

# Foreword

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Since its beginning in 1978, NISOD has sought to serve, engage, and inspire higher education faculty, administrators, and staff. Our conference, resources, and publications strive to reinforce the importance of teaching and leading and to celebrate instructors, staff, and administrators who make good on the promise of the open door.

In 1989, in connection with a University of Texas national study of teaching excellence, NISOD hosted its first ceremony, held in conjunction with our annual International Conference on Teaching and Leadership Excellence, honoring and naming the individuals featured in this study as recipients of the NISOD Excellence Award. The response to that ceremony was so positive that we began what has become an annual celebratory tradition.

Early each academic year, we ask NISOD presidents to submit the names of individuals their colleges wish to recognize for excellence. Selection criteria are left to the discretion of each institution. All individuals whose names are submitted are recognized as NISOD Excellence Awards recipients. A special ceremony is held during the annual NISOD Conference. All recipients are featured in the awards booklet and presented with a medallion that has been specially cast in their honor.

We are indebted to NISOD member colleges for their continuing support of this annual celebration. The Excellence Awards tradition gives NISOD the distinct privilege of honoring so many of our community colleges' best educators.



Congratulations to the recipients of the  
**2015 NISOD**  
***Excellence Awards***

# 2015 NISOD Excellence Awards

## ALABAMA

### Bevill State Community College

Anne McNutt, President

Angie Lazarus  
Instructor, English

Mike Reed  
Instructor, Welding

David Wages  
Instructor, Mathematics

Rebecca E. Whitten  
Librarian

### Calhoun Community College

James S. Klauber, President

Gwen Baker  
Coordinator, Dual Enrollment

Bret McGill  
Dean, Health Sciences

Steven Threlkeld  
Instructor and Department  
Chair, Biology

Scott Throneberry  
Instructor, Emergency Medical  
Services

### Gadsden State Community College

Martha Lavender, Interim  
President

Shirley A. Colvin  
Assistant Dean, Instruction,  
Science

Timothy D. Hardy  
Instructor, Air Conditioning and  
Refrigeration Technology

Sara E. Wheeler  
Instructor, Mathematics

Jennifer T. Williams  
Transcript Evaluator

### Wallace State Community College

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Dana Adams  
Instructor, Mathematics

Janet Brown  
Instructor, Nursing

Kelley Jones  
Director, Adult Education

Linda Lipsey  
Instructional Coordinator, Adult  
Education

## ARKANSAS

### Arkansas State University- Newport

Sandra Massey, Chancellor

Phyllis J. Worthington  
Assistant Registrar

Jessica Kay Wrenfrow  
Instructor, Hospitality Services

### Mid-South Community College

Glen Fenter, President

Stephanie L. Krehl  
Lead Instructor, Developmental  
Mathematics

Peter A. Sullivan  
Graphic Designer

### National Park Community College

John Hogan, President

Nannette Crane-Post  
Instructor, English

### University of Arkansas Community College at Batesville

Deborah Frazier, Chancellor

Tracy Broadway  
Instructor, Business,  
Technology, and Public Service

Tina Goodman  
Administrative Assistant to Vice  
Chancellor

### University of Arkansas Community College at Hope

Chris L. Thomason, Chancellor

Casey Curtis  
Coordinator, Advertising and  
Publications

J. Kenneth LeJeune  
Program Director and  
Instructor, Respiratory Therapy

## ARIZONA

### Arizona Western College

Glenn E. Mayle, President

Renee Macaluso  
Professor, Mathematics

Martha Martinez  
Professor, Spanish



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Mary Marki  
2015 NISOD Excellence Award Recipient**

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## The Maricopa Community Colleges

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### 2015 NISOD Award Winners

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**Estrella Mountain** Stephanie Natividad (STEM), Shannon Manuelito (Biology), Peter Turner (Education)



**Scottsdale** Susan Moore (English), Matthew Bloom (English)



**South Mountain**  
Ruben Saenz (TRIO Programs: Hoop of Learning, Upward Bound, and STEP)



**Phoenix College** Pictured left to right: Terri Kelly (Instructional Support Services), Julie Voller (Advisement), Carmen Newland (Enrollment Services), Cristie Roe (English ESL), Aron Love (Information Technology), Deeda Webster (REACH/TRiO), Queta Chavez (Counseling), Henry Denman (Information Technology), Nancy Navarrete (Counseling). *Not pictured:* Jan Binder (Institutional Effectiveness), Lucia Kiesel (Mathematics), Scott Morken (Information Technology), Norma Pina (Admin Secretary II), Jeni Ussery (Reading)

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# 2015 NISOD Excellence Awards

## ARIZONA (cont.)

**Central Arizona College**  
Doris Helmich, President

**Kimberly Osteen-Petreshock**  
Professor, Choral Studies and Creative Arts

**Mallory Parsons**  
Professor, Mathematics

**Cochise College**  
J.D. Rottweiler, President

**Marguerite Conners**  
Student Success Manager, Student Services

**Edmund Priddis**  
Instructor, Biology

**John Walsh**  
Director, Library Services

**Estrella Mountain Community College**  
Ernie Lara, President

**Shannon Manuelito**  
Faculty, Biology

**Stephanie Natividad**  
Administrative Secretary III

**Peter Turner**  
Faculty, Education

**Maricopa Community College District**  
Rufus Glasper, Chancellor

**Matthew Bloom**  
Faculty, English

**Susan Moore**  
Division Chair, English, World Languages, and Journalism

**Phoenix College**  
Anna Solley, President

**Jan Binder**  
Director, Institutional Planning, Research, and Effectiveness

**Queta Chavez**  
Counselor, Student Affairs

**Henry Denman**  
Audiovisual Technician, Information Technology

**Terri Kelly**  
Director, Instructional Support Services/Student Development

**Lucia Kisiel**  
Residential Faculty, Mathematics

**Aron Love**  
Computer Maintenance Technician

**Scott Morken**  
Programmer Analyst II

**Nancy Navarrete**  
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**Carmen Newland**  
Director, Enrollment Services

**Norma Pina**  
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Residential Faculty, English and English as a Second Language

**Jeni Ussery**  
Residential Faculty, Reading

**Julie Voller**  
Director, Advisement Services

**Deeda Webster**  
Administrative Secretary II, TRIO/Student Support Services

**Pima Community College**  
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**William R. Ward, II**  
Vice Chancellor, Facilities

**South Mountain Community College**  
Shari L. Olson, President

**Ruben Saenz**  
Director, TRIO Program

**Yavapai College**  
Penelope Wills, President

**Molly Beauchman**  
Professor, Mathematics Education

**Le Anne Lawhead**  
Professor, Early Childhood Education

**Billie K. Norris**  
Executive Assistant, Instruction and Student Services

## CALIFORNIA

**Long Beach City College**  
Eloy O. Oakley, President/Superintendent

**Mary Marki**  
Professor, History

**Santa Rosa Junior College**  
Frank Chong  
Superintendent/President

**Laura Larqué**  
Instructor, Social Sciences



**Phyllis Worthington**

Assistant Registrar



**CONGRATULATIONS!**  
Thank you for your outstanding LEADERSHIP and TEACHING!



**Jessica Wrenfrow**

Instructor of Hospitality Services



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# Honored by the NISOD Excellence Awards

Elgin Community College's board of trustees, president, faculty, administration, staff, and students congratulate their four recipients of the NISOD Excellence Awards.

**Terri Martin**      **Luis Martinez**  
**Richard Wince**   **Marilee Halpin**

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*Professor and Program Chair,  
Computer Programming  
and Analysis*

**Rhonda Atkinson**  
*Professor, Education*

**Jack Chambless**  
*Professor, Economics*

**Diana Ciesko**  
*Professor, Psychology*

**Lois Crichlow**  
*Professor and Discipline Coordinator,  
Biology*

**Kristiann Dougherty**  
*Professor and Coordinator,  
Biology*

**Javier Garces**  
*Professor and Program Chair,  
A.S. Degree Program in Landscape  
and Horticulture Technology*

**Bill Gombash**  
*Professor, Speech*

**Gerald Hensel**  
*Professor,  
Computer Programming  
and Analysis*

**Steve Tullo**  
*Counselor*

*Thank you for your extraordinary work  
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# 2015 NISOD Excellence Awards

## CONNECTICUT

### Manchester Community College

Gena Glickman, President

Kaarina Finegan LaBella  
Professor, English Literature

Daniel R. Janczak  
Academic Associate

## FLORIDA

**Daytona State College**  
Carol W. Eaton, President

Shana N. Deyo  
Professor, Bachelor of Applied  
Science, Supervision and  
Management

**Florida Gateway College**  
Charles Hall, President

Troy Appling  
Professor, English and  
Coordinator, Instructional  
Design

Margaret (Maggie)  
McLaughlin  
Director, Advising Services

Kimberly Salyers  
Associate Professor and  
Coordinator, Physical Therapist  
Assistant Program

### Florida SouthWestern State College

Jeffrey S. Allbritten, President

Leroy Bugger  
Professor, Accounting

Rebecca Gubitti  
Professor, Mathematics

**Hillsborough Community College**  
Ken Atwater, President

Elsie Borgen  
Senior Staff Assistant

Gloria Clay  
Instructor, Sociology

Ariel Gunn  
Coordinator, Academic Success  
Center

Stephen Johns  
Instructor, Speech

Bala Kappagantula  
Applications Engineer,  
Information Technology

Gregory J. Thompson  
Instructor, Humanities

**Indian River State College**  
Edwin R. Massey, President

Danny Hoey  
Associate Professor, English

### Lake-Sumter Community College

Charles Mojock, President

Mary Dunlap  
Instructor, Nursing

**Palm Beach State College**  
Dennis P. Gallon, President

Sankaranarayana  
Chandramohan  
Professor III, Biology

Christopher J. Schmersahl  
Associate Professor, English

**Pasco-Hernando State College**  
Katherine M. Johnson,  
President

Gary Cors  
Instructor and Department  
Chair, Paralegal Studies

Jenette Flow  
Professor, Humanities and  
Language Arts

Rosanna Licht  
Assistant Professor, Health  
Occupations

Wendy Neeld  
Assistant Professor, Humanities

**Pensacola State College**  
Ed E. Meadows, President

Steve Hecht  
Adjunct, Mathematics

John Holder  
Assistant Professor, History,  
Languages, and Social Sciences

Barbara Reitz  
Assistant Professor, Biological  
Sciences

Donna Shumway  
Professor, Allied Health

Stephen White  
Assistant Professor, Allied  
Health

Elizabeth Yelverton  
Professor, Biological Sciences

**Polk State College**  
Eileen Holden, President

Catherine (Cate) Igo  
Academic Success Counselor

Nathan Neuman  
Lead Instructional Technologist



## Congratulations

NISOD Excellence Award recipients

Eden Donahou  
Jenny Middleton  
Vanessa Wynn

Marisabel Irizarry (not pictured)



# Congratulations

## Bunker Hill Community College NISOD Award Recipients

**Lindsay A. Naggie**, *Associate Professor, ESL Department*

**Nancy W. Martignetti**, *Senior Academic Associate, Professional Studies*

**Mary T. Folan**, *Professor and Chair, Nurse Education Department*





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**Eden Donahou**

Professor, Mathematics

**Marisabel Irizarry**

Professor, Humanities

**Jenny Middleton**

Professor, Social Sciences

**Vanessa Wynn**

Professor, English, Adult High School

**South Florida State College**

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**Suzanne Bechtol**

Instructor and Program Manager, Legal Assisting

**Robyn Bell**

Assistant Professor, Music

**Joseph "Joe" Loccisano**

Manager, Art Gallery

**Nancy Stults**

Lab Coordinator, Natural Sciences

**Kristen Zaborski**

Assistant Professor, Business and Technology

**Tallahassee Community College**

Jim Murdaugh, President

**Forster Agama**

Associate Professor, English and Faculty Coordinator, Global Learning Council

**Braze Brickwedel**

Associate Professor, Speech

**Suzanne Ferrell-Locke**

Associate Professor, Mathematics

**Mabry Gaboardi**

Associate Professor, Earth Science

**Valencia College**

Sandy C. Shugart, President

**Joan Alexander**

Professor and Program Chair, Computer Programming and Analysis,

**Rhonda Atkinson**

Professor, Education

**Jack Chambless**

Professor, Economics

**Diana Ciesko**

Professor, Psychology

**Lois Crichlow**

Professor, Biology

**Kristiann Dougherty**

Professor, Biology

**Javier Garces**

Professor, Biology and Horticulture

**William Gombash**

Professor, Speech

**Gerald Hensel**

Professor, Computer Programming and Analysis

**Steven Tullo**

Counselor, Dean of Students Office

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**Albany Technical College**

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**Frederia Sampson**

Chair, English and Humanities

**Georgia Perimeter College**

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**Deborah Byrd**

Assistant Professor, English

**Michael Nelson**

Interim Department Chair, Physical Science

**Georgia Piedmont Technical College**

Jabari Simama, President

**Candace Jones**

Director, Student Life and Dean, Student Development

**Francis Nyandeh**

Faculty, Mathematics

**South Georgia State College**

Virginia M. Carson, President

**Yuna Chen**

Professor, Economics

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**Clark L. Draney**

Professor, English

**RoseAnna B. Holliday**

Department Chair and Instructor, Allied Health

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Mathematics Instructor



**Patrick Stegman**  
Business/Accounting Instructor



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# 2015 NISOD Excellence Awards

## ILLINOIS

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**Patrick Stegman**  
Instructor, Business and Accounting

**John Tenuto**  
Instructor, Sociology

**Danville Area Community College**  
Alice Marie Jacobs, President

**Phillip Langley**  
Lead Instructor, Developmental Education,

**Elgin Community College**  
David Sam, President

**Marilee Halpin**  
Adjunct Faculty, English as a Second Language

**Terri Martin**  
Assistant Professor I, Mathematics

**Luis Martinez**  
Associate Professor, Biology

**Richard Wince**  
Adjunct Faculty, Adult Basic Education

**Illinois Central College**  
John S. Erwin, President

**Lee Ann. Hohstadt**  
Associate Professor, Occupational Therapy Assistant Program, Health Careers

**Ronald Howell**  
Professor, Communication

**Angela Pacotti-Long**  
Manager, Food Services

**David Smit**  
Professor, Graphic Design

**Edward Smith**  
Adjunct Faculty, Business, Hospitality, and Information Systems

**Shari West**  
Adjunct Faculty, English

**Lincoln Land Community College**  
Charlotte J. Warren, President

**Sharon Cheek**  
Professor, Radiography

**Paula Hermes**  
Programmer Analyst, Information and Telecommunication Systems

**McHenry County College**  
Vicky Smith, President

**Thomas Beggs**  
Instructor, Graphic Arts

**Marianne Devenny**  
Dean, Enrollment Services

**Peter Lilly**  
Coordinator, Professional Development in Technology

**Parkland College**  
Thomas Ramage, President

**Amy Myers**  
Professor, Economics

**Triton College**  
Mary-Rita Moore, Interim President

**Cheryl Antonich**  
Associate Vice President, Academic Affairs

**William Griffin**  
Faculty, Business and Coordinator, Business and Accounting

**Tom Phillips**  
Adjunct Faculty, Facilities Engineering Technology

**Divya Sharma**  
Faculty, Biology

**Waubensee Community College**  
Christine J. Sobek, President

**Heather LaCost**  
Associate Professor, Psychology

## INDIANA

**Ivy Tech Community College—Lafayette**  
David Bathe, Chancellor

**Janet J. Brodsky**  
Assistant Professor and Program Chair, Life Sciences

**Ivy Tech Community College—Southwest**  
Jonathan Weinzapfel, Chancellor

**Joseph Hostetler**  
Professor and Program Chair, Visual Communications

**Ivy Tech Community College—Wabash Valley Region**  
Lea Anne Crooks, President

**Lisa Baker**  
Instructor, Academic Skills

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**Joe Loccisano**, Manager, Art Gallery

**Robyn Bell**, Assistant Professor, Music

**Suzanne Bechtol**, Instructor and Program Manager, Legal Assisting

**Kristen Zaborski**, Assistant Professor, Business & Technology

**Nancy Stults**, Lab Coordinator, Natural Sciences



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**John Ernst**  
Faculty, Humanities

**Sandi Welsh**  
Faculty, Nursing

**Western Iowa Tech Community College**  
Terry Murrell, President

**Brett McCarthy**  
Faculty, Culinary

**Manoj Patil**  
Faculty, Science

**Michael Rohlena**  
Associate Dean, Career and Technical Education

## KANSAS

**Allen Community College**  
John Masterson, President

**Doug T. Joseph**  
Instructor, Mathematics

**Barton Community College**  
Carl Heilman, President

**Ashley Arnold**  
Dean, Military Academic Services,

**Janet Balk**  
College eCompanion and Hybrid Coordinator

**Mark Dean**  
Dean of Administration

**Timothy Folkerts**  
Instructor, Physics

**Tiffany Irizarry**  
Advisement Coordinator

**Courtney Mercado**  
Coordinator, Distance Learning Inquiry and Retention

**Jaime Oss**  
Instructor, English

**Alex Oleg Ravitskiy**  
Chair, Life Science and Math

**Elaine Simmons**  
Dean, Workforce Training and Community Education

**Abby Werth**  
Customer Services, Enrollments, and Accounts Coordinator

# McHenry County College

Congratulates our 2015 NISOD Award Winners



(Left to Right)

**Peter Lilly**

Coordinator of Professional Development, Technology

**Marianne Devenny**

Dean of Enrollment Services

**Thomas Beggs**

Instructor, Graphic Arts



## Illinois Central College

### CONGRATULATES OUR NISOD 2015 Faculty and Staff Awardees



**David Smit**

Professor

Graphic Design and Multimedia  
ARTS AND COMMUNICATION

*Gallion Award*



**Edward Smith**

Adjunct Faculty

Accounting  
BUSINESS, HOSPITALITY, AND INFORMATION SYSTEMS

*Teaching Excellence Award*



**Lee Ann Hohstadt**

Associate Professor

OTA Program  
HEALTH CAREERS

*Thomas K. Thomas Endowed Teaching Chair Award*



**Ron Howell**

Professor

Communication  
ARTS AND COMMUNICATION

*Faculty Diversity Award*



**Shari West**

Adjunct Faculty

ESL  
ENGLISH, HUMANITIES, AND LANGUAGE STUDIES

*Faculty Diversity Award*



**Angela Pacotti-Long**

Manager

CAMPUS DINING

*Staff Diversity Award*

# 2015 NISOD Excellence Awards

## KANSAS (cont.)

**Butler Community College**  
Kimberly Krull, President

**Connie Belden**  
Professor, Accounting and  
Business Administration

**Cloud County Community College**  
Danette Toone, President

**Jamie Durler**  
Instructor, Communications

**Tyrone Hughbanks**  
Instructor, Biological Science

**Christopher Krampe**  
Instructor, Music

**Johnson County Community College**  
Joseph M. Sopcich, President

**Holly Milkowart**  
Associate Professor, English as  
a Second Language and English  
for Academic Purposes

**Elyn Mulcahy**  
Associate Professor,  
Microbiology and Chair,  
Biotechnology

**Anna Page**  
Assistant Professor, Dietary  
Management/Hospitality

**Seward County Community College/Area Technical School**  
Duane M. Dunn, President

**Celeste M. Donovan**  
Dean, Student Services

**Travess D. Funk**  
Surgical Technology Clinical  
Coordinator/Instructor

## KENTUCKY

**Big Sandy Community and Technical College**  
Charles Chrestman, Interim  
President/CEO

**Amanda Catron**  
Admissions Advisor,  
Admissions

**Elizabeth Cole**  
Counselor, Admissions

**Linda Dyer**  
Assessment Center,  
Admissions

**John Shiber**  
Professor, Biology

**Madisonville Community College**  
Judith Rhoads, President/CEO

**Jennifer Welch**  
Assistant Professor, Biology

**Somerset Community College**  
Jo Marshall, President/CEO

**Steve Hammons**  
Associate Professor and  
Director, McCreary Center

**Clint Hayes**  
Associate Dean and Director  
of Institutional Effectiveness/  
Institutional Research

**DeAnna Proctor**  
Information Technology  
Manager

**Southcentral Kentucky Community and Technical College**  
Phillip W. Neal, President/CEO

**Amy Cannon**  
Assistant Registrar

**Ray Haddix**  
Coordinator, Adult Education

**Michael W. Riggs**  
Professor and Executive Chef

## LOUISIANA

**Bossier Parish Community College**  
Rick Bateman, Chancellor

**Kelly Brandon**  
Program Director, Occupational  
Therapy Assistant

**Vicki Dennis**  
Instructor, Liberal Arts

**Rocky Duplichan**  
Program Director and  
Instructor, Oil and Gas  
Production Technology

**Raymond Gaines**  
Associate Professor, Business

**Melanie A. Lea**  
Assistant Professor,  
Communication and  
Performing Arts

**John Rennie**  
Athletic Director, Women's  
Basketball

**Michael Walker**  
Instructor, Behavioral and  
Social Sciences

**Donna Womack**  
Associate Vice Chancellor,  
Innovative Learning and  
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**Peter Homen**  
Adjunct Instructor  
in History



**Carl Anctil**  
Director of Facilities



**Janice Velozo**  
Adjunct Instructor in  
Health



**Makna Men**  
Senior Academic  
Counselor



**Shilo Henriques**  
Dean of Admissions



**Linda Viveiros**  
Media Planner and Assistant  
to the Vice President



**William Kelly**  
Professor of English



**Ravitha Amarasingham**  
Department Chair and  
Professor of Early  
Childhood Education  
and Child Care



**Craig Watson**  
Adjunct Instructor in  
Computer Information  
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**Kathleen Hancock**  
Director of the Grimshaw-  
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**Eddie Vandewalker**  
*Instructor  
of Music*

**Kelly Eldridge**  
*Instructor  
of Psychology*

**Allyson Matheaus**  
*Instructor of  
Radiologic Technology*

**Jon Loessin**  
*Instructor of  
Sociology*

**Jo Ann Shimek**  
*Instructor of  
Engineering Design*

**Johnson Cherukara**  
*Instructor  
of Biology*

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## LOUISIANA (cont.)

**Delgado Community College**  
Joan Y. Davis, Chancellor

**Charles Alfortish, Jr.**  
Instructor, Real Estate and  
Business Administration

**Candace Clanton**  
Associate Professor, Speech  
Communication

**Janet S. Colletti**  
Associate Professor, CADD  
Program

**Elizabeth Convington**  
Professor, Nursing

**Michael Cruz**  
Associate Professor,  
Mathematics

**Emmett Davis**  
Assistant Professor, Accounting

**Raymond Duplessis**  
Associate Professor, Physics

**Steven C. Edwards**  
Professor, Music

**Kathy G. Favret**  
Assistant Professor, Reading

**Elizabeth S. Hope**  
Assistant Professor, English

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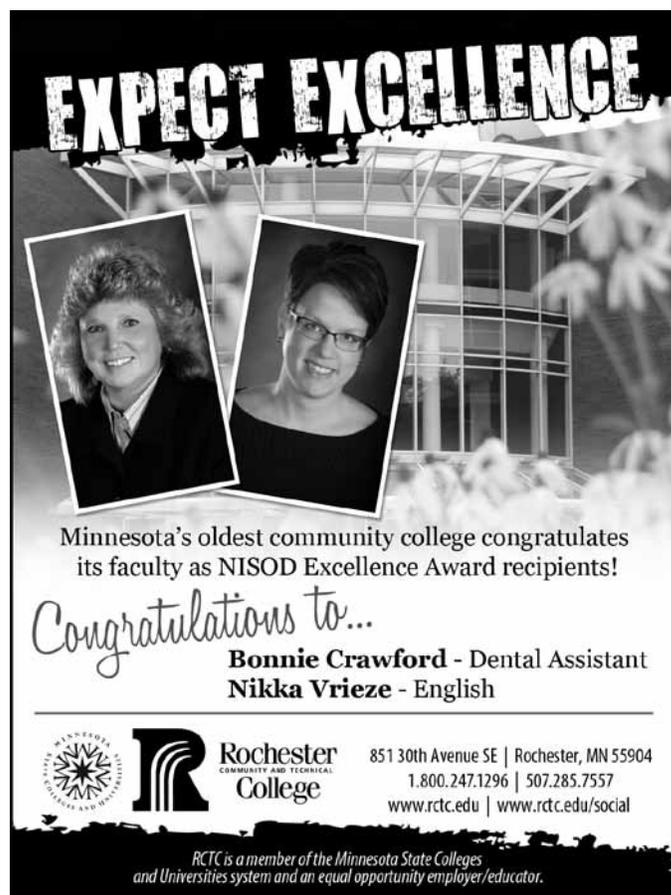
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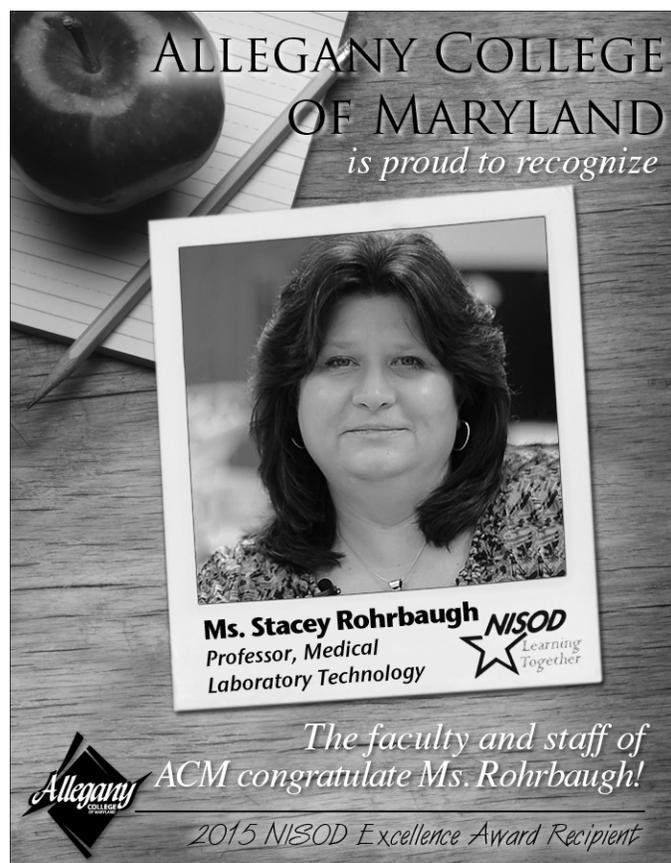
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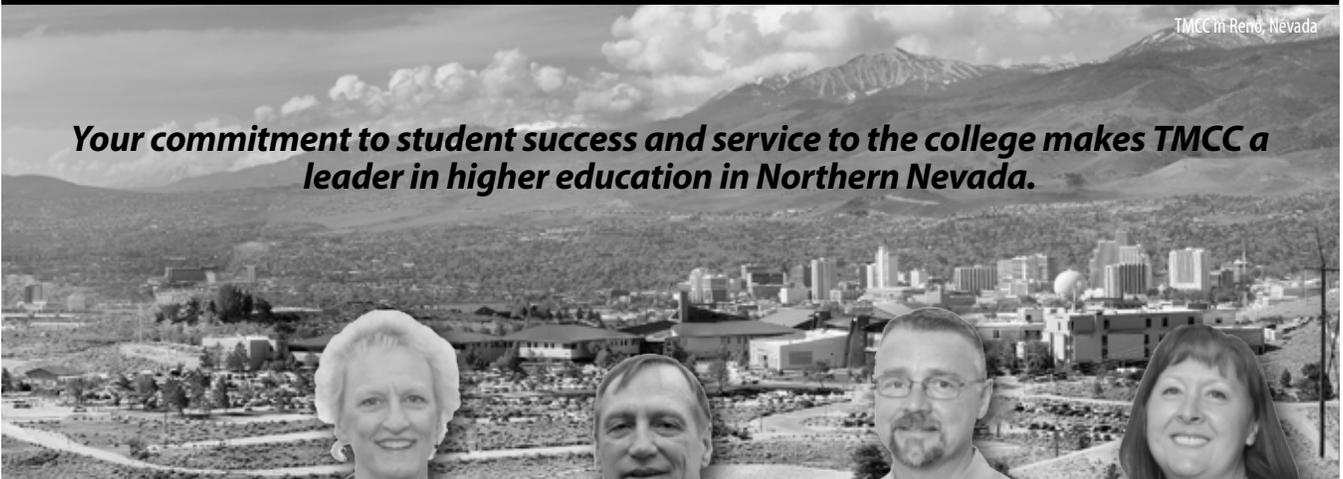
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Therapist Assistant

### **Charmaine Misick**

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Medical Sonography

### **Zane State College**

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### **Becke Butler**

Associate Professor,  
Mathematics

### **Craig Jira**

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Mathematics

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Instructor, Science

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### **Mariya Wright**

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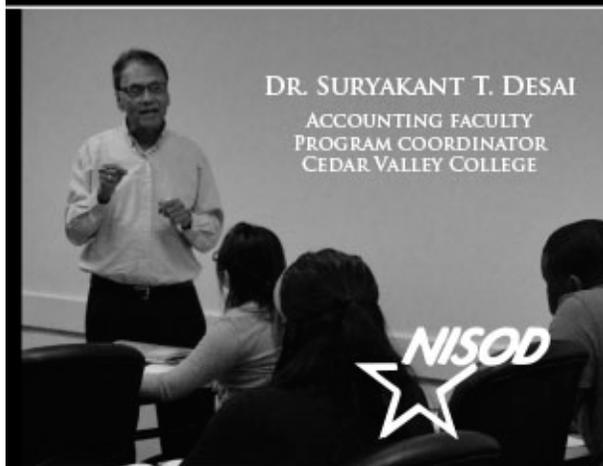
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Technology

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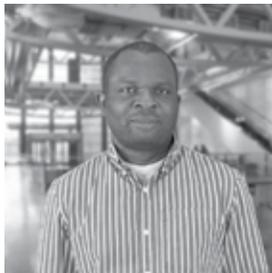


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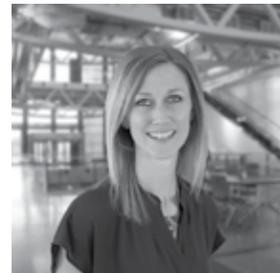
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