Starting Smart

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Mohawk Valley Community College

- Founded in 1946
- Sponsored by Oneida County
- Banner user
- 6,000 students
- 2 campuses – Utica & Rome
- 90 academic programs
Enrollment & Advisement Process

• GPS (Goals + Plan = Success)
• Health Care Programs
• New Student Convocation & Orientation
• Professional & Faculty Advisors
Helping Students Explore & Envision

- Career information on our website
- Encouraging use of Career Coach in high schools
- Offering pre-acceptance career counseling
- Pre-scheduling career counseling for incoming students
- New student support services survey
- First year seminar classes
- Programming like Career Panels & Company Visits
Career Coach
Take a career assessment, gauge your interest, and decide your major.
mvcc.edu/careercoach
Next Steps for MVCC

• Better identifying what incoming students need more intensive career counseling
• Career exploration or career readiness assessment before new student advising
• Support faculty in including career conversations in advisement
• Develop a career plan in required first year seminar course
• More department-specific programming