HOLYOKE COMMUNITY COLLEGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Minutes of May 25, 2021

The 397th meeting of the Holyoke Community College Board of Trustees was held on Tuesday, May 25, 2021, remotely with Chair Robert W. Gilbert, Jr. presiding.

MEMBERS	Robert W. Gilbert, Jr., Chair		
PRESENT	Charles Epstein		
	Trustee Gi		
	Ted Hebert		
	Suzanne Parker		
	Ivonne Vidal		
	Eleanor Williams		
MENTERS			
MEMBERS	Yolanda Johnson		
ABSENT	Lucy Perez		
	Evan Plotkin		
ALSO	Torong Doggdry, Amy Drondt, Doth Droton, Michala Cahral, Walley Changaran		
	Teresa Beaudry, Amy Brandt, Beth Breton, Michele Cabral, Kelly Champagne,		
PRESENT	Julissa Colon, Karen Desjeans, Mary Dixey, Amy Dopp, Clara Elliott, Andrew		
	Fletcher, Curt Foster, Raul Gutierrez, Jeffrey Hayden, Anne Herron, Kim Hicks		
	Mark Hudgik, Mi Jin Park, Michael Kane, Tricia Kiefer, Olivia Kynard, Johanna		
	Lebron, Lauren LeClair, Jane Lerner, Arvard Lingham, Nelson Lopez, Sharale		
	Mathis, Lea Occhialini, Carolina Pena, Miram Quinones, Kris Ricker Choleva,		
	Michelle Robak, JoAnne Rome, Christina Royal, Narayan Sampath, Shannon		
	Sarkisian, Amanda Sbriscia, Linda Scott, Adrienne Smith, Idelia Smith, Linda		
	Szalankiewicz, Renee Tastad, Lori Wayson, and Allison Wrobel.		
CALL TO ORDER	At 8:0 am, the meeting was officially called to order by Chair Gilbert.		
	Roll Call Attendance:		
	Charles Epstein Yes		
	Trustee Gi Yes		
	Ted Hebert Yes		
	Suzanne Parker Yes		
	Ivonne Vidal Yes		
	Eleanor Williams Yes		
	Chair Gilbert Yes		
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CONSIDERATION OF	Chair Gilbert asked if any consent agenda items needed to be moved to the		
CONSENT AGENDA	regular agenda. Trustee Vidal asked that the By-Laws Report be pulled out of		
ITEMS	the Consent Agenda.		
	Chair Cilbert called for a veta of the remaining items of the Concert A and a		
	Chair Gilbert called for a vote of the remaining items of the Consent Agenda.		
	 Consideration of Minutes for Board of Trustee Meeting of 		
	April 27, 2021		
	 Report of Personnel Actions dated May 24, 2021 		
	To approve the personnel actions		
	 To empower the President of the College to approve all 		
	personnel actions prior to the next meeting.		

- Committee Reports
 - Advocacy
 - Audit and Finance
 - Equity
 - Nominating
 - Presidential Evaluation
 - Strategic Planning

A motion was made by Trustee Parker and seconded by Trustee Vidal to approve the Consent Agenda.

Roll Call Vote:

Charles Epstein Yes
Trustee Gi Yes
Ted Hebert Yes
Suzanne Parker Yes
Ivonne Vidal Yes
Eleanor Williams Yes
Chair Gilbert Yes

Trustee Vidal provided an overview of the work of the Committee on updating the outdated By-Laws. She asked that all Trustees review and provide any comments or suggestions. These updated By-Laws will be put forth for a vote at the June meeting. She further explained that this is a first step as the Governance Committee will be taking a much more involved and intentional role. Chair Gilbert extended his thanks to the Committee for this work.

AUDIT AND FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Vice President Sampath asked for a correction be made to the Agenda in the Motion to say Move that the Board of Trustees approve the <u>Third Quarter Statement of Revenue and Expenses as presented at today's meeting instead of Move that the Board of Trustees approve the <u>Second Quarter Statement of Revenue and Expenses as presented at today's meeting</u> as originally posted. The original Agenda will be corrected.</u>

Vice President Sampath provided some highlights that the College is trending towards a balanced budget. The revenues are down about 7 percent and expenses are down a similar amount so we are trending in the right direction. At the June meeting, he will provide the FY 2022 budget and an update on stimulus funding.

Comptroller Foster provided an overview of the Third Quarter Statement of Revenue and Expenses. He provided a correction to the commentary in Business & Community Services. It should have said that revenues are running 75.6% over budget, not 65.78% over budget.

A motion was made by Trustee Williams and seconded by Trustee Hebert to approve the Third Quarter Statement of Revenue and Expenses.

Roll Call Vote:

Charles Epstein Yes Trustee Gi Yes

	Ted Hebert	Yes	
	Suzanne Parker	Yes	
	Ivonne Vidal	Yes	
	Eleanor Williams	Yes	
	Chair Gilbert	Yes	
CHAIDIC DEMARKS			
CHAIR'S REMARKS	 Continues to measuch as the new Demand for Cl On May 3rd, the Chairman, Corne Royal. Reminded True nominations at Chair and Secretary Also reminded Wednesday, June Assessment Trustee Gi shared an upsemester. The Student 	Trustees of the half-day Retreat happening on one 23 rd from 9 am to 1 pm. The focus will be on pdate on the progress of the student government over this Senate was honored to have the Board's Equity	
	Committee attend to hear ideas and to use the opportunity to share the student		
	vision of equity and provide a summary of the projects.		
PRESIDENT'S REPORT	President Royal congra	atulated the Student Trustee, Carolina Pena.	
	Sciences and Culinary		
	HS & CU	L Highlights	
	Board of Trustees Prese May 25, 2021 Amy Brandt, Ph.D., Dea	entation	
	COLLEGE DI	VISION HIGHLIGHTS	

Accreditation Statuses



Nursing ASN: Accredited, Next Site Visit – Spring 2025

Chair: Kayla Aliengena MSN, RN-BC

Nursing PN: Accredited, Next Site Visit – Fall 2024

Chair: Tina Jacques RN, MSN

Director of Nursing: Teresa K. Beaudry MSN, RN

Radiologic Technology: Accredited, Next Site Visit – Fall 2024

Chair: Mary Buckley, MSRS, R.T. (R)(CT)





Veterinary Technician: Full Accreditation, Next Evaluation - 2024

Chair: Jennifer York, DVM

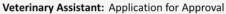


Co- Chair: Warren Leigh, CEC

Mark Anstel



HCC is the only community college in Massachusetts accredited by the prestigious American Culinary



Submitted

Chair: Jennifer York, DVM Faculty: Erin Jackson

Medical Assisting: Application in process

Chair: Wendi Tatro,

CCMA, NREMTP, MS, MPH/PHP



ABHES:

Accrediting Bureau of Health

Education Schools

Community Impacts Licensure & Certification Pass Rates (as of 3/2021) ASN (Nursing): 96.67% RN NCLEX (29/30) LPN (Nursing): 100..00% PN NCLEX (6/6) Medical Assisting: 93.00% AMT RMA (13/14) Radiologic Technology: 100.00% ARRT (10/10) Veterinary Technician: 100.00% VTNE Pass Rate (6/6) **Culinary:** 100.00% NRAEF ServSafe Manager's Exam (6/6)



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"We have so many passionate stude issues in their communities. The CHY provides a place for them to gain new to begin a career in this field, further skills/experience they already have, education. Through partnership and regional employers and State stakeh is attuned to the workforce needs ar This helps us keep the curriculum reworkforce demands. As CHW roles be primary care, behavioral health, and it's critical that our students and alupositioned to enter the field, and the regional and state partnerships."

COVID-19 Impacts & Responses



Latasha Hinton, Class of 2021 Culinary Arts Student





Pictured left: Ebonee Skinner – AAS Student Below: Sofia Bilgrami – Culinary Faculty





Thank you - Nursing Heroes!

Noelle Fournier
Maya Grindrod
Tera Evenson
Nicole Sicard
Pete Solis
Alexandra (Ali) Pinschmidt
Analese Guerin
Veronica Machuca
Sharon Copes
Jaime Mason

Dawn Rogers
Matthew Tetreault
Savasia Crawford
Megan Parker
Shelbi Moore
Amarilys Sepulveda
Nicole Niemiec
Jennifer Perez
Meghan LaPointe



Program Spotlight: Veterinary Technician

New Kennel!!









Veterinarian Assistant Inaugural Class





<u>Celebrating Academic Achievements</u> – presented by Dr. Tricia Kiefer, Dean of Social Sciences, Business and Integrative Learning



Presented to the HCC Board of Trustees

5/25/2021

SSBIL: WHO ARE WE?

Social Science

Anthropology

- Criminal Justice
- Education
- Economics
- Developmental Disabilities
- Geography
- •Women Studies

Human Services

- Psychology
- Sociology
- Political Science
- Philosophy
- History

Business

Accounting

- Business
- •Management
- Marketing
- Hospitality
- Sports
- Administration
- -Law

Integrative Learning

- Honors
- Service Learning
- Learning
 Communities
- Liberal Arts and Science



OPEN EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES (OER) FACULTY CHAMPIONS FELLOWSHIP

These professors
will save our
students
\$97,500.00 per
year!







BUS101- Introduction to Business Professors Kelly O'Connor, Klara Karol, and Ellen Majka.

HONORS: CREATING KNOWLEDGE, TOGETHER.

Successful Reaccreditation Site Visit Commonwealth Honors Program

That students are saying.

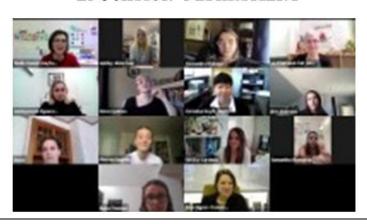
The Honors Program secured grant funding through the Massachusetts Commonwealth Honors Program for Culturally Responsive Pedagogy (CRP) Assignment Design Training.



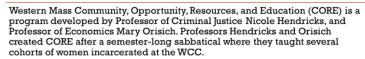
Professor Vanessa Martinez Coordinator of HCC Honors Program Elaine Marieb Chair for Teaching Excellence 2020

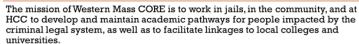


EDUCATION DEPARTMENT



CRIMINAL JUSTICE: CORE





Professor Hendricks and Orisich won a Bridge to College grant. This grant will provide supports for currently incarcerated individuals and provide an opportunity for them to enroll in a college-level T-week course this summer called, Making Change Happen: The Role of Gender, Race, Class and Culture.



SERVICE LEARNING: MAKING A DIFFERENCE DURING THE PANDEMIC

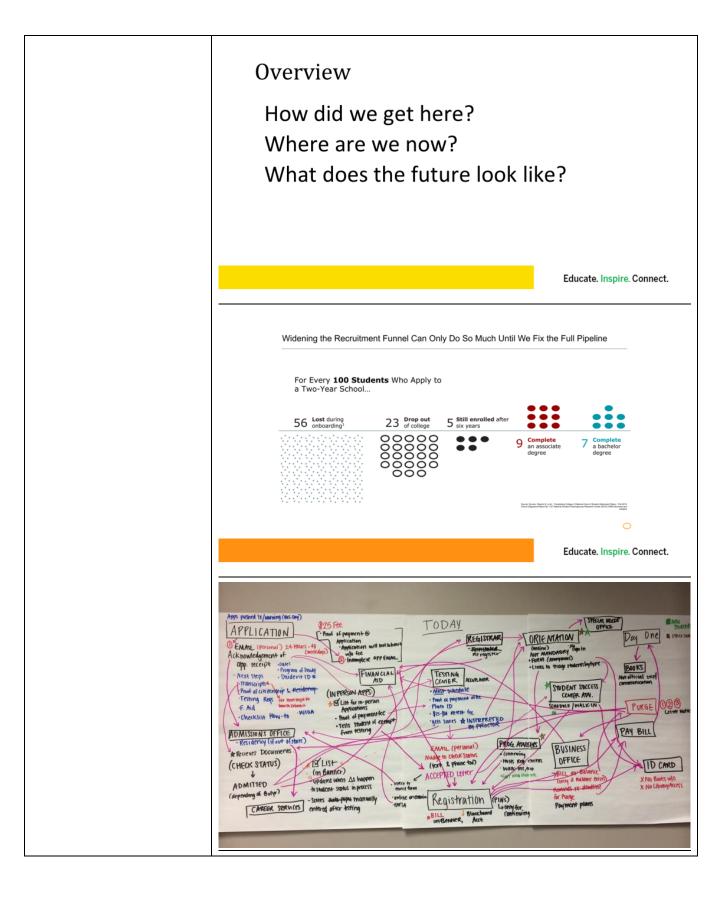
Eric Carle Social Media Engagement Statistics between 11/22/2020 -2/10/2021 "The Sorvice-Learning Contenence was amazing. I wouldn't have expected anything less. We begin school just to get a degree but the journey that is paved and the connections that are made are the real degree.... Forever grateful for the opportunities that HCC had given me!" Jessica Cardona, current HCC student.

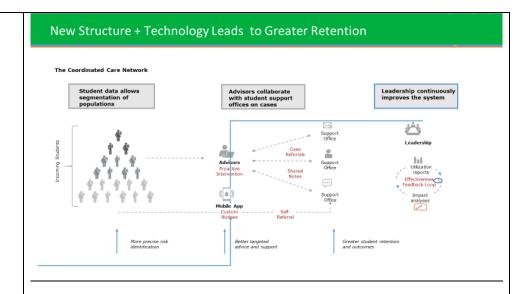




 $\underline{EAB\ Navigate\ Demo}$ – presented by Renee Tastad, Assistant Vice President, Student Affairs & Dean of Enrollment Management







EAB Navigate



Access all the tools you need to support student success on campus

Navigate, our Student Success Management System, is an enterprise-level technology that links administrators, advisors, deans, faculty, other staff, and students in a Coordinated Care Network designed to help community colleges and universities proactively manage student retention and success to deliver a return on education.

We like to explain Navigate in three pillars—Intelligence, Strategic Care, and Smart Guidance. This diagram represents how it all connects. These elements are infused throughout our platform to ensure all stakeholders can holistically support students and inflect real change.

Educate. Inspire. Connect.



- Team approach
- Informed
- Coordinated effort
- Early Alerts
- Case referrals
- Centralized notes
- Reporting



- Actionable data
- Predicted risk
- Transcript history
- Credit trends
- Alert flags
- Advisor and Tutor
- Engagement

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- Improve efficiency
- Proactive advising
- Targeted outreach
- Responsive scheduling
- Prompt for followup
- Reports

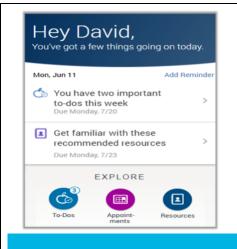
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Guided Onboarding

A timeline of to-dos helps students navigate the transition to college with timely, customized support. Alert notifications remind students about important deadlines and overdue tasks.

The experience is customized based on student SIS and intake survey data; the timeline dynamically updates based on student progress and in-app activity.

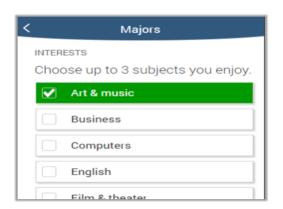


Pivotal Moments Path and Term-to-Term Tools

Onboarding: students can see important college milestones disaggregated into tasks and alerts to help them plan their term.

Self-service tools allow students to connect with their personal success team, schedule their week, and receive customized guidance.

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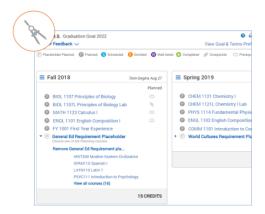


Program Explorer

The Program Explorer tool simplifies the major selection process, allowing students to make simpler, smarter decisions early in their college experience.

After capturing students' interests and career preferences, the Program Explorer generates a customized a list of best-fit programs and job recommendations.

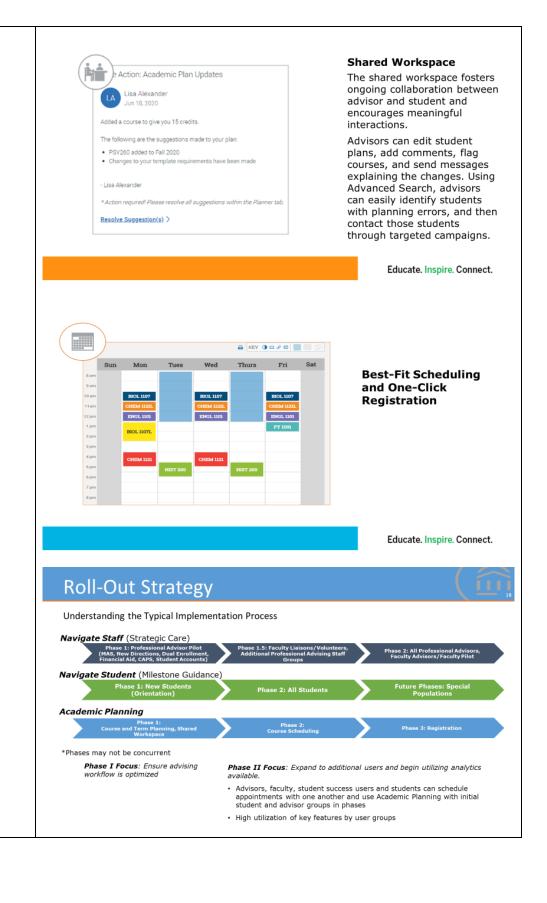
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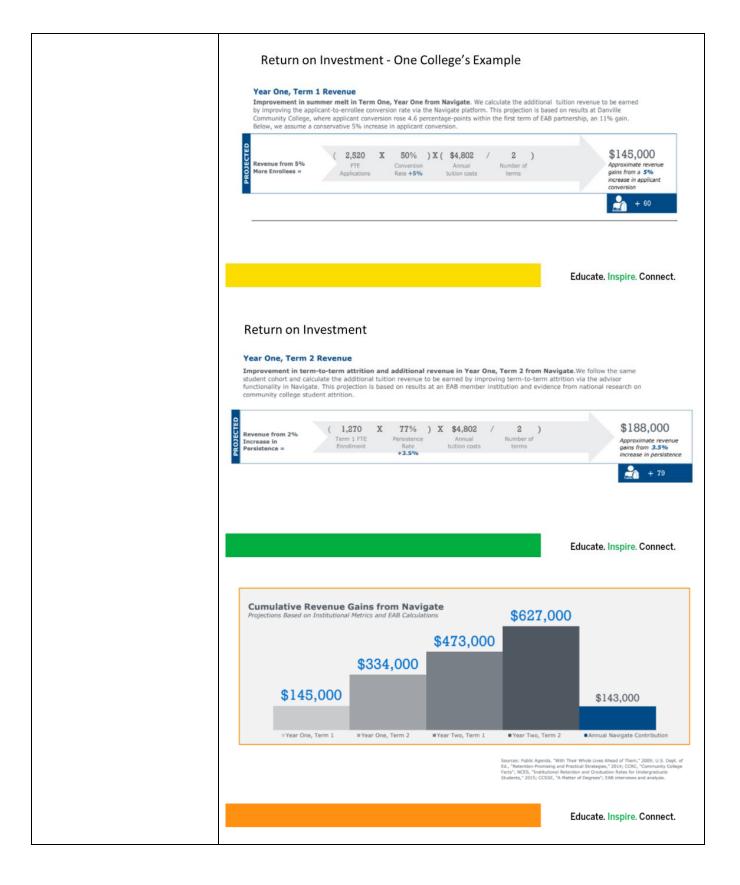


Course and Term Planning

The planning tool helps students to build academic plans to optimize for on-time graduation by co-locating degree maps, program requirements, and completed coursework in one intuitive platform.

Automated guardrails alert students to common planning errors and inefficiencies like out-of-sequence courses and unproductive credits.





Anticipated Outcomes - Increases

- Increase <u>admitted</u> student yield (admit to enroll in admitted term) to 70% by Fall 2025
- Increase fall-to-spring retention rate by 4 percentage points (up from 76% Fall 2019 to Spring 2020 to 80%) for all new first-time-degree-seeking students by Spring 2026 (for Fall 2025 cohort).
 - Specifically, increase the fall-to-spring retention rate of new first-time-degree-seeking <u>Black</u> and Latinx students by 10 percentage points, from 70% to 80%
- Increase on-time credit accumulation for all students from 31% to 50% by Fall 2025.
 - Specifically, increase on-time credit accumulation for <u>Latinx students</u> from 17% to 50% by Fall 2025
 - $\circ~$ Increase on-time credit accumulation for <u>Black students</u> from 13% to $\bf 50\%$ by Fall 2025.
- Increase fall-to-fall retention for all first-time degree-seeking students of color to 51% by Fall 2025
- Increase the number of students participating in work-based experiences while enrolled at HCC by 2 percentage points, from 23% to 25%

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Anticipated Outcomes - Increases

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- Number of students participating in <u>work-based experiences</u> while enrolled at HCC from 23% to 25%

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Anticipated Outcomes - Decreases

- <u>Decrease the retention rate gap</u> between first-time degree-seeking white students and students of color to 5 points by Fall 2025
- Decrease the graduation rate gap between first-time degree-seeking white students and students of color to 7 points by Fall 2025
- Reduce the default debt rate by 2 points down to 11%
- Decrease our students "lack of finances" response rate on CCSSE by 5% down to 40%

EAB Navigate Leadership Team

Beth Breton Lauren LeClair
Kelly Champagne Myriam Quinones
Eric Farrell Linda Scott
Andrew Fletcher Linda Szalankiewicz
Anne Herron Allison Wrobel
Mark Hudgik Mi Jin Park

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Questions & Discussion

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President Royal thanked the speakers today for these substantial updates.

President Royal introduced Dr. Sharale Mathis as the new Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs and read a short biography.

Vice President Herron introduced Mi Jin Park as the new Associate Director of Admissions and Onboarding.

President Royal congratulated the recent award winners that were presented at the Professional Association Meeting in May:

- HCC Outstanding Classified Staff Award Carlos Garcia
- HCC Outstanding Professional Staff Award Jennifer Adams
- Elaine Marieb Faculty Chair for Teaching Excellence Raul Gutierrez

ADJOURNMENT	_	stee Epstein and seconded by Trustee Williams it was	
	VOTED to adjourn today's meeting.		
	Roll Call Vote:		
	Trustee Gi	Yes	
	Suzanne Parker	Yes	
	Ivonne Vidal	Yes	
	Eleanor Williams	Yes	
	Chair Gilbert	Yes	
	The meeting was adjourned at 9:34 am.		
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Respectfully submitted,

Ivonne Vidal, Secretary

7/8/2021

Board of Trustees

Robert Gilbert

Approved: Robert W. Gilbert, Jr., Chair 7/8/2021