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## From the Editor's Desk

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## HUDSON COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE ANNOUNCES INAUGURAL SEASON OF THE BENJAMIN J. DINEEN, III AND DENNIS C. HULL GALLERY

Hudson County Community College (HCCC) Board of Trustees, President Glen Gabert, Ph.D., and the Board of Directors of the HCCC Foundation, are proud to announce the Grand Opening and Inaugural Season of the Benjamin J. Dineen, III and Dennis C. Hull Gallery.

The Gallery is located on the top floor of the College's Library Building at 71 Sip Avenue in Jersey City. A formal, by-invitation, ribbon-cutting ceremony to mark the official opening of the Gallery will be held at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, September 13, 2015. The Gallery will open 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 September 26, 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 renown included.

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 Libraries 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, arti-

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SAVE THE DATE!

ANNUAL CONVOCATION  
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2015  
KEYNOTE SPEAKER: DR. KENNETH T. JACKSON

Kenneth T. Jackson is 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, where he has also chaired the department of history. He has served as president of the Urban History Association (1994-1995), the Society of American Historians (1998-2000), the Organization of American Historians (2000-2001), the New York Historical Society (2001-2004), and the New York Academy of History (2014-2016).

Dr. Jackson has been a featured guest on the NBC Today Show, ABC World News Tonight, ABC Nightline, CBS Evening News, CBS Up to the Minute, CNN, the History Channel, East West Television, and more than 40 documentary productions. He has won fellowships from the National Endowment for the Humanities, the American Council of Learned Societies, the Woodrow Wilson

National Fellowship Foundation, the John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation, and the Century Foundation. He has received honorary doctorates and numerous awards



A past or present member of the editorial boards of numerous professional journals, Professor Jackson is the general editor of the Columbia History of Urban Life, 20 volumes of which had appeared as of 2014. He was the editor-in-chief of the *Dictionary of American Biography* from 1990 to 1996, and of the Scribner's Encyclopedia of American Lives from 1996 to 2005. He is the co-author with Camilo J. Vergara of *Silent Cities: The Evolution of the American Cemetery* (Princeton Architectural Press, 1989). His latest book, written in collaboration with David Dunbar, is *Empire City: New York*

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## PHI THETA KAPPA HONOR SOCIETY NEWS



*Pictured from left: Nathalie Angel, Luz Tellez, Gloria Estanislado, Lotta Sanchez, Himani Bhati, Sehar Parvez, and Alison Robinson.*

### Phi Theta Kappa Alumnae

Phi Theta Kappa alumnae met on August 8. All except Himani Bhati had graduated from Hudson County Community College. Himani transferred to Columbia University and earned her degree in May 2015. Alison Robinson also graduated from Columbia University. Luz Tellez and Gloria Estanislado graduated from Rider University this May. Sehar Parvez earned her bachelor's from New Jersey City University, where she is now a graduate student. Nathalie Angel and Lotta Sanchez are completing their bachelor's at New Jersey City University.

### 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](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>.

The New Jersey Community College Completion Corps Week will be held October 19-23. Students will be asked to pledge to complete their degrees. There will be a college fair and lectures. Assistance will be needed. Please contact Chapter President Aaron Kates at [akates5667@live.hccc.edu](mailto:akates5667@live.hccc.edu).

### Third Saturday Emergency Food Pantry: Church of the Incarnation, 68 Storms Avenue, Jersey City

On the Friday before the third Saturday of the month, volunteers are needed to prepare for Emergency Food Pantry. Bags of food are filled on Friday and distributed to the homeless and needy on Saturday. Volunteers are needed to help with the preparation of the bags of groceries on Friday and the distribution of the food on Saturday. Please call the Garden State Episcopal Community Development Corporation at (201) 209-9301 or [volunteer@gsecdc.org](mailto:volunteer@gsecdc.org) for details about the Emergency Food Pantry.

### Fall Induction

The Fall Induction will be held on Sunday, November 1 at 2:00 p.m. at the Culinary Arts Conference Center.

#### Schedule of Events:

- Saturday, September 5: Chapter Meeting, B211, 25 Journal Square, 1:00 p.m.
- Saturday, September 19: City Challenge Obstacle Race, Hoboken

## NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION



*Pictured above Left: Sabrina Magliulo, Director of Advisement and Counseling and Colleen Dallavalle, Director of Student Activities, getting ready for New Student Orientation. Pictured above Right: Peer leaders, Edward Gotia Jr. who is majoring in Electronics Engineering and Jocelyn S. Wong-Castellano who is majoring in Criminal Justice, who were greeting students and helping to coordinate activities at New Student Orientation. Pictured above is Sabrina Magliulo speaking to new students at New Student Orientation.*

## COL READIES CAREPOINT FOR SMART BOARDS



*Dr. Thomas Page (right) and Dr. Robert Kahn demonstrate the new Sharp Aquos boards in anticipation of the arrival of CarePoint nursing program faculty. The Aquos boards are being used as electronic whiteboards, replacing the chalk and markers of yesteryear.*



*The Center for Online Learning trained CarePoint faculty and staff on the new Sharp Aquos boards at 870 Bergen Avenue (Building F).*

## GEOFFREY SIMS JOINS HCCC AS ASSISTANT CONTROLLER

**H**udson County Community College is pleased to announce that Mr. Geoffrey Sims has accepted the position of Assistant Controller.

Sims has several years' experience in accounting and finance. He comes to HCCC from Middlesex County College, where he was responsible for monthly financial reporting, annual audit and the operating budget. Sims has also served as an Adjunct Accounting and Business Professor at Kean University, Raritan Valley Community College and Union County College.

Sims received his B.A. in Accounting/Business from Rutgers University and his M.B.A. from St. John's University. He is a licensed Certified Public Accountant (CPA) in the State of New Jersey.

Sims will be responsible for Hudson County Community College's Accounting and Budget Management.



## JOBS

Applicants are now being sought for the following positions:

*Accountant (Controller's Office)*

*Adjunct Instructors, Fall 2015*

*Admissions Recruiter*

*Assessment Coordinator*

*Associate Director Student Financial Assistance*

*Career Advisors, Part Time (2 positions)*

*College Lecturer, Academic Foundations - English*

*Community Education Customer Service Assistants PT (multiple positions)*

*Community Education Instructors PT (multiple positions)*

*Director of Admissions*

*Director of Cultural Affairs*

*Dean of Instruction, Sciences*

*Director of Health Related Programs*

*Director of Practical Nursing Program*

*Executive Administrative Assistant (VP for Administrative Services)*

*Executive Director, Center for Business Industry*

*Executive Director, Non-Credit Programs*

*Full-Time Faculty (5 positions)*

*Instructional Designer (Part-Time)*

*Instructor of Romance Languages*

*Manager of Purchasing Services*

*Social Media Coordinator*

*Tutoring Coordinator*

*USDOL TAACCCT Grant Coordinator (Grant funded 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](http://www.njherc.org), the *Higher-EdJobs.com* website at [www.higheredjobs.com](http://www.higheredjobs.com), [www.latinoshighered.com](http://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](http://www.hccc.edu).

## LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE STUDENT LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE *Leaders in Action!*

**Saturday, September 19, 2015**  
Culinary Conference Center  
161 Newkirk Street, Jersey City, NJ  
8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

**Come join us for a dynamic day of leadership!**  
**Meet new people while making sure you start this year out right!**

**FREE for all HCCC Students!**

Register Today: <https://fall2015leadershipconference.eventbrite.com>

## NEW HIRES/TITLES

*Sirhan Abdullah, Instructor, Health Services and Sciences*

*Clara Angel, Secretary, Non-Credit Programs*

*Rebecca Davis, Assistant Director, CASS*

*Lauren Drew, Instructor, ESL*

*Zakia Hmamou, Secretary, Center for Online Learning*

*Megan Kearney, Counselor, CASS*

*Melody Marie Lopez, Instructor Environmental Studies*

*Genny Sanchez, Accounts Receivable Clerk, Bursar's Office*

*David Shenouda, Enrollment Support Assistant, Enrollment Services*

*Geoffrey Sims, Assistant Controller*

*Antonio Talamo, Counselor, CASS*

*Thandi Wilson, Instructor, Speech & Humanities*

## MILESTONES

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

### One Year

Jada Gore

### Five Years

Kevin Eng

### 15 Years

Mildred Vera-Matich

### 20 Years

Carmen De Jesus

# 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.

## Jersey City Art & Studio Tour Deadline Sept. 1

Calling all Jersey City artists! The deadline to participate in the Jersey City Art & Studio Tour event and open your studio to the public is September 1 for the October 3-4 Studio Tour. If you would like to be "on the map," go to the website [www.thejcast.com](http://www.thejcast.com).

## Donor Acknowledgement

Thanks you to **James E. Byrne** for the generous donation of framed works, and to Clifford Brooks for facilitating that donation.

## Artist News

**Nancy Cohen**, whose work *Procession* is in Dean Catherine Sirangelo's reception area at 870 Bergen Avenue, will be having a solo exhibition called "Nancy Cohen: Hackensack Dreaming" at New Jersey City University, The Visual Arts Gallery Building, in Jersey City, from Sept. 8 to Oct. 21. The artist's reception is Sept. 15 from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Cohen will give a talk at 6 p.m. There will

also be a roundtable discussion about "The Geology/Ecology and Art of the Meadowlands" on Oct. 17 at 5 p.m. in the auditorium next to the gallery.

Those of us who love art, know art is of central importance to the human experiment. Rarely, however, is art so much in the news as now. Almost daily, we see reports from Syria and Iraq of the plundering of artwork and antiquities, destruction of great UNESCO heritage sites, and most recently the murder of a beloved retired archaeologist, Khaled al-Assaad, an 82-year-old man who dedicated his life to the antiquities of Palmyra, Syria. In turn, artists often make art about tough subjects—issues that are hard to address through any other medium. Mr. Benjamin J. Dineen, III and Dennis C. Hull, with their customary enthusiasm, and elan, took on those brave artists and their work, which tackles issues critical to human survival. Our first exhibit, selections from their collection, touches on these important matters. Please come by the eponymous galleries



**Barbara Madsen**, "Who's Watching?" (2003), one of twelve unique digital prints.

from September 14 through September 26. Included in the show is work by Egyptian-American artist **Ibrahim Ahmed, III**, whose work commemorates lives lost during the 2011 Egyptian revolution, part of Arab Spring. **Leon Golub's** work addresses the responsibility of by-standers who do nothing when witnessing violent acts. **Barbara Madsen's** gigantic work, "Who's Watching?" speaks to the Surveillance State, to violence begetting violence, and to personal responsibility in an increasingly troubled and complex world.

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facts 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 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 from 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.

"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](mailto:jmarlin@hccc.edu).

### About the Benjamin J. Dineen, III and Dennis C. Hull Gallery

At its October 2013 meeting, the Hudson County Community College Board of Trustees affirmed resolutions to accept a historic gift of more than 400 works of art from the personal collection of Benjamin J. Dineen, III and Dennis C. Hull. The Board also voted to name the new gallery space in

the College's Library in honor of the couple.

The collection of works presented to the College includes contemporary art, largely works on paper, from major and emerging New Jersey and American artists. In addition to the art itself, the gift also included a significant amount of ephemera and provenance documentation affiliated with the works, as well as a number of reference books that will be utilized in the College's Library. The gift helped make the HCCC Foundation Art Collection one of the finest of any college in the country.

Mr. Dineen, who was Director of Development for United Way of Hudson County and a member of the Hudson County Community College Foundation Board of Directors, passed away in April of 2014. He and Mr. Hull, a retired teacher who now works at the Brodsky Center for Innovative Editions at Rutgers, were life partners who enriched the lives of the people of Hudson County by dedicating their time, expertise and resources to several individuals and organizations. Over the years, they were also very generous contributors to the College's Foundation and the Foundation Art Collection, providing gifts and donations.

The College is deeply grateful to Ben Dineen and Dennis Hull for their dedication and generosity.

# NOTIBREVES

## HUDSON COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE ANUNCIA LA INAUGURACIÓN DE LA GALERÍA BENJAMIN J. DINEEN, III Y DENNIS C. HULL

La Junta de Administradores de Hudson County Community College, el Dr. Glen Gabert, Presidente de HCCC, y la Junta de Directores de la Fundación de HCCC, se complacen en anunciar la Gran Apertura y Sesión Inaugural de la Galería Benjamin J. Dineen, III y Dennis C. Hull.

La Galería está localizada en el último piso del Edificio de la Biblioteca de la Universidad, 71 Sip Avenue, en Jersey City. Una ceremonia formal, por invitación, marcará la apertura oficial de la Galería, el día Domingo, Septiembre 15, 2015, a las 2:30 p.m. La Galería se abrirá al público el martes, Septiembre 15, con la presentación de la primera exhibición "Though the Collector's Eyes: The Dineen-Hull Collection" (Por los Ojos del Coleccionista: La Colección Dineen-Hull). La Galería Benjamin J. Dineen, III y Dennis C. Hull, estará abierta a estudiantes, facultad y personal – así como a miembros de la comunidad – de Martes a Domingo de 1:00 p.m. a 6:00 p.m. No habrá costo por admisión.

"Though the Collector's Eyes: The Dineen-Hull Collection," estará abierta hasta el 26 de Septiembre, 2015. Incluidas estarán varias piezas de las 400 de la colección, que generosamente fueron donadas a la Universidad por el Sr. Dineen y el Sr. Hull. Mientras que la colección está enfocada en artistas contemporáneos de New Jersey, hay traba-

jos de quienes han recibido reconocimiento nacional e internacional.

La segunda exhibición, "Changing America: The Emancipation Proclamation, 1863, and the March on Washington, 1963" ("Cambiando América: La Proclamación de Emancipación, 1863, y la Marcha en Washington, 1963"), explora el contexto histórico, triunfos, y limitaciones de estos dos eventos de la historia de América mediante fotografías, documentos y otras imágenes. La exhibición correrá del 14 de Octubre al 27 de Noviembre, 2015.

El tercer evento, "Pope Pius XII: Consensus or Controversy" ("Padre Pio XII: Consenso o Controversia"), que correrá desde el 8 de Diciembre, 2015 hasta el 14 de Enero, 2016. (La Galería estará cerrada desde el 22 de Diciembre, 2015 hasta el 3 de Enero, 2016)

Las siguientes exhibiciones incluyen: "Contemporary Hudson County" ("Condado Hudson Contemporáneo"), correrá desde el 31 de Enero, 2016 hasta el 8 de Marzo, 2016; "After Stonewall: An Exhilarating Time in Black and White" ("Después de los Disturbios en Stonewall: Un Tiempo de Regocijo en Blanco y Negro"), presentado del 17 de Marzo al 1 de Mayo, 2016; y para concluir la temporada inaugural "Unframed: An Exhibition of Visual Arts by HCCC Students, Faculty and Alum-

ni" (Sin Marco: Una exhibición de Artes Visuales por Estudiantes, Facultad y Ex Alumnos de HCCC, del 8 de Mayo al 10 de Junio, 2016, presentado por el Programa de Artes de Estudio de HCCC.

La Universidad está orgullosa de presentar estas exhibiciones y expresar nuestro profundo aprecio a las organizaciones que son nuestros colaboradores," dijo el Dr. Gabert. "La Galería Benjamin J. Dineen, III y Dennis C. Hull está dedicada a proveer educación en arte no solo a nuestros estudiantes, sino también a niños, hombres y mujeres del Condado de Hudson. Invitamos a nuestros vecinos del Condado a visitar y disfrutar de las exhibiciones en los meses venideros."

En la reunión de la Junta de Administradores de Octubre 2013, la Junta afirmó la resolución aceptando el obsequio histórico de más de 400 obras de arte de la colección personal de Benjamin J. Dineen, III y Dennis C. Hull. La Junta además votó para nombrar el espacio de la galería en el Edificio de la Biblioteca en honor a la pareja.

Visitas para grupos pueden ser organizados contactando a John Marlin, Ph.D., Decano Asociado de Humanidades al (201) 360-4651 o jmarlin@hccc.edu.

## Otoño 2015 Horario de Transporte

El transporte hará el recorrido desde JSQ hasta NHHEC (Union City) con parada(s) indicada. No habrá ninguna otra parada.

Salida de Journal Square	Salida a NHC (Union City)
8:20 AM	9:00 AM
11:20 AM	12:00 PM
1:20 PM	3:00 PM
2:20 PM	6:00 PM
5:15 PM	6:15 PM
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Dickinson High School ⇨⇨⇨⇨⇨	9:00 PM
9:15 PM Non-Stop ⇨⇨⇨⇨⇨⇨	NHC (Union City)
Journal Square- Dickinson High School ⇨⇨⇨	10:00 PM

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Journal Square y Dickinson High School  
(Lunes – Jueves)

Journal Square a Dickinson HS 5:45 PM & 6:45 PM  
Dickinson HS a Journal Square 9:00 PM

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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](mailto:efriedman@hccc.edu)



**Kate Bellody**  
Librarian

"I'm not the traditional librarian," says Kate Bellody. "I'm interested in setting up opportunities for people to interact, to explore, to learn new things. It's fun being a new librarian in a new space." As a Jersey City resident who walks to work, an avid reader in fiction and non-fiction in a variety of media, and a person "always interested in outreach," Kate has found the perfect place—the new HCCC library—to apply her personal and professional skills and interests.

Kate holds an M.L.I.S. from Rutgers University and began her career in the private sector working in the publishing industry. She started working in publishing after completing her undergraduate studies, spending time in trade publicity (securing media coverage, booking events). It was there that she discovered that connecting with the community and the world of readers were her favorite parts of the job.

Kate's formative library experience was forged in the New Jersey Room at the main branch of the Jersey City library on Jersey Avenue. The New Jersey Room maintains an extensive collection of material about New Jersey, Jersey City, and Hudson County, including thousands of images, maps, manuscripts, and topical texts. Her time at the public library strengthened her skills in reference librarianship and instruction.

For Kate, "the library is much more than a place to just get books."

She says, "Bring your questions to us. Ask a lab tech a question about your laptop. It's kind of a one-stop place in a way. We want them to see us in a new light and to utilize us more fully. I'm responsible for programming and makerspace events; this year we've got a larger makerspace calendar and comprehensive programs, an expanded list of research workshops, and lots of opportunities outside of the classroom. What we do goes way beyond a student's studies. For example, there will be a video game tournament in the fall. There is value to exploring this video game culture. I'm learning by being around it. Can the library be a place for all of these things and succeed academically? Yes, of course. Every time we have an event in the library or in the makerspace, we learn more about who our students are."

At the time of this interview, Kate was gearing up for the new fall semester. "It's very different from last year at the same time. Now we are fully settled into the space. We're going into this year with our doors wide open for programming. Last year, we were in sweatpants moving things around and this year we're more focused on setting up opportunities for people to learn and interact in creative and educational ways."

In addition to her work at HCCC's library, Kate is a proud volunteer for Housing Works, a charitable organization providing life-saving services and responding to the dual crises of homelessness and AIDS. "The human service element is important to me."



**Suzanne Novy**  
Director of  
Radiography,  
CarePoint at HCCC

Suzanne was born in Bayonne and lives in Jersey City. She's a Hudson County native who knows her community. It is her 26th year in teaching and administration in health professions — she wears two hats and enjoys it every day. When asked how she got her start in teaching, she said: "One day, the clinical coordinator saw me and asked if I wanted the teaching position, and I accepted and moved forward without regret. Teaching helps me to be a better program director. I don't lose touch with the students' challenges this way."

After high school, Suzanne knew she wanted to go into the healthcare profession. Her sister was a nurse, and she wanted to take a similar path. She attended St. Elizabeth's Hospital for her extensive training. They were fun days and that period of time created reference points — especially a deep understanding of students' challenges and aspirations — that help her in her work today in higher education. Initially, she worked part-time and didn't pursue higher education until her own children graduated from college. She received her Bachelor of Science at Saint Peter's College (now University) and her Master's degree in Science Health from New Jersey City University. She began her education career in 1989 as a clinical instructor at Christ Hospital and Bayonne Hospital.

Suzanne is especially concerned about providing job opportunities for students after they complete their studies. "After graduation, our students can work in hospitals and imaging centers. There are many paths: MRI imagery, CAT Scanning (special imaging that produces cross-section images of the body), Nuclear Medicine, Interventional Imaging, special

procedures, diagnosis and therapeutic work. They can also continue learning. I believe you should always pursue more education. We encourage lifelong learning. There's always new technology; learning new things is necessary in our field." "Think about it," she says. "Almost everyone that goes into a hospital gets some form of an x-ray. Radiography combines the caring for the patient with very expensive machinery." She insists that her students focus as much on patient care as they do on the mechanics of the imaging process.

"We've had interesting graduates," she recalls. "Angelica Jimenez, the Assemblywoman for [New Jersey's 32nd Legislative District], also works as a CAT scan and MRI radiographer. Shane Paugh, also a grad, went into criminal defense law. Graduates go off in interesting directions because there are many aspects. Some also go into teaching, sales, and digital applications."

By the time this article goes to press, the School of Radiography will have completed its move from the former CarePoint facility to the renovated Cundari Building on Bergen Avenue, part of Hudson County Community College's campus. "The staff was concerned about the move but everyone has been so accommodating to us. From the academic branch to the facilities team. It's fantastic! To be involved in the environment of education here at the college is uplifting for us as educators."

"Not that many years ago, there was no radiography program in Hudson County at all. Now we have a flourishing program that is jointly accredited by the State of New Jersey (Board of Examiners) and JRCERT (Joint Accredited Agency for Radiography and Technology). Radiographers have to have a minimum of an Associate Degree to sit for the boards. We're very proud and happy to be at HCCC."

## 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](http://www.hccc.edu/emergency), and click on the Connect-ED link to register additional contact information.

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*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](http://www.hccc.edu/emergency) Stay informed and get Connect-ED today!**

## CAREPOINT MOVES INTO 870 BERGEN AVENUE



Hardik Sanghavi, PC Technician, patches a line on the Cisco switches, which connect the computers and printers to the College's server.



This simulation room contains all of the components of an actual hospital room. Here, nursing students will learn practical skills.

## PROFESSIONAL NOTES



Dr. Azhar Mahmood (left) and Dr. XiaoJin Ye presented "My Math Success Plan" at a summer institute for mathematics faculty.

Professor **Rosie Soy** (Humanities) co-presented with Dr. Stefan Bosworth at the Annual Conference of the American Sociological Association, held in Chicago Aug. 21-25, on a paper titled "Ever Changing Patterns of Courtship and Marriage among Dominican and Dominican American Women." Their presentation is a continuation of their ongoing research on the impact of immigration among Dominican women settling in New York City. One aspect of their research on the effects of immigration on education among three generations of Dominican women was published as a monogram by the Dominican Studies Institute at City College of New York.

Dr. XiaoJin Ye and Dr. Azhar Mahmood presented the poster "My Math Success Plan" at "The Summer Institute for Mathematics Faculty Professional Development 2015" workshop July 6 - 9.

The Northern New Jersey Bridges to Baccalaureate (NNJ-B2B) and STEM Division at Hudson County Community College collaborated to offer a College Algebra (MAT 100) B2B/STEM during the second summer session of 2015. The program took place from July 8 to Aug. 12. The course was well received by the students. In fact, the students enjoyed the class. Prof. **Aminata Adewumi** was the instructor for the course.



Principles of Accounting II summer students tour the New Jersey City University business school in downtown Jersey City with their instructor, Lester McRae.

On Monday, Aug. 3, Principles of Accounting II summer class from North Hudson, led by Prof. Lester McRae, visited New Jersey City University's Harborside campus. This is where NJCU's business school will be located from the fall of 2015. Dean of Instruction/Arts **Christopher Wahl**, Associate Dean **Paul Dillon** and **Aparna Saini** from NJCU were also present. Dr. Bernard McSherry, Dean of the University's School of Business, gave a tour of the new location. The class and HCCC administration were shown where the classrooms, simulated trading floor and conference rooms will be located. The students were impressed with the business-oriented environment, and many of them expressed an interest in going to school and working in that location.

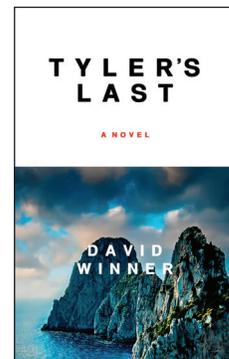
Assistant Professor **David Winner's** new novel, *Tyler's Last*, an homage to Patricia Highsmith, will be released by Outpost 19 on Oct. 1, 2015. Dr. Winner, will perform a reading of the book at WORD Bookstore, 123 Newark Avenue, Jersey City, on Tuesday, Oct. 13.

Winner's first novel, *The Cannibal of Guadalajara*, won the 2009 Gival Press Novel Award and was nominated for the National Book Award. A film based on a story of Winner's played at Cannes



Students in the College Algebra class for the NNJ-B2B STEM program. Dr. Ferdinand Orock, NNJ-B2B Site Coordinator, is pictured on the left.

in 2007. His writing has won a *Ledge Magazine* fiction contest and been nominated for two Pushcarts and an AWP Intro Contest. His work has appeared in *The Village Voice*, *The Kenyon Review* (upcoming), *The Iowa Review* (upcoming), *Fiction*, *Confrontation*, *Joyland*, *Bookforum*, and several other publications in the United States and the United Kingdom, as well as being included in *Novel Strategies*, a Pearson/Prentice Hall anthology for college students. He is the fiction editor of *The American* ([www.theamericanmag.com](http://www.theamericanmag.com)), a web magazine based in Rome.



"Tyler's Last" may be pre-ordered at Amazon.com at <http://amzn.to/1PWODSi>

## NON-TRADITIONAL PROGRAMS NEWS

### Center for Business and Industry

Planning is currently underway for the 2015 Veterans Resource and Job Fair, which is set to take place at the Culinary Conference Center on October 29, from 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. CBI has partnered with the county Offices of Veteran Affairs and Disability Services, and Catholic Family & Community Services to offer the fair, where veterans will be able to submit their resumes and interview with representatives and employers from numerous organizations and businesses, as well as learn about the services offered through the college's Veterans' Affairs Services. This year, in addition to the job fair, CBI will be hosting an evening of preparatory workshops and access to free, professional attire from the Veteran's Closet, which will take place a week prior to the main event and will cater to veterans looking to hone their interview skills and update their resumes. The workshops, as well as the job fair, are free to both attending veterans and employers who would like to participate. If you are interested in becoming involved in these events, please contact Chastity Farrell at cfarrell@hccc.edu for more information.

On July 30 CBI hosted 32BJ's "Get Started Meeting," where coordinators from various colleges met with Bob Rosa, of the New Jersey Community College Consortium for Workforce and Economic Development, as well as the 32BJ training fund site Managers and Directors to prepare for the 2015 – 2016 training year.

Catherina Mirasol and Chastity Farrell attended the Statewide Hispanic Chamber of Commerce of NJ Diversity Expo & Luncheon at Rutgers University on August 7. The event included a panel of experts who discussed the importance of diversity in business and available procurement opportunities, as well as the occasion to make contacts with potential partners.

On July 24 Catherina Mirasol attended the Hudson County Chamber of Commerce's First Annual Fishing Networking Cruise, aboard *The Fishermen* out of Atlantic Highlands, N.J. Chamber members and guests enjoyed fishing in calm seas while networking among members of the local business community.

In late August Jersey City Medical Center hosted Open Enrollment classes at their training lab. In addition to the Medical Center's staff, seats were open to other members of the business community.

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Your business may be eligible for free training. Please contact Catherina Mirasol at cmirasol@hccc.edu or (201) 360-4241.



Catherina Mirasol (front row, left) with her son and Hudson County Chamber of Commerce members on the Chamber's first annual Fishing Networking Cruise. (Photo courtesy of J. Foster Imagery)

### CBI 2015 Calendar of Events

#### September

Thursday, September 10  
CPHE First Annual Alumni Reception

Saturday, September 12  
32BJ Welcome Back Orientation

#### October

Thursday, October 29  
Veterans Resource and Job Fair

## Community Education



Community Education  
Partners with Goodwill to  
Bring Classes to Harrison

The Office of Community Education is proud to partner with Goodwill Industries of NY and NJ to provide business, computer, and personal enrichment courses to the Harrison community. Classes will be held at the Goodwill headquarters at 400 Supor Blvd. in Harrison.

**Course:** Introduction to Computers and the Internet with Workplace Applications

**Tuition:** \$159

**Day/Dates:** Mondays and Wednesdays,  
October 26 - November 18

**Time:** 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

**Location:** Career Counseling and Learning Center (CCLC), 400 Supor Blvd., Harrison, NJ 07029

To celebrate this agreement, HCCC will be hosting a donation drive on Friday, September 18. Please bring your donations to the Office of Community Education, located in B107.




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## NON-TRADITIONAL PROGRAMS NEWS

### Evening, Weekend and Off-Site Programs (EWOS)

HCCC offers current and future students the opportunity to advance their college education by providing convenient access to required college courses during evening hours at Bayonne and Kearny High School. Classes are still open and available for Fall 2015 semester.

#### Kearny High School

Course Title	Course ID	Day	Credits	Class Time
College Comp I	ENG 101 OSK01	Tuesday	3	6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
College Comp II	ENG 102 OSK01	Tuesday	3	6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Speech	ENG 112 OSK01	Wednesday	3	6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Introduction to Psychology	PSY 101 OSK01	Wednesday	3	6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Principles of Sociology	SOC 101 OSK01	Tuesday	3	6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
US History I (*Prerequisite: ENG 101)	HIS 105 OSK01	Tuesday	3	6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Dev. Analytical Thought II	RDG 076 OSK01	Wednesday	3	6 p.m. - 9pm
College Algebra	MAT 100 OSK01	Wednesday	3	6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
				6 p.m. - 9pm
Basic Mathematics	MAT 071 OSK01	Wednesday	3	6 p.m. - 9 p.m.

\*Prerequisite(s) and/or College Placement Test Scores may be required

#### Bayonne High School

Course Title	Course ID	Day	Credits	Time
College Comp I	ENG 101 OSB01	Tuesday	3	6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
College Comp II	ENG 102 OSB01	Tuesday	3	6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Speech	ENG 112 OSB01	Thursday	3	6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Introduction to Psychology	PSY 101 OSB01	Thursday	3	6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Principles of Sociology	SOC 101 OSB01	Thursday	3	6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Lifespan Development	PSY 260 OSB01	Tuesday	3	6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
College Algebra	MAT 100 OSB01	Thursday	3	6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Basic Algebra	MAT 073 OSB01	Thursday	3	6:15 p.m.- 9:15 p.m.
Basic Algebra Workshop	MAT 070 OSB01	Thursday	1	5 p.m. - 6 p.m.
Basic Mathematics	MAT 071 OSB01	Tuesday	3	6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Spanish I	MLS 101 OSB01	Thursday	3	6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
French I	MLF 101 OSB01	Tuesday	3	6 p.m. - 9 p.m.

**In Person & Online Registration Ends on: September 8 - 70 Sip Avenue, Jersey City**  
**Classes are from September 8 to December 21 REGISTER TODAY!**

Furthermore, EWOS is thrilled to announce that in collaboration with the Social Sciences Department it will be offering an Early Childhood Education Certificate to Kenmare High School students. Kenmare High School is an alternative high school located in Jersey City Downtown that offers education and practical job training to unprivileged women. The program will satisfy the 120 clock hours of formal training required by the CDA National Credentialing Program. With a CDA credential, students are eligible, according to the New Jersey Child Care Licensing Code, to be a group teacher in a Child Care Center.

Finally, EWOS is currently working with the Community Education department to offer a variety of community education classes to community members at the current Off-Sites locations and throughout Hudson County.

### Weekend College

In addition to expanding the Off-Site locations, the EWOS, in partnership with the Business Department, will be launching a Business Administration Weekend degree starting in Spring 2016. This degree will be an accelerated and flexible totaling 65 credits. The classes will be a combination of traditional, online and hybrid classes offered on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. Below are the classes that will be offer during Spring 2016 (January 2016 to May 2016).

#### Journal Square Campus

Friday PM

ENG-101: College Composition I

Saturday AM

ENG-112: Speech\*

Saturday PM

MAN-121: Principles of Management\*

Sunday AM

BUS-101: Introduction to Business-Hybrid

CSS-100: College Success-Online\*\*

CSC-100: Intro to Computers & Computing-Online\*\*

Learning Communities Class

\*\*Online: 15 weeks

For more information regarding the Office of Evening, Weekend and Off-Site Programs, please contact Mayelin Torres at mtorres@hccc.edu or (201) 360-4244.

## SAVE THE DATE

### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30 CONVOCATION

8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

**Culinary Conference Center**  
**161 Newkirk Street**

Beginning of the academic year  
 including a special keynote  
 address by Dr. Kenneth T. Jackson

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## STEM SUMMER INSTITUTE CONVENES FOR NEW SESSIONS

On Friday, July 24, Saturday July 25 and Saturday, Aug. 8, Hudson County Community College facilitated additional sessions of its STEM Summer Institute. Two events of note follow:

Kamal Shahrabi, Ph.D., CSIT, Dean, School of Engineering Technologies and Executive Director, Renewable Energy and Sustainability Center at Farmingdale State College (SUNY), led a one-day consulting workshop to the faculty on "Activities to Increase Learning and Retention." The workshops sought to engage faculty in exploring concepts associated with improving student academic success and retention, strategies to improve student reading comprehension and best practices in teaching culturally diverse students in order to assist them in developing meaningful learning situations that engage student to seek a deeper appreciation of the material being discussed in class. The workshop was comprised of PowerPoint presentation, small group work and large group discussions to engage the faculty and clarify the concepts presented. The consulting fee covers, travel expenses, provided materials, and intellectual dialogue sites to all the participants.

Terrence F. Cahill, Ed.D., FACHE, of Seton Hall University provided a faculty development workshop on the topic of "Leadership." The session focused on several key areas. First, the group considered leadership styles and Dr. Cahill provided attendees with the opportunity to evaluate their styles utilizing a fun tool, Kingdomality. Second, the group considered the Good To Great finding; it is first of all about "who is on the bus," who the leader has assembled to work towards the group's objectives. Third was a variety of key leadership/management concepts including, but not limited to, a consideration of those terms, "leader," "manager," a simple model for evaluating leadership, A(tributes)/B(ehavior)/C(ontext), the Cynefin Framework which views leadership as a response to different contexts, "motivation," "emotional intelligence," "power," and "generational differences."

As the group considered each of these concepts, they related the concepts to their academic context and how each has application implications. The attendees enjoyed the seminar and found it relevant to their work at the College.

## ALL COLLEGE COUNCIL: FACULTY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Dear Faculty:

I would like to thank all of you who have volunteered for the All College Council. Emails went out with committee assignments. We are in need of more faculty representation on the Technology and Development and Planning Committees. We want to ensure that faculty have a voice in what is going on in these committees. Please consider volunteering for one of these committees.

If you are not able to volunteer for a subcommittee, consider attending the General Meetings. That meeting is a chance for you to voice any issues you may want the committees to look at. You can still have a chance to be heard.

Thank you for taking the time to consider this.  
Denise Rossilli, LPC, LMHC  
Chair, All College Council  
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## HUDSON COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE FACULTY PRESENT AT NJTESOL/NJBE CONFERENCE



*HCCC presenters at the annual NJTESOL/NJBE Conference, pictured from left: Dr. Nancy Booth, Dr. Shannonine Caruana, Johanna van Gendt, and Saliha Yagoubi.*

Hudson County Community College's ESL instructors shone at the 2015 NJTESOL/NJBE annual Spring Conference: "Building Bridges for Language Learners" in New Brunswick, N.J.

Johanna van Gendt did double duty, first pairing up with Saliha Yagoubi to present, "A Certificate for Success: ESL/ECE Learning Community," and then with Dr. Shannonine Caruana to explain "Enhancing the Classroom Experience through Collaborative Learning." Both presentations were well received by eager listeners.

Eva Kozlenko expounded on "What Is the Main Idea?", and Dr. Nancy Booth explained why "SQ3R: Isn't Just for Kids." Maria Schirta illustrated how "Fiction Works Wonders!" All three presentations were greeted by enthusiastic participants.

All five HCCC sessions were filled, and it was standing room only. Shannonine and Johanna's presentation was moved to a larger room to accommodate their audience. The rest of us wished we had as there was literally "No room at the TESOL inn." This shows what a wonderful reputation these six repeating HCCC ESL presenters have!

## SAVE THE DATE!

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Ribbon Cutting Ceremony  
at 2:00 p.m.

Reception to Follow

## A DAY OF PERKINS RELATED PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

By Ryan Martin

In my eight years of being charged with administering the Perkins Grant for Hudson County Community College, I am extremely proud of the many activities and initiatives that we have accomplished, including professional development, program and course development, technological classroom support, and general classroom support for Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs.

For those readers that do not know much about the Perkins Grant, it is a formula grant that is dispensed nationally to technical high schools, community colleges, and traditional high schools that offer at least one career and technical education program specifically designed to provide direct support for CTE programs. The grant gets its name from Congressman Carl D. Perkins, who served as the Democratic representative for the 7th congressional district of Kentucky from 1948 until his death in 1984. As chairman of the Committee on Education and Labor, Perkins was a key player in President Lyndon Johnson's war on poverty, and he is directly responsible for programs such as Head Start, Perkins Loans, and later the Perkins Act for Career and Technical Education. The term "Career and Technical education" is in many ways considered the new and more widely defined replacement for vocational education. While the traditional vocational education programs are still very much a part of CTE education, programs such as nursing, early childhood education, human services, and computer science are now also included in the expanded version of CTE.

While the Perkins Grant is a federally funded program, the funding is allocated to each state to dispense and monitor for compliance. In New Jersey, the New Jersey Department of Education – Office of Career and Technical Education (NJDOE—OCTE) is given this responsibility, and each county is given a program officer from this office in an effort to provide support and keep each district and community college in compli-



Pictured from left: Robin Singer, HCCC Early Childhood Education Instructor; Lori Howard, New Jersey Department of Education – Office of Career and Technical Education; Ryan Martin, HCCC Grants Officer; Debbie Addas, Union City High School; Jennifer Rodriguez, HCCC LEAP Coordinator.

ance with the legislation. To achieve that end, the NJDOE – OCTE often runs professional development sessions whereupon the program officers and the Perkins administrators from the many different schools collaborate and showcase their initiatives and activities for peer review and potential replication.

On August 12, 2015 the NJDOE – OCTE ran one of these professional development sessions called: "New Approaches to Integrating Curriculum, College, and Careers in Early Childhood Professions." Coincidentally, we had recently executed an articulation agreement with Union City High School aligning their childhood development program with our early childhood education program, so I thought that this would be the perfect opportunity to disseminate and highlight the good work that we have been doing on behalf of our students with our Perkins resources. I contacted our program officer, and she put together a panel for a presentation called: "Transforming the Secondary Early Childhood Program through Postsecondary

Credit." In addition to presenters from Rutgers, Brookdale Community College, Atlantic Cape Community College, Camden County College, and Rowan University, Robin Singer, Jennifer Rodriguez, and Debbie Addas (Union City High School), participated in the discussion for HCCC detailing the specifics of the above mentioned articulation agreement. The presentation went very well, and we received very positive feedback from our peers at the conference.

After the presentation, I realized the significance of the work that we are doing here on behalf of our students and how important it really is to the continued success of Perkins programming at HCCC. It also became clear to me that we are exceeding other community colleges throughout New Jersey in this very important aspect of the Perkins legislation, Perkins specific articulations with secondary districts. The dedicated work of Jennifer Rodriguez and the LEAP department, in collaboration with relevant HCCC faculty and Debbie Addas from Union City High School, is largely responsible for the success of these initiatives, and it is my hope that as the HCCC Perkins compliance administrator that these types of activities continue to expand, as nearly 85% of our programs at HCCC are considered Perkins eligible.

In closing I would like to specifically thank Michelle Doughty and Lori Howard from the NJDOE – OCTE for organizing and hosting the event. I would also like to thank Robin Singer, Jennifer Rodriguez, and Debbie Addas for representing Hudson County Community College and Union City High School as the experts on the panel – they really gave a strong presentation. If there are any faculty or staff with a Perkins eligible program that they think might qualify for articulation with UCHS, I would suggest reaching out to either me or Jennifer Rodriguez for consultation. A list of the Perkins eligible programs at HCCC can also be found on the Grants Office portal page.

## ANNUAL CONVOCATION WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2015 KEYNOTE SPEAKER: DR. KENNETH T. JACKSON

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through the Centuries (Columbia, 2002). Professor Jackson's best known publication, *Crabgrass Frontier: The Suburbanization of the United States* (Oxford, 1985), was a selection of sessions at several historical conventions.

In collaboration with Vergara, Jackson created two important public exhibitions. The first, "Transformed Houses," was a Smithsonian Institution project that focused on domestic architecture in working class neighborhoods. The second, sponsored by the Municipal Art Society

in Manhattan, dealt with physical devastation in ghetto areas and was exhibited in more than a dozen venues around the United States.

A strong advocate of history as the core of social studies, Professor Jackson chaired the Bradley Commission on History in Schools (1987-1990), a nationwide effort to improve and expand history teaching in America's elementary and secondary institutions. He then founded and served as the first chairman of the National Council for History Education, a larger and more

ambitious organization with a similar mission. In addition, Professor Jackson has directed seven National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Seminars for either high school or college instructors and nine intensive summer programs for the Gilder-Lehrman Institute for American History.

Jackson is a graduate of the University of Memphis (undergraduate) and the University of Chicago (master's and doctorate degrees).



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**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.

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

**SEPTEMBER 2015**

**Term: Fall 2015**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Journal Sq. 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM	<b>1</b> Journal Sq. 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM NHC 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM	<b>2</b> Journal Sq. 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM	<b>3</b> Journal Sq. 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM	<b>4</b> Journal Sq. 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM
<b>7</b> <i>College Closed</i>	<b>8</b> Journal Sq. 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM	<b>9</b> Journal Sq. 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM	<b>10</b> Journal Sq. 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM	<b>11</b> Journal Sq. 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM
<b>14</b> Journal Sq. 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM	<b>TESTING LOCATIONS:</b> Journal Square: 2 Enos Place, Jersey City NHC: 4800 Kennedy Blvd., Union City			
<b>IMPORTANT DATES:</b> Wednesday, September 2: <b>Classes begin at HCCC</b> Tuesday, September 8: <b>Classes begin at High School sites (Bayonne/Kearny)</b> Tuesday, September 15: <b>Last day to Add/Drop classes</b>				

**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
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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### Tuesday, September 1

New Student Orientation, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m., Culinary Conference Center, 161 Newkirk Street. Please RSVP on the "New Student Orientation" page on the MyHudson Student Portal (<https://myhudson.hccc.edu>) or by calling (201) 360-4160.

### Wednesday, September 2 –

#### Friday, September 11

HCCC SPIRIT Photo Challenge: Throughout the week, tweet, Instagram or post using the #HCCCSpirit to win prizes and giveaways! We will randomly select a winner each day! Tell us what you love most about HCCC and you can WIN!

### Wednesday, September 2 –

#### Tuesday, September 15

Add/Drop Period

### Wednesday, September 2

Fall 2015 classes begin at HCCC

Welcome Back with HCCC Spirit Day, 12 p.m. to 3 p.m., CAI Park. Come out for a Welcome Back BBQ where we will be giving away HCCC apparel and celebrating our Hudson Pride! Wear Green and get one of your very own Spirit T-Shirts!

Drive By Designs, 12 p.m. to 3 p.m., CAI Park. As part of #HCCCSpirit Day, we will be hosting Drive By Designs, a state-of-the-art local screen-printing company that will make HCCC's very own individualized T-shirts helping us to commemorate the start of the Fall semester!

### Thursday, September 3

Sign Shop, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., NHC Student Lounge. Come and make your very own personalized sign to hang at your desk, in your room, or use for your club.

### Saturday, September 5 – Monday, September 7

Labor Day – College Closed

### Monday, September 7

New York Yankees vs. Baltimore Orioles, game time 1:05 p.m. Students: \$8; Guests: \$16. Purchase tickets at <https://hcccyankeesgame1.eventbrite.com>. What's better than enjoying Labor Day by taking part in America's favorite pastime? Come out and enjoy a Yankees game with the HCCC community!

### Tuesday, September 8

BrightLink Training Session, North Hudson Campus, Room N305, 11 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Coffeehouse featuring Dakaboom (comedy/musical duo), 4 p.m., Liberty Café, Library Building, 71 Sip Ave. Enjoy a live performance by local talent, ranging from live music to spoken word poetry, to literary readings- relax and enjoy a cup of coffee with a side of the arts!

Classes begin at High School Sites

### Wednesday, September 9

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

BrightLink Training Session, North Hudson Campus, Room N305, 12 p.m. to 1 p.m.

Sign Shop, 3 p.m. to 6 p.m., 25 Journal Square, Student Lounge. Come and make your very own personalized sign to hang at your desk, in your room, or use for your club!

### Thursday, September 10

#TruckinThursdays, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., 81 Sip Ave. Come check out some of Hudson County's finest cuisine outside of the G Building in Journal Square! Use the #TruckinThursdays to post your pics from the event and vote for your favorite food truck.

Involvement and Services Fair, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., 25 Journal Square, Student Lounge. Want to get involved or learn more about what HCCC has to offer? Come out to the Involvement Fair to learn about clubs/organizations and find out what services we offer at HCCC!

Beginning SmartBoard Training Session, Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Makerspace, 1 p.m. to 2 p.m.

NLN PAX for Practical Nursing, 12:30 p.m., Testing Center, 2 Enos Place. Register at [www.nlnonlinetesting.org](http://www.nlnonlinetesting.org)

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

### Friday, September 11

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

### Saturday, September 12

Family Day at HCCC, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., CAI Park. Come enjoy a family-friendly day of events for all ages! Carnival games, snacks and fun for everyone!

Beginning SmartBoard Training Session, Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Makerspace, 12 p.m. to 1 p.m.

### Sunday, September 13

Grand Opening of Benjamin J. Dineen III and Dennis C. Hull Gallery, Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.

### Monday, September 14

Beginning SmartBoard Training Session, Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Makerspace, 6 p.m. to 7 p.m.

BrightLink Training Session, North Hudson Campus, Room N305, 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.

### Tuesday, September 15 –

#### Saturday, September 26

Exhibit: "Through the Collector's Eye," Benjamin J. Dineen III and Dennis C. Hull Gallery, Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., 1 p.m. to 6 p.m.

### Tuesday, September 15 - Friday, November 13

Estamos Aqui (We Are Here) Art Exhibit, Third Floor of the Library Building, 71 Sip Ave. Featuring prints and artwork from the Latino/Chicano perspective. The portfolio of prints expresses the celebrations, sorrows, challenges, and personal experiences of the artists.

### Tuesday, September 15

Resume Writing, 11 a.m., 70 Sip Ave., Basement Conference Room

Hispanic Heritage Month Kick-Off, 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., North Hudson Campus, Multipurpose Room. Come join us help celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month with, food, music, and great company! We will be featuring Tropicante, a Latin music and dance performance group. We will also feature catering from MeCasa for an authentic experience!

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

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

Beginning SmartBoard Training Session, Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Makerspace, 1 p.m. to 2 p.m.

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

Last day to add/drop at High School Sites

### Wednesday, September 16

Button Making, 3 p.m. to 6 p.m., North Hudson Campus, Student Lounge. Create a button with the Library's button maker. Bring your own images to turn into a button or choose from ones supplied by the Library.

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

Interviewing, 5 p.m., 70 Sip Ave., Basement Conference Room

Aladdin on Broadway, show time 7 p.m. Students: \$29; Guests: \$55. Purchase tickets at <http://hcccbroadwayaladdin.eventbrite.com>. Come join HCCC on Broadway! Aladdin is one of Disney's newest Broadway hit and a fan favorite for the entire family! Enjoy a night out in NYC with HCCC!

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### Wednesday, September 16 (cont.)

Diana Ross Concert, show time 7:30 p.m., New Jersey Performing Arts Center, Newark, NJ. Students: \$25; Guests: \$46. Purchase tickets at <http://hcccdianaross.eventbrite.com>. The legend, Diana Ross, returns to New Jersey to give a performance of a lifetime! Celebrate your first week of class being done with a concert that will include all the classics from this legendary music diva!

### Thursday, September 17

Job Searching, 11 a.m., 70 Sip Ave., Basement Conference Room

Involvement and Services Fair, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., NHC, Multipurpose Room. Want to get involved or learn more about what HCCC has to offer? Come out to the Involvement Fair to learn about clubs/organizations and find out what services we offer at HCCC!

Constitution Day, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., NHC, Student Lounge and Library Building Lobby, 81 Sip Ave.

Sharpen Your Skills! (STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) Resources), Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Room 319, 2 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Button Making, Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Makerspace, 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. Create a button with the Library's button maker. Bring your own images to turn into a button or choose from ones supplied by the Library.

### Friday, September 18

Museo Del Barrio, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Inspired by one of your history classes or want to dive more into Hispanic Heritage Month? Come join HCCC as we go to the Museo Del Barrio in NYC to dive into our Latino heritage and explore our history.

Spirit of New Jersey Dinner Cruise – bus departs Journal Square at 5:30 p.m. Students: \$25; Guests: \$50. Purchase tickets at <http://hcccspiritofnjcruise.eventbrite.com>. Enjoy the New York skyline from the luxury of your own personal cruise ship! Dinner under the stars, dancing the night away, and getting up close to the Statue of Liberty – sounds like the perfect way to kick off a new semester!

### Saturday, September 19

Student Leadership Conference, 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Culinary Conference Center, 161 Newkirk Street. Free for students. Register at <https://fall2015leadershipconference.eventbrite.com>.

Information Session for New Pathways to Teaching in New Jersey, 10:30 a.m. Please pre-register by calling 201-360-4255/4266/4244. The location of the information session will be available upon registration.

Sharpen Your Skills! (Career Resources), Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Room 319, 12 p.m. to 1 p.m.

### Sunday, September 20

Mets vs. Yankees, game time 1 p.m. Students: \$15; Guests: \$45. Purchase tickets at <http://hcccmets2015.eventbrite.com>. Come enjoy America's favorite pastime with a subway series classic - Mets vs. Yankees! Don't miss out on a great game and great community!

BrightLink Training Session, North Hudson Campus, Room N305, 12 p.m. to 1 p.m.

### Sunday, September 20

Sharpen Your Skills! (Nursing Resources), Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Room 319, 12 p.m. to 1 p.m.

### Monday, September 21

Resume Writing, 11 a.m., North Hudson Campus, Room N703A

Interviewing, 12 p.m., North Hudson Campus, Room N703A

Sharpen Your Skills! (Nursing Resources), Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Room 319, 3 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Keys to Professionalism, 5 p.m., North Hudson Campus, Room N703A

### Tuesday, September 22

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

Hispanic Heritage Month Educational Roundtable, 12 p.m. to 1 p.m., North Hudson Campus, Student Lounge

Innovation Lab: Galileo, Library Building Makerspace, 71 Sip Ave., 12 p.m. to 2 p.m. 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://hccclibrarygalileo1.eventbrite.com>. Registration is limited to 12 participants.

Hispanic Heritage Month Educational Roundtable, 4 p.m. to 5 p.m., 25 Journal Square Student Lounge

### Wednesday, September 23

Airbrush Artist, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., NHC, Student Lounge. Get an individualized piece of art with our very own Airbrush Artist! Come out, be social, and enjoy HCCC!

### Thursday, September 24

Networking & How to Create Your LinkedIn Profile, 11 a.m., 70 Sip Ave., Basement Conference Room

#TruckinThursday, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., 81 Sip Ave. Come check out some of Hudson County's finest cuisine outside of the G Building in Journal Square! Use the #TruckinThursdays to post your pics from the event and vote for your favorite food truck!

Library Book Club: *Mambo in Chinatown* by Jean Kwok, Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., 12:30 p.m. to 2 p.m. Each session will be limited to 10 participants. Stop by the Library to pick up a book and register.

Innovation Lab: Raspberry Pi, 2 p.m. to 4 p.m., North Hudson Campus, Student Lounge. The Raspberry Pi is a tiny, inexpensive single-board computer that allows for basic programming and can be used as a "brain" to interact with other electronic devices. Learn about how it works, and how to use it in a wide variety of computing projects. Free, but registration is required. Register for the workshop at <https://hccclibraryraspberrypi1.eventbrite.com>. Registration is limited to 12 participants.

### Friday, September 25

Frida Kahlo Exhibit, New York Botanical Garden Museum Trip. Bus to depart from Journal Square at 10 a.m.

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.

New York Yankees vs. Chicago White Sox, game time: 7 p.m. Students: \$8; Guests: \$16. Purchase tickets at <http://hcccyankeesgame2.eventbrite.com>. What's better than enjoying a Friday evening by taking part in America's favorite pastime? Come out and enjoy a Yankees game with the HCCC community.

### Saturday, September 26

Field Trip to 9/11 Museum, 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. Bus leaves from 70 Sip Avenue.

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

### Sunday, September 27

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

### Monday, September 28

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

Keys to Professionalism, 3 p.m., 70 Sip Ave., Basement Conference Room

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### Tuesday, September 29

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

Resume Writing, 12 p.m., 70 Sip Ave., Basement Conference Room

### Tuesday, September 29 (cont.)

Sharpen Your Skills! (NoodleTools Citation Generator), North Hudson Campus, Room N305, 1 p.m. to 2 p.m.

Flamenco Vivo!, 12 p.m., Culinary Park Plaza

Coffeehouse featuring Ajna Dance Troupe (interactive dance workshop), 4 p.m., 25 Journal Square, Student Lounge

Beginning SmartBoard Training Session, Library Building, 71 Sip Ave., Makerspace, 6 p.m. to 7 p.m.

### Wednesday, September 30

Convocation, 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Culinary Conference Center, 161 Newkirk St. 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, will be keynote speaker.

## SECURITY TRAINING



Robert Crawford of U.S. Security Associates (standing) facilitates training in Nonviolent Crisis Intervention for the Safety & Security Department at HCCC.

The Safety & Security Department at Hudson County Community College recently underwent training for Nonviolent Crisis Intervention. This program is a safe, non-harmful behavior management system designed to help professionals safely provide assistance to disruptive, assaultive, and out-of-control individuals, even during their most violent moments.

The guards received instruction in identifying the behavior levels that contribute to the development of a crisis and selecting an appropriate staff

intervention for each level. They also learned to identify useful nonverbal techniques to help prevent acting-out behavior. They learned phrases to de-escalate behavior and principles of personal safety to avoid injury in the event behavior escalates to a physical level.

## INTRODUCING THE 2015-2016 PEER LEADERS



### Candice Marie Fernandez, 2nd Year Peer Leader

Major: Studio Arts A.F.A.

Hometown: North Bergen, NJ

Favorite Quote: "Education is not preparation for life; Education is life itself." – John Dewey



### Christopher Canela, 2nd Year Peer Leader

Major: Liberal Arts (A.A.)

Hometown: Kearny, NJ

Favorite Quote: "Our chief want is someone who will inspire us to be what we know we could be." – Ralph Waldo Emerson



### Edward C. Gotia Jr.

Major: Electronics Engineering Technology

Current Residence: Jersey City, NJ

Favorite Quote: "Leaders become great, not because of their power, but because of their ability to empower others." – John Maxwell



### Hodeia Davis

Major: Business

Hometown: Union City, NJ

Favorite Quote: "Aim for the moon; just in case you miss you will be among the stars, the sky is the limit."



### Jocelyn S. Wong-Castellano

Major: Criminal Justice

Current Residence: Jersey City, NJ

Favorite Quote: "Everything happens for a reason."



### Nakiya M. Santos

Major: Human Services (A.A.)

Hometown: Jersey City, NJ

Favorite Quote: "It would not be considered life if it's not hard; if it's not hard it's not considered life. If it comes too easy, it's not worth the battle of having, and was not earned meaningfully."



### Amaalah Ogburn

Major: Nursing (Pending)

Hometown: Guttenberg, NJ

Favorite quote: "My mission in life is not merely to survive, but to thrive; and to do so with some compassion, some humor, and some style."



### Dominic Shepherd

Major: Liberal Arts (Business)

Current Residence: Jersey City, NJ

Favorite Quote: "Live as if you were to die tomorrow. Learn as if you were to live forever." – Mahatma Gandhi



### Katherine Sorto

Major: Elementary/Secondary Education (Liberal Arts A.A.)

Hometown: North Bergen, NJ

Favorite Quote: "Do Not Be Afraid Of Thy True Self, Be Unique, Within You Lies A Pearl In The Sea" – Katherine Sorto

## COMMUNICATIONS UPDATE

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Students, employees, residents and visitors of the Hudson County area have seen the Communications Department's newest advertisements in its transit campaign!

The department's transit campaign features wraps, posters and cards of varying sizes on local buses. The College's ads on the Hudson Bergen Light Rail feature interior car cards; the ads are visible on station posters and in display cases at select stations. These materials can be seen on routes throughout Hudson County. Every design displays the College's "Lady Liberty" logo and a variety of HCCC students and alumni who have participated in one of the department's annual photo shoots.

Stay tuned for news about the department's mobile and social media efforts!



Clockwise from left: Bus sign, Journal Square, Jersey City. Interior bus sign. Transit sign at Hudson Bergen Light Rail, Harborside Financial

## COLLEGE SERVICE DAY: 'MEMORY IN TEACHING AND LEARNING'



Panelists pictured from left: Craig McLaughlin, Instructor, Psychology: "The Seven Sins of Memory;" Salim Bendaoud, Instructor, STEM: "Using a Memory Game to Stimulate Group Work in the Classroom;" Tony Acevedo (Facilitator), Instructor, History: "History and Memory;" Dr. Eric Friedman, Vice President for Academic Affairs: "Collective Memory;" Dr. John Marlin, Associate Dean of Humanities: "How We Talk about Books We Haven't Read;" and Dr. Nadia Hedhli, Instructor, STEM: "Neuroplasticity and Memory."

Memory is a theme that cuts across a wide array of disciplines. At the Aug. 26 College Service Day, faculty and administrators from diverse academic backgrounds joined in a panel titled "Memory in Teaching and Learning" to discuss the ways that memory is approached in their respective fields, ranging from the Social Sciences and Humanities to STEM.

A crowd of over 50 gathered to hear panelists offer thought-provoking insights as to how a common theme (memory) manifests itself in both similar and divergent ways. Panelists engaged in an intriguing discussion of the construction, meaning, and science behind how we remember as individuals and societies. Included in the panel's discussion were ideas such as collective memory, social identity and the historical memory of Christopher Columbus, habits of reading and remembering literature, PTSD and psychological memory, patterns of memory in card game activities, and the daily renovations of the brain and memory. The panel was followed by a brief Q&A session.