

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES
MEETING**

February 18, 2015

**The next meeting of the Board will be on
Wednesday, May 6, 2015 at 4:00 p.m.
in the College's Campus Center – Board of Trustees Room.**



THE RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2015

SCHEDULE AND AGENDA

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NOTE: The Meeting will open to the public at 1:30 p.m. in Conference Room K-203k. Immediately following action on the Resolution to Meet in Closed Session, members of the public will be asked to leave the room. **The Board will reconvene for the Open/Public meeting on Stockton's campus at 4:00 p.m. in the Campus Center, Board of Trustees Room.**

1. Call to Order and Roll Call.

On January 14, 2013, April 28, 2014, and June 9, 2014, notice of this meeting and Public Hearing, as required by the Open Public Meetings Act the dates, times and locations of The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey Board of Trustees Public Meetings was (a) posted on the College's Website, (b) Business Services/Bursar's Office at the College, (c) forwarded to The Press of Atlantic City, (d) The Daily Journal, (e) filed with the Secretary of the State of New Jersey, (f) Galloway Township Clerk's Office, and (g) Atlantic County Clerk's Office.

2. Approval of Minutes: ***Regular Meeting Minutes of December 3, 2014***
Special Meeting Minutes of December 9, 2014
3. The Resolution to Meet in Closed Session is on 5.
 - The Board will approve a resolution to meet in closed session to review and discuss concerns related to Personnel Matters, including New Appointments, Reappointments, Promotions, and Searches; Legal Issues related to Pending Litigation and Complaints, Legal and Real Estate Matters related to the Change in University Status, State Budget, Stockton Island Campus (Rendering), CRDA Funding, Stockton ARTP, Pinelands Updates, Holocaust Memorial, Atlantic County Emergency Response/Communication Facility, Unified Science Center², Cape May – Environmental/Research Center, FY15 Bid Waiver Report, Contracts for Competitive Bidding, Board of Trustee Appointments, and any items exempt under the Open/Public Meetings Act.

4. Committee of the Whole Open/Public Session
 - A. Report of the Chair: **Trustee Dean C. Pappas, Board Chair**
 - B. President's Report: **Dr. Herman Saatkamp**
 - College Report on Faculty and Staff is on pages 6-29.
 - C. Academic Affairs and Planning Committee Report: **Trustee Leo Schoffer, Esq., Chair**
 1. Consent Agenda
 - a. Approval of Academic Year Calendars [Fall 2015 and Spring 2016]
The Resolution and Information are on pages 30-33.
 - b. Offer an Interdisciplinary Doctor of Education (Ed.D.)
Program in Organizational Leadership
The Resolution is on page 34.
 2. Informational Items
 - a. R&PD Reports
The Information is on pages 35-39.
 - b. External Funding Report [September 2013-August 2014]
The Information will be distributed.
 - D. Student Affairs Committee Report: **Trustee Raymond R. Ciccone ('79), Chair**
 - Spring 2015 Final Enrollment Summary
The Information will be distributed.
 - E. Finance & Professional Services Committee Report: **Trustee Emma N. Byrne, Chair**
 1. Consent Agenda
 - a. FY15-17 Bid Waivers
The Resolution is on pages 40-41.
 - b. Bid-Waiver: Electrical Geodesics, Inc.
Pre-Authorized by the Executive Committee on December 22, 2014
The Resolution is on page 42.
 - d. Authorization of Bid Waivers: Contracts Related to Stockton Island Campus
Pre-Authorized by the Executive Committee on January 12, 2015
The Resolution is on page 43.
 - e. Tuition and Fees Effective for 2015 Summer Session at the Island Campus
The Resolution is on page 44.
 - f. Tuition Rate for AtlantiCare MSN Program
The Resolution is on page 45.
 - g. Increase in Bid-Waivered Contracts
The Resolution is on pages 46-47.
 2. Report on Stockton Affiliated Services, Inc. (SASI)
Charles Ingram, Vice President of Administration and Finance
 - F. Audit Committee Report: **Trustee Stanley M. Ellis, Chair**
 - G. Buildings and Grounds Committee Report: **Trustee Mady Deininger ('80), Chair**
 - H. Development Committee Report: **Trustee Michael Jacobson, Esq., Chair**

- I. Investment Committee Report: **Trustee Jimmy Yoh, Chair**
 - J. Personnel Actions Resolution: **Trustee Dean C. Pappas, Board Chair**
The Resolution will be distributed.
 - K. Establishment of a Holocaust Memorial: **President Herman Saatkamp**
The Resolution will be distributed
 - L. Approval of Revision to College's Seal: **President Herman Saatkamp**
The Resolution will be distributed.
- 5. Other Business
 - 6. Comments from the Public
 - 7. Comments from the Board of Trustees
 - 8. The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Board is Wednesday, May 6, 2015 at 4:00 p.m. in the Campus Center, Board of Trustees Room.
 - 9. Adjournment

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RESOLUTION TO MEET IN CLOSED SESSION

- WHEREAS,** The Open Public Meeting Act (P.L. 1975, Ch. 231) permits public bodies to exclude the public from discussion of any matter as described in Subsection 7(b) of the Act, providing that the public body adopts a resolution at a public meeting indicating its intent to hold a closed session, and
- WHEREAS,** Subsection 7(b) of the Act contains exclusions for personnel matters; terms and conditions of employment; collective bargaining agreements including negotiated positions; anticipated or pending legislation; and any matters involving the purchase, lease, or acquisition of real property; therefore, be it
- RESOLVED,** that the Board of Trustees shall meet in closed session to discuss personnel, collective bargaining, and litigation matters including recommendations of the President contained in the attached Personnel Resolution, and be it further
- RESOLVED,** that the discussion of personnel, collective bargaining, and litigation matters will be disclosed to the public during that portion of the meeting which convenes at 4:00 p.m.

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COLLEGE REPORT ON FACULTY AND STAFF

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ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

ARTS AND HUMANITIES

CHRISTOPHER DI SANTO, Associate Professor of Music, performed as principal clarinet for Scheherazade and Rhapsodies with the Bay Atlantic Symphony at Sovereign Avenue School, Atlantic City, NJ, 19 Nov 2014; NJ-350 Concert with the Bay Atlantic Symphony at Landis Theater, Vineland, NJ, 6 Dec 2014; NJ-350 Concert with the Bay Atlantic Symphony at Sovereign Avenue School, Atlantic City, NJ, 19 Dec 2014; and Jeans 'n Classics – New Year's Eve with Reading Symphony Orchestra, Santander Performing Arts Center, Reading, PA, 31 Dec 2014; released a CD: RRB (Robert Russell Bennett), Copyright 2014, Maurice River, NJ, Maurice River Press LLC (as per the jacket notes, "this is the first in a series of print editions and recordings devoted to Robert Russell Bennett's unpublished works"), Nov 2014; and a newspaper article published by Jacqueline L. Urgo, "Despite Small Budget Bay-Atlantic Symphony Makes Large Impact on Community," Philadelphia Inquirer, South Jersey Edition, Arts Section: 1, 15 Dec 2014.

CYNTHIA KING, Associate Professor of Creative Writing, received "Best of the Net" nomination for collaborations with Hillary Gravendyk from Likestarlings, <https://www.facebook.com/Likestarlings>. Professor King published "Cautionary Arrow" and "Closing Time," collaborations with Hillary Gravendyk, Banago Street, Fall 2014, Web; and "How to Fjord a Fantasy and Live," The Equalizer, Fall 2014, <http://danielnester.com/tag/daniel-nester/>.

DAVID KING, Associate Professor of French, published "Causality in La Mort le Roi Artu: Free Will, Accident, and Moral Failure," Quidditas 35 (2014): 83-120.

WILLIAM LUBENOW, Professor of History, published a book review, Roland Quinault, et al. eds., William Gladstone: New Studies and Perspectives (2012) in Parliamentary History, 33.3 (2014): 536-537.

MICHELLE MC DONALD, Associate Professor of History, presented "Philadelphia and the Economics of Place in Early America," Pennsylvania Historical Association, Philadelphia, PA, 8 Nov 2014; and "Sea Change: Nautical Networks of the Early Atlantic World," Program in Early American Economy and Society, Philadelphia, PA, 25 Oct 2014.

SHARON MUSER, Associate Professor of History, presented "Fighting Academic Boycotts: Changing the Dynamic" (invited speaker), Israel Action Network Strategic Planning Annual Conference; "Building the Network: Developing Cross-cutting Strategies and Coordinated Constituency-based Campaigns" (panel), Gaylord National Convention Center, Washington, DC (a national engagement activity), 12 Nov 2014; presented "An Overview of The Case Against the Academic Boycotts of Israel" Book Release Call, Israel Action Network, 22 Oct 2014 and 6 Nov 2014; presented "A (Brief) State of the Union: BDS in Academic Professional Associations and on Campus" (invited speaker), "Building Allies for Israel: A Strategy to Defeat BDS," Step Up For Israel Advocacy

Summit, Whippany, NJ, 2 Nov 2014; presented "Academic Blacklists in Professional Associations and Efforts to Counter Them" (invited speaker), Young Ambassador Workshop, Jewish Federation, Philadelphia, 23 Nov 2014; published "Questioning the AAUP's Objectivity on Salaita," *The Academe Blog*, 7 Oct 2014 <http://academeblog.org/2014/10/07/questioning-the-aaups-objectivity-on-salaita/>.

JEREMY NEWMAN, Associate Professor of Communications, presented City in a Garden, Mid-Atlantic Popular & American Culture Association Conference, Baltimore, MD, 7 Nov 2014; Deluge and Specter aired in the White Canvas Program on Visual Container TV, Milan, Italy, 16 Oct-12 Nov 2014; A Cosmos of Patterns screened at Festival Temps D'Images, Lisboa, Portugal, 13-19 Nov 2014 and was selected for educational distribution by the Campfire Film Foundation in Melbourne, Australia, 25 Nov 2014; City in a Garden, Specter and Deluge were screened at Festival Espacio Enter in the Canary Islands, Spain, 5-7 Dec 2014.

KATE OGDEN, Professor of Art History, presented "Ben Shahn: A Life in Art" for the *One Book New Jersey* project, Monroe Township Library, Monroe, NJ, 15 Nov 2014; presented "The Art of China: A Personal Journey" for Pine Shores Artists Association, Stafford Township, NJ, 17 Nov 2014.

ANNE POMEROY, Associate Professor of Philosophy, presented "On Lives: Precarious and Degraded," Biennial Conference of the Radical Philosophy Association, Stony Brook, NY, 8 Nov 2014; Chair for panel on "The Ecological Crisis and the Human Species," American Philosophical Association, Philadelphia, PA, 29 Dec 2014; Chair for panel on "Neo-Liberalism, Republicanism, and Solidarity," Biennial Conference of the Radical Philosophy Association, Stony Brook, NY, 7 Nov 2014; and Chair for plenary session on "The University Today," Biennial Conference of the Radical Philosophy Association, Stony Brook, NY, 7 Nov 2014.

JAVIER SANCHEZ, Associate Professor of Spanish, published an article, "Conjeturas razonables: Historiografía metaficticia y posmodernismo en *Soldados de Salamina* de Javier Cercas" *L'Érudite franco-espagnol* 6, Fall 2014, www.lef-e.org.

HANNAH UENO, Associate Professor of Art, was awarded First Place, "Last Tree," Water, The Essence of Life Competition, Art-Competition.net, Studio25, NY, Oct 2014, http://www.art-competition.net/Winners/Water_The_Essence_of_Life.cfm.

BUSINESS

JEAN ABBOTT, Assistant Professor of Business Studies, Accounting, presented, "A Conversation about Financing a College Education," at the Wilmington University Teacher Leader Camp, New Castle, DE, 25 Oct 2014.

JENNIFER BARR, Professor of Marketing, **JOHN BOYLE**, Assistant Professor of Accounting, and **ESTHER LAWRENCE**, Assistant Dean, presented, "Business Internships, Accounting Guidelines & Marketing Strategies," at the Southern Ocean County Chamber of Commerce Luncheon, Manahawkin, NJ, 11 Nov 2014.

JILL GERHARDT, Associate Professor of Computer Science & Information Systems, presented, "Ethics: Who should teach it? How? What? Why?" at the Information Systems Education Conference, Baltimore, MD, 8 Nov 2014.

SITKI GULTEN, Assistant Professor of Management, presented, "Two-State Portfolio Optimization with Higher-Order Conditional Measures of Risk," with **Andrzej Ruszczyński**, INFORMS (Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences) Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, 9-12 Nov 2014.

AUDREY LATOURETTE, Distinguished Professor of Business Law, presented a seminar and workshop entitled, "Strategies and Legal Issues with Regard to Articulation Agreements with Two Year Institutions of Higher Education," at Universidad Sagrado de Corazon, San Juan, Puerto Rico, 26-27 Oct 2014.

WEI-XUAN LI, Assistant Professor of Finance, along with **Joseph J. French** and **Michael Martin**, Professors at the University of Northern Colorado, published, "The Dynamic Interaction Among Remittances and Macroeconomic Variables: Evidence from Sub-Saharan Africa," in the Global Business and Finance Review, Vol. 19, 2 (2014): Nov, 163-176.

MARILYN VITO, Associate Professor of Accounting, presented, "Using Excel to Create Individualized Student Assessments," Breakout Session, 11th Annual NJEdge.Net Conference, Plainsboro, NJ, 19-21 Nov 2014.

CHENYAN XU, Assistant Professor of Computer Science & Information Systems, published with **Daniel Peak** and **Victor Prybutok**, "Integrating the Visual Design Discipline with Information Systems Research and Practice," Chapter 7, Inventive Approaches for Technology Integration and Information Resources Management, eds. Mehdi Khosrow-Pour, IGI Global, ISBN13: 9781466662568, (2014).

Assistant Professor Chenyan Xu published with **Daniel Peak**, **Victor Prybutok**, **Michael Gibson**, and **Yu "Andy" Wu**, "User Perceptions of Aesthetic Visual Design Variables: A Pluralistic, Web-Based Experiment," Informing Science: The International Journal of an Emerging Trans discipline (17), (2014): 25-57.

EDUCATION

AMY S. ACKERMAN, Associate Professor of Instructional Technology, with **Karen Simmons**, MAIT student and teacher at Rieck Ave. School, Millville, co-presented, "Take Ten from our PARCC Place," at the 2014 Annual NJEA Teachers Convention - Discover, Uncover, Enjoy, sponsored by the New Jersey Teachers Association, Atlantic City, NJ, 6-7 Nov 2014.

NORMA BOAKES, Associate Professor of Education, with **Barbara Pearl**, adjunct instructor, Atlantic Cape Community College, co-presented "Using origami as an engagement tool in the mathematics classroom," at the 25th Annual Association of Mathematics Teachers of New Jersey (AMTNJ) Two Day Conference, sponsored by the Association of Mathematics Teachers of NJ, New Brunswick, NJ, 24 Oct 2014.

Professor Boakes presented as an invited Speaker, "Ignite Session - Channeling your Inner Mathematical Superhero," at the 25th Annual AMTNJ Day Conference, sponsored by AMTNJ, New Brunswick, NJ, 24 Oct 2014.

Professor Boakes with **Ajay Narayanan**, Deputy Principal, Cenez High School, Maseru, Lesotho, co-published, "Workshops for reaching out to all Lesotho mathematics teachers," in Africa Regional Congress of International Commission on Mathematics Instruction (ICMI) on Mathematics Education Newsletter (AFRICME) (online), (Oct 2014): 3-4.

SUSAN CYDIS, Assistant Professor of Education, with **CARA HOOD**, Assistant Provost for Programs & Planning & Tenured Associate Professor of Writing, **DIANE HOLTZMAN**, Associate Professor of Business Studies, Marketing, **MARILYN VITO**, Associate Professor of Business Studies, Accounting, co-presented, "Essential Learning Outcomes and the Organization of Institution-Wide Assessment at a Public, Liberal Arts College," at the National Indiana University Purdue-University

(IUPUI) Assessment Institute, sponsored by Indiana University Purdue-University Indianapolis, Indianapolis, IN, 21 Oct 2014.

JEANNE DELCOLLE, Instructional Development and Strategic Partnerships Specialist, presented, "Teacher Leadership and Equity – Peer Learning Circle Facilitator," at the National Education Association 8th Annual Cross Site Convening titled, "Voices for Excellence and Equity: Students, Educators, and Communities Speak Out," sponsored by the National Education Association Foundation, Washington, DC, 16-17 Oct 2014.

Ms. DelColle with Danielle Kovach, Teacher, Hopatcong School District, co-presented, "Developing Messaging as a Teacher Leader," at the ECET2 NJ (Elevating and Celebrating Effective Teaching and Teachers) conference, sponsored by the National Network of State Teachers of the Year (NNSTOY) and the Gates Foundation, Educational Testing Service, Princeton, NJ, 18 Oct 2014.

Ms. DelColle with Toni Capille, Student Teacher, co-presented, "The Qualities of Great Teaching," at the NJ Future Educators Association High School Conference, sponsored by the New Jersey Future Educators Association, Rider University, Lawrenceville, NJ, 23 Oct 2014.

Ms. DelColle with Jeanne Muzi, Diane Cummings, Peggy Stewart, Kathy Assini, Maryann Woods Murphy, all State Teachers of the Year, co-presented, "Today's Teacher Leaders: Baby We Were Born to Run," at the NJ Education Association (NJEA) Convention, sponsored by NJEA, Atlantic City, NJ, 6-7 Nov 2014.

Ms. DelColle with Jeff Passe, Dean of Education, The College of New Jersey, co-presented, "Social Studies for Low-Income Students: Break the Status Quo," at the Fulfilling our Civic Mission conference, sponsored by the National Council for the Social Studies, Boston, MA, 20-23 Nov 2014.

DEBORAH M. FIGART, Professor of Education and Economics, with **ELLEN MUTARI**, Professor of Economics, co-presented, "Economists on Under-compensation of Labor in the Arts," at the If It's Not Work It Must Be Play workshop, sponsored by the CUE Art Foundation and Joan Mitchell Foundation Art Education Center, New York, NY, 5 Dec 2014.

Professor Figart served as Presider and Panel Facilitator for the presentation, "Policy Priorities in Response to Labor Flexibilization," at the American Economic Association annual conference sponsored by the American Economic Association, Boston, MA, 2-6 Jan 2015.

CLAUDINE KEENAN, Dean of Education, with **JEANNE DELCOLLE**, Instructional Development and Strategic Partnerships Specialist, co-presented, "Co-Teaching Partnerships for Excellence," at Equity and Excellence in an Era of Accountability conference, sponsored by Northeastern Educational Research Association, Trumbull, CT, 22-24 Oct 2014.

Dr. Keenan presented, "Aligning Planning, Assessing and Budgeting Plenary," at the 2014 Self Study Institute Conference, sponsored by the Middle States Commission on Higher Education, Philadelphia, PA, 10-11 Nov 2014.

JUNG LEE, Professor of Instructional Technology, and **FRANK CERRETO**, Professor of Mathematics, co-presented, "Predicting Success in College Using Graph Building Skills," at the International Visual Literacy Association (IVLA) conference, sponsored by IVLA, Toledo, OH, 7 Nov 2014.

GENERAL STUDIES

FRANK CERRETO, Professor of Mathematics, co-presented a paper with **JUNG LEE**, Professor of Instructional Technology, entitled, "Predicting Success in College Using Graph Building Skills," at the International Visual Literacy Association (IVLA) Conference, Toledo, OH, 7 Nov 2014.

CAROL RITTNER, Distinguished Professor of Holocaust & Genocide Studies and Dr. Marsha Raticoff Grossman Professor of Holocaust Studies, gave the Annual Kristallnacht Lecture, entitled "Kristallnacht 1938 From Memory to Action," Florida Gulf Coast University, Ft. Myers, FL, 9 Nov 2014.

HEALTH SCIENCES

THERESA BARTOLOTTA, Dean of the School of Health Sciences, presented, "Fostering Reflective Insight in Graduate Speech-Language Pathology Students using Lonergan's Generalized Empirical Method," at the Annual Conference of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA), sponsored by ASHA, Orlando, FL, 20-22 Nov 2014.

Dean Bartolotta presented, "Encouraging Better Language and Communication Skills in Children with Down Syndrome," at the Family Resource Associates (FRA), sponsored by FRA, Shrewsbury, NJ, 4 Dec 2014.

Dean Bartolotta presented, "Communication Interventions in Rett Syndrome," at the Annual Conference of the New Jersey Rett Syndrome Association (NJRSA), sponsored by NJRSA, Monroe, NJ, 8 Dec 2014.

LAUREN DELROSSI, Assistant Professor of Physical Therapy, presented with **MELISSA EIDING**, 2014 Stockton DPT Graduate, "Preliminary Outcomes of Magnetic Growing Rod Implantation in a Child with Antley-Bixler Syndrome," at the American Physical Therapy Association (APTA), Section on Pediatrics 2014 Annual Conference sponsored by APTA, St. Louis, MO, 23-25 Oct 2014.

Professor DelRossi presented, "Critical Thinking, There's An App for That!!" at the Connected Community 11th Annual NJEDge.NET Conference, sponsored by NJEDge, Plainsboro, NJ, 19-21 Nov 2014.

MONIKA PAWLOWSKA, Visiting Assistant Professor of Communication Disorders, presented, "Use of Collaborative Syntactic Priming Activities in Foreign Language Teaching-Illustration, Efficacy and Clinical Implications," at the 2014 American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA), sponsored by ASHA, Orlando, FL, 20-22 Nov 2014.

Professor Pawlowska published, "Evaluation of Three Proposed Markers for Language Impairment in English: A Meta-Analysis of Diagnostic Accuracy Studies," Journal of Speech, Language and Hearing Research, 57, Dec (2014): 2261-2273.

JOAN PERKS, Associate Professor of Nursing, presented with **MARY LOU GALANTINO**, Professor of Physical Therapy, "The Use of Camtasia in the Development of the Holistic Health Minor Capstone," at the 11th Annual NJEDge Conference, sponsored by NJEDge, Plainsboro, NJ, 21 Nov 2014.

LAURIE SHANDERSON, Assistant Dean, was a panel presenter on, "The Key to Building Healthy, Equitable Communities," for the Building Healthy, Equitable Communities Conference, sponsored by Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, New Brunswick, NJ, 3 Dec 2014.

NATURAL SCIENCES AND MATHEMATICS

WEIHONG FAN, Professor of Environmental Studies, co-authored a paper entitled, "Interaction of decomposing litter and soil fauna of *Betula ermanii* forest floor of the Changbai Mountains," published in Canadian Journal of Forest Research, Vol. 44, (Nov 2014): 1507-1514.

YITZHAK SHARON, Professor of Physics and Weinstein Professor of Jewish Studies, co-authored, with **L. Zamick** and **B. Kleszyk**, Rutgers University, and **S. J. Q. Robinson**, Millsaps College, an article entitled, "Spin and Orbital g Factors With a Surface Delta Interaction," published in Physical Review C, Vol. 90, Issue 2, (2014): 027305-1 - 027305-3.

PETER STRAUB, Professor of Biology, along with **Steven Evert**, Assistant Director of NAMS Laboratories and Manager of the Marine and Environmental Field Station (MEFS), **Mark Sullivan**, Associate Professor of Marine Science, **Nathan Robinson**, Program Assistant MEFS, **Elizabeth Zimmermann**, Program Assistant MEFS, and students **Emily Burnite**, **Chelsea Shields**, **David Ambrose** and **Stephanie Pazzaglia**, gave an oral presentation entitled, "Multi-beam and side scan mapping of oyster resources in the Mullica River/Great Bay New Jersey," at the Fall meeting of the Atlantic Estuarine Research Society, held at The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey, 30 Oct – 1 Nov 2014.

MARK SULLIVAN, Associate Professor of Marine Science, along with **Steven Evert**, Assistant Director of NAMS Laboratories and Manager of the Marine and Environmental Field Station (MEFS), **Peter Straub**, and **Melanie Reding**, Jacques Cousteau National Estuarine Research Reserve Educator Coordinator, gave an oral presentation entitled, "Derelict crab trap removal in two southern New Jersey estuaries: Lessons learned and future directions," at the Fall meeting of the Atlantic Estuarine Research Society, held at The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey, 30 Oct – 1 Nov 2014.

SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

LISA COX, Associate Professor of Social Work, along with **Dennis Long** (Xavier University) and **Carolyn Tice** (University of Maryland), presented, "Advocacy Skills Reconsidered: Digital Self Advocacy and Social Media," at the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) Annual Program Meeting, Tampa, FL, 25 Oct 2014.

Professor Cox presented, "Tourette Syndrome, OCD, and ADHD: The School Nurse's Role," at the New Jersey Education Association Convention, Atlantic City, NJ, 6 Nov 2014.

SHAWN DONALDSON, Associate Professor of Sociology, presented, "The Historical, Cultural and Social Context of Affirmative Action in Higher Education," at the Faculty Resource Network's 2014 National Symposium: The Global Imperative for Higher Education, San Juan, Puerto Rico, 22 Nov 2014.

ELIZABETH ELMORE, Professor of Economics, reviewed a manuscript, "How Much do Women Know about Economic Abuse against Women? Assessment Knowledge of Women in the Formal and Informal Work Sectors in Warri, Nigeria," for Health Care International for Women, Dec 2014.

Professor Elmore reviewed a manuscript, "Teaching Retirement Financial Literacy in an Undergraduate Gerontology Classroom: Broadening the Concept of the Tripod or Three-Legged Stool of Retirement Income Utilizing Active Learning," for the Journal of Gerontology and Geriatrics Education, Dec 2014.

DIANE FALK, Professor of Social Work, and **ROBIN HERNANDEZ-MEKONNEN**, Assistant Professor of Social Work, presented a paper on the Child Welfare Education Institute for a Child Welfare Track Meeting, Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) Annual Program Meeting, Tampa, FL, 23 Oct 2014.

ARLEEN GONZALEZ, Associate Professor of Criminal Justice, presented, "Latinos in Higher Education," as a keynote address for Hispanic Heritage Month at the Department of Justice Federal Bureau of Prisons, Fairton, NJ, 30 Oct 2014.

Professor Gonzalez presented, "Diversity without an Owner's Manual," at the Faculty Resource Network's 2014 National Symposium: The Global Imperative for Higher Education, San Juan, Puerto Rico, 22 Nov 2014.

ROBIN HERNANDEZ-MEKONNEN, Assistant Professor of Social Work, along with **Thomas Crea** (Boston College), **Sunny Harris Rome** (George Mason University), and **Alan Dettlaff** (University of Illinois at Chicago), presented, "Migration and Child Well-Being: At the Border of Immigration and Child Welfare," at the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) Annual Program Meeting, Tampa, FL, 24 Oct 2014.

NAZIA KAZI, Assistant Professor of Anthropology, published, "Thomas Jefferson Owned a Quran: Cultural Citizenship and Muslim American Representational Politics," in North American Dialogue; 17, 2, (2014): 53-63.

DAVID LESTER, Distinguished Professor of Psychology, published, "Suicidal Tendencies," in Mind, Body and Sport: Understanding and Supporting Student-Athlete Mental Wellness, Gary Brown, ed.; Indianapolis, IN, National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA), 2014.

ELLEN MUTARI, Professor of Economics, was a roundtable presenter for, "Economists on Under-compensation of Labor in the Arts," part of the CUE Art Foundation series, "If It's Not Work, It Must Be Play: Discussions on the State of Work in the Arts," at the Joan Mitchell Foundation Art Education Center, New York, NY, 5 Dec 2014.

CHRISTINE TARTARO, Professor of Criminal Justice, and **MARISSA LEVY**, Associate Professor of Criminal Justice, presented, "Visiting Jails using Remote Video Visitation," at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting: Criminology at the Intersections of Oppression, San Francisco, CA, 20 Nov 2014.

Professor Tartaro published, "What's So Obvious? Fulfilling the Subjective Requirement for Knowledge of Risk in Federal Custodial Suicide Litigation," in The Prison Journal, published online first, 17 Dec 2014 (doi: 10.1177/0032885514563269).

TINA ZAPPILE, Assistant Professor of Political Science, published, "Freedom of Information Act," in Encyclopedia of U.S. Intelligence, Greg Moore, ed.; London, CRC Press (Taylor and Francis), 2014.

Professor Zappile published, "The Department of Homeland Security," in Encyclopedia of U.S. Intelligence, Greg Moore, ed.; London, CRC Press (Taylor and Francis), 2014.

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

LISA COX, Associate Professor of Social Work, served as a Board Member for the New Jersey Board of Social Work Examiners, attending meetings in Newark, NJ, 8 Oct, 12 Nov, and 10 Dec 2014.

Professor Cox served as an expert panel member for the National Association of Social Workers' (NASW-DC) Revision of Social Work and Health Care Standards Brochure.

Professor Cox served on the National Advisory Committee for the National Association of Social Workers' (NASW-DC) "Spectrum HIV Project."

DEBORAH M. FIGART, Professor of Education and Economics, was elected to serve as President-Elect of the Board of the Association for Evolutionary Economics (AFEE) with a term of service from January 2015 to January 2016 and will be on the ballot as President in late 2015.

AMY PAPALEXANDROU, Assistant Professor of Art History, was elected to the Byzantine Studies Association of North America (BSANA) Governing Board for a four-year term (2014-2018) and elected Secretary of the Organization to serve a two-year term (2014-2016).

KERRI SOWERS, Assistant Professor of Health Science, was elected by the American Board of Physical Therapy Specialties (ABPTS) to be a member of the Specialization Academy of Content Experts (SACE) as a Neurology Clinical Specialist item writer for a two-year term, 1 Jan 2015 - 31 Dec 2016.

LOUISE SOWERS, Associate Professor of Chemistry, appointed Visiting Scientist at the Transportation Security Laboratory at the William Hughes Technical Center in Pomona, New Jersey, has had her appointment renewed and extended until 14 Dec 2015.

OFFICE OF THE PROVOST

HARVEY KESSELMAN, Provost and Executive Vice President, met with Higher Education Secretary, **Rochelle Hendricks**; Department of Labor Deputy Commissioner, **Aaron Fitchner**; and Rowan University President, **Dr. Ali Houshmand**, to discuss a pilot program introducing high school students, community college students and four-year college students to corporate programs through Career and Technical Education (CTE), Trenton, NJ, 22 Oct 2014.

Provost Kesselman attended the Board meeting of the New Jersey Higher Education Student Assistance Authority Board (HESAA), Trenton, NJ, 23 Oct 2014.

Provost Kesselman served as a member of the Academic Issues Committee (AIC) of the New Jersey President's Council, on behalf of President Saatkamp, 31 Oct 2014 & 9 Jan 2015.

Provost Kesselman presented, "The View from the Top: The Value of Libraries and Information Resources for Higher Education, 11th Annual NJEdge.Net Conference, Plainsboro, NJ, 19-21 Nov 2014.

THOMAS GRITES, Assistant Provost, gave the keynote address, "Extending the Boundaries of Academic Advising: External Influences," at the Old Dominion University Fall 2014 Advising Conference, and also presented a concurrent session on, "Advising Transfer Students: Challenges and Strategies," Norfolk, VA, 30 Oct 2014.

Dr. Grites was re-elected for a three-year term to the Absecon Board of Education, 4 Nov 2014.

Dr. Grites conducted a national webinar, "Taking a Case-Study Approach to Improving Academic Advising Assessment," for Academic Impressions, 7 Nov 2014.

CARA HOOD, Assistant Provost for Programs & Planning & Tenured Associate Professor of Writing, **SUSAN CYDIS**, Assistant Professor of Education, **DIANE HOLTZMAN**, Associate Professor of

Business Studies, Marketing, **MARILYN VITO**, Associate Professor of Business Studies, Accounting, co-presented, "Essential Learning Outcomes and the Organization of Institution-Wide Assessment at a Public, Liberal Arts College," at the National Indiana University Purdue-University (IUPUI) Assessment Institute, sponsored by Indiana University Purdue-University Indianapolis, Indianapolis, IN, 21 Oct 2014.

Dr. Hood with **OLIVER COOKE**, Associate Professor of Economics, attended the American Association of State Colleges and Universities (AASCU) organizational meeting for its Economic Inequality Initiative, 5-9 Jan 2015.

OFFICE OF E-LEARNING

SUSAN DAVENPORT, Vice Provost for E-Learning, and **SONIA GONSALVES**, Director of Academic Assessment and Professor of Psychology, presented, "Creating a Culture that Fosters Global Citizens," at the Faculty Resource Network National Symposium, San Juan, Puerto Rico, 21 Nov 2014.

LINDA FEENEY, Director of E-Learning, presented IGNITE/Poster, "No More Skeletons: Fighting for Privacy in a Connected World," selected as best poster presentation, 11th Annual NJEDge.Net Conference, Plainsboro, NJ, 19-21 Nov 2014.

Dr. Feeney presented, "More Than Just Instruction: Leveraging Your LMS to Support Campus Processes," at the Twelfth Annual Conference and Expo of the Pennsylvania, Delaware, and New Jersey Distance Learning Association (PADLA), West Chester University, 16 Dec 2014.

DAN GAMBERT, Lead Instructional Designer, presented breakout session, "Beyond the Screencast: Camtasia Studio, a Green Screen, and NJVid for Rapid Multimedia Production, 11th Annual NJEDge.Net Conference, Plainsboro, NJ, 19-21 Nov 2014.

TUCKER ROWLINSON, Instructional Design Assistant, presented poster, "Video Lighting on a Shoestring, 11th Annual NJEDge.Net Conference, Plainsboro, NJ, 19-21 Nov 2014.

COMPUTER AND TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES

The Office of Computer and Telecommunication Services completed the next phase of development on the Faculty Evaluations application. This phase expanded the 1st year feedback reviews to include 2nd Year Action reviews for 2nd year faculty, as well as XIII-D/XIII-O faculty. **Adam Nowalsky**, Professional Services Specialist 2, and **Amanda Martin**, Data Processing Programmer 1, collaborated on the design of the application. **Adam Nowalsky** developed this custom application, including the recent phase. **Roberto Castillo**, Computer Systems Training Specialist, provided training and related documentation for the application users.

The Office of Computer and Telecommunications planned, designed, and installed wireless networks at the Country Inn and Suites and Stockton Seaview Resort and Hotel to support new student residential communities. **Brian Gormley**, Professional Services Specialist 1, **Demetrios Roubos**, Professional Services Specialist 2, and **Chuck Conrad**, Professional Services Specialist 2, installed and configured both networks throughout the month of Aug 2014.

The Office of Computer and Telecommunications Services supported the renovation of the ARHU/PAC offices in lower K-wing. Voice and Data network planning, design, installation, and configuration services were provided by **Chuck Conrad**, Professional Services Specialist 2, **Henry Gaunt**, Professional Services Specialist 4, **Brian Gormley**, Professional Services Specialist 1, and **Demetrios Roubos**, Professional Services Specialist 2. **Drew Uth**, Professional Services Specialist

4, and **James King**, Professional Services Specialist 3, worked on the audiovisual infrastructure for the new office suites. In addition, the aforementioned staff also assisted in relocating ARHU and PAC staff during the renovation.

The Office of Computer and Telecommunications completed wireless network upgrades in the Academic Complex. **Chuck Conrad**, Professional Services Specialist 2, **Henry Gaunt**, Professional Services Specialist 4, and **Demetrios Roubos**, Professional Services Specialist 2, were instrumental in the design, installation, and configuration of an additional 150 wireless access points.

The Office of Computer and Telecommunications completed the installation of a new Core Data Switch. **Brian Gormley**, Professional Services Specialist 1, **Demetrios Roubos**, Professional Services Specialist 2, and **Chuck Conrad**, Professional Services Specialist 2, performed the installation and configuration of the new switch.

Scott Huston, Associate Director of Computer Operations and IT Support Services, attended Harvard University's two day, "Managing Yourself and Leading Others," continuing education program in October. The program covered various management topics including emotional intelligence, culture, and organizational life that Scott hopes to employ as a manager at Stockton. While attending, Scott was surrounded by executive managers from around the globe, including the United States, Saudi Arabia, Cameroon, and India.

INSTRUCTIONAL SITES

Kramer Hall Instructional Site hosted two Miniversity lecture series, "Choosing a College Major and Eating your Way Through Freshman Year," and "Making 'Cents' of Financial Aid," facilitated by **CYNTHIA MCCLOSKEY**, Assistant Director of Academic Advising, **JEANNE LEWIS**, Director of Financial Aid, and **CHRIS CONNERS**, Assistant Director of Financial Aid, 5 Nov & 19 Nov 2014.

Hammonton, Manahawkin, Atlantic City and Woodbine Instructional Sites held a successful staff training sessions facilitated by, **TRACY STUART**, Campus Police, **FRED EVERSON**, Professional Services Specialist, **JEFF PETTIFER**, Director of Marketing Communications, with topics including, Off-Campus Emergency Response, Utility of X-25 Scheduling Software Overview, and Branding Goal to Promote Stockton, 5 Nov 2014.

Kramer Hall Instructional Site screened, "MAKERS: Women in Comedy," a new documentary which premiered on PBS about the rise of women in the world of comedy; local comedian Michelle Tomko appeared as special guest, 10 Nov 2014.

Kramer Hall Instructional Site hosted two Hammonton Third Thursday's, "A Holiday Renaissance," event offered guests to look up their family crest and create their own shield of arms, and "Glitz, Glimmer and Holiday Shimmer," facilitated by **NORMA BOAKES**, Associate Professor of Education, 20 Nov & 18 Dec 2014.

Kramer Hall Instructional Site hosted a very successful Story Slam, sponsored by Murphy Writing of Stockton College, yielding over 65 listeners and storytellers to join for a 500 word minimum literary competition, 21 Nov 2014.

Kramer Hall Instructional Site continued the Lunch and Learn Series, "Holistic Holiday Hints," was instructed by Stockton's **LUANNE ANTON**, Health Educator, and **KIMBERLY RARING**, Nutritionist, to learn about making healthy choices and managing stress through the holiday season; "Taking You Well Into the Holidays" was led by AtlantiCare's **Kimberly Jones-Mudd, D.O.**, a well-attended successful event about the importance of wellness visits and routine screenings, 20 Nov & 10 Dec 2014.

Kramer Hall Instructional Site hosted two successful 'Jammonton' sessions, led by Stockton's **JAMES MCCARTHY**, Associate Provost for Computing & Communications; this impromptu acoustic jam session included members of the Stockton faculty band as well as local community members, 20 Nov & 17 Dec 2014.

Kramer Hall Instructional Site hosted the Creating Writing Class Closed Reading, facilitated by **CHRISTINE SALVATORE-SMITH**, Adjunct Instructor; students read their final creative writing project for friends and family in the audience, 8 Dec 2014.

Kramer Hall Instructional Site hosted the Raw Photo Exhibition Opening Reception in the Noyes Gallery in which the winners were announced out of this year's top 40 images of raw spirit and diversity of New Jersey's people, 18 Dec 2014.

EILEEN CONRAN-FOLKS, Director of Hammonton and Manahawkin Instructional Sites, received an award to support the project titled, "Partnership to Preserve the Past," a collaboration between The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey and The Hammonton's Sesquicentennial Planning Committee, 19 Dec 2014.

Manahawkin Instructional Site hosted a transfer Admissions Day and Academic Advising appointments with **STEVE PHILLIPS**, Coordinator of Transfer Admissions, and **CYNTHIA McCLOSKEY**, Assistant Director of Academic Advising, 21 Oct & 3 Dec 2014.

LINDA KENNY, Campus Police, offered a safety and security resource table for commuter students at the Manahawkin Instructional Site, 30 Oct 2014.

DOREEN GREENBERG, Adjunct Instructor, hosted, "Healthy Living-The Mind-Body Approach," for students and the community at the Manahawkin Instructional Site; topics including Stress & Health Coping Strategies for Chronic Illness and or Pain and Life Balance, 7 Nov 2014.

The Office of Service Learning and the Manahawkin Instructional Site hosted a screening of the film Women in Hollywood, which showcases women of showbiz along with two follow up discussions facilitated by **DANIEL TOME**, Director of Service Learning, and **MARIA GIUNTA**, Administrative Support for Manahawkin Instructional Site, 12 Nov 2014.

Manahawkin Instructional Site and The School of Business, along with The Southern Ocean County Chamber of Commerce, hosted a panel discussion with **JENNIFER BARR**, Professor of Business Studies, Marketing and **JOHN BOYLE**, Assistant Professor of Business Studies, Accounting, and **ESTHER LAWRENCE**, Assistant Dean, discussing the value of internships for students, and community organizations and marketing strategies and accounting for small businesses, 14 Nov 2014.

MICHELE COLLINS-DAVIES, Operation Manager to Manahawkin Instructional Site, participated in Multistate ACE Women's Network Conference, NY Institute of Technology New York, NY, 14 Nov 2014. Manahawkin Instructional Site, AtlanticCare, and Rothman Institute continued co-sponsoring the popular Lunch and Learn Series, "Treatment for Knee Pain," with **Fabio Orozco, M.D.**, 19 Nov 2014.

Manahawkin Instructional Site hosted a Graduate Information Session with **AMY BETH GLASS**, Assistant Dean of Graduate Studies, 4 Dec 2014.

Manahawkin Instructional Site hosted a five-week "SELFIE" program with Long Beach Island Foundation for the Arts geared towards young teen girls to discuss and promote positive self-esteem.

DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE

CHARLES INGRAM, Vice President for Administration and Finance attended EACUBO's Program and Services Committee Planning meeting on January 7-9, 2015 in Naples, Florida. The meeting was informative and relevant, showcasing campus problem solving, initiating proactive discussions, and sharing effective strategies for many of the challenges that face campus administrators.

Charles Ingram attended the Atlantic City Metropolitan Business and Citizens Association (MBCA) luncheon on January 15, 2015 held at Caesars in Atlantic City, NJ. Mayor Guardian gave his "State of the City" address and presented his goals and plans for the upcoming year.

Charles Ingram participated in the EACUBO Program and Services Committee conference call on January 27, 2015 to discuss the upcoming annual conference in March and to evaluate the committee's January meeting.

Charles Ingram participated in the WACUBO Leadership Council Advisory Committee meeting conference call on February 2, 2015.

Charles Ingram attended the Hughes Center Honors at Stockton Seaview on February 6, 2015. The honorees included former New Jersey Gov. Thomas H. Kean who received the Distinguished Lifetime Achievement Award, retired Associate Justice John E. Wallace Jr., of the New Jersey Supreme Court, who received the Civility in Government and Politics Award; State Senator Chris Connors of the 9th District, who received the Distinctive Alumni Leadership Award; Edward J. Graham, chairman and CEO of South Jersey Industries, who received the Excellence in Civic Engagement Award; and Carl Archut Jr., president of Stockton Student Senate.

CAMPUS POLICE

Officer **JARROD VERGE** attended Front Line Supervision School

Officer **CESAR LUNA** attended Basic Drug Recognition Training

Sergeant **TRACY STUART** attended Supervision and Leadership Training

Officer Matthew Martinez attended Accident Investigation for Patrol

Lieutenant **CYNTHIA PARKER** attended Budgeting for Law Enforcement Training

SPST **JENNIE BOLLINGER**, PST **TRUDY STRAUS** and PST **JOE DILLON** attended Mental Health First Aid

SPST **Jennie Bollinger**, PST **Trudy Straus**, PST **JULIE HOAGLAND**, PST **TIM RUGGERI** attended Active Shooter Training for PST

Sergeant **Tracy Stuart** and Officer **JOEL SOLER** attended Crisis Intervention Course

Officer **JENNA BINDIG**, Officer **AMANDA REISER**, and Officer **NICHOLAS SOTO** attended NJ Sex Crimes Conference

Officer **THEODORE IDELL** attended Motorcycle Education Enforcement Training

Sergeant **LINDA KENNY**, Officer **Jarrold Verge**, Officer **THEODORE IDELL**, Officer **Jenna Bindig**, and Officer **Cesar Luna** attended Arrest, Search, and Seizure Training

Officer **Jenna Bindig** participated in the Egg Harbor Township Police Athletic League "Shop with a cop" during the holiday season which provides the opportunity for children in need during the holidays to shop with a police officer.

Officer **Jarrold Verge** coordinated DWI patrols with the Atlantic County Prosecutors Office to patrol and enforce drunk driving offenses during the holiday season.

Sergeant **MICHAEL MEYERS** and Sergeant **Tracy Stuart** provided SWAT and K9 assistance at the Miss America Pageant and Atlantic City Air Show.

CONTROLLER'S OFFICE

BROOKE LEW, Controller and Assistant Vice President for Fiscal Affairs, and **ROBERT HEVALOW**, Fiscal Affairs attended the Treasury Institute Tax Exempt Bond Compliance Workshop in Orlando, Florida from 12/10-12/12/14. This conference offered an opportunity to interact with other College and University staff in activities that focused on problem solving and enhanced learning on tax exempt bond compliance policy.

Brooke Lew attended the Treasury Institute Symposium in Charleston, SC, from January 18-21, 2015. It was an opportunity for treasury professionals working in higher education to share ideas and develop successful strategies for future implementation. The overall purpose was for the attendees to gain knowledge to improve the effectiveness of each institution's treasury operations, as well as increase efficiency of cash flow management and other key financial aspects.

ANDREW FITZPATRICK, Fiscal Affairs, attended the NACUBO Intermediate Accounting and Reporting winter program from January 21-23, 2015 in Orlando, Florida. This conference provided attendees the chance to enhance and refresh accounting and financial principles through a series of hands on workshops focused on higher education.

DEPARTMENT OF FACILITIES PLANNING AND PLANT OPERATIONS

Campus Stairwell/Elevator Renovation

Construction has begun to replace nine (9) exterior stairwells and five (5) core elevators on the main academic campus. Work on this project is being phased to minimize the daily disruption to students, faculty, and staff. This project is scheduled to be complete in the summer of 2015.

Renovations to Lower K-Wing (ARHU)

Construction is complete on the 3,000sf office renovation of Lower K-Wing. The architect is currently working on a design to improve the finishes in the K-Wing Gallery. Work on this project will be complete by the summer of 2015.

Site & Parking Lot Improvements

Plans have been submitted to the Pinelands Commission for their review and approval to expand the parking lot in front of the A&S Building by approximately 127 spaces. Work on this project is expected to begin in the spring of 2015 and be complete in the fall.

Unified Science Center 2 & New Academic Classroom Building

The College has contracted with Perkins Eastman to design 2 new building in accordance with the campus master plan. Both buildings are currently in design development with a groundbreaking expectation in the fall of 2015.

Housing I Curtain Replacement, E Court - H Court

New window curtains were installed in Housing I from E Court through H Court. Both the previously existing and the newly installed curtains meet fire safety code requirements for fabrics and furnishings.

D108 Office Modifications

The D108 area occupied by Computer Services was reconfigured to provide an additional enclosed office. Modifications include the adjustment of walls and a door, alterations to the ceiling grid, installation of additional power and the replacement of carpeting.

Bottle-Filling Station Installation

In response to a student-led initiative, a bottle-filling station has been installed the Overlook Lounge of the Campus Center for use by faculty, staff and students. This station promotes the use of refillable water bottles, which will subsequently reduce the amount of recycled waste the College produces and reduce its carbon footprint.

EVENTS SUPPORTED

UBSS Kwanza Celebration
Chemistry Senior Symposium
NJ Association of Veteran Professional Administrators
Graduate Toast
Stockton's Music Union Fall Concert
Admission's Open House
Late Night Breakfast
Campfire Wrap Up
Fall Graduate Research Symposium
Stockton Holiday Party
Fall Commencement Ceremony
Public Hearing on School Security K-12
Special Olympics Floor Hockey Tournament

STAFF DEVELOPMENT

DONALD HUDSON, Associate Vice President for Facilities and Construction, **JOSEPH NAUMCHIK**, Interim Director of Facilities Management & Plant Operations, **CRAIG RUGGLES**, Associate Director of Plant & Housing Maintenance, **CHARLES WEST**, Director for Facilities, attended the ERAPPA 2014 Annual Meeting in Atlantic City, NJ on September 22 and 23, to discuss the Future of Educational Facilities and Campus Development.

Don Hudson and **Charles West**, attended a meeting in Washington, DC on November 17, 2014 with PEPCO Holdings to discuss the College's Sustainability Facilities and the ways in which the local utility company can assist the needs of the curriculum.

STEPHEN BROWN, Assistant Supervisor, Building Repairs, and **RUSSELL KONRADY**, Crew Supervisor – Carpenter, attended "What Happens When You Don't: Wind, Seismic, Snow and Flood Requirements for Non-Structural Building Components" offered by Rutgers Continuing Education in Cape May, NJ on December 11, 2014.

MILTON DAVIS, Assistant Supervisor, Building Repairs, attended "Working with PEX Plumbing Systems" offered by Rutgers Continuing Education in Egg Harbor City, NJ on December 4, 2014.

ALBIN MONTAG, Crew Supervisor – Electrician, attended "Permit Process and Procedures" offered by Rutgers Continuing Education in Egg Harbor City, NJ on December 3, 2014.

COMPLIANCE

NJDEP, Bureau of Water Allocation, Quarterly Diversion & Monitoring Report
NJDEP, Bureau of Safe Drinking Water, Monthly Coliform Summary Report
NJDEP, Bureau of Water Quality, Monthly Report of Water Treatment Plants
NJDEP, Bureau of Water Quality, Corrosion Control Plan Compliance, Bldg. 6
NJDEP, Bureau of Fire, Semi-Annual Compliance Safety Inspections
NJDEP, Bureau of Elevator Safety, Biannual Elevator Safety Inspections

NJDEP, Bureau of Water Quality, Quarterly Groundwater Report – Landfill
NJDEP, Title IV, Air Quality Permit

PUCHASING

JAMIE MORGAN and **LORI KOED** attended the Telephone Service Excellence training program that was offered by Stockton.

STOCKTON-SEAVIEW HOTEL and GOLF CLUB

RUMMY PANDIT, Executive Director for Stockton-Seaview, attended the Southern New Jersey Development Council luncheon at Stockton Seaview on Friday, December 19th. Lt Governor Kim Guadagno was the guest speaker.

Rummy Pandit attended the two-day ATIXA Introductory Title IX Investigation and Certification Program offered through The NCHERM Group, LLC at Stockton on January 6th & 7th.

Rummy Pandit attended the MBCA Business Luncheon on Thursday, January 15th at the Caesars in Atlantic City. Mayor Guardian gave the unofficial “State of the City” address at this luncheon and presented “next steps” for Atlantic City.

Rummy Pandit participated in a tourism focus group for the Atlantic County Economic Development Strategy and Action Plan on Thursday, January 22nd. The meeting took place at Atlantic Cape Community College in Mays Landing.

PRESIDENT’S OFFICE

Office of Development and Alumni Affairs

The **Stockton College Foundation** held a full board meeting on Thursday, February 5.

The **Office of Development and Alumni Affairs** is planning the 35th Annual Stockton College Scholarship Benefit Gala, which will take place on Saturday, April 25, 2015 at the Stockton Seaview Hotel & Golf Club.

Alumni Affairs and the School of Education hosted the Annual NJEA Alumni Luncheon in Atlantic City as part of the NJEA Teacher Convention. More than 75 alumni and friends attended the event.

The Alumni Association Holiday Party was held at Stockton Seaview Hotel & Golf Club. Approximately half of the attendees were 2014 graduates attending their first alumni event.

Other alumni events include alumni mixers in West Palm Beach and Fort Myers Beach Florida, a NJDEP alumni luncheon, the SOBL Retirement Celebration and MAHG Anniversary Celebration.

Annual Giving and Leadership Annual Giving

Phon-a-thon for the spring 2015 cycle began on January 25 and will run until March 5.

The **Richard Stockton Society** (donors who have contributed more than \$1,000 in the fiscal year) includes 146 members, including 49 new members at this level. At the same point in the previous giving year, the Richard Stockton Society included 56 members, including 16 new.

Unrestricted donations to the Annual Fund total \$89,039.99 (as of Dec. 31, 2014). This total is up from \$74,692.97 in FY14, as of this date, and \$59,871 in FY13.

Direct mail for the 2014-2015 giving year, as of Dec. 31, 2014, has resulted in donations from 298 unique donors totaling \$28,043. As a comparison, direct mail donations for the entire previous giving year totaled \$35,953 from 367 donors.

Fundraising for the **Hammonton Scholarship Endowment** has \$42,100 in gifts and commitments representing 42% of the \$100,000 goal.

The campaign for the **Constantelos Hellenic Collection and Reading Room** has raised more than \$275,000 toward the \$300,000 goal.

Stewardship

The members of the Stockton College Foundation **Scholarship Selection Committee** have been reappointed for two-year terms.

A 2015 Stockton calendar from the Office of Development and Alumni Affairs was created and mailed to the top 20% (270) of alumni donors who support the Annual Fund. Each month contains photos of students and the campus, facts about the Foundation, alumni testimonials, and student testimonials. In appreciation of their generous support, the calendar will also be sent to Richard Stockton Society members.

All gift receipts in FY15 are accompanied with a "Proud Stockton Supporter 2014-2015" magnet (size 3"x5"). This magnet promotes our "giving year," serves as a donor recognition piece, and serves as an incentive for gift renewal for the next "giving year" magnet.

OFFICE OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

SHARON SCHULMAN, CEO of External Affairs and Institutional Research, was appointed treasurer of the Atlantic City Historical Waterfront Foundation, Atlantic City on January 7, 2015.

Mrs. Schulman was appointed to represent Stockton College on the Greater Atlantic City Chamber of Economic Development, Atlantic City, on January 9, 2015.

Mrs. Schulman, and **GEOFFREY PETTIFER**, Director of Marketing Communications, accepted the Public Relations Society of America (PRSA) *Pepperpot Award* on behalf of Stockton College on December 2, 2014, Philadelphia. The College received top honors from the organization.

THE RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY received a Silver award and two Honorable Mentions from the Council for Advancement and Support of Education (CASE) at the District II Accolades Awards program for its 2014 Incoming Freshmen Yield Campaign.

Mr. Pettifer, Director of Marketing Communications, attended the American Marketing Association Symposium for the Marketing of Higher Education in Austin, TX from November 10 – 13, 2014.

MEAGHAN RESTA, Manager of Publications and Special Projects, attended the Council for Advancement and Support of Education (CASE) Online Speaker Series webinar, Hed to Hed: Alumni Magazine Editors Face Off on Digital vs. Print, on December 4, 2014.

SUSAN ALLEN, Professional Service Specialist 4, News and Media Relations, was awarded a Master of Arts (MA) degree in Instructional Technology from Stockton College on December 14, 2014. Her research project can be seen at <http://intraweb.stockton.edu/eyos/gradstudies/content/docs/Symposium/GradSymposiumFinal.pdf>

MARYJANE BRIANT, Director of News and Media Relations, attended January 12 training at Stockton on Title IX issues, given by Brett Sokolow of the NCHERM Group LLC of Malvern, PA in participation with the Association of Title IX Administrators. Valerie Hayes, Stockton's Chief Officer for Institutional Diversity and Equity, arranged it.

THE WILLIAM J. HUGHES CENTER FOR PUBLIC POLICY

THE WILLIAM J. HUGHES CENTER FOR PUBLIC POLICY, in partnership with the SRI-ETTC, received a \$10,000 grant on December 1, 2014 from the Verizon Foundation to train social studies teachers to use web-based tools to increase the civic knowledge of students in grades K-12.

The Hughes Center co-sponsored New York Times reporter Charles Bagli's lecture on November 6, 2014.

DANIEL J. DOUGLAS, Director of the Hughes Center, provided post-election analysis to the Greater Atlantic City Chamber of Commerce Public Policy Committee on November 5, 2014.

INSTITUTIONAL RESEARCH

DR. XIANGPING KONG, Director of Institutional Research, attended annual Northeast Association for Institutional Research (NEAIR) conference in Philadelphia from November 10-11, 2014; he also attended annual Middle States Commission on Higher Education (MSCHE) conference in Washington DC from December 3-5.

DENNIS FURGIONE, Research Associate of Institutional Research, attended an IBM SPSS + R Webinar on December 3, 2014 which was focused on the practical application of R (a statistical open source language code) with IBM SPSS statistics software.

Mr. Furgione attended the Holiday Fundraiser Dinner in Cape May NJ for Literacy Volunteers of America (local chapter – Atlantic County) on December 4, 2014.

Dr. Kong, Mr. Furgione, and ALICE SIKORA, Professional Services Spec. 4 of IR, participated in an iDashboard Webinar on a software product with comprehensive functionalities for web-based data reporting and dashboards publishing on December 18, 2014.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

BRIAN K. JACKSON, Chief of Staff, along with **Mr. Daniel Fidalgo-Tome**, Director of Service Learning, Co-Chaired the 11th Annual Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day of Service held on January 19, 2015. This year's event attracted a record 940 participants and 56 service programs and projects.

Other members from the Stockton community that served on the planning committee included **Mr. Peter Baratta, Ms. Patricia W. Collins, Ms. Michele Collins-Davies, Dr. Eileen Conran-Folks, Ms. Lauren Gardiner, Mr. Lonnie Folks, Ms. Denise Green, Ms. Laurie Griscom, Dr. Tom Grites, Ms. Manar Hussein, Mr. Alex Marino, Ms. Gail “Gem” McGinnis, Dr. Denise O’Neill, Mr. Kiyle Osgood, Ms. Brandy Pavia, Ms. Yuby I. Peña, Ms. Ginna Petrillo, Mr. Mark Pezzotta, Mr. Brian Pluchino, Ms. Dianne Stalling, Dr. Pedro Santana, Ms. Jane Stark, Ms. Diana Strelczyk, Mr. Gary Suhr, and Mr. Jeff Wakeman**

HERMAN J. SAATKAMP, JR., President provided welcome remarks at the following events: 2014 Fall Graduate Toast, Campus Center, 04 Dec 2014; Open House, Sports Center, 07 Dec 2014; 2014 Lead Act Graduation, Dante Hall, 10 Dec 2014; Annual Alumni Association Holiday Party, Seaview, 11 Dec 2014; Fall Commencement Ceremony, Sports Center, 14 Dec 2014; Winter Poetry & Prose Getaway with Peter Murphy, Seaview, 18 Jan 2015; 11th Annual MLK Day of Service, Campus Center, 19 Jan 2015; Bay Atlantic Symphony, PAC, 25 Jan 2015; Farewell Reception for Natalie Havran, 28 Jan 2016; Hughes Center Honors, Seaview, 06 Feb 2015; Institute for Faculty Development annual luncheon event, Campus Center, 16 Feb 2015.

Dr. Saatkamp attended the following meetings:

- American Council of Engineering Companies of NJ (ACECNJ) as a panelist regarding higher education, Forsgate Country Club in Jamesburg, NJ, 08 Dec 2014
- Southern New Jersey Development Council (SNJDC) Annual Business Luncheon with Lt. Gov. Guadagno, Seaview, 19 Dec 2014
- NCAA 2015 Convention: 14-17 Jan 2015 (Washington, DC)
- Greater Atlantic City Chamber (GACC) Breakfast Reception: Atlantic County Regional Development Master Plan, Linwood Country Club, 21 Jan 2015
- Chamber of Commerce of Southern New Jersey (CCSNJ) Legislative Reception, The Mansion in Voorhees, NJ, 21 Jan 2015
- Governor Christie’s 3rd Summit on Atlantic City, CRDA Offices, 22 Jan 2015
- 1st District Economic Development Task Force Meeting with Senator Van Drew, Cumberland County College, 30 Jan 2015
- AASCU 2015 Winter Meeting, Committee on Policies and Purposes, Washington, DC, 08 Feb 2015

Dr. Saatkamp has been requested to participate in the following committees:

- Atlantic County Partnership for Regional Economic Development – Atlantic County Executive, Dennis Levinson
- 1st District Economic Development Task Force Meeting - Senator Van Drew
- Governor Christie’s Summit on Atlantic City – Governor’s Office

Dr. Saatkamp provided his annual address to Faculty Assembly, Campus Center, 27 Jan 2015.

Dr. and Mrs. Saatkamp hosted their Annual Holiday Party for Staff and Faculty, Campus Center, 12 Dec 2014.

Dr. and Mrs. Saatkamp hosted the following events at their residence:

- Annual Dinner for Holocaust Resource Center Executive Committee, 27 Jan 2015

In support of **Dr. Saatkamp’s** initiative in the establishment of a Campus Affiliate of the National Coalition Building Institute (NCBI), four members of the NCBI Campus Affiliate Leadership Team attended the 22nd NCBI Campus Conference in Buffalo, New York.

Lonnie Folks, Chair, Director of Athletics, **Thomasa González**, Vice President for Student Affairs, **Diane Epps**, Interim Chief Officer for Institutional Diversity and Equity and **Carole LoBue**, Administrative Assistant to the VPSA attended the three-day conference held at Buffalo State, a State University of New York held November 13 – 15, 2014.

DIVISION OF STUDENT AFFAIRS

ATHLETICS & RECREATION

JEFF HAINES, Assistant Athletic Director, was selected as the 2014 recipient of the NISOA-NSCAA Intercollegiate National Merit Award from the National Intercollegiate Soccer Officials Association. Haines served as Stockton's head men's soccer coach for 17 years before retiring from coaching and shifting to his new role as assistant athletic director in January. He was presented the award at the National Soccer Coaches Association of America College Coaches Awards reception in Philadelphia, PA on January 15.

The Stockton women's lacrosse team, coached by **KIM WILLIAMS** volunteered at the Community FoodBank of New Jersey in Egg Harbor Township on December 6. One group of players sorted through boxes of donation and stocked the shelves at the FoodBank warehouse. The rest of the players assembled over 500 prepackaged meals that were given to families in need over the holidays.

Kim Williams, attended the Intercollegiate Women's Lacrosse Coaches Association (IWLCA) Convention in Orlando Florida and spoke at a College Planning Workshop at Ocean City High School.

The Stockton softball team, coached by **VAL JULIEN**, performed a community service project cleaning the yards at two properties in Galloway Township that are owned by The Arc of Atlantic County.

Val Julien, attended the National Fastpitch Coaches Association convention in Las Vegas on December 3-7.

JESSICA SPENCER, Athletic Trainer, attended two lectures during December. The first was the IMPACT Lunch and Learn Series: Vestibular Ocular Motor Screening Examination. The second was Cross Country Education: Optimizing Performance & Rehab Using Kinesiology Tape Seminar.

CHRIS KLENK, Athletic Trainer, attended a continuing education lecture as part of the Cooper Athletic Training Series.

JIM GWATHNEY, Coordinator of Intramurals and Recreation, and a co-ed team of Stockton students won the 2014 National Intramural-Recreational Council (NIRSA) Regional Flag Football Tournament at the University of Maryland. By winning the championship, the Ospreys qualified for the NIRSA National Flag Football Tournament at the University of West Florida in January.

Jim Gwathney, took two teams of Stockton students to compete in the Northeast Regional Dodgeball Tournament at Rowan University on December 6. Stockton competed in the men's and co-ed brackets, with the men's team winning the championship.

The Stockton men's basketball team, coached by **GERRY MATTHEWS**, achieved a highest national ranking of #4 by the D3hoops.com website on December 16. The Ospreys, who won their first 11 games of the season, were ranked among the nation's top 25 in five of the first six weekly polls.

The Stockton women's basketball team, coached by **JOE FUSSNER**, won 10 of its first 13 games of the 2014-15 season.

The Stockton men's and women's indoor track & field teams, coached by **JAYSON RESCH** and **TODD CURLL** respectively, began the 2014-15 season by competing in the Fast Times Before Finals Meet at Lehigh University on December 6.

CAREER CENTER

PATRICIA DONAHUE, Coordinator of Career Center Special Programs and Initiatives, and **WALTER L. TARVER, III**, Director of the Career Center, attended the Middle Atlantic Career Counseling Association's Annual Conference. The conference was held from December 3-5 in Lancaster, PA.

Walter L. Tarver, III, facilitated a presentation to K-12 students about "Dressing for Success." The program was held on January 7, and was sponsored by the Atlantic City Police Athletic League and the Golden Circle Organization.

Walter L. Tarver, III, attended the Association of Career Professionals International - Greater Philadelphia Network meeting, held at The Pyramid Club in Philadelphia, PA on January 9. The focus of the meeting was discussion of the 2015 job forecast for the Delaware Valley region.

Patricia Donahue facilitated a Business Etiquette Dinner on January 12. This was part of the Office of Residential Life's spring semester training program for resident assistants.

CHRISTY CUNNINGHAM, Associate Director of the Career Center, participated in the Career Coaching Intensive in Dallas, TX from January 12-13. The program, sponsored by the National Association of Colleges and Employers, focused on trends, tactics, and techniques related to individual and group career coaching.

Christy Cunningham and **Patricia Donahue** conducted sessions on the Myers Briggs Type Indicator on January 15. This was part of the resident assistant spring training program held by the Office of Residential Life.

Christy Cunningham, and **Walter L. Tarver, III**, participated in a webinar on January 20 entitled, "College Scorecard-Your Career Center's New Best Friend."

DAYNA DEFIORE, Assistant Director of the Career Center, helped transport senior Hospitality and Tourism Management students to Widener University's annual Hospitality Management Career Fair on February 2. The fair was held at Lathem Hall on Widener's Main Campus. Employers spoke to students about full-time, part-time, summer, co-op, and internship positions in all areas of the hospitality industry.

Patricia Donahue coordinated a career exploration panel on Careers in Literature on February 12. Four alumni from the Literature Program discussed their various career paths with current students.

DEAN OF STUDENTS

DR. PEDRO J. SANTANA, Dean of Students, and **GERALD MARTIN**, Assistant Dean of Students, participated in a webinar on January 20 entitled, "College Scorecard-Your Career Center's New Best Friend."

Dr. Pedro J. Santana, served as Master of Ceremonies and additionally as a Project Leader for the 11th Annual Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Service on January 19, 2015.

Dr. Pedro J. Santana attended the 14th Annual Men Achieving Leadership, Excellence, and Success (M.A.L.E.S.) Banquet as the keynote speaker on December 5, 2014.

Dr. Pedro J. Santana attended the President's cabinet meeting with the President of the University of Maryland University College. This meeting was an extension of the prestigious Executive Leadership Academy.

STEPHEN B. DAVIS, Associate Dean of Students, was honored as a community leader at the "Honor his Legacy" Dr. Martin Luther King breakfast on January 19 at Landis Middle School in Vineland, NJ. Stephen received this award from The Vineland African American Community Development Corporation (VAACDC) in conjunction with the Bridgeton Chapter of the National Congress of Black Women, the African American Cultural league of Vineland High School, and NAACP.

Gerald Martin was appointed to the title IX Working Group in the Institutional equity office.

EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY FUND PROGRAM

STACEY ZACHAROFF, Director of the EOF Program, was installed as a founding board member of the International Charter School of Atlantic City. The International Charter School of Atlantic City will service families primarily in Atlantic City and Pleasantville.

ENROLLMENT MANAGEMENT

JOHN IACOVELLI, Dean of Enrollment Management, presented financial aid information session sessions at the following high schools throughout the months of December and January: Buena Regional High School, Burlington Township High School, Cherokee High School, Haddonfield Memorial High School, Hamilton West High School, Holy Spirit High School, Lawrence High School, Millville High School, New Egypt High School, Ocean City High School, Paul IV Regional High School, Rancocas Valley Regional High School and St. Joseph's Regional High School-Hammonton.

MELVIN GREGORY, Assistant Director of Admissions, co-presented a financial aid/EOF session at Oakcrest High School on December 10, 2014.

EVENT SERVICES AND CAMPUS CENTER OPERATIONS

LAURIE GRISCOM, Director of Event Services and Campus Center Operations and **JENNIFER RADWANSKI**, Associate Director of Event Services and New Student Programs attended the NODA Region VIII Drive-In Conference on December 17 at Rider University.

JOSEPH LIZZA, Assistant Director of the Campus Center for Operations and Programs attended the National Association for Campus Activities Program Leader and Board of Directors Meeting in Columbia, SC from December 10-12 in order to work on strategic planning for the association.

Joseph Lizza coordinated a regional leadership team meeting from January 7-9 in Buffalo, NY for the Mid-Atlantic Regional Conference Program Team of the National Association for Campus Activities. During the meeting 25 volunteers from various higher education institutions worked to plan the 2015 NACA Mid-Atlantic Regional Conference which will be held in October.

Laurie Griscom attended the 41st Annual Delaware Valley Student Affairs Conference at the ACE Convention Center in Lafayette Hill, PA on February 13

LINDSAY MCGRATH, Assistant Director of Event Services attended the 15th Annual North American Association of Commencement Officers Conference from February 9-11 in South Florida.

FINANCIAL AID

CHRIS CONNORS, Assistant Director of Financial Aid, **DONNA GARRITY**, Secretarial Assistant I, and **JENIFER ROBIN**, Principal Clerk Typist, attended the quarterly meeting of the NJ Association of Veterans Program Administrators (NJAVPA) on December 5, 2014. The meeting was held at Stockton.

MELINDA MATOS, Assistant Director of Financial Aid, **TERRA MECOUCH**, Assistant Director of Financial Aid, **Chris Connors**, and **DONNA FREEMAN**, Professional Services Specialist, participated in the NJ Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators (NJASFAA) information session on Federal Verification 2015 -2016 held at Brookdale Community College on January 23.

FREE TO BE CHILD CARE [Nothing reported for this period]

RESIDENTIAL LIFE

DR. DENISE O'NEILL, Director of Residential Life, and **DR. JONATHAN JOHNSON**, Associate Director of Residential Life, participated in ATIXA Title IX Investigator Training School on January 6-7. The training was held at Stockton.

Dr. Denise O'Neill, participated in NCBI (National Coalition Building Institute) Training on January 12. The Training was held at Stockton.

BARBARA TEEL, Principal Clerk Typist, has been named Finance Chair of Soroptimist International of Long Beach Island, a businesswomen's international organization. Soroptimist International of Long Beach Island currently has a community service project "Dress for Success" in which donated-clothing is matched with Southern Ocean County women returning to the workforce.

BRIAN PLUCHINO, Professional Services Specialist, **DARIUS EDWARDS**, Complex Director, **Denise O'Neill**, and **Barbara Teel**, served as project leaders for the Annual Martin Luther King (MLK) Day of Service, January 19.

STUDENT DEVELOPMENT

HALEY BAUM, Assistant Director of Student Development, attended the American Cancer Society's Relay For Life Summit on February 8 at Rowan University. This was an opportunity to meet staff and student leaders at other colleges who organize Relay For Life at their institution in order to strengthen our event at Stockton.

LAUREN WILSON, Assistant Director of Student Development, attended a two-day Title IX Investigator Training and Certification Course presented by the Association of Title IX Administrators on January 6-7.

Lauren Wilson planned the Spring Get Involved Fair held January 27-28, in the A – J – Wing Galleries. The fair highlights approximately 150 opportunities to get involved with student organizations, fraternities, sororities, community organizations, and more.

DIANNE STALLING, Assistant Director of Student Development attended the Radiate Conference in Washington, DC with four students from December 28, 2014-January 1, 2015.

Dianne Stalling has conducted mini language arts lessons for middle school students at the Police Athletics League in Atlantic City. This initiative is part of a grant from ARDA for the Golden Circle of South Jersey.

Dianne Stalling has been serving with Dot Saatkamp on the America Goes Red Committee to bring awareness and fundraising opportunities to campus for the American Heart Association.

JEFF WAKEMEN, Director of Student Development has been selected to present at the Campus Philly, Inclusive Leadership Conference on February 14. His session is titled “Servant Leadership: A Different Way to Think about Leading”.

Jeff Wakemen introduced a new method of nomination for the national “Who’s Who Among Students at American Colleges and Universities” program. This resulted in over 300 applications and almost 90 award winners (both record numbers).

Lauren Wilson and **Jeff Wakemen**, piloted the first ever “Spring Officers Training” session on January 31 for all student leaders who were either recently elected, started an organization in the fall, or missed their opportunity to attend the required fall leadership training.

Jeff Wakemen, Haley Baum, Diane Hill-Stalling, Joe Thompson, and Lauren Wilson assisted with planning, and participated in, the Martin Luther King Day of Service which was held at each of the instructional sites and the main campus on January 19.

STUDENT RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

AMY JONES, Director of Student Rights and Responsibilities, completed Title IX investigator training Jan. 6-7 and is now a certified Title IX Investigator.

The CARE program held its Welcome Back Event on January 29.

The CARE program held workshops in the following areas: Coping with Life on Campus (February 3), Welcome to the Tutoring Center (February 5), Time Management (February 10), Understanding the Financial Aid Process (February 11 & February 12), Goal Setting (February 17).

VETERAN AFFAIRS

Four members of Stockton’s Student Veterans attended the National Student Veterans Association Conference in San Antonio Texas on January 7-12. Vice President Biden gave the Keynote address. Stockton’s SVO was nominated Chapter of the year at the conference.

Fifty new student veterans attended Stockton’s Student Veteran Orientation which was held on January 12. Stockton continues to lead the Region in veteran initiatives and new programs

TOM O’DONNELL, Assistant Dean of Students/Veteran Affairs, presented a workshop on Veteran Friendly Campuses at the CCME National Veteran Conference in Anaheim California on January 25-30.

VICE PRESIDENT FOR STUDENT AFFAIRS

DR. DEE MCNEELY-GREENE, Associate Vice President for Student Affairs, attended a webinar entitled “Yik Yak on Campus: What You Need to Know About the Latest Anonymous Social Scene” on November 12, 2014.

Dr. Dee McNeely-Greene attended a webinar entitled “Digital Engagement for Student Success” on November 13, 2014.

KIM MCCABE, Director of Student Affairs Communications, facilitated the on-campus presentation of the Web-based Higher Ed Social Media Conference, on December 3, 2014. Many student affairs divisional personnel attended the event. Social media topics ranged from latest trends and case studies to higher education social media marketing.

WELLNESS CENTER

LAURIE DUTTON, Associate Director of Counseling Services, was appointed by President Saatkamp to the Title IX Practitioners Group on December 16, 2014.

NATE MORELL, Assistant Director of Counseling Services, provided written and conversational information to three universities (Auburn University at Montgomery, Stetson University, and Sacred Heart University) interested in learning from insights gained through creating and facilitating, “The Social Club” a program aimed at improving the social and behavioral health of students living with Autism, physical disabilities, social anxiety, and depression.

Nate Morell, in December, formed a coalition to provide innovative programming focused at addressing the need of people suffering from disordered eating. The Coalition is to include Greek Counsel, Active Minds, Peer Educators, Wellness Center Health Educator, Delta Zeta, and S.A.A.C. (Student Athletes).

CARLOS MARTINEZ, Assistant Director of Counseling Services, attended a webinar entitled “Getting What you Want Professionally in the New Year” on January 8.

LUGENIA SMALL, Assistant Director of Counseling Services, attended the NCBI Training on January 12.

The Wellness Center was a partner for the Heart Health initiative in February and planned several related events:

- Start the Semester off Right - a tabling event held on two days in different locations that feature numerous ways to stay healthy and avoid getting sick, nutritional information, and fitness information and body fat analysis. This is a collaboration between the Health Educator, Luanne Anton, the Nutritionist, Kim Raring, and Athletics fitness trainer, Christian Allen.
- The student Peer Educators assisted with tabling for the kickoff event on February 6 at various locations with heart health information. The Nutritionist had three additional sessions scheduled this month and the Peer Educators hosted Healthy Relationships Day with tabling during the day and an ULTRA credit workshop in the late afternoon.
- Repeating the program “Create and Keep A Healthy Heart” that includes speakers in twenty minute segments from AtlantiCare, chiropractic care for heart health, nutrition information for heart health, a personal story related to heart health, and meditation and relaxation for heart health. This program was very successful in the fall.

THE RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

RESOLUTION

ACADEMIC YEAR CALENDAR (FALL 2015 AND SPRING 2016)

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees has considered the proposed Calendar for the following Academic Year (Fall Term 2015 and Spring Term 2016); now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the above referenced and attached calendars are adopted.

**Fall Term 2015 Academic Calendar
(Tentative)**

AUGUST '15

6	Thursday	Registration and orientation for new graduate students
13	Thursday	Registration for graduate non matriculated students
24	Monday	Late registration and orientation for new freshmen and transfers
25	Tuesday	S.O.A.R. begins
27	Thursday	S.O.A.R. ends
28	Friday	Registration for undergraduate non matriculated students
28	Friday	New residents move in; Welcome Week begins
31	Monday	Returning students move in

SEPTEMBER '15

1	Tuesday	Fall faculty conference; Welcome Week ends
2	Wednesday	Classes begin (full-term and sub-term A)
2-9	Wed-Wed	Drop/add period (full-term)
2-8	Wed-Tues	Distance education orientations
5	Saturday	Saturday classes begin
7	Monday	Labor Day Holiday; No classes
9	Wednesday	Deadline to drop full-term and sub-term A course(s) with a 100% refund
9	Wednesday	Deadline to file FERPA hold to prevent release of student information
12	Saturday	Community Day of Service
16	Wednesday	Board of trustees meeting
18	Friday	Deadline to withdraw from sub-term A course(s) with a 50% refund (part time students only)
23	Wednesday	Deadline to withdraw from a full-term course(s) with a 50% refund (part time students only)

OCTOBER '15

1	Thursday	Deadline to file Fall 2015 graduation application without financial penalty
9	Friday	Deadline to withdraw from sub-term A course(s) with W grade
12	Monday	Columbus Day Holiday; Normal campus operations
20	Tuesday	Spring 2016 pre-registration schedule of classes posted (view only)
20	Tuesday	Sub-term A classes end
22	Thursday	Sub-term B classes begin
22-	Thurs-Mon	Sub-term B drop/add period
26	Monday	Deadline to drop sub-term B course(s) with a 100% refund
27	Tuesday	Preceptorial Advising Day; No classes
28-	Wed-Thurs	Seniors (with 96+ earned credits) and matriculated graduate students preregister
29		
30-	Fri-Mon	Juniors (with 64-95 earned credits) preregister
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NOVEMBER '15

3	Tuesday	Election Day Holiday; Normal campus operations
4	Wednesday	Preceptorial Advising Day; No classes until 3:35PM
5-6	Thurs-Fri	Sophomores (with 32-63 earned credits) preregister
9-	Mon-Tues	Freshmen (0-31 earned credits) preregister
10		
11	Wednesday	Veteran's Day Holiday; Normal campus operations
11	Wednesday	Deadline to withdraw from sub-term B course(s) with a 50% refund (part time students only)
12	Thursday	Deadline to withdraw from full-term course(s) with a W grade
25	Wednesday	Classes end at 3:25PM
26	Thursday	Thanksgiving Holiday; College closed
27	Friday	No Classes
30	Monday	Deadline to withdraw from sub-term B course(s) with a W grade

DECEMBER '15

2	Wednesday	Board of trustees meeting
7	Monday	Graduate students Showcase; M evening only classes (6-9:50) do not meet
10	Thursday	Fall term classes end
11	Friday	Reading day
14-17	Mon-Thurs	Extended Week
17	Thursday	Term ends
18	Friday	Grades due for graduating students by 12 Noon
20	Sunday	Summer and fall term commencement ceremony
22	Tuesday	Grades due for non-graduating students
25	Friday	Holiday Break; College reopens January 4

Spring Term 2016 Academic Calendar
(Tentative)

JANUARY '16

12	Tuesday	New residents move in; Registration for new freshmen and freshmen with <16 transfer credits
13-14	Wed-Thurs	Registration and orientation for new transfer students
14	Thursday	Registration and orientation for new graduate students
15	Friday	Registration for graduate non matriculated students
15	Friday	Registration for undergraduate non-matriculated students (spring and summer)
18	Monday	Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday Day; Community day of service; College closed
19	Tuesday	Classes begin (full-term and sub-term A)
19-26	Tues-Tues	Drop/add period (full-term and sub-term A)
19-25	Tues-Mon	Distance education orientations
26	Tuesday	Deadline to drop full-term and sub-term A course(s) with a 100% refund
26	Tuesday	Deadline to file FERPA hold to prevent release of student information

FEBRUARY '16

1	Monday	Deadline to file Spring 2016 graduation application without financial penalty
2	Tuesday	Deadline to withdraw from sub-term A course(s) with a 50% refund (part time students only)
9	Tuesday	Deadline to withdraw from full-term course(s) with a 50% refund (part time students only)
15	Monday	President's Day Holiday; Normal campus operations
17	Wednesday	Board of trustees meeting
26	Friday	Deadline to withdraw from sub-term A course(s) with a W grade

MARCH '16

04-07	Fri-Sun	Sub-term B drop/add period
5	Saturday	Sub-term A classes end
6	Sunday	Sub-term B classes begin
8	Tuesday	Deadline to drop sub-term B course(s) with a 100% refund
12-20	Sat-Sun	Spring Break; No classes for 2 Saturdays
21	Monday	Fall 2016 pre-registration schedule of classes posted (view only)
25	Friday	Deadline to withdraw from sub-term B course(s) with a 50% refund (part time students only)
25	Friday	Holiday; Normal campus operations
29	Tuesday	Preceptorial Advising Day; No classes
30-31	Wed-Thurs	Seniors (with 96+ earned credits) and matriculated graduate students preregister

APRIL '16

4-5	Mon-Tue	Juniors (with 64-95 earned credits) preregister
6	Wednesday	Preceptorial Advising Day; No classes
7-8	Thurs- Fri	Sophomores (with 32-63 earned credits) preregister
8	Friday	Deadline to withdraw from full-term course(s) with a W grade
11-12	Mon-Tue	Freshmen (with 0-31 earned credits) preregister
21	Thursday	Deadline to withdraw from sub-term B course(s) with a W grade
29	Friday	Spring term classes end

MAY '16

2	Monday	Reading day
3-9	Tue-Fri, Mon	Extended Week
4	Wednesday	Board of trustees meeting
9	Monday	Term ends
11	Wednesday	Grades due for graduating students by 8:00AM
12	Thursday	Doctoral and master's commencement ceremony
15	Sunday	Spring term 2016 undergraduate commencement ceremony
20	Friday	Grades due for non-graduating students

February 18, 2015

**THE RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY
BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

RESOLUTION

**TO OFFER AN INTERDISCIPLINARY DOCTOR OF EDUCATION (Ed.D.) PROGRAM IN
ORGANIZATIONAL LEADERSHIP**

- WHEREAS,** the College mission statement affirms our belief “that the breadth inherent in an interdisciplinary approach to liberal education both prepares students for inevitable career changes, and enriches their lives”; and
- WHEREAS,** the graduate mission statement further affirms that the College “provides quality graduate programs which promote advanced inquiry and application of new knowledge, foster advanced-level career opportunities, and transmit our cultural and intellectual heritage in all its diversity”; and
- WHEREAS,** the Learning theme of the 2020 Strategic Plan affirms that “Stockton College is committed to fostering a climate of lifelong learning that challenges and continually transforms all members of the Stockton community,” and
- WHEREAS,** the shared governance bodies of the College have jointly approved of a faculty-proposed Interdisciplinary Ed.D. program in Organizational Leadership as an embodiment of these affirmations, and
- WHEREAS,** such a program responds to the demonstrated market demands of the non-profit leadership sector of southern New Jersey, and
- WHEREAS,** a consultant was engaged to review and make recommendations regarding the proposal of the faculty, concurring in the recommendation; and so therefore be it
- RESOLVED,** that the Board of Trustees approves and authorizes the administration to notify the New Jersey higher education community of our intent to offer the Ed.D. in Organizational Leadership, and subsequent to review consistent with the Higher Education Restructuring Act, take all necessary steps to implement the program.

February 18, 2015

December 9, 2014

Dear Provost Kesselman,

The Research and Professional Development Committee, joined by Daniel Tomé, met Tuesday, Dec. 2 and Friday, Dec. 5 to discuss and vote on the proposals for the pilot round of scholarship of engagement funding. We reviewed 8 proposals for a total of \$71, 473 in requested funding. We recommend funding 4 projects for a total of \$25, 400.

The projects support research that furthers the scholarly goals of individual faculty members and engages with citizens in local communities in Atlantic City, Atlantic County, Hammonton, and the South Jersey region. Most of the projects below also involve Stockton students in learning opportunities. Scholarship will include:

Last Name	First Name	School	Project Title	Amount Awarded
Bonnan-White	Jessica	SOBL	Developing Researcher-Practitioner Relationships in Emergency Management: Using a Service-Learning Model to Engage Students in Academic "Translation"	\$ 3, 200.00
Conran-Folks	Eileen	PROV	Partnering to Preserve the Past - A Collaboration between The Richard Stockton College and Hammonton's Sesquicentennial Planning Committee	\$ 7,200.00
Erbaugh Jacobson	Betsy Kristin	SOBL	Community and Student Engagement: Report on the Status of Women in Atlantic County	\$ 9, 200.00
White	Meg	EDUC	The Urban Teacher Academy at Stockton	\$ 5, 800.00

Sincerely,

Heather McGovern

Chair, Research and Professional Development Committee/Associate Professor of Writing

December 11, 2014

Dear Provost Kesselman,

A subcommittee of the R&PD committee met today with Paula Dollarhide of Academic Advising to review two proposals for the \$5,400 available for Provost Faculty Opportunity Funds for Academic Advising.

We recommend funding Christine Gayda-Chelder for the project "Weaving Wellness Into Academic Advising and Teaching: Tools and Techniques for Success" for \$833.00.

The other application was from a staff member, who was not eligible.

We encourage you to discuss the future of this pot of funding with Academic Advising and other interested parties as there has not been much competition for it.

Sincerely,

Heather McGovern
Chair, Research and Professional Development Committee
Associate Professor of Writing

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RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY

MEMORANDUM

To: Harvey Kesselman, Provost & Executive Vice President
From: Heather McGovern, R&PD Committee Chair, Associate Prof. of Writing
Date: December 12, 2014
Subject: Recommendations for 3rd quarter PFOF funding

The Call for Proposals for the \$7,500 available for PFOF for the third quarter of FY 15 resulted in applications from 9 faculty members requesting a total of \$15,106.51. These were reviewed by a subcommittee of the R&PD Committee on Dec. 11.

We recommend support of the eight projects listed below at the level of funding indicated, which exhausts this quarter's budget. Thank you for supporting faculty scholarship, creative activity, and community engagement.

I also wish to thank the deans for their commitment to support this quarter's projects.

Allison, Donnetrice. ARHU. "Hip Hop Summit 2015: Issues and Perspectives." \$1,000. ARHU contribution, \$500.

Cesar, Donovan. SOBL. "Gardens and Community Engagement: Measuring the success of the AtlantiCare Growing Green Program." \$1,800. SOBL contribution, \$200.

Del Rossi, Lauren. HLTH. "Using Google glass to Give Doctor of Physical Therapy Students a New Point of View." \$362.50. HLTH contribution—unclear as originally HLTH committed to \$185, but that may have been conditional upon our recommending \$1500 in funding, which we did not (we believe a less expensive small video camera could allow the same research to proceed).

McDonald, Michelle. ARHU. "Conference Participation: 1) Organization of Amer. Historians and 2) Assoc. of Caribbean Historians Board Participation." \$1,000. ARHU contribution, \$750.

Shobe, Elizabeth. SOBL. "Can the left hemisphere conceptualize emotion?" \$275. SOBL contribution, \$0.

Spitzer, Lois. EDUC. "Internationalizing the Curriculum: Reaching New Horizons to Enhance Global Learning." \$362.50. EDUC contribution, \$200.

Wang, Jinchang. BUSN. "A Research on Artificial Intelligence and Consciousness." \$2,000. BUSN Contribution, \$1,000.

Zucconi, Laura. ARHU. "Central Timna Valley Excavation." \$700. ARHU contribution, \$200.

December 9, 2014
 Dear Provost Kesselman,

The Research and Professional Development Committee met Friday, Dec. 5 to discuss and vote on mini-round proposals. We reviewed 17 proposals for a total of \$24,885.73 of requested funding. We received an 18th proposal (the amount requested is included in the total in the previous sentence), but it was the second proposal from one applicant. Because applicants can only submit one proposal per round, we could not consider it. The round included one of the strongest groups of proposals we have received, allowing us to support all eligible proposals—we cut the total requested down to our budget amount by cutting per diems, local travel reimbursement, and other funding requests we deemed less necessary.

We recommend funding the 17 proposals listed below, for a total of \$22,000, the total amount available to us in the mini round. The proposals involve faculty from 5 of the academic Schools (no proposals from GENS or the Library). The proposals include new faculty, tenured faculty, and collaborations. The projects support research that furthers the scholarly and creative goals of the individual faculty while in many cases also aligning with engagement, learning, globalization, and/or sustainability.

Allison	Donnetrice	ARHU	A Critical Analysis of <i>Django Unchained</i> as a form of Cinematic Amnesia	\$ 1,025.00
Bonnan	Matthew	NAMS	An Exploratory 3-D Motion Study of the Rat Forearm: Implications for Forelimb Movements in Fossil Mammals	\$ 502.00
Bonnan-White	Jessica	SOBL	Partners in Emergency Preparedness Conference, Seattle, WA	\$ 1,074.00
Boakes	Norma	EDUC	Crossing Borders with Origami in Mathematics Education	\$ 1,022.00
Bukowski	Elaine	HLTH	Creating Study/Review Aids for DPT Students with On-Demand Access	\$ 2,400.00
Cohn Rajamaran	Pamela Shanti	NAMS	Mechanistic effects of Sonication-assisted Mitsunobu Reaction in Organic Chemistry	\$ 1,872.00
Figart	Deb	EDUC	Two Presentations: Paper and Summer School, 15th World Congress of Social Economics	\$ 770.00
Fleck	Jessica	SOBL	Promoting Brain Health: Cognitive Maintenance and Enhancement Presentations for Successful Aging	\$ 850.00
Haria Tracy-Bronson	Priti Chelsea	EDUC	Enhancing Literacy Development in an Inclusive Setting: implementation of Reading and Writing Common Core Standards	\$ 1,600.00
Kazi	Nazia	SOBL	Critical Muslim Studies and Islamic Representative Organizations	\$ 1,680.00

Kim	Jaemin	BUSN	The effects of LEED Certification on environmental innovativeness of colleges	\$ 944.00
Koh	Adeline	ARHU	Digitizing Chinese Englishmen	\$ 1,100.00
Scaffidi	Rose	HLTH	Postpartum Hemorrhage Study	\$ 1,500.00
Ueno-Olsen	Hannah	ARHU	Solo Exhibition and Artist Talk: NJ Emerging Artists Series in Digital Arts, Monmouth Museum	\$ 1,800.00
Wharton	Linda	SOBL	Advancing Women's Rights: The Role and Evolution of Public Interest Legal Organizations	\$ 2,211.00
Wu	Chia-Lin	NAMS	Stockton Coastal Collaborative and the Common Core State Standards (CCSS)	\$ 1,650.00

Sincerely,

Heather McGovern
Chair, Research and Professional Development Committee
Associate Professor of Writing

THE RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

RESOLUTION

FY15-17 BID WAIVERS

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 18A:64-56 (The State College Contracts Law) authorizes college Boards of Trustees to approve waivers of the public bid process for procurement of specified goods and services in furtherance of the missions of the state colleges, and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees finds the following purchases, contracts and agreements have met the criteria for award without public bid under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 18A:64-56, therefore, be it

RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees of The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey authorizes the President or the President's designee to enter into contracts with the vendors indicated on the attached list, under the bid waiver provisions of the State College Contracts Law.

Vendors & Categories

FY and Amount

Data Processing

ERA Software Systems, Inc. (515026)

FY15-FY17 \$84,160

This bid waiver is for grants management software that will assist the college with ensuring compliance with college procedures and external sponsors' regulations. This particular software is specialized and will permit the creation of profiles that will populate the data necessary to complete sponsor forms while ensuring data consistency, eliminating manual data entry and providing the convenient retrieval of important information. The startup cost for the software is \$13,600, which includes project management and staff training. The annual cost for the use of the system will be \$23,520 per year for the next three years. (Reference: N.J.S.A.18A:64-56 (a) [19])

FiberTechnologies Networks (515031)

FY15-FY17 \$72,000

This bid waiver is for the Stockton Island Campus and it will supply high-speed internet, security, and video communications from Stockton's Galloway Main campus to Stockton's Island Campus in Atlantic City. Competitive quotes were obtained from Fibertech and Comcast, both Competitive Local Exchange Carriers (CLECs) tariffed by the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities. Both Fibertech and Comcast have current facilities in both locations which enable them to provide aggressive pricing. In addition, they are in the best position to deliver the services quickly and efficiently. Fibertech provided the most competitive pricing and is able to provide the services in a shorter time frame than Comcast. (Reference: N.J.S.A.18A:64-56 (a) [19])

Insurance

Willis of New Jersey, Inc. (515030)

FY15 \$403,500

This bid waiver will provide Commercial Property Insurance for the Island Campus property. (Reference: N.J.S.A.18A:64-56 (a) [11])

Entertainment

Panic Touring Inc. (515033)

FY15 \$72,000

This bid waiver will provide the band for the annual music concert planned by the Stockton Entertainment Team (SET) for the student body. The genre of artist is selected through surveys issued to the student body and then an acceptable artist is selected within the budget. The concert will be held on April 17, 2015 in the Sports Center. (Reference: N.J.S.A.18A:64-56 (a) [16])

Professional Consulting Services

Public Financial Management, Inc. (515032)

FY15 \$41,500

This bid waiver will provide professional financial consulting services to assist the College in developing a financing approach for the current refunding of the Series 2005F and advance funding of Series 2006F Bonds. Public Financial Management, Inc. will assist the college with the preparation of a Request for Proposal (RFP) and selection of a private placement provider and/or assist with the selection of an investment banking proposal for a public issuance for all or part of the financing. (Reference: N.J.S.A.18A:64-56 (a) [15])

Services Through Public Utilities

South Jersey Energy Company (515029)

FY15 \$200,000

This bid waiver is for the Stockton Island Campus and it will supply natural gas for the two main boilers at the Stockton Island Campus from January 15, 2015 through March 15, 2015. Due to the termination of the existing gas supply contract by the previous owner, immediate supply of natural gas was necessary in light of the seasonal below freezing temperatures. The continued supply of natural gas was required to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the building occupants. South Jersey Energy was the existing supplier to the facility and the only company that could immediately supply the gas to the facility. The College complied with the Emergency Contract Procedures set forth in the N.J.S.A. 18A:64-57. (Reference: N.J.S.A.18A:64-56 (a) [08])

Student Related Services

YMCA Camp Ockanickon, Inc. (516001)

FY16 \$40,000

This bid waiver is for the registration fees for the Stockton Orientation Retreat, scheduled for August 25-27, 2015. The registration fee includes lodging, food, ropes courses, and other activities for approximately 300 new students, returning student leaders, faculty and staff. Other camps were contacted for quotes but were not able to accommodate the retreat for reasons such as space, religious preference and distance. The other camps contacted were: Haluwasa, Hope, Mount Misery, Stony Acres and Lake Greely. (Reference: N.J.S.A.18A:64-56 (a) [17])

February 18, 2015

THE RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
RESOLUTION

BID WAIVERS

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 18A:64-56 (The State College Contracts Law) authorizes college Boards of Trustees to approve waivers of the public bid process for procurement of specified goods and services in furtherance of the missions of the state colleges, and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees finds the following purchases, contracts and agreements have met the criteria for award without public bid under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 18A:64-56, therefore, be it

RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees of The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey authorizes the President or the President's designee to enter into contracts with the vendors indicated on the attached list, under the bid waiver provisions of the State College Contracts Law.

Vendor & Category

FY and Amount

Specialized Machinery or Equipment

Electrical Geodesics, Inc. (515028)

FY15 \$46,690

This bid waiver is for the purchase of an EEG System 400 with imac machine. The current system, purchased seven years ago, is quite dated and failing. Scholarship involving the EEG system (that measures brain activity) is a vital component of ongoing research involving older adult community members. It is also vital to student training in behavioral neuroscience, a growing minor that serves psychology, biology and health majors. This lab equipment is essential to the scholarship of our psychology faculty. If purchased before the end of the year, there is a \$24,000 savings, original cost – approximately \$71,000.00 This is a sole-source vendor. (Reference: N.J.S.A.18A:64-56 (a) [03, 1016])

February 18, 2015 [*Preauthorized by Executive Committee on December 22, 2014*]

THE RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

RESOLUTION

Authorization of Bid Waivers: Contracts Related to Stockton Island Campus

- WHEREAS,** N.J.S.A. 18A:64-56 (the State College contract Law) authorized college Boards of Trustees to approve waivers of the public bid process for procurement of specified goods and services in furtherance of the missions of the state colleges, and
- WHEREAS,** the College purchased the former Showboat Casino in Atlantic City on December 12, 2014, with the intent to transform the property into Stockton's Island Campus and
- WHEREAS,** the College wishes to operate the hotel or condo portion of the property by late spring and to hold summer session classes at the property, and
- WHEREAS,** certain contracts that fall within the purview of N.J.S.A. 18A:64-56 must be executed on behalf of the college in order to prepare and operate the property for the aforementioned purposes by late spring, and
- WHEREAS,** the frequency of the Board of Trustees schedule of meetings is limited, and the necessary contracts are "time is of the essence," therefore, be it
- RESOLVED,** That the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees of The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey hereby preauthorizes the President or the President's designee to enter into all such contracts necessary to prepare and operate the Stockton Island Campus for the aforementioned purposes, and that all contracts entered into under the bid waiver provisions of the State College Contracts Law shall subsequently be presented to the Board of Trustees at the next regularly scheduled Board meeting.

February 18, 2015 [*Preauthorized by Executive Committee on January 12, 2015*]

THE RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

RESOLUTION

TUITION AND FEES EFFECTIVE FOR 2015 SUMMER SESSION
AT THE ISLAND CAMPUS

- WHEREAS,** the Board of Trustees has maintained a tuition policy that affirms the College's adherence to the following principles: 1) maintain a strong commitment to access, excellence, and increasing minority enrollments; 2) maintain a commitment to facilities maintenance and educational support; 3) develop and maintain an appropriate working fund balance; and 4) maintain or improve the academic index of regular admission students; and
- WHEREAS,** the Board of Trustees recognizes its responsibility to ensure that institutional resources match and advance institutional goals and priorities to enable the effective accomplishment of the College's mission; and
- WHEREAS,** the Board of Trustees recognizes the desirability of establishing competitive tuition and fee rates that are attractive to students for the summer semester; and
- WHEREAS,** the Board of Trustees recognizes the need to promote summer courses at the new Island campus; and
- WHEREAS,** the Board of Trustees recognizes that many summer residents of Atlantic City and the surrounding area are from out of state and attend other colleges; therefore be it
- RESOLVED,** that the Board of Trustees approves the following Tuition rate for the 2015 summer semester: Any undergraduate who enrolls in at least one course at the Island campus will be eligible for a flat-rate summer tuition. Under this plan, one four-credit course will cost \$1,537.04 tuition and fees, two-to-three courses (8 to 12 credits) will cost \$3,074.08, and each additional four-credit course will cost \$1,537.04.

February 18, 2015

**THE RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY
BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

RESOLUTION

TUITION RATE FOR ATLANTICARE MSN PROGRAM

- WHEREAS,** the College has a graduate program that offers baccalaureate prepared nurses the opportunity to complete the requirements for an MSN degree with specialty certification as an Adult Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner;
- WHEREAS,** there is a shortage of qualified nurse practitioners to provide primary care to members of the community;
- WHEREAS,** increasing access to this program will benefit the residents of the region by increasing the number of professionals qualified to provide to primary care; and
- WHEREAS,** increasing access to this program will benefit healthcare community partners such as AtlantiCare by enabling them to meet current and future workforce needs; and
- WHEREAS,** AtlantiCare has access to multiple facilities throughout the region that can provide clinical practicum placements to their employees who are enrolled as students in Stockton’s MSN program; and
- WHEREAS,** the College has a special commitment to meet the needs of AtlantiCare by offering a bundled, per credit tuition and fee rate that reflects a 20% reduction for graduate courses; and
- WHEREAS,** the bundled, per credit tuition and fee rate will be subject to college-wide changes in tuition and fees; and
- WHEREAS,** the terms of this partnership will be reviewed annually with special attention to number of students enrolled at Stockton and clinical practicum placements for the MSN students at Stockton; therefore be it
- RESOLVED,** that the Board of Trustees approves the following all-inclusive per credit tuition rate effective with the fall semester 2015, applicable only to AtlantiCare employees enrolled in the MSN program:

Based on FY 15 rates

Graduate all inclusive charge	Per Credit Hour
Current In-State per-credit charge	\$742.18
20% Discount In-State per-credit charge	\$593.74
Current Out-of-State per-credit charge	\$1,049.93
20% Discount Out-of-State per-credit charge	\$839.94

February 18, 2015

THE RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

RESOLUTION

INCREASE IN BID-WAIVERED CONTRACTS

- WHEREAS,** P.L. 1986, C.42 and C.43 (The State College Autonomy Law and the State College Contracts Law) authorize college Boards of Trustees to take necessary actions for effective fiscal and operational management of the state colleges; and
- WHEREAS,** the Board of Higher Education approved on November 21; 1986, Purchasing Policies and Procedures, as enacted by the Stockton Board of Trustees on October 15, 1986, to implement the above statutes; and
- WHEREAS,** these Policies and Procedures specify that public bidding procedures may be waived for certain goods and services as specified in the State College Contracts Law; and
- WHEREAS,** the Board of Trustees of The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey has previously approved a waiver of public bidding for each of the below named vendors; and
- WHEREAS,** the contract with each of the below named vendors must be increased to accomplish the purposes of the bid waiver as specified below; and
- WHEREAS,** the increase in each of the contracts with the below named vendors requires the approval of the Board of Trustees, now, therefore be it
- RESOLVED,** that the Board of Trustees of The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey authorizes the President or the President's designee to enter into contracts with the vendors indicated on the attached list, under the bid waiver provisions of the State College Contracts Law.

Vendor & Category

Professional Services

Sykes O'Connor Saleron Hazaveh PA dba SOSH Architects PA	(514044)	
	Requested Amount	\$10,646
	Previously Approved Contract Amount	\$148,000
	Recommended Contract Amount	\$158,646

This request is for an increase to the bid waiver that was approved in February of 2014 for professional design services relating to the replacement of nine exterior stair towers and five interior passenger elevators that had exceeded their useful life and were in need of replacement. This increase is for graphic design services for new elevator locator signs that are required to comply with the administration's Wayfinding Initiative to assist visitors on Campus. (Reference: N.J.S.A. 18A:64-56 (a) (01))

Utilities

South Jersey Gas Co. (514008)	FY14 \$700,000
Previous Approved Contract Amount:	\$600,000
Recommended Contract Amount:	\$1,300,000

This bid waiver increase request is for Stockton's Island Campus for transportation and use of existing infrastructure owned and operated by this public utility company for the period covering January 2015 through June 2015. The original bid waiver request was approved in May of 2013 for the same services for the College Campus. This is a sole source vendor. (Reference: N.J.S.A.18A:64-56 (a) [08])

February 18, 2015

RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY

Operational Budget Status Report

Main Campus

Period Ending January 31, 2015

Operational Budget			
REVENUE	Original Budget	FY15 Year to Date Revenues	% Realized
State Appropriation	\$ 19,839,000.00	11,572,750.00	58%
Central Appropriation*	27,132,000.00	10,750,522.40	40%
Undergraduate Tuition	58,725,267.99	59,574,246.86	101%
Graduate Tuition	7,366,186.66	7,368,292.91	100%
Educational & General Fee	13,100,092.37	13,324,222.81	102%
Facilities Fee	5,527,823.25	5,620,316.19	102%
Other Fees/Income	2,841,988.13	2,195,946.53	77%
Summer Gross Revenue	4,500,000.00	1,682,241.28	37%
Admin Cost Recovery	2,337,827.27	242,269.68	10%
Investment Income	4,000,000.00	156,537.39	4%
TOTAL REVENUE	\$ 145,370,185.67	\$ 112,487,346.05	77%
Fund Balance	9,968,638.17	-	0%
Total Available funds	\$ 155,338,823.84	\$ 112,487,346.05	72%

*Central Appropriation is an estimated amount that the State pays for fringe benefits.
The College reimburses the State on a quarterly basis for non-state funded positions and auxiliaries.

Organizational Title			
EXPENSES	Original Budget	FY15 Year to Date Expenses	% Realized
President	\$ 3,593,736.56	1,180,037.79	33%
Academic Affairs	66,968,817.30	33,555,455.93	50%
Student Affairs	8,463,999.86	4,550,992.20	54%
Development	1,387,942.46	838,375.55	60%
External Affairs	2,956,427.55	1,558,228.75	53%
Administration & Finance	9,335,314.57	4,992,086.74	53%
Plant	8,607,102.57	4,654,789.04	54%
Student Aid	12,530,000.00	6,201,441.00	49%
Inst. General	11,863,482.97	6,153,937.93	52%
Fringe Benefits	29,632,000.00	12,525,163.11	42%
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 155,338,823.84	\$ 76,210,508.04	49%

Please note that expenses do not include Depreciation or Internal Capital Projects

RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY
Operational Budget Status Report
Island Campus
Period Ending January 31, 2015

Operational Budget			
REVENUE	Original Budget	FY15 Year to Date Revenues	% Realized
State Appropriation	\$ -	-	
Central Appropriation*	-	-	
Undergraduate Tuition	-	-	
Graduate Tuition	-	-	
Educational & General Fee	-	-	
Facilities Fee	-	-	
Other Fees/Income	-	-	
Summer Gross Revenue	-	-	
Admin Cost Recovery	-	-	
Investment Income	-	-	
TOTAL REVENUE	\$ -	\$ -	
Fund Balance	-	-	
Total Available funds	\$ -	\$ -	
Organizational Title			
EXPENSES	Original Budget	FY15 Year to Date Expenses	% Realized
President	\$ -	-	
Academic Affairs	-	-	
Student Affairs	-	-	
Development	-	-	
External Affairs	-	-	
Administration & Finance	298,200.00	-	0%
Plant	200,000.00	4,149.92	2%
Student Aid	-	-	
Inst. General	1,775,000.00	40.56	0%
Fringe Benefits	-	-	
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 2,273,200.00	\$ 4,190.48	0%

Please note that expenses do not include Capital Projects

RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY

**Operational Budget Status Report
Auxiliaries & Independent Operations
Period Ending January 31, 2015**

Auxiliaries Budget			
REVENUE	Original Budget	FY15 Year to Date Revenues	% Realized
Housing	23,121,697.07	24,192,115.49	105%
Student Life	14,066,019.80	12,699,002.47	90%
Recreational Program	1,426,574.43	1,378,242.59	97%
TOTAL REVENUE	\$ 38,614,291.30	\$ 38,269,360.55	99%
Fund Balance	979,653.67	-	0%
Total Available funds	\$ 39,593,944.97	\$ 38,269,360.55	97%
Organization Title EXPENSES			
Organization Title EXPENSES	Original Budget	FY15 Year to Date Expenses	% Realized
Housing	23,121,697.07	9,475,364.86	41%
Student Life	14,915,457.74	7,345,470.36	49%
Recreational Program	1,556,790.16	766,392.72	49%
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 39,593,944.97	\$ 17,587,227.94	44%
Independent Operations Budget			
REVENUE	Original Budget	FY15 Year to Date Revenues	% Realized
Seaview HTMS	20,929,433.00	9,810,293.71	47%
TOTAL REVENUE	\$ 20,929,433.00	\$ 9,810,293.71	47%
Organization Title EXPENSES			
Organization Title EXPENSES	Original Budget	FY15 Year to Date Expenses	% Realized
Seaview HTMS	20,929,433.00	8,656,693.61	41%
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 20,929,433.00	\$ 8,656,693.61	41%

Please note that expenses do not include Depreciation or Internal Capital Projects

RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY

Operational Budget Status Report

Agencies & Special Programs

Period Ending January 31, 2015

Agencies Budget		FY15	
REVENUE	Original Budget	Year to Date Revenues**	% Realized
Health Activity Program	1,425,790.81	1,377,567.00	97%
Student Activity Program	968,956.34	909,571.45	94%
TOTAL REVENUE	\$ 2,394,747.15	\$ 2,287,138.45	96%
Fund Balance	126,080.33	-	-
Total Available funds	\$ 2,520,827.48	\$ 2,287,138.45	91%
Organization Title		FY15	
EXPENSES	Original Budget	Year to Date Expenses	% Realized
Health Activity Program	1,527,686.62	677,843.91	44%
Student Activity Program	993,140.86	519,111.50	52%
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 2,520,827.48	\$ 1,196,955.41	47%
Special Programs Budget		FY15	
REVENUE	Original Budget	Year to Date Revenues	% Realized
Special Program	2,834,238.49	1,208,155.40	43%
TOTAL REVENUE	\$ 2,834,238.49	\$ 1,208,155.40	43%
Organization Title		FY15	
EXPENSES	Original Budget	Year to Date Expenses	% Realized
Special Program	2,834,238.49	744,585.15	26%
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 2,834,238.49	\$ 744,585.15	26%

Please note that expenses do not include Depreciation or Internal Capital Projects