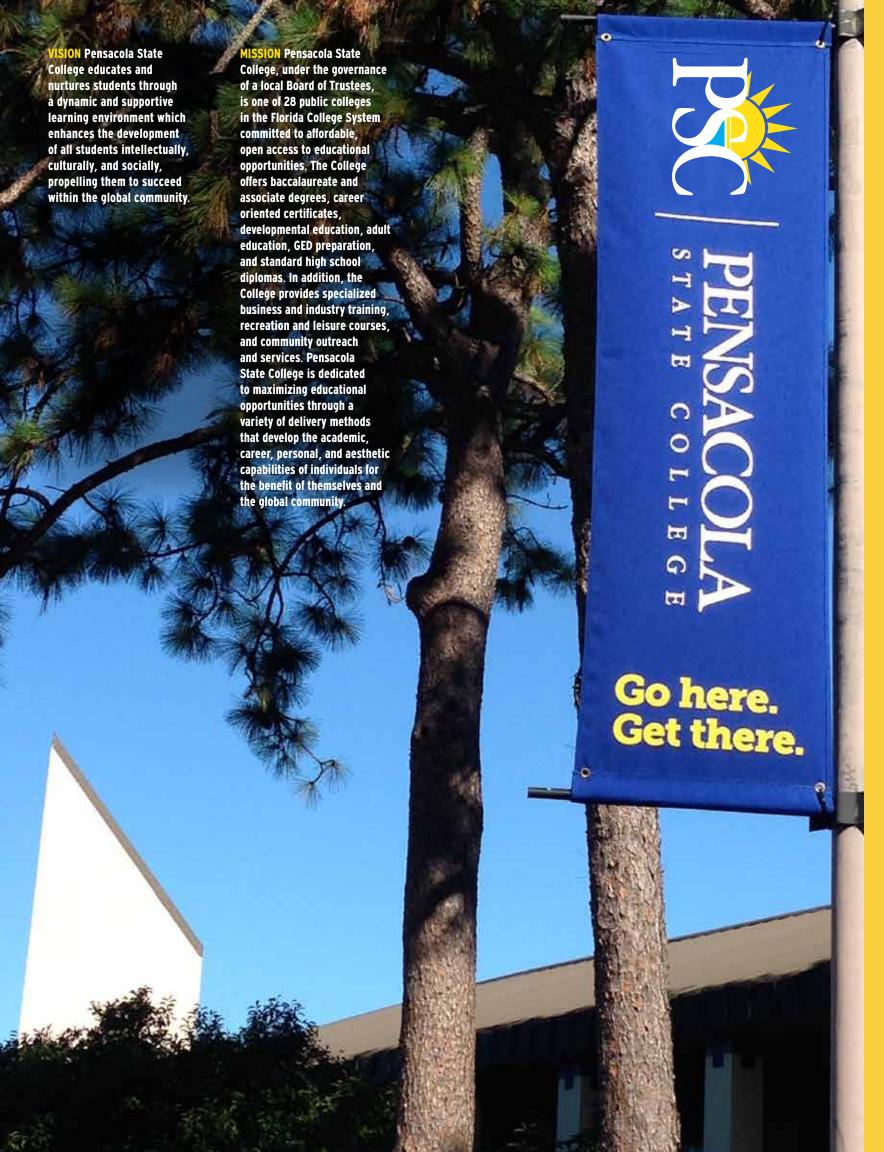
The dawn of a new era.





PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

In today's world, a college education can make an enormous difference in career opportunities and earning power. The U.S. Chamber of Commerce has released data showing that approximately 90 percent of the jobs in the fastest-growing occupations require some level of postsecondary education and training.

According to national studies, those who complete associate degrees earn about \$9,000 per year more than high school graduates and those who complete bachelor's degrees earn about \$17,000 per year more than high school graduates.

As we celebrate our 65th anniversary, Pensacola State College persists in its response to community and workforce needs, providing top-quality, affordable education that opens doors to direct employment and continued learning.

Pensacola State continues to rank in the Top 100 in the nation for associate degrees awarded. Meanwhile, enrollment in the college's baccalaureate degree programs has grown from 158 inaugural students in January 2011 to 483 students today. In response to this growth, we have begun the lengthy approval process for adding new Bachelor of Applied Science concentrations as well as new Bachelor of Science degree programs.

When Gov. Rick Scott challenged Florida state colleges to offer a \$10,000 bachelor's degree this year, we worked diligently to meet this challenge with the Bachelor of Applied Science, Organizational Administration Concentration.

A fitting reflection of the college's growth and expanded offerings is Pensacola State's lively new logo that debuted in March. Featuring sunshine and water, the logo pays tribute to our beautiful surroundings and the tagline captures the essence of our educational mission, "Go here. Get there."

As Pensacola State embraces new programs and serves more students, it's gratifying to observe that we remain the community's college – listening to the community's needs and providing education and training to give our citizens a better future. On the following pages are samplings of opportunities and accomplishments at Pensacola State College, such as:

- Receiving the first Higher Education Excellence in Diversity (HEED) Award from INSIGHT Into Diversity magazine.
- Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society member Rachel Andrews was one of 50 students in the nation selected as a Coca-Cola Community College Academic Team Gold Scholar.
- Softball sophomore Kelly Hayes was named Female Scholar Athlete of the Year by the Florida College System Activities Association.
- Once again, Pirate athletes excelled academically with six Academic All-American winners, 28 Academic All-State winners and 39 Academic All-Conference winners.
- PSC ranks in the Top One Percent in college affordability by the U.S. Department of Education.
- PSC was again named a Military Friendly School by G.I. Jobs magazine. Among other benefits for veterans, PSC is the only college in Florida that provides a Veterans Upward Bound program.
- PSC hosted the largest-ever Florida SkillsUSA State Conference, drawing more than 6,500 participants and adding more than \$3 million to the local economy.
- Through the generosity of donors, the Foundation provided more than \$685,000 in scholarships and more than \$338,000 in direct support for college programs.
- WSRE, PBS for the Gulf Coast, won its ninth national Telly Award for its original documentary, "Baseball in Pensacola"

These are exciting times at Pensacola State College. We are moving forward in our commitment to offer an accessible education on many levels, from adult basic education to career training, to associate degrees, to baccalaureate degrees. Our dedicated faculty and staff are helping students reach their academic goals, thus bettering their lives and bettering our community. We are proud of our progress over the past six decades and we eagerly anticipate new opportunities to serve the surrounding communities for years to come.

Sincerely

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C. Edward Meadows Pensacola State College President





Volleyball Conference Champs

The Pirate Volleyball team won the Panhandle Conference Championship for the third straight year. Megan Gorey, an outside hitter for PSC, led the Pirates with 335 kills and was named Panhandle Conference Most Valuable Player.



Winning in the classroom

During 2012-2013, Pirate athletes enjoyed a winning season in the classroom with 6 Academic All-American winners, 28 Academic All-State winners, and 39 Academic All-Conference winners.

NJCAA Academic All-American

SUPERIOR (3.8 – 3.99 GPA) Baseball: Brett Casteel Softball: Kelly Hayes Volleyball: Shantel Federick **EXEMPLARY** (3.6 – 3.79 GPA) Softball: Emily Pettigrew Volleyball: Sarah Guidry, Paige Schweigert

FCSAA Academic All-State

Volleyball: Lindsey Breland, Jordan Cangelosi, Shantel Federick, Sarah Guidry, Jackie Hobdy, Taylor Linton, Paige Schweigert, Tara Vatter

Softball: Nicole Alexander, Kim Baker, Kayli Evans, Kelly Hayes, Greta Longagnani, Emily Pettigrew, Brook Richardson, Elise Richardson

Baseball: Brett Casteel, Taylor Eads, Roy Moulder, Benton Siegel, Jake Sweargin, Toby Thomas

Men's Basketball: Trevon Grant, Kent Langham, Denzel Richardson Women's Basketball: Kristen Dickerson, Margaret Perdue, Allysia Rohlehr

FCSAA Academic All-Conference

Volleyball: Lindsey Breland, Jordan Cangelosi, Shantel Federick, Megan Gorey, Sarah Guidry, Jackie Hobdy, Taylor Linton, Paige Schweigert, Tara Vatter, Kierstan Willenbacher

Softball: Nicole Alexander, Kim Baker, Rebecca Calloway, Kayli Evans, Kelly Hayes, Greta Longagnani, Shawna Montgomery, Emily Pettigrew, Brook Richardson, Elise Richardson, Kayla Rosario

Baseball: Brett Casteel, Cristiannel Cosme, Taylor Eads, Will Gerdes, Haden Kelly, Roy Moulder, Matt Muench, Benton Siegel, Jake Sweargin, Toby Thomas Men's Basketball: Prince Braynen, Milton Geddes, Trevon Grant, Kent Langham, Denzel Richardson

Women's Basketball: Kristen Dickerson, Margaret Perdue, Allysia Rohlehr



Scoring team recognition

FSCAA All-State Teams

Volleyball: Megan Gorey, Shantel Federick

FSCAA All-Panhandle Conference Teams

Volleyball: Sarah Guidry, Megan Gorey, Shantel Federick, Jordan Cangelosi

Softball: Becca Calloway, Greta Longagnani, Shawna Montgomery, Brook Richardson, Dee Rodriguez

Men's Basketball: Qiydar Davis, Denzel Richardson, Devin Wilson

Women's Basketball: Alexis Horton, Shomari Kendrick, Allysia Rohlehr

500 Wins

Softball Coach Brenda Pena earned her 500th career win April 23 as the Lady Pirates swept a season-finale double header against Jefferson Davis Community College, winning 8-0 and 6-0. A Pensacola State alum, Pena began coaching at the college in 1997.



Special Achievement

PSC Women's Basketball program received a Special Achievement Award at the 59th Annual Pensacola Sports Association banquet in March 2013. The Lady Pirates were recognized for winning back-to-back state championships and being ranked third at the national tournament in

Award

2011 and 2012.



Softball team delivers supplies to Hattisburg, MS for tornado





Cheer and Dance team members raise funds at the October Breast Cancer Mall Walk.

Good Sports

During the year, Pirate athletes participated in numerous community service projects such as Manna Food Bank, Ronald McDonald Fire Truck Pull, Breast Cancer Mall Walk, Rotary Golf Tournament, Billy Sadler's Baseball Camp, Allen Memorial Methodist Church Pumpkin Patch, and One Blood, Inc. blood drive.

"Kelly Hayes is the young woman we all hope to come across as coaches." She is outstanding in all aspects of life." — BRENDA PENA, HEAD SOFTBALL COACH

PROGRAMS



PSC Receives First Higher Education Excellence in Diversity Award

In November 2012, Pensacola State College received the first Higher Education Excellence in Diversity (HEED) award from INSIGHT Into Diversity magazine, the oldest and largest diversityfocused publication in higher education.

As a winner of the national HEED award, PSC was featured along with 47 other recipients in INSIGHT Into Diversity

magazine's December 2012 issue. The magazine selected PSC based on the college's exemplary diversity and inclusion initiatives.

Throughout the year, PSC along with the PSC Black History/ Multicultural Committee and African American Heritage Society presented numerous programs celebrating diversity, such as:

- "The Browning of America: Implications for Diversity in Higher Education," a workshop with Joseph White, University of California at Irvine.
- "Race and Education," a workshop with international lecturer, Tim Wise.
- "A Route In Search of Roots," a VIVA Florida 500 traveling exhibit illustrating how Africans

migrated into the Americas and contributed to the foundation of Florida's history.

- "Voices from Mariel," presentation by Jose Garcia, filmmaker and survivor of Mariel Boatlift.
- "Sage," a jazz and blues concert, in celebration of Black Music Month in June. [pictured here]

PSC Offers \$10,000 Bachelor's Degree

Pensacola State College accepted Governor Rick Scott's challenge to offer a bachelor's degree costing students no more than \$10,000, beginning in August 2013. PSC is offering the Bachelor of Applied Science, Organizational Administration Concentration degree program. This degree increases hiring potential, opens doors for career advancement and prepares students for higher level supervisory and management positions within business, industry, and governmental organizations.



Viva Florida 500 Event at Planetarium

Pensacola State's Planetarium and Space Theatre partnered with the University of West Florida Archaeology Institute to present "Along the Pathway of Souls," a uniquely Native American view of the night sky prior to European contact. The event was part of Pensacola's Viva Florida 500 celebration honoring Ponce de Leon's landing in Florida in 1513.











PSC is Military Friendly

For the fifth straight year, Pensacola State College was named a 2013 Military Friendly School by G.I. Jobs magazine. The honor ranks PSC in the top 20 percent of all colleges and universities in the country who are doing the most to embrace veterans and active duty military members as students and to ensure their success on campus.



25th Season of Rolfs **Piano Series**

Renowned pianist Olga Vinokur was among the five critically acclaimed, international pianists featured at the 25th season of the Rolfs Piano Series presented by the Performing Arts Department. The series was founded by Herman and Valerie Rolfs as a memorial to their German and Polish immigrant parents.



Top 100 Degree Producer

For the fifth straight year, Community College Week magazine named Pensacola State College to its list of Top 100 Associate Degree Producers in the nation.

The ranking compares about 1,400 colleges, most of which are two-

year colleges, using data collected by the National Center for Education Statistics in the 2011-2012 academic year.

In its June 24 issue, Community College Week ranks PSC at No. 36 among all colleges for degrees awarded in Arts and Sciences, General Studies and Humanities, also known as A.A.

degrees. Among fouryear colleges, PSC ranks No. 14 in awarding A.A. degrees.

For associate degrees awarded in all disciplines, PSC ranks No. 81 overall and No. 26 among fouryear colleges. PSC has graduated 12,815 students over the past five years.





Switzer Gallery Hosts Visiting Artists

The Anna Lamar Switzer Center for Visual Arts regularly hosts visiting artists in addition to those artists who are featured in exhibition.

Award-winning artist Emily Arthur presented an open Gallery Talk and threeday workshop for PSC printmaking students in October. She demonstrated etching with aquatints, sugar lift, and chine colle.

Renowned jeweler-designer Hutton Wilkinson spoke to students in jewelry classes and showed some of his unique pieces in a Gallery Talk open to the public in November.

New Programs in 2012-2013

Pharmacy Management Associate in Science Degree

EKG Technician Career and Technical Certificate

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Public Safety Telecommunicator Career and Technical Certificate

Social Work

Associate in Arts Degree

Pharmacy Technician Advanced Technical Diploma

Top 1 Percent in **Affordability**

Pensacola State College is again listed as a best value in public education, according to the U.S. Department of Education's annual ranking in June.

Pensacola State College ranks in the top one percent in the College Affordability and Transparency annual report. In the survey of more than 4,000 colleges, Pensacola State College ranked 18th in lowest public tuition (\$2,540) and 39th in lowest net cost (\$5,336).

The national average tuition is \$7,135 and national average net cost for one year of college is \$10,863, according to the report. The computations are based on data from fall 2011 and spring 2012.



Money Matters

In its continuing efforts to provide Financial Literacy opportunities, Pensacola State launched its first Money Matters Week in September 2012. More than 200 students participated in the first day's events that included a trunk show of materials and a panel discussion on budgeting and paying off credit card debt.



About 575 students from Escambia, Santa Rosa, Okaloosa and Baldwin County Schools explored their career options in health care at the 16th Annual Health Career Fair on the Warrington campus in November.

Health Career Fair









100%

100 Percent Pass Rate

- Pharmacy Technician program's first-ever graduates posted a 100 percent pass rate for the national certification exam.
- Nursing Assistant program posted a 100 percent pass rate on the Florida Board of Nursing certification exam.

PSC Guitar Program Celebrates 30 years

The Pensacola Guitar Orchestra presented its 30th anniversary spring concert at the Ashmore Fine Arts Auditorium in March. An original composition by famed guitarist Ben Verdery, "Penzacola Belongs to All," was debuted to commemorate Pensacola State's 30-year guitar program. The Pensacola Guitar Orchestra is directed by PSC music professor Joe Stallings.

Continuing Education

Students in the International Paper Summer Environmental Camp learned about sustainability at a variety of places, such as Manna Food Pantry and the Perdido Landfill. The final camp session combined the campers' newly learned conservationist skills with a tree-planting ceremony on the Warrington campus.

The Pirate Masters Swimmers won first place in the midsize team division at the Auburn Masters Southeastern Swim Meet in February. Nineteen swimmers participated and two won the High Point Trophy for their age group. Pirate Master Swimmer Marge Stone, age 90, set a national record for the 50-meter breast stroke in her age group.

From left: Ray Ascherfeld, Sally Menk, Kay Miller, Margie Stone, and Bill Evans.



Volunteer Service Awards

Throughout the year, Pensacola State College Students participate in numerous events and activities for the betterment of the community. At the Annual Student Excellence Awards ceremony, 20 students received service awards. Additional recognition for exemplary service went to Kimberly Owen, individual award, and the Milton campus Student Government Association, group award.





Group Volunteer Service Award went to Milton campus SGA members, from left, SGA Advisor Butch Branch, Jade Shumaker, Micah Herring holding award, Vanessa Fell and Kim Owen. [top photo]

Individual Volunteer Service Award

Bone Marrow Donor Registry

WEAR ABC TV and Pensacola State College hosted a Bone Marrow Registry and Blood Drive at the Pensacola campus Student Center, April 15. The free event was held to register potential donors in hopes of finding more matches, including one for Miles Wright, a local 16-year-old African American teenager with acute myeloid leukemia.



went to Kimberly Owen, presented by President Ed Meadows. [above]



25th Annual **Lumberjack Festival**

The PSC Milton campus hosted the 25th Annual Forestry Conclave and Lumberjack Festival in March, drawing more than 1,000 visitors. The free community event offered food, bluegrass music, children's activities, nature and wildlife exhibits and lots of interesting forestry competitions.

MLK Day of Service

The PSC Student Government Association at the Pensacola campus made it on the front page of the Florida Campus Compact Newsletter for their volunteer service at the Carver Community Center in Century on Martin Luther King Day. More than 20 SGA volunteers spent the day painting the Carver Community Center to honor the legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

Keeping Hearts Healthy

Each February, PSC employees wear red to raise funds and awareness for heart health. Wearing red on the Warrington campus are [clockwise from center] Sandy Moore, Steve White, Jennifer Moore, Annette Orangio, Marta Suarez-O'Connor, Lisa Payne, Theresa Wilkes, Dusti Sluder, Patricia Roe, Judy Evans, Tyler Kercher, Lynn Daron, and Jennifer Ponson. Photo by Shannon Williams.



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Make Cents Conference

Pensacola State College speech students helped others make sense of their finances in a free online event in December. They manned the Make Cents 3 conference, featuring informative, entertaining and persuasive student presentations relating to personal management of money. Topics ranged from broad economic issues to specific areas of interest such as dream cars and dating. The conference also included practical advice on how to earn, save, invest and discuss money.

Holiday Giving

A pre-holiday "Fill the

Pantry" drive netted

almost 9,600 pounds

of food for Manna Food

Bank. Coupled with the

cards for the American

Red Cross Holiday Mail

for Heroes that were

sent to U.S. military

men and women

serving around the world.

food drive, students

also prepared 225





American Red Cross

United Way Day of Caring

About 30 PSC employees celebrated United Way's 20th Annual Day of Caring by volunteering at Escambia Westgate School. They spent the day cleaning furniture, putting up new fencing, weeding and

planting the front garden and power washing the sidewalks.

Student Support Services Club sponsor James Blackwell and 21 students also volunteered at the

Oceola Golf Course cutting and taping golf clubs down to children's size as well as filling in golf club holes in the turf and retrieving golf balls that were out of range.





A Cut Above

Milton campus Cosmetology students and faculty provided 72 free haircuts for children at the Sixth Annual Santa Rosa County "Back to School Bash" hosted by Wesley Memorial United Methodist Church and Covenant Church of God, Aug. 18.

Pensacola campus Cosmetology students also provided free haircuts at the Second Annual "Back to School Bash" for Warrington Elementary School. "They loved it and invited us back for next year." said Mark Crum. Cosmetology instructor.



- Carol Carlan of Carlan Consulting and Diane Bogino of Atlantabased Performance Strategies, Inc. spoke on personal assessments and dynamic communications.
- ideas on leadership and customer service.
- Devin Stephenson and Wesley Payne of Three Rivers College in Poplar Bluff, Missouri spent a day on higher education leadership with the PLI class.
- with internationally known leadership specialist John Maxwell at the Pensacola Civic Center.
- President Ed Meadows spent a day discussing leadership with the class.
- spent a day touring the Florida Legislature and had dinner with the Chancellor of the Florida College System, Randy
- seminar fashion, on books as diverse as "The Fred Factor" and "The World is Flat."

Florida Governor's Reception

Pensacola State College Board of Trustees members attended a reception honoring trustees from all 28 Florida State Colleges in February. More than 200 Florida State College trustees and presidents were welcomed to the Florida Governor's Mansion. The event was part of the Association of Florida College's annual Trustee Legislative Conference.

Shown from left are Sandy Cesaretti Ray, executive director of the Kugleman Center for Telecommunications and associate director of Government Relations; PSC Board Chair Ed Moore, Gov. Rick Scott, Florida First Lady Ann Scott, PSC Board Vice Chair Herb Woll and Larry Bracken, executive director of Government Relations.





PSC Hosts Florida Master Teacher Seminars

For the second year, PSC hosted the Florida Master Teacher Seminar in July, drawing 34 Florida College System faculty from across the state.

Established in 1962, the seminar is a nationwide event that emphasizes innovation and excellence in classroom teaching.

W. Terry Whisnant, professor of Behavioral Sciences at Southside Virginia Community College and a veteran of national and international teaching programs, directed the seminar.

PSC faculty members Lisa Sims, Sociology, and Chad Smudde, Mathematics, were selected to be part of Whisnant's staff in leading the seminar.

Steinway Artist

Kadisha Onalbayeva, Performing Arts Professor, was named an international Steinway Artist in January 2013. She joins a distinguished roster of Steinway Artists including Billy Joel, Harry Connick Jr., Irving Berlin and Cole Porter. Onalbayeva earned two Master of Music degrees at the University of New Orleans and her doctorate at Louisiana State University. She teaches piano and composition at Pensacola State and the University of Mobile.

In April, Onalbayeva was selected to perform on the legendary Steinway & Sons Model 'D' Horowitz piano, as part of its North American tour. She performed concerts in Alabama and at Pensacola State College.



PSC Welcomes New Logo

A lengthy, carefully considered process of rebranding the college began with the official name change from Pensacola Junior College to Pensacola State College on July 1, 2010. In particular, a new logo was needed to reflect the college's growth and expanded offerings.

Spearheaded by President Ed Meadows, a Logo Committee gathered input from faculty, staff, students and the community.

Designs were solicited from national and local creative firms as well as the college's staff and graphic design students.

In March 2013, the PSC District Board of Trustees approved the lively new logo created by Bonnie McQuagge, graphic artist in the PSC Marketing Office. Featuring sunshine and water to emphasize the area's surrounding beauty, the logo has been well received on campus and throughout the community.





Lifetime Achievement **Award**

Larry Bracken, Executive Director of Government Relations, was honored in May 2013 with the Association of Florida College's Legislative Committee's Lifetime Achievement Award for his years of service to Pensacola State College and the Florida College System.

Top Professor

Bill Renfroe, Biological Sciences assistant professor, was ranked No. 2 in the nation by RateMyProfessor.com in 2012. Rankings are based entirely on student input. Carlo DiMarco, a senior vice president for the RateMyProfessors site, says, "There's no higher honor for teachers and schools than to be praised by the students who are being impacted by their influence every day."

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Association of Florida Colleges Recognition

Pensacola State College won recognition at the 63rd annual Association of Florida Colleges Convention in October.

Pensacola State's AFC Chapter was recognized with the 2012 Platinum Award. Carol Quinn, purchasing and auxiliary services staff, was selected as the Region 1 Director and Region Unsung Hero.

The college marketing staff received three awards. Robin Mertins and Linda Bauer received first place for "Get Started" post card series. William Rabb and Linda Bauer received first place for college annual report. Robin Mertins, Linda Bauer and Michelle Dycus received second place for "My College" print advertising campaign.



2013 Supervisor and Employee of the Year

The Pensacola State chapter of the College Association of Educational Office Professionals held its 39th annual ceremony honoring supervisors and employees for outstanding service.

The CAEOP chapter selected Gean Ann Emond, vice president of Business Affairs, as Supervisor of the Year and Rose Hall, administrative assistant for the eLearning Department, as Career Service Employee of the Year.

2013 Teaching Excellence Winners

Established in 1986, the prestigious Academy of Teaching Excellence inducted six outstanding faculty members who have exhibited sustained excellence in instruction. Honorees for 2013 are:

FULL-TIME FACULTY

Stacy Albaugh, English and Communications Jennifer Brahier, Mathematics Deborah McClintock, Collegiate High School **Rita Thrasher**, Biological Sciences

ADJUNCT FACULTY Lou Bennett, Education

OUTSTANDING NEW FACULTY Roberta Harvey, Biological Sciences













Left column from top: Albaugh, Brahler, McClintock Right column from top: Thrasher, Bennett, Harvey

2013 Faculty **Promotions**

PROFESSOR Cynthia App, Visual Arts Peter Falzone, Mathematics

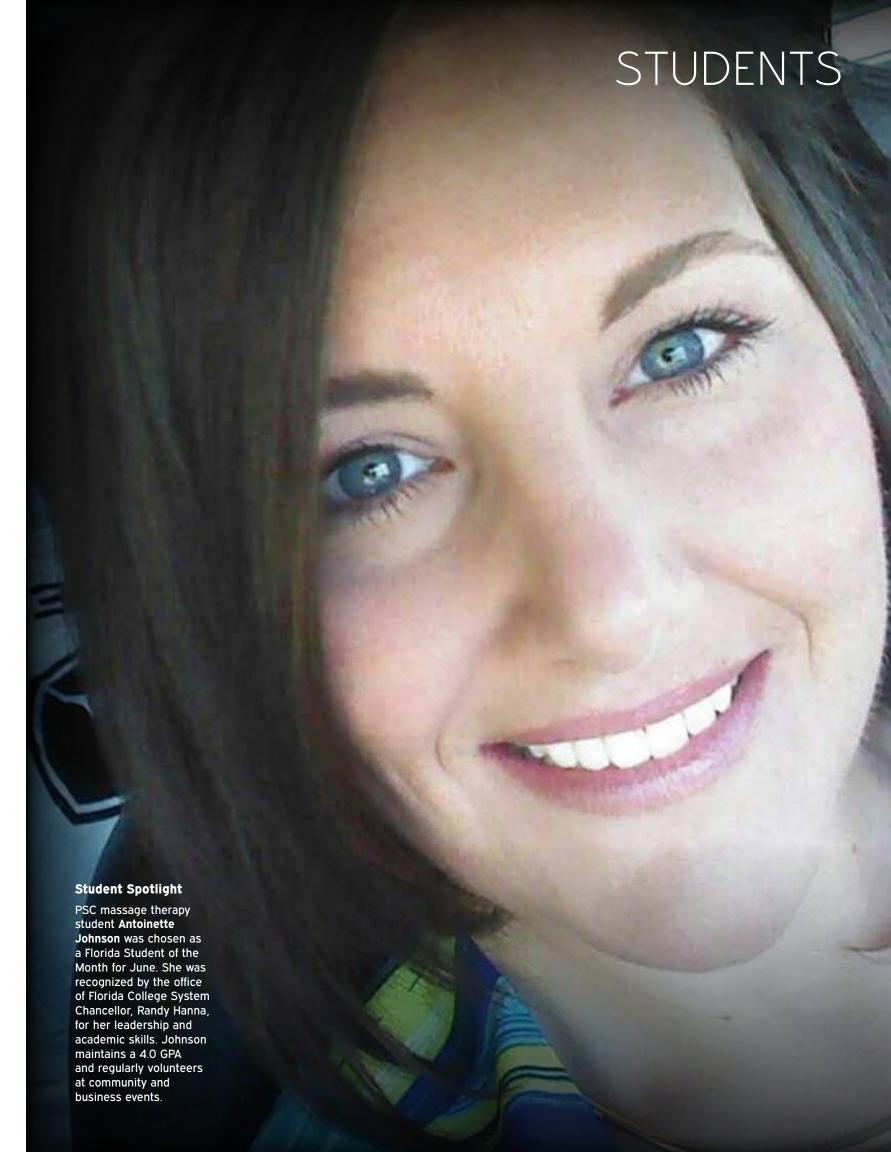
ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR Don Lee, Allied Health Donna Mathias, Allied Health Deborah McClintock, Collegiate High School Brigette Robinson, English and Communications Karen Young, Nursing Timothy Hathway, Physical Sciences

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR Robert Pratten, Information Technology Kristen Regan, Visual Arts

Legends Class of 1988

Each year, Pensacola State recognizes its Legends - employees who have worked at the college for 25 years.

Honorees who joined the PSC family in 1988 are: Winifred Bradley, Library; Dale Brewer, Allied Health; Lynn Cade, Mathematics; Lois Dixon, Physical Sciences: Jane Duke, Testing; Wilma Duncans-Burnett, Health Sciences; Judy Floyd, Student Services: Deborah Friedman, Collegiate High School; Todd Harrington, Purchasing and Auxiliary Services; Erin Hernandez, ITS; Jacki Knudsen, Professional Service Careers; Cynthia Koklas, Library; Kimberly LaFlamme, Physical Sciences; Jeffrey Massey, Computer Lab; Jean Roberts, English/ Communications; Joe Stallings, Performing Arts; Catherine Wassmer, Plant Operations: and Elizabeth Werre, Education.





District ADDY winners from left: Sebastiane House, Cassidy Smith, Graphic Design program coordinator Mark Hopkins, photography instructor Kristen Regan, Libby Castellani, Blake Jones, Sarah Kuchernik and Alicia Nguyen. Not pictured are Dale Cochran and Jonathan Sidwell.

All-Florida **Academic Team**

Four Pensacola State students were named to the 2013 Phi Theta Kappa All-Florida Academic Team. Honored for academic achievement, leadership and service to the community were Rachel Andrews, Jennifer Hill, Michayla Mueller and Zachary Presley. They received medallions at a statewide awards ceremony in April.





Gold Scholar

PSC student Rachel Andrews is one of 50 students in the nation to receive the 2013 Coca-Cola Community College Academic Team Gold Scholar Award and a \$1,500 scholarship. Andrews graduated in May and plans to earn a bachelor's degree at Florida State University with a double major in biochemistry and pre-med biology.

HOSA Students Win at National Competition

PSC Health Occupations Students of America students won four gold, two silver and two bronze medals and all of Pensacola State's HOSA participants placed in the Top 10

ADDY Winners

PSC Visual Arts students won 34 out of 43 awards

university students at the

Federation/Pensacola

of Show, two Judge's

Silver and six Bronze.

At the District ADDY

in April. PSC Visual Arts

District winners are: Gold - Sarah Kuchernik;

Silver - Libby Castellani,

Dale Cochran, Sebastiane

House, Blake Jones, Alicia

Nguyen, Jonathan Sidwell

and Cassidy Smith; and

Bronze - Cassidy Smith.

in the nation at the June 2013 National HOSA Conference in Nashville.

Gold medal winners were Katherine Zahnd, Victoria Burden, Joe Androw and Michelle Mullins.

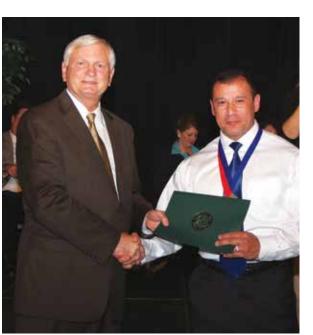
Silver medal winners were lan Lino and Rhonda Wyrosdick. Bronze medal winners were Julia Bell and Katherine Black.

Top 10 winners were Austin Huyhn, Laura Fletcher, Pam Cooper,

Jimmy Lu, Christian Bulosan, Greg Bradley, Niaya Jackson, and Janara Baylis. Michelle Mullins also received the HOSA Happening's award.

Student Excellence Awards

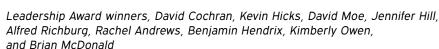
More than 145 Student Excellence Awards were bestowed at PSC's annual Honors Day ceremony in April, including 12 Leadership Awards, 77 Scholastic Achievement Awards, 11 Department Scholar Awards, 10 Program Scholar Awards and 20 Service Awards.



President Ed Meadows congratulates Paramedic Program Award winner, Thomas Pocta

Baccalaureate Scholastic Award winners, Gene Jones and Karen Kilpatrick







Sharlene E. Burkhardt Award winners, Michael Barrow and Rachel Andrews

SkillsUSA National Winners

PSC students enjoyed success at the June 2013 National SkillsUSA Conference in Kansas City, winning three gold, four silver, and seven bronze medals.

Gold medal winners were Yvonne Williamson, Linda Irwin, and Katie Griffin.

Silver medalists were Rachel Faires, Rebecca Fields, Ida Prince, and Adam Lane.

Bronze medalists were Laquisha Lee, Karla Kuznetsov, Sara Lashbrook, Johnny Rivera, Julie Devine, Amy Lord, and Giovanni Howard.

PSC students placing in the Top 10 nationally included: Rhonda Brown, Rebecca Wisecup, Jessica Gilmore, Diane Hultberg, and Linda Heaviland.

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Student Spotlight

- PSC student Brian W. Chadwick won the National Association of Veterans Upward Bound 2012 U.S. Army Combat Tracker Scholarship Award of \$1000.
- Two student publications won recognition at the Florida Community College Press Association annual convention. The student

newspaper, The Corsair, won second place for general excellence. The student literary magazine. The Kilgore Review, won first place in editing and second place in poetry.

Lincoln Electric Sales Representative Josh McKinney, left, teaches Gulf Breeze Middle School student Zach Pohlmann, right, how to weld using a virtual training simulator at the SkillsUSA conference.

Photos by Tony Giberson, courtesy of Pensacola News Journal.





Marisa Gay, left, and Mercedes Battle, right, put their hair dressing skills to the test during competition at the SkillsUSA conference at the Pensacola Bay Center.

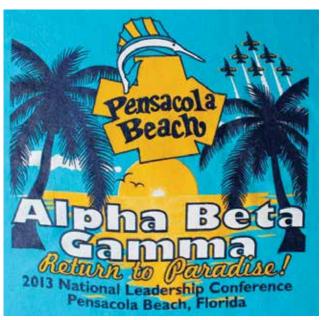
Photos by Tony Giberson, courtesy of Pensacola News Journal.





Thousands of students gathered at the Pensacola Bay Center to explore a variety of job opportunities at the SkillsUSA Conference April 29.

Photos by Tony Giberson, courtesy of Pensacola News Journal.



ABG International Business Honor Society

Pensacola State's chapter of Alpha Beta Gamma hosted the ABG International Business Honor Society National Conference at Pensacola Beach in March. About 100 participants attended from all over the United States.

During the conference, students, advisors and alumni competed for various awards and scholarships. The PSC chapter, represented by students, alumni and advisors, won seven awards.

Liz Faires won the Best Faculty/Advisor Presentation and the Alumni award. Also winning were Thomas Scranton, Wesley Brian Chadwick, Carla Rich and Richard Irvine.

Ahoy, Alumni!

Since 1948

Pensacola State College launched a new Alumni Affairs Office, headed by Executive Director Patrice Whitten.

"Alumni and students are the lifeblood of a college," says Whitten, a PSC alum. "We have established this new office to engage our alumni and provide meaningful experiences and benefits to them."

PSC Alumni benefits include career counseling and job placement. alumni magazine and newsletters, parking, recreational facility usage, library and computer privileges and discounts.



PSC Hosts SkillsUSA State Conference

Pensacola State College hosted the largest-ever Florida SkillsUSA State Conference and Worlds of Possibilities Career Expo at the Pensacola Bay Center in April 2013.

The record-setting event featured 112 workforce competitions for about 1,800 student participants and drew more than 6,500 students. advisors, vendors and volunteers from as far as Miami. It also added more than \$3 million to the local economy.

For the first time, the conference included a Career Fair, co-hosted by Workforce Escarosa, drawing more than 1,000 participants and 65 vendors offering jobs to the local community.

The 2013 Emerald Coast Electrathon Classic 120 was a crowd-pleasing event held in conjunction with the conference. High school and college teams from as far as California competed to see whose electric car could complete the most laps around the speedway in two hours.

The race was sanctioned by Electrathon America and sponsored by the Gulf Power Co. Engineering Society.

Orchestrating the state conference was Jennifer Ponson, PSC's SkillsUSA advisor for both the PSC chapter and the region that extends from Pensacola to Tallahassee. The mission of SkillsUSA is to help train a new generation of skilled workers needed to replace an aging workforce.

Sigma Beta Delta International Business Honor Society

Pensacola State College's first honor society for students in bachelor's degree programs was established in November when Sigma Beta Delta International Business Honor Society inducted its first 19 members.

The honor society is open to students

pursuing a bachelor's degree in applied science in administration and supervision who have a 3.5 cumulative grade point average.

PSC inductees are Sharon Ward, Karen Kilpatrick, Jonathan Nall, Connie Jones, Gene Jones, Cassandra Whiting

James Helm, Anthony Sullivan, Lisa Rivera, Marv Whitaker, Briana Adams, Deborah Pilger, Brittany Allsworth, Gary Wilson, Gerald Wooten, Sarah Pacia, Debra Abercrombie, Tammy Davis and Randall Smith.

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From Here, The World

Regional travel and study abroad are key ingredients for Pensacola State's prestigious Robinson Honors program established by Jill and Grover Robinson IV in memory of Sandra and Grover Robinson III. In July 2013, five students studied and explored Italy and Switzerland under the tutelage of two PSC honors program faculty.

Anna Lamar Switzer Center Celebrations

The Anna Lamar Switzer Center for Visual Arts featured two gallery shows that were made possible through the generosity of the Switzer and Reilly families.

"Rituals," the fall 2012 opening show at the Visual Arts Gallery, featured the three-year project of Mark Alan Francis, recipient of the Anna Lamar Switzer Endowed Teaching Chair.

Francis, associate professor of photography, traveled the United States to eclectic community festivals to capture the eye-grabbing images displayed in "Rituals."

The Switzer Endowed Teaching Chair not only helps teachers expand as artists, it also impacts the classroom experience for the students.

In January 2013, acclaimed photographer Karen Glaser was honored as the Switzer Distinguished Artist, and her works were displayed at the gallery. Glaser also presented workshops and a Gallery Talk during her February visit to the Switzer Center.

"The Mark of Water: Florida's Springs and Swamps" captivated viewers with a look into the ethereal world of alligators and air plants alike, often from an underwater perspective.

Bringing world-class artists to campus has a long-lasting impact on students and the exhibits reinforce what the faculty is teaching, according to Gallery Director Vivian Spencer.







Italy photo by Robert Lee, Robinson Honors student.

New Scholarships and Endowments

Aubrey Mullings Scholarship Fund (Photography)

VIC Progressive Regional Scholarship (Financial need)

Malcolm and Ella Odom and Ora Edmonds Opportunity Scholarship (Santa Rosa County students)

Oren R. Powell and LaVonne C. Agerton Associated Credit Bureaus of Florida Endowment (Financial Literacy)



Eleven PSC Students in Inaugural Class of Pensacola Pledge **Scholars**

In August 2012, 11 Pensacola State College students began their freshman year as part of the inaugural class of Pensacola Pledge Scholars.

Established with a \$1 million gift from Quint and Rishy Studer, the Pensacola Pledge Scholars program awards PSC students \$1,200 per academic year.

"I am so thankful for this scholarship," says PSC student Christian McCants. "The cost of college even an affordable one like Pensacola State – is so high that it is difficult for many students to afford tuition and books."

Pensacola State students in the 2012 scholarship program are Kelli Brock, Javante Butler, Molly Funck, Kata Kuch, Kendall Lee, Chelsea Mason. Emma McBride-Taylor, Christian McCants, Christopher Pahalek, Kayla Parazine and Anna Talamo.





Margaret Stopp

Honoring Leadership

The Foundation welcomed new officers as outgoing Foundation President Pam Caddell passed the gavel to 2013 President Margaret Stopp, Serving with Stopp are Vice President Vincent Andry, Secretary Gary Sammons, and Treasurer Tom Owens.

New Foundation Directors are Brian Baumgardner, Gerry Goldstein, Betty Roberts, Kerry Anne Schultz, Charlie Switzer and Beverly Zimmern.

New Foundation Governors are J. Terryl "Bubba" Bechtol, Jennifer Cole, Tom Lampone, Kramer Litvak, Grover Robinson IV, Julie Sheppard, Gwen Snowden, Marty Stanovich and Ann Woll.

2012-2013 Highlights

- 1,134 students benefitted from more than \$685,000 in Foundation scholarships to help pay for tuition, books and supplies.
- The Foundation provided more than \$338,000 in direct support for college programs. Scholarships and program support are funded through generous donations from members of the community.
- 62 Pensacola State students received First Generation Scholarships totaling \$53,072. First Generation scholarships are awarded to students who are the first in their family to attend college. Donations are matched dollar-for-dollar by the state.
- The Holiday Grande Gala was held at Sanders Beach-Corinne Jones Community Center and raised more than \$86,000. The Pensacola State College Annual Fund for Excellence and Universal Scholarship Fund benefitted from the event's net proceeds of more than \$70,000.
- The annual Day of Clays Sporting Clay Shoot and the Big Break Cox Golf Classic raised more than \$42,000 to benefit the Universal Scholarship Fund.

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Studer said.

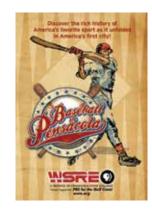
he said.

WSRE Documentary Reveals History of Baseball in Pensacola

WSRE premiered its newest documentary, "Baseball in Pensacola," in November. The 2.5 hour documentary chronicles the rich history of America's favorite sport as it unfolded in America's first city.

Viewers travel back in time to meet teams from the 1800s and then progress to present day Blue Wahoos. Among the local legends featured are: Don Sutton, Dennis Luellen. Jay Bell, Greg Litton, and Travis Fryman.

A free sneak peek of the documentary was held in conjunction with a Blue Wahoos game at the Pensacola Bayfront Stadium in August.



WSRE Wins National Telly Award

WSRE. PBS for the Gulf Coast, has won a National Bronze Telly Award for the historical documentary, "Baseball in Pensacola." This honor marks the ninth National Telly Award WSRE has won for original programming since 2008. Credits include: Jill Hubbs, producer; Tony Ferguson, director and editor; Scott Brown, writer and consultant; Tracey Burgess, graphics; WSRE production team -Mike Rowan, Ted King and James Roy; with historic/ archival photographs provided by the Pensacola Historical Society.



Tea Time at Downton Abbey

In anticipation of the third season of Masterpiece Classic's "Downton Abbey." WSRE hosted a well-attended preview screening for Downton addicts. Guests enjoyed door prizes, and munching on tea and cookies. Season three premiered stateside on Jan. 6 to rave reviews and record-setting audiences, and ran for seven weeks.

To capitalize on the success and popularity of everyone's favorite English family, WSRE hosted Downtonthemed fundraising events in Pensacola and Niceville. The "Linen and Lace" tea held at the Pensacola Country Club boasted a full house of ladies (and a few gentlemen) all decked out in Edwardian and Roaring 20s period attire. Guests were treated to afternoon tea and presentation on fashions of the period.

The Niceville event "No Shrinking Violets: Tea Time, Southern Women and Downton Abbey" was equally well received. Humorist and best-selling author Melinda Rainey Thompson provided the musings and laughs for the afternoon, while attendees enjoyed the serene surroundings of Judy Byrne Riley's bayfront home.





Pensacola's History Comes to Life

WSRE. Pensacola State College and The University of West Florida premiered an original television production, "Yo Solo: Bernardo de Gálvez on the Stage of the American Revolution," on July 2.

Chaz Mena, actor and Florida Humanities Council Scholar, recreated the role of Bernardo de Gálvez in a one-man stage performance. The production was filmed before a live television studio audience and included an introduction and afterword by David Hartman.



Guitar Virtuoso Tommy Emmanuel in Concert

Legendary guitar virtuoso Tommy Emmanuel performed a February concert at WSRE's Jean and Paul Amos Performance Studio. A two-time Grammy nominee, Emmanuel is one of the world's most respected guitarists.



StudioAmped's Fifth **Season Spotlights Regional Talent**

WSRE's popular series StudioAmped, celebrated its fifth season of providing free concerts featuring regional musicians performing their original material. The concerts are recorded live in WSRE's Jean and Paul Amos Performance Studio for later broadcast. Musical genres include pop, rock, reggae, indie, country and more.



"Martha Speaks" Reading Buddies Statewide **Research Project**

For more than 40 years, Florida's 13 public television (PBS) stations have provided educational resources and programming. The 2012 Florida Legislature required Florida PBS stations to provide measured results showing that contact with public broadcasting educational material helps students attain larger learning gains.

Florida PBS stations chose the "Martha Speaks" Reading Buddies Program as its basis for comparison. The program was a 10-week cross-age reading program to develop and enhance vocabulary in elementary school students using the PBS Kids program "Martha Speaks."

Nineteen schools across 16 Florida school districts participated, including A.A. Dixon Charter School and Gulf Breeze Elementary. The program included kindergarten or first grade "little" buddies and fourth or fifth grade "big" buddies watching "Martha Speaks" episodes; reading related books; talking about the shows, books, and words; and playing games and writing together.

Overall, the results indicated the "Martha Speaks" Reading Buddies Program had a positive effect on improving children's vocabulary.



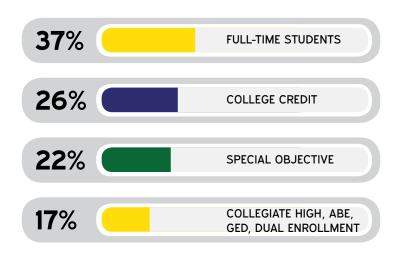
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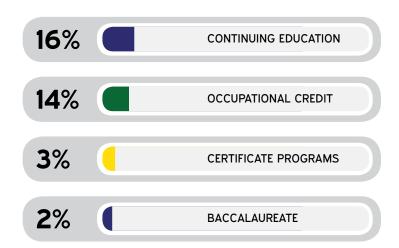
In celebration of the premiere of its local documentary, "Baseball in Pensacola," WSRE held two baseballthemed fundraisers presented by the Pensacola Blue Wahoos. Attendees stepped up to the plate and raised more than \$85,000 in net proceeds. Guests mingled with local baseball legends and celebrity chefs and authors James Briscione and Brooke Parkhurst, authors of "Just Married & Cooking."



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STUDENT BODY PROFILE 2012-13





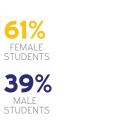
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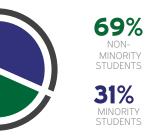
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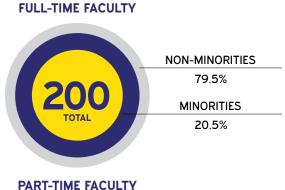






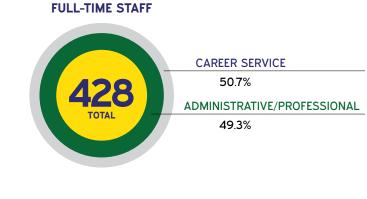
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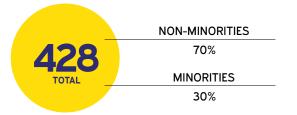
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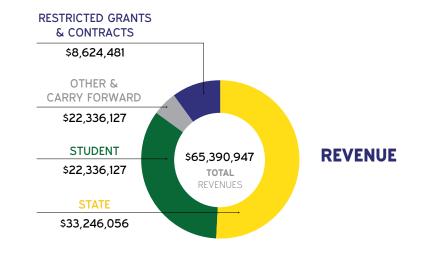


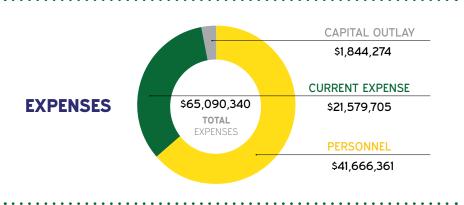
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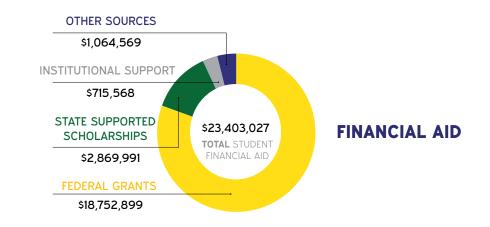




FINANCIAL PROFILE 2012-13







PSC BOOSTS LOCAL ECONOMY

PSC boosts the local economy by \$932.8* million annually, according to a new study conducted by **Economic Modeling** Specialists, Inc. The study was commissioned by the Florida College System Council of Presidents and the Florida College System Foundation.

- For every dollar students invest in PSC, they receive a cumulative \$8.20 in higher future income over their working careers.
- Taxpayers see a rate of return of 8.8% on their investment in PSC.
- The net added income generated by PSC operations (\$45.2 million) and the spending of non-local students (\$1.6 million) contributes
- a total of \$46.9 million in income to the PSC Service Area (Escambia and Santa Rosa Counties) economy each year.
- The accumulated credits achieved by former PSC students over the past 29 years translate to \$885.9 million in added regional income each year due to the higher earnings of students and increased output of businesses.

*EMSI calculated the college's total economic impact based on the 21,728 credit and non-credit students served in the 2011-12 reporting year, along with alumni earnings, student spending, and expenditures related to college operations.

GRANTS 2012-13

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Through the efforts of Pensacola State College Institutional Effectiveness and Grants, the college was awarded \$4,372,587 in grants from a variety of sources.

U.S. Department of Labor

Trade Adjustment Assistance Community College and Career Training (Wallace Community College – Dothan, AL) – \$2,008,275

U.S. Department of Education

Veterans Upward Bound -\$1,250,000

Carl Perkins, Career & Technical Education Post-Secondary – \$564.755

Florida State Department of Education

Adult General Education -\$237,533

Education Literacy/Civics Education -\$53,570

Adults with Disabilities -\$42.500

Emergency Management/Mass Communication - Colleges -\$30,000

Gulf Tourism and Seafood Promotion Fund \$174,504

Florida Theatrical Association

\$6,000

Fish Florida \$1.800

International Paper

Environmental Summer Camp -\$3.650

SkillsUSA

Awarded 79 Student OSHA Career Safe Vouchers

Florida Campus Compact

AmeriCorps*VISTA -1 VISTA volunteer position

College Access -5 College Access student positions

FACILITIES



Celebrating the Century Center

Community members joined the college family at the newly renovated Century Center for a ribbon cutting ceremony in fall 2012. Housed in the former Carver/ Century K-8 Middle School, the Center opened in January 2012 with an array of classes and is welcoming steady growth.

Snip! PSC Trustees, from left, Deidre Young, John O'Connor, Dona Usry, Herb Woll, Carol Carlan; and Escambia County School District Assistant Superintendent Steve Marcanio





Shining in South Santa Rosa

A ribbon cutting ceremony was held at the stunning new South Santa Rosa Center in summer 2012. The \$9 million. 35,000 square-foot facility opened in January 2012. The two-story, multi-use facility emphasizes green technology and includes classrooms. science labs, computer lab, library, faculty offices and conference room.

Upgrading Facilities

Renovated the interior of Building 3600, T. Felton Harrison **Student Services** Building, on the Warrington campus.

Renovated the Fitness Center on the Pensacola campus.

Renovated the restrooms in Building 4, Allen Liberal Arts, and the restrooms at the **Track**/ Tennis Courts on the Pensacola campus.

Installed a **new sign with** Installed location signage an LED message at the on Pensacola, Milton, and corner of Ninth Avenue Warrington campuses. and Airport Boulevard on

the Pensacola campus.

Keeping PACE

PACE Center for Girls representatives, Pensacola State officials, community leaders and donors gathered to break ground on a new PACE Center facility in December 2012. The 13,500-square-foot building, located on two acres on the northern edge of the Pensacola State College campus, will serve at-risk teenage girls. The local PACE (Practical, Academic, Cultural Education) chapter is the only one of the 17 in Florida to be located on a college campus.



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