

# President's Report to the Governing Board June 21, 2005

#### 1. ENROLLMENT

The following is an analysis of the summer 2005 enrollment compared with summer 2004 enrollment as of June 17, 2005.

	Summer 2005	Summer 2004	Count Variance	% Variance
Headcount	2652	2754	-102	-3.7%
Continuing	1640	1697	-57	-3.4%
Units	8,999	8,602	397	4.6%

### 2. STUDENT DEVELOPMENT & SERVICES MASTER PLAN

Congratulations to the Student Development & Services Division for the completion of the Student Development & Services Master Plan. The plan was reviewed and approved by the various college shared governance groups and is the first comprehensive planning document for the division. The college's Strategic Plan, Student Services & Development Program Reviews, Three-Year Department plans and two division retreats were components of the plan's planning process.

In keeping with the goals of Cuyamaca College and the District, the Student Development and Services Division identified the following critical areas of focus as: Staffing, Space, Resources, Technology, Coordination with Instruction, and Accessibility.

Special thanks to Committee Members: Al Taccone, Alicia Munoz, David Rogers, Jim Wales, Marsha Fralick, Mary Asher-Fitzpatrick and Vangie Meneses

# 3. CUYAMACA INSTRUCTOR ELECTED TO THE CALIFORNIA AUTOMOTIVE TEACHER'S ASSOCIATION

Jim Custeau has been elected Vice President of the California Automotive Teacher's Association, a position that will advance him to President of the Association in the near future. The Association is comprised of over 600 members including vendors, suppliers and manufacturers. Last year Jim was recognized as Outstanding Automotive Teacher of the Year.

# 4. CIS STUDENTS RECEIVE RAVE REVIEWS

**Jason McAllister**, a Cuyamaca College student currently enrolled in the Institute for Telecommunications Technologies (IT<sup>2</sup>) at Cuyamaca College and employed by Interconnect Solutions, Inc., located in Santee, was featured in the June 8<sup>th</sup> edition of *California Institute for Telecommunications and Information Technology* newsletter. Jason is part of a team working to install approximately two million feet of telecommunications cable in UCSD's Calit2 building. In the article, Jason stated, "I visited the campus and saw a movie introducing the program that featured Calit2. Amazingly, I had already been working in the Calit2 building. I guess you could say this experience reinforced my desire to enroll."

Michael Christensen and Sharon Berumen, two recent graduates of the Cuyamaca College CIS Department in Network Administration and employed at Network Insight, LLC, a computer Network Management and Design company located in Sorrento Valley, have created a very positive impression of Cuyamaca College. Network Insight, LLC is so pleased with the performance and knowledge of these students that they have approached the CIS department about establishing a partnership whereby Network Insight will provide internship opportunities and guest lecturers in CIS classes in exchange for the CIS department encouraging their students to apply to Network Insight first when seeking employment.

Kudos to the CIS department and their focus on helping our students develop into such highly skilled employees.

### 5. Environmental Health and Safety Program Student Honor

Millie Wright, a student in the Environmental Health and Safety Technology Program was honored by the San Diego East County Economic Development Council Foundation at their 2005 Industrial Technology Awards recognition and fundraiser on June 9<sup>th</sup>. Millie is involved in various aspects of the Environmental Technology program. She has served on the ENVT Advisory Committee as a student representative and an industrial representative. In 2004, she was promoted to the full time Bekaert Specialty Film Safety and Environmental position.

# 6. CUYAMACA COLLEGE SPEECH NIGHT: FEATURING THE JOINT GROSSMONT-CUYAMACA DISTRICT FORENSICS TEAM

On May 11<sup>th</sup>, the Joint District Forensics Team presented its annual Speech Night. Seven students gave presentations, four from Cuyamaca and three from Grossmont. The presentations included poetry interpretation, dramatic interpretation, impromptu speaking and humorous speaking. The Cuyamaca College Forensics Team Speaker of the Year award for 2004-2005 and the recipients of this year's medals at State and National Championships were honored.

## 7. UPCOMING EVENTS - PLEASE JOIN US!

GM ASEP Graduation
Tuesday, August 2<sup>nd</sup>, 5:30 p.m., Automotive Technology Complex