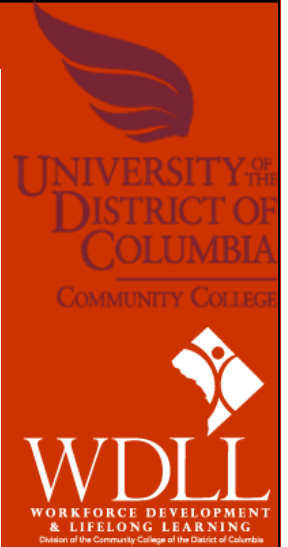


The Key to STUDENT SUCCESS



Spring 2013

CELEBRATION OF EXCELLENCE

SATURDAY, JUNE 1, 2013
11:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

THE UNIVERSITY OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
AUDITORIUM
4200 Connecticut Avenue , Northwest, Washington, DC 20008

**DIVISION OF WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT AND LIFELONG LEARNING
THE UNIVERSITY OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

Dr. Calvin Woodland, CEO
www.udc.edu/cc

"Opportunity presents itself as a door to a new level of success. One can knock and knock and never get through. You've been the key unlocking new opportunities and going the distance."

Workforce Development & Lifelong Learning (WDLL)

The Division of Workforce Development and Lifelong Learning is an offering of the Community College of the District of Columbia (UDC-CC). Our mission is to reduce unemployment and underemployment in the District of Columbia by helping job hunters develop skills necessary for the emerging workforce. Among the available career areas for which training is available are::

Health Care, Construction Trades, Hospitality Careers, Office Technology, Administrative Technology

In addition to other courses, GED Preparation, Digital Literacy and Accuplacer Preparation are also available.

To enhance the skills of our residents, we offer a plethora of programs at various locations :

Bertie Backus-5171 South Dakota Avenue NE, Washington DC 20017

Marion Shadd Educational Center -5701 East Capitol Street SE, Washington DC 20010

Patricia Roberts Harris Educational Center- 4600 Livingston Road SE, Washington DC 20032

United Medical Center- 1310 Southern Avenue SE, Washington DC 20032



A Letter from Dean, Kim R. Ford

Dear Students,

The Workforce Development and Lifelong Learning (WDLL) mission is to reduce unemployment and underemployment in the District of Columbia by enhancing the skills of its residents. We believe in this mission. We can accomplish this mission. We WILL accomplish this mission!

We are so lucky to be in the District of Columbia, because unlike virtually every other city in the country, we have an economic boom on our hands. We have more jobs than people who are without jobs. Further, when we consider the jobs that are projected for DC and combine those opportunities with the retirement/replacement factor, there are over 250,000 jobs becoming available in the next 7 years.

This is why we know we can reduce unemployment and underemployment— because we at WDLL have the ability to equip people with the education and

skills necessary to get jobs. But we don't want you to stop when you get a job. We want you to continue your education at the Community College and beyond. This is called our "one door" approach, no matter where you start with us, whether it's a course in HVAC, Child Development, GED preparation, Food Handling or any other offering, we want you to continue your education with the Community College. We are working aggressively so you can get credit for the work you've done and can take advantage of all the resources afforded students at the university.

We know we WILL fulfill the WDLL mission because we have the greatest people in the world—DC residents are determined, motivated and willing to put in the hard work to get where they want to go. We will work with you to realize your dreams.

Thank you for all that you have done and all that you will do for our city. Congratulations on your accomplishment!

Kim R. Ford

Acting Dean, Workforce Development and Lifelong Learning

ORDER OF PROGRAM

Welcome

Kim R. Ford

Acting Dean, Workforce Development and Lifelong Learning

Greetings

Congresswoman Eleanor Holmes-Norton

Delegate to the United States Congress

Video Presentation

Student Perspectives

*Bertie Backus * Marion Shadd * Patricia Harris * United Medical Center * Nursing

Introduction to Keynote Speaker

Dr. Elaine Crider

Chairman, Board of Trustees, University of the District of Columbia

Keynote Speaker

Dr. James E. Lyons

Interim President, University of the District of Columbia

WDL Student Acknowledgement

Dean's List ***

Perfect Attendance Award *

National Certification+

Musical Selection

Emily Fletcher

Staff Assistant, Patricia R. Harris Educational Center

Closing Remarks

Dr. Calvin Woodland

Acting CEO, University of the District of Columbia Community College



Celebration of Excellence Recap: January 12, 2013

On January 12, 2013, over 300 students from across the city gathered with family and friends for the UDC-CC/WDLL "Celebration of Excellence" recognition ceremony. The semi-annual event, held at Saint Elizabeths Auditorium, proudly acknowledged students participating in Workforce Development and Lifelong Learning programs. Mayor Vincent Gray attended the event, gave words of encouragement and a message about community, employability, upward mobility, and educational growth. The keynote address was delivered by Thomas Penny III, who is the General Manager for the Courtyard Marriott Convention Center.

Mr. Penny inspirational speech focused on the idea that anything is possible because "leadership begins with you." As always, our student speakers were amazing and told their stories of motivation, persistence and success! In closing, Dr. Elaine Crider, Chairman of the UDC Board of Trustees, expressed the importance of education and the impact it has on the society at-large.



Special Thanks to our Staff

“Team Work Makes the Dream Work”



801 North Capitol:

Kim R. Ford, David Lloyd, Jasmine Williams, Edith Westfall, Neil Richardson, Latrena Owens, Sallie Lampron, Zack Shultz, Phillip PremDas, Reginald Tyson, Sherre Washington, Eddie Jo Williams, Amanda Olivares, Emary McIver, Dawn Dinkins, Marie Brown, Zachary Schultz, Anna Velazco, Paulette Wooten-Martin

Bertie Backus:

Sherman Cook, Harold Belcher, Elizabeth Gaither, Sabrina Simmons, Lincoln Jenkins, Jason Williams, Kelvin Payne, Margaret Slaughter, Carroll Daniels, Andre Eba, Cassandra Boyd, Emily White, John Adams, Bridgette Brandon

Marion Shadd Educational Center:

Elijah Moses, April Hill, Dawnea Johnstone, Liam Ball, Timothy McDuffie

PR. Harris Educational Center:

Barbara Thompson, Stephanie Poteat, Ricky Bonner, Perri Woodall, Noelia Ramirez, Conchita Mays, Ronald Williams, Pamela Jenkins -Fields, Alice Dais, Emily Fletcher

United Medical Center:

Shaumika Tate, Jefre Holmes, Lachelle Harrison-Cook, Gilda Garris (Volunteer)

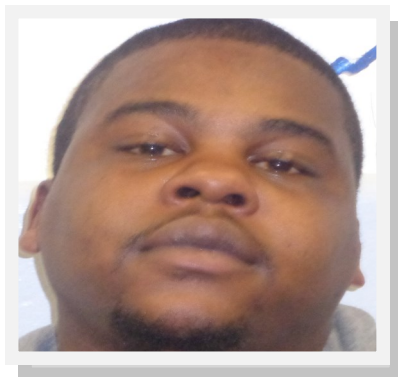
**If you're walking down the right path and willing to keep walking,
eventually you'll make progress"**
- President, Barack Obama



**This walk that I walk here today is my testimony
of my life, my passion and my drive.**
- Lynette Banks, Student Speaker



**Every student is a self portrait of their sacrifice
and investment. Autograph your endeavors with
excellence. Knowledge pays the best interest. I love
workforce development programs!**
-Jerry Fitzgerald, Phlebotomy Student



**Because of the NCCER Carpentry I course at Marion
Shadd, I found employment with Paradigm Manage-
ment Company as a Maintenance Tech.**
-William Watson, Marion Shadd Student Speaker



**I want everyone to know that I feel great about my
experience. I love what "Workforce Development and
Lifelong Learning" has to offer DC residents; the pro-
grams and student activities really allow people to get
their foot in the door to make better career choices.**
-Danielle Boxley, Patient Care Technician Student



It's been 25 years since I attended school, which was an adjustment. Today, I'm pursuing a Bachelors degree in Social Work . Thanks Workforce Development!
- Michelle Blackman, Accuplacer Preparation Student



There are phenomenal teachers and staff available to help you succeed. My experience there was great.
- Jamal Kimble, Microsoft IT Specialist Student



My class is wonderful! The instructor is very informative. This experience will help me go a long way. Certainly, since I am going to become an RN.
- Marian Rose, Patient Care Technician Student



My goal coming into Workforce Development was to accomplish training in the medical field; anything besides nursing. I was able to do so by getting certified in the Medical Billing and Coding. Thanks Workforce Development for your training program!
- Ja'nel Whitaker, Medical Billing and Coding Student

CONGRATULATIONS WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT & LIFELONG LEARNERS

Courses/ Programs January 2013– May 2013

STUDENT LEGEND

DEAN'S LIST ***

PERFECT ATTENDANCE *

NATIONAL CERTIFICATION +

CONSTRUCTION TRADES



Program: Basic Electric

Stephen Bell +

Kimberly Bonham +

Gernetta Briscoe +

Eliease Crenshaw +

Darrell Davis

John Dorsey III+

Davon Dukes +

Douglas Eatmon +

Ryan Hall +

Gerald Jerome +

Marquez Johnson +

Carlos Lewis +

Aaron Plunkett +***

Clifton Redd Jr. +

James Carmichael +

Program: Basic Carpentry

Dradorance Blackmon+

Timothy Curry+

Anthony Dorsey+

Patrick Fantroy

Harry Gaskins, Jr.+

Bruce Gilmore II +

Cheryl Glanville +

Troy Jones +

Mark Morrison +

Laurie Napper+***

George Parker Jr.+

Williams Watson Jr+

Bruce Williams+

Keith Williams+

Program: IEC Electrical Apprenticeship—Year 1

William Aviles

Marvin Diaz

Ronald Majano

Cecil Mallard

Program: IEC Electrical Apprenticeship—Year 3

Kendall Chisley

Thornton Kidrick III

Germaine Wells

Stefan Doss

Stevie Patton

Patrick Wilson

Program: HVAC CFC

Antonio Davall

Alonzo Johnson+

Cameo Ooten+

Ronald Williams+

Bernard Dickens II

Elias Kifle+***

Gregory Paxton+

Reginald Wright+

Davon Dukes

Charles Little+

William Thompson+

Mitchell Hall

Thomas Mihrete

Althea Tolson+

Tracy Harrison

Michael Morrow

Phillip Washington+

Program: HVAC Installation

Khoury Bethea

Lamonte Ginyard

Lawrence Long

Kerry Waller

Cedric Bosier

Ezra Harmon

Orlando Medrano

David Ward

James Easterling ***

David Horn

Sylvester Meggison Jr.

Marcus Ware

Program: HVAC Theory

Floyd Banjoman

Joseline Djomini +* ***

Malcolm Jackson

Karen Settles+

Ronnie Barron +

Stephone Douglas

Bobby James

Addisu Siraw

Ahmad Baylor

Damon Ewuell

Allieu Kanu +*

Williams Speight Jr.+

Dwight Bell

Jarrod Fennell

Antwan Kiett

Wesley Stevenson +

Jeffrey Brawner

Ronald Fussell +

Kenneth McDowell

MarQuitta Warren

James Brown

Darrell Hewlett +

Devin Myers +

Christopher West

Ricardo Brown +*

Carlos Hill *

Donald Perkins+

Raynard Williams

Dwane Cherry-El +

Timothy Hill II

Justin Perry

Kevin Cooper+

Rogers Howard +

Kevin Richardson+

Delonte Davis+***

Eric Ingram+

Rupert Samuels +

“The Road to Success is Always Under Construction” - HVAC Installation

HEALTHCARE



Program: Direct Support Professional

Tiesha Anderson	Marcillina Emoeyonu	Janis Pittman	Tashida Thompson
Stephanie Anderson-Smoot***	Jeanette George	Vanessa Phillips	Emma Tolar
Robert Barnes	Tinyehsa Hawkins	Denise Royster	Kali Warren
Kim Batchelor	Kellie Hewitt	Ibrahim Shobalaju	Leonna Weeks***
Tiffany Boyd	Angela Hinnant	Donese Showell	Barbara Wells
Danielle Boxley	Tiarra McQueen	Tiajuana Showell	Erie Williams
Daquasha Carr	Shirley Melton	TeQuanda Sledge	Jean Wiggins
Britney Clemons	Tynisa Montgomery	Temple Solomon	Lena Young
Monique Coles	Alexis Morgan***	AmeyKay Stocks	
Phedocia Downs***	Blayre Morris	Elsie Taylor	

Program: Electronic Health Records

Emmanuel Alakwe	Amare Eyassu +	Kiran Keshay	Aprameya Paduthonse +
Misrak Bahiru	Nakkiyah Gant	Alganesh Kufлом	Ponja Delphine Sadjiep
Janet Dankwa	Donna Gray	Kasahun Mihretie	Ubong Umo +
Magaye Diaw +	Steven Hanna + ***	Diana Ollivierre +	Kinfegebrial Woldemichael
Shamsideen Edu	Valessa Harrison +	Tinuke Oshoro	Kelia Young+

"Nursing students know those creepy mannequins do much more than sleep around." - Nursing & Allied Health

Program: Home Health Aide

Tiesha Anderson	Jeanette George	Janis Pittman	Tashida Thompson
Stephanie Anderson-Smoot	Tinyesha Hawkins	Vanessa Phillips	Emma Tolar
Robert Barnes	Kellie Hewitt	Denise Royster* ***	Kali Warren
Kim Batchelor	Angela Hinnant	Ibrahim Shobalaju	Leonna Weeks
Tiffany Boyd	Tinyehsa Hawkins	Tiajuana Showell	Barbara Wells*
Daquasha Carr	Tiarra McQueen*	TeQuanda Sledge	Erie Williams*
Britney Clemons	Shirley Melton*	Temple Solomon	Jean Wiggins
Phedocia Downs*	Tynisa Montgomery	AmeyKay Stocks	Lena Young
Marcillina Emoeyonu	Alexis Morgan	Elsie Taylor	

Program: Nursing Assistant

Wilbert Cantey	Denise Matheny*	Marilyn Pratt	Natasha Silver*
Marshay Hazelwood	Mireille Njoh*	Canise Sefa	Kennette Washington
Valencia Jones* ***	Seresa Keaton*	Danielle Boxley	

Program: Nursing Assistant (PYAP)

Mitia Boykins	Brieonna Glover	Amanda Peat	Brittney Sweetney
Kortnie Bradford ***	Rickia Hellams	Tyrone Pixley	Khadijah Taylor
Tavaris Chambers***	Kanisha Hudson	Robin Shands	Corinthia Thompson
Tanisha Cooper	Whitney Jackson	Brittany Simms	Khidhr Washington
Sade Curtis	Erica Lewis	Tymisha Singletary	Briona Williams
Tantania Dobbins	Derricka Little	Dedra Smith	
Alexis Everett	Arielle McGregor	Tanisha Smith	
Precious Ford	Mikia Moore	Brittany Staton	

Program: Medical Office Administrative Assistant

Doneisha Burl	Carlotta Coleman	Janine Nixon	Meskerem Tadesse +
Katrina Butler +	Rone Dukes +	Reva Perry +	Shateera Washington
Lavonne Campbell+	Trista Dunlap	Teresa Roseboro +	Ellen Woodfork +
Tanyonnue Caoh +	Hirut Ghirmay +	Jeanette Sauls +	
Deborah Cole +	Shantel Lewis +	Debra Spears +	

Program: Home Health Aide In-service

Rose Brown
Florence Djika

Stephanie Jackson
Portia Kelly

Dorothy Martin
Ijeoma Obi

Doris Simpkins

Program: Medical Billing and Coding

Krystin Allen
Erin Batie
Madison Bethea
Larry Cephas
Tammy Clayton
Nkese Essien-Ibok
Crystal Flythe
Evon Gaither

Cynthia Garrett
Bernice Gates-Hall
Tylene Harrell
Samantha Hopkins
Freda Jackson
Crystal Jacobs
Nicole Jennings
JaQuander Jones

Priscilla Kuhn
Wanda-Denise Lewis
Nina Montgomery ***
Bufonda Payton
Clotelle Perry
Cynthia Robinson
Moniques Robinson
Char Stoddard

Asteway Tefferi
Joelle Wang
Ja-Nel Whitaker
Nita Wislon
Tanika Wilson
Robin Wise
Keia Young

Program: Medical Terms/Anatomy

Ayele Akouete
Keonna Allison
Shameka Barley
Juanita Benthall
Cecilia Bigesby
Japera Blakney
David Brown
Kenneth Brown
Kimberly Burks
Karen Bussey
Pamela Carter
Starleash Clyburn
Tracy Coffin
Denise Coleman
Arneisha Coles
Charlene Davis
Samura Diggs

Roneka Ellison
Tywanda Ellison
Charles Ewell ***
Tamika Green
Kozette Greene
Danielle Haggerty
Gregory Holland
Niyona Ingram
Wayne Jackson
Angle Johnson
Deneé Keitt
Sarah Keyes
Jill King
Anthony Knight
Starr Lindsey
Tamara Mangum
Cindy McNeil

Samantha Mitchell
Eunice Ofori
Olayemi Olasdiji
Leslie Paul
Aree Plunkett
Sharie Porter
Ikea Price-Bey
Lynell Proctor
Riconjia Riggins
Lydia Rosenboro
Andriesha Ross
Andrea Sanders
Karen Shepherd ***
Lisa Simmons
Camille Smith
Darchelle Snead
Julia Snead

Terry Spencer
Rhonda Stoddard
Donna Lee Telfer
Jenniffer Thompson
Marla Thompson
Vasily Tsukanov
Hope Turner
Shrell Turner
Alexandria Washington
Lavonda Washington
Roseline Welche
Afrika Williams
Senait Wondirad
Markel Wright
Tra-Anda Wright
Brittany Yancey
Dominique Harley

Program: Medical Assistant

Narvis Gallman	Cheryl Martin ***	Jabbie Mohamed	Aurelio Simmons
Joi Hogue	Lakeisha Mason	Tatum Plater	Jasmone Taylor
Takia Johnson	Jocelyn Maxwell-Goodman	Shelina Scribber	

Program: Medical Office Assistant (PYAP)

Nikki Anderson	Shakina Cotton	Darrell Jackson	Stephen Smart
Nija Andrews	Victoria Crews	Meisha McBride	Russell Timmons
David Armstrong	Chanel Edwards	Michael Owings	Javis Wills
Tonett Blount	Angela Gibbs	Danzel Powell	Loren Lane
Omar Colson	Jamila Gill	Quintina Robinson	
Kevin Cornerly, II	Jasmine Handon	Walter Sadler	

Program: Practical Nursing

Elizabeth Ademilove	Solange Ble	Alain Kwedi	Henry Ohazuruike
Hanna Adilu	Cynthia Che	Ghislaine Madama ***	Margaret Okoli
Solomon Adinew	Martha Demeke	Diane Magne	Jacquelyn Queeley
Daniel Adjei	Patricia Fernandez	Guillaume Misse Ekwa	Denise Reyes
Latame Aheto	Tsion Gedam	Brenda Nakato	Sabrina Thomas
Selamawit Belda	Helen Hovor	Charles Ngobi	
Fuh Blaise	Baba Jawara	Rebecca Ngumbah	
Kedru Yirga	Zenobia Johnson	Annick Nkobo	

Program: Patient Care Technician

Natasha Alston	Monique Coles	Marian Rose ***	Tyrone Young
Lashawne Bell	Brieonna Glover	Jamie Tyler	
Danielle Boxley ***	Katrina Hood	Elizabeth Williams	

Program: Phlebotomy

Denae' Anderson	Dominique Butler	Rochelle McCollum	Ayarny Smith ***
Lynnette Banks ***	Jerry Fitzgerald ***	Nikoma McDuffie	Juan Moya ***
Tashima Barnes	Shantea Fuller	Asia Pollard	Briona Williams
Turnesha Brown ***			

HOSPITALITY CAREERS



Gregory Adams
Modupe Adeove
Eyita Andrews
Jacqueline Barnes
Antonette Better
Stephanie Brown
Timothy Bryant
Katina Burnette +
Karen Bussey
Darlene Chaney
Christianna Chase +
Connie Coleman +
Lucius Conyers
Joe Cook
Angelique Cox +

Kimberly Cristwell +
Darrell Davis
Toni Deal
Gloria Dickerson +
Nicole Dickerson +
Ronald Dickerson
Stephon Douglas +
Harold Fennel
Roger Ferguson III
Chiara Fields
Emelda Fields
Abdissa Gebre +
Jacqueline Geter +
Hirut Ghirmay +
Katheine Gomez

Terrance Goodman
Tamika Green
Cynthia Harris +
Cherish Johnson
Danielle Jones-Mays +
Denee Keitt
Teresa Kenny +
Keonda King
Keyawna Kirby
Renee Lawson
Sharon Lipscomb
Amelia Matthews
James Matthews
Jocelyn Maxwell-Goodman
Erica Miller +

Tony Morris
Lucille Nelson +
Deirdre Padgett +
Reginald Parker +
Jacqueline Paul
Toloria Payne +
Gianny Peralta
Nathaniel Porter
Ronald Pratt
Loreli Queen +
Darlene Richardson +
Marsha Richardson +
Tyrone Robinson +
Peggy Scriven
Omar Shariff +

Kenneth Sills +	Rory Steptoe	Ashley Thompson	Sheila Wash +
Juanita Simmons	Meskerem Tadesse +	Shanitra Tinsley +	Mark White +
Rojetta Sledge +	Deborah Talley+	Alice Tolbert	Wilma White
Charles Smith +	Julie Taylor	Vasily Tsukanov	Kavon Williams
Patrick Smith	Andre Thomas +	Jazmine Turner +	Renee Williams
Shelby Spencer	Alethea Thompson +	Charlene Wallace +	Cordell Walker

Program: Basic Driver Education

Antoinette Alston +***	Verlean Boone	Bernadette Nickens
Charlette Alston +***	Sharon Jamison+	Delonta Smith

Program: Retail Customer Service-DC Housing Authority

Aaron Anthony	Kahil Daniel +	Chanda Moon	April Ward +
Nakia Austin +	Ronnie Dixon +	Paul Moss	Cynthia Williams
Brenda Brown	Teresa Jackson	Samuel Smith	Lisa Williams +
Teanesha Brown +	Latoya Jones +	Micca Taylor	Markisha Mabry +

Program: HOPE-Digital Literacy Basics /Adult Basic Education

Pedro Armendariz +	Ricky Lawson	Jennifer Pacheco	Cheryl Tolbert +
Rashawnda Davis	Dwusu Lee	Wesley Pinkley	Tia Young
Lynette Dean	Maurice Lewis	Ar'Vaye Prather +	
James Hood	Antoinette McNeely	Angela Pratt +	
Amber Iraheta +	Victoria Ortega +	Daniel Stover	

"Each of you is responsible for hospitality; the chief thing is the Good Will." - Customer Service

ADMINISTRATIVE & OFFICE TECHNOLOGY



Program: IT for Seniors

Lorenzo Alpheaus
Victor Bailey

Esther Claxton
Ella Penn

Arthur Pittman, Jr.
Shenay Rose

Denise Howard
Samuel Ajayi

Program: Microsoft Office Specialist IT Academy Prep

Earl Anderson
Elyse Anderson
Tony Barnhart
Shawndellan Bronson
Blossom Brown
Theodore Butler *

Linda Cooke Seals
Clayvon Davis
Keyona Dobbins
Teresa Jackson
Rabih Jackson
Tony Lewis

Gary Martin
Davon McCarley
Stacey Miller
Akanni Oyebola
Michael Penny
Travon Perkins

Nakeea Robertson
Vincent Scott
Lawan Sweeney ***
Lawanda Thompson *
Lynnette Williams
April Winston

Program: Introduction to Computers and Microsoft Office Suite

Checonya Bittle	Bobby Bradley	Gloria Hayman	Daniel Ross
Craig Bowling	Darlene Chaney	Danitra Price	Sabrina Ross ***

Program: Spanish in the Workplace

Darlene Chaney	Gregory Holland	Cheryl Martin ***	Julia Snead
Twanda Ellison	Wayne Jackson	Eunice Ofori	Dominique Stanley
Danielle Haggerty	Jill King	Lynell Proctor	Sharman Wilkins ***
Dominque Harley	Tamara Mangum	Andriesha Ross	

Program: Administrative Assistant w/ Microsoft Office Specialist Training

Sameul Ajayi	Shari Cole	Rapheal Jenkins	Marquitta Stroman
Helen Allen	Ronnell Dennis	Felita Jennings	Zarian Thomas
Penny Ashton	Teresa Dunlap	Keisha Miles	Shante Williams
Dmarcus Barnes	Lavonne Evans	Christina Murdock	Lee Williams
Alysia Blackwell	Tanea Ezell	Bufonda Payton	Ayanna Wilson
LaShyon Bradley	Shelia Fultz	Ashley Plummer	Moses Yeka
Shannon Brock	Abdissa Gebre ***	Latoya Roane	Arneishia Coles
Cynthia Bruce	Teemon Henderson	James Ross	Irving Shelton
Danielle Campbell ***	Keith Hopkins	Omar Shariff	Margaret Young
Donna Campbell	Vanecia Huggans	Rossi Slade	
Jacqueline Chisley	Russell Jacobs	Leonard Smith	

“Just ask anyone who has taken the course...Introduction to Microsoft Office Suite is Sweet!”

WDLL STUDENTS ARE BUILDING SKILLS TO FIND NEW WAYS TO WORK

Workforce Development and Lifelong Learning students take advantage of the skills building courses offered at Bertie Backus, Shadd and PR Harris, including Accuplacer Preparation, GED preparation, Language Arts/Reading Skills Development, and Mathematics Skills Development. We applaud and encourage students to continue their personal and professional growth and benefit from the educational opportunities at the University of the District of Columbia Community College.

Accuplacer Preparation

This course prepares individuals to take the Accuplacer Examination, a computer-adaptive placement test that assesses the participant's reading, writing, and mathematics skills in order to predict the participant's probable success in college level courses.

GED Preparation

This course prepares individuals to take the GED Examination. It focuses on Reading, Writing, and Mathematics skills development using online courseware and may be performed anywhere that high-speed Internet service is available.

Language Arts/Reading Skills Development

This training is designed to help improve participants' reading performance so that they meet the pre-requisites for those WDP course offerings which have higher level reading requirements. This course is required for any participant whose Reading Level Set score is at a grade level below 9.0.

Mathematics Skills Development

This training is designed to help improve participants' mathematics performance so that they meet the pre-requisites for certain WDP course offerings which have higher level mathematics requirements. This course is required for any participant whose Mathematics Level Set score is at a grade level below 9.0.

Congratulations to our GED Recipients

The following individuals successfully passed the GED Examination:

Ashely Wright

Tawanda Cephas

WDLL's Student Highlights

* January—May 2013*



Rita's Italian Ice visit students at Marion Shadd Educational Center.

Students participated as a Human Clothesline for a domestic violence project.





Success is a vehicle which moves on a wheel called "hard work," but the journey is impossible without fuel called "self confidence."



In order to succeed, your desire for success should be greater than your fear of failure.

- Bill Cosby





ADMIN TECH ACADEMY

AdminTech Academy offers courses and certifications that prepare participants for high demand careers in the administrative and information technology field. The AdminTech Academy targets industries that employ administrative and technical occupations, including administrative assistants, medical office assistants, IT support technicians, system administrators, network administrators, among others. The AdminTech Academy offers six courses that prepare students for various industry recognized certifications.

- * **Microsoft Technology Associate**
- * **CompTIA A+**
- * **CompTIA Network+**
- * **CompTIA Security +**
- * **Electronic Health Records**
- * **Project Management**

Mission

Provide better preparation for DC residents in a wide variety of high demand careers. Help accelerate careers by providing student support specialists, career counseling, and workshops and trainings designed to help participants succeed.

Services

- * Offer courses that prepare participants for industry recognized certifications
- * Promote student success with support from specialists who provide participants with guidance on academic and career planning
- * Develop job readiness workshops
- * Organize information sessions that will expose participants to industry experts



Visit www.admintechacademy.org and click on "Apply Now"

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THE HOPE PROGRAM: HOSPITALITY TRAINING FOR DC RESIDENTS

The UDC Community College partnered with Progressive Partners and Goodwill of Greater Washington to provide a Hospitality Training Program (HOPE) for DC residents with an interest in the Hospitality/Retail fields. The HOPE program consists of a 10-week program which includes hospitality skills, adult basic education, employability skills, and customer service training. The training uses the American Hotel & Lodging Educational Institute's Skills, Tasks, and Results Training (START) leading to the START certification. In addition, students receive mentorship and job coaching from hotel professionals, site visits to hotels, and assistance finding employment.



PROGRAM START DATE: JULY 2013

Course Benefits

- Potential to earn industry recognized certification
 - Stipend based on attendance
 - Personalized job placement support
 - Metro accessible location
- Classes led by industry professionals
 - Computer training

Enrollment Requirements

- DC resident
- Complete CASAS Math & Reading Assessment at a 6th grade level or higher
 - Professional attire preferred
- Income verification documents (Currently receiving SSI, SSDI, Food Stamps, TANF, Medicaid, etc.)
 - 18 years of age or older
 - Ability to complete 11-week course, Monday - Thursday
 - Must pass a background screening
- Must pass an initial drug screening and remain drug free

Goodwill DC Career Center

2200 South Dakota Avenue NE, Washington, DC 20018

Please call to schedule an appointment: (202)715-2625

www.dcgoodwill.org

United Medical Center: Allied Health Courses Are Now Available

We offer allied health programs for Washington, D.C.'s residents that include personalized hands-on training with specialists in healthcare for practical experience. Classrooms are equipped with "Smart Board Technology," and each laboratory contains state-of-the-art equipment and supplies identical to those found in clinical labs in healthcare settings. Our programs are fee based, but scholarship opportunities and payment plan options are available. Our programs include:

- * **Dialysis Technician**
- * **Direct Support Professional /Home Health Aide**
- * **Phlebotomy/ EKG Technician**
- * **Patient Care Technician**



New Allied Health Classes Coming Soon!

Pharmacy Technician

Pharmacy technicians help licensed pharmacists dispense prescription medication and typically perform the following:

- * Take from customers or health professionals the information needed to fill a prescription
- * Count tablets and measure amounts of other medications for prescriptions
- * Compound or mix medications, such as preparing ointments
- * Package and label prescriptions
- * Accept payment and process insurance claims

Operating Room Surgical Technician

Surgical technologists typically do the following:

Prepare operating rooms for surgery

Sterilize equipment and make sure that there are adequate supplies for surgery

Prepare patients for surgery, such as washing and disinfecting incision sites

Prepare sterile solutions used in surgery, check that all surgical equipment is working properly and assist the surgical team to put on sterile gowns and gloves

For more information on current and upcoming program offerings, please call (202) 574-6854.

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Are you Interested in Career Advancement?

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