



Clackamas Community College

NEWS AND COMMUNITY EDUCATION INFORMATION FOR CLACKAMAS COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE • SUMMER 2021

START HERE, TEACH HERE

*Clackamas County
needs future teachers
just like you!*

Start your path to a teaching career in **Clackamas County** – and use your new skills to teach in a Clackamas County classroom.

With funds from the Grow Your Own/Teacher Partnership Pathway grant, CCC is building the **Teach in Clackamas program**. The program is designed to bring diverse teachers into classrooms across Clackamas County by providing career pathways for local teacher candidates.

"We want to recruit future teachers who reflect the cultural and linguistic diversity found within our own community. We are dedicating various resources to fully connect with aspiring K-12 teachers to help their career advancement," Shalee Hodgson, CCC associate dean, said. "This grant will give us the resources we need to successfully recruit and educate future teachers."

The efforts made possible by the grant are an excellent complement to the existing, high-quality Early Childhood Education and Education transfer programs at CCC.



The grant funds will allow CCC to complete a Spanish language Early Childhood Education certificate and degree program, work with community and university partners on creating pathways for future licensed K-12 teachers currently attending school or working in local districts, and expand the statewide reach of the college's career technical education Licensure Prep program.

The Teach in Clackamas program will also focus on partnerships with Clackamas County high schools to assist students who are planning to

become teachers. These students will be offered advanced college credits and connections to employment opportunities in local school districts while they complete their teacher preparation programs. Additionally, the college will work closely with the Clackamas Education Service District and university partners to assist currently working staff who wish to pursue a teaching license.

CCC is also launching a new **Associate of Arts Oregon Transfer – Elementary Education degree** this

summer. Students who earn the degree can transfer with junior standing to a public or private university and pursue an Elementary Education bachelor's degree and licensure program. Through partnerships with local universities, the students are able to pursue their teaching passion locally – or transfer to the university of their choice.

If you, or someone you know, are interested in becoming a teacher in Clackamas County, visit www.clackamas.edu/teaching-education or contact Jodi Stapleton at jodis@clackamas.edu or Laurette Scott at laurette@clackamas.edu.

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2 **CCC HELPS FIGHT COVID** CCC partners with Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue to administer COVID-19 vaccinations in Wilsonville.



**SPECIAL
INSERT
INSIDE!**

Learn about
CCC's educational
focus areas and
programs of
study.

CCC names new student services center after Clackamas treaty signer

Clackamas Community College is honoring the people whose land the college's Oregon City campus resides on by naming its new student services center the **Wacheno Welcome Center**.

The building will house most of the college's student services, including advising, enrollment, financial aid, testing and placement services, and education partnerships.

Though the college wanted the Wacheno Welcome Center to be easily identifiable for students as an obvious place to get started, there was also a desire to demonstrate inclusivity in this building and to honor those who were on this land prior to the college. One well-supported suggestion was to name the building after **Chief Dan Wacheno**, who signed the Willamette Valley Treaty of 1855 on behalf of the Clackamas people.

The Grand Ronde Tribal Council has a long history with the college having been involved in its Environmental Learning Center, collaborating on art projects, as well as attending conferences and summits on the college's campuses.



In a letter to CCC President Tim Cook, Cultural Resources Manager David Harrelson wrote,

“Naming the Welcome Center after the Wacheno family not only honors the first people of the land that Clackamas Community College sits on, it also follows the traditional cultural customs of the Clackamas as the indigenous people of this place. These customs include the obligations of the people of a place to be good hosts by

welcoming and caring for their guests. Naming the Welcome Center after the Wacheno family allows for this cultural teaching to be represented on the college campus named after the people and customs it will honor.”

“I am honored to affirm our ties to the Clackamas people, of which the college is named after,” Cook said. “I look forward to continuing our relationship with the Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde and educating our students about the Native

Americans who lived on these lands before us.”

The construction of the Wacheno Welcome Center is part of a \$90-million bond voters approved in 2014. This project also includes the remodeling of the Bill Brod Community Center and is expected to be completed this summer.

To learn more about CCC's bond projects, visit www.clackamas.edu/bondinformation. For a live webcam of construction of the Wacheno Welcome Center, visit <http://dwpwebcams.com/sscc/>.

Wilsonville campus serves as COVID-19 vaccination site

As vaccination efforts across the tri-county area gained momentum, a partnership was formed. Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue, the city of Wilsonville and Clackamas Community College came together to create a vaccination site at CCC's Wilsonville campus in February.

The site instantly became a vital resource for eligible people living a considerable distance from the Oregon Convention Center and Portland International Airport vaccination sites. Operations at the Wilsonville campus began by administering the Moderna

vaccine to residents 70 and older – and various frontline health workers as outlined under Phase 1A by the state of Oregon. After administering thousands of vaccines by March, the site moved to vaccinating groups within Phase 1B.

“We were proud to play a role in making the COVID-19 vaccines accessible to Clackamas County residents,” CCC President Tim Cook said. “It's amazing to see our community members work together to protect our citizens.”

To learn more about Clackamas County vaccination sites, visit www.clackamas.us/coronavirus/vaccine.



Photo courtesy Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue



IMPORTANT DATES SUMMER TERM 2021

STUDENTS / STAFF

Summer term
Registration begins..... May 10
Term begins June 21
Term endsSept. 4

HOLIDAYS / CAMPUS CLOSURES

Memorial Day..... May 31
Independence Day holiday..... July 5
Labor DaySept. 6

To stay informed on how COVID-19 may impact summer term, visit www.clackamas.edu/return-to-campus.



Why education matters

“CCC provided me with affordable education and provided an inclusive learning environment.”

– Ariane Mabano



“CCC empowered me to change my life in ways I would have never imagined.”

– Clare Hansen



“My experience at CCC was wonderful. I learned a lot about myself and what I’m capable of.”

– Eusebio Mellin Pelaez



“Being part of the CCC community, the welding program and the auto collision program has been life changing for me.”

– Jessica Jones



PRESIDENT'S CORNER

With each spring comes the hope of renewal, growth and fresh starts. As we start to emerge from the COVID pandemic, I am optimistic that we can soon re-open our campuses and return to in-person classes.

Earning a degree or certificate from Clackamas Community College can also offer the hope of renewal, growth and fresh starts. Whether you are graduating from high school or are thinking of a new career, we have the dedicated staff, faculty and resources to help you succeed.

Whether you want to get the education and training you need to get a promotion, a great job or to follow your passions, CCC is a great choice. We can help you set your goals and outline a path to get there. We offer a variety of degrees and certificates to meet your needs, and our academic advisors and career coaches can help you stay on track toward success.

At Clackamas Community College, you can go far close to home.

Tim Cook,
CCC President

Summer is coming, find your fit!

Clackamas Community College, in partnership with community and senior programs, is offering a variety of classes this summer. Get your body and brain moving with Spanish, meditation, motorcycle/scooter safety training, creative writing, cross training, Pilates, swim lessons, yoga, Zumba and more. **Find your fit!**

Please check with your local Community Education program for course availability and registration.

GLADSTONE

Gladstone Community School
503-650-2570 • www.clackamas.edu/gladstone

MILWAUKIE

Milwaukie Center 503-794-8092 • www.ncprd.com

North Clackamas Parks and Recreation
503-794-8080, ext. 0 • www.ncprd.com

OREGON CITY

Oregon City Community Education
503-785-8520 • www.ocsd62.org/communityeducation

Oregon City Swimming Pool
503-657-8273 www.orcity.org

Pioneer Community Center
503-657-8287 • www.orcity.org/pioneercenter

TEAM OREGON

Motorcycle/Scooter Safety Training
800-545-9944 • teamoregon.org

WEST LINN

West Linn Parks and Recreation
503-557-4700 • www.westlinnoregon.gov/parksrec

WILSONVILLE

Wilsonville Parks and Recreation
503-783-PLAY
www.wilsonvilleparksandrec.com



Getting started at CCC

If you are a new student with no previous CCC credits, follow these 6 steps to get started. For more information, visit www.clackamas.edu/gettingstarted.

APPLY TO CCC

1 Visit www.clackamas.edu/apply. Once you receive your welcome email, **log in to Navigate to review your to-do list**, which will walk you through your next steps. **TIP: Log in to your myClackamas account frequently — it is CCC's primary means of communicating with students!*

2 APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID AND SCHOLARSHIPS (if applicable)

U.S. citizens and permanent residents: Apply at www.fafsa.gov.
Undocumented Oregon residents: Complete the ORSAA at www.oregonstudentaid.gov. The ORSAA is for undocumented Oregon students, including students who have DACA (Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals) status.

Apply for CCC Foundation Scholarships at www.clackamas.edu/scholarships.

3 SUBMIT PREVIOUS COLLEGE TRANSCRIPTS (if applicable)

CCC degree/certificate seeking: If you are transferring to CCC from a regionally-accredited U.S. institution, or if you have AP, CLEP, IB or DSST scores, submit your official transcripts to Graduation Services. **Non-degree/certificate seeking:** If a course requisite waiver is needed, submit unofficial transcripts to Advising & Career Services. Visit www.clackamas.edu/transferring-to-ccc for details.

4 DETERMINE PLACEMENT

Math and writing placements must be completed prior to registration. Visit www.clackamas.edu/pass for steps to complete your placement assessment.

5 COMPLETE NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION

Available online via your myClackamas account, your orientation will familiarize you with CCC's resources, degree and certificate programs, student life and more. Orientation must be completed before registering for classes.

6 REGISTER FOR CLASSES

For help choosing and registering for your classes, visit www.clackamas.edu/advising to schedule an appointment.

DON'T FORGET!

Our Virtual Admissions Team is here to help you get started! Call 503-594-3284 or email welcome@clackamas.edu.

CCC receives historic donation

Clackamas Community College has received a historic \$5-million gift from long-time career and technical education (CTE) advocates Terry and Cheryl Holden.

The Holdens' donation of cash and estate gifts will benefit CCC students, veterans and career technical education programs into the foreseeable future. To acknowledge this generous gift, **the college will rename its Industrial Technology Center to the Holden Industrial Technology Center.**

As part of this pledge, the CCC Foundation is establishing the **Holden CTE Capital Projects Fund**, the first of its kind at the college, which will center on capital improvement projects and CTE initiatives. The gift will also provide scholarships for students in CTE programs, as well as funding to benefit veterans at CCC.

The Holdens have a long history and connection with Clackamas Community College and the surrounding community. Cheryl Holden grew up in Estacada and Terry Holden in Molalla.

When Terry Holden graduated from Molalla High School he received a scholarship, which had a huge impact on him and



made college accessible. Because that gift changed his life, he believes in paying it forward.


"Until then, I was still undecided in which direction I should follow," Terry Holden said. "A generous scholarship gave me a clear path and made my decision easy."

He still recalls that time in his life, and how receiving that scholarship gave him a deeper understanding of the importance of education. He said he knew one day he would create a scholarship of his own.

In 2016, Terry Holden

achieved that goal by establishing the CCC Holden Scholarship Promise, which benefits students from their hometowns of Molalla and Estacada as well as Colton. Since its inception, this scholarship has been awarded to 40 students.

"The Holdens have supported many worthy causes, but career technical education has always been at the top of their list," CCC President Dr. Tim Cook said. "Their affinity for affordable education and their deep love of their hometowns makes this gift to the college especially meaningful. Students for many years to come will benefit from their generosity."




GO FAR

CLOSE TO HOME

TOP REASONS TO CHOOSE CCC:

- ✓ Most affordable tuition in the metro area
- ✓ Small class sizes
- ✓ Knowledgeable instructors
- ✓ Clear paths to four-year universities



Clackamas
Community College

Apply today! www.clackamas.edu



Get started on the path to your goals today!



Clackamas Community College (CCC) offers more than 90 degrees and certificate programs, and transfer pathways to countless university degrees. Check out CCC's Educational Focus Area's inside this guide to help you get started.

To learn more, visit us online at www.clackamas.edu/find-your-focus.



Find Your Focus!

CCC's Educational Focus Area Guide inside



Social Sciences, Human Services and Criminal Justice:

- Alcohol & Drug Counselor
- Gerontology History
- Psychology Sociology
- Criminal Justice
- Human Services

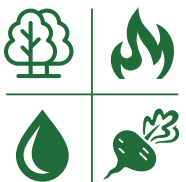


Creative Arts, Communication and Humanities:

- Art
- Digital Media Communications
- Music Performance & Technology
- Communication and Languages
- Journalism
- Theater
- English
- Music

Regional Jobs and Salary Information:		
Job Title	Average Openings	Median Salary
Community Health Worker	71	\$40,030
Correctional Officer & Jailer	143	\$63,280
Police Patrol Officer	194	\$79,473
Rehabilitation Counselor	60	\$45,962
Social & Human Service Assistant	362	\$38,236

Regional Jobs and Salary Information:		
Job Title	Average Openings	Median Salary
Copy Writer	167	\$45,817
Film & Video Editor	51	\$44,786
Library Technician	138	\$43,313
Multimedia Artist & Animator	79	\$55,645
Video Game Designer	288	\$81,294



Natural Resources at Clackamas Community College:

- Arboriculture
- Horticulture
- Water and Environmental Technology
- Geographic Information Systems (GIS)
- Landscape Management
- Wildland Fire
- Organic Farming



Health Professions at Clackamas Community College:

- Clinical Laboratory Assistant/Phlebotomy
- Emergency Medical Technology (EMT)
- Medical Billing & Coding
- Dental Assistant
- Fitness Technology
- Registered Nurse
- Medical Assistant

Regional Jobs and Salary Information:		
Job Title	Average Openings	Median Salary
Farm & Ranch Manager	413	\$50,284
Forest Firefighter	109	\$85,806
Geographic Information Systems Technician	288	\$81,294
Nursery & Greenhouse Manager	413	\$50,284
Water & Wastewater Treatment Plant & Systems Operator	34	\$64,382

Regional Jobs and Salary Information:		
Job Title	Average Openings	Median Salary
Dental Assistant	305	\$49,995
Emergency Medical Technician & Paramedic	66	\$48,791
Phlebotomist	121	\$40,674,
Medical Records & Health Information Technician	174	\$48,650
Registered Nurse	1,103	\$95,410

BUSINESS EDUCATIONAL FOCUS AREA



Create the foundation for a successful management career or become an entrepreneur by studying **Business** at Clackamas Community College. CCC's business programs prepare you to effectively manage money, projects and people.

www.clackamas.edu/business-focus



INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY & AUTOMOTIVE



Get ready to help build the world and keep it running in an **Industrial Technology and Automotive** program at CCC. You will work with state-of-the-art equipment and get hands-on training to prepare you to enter the workforce.

www.clackamas.edu/industrial-focus



 **Business at Clackamas Community College:**

- Accounting Assistant
- Project Management
- Administrative Assistant
- Human Resources Management
- Business

 **Industrial Technology and Automotive at CCC:**

- Auto Body/Collision Repair & Refinishing
- Computer-Aided Manufacturing
- Microelectronics Systems
- Automotive Service
- Machine Tool Technology
- Renewable Energy
- Industrial Maintenance
- Welding

Regional Jobs and Salary Information:

Job Title	Average Openings	Median Salary
Billing, Cost & Rate Clerk	296	\$41,974
Bookkeeping, Accounting & Auditing Clerk	1,589	\$43,998
Human Resources Specialist	505	\$62,022
Sales Agent	337	\$52,843
Administrative Assistant	1,964	\$41,772

Regional Jobs and Salary Information:

Job Title	Average Openings	Median Salary
Automotive Mechanic	296	\$41,974
Computer-Controlled Machine Tool Operator	1,589	\$43,998
Electronics Engineering Technologist	505	\$62,022
Energy Auditor	337	\$52,843
Welder	1,964	\$41,772

TEACHING & EDUCATION EDUCATIONAL FOCUS AREA



Teaching and Education programs at CCC will help prepare you to enter the classroom as an effective teacher or become an educational leader. Open the door today to teaching, education administration and more.

www.clackamas.edu/education-focus

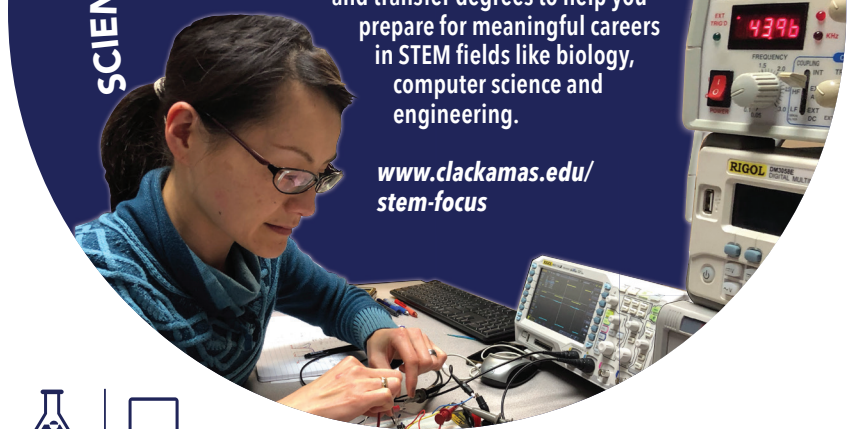



SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING & MATHEMATICS



Are you ready to solve complex problems with your critical and analytical skills? The **STEM** educational focus area is full of exciting programs and transfer degrees to help you prepare for meaningful careers in STEM fields like biology, computer science and engineering.

www.clackamas.edu/stem-focus



 **Teaching & Education at Clackamas Community College:**

- Career and Technical Education Licensure Prep
- Early Childhood Education and Family Studies
- K-12 Licensed Teaching

 **Science, Technology, Engineering, & Mathematics:**

- Biological and Physical Sciences
- Environmental Science
- Web Design & Development
- Computer Science
- Geology
- Engineering

Regional Jobs and Salary Information:

Job Title	Average Openings	Median Salary
Childcare Worker	1,423	\$23,962
Education Administrators, Preschool & Childcare Center	73	\$38,523
K-12 Educational Assistant	1,164	\$36,401
K-12 Licensed Teacher	599	\$73,929
Preschool Teacher	455	\$31,379

Regional Jobs and Salary Information:

Job Title	Average Openings	Median Salary
Biological Technician	181	\$42,262
Computer Network Support Specialist	75	\$55,977
Computer User Support Specialist	489	\$55,233
Electrical Engineering Technician	250	\$60,840
Web Administrator	288	\$81,294

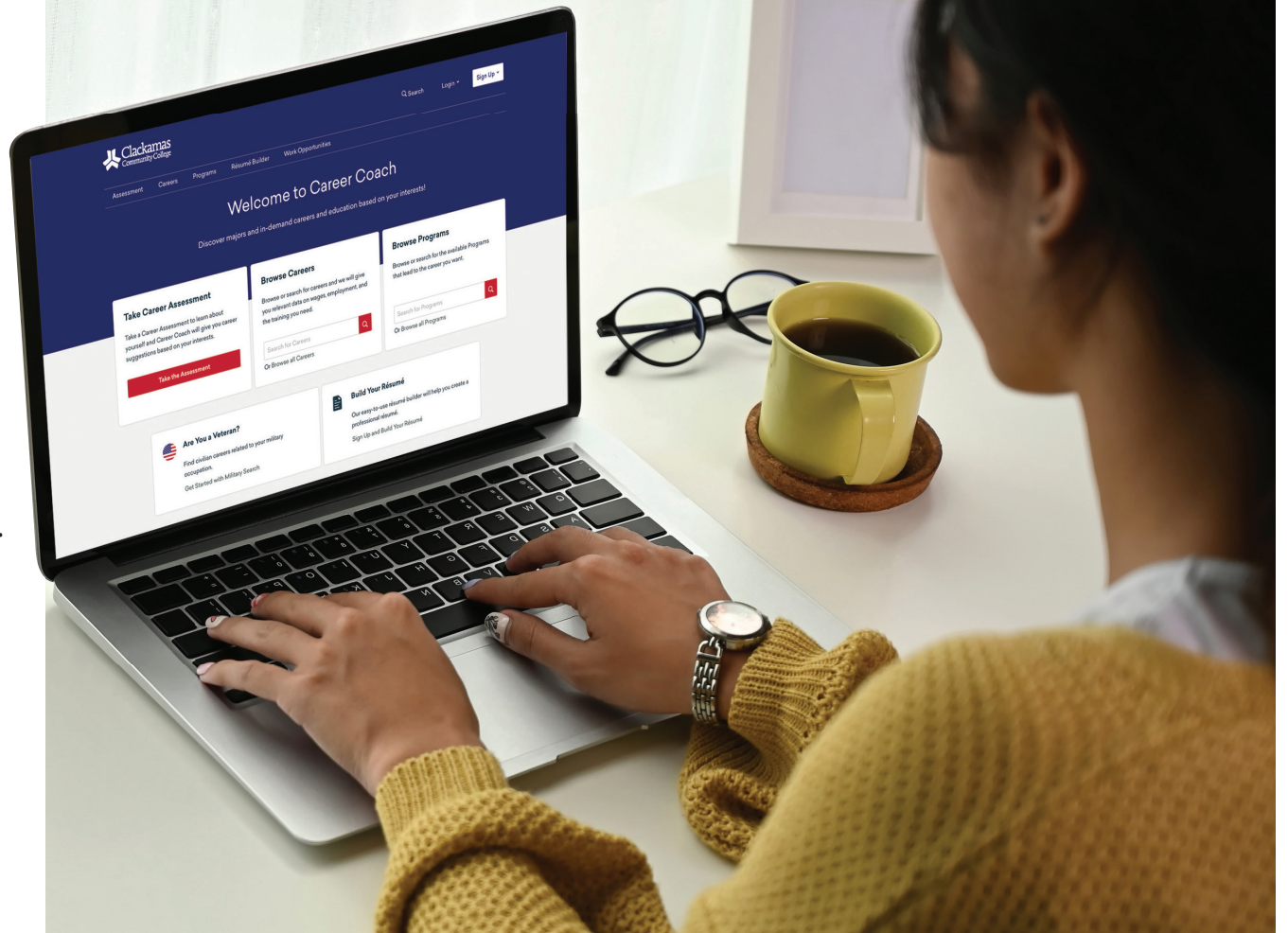
Go exploring with CCC's online tool Career Coach

Clackamas Community College uses a free online tool, Career Coach, to help you explore different college and career options. Career Coach has a variety of tools to support you, including:

- Career assessments
- Browsing by careers
- Browsing by college programs

You can get started by visiting <http://bit.ly/CCC-career-coach>. Take the quick six-question career assessment to identify large areas of interest. If you want more specific guidance, take the 60-question assessment. Both assessments generate reports that you can download and share with high school counselors or college advisors. **The assessments are directly linked to CCC's educational focus areas** that help students, like you, identify a path toward meeting your college and career goals. Information within Career Coach links college programs to related careers, including the median salary, annual job openings and live job postings.

To learn more, visit CCC's Career Center at www.clackamas.edu/career-center.



START COLLEGE

Did you know that you can earn college credit while in high school?

High school students can start college now by enrolling in **Advanced College Credit (ACC)** classes. ACC is a partnership program between Clackamas Community College and local high schools. Classes are taught by approved high school instructors and the credits earned by students are added to their CCC transcripts and count toward high school graduation requirements. Many classes apply to certificates and degrees at CCC or transfer to other colleges/universities.

At **just \$10 per credit** – or free for students on Free or Reduced Meals Program through their high school – ACC classes allow students to get a head start on college while saving time and money. **Spring term registration for all participating high schools is open until May 28.** Visit www.clackamas.edu/start-college-now for more information.

For more information about classes available at your high school that qualify for college credit and how to register for them, visit

www.clackamas.edu/start-college-now

NOW!

Advantages of registering for ACC classes:

- **Convenience!** ACC classes are taught at your high school, so you can earn both high school and college credit at the same time.
- **Save money!** ACC classes are just \$10 per credit, or free for those on free/reduced lunch. That is a savings of over \$400 for a 4-credit class!
- **Explore!** Experience college programs and career options without declaring a major.
- **Save time and jumpstart your education!** Accelerate your path to a degree or certificate completion — many ACC classes transfer to public universities!

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