

#### Board of Trustees Meeting September 12, 2018





#### **Community Update Luncheon**



#### **Community Partner Appreciation Luncheon**



#### **Downriver Campus**

The Downriver Campus hosted a luncheon to show our appreciation to our community partners. This was also an opportunity to network and provide information about the Heinz C. Prechter Educational and Performing Arts Center.











## "For a Better Life" Downriver Campus Style!











# WELCONEWEEK























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## Recruitment Continues!

This week the Dual Enrollment Team visited various high schools to recruit for Fall 2018. Students learned about careers, program offerings, admission and registration.







## Dual Enrollment Students at Taylor High School









#### **Student Activities**









#### **Constitution Day**

Staff from the Division of Student Services handed out the U.S. Constitution and answered questions during Welcome Week and the New Student Resource Fair.



#### Phi Theta Kappa

PTK students Chilton Brown, Diane Hines, James Folden, and Joseph Woods attended the PTK Leadership Conference.



#### **Student Executive Council**

The Student Executive Council is accepting applications. Students should submit their application to their Campus President's Office.











#### **Recruitment and Outreach**

WCCCD enjoyed Welcome Week at the Considine Center providing our GED students and staff with the U.S. Constitution and fascinating facts.



TRIO students participated in the Detroit Economic Club meeting which hosted presidents from the State's University Research Corridor.





#### **Student Services Function**

## Intrusive Advising: 5 Traits of Successful Proactive Advising Programs at WCCCD

The WCCCD advising core uses a myriad advising strategies to assist the diverse student body.

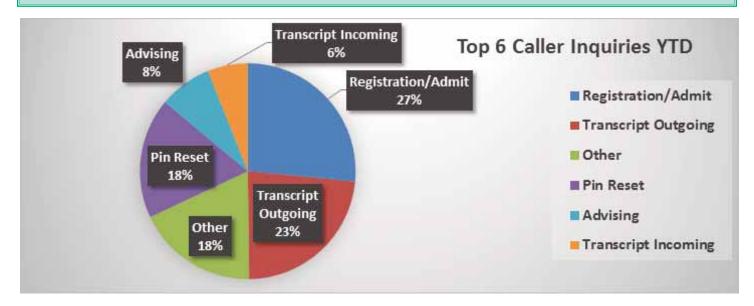
Intentional: A purposeful approach to help students plan, reflect, learn, and take action

**Proactive:** Using timely outreach and targeted interventions

**Relational:** Building relationships with the student built on trust and respect

**Holistic:** Meeting the students where they are and building a plan that will assist with growth and success

**Accessible:** Having access to advisors for drop-ins, appointments, and general assemblies Inclusive: Understanding that our student body is diverse and having support strategies that assists all students



During registration, the Division of Student Services manages various student inquiries on a daily basis. The chart above reflects the "Top 6 Student Inquiries" for 2018 year to date.



#### **Division of Educational Affairs**

#### **Faculty Innovations and Learning**

To demonstrate understanding and progression of learning in mathematics, 50th Faculty Innovations member, Professor Marija Karic (Mathematics), designed and instituted a "Mathematics Binder Checklist" system for use in her mathematics classes. Student outcomes evaluated -++-





#### **Early Childhood Education**

As a result of the first successful partnership in preparing Early Childhood Education: Childcare Development Associate (CDA) practitioners, the District is proud to partner once again with Wayne Metropolitan Community Action Agency for a short-term certificate for a new Fall 2018 cohort.



#### **Division of Educational Affairs**

#### **Learning Resource Centers**

## Public Library Partnerships

Staff from the Division of Educational Affairs met with the Director of Public Services with the Detroit Public Library (DPL) about community resources and strengthening relationships in the form of a formal partnership agreement.







Staff from the Learning Resource Centers are working with students to ensure access to all Districtwide resources.







#### **Division of Educational Affairs**

#### **Faculty Innovations and Learning**

Instructor Daphne Kasprzak (Medical Office Specialist) was excited about the many professional development opportunities provided by the District that led to her receiving an instructional tool in support of teaching and learning in the classroom.





#### **Adjunct Faculty**

Creating a positive and safe learning environment is one of the core values at WCCCD. Instructors and staff are committed to providing all of the instructional and academic related support students need to be successful. The Division of Educational Affairs supports the following useful tips suggested by the Eberly Center for Teaching Excellence and Educational Innovation, Carnegie Mellon University:

- **♦** Use of campus resources
- Maintaining communication with students
- Encouraging positive outcomes early

#### **Schedule Review**

Dr. Frank Dunbar and Keri Wallace met to review new Academic Course Schedule needs for the Spring 2019 semester for the dual enrollment/early college students and guest students.





#### **Professional Development for Faculty**

English faculty members attended the Connect training at the Downtown Campus. Participants learned how connect software will help engage students in the curriculum and track progress throughout the semester.





Students in Mr. Golida's Surgical Technology class practice before going into the operating room.

#### **Simulation Labs**

The NUR114 Obstetric Nursing students participated in a scenario that mimicked a real post-partum hemorrhage crisis that occurs in the labor and delivery room. The NUR216 Medical Surgical Nursing IV students participated in a simulation lab scenario that mimicked a complex neurological crisis.





#### **Health Science Center**



#### **Henry Ford Health System**

The Downriver Campus hosted Henry Ford Health System-Wyandotte Non-Abusive Physical and Psychological Intervention Program. This program was to train hospital employees in verbal and physical de-escalation.

## Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center Center for Learning Technology



### Blackboard: Retention Center Tool

The Retention Center is a tool in Blackboard that provides an easy way for faculty to discover which students in your course are at risk. Based on preconfigured rules and rules you create, students' engagement and participation are visually displayed, quickly alerting you to potential risk. From the Retention Center, you can communicate with struggling students and help them take immediate action for improvement. Additionally, you can use your course activity information to prioritize which areas of your course to attend to first.

#### **Division of Human Resources**





#### **Human Resources: Reviewing Employee Handbook**

An Employee Handbook is a valuable communication tool for both employers and employees. The Employee Handbook is a tool that can be found on the Human Resources webpage <a href="http://www.wccd.edu/dept/pdf/HR/employeehandbookwccd.pdf">http://www.wccd.edu/dept/pdf/HR/employeehandbookwccd.pdf</a>

As a part of ongoing self-audit, the Division of Human Resources is currently reviewing the handbook for the following:

- Time and leave policies
- Overtime policies
- FMLA policies
- Tuition Waiver and Reimbursement Policy
- Employment verification
- Background verification
- Performance evaluation
- New employment orientation



#### **Human Resources Employees Benefits Reconciliation**

As part of the Division of Human Resources continuous audit process, we are in the midst of reconciling the third quarter of 2018 for the following benefit accounts:

- Medical insurance of employees and their eligible dependents
- Life insurance and retirement account
- Dental insurance
- Flexible Spending Account (FSA)



#### Freedom Movement: Detroit's History in the American Underground Story

This program was in partnership with the Detroit Public Library. Attendees learned the stories of Detroit's involvement in the Underground Railroad movement.





#### Workforce Development

#### **Establishing Business Partnerships with Meijer**

Shawna Forbes, Dr. John Ray, and Pamela Parks met with members of the management team from Meijer stores for a tour of the Northwest Campus and to discuss the educational courses, services, and resources available at WCCCD, including the Retail Management Certificate Program. As a result, Meijer has expressed an interest in enrolling a cohort of their employees into WCCCD for training in the retail industry.









#### Workforce Development

#### **Construction Trades Training Program: Cohort II Start-up**

The School of Continuing Education and Workforce Development is excited to announce the start of its third Cohort for the Construction Trades Training Program. Participants will learn soft skills, CPR and first aid, OSHA 30 hazard safety, and interviewing tips as they prepare for employment in the construction industry.









## Michigan Institute for Public Safety Education



## Downriver Mutual Aid SWAT Basic SWAT Academy

The Michigan Institute for Public Safety Education (MIPSE) hosted the Downriver Mutual Aid SWAT MCOLES certified Basic SWAT School.





## Federal Emergency Management Agency

MIPSE presented Federal Emergency Management Agency's courses called the Independent Study 100 Introduction to Incident Command System, and Independent Study 700 National Incident Management System Awareness Training.

### Did you know?

WCCCD is a testing site of EMPCO for students applying for public safety positions.



#### **District Police Authority**

The District Police Authority successfully completed a Law Enforcement Information Network (LEIN) audit. The Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) Criminal Justice Information Security Policy

requires the Michigan State Police to audit all criminal justice agencies that have direct access to LEIN in order to ensure compliance with applicable statutes, regulations, and policies.







"Why did they put me on this team with all the first graders??

~Captain Buck



#### **Administration and Finance**

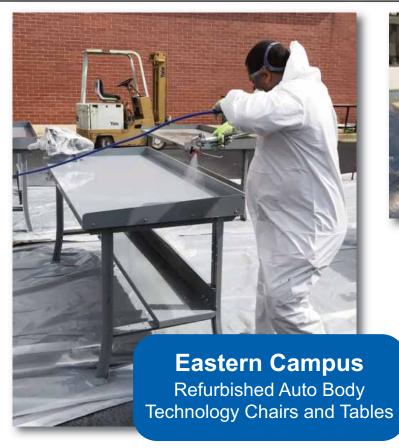
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Eastern Campus
Drain Repairs







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### Ted Scott Campus Site Improvements





## Ted Scott Campus Electrical Repairs









## Building Community Relations



Mike Dotson and Cecile Taylor attended the annual Van Buren Public Schools Education Foundation Dinner and fundraiser.

Dr. Abby Freeman and Candace Benson visited the Fort Street Presbyterian Church Open Door Ministry which has been serving people for 50 years! Every Thursday the church opens their doors to serve a meal to people who are homeless or cannot afford food.



Anthony Arminiak and Captain Livadic participated in the City of Taylor Fletcher Park.





As member of the Cobo Arts Steering Committee, Melodie Bunkley attended the formal unveiling of artist Dr. Hubert Massey's Fresco. This mural stands 30 feet high and is currently the largest of its kind in the United States.



### Intercultural Conversations



At this week's Intercultural Conversations we celebrated Labor Day recounting the history and looking at the many injustices that need to be addressed today.

WCCCD student Dejuante Buggs also gave a presentation on his summer study abroad trip to Taiwan at the National Cheng Chi University.





#### The Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center



## **Grosse Pointe Public Schools**Professional Development Workshop

The Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center hosted the Grosse Pointe Public Schools for a three-day professional development workshop. The workshop was designed to prepare special education teachers for the school year.

#### **Downtown Campus**

## Wayne County Retiree Benefits Workshop

Wayne County retirees were provided the opportunity to make informed decisions regarding the upcoming open enrollment period for 2019.



### Eastern Campus



#### **Partnership Opportunities**

Farooq Arif met with Elviria Cheeks from AARP to discuss academic and continuing education courses available to senior citizens.



**Eastern Campus Career Program Meeting** 



#### **Northwest Campus**

#### **Guided Pathways**

Staff at the Northwest Campus are working diligently with students in first level career courses to provide each of them with a Plan-of-Work of their chosen field.





#### **Estate Planning**

The Northwest Campus hosted West McNichol's Business Association. Community members gained knowledge on the role of legal guardians, wills, trusts, and Power of Attorney.





50th Anniversary
District-wide
Celebration
Meeting

#### **Downriver Campus**





#### **Wayne County Open Enrollment**

The Downriver Campus hosted a Wayne County Open Enrollment workshop. This workshop was for County employees to find out what benefits are available and information provided for enrollment during the open enrollment period.

#### **Ted Scott Campus**

#### **Partnership Opportunities**

Dr. Paige Niehaus and Sharnita Ford met with Marco Salomone, Director of Business Development for the Detroit Aerotropolis Development Corporation. They discussed upcoming partnership opportunities and provided a tour of the Ted Scott Campus.



## Chancellor's Weekend Memo





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#### **Mission**

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

#### **Vision Statement**

Wayne County Community College
District will be known as a premier
community college and innovator in the
areas of high quality academic and
career education, talent development in
support of regional economic growth,
diversity and inclusion, and technological
advancement.























