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Monroe Community College will be the nationally recognized leader in championing equity, opportunity, innovation, and excellence while transforming students' lives and communities.



Our Mission





Monroe Community College, through access to affordable academic programs, leads excellence and innovation in higher education, inspires diverse students to transform their lives and communities, drives regional economic development, and builds global engagement and understanding.



Integrity	Ground assertions in data and evidence
Excellence	Use data to improve not just measure
Empowerment	Identify problems to focus on solutions
Inclusiveness	Talk directly with others, not about them
Collaboration	Build understanding by working across division and divisions
Stewardship	Consider the opportunity cost of resource allocations



Budget Picture





SUNY System Suffers From Enrollment Drought Enrollment shrin

Enrollment shrinking at NY's community colleges: 'We need to adjust'

SUNY community college enrollment numbers take a plunge SUNY enrollment de

SUNY enrollment decreases for 8th straight year

Is New York's population decline impacting college enrollment? SUNY says yes

While the spring semester is in full swing for college students, one thing has remained constant for many SUNY schools across the state: Dwindling enrollment.



Projected High School Graduates Monroe County



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SUNY Fall Enrollment





SUNY FT Undergraduate Trend





SUNY CC Enrollment & Degree Trend







- US Economy continues strong performance
- Dow Jones Industrial continues to exceed pre-recession levels
- Countercyclical correlation between economy and enrollment remains strong
 - National Unemployment 3.8% (February 2019)
 - Unemployment in Rochester MSA 3.8% (January 2019)
 - Unemployment in NYS 3.9% (January 2019)
- SUNY CC enrollment declined every year since 2011
 - Even with new formula, 10 SUNY CCs will lose funding
 - Competition between 4-year SUNY and private institutions significantly elevated



Institutional Research – Enrollment Statistical Modeling

- Historically, four models have been used to project enrollment:
 - MCC's latest fall term student count
 - High school graduating class sizes
 - Unemployment rates for the area
 - Student type trends
 - Monroe County age yields
- For 2020, a new model was instituted The Retention Model:
 - Reflecting incoming students first time, transfers, readmits, continuing and related retention and graduation rates
 - Model projected 10,320 FTEs for 2019-20
 - Committee selected more conservative range given overall trends
- Return to Complete adds ~33 FTE
- Projected Enrollment is now 10,108 FTEs

Flat Retention Rate





Key 2019/20 Revenue Assumptions



- Enrollment: Budgeted Enrollment to decline to 10,108 FTE
- State Aid: \$100/FTE increase to \$2,947/FTE based NYS Budget
- **Sponsor Contribution:** Request County flat funding of \$19,130,000
- **Tuition:** Tuition remains flat YOY: \$4,380 FT/FY
- Fund Balance: Projected use of \$3.9M (124% up YOY)
- The Total Budget will approximate \$121.8M, representing a budget to budget decrease of \$853K or 1%



Active Employees	Wages and Benefits
President	0.3%
Officer	1.0%
Non-Contract	4.2%
Faculty	64.0%
CSEA	23.0%
Part-time	1.4%
Student	0.7%
Retirees (benefits only)	5.3%
Total Wages and Benefits	99.9%

The Funding Partnership (Net Budget)



		2017/18 Actual	2018/19 Budget	2019/20 Budget (Option K)	"The" Partnership
Student Tuition	MCC	48.9%	47.1%	44.6%	33.3%
	SUNY CC Average	41.2%	41.3%		
	MCC Rank	1	5		
State Aid	MCC	30.4%	28.4%	28.4%	40.0%
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	SUNY CC Average MCC Rank	20.1% 6	20.5% 9		
Local Share	MCC	20.7%	24.5%	27.0%	26.7%
	SUNY CC Average	32.7%	32.2%		
	MCC Rank	28	25		
Sponsor	MCC	17.3%	16.5%	16.7%	
	SUNY CC Average	20.3%	19.0%		
	MCC Rank	20	20		



Year Ahead





Seeing the Forest and the Trees





- Gray Associates, Inc.
 - Market Demand
 - Marketing Strategies
 - New Programs
- Center for Governmental Research
 - Do Not Complete the Application (6,300)
 - Accepted but Do Not Attend (14,400)
 - Not Retained (3,300)
- MCC Human Centered Design Group
 - 5 facilitators (new training starts 5/7)
 - 12 in process of training

Civitas

- Gateway & First-Year Courses
- Retention Program/Initiative Effectiveness
- Nudges
- Course-Level Data and Outcomes
 - Grade Distributions
 - Delivery Methods
 - DevEd Placement and Design
- Data Disaggregation
 - Closing Equity Gaps



Disaggregating Data to Serve Our Students



Fall 2018 Student and Staff Profile



	Student Headcount	Average Age	Percent of Student Body	FT Teaching Faculty	All Other FT Employees
White	7,019	24.2	57.2%	241 (83.1%)	454 (74.9%)
African American	2,538	26.5	20.7%	19 (6.6%)	100 (16.5%)
Latinx	1,291	23.2	10.5%	14 (4.8%)	35 (5.8%)
Asian	621	23.8	5.1%	8 (2.8%)	6 (1.0%)
Native American	68	24.8	0.6%	2 (.7%)	1 (.2%)
Two or More Races	523	22.3	4.3%	5 (1.7%)	7 (1.2%)
Nonresident Alien	117	23.8	1.0%	0	0
Unknown	96	25.3	0.8%	1 (.3%)	3 (.5%)
Total	12,273	24.5		290	606

Understanding Equity Issues in 3 Year Graduation Rates



	Fall 2011	Fall 2012	Fall 2013	Fall 2014
African American	9.1%	10.3%	10.1%	8.2%
Latinx	10.8%	10.7%	13.6%	15.4%
Overall	23.9%	22.7%	23.3%	21.3%
African American Grad Difference	-14.8%	-12.4%	-13.2%	-13.1%
Latinx Grad Difference	-13.1%	-12%	-9.7%	-5.9%

Assuring Valid Comparisons



General Population (Everyone)Transitional Studies Students (Subset)Graduation, Persistence, and
Transfer within Four Years in
Degree ProgramGraduation, Persistence, and
Transfer within Four Years in
Degree Program25%-30%45%-50%
(MCC IR, 2018)

- These data sets are **not comparable**.
- Only **10-17%** of TRS 100 (TS-01) students enter college-level courses.
- The graduation rate of these students is **5-9%** within 4 years of starting a degree program.
- **5 to 9 of every 100 students** who begin in TS-01 graduate within 4 years of starting a degree program.



- 4th in percent of full-time faculty who are African American and 3rd in percent who are Latinx
- 4th when comparing the percentage of the student body comprised of African American students
- 11th when comparing the percentage of the student body comprised of Latinx students
- 24th among the 30 SUNY Community Colleges in terms of African American graduation rates
- 23rd among the 30 SUNY Community Colleges in terms of Latinx graduation rates



What got you here won't get you there.

--Marshall Goldsmith



Program Innovation and Evolution



Online SUNY Reboot

- Psychology
- Business (Accounting)
- Health
- Math
- Education
- Liberal Arts-General Studies
- Schools at MCC
- Single Moms Success Design Challenge
- Open Educational Resources
- Acceleration
 - Criminal Justice
 - Early Childhood

• CTE Pathways

- Wilson Foundation HS CTE
- PLA / Microcredentials / Stackables
- Apprenticeship
- LadderzUp
- Curriculum Innovation
- Industry 4.0
- Return to Complete
 - Re-Opening Doors
 - Comprehensive Supports
- Entry-Level Programs
 - CNA, HHA
- Developmental Education Redesign



Single Moms Success Design Challenge



Designing a Family Friendly MCC



What obstacles do single mothers face when seeking a degree?





Cohort:

- Central New Mexico CC / Albuquerque, NM
- Delgado CC / New Orleans, LA
- Ivy Tech CC / State of Indiana

The challenge goal is to **improve attainment rates of degrees or highquality credentials by 30% at each institution by 2024**.

Education Design Lab will provide support and technical assistance, using a **Human Centered Design** model.

MCC's work serves multiple priority student populations:

- Adult students
- Part-time students
- Returning students
- Students of Color



- Diversity, Equity, Inclusion
 - Culture of Respect
 - Culturally aware and relevant programming
 - Equity in hiring, promotion, advancement
 - Delivery strategies mapped to needs
 - Disaggregated data driving action
- Employee Development
 - Leadership and Management Education
 - Upskilling and Cross-Training
 - Employee Development-focused Evaluation Frameworks
 - Updated Job Descriptions
 - Ongoing Education Partnerships

- Deep Community Collaborations
 - Monroe County
 - City of Rochester
 - CSDs, BOCES and OACES
 - Community-Based Organizations and Assets
 - Business and Industry
 - Upstate NY College Collaboration
- Organizational Culture
 - Mission- and Value-centered decisions
 - Community Building and Rebuilding
 - Transparency and Communication
 - Fiscal Responsibility and Risk Management



Board Evaluation Task Force



Evaluation as Employee Development





Board Evaluation Task Force

- Current State
- Past MCC Work: 1999, 2004, 2017
- Board Requested Elements
- SUNY Models
- Other Higher Ed Models
- Evaluation Best Practices
- Recommendations





Start where you are. Use what you have. Do what you can.

--Arthur Ashe

Serving Different Populations ... Differently





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