

Students Return from Beijing, China as part of WCCCD's Study Abroad Program!





Board of Trustees Meeting

May 23, 2018





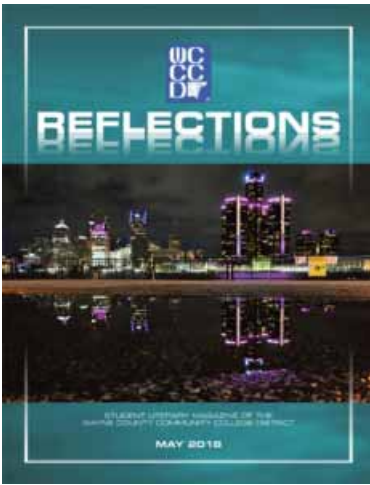
11th Annual Chancellor's Reading Carnival

Downtown Campus



11th Annual Chancellor's Reading Carnival





REFLECTIONS

The inaugural issue of Reflections, WCCCD's student literary magazine is now available on the college's website. This literary publication features the work of our students in a variety of subjects including poems, photography and academic essays. We are very proud of the students who contributed to this magazine and excited to share their talents with you.

You can view the publication by using this URL:
http://www.wcccd.edu/news/pdfs/Reflections_Literary_Mag_WEB.pdf.





School of Continuing Education & Workforce Development

Wayne County Community College District

Interior Design 360 Downtown Campus

Participants were given information on the basic principles of interior design in the home or work place. Topics included evaluation techniques, transformation, making design changes on a budget, fundamentals of color, texture, fabric, style, and staging.



WILDCAT DAYS

Downtown and Eastern Campuses

More than 500 high school seniors were in attendance!





Chandler Park Academy

Dr. Sandra Robinson, Orlando Wilkins, and Denis Karic met with staff from Chandler Park Academy High School to discuss additional WCCCD program offerings and Summer 2018 dual enrollment opportunities.

Lincoln Park Community Schools Dual Enrollment Workshop



Woodhaven/Brownstown Dual Enrollment Workshop

Taylor Public Schools Dual Enrollment Workshop





Recruitment and Outreach



Seniors at Detroit School of Arts were excited to make their intentions known that they will attend WCCCD during the school's 2018 Signing Day.

Dawud Muhammad represented the District at the 23rd Safe and Sober Youth Rally sponsored by The Partnership for a Drug Free Detroit and Mack Alive.



The Chancellor's Leadership Institute welcomed East English Village Preparatory Academy students for a tour of the Northwest Campus.



Staff met with students at Tri-County and Martin Luther King High Schools regarding recruitment.



Student Activities

Michigan College and University Partnership with Michigan Technological University

WCCCD intern students are engaged in a research course on the campus of Michigan Technological University. They are learning how to conduct thorough and in-depth research.



Division of Student Services



WCCCD TRIO alumna Carolyn Hall, recently earned a Bachelor's Degree in English from Wayne State University.



Online accessibility and guidance is key to the success of our students in the GED program located at the Little Rock Urban Institute.

Staff in the District Student Success Center participated in an interactive computer-based FERPA training course in order to better serve our students.



Achieve the Dream

Brian Singleton continues to meet on our Achieving the Dream (ATD) initiative with Dr. Christine Johnson McPhail and Kriesta Watson in planning for the Urban Summit scheduled for June 29, 2018.



49th Commencement Ceremony Planning

Mr. Singleton and Dr. Tammy Anderson met with this year's class representative, Michelle Hooker to congratulate her and review graduation protocols.





Division of Educational Affairs

Faculty: Advancing Student Success and Completion

A team of faculty and academic associates participated in the MiTransfer Pathways Summit to:

- * Understand and examine challenges associated with course transfer;
- * Identify and recommend first and second-year courses for academic pathways and;
- * Review major-specific needs related to mathematics.



Cengage Meeting

Publishing representatives from Cengage provided a presentation on new books, software, and technology at the Downtown Campus.



Staff from the Information Technology Institute visited new CIS students to share resources and information to help students complete their programs in an efficient manner.



Division of Educational Affairs

Distance Learning: Teaching and Learning

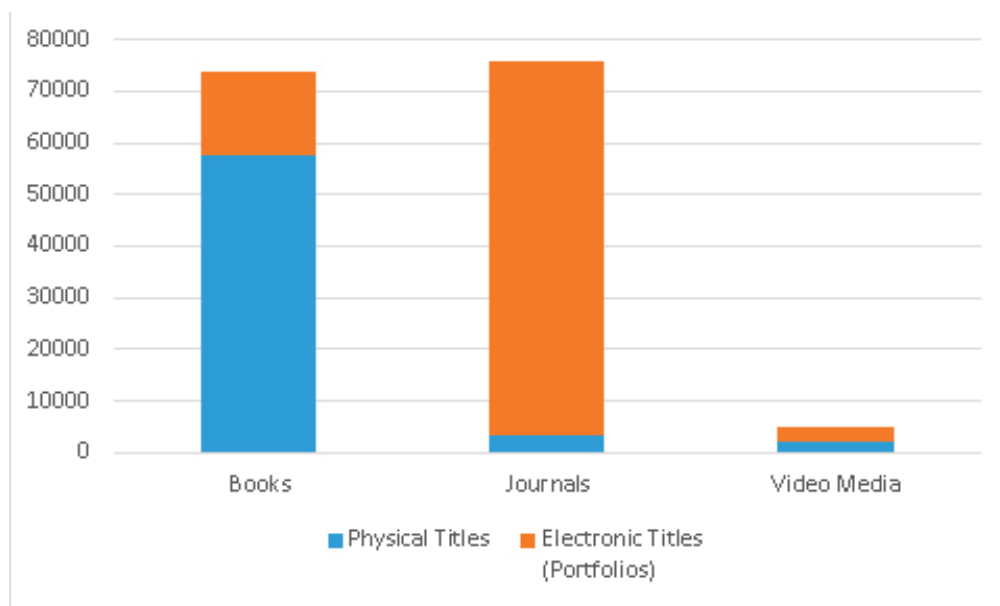
In an effort to optimize the online experience at WCCCD, the Distance Learning staff met with members of Blackboard regarding features within the Learning Management System. These features are aligned with the District initiatives regarding student success.



Learning Resource Centers

Building stronger virtual library resources for anytime, anywhere access. More than 175 e-books have been added to support the CIS, ANE, and FAD programs. More than 3,200 portfolios in our films On-Demand electronic collection in the library catalog.

District-wide LRC Collections





Division of Educational Affairs

FEATURING STUDENTS IN OUR DENTAL ASSISTING PROGRAM!



Our NCLEX pass rates are above the national average...

We are at 89%!

HEALTH SCIENCE CENTER



Preparing for Accreditation

Dr. Vivian Yates met with nursing faculty to discuss and strategize preparation for accreditation of the Nursing Program by ACEN. Dr. Yates is the Dean of Nursing at Cuyahoga Community College in Cleveland, Ohio.

Pharmacy Technology

Pai Her conducted a site visit to Beaumont Wayne Hospital. Pictured is Pharmacy Technology student Inez Hodge with her preceptor Ryan Alexia.



Student Success

Fall 2016 Nursing Program graduate Christopher Thomas, stopped in to donate some gently used scrubs. Mr. Thomas is currently working at St. John Hospital in the Emergency Room.





Community Colleges for International Development

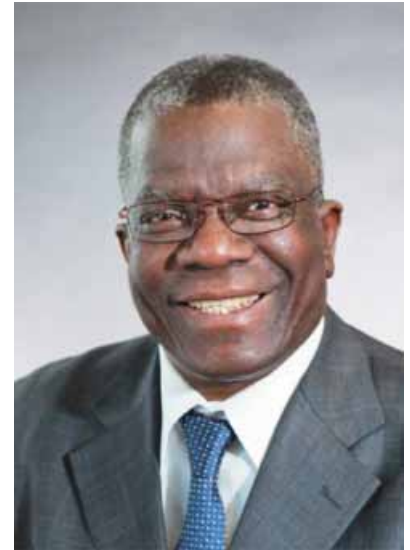
Local Access • Global Opportunities

Congratulations!

“Hi David,

I am delighted to inform you that you were chosen to serve on the SIO Council. I will be sending another email with all the information for the July summer meeting, please let me know if you have any questions regarding the meeting or anything else. I look forward to meeting you in July and working with you in the future.

All the best,
Carina Caldwell, Interim Executive Director
Community Colleges for International Development



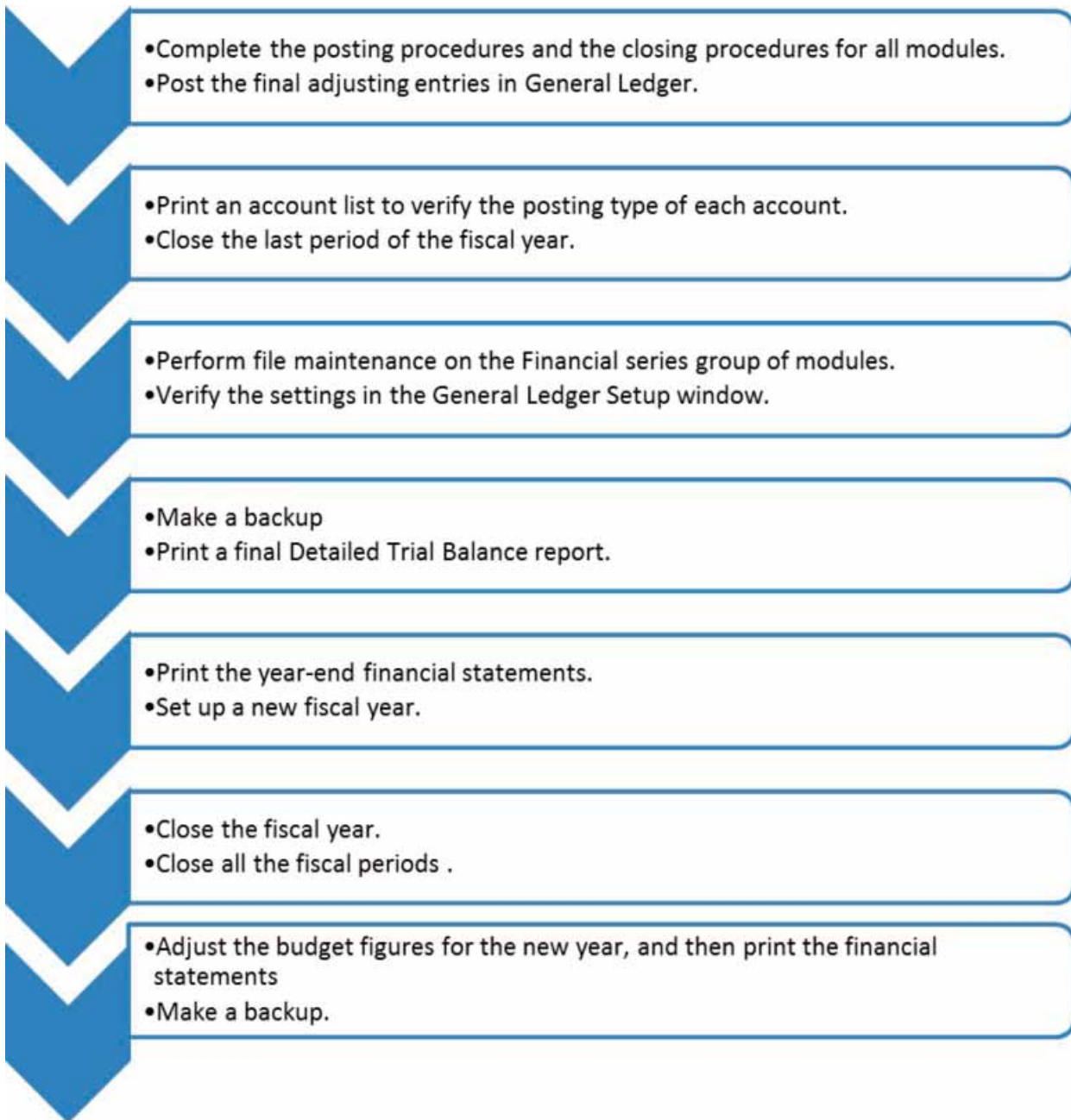
Staff from the Design Center facilitated a meeting with the Ted Scott Campus and Continuing Education (CE) teams to redesign the standard operating procedure for CE events.



Division of Administration and Finance

Fiscal Year-End Close Process

The General Accounting Department is conducting its fiscal year-end close process. The department is meeting frequently in order to close out fiscal year 2018. Below are the closing steps to direct their tasks:

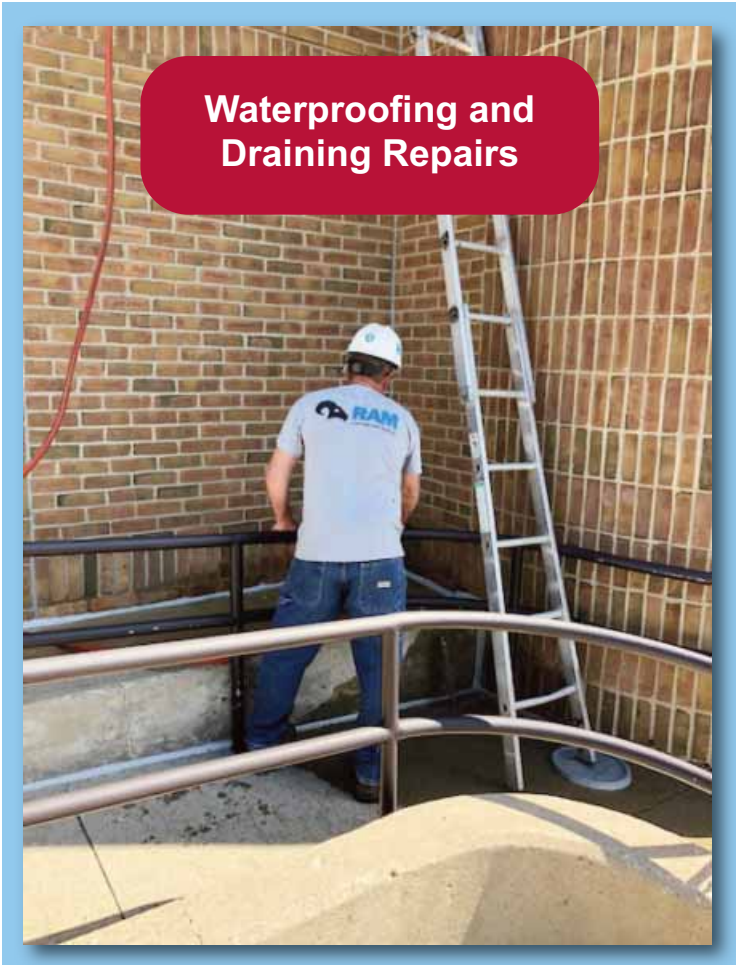


Administration and Finance Deferred Maintenance

Mary Ellen Stempfle
University Center



Carpet Installation



Waterproofing and
Draining Repairs





Weekly Update

Happening Now...

VoIP Project Updates

Call Handling Procedures Review

The VoIP team met with staff from the Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center and Center for Learning Technology to review call handling procedures.

Review procedure includes:

1. Review procedures for handling incoming calls on main lines and closed greetings
2. Review voicemail management procedures

Call handling updates will include implementing VistaPoint call center software and Cisco Personal Communications web based voicemail management software.



Data Closet Re-engineering Project: Status Update

The team met to finalize the data closet re-engineering for the main network closet at the Downriver and Northwest campuses. The project includes:

- Physical space modification
- New rack and cooling units
- Wiring upgrade

Video Management System Project: Eastern Campus Update

- 43 interior cameras mounted
- 7 interior cameras remaining to be mounted
- 20 outdoor cameras remaining to be mounted

All remaining camera equipment and mounts were received this week and are being prepared for installation.



PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT



Staff from the International Programs Office participated in a webinar entitled "Communicating Across Cultures presented by Study In The USA."

Diversity and Inclusion



This weeks Intercultural Conversation session focused on the connection and convergence between the Jewish Festival Shuvout, the Feast of Weeks, and Pentecost. Cynthia Khan presented on her life in Pakistan and Saudi Arabia and her work with helping refugee women in Detroit. We also hosted an informational meeting with Frank Reed from the Indian Hills Community College in Iowa.

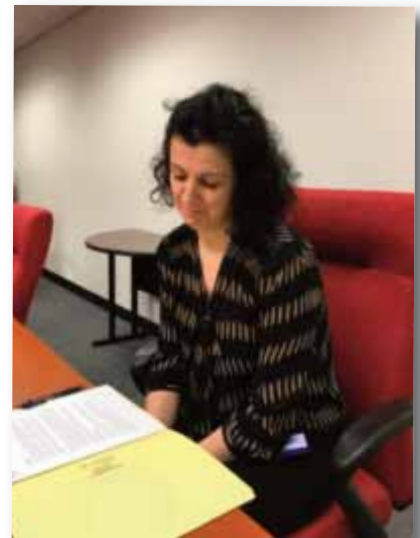




Office of Accountability and Transparency

Review of External Audit Findings

The Continuous Quality Improvement Audit Team met to discuss on-going audit reviews of community colleges and universities. Continuous improvement and best practice reviews continue to provide alignment of internal controls ensuring compliance of operational efficiencies, data metrics, and process and protocols.



Review of District Exterior Grounds



As summer approaches, the Facilities Department has prepared its crew for ground and lawn maintenance at each of the District locations.





Building Community Relations



Karen LaBelle attended the annual Romulus Chamber of Commerce Auction Night.



Staff attended an event hosted by the Campaign for the Black Male Achievement Group.

Michael Poole attended the Michigan Association of School Board Members Legislative Conference for Safer Schools.



Anthony Arminiak and Lina Warra attended the Michigan Department of Education, Michigan Early/Middle College Association Leadership Council meeting. WCCCD was part of the presentation by Lincoln Park Public Schools Middle College as their post-secondary partner.



Staff from the Downriver Campus attended the Southern Wayne County Regional Chamber's Legislative Forum. The Forum's guest speaker was Linda Lee Tarver, Director of Community Affairs and Election Integrity Liaison for the Office of Michigan.

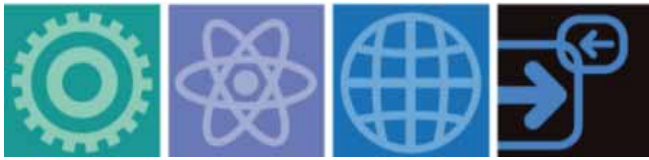


Kennedy High School Choir Concert

The Downriver Campus hosted the Taylor School District, Kennedy High School Choir Concert. Students shared their talent and experiences about various songs.

Taylor Dance featuring Ballet Americana





The School of Continuing Education



Community Outreach

Rodney Patrick gave a presentation on programs and course offerings through continuing education to more than 40 seniors from LaBelle Towers Senior Cooperative. The seniors were excited to get information on our Silver Circle classes, the Adult Education Program and the upcoming workshops and community programs.



Foster Parent Workshop

The Northwest Campus partnered with Families on the Move Detroit, Inc. and the Wayne County Department of Human Services to provide an opportunity for networking and to inform the community on a variety of issues of importance to foster parents.



Children's Mental Health Awareness Day

The Northwest Campus partnered with the Detroit Wayne Mental Health Authority to host Children's Mental Health Awareness Day.



Michigan MORT Team

The Michigan MORT team participated in a three day training exercise.

Fermi 2 Fire Brigade Training

The Michigan Institute for Public Safety Education (MIPSE) hosted operators of the Detroit Edison Fermi 2 Plant in Monroe County as they attended fire brigade training.



Horticulture Training Workshop

WCCCD and the Michigan State University Institute of Agricultural Technology hosted a Bubble Buckets for Herbs and Vegetables Horticultural training workshop.



Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center



Black Women Lawyers Association



Grosse Pointe League of Women Voters



Lawn Academy Orientation

The Lawn Academy held its third annual Summer Youth Orientation Program. This year's program plans to support more than 75 young men ages 14 to 24 years of age.

Downriver Campus



Southern Wayne County Regional Chamber

The Downriver Campus hosted SWCRC's Grow Your Business: The Power of Positive Perseverance workshop.



Wayne RESA Early Childhood Michigan Model for Health



Wayne RESA All Contractors Workshop



The Guidance Center Head Start Minds of Babies

The Downriver Campus hosted The Guidance Center Head Start's Minds of Babies workshop. This workshop assisted parents and teachers to respond rather than react to develop coping strategies to reduce stress levels.

Northwest Campus



Assisting our Seniors

The Northwest Campus hosted the West McNichols Business Association. The association held an informational seminar to increase awareness of services to senior citizens.

Downtown Campus



Staff Recognition

Congratulations to Downtown Campus staff members Kai Mason graduating with a Master's in Social Work in Mental Health Concentration from Madonna University and Mike Doryen with a Bachelor's in Business Administration from Roanoke College.

In the Mail...

"I just wanted to thank you for inviting us to your Career Recruitment Fair, it was a complete success for us! We interviewed four very strong candidates for our summer Visitor Services Internship. It was difficult choosing only one but we did decide and hire Jamie Ewing who is graduating from WCCCD this June. She started last weekend. We are so excited to have her on our summer Belle Ilse Aquarium team.

We hope to make this an annual opportunity and look forward to partnering with you in the future."

Thank you for your support,
Amy- Belle Isle Aquarium Team



Ted Scott Campus

Designing Your Garden

In partnership with local vendors and businesses, the Ted Scott Campus hosted a Garden and Landscape Workshop for community members.

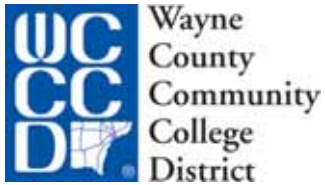


Homebuyers Workshop

In partnership with Strategies to Overcome Obstacles and Avoid Recidivism, the Ted Scott Campus hosted a Homebuyer's Workshop for new homeowners. Attendees learned about financing options, contracts, inspections, utilities, and homeowners insurance.



Chancellor's Weekend Memo



Wayne
County
Community
College
District

EDITOR: Julie Figlioli

CONTRIBUTING EDITORS

David C. Butty

Carolyn Carter

Aracely Hernandez

Tameka Mongo

Priscilla Rodgers

Rosita Thompson

Susan Wiley



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 self-evaluation 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.



MARY ELLEN STEMPLER
UNIVERSITY
CENTER



One Vision, One District, One College