



### **Girls Rock IT!**

Wayne County Community College District's Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center-Center for Learning Technology partnered with the Girl Scouts of Southeastern Michigan, Michigan Council of Women in Technology, and Ford Motor Company to provide a day of interactive fun and learning on the computer.

















### Third Annual United Nations International Day of the Girl Child

**Downtown Campus** 

WCCCD, in partnership with Bell Global Justice Institute, presented The United Nations International Day of the Girl Child program. This year's theme was "Girl Force: Unscripted and Unstoppable."













### Wayne County Prosecutor Kym Worthy Town Hall Meeting Northwest Campus

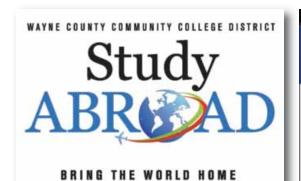












### Days left

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This week we met with the students participating in the study abroad trip to Singapore in November. This was the second orientation meeting in a series of four.

Today marks the start of our countdown!





















Breaking the Barriers on Breast Cancer Awareness

Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center















#### **Division of Student Services Functions - Registration**

#### **Guided Pathways**

The Office of Records and Admissions is gearing up for Spring 2020 and is working hard to make seeking education and training more convenient for students. To be admitted and register for classes, students are able to use one of the following methods:

- ♦ On-line registration through their Web-Gate.
- On-site at any one of the five conveniently located campuses.
- Mail-in their registration form after selecting their classes (or forms can be returned to the Office of Admissions and Records at any campus.)

Helping students clarify their path and sustain their identified path to college completion meets the criteria of *Pillars I and II of Guided Pathways*.



#### **Professional Development**



Ronele Johnson attended the CoHEsion Summit 2019 in St. Louis, Missouri. He was able to network with colleagues from other institutions and share valuable feedback from the conference with the staff.

#### **Information Sharing**



Staff met to discuss the communications calendar, student success calendar, and the registration process to insure timely and useful information is reaching our students.





#### **Professional Development**





WCCCD staff received training on how to navigate students' academic support through our partner SMARTHINKING. Students are empowered by easy access to free on-demand instruction and support from expert tutors across a wide variety of subjects with SMARTHINKING online tutoring. From beginner to advanced, 24/7 help is available in math, reading, writing, science, business, computers and technology, nursing, allied health, and career coaching.



WCCCD Lady Wildcats finished their season this past weekend at Oakland Community College. There were 124 runners from the Michigan and Ohio area representing Regional XII.

Go Wildcats!

#### **Wildcats Basketball Team**







#### **Dual Enrollment**





Students at Cody High School are eager to take advantage of our dual enrollment partnership.

#### Considine



The Student Services Team discussed the Student Assistance Program with GED students at Little Rock Urban Institute.



Cass Technical High School students preparing to research their first college project.





#### **Federal Workstudy Program**



Carolyn Carter and Nyemakochi Wori provided a workstudy student with information on work experience locations.



Carolyn Carter met with representatives from MAC Development, an after school program for middle school children. They have expressed interest in becoming an offsite workstudy location for our students.

#### **Veterans Support**



First time student Kyle Smith is active in The National Guard and pursing a degree in computer information systems.

#### **Student Success Center**





The District Student Success Center reached out to the Early Alert students offering student support resources for academic assistance.





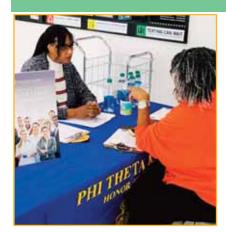
#### **Trio Students**



More than 95 prospective students completing applications for the TRIO-SSS program. These students were admitted during the 2018-2019 academic year.



#### Phi Theta Kappa



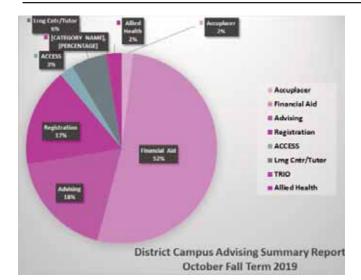
The Downtown Campus hosted an orientation for potential PTK students.



Camessa Karamo assisted PTK students with scholarship searches.



PTK applicant Justin Connoly is excited to get involved with PTK, attend workshops and volunteer.



Each week campuses review the data indicating the number of students who are assisted in their campus's Student Services Division. During the month of October 2019, 3,647 students were assisted District-wide.





#### **Career Planning and Placement**





Rennard Martin provides oversight for Student Services Career Planning and Placement District-

The Office of Career Planning and Placement serves both job seekers and employers. As a leader in career services, WCCCD's relationships with both employer and community organizations provides students with unique opportunities for employment. During the month of September, 285 job listings were posted to this website and an additional 298 jobs were added the first two weeks of October.

#### **Food Pantry Initiative**





Staff are assigned to various campuses weekly to ensure alignment and support. This week Shakeela Bhatti and Nadia Azzam worked with staff and students answering questions and providing information about the District's Food Pantry Initiative and addressing students questions regarding food insecurity challenges.

#### American Cancer Society "Making Strides Against Breast Cancer" Walk





















#### **Criminal Justice Students Experiential Learning**



WCCCD Criminal Justice Studies Fall 2019 student interns participated in a field-based learning experience in support of the 5th Annual "Running Domestic Violence Out of Town" 5k Purple Run. WCCCD students are pictured with U.S. Congresswoman Debbie Dingell.

#### **Transfer and General Education: Natural Science**



Natural science is a branch of science which examines the physical, observable world concerned with the description, prediction and understanding of the natural world based on empirical observation and experimentation. WCCCD Science students provide a mini career simulation on fields that use natural science observations.







Acknowledging our Adjunct Faculty

The Division was commended recently on sending personalized "thank you" cards to all instructional faculty currently teaching at the District for Fall 2019.



#### Valuing Our Faculty: In the Mail



Good Day Ms. Hines,

Thank you for your kind note of congratulatory encouragement. It enlightens me to see that my love of teaching is not unnoticed. Once again thank you.

Darnella Nettles-Collins Adjunct Faculty, Medical Billing Specialist

Hello Ms. Hines,

I just wanted to let you know I appreciate the note of thanks and the opportunity I have been given to work with our students. Hope to see you at the upcoming District-wide Conference Day!

Kind Regards, Brian Smiegel, Full Time Faculty, Business Studies

Dear Vice-Chancellor Hines,

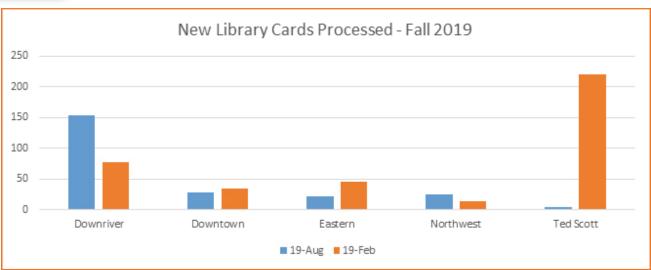
I am writing to thank you for the beautiful card and also to display my gratitude for your continuous support toward our ESL and Foreign Language programs. Hasta luego:)

Cordially, Nancy Vieira Sterniak, Ph.D. :) Full-Time Faculty, Languages





#### **Learning Resource Center**



From the beginning of Fall 2019, the LRCs District-wide have processed a total of 452 library card applications. Student identification cards become library cards, once an application has been processed. Library cards allow students to check out textbooks for in-library use, request interlibrary loan items, use computers and access to electronic resources remotely.



Students at the Ted Scott Campus learn how to determine the creditibility of websites during the a LRC faculty-led workshop.

#### **Faculty Resources**



#### **FACULTY RESOURCES**

SUPPORT TIPS

#### **Opportunities for Adjunct Faculty in the District**

- Faculty Convocation Day: (professional development workshops)
- District Conference Day: (engagement, professional development)
- Faculty Organization Day (professional development workshops)
- · Scholar's Corner: Website for Adjunct Faculty
- (instructional support, resources and professional development)
- Adjunct Faculty Spotlight Series: (recognition of instructional excellence and innovation)



#### **Spotlight on Faculty!**

Dr. Daphne W. Ntiri serves as an adjunct English Professor at WCCCD and is a Professor in the Department of African American Studies, Wayne State University. She is the recipient of several distinguished awards and fellowships, including Fulbright, Career Development Chair, IFESH, and Arthur Johnson awards.





#### **Anesthesia Technology Program**

Graduate of the Year!

Anesthesia Technology Graduate, Soha Al-Shauweyh was recently selected as the "Graduate of the Year" for 2019. Great job, Soha on everything you have achieved academically! We are very proud of you and the landscape you have set for other graduates that come after you!



### Pharmacy Technology Program

PharmD students Anisa Wooten and Faezeh Azizi came to speak with WCCCD's pharmacy technology students about a mentorship program that Wayne State University offers for pre-pharmacy students.



#### New Podcast Available!

Our latest podcast features Lou Fintor, Diplomat-in-Residence for Michigan, Indiana, Ohio and Kentucky, who shares his work experiences while abroad and provide tips for listeners who may be interested in pursuing a career in the foreign and civil service office with the U.S. Department of State.



To listen to any of the podcasts from the WCCCD Critical Conversations Podcast series, log onto the college's website at www.wcccd.edu and scroll down to select the "Podcast/Videos" button located on the homepage.





#### October is Cybersecurity Awareness Month

#### Think Before You Click!

The District monitors and block thousands of spam and malicious emails daily. However, phishing is constantly evolving to new forms and techniques which requires all of us to be vigilant.



Protect your identity and the District's computing environment by following this simple tip when you receive an email with a link or an attachment:

Do not click any links or attachments unless you are expecting it. Even the source looks familiar, please call the source to verify.

#### Website Redesign Taskforce





The Website Redesign Taskforce participated in demonstrations with various website Content Management Systems (CMS) providers. These interactive demonstrations provided the team with valuable information as they evaluate the features of each platform.





#### **Higher Learning Commission (HLC) Criterion**

In preparation for District-Wide Conference Day, Johnesa Hodge held a meeting with the WCCCD Higher Learning Commission (HLC) Steering Committee Co-Chairs of Criteria's 1-5. Each co-chair has met with their criterion teams to prepare for the panel discussion to summarize their team achievements.

Criterion 1: Mission

Criterion 2: Integrity: Ethical and Responsible Conduct Criterion 3:
Teaching and
Learning:
Quality,
Resources,
and Support

Criterion 4:
Teaching and
Learning:
Evaluation and
Improvement

Criterion 5:
Resources,
Planning, and
Institutional
Effectiveness







# DIVERSITY & NCLUSION



### Intercultural Conversations Northwest Campus



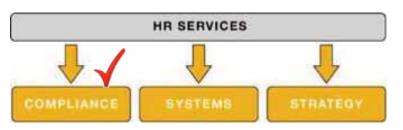


#### Intercultural Competency Workshops

Mary Ellen Stempfle
University Center
Eastern Campus



#### Division of Human Resources





#### HR: Employee Leave Balance Compliance Review

In a continuous effort to assure data documentation accuracy and reporting, the Division of Human Resources reconciled and audited all employees' leave balances for the fiscal year. This verification of leave data is essential in aligning the employee web-gate, general ledger and the Banner system.

#### **Leave Compliance Process**



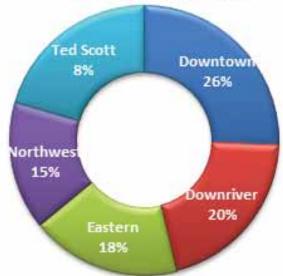
**Banner System Reconciliation** 

**HR Leave Utilization** 

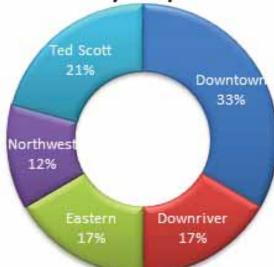
**Divisional Weekly Reports** 

**HR and Payroll Interface** 

#### Absenteeism Rate By Campuses



#### FMLA Rate By Campuses





# Continuous Quality Improvement Expands to the Northwest Campus!





### Division of Administration and Finance



#### **Expenditure Coding**

The Division of Administration and Finance continue to meet and collaborate to ensure proper expenditure coding within the general ledger. This allows for the identification of misclassification in the general ledger and adjustment as necessary. Additionally, it ensures the accuracy and validity of financial information.

# Division of Administration and Finance Deferred Maintenance









## Division of Administration

#### and Finance

**Deferred Maintenance** 





**Ted Scott Campus** 



Elevator Equipment Repairs
Ted Scott Campus



### NEW! Expectant Mother Parking

Expectant Mother Parking Signs were installed outside of the MES-University Center and Center for learning technology.



#### **District Police Authority**

#### **Best Practice Tours**

District Police Authority, the Division of Information Technology and Executive Administration conducted best practice tours at Wayne State University and Lansing Community College to review access control.





#### **Detective Interrogation and Interview Training**

Sergeant Byron Young attended Detective Interrogation and Interview training conducted at Dearborn Police Department.



## Breast Cancer Awareness "Pink Thursdays!"





















### Banner News!

#### **Banner 9 Upgrade Project Weekly Update**

The Division of Administration and Finance is now live on Banner 9. The Division of Information Technology Banner implementation team assisted staff to ensure a seamless transition to the updated platform. The Banner 9 Upgrade Implementation Project is a District-wide initiative to upgrade all modules from Banner 8 to the new and improved Banner 9 platform. Banner 9 upgrade includes:

- ✓ A fresh, new user interface with improved tools and capabilities.
- ✓ Web based access for all users.
- ✓ Eliminates the need for Java add-on for end users











#### School of Continuing Education

#### and Workforce Development





# Michigan State Police Trunk or Treat

The Downriver Campus hosted Michigan State Police's annual Trunk or Treat for Halloween. Various Downriver area police agencies and law enforcement officers came together to give

back to the community by providing treats and a safe environment for children.





#### **Quality Assurance Seminar File Review**



Staff conducted a continuing education seminar file review to ensure files remain "state audit ready." During the review process the following steps are taken to complete each program file:

- Instructor qualifications
- Course relevance and content
- Logistics relative to time and place of events
- ❖Program description
- ❖Educational objectives
- All pertinent documents are included

#### Continuing Education Enrollment Week Ending October 12, 2019

Downriver Campus 620 Downtown Campus 241

Eastern Campus 63

Northwest Campus 732

Ted Scott Campus 71 University Center 130



# Michigan Institute for Public Safety Education



#### **BASF Hazwoper**

The Michigan Institute for Public Safety Education (MIPSE) hosted BASF for a Tech Level HAZWOPER Class with Emergency Response Incident Command Training.





# Coaching Emergency Vehicle Operations Training

MIPSE also hosted Beaumont Medical Transportation's Coaching the Emergency Vehicle Operator Training.



## Building Community Relationships



The women of the Health Science Center and the Northwest Campus stepped out to support Freedom House at their annual Gala.



Mark Carter is pictured with Detroit City Council President Brenda Jones at the third Annual Detroit Infinite Scholars Fair.



Martha Grier and Susan Wiley attended the Executive Women International 2019-2020 Board of Directors Installation.



Rodney Patrick visited the Gabrielle Senior Apartments to promote the Silver Circle Programs.



Anthony Arminiak, Muna Khoury, and Tim Durand met with Gabriel McDonald Midwest Hub Solutions Specialist from BASF about partnership opportunities.



Dr. Harvey Dorrah is pictured with Debbie Stabenow at a Grosse Pointe Community Luncheon.



Farooq Arif represented the District at a job fair for senior citizens hosted by Detroit Area Agency on Aging and AARP.



Mark Carter attended the Metro Bureau of School Studies Board meeting.

# PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT



Denise Shannon and Jim Robinson attended the NACCE Conference in Newport, California. The 2019 theme was "Entrepreneurship Exploration."

Ronghua Luo, Tamara Ward, and Loretta Hunter attended the Michigan Library Association Conference titled "MLA Quote: "Real Change occurs when we work together."



#### **Health and Wellness Center Taskforce Meeting**





#### **Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center**



### Community Outreach

The Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center hosted a Jury Duty Town Hall with State Representative Tenisha Yancey.



#### **Hallmark Cards Technology Workshop**

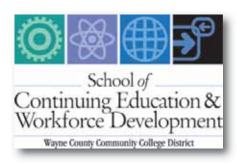
Hallmark Cards trained team members to become efficient in the use of "Smart Lync" technology in the workplace.

# Grosse Pointe Public Schools Professional Development

This three-day workshop was designed to prepare special education teachers.



#### **Downriver Campus**



#### **Native American Festival**

The Downriver Campus hosted the Native American Festival. The festival included dance, authentic Native American foods and arts, jewelry and music.





#### AAUW Wyandotte Downriver Branch Google Training

The Downriver Campus hosted AAUW Wyandotte-Downriver Branch Google Training. Participants learned how to improve digital skills.

#### Boy Scouts of America Great Lakes Council Mahican District Commissioners Meeting

The Downriver Campus also hosted the Boy Scouts of America Great Lakes Council Mahican District Commissioners Meeting.



#### **Downtown Campus**









#### **Detroit Civil Rights Survey Project**

The project provided an opportunity for the public to learn about historic sites, how the state identifies sites, and nominating sites to the National Register of Historic Places.



Wayne County Community College District

















# School of Continuing Education & Workforce Development Wayne County Community College District

#### **Eastern Campus**

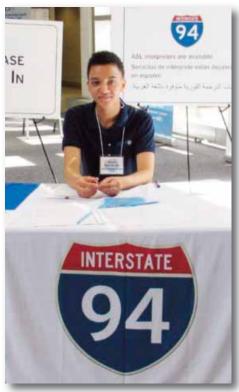
#### **M-DOT Informational Open House**

An open house was held at the Eastern Campus to update the community on the I-94 modernization project in Detroit.







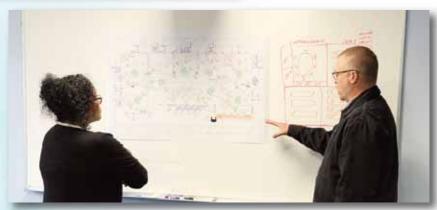






Staff met with representatives from Original Equipment Manufacturers to dicuss the WCCCD/Fiat Chrysler Automotive Training Collaborative.

Planning Meeting with Fiat Chrysler Automotive









Human Resources staff from Fiat Chrysler Automotive interviewed and screened applicants for Mack II Engine Plant employment opportunities.

#### **Northwest Campus**













#### **Quality Assessment Training**

partnership with the Youth Development Resource Center, the Northwest Campous hosted a Quality Assessment Training workshop.

#### **Detroit Association of Realtors**

In partnership with the Detroit Association of Realtors, the Northwest Campus hosted a Real Estate Community Development Workshop.





#### **City of Detroit Partnership**

The City of Detroit Clerks Office held an election poll workers training session.



#### **Ted Scott Campus**



**Belleville Area Rotary Club** 

The Ted Scott Campus hosted the Belleville Area Rotary Club.



#### Wayne RESA

Wayne RESA held their ELA-Coaching Network Workshop at the Ted Scott Campus.



#### **Belleville Area Lions Club**

The Belleville Area Lions Club held a workshop to provide an opportunity for members to gain an overview of the club and its work in the community.



#### **FEMA Training**

The Ted Scott campus hosted the FEMA IS 100 and FEMA IS 700 Fall Specialized Training Workshop Series.



### Masters Gardeners of Western Wayne County

The Master Gardener Educational Series workshop is designed to show interested participants how to start a garden.

# 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 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.























