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Employee Newsletter
April 8, 2011

Upcoming Events

MetLife on Campus

April 12, HH 107
May 19, LRC 115
June 8, HH 107
10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Email dsharpe2@metlife.com or call 800-492-3553, ext. 28337 for an appointment.

TIAA-CREF on Campus

April 13
9:30 a.m. - 4 p.m., HH 107

Registration is required by calling 877-658-4221 or online at <http://www.tiaa-cref.org/moc>.

Diversity Panel Discussion

April 14
1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Join a panel of CCM staff and faculty members in an open discussion about our different Latino cultures. We will share some of the differences within our social structure, foods, family traditions and even the Spanish language.

Light refreshments will be served. Sponsored by the CCM's Diversity Committee.

Languages & ESL Coffee Hour

Invited Speaker: **Carlos Caprioli**

April 19
2:30 - 3:45 p.m., Sheffield Hall Student Lounge

Come hear Carlos Caprioli speak about Argentina and its culture, his experience learning English and the benefits of becoming bilingual and establishing his career in the United States. After the presentation, talk with our faculty about taking a language and placement for summer and fall courses. Light refreshments will be served.

Dr. Bette M. Simmons, VP of Student Development, Receives Multiple Leadership Awards

Presented by the American Association of Women in Community Colleges Mercer Chapter, Leadership Morris and the Morris County Prosecutor's Office

The American Association of Women in Community Colleges (AAWCC), Mercer Chapter, has selected Dr. Bette M. Simmons, vice president of Student Development and Enrollment Management at County College of Morris (CCM), as a recipient of its 2011 Patricia C. Donohue Leadership Award.

The award will be presented to Dr. Simmons at the AAWCC-Mercer Women Leaders Awards Breakfast on Friday, April 15, at the Conference Center at Mercer County Community College, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.

In addition to that award, Dr. Simmons has been named the recipient of the 2011 Leadership Morris Alumni Achievement Award. That award was presented to Dr. Simmons in recognition of "her distinguished leadership in helping to improve the lives of citizens in Morris County." Leadership Morris is a professional development program of the Morris County Chamber of Commerce designed for recognized business and community leaders and professionals identified for future leadership responsibilities.

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CCM's Spring Job Fair

April 20

9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., Davidson Rooms

Full-time, part-time and summer positions available. View a complete list of attending employers at www.ccm.edu/studentlife/careerservices/jobfair.aspx. Sponsored by the Office of Career Services and Cooperative Education.

County College of Morris to Hold Geriatric Conference

April 21

7:45 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

County College of Morris (CCM) will hold a one-day Geriatric Conference. This conference covers assessments and best practices in the care of the older adult. The conference is geared towards registered nurses, advanced practice nurses, licensed practical nurses and professionals in the area of allied health.

Attendees will receive six contact hours, the opportunity to network with other nursing professionals and learn the most recent updates on the care of the elderly. The fee is \$75 and includes lunch. For additional details and registration information, visit www.ccm.edu/BusinessCommunity or contact Linda Lower at ext. 5182 or llower@ccm.edu.

EOF Awards & Recognition Dinner

April 25 (Rescheduled from April 21)

6 p.m., LRC

Tricky tray fundraiser will be held in the SCC lobby between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m., and prior to the reception between 5 and 5:45 p.m. Winning tickets will be selected at the beginning of the program.

Save the Date

Foundation Scholarship Gala

May 6

The Park Avenue Club, Florham Park

Visit <http://www.ccm.edu/pdf/2011CcmGalaInviteInternal.pdf> to view our 2011 invitation with the internal ticket price of \$175 (a 50-percent discount off the regular price).

CCM Picnic

June 10

If you are interested in joining the picnic committee, email rragany-bayer@ccm.edu or call ext. 5041.

Dr. Bette M. Simmons, to Receive Awards (cont'd from page 1)

The Morris County Prosecutor's Office Community Affairs Unit also honored Dr. Simmons at its 4th Annual Women's History Month Celebration this past Wednesday.

Dr. Simmons also recently was named a "Pillar of the Profession" by the National Association of Student Personnel Administrators in recognition of her many accomplishments in the field of student development and success.

Dr. Simmons began her career in higher education at CCM in 1980 as assistant to the dean of students. She steadily rose through the ranks at CCM, having held the positions of counselor, assistant to the president and affirmative action officer, and assistant dean of student development. She was named to her current position of vice president of Student Development and Enrollment Management in 2005.

In that position, she is responsible for supervising the staff and programs in Academic Advisement, Admissions, Athletics, Campus Life, Career Services and Cooperative Education, Counseling Services and Student Success, Enrollment Management, Financial Aid, Health Services, Records and Registration, and the Women's Center.

Included among her other awards and distinctions, Dr. Simmons is the recipient of the Morristown Neighborhood House Distinguished Volunteer Award (2010), the Morris County Phenomenal Woman of the Year (2009), Thiel College Distinguished Alumni Award (2008), the Alpha Kappa Kappa Chapter of Phi Theta Kappa Award for outstanding contributions to the growth of the chapter (2007), the NASPA Latino/a Knowledge Community Award for outstanding support and encouragement of Latinos in higher education (2007), the New Jersey College Health Association

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Purchasing Deadlines for “01” General Fund Accounts

Deadline dates for FY 10/11 purchase requisitions are established to ensure that the Purchasing Department has adequate lead time to procure all goods and services for the current fiscal year.

If you are planning to purchase any capital equipment, audio-visual (AV) equipment, and/or software, email the Purchasing Department immediately. We intend to bid Audi-Visual within the next few weeks. (Also consider your AV needs for the first quarter of FY11/12.)

Miscellaneous Purchases (excludes repair & maintenance)	5/20/11
Blanket Order Change Request	5/20/11
WB Mason Office Supplies	6/03/11
Blanket Order Releases*	6/17/11
Check Enclosed Orders	6/18/11
Chartwells (Food Service)	6/17/11

*Remember to submit (if needed) a Budget Transfer form to the Budget Office prior to the May 20 deadline before processing a Blanket Order Change Request.

Note:

1. Any Blanket Order Releases sent without sufficient funds may be processed as “un-authorized purchases.”
2. Change Requests submitted with insufficient funds will be returned.
3. Deadline dates listed above represent the purchase requisition “Outstanding” status code date.

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Award in support of the promotion of college health (1998), and the Displaced Homemaker Network of New Jersey, Inc. Award for outstanding contributions to women and families (1995).

Dr. Simmons earned her bachelor’s degree in Spanish and French from Thiel College, her master’s degree in counseling and human services from Montclair University, and her doctorate in higher education administration from Seton Hall University.

Campus Book Store Window Goes Live

The Campus Book Store is going *Into the Woods*. Come by during college hour the week of April 11 and see live models from the show.

Enjoy a preview of the sights and sounds you will experience during the performance. Tickets can be reserved for the April 13 - 16 performances at the Campus Life office.

Into the Woods - Best-known, classic fairy tales are woven together with the music of Stephen Sondheim in this Tony Award-winning musical. When Cinderella, Red Riding Hood, Jack and the rest of the Grimm company pursue their wishes, they must deal with unexpected consequences. After venturing *Into the Woods*, all the characters must eventually deal with what happens after in the “Happily Ever After.”

General Admission: \$15 CCM; \$10 students, children under 12 and seniors 62 and over.

Swap and Shop

For Sale: Antares, black, 6 string guitar with hard case. Excellent condition. \$125 for both. Will sell separately. Call 201-841-9706