

ANNUAL REPORT

2019-2020



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**Danville Area
Community College**

ABOUT DACC

Danville Area Community College is a public two-year comprehensive community college that was reaffirmed for accreditation by the Higher Learning Commission in 2019.

DACC (pronounced “DAK”) provides higher education opportunities for the residents of East Central Illinois. Originally founded in 1946 as an extension center of the University of Illinois, DACC became a public junior college, known as Danville Community College, in 1949. The name was changed in 1951 to Danville Junior College when it became an independent two-year college in 1966. The college had been housed at Danville High School before moving to its present location at 2000 E. Main St. in 1965.

The college changed its name in 1979 to Danville Area Community College to be more reflective of the community it serves and the services it offers. District 507 encompasses high school districts in Vermilion, Edgar, Iroquois, Ford, and Champaign counties with an estimated population of 89,000.



OUR MISSION

Danville Area Community College is committed to providing quality, innovative, and accessible learning experiences that meet the lifelong academic, cultural and economic needs of our diverse communities and the world we share.

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Bailey Maxey, the assistant for DACC's staff at the Danville Correctional Center, is staffing a health checkpoint to take temperatures and ensure that anyone entering Vermilion Hall is feeling well.

On May 29, 2020, the Zanders family and friends came to the Mary Miller Complex to celebrate the graduation of Erika Zanders with an associate in applied science in radiation technologies. Medical Imaging Director Tammy Howard and Instructor Heidi Young joined the group.



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LETTER FROM PRESIDENT STEPHEN NACCO – JULY 2020

Dear Friends of DACC:

The pandemic of 2020 has brought what Dickens would call “the worst of times” for billions of people across the world.

Though not immune to the challenges that COVID-19 has wrought, DACC has managed to hold together through the tragedy and turbulence.

In mid-March, with colleges and universities shuttered due to the pandemic, DACC faculty worked on their own time with our online experts to improve our courses in the Blackboard platform. As a result, DACC was able to provide fully developed course content so that students could complete their spring-semester courses through the College’s online system.

June brought a partial reopening to the campus as well as the start of the summer term. A group of faculty, staff, and administrators known as the COVID Action Response Team (CART) began holding weekly meetings to collaborate on plans for safeguarding the health of students and employees.

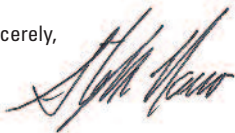
DACC students enrolled in a record number of online classes in the summer of 2020. Some students were able to attend classes on campus for career-and-technical courses like welding and tractor-trailer driving and for science laboratories.

While no one is sure about what the coming months will bring, the College is poised to offer limited on-campus instruction in the fall while continuing to offer a robust selection of online courses.

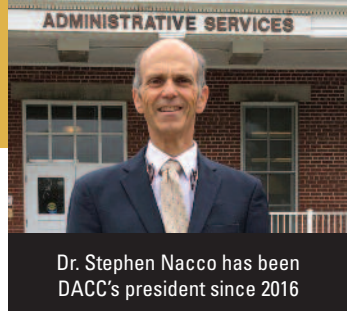
DACC has stood tall in the midst of adversity. Were it not for COVID-19, we would be celebrating what has been an extremely successful year at DACC. The highlights include the College earning reaccreditation from the Higher Learning Commission, the purchase of the U.S. Army Reserve to become DACC’s future home of healthcare-professions education, the opening of the Veterans’ Center, and the completion of a \$600,000 capital project that brought air conditioning to the Mary Miller Gymnasium.

DACC deeply appreciates our Board of Trustees, our Foundation Board, our alumni, and our community of volunteers and donors, all of whom provide the College with the resources to thrive. We are grateful to our faculty and staff, who are committed to working hard to support DACC’s 74-year legacy of service. Most of all, we are deeply indebted to our students, who inspire us with their faith in DACC and the promise of a better life through education.

Sincerely,



Dr. Stephen Nacco
President
Danville Area Community College



DACC PRESIDENTS



Ms. Mary Miller
Founding President
1946-1972



Dr. William J. Langas
1972-78



Dr. Joseph A. Borgen
1978-81



Dr. Ronald K. Lingle
1981-88



Dr. Harry J. Braun
1989-99



Dr. Alice Marie Jacobs
1999-2016



Dr. Stephen Nacco
2016-present

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The 2020 Board of Trustees for Danville Area Community College. Seated, from left: President Stephen Nacco, Student Trustee Holley Hambleton, Ms. Tracy Cherry, and Board Chair Dave Harby; standing, from left: Mr. John Spezia, Dr. Ronald Serfoss, Mr. Bill Black, Mr. Greg Wolfe, and Mr. Terry Hill.



Student Trustee and second-year nursing student Holley Hambleton is tending to a patient in the nursing simulation lab.



Mr. David W. Harby | Chair | Term runs to 2023

Elected to the DACC Board in 1999, Mr. Harby is a Country Financial representative in Danville. He has served as DACC's Board Chair since 2013. Mr. Harby graduated from DACC and Illinois State University. He was a Distinguished Alumnus at DACC. For the Illinois Community College Trustees' Association, he served as president from 2010 to 2011 and has won numerous awards from the ICCTA, including the Central

Regional Trustee Leadership Award.



Dr. Ronald E. Serfoss | Vice Chair | Term runs to 2021

A Trustee since 2007, Dr. Serfoss is an optometrist and was a partner in Danville's Chittick Family Eye Care. He is a graduate of Wilkes College and the Pennsylvania College of Optometry. Dr. Serfoss served for eight years on the Optometry Licensing and Disciplinary Committee for the Department of Professional Regulation during which he was President of the National Association of Optometry Regulatory Boards. Locally he has served on the Vermilion County Mental Health 708 board, was President of the Danville Symphony and on the Board of Lakeview College of Nursing and the USMC Foundation Board. He is now retired from active clinical practice.



Mr. William B. Black | Term runs to 2021

Representative Black is a Danville native, retired educator, and long-time State legislator. He graduated from Danville High and has a bachelor's degree from William Jewell College and a master's degree from the University of Illinois. He worked at Danville Area Community College from 1977 to 1986. He was elected to the Illinois House of Representatives in 1986 and served as a State Representative through 2011. His prior experiences included election to the Vermilion County Board and to City of Danville government as an Alderman.



Mr. Terry T. Hill | Term runs to 2023

Mr. Hill was elected to the DACC Board in 2017. A DACC graduate, he earned a bachelor's degree from Illinois Wesleyan and a master's degree from Eastern Illinois University. As DACC's track-and-field coach, he won four straight national championships from 1993-1996 and was named "coach of the year" for all four years. After a 30-year career as a teacher in Oakwood, he became athletic director at Danville High

School, retiring in 2007.



Mrs. Tracy Cherry | Term runs to 2025

In 2019, Mrs. Cherry became the principal of Danville High School and made an immediate impact in fostering a culture of respect in Vermilion County's largest school. Prior to that, she served for seven years as principal at Kenneth D. Bailey Academy. Mrs. Cherry has devoted most of her 35 years in education to serving as a teacher and administrator for Danville's District 118 District. She first came to Danville in 1990 as an elementary physical education teacher. Before Danville, she taught in the Kansas City, Missouri, public school system and was the first minority teacher hired by the Barstow School, a private preparatory school. As a college athlete, she was an All-American field-hockey player.



Mr. John Spezia | Term runs to 2023

Coach Spezia was elected to the DACC Board in 2011 after having served as the DACC basketball coach for 23 years and DACC's athletic director for 19 years. He coached DACC to the 1991 NJCAA national championship. He was elected to the Hall of Fame for the National Junior College Athletic Association and for the Illinois Basketball Coaches' Association. He helped bring the NJCAA national men's basketball tournament to Danville in 1994. Other roles include serving as president of the NJCAA Men's Basketball Coaches Association, the assistant men's director for Region 24, a coach for the men's national basketball team of Antigua/Barbuda, a board member of the Danville Boys & Girls Club, and a board member for the Illinois Basketball Museum. He is currently athletic director and boys' basketball coach for Notre Dame de LaSalette Academy. In 2020, he became the chair of Danville's Palmer Arena Board.



Mr. Greg Wolfe | Term runs to 2025

Mr. Wolfe was elected to the Board in 2013 and is the liaison to the Illinois Community College Trustees' Association. He also serves on the ICCTA Executive Board and is the Chairman of the Trustee Education and Leadership Committee. Mr. Wolfe is a senior sales consultant for Watts Copy Systems. Mr. Wolfe continues to participate in a number of community service projects. He serves on the Capital Campaign Committee, the fundraising efforts for the restoration of Danville's historic Fischer Theater. He also helps boost corporate sponsor sales for the Danville Dans—a minor-league baseball team. Before his election to the DACC Board, he had served 12 years as president of the Oakwood Community Unit School District #76.



**Ms. Holley Hambleton
Student Trustee**

Term runs from 4/14/2020-4/14/2021

Holley has been re-elected as the Student Trustee after having served in this capacity during 2019-20. She graduated with an associate degree from DACC in May 2019 as summa cum laude—a perfect 4.0 grade-point average. Over the past year, she continued her DACC studies as a nursing student. The ideal student-athlete, Holley starred on DACC's softball team while being named to the NJCAA's Academic All-American team.

During the Nov. 8, 2019, meeting of the Illinois Community College Trustees Association, DACC Board Member Greg Wolfe (left) moderated a panel discussion titled “Exploring Diversity in the

Classroom and Beyond.” Featured panelists were Sergeant Major Howard Robinson, a 30-year member of the National Guard; Prairie State College Board member Marc Wiley; and Dr. Diana Del Rosario, assistant provost at the College of DuPage. The audience included three other DACC Trustees—Board Chair Dave Harby, Dr. Ronald Serfoss, and Terry Hill—as well as President Nacco.



STUDENT LEARNING

KEY ACCOMPLISHMENTS FOR 2019-20

Academic Affairs

College received Illinois Community College Board approval of the following programs in 2019-20: public billing (Health Information Technology), criminal justice, culinary arts, agriculture, computer science, technical mathematics, personal training certificate (level 1), and early childhood education.

Accounting

Together with accounting faculty and Prof. Brian Fink, the College developed a 3 + 1 accounting program with Indiana Wesleyan University as a pipeline for DACC students to earn an associate and a third year at DACC, then take a year at IWU for a bachelor's in accounting, and then earn an accelerated master's and the opportunity to sit for the Illinois CPA exam.

Adult Education

Adult Education worked with local manufacturers to create internships for male and female students that include skills obtained through the ICAPS in Manufacturing program.

American Job Center

The 11 workforce development partners completed a Service Integration Self-Assessment to prioritize areas of work that the group would like to focus on for the year.

Aquaponics

Integrated Sustainability with Horticulture and Agriculture programs by purchasing an aquaponics system for the Greenhouse. This will be utilized for course labs in these programs. Students will be able to grow food by raising fish and plants together.

Assessment

Assessment team has sub-teams working on improvements to academic assessment and developing a process for co-curricular assessment. In FY20, under the direction of Dr. Hahne and the assessment champions, all faculty completed a program assessment for outcomes and/or competencies.

Automotive Technology

Automotive Technology began partnering with a local Ford dealer to provide students an opportunity to become Ford technicians through online and hands-on training.

Corporate Education

Maintenance Technicians and Machine Operators are in high demand due to a regional shortage of skilled workers. DACC's programs improved our first-time pass rate from a low of 70 percent to the current 90 percent pass rate.

Criminal Justice

Criminal Justice purchased a training simulator (MILO) that enabled local Danville police officers to provide students with real-life law-enforcement scenarios.

Health Information Technology

Responding to a closure of a for-profit college in Bloomington, DACC counseling and the HIT director have developed an online dual-admissions program for Health Information Technology.

Hoopeston Learning Center

Hoopeston began providing educational services for Middle College students when they are unable to get to Danville Campus or need extra time.

Library

The reference librarian provided two sessions of instruction for PSYC 100 students and used the proposed Co-Curricular Assessment rubric. From the assessment tool she was using she determined that students were picking up the basic information about identifying original research articles but they needed more help to identify the keywords that would get them strong results.

Medical Imaging

The Radiologic Technology, Echocardiology, and Sonography programs purchased electronic centralized clinical recordkeeping software to track and report student progress in the clinical setting.

Nursing

The Director of Advising and the nursing department developed a dual-admissions program with Illinois State University's Mennonite College of Nursing to provide two separate articulation tracks.

Television Broadcasting

The television studio was upgraded and digitized. The studio is able to broadcast television shows live through Channel 5. Students began providing live play-by-play announcements for DACC basketball games.

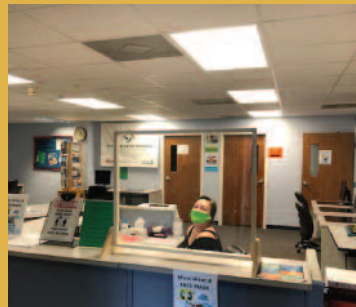
Vermilion County Works

VCW received federal award of \$181,000 to fund more than 65 apprenticeships for local business and industry.

Wind Technology

Modified wind technology program to include a solar-technology component.

The DACC-operated American Job Center continued to serve the needs of job seekers throughout the pandemic. Shown here is One-Stop Operator Assistant Kelsee Landers.



On Oct. 3, 2019, Illinois State University President Larry Dietz (left) visited DACC to sign a two-part articulation agreement that will enable our nursing grads to transfer to ISU to complete their BSN or else become dual-enrolled at DACC and ISU. On the right is DACC's Nursing Director Mimi Skinner.



For the fourth year in a row, Dana Wheeler's culinary students baked dozens of luscious cakes and pies for a Thanksgiving fundraiser.



STUDENT LEARNING



Agriculture Instructor Brandy Marron was able to purchase this \$8,000 Aquaponics system through Perkins funding. The program teaches students how to grow plants through an ecosystem that includes fish. Ms. Marron and Dean Terri Cummings are standing behind the fish tank, which will cycle fish excrement to plant beds as fertilizer to grow lettuce and other green vegetables.

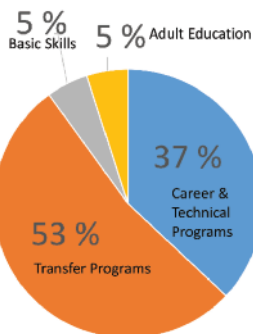
THE MAGIC NUMBER

51%

More than half of the college-bound students in Vermilion County attend DACC.

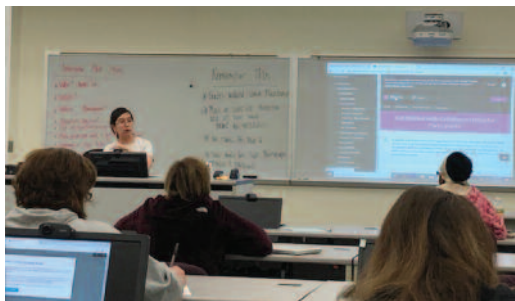
THE MAGIC NUMBER
36

The number of bachelor's degree programs that DACC students have available locally and affordably thanks to DACC's 3 + 1 partnerships with Franklin University, Indiana Wesleyan University, Iowa Wesleyan University, and Eastern Illinois University. Students earn a bachelor's degree by completing a DACC associate degree and then an additional year of DACC classes. The remaining 30 credits are through online classes.



Curriculum Classifications

Online Education Technician Jung Ae Merrick leading a Blackboard training session for faculty. Throughout the week of Mar. 16, 2020, faculty prepared for going live with their online courses beginning on Mar. 30 and continuing throughout the Spring semester and Summer term.



1 TO 16

DACC's Faculty-to-Student Ratio, a hallmark of a college that is positioned to advance student success by supplying small class sizes and keep employee engagement.

THE MAGIC NUMBER 88%

Pass rate for nursing students graduating this year and taking the NCLEX licensure exam. This represents a 20 percent improvement from 2016. Nursing Director Mimi Skinner implemented a number of improvements to boost the academic rigor of DACC's program.

ENROLLMENT IN HEADCOUNT

FY 2020	FY 2019	FY 2018	FY 2017
7,663	7,913	8,182	8,265

ENROLLMENT IN CREDIT HOURS

FY 2020	FY 2019	FY 2018	FY 2017
48,799	50,852	51,526	52,559

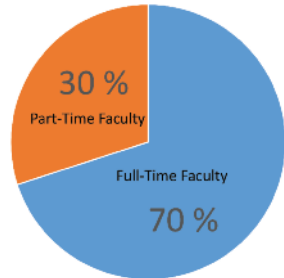
AVERAGE AGE OF CREDIT STUDENTS

FY 2020	FY 2019	FY 2018	FY 2017
27	27	28	29

PROGRAM OFFERINGS

Associate Degrees:	34
Certificates:	51
Bachelor's Degrees (3 + 1 partners):	36

Courses Taught at DACC



MOST POPULAR MAJORS AT DACC

1. Nursing
2. Business
3. Education
4. Criminal Justice
5. Psychology

KEY ACCOMPLISHMENTS FOR 2019-20

Bonus Classes

To increase student participation in the Bonus Class Program, which offers students a financial incentive to graduate on time by taking more credits, the College modified the program for Fall 2020. Students who register for 15 or more credits per semester earn a \$500 discount on their tuition and fees.

Corporate Education

The Illinois IMIN Network was formed as a partnership among DACC, Watchfire Signs, and Illinois Manufacturers and was funded through the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunities. Employees of participating companies learn continuous-improvement techniques.

Job Support

The American Job Center began collecting Basic Customer Information data from all job seekers and disseminating this weekly (electronically) and quarterly (paper) through various outlets. More than 1,000 individuals were registered at any given time during the year.

Library

The Library staff completed the conversion from the Dewey Decimal to the Library of Congress classification system.

Mentoring

During FY 2020, 342 students participated in the mentoring program, with 63 faculty and staff mentors. More than half of the mentors reported making regular contacts with students, specifically at the beginning, middle, and end of the semester and during the COVID-related campus closing that took place from mid-March through the end of the spring semester.

Mobile App

The College introduced the myDACC Mobile App in May and began enlisting students to try it out and give feedback. The purpose is to afford DACC students with convenient and exclusive access to all of the information they need to succeed as DACC students.

Operation Graduation

The College is on-target to surpass the 40 percent graduation-rate mark for the second straight year in 2020, in spite of attrition resulting from the pandemic. The final number will be available in early September 2020 for the graduates in the first-time, full-time Fall 2017 cohort.

POWER-UP for Battling Poverty

Corporate Education developed POWER UP Coaching Clinics using two local men who have experienced barriers in life and are now successful businessmen. Mentoring and coaching sessions were run from the Danville Housing Authority complex in Fair Oaks, Danville.

Toolbox for African-American Male Students

The Chief Diversity Officer and Student Services piloted the Toolbox program to help improve retention and graduation rates for African-American male students. An 18 member cohort of these first-time, full-time students participated on a weekly basis in the program, which addresses these students' needs in the classroom and in life by providing ongoing training and discussion and services. By the end of FY 2020, 12 of these students would be returning to DACC in the Fall of 2020. The 66 percent Fall-to-Fall retention percentage is higher than the overall percentage for DACC students.

Vermilion County Works

VCW has received a \$358,000 grant to purchase manufacturing-assessment tools and to train at least 23 job seekers and 25 incumbent workers. Under the aegis of the American Job Center, Vermilion County and its 11 workforce-development partners have collaborated to increase overall service levels by more than 5 percent in 2020.

Veterans Center

In response to requests from nearly 100 students who are military veterans, DACC dedicated a Cannon Hall Lounge to become the exclusive purview of veterans. Equipped with computers and printers for studying and video monitors for recreation, the Center opened in the Spring.

Virtual Commencement

Through the work of Video Production Director Laura Hensgen and Assistant Keith Miller, the College delivered a virtual-commencement program that included individual recognition for all 564 DACC graduates. The College streamed Commencement live on Fri., May 22, and then posted the ceremony on the College Web site and YouTube.



NUMBER OF DACC GRADS 2020

Associate of Arts	137
Associate of Applied Science	138
Associate in General Studies	56
Certificates	233
TOTAL	564

MOST GRADUATES BY PROGRAM

Associate in Arts Transfer	137
Certified Nursing Assistant (Certificate)	71
General Studies Associate	56
Nursing Associate in Applied Science	51
Truck Driving (Certificate)	46

GRADUATION RATES (3-YEAR, FIRST-TIME, FULL-TIME)

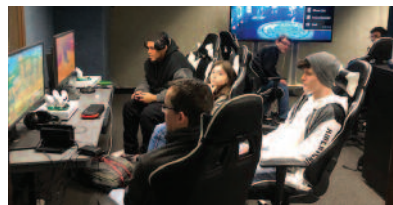
Class of 2020 (Fall 2017 cohort)	(estimated) 40 %
Class of 2019 (Fall 2016 cohort)	42%
Class of 2018 (Fall 2015 cohort)	38%
Class of 2017 (Fall 2014 cohort)	38%

African-American male students in the “Toolbox” meet regularly with college and community leaders as part of the holistic approach toward their success as students. Shown here are some of the students and their mentors Carol Ramloff and Brennon Hightower during a September 2019 meeting with Illinois Representative Mike Marron (right).

STUDENT SUCCESS



On Oct. 16, 2019, Phi Theta Kappa, the international honor society for community colleges, inducted 24 members. PTK President Ashlyn Logue presided over the ceremony that featured an address by attorney Terry Hines. PTK continues to thrive under its fabulous adviser, Art Professor Ronnie Johnson.



DACC's new eSports club attracted more than 50 students. With the NJCAA looking to recognize eSports for intercollegiate competition, the College has begun scheduling intramural contests as well as exhibition tournaments against other colleges and universities.



TRIO Director Shanay Wright (left) shown here with students during the First-Generation Celebration that TRIO hosted on Nov. 8, 2019. As the head of the College's ATD team, Ms. Wright helped lead DACC's success in once again being named an Achieving The Dream "Leader" college, even with ATD imposing more stringent standards. Criteria focus on student success, data-based decision making, and bridging the equity gap for underrepresented and low-income students.



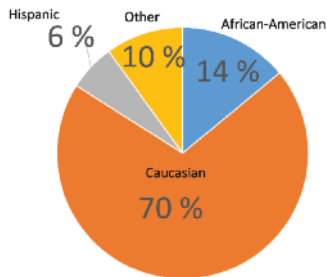
In December 2019, Adult Education pinned eight new certified nursing assistants. This group was an ICAPS Healthcare path, meaning they took CNA, GED/HSE, and Essential Job Skills classes all at the same time during their 16-week path. Additionally, three of these students earned their High School Equivalency and several have passed portions of the test. Finally, all but two of these students were co-enrolled with Vermilion County Works - our American Job Center WIOA partner, while one was sponsored by another community agency.



Women's Basketball Coach and College Mentoring Program Coordinator Erika Harris providing refresher training for employees who volunteer to mentor students.



As an annual ritual during the holidays, Middle College students decorate the tree outside Vermilion Hall. During FY 2020, Middle College had another successful year rescuing high-school students by offering college as an alternative to dropping out. The program that Dean Laura Williams leads saw 43 of 49 students complete their studies, with 13 graduating in the spring. Second from the right is Middle College coordinator Kathy Leary.



Student Race & Ethnicity



The Nov. 25 unveiling of the Veterans' Freedom Center at DACC featured an address from Illinois State Senator Scott Bennett.

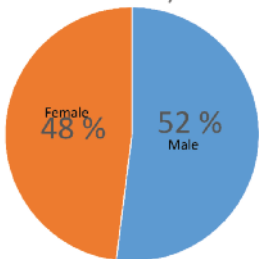
SCORECARD ON 2019-20 STUDENT-ATHLETES

Sport	Roster Size	Credit Hours	Team GPA
Men's Golf	10	202	3.24
Women's Golf	3	74	2.66
Women's Cross Country	7	145	3.15
Men's Cross Country	5	135	2.68
Baseball	26	690	3.19
Softball	19	444	3.14
Men's Basketball	12	299	2.37
Women's Basketball	11	272	2.79
TOTAL	93	2,261	2.98

NJCAA ALL-ACADEMIC MEMBERS

2006-7	2	2011-12	4	2016-17	7
2007-8	1	2012-13	3	2017-18	11
2008-9	2	2013-14	4	2018-19	8
2009-10	2	2014-15	4	2019-20	16
2010-11	1	2015-16	4		

DACC Students by Gender



KEY ACCOMPLISHMENTS FOR 2019-20

100 Percent Online Courseware

The Coronavirus pandemic required DACC to have all Blackboard courses populated with content and all full- and part-time faculty trained by March 30, 2020. Over a two-week spring break, Director of Online Education Maggie Hoover and several others accomplished this for all 765 course shells and all 69 full-time and 40 part-time faculty.

Air Conditioning in the Gym

Completed installation of two 9,000-pound HVAC units to bring air conditioning to the Mary Miller Gymnasium. About \$400,000 of the \$600,000 capital-construction project was funded through two separate Illinois State grants.

Board of Student Scholars

Introduced the Board of Student Scholars (BOSS) in Fall 2019, enlisting second-year presidential scholars and five successful second-year TRIO students to participate on a panel that met every other month with the president.

Capital Construction Plans

Began work with Capital Development Board to develop a scope of work for the \$2.2 million Clock Tower renovation and the \$500,000 Horticulture Center rehab.

Child Development Center Award

Achieved ExceleRate Illinois' Silver Circle of Quality status for three areas of the Center: learning environment and teaching quality; administrative standards; and training & education.

Customer Service

Provided customer-service training to all Student Services staff in the summer of 2019.

Diversity Hiring

Human Resources was able to hire four staff members from underrepresented groups. One of the keys to success was advertising full-time vacancies in area churches and organizations with predominantly minority membership.

Faculty Mentoring

Each new career-and-technical non-tenured faculty member began receiving mentoring from a tenured faculty mentor. This will continue throughout the new employee's first two years.

Grant Support for Job Seekers

In receiving a \$225,000 award for the Illinois "Bridge and Innovation" Grant, the College will focus on providing free "life-skills" training for unemployed and underemployed adults.

Healthcare Sim Lab

The Lab benefited from the addition of a number of important equipment donations, including the feeding-pump device, IV poles, supply shelving units, lifting system parts, a catheter model set, NG/trach kit, stethoscopes, and privacy Screens.

HLC Accreditation

DACC earned HLC accreditation in November 2019—under the 10 year Standard process which will include a comprehensive visit in four years (2024).

Improved Employee Benefits

In Fall 2019, the Insurance Committee worked with the healthcare consultant ONI to create a healthcare option that reduces the expense for employees on a family plan to almost a quarter of the original cost. The new plan became available as of Jan. 1, 2020, and proved to be extremely popular.

In-House Construction

Maintenance separated the CAD/digital printing room from the CISCO networking room to improve the teaching environment in the Tech Center.

Jacobs Hall

With a local architect, the College developed buildable plans and has received the \$2 million bequest from the Hegeler estate to fund rehabilitation. Construction is scheduled to begin in July and be completed within a year. Jacobs Hall will serve as the locus for students studying the arts—performing, visual, dramatic, and musical.

Labor Negotiations

Negotiated and ratified a four-year labor agreement with the Classified Staff Association.

Online Education

Purchased and installed Respondus Lockdown and Monitor to help proctor examinations for students taking classes online via Blackboard. Provided Webinars for faculty training.

Professional Development

Human Resources received a five-year projection of training needs from every major DACC faculty and staff department, and has included these individual needs into a composite plan.

Security Improvements

To improve the feeling of safety and security among students and staff, the DACC security office was moved from the lower level of Vermilion Hall to a more visible location in proximity to the first-floor Student Union in Lincoln Hall.

Student Accounts

The College introduced Nelnet, a past-due-balance payment plan in December 2019. If a student completes the enrollment process with Nelnet, restrictions are lifted from their account and the student can register for additional classes.

U.S. Army Reserve

After acquiring the deed to the Army Reserve in June 2020, the Nursing and medical-imaging staff have worked with Maintenance and Facilities to address use of the main building for enhanced nursing, radiation technology, sonography, and echocardiography programs.



Entrance to the U.S. Army Reserve, DACC's future home for expanded healthcare-education programs.

INSTITUTIONAL EXCELLENCE



Information Systems Instructor Jeff Wise (right) says students are really benefiting from the new classroom that separates the CISCO networking room from the CAD/digital printing room. DACC's in-house maintenance staff did the work.

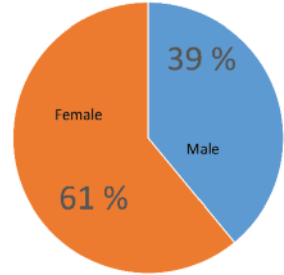


College Relations Executive Director Lara Conklin giving out hats, gloves, and mittens to grade-school students at DACC's "sister school" and neighbor, Meade Park Elementary School.



Every November, DACC hosts an information breakfast with local manufacturers followed by a tour. Shown here are Michael Mervis and Anthony Grandone of Mervis Industries in the robotics lab with Wind Energy Professor Greg Hansbraugh.

DACC Employees



DACC's Board Of Student Scholars (BOSS) held its first-ever dinner meeting on Nov. 18, 2019, with the College's top Presidential Scholars and TRIO students giving the DACC administration a great deal of food for thought.

FINANCIAL AID FACTS AT DACC

Applicants:	1,958
Pell Grant Recipients:	784
Monetary Assistance Program Recipients:	393
Pell Disbursements:	\$2,864,454
Loan Recipients:	159
Loan Disbursements:	\$548,286

EMPLOYEE EDUCATION LEVEL

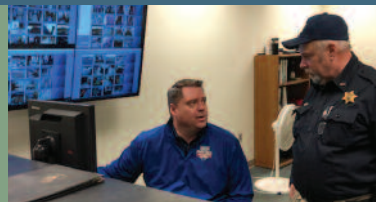
	Faculty	Admin	Staff
Doctorate	21 %	3 %	0 %
Master	57 %	30 %	5 %
Bachelor	11 %	44 %	10 %
Associate	11 %	15 %	56 %
High School	0 %	8 %	29 %

COLLEGE CABINET

Beginning in mid-2019, DACC President Stephen Nacco reorganized the Administrative Council to become the DACC College Cabinet. As the College's leadership team, the Cabinet includes the heads of academic divisions, administrative divisions, and College-wide Governance.

2019 College Cabinet

President:	Dr. Stephen Nacco
Vice President, Student Services:	Stacy Ehmen
Vice President, Academic Affairs:	Dr. Natalie Page
Vice President, Finance and Chief Financial Officer:	Tammy Betancourt
Vice President, Human Resources:	Jill Cranmore
Vice President, Operations and Board Secretary:	Kerri Thurman
Chief Diversity Officer (and Assistant VP):	Carla Boyd
Executive Director, College Relations:	Lara Conklin
Executive Director, American Job Center (and Assistant VP):	Brian Hengen
Executive Director, DACC Foundation:	Tonya Hill
Dean, Mathematics, Sciences, and Health Sciences:	Kathy Sturgeon
Dean, Adult Education, Literacy, and Middle College:	Laura Williams
Dean, Business & Technology:	Terri Cummings
Dean, Liberal Arts, Library and Academic Assessment:	Dr. Penny McConnell
Secretary:	Gina Davis
Full Time Faculty	Headcount: 69
Administrator/Professional Employees (includes Department of Corrections)	Headcount: 72
Support Staff Employees	Headcount: 59
Part-Time Employees	40 Part-Time Faculty 52 Federal Work Study and Student Workers 2 Continuing Part-Time Support Staff 23 Tutors, Coaches, etc.



Assistant Vice President Brian Hengen and Security Officer Mike Waller are testing the computer system in the College's new Security Office. Kudos to the Maintenance staff for renovations to relocate security to a more prominent place near the Student Union.



During the Aug. 20 Board meeting, DACC Trustees appointed Dr. Natalie Page as Vice President of Academic Affairs. As the College's chief academic officer, Dr. Page oversees four academic divisions, assessment, online learning, and the Hoopeston Learning Center.

ORGANIZATIONAL ADVANCEMENT

KEY ACCOMPLISHMENTS FOR 2019-20

Access, Equity, and Diversity

The Chief Diversity Officer began meeting more regularly with community participants on the Access, Equity, and Diversity Committee. During these bimonthly meetings, community leaders exchange ideas about diversity and social justice with DACC's senior staff.

Achieving the Dream

DACC was renewed as a "Leader College" by the national Achieving The Dream network. Criteria focus on student success, data-based decision making, and bridging the equity gap for underrepresented and low-income students.

Bicentennial Exhibit

Per the request of Illinois Supreme Court Justice Rita Garman, the DACC Library hosted the Illinois Law Exhibit in honor of the Illinois State Bicentennial. The exhibit remained at DACC for a month before traveling to its next destination.

Business Outreach

Along with the annual outreach "breakfast meeting"—in which more than 20 local businesses expressed their ideas about how DACC can support their activities—the College unveiled a new concept for the former "Manufacturers' Guide"—as a "Career Guide" that includes several businesses that are seeking employees in fields that are in retail.

DACC Legends

The Video Production group produced three "Legends" television shows—each with three interview subjects—for broadcast on channel 5 and YouTube. DACC Legends features testimonials by historical figures from the College's past.

Educational Alliance with EIU

Completed nearly two years of negotiations with Eastern Illinois University for the return of bachelor's level education courses—taught and administered by EIU faculty—on the DACC campus. The first of these classes at DACC began in Spring 2020

Foundation Campaign

Although the pandemic thwarted the planned public announcement of the DACC Foundation's "Futures" Campaign, during the year-long silent phase, the College raised more than \$4 million in donations and pledges.

Honors Program for Donors

In September 2019, the Foundation held the annual Honors Program to celebrate donor giving and student success with more than 500 students and their donors attending the event in the gym.

Indiana Recruitment

DACC recruiters have begun recruiting students from the contiguous seven Indiana counties, including the residents of towns like Covington and Attica. One successful strategy has been for DACC counselors to become members of Indiana's Association of College Admissions Counselors.

Marketing Users' Group

The College Relations executive director and the Video production director became co-chairs of a College-wide Marketing Users Group. The MUG met regularly to address client departments' marketing needs and to promote College events more effectively through improved integration

Outreach to the South

In Fall 2019, College began offering credit and adult education courses for four evenings per week in Georgetown High School. The goal is to increase the opportunity for residents in the southern part of District 507 to attend DACC.

Partnering with Danville Police

Besides deploying an armed officer on campus throughout the semesters, the Danville Police have participated on DACC's Threat Assessment and Emergency Management Team.

Scholarships

Awarded 536 scholarships valued at \$488,768. Nine new scholarships have been added since Jan 2020. In the past year, the DACC Foundation received \$5.5 million in contributions that includes funding from grants, bequests, in kind gifts and employee contributions.

Second Chance Expansion

The Second Chance committee extended invitations to more than 2,000 former students owing balances on their accounts. Six new students returned to DACC and pledged to complete in exchange for having their debt forgiven.

Sister School Meade Park

DACC has reached out to the local elementary school, Meade Park, to become the College's "sister school." The purpose of the alliance is to help children living in Danville's Eastside to see the College as a welcoming place. Joint activities included a Family Reading Night in November, when children and the families visited DACC. The College also frequently sends speakers to Meade Park for reading events.

Small Business Development Center

The SBDC ran a successful business incubator called Lift Off Downtown in Danville with five new businesses taking advantage of the workspace on Vermilion Avenue.

Video Marketing

The Video Department worked with the Dean of Business and Technology to develop promotional videos for each program in the department, beginning with wind energy, followed by automotive and CDL/tractor trailer.

ILLINOIS EDUCATION ASSOCIATION

DACC Faculty Association

President:	Amber Anderson
Vice President:	Amanda Poffinbarger
Secretary:	Ashley Hargrove
Treasurer:	Angie Springer
Membership:	Emily Crain
IEA Representative:	Marji Larson

Classified Staff Association

President:	Brandon Tuggle
Vice President:	Suzanna Aguirre
Treasurer:	Vacant
Secretary:	Lisa Osborne
IEA Representative:	Angel Fellers

ORGANIZATIONAL ADVANCEMENT



As a demonstration of the College's support for the Black Lives Matter movement, DACC began offering the African-American History class (HIST 190) free of charge to students and the community. Shown here performing on his alto sax during a Black History Month event in February is Professor Dwight Lucas.

In the spirit of the Illinois Bicentennial, DACC hosted the Illinois Law Exhibit for a few weeks in September 2019. Illinois Supreme Court Justice Rita Garman (second from left) arranged for the College to be one of the featured sites for the series of kiosks that display information about famous Illinois law cases.



Thanks to generous employees, the Classified Staff Association set a record this year for cash and gift donations for Operation Santa, providing toys for 32 children, food cards, and gift bags for 31 local women. Shown here on Dec. 13 to prepare for delivering gifts are Margie Arlington, Stephen Scott, and Carrie Reed.

THE MAGIC NUMBER

8

The number of District 507 high-school students who simultaneously earned both an associate degree from DACC and a high-school diploma, thanks to the College's dual-credit program offerings to more than 10 high schools in Vermilion County. The first regional student to earn a double degree was from Westville High in 2015. Along with this year's five college-and-high-school grads, at least 40 other local students earned more than 30 college credits upon graduating—which is equivalent to a full year of academic credits for most colleges and universities.



Flanking Corporate Education Director Stephanie Yates are Leland Groves and Leo Davis, who are helping develop the “Power Up! Essential Skills Coaching” program to teach essential employability skills to young people and job seekers. The team piloted the program for residents at the Fair Oaks Housing Authority complex.



Leading the Feb. 12, 2020, panel discussion to commemorate African-American History Month, DACC alumna Tinisha Spain recently became the interim president for Vermilion Advantage. Panelists, from left, are former Police Chief Carl Alexander and Janet Alexander, Alice Payne, Gladys Davis, and Rose Butler.



More than 400 of the brightest high-school students in the region competed on Feb. 4, 2020, in the Academic Challenge led by Mathematics Professor Marji Larson. After lunch, students volunteered to get a hug from DACC’s boa constrictor, Junior, courtesy of Biology Professor Stephanie Loveless.



On Apr. 9, 2020, DACC held a “Zoom” meeting with officials at Indiana Wesleyan University to finalize plans for a 3 + 1 program in accounting. Thanks to the work of Accounting Prof. Brian Fink (shown here on the screen), beginning in the Fall, DACC will be partnering with IWU to offer local residents an affordable pathway to an accounting associate, bachelor’s, and master’s degree as well as eligibility to sit for a CPA exam.

DANVILLE CAMPUS BUILDINGS

Bremer Conference & Workforce Development Center

- Conference Rooms
- Corporate & Community Education
- Culinary Arts
- Theater

Cannon Hall

- Testing & Academic Services Center
- Developmental Education
- Student Success Center
- Institutional Effectiveness
- Career & Veteran Services

Clock Tower Center

- Art/Ceramics/Painting
- Distance Learning
- Instructional Media Center
- Liberal Arts Division
- Library
- Vermilion Room
- Video Production
- Writing Center

Lincoln Hall

- Bookstore
- Business Division
- College Express
- Copper Penny Room
- Counseling/Advisement
- Laura Lee Room
- Recruitment & Retention
- Security
- Shipping & Receiving
- Student Union

Mary Miller Complex

- Athletics
- Engineering
- Fitness Center
- Gymnasium
- Health Careers
- Math and Science Solutions (MASS) Tutoring
- Mathematics
- Nursing
- Sciences

Ornamental Horticulture

Julius W. Hegeler II Greenhouse

Prairie Hall

- Adult & Basic Education
- Certified Nurse Assistant
- High-School Equivalency Test Prep Services
- Literacy
- Middle College
- Online Services

Technology Center

- Agriculture
- Automotive
- Business & Technology Tutoring
- Drafting/CAD
- Electronics
- Industrial Training Center
- Information Systems
- Manufacturing
- Online Learning Lab
- Tractor Trailer Driving
- Welding
- Wind Technology

Vermilion Hall

- Administrative Offices
- Admissions & Records
- Business Office & Cashier
- Financial Aid
- Foundation Office
- Human Resources
- College Relations



The Bremer Conference Center's Theater hosted the December 2019 Nurses' Pinning. Improved pass-rates for graduates taking licensure exams has enabled DACC's nursing program to earn reaccreditation through 2026.



Construction began in July 2020 to rehabilitate Jacobs Hall to serve as the College center for the Liberal Arts.

HOOPESTON LEARNING CENTER

847 E. ORANGE STREET, HOOPESTON, IL



The ingenious employees of the Office of Information Technology. To help students who don't have access to the Blackboard online system, the team has designed a computer chain that simultaneously loaded software for 22 laptops. Our IT heroes, from left: Naomi Yonke, Brian Pollitt, Director Mark Barnes, and Vince Frost.



Hoopeston Center Director Karla Coon (right) and Office Assistant Kendra Morts “do it all” in the service of students at the HLC.

How the Hoopeston Learning Center Came to Be

The idea for the Hoopeston Learning Center surfaced in 2008 when DACC President Alice Marie Jacobs met with Hoopeston leaders who told her they were interested in a satellite DACC location. By 2009, DACC's Board of Trustees' pledged their support. The Carle Hoopeston Regional Health Center donated the 4,900-square-foot building to the College. From 2012-13, the College renovated the facility. Work included the construction of five classrooms and a student commons.

Funding the new Center came from a variety of sources, including \$206,000 from the Hoopeston Area Healthcare Foundation and \$30,000 from the Hoopeston City Council. Classes began in September 2013 at the renovated facility, which is located at 847 E. Orange St.

Bill Nicholls, a community leader in Hoopeston and a member of the DACC Foundation Board, broached the idea of the portrait this past spring. “Dr. Jacobs has done so much good for Hoopeston with the development of the center. Having her picture displayed inside is a fitting way to pay tribute to her contributions.”



Bill Nicholls was instrumental in the founding of the Hoopeston Learning Center. He also served for nine years on the DACC Foundation Board—shown here with Executive Director Tonya Hill and Foundation Board Vice President Lesley Shore, who are honoring Mr. Nicholls by naming him an emeritus on the Foundation.



The MILO Range Classic simulator enables DACC's criminal-justice students to experience real-life law-enforcement scenarios. The College is sharing the system with the Danville Police Department to enhance police training.

DACC FOUNDATION

2019-20 HIGHLIGHTS

Awarded 536 student scholarships totaling :	\$488,768
Received cash and in-kind gifts totaling:	\$5,716,152
Disbursed funds to support DACC operations, instructional equipment and technology:	\$3,346,260
Introduced 17 new scholarships in FY2019-20	\$7,625
Provided Student Emergency Funds totaling:	
Funds expended for emergency and library book purchases	\$3,000
Supported teaching and learning by providing four faculty-endowed chair scholarships.	\$1,610



The DACC Foundation staff: Executive Director Tonya Hill, flanked by Controller/Office Manager and Board Secretary Sandra Dreher and Office Assistant Gina Davis.

Remembering Canon Father John Flatterly with a "Big Check" for \$350,000. The DACC Foundation received this bequest in Fr. Flatterly's will. With Fr. Flatterly's photo is his cousin Fred Faulstich. Flanking him are Foundation President Tom Chamberlain and DACC Foundation Executive Director Tonya Hill, and DACC President Stephen Nacco.

THE MAGIC NUMBER

87%

Percentage of DACC students who applied for a DACC scholarship and received at least a partial DACC Foundation scholarship



The DACC Foundation's annual Honors Program took place on Fri., Sept. 20, 2019, with hundreds of donors and their grateful students meeting. Philanthropist Sybil Mervis (left) spoke to the audience on behalf of scholarship donors. This year the Foundation awarded more than \$488,000 in scholarships.



DACC FOUNDATION LEADERSHIP, 2019-20

OFFICERS

Tom Chamberlain, President
Lesley Shore, Vice President
Corey Acton, Treasurer
Judd Peck, Secretary
Thomas (Tuck) Meyer, Immediate Past President

STAFF

Sandra Dreher, Controller/Office Manager
Gina Davis, Office Assistant



The DACC Foundation honored the Witzel family and their McDonald's restaurants for endowing a scholarship for students. The Witzels, from left, are Deanna, Rob, and Don for a "Big Check" photo with Executive Director Tonya Hill.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Cory Acton
Tom Chamberlain
Richard Cheney
Nancy Dalenbeg
Jeff Fauver
Diane Hampel
Dr. Alice Marie Jacobs
Dave Kietzmann
Chris Kittell
Theta Lee
Michael Mervis
Thomas (Tuck) Meyer
Vickie Miller
Dr. Jaya Nelson-Ellington
Bill Nicholls
Ryan O'Shaughnessy
Judd Peck
Lesley Shore
Jane Towne
Marilyn Tucker
Lois Wise
Deanna Witzel
DeMarko Wright

Nancy Bates, Director Emeritus**
Julius W. Hegeler II, Director Emeritus**
Dr. John C. Mason Jr., Director Emeritus
Dr. George Richards, Director Emeritus
W. John Shane, Director Emeritus
***deceased*

EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS

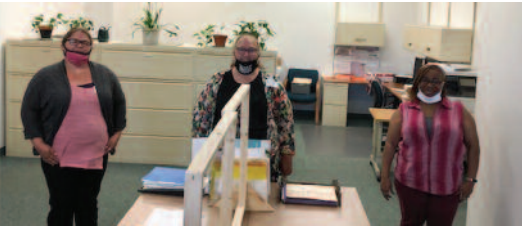
Dr. Stephen Nacco - President, DACC
David Harby - Chairperson, DACC Board of Trustees



During the "Day of Giving" on Tues., Dec. 3, DACC collected hundreds of pounds of food to support the DACC Foundation's food pantry. Teaming up to lead the campaign, which addresses food insecurity among many DACC students, were the Phi Theta Kappa students' honor society and TRIO staff and students. Last year, the Foundation's Food Pantry responded to 807 requests for food from students and their family members.

FINANCIALS

For the eighth-straight year, DACC's Vice President of Finance and Chief Financial Officer Tammy Betancourt and her staff have earned praise from the government reporting office for being "one of the most skillful and dedicated staffs in the State" in their meticulous management of DACC's finances. Through their conscientious efforts, DACC once again earned a clean annual audit from an independent auditing firm. Shown here receiving commendations are Assistant Vice President Finance Debbie Knight, Julie McClintock, Carol Neff, Kelley Beckett, Johna Bolton, Vice President Tammy Betancourt, and Sherri Grubbs.



The Financial Aid Department served 1,958 students in FY 2020. From left, Rebecca Courchesne, Director Janet Ingargiola, and EuNice Dix.

Danville Area Community College Financial Statement of Revenue and Expenses For the Operating Funds | FY 2019-20

Revenues	2020
Property Tax Revenue	4,967,000
Personal Property Replacement Tax	656,271
ICCB Base Operating Grants	1,562,848
ICCB Equalization Grant	2,438,530
Career-Tech Vocational Credit-Hour Reimburse	188,180
Tuition	6,895,686
Fees	1,588,386
Institutional Waivers (Less)	(2,491,081)
Interest Income	29,000
Transfers/Interest/Other	494,819
Facility Rent Revenue/Chargebacks/Other	338,585

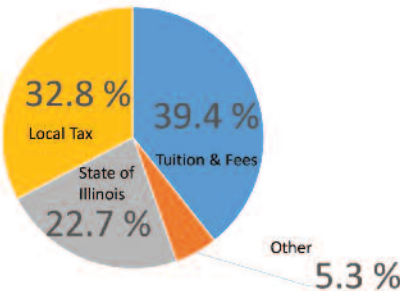
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES **16,668,224**

Expenditures by Object

Salaries	11,069,408
Employee Benefits	2,012,281
Contractual Services	526,066
Materials & Supplies	1,658,866
Meetings, Travel, Conferences	166,892
Fixed Charges	223,582
Utilities	780,000
Capital Outlay/Transfers/Other	131,129

TOTAL OPERATING EXPENDITURES **16,668,224**

Source of DACC's Operating Budget





May 13, 1946: Mary Miller founds DACC as an extension center of the University of Illinois in 1946.

August 22, 1949: DACC becomes a public junior college under Danville Public Schools.

September 30, 1951: The College receives the name Danville Junior College.

Jan. 11, 1964: The Danville Area Community College Foundation is formed as a nonprofit 501 (c) 3 to support student scholarships.

August 1, 1965: The College acquires seven historic buildings from the Veterans Administration on East Main Street, moving to its current 75-acre campus.

September 12, 1965: The Danville Junior College Foundation launches a fundraising drive to support the move to the new campus.

April 11, 1966: DACC becomes an independent two-year area college with the election of its first Board of Trustees and the establishment of District 507.

May 17, 1969: Dedication of the Ornamental Horticulture Center.

April 30, 1970: Opening of the Mary Miller Center and Gymnasium.

July 1, 1972: Dr. William Langan becomes DACC's second president, replacing founding President Mary Miller after her 26-year tenure.

July 9, 1972: Completion of the Technology Center, which includes the South Bay, Weld Shop, Machine Shop, and offices.

June 15, 1979: Dr. Joseph Borgen becomes DACC's third president.

Sept. 1, 1979: The name Danville Junior College is changed to Danville Area Community College to be more reflective of the services rendered as a comprehensive community college.

Sept. 3, 1981: Dr. Ronald Lingle is announced as DACC's fourth president.

June 1, 1982: Renovation of the Bremer Theater and construction of conference rooms.

Sept. 10, 1982: Renovation of the Clock Tower building.

Feb. 14, 1987: Completion of the expansion of the Mary Miller Center's first and second floor for Math and Science education.

July 1, 1989: Dr. Harry Braun is named DACC's fifth president.

Sept. 3, 1992: Expansion of the Technology Center and dedication in the name of former DACC President Harry Braun to open classrooms and offices on the north and west wings.

Mar. 16, 1994: DACC hosts the first of what will be 24 consecutive years (including this year) as host of the NJCAA Division II national men's basketball tournament.

Aug. 18, 1997: Dedication of the Child Development Center.

July 1, 1998: Remodeling of the Bremer Theater is completed.

Dec. 15, 1998: Job Training Partnership/Vermilion County Works moves to new location at 407 N. Franklin Street.

Sept. 1, 1999: Dr. Alice Marie Jacobs becomes DACC's sixth president.

Nov. 1, 1999: Opening of Lincoln Hall.

DACC HISTORY

May 17, 2000: Remodeling completed for the first floor and basement of the Clock Tower Library.

Apr. 1, 2001: Remodeling of the art and painting rooms in the Clock Tower building.

Oct. 24, 2002: Completion of \$30 million in renovations to Cannon, Prairie, and Vermilion halls.

Sept. 30, 2004: Dedication of the First National Bank Collection of Public Art in the Clock Tower Center.

Sept. 10, 2005: Community Education begins holding classes in a store at the Village Mall.

Nov. 7, 2007: Dedication of the Bremer Conference and Workforce Development Center.

July 31, 2009: Demolition work completion on buildings 5, 9 and 10 as well as underground tunnels.

Oct. 10, 2009: Julius W. Hegeler Garden Gateway is dedicated.

Mar. 29, 2011: Opening of the Julius W. Hegeler II Greenhouse.

July 11, 2011: Construction of the Wind Turbine Training Tower, which is located on farm ground.

Oct. 24, 2012: Completion of Mary Miller Complex expansion and the naming of the William B. Black Health Professions Center.

July 15, 2013: DACC is named an Achieving the Dream Leader College.

Sept. 16, 2013: Opening of the Hoopeston Higher Learning Center: first day of classes.

Dec. 10, 2014: Dedication ceremony to open the Julius W. Hegeler II Advanced Technology Center.

Aug. 15, 2016: Dr. Stephen Nacco becomes DACC's seventh president, replacing Dr. Alice Marie Jacobs, who retires on Aug. 30 after 17 years as DACC's president.

Nov. 1, 2016: DACC dedicates the Bobette Steely Hegeler Memorial Bench in front of the Clock Tower Center.

Feb. 15, 2017: DACC opens a classroom in the center of Fair Oaks, a series of projects that the Housing Authority manages. The classroom has been outfitted with technology sufficient to accommodate up to 15 students.

July 1, 2017: DACC becomes one of the nation's few community colleges to

become a regional one-stop operator for a federally mandated American Job Center.

Aug. 31, 2017: After receiving an official notice of transferring the former Carnegie Library from the Veterans Administration to DACC, the Board of Trustees holds a ceremony to dedicate the building in the name of Dr. Alice Marie Jacobs. A \$2 million bequest from philanthropist Julius W. Hegeler II will fund the renovation of Jacobs Hall.

Aug. 25, 2018: The College hosts its first annual "Farm to Fork" dinner to raise money to support the Sustainability Farm, a hands-on agricultural learning lab for students that the Foundation's Kristy Herr and her husband Jerry Bartos have provided for College use.

Oct. 25, 2018: The DACC Board approves the creation of the College's first-ever women's golf team and restores men's golf, which had been discontinued since 2013.

May 5, 2019: The installation of HVAC units on the roof of the Mary Miller Gym completes a \$600,000 capital project that results in bringing air conditioning to the Gym.

Aug. 19, 2019: DACC begins offering night classes in English, math,

sociology, and high-school preparation at Georgetown-Ridge Farm High School.

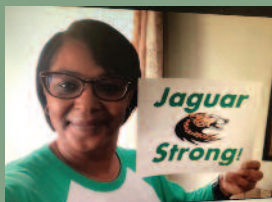
Nov. 7, 2019: The Board of the Higher Learning Commission reaffirms the reaccreditation of DACC through 2029. The Standard Pathways will require a comprehensive visit on the fourth year, 2023.

March 30, 2020: Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the College ends all classroom instruction and delivers all courses exclusively online for the remainder of the spring semester.

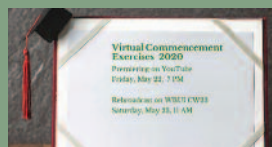
June 30, 2020: The College receives the deed to the U.S. Army Reserve upon completing a \$150,000 purchase of the two building, 3.5-acre property located on the northeast corner of the Danville Campus.

HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENTS AT DACC

Dale Foster	1966
Annabelle Neel	1966
Vivian Schultz	1972
Mertin Hoskins	1975
Vickie Miller	2017
Louis Mervis	2017
Julius W. Hegeler II	2018
Dr. George Richards	2019
Dr. Alice Marie Jacobs	2019
Dick Cheney	2020



Assistant Vice President of Student Services Carla Boyd showing her sign during the three-minute “We’re All in this Together” video that Laura Hensgen, Keith Miller, and Cristin Prince produced with the help of two dozen DACC employees. The video appears on the DACC Web site, DACC Facebook, and YouTube.



For the first time in decades, the Mary Miller Gym couldn't host DACC's annual Commencement for its graduates. The video-broadcast team of Laura Hensgen and Keith Miller produced a virtual Commencement that streamed live on Fri., May 22 and the next day on social media and local television.



As a health-and-safety precaution to keep his welding students' face-shields, gloves, and other equipment in separate compartments, Welding Instructor R.J. Rowland has built these steel lockers. Students who hadn't finished the spring semester returned on June 3, 2020.



With more than 57 years at DACC as an instructor, administrator, Trustee, and now a Foundation Board member, Dick Cheney received an honorary degree from DACC during the 2020 virtual Commencement.



Julius W. Hegeler II (center), receiving his Honorary Associate in Arts degree from DACC during the May 2018 Commencement—flanked by President Nacco and Foundation Executive Director Tonya Hill. Mr. Hegeler passed away on July 5, 2019. His \$2 million bequest will completely fund the rehabilitation of Dr. Alice Marie Jacobs Hall.

DACC “BY THE NUMBERS” IN FY 2020

16,668,224	DACC Operating Expenses, in Dollars
8,484,072	Tuition and Fees Received, in Dollars
5,716,470	Total Dollars Cash and in-kind donations to the Foundation in FY 2020
5,623,271	Local Tax Revenue Received, in Dollars
4,189,558	State Revenue—Credit Hours, Equalization, CTE Formula
2,864,454	Federal Pell grant dollars awarded to DACC students
488,768	Scholarship Dollars Awarded in FY 2020 by the DACC Foundation
470,000	Revenue in Dollars from Corporate Training (FY 2020)
50,858	Total student credit hours
35,000	Number of local residents annually receiving DACC services
5,931	Credit Enrollment – Headcount
1,992	Non-Credit Enrollment – Headcount
564	Number of Graduates with associate degrees or certificates
536	Number of Students Receiving DACC Foundation Scholarships
194	Full-time Employees
69	Full-time Faculty
66	Fall-to-Fall Retention Rate for full-time students
40	Part-time Faculty
72	Administrator/Professional Employees
59	Support Staff Employees
46	Tutors and Coaches
40	Percent Graduating on-time: First-time, Full-time Fall Cohort
37	Percentage of Vermilion County High School Grads who choose DACC
27	Average Age of DACC Credit Students
1	DACC Students—They’re truly the Best!



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