave.) or at NHHEC Center or at www.hccc.edu/testing.
- b. To review for the College (College Board's "Accuplacer"), please visit: www.college-board. com/student/testing/accuplacer/
- c. For CPT exemption criteria such as SAT scores and applied transfer credit for English and/or Mathematics visit: www.hccc.edu/testing

On the day of the CPT students must:

- a. Report at least 10 minutes before the test start time.
- b. Bring photo ID (Driver's License/Passport/ Green Card / Student ID).
- c. Have your College Wide ID number.
- d. Bring a copy of transcripts (only if student is a transfer or foreign student).

About the CLEP:

The College-Level Examination Program (CLEP) gives students the opportunity to receive college credit for what they already know. For more information on CLEP, please visit: www.collegeboard.com/student/testing/clep/about.

Before Taking the CLEP Exam:

- Please call (201) 360-4191 or -4192, as CLEP exams are administered by appointment only.
- b. All appointment cancellations must be made at least 24 hours in advance.
- Please contact the Testing Center for an appointment: (201) 360-4194, - 4192 or - 4191.

How do I make an appointment at the HCCC Testing Center?

- HCCC students: Obtain Dean's Permission form prior to scheduling appointment
- Non-HCCC students: Research your institution's CLEP Policy

- All: Contact Testing Center for most updated appointment availability (space is limited)
- Cancellation: Avoid penalty fees by cancelling/rescheduling at least 24 advance

How do I pay for my CLEP Exam(s)?

- Purchase CLEP exam(s) through CLEP's My Account registration portal: http://clep.collegeboard.org/started
- Print and bring your CLEP Registration Ticket to the Testing Center on scheduled exam day (by appointment only)
- Optional: order CLEP studying materials at My Account
- HCCC students have access to free study guide at the HCCC Libraries

On the Day of the CLEP Exam:

- a. Students must report at least 10 minutes before the test start time.
- Bring two (2) forms of identification (Driver's License, Passport, Green Card, Student ID, or Military ID).
- c. Bring \$20 receipt from Bursar's Office.
- d. Bring \$80 CLEP Fee: money order, payable to ETS/CLEP, or credit card (Visa, MasterCard, American Express, or Discover are accepted).

Disability Support Services

If you require special testing accommodations due to a documented disability, please contact Disability Support Services at (201) 360-4157. All students with approved testing accommodations must take the College Placement Test at the Testing Center located at 2 Enos Place, Jersey City, NJ.

The testing schedule for August as follows (times indicated with * are by appointment only; CPT sessions listed for offsite classes only):

Journal Square: 2 Enos Place, Jersey City NHHEC: 4800 Kennedy Blvd, Union City

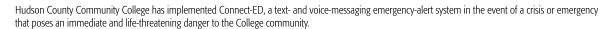
- Friday, August 1 College Closed
- Monday, August 4 College Placement Test Assessment, 9 a.m. or 1 p.m., Journal Sq. & NHHEC
- Tuesday, August 5 College Placement Test Assessment, 9 a.m. or 1 p.m., Journal Sq.
- Wednesday, August 6 College Placement Test Assessment, 9 a.m. or 1 p.m., Journal Sq. & NHHEC
- Thursday, August 7 College Placement Test Assessment, 9 a.m. or 1 p.m., Journal Sq.

- Friday, August 8 College Closed
- Monday, August 11 College Placement Test Assessment, 9 a.m. or 1 p.m., Journal Sq. & NHHEC
- Tuesday, August 12 College Placement Test Assessment, 9 a.m. or 1 p.m., Journal Sq.
- Wednesday, August 13 College Placement Test Assessment, 9 a.m. or 1 p.m., Journal Sq.
 NHHEC
- Thursday, August 14 College Placement Test Assessment, 9 a.m. or 1 p.m., Journal Sq.
- Friday, August 15 College Placement Test Assessment, 9 a.m. or 1 p.m., Journal Sq.
- Monday, August 18 College Placement Test Assessment, 9 a.m. or 1 p.m., Journal Sq. & NHHEC
- Tuesday, August 19 College Placement Test Assessment, 9 a.m. or 1 p.m., Journal Sq.
- Wednesday, August 20 College Placement Test Assessment, 9 a.m. or 1 p.m., Journal Sq.
 NHHEC
- Thursday, August 21 College Placement Test Assessment, 9 a.m. or 1 p.m., Journal Sq.
- Friday, August 22 College Placement Test Assessment, 9 a.m. or 1 p.m., Journal Sq.
- Monday, August 25 College Placement Test Assessment, 9 a.m. or 1 p.m., Journal Sq. & NHHEC
- Tuesday, August 26 College Placement Test Assessment, 9 a.m. or 1 p.m., Journal Sq.
- Wednesday, August 27- College Placement Test Assessment, 9 a.m. or 1 p.m., Journal Sq. & NHHEC
- Thursday, August 28 College Placement Test Assessment, 9 a.m. or 1 p.m., Journal Sq.
- Friday, August 29 College Placement Test Assessment, 9 a.m. or 1 p.m., Journal Sq.

For further information, please contact HCCC's Testing Center, located at 2 Enos Place, Jersey City, NJ 07306 at (201) 360-4193 for College Placement Test appointments.

To obtain additional information and policies of the Testing Center, please visit www.hccc.edu/testing.

Get Connect-ED with HCCC!



Connect-ED will allow the College to send time-sensitive notifications by phone, email and/or text message.

Both HCCC students and employees have been automatically registered by College email in the emergency-alert system and will receive alerts unless they opt out. Users may access the College's web site, www.hccc.edu/emergency, and click on the Connect-ED link to register additional contact information.

Free and Confidential: HCCC will provide this emergency service free of charge to students and employees – there is no charge to sign up. However, mobile service providers may charge a fee for incoming messages depending on an individual's plan.

Personal information entered into the Connect-ED system will be kept confidential and will not be used for any other purpose.

For information about Connect-ED, visit www.hccc.edu/emergency
Stay informed and get Connect-ED today!



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Wednesday, August 6

Retirement Workshop – for Employees Enrolled in the Public Employee Retirement System, 9 a.m., Division of Pensions and Benefits, Trenton, NJ; Any employee who is considering retiring now or in the near future should register to attend. Register at http://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/workshop-intro.shtml

Thursday, August 7

Retirement Workshop for PERS Members, 9 a.m., Richard J. Hughes Justice Complex, Trenton, NJ; Any employee who is considering retiring now or in the near future should register to attend. Register early, as seats are limited- http://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/workshop-intro.shtml

Monday, August 11

Retirement Workshop for PERS Members, 9 a.m., Richard J. Hughes Justice Complex, Trenton, NJ; Any employee who is considering retiring now or in the near future should register to attend. Register early, as seats are limited- http://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/workshop-intro.shtml

Hudson Online Faculty Training, 9 a.m., Center for Online Learning, Room C232; Register at https://clients.mindbodyonline.com/ASP/home.asp?studioid=19976, or email col@hccc.edu for more information.

Tuesday, August 12

Meeting of Hudson County Community College Board of Trustees, Mary T. Norton Room, 4th Floor, 70 Sip Avenue, 5 p.m.

Culinary Café will be open for lunch at Culinary Conference Center. Lunch Buffet served from 12 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Wednesday, August 13

Student Orientation, 5 p.m. to 9 p.m., Culinary Conference Center

Hudson Online Faculty Training, 1 p.m., Center for Online Learning, Room C232; Register at https://clients.mindbodyonline.com/ASP/home.asp?studioid=19976, or email col@hccc.edu for more information.

Wednesday, August 13 – Thursday, August 14 Final Exams for Summer Session II

Thursday, August 14

Getting Started with Blackboard, 10 a.m., Center for Online Learning, Room C232; Register at https://clients.mindbodyonline.com/ASP/home.asp?studioid=19976, or email col@hccc.edu for more information.

Friday, August 15

Hudson Online Faculty Training, 1 p.m., Center for Online Learning, Room C232; Register at https://clients.mindbodyonline.com/ASP/home.asp?studioid=19976, or email col@hccc.edu for more information.

Monday, August 18

Last day to submit Summer Session II grades to the Registrar's Office Getting Started with Blackboard, 2 p.m., Center for Online Learning, Room C232; Register at https://clients.mindbodyonline.com/ASP/home.asp?studioid=19976, or email col@hccc.edu for more information.

Tuesday, August 19 – Friday, August 22 Basic Math/Algebra Express Classes

Tuesday, August 19

Culinary Café will be open for lunch at Culinary Conference Center. Lunch Buffet served from 12 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Hudson Online Faculty Training, 1 p.m., Center for Online Learning, Room C232; Register at https://clients.mindbodyonline.com/ASP/home.asp?studioid=19976, or email col@hccc.edu for more information.

Thursday, August 21

Open House, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. & 5 p.m. to 7 p.m., Culinary Conference Center

Monday, August 25

Hudson Online Faculty Training, 1 p.m., Center for Online Learning, Room C232; Register at https://clients.mindbodyonline.com/ASP/home.asp?studioid=19976, or email col@hccc.edu for more information.

Tuesday, August 26

Culinary Café will be open for lunch at Culinary Conference Center. Lunch Buffet served from 12 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Wednesday, August 27

College Service Day - The Library, 71 Sip Avenue, 8:30 a.m.

Thursday, August 28

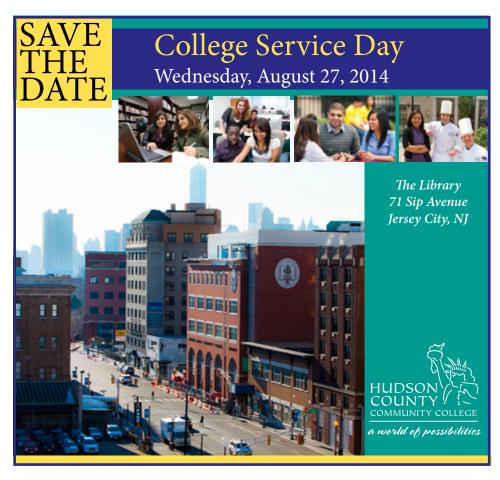
All College Faculty Meeting, 5 p.m., Culinary Conference Center

Late registration for Fall 2014 begins

Webinar – "The One That Got Away: Identifying Comprehensive Success Measures for Workforce Programs", Kathy Booth (Senior Research Associate, WestEd), 2 p.m. – 3 p.m., Center for Online Learning Lab, C232

Retirement Workshop for PERS Members, 9 a.m., Richard J. Hughes Justice Complex, Trenton, NJ; Any employee who is considering retiring now or in the near future should register to attend. Register early, as seats are limited- http://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/workshop-intro.shtml

Saturday, August 30 - Monday, September 1 Labor Day Weekend – College Closed



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12TH ANNUAL FOUNDATION GOLF OUTING



Pictured above: Bakari E. Lee, Esq. (Vice Chair, HCCC Board of Trustees), Margaret M. McMenamin, Ed.D. (Union County College President), Linda E. Lam (VicePresident/Policy Research Officer, NJCCC), and Reverend William E. Coleman, Jr. (Mercer County Community College Board of Trustees)



Pictured above: John Burns Jr. (HCCC Foundation Board Member), Leo Balcaceres, Neil Burns, and Mike Lamprect



Pictured above: Mark Rodrick (HCCC Foundation Board Member), Fred Jaramillo, Daniel Madden, and Lee Rzepinski

udson County Community College
Vice President for Development Joseph Sansone announced that the
College Foundation held one of its most successful Golf Outing fundraisers on Monday,
July 7. The event — the Foundation's twelfth
— took place at the Forest Hill Field Club in
Bloomfield, New Jersey.

Mr. Sansone said that more than 100 golfers and lunch guests attended the event; raising approximately \$80,000 for the HCCC Foundation. "We are eternally grateful for everyone who supported this event, which will help us provide scholarships to worthy students and assist us in additional efforts of the College," he said.

Mr. Sansone also noted the Foundation's appreciation for the event's sponsors: The Hudson County Community College Board of Trustees, Johnston Communications Voice & Data, Follett Higher Education Group, Goldman Sachs, United Water, and Provident Bank.

"This event would not have been possible without the diligent work of its committee, and the generosity of the many donors who gave gifts for our welcome bags and lunch prizes," said Mr. Sansone. The Hudson County Community College Foundation is a nonprofit 501 (c) 3 corporation giving tax-exempt status to contributors. Now in its sixteenth year of operation, the organization generates financial support to benefit deserving HCCC students by providing them with scholarships. The Foundation also provides seed money for new programs, faculty development and the College's programs.

Established in 1997, the Hudson County Community College Foundation plays an integral role in the development of HCCC students, the College and the community. The Foundation is dedicated to generating financial support for the College and its students, developing and awarding needs-based and merit scholarships, providing seed money for the development of faculty programs, and providing for the College's physical growth.

For other Foundation activities — including its Annual Scholarship Appeal — please contact the College's Development Office at (201) 360-4006, or email Mr. Sansone at jsansone@hccc.edu. Complete information on all of the Foundation's activities is available online at www.hccc.edu/FoundationDonor.