

Welding Career Program Students Receive Scholarships

Students in the welding career programs received Weissenberg Scholarship awards presented by Roberta Urbani.



"Thanks for arranging this week's event with the scholarship recipients. It was a very nice experience to meet in person the recipients of my aunt's generosity, and to hear how it will impact their lives."

Best regards, Roberta





Congratulations Summer Water Research Project Winners!



Pictured from left to right: Dominique Colvard, Dr. Barbara Radecki, and Sherta Czajka.



WCCCD students Sherita Czajka and Dominique Colvard participated in the end of summer symposium poster presentation at Wayne State University. Please join us in congratulating these two young scientists and the faculty that worked and encouraged them to compete outside our institution... and win! They were awarded second and third place.

WCCCD's Summer Water Research Program aimed to provide participating students early exposure to research training, promote an early appreciation of STEM and significantly increase the matriculation of underrepresented and economically disadvantaged minorities from community colleges to four-year universities.







Division of Educational Affairs

Promoting Our Career Programs

WCCCD Career Programs Initiative is in week 10 of our 12 Weeks of Summer Career Focus Programs recruitment campaign. Each week, two career programs are promoted throughout the District. The programs that are being promoted this week include fashion design and business administration. There are three additional areas of interest accounting, entrepreneurship and global supply chain management.



Learning Resource Center Partnerships

WCCCD partners with local public libraries such as Taylor Community, Detroit, Redford Township District, Belleville, Wayne-Westland, Library, Harper Woods and Grosse Pointe to provide additional access to services for our students and support community education programs.





Brown and Juanita C. Ford Art Gallery Downriver Campus

Digital Photography Capstone Class Exhibit Featuring Student Photography











District Command Center

As of July 28, 2017, the District Command Center has made **10,799** calls to encourage and motivate students to register for Fall 2017!









Division of Student Services



Financial Aid Training



The Financial Aid Department collaborated with Ellucian consultant, Mary Cochran to improve the Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) functions in Banner. Students and staff will be delighted to see the improvements in WebGate and Banner.



Women's Leadership Series

WCCCD, in conjunction with Direct Recovery Project hosted a Women's Leadership workshop, featuring a day of energetic speakers, breakout sessions, vendors, and networking opportunities. Dr. Rachiel McGuire provided attendees with information about the WCCCD's certificate and degree programs.



Division of Student Services



Outreach and Recruitment





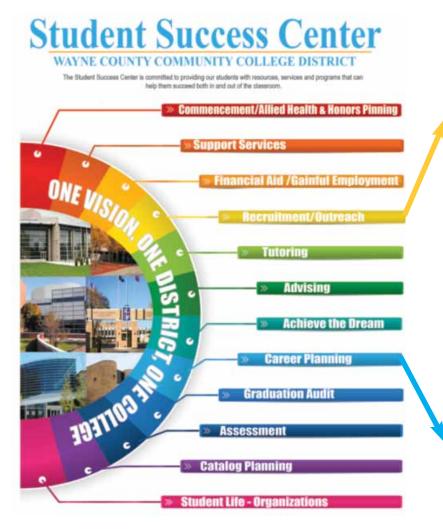
The Student Services Outreach Team promoted career programs and academic course offering at the Arab and Chaldean Festival.



Student Services staff participated in the sixth annual Melvindale Street Fair. The fair included local food and vendors, crafters/businesses, and entertainment. Attendees received information about our premier career programs as well as our Fall 2017 registration information.



Division of Student Services





The Division of Student Services is working with the Considine Center to expose the community to new and exciting educational opportunities. The Division offers support services including academic advising, career planning and placement services and special programs.



Orlando Wilkins, Terrance Campbell, Brian Singleton, and Will Sampson met with the CEO and staff of the Chandler Park Academy to provide information on WCCCD's Cybersecurity Program.

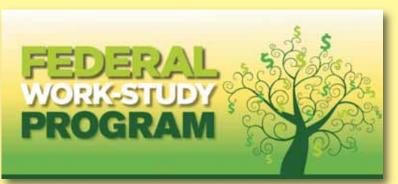
The Student Success Center is a comprehensive one-stop-shop for academic support services on campus. All of our programs and initiatives are free to WCCCD students.



Outreach with International Students

Rosita Thompson met with potential students to assist them with getting the enrollment process started. Alex and his brother Winston were introduced to Oluwatosin Balogun in the International Programs Office and now they are on their way to completing the first steps to becoming students at WCCCD.





The Federal Work Study (FWS) Program kicked off its orientations this week at all campuses in preparation for Fall 2017. These orientations allow students the opportunity to receive information and complete the necessary paperwork. Staff from the Financial Aid Department also shared information regarding the financial aid process.















Downtown Campus Hosts Summer Intern Workshop

The summer interns attended a workshop on money management by Gail Perry-Mason at the Downtown Campus. Furquan Ahmed also provided words of encouragement and advice.







Division of Administration and Finance



News from the Bursar's Office

The Bursar's Office is in the process of sending statements to our students for Summer 2017. Notifications will be delivered to students' WCCCD issued e-mail accounts.





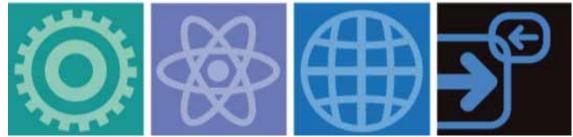
District Police Authority



Members of the District Police Authority participated in F.A.T.S. (Firearms Training Simulator) with the Wayne County Sheriff's Department. FATS allows officers to enhance their decision-making process through realistic scenarios.







School of Continuing Education and Workforce Development

Adult Education Expansion of Opportunities



Rennard Martin represented the District at the Michigan Department of Corrections Wayne County Residential Alternative to Prison (WRAP) Stakeholders Meeting. The WRAP Program is a detention program that houses probationers who are required to participate and satisfactorily complete reentry programming prior to release.

Cybersecurity Program Opportunities

The Trade Adjustment Assistance Community College and Career Training (TAACCCT) team met with representatives from the Clinical Manager-General Behavioral Health of the Children's Center to discuss the importance of cybersecurity training for students, parents and workforce employees.



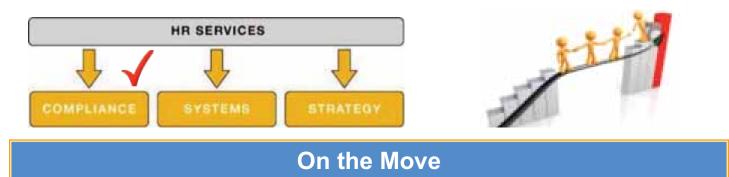


CHARMED: Etiquette for Young Girls at the Considine Center





Division of Human Resources



Human Resource Staff Visit the Ted Scott Campus

As part of our HR Campus Visit Initiative, staff set up an information desk at the Ted Scott Campus to address general questions that faculty and staff may have related to the following:

- Benefits
- Compensation
- Policy
- Procedural
- Retirement and Employee Recognition
- Web-Time





Retirement Celebration



Division of Human Resources Retirement Celebration August 9, 2017 12:00 Noon Downtown Campus





Office of Accountability and Transparency

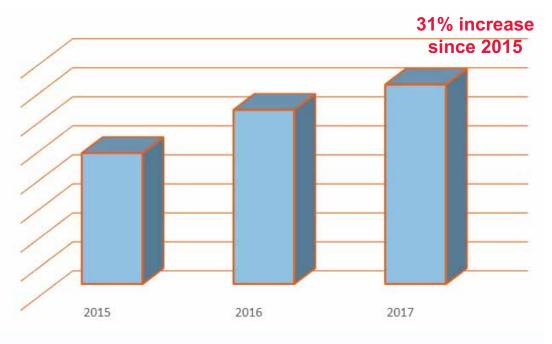
Continuous Quality Improvement

Instructional Supply Fall 2017 Reconciliation

The Office of Accountability and Transparency is reconciling campus instructional supplies for Fall 2017. Currently, requisitions have been processed and are being inventoried, tagged and delivered to the campuses.

Fall 2015 – 2017 Instructional Supply Comparison





Wayne County Community College District is dedicated to improving lives by enhancing its educational and community programs through continuous improvement initiatives, accountability and best practices.





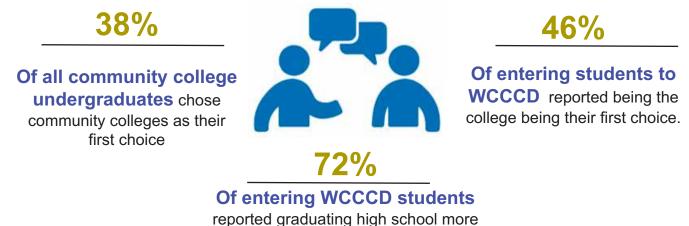
Division of Institutional Effectiveness

What's Trending in IE: Today's Incoming Students

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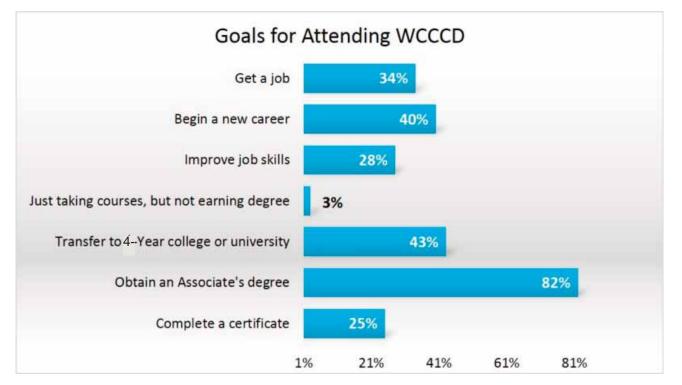
The Division of Institutional Effectiveness conducts national research to support the District with decision making. It is critical to understand why students choose WCCCD as well as their goals for attending college.

> Approximately 38% of undergraduates attend community colleges (public and private).



than 4 years ago.

In Spring 2017, the Division of Institutional Effectiveness conducted its New Entering Student survey to gather information on their first experiences with WCCCD and reasons why they are attending community college. Student's were asked "what are your goals for attending WCCCD in the areas listed in the chart below." Below you will find sample data from this survey:



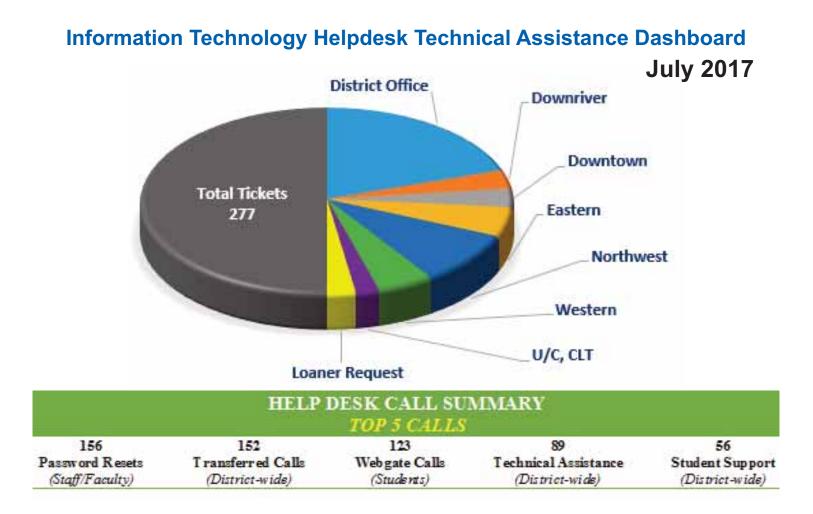
Source: Community College Research Center. Retrieved from http://ccrc.tc.columbia.edu/Community-College-FAQs.html





Virtual Desktop Infrastructure Project (VDI)

The Division of Information Technology (IT) VDI team met with representatives from DELL to discuss hardware solutions to support expanding the VDI equipment across the District. This upcoming hardware acquisition, coupled with software from VMware, will provide the means to deliver added performance to WCCCD's virtualization initiative.







Health Science Center

Nursing Students Course Selection

The Nursing Department conducted second, third and fourth semester course selection for current nursing students.









Mock Registered Dental Assistant Exam

Sonya Taylor and Svetlana Leprich proctored a mock RDA (Registered Dental Assisting) Exam for the dental assistant students.







Summer Camps

The Health Science Center at the Northwest Campus hosted the Future Healthcare Super Heroes Summer Camp. Students learned the basics of patient care that apply to any healthcare profession.









Division of Administration and Finance

* Deferred/Preventative Maintenance



Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center Handrail Replacement Project





Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center Parking Lot Sealcoating Project



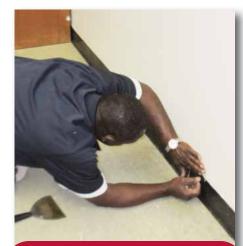




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Downriver Campus Drywall Repairs



Downriver Campus Lighting Repairs



Northwest Campus Flag Pole Installation



Northwest Campus Equipment Inspection and Repairs





Northwest Campus Marquee Repairs







Charge Your Devices on Trusted Computers!

A USB cord can be used to transfer data as well as charge a device. Whenever you connect a device to a computer, both the device and the computer may be compromised. If you have a device that charges through USB, only connect it to trusted computers. Connecting such a device to a public computer could represent a security risk. Experts suggest purchasing an adapter to charge your device directly in an electrical outlet.

https://inspiredelearning.com/resource/security-awareness-tip-day/



The Website Committee met this week to discuss website update requests and current projects.



The WCCCD website had **382,730**

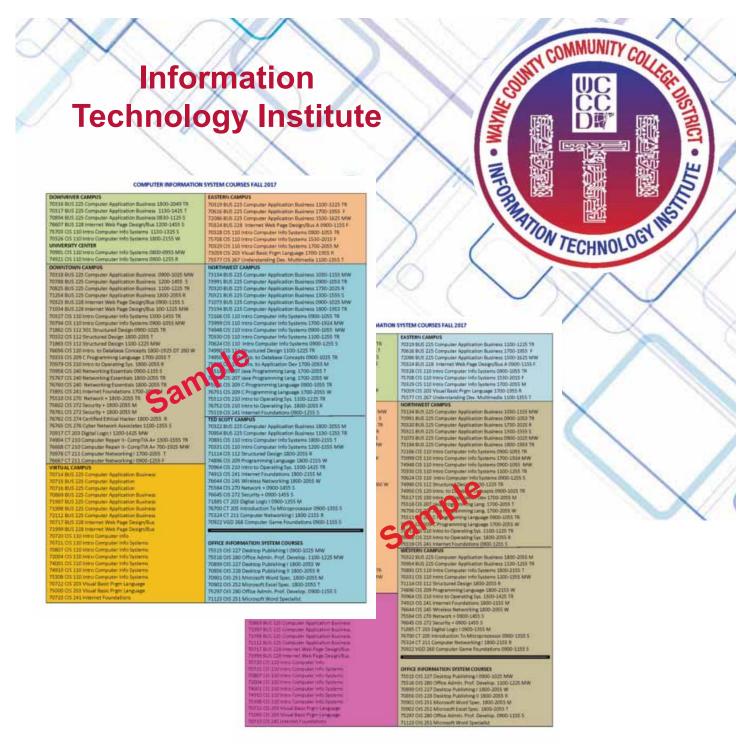
page views for July 2017!

Top Ten Most Viewed Pages

Homepage Academic Programs Distance Learning Faculty and Staff Resources Academic Schedules School of Continuing Education Northwest Campus Downriver Campus Student Services Financial Aid







Fall 2017 Information Technology Offerings

The Information Technology Institute is committed to the District's mission in providing access and opportunity to high income careers. According to the U.S. Department of Labor, employment in Information Technology (IT) occupations is projected to grow exponentially from 2014-2024, adding 488,500 new jobs. WCCCD offers degrees in Computer Information Systems, Cyberaecurity, and Office Information Systems. Students can earn a certificate to become an Application Developer, Computer Support Specialist, Database Administrator, Network Administrator, Website Developer, and Video Game Designer. The sample IT classes listed above demonstrate the District's commitment for Fall 2017.



Michigan Institute for Public Safety Education



Boy Scout of America

The Michigan Institute for Public Safety Education (MIPSE) hosted the annual Explorers Program of the United States Border Patrol, for the Boys Scouts of America/Learning for Life Program.





Rapid Response Training Course

MIPSE also hosted Rapid Response's Emergency Vehicle Operator's Course. This training was developed by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration to reduce the number of emergency vehicle crashes.

Wayne County Sheriff's Special Response Team







MULTI-CAMPUS DISTRICT

Downriver Campus



Taylor Public Schools In-Service

The Downriver Campus hosted Taylor Public Schools In-Service. This in-service is used to enhance work performance and motivation of teachers in their field.



The Downriver Campus hosted several organizations:

- Detroit Wayne Mental Health Authority held a Behavior Technician Learning Series: Supervising Behavior Technicians workshop.
- Southeast Michigan Community Alliance held their Youth Programs Best Practices meeting to ensure that their youth programs are producing a workforce with the required skills to maintain and exchange the Michigan economy.
- Care Services held their Supportive Education Program. This program supports consumers from various mental health agencies to experience a college level course at a college location.
- Beaumont Hospital held their Diabetes Prevention Program information meeting. Participants learned about portion control, weight management as well as staying motivated.
- EcoWorks held their Energy Saving Program. EcoWorks provides energy smart workshops for local residents receiving energy assistance for their utility bills.





MULTI-CAMPUS DISTRICT

Downtown Campus

League of Women Voters

The League of Women Voters Organization held a "Meet and Greet" for the City Council District candidates at the Downtown Campus. Participants listened to the candidate's viewpoints and learned about their positions on issues within the city of Detroit.





Young Men for Advocacy

The Downtown Campus hosted the Young Men for Education Advocacy Group. These young men are choosing to make a difference in shaping their future through education. Discussion topics included educational, career and personal goals and how to succeed in completing these goals.







MULTI-CAMPUS DISTRICT

Eastern Campus

Male Mentoring

The Young Men for Education Advocacy Group meets with young men to discuss topics related to school and life every other Tuesday at the Eastern Campus. The meetings are conducted by male staff members who assume the role of mentors, and are a campus resource to provide guidance to those in need.



Northwest Campus

Optimist Club

The Optimist Club participated in an annual workshop at the Northwest Campus.





Detroit Water and Sewerage Workshop

The Northwest Campus hosted a workshop for the Detroit Water and Sewerage Department. The workshop focused on increasing residents' understanding and awareness of the Drainage Charge and Credit Application.





Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center



Community Outreach

Michael Poole and Kemal Kurtovic met with Dr. Terry Thomas, Pastor, Christian Fellowship of Love Baptist Church to discuss plans for an upcoming Fall Leadership Conference to be held at the Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center-Center for Learning Technology.

Lawn Academy

The Lawn Academy Program is designed to provide leadership training and mentoring to youth ages 11 to 17 through community service and academic leadership training modules.









Ted Scott Campus

Community Partnerships for Seniors

The Ted Scott Campus, in partnership with the Westland Friendship Center and the WCCCD School of Continuing Education hosted a special workshop to educate senior citizens on ways to protect their identities and their information while online and the many threats that are on the internet and wireless networks.





Economic Development

Mike Dotson and Dr. Frank Dunbar met with Ron Akers, Economic Development Director for Van Buren Township to promote career program opportunities at WCCCD. They also discussed possible business and industry partnerships.



Van Buren Soccer Association

Mike Dotson and Gwen Shannon met with representatives from the Van Buren Soccer Association to discuss plans for upcoming workshops and field usage for the Fall.



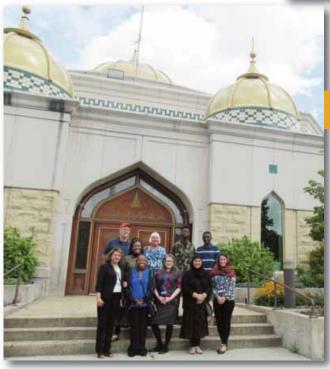


Intercultural Conversations



This week's conversation focused on the interreligious dialogue linked to the Interfaith Reflections visit to Islamic Center of America. Jeanne Guyor, President of the Monroe Historical Society shared her personal story tied to the early French settlers in Monroe. We also discussed the American Disabilities Act signed in 1990 as well as healthcare, medical insurance coverage, and Medicare.





Interfaith Reflections

Site visit to the Islamic Center of America in Dearborn, Michigan







Gwen Shannon and Mike Dotson





As part of the new Horticultual Education Program, Jackie Grow did a best practice visit to the Edsel and Eleanor Ford Botanical Gardens.



Kimett Hackworth represented the District at the annual Music on the Plaza concert sponsored by the Grosse Pointe Village Downtown Development Authority.

Scholarship Committee

The Scholarship Committee met to discuss additional scholarship opportunities.



Professional Development



The Division of Educational Affairs hosted the Webgate for Faculty professional development workshop. Various workshops will be scheduled throughout the year District-wide.



Sandra Uduma attended the 20th annual Blackboard World Conference.



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.

