

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

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Dear Harold Washington College Community,

This week concludes peak registration, and we are up to 4,202 home college HWC students enrolled! I want to take this time to thank everyone in our admissions, financial aid, registrar, testing, advising and transfer, business office, faculty, and volunteers from the college and district office. Thank you for dedicating your time to assisting students and guiding them through this critical time. As peak registration continues next week, let us all continue to support our colleagues in efforts to increase our enrollment and retention.

Save the date for the State of the College scheduled for Friday, September 9, 2022, from 10 am-12 pm. More details to come.

This fall we will continue with Phoenix Friday! You are encouraged to wear your Phoenix T-shirts or polo shirts. If you have not picked up your college apparel, please visit my office for assistance.

As always, I am open to talking about your ideas. Feel free to join me during my office hours on Wednesdays from 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm for faculty, staff, and students via [Zoom](#) and Thursdays from 5 pm – 6 pm for HWC (Harold Washington College) students via [Zoom](#).

Have a great weekend!

Here are the College Updates for this week:

- **Credit Enrollment Update (August 26, 2022)**
- Fall 2022 – 16, 12, and 8-week sessions - Headcount: 4,202; Credit Hour: 48,862. (Counting credit hours for all CCC students registered for courses held at HWC). Registration for Fall 2022 continues. To learn more about our registration process, click [here](#).
- **Welcome Week Activities**
 - Social Media Competition – Please forward a photo of yourself wearing HWC colors to williams806@ccc.edu by Friday, September 9th. The photo will be posted on HWC's Facebook page. The person with the most likes by Monday, September 16th will win a bag of HWC Swag! For more information, please click [here](#).
- **At Home Testing Kits**

At-home iHealth over-the-counter COVID-19 Antigen Rapid Tests are available for free, for your personal use, while supplies last. You can obtain your tests by visiting the Security Office (Room 206). Safety and security will pass out tests to faculty and staff in the coming weeks. Students can obtain their tests from student services.

- **More N95 Masks!**

All in-person employees can now receive a total of 16 N95 masks (An initial allocation of 10 masks *plus an added 6 masks*). You can obtain your masks by visiting the Security Office (Room 206). As always, disposable surgical masks will remain available at the lobby security desk.

- **Employee Directory**

Fall 2022 updates will be released in the coming weeks.

- **Library Announcements**

August 2022 Library Newsletter is [now available](#).

- **Faculty and Staff Accomplishments**

We are excited to [share](#) recent accomplishments from our faculty, staff members, and students. Please send accomplishments to Maggie West, Community Relations Strategist at mwest28@ccc.edu.

- Celia C. Perez, Librarian and Library Department Chair, a third middle-grade novel, [Tumble](#) (Published by Kokila, an imprint of Penguin Young Readers) came out this month. It has received six-star reviews. Her second middle-grade novel, *Strange Birds* (Kokila, an imprint of Penguin Young Readers, 2019) is the 2022 Florida selection for the National Book Festival's [Great Reads from Great Places](#).

- **Building Façade Update**

The façade project has stalled. Unfortunately, we are experiencing supply chain issues in obtaining construction supplies. We apologize for the inconvenience.

Featured Upcoming Events:

- **For a complete list of announcements please visit the [HWC Announcements page](#). The [HWC Events Calendar](#) lists all upcoming events for students, faculty, staff, and the public.**

Full-Time Permanent Personnel Updates and Searches (August 26, 2022)

- **Assistant Business Manager** – Interviews in progress.
- **Assistant Registrar** – Position posted.
- **Associate Dean Student Services and Liaison of Undocumented Students** – Position posted.
- **Associate Dean of Instruction** – Interviews in progress.
- **Building Coordinator** – Candidate identified.

- **Clinical Counselor** – Position posted.
- **College Advisor (3)** – Position posted.
- **College Bursar I** – Position posted.
- **College Clerical Assistant, Business** – Position posted.
- **College Clerical Assistant II, Registrar** – Position posted.
- **College Financial Aid Advisor I** – Position posted.
- **College Lab Assistant II** – Position posted.
- **College Storekeeper** – Position posted.
- **Coordinator, Access Center** – Interviews scheduled.
- **Director of Research and Planning** – Interviews in progress.
- **Director, Auxiliary Services** – Position posted.
- **Director, STEM Learning (ARCOS Grant Funded)** – Interviews scheduled.
- **Engineer** – Position posted.
- **Full-Time Faculty, Librarian** – Position posted.
- **Full-Time Faculty, Software Development** – Position posted.
- **Janitor** – Position posted.
- **Dean, Center of Excellence** – Position posted.