



COLLEGE UPDATES

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

Dear Harold Washington College Community,

As we end the third week of our 16th-week session, I want to share how happy I am to see so much activity on campus and in our virtual spaces. We continue to work on enrollment, and yesterday we registered 307 students for the 12-week session. Thank you all for your efforts, especially the student services staff and Associate Dean Bowens for leading our early college program. Let's continue with this momentum and finish strong.

This week is also the start of Hispanic Heritage Month, and I invite you to participate in a variety of events planned at the college and throughout the district over the next few weeks. Please visit the [Hispanic Heritage Month calendar](#) for more information. Reminder: wear a mask!

I am always open to talk about your ideas. Feel free to join me during my office hours via [Zoom](#) next Wednesday from 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm. Have a great weekend.

Here are the College Updates for this week:

- **Enrollment Update**

Fall 2021 – 16-week session - Headcount: 5,122, Credit Hour: 54,692

Registration for fall 12- and 8-week classes remains open. To learn more about our registration process, click [here](#).

- **Fall 2021 Phoenix Alumni Leadership Panel**

Rockstar HWC Alumni who were leaders on campus and who transferred to their new four-year dream schools and will be co-hosted by the HWC Student Activities Office and the HWC Transfer Center. If you would like to learn more about the event click [here](#).

- **Faculty/Staff Accomplishments Requested**

We are in the process of collecting information to update this webpage [link](#). Please forward accomplishments to Shiang-Kwei Wang, Vice President of Academic and Student Affairs at swang56@ccc.edu

- **Library Newsletter**

For access click [here](#).

- **Parking Updates**

Please click [here](#) for the latest information.

- **General HWC Announcements** are updated weekly and can be found [here](#). The [HWC Events Calendar](#) lists all upcoming events for students, faculty, staff, and the public.

- **Office of Information Technology (OIT)** will be conducting a disaster recovery test on October 2nd, 2021 which will have variable impact to services on Saturday. Please plan accordingly. List of impacted services can be found [here](#).

- **Employee Above & Beyond**

Have you observed an employee go above and beyond? Don't forget to nominate today!
[Above and Beyond Nomination Form](#)

Congratulations and Welcome to the following new hires:

- **Director of Strategic Initiatives**

Please take a moment to help welcome Laina Pond, our new Director of Strategic Initiatives, to the Harold Washington family. Laina comes to us from St. Louis Community College where she was the Process Improvement Manager!

Personnel Updates and Searches:

- **Clinical Director – Wellness Center** – Finalist submitted for October Board. Committee members: Jackie Werner, LaNisha Thomas, Janea Vinson, Nicolette Radford, Felicia Robinson-Silas, Anne Althoff. Interim Lead and for questions contact: Jackie Werner (jwerner9@ccc.edu), Dean of Student Services.
- **Assistant Director, Security** – Search in progress. Interim Lead and for questions contact: Bernessa Tate (btruvillion@ccc.edu), Director of Security.
- **Associate Dean of Advising and Transitions** – Search in progress. Committee members: Rachel Iannantuoni, Kim Bowens, Lisa Hernandez, Cristina Carrillo, Aja Humphreys. For questions contact: Jackie Werner (jwerner9@ccc.edu), Dean of Student Services.
- **Engineer** – Finalist submitted for October Board. Interim Lead and for questions contact: Jeremy Gonzalez (jgonzalez373@ccc.edu), Chief Engineer.
- **Associate Dean of Student Services** – Finalist submitted for October Board. Committee members: Felicia Robinson-Silas, Veronica Villanueva, Martha Silva, Jackie Werner, Ingrid Riedle, Bara Sarraj. For questions contact: Jackie Werner (jwerner9@ccc.edu), Dean of Student Services.
- **Associate Dean – Career Programs** – Position posted. For questions contact: Jackie Werner (jwerner9@ccc.edu), Dean of Student Services.
- **College Clerical Assistant** – Position posted. For questions contact: Kim Bowens (kbowens3@ccc.edu), Associate Dean of Instruction.
- **Dean of Instruction** – Position posted. For questions contact: Shiang-Kwei Wang (swang56@ccc.edu), Vice President of Academic and Student Affairs.
- **Human Resources Director** – Position posted. For questions contact: Linh Williams (williams806@ccc.edu), Director of Special Projects.

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