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**Stockton's
Connections to
the Community**

2023-2024





WELCOME to Stockton University's Connections Report for 2023-2024. This report highlights some of Stockton's key community engagement partnerships, programs, research, and initiatives across Atlantic County, and throughout the region and the nation. As an anchor institution, we are committed to providing meaningful opportunities to connect the community with campus resources, transforming our students through experiential learning opportunities, and promoting action that inspires and fosters inclusive, sustainable, and transformative impact.

We are thankful to our Stockton colleagues and our many community partners for their collaboration in achieving our strategic goals and for supporting our shared mission to, "develop engaged and effective citizens with a commitment to life-long learning and the capacity to adapt to change in a multicultural, interdependent world."

We hope that you use this report to gain more insight into how Stockton is actively supporting, engaging, and building lasting connections in the community.

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Vice President for Community Engagement



Signature Community-wide Programs and Events

20TH ANNUAL MLK DAY OF SERVICE: CELEBRATING THE LEGACY OF REV. DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

Stockton hosted the region's largest coordinated Day of Service on January 15, 2024, with nearly 750 volunteers completing over 30 projects across Atlantic City, Galloway, Hammonton, and Woodbine. They enriched the community by promoting volunteerism, empowering individuals, addressing local needs, and fostering a culture of civic responsibility and social justice.

8TH ANNUAL MLK HIGH SCHOOL PANEL

Stockton's annual MLK High School Panel was held at the Atlantic City campus on February 22, 2024. The program welcomed 115 students from six local high schools (Absegami, Atlantic City, Egg Harbor Township, Hammonton, Oakcrest, and Pleasantville). Each school selected a student representative to serve as a panelist, centered around the theme of "The Importance of Developing Strong Leaders of Tomorrow, Today." High school administrators, teachers, Stockton students, staff, faculty, and community members were also in attendance.

3RD ANNUAL STOCKTON COMMUNITY DAY & PARTY IN THE PARK

On April 27, 2024, over 400 volunteers, representing over 50 groups and organizations participated in the annual Stockton Community Day Cleanup & Party in the Park. The event included community street and beach cleanups at 10 locations throughout all six wards within Atlantic City. Over 200 bags of trash and debris were removed. The cleanup was followed with a Party in O'Donnell Park, which included over 60 vendors and attracted over 600 guests engaged in games, food trucks, music, petting zoo, interactive art projects, and other fun activities.

The event also highlighted the national Red Sand Project, which brings attention to human trafficking. Stockton partnered with New Jersey Assemblywoman Carol Murphy's Office, for whom the topic is a passion project and who attended the event.

Community Day is a collaboration between Stockton, the City of Atlantic City, CRDA-Special Improvement Division, Neighborhood Associations throughout all six Atlantic City Wards, all four Atlantic City Community Development Corporations, and the Atlantic County Utilities Authority.

ARTS & CULTURE SUMMIT

Stockton Atlantic City hosted the Inaugural Regional Arts & Culture Summit on April 8, 2024. The summit brought together 150 local, state, and regional arts representatives to explore how arts and culture can have a positive impact on the community and the local economy.

John Schreiber, president and CEO of the New Jersey Performing Arts Center, delivered the keynote address. Panelists included Stockton faculty and local arts leaders. Highlights of the event included art exhibits and performances by Stockton students and faculty. The summit was a huge networking opportunity for all those who attended, from large groups like the NJPAC to smaller, grassroots organizations like the Ocean City Arts Center, AC Arts Foundation, and Mud Girls Studios.

5TH ANNUAL COAST DAY

Hosted by Stockton's Marine Science program on October 18, 2024, the annual Coast Day, held in Atlantic City, showcased coastal zone research through exhibits, presentations, and hands-on activities led by faculty, staff and students. K-12 students from across the region engaged with experts on fisheries, wetlands, birds, and beaches, including representatives from Stockton's Coastal Research Center and Marine Field Station.

ATLANTIC COUNTY TEEN ARTS FESTIVAL

Stockton's Kramer Hall and the Noyes Museum of Art have collaborated with Atlantic County Cultural and Heritage Affairs to host the Atlantic County Teen Art Festival since 2013. The festival nurtures creativity, promotes personal growth, fosters cultural appreciation, and builds a supportive community environment for young artists to thrive and flourish. More than 1,300 students from Atlantic County middle and high schools displayed their talents, met with professionals, and participated in workshops and activities in dance, theater, vocal music, instrumental music, film, photography, creative writing and visual arts.

35TH ANNUAL PINELANDS SHORT COURSE

The annual Pinelands Short Course was held on March 9, 2024, at the Galloway Campus and featured 30 presentations, including 14 new programs that explored the region's unique history, ecology, culture and music associated with the Pinelands National Reserve.

ATLANTIC CITY

PARTNERSHIPS AND CROSS-SECTOR COLLABORATIONS

- During Women's History Month (March), Atlantic City Operations sponsored a special exhibit from the African American Heritage Museum of Southern NJ titled "Talking About HerStory." Among those featured from Stockton in the exhibit include Dr. Vera King Farris, Dr. Juanita High, and Dr. Beverly Vaughn.
- Atlantic City Campus Operations, the School of Arts and Humanities, and the Casino Reinvestment Development Authority's (CRDA) Special Improvement Division (SID) partnered on a second Boardwalk Adirondack Chair project. Four Stockton student artists were selected by Professor Hannah Ueno to create designs for Adirondack chairs that were installed on the Atlantic City Boardwalk. Students Caitlyn "Frenchy" Hroncich, '23, Faeryn Meza, Ian Lawrence, and Camryn Wilson were selected to create and hand paint original designs for the project, which is part of a public art installation spearheaded by the CRDA. SID constructed and donated the chairs, which were installed along the boardwalk in August 2023. This art project serves as an example of how we link Stockton students and faculty, in collaboration with our AC community partners, to better serve the public in this wonderful artistic beautification project.
- Stockton's Military and Veteran Success Center and AC Campus Operations collaborated with the Bernie Friedenbergh WWII Memorial Committee to support the formal dedication ceremony of the memorial on June 6, 2024, in O'Donnell Park. Student workers from Stockton Atlantic City and student service men and women served as ushers/greeters and hosted a VIP guest reception at the Atlantic City Campus.
- Atlantic City Campus Operations and Meaningful Outreach and Support for Aging Individuals and Caregivers (MOSAIC, formerly Seashore Gardens Living Center Foundation) co-hosted the 14th Annual 5K run/walk on the Boardwalk benefiting Dementia and Alzheimer's outreach programs on April 21, 2024. The Run & Health Walk started and finished at Stockton University's Atlantic City campus and was attended by over 175 participants.
- Stockton joined the Chelsea Economic Development Corporation in co-sponsoring the Annual Holiday Celebration in O'Donnell Park on December 1, 2023. The Atlantic City Operations Team served holiday cookies and hot chocolate to nearly 500 attendees who came out to enjoy music, entertainment, Santa's arrival, and the lighting of the holiday tree.
- A dedication ceremony was held for a 300+ tile installation project at Our Lady Star of the Sea Regional School on June 13, 2024, in Atlantic City. This was a joint project with Mud Girls Studios and featured painted tiles with positive messages and designs by Stockton and community volunteers, and students from the school who participated in the 2022 and 2023 Stockton MLK Days of Service. A second phase installation is being planned.
- The Summer Entrepreneurship and Business Academy (SEBA) at Stockton University School of Business is designed to provide a unique platform for area high school students to appreciate and get hands-on learning about the basics of entrepreneurship and business.
- Stories of Atlantic City – A project directed by Toby Rosenthal, faculty member in the Communication Studies program, was designed to engage students in helping amplify the voices of underrepresented city residents. Funded with a \$100,000 Dodge Foundation Grant and in conjunction with the Noyes Arts Garage, the project supported the creation of a podcast studio in Atlantic City to share community stories, establish a storytelling, branding and strategy incubator, and expand a multicultural art residency for local artists in Atlantic City. One of the programs hosted by Stories of AC was a reunion panel discussion centered on the Stories of AC Intergenerational Project, a collaboration between Stockton students and older adults and their life experiences living in Atlantic City through the Civil Rights movement.
- Stockton hosted the annual Sovereign Avenue School STEAM Day, bringing over 100 eighth-grade students to the Atlantic City campus. Led by Dr. Stacey Cullen, assistant professor of Education, and Ms. Meredith Massey, teaching specialist in Education. STEAM Day is an opportunity for students to get an understanding of available careers and interact with experienced professionals within music, technology, aviation and robotics.



- On October 10, 2023, Stockton University, in partnership with the City of Atlantic City, the Atlantic City Public Library, and the Casino Reinvestment Development Authority (CRDA), hosted a special dedication ceremony for a statue honoring the legacy of civil and women's rights activist Fannie Lou Hamer. The statue, donated by Dr. Pat Reid-Merritt and sculpted by artist Brian Hanlon, is now on public display as part of the *Atlantic City Experience* exhibit in Jim Whelan Boardwalk Hall. Distinguished guest speakers at the ceremony included New Jersey Lt. Governor Tahesha Way, Esq.; Dr. Shirley Weber, California Secretary of State; and William T. Merritt, CEO of the National Black United Fund.



Fannie Lou Hamer Dedication

3RD ANNUAL LIVE-WORK-LEARN SUMMER PROGRAM

- Expanded participation of students in the Live-Work-Learn (LWL) program who were hired in full-time summer employment to 256 (4.5% increase over FY23) and increased the number of employers participating in the program to 19 (27% increase over FY23).
- Nearly 30% of students in the summer 2024 cohort were returning students who participated the previous summer.
- Forty-five percent of students in the LWL program enrolled in summer courses, generating 1,030 credits.
- Eighty-three percent of students who participated in summer 2024 lived outside of Atlantic County.
- A new collaboration with Atlantic Cape Community College and Ocean Community College opened the LWL program to Transfer Pathways students.

STOCKTON CENTER FOR COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT & SERVICE-LEARNING (SCCESL)

- Secured 10 new affiliation agreements with community partners, providing students with additional opportunities to engage in the community.
- One hundred eighty Stockton students worked with the Homework Completion Program in Atlantic City, Brigantine, and Pleasantville, supporting 79 youth. The primary goals of the program are to engage children in their schoolwork, offer youth a vision of the potential of post-secondary education, and foster trust in the children toward police officers. The program was initially founded as a collaboration between SCCESL, the Atlantic City Police Department, the Atlantic City Housing Authority and the Urban Development Agency. The Pleasantville Program was added in 2016.
- Twelve Stockton students tutored community members in the Naturalization Class held at the John F. Scarpa Academic Center in Atlantic City. To date, the Naturalization Class has helped 43 participants become naturalized citizens.
- Twenty community members participated in computer and internet classes held at the John F. Scarpa Academic Center. Classes included typing, studying for the driver's exam, personal computer help, and job searches.
- Sixty community members joined the English language class held at John F. Scarpa Academic Center.
- SCCESL at Stockton partnered with the EOF program to provide 305.5 hours of community service in Atlantic City. Activities included tutoring, food distribution, and supporting community events.
- Hosted Bangladeshi Consulate Day at John F. Scarpa Academic Center, where over 650 community members were helped with passport renewals, birth and death certificates, and dual citizenship applications.
- Fifty-seven community members participated in the Social Hour events in Atlantic City, in collaboration with the Atlantic City Housing Authority.

AC Campus Facility Bookings & External Events

2,200

Event-related bookings in AC reached their highest level since the opening of the campus in 2018;
an **18% increase** over FY23

220

Number of external group bookings

110,058

Estimated attendances at events on the Atlantic City campus

(data reflects period of July 1, 2023 to June 12, 2024)

DEVELOPMENT/ALUMNI RELATIONS - ONGOING PROGRAMS

- **New Engelberg Scholars Highlight Atlantic City's Diversity:** The Engelberg Leadership Scholarship Program is a major scholarship and leadership development program made possible through a \$1 million commitment from Alfred Engelberg, a 1956 Atlantic City High School graduate who became a successful intellectual property lawyer. Scholarship recipients must demonstrate a willingness to contribute to the revitalization of Atlantic City.
- **Second Saturdays in Atlantic City** offers free, family-friendly alumni events that showcase the talent of our alumni, faculty and staff and provide an opportunity for alumni and their families to engage with the University's Atlantic City campus. The workshops, with lunch provided and sponsored by University Advancement, offer alumni the chance to reconnect while having fun or learning something new on the second Saturday of the month.

ACADEMIC PROGRAMS & CENTERS COMMUNITY-DRIVEN RESEARCH AND IMPACT

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Business Management

- Drs. Christy Goodnight, Monica Amadio, and Dean Warren Kleinsmith served on an advisory committee addressing aviation and aerospace opportunities and implications for underserved populations in Atlantic City. The Smart Aviation Advisory Committee Report and Entrepreneurial Research Summary: Report for Atlantic City in Atlantic County, New Jersey was prepared for the Atlantic County Economic Alliance as part of the Statewide Planning Grant from the U.S. Economic Development Administration.

Marketing Program

- Dr. Naz Onel worked with marketing classes to conduct a SWOT analysis at the Visit Atlantic City retreat.

Lloyd D. Levenson Institute of Gaming, Hospitality, and Tourism (LIGHT)

- 16th Annual Shorecast: annual event provides a prediction for the tourism season and a public forum for discussing trends impacting the region's gaming, hospitality and tourism industries.
- Completed the Atlantic City Restaurant Week Patron study and the Atlantic City Perception Study.
- Placed over 30 students in internships with more than 15 employers.
- Atlantic City Perception and Visitors Study was completed during the Spring 2024 semester; LIGHT partnered with Stockton Professor Noel Criscione-Naylor and the students of her Research Methods Class to assess the perception of Atlantic City and offer actionable solutions for city stakeholders. The report was presented to the LIGHT Advisory Board and shared with key community partners.
- Dr. Noel Criscione-Naylor published a paper for the Eastern Academy of Management Annual Conference titled, "Exploring Visitor Perceptions: A Comprehensive Study of Atlantic City."
- LIGHT participated in Phase 2 of the Borgata Capital Improvement Economic Impact Studies.
- Dr. George DeFeis collaborated on a proposal to the Chamber of Commerce on an economic impact study of the Atlantic City Air Show.

COVID Equity Research

- Dr. Susan Davenport served as faculty liaison for the Engelberg Scholarship Leadership Project. As part of the program capstone requirement, Cohort 3 collaborated with AtlantiCare and the American Medical Group Association (AMGA) to assist in gathering information for a research study that sought to understand the challenges faced by minority communities in navigating the COVID-19 pandemic and accessing health care services. Insights from survey responses will inform the development of targeted resources and interventions aimed at mitigating health disparities and enhancing patient care in minority communities. Findings will inform future interventions to reduce health disparities in Atlantic City.

SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES

- School of Health Sciences had the following student placements within Atlantic City:

Physical Therapy: 5 Nursing: 40 Occupational Therapy: 4

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

- School of Education placed 38 students in Atlantic City Schools:

Atlantic City High School: 8

Richmond Avenue School: 4

Brighton Avenue School: 3

Sovereign Avenue School: 3

Chelsea Heights School: 4

Texas Avenue School: 5

Uptown School Complex: 3

New York Avenue School: 2

Our Lady Star of the Sea School: 6

Pennsylvania Avenue School: 3

Dr. Martin Luther King School Complex: 3

SCHOOL OF NATURAL SCIENCES & MATHEMATICS

Biology Program

- Dr. Adam Aguiar facilitated a community outreach program where Stockton University's Ecology & Saltwater Fishing students taught conservation and fishing techniques to youth in Atlantic City.
- Dr. Aguiar collaborated with the Hooked on Fishing-Not on Drugs Program, Atlantic City schools, Principal Academy Charter, and Stockton's Ecology & Saltwater Fishing students for the New Angles for Success Fall event. Youth learned basic angling skills, beach and outdoor safety practices, and the significance of environmental conservation.

Chemistry Program

- Dr. Elizabeth Pollock taught Science of Gels at the Second Saturday event in Atlantic City, an alumni and family event.

Coastal Zone Management Program

- Drs. Susan Moskalski and Mark Sullivan engaged Atlantic City Community Charter School students in educational activities related to estuary sediment and fish identification.

Environmental Conservation Outreach

- Instructors from the Biology and Marine Science programs accompanied Atlantic City Charter School and Atlantic City High School students on a visit to the Stockton Marine Field Station, where they engaged in educational activities.

SCHOOL OF SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

Gerontology Minor

- The Gerontology Club volunteered at the Seashore Gardens 5k Run & Walk in Atlantic City.

Social Work Program

- The Social Work Club engaged with the Atlantic City community by assembling blessing bags for the homeless, offering educational workshops on LGBTQIA+ concerns, hosting community re-entry simulations, and providing first aid training.
- MSW Student Alliance held food, toiletry and candy drives for the community, working with Angels in Motion.

William J. Hughes Center for Public Policy

- Joined the Unified Black Student Society (UBSS) at their Juneteenth event on the Atlantic City campus, and provided information on internships, voter registration and civic engagement opportunities.

ARTS & CULTURE IN ATLANTIC CITY

STOCKTON PARTICIPATES IN INAUGURAL NORTH TO SHORE FESTIVAL

In collaboration with School of Arts and Humanities, Stockton AC Campus Operations, and New Jersey Performing Arts Center (NJPAC), Stockton showcased some of its talented students and faculty who participated in the Statewide North to Shore Festival, sponsored by the NJ State Governor's Office. A \$5,000 mini-grant was awarded to members of the Stockton Dance Company, who performed on the main stage in the Orange Loop on June 25, 2024.



North to Shore Festival



"Songs of Freedom:
Poetry Celebrating Juneteenth" 7

Gov. Phil Murphy and Senator Vincent Polistina joined more than 60 attendees at “Songs of Freedom: Poetry Celebrating Juneteenth,” a poetry reading hosted at the Noyes Arts Garage of Stockton University. The event, held in partnership with the Murphy Writing Center of Stockton University, featured 10 local poets who shared original works exploring themes of cultural identity and inherited histories.

The poetry reading was one of four events produced by the Noyes Arts Garage as a North to Shore Festival grantee for the second consecutive year. Other events included AC Street Art, and Music at the Museum with Tony Day featuring the Globe Music Group. Each event celebrated a different artistic discipline and featured talent with ties to the local community.

NOYES MUSEUM OF ART & ARTS GARAGE

With locations in Atlantic City, Galloway, and Hammonton, the Noyes Museum of Art (NMA) of Stockton University provides the Southern New Jersey region opportunities to learn about, explore, and experience the arts.

ARTIST EXHIBITIONS

‘MARYN OLSON: MY STORY WITH A TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY’ EXHIBITION FEATURED AT NOYES ARTS GARAGE

In partnership with Stockton’s Disability Studies program, Stockton student and Traumatic Brain Injury survivor Maryn Olson debuted an 18-piece exhibition at the Noyes Arts Garage. Her work explores themes of healing, color, and material following a life-altering skateboarding accident. Olson curated, installed, and managed the show as part of her professional development, working alongside Michael Cagno, Executive Director of the Noyes Museum and Stockton adjunct faculty. The exhibit was featured by 6ABC News in recognition of Traumatic Brain Injury Awareness Month.



‘KAMBEL SMITH’ EXHIBITION

Philadelphia-based, self-taught artist Kambel Smith showcased large-scale mixed-media sculptures at the Noyes Arts Garage in 2024. Known for architectural replicas created without measuring tools, Smith has produced over 500 oil paintings and drawings (many of which have been published) and graphic novels. During the exhibit, more than 500 local K–12 students attended through eight guided tours, experiencing and learning about his body of work.

ROCK THE BLOCK: COMMUNITY EVENT

Nearly 100 volunteers came together on April 17, 2024, for “Rock the Block” at the Noyes Arts Garage, completing home improvement projects at nine neighborhood residences. The event was a collaboration between Habitat for Humanity, the Ducktown Community Development Corporation, and the Noyes Arts Garage.

In addition to revitalization efforts, a community resource fair featured local organizations engaging with residents. Volunteers included Atlantic City residents, community partners, township leaders, and representatives from Habitat for Humanity. Attendees also enjoyed free food from local vendors: Tony Boloney’s, DonutNV, and Tacocat South Jersey.



NATURAL DYES: FREE MONTHLY PROGRAMMING AT NOYES ARTS GARAGE

Natural Dyes Club, which began in September 2023, has grown into a popular monthly program that consistently reaches full capacity. With about 40 participants each month, the club offers hands-on instruction in fiber dyeing techniques using natural materials such as marigolds, cochineal beetles, beets, and shibori methods.

The program is designed to build community through shared creative exploration. Each session introduces a new dyeing technique, encouraging experimentation and collaboration. Stockton students have become a key part of the program, regularly attending and working alongside community members of all ages and skill levels.

NOYES SUMMER ARTS CAMP

The Noyes Museum of Art of Stockton University hosted four weeks of Noyes Summer Camp at the Stockton Art Gallery on the University's Galloway campus. The Summer Camp continues to evolve, offering a unique educational experience with weekly themes included: Artsy Insects, Rare Animals, Let's Sea Art Now, and Art, Culture & Travel. In its 17th year, the camp welcomed 61 children, representing a 100% increase in attendance since 2019.

Grant Funding

Grants received to support the Noyes Museum of Art:

\$1.1 Million

from **NJEDA** for work in **Atlantic City**

\$25,000

from **The Dodge Foundation**

\$70,000

from **NJSCA** for program support

\$19,500

from **NJ Tourism** grant

\$3,500

from **North to Shore**



Rock the Block



Summer Art Camp

THE SARA AND SAM SCHOFFER HOLOCAUST RESOURCE CENTER

The Sara and Sam Schoffer Holocaust Resource Center continues to maximize its impact by hosting world-renowned programming at Stockton's Atlantic City campus. The strategic location allows us to work efficiently and effectively collaborate with dedicated partners such as the Jewish Federation of Atlantic and Cape May Counties, the American Jewish Committee (AJC) of Philadelphia/Southern New Jersey, the New Jersey Education Association (NJEA), and the New Jersey Commission on Holocaust Education. Together, we continue to offer a variety of community events, lectures, workshops, film screenings, and educational programs on the Holocaust, interfaith dialogue, and diversity.

One of our preeminent programs in Atlantic City is the Annual Wally and Lutz Hammerschlag Summer Educator Seminar. Lennard Hammerschlag funds the seminar in memory of his parents, Holocaust survivors Wally and Lutz Hammerschlag. Wally and Lutz Hammerschlag were both young when the experiences of the November Pogrom of 1938 (Kristallnacht) spurred their families to emigrate from Germany. Both families found refuge in the only place they could secure a visa: Rhodesia (today Zimbabwe). Our programs and outreach are vital to our mission: to educate about the Holocaust, honor its victims and survivors, and combat antisemitism, racism, and forms of hatred.

KEY HOLOCAUST RESOURCE CENTER EVENTS IN ATLANTIC CITY (2023 – 2024)

"75 Years of Jewish Agriculture in South Jersey: From Alliance Colony to Jewish Poultry Farmers," with Stockton's Alliance Heritage Center

**August 10
2023**

Annual Summer Program Event with the American Jewish Committee of Philadelphia/Southern New Jersey: "Eugenics & the Holocaust"

**August 15
2023**

"Lessons for Today: A Symposium on Teaching the Holocaust, Confronting Hatred, & Highlighting Diversity" with the New Jersey Education Association (NJEA) and the New Jersey Commission on Holocaust Education

**May 13
2024**

Annual Summer Program Event with the American Jewish Committee Philadelphia/Southern New Jersey & the Jewish Federation of Atlantic & Cape May Counties: "The Abraham Accords: Advancing Prospects for Peace in the Middle East"

**August 22
2024**

J'Accuse! Film Screening and Panel Discussion

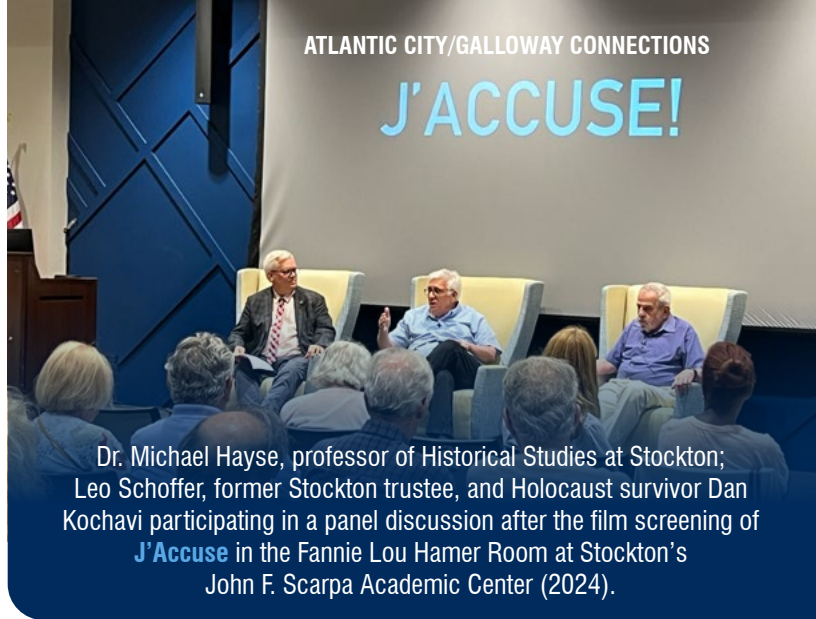
**August 27
2024**

7th Annual Wally and Lutz Hammerschlag Summer Educator Seminar Study Tour: "76 Years of Jewish Agriculture in South Jersey - Alliance Colony to Jewish Poultry Farms"

**July 22
2024**



Educators participating in the “**Lessons for Today: A Symposium on Teaching the Holocaust, Confronting Hatred, & Highlighting Diversity**,” in the Fannie Lou Hamer Event Room at Stockton’s John F. Scarpa Academic Center (2024).



Dr. Michael Hayse, professor of Historical Studies at Stockton; Leo Schoffer, former Stockton trustee, and Holocaust survivor Dan Kochavi participating in a panel discussion after the film screening of **J'Accuse** in the Fannie Lou Hamer Room at Stockton’s John F. Scarpa Academic Center (2024).

STUDENT ACTIVITIES AND LEADERSHIP

Education Opportunity Fund (EOF) Program Activities & Mentoring

In collaboration with Education Opportunity Fund Professional Association of New Jersey’s (EOFPANJ) Men of Color Initiative, EOF and Sankofa introduced a Barber Shop and financial mentoring initiative in Atlantic City, engaging 10 scholars.

Kappa Sigma Fraternity Annual Polar Bear Plunge

On February 24, 2024, the Xi-Rho Chapter of Kappa Sigma Fraternity hosted its 22nd annual Polar Bear Plunge on Atlantic City’s Albany Avenue Beach. Nearly 200 students, alumni and community members participated, raising over \$23,000 for the Kappa Sigma Military Heroes Campaign, which supports veterans and their families. Beneficiary partners include The SEAL Legacy Foundation, Veterans Moving Forward, Veteran Success Resource Group, and Homes for Our Troops.

GALLOWAY

ACADEMIC PROGRAMS & CENTERS: COMMUNITY-ENGAGED SCHOLARSHIP AND ACTIVITIES

SCHOOL OF ARTS AND HUMANITIES

- **17th Annual Lines on the Pines**

Dr. Thomas Kinsella served as a member of the planning committee for the 17th Annual Lines on the Pines held on March 10, 2024 at Stockton. Lines on the Pines has become a premier networking and cultural event celebrating the New Jersey Pine Barrens. The gathering brought together hundreds of authors, historians, artists, craftspeople, educators, and entertainers, offering them the opportunity to showcase, share, and sell their books, artwork, and crafts with the public.

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

- **Development of a Societal Impact Plan**

The School of Business is developing a Societal Impact Plan aimed at promoting sustainable communities, encouraging responsible consumption, enhancing economic productivity, and strengthening secure, and inclusive working environments.

SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES

- **Are Public Spaces Accessible for All?**

Mastrangelo, M. A., Crowell, T., Kientz, M., Perks, J., Ortiz, A., France, H., and Taylor, S. (2024). *Are public spaces accessible for all? Assessing public and coastal spaces for individuals with disabilities. Medicine & Science in Sports & Exercise*, 56 (9S), 610.

- **Engage, Educate, Escape: The NJDOH Project Firstline Escape Room**
McLaughlin, K., Davis, J., Gonzales, M., Koh, C., Taylor, L., and Crowell, T. L. (2024). *Engage, educate, escape: The New Jersey Department of Health Project Firstline Escape Room*. *Health Education Journal*, 83 (2), 205–214.
- **Community-Based Participatory Research and Prevention**
Prakash, S. (2024, June). *Community-based participatory research and prevention: Strategic prevention framework (SPF)* [Conference session]. Presented at the 12th Edition Nursing Education and Practice Conference, Prague, Czech Republic

SCHOOL OF NATURAL SCIENCES & MATHEMATICS

Coastal Zone Management Program

- **2022 NJBPN Annual Report on Shoreline Changes in New Jersey**
McKenna, K.K., Hafner, S., Robine, C., Pimpinelli, H., Deibert, M., D'Ambrosio, E., Richards, J., and Diebert, F. (2023). *2022 NJBPN Annual Report on Shoreline Changes in New Jersey in the Four Coastal Counties: Raritan Bay to Delaware Bay*. Submitted to the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, Division of Construction and Engineering.

Marine Science Program

- **\$700,000 Grant Supports First-Ever Tagging of N.J. Harbor Seals**
Stockton faculty, staff and students launched New Jersey's first satellite tagging project to study the harbor seal population. The research focused on key haul-out sites, including Great Bay — the state's largest aggregation site with approximately 360 seals—Sandy Hook (around 100 seals), and Barnegat Light on Long Beach Island (about 30 seals).
- **10 Years of DFG Removal in New Jersey Coastal Bays**
Evert, S., Gannon, K., Nagiewicz, S., Pfeiffer-Herbert, A., Straub, P., Sullivan, M., and Wnek, J. (2023, December). *10 Years of DFG Removal in New Jersey Coastal Bays: The Keys to Success Depend on Fisher Involvement* [Invited presentation]. Mid-Atlantic Regional Council on the Ocean's Mid-Atlantic Marine Debris Summit, Ocean City, Maryland.

SCHOOL OF SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

Psychology

- **Homework Completion Program in Atlantic County, N.J.: The First Five Years**
Tang, C. M., Colon, M., & Swenson Brilla, H. (2023). *Homework completion program in Atlantic County, NJ: The first five years*. *The Police Journal*, 96(2), 197–211.
- **18th Annual CSI Summer Camp**
Stockton hosted its 18th annual CSI Summer Camp, designed for high school students interested in gaining hands-on experience in criminal investigation and the legal process. The camp guides participants through every phase of a case—from crime scene analysis to courtroom trial. It is coordinated by co-founders Dr. Josh Duntley and Dr. Christine Tartaro.



Community-Driven Impact

ACADEMIC-COMMUNITY COLLABORATIONS

- **SNAP + Farmers Market Workshop**
Three organizations partnered to host an educational workshop designed for municipalities and green teams throughout South Jersey at Kramer Hall. This collaborative event guided participants through the process of registering their markets to accept SNAP benefits, equipping local communities with the tools they need to expand access to nutritious food. This workshop also offered further technical support for entities advancing their registration process for the 2024 market season.
- **Environmental Conservation Outreach**
The Eighth Annual Pinelands Summer Short Course, hosted by the Office of Continuing Studies, held at Stockton University's Kramer Hall, fostered environmental education and appreciation for the New Jersey Pinelands. This year's event featured engaging lectures, hands-on workshops, and immersive field trips, offering participants a deeper understanding of the region's rich ecology, history and conservation efforts. Through dynamic programming, including explorations of fungi, wildlife habitats and climate change awareness, the event inspired attendees to connect with and protect the unique Pinelands ecosystem.
- **Community Blood Drive**
Stockton hosted several community blood drives, in partnership with the Red Cross.

- **Veteran Wellness and Resource Fair**

The Community and Veteran Wellness and Resource Fair was a partnership between Stockton University's Military and Veteran Success Center and the Wilmington Veterans Affairs Medical Center in Delaware. The goal of the event was to connect veterans and members of the community to the right people to set them up for success.



STOCKTON CENTER FOR COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT & SERVICE-LEARNING (SCCESL)

- **Launch of the Engagement Leadership Team (ELT)**

In fall 2023, the Stockton Center for Community Engagement and Service-Learning (SCCESL) launched the Engagement Leadership Team (ELT), a new student leadership initiative focused on cultivating leadership skills through reciprocal community engagement. The program emphasizes applying classroom learning to community-based activities and bringing those experiences back into the academic environment. A professional development curriculum, grounded in the National Association of Colleges and Employers Career Readiness Resources, was developed to support student growth. In FY24, 29 Stockton students served in various leadership roles within the Center.

- **Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week**, a national week of service and educational activities, took place from Nov. 13-17, 2023.

Led by Stockton's student Engagement Leadership Team, three impactful projects raised awareness and inspired action during this national week of service and education:

- **SNAP Challenge** – Participants experienced living on a limited food budget to better understand food insecurity.
- **Project Clean Plate** – In partnership with Chartwells Dining Services, this initiative tracked food waste in The Nest dining hall to raise awareness and encourage sustainable dining habits.
- **Birthday Cake Kit Food Drive** – ELT members collected cake mix, frosting, candles, pans and cream soda to create celebratory kits for those accessing local food pantries, ensuring that everyone has the chance to celebrate birthdays.

Project leaders included ELT members Lauren Whaley, Madelyn Sacco, Damaris Spring, and Andrea Sandoval, with support from the full team.

- **Community Roundtable Meetings**

The SCCESL facilitated quarterly roundtable meetings with over 40 human services agencies and organizations from throughout Atlantic County to share resources available to South Jersey.

- **The Kesselman Student Research Fellowship**

ELT members Azra Mahisa, Olivia Lovett and Madelyn Sacco, supported by Greg Rothschild and Shayna Achamizo, hosted a student panel on how community engagement can further students' professional and career development and impact personal growth, followed by a Q&A session.

ELT members Lauren Whaley, Olivia Lovett, and Andrea Sandoval were awarded the inaugural EngageNJ Kesselman Student Research Fellowship. They collaborated with Monica Viani to research the effectiveness and impact of Stockton's Osprey Pantry program.

SERVICE-LEARNING

Service-learning is a form of experiential education that allows students to simultaneously serve the community and learn academically by participating in volunteer work that is directly tied to the academic material covered in a specific course.

HIGHLIGHTS FOR AY 23-24:

58

courses were designated as
Service-Learning

1,200

students were enrolled in a
Service-Learning course

Courses were taught by

30

faculty members.

During the fall and spring semesters, the Celebration of Service was hosted for students to highlight their service projects. Each semester, students have the opportunity to apply for a Civic Engagement Micro-Grant. In the fall 2023, five micro-grants were awarded, and eight presentations were hosted at the Celebration of Service. In spring 2024, nine micro-grants were awarded, and 15 projects were presented.

STUDENT WELLNESS & SUPPORT SERVICES

HEALTH & WELLNESS PROGRAMS

- **Wellness Day:** The annual Wellness Day, held each spring on the Galloway campus, features more than 45 community vendors who provide wellness resources and information to support the health and well-being of the campus community. Additionally, the Great American Smokeout, observed every November, offers quit-smoking resources and education to encourage tobacco cessation across campus.



Wellness Day

Education & Awareness on Power-Based Violence

- The Women's, Gender and Sexuality Center (WGSC), in collaboration with Peer Educators, hosted a range of educational programs to raise awareness of power-based violence and available support services. Programs included:
 - Sexual Assault Awareness Month (SAAM) events
 - Red Zone Awareness campaigns
 - Domestic Violence Awareness programming
 - "Seeing Red: Cracking Down on DV" educational event
- The Clothing Swap is a free, inclusive event that supports gender-transitioning individuals and the broader LGBTQIA+ community. Open to students, faculty, staff and community members, the event offers donated clothing, shoes and accessories to help participants find gender-affirming apparel in a welcoming environment. Held each semester over two days — with the first day coinciding with a precepting day to avoid class conflicts — the swap also provides free breakfast and lunch. The event is organized by Laura Shaw, with support from Peer Educators and student volunteers.

DARE TO DREAM CONFERENCE

The Learning Access Program, in collaboration with the N.J. State Department of Education's Office of Special Education, hosted the Annual Dare to Dream Student Leadership Conference on Friday, Nov. 3, 2023. Two hundred and fifty high school students with disabilities from throughout South Jersey registered to attend. The conference featured presentations from accomplished students and adults with disabilities who have demonstrated exemplary self-advocacy and leadership skills. Additionally, the conference program included a variety of concurrent breakout sessions that provided attendees opportunities to gain insight into the transition planning process for a successful future.

Mental Health Grant Awards

\$275,000

Campus Recovery Services Grant

Awarded by the **Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services (DMHAS)** to expand recovery-focused mental health services on campus.

\$461,462

Mental Health in Higher Education Grant

Awarded by the **New Jersey Office of the Secretary of Higher Education** to enhance professional development and partnerships with community mental health providers.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES & LEADERSHIP

STUDENT ATHLETICS COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- The Student Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC) Holiday Donation for Children's Hospital coincided with a Winter Games Competition among athletic teams. The emphasis was to encourage the spirit of giving to those in need and also to reiterate that competition is meant to be fun. It allowed student-athletes to take a break from the stresses of the semester before the winter break.

CIRCLE K

- Administration & Finance staff partnered with Circle K members on a spring project for the Galloway Assisted Living Facility, resulting in 45 Easter/Spring door wreaths created for the senior community.

THE GALLOWAY TOWNSHIP CLEAN COMMUNITIES PROGRAM

- The program works to reduce litter and illegal dumping through public education, community-wide cleanups, and enforcement of local ordinances. In return for their volunteer efforts, most participants receive mini-grants to support their non-profit or charitable organizations. The Success Scholars Program was awarded a \$500 grant through this initiative.

EDUCATION OPPORTUNITY FUND (EOF) PROGRAM ACTIVITIES & MENTORING

- In AY24, the full EOF program served 334 student scholars in the fall and 351 in the spring, fostering a strong sense of belonging and academic success. Several key events contributed to student engagement, including a lively Halloween Party with 99 scholars in attendance, a successful EOF Month featuring an Open House, Spirit Week and the inaugural EOF Day of Service.
- The Yale Bouchet Conference and EOF Research Scholars program provided students with valuable academic enrichment opportunities.
- EOF scholars took an active role in shaping EOF Month by forming a dedicated student committee to lead various initiatives that celebrated the program's impact and fostered community engagement.
- An OSHE Special Project Grant funded the EOF Mentor Program, which paired 17 mentors with 49 mentees, resulting in 220 fall mentor-mentee meetings and 130 in the spring. Interest in the program remains strong, with 39 mentor applications for the 2024-25 cycle.



UNIFIED SPORTS CLUB CELEBRATES 10TH YEAR WITH SPECIAL OLYMPICS

- Athletics and Recreation hosted the Opening Games of the Special Olympics of New Jersey.
- Stockton's Unified Sports Club celebrated its 10th anniversary of being affiliated with the Special Olympics of New Jersey. The student-run club is one of 10 at a New Jersey college or university that competes in soccer in the fall and basketball in the winter as part of the Unified Cup, which the Ospreys won in basketball for the first time in 2023. Currently the program features about 20 athletes for soccer and about 40 for basketball, while about 10 to 15 Stockton students participate in the program as aides and coaches for the athletes. Associate Director of Athletics and Recreation Jeff Haines, who oversees the club, says, "The time, the dedication, the passion, and the patience our students have for our Special Olympics unified athletes is incredible."



THE SARA AND SAM SCHOFFER HOLOCAUST RESOURCE CENTER

The Sara and Sam Schoffer Holocaust Resource Center at Stockton University is expanding its reach by hosting world-renowned programs at the Galloway campus. In the period between 2023 and 2024, the Center hosted a record-breaking number of more than 300 programs, events and activities in the community and on our campuses. This impressive volume of events demonstrates strong support from both the Stockton community and the public.

The Galloway campus has a rich history of hosting significant events since the Sara and Sam Schoffer Holocaust Resource Center's opening in 1990. These include the Annual November Pogrom of 1938 (Kristallnacht) Lecture, the 30th Anniversary Commemoration of New Jersey's Holocaust and Genocide Studies Mandate with keynote speaker Dr. Michael Berenbaum, and an anti-hate lecture by actor Arnold Schwarzenegger. The campus has also welcomed presentations by Holocaust survivors Maud Dahme and Leo Ullman and hosted concert experiences such as *Violins of Hope*, *How Saba Kept Singing*, and Carolyn Enger's *The Mischlinge Exposé*.

In collaboration with our community partners like the Jewish Federation of Atlantic and Cape May Counties, the American Jewish Committee of Philadelphia/Southern New Jersey, the New Jersey Education Association, and the New Jersey Commission on Holocaust Education, we offer a variety of community events, lectures, workshops, film screenings, and educational programs on the Holocaust, interfaith dialogue, and diversity in Galloway and throughout the county.

Through these events, the Sara and Sam Schoffer Holocaust Resource Center connects with a broad audience of educators and the public.



Actor **Arnold Schwarzenegger** speaking to the Stockton University community about hate and antisemitism in the Campus Center Event Room (2023).



Renowned scholar **Dr. Michael Berenbaum** speaking during the 30th anniversary commemoration of the signing of **New Jersey's Holocaust and Genocide Studies mandate** (2024).

KRAMER HALL, HAMMONTON

COMMUNITY MEETINGS

By hosting meetings for civic and community organizations such as the Greater Hammonton Chamber of Commerce, MainStreet Hammonton, and Hammonton Heart & Soul, Kramer Hall strengthened Stockton University's presence in the region while generating tangible benefits for both the local community and the institution. These gatherings fostered collaboration, supported economic and cultural initiatives, and reinforced Kramer Hall's role as a trusted and accessible community resource. In return, Stockton gained increased visibility, deeper relationships with regional stakeholders, and a growing reputation as a vital partner in Hammonton's development. The steady influx of organizations utilizing Kramer Hall has also resulted in increased room rentals, which generated revenue and further established the University as an anchor for civic engagement and professional networking.

THIRD THURSDAY PROGRAMS

Kramer Hall has played an integral role in Downtown Hammonton's Third Thursday theme nights, reinforcing Stockton University's commitment to community engagement and lifelong learning. Its contributions in FY24 included:

- A women's self-defense techniques class led by Stockton University Chief of Police Tracy Stuart
- Art exhibit opening receptions in partnership with the Noyes Museum of Art of Stockton University
- Interactive art classes facilitated by staff from both the Noyes Museum and Kramer Hall



Third Thursday



These events enriched participants with valuable skills and cultural experiences while embodying the spirit of Third Thursday by fostering local engagement. By integrating educational programming with opportunities to explore nearby businesses, Kramer Hall supported Hammonton's local economy and deepened Stockton University's connection to the community.

THE MASTER OF SCIENCE IN COMMUNICATION SCIENCES & DISORDERS PROGRAM (MSCD) PARTNERS WITH THE ADLER APHASIA CENTER

Kramer Hall hosted an Adler Aphasia Communication Group twice a month to support people with aphasia, a neurological condition that affects a person's ability to understand and/or express language when damage occurs to the language areas of the brain. Attendees with aphasia experienced socialization and education through the provision of continued, free supportive therapy beyond the restrictions of their insurance companies' limits. The affiliation provided a hands-on learning environment for graduate students in the MSCD program. Students facilitated the Life Participation Approach to Aphasia therapy under the direct supervision of an Adler Aphasia Center-trained speech-language pathologist.

SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF TEEN SUICIDE SEMINARS

Kramer Hall was proud to host a series of Adolescent and Youth Clinical Training for Suicide Prevention (ACTS) throughout FY23 and FY24 for the Society for the Prevention of Teen Suicide. These trainings engaged licensed outpatient providers and provided the skills necessary for these professionals to understand suicide, gather information, formulate risk and clinical screening pathways, and plan a response to crises.

HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

Kramer Hall showcased a collection of traditional Hispanic gowns and ceramics, piñatas, dolls, and paintings generously loaned by local community members, sparking meaningful interactions between students and the Greater Hammonton Hispanic community while honoring the area's rich cultural diversity. Additionally, a mosaic tile workshop inspired by Antoni Gaudí brought together students and community members in a vibrant, hands-on celebration of art and heritage.



Hispanic Heritage Month



HAMMONTON PRIDE: DRAG IS NOT A CRIME EXHIBIT OPENING RECEPTION

The opening reception of the "Drag is Not a Crime" exhibit at the Noyes Museum of Art at Stockton University's Kramer Hall was a resounding success, drawing more than 120 guests and fostering a sense of belonging, acceptance and appreciation for drag culture and LGBTQIA+ representation. A collaboration between the Noyes Museum of Art, Hammonton Pride, and Kramer Hall, the exhibition ran from June 4 to September 28, 2024. The exhibit showcased the rich history and artistry of drag and encouraged deeper understanding and engagement through interactive elements, highlighting gay icons, the history of the LGBTQIA+ community in Atlantic City, and providing educational insights that challenged preconceived notions about gender, identity and beauty.



Hammonton Pride



MANAHAWKIN INSTRUCTIONAL SITE

NON-ACADEMIC PROGRAMMING OVERVIEW

- **1,878** attended **57** student, faculty and staff events
- **1,729** attended **216** Stockton Center for Successful Aging (SCOSA) programs
- **331** attended **13** external partner programs
- **247** attended **22** community events



WOODBINE INSTRUCTIONAL SITE & SAM AZEEZ MUSEUM OF WOODBINE HERITAGE

- Sponsored a two-day community “homecoming” gathering held in Lincoln Park.
- Participated in a special exhibition at the Tuckerton Seaport Museum highlighting the history and customs of the Ukrainian American community in Woodbine circa 1890 to 1900. The exhibit included a variety of Woodbine Ukrainian artifacts during the four-month run of the exhibition.
- Served as a host site for several trainings and seminars, including The Arc of Cape May County outreach seminars.
- Hosted Town Halls for residents of Woodbine and neighboring communities.
- Hosted an essay contest in collaboration with Woodbine Elementary School for grades 3 – 8. Students and their teachers were welcomed to our campus for a special awards ceremony. The contest has become an annual event that offers students the opportunity to think and express their individuality.
- Hosted a public event featuring Iraqi American poet Faleeha Hassan, a Nobel Laureate Nominee who travels in New Jersey as a spokesperson for Peace Among Nations and Peoples. Highlights included Hassan’s moving details of her life from birth in Iraq to the present day as an American citizen.
- Hosted a special event in recognition of Black History Month, with students invited from Woodbine Elementary School.
- Partnered with the Italian Cultural Foundation for their annual Make A Difference event. It served as an opportunity to share common goals and values directly related to American and Immigrant history in the nineteenth and twentieth centuries. Woodbine’s immigrant founders, and the highlighting of the history of the large Italian American population of a neighboring city, drew large attendance. Stockton’s reputation for preserving history continues to be appreciated by the community.
- Hosted a special seminar titled “Protecting our Youth from Underage Alcohol and Marijuana Use.” A panel of six professionals representing prevention and recovery services addressed the attendees. The success of this event has prompted plans for a follow-up event in 2025 titled “Woodbine Community, Learning for Life.”
- Sponsored a community food drive that resulted in 30 cartons of nonperishable food items being delivered and distributed to churches throughout Woodbine.
- As the official teaching site for the New Jersey Commission on Holocaust and Genocide for Cape May County since 2005, the site continues to receive classes of students throughout the academic year.
- Closed out the year as the sponsor of the annual Woodbine Elementary School Field Day.



External Participation & Community Engagement

The following represents a sampling of external community and professional board participation and community engagement activities by Stockton University faculty and staff. This list is not exhaustive but highlights a range of contributions that demonstrate the University's commitment to public service, regional and national partnerships, and civic leadership across diverse sectors.

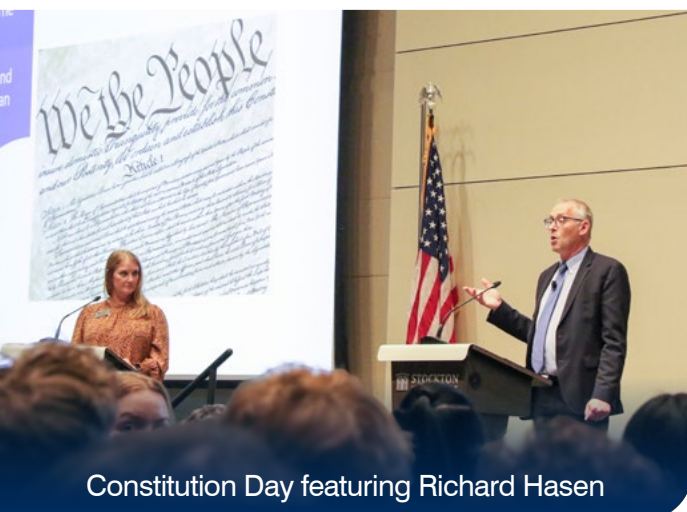
American Association of State Colleges and Universities (AASCU)	Association of African American Museums
Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences	Association of Governing Boards of Universities and Colleges (AGB)
ADA/DEI Committee chair, Garden State Film Festival	Association of Title IX Administrators (ATIXA)
ADA-Rehabilitation Act Steering Committee on Diversity	Atlantic Cape Community College Advisory Board for CIS and Cybersecurity
ADA Rehabilitation Act Steering Committee	Atlantic City Collaborative (social services)
Advisory board, AtlantiCare Health Care Healing Arts Program	Atlantic City Executive Council (ACEC)
Advisory board, Atlantic County Institute of Technology	Atlantic City Youth Services
Advisory board, Cumberland County Technical Education Center	Atlantic City and Pleasantville school districts
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated (Theta Kappa Omega chapter, Atlantic City)	Atlantic County Census Committee
American Association of State Colleges and Universities (AASCU)	Atlantic County Economic Alliance
American Conference of Academic Deans	Atlantic County Homelessness Consortium (ACHC) Continuum of Care
American Council on Education	Atlantic County Institute of Technology Advisory Board
American Institute of Certified Public Accountants	AtlantiCare Ethics Board
Arts and Humanities Committee on Diversity Committee	Awards Committee, Association of Fraternity/Sorority Advisors
Atlantic City Chamber of Commerce Economic Development Committee	Bridge of Faith
American Council on Education (ACE)	Board Member and Treasurer, Alström Syndrome International
American Alliance of Museums	Board Member, American Association of University Administrators (AAUA)
American Legion Auxiliary Unit 158	Board Member, Atlantic City Community Foundation
American Society of Criminology	Board Member, Atlantic County Institute of Technology
Anchor Institution Taskforce (ATIF)	Board Member, Boys and Girls Club of Atlantic City
ARHU Alumni Advisory Board	

Board Member, Camden Charter School Network	Co-Chair, Education Programs for the Northeast Greek Leadership Association
Board Member, Coalition for A Safe Community	
Board Member, Community Food Bank of South Jersey	Coalition of Urban and Metropolitan Universities (CUMU)
Board Member, Cumberland County Technical Education Center	Coalition for Safe Community, Egg Harbor City
Board Member, executive committee, Garden State Film Festival	Committee Member, Great Day AC Pride
Board Member, Greater Atlantic City Chamber of Commerce (GACC)	Council of Presidents, AGB
Board Member, Hammonton Health Coalition	Cumberland County Cultural & Heritage Commission Finance Committee
Board Member, Ocean Wind Pro-NJ Grantor Trust	Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.
Board Member, NJEdge	Eastern Association of College and University Business Officers
Board Member, Seashore Gardens Foundation	EAB Presidents Advisory Council
Board Member and Treasurer, Seneca Eagles Band Parents Association	Facilitator, Delta Chi Fraternity, Alpha Chi Rho Fraternity, Phi Delta Theta Fraternity, and the North
Board Member, Southern New Jersey Development Council (SNJDC)	American Interfraternity Conference
Board Member, Voorhees Township Public Schools	Filipino American Atlantic Association
Boys and Girls Club	First vice president, Woman's Civic Club of Hammonton
Camden Charter School Network	Gilda's Club of South Jersey
Chair, board of directors, Esports Innovation Center, in partnership with the NJ Economic Development Authority	Hammonton Arts District Advisory Committee
Chair, board of directors, TQM Construction Corp. (Philippines)	Hammonton Historical Society
Chair, NJAC Swimming and Diving	Host, Cheer Clinic for local high school athletes
Chair of the NJ CIO Committee through NJEdge	Jewish Federation of Atlantic & Cape May Counties
Chair, peer reviewer for Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants: Building Museums International Conference -Mid-Atlantic Association of Museums	KNJAC
Co-Chair of DEI Advisory Council, Chamber of Commerce of Southern NJ (CCSNJ)	LGBTQ Leaders in Higher Education
Choose NJ	LGBTQ President Council
	Mainland Recreation Association
	MainStreet Atlantic City
	Make Us Visible NJ
	Margate Boardwalk Committee

Middle States Commission on Higher Education peer evaluator	Pennsylvania Bar Association Commission on Women in the Profession
NAACP Atlantic City chapter	Pennsylvania Bar Association – Civil Litigation Section
National Aerospace Research & Technology Park (NARTP)	Philippine Community of Southern NJ
National Asian Pacific American Bar Association	Policy and Economic Development Committee, Greater AC Chamber of Commerce
New Jersey Association for College Admission Counseling	President, Ducktown Neighborhood Community Development Corporation
National Association of College and University Business Officers	President, Mainland Performing Arts Parents Organization
National Association of College and University Attorneys	President-elect, LGBTQ Leaders in Higher Education
National Association of Diversity Officers in Higher Education	Scout Troop 452 located in Mays Landing
National Association of Student Personnel Administrators (NASPA)	Soroptimist International of Hammonton
National Association of College/University Attorneys (NACUA)	Southern New Jersey Development Council: Executive Committee for NJ Construction Forecasting
National Bar Association – Women Lawyers Division	Southampton Parent Teacher Association
National Council President for Phi Mu Delta National	Special Olympics
National Museum Advocacy Day Committee	The Links, Inc., Atlantic City chapter
NCAA National Rowing Committee	Treasurer, Alström Syndrome International
New Jersey Association for College Admission Counseling	Treasurer, high-adventure Boy Scouts Troop 26, Germania - Galloway Township
New Jersey chief diversity officers	Treasurer, Seneca Eagles Band Parents Association, Inc.
New Jersey Higher Education CFO/VPAF Council	Vice Chair, Board of Directors, Chelsea Economic Development Corp.
New Jersey Society of Certified Public Accountants	Vice president, Ducktown Neighborhood Community Development Corp.
New Jersey State Bar Association Higher Education Committee	YMCA of the Pines comprehensive campaign (honorary chair)
NJASCU	
NJ Council of Human Resource Officers	
2024 NODA Region VIII & XI Regional Conference Committee	
Peer Reviewer, Journal of Sorority and Fraternity Research and Practice	



University Weekend



Constitution Day featuring Richard Hasen



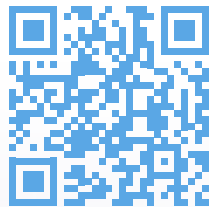
Naturalization Ceremony



MLK Day of Service



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