Sewing Training for Refugee and Immigrant Women

Wayne County Community College District's Fashion Design Program, in partnership with Cynthia Kahn, President of Refugee Nation, is training refugee and immigrant women in industrial sewing techniques at the Eastern Campus.







Chancellor's Community Luncheon

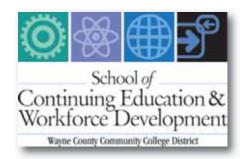


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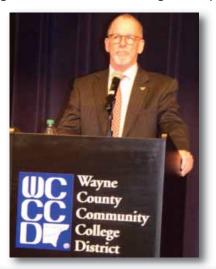




Virginia Tech: Dealing with Mass Casualty Threats



The District Police Authority presented a seminar titled "Virginia Tech: Dealing with Mass Casualty Threats." Nationally renowned Virginia Tech Police Chief Kevin Foust addressed emerging issues in managing casualties on a college campus.















critical onversations





New Podcast Available!

Our latest podcast featuring Carla Walker-Miller, President and CEO of Walker-Miller Energy Services LLC, is now available on the District's website. Tune in and listen to our host Ed Clemente, and Ms. Walker-Miller talk about the importance of energy efficiency and how this initiative positively impacts Michigan's economic future.

"For a Better Life" Northwest Campus Style!





































Welcoming Michigan

In partnership with the non-profit group Welcoming Michigan, the Ted Scott Campus hosted a conference providing information about immigration and the state of Michigan. Wayne County Executive Warren Evans welcomed the attendees followed by presenters from community groups and organizations.









Division of Student Services



Reimaging Student Services





Brian Singleton, Dr. Gunder Myran and Dr. Mecha Crockett met to discuss the student success agenda and began planning activities for reimaging student services and guided pathways.

Recruitment and Outreach



Staff from the Division of Student Services met with administrators from Harper Woods School District to discuss the opportunity to increase dual enrollment within their District.



Our students at Little Rock Urban Institute are geared up and ready for a better life!

Division of Student Services



Student Activities



Student Support and Engagement





TRIO students met and interacted with Dr. Lael Brainard, Federal Reserve Board Governor of the U.S. Federal Reserve System at the Detroit Economic Club luncheon.





- Phi Theta Kappa Orientation and scholarship application assistance is available at all six locations and began yesterday. Students should see an advisor at any campus. The Fall Scholarship Application deadline is November 15, 2018.
- Student Executive Council is accepting applications. Students should submit their application in the Campus Presidents Office.
- MiCUP District Student Services is holding a Meet and Greet for MiCUP on September 26, 2018 at the Northwest Campus.
- Drs. Curtis Greene and Samer Hanna are excited to announce the American Chemical Society is now a student organization at WCCCD and they encourage chemistry students to join.

Division of Student Services







Dual Enrollment Students from Ecorse Community and Lincoln Park High Schools





Mike Dotson and Keri Wallace met with Romulus High School Early College Coordinator, Dr. Jaime Nelson to discuss upcoming changes to the program. Schedule updates and orientation planning were discussed to welcome the new Spring 2019 cohort.



Division of Educational Affairs

Learning Resource Center



Ronghua Luo conducted a library orientation for dual enrollment students at Flat Rock High School.

Library Sign-Up Week

The Downtown Campus LRC registered 36 students for a new library card.



Distance Learning: Not a Traditional Classroom



Online learning presents new challenges beyond those of a traditional classroom because students must become more responsible for their learning. Faculty are infusing strategies to help students thrive in an online learning environment.



Division of Educational Affairs

Criminal Justice's Internship Program

Students enrolled in the Criminal Justice Program participated in an informational session regarding internships to be held at University of Michigan's Division of Public Safety. Participants were given hiring information packets and held on-site interviews at the Downtown Campus.









The Downriver Campus hosted the District's EMT Program Advisory Committee meeting

Division of Educational Affairs

Language Institute







Professional Development for Faculty

English faculty attended Connect training at the Downtown Campus. Participants learned how the software will help engage students in the curriculum.





ENG 113 Field Trip

Professor L. Marie Lumpkin's ENG 113 class attended the Seventh Annual Prostate Cancer Symposium.

Division of Human Resources





HR Compliance: Faculty Assignment Audit and Reconciliation

The Division of Human Resources is conducting a comprehensive Fall 2018 Faculty Assignment Audit. The team reviewed all assignments for qualifications, seniority, credentials, location, signatures, and approvals. This process is critical protocol towards assuring that we are transparent and compliant.



Federal College Work Study Program Reconciliation



The Division of Human Resources in confunction with the Payroll Department is currently reviewing and reconciling the federal workstudy student files. The information being reviewed includes the following:

- Verification of award
- Reconciliation of hours
- Time sheet audit





Happening now!! Smart Technology Upgrade Project Status Update

- Additional smart projectors will be installed in three classrooms at the Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center.
- · Power and data lines completed.

Look Ahead:

 A total of nine additional smart projectors will be installed at the Downtown and Ted Scott campuses.



Virtual Desktop Instructure (VDI) Team Meeting

The VDI team has weekly sessions where they collaborate, cross train, and discuss strategies to manage and maintain VDI end point devices, servers, and applications. Some topics discussed this week were: Windows 10 testing, new classroom additions at the Ted Scott Campus and Instant Clone deployment.



Happening now!! Service Desk Phone Feature Upgrade

The Division of Information Technology Service Desk has implemented new phone support features to improve the callers' experience when seeking technical phone support. The new features will provide tailored call routing to match the callers' concerns to the appropriate support services and will enhance accountability.



Division of Administration and Finance

Fiscal Operations Processes



The Division of Administration and Finance and the Financial Aid Department are working diligently to complete the annual Fiscal Operations Report and Application to Participate (FISAP) report. A meticulous process is to ensure compliance for the District's Title IV funding.

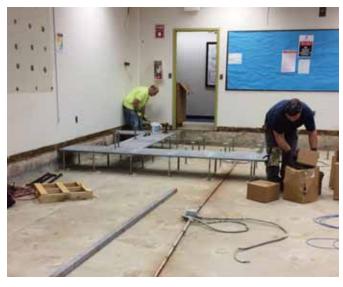
Administration and Finance

Deferred Maintenance





Downtown CampusCampus Electronics Classroom
Renovation Project









All About the Arts – STORM

The Heinz C. Prechter Educational and Performing Arts Center's "All About the Arts" series kicked off the fall mainstage season with STORM. With stories, songs, and rare film footage, Ric Mixter and Dan Hall thrilled the audience with amazing tales of the shipwrecks of the Great Lakes.













Keeping our Senior Community Active

The School of Continuing Education is pleased to announce its new partnership with McAuley Commons senior housing. DaShonta Simpkins met with the resident service director to discuss continuing education Silver Circle course offerings for their residents. A tour of the facilities was also provided.





The Family First Prevention Services Act

Great news for the Scholars Motivated to Advocate and Realize their Talent (SMART) Program! As of October 1, 2018, according to the Family First Prevention Services Act amended age requirements, we will be able to extend services to students beyond the age of 21. Students will be able to participate in the program until their 23rd birthday. This is a definite win for students and we are happy to serve them!





Michigan Institute for Public Safety Education

Partnership Opportunities

Staff from the Michigan Institute for Public Safety Education met with representatives from the Detroit Fire Department and Detroit Public Schools Community District to discuss a Tech Prep Agreement for their Fire Fighter Apprenticeship Program.









Michigan Institute for Public Safety Education



Eastern Michigan University Confined Space Training



Federal Bureau of Investigation Training



DTE Fire Brigade Training



Canadian Pacific Rail Company Flammable Liquids Training







At this week's Intercultural Conversation at the District Office we celebrated the United Nations Day of Democracy and launched National Hispanic Heritage Month.



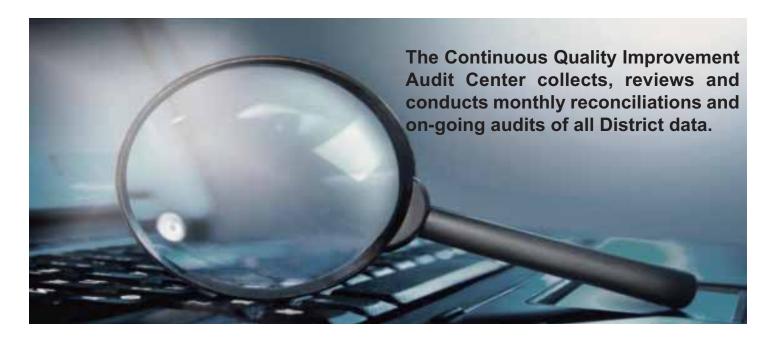
This month at the Downriver Campus, we celebrated the contributions made by the Hispanic community nation and its economic impact on the U.S. economy.



Office of Accountablity

and Transparency

Continuous Quality Improvement



CQI and Eastern Campus Staff Review Facility Needs

Matt Puwal provided Jeff Anderson and Aida Atic-Livadic a walk through of the Eastern Campus to review, document, and recommend facility needs and upgrades to further increase operational systems. Areas reviewed include:

- Career lecture and lab space
- Art Lab
- Cooper Community Room
- Learning Resource Center
- Administration and Student Services
- Classroom space
- Police Authority
- Main corridors floor and ceiling updates



Building Community Relations



Mark Carter and U.S. Senator Debbie Stabenow at the 60th Anniversary of the Spirit of Detroit.



Maali Luqman attended the Annual Civic and Humanitarian Awards Gala.



Tamara Ward and Stephanie Coffer attended the Michigan Innovators User Group Conference.



Ella Lynch and Jackie Grow attended Michigan Works Client Education Day. Trustee Sharon P. Scott and Anthony Arminiak attended the Westland Chamber Coffee Connections with guest speaker Dr. Shelly Holt, Superintendent of Wayne Westland Community Schools.





Marketing the 2019 American Council on Education Conference

Tynisha McGee pictured at the ACE 2018 Conference with Dr.Susan E. Borrego, Chancellor of University of Michigan-Flint.



The Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center

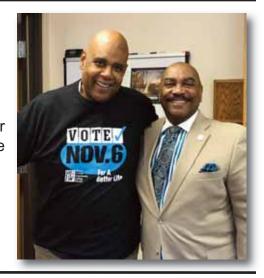


Community Outreach

The Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center-Center for Learning Technology hosted the first Harper Woods Corporate Advisory Board Meeting.

Community Updates

Mark Carter and Rev Marshall Murphy Jr., Pastor of Redeemer United Methodist Church in Harper Woods met to discuss the upcoming Senior Community Luncheon.





Community Support

The committee members for the Metro Detroit A. Phillip Randolph Institute met with Mark Carter, Denis Karic, and Kemal Kurtovic to discuss strategy initiatives for the registration, mobilization, and coordination for the Non-Partisan Get-Out-The Vote Education drives.

Downriver Campus



HFHS Wyandotte Hospital

The Downriver Campus hosted Henry Ford Health System-Wyandotte's Non-Abusive Physical and Psychological Intervention Program.

Southern Wayne County Regional Chamber

The Downriver Campus also hosted the Southern Wayne County Regional Chamber's Connections Networking Group workshop.





The Information Center

The Information Center held a vendor workshop. This workshop ensures that the people they serve receive the best possible care and attention.

Boy Scouts of America

The Boy Scouts of America Great Lakes Council Mahican District held their Commissioner Meeting.



Downtown Campus



Detroit Urban League

The Detroit Urban League held a meeting helping urban seniors enroll in the Urban Seniors Job Program. Participants were provided basic training to assist them with obtaining unsubsidized employment in the public and private sectors.





Carolyn Carter, Brian Singleton, Unbreen Amir, and Syed Hussain held a planning meeting to discuss "the 100 for \$100" Student Scholarship Initiative.



Eastern Campus

Breakfast with the Clergy

Clergy from the City of Detroit had an opportunity to come and meet with Councilman Andre` Spivey to hear highlights from 2018 and some of the goals for 2019.







Community Engagement

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated Alpha Rho Omega Chapter Connection Committee hosted a "Be the Voice" Voter Registration Drive.

Northwest Campus



Sisters Network

The Northwest Campus hosted the Sisters Network Greater Metropolitan Detroit Chapter for their annual Gift of Life Block Walk.



Pathways to Potential

The Northwest Campus hosted a meeting with representatives from Meijer to discuss a partnership for future opportunities for students who would like to pursue a career in retail management.



Housing Tax Credits

The Northwest Campus hosted West McNichol's Business Association. Participants were informed of tax credits available to provide affordable housing to low income citizens.

Solar Energy Assessment

The City of Detroit Housing and Revitalization Department held their annual meeting.





District-wide Conference Day

Staff met to plan District-wide Conference Day at the Northwest Campus.

Ted Scott Campus

Michigan State Master Gardeners

In partnership with the Michigan State Master Gardeners, the Ted Scott Campus hosted the annual Master Gardeners Conference. Attendees learned about the latest products and practices of gardeners around the country.









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 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.























