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From the Editor's Desk

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HUDSON COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE HOLDS GRAND OPENING OF THE BENJAMIN J. DINEEN, III AND DENNIS C. HULL GALLERY

Hudson County Community College (HCCC) held a formal, by-invitation, ribbon-cutting ceremony for nearly 400 guests to mark the official opening of the Benjamin J. Dineen, III and Dennis C. Hull Gallery on Sunday, September 13, 2015.

The Gallery, which is located on the top floor of the College's Library Building at 71 Sip Avenue in Jersey City, opened to the public on Tuesday, September 15, 2015 with the presentation of the first exhibit, "Through the Collector's Eye: The Dineen-Hull Collection." The Benjamin J. Dineen, III and Dennis C. Hull Gallery will be open to HCCC students, faculty, and staff – as well as the members of the community – Tuesday through Sunday from 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. There will be no charge for admission.

"Through the Collector's Eye: The Dineen-Hull Collection" will run through October 4, 2015. Included are selections from the 400-work collection of art generously donated to the College by Mr. Dineen and Mr. Hull. While the collection focuses on contemporary New Jersey artists, there are works by those who have achieved national and international recognition as well.

The second exhibit, "Changing America: The Emancipation Proclamation, 1863, and the March on Washington, 1963," explores the historical context, accomplishments, and limitations of these two pivotal events in American history through photographs, documents, and other images. The exhibit, which will run from October 14 through November 27, 2015, is presented by the Smithsonian National Museum of African American History and Culture, and the National Museum of American History, in collaboration with the American Library Association Public Programs Office. The event is made possible by the National Endowment for the Humanities.

The third event, "Pope Pius XII: Consensus or Controversy," will run from December 8, 2015 through January 14, 2016. (The Gallery will be closed December 22, 2015 through January 3, 2016.) From 1939 through 1958, Pius XII shepherded the Roman Catholic Church through the horrors of World War II and the Holocaust, and the challenges of rebuilding post-war Europe. Through images, artifacts and contemporary news accounts, the viewer will be able to explore the many facets of the Pope, who was admired by as many as those who were critical of him.

From January 31 through March 8, 2016, the Benjamin J. Dineen, III and Dennis C. Hull Gallery will feature "Contemporary Hudson County," an exhibit presented by Hudson County Community College and curated by the Chair



Pictured from left at the ribbon cutting ceremony for the Benjamin J. Dineen, III and Dennis C. Hull Gallery are Glen Gabert, Ph.D., President of Hudson County Community College; Dennis C. Hull; Winifred Dineen, mother of Benjamin J. Dineen III; Tilo E. Rivas, Vice Chair, Hudson County Board of Chosen Freeholders; and Hudson County Freeholder Anthony Romano.

of the College's Studio Art program. The exhibit of works by Hudson County artists highlights the County's diversity and its status as a creative center.

The fifth exhibit, "After Stonewall: An Exhilarating Time in Black and White," presented by the Leslie-Lohman Museum of Gay and Lesbian Art, is being curated by Hunter O'Hanian. Drawing from the deep artistic archives of the Leslie-Lohman Museum, the exhibit probes the narrative from the 1969 Stonewall Riots in New York in 1969 to the onset of the AIDS epidemic in the 1980s via black-and-white photos from the period. The exhibit will run in conjunction with LGBT History Month, from March 17 through Sunday, May 1, 2016.

The final exhibit for the Inaugural Season is "Unframed: An Exhibition of Visual Arts by HCCC Students, Faculty, and Alumni" that will run from May 8 through June 10, 2016. Presented by the HCCC Studio Art Program, the exhibit provides viewers with the opportunity to draw connections between the works that are diverse in concept and medium, and that are produced by artists at various stages of their careers.

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PHI THETA KAPPA HONOR SOCIETY NEWS



Pictured from left: Gloria Estanislado, Luz Tellez and Connie Falconi at Sept. 5 chapter meeting.



Gloria Estanislado (left), Betsy Apena, and Daryl Moreno at the Sept. 5 chapter meeting.



Beta Alpha Phi advisor Prof. Ted Lai (right) with Jesus Garcia, former Phi Theta Kappa International Vice President of Division I, at the Society's Advisor Institute.

September Chapter Meeting

Alumnae members attended the Sept. 5 chapter meeting to meet with current members. Gloria Estanislado and Luz Tellez are graduates of Rider University, and Connie Falconi graduated from New Jersey City University, where she is currently in a graduate program. All are working in their field of study.

Phi Theta Kappa Advisor Institute

Jesus Garcia is a former Phi Theta Kappa International Vice President of Division I. He was invited to speak at the Advisor Institute in Philadelphia, which Beta Alpha Phi advisor Prof. Ted Lai attended on Sept. 11-12. Garcia is an alumnus of Essex County College, where he was a member of its Phi Theta Kappa chapter, Alpha Theta Theta. He is attending New Jersey Institute of Technology.

Bike MS

This event, hosted by the National Multiple Sclerosis Society, will take place on Sunday, Oct. 4 on Piers 92/94 in Manhattan (55th Street and West Side Highway). There will be rest stops in Weehawken (Parking Lot, 1200 Harbor Boulevard) and Englewood Cliffs

(Dwight-Englewood School Parking Lot, 81 Lincoln Street). Registration is currently \$75 and will increase to \$100 on Oct. 3. To volunteer, please visit https://secure3.convio.net/nmss/site/TRR/Bike/NYNBikeEvents/1823163424?pg=utype&fr_id=26036. The chapter's volunteer team name is Phi Theta Kappa, HCCC.

Making Strides Against Breast Cancer

The American Cancer Society will be holding Making Stride against Breast Cancer walks throughout the country. Its Jersey City walk will be held on Sunday, Oct. 18 in Lincoln Park.

To volunteer with Beta Alpha Phi Chapter, enter Phi Theta Kappa, HCCC in box 5 for the company name at http://main.acsevents.org/site/TR?sid=16396&type=fr_informational&pg=informational&fr_id=69977

New Jersey C4 Week

President Barack Obama and higher education leaders have pledged to boost college completion rates by 50 percent over the next 10 years.

Phi Theta Kappa is heading the Community College Completion Corps, the student-led initiative to raise awareness of the importance of college completion not only for students but for colleges and the communities they serve. Details and supplies are available at <http://www.cccompletioncorps.org>

Upcoming Events

Saturday, Oct. 3: Chapter Meeting, Student Lounge, 25 Journal Square

Sunday, Oct. 4: Bike MS

Sunday, Oct. 18: Making Strides Against Breast Cancer, Lincoln Park, Jersey City

Monday, Oct. 19 – Friday, Oct. 23: New Jersey Community College Challenge Week (NJC4)

Thursday, Oct. 22: Trick or Transfer Fair, Culinary Conference Center, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 30: Halloween Party for Children, 4 p.m., Student Lounge, 25 Journal Square

Sunday, Nov. 1: Fall Induction, Culinary Conference Center, 2 p.m.

Fall 2015 Open House

Saturday, November 21, 2015

10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Library Building
71 Sip Avenue
Jersey City, NJ

*Let us work together
as a campus make
this the best
Open House ever!*

ALL COLLEGE FACULTY ORIENTATION AND ADJUNCT FACULTY AWARD RECOGNITION - FALL 2015



Members of the adjunct faculty are presented with awards for outstanding service at the All College Faculty Orientation.



Emily Carew (left) is presented with an Outstanding Adjunct Faculty Award of Recognition by Catherine Sirangelo, Associate Dean, Nursing & Health Sciences.

On Monday, Aug. 31, more than 250 part-time faculty members and staff attended the All College Faculty Orientation. Attendees participated in professional development workshops, departmental meetings, dinner, and an award recognition ceremony.

Seven Adjunct Faculty members were recognized by their departments and Academic Affairs for their outstanding service and excellence in teaching. The Outstanding Adjunct

Faculty Award of Recognition was presented to Joanna Karnicka (ESL); Maria Stamas (AF English); Tonja Jefferson-Webb (Business, Culinary Arts & Hospitality Management); Daniel Saunders (Humanities); Iveth Bernardez (AE Math); Qamar Raza (STEM); Emily Carew (Nursing & Health Sciences) at the All College Faculty Orientation Dinner.

OCTOBER IS OPEN ENROLLMENT MONTH

The State Health Benefits Program (SHBP) Open Enrollment period is scheduled from October 1, 2015 until November 2, 2015.

This is your annual opportunity to review your health plan for the 2016 plan year. All changes made during this Open Enrollment period will be effective January 1, 2016. We are Local Education employees.

NOTE: This year, there are no changes to our current health benefits plans; the only change is the premium cost for all plans. Please visit the HR portal Benefits page and click on the tab for "Open Enrollment;" you will find the health benefits enrollment application, information on the most popular health benefits plans being used at HCCC and news from the Division of Pensions and Benefits.

During the Open Enrollment Period you may: (Proper documentation will be required for all changes)

- Enroll in SHBP plan if you have not previously done so
- Change to a different SHBP medical plan
- Add/delete eligible dependents - including children up to age 26
- Waive coverage- (stipend is offered, please contact Iris Herrador for further information)

Please note: Multiple coverage under the SHBP is prohibited; waiver incentives are only payable if the other coverage is through a non-SHBP plan.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out to Iris Herrador at 201-360-4072 or via e-mail iherrador@hccc.edu.

JOBS

Applicants are now being sought for the following positions:

Associate Director Student Financial Assistance

Career Development Counselor

College Lecturer, Academic Foundations - English

Community Education Customer Service Assistants PT (multiple positions)

Community Education Instructors PT (multiple positions)

Controller

Director of Admissions

Director of Cultural Affairs

Director of Health Related Programs

Director of Practical Nursing Program

Executive Administrative Assistant (VP for Administrative Services)

Executive Director, Center for Online Learning

HR Employment Manager

Instructional Designer (Part-Time)

Instructor of Romance Languages

Laboratory Technician, Chemistry & Biology (two positions)

Student Financial Assistance Aide

Tutoring Coordinator

USDOL TAACCCT Grant Coordinator (Grant funded position)

COPY CENTER EXTENDS OPERATING HOURS FOR MIDTERMS

The Mail Room & Copy Center located at 25 Journal Square will be extending its hours of operation starting Wednesday, Oct. 14 through Friday, Oct. 23 to accommodate the increase in demand during the mid-term exams.

Hours will be as follows:

- Wednesday, Oct. 14 through Friday, Oct 23: 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.
- Saturday & Sunday: Closed

The Mail Room & Copy Center will resume regular hours of operation (Monday through Thursday 8:00 am to 6 p.m., Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.) on Monday, Oct. 26, 2015.

NEW HIRES/TITLES

Devlyn Courtier,

Library Clerical Assistant, Non-Credit Programs

Kyle Ebert,

Facilities Worker

Lilliam Hogan,

Manager, Purchasing Services

Phoebe Michail,

Admissions Recruiter

Courtney Payne,

Instructor, Culinary/Pastry Arts

Paula Robertson,

Assessment Coordinator

FALL FEST



Tuesday, October 13

11 a.m. to 1 p.m., B Student Lounge
Come out and enjoy everything Fall has to offer! Paint pumpkins, make candy apples, and relax while enjoying all that the Fall season has to offer!

MILESTONES

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

10 Years

Cynthia Coulter

15 Years

Valerie Frink

30 Years

Nitzia Berrio *
Mojdeh Tabatabaie *

* as of August 2015

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.

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.

Donor Acknowledgement:

Thank you to James Byrne for another generous donation.

Artist News

If you like **Frank Gehry's** "Wiggle Chair" installed in the lobby of the North Hudson Campus, and you happen to be in Los Angeles between now and March, check out the show called "Frank Gehry" at the Los Angeles County Museum of Art. Although this is a retrospective exhibit about Gehry, the world's leading architect, curiously enough, at the press preview for the exhibit, he said "I don't like to reflect on the past; it hurts too much."

We are fortunate to have two copies of **Mike Waugh's** first print, a lithograph called *The CIA Commission (part 1 and part n)*. One copy from the edition is on view at the North Hudson Campus on the fifth floor and the other, a gift from Benjamin J. Dineen III and Dennis C. Hull is at 2 Enos Place on the second floor. Waugh is having a show called "Boom" at the Von Lintel Gallery in Los Angeles through Oct. 31. Like the works at HCCC, the drawings in this show are made out of tiny letters that are used to form recognizable objects — our prints contain words from the CIA Commission report on 9/11. This is not a new technique; the ancient Hebrews did a kind of calligraphy called micrography where the lines creating the subject matter were actually small written words. Waugh's work has been reviewed by *The New York Times*, *Art in America*, and *ARTNews*. He is the recipient of awards from the New York Foundation for the Arts, The Marie Walsh Sharp

Space Program, and the Pollock-Krasner Foundation. Whichever campus you happen to be on, check out the work. It looks enormously different from a distance than it does up close.

"Through The Collector's Eye", our first show in the new sixth floor Journal Square library gallery dedicated to Benjamin J. Dineen III and Dennis C. Hull, has been extended through October 4th from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. At the exhibit, you can see the work illustrated here, by **William Kentrige**. Called *Nose on a horse projection*, it was created at the Brodsky Center for Innovative Editions in 2010. It's a photogravure and the collaborator was Randy Hemminghaus. William Kentrige is a South African artist born in Johannesburg. The "Nose" is a subject he has depicted famously. According to *The New Yorker*, he discovered "The Nose" at an airport bookstore when he bought a book of short stories by Gogol. A note in the book led him to Laurence Sterne's book *Tristram Shandy*, which describes a man whose nose was squashed flat at birth. An opera by Shostakovich of the same name, according to the artist, is "about a world gone awry, about dislocated logic and a driven irrationality where language stops making sense." Kentrige created stage sets for that opera. "The shape of the nose is my nose," he says, "an Ashkenazi Jewish nose." His work is in major museum collections worldwide, including the Guggenheim Museum in New York City.

William Kentrige, will be speaking at Princeton University on Wednesday, Oct. 14 at 5 p.m. in 10 McCosh Hall. He is the 2015-16 Belknap Visitor



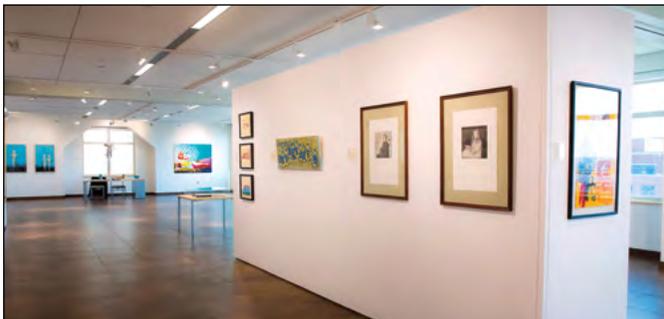
in the Humanities at the Council of the Humanities at Princeton. His talk, titled "O Sentimental Machine," is about his new multimedia installation, currently on view at the Istanbul Biennial.

Kiki Smith whose work *Concordance Excerpt* is installed on the second floor hallway of North Hudson, will be part of a group show at the LeRoy Neiman Center for Print Studies at Columbia University in New York. Titled, "Bodies Burning at The Edges," the show will be open through October 23. The gallery is open Monday-Friday 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

If you like **Valerie Larko's** work, *Relic*, in the new library at Journal Square, you might enjoy visiting "Location, Location, Location." Valerie Larko's solo exhibition at Lyons Wier Gallery in Chelsea. The show is up through October 31, 2015. Larko, formerly a Jersey City resident, is an artist of the urban landscape. All the pictures were painted on location in the Bronx.

GRAND OPENING OF THE BENJAMIN J. DINEEN, III AND DENNIS C. HULL GALLERY

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"The College is extremely proud to present these offerings and express our deep appreciation to those organizations who are our collaborators," said Dr. Gabert. "The Benjamin J. Dineen, III and Dennis C. Hull Gallery is dedicated to providing for the arts education not only of our students, but also for the education of all the children, men, and women of Hudson County. We invite our neighbors in the County to visit and enjoy the exhibits we will present these next several months."

Group tours may be arranged for the various exhibits by contacting John Marlin, Ph.D., Associate Dean of Humanities at (201) 360-4651 or jmarlin@hccc.edu.

To view a gallery of photos from this event, please visit www.digiproofs.com, password 091315HCCC.

NOTIBREVES

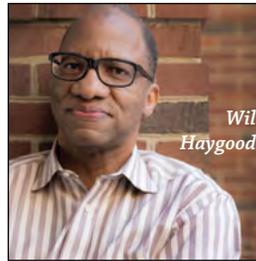
HCCC ANUNCIA INVITADOS A LA SERIE DE CONFERENCIAS 2015/2016



Maria
Hinojosa



Sean
Astin



Wil
Haygood



Ava
DuVernay



The
Meeting

La Serie de Conferencias de Hudson County Community College vuelve este otoño, como parte del nuevo Programa de Actividades Culturales de la Universidad. Las presentaciones públicas resaltan a tres exitosos individuos en sectores desde periodismo a entretenimiento. Todos los eventos están abiertos a la comunidad, sin costo de admisión. Por otra parte, si se requiere obtener un boleto para ingresar, que están disponibles por orden de llegada.

Las presentaciones se llevarán a cabo en el Centro de Conferencias – Artes Culinarias, 161 Newkirk St. en Jersey City, NJ, o en el Campus de North Hudson, 4800 Kennedy Boulevard, en Union City, NJ.

Maria Hinojosa, periodista ganadora de un Emmy, será la primera presentación de la serie, el Miércoles, 21 de Octubre en el Campus de North Hudson. Maria Hinojosa es pionera en noticias y periodismo investigativo, con más de 25 años de experiencia reportando temas críticos y los cambios culturales y políticos en América. En la actualidad es presentadora y productora ejecutiva del

programa ganador del NPR Peabody, *Latino USA*.

El Jueves, 29 de Octubre, el actor, productor y Autor Sean Astin hará su presentación en el Centro de Conferencias – Artes Culinarias de HCCC. El Sr. Astin, es mejor conocido por sus actuaciones como Samwise Gamgee en la trilogía “El Señor de los Anillos” (*The Lord of the Rings*), Mickey Walsh en *The Goonies* y el personaje principal en *Rudy*. En su autobiografía en el 2004, *There and Back Again: An Actor’s Tale (Allá y De Vuelta: Cuento de un Actor)*, (en coautoría con Joe Layden), contó su carrera como actor con énfasis en su experiencia en *El Señor de los Anillos*.

Wil Haygood, periodista nominado a un Premio Pulitzer y autor de *The Butler: A Witness to History (El Mayordomo: Un Testigo de la Historia)*, se hará presente el 19 de Noviembre en el Centro de Conferencias – Artes Culinarias de HCCC. El Sr. Haygood también fue productor asociado de la versión de cine de su libro, *The Butler*. En su distinguida carrera como periodista para *The Boston Globe* y *The Washington Post*, ha cubierto algunos de los eventos más históricos de la nación. Su libro

más reciente es *Showdown: Thurgood Marshall and the Supreme Court Nomination That Changed America (Momento Decisivo: Thurgood Marshall y La Nominación de la Corte Suprema Que Cambio a América)*.

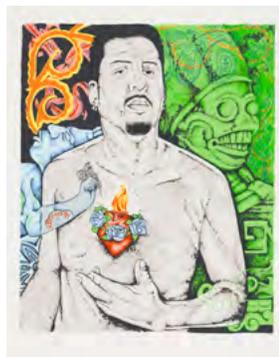
Escritora, Productora y Directora Ava DuVernay, compartirá sus experiencias el Jueves, 11 de Febrero, 2016, en el Centro de Conferencias – Artes Culinarias. DuVernay es una narradora, directora y escritora de repartos, cuyos créditos incluyen *I Will Follow (Yo Seguiré)*, *Middle of Nowhere (En Medio de Nada)* y la muy aclamada producción cinematográfica *Selma*.

The Meeting (La Reunión), será presentada el Jueves, 31 de Marzo, 2016, en el Centro de Conferencias – Artes Culinarias. *The Meeting* es la recreación de una reunión imaginaria entre el Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., y Malcom X.

Boletos de admisión a la Serie de Conferencias Otoño 2015 de HCCC se pueden obtener llamando al (201) 360-4020.

ESTAMOS AQUÍ

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EXHIBICIÓN: ESTAMOS AQUÍ NOVIEMBRE 10, 2015 – ENERO 7, 2016

La Exhibición Estamos Aquí, resalta trabajos de 40 artistas contemporáneos que tomaron la oportunidad de especializarse en técnicas de impresión en seda, de un internado residencial basado en Austin. Muchos de los artistas hablan desde una perspectiva Chicano/Latina, y los resultados de sus portafolios expresan sus celebraciones, sufrimientos, desafíos, culturas populares, y experiencias personales. Destacando colores vivos y a veces imágenes impactantes, los trabajos en “Estamos Aquí” incitan a la audiencia a hacer preguntas acerca de la naturaleza del intercambio de culturas y a descubrir como los artistas encontraron sus voces por medio de historias personales y experiencias que se convierten en partes del proceso artístico.

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From the 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



Sirhan Abdullah,
Instructor of Health
Services, Tenure Track

Sirhan Abdullah's original plan was to practice medicine. In pursuit of that goal, he earned an M.D. from Avalon University in Youngstown, Ohio. During the months that he was waiting for a medical residency, he started teaching and realized how strong his passion for educating students was. He already had children, so it was a path that made sense with his life circumstances. "I realized—once I started teaching—that this is what I really like to do. I went from one course to two, and then I taught online courses, eventually becoming a full-time teacher."

Born in Brooklyn, New York, he is a proud graduate of a public school system that set him up for success. He attended PS 169 and Fort Hamilton High School in Brooklyn, and studied biology as an undergraduate at St. Francis College. His grandfather came to visit the United States and had to be admitted to St. Joseph's Hospital in Paterson, New Jersey. "We were back and forth so many times so we eventually moved to Jersey. It's quieter here than in Brooklyn, although my heart is still in Brooklyn." He has lived in New Jersey with his family since 2002.

"I teach in the Health Services department," he says. "Many of the students are interested in nursing and allied health, but they don't want to do hands-on medical work with patients. Some are aspiring nurses who can go back to nursing in the future, if they choose, with a strong foundation. We have almost 150 students who are majoring in Health Services. Some will choose medical school, some physical

therapy, and others veer into public health. Health Services is a great gateway to several different careers."

Dr. Abdullah's background in teaching pharmacology, medical terminology, and medical law and ethics at other colleges has served him well in the transition to HCCC. Yet, his work extends far beyond the classroom. He is representing his department at the upcoming information session for undeclared majors. At the workshop he will discuss the various career opportunities available to the Health Services graduates. He was also able to convince students to participate in a health fair at which he gave a presentation on public health items such as eliminating stress, managing blood pressure, and knowing about depression and anxiety. Additionally, when he was contacted by the HCCC office for Institutional Research, he agreed to participate on the College's assessment committee.

His work has taken him into the virtual realm as well. "I consider myself one of the success stories with online education," he said. "I videotaped all of my lectures for Medical Terminology. Professor Matari and Dean Sirangelo are great mentors and the faculty and staff in the STEM division support what I want to do. It makes me happy when the students who are too shy to participate in class are posting questions and having discussions on the online discussion boards."

With emphasis, he states, "HCCC has given me the opportunity to grow. This is the college that's given me the opportunity to do many things. I call it the green light. I had a student who graduated from HCCC who was accepted to Rutgers' Physician Assistant Program. That was huge. He thanked me at graduation. I felt really good about it."



Allen Foster,
Business Instructor,
Tenure Track

You may know Allen as the tenure-track Business Instructor. But you might also be interested to know that he is a published author of a novel and a successful musician. "My life changed the night the Beatles appeared on the Ed Sullivan Show in 1964. It all started there; now I own 12 guitars and perform around New Jersey. I've got a creative and, a musical life and I love it."

What's this got to do with teaching business? "Well, in Marketing class I use the various categories and types of guitars to talk about niches and market differentiation. I talk about brands and copyright infringement."

After a 30-year career in advertising and marketing, including 15 years in healthcare marketing management—yes, he was the Ex-Lax brand manager for 6 years—Professor Foster brought his extensive knowledge base to HCCC. "I recommended a maximum strength product to Ex-Lax that became their best selling product. I became a Marketer of the Year. After that I worked on heart-healthy campaigns and then on marketing cancer drugs for Novartis. Novartis had a new initiative and wanted me to be the strategic leader. I really had a great career."

When he left his last agency, he didn't know what the next move was. His first adjunct position was at the adult school at Centenary College where he taught marketing. Then he learned that HCCC needed a business department adjunct instructor. He came, he stayed, and he became a full-time instructor. This year he's up for tenure.

"I earned my MBA from the Wharton School in Marketing Management. But that doesn't mean I knew teaching with technology. I came to HCCC and barely knew what teaching with technology meant. I learned everything I could and today I teach skills on smart boards to others. Smart boards, Power-Points, videos, teaching online, writing online courses; I'm mentoring other teachers in business to show them how to write and teach online courses. It's amazing what happens when you're willing to learn. I have noticed that many students don't realize how time intensive these online courses are."

Instructor Foster has held a key role as secretary of the Space and Facilities Committee for the last two years. While serving on that committee he authored the current smoking policy that has been implemented throughout the institution. In addition he serves on Associate Dean Paul Dillon's Advisory Committee for the BCH Division.

Dr. Foster talks about the process of creating his novel, *A Fateful Reunion*. "The basic idea was in my head for 10 years. I really thought it would make a cool movie. I started writing it in the summer of 2012 and completed it, with the help of my wife, in the summer of 2013. It is currently published in E form with a paperback soon to be released. It was a fun process."

"What's amazing to me is I came to HCCC to teach one class as an adjunct. I never envisioned how involved I'd become. How much a part of the BCH team I would be. Teaching online, choosing textbooks, writing course outlines. I have to say what a pleasant surprise it was and tremendously rewarding the experience has been."

Get Connect-ED with HCCC!



Hudson County Community College has implemented Connect-ED, a text- and voice-messaging emergency-alert system in the event of a crisis or emergency that poses an immediate and life-threatening danger to the College community.

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!

NON-TRADITIONAL PROGRAMS NEWS



Community Partnerships in Hotel Employment (CPHE) First Annual Alumni Reception.

Center for Business and Industry

On September 12, CBI staff attended the SEIU 32BJ Training Fund Welcome Back Orientation, joining colleagues from all training sites for discussion, workshops, and information on the 2015-16 school year. Classes commenced September 19 on both campuses.

SEIU 1199 members returned on September 29 for more cycles of Basic Computers.

CBI is currently recruiting for the Administrative Assistant Program, which is slated to begin in December. Running Monday through Friday for seven hours a day, this program provides training to help participants to obtain meaningful employment opportunities and career ladders by targeting entry-level occupations in office administration. The program provides a comprehensive approach to workforce development, providing both soft and industry skills. It includes three months of work readiness training leading to the nationally recognized ACT National Career Readiness Certificate (NCRC), and two months of office administration coursework designed to prepare participants for entry-level positions as office administrative assistants.

CBI partnered with Hudson County Office of Minority and Women Business Enterprise

Community Education

JC Fridays Comes to Community Education

JC Fridays, the quarterly, city-wide celebration of the arts in Jersey City, came to Community Education on September 11. Participants were treated to a culinary demonstration from Instructor Jennifer Cinclair called "Simply Appetizing." Later in the evening, community members enjoyed "The History of R-Rated Art" taught by Instructor Jennifer Navas. The latter course is a part of the free lecture series called "The History Lessons You Didn't Learn in School."

Free to the Hudson County Community

The History Lessons You Didn't Learn in School

Bet you didn't know that in the seventeenth century there was a Spanish king who was so inbred that he was not able to chew or close his mouth ... or that in the 1920s, a Russian scientist attempted

(OMWBE) to offer workshops to the small business community on September 19. The free 39-hour courses included modules on technology resources, procurement opportunities, and access to capital.

On September 30, CBI, in partnership with Hudson County Office of Minority and Women Business Enterprise (OMWBE), co-hosted "The State of Hispanic-Owned Businesses Forum," providing area businesses with an opportunity to learn about the issues and challenges facing minority businesses, as well as the ways these businesses positively impact the community and the economy.

On September 10, in partnership with WomenRising, Inc., CBI successfully hosted its first Annual (CPHE) Community Partnerships in Hotel Employment Alumni Reception at the Culinary Conference Center. Members of past and current CPHE cycles came together for an evening of networking, and enjoyed a discussion on the Hospitality industry with speakers Joyce and Eugene Flinn, Owners and Operators of Amanda's Restaurant, Elysian Cafe and Schnackenberg's Luncheonette and John Foran, Sales Director at Candlewood Suites.

On October 1, CBI attended Hudson County Chamber of Commerce's annual B2B networking event, SchmoosaPalooza, at the Culinary Conference Center. The event provided opportunities to meet

to impregnate a human woman with the cells of an ape in order to create a "humanzee?" History is far more fascinating than what you remember from school! Join your fellow amateur historians in this titillating look at the dark side of history. Different topics will be offered each term including: Real Games of Thrones - War, Torture, and Sex in Medieval Europe; Royal Inbreeding and Intrigue; Real Life Vampires, Zombies, and Other Tales of the Living Dead; and Perverse Science.

NOTE: You must register for these classes.

Course: Real Life Vampires, Zombies, and Other Tales of the Living Dead CELLL 103-1

Sunday, October 18, 4:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.,
71 Sip Avenue, L518

Course: Royal Inbreeding and Intrigue Dead CELLL 103-2 - Sunday, November 8, 4:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m., 71 Sip Avenue, L518

other Hudson County businesses, promote CBI services, and learn from speakers about resources available to help grow business.

The 2015 Veterans' Resource and Job Fair is set to take place at the Culinary Conference Center on October 29, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. CBI has partnered with the County Offices of Veteran Affairs and Disability Services, and Catholic Family & Community Services to offer the fair, as well as an evening of preparatory workshops and access to free, professional attire from the Veteran's Closet, which will take place a week prior. If you are interested in becoming involved in these events, please contact Chastity Farrell at cfarrell@hccc.edu for more information.

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Amanda's Restaurant - amandasrestaurant.com
Blue Apron - blueapron.com
Candlewood Suites, Jersey City - ihg.com
DoubleTree - doubletree.hilton.com
Elysian Café - elysiancafe.com
Hyatt, Jersey City - hyatt.com
Liberty House Restaurant - libertyhouserestaurant.com
NJCU (Dining Services) - njcu.edu
Schnackenberg's Luncheonette - schnackenbergshoboken.com
Sheraton - www.sheratonlincolnharbor.com

Get free training for your business!

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Upcoming Events

Thursday, October 29
Veterans' Resource and Job Fair

Evening, Weekend and Off-Site Programs

Evening, Weekend and Off-Site Programs

Invites you to: Business Administration

Weekend Program Information Session

Friday, October 23, 2015

5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

& Saturday, November 7, 2015

10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Conference Center, 161 Newkirk Street

Jersey City, NJ

Refreshments will be served!

The Open House will provide an opportunity for future students and families to meet administration and staff, and to learn the characteristics that make Hudson County Community College Business Administration Weekend Program a unique degree.

Consider the Advantages:

- Weekend Program
- Four Semesters
- Hybrid Classes
- Cohort Program
- Learning Communities Classes

Please RSVP at (201) 360-4244 or email us at EWOSP@hccc.edu

SCHOOL OF NURSING HOLDS WELCOME BACK ORIENTATION PROGRAM FOR STUDENTS



Catherine Sirangelo, Associate Dean, Nursing & Health Sciences, delivers greetings to the nursing students.



Kate Vargo, Learning Resource Manager, shares important information during the Nursing Orientation.



Patrick DelPiano, Fire Safety Coordinator, discusses fire prevention, the College's emergency evacuation plan and security basics.

On Wednesday, Sept. 1, the CarePoint School of Nursing held an orientation and welcoming event for its incoming and returning students, respectively.

In a "Stepping Up" ceremony, students who are in their third semester received special pins recognizing them for their achievement thus far in the nursing program.

The students were welcomed by several administrators and faculty members, as well as other College departments, and received a tour of recently renovated facility at 870 Bergen Ave.

HUDSON COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE AND FAIRLEIGH DICKINSON UNIVERSITY ANNOUNCE AN EXPANSION OF THEIR LONG-TERM SUCCESSFUL PARTNERSHIP

Hudson County Community College graduates will now be able to pursue the Bachelor of Arts in Individualized Studies (BAIS) through Fairleigh Dickinson University's (FDU) Petrocelli College of Continuing Studies with specializations in Public Service Administration, Sports Administration, Communications, Political Science/Pre-Law, English, Homeland Security, Health and Human Services, and Leadership and Administration. Courses towards the bachelor's degree will be available at HCCC as well as online, or even at one of several FDU instructional sites around the state.

The January term starts on Jan. 11, 2016 and registration is available through Roger W. Kane at Petrocelli College's office of Transfer Evaluation: rwkane@fdu.edu or (201) 692-2027. All HCCC graduates are eligible for a 50% reduced non-standard rate of tuition at FDU (some modest fees will apply). For the January term, two courses that are required in most of the specializations will be offered at the HCCC campus: Global Issues (CORE 3004) and Seminar on Leadership (PADM 4400).

HUDSON COUNTY GOVERNMENT SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS RECOGNIZED AT LUNCHEON



Pictured with the Hudson County Government Scholarship recipients are Dr. Paula P. Pando, Vice President for the North Hudson Campus and Student Affairs; Dr. Glen Gabert (second from right), President of HCCC, and Dr. Eric Friedman (right), Vice President for Academic Affairs.

On Thursday, Oct. 1, Hudson County Community College hosted a recognition luncheon for the recipients of the Hudson County Government Scholarship (HCGS) in the Culinary Conference Center.

The Hudson County Government Scholarship, generously supported by the Board of Chosen Freeholders and the County Executive, covers the cost of tuition and fees for students who have the ability and determination to pursue a degree successfully, but do not have the economic means to do so.

COLLEGE SERVICE DAY WORKSHOP: WHO'S READY FOR COLLEGE ENGLISH?



Pictured from left: Jed Palmer, Syeda Jesmin, Barry Tomkins and Dr. Sean Egan.



Barry Tomkins (left) and Syeda Jesmin discuss a range of student writing samples in their workshop, "Who's Ready for College English?"

In the concurrent workshop session "Who's Ready for College English?" during the Fall 2015 College Service Day on Aug. 26, Syeda Jesmin, Associate Professor of ESL and Barry Tomkins, Professor of Humanities discussed writing samples with a group of faculty participants. During the workshop, faculty members reviewed anonymous placement test writing samples exemplifying the full range of students entering Hud-

son County Community College – from beginning ESL and literacy-challenged native speakers of English through those with Honors Program level writing skills. Participants worked in groups to "place" these students into the right level of writing instruction, and then results were compared. A discussion of the implications for instruction and institutional needs followed.

HCCC LIBRARY BUILDING A RECIPIENT OF U.S. GREEN BUILDING COUNCIL NEW JERSEY CHAPTER 13TH ANNUAL EMERALD AWARD



On Wednesday, Sept. 30, the U.S. Green Building Council New Jersey Chapter (US-GBC NJ) announced the recipients of its 13th Annual Emerald Awards. Hudson County Community College has been selected to receive an Urban Green Project Award for its Library Building.

The Library Building, which opened in the fall of 2014 and was certified LEED Silver earlier this year, "will provide HCCC with a 'gateway' presence in the Downtown Journal Square district of Jersey City," according to the Council. "Incorporating the latest teaching and communication technologies, it will provide an accessible haven for learning, teaching, and research at HCCC."

The USGBC NJ recognizes and presents the distinguished awards annually to companies and individuals that have demonstrated outstanding achievement and best practices in green building and sustainability. The awards will be presented formally at a masquerade ball on Friday, Oct. 30. For tickets and additional information regarding the Awards Ball, please visit <http://www.usgbcnj.org/event-1876293>

HUDSON COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE ANNOUNCES LINEUP FOR 2015 - 2016 LECTURE SERIES

The Hudson County Community College Lecture Series will resume this fall as part of the College's new Cultural Affairs Program. The Lecture Series public offerings will feature three accomplished and engaging individuals who hail from the journalism and entertainment sectors. All of the events are open to the community, and there is no charge for admission. However, tickets are required for admission and are available on a first-come, first-served basis.

The HCCC Lecture Series events will be held at 6:00 p.m. at either the College's Culinary Conference Center – 161 Newkirk St. in Jersey City, NJ, or at the HCCC North Hudson Campus – 4800 Kennedy Boulevard in Union City, NJ.

Maria Hinojosa, the Emmy-winning journalist, will be the first speaker, appearing on Wednesday, Oct. 21 at the HCCC North Hudson Campus. Ms. Hinojosa is a trailblazer in news and investigative journalism with more than 25 years experience reporting on critical issues and the changing cultural and political landscape in America. She is now the anchor and executive producer of NPR's Peabody-winning program, *Latino USA*.

On Thursday, Oct. 29, the actor, producer, and author Sean Astin will appear at the HCCC Culinary Conference Center. Mr. Astin is best known for his film roles as Samwise Gamgee in *The Lord of the Rings* trilogy, Mikey Walsh in *The Goonies*, and the title character in *Rudy*. In his 2004 memoir,

There and Back Again: An Actor's Tale (co-authored with Joe Layden), he recounted his film career with emphasis on his Lord of the Rings experiences.

Wil Haygood, the Pulitzer Prize nominated journalist and author of *The Butler: A Witness to History*, will speak on Nov. 19 at the HCCC Culinary Conference Center. Mr. Haygood was also associate producer of the film version of his best-selling book, *The Butler*. In his distinguished career as a journalist for *The Boston Globe* and *The Washington Post*, he covered some of the nation's most historic events. Mr. Haygood's newest book is *Showdown: Thurgood Marshall and the Supreme Court Nomination That Changed America*.

Writer, producer and director Ava DuVernay will share her experiences on Thursday, Feb. 11, 2016 at HCCC's Culinary Conference Center. DuVernay's credits include the films *I Will Follow*, *Middle of Nowhere*, and the critically acclaimed *Selma*.

"The Meeting," a play by Jeff Stetson, will be presented on Thursday, March 31, 2016 at the Culinary Conference Center. "The Meeting" portrays an imaginary meeting between civil rights leaders Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and Malcolm X.

Tickets for the HCCC 2015-16 Lecture Series may be obtained by contacting (201) 360-4020.

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the week of October 5th.

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PROFESSIONAL NOTES



Photo on the left: Jessica Brito (right) with United States Senator Robert Menendez.

Photo on the above: A panoramic view of the "Prime Matter" exhibit at the Teckningsmuseet

On Thursday, Sept., 17, Communications Assistant **Jessica Brito** received the 2015 Hispanic of the Year Award. The award was presented by Communitarian Media Network, Inc., El Cambio Publications Group, and TV Noticias.

Charles Knippen, President of The National Society for Leadership and Success, recently commended Hudson County Community College's NSLS chapter advisors – **Sabrina Magliulo, Genaya Palmer, Michael Reimer, Yeury Pujols** and **Lisbety Ferrer** – for motivating "Society members to attain individual goals, demonstrate leadership, and continually strive for success." "The advisors", wrote Knippen, "truly embody the Society's mission of building leaders who make a better world."

Several of Hudson County Community College's art faculty (**Christopher Schade, Jon Rappleye, Anna Ehrsam, Michael Lee, Alyssa Fanning, and Laurie Riccadonna**) are included in a drawing exhibition, "Prime Matter," at the Teckningsmuseet (The Museum of Drawings) in Laholm, Sweden. The exhibition was curated by

three curators: adjunct instructor Christopher Schade, Zoe Petti, John Schade, and Madlen Herrström. The show opened on Saturday, Sept. 19.

"Prime Matter" was conceptualized "with the desire to see the range and abundance of approaches that arise from one of the most fundamental modes of art making – basic drawing." As a way to focus on drawing, the works have several common characteristics: (1) A4 (8.5 x 11 inches) or smaller; black, white, or greyscale; (3) original piece on a single sheet of paper; (4) unframed.

"Prime Matter" opened at Senapace Art and Tattoo in New York in October 2014. The project was expanded to include more artists from Europe; this expansion is "an exciting way to explore the rich variety of approaches to drawing across continents, cultures, languages, and contexts while connecting and building these artistic communities."



Guests observe the artwork at the opening of "Prime Matter," a collection of black, white and greyscale drawings at the Teckningsmuseet in Sweden.



MuseumBack – Rear view of the Teckningsmuseet (The Museum of Drawings) in Laholm, Sweden.

HCC PRESIDENT IS STUDIO GUEST ON 'TALKIN' JERSEY CITY'



Dr. Glen Gabert (left), HCCC President with WABC Radio personality Laura Smith.

Glen Gabert, Ph.D., President of Hudson County Community College, recently was a guest on "Talkin' Jersey City with Laura Smith" in a special science and technology episode.

Dr. Gabert discussed, among other things, the development of the College's STEM Building, which is currently under construction, and how the STEM program is developing a prepared workforce for local businesses.

The show airs on Saturdays at 10 p.m. on 77 WABC Radio.

LIBRARY LAUNCHES FALL BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP



Librarian Jennie Pu (background, right) moderated the Library's first book discussion group on Thursday, Sept. 24. Everyone enjoyed the book, *Mambo in Chinatown* by Jean Kwok. Stop by the Library if you would like to join us for the Oct. 28 session, for which we will read *The Storyteller* (El Habrador) by Mario Vargas Llosa.

HCCC OBSERVES 2015 CONVOCATION



Dr. Kenneth T. Jackson (center) served as keynote speaker at HCCC's 2015 Convocation. He is pictured with, from left, Dr. Christiane Warren, Associate Dean of Social Sciences and Dr. Eric Friedman, HCCC Vice President for Academic Affairs.



Dr. Kenneth T. Jackson presents "If All the World Were New Jersey: The Past and Future of Hudson County" during HCCC's 2015 Convocation.

On Wednesday, Sept. 30, Hudson County Community College observed its annual Convocation program at the Culinary Conference Center. This year's theme was "Remembering the Past and Planning for the Future."

During the morning session, Dr. Kenneth T. Jackson, Director of the Herbert H. Lehman Center for the Study of American History and the Jacques Barzun Professor of History and the Social Sciences at Columbia University, delivered the keynote address.

In the afternoon, a Town Hall Meeting on the strategic planning process was held.

CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

The following is a summary of progress of building projects at Hudson County Community College:

Follett Bookstore

- Week Ending Sept. 4: Saw cutting and concrete removal from rear walkway was completed. Exterior drains were exposed to trace and prepare for tie-in with interior drainage system. Demolition work continued in the basement and the first floor ceiling. Rebar installation began in the basement to prepare for column footings. Electrical rough-in was also underway.

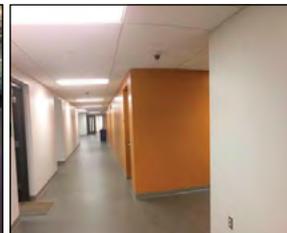
- Week Ending Sept. 11: Electrical rough-in and framing continued on the main floor. Additional exterior excavation also took place.

- Week Ending Sept. 18: The rough plumbing inspection was passed on Sept. 16, and the rough electrical inspection was passed on Sept. 18. The installation of rebar for footings in the basement was completed. Framing continued on the first floor. Newly discovered underground drain pipes were traced.

- Week Ending Sept. 25: Insulation and one side of drywall was installed in the framed areas on the ground floor. Walls are scheduled to be closed up upon inspection. The electrical rough-in continued in the basement. Fireproof filing cabinets were removed from the basement to allow work to continue along the south and east walls. Concrete for column footings were poured on the afternoon of Sept. 24.



Follett Bookstore: One-Sided Drywall Installation Completed, Ground Floor.



Library lower level sheet flooring & base molding completed in hallway.



Library Building, Lower Level

- Week Ending Sept. 4: Floor leveling for hallway and stairwell was completed. Vinyl sheet flooring and base molding installations began along with minor touch-ups and final cleaning. Final electrical and plumbing inspections passed.

- Week Ending Sept. 11: The sheet flooring for the hallway and stairwell was completed. Furniture installation began was completion by Sept. 16. Final building inspection was passed on Sept. 11.

STEM Building

- Week Ending Sept. 4: Foundation work and backfill continued along the north and south sides.

- Week Ending Sept. 11: Foundation, backfill, and compaction work continued. With an access agreement in place, the fence has been moved and excavation commenced along the western side. Column Line E and the elevator and stairwell at the southwest corner began the redesign process redesign and reengineering in order to eliminate

the conflict with the adjoining Cundari Building.

- Week Ending Sept. 18: Footings were poured on the west side of the site, and wires from a utility pole in the northwest corner were removed so work could proceed in that location. Demolition of a thick concrete slab discovered on the southwest portion of the site took place before excavation could be completed for the redesigned elevator and stairwell in this corner of the foundation. Excavation was also completed for the underpinning of the adjoining Cundari Building, the planned connection to which necessitated this redesign.

- Week Ending Sept. 25: The underpinning of the neighboring Cundari Building was completed. Work then proceeded to prepare the adjoining elevator and stairwell pit for foundation pour. Foundation was poured on Sept. 25 for Column Line D.2 - 5-7. Backfill and leveling of the east side and center of the site is proceeding as foundation work nears completion.



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You may be exempt from the CPT, if you have college-level transfer credit, qualifying ACT/SAT scores or Accuplacer scores from another institution. For more information, visit www.hccc.edu/testing

Before taking the CPT:

- Review, Brush-up, Study!!! See reverse side for free study resources
- For special testing accommodations, contact Disability Support Services' at 201-360-4157 in advance.

On day of CPT:

- Make sure you eat and rest well
 - Bring photo ID, College Wide ID #, pen, and pencil
 - Report at least 10 minutes before the test start time
 - Walk-ins accepted for 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. sessions.
- Appointment required for 5 p.m. sessions

Academic Success begins with preparation for the College Placement Test (Accuplacer)

OCTOBER 2015

Terms: Fall 2015 Online B 2015; Winter/Spring 2016

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
TESTING LOCATIONS: Journal Square (Main Campus): Library Building, 71 Sip Ave, Jersey City NHC (North Hudson Campus): 4800 Kennedy Blvd, Union City				
12	13	14	15 NHC 9:00 AM	16
19 Journal Sq. 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM	20 Journal Sq. 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM NHC 9:00 AM	21 Journal Sq. 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM	22 Journal Sq. 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM NHC 9:00 AM	23 Journal Sq. 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM
26 Journal Sq. 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM	27 Journal Sq. 9:00 AM	28 Journal Sq. 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM 5:00 PM w/appt.	29 Journal Sq. 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM NHC 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM	30

College Placement Test

*Approximately 2-3 hours

1. Writeplacer: 1 hr. timed/typed essay
2. Reading Comprehension: untimed/multiple choice
3. Arithmetic: untimed/multiple choice
4. Elementary Algebra: untimed multiple choice

English as a Second Language placement test

*Approximately 2.5-3.5 hours

1. ESL Reading Skills: untimed/multiple choice
2. ESL Language Use: untimed/multiple choice
3. ESL Listening: untimed/multiple choice
4. ESL Essay: 1 hr. timed/handwritten essay
5. Must be eligible to take Math Placement test

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Thursday, October 1

Last day to file Degree Audit application for December 2015 graduation

Major Exploration Fair, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., Culinary Conference Center. Not sure you are in the right major? Come and explore all that HCCC has to offer! Meet with representatives from a variety of majors. Explore career paths and find your fit at HCCC.

Innovation Lab: 3D Printing, 4 p.m. to 6 p.m., Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Makerspace. Learn about 3D printing and begin creating objects using our Makerbot 3D printer. Free, but registration is required. Register for the workshop at <https://hccclibrary3dprinting1.eventbrite.com>. Registration is limited to 12 participants.

Friday, October 2

Trip to the Rubin Museum, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Reserve at <http://hcccrubin.eventbrite.com>

Subscription Dining Series Luncheon, 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Culinary Conference Center, 161 Newkirk St. To obtain additional information or to register, please call (201) 360-4006.

Lucky Bamboo, 12 p.m. to 2 p.m., North Hudson Campus and 25 Journal Square, Student Lounges

Feed the Needy at St. Joseph's Church, 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Meet at 25 Journal Square, Student Lounge, Register at <http://hcccfeedtheneedy.eventbrite.com>

Sunday, October 4

Ballet Folklórico, 3 p.m. at New Jersey Performing Arts Center, Newark, NJ. Students: \$15; Guests: \$20. Purchase tickets at <http://hcccballetfolklorica.eventbrite.com>. Established over six decades ago by famed dancer and choreographer Amalia Hernández, Ballet Folklórico de México has represented Mexico on the world's greatest stages in a breathtaking, colorful display of music and movement.

Monday, October 5

Instant Decision Day – New Jersey City University, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., 70 Sip Ave. Students must bring an official transcript and unless otherwise noted bring a completed application. To RSVP, Advisement and Counseling page on the MyHudson Portal. For more information, please contact Advisement and Counseling at (201) 360-4150 or -4152 or advising@live.hccc.edu.

Advanced SmartBoard Training Session, Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Makerspace, 11 a.m. to 12 p.m.

APA Style Guide Workshop, 12 p.m. to 1 p.m., Writing Center, 2 Enos Place, Room J204

Keys to Professionalism, 5 p.m., 70 Sip Ave., Basement Conference Room

Sharpen Your Skills! (NoodleTools Citation Generator), Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Room 319, 1 p.m. to 2 p.m.

Tuesday, October 6

Trip to 9/11 Memorial Museum, 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. Bus departs from 70 Sip Ave. Reserve at <http://hccc911memorial.eventbrite.com>

Job Searching, 11 a.m., North Hudson Campus, Room N703A

It's On Us Workshop, 11 a.m. to 12 p.m., 25 Journal Square, Student Lounge. Join us for an interactive dynamic workshop that will explore what our role is when we see something we know isn't right. Whether it's in a relationship, out within our community or even on campus, how can you stand up for what's right? This workshop will give you the tools you need to recognize when a situation is not OK and how to help be an advocate!

Resume Writing, 12 p.m., North Hudson Campus, Room N703A

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

APA Style Guide Workshop, 12 p.m. to 1 p.m., North Hudson Campus, Room N511

APA Style Guide Workshop, 3 p.m. to 4 p.m., North Hudson Campus, Room N511

Job Searching, 5 p.m., North Hudson Campus, Room N703A

National Society for Leadership & Success Live Speaker Broadcast featuring Al Roker, Culinary Conference Center and North Hudson Campus (Multipurpose Room), 7 p.m.

Wednesday, October 7

Innovation Lab: Galileo, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Makerspace. Intel Galileo is an Arduino compatible microcontroller development board, used for creating interactive devices and tools with sensors and actuators. Learn how the Galileo works and begin creating "sketches" to program the devices. Free, but registration is required. Register for the workshop at <https://hccclibrarygalileo2.eventbrite.com>. Registration is limited to 12 participants.

MLA Style Guide Workshop, 12 p.m. to 1 p.m., Writing Center, 2 Enos Place, Room J204

Volunteer with the St. Joseph's Food Pantry, 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. Participants will meet in the Student Lounge at 25 Journal Square at 2:30 p.m.; group will walk to St. Joseph's.

Hudson County Community College Foundation Donor Scholar Reception, 5:30 p.m., Culinary Conference Center, 161 Newkirk St.

Wicked on Broadway, Gershwin Theatre, show time 7 p.m. Students: \$29; Guests: \$48. Purchase tickets at <http://hcccbroadwaywicked.eventbrite.com>

Thursday, October 8

College Transfer Fair, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., Multipurpose Room, North Hudson Campus

#TruckinThursday, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., North Hudson Campus

MLA Style Guide Workshop, 12 p.m. to 1 p.m., Writing Center, 2 Enos Place, Room J204

Jewelry Making, 12 p.m. to 3 p.m., North Hudson Campus, Student Lounge. Add some bling to your life! Join us for a beginner's level beading session. Materials will be provided.

Job Searching, 12 p.m., 70 Sip Ave., Basement Conference Room

Advanced SmartBoard Training Session, Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Makerspace, 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Friday, October 9

Subscription Dining Series Luncheon, 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Culinary Conference Center, 161 Newkirk St. To obtain additional information or to register, please call (201) 360-4006.

MLA Style Guide Workshop, 2 p.m. to 3 p.m., North Hudson Campus, Room N511

Saturday, October 10

Trip to Greystone Bakery, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Reserve at <http://hcccgreyston.eventbrite.com>

Trip to Buddhist Monastery, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Reserve at <http://hcccchuangyenmonastery.eventbrite.com>

Responding to Student Writing facilitated by Lauren O'Gara and Joseph Colicchio, 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Join us in a workshop that focuses on strategies to respond effectively to student writing: How to comment? When to comment? Whether to comment at all? And more broadly, what is the intended goal of my comments? Please confirm your attendance by contacting Joseph Pascale (jpascale@hccc.edu) or Joseph Colicchio (jcolicchio@hccc.edu). Attendance is limited to 20 participants.

Advanced SmartBoard Training Session, Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Makerspace, 2 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Monday, October 12

Columbus Day – College Open/classes in session

Responding to Student Writing facilitated by Lauren O'Gara and Joseph Colicchio, 3 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Join us in a workshop that focuses on strategies to respond effectively to student writing: How to comment? When to comment? Whether to comment at all? And more broadly, what is the intended goal of my comments? Please confirm your attendance by contacting Joseph Pascale (jpascale@hccc.edu) or Joseph Colicchio (jcolicchio@hccc.edu). Attendance is limited to 20 participants.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Tuesday, October 13

Instant Decision Day - Rutgers University, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., 70 Sip Ave. Students must bring an official transcript and unless otherwise noted bring a completed application. To RSVP, Advisement and Counseling page on the MyHudson Portal. For more information, please contact Advisement and Counseling at (201) 360-4150 or -4152 or advising@live.hccc.edu. Nursing, Radiography/Radiologic Technology program students are ineligible for this event. Completed online applications must be submitted one week prior to the Instant Decision Day.

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

Fall Fest, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., 25 Journal Square, Student Lounge. Come out and enjoy everything fall has to offer. Paint pumpkins, make candy apples, and relax.

Makerspace Open Hours, 4 p.m. to 7 p.m., Library Building, 71 Sip Ave.

Meeting of Hudson County Community College Board of Trustees, North Hudson Campus, 4800 Kennedy Blvd., Union City, 5 p.m.

Wednesday, October 14 – Friday, November 27

Exhibit: "Changing America: The Emancipation Proclamation, 1863, and the March on Washington, 1963," Library Building, 71 Sip Avenue, 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. Presented by the Smithsonian National Museum of African American History and Culture, and the National Museum of American History, in collaboration with the American Libraries Association Public Programs Office. The event is made possible by the National Endowment for the Humanities.

Wednesday, October 14

Jewelry Making, 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Makerspace. Add some bling to your life! Join us for a beginner's level beading session. Materials will be provided.

Volunteer with the St. Joseph's Food Pantry, 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. Participants will meet in the Student Lounge at 25 Journal Square at 2:30 p.m.; group will walk to St. Joseph's.

Candlelight Vigil, 4 p.m. to 8 p.m., 25 Journal Square, Student Lounge. The Office of Student Activities and WomenRising team up to support Domestic Abuse Awareness Month with a special candlelight vigil for all those affected by and victims of domestic violence.

BrightLink Training Session, North Hudson Campus, Room N305, 3 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Thursday, October 15

Instant Decision Day - Seton Hall University, 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., 70 Sip Ave. Students must bring an official transcript and unless otherwise noted bring a completed application. To RSVP, Advisement and Counseling page on the MyHudson Portal. For more information, please contact Advisement and Counseling at (201) 360-4150 or -4152 or advising@live.hccc.edu.

Artes Latinas Dance Performance, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., 25 Journal Square, Student Lounge. Come enjoy an interactive upbeat Latin performance with the Tropicante Latin Dance Music troupe. Celebrate the sights and sounds of Hispanic Heritage Month!

Hispanic Heritage Month – Literary Salon, 4 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., Liberty Café, 71 Sip Ave. Hear from renowned Latino/a authors Nancy Méndez-Booth, Dr. Grisel Y. Acosta, and Vincent Toro, about their experiences as both writers and students, and how they used those experiences to fuel their art! Students interested in participating in the Salon may prepare a written work to share. Refreshments will be provided by the Library.

Sharpen Your Skills! (Using Images in Your Paper), Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Room 319, 1 p.m. to 2 p.m.

BrightLink Training Session, North Hudson Campus, Room N305, 4 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Resume Writing, 5 p.m., 70 Sip Ave., Basement Conference Room

Friday, October 16

Subscription Dining Series Luncheon, 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Culinary Conference Center, 161 Newkirk St. To obtain additional information or to register, please call (201) 360-4006.

BrightLink Training Session, North Hudson Campus, Room N305, 1 p.m. to 2 p.m.

Beginning SmartBoard Training Session, Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Makerspace, 3 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Six Flags Fright Fest, 4 p.m. Students: \$15; Guests: \$30. Purchase tickets at <http://hcccfrightfest2015.eventbrite.com>

Saturday, October 17

Sharpen Your Skills! (Business Resources), North Hudson Campus, Room N305, 12 p.m. to 1 p.m.

Sunday, October 18

Sharpen Your Skills! (Business Resources), North Hudson Campus, Room N305, 12 p.m. to 1 p.m.

Red Bulls Soccer Game, Red Bulls Stadium, start time TBA. Students: \$11; Guests: \$22. Purchase tickets at <http://hcccaredbulls.eventbrite.com>

Monday, October 19 – Friday, October 23

Community College Completion Corps (C4): Throughout the week, Phi Theta Kappa will be hosting events that support their initiative to help community college students complete their degrees. Show your support and commit to being a part of the C4 campaign.

Monday, October 19

Instant Decision Day - Saint Peter's University, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., 70 Sip Ave. Students must bring an official transcript and unless otherwise noted bring a completed application. To RSVP, Advisement and Counseling page on the MyHudson Portal. For more information, please contact Advisement and Counseling at (201) 360-4150 or -4152 or advising@live.hccc.edu.

Makerspace Open Hours, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., Library Building, 71 Sip Ave.

Relax and Unwind Fair, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., 25 Journal Square, Student Lounge. Relax with mini-manicures, facials, massages before you take your midterms!

Henna Artist, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., North Hudson Campus, Student Lounge

Interviewing, 11 a.m., North Hudson Campus, Room N703A

Job Searching, 12 p.m., North Hudson Campus, Room N703A

Resume Writing, 5 p.m., North Hudson Campus, Room N703A

Tuesday, October 20 – Monday, October 26

Mid-term exams/advisement period

Tuesday, October 20

Instant Decision Day - New Jersey City University, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. 70 Sip Ave. Students must bring an official transcript and unless otherwise noted bring a completed application. To RSVP, Advisement and Counseling page on the MyHudson Portal. For more information, please contact Advisement and Counseling at (201) 360-4150 or -4152 or advising@live.hccc.edu.

Health and Wellness Fair, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., 25 Journal Square, Student Lounge

Lucky Bamboo, 12 p.m. to 2 p.m., North Hudson Campus, Student Lounge

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

Practical Nursing Information Session, 4 p.m., 870 Bergen Avenue, Room 206. Learn about the program requirements, admission process and entrance examination. Meet the faculty and staff. To RSVP, please call (201) 360-4267.

National Society for Leadership & Success Live Speaker Broadcast featuring John Maxwell, Culinary Conference Center and North Hudson Campus (Multipurpose Room), 7 p.m.

Wednesday, October 21

Relax with Therapy Dogs, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., 25 Journal Square, Student Lounge

Health and Wellness Fair, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., North Hudson Center, Student Lounge

Interventions facilitated by Barry Tomkins and Joseph Pascale, 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. This workshop will focus on supporting students as writers. How can faculty and students utilize the Writing Center effectively? What are the best strategies for intervening in the writing process? Please confirm your attendance by contacting Joseph Pascale (jpascale@hccc.edu) or Joseph Colicchio (jcolicchio@hccc.edu). Attendance is limited to 20 participants.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Volunteer with the St. Joseph's Food Pantry, 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. Participants will meet in the Student Lounge at 25 Journal Square at 2:30 p.m.; group will walk to St. Joseph's.

Sharpen Your Skills! (NoodleTools Citation Generator), North Hudson Campus, Room N305, 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.

College Lecture Series featuring Maria Hinojosa, 6 p.m., North Hudson Center

Thursday, October 22

Trick or Transfer Fair, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., Culinary Conference Center, 161 Newkirk Street

#TruckinThursday, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., 81 Sip Ave.

Hudson County Community College Foundation West Hudson/North Arlington Committee Taste of Hudson Dinner, 5 p.m., Culinary Conference Center, 161 Newkirk St.

Friday, October 23

Subscription Dining Series Luncheon, 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Culinary Conference Center, 161 Newkirk St. To obtain additional information or to register, please call (201) 360-4006.

Club & Organization Mixer, 4 p.m. to 5 p.m., 25 Journal Square, Student Lounge. Come out and meet other student leaders. Network with HCCC club/organization officers and general members and learn about what all of the organizations have to offer.

Business Administration Weekend Program Information Session, 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., Culinary Conference Center, 161 Newkirk Street.

Monday, October 26

Relax and Unwind Fair, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., North Hudson Campus, Student Lounge. Relax with mini-manicures, facials, and massages.

Henna Artist, 12 p.m. to 2 p.m., North Hudson Campus, Student Lounge

Honors Guide to Designing a Poster Presentation Workshop, 4:45 p.m. to 5:45 p.m., Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Room L318

Tuesday, October 27

Instant Decision Day - Kean University, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., 70 Sip Ave. Students must bring an official transcript and unless otherwise noted bring a completed application. To RSVP, Advisement and Counseling page on the MyHudson Portal. For more information, please contact Advisement and Counseling at (201) 360-4150 or -4152 or advising@live.hccc.edu.

Interviewing, 11 a.m., 70 Sip Ave., Basement Conference Room

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

Super Smash Bros. Tournament, 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., North Hudson Campus, Student Lounge. Super Smash Bros. tournament! Sixteen bracket match, single elimination. Winners from each campus will square off in a Main vs. NHC match on November 5 at the Main Library. Limited to 32 participants. Registration is required to compete. You may only compete in one tournament at one campus. Spectators are welcome and do not need to register. Register and read the complete details at: <http://hccclibrarysmashbros-nhhec.eventbrite.com>

Interventions facilitated by Barry Tomkins and Joseph Pascale, 4 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. This workshop will focus on supporting students as writers. How can faculty and students utilize the Writing Center effectively? What are the best strategies for intervening in the writing process? Please confirm your attendance by contacting Joseph Pascale (jpascale@hccc.edu) or Joseph Colicchio (jcolicchio@hccc.edu). Attendance is limited to 20 participants.

Wednesday, October 28

Instant Decision Day - Montclair State University, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., 70 Sip Ave. Students must bring an official transcript and unless otherwise noted bring a completed application. To RSVP, Advisement and Counseling page on the MyHudson Portal. For more information, please contact Advisement and Counseling at (201) 360-4150 or -4152 or advising@live.hccc.edu. Completed online applications must be submitted one week prior to the Instant Decision Day.

Discussion featuring Junius Williams, Library Building, 71 Sip Avenue, sixth floor, 12 p.m.

Sharpen Your Skills! (NoodleTools Citation Generator), Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Room 319, 1 p.m. to 2 p.m.

Library Book Club: The Storyteller (El Hablador) by Mario Vargas Llosa, translated by Helen Lane, Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., 2 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. (copies will be available in both English and Spanish). Each session will be limited to 10 participants. Stop by the Library to pick up a book and register.

All College Council Meeting, Culinary Conference Center, 161 Newkirk Street, Scott Ring Room, 3 p.m.

Volunteer with the St. Joseph's Food Pantry, 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. Participants will meet in the Student Lounge at 25 Journal Square at 2:30 p.m.; group will walk to St. Joseph's.

Networking & How to Create Your LinkedIn Profile, 3 p.m., 70 Sip Ave., Basement Conference Room

Coffeehouse/performance by Damien Escobar (hip-hop violinist), 5 p.m., Culinary Conference Center

Thursday, October 29

Veterans Resource and Job Fair, Culinary Conference Center, 161 Newkirk St., 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Please RSVP in advance at www.tinyurl.com/omevvpv

Super Smash Bros. Tournament, 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Makerspace. Super Smash Bros. tournament! Sixteen bracket match, single elimination. Winners from each campus will square off in a Main vs. NHC match on November 5 at the Main Library. Limited to 32 participants. Registration is required to compete. You may only compete in one tournament at one campus. Spectators are welcome and do not need to register. Register and read the complete details at <http://hccclibrarysmashbros-main.eventbrite.com>

College Lecture Series featuring Sean Astin, 6 p.m., Culinary Conference Center, 161 Newkirk St.

Friday, October 30

Trip to the National Museum of the American Indian, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Reserve at <http://hccnmai.eventbrite.com>

Subscription Dining Series Luncheon, 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Culinary Conference Center, 161 Newkirk St. To obtain additional information or to register, please call (201) 360-4006.

Makerspace Open Hours, 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., Library Building, 71 Sip Ave.

Friday, October 30

Phi Theta Kappa Halloween Party, 4 p.m. to 7 p.m., 25 Journal Square, Student Lounge

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THE TUTORIAL CENTER
has moved to the lower level of the
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*We look forward to working with
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Please come and visit us.*

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Check out the College's new billboard at Sip and Bergen Avenues in Journal Square! A billboard in Spanish is located at Bergenline Avenue and 47th Street in Union City. Featured on both billboards is Maritza Beniquez, R.N. (HCCC Class of 2013).

FALL 2015 LEARNING COMMUNITIES FACULTY DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP



Standing from left: Prof. George Garneau; Prof. Saliha Yagoubi; Roberto Miranda, LC Academic Coach; Anthony Davenport, LC Academic Coach; Rose Dalton, Head Academic Coach; Prof. April Davis; Carlo Angelo, LC Academic Coach; Prof. Craig McLaughlin and Prof. Salvador Cuellar. Seated from left: Prof. Susannah Wexler; Prof. Jenny Henriquez; Prof. Syeda Jesmin; Naima Asjad, LC Academic Coach and Prof. Emily Skinner.

A Fall 2015 Learning Community (LC) Faculty Development workshop was held on Monday, Aug. 31, 2015, from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. in the Writing Center. LC faculty and LC Academic Coaches for Fall 2015 participated in this workshop, which was conducted by Prof. Syeda Jesmin.

ics of these workshops are selected by the LC faculty and the workshops are conducted by the LC faculty as well. This time, the workshop focused on "LC Faculty Collaboration;" it was designed in a seminar format so that attendees could actively participate in this important discourse.

In the beginning of every semester, the LC program organizes a professional development workshop, focusing on topics/issues specifically related to LC pedagogy and LC student success and retention. The top-

In the second half of the workshop, LC faculty and LC Academic Coaches worked with their team members in planning activities for their respective Learning Community for Fall 2015.



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Explore the relationships of two great people's movements and the impact they have had on the history of our nation via documents, photos and other images. This traveling exhibition is part of the National Endowment for the Humanities' *Bridging Cultures* initiative, "Created Equal: America's Civil Rights Struggle."

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