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THE RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY

TO: The Campus Community

FROM: David L. Carr
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SUBJECT: Cultural Diversity Audit

I am very pleased to announce the launching of Stockton's first "Cultural Diversity Audit", a project of the College Committee for Diversity, Equity and Affirmative Action. Members of the committee include Stockton staff, students and faculty.

Diversity initiatives at Stockton have enhanced our culture and climate. The cultural audit will help us review our accomplishments, and discover what we have yet to achieve. The key components of the cultural audit will be focus groups, interviews, and an on-line survey. These activities will be facilitated by Dr. Frederick Bryant and Ms. Sarah Halley of Bryant Associates. Bryant Associates will prepare a report and make recommendations for the Stockton community at the end of the audit. We will make this report public and take actions based on the recommendations.

I encourage you to complete the on-line survey and, if invited, participate in a focus group. These activities will take place during the months of October and November. Additional information will be coming to you via student, faculty, and staff meetings. You may also refer to the attached "Frequently Asked Questions". If you have questions that have not been covered in this FAQ, please send an email to: diversityaudit@Stockton.edu.

We expect the cultural audit to increase our awareness of both our strengths and challenges as they relate to the ongoing processing of creating, valuing and maintaining a diverse community. Please join us.

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