

HAROLD WASHINGTON COLLEGE
CITY COLLEGES OF CHICAGO

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

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Dear Harold Washington College Community,

I am delighted to share that our college was awarded a \$220,000 grant from the Illinois Community College Board (ICCB). This grant will allow us to create a college bridge program to support first-year students as they start their academic journey with us. The grant will also allow us to develop a peer mentoring program and strengthen our wrap-around services for students. Congratulations to Vice President Theresa Carlton, Dean of Instruction, Aimee Krall-Lanoue, and Director of First-Year Experience, Veronica Villanueva for their hard work in obtaining the grant.

This week we held a very successful Fall 2022 in-person Open House. The event was broadcast live on WGCI-107.5 FM and brought to the college prospective students and families to learn about our academic and workforce offerings and extra-curricular opportunities. A big thank you to the district MARCOM team, Interim Dean of Enrollment, Kim Bowens, Associate Dean, Melissa McGlynn, the enrollment management and advising teams, and the various departments for their assistance and support.

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](#) or in person and Thursdays from 5 pm – 6 pm for HWC students hosted by Dean Jackie Werner via [Zoom](#).

Have a great weekend!

Here are the College Updates for this week:

- **Financial Aid Announcement**
 - The Financial Aid Offices will be closed districtwide for the annual Professional Development Day on Thursday, October 27th. Please advise this notice to all students.
- **Advising Announcement**
 - The Advising Office will be closed for Advisor Professional Development Day on Friday, October 28th. Please advise this notice to all students.
- **Credit Enrollment Update (October 21, 2022)**
 - Registration for Fall 2022 classes is open. To learn more about our registration process, click [here](#). Enrollment is ongoing for the 12th and 8th-week courses.
 - Fall 2022 – 16, 12, and 8-week sessions - Headcount: 5,563; Credit Hour: 58,810*

- *Counting credit hours for all CCC students registered for courses held at HWC.
- **Arts in the Dark Parade**
 - Harold Washington College will be participating in the Arts in the Dark Parade on Saturday, October 29th from 6 pm – 8 pm, with the theme, Papparazzi Ghosts, showcasing our fantastic photography program and art department. We are requesting **heavy** student presence to show our talents and school spirit. If interested, please notify Maggie West, Community Relations Strategist at mwest28@ccc.edu by the end of the day Wednesday, October 26th.
 - Arts in the Dark Halloween Parade, State Street will be closed for the duration of this parade from Wacker Dr. to Ida B. Wells.
- **At Home Testing Kits**
 - At-home iHealth over-the-counter COVID-19 Antigen Rapid Tests is 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.
- **Employee Directory**
 - Fall 2022 updates will be released in the coming weeks.
- **Library Announcements**
 - October 2022 Library Newsletter is [now available](#).
- **Zoom Stations**
 - To assist faculty and students with hybrid schedules we have designated zoom stations throughout the campus. Faculty will be able to submit a request through our classroom scheduling platform, [Astra Scheduling](#). Faculty can also request a laptop to teach their remote classes through our One-Day Laptop Check-out program by emailing Brandon Hopkins at bhopkins19@ccc.edu.
- **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.
- **Building Façade Update**
 - We have restarted the facade project and have completed painting on the south and east side of the building. We expect the installation of the signage in the next three weeks. Additionally, the protective anti-graffiti film has been replaced on the South and partially on the East side of the building.

Featured Upcoming Events:

- **Advising Midterm Meet & Greet**
 - The First Year Advising Team will be hosting a Meet and Treat advising event next Tuesday, October 25th for all students to meet their advisors and support student services staff. Giveaways as well as food to all students on a first-come-first-served basis.
- **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 (October 21, 2022)

- **Associate Dean of Student Services and Undocumented Student Liaison-** Interviews in progress.
- **Financial Aid Advisor I-** Position posted.
- **Assistant Registrar-** Position posted.
- **Case Manager II- Wellness-** Interviews scheduled.
- **College Clerical Assistant II- Advising-** Position posted.
- **College Clerical Assistant- Business-** Interviews scheduled.
- **College Clerical Assistant II- Admissions-** Position posted.
- **College Clerical Assistant II- Registrar-** Position posted.
- **College Recruiter-** Position posted.
- **Coordinator-Success Coach-** Interviews scheduled.
- **Coordinator-Success Coach - Child Development-** Position posted.
- **Dean- Enrollment-** Position posted.
- **Dean-COEB-** Position posted.
- **Director of Strategic Initiatives-** Interviews in progress.
- **Director, Aux Services-** Interviews in progress
- **FT Librarian-**Interviews in progress.
- **FT Faculty- Software Development-** Position posted.
- **Media Specialist-** Position posted.
- **Testing Specialist-** Position posted.
- **Janitor-** Position posted.