

Fashion Design Technology Program Launches this Spring!





The District has offered many classes in Fashion Design through the School of Continuing Education and—beginning with the Spring 2016 Semester—the Fashion Design Technology Program will launch as an academic program. Located at the Eastern Campus, the Fashion Design Technology Program will provide opportunities for entrepreneurs, designers and those interested in marketing and merchandising the ability to pursue careers in this exciting sector.



Board of Trustees Meeting-September 23, 2015







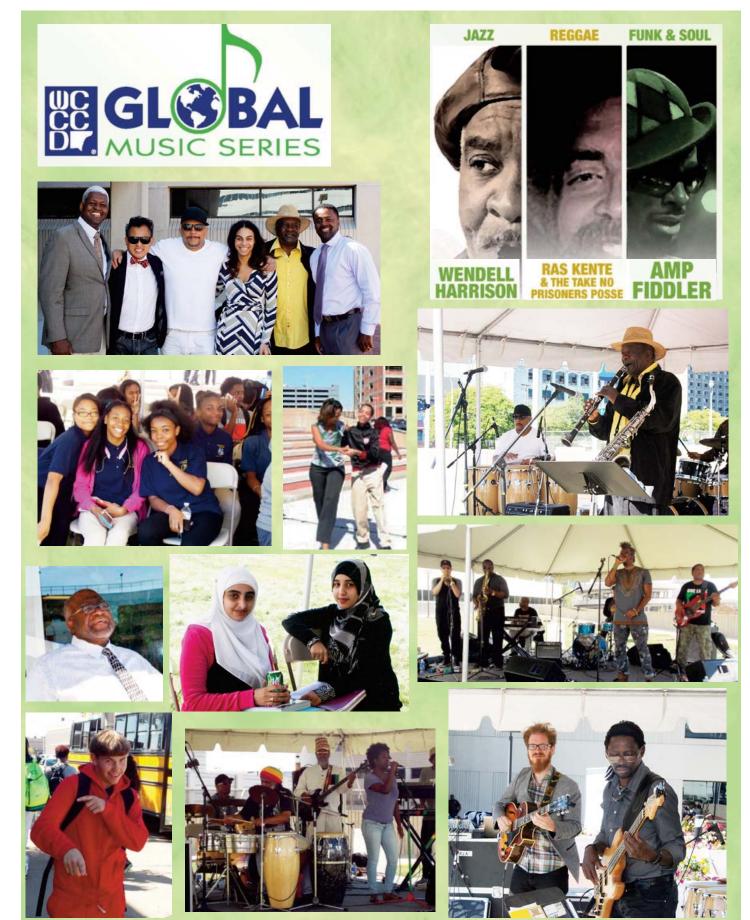








Division of Student Services





Health Science Center

WCCCD Nursing Graduates RN at Beaumont Health

WCCCD's May 2015 Nursing Program graduates on their first day of orientation as RNs at Beaumont Health this week.







Health Science Center Activities

Dr. Abby Freeman and Michael Poole attended the Infinite Scholarship Fair. Students were invited to meet with local representatives of colleges and universities to apply and possibly be awarded scholarships on site.



District Communication Management Center

Kudos to the District Communication Management Team!

The District Communication Management Center is dedicated to providing the highest quality customer service to meet the needs of our students, staff, businesses and community members.









Division of Educational Affairs

As a part of WCCCD's distance learning continuous quality improvement plan, the Distance Learning Institute is currently reviewing all virtual courses to ensure that faculty have incorporated aspects of the online learning environment that have proven to lead to increased student success. These components include:

- Announcement board
- Discussion board
- Faculty information
- Course syllabus
- Weekly schedule of assignments
- Course materials
- Technical support information
- Removal of empty links and/or boards



Distance Learning



Faculty Blackboard Training

WCCCD faculty had the opportunity to participate in Blackboard training. The goal of the training was to prepare them to be able to use Blackboard to supplement their classroom teaching and learning resources.

Spring 2016 Course Development on Target!

Final preparations for publishing the Spring 2016 Schedule are underway. The new process for schedule development has engages stakeholders across the District and strengthens the alignment of occupational course offerings, the promotion and support of new curricular initiatives, and provides opportunities to enhance campus-based programs.

Improving Instructional Delivery

The results from the Summer 2015 semester's Student Survey of Instruction are being disseminated to faculty. The intent of the survey is for the improvement of teaching and learning and is part of the District's Holistic Assessment Process. These results and other strategies will be the focus for the Annual Assessment Awareness Day chaired by our own Dr. Ella Davis.



Building Infrastructure Leading to Diversity REBUILDetroit

Wayne County Community College District Marygrove College* *University of Detroit Mercy* Wayne State University*



The first Fall 2015 monthly Build Scholar meeting was held this at the Northwest Campus.





Chinyere Knight is a Rebuild Detroit post-doctoral fellow in Biology. She is currently housed at Wayne State University and will utilize WCCCD labs throughout the semester.

District Police Authority



District Safety Meeting

The District Police Authority hosted its annual District Safety Meeting for all officers and supervisors from each campus. Lieutenant Barry Matthews from Oakland Community College Police and Anthony Arminiak were the keynote speakers. Several officers received merit awards and certificates of appreciation for their dedication and commitment to student safety.





Closed Circuit TV (CCTV) Mobile

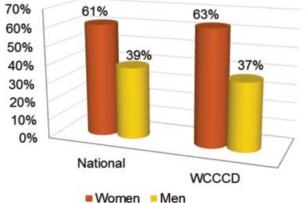
Police Authority Captain Bahrija Livadic displays the CCTV mobile app which is helps to improve safety District-wide. Command officers are capable of viewing the CCTV system from anywhere in the world with an IPad or similar mobile device 24 hours a day/seven days a week.



What's Trending in IE? **Student Completion Gender Gaps**

The Division of Institutional Effectiveness continuously monitors national trends to develop emerging student pathways to completion. Below is national data INSTITUTIONAL on achievement gaps. **EFFECTIVENESS**

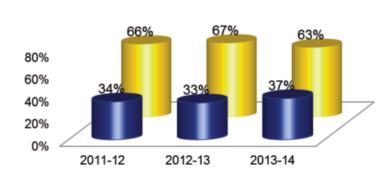
% of 2013-14 Degrees Conferred – by gender



Community College Week: http://ccweek.com/article-4732-gender-gap.html

Characteristics of WCCCD Graduates

Over the past three years, WCCCD has experienced a 3.9% increase in female students completing awards in STEM programs.



WCCCD Awards Conferred 3-year trend – by gender

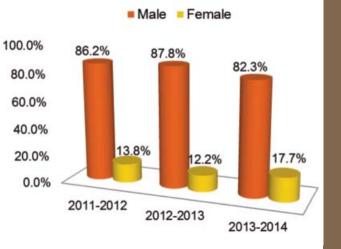
% Male % Female

Men earn far fewer degrees at all

levels of higher education than women and the gaps are even wider

for men of color.

STEM Awards Conferred







Administration and Finance Deferred Maintenance













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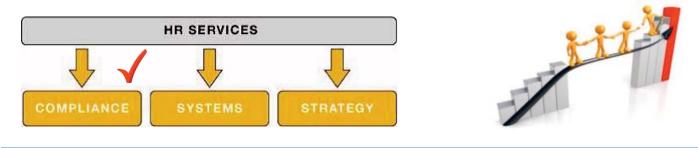








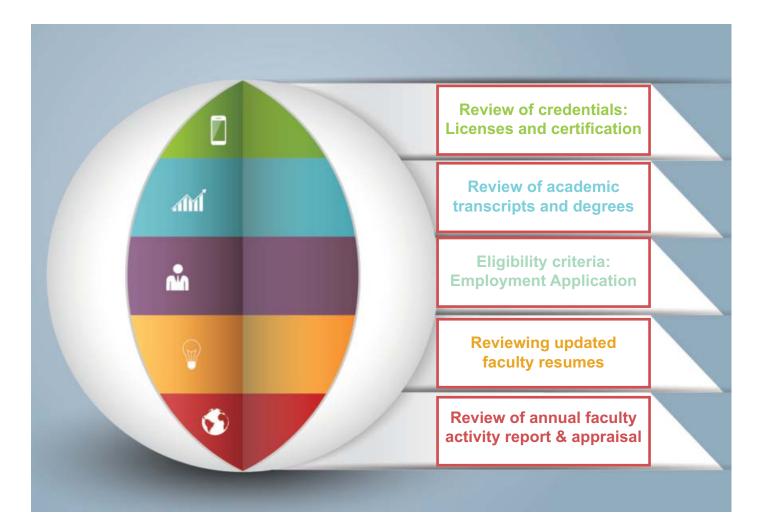
Division of Human Resources



Human Resouces: Compliance

The Division of Human Resources is currently auditing career and technical faculty files to ensure that all faculty credentials provide evidence of appropriate professional equivalency to their degrees. This process is part of our continuous quality improvement. The Division is also ensuring that faculty licenses, applications, resumes and academic relatedness forms are all current to provide evidence of tested experience appropriate to their specific teaching assignments.

File Compliance Review





Meet SHEREE L. DUFF RDH, MSA

Dean, Dental Programs

Providing continuing education courses to hygienists and dentists on dental disease, specifically periodontal disease.

Meet YOSEPH DIMESSIE

District Dean for Network Administration and Information Technology Operations

Yoseph plays soccer and enjoys traveling.



Meet **KUDA WALKER**

District Associate Vice Chancellor Institutional Effectiveness

Her goal is to travel all seven continents and all 50 states in the U. S. So far her travels abroad include; Great Britain, Jamaica, Ethiopia, South Africa, and Canada.



Meet JEFF ANDERSON District Provost

Played varsity tennis at Grosse Ile High School as a freshman and qualified for State Meets three out of four years.

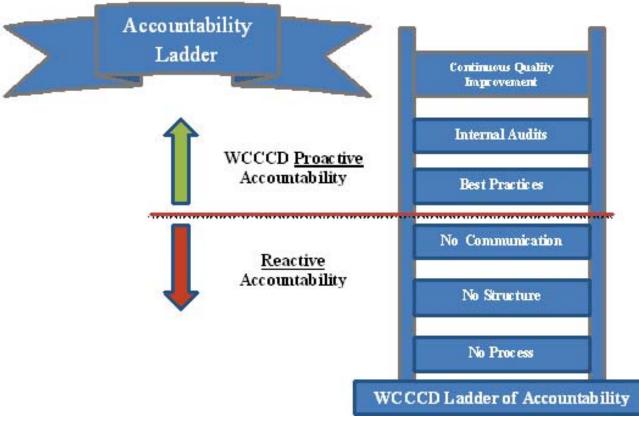


Office of Accountability and Transparency

The Continuous Quality Improvement Audit Center continues to monitor the following and has expanded this week to include Campus Operations, Human Resources and Position Control Reports:

- Campus Operations/
 Deferred Maintenance
- Position Control
- Internal Controls Human Resources
- HR and Finance Interface
- Employee Benefit Dependent Audit
- WCCCD Scholarship Reconciliation
- Fiscal Year 14-15 Review

- IT Security Access Review
- Employee Assignment and Alignment Review
- Web-Time and Leave Audit
- Monitoring the shift duties of Evening Administrators
- Travel Policy and Procedures
- Distribution Center Inventory Compliance
- Grants Audit
- Faculty Compensation Audit





NEW COMPUTER (Virtual Client Environment) ROLLOUT PHASE II

As part of the Information Technology Transformation Plan (ITTP), the Division of Information Technology (IT) is rolling out nearly 700 new, state of the art, virtualized computer systems replacing all desktop computers for students and faculty throughout the District.

This week, IT began Phase II, working on the backend infrastructure to support the new computers. VDI clients are being deployed to the Learning Centers and Learning Resource Centers District-wide.





Workforce **Development**

Trade Adjustment Assistance Community College and Career Training Grant

Cyber Security Program Update:

The TAACCCT Cyber Security program has completed an innovative curriculum to include a one-year certificate, two-year degree program, and industry recognized credentials including:

- Network+
- Security+
- Certified Ethical Hacker (CEH)
- Cisco Certified Network Associate (CCNA)
- Certified Authorization Professional (CAP)

The curriculum is aligned with the National Initiative for Cybersecurity Education. Completers will be positioned for employment in metro Detroit region and across the country.



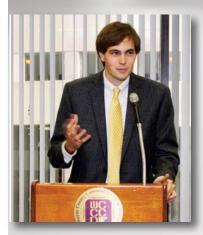




Grant Updates

STEM (Science, Technology Engineering, and Mathematics) grant opportunities represent a change in strategy from research university only grants to include two year institutions. WCCCD is presently involved with two grants directly providing students with these opportunities. WCCCD's MICUP and REBUILD Detroit grants are designed to help students pursue careers within the STEM industry. The REBUID Detroit grant provides under represented students an opportunity to pursue careers in the biomedical research field up to and including pursuing a Ph.D. The MICUP grant goals are to increase the number of underrepresented minority and first-generation students in STEM and non-STEM fields.

Brown and Juanita C. Ford Art Gallery





The "Documenting Detroit" photography series opened at the Brown and Juanita C. Ford Art Gallery at the Downtown Campus. The art is from the creative vision of Bill Rauhauser's teachings and the students' personal perspectives.













The School of Continuing Education

Downriver Campus

Wayne Metropolitan Community Action Homebuyer Club

Program Objective: This workshop was designed for homebuyers who have been pre-approved for a MSHDA mortgage through a participating Michigan State Housing Development Authority.

Total Continuing Education Participation: 17

Taylor Rotary Meeting and Workshop

Program Objective: Participants were provided an opportunity to identify a mission, vision and goals of Rotary International as well as identify various service projects to support the community.

Total Continuing Education Participation:43

Southern Wayne County Regional Chamber Connections Networking Group Workshop

Program Objective: The purpose of the workshop was to expose local businesses to one another and provide resources which may help them move their businesses forward.

Total Continuing Education Participation: 16





Usher Review Training

Staff from the Downriver Campus and representatives from NKSK held an usher review training session. The session included an overview and tour of the facility, job duties, safety first and emergency procedures and a paperwork review.



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Child Protection Safety Seat Check Training - Children's Hospital of Michigan

Program Objective: This training was a National Standardized Child Passenger Safety (CPS) Certification Course to train individuals to teach parents how to transport their children as safely as possible. **Total Continuing Education Participation: 20**

Traffic Incident Management Responder Training *Program Objective:* This training was a new coordinated, multi-disciplinary program developed through the Strategic Highway Research Program.



Total Continuing Education Participation: 107



DTE Incipient Fire Brigade Training

Program Objective: The DTE Energy Generation plant employees attended a three-day training session to become members of the fire brigade at their plants. **Total Workforce Student Participation: 15**

FEMA ICS 300 course

Program Objective: Participants engaged in incident command leadership training. Participants were also able to identify skills needed for reporting and working relationships with information flow and transfer of command. **Total Continuing Education Participation: 25**





DTE Fermi 2 Fire Brigade Training

Program Objective: The Detroit Edison Fermi 2 Plant in Monroe County attended Fire Brigade training. They refreshed their training in fire extinguishers, foam application and fire extinguishing including the burn room and shipboard simulator.

Total Continuing Education Participation: 16

Fire Extinguisher Training

Program Objective: This training was for Allied Billing Service employees and consisted of fire safety general fire safety knowledge, fire extinguisher features and the use of fire extinguishers using MISPE's fire extinguisher burn simulator were conducted.

Total Continuing Education Participation: 16



The School of Continuing Education and Workforce Development

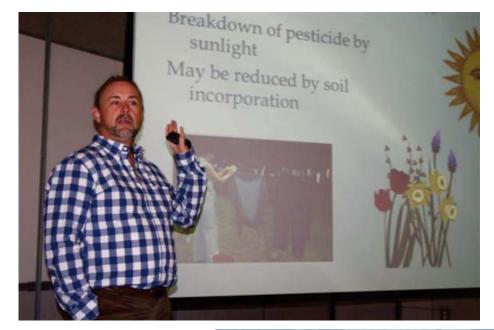


Western Campus

Michigan Green Industry Association (MGIA) certification

Program Objective: The MGIA held a two-day workshop and testing session to train landscape and fertilization technicians on safety procedures and other protocol. Training included hands-on demonstrations and interactive laboratory tasks.

Total Continuing Education Participation 119









Multi-Campus District



The Downtown Campus hosted a Faculty Fall Semester meet and greet with an ice cream social. Faculty members enjoyed ice cream sundaes, collaborating with other faculty, and meeting the instructional team.

Faculty Ice Cream Social





Michigan Welfare Rights Organization

Michigan Welfare Rights Organization conducted interviews for League of Revolutionary Black Workers. Participants also learned the connection between the auto industry and industrial sectors during the 60's and 70's.

Mature Worker's Program

Participants were provided based training to assist them with obtaining unsubsidized employment in the public and private sectors. Employment assistant professionals provided participants with tips and critiques that will improve their resumes and interviewing skills.

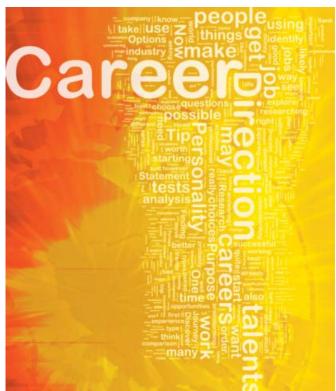


Career Exploration Day at the Downtown Campus

Students were given the opportunity to explore the college career programs available at the Downtown Campus. Representatives from the Criminal Justice, Light Rail Technology, and Computer Information Systems programs were on hand to discuss program and job opportunities. Representatives from Madonna and Ferris State universities were also available to discuss transfer opportunities.













Multi-Campus District





Detroit Area Agency on Aging Grandparents Conference

The Northwest Campus hosted the Detroit Area Agency on Aging Grandparent's Annual Conference. The conference presented a forum on issues related to raising grandchildren.

Classic Car Show

The Northwest Campus presented a classic car show. Participants were exposed to the culture of the classic automobile industry.





Mary Mahoney Professional Nurses

The Northwest Campus hosted the Mary Mahoney Professional Nurses workshop. The workshop was designed to educate participants about the mission of the organization, career development, financial aid and scholarships to students of African heritage who pursue studies leading to careers in professional nursing.



Multi-Campus District



Dual Enrollment

Dr. Ron Harkness and Todd Biederwolf, Superintendent of Harper Woods Public Schools conducted an orientation for new and returning dual enrollment students at the Mary Ellen Stempfle Univeristy Center.

Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center Center for Learning Technology

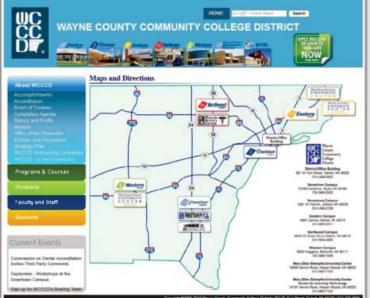
Dr. Sandra Robinson, Dr. Harvey Dorrah and Orlando Wilkins met with Mark Lang to discuss the proposed expansion of business related workshops offered by the Entrepreneurial Institute for community members in Harper Woods and Grosse Pointe using the videoconferencing and video/audio production capabilities of the Center for Learning Technology.

Dr. Harvey Dorrah, Dr. Patrick McNally, Kiran Sekhri. Dr. George Swan and Denise Mallett met with representatives from Blackboard at the MESUC-CLT o review and discuss uses and strategies for Blackboard community, collaborative and analytics.





The Website Committee continues to dedicate its efforts to improving our website by updating content, current postings and revisiting page designs.

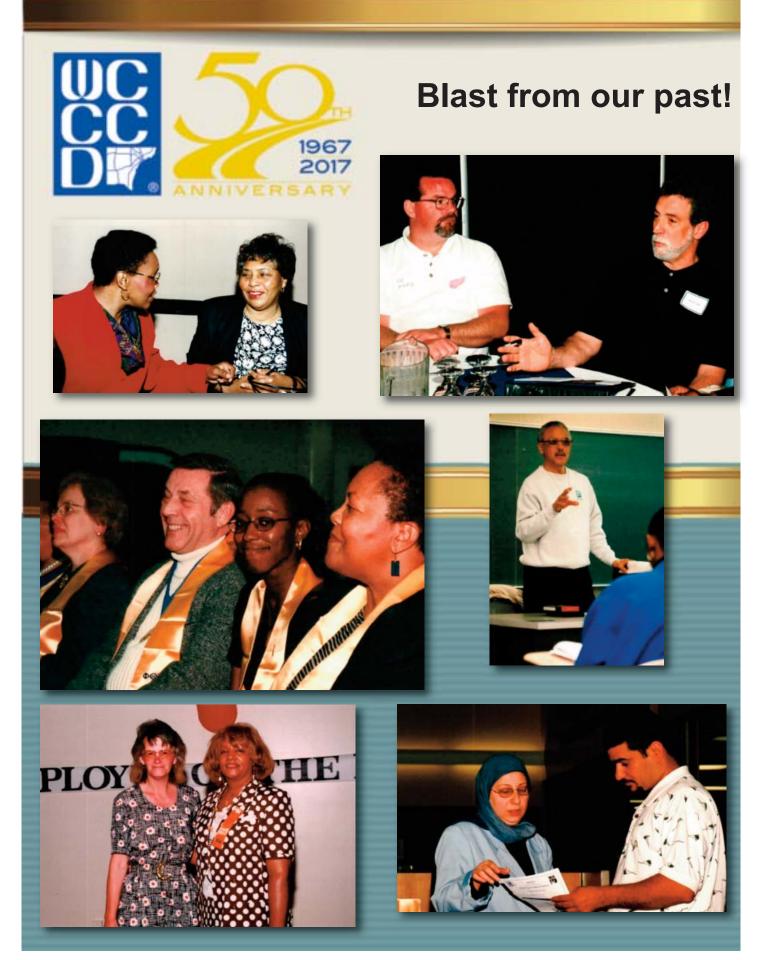


Communication Matrix



As part of the Information Technology Transformation Plan upgrade of District telephone systems, the Communication Matrix Taskforce continually meets to better understand the needs of our students, faculty, staff and external community and consider best practices at other institutions of higher education to enhance professional phone etiquette District-wide, call transfer and working with the new VoIP technology to better service the needs of our callers.





Chancellor's Weekend Memo



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Mission

WCCCD's mission is to empower individuals, businesses and communities to achieve their goals through excellent and accessible services, culturally diverse experiences and globally competitive higher education and career advancement programs.

Vision Statement

Wayne County Community College District will be recognized as an institution that has achieved national and international recognition for enduring excellence as a comprehensive multi-campus community college district. WCCCD will focus on continuous selfevaluation and improvement; preparation of a highly skilled workforce in support of the Wayne County economy; student academic and career success, and leadership in strengthening the open door philosophy of educational opportunity.

