

# The CCMemo

County College of Morris Employee Newsletter



## CCM EVENTS

- Coffee & Conversation with President Iacono**  
Friday, March 15, 12:30 p.m., DH114.  
[View the C&C schedule](#)
- Board of Trustees Meeting**  
Tuesday, March 19, 6:30 p.m.,  
Board Room, Henderson Hall
- College Council Meeting**  
Thursday, March 28, 12:30-1:45 p.m., SH 100
- Titan Weekend**  
Friday-Sunday, May 3-5  
[Event information](#)



## CCM FACULTY SPEAKERS BUREAU CONNECTS ORGANIZATIONS TO INFORMATIVE PRESENTERS

CCM provides an easy-to-use online Faculty Speakers Bureau to help civic organizations, nonprofits and other groups find informative speakers to educate audiences.

The bureau features more than 30 full-time CCM faculty members who can speak on a wide range of topics, including American roots music, the art of memory, critical care nursing, cybersecurity, economics, fantasy and myth, journalism, landscaping, public relations, STEM careers and much more.

The service was implemented in the fall of 2015 as part of CCM’s mission to provide the larger community with exceptional programs and services.

Those interested in securing a speaker can visit the online Faculty Speaker Bureau at [www.ccm.edu/faculty-speaker-bureau](http://www.ccm.edu/faculty-speaker-bureau) to select a topic and contact the appropriate faculty member to arrange for time, location, equipment and any other details related to the desired event.



This week’s video features CCM piano instructors in Spotlight on Music: Piano Duets. It was recorded in November 2014.

[Watch the video](#)

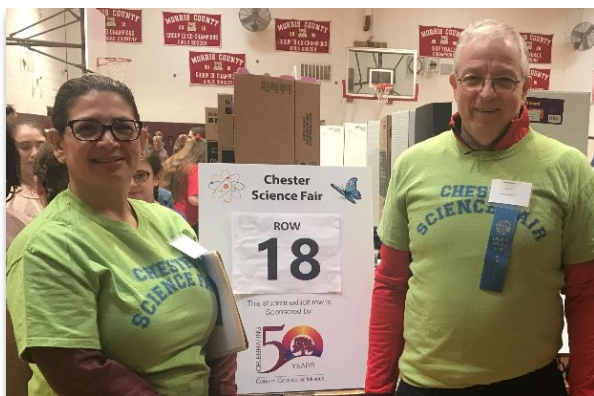
## HR CORNER

### RETIREMENT CONSULTATIONS WITH NEW JERSEY STATE APPROVED VENDORS

Save for retirement – Receive free, no pressure, retirement counseling sessions. Make your appointment today. You do not need to be a member to meet with the representatives.

**VOYA** representative Brandon Zisa will be on campus from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on March 12, April 11, May 16, June 11 and July 9 in Henderson Hall, Room 107. To make an appointment, call 732-326-5625 or email [Brandon.Zisa@voyafa.com](mailto:Brandon.Zisa@voyafa.com).

**TIAA** representative Tatiana Novozhilova will be on campus from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on March 19, April 9, May 14 and June 18 in Henderson Hall, Room 107. Call 800-732-8353 or visit [www.TIAA.org/schedulenow](http://www.TIAA.org/schedulenow) to make an appointment.



## CCM FACULTY TAKE PART IN CHESTER SCIENCE FAIR

CCM faculty once again assisted with the Chester Science Fair for K-8 students, that took place Saturday, March 2. Dr. Maria Isaza has been a judge for over 11 years and Dr. Michael Paul has been a judge for nine years (both pictured above). Professor Meimee Persau coordinates all CCM’s efforts at the fair. This year, Dr. Loryn Stoler also did a demonstration at the fair with some of her students.



## RELAX AND DISCONNECT WITH “PASTORAL MEMORIES” ALBUM

Guitarist and composer Dan Palladino, adjunct instructor in the Department of Music, Performing Arts and Music Technologies, has released an ambient/soundscape album, “Pastoral Memory.” The album plays as a 53-minute meditation piece and also is separated into seven tracks for a more concise experience. It is available at <https://danpalladino.bandcamp.com/releases/>.



## OUCH! NEWSLETTER

This month's OUCH! Newsletter focuses on how to securely wipe information when disposing of mobile devices.

[Read the newsletter](#)



## SPOT LIGHT ON DANCE VIDEO

On Friday, March 1, the CCM Department of Dance showcased students performing original choreographed dance pieces in the Dragonetti Auditorium. If you missed the event, you can [watch the video](#).



## 2018 TAX YEAR 1095-C FORMS

CCM benefit eligible employees can now access their 2018 1095-C tax form online. Select Titans Direct from the CCM home page, select Employee, Tax Information and the 1095-C Information tab. Online tax forms are required by law for public employees. Human Resources will not be printing these forms. If you have any problems with this process, do not hesitate to contact Human Resources.

## COLLEGE COUNCIL VIDEO

A recording of the February 28 College Council Meeting is now available for viewing.

[Watch the video](#)



## NJ DIVISION OF PENSIONS AND BENEFITS RETIREMENT SEMINAR

On Friday, March 15, at 10 a.m. in Sheffield Hall, Room 100, representatives from the New Jersey Division of Pensions and Benefits (NJDPB) will present a seminar for participants in the Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) and the Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF).

The Retirement Planning seminar will take a step-by-step approach to the retirement process and explain what happens after you submit your application. NJDPB explains your benefits, survivor options, group life insurance, loan repayment provisions and the taxability of your pension. There is also a brief discussion of your health benefits coverage in retirement. The classroom session is approximately three hours in duration and will include a Q&A period.

More information and additional seminars can be found at <https://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/member-training.shtml>.

Registration for CCM employees and one guest is guaranteed but you must register with Karyn Norberg in Human Resources via email at [knorberg@ccm.edu](mailto:knorberg@ccm.edu).

## ICAT SURVEY DEADLINE EXTENDED

Thanks to the 209 people who have already provided their responses towards helping us get a better understanding of where to focus our efforts, energy and resources as it relates to becoming a student-centered institution. As a result of the good information that has been obtained so far, we want to give others the opportunity to contribute as well. Therefore, we have extended the deadline date for completing the ICAT survey to March 15.

The ICAT is an invaluable part of our Achieving the Dream membership and you are encouraged to respond. It takes only 15-20 minutes to complete. At the beginning of the survey, you will be asked which of the seven sections you want to complete and we are requesting you complete all seven. Please [take the survey](#) using the code 09135886.



## CCM ALL ACCESS

This week's edition of CCM All Access features Professor Venancio Fuentes, chair of the Engineering Technologies and Engineering Science, and Criminal Justice departments.

[Watch the video](#)



## CCM MEN'S BASKETBALL TEAM WINS REGION XIX TOURNAMENT

The County College of Morris Men's Basketball Team won the Region XIX Tournament on Sunday, March 3, beating Rowan College at Burlington County in the semi-final match and then Lackawanna College in the championship match.

Coach Anthony Obery was named Region XIX Division II Coach of the Year and D'Ondre Dent was named MVP of the tournament.

The Titans will travel to Buffalo, New York on Friday, March 8, to play Erie County College in the National Junior College Athletic Association District Tournament at 1 p.m. on Saturday, March 9. If they win this game, they move on to the championship game on Sunday.



**Prudential** representative Alicia Smith will be on campus from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on March 20 in Henderson Hall room 107. Call 732-428-2314 or email [alicia.smith@prudential.com](mailto:alicia.smith@prudential.com) to make an appointment to discuss ABP or DCRP investments.

**AXA-Equitable** representative Mark Sheridan is available for individual appointments. Call 908-230-2042 or email [marc.sheridan@axa.com](mailto:marc.sheridan@axa.com).

**MetLife/Brighthouse** - representative David Sharpe will be on campus from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on April 16, May 2 and June 4 in Henderson Hall room 107. Call 973-575-3254 or email [dsharpe@financialguide.com](mailto:dsharpe@financialguide.com).

**MassMutual (formerly Hartford)** representative Kenneth Quarnaccio is available for individual appointments. Call 848-248-4313 or email [kquarnaccio@gittermanwealth.com](mailto:kquarnaccio@gittermanwealth.com).

**VALIC** representative MaryAnn Bradford is available for individual appointments. Call 908-470-4114 or email [Maryann.bradford@valic.com](mailto:Maryann.bradford@valic.com).

## NOTICES FOR CCMEMO

Email material to both Amy Sciuto at [asciuto@ccm.edu](mailto:asciuto@ccm.edu) and Kathleen Brunet Eagan at [kbeagan@ccm.edu](mailto:kbeagan@ccm.edu). Submissions must be received by 3 p.m. Wednesday.

Looking for past issues of the CCMemo? [Find them here](#).

## SOCIAL MEDIA



Please help us market all the good things happening at CCM by sharing college events (performing arts, Open Houses, etc.) through your social media accounts.

### **Here's what to talk about this week:**

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