



# Cuyahoga Community College

## Catalog

2014-2015

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## **Mission**

To provide high quality, accessible and affordable educational opportunities and services – including university transfer, technical and lifelong learning programs – that promote individual development and improve the overall quality of life in a multicultural community.

## **Vision**

Cuyahoga Community College will be recognized as an exemplary teaching and learning community that fosters service and student success. The College will be a valued resource and leader in academic quality, cultural enrichment, and economic development characterized by continuous improvement, innovation, and community responsiveness.

## **Values**

To successfully fulfill the mission and vision, Cuyahoga Community College is consciously committed to diversity, integrity, academic excellence, and achievement of individual and institutional goals. We are dedicated to building trust, respect, and confidence among our colleagues, students, and the community.

Cuyahoga Community College is accredited by  
The Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association  
of Colleges and Schools

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## A Message from the President

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Welcome to Cuyahoga Community College. Tri-C is an innovative and inclusive learning community, dedicated to your success and completion. We are delighted that you have selected our College as the place to continue your education and career development. Our faculty, staff and administrators are proud to offer many options to assist you in reaching your educational goals.

A Tri-C education is both powerful and valuable. Offering more than 1,000 courses and 140 degree and certificate programs (and counting), our College is preparing students to thrive in the new global economy. We offer programs in most career fields, including health care, green technology, culinary arts, engineering, bioscience, business, public service, liberal arts, transportation, music, manufacturing and media production—to name just a few of the possibilities. Upon completion of your degree, transfer and dual-enrollment agreements offer seamless transition to many universities.

As we continue to innovate, we are working to meet you where you are. The College is the leading provider of online opportunities in the state. You will appreciate the flexibility, choice and convenience of courses that accommodate your life. Select from offerings online, in the classroom or a combination of both. More than 130 courses are offered in locations throughout the community, close to home or work, with day, evening and weekend options.

Our four attractive campuses offer outstanding amenities, including wireless Internet, wellness facilities, libraries and study areas. Services such as academic advising, online or e-advising, tutoring, career counseling and mentoring services are available to help you plan your academic journey and succeed in achieving your goals. Our vibrant student life invites you to get involved in student government, collegiate athletics, volunteer activities and a wide array of clubs and organizations.

This is not, after all, just our College. It is yours. We invite you to take full advantage of the many opportunities to make it your own and aid in your success. As you move forward on your journey, I trust you will find that “Tri-C is where futures begin.”

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Alex Johnson".

Alex Johnson  
President

# Important Phone Numbers

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**Main Number 216-987-6000  
(toll free 800-954-8742)**

All Tri-C telephone numbers are in the 216 area code.

	<b>Eastern Campus</b>	<b>Metropolitan Campus</b>	<b>Western Campus</b>	<b>Westshore Campus</b>
Adjunct Services	216-987-2226	216-987-4225	216-987-5227	216-987-3941
Assessment	216-987-2256	216-987-4311	216-987-5256	216-987-3888
Bookstore	216-987-2070	216-987-4550	216-987-5550	216-987-3908
Campus Police and Security	216-987-4325	216-987-4325	216-987-4325	216-987-3988
Career Center	216-987-2567	216-987-4913	216-987-5575	216-987-5889
College Information & Enrollment Support Center	216-987-6000	216-987-6000	216-987-6000	216-987-6000
Counseling	216-987-6000	216-987-6000	216-987-6000	216-987-6000
Enrollment Center	216-987-6000	216-987-6000	216-987-6000	216-987-6000
Library	216-987-2085	216-987-4292	216-987-5410	216-987-3888
My Tri-C Card Office	216-987-6000	216-987-6000	216-987-6000	216-987-6000
Program 60	216-987-6000	216-987-6000	216-987-6000	216-987-6000
Student Financial Aid & Scholarships	216-987-6000	216-987-6000	216-987-6000	216-987-6000
Student Life Activities	216-987-2045	216-987-4610	216-987-5428	216-987-5926
TDD for Hearing Impaired	216-987-2230	216-987-4048	216-987-5117	216-987-5117
Tutoring	216-987-2256	216-987-4319	216-987-5256	216-987-3888
Veteran Affairs	216-987-2015	216-987-4164	216-987-5203	216-987-5884
Workforce and Economic Development Division	216-987-3075	Registration	216-987-3075	General Information
Corporate College® East	216-987-3075	Registration	216-987-2800	General Information
Corporate College® West	216-987-3075	Registration	216-987-2800	General Information



## 2014-2015 Academic Calendar

FALL SEMESTER 2014	SPRING SEMESTER 2015	SUMMER SESSION 2015
FULL TERM 16-Week August 25, 2014-December 14, 2014	FULL TERM 16-Week January 12, 2015-May 10, 2015	FULL TERM 10-Week May 26, 2015-August 2, 2015
SESSION A 8-Week August 25 - October 19	SESSION A 8-Week January 12 - March 8	SESSION J 5-Week May 26 - June 28
SESSION B 8-Week October 20 - December 14	SESSION B 8-Week March 16 - May 10	SESSION K 5-Week June 29 - August 2
SESSION O 14-Week September 8 - December 14	SESSION O 14-Week January 26 - May 10	SESSION L 8-Week June 8 - August 2

### FALL SEMESTER 2014

Date	Day	Calendar Description
April 7-April 13	<i>Monday-Sunday</i>	<b>Priority Registration</b>
April 14 - August 24	<i>Monday-Sunday</i>	Registration for Fall Semester 2014
August 25	<i>Monday</i>	Fall Semester (16-Week) and Session A (8-Week) Begin
September 1	<i>Monday</i>	Labor Day - College Closed - No Classes Scheduled
September 8	<i>Monday</i>	Session O Begins
September 22	<i>Monday</i>	Make up work to resolve 'Incomplete' grades due to faculty
October 1	<i>Wednesday</i>	Incomplete grades for 2014 Spring and Summer Semesters rolled to 'F' grades
October 19	<i>Sunday</i>	Session A Ends
October 20	<i>Monday</i>	Session A Final Grades Due
October 20	<i>Monday</i>	Session B Begins
November 7	<i>Friday</i>	Last Day to Withdraw from Full Term (16 Week) Course with a 'W' Grade***
November 11	<i>Tuesday</i>	Veterans' Day - College Closed - No Classes Scheduled
November 27-November 30	<i>Thursday-Sunday</i>	Thanksgiving Recess - College Closed - No Classes Scheduled
December 17	<i>Wednesday</i>	Fall 2014 Commencement (Date Tentative)
December 8-14	<i>Monday-Sunday</i>	Final Exam Week - Full Term
December 14	<i>Sunday</i>	Fall Semester Full Term, Session B and Session O End
December 16	<i>Tuesday</i>	Final Grades Due - Full Term, Session B and Session O
Dec 24, 2014 - Jan 1, 2015	<i>Wednesday-Thursday</i>	Winter Break - College Closed - No Classes Scheduled

### SPRING SEMESTER 2015

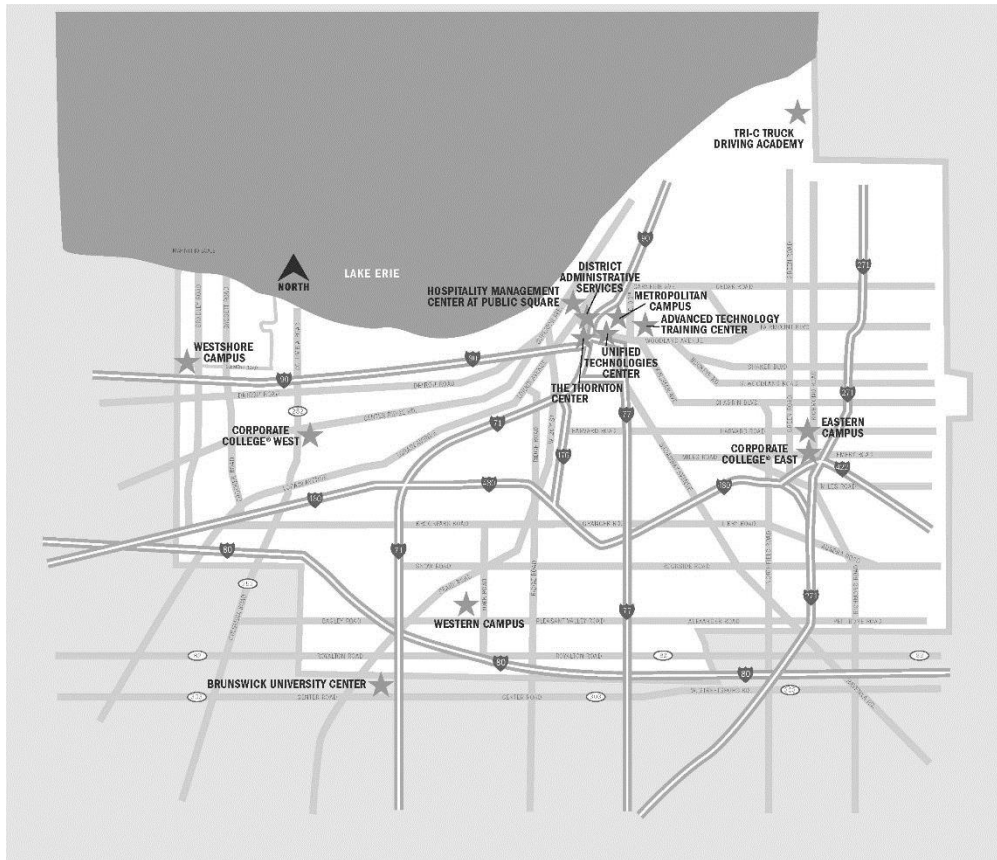
October 6-October 12	<i>Monday-Friday</i>	<b>Priority Registration</b>
October 13-January 11	<i>Saturday-Sunday</i>	Registration for Spring Semester 2015
January 12	<i>Monday</i>	Spring Semester Full Term and Session A Begin
January 19	<i>Monday</i>	Martin Luther King Jr. Day - College Closed - No Classes Scheduled
January 26	<i>Monday</i>	Session O Begins
February 11	<i>Tuesday</i>	Make up work to resolve 'Incomplete' grades due to faculty
February 18	<i>Wednesday</i>	Incomplete grades for Fall 2014 Semester rolled to 'F' grades
March 8	<i>Sunday</i>	Session A Ends
March 9-15	<i>Monday-Sunday</i>	Spring Break - No Classes Scheduled
March 16	<i>Monday</i>	Session A Final Grades Due
March 16	<i>Monday</i>	Session B Begins
April 3	<i>Friday</i>	Deadline to Petition for Graduation for Spring and Summer 2015
April 15	<i>Wednesday</i>	Last Day to Withdraw from Full Term (16 Week) Course with a 'W' Grade***
May 4-10	<i>Monday-Sunday</i>	Final Exam Week - Full Term
May 10	<i>Sunday</i>	Spring Semester Full Term, Session B and Session O End
May 12	<i>Tuesday</i>	Final Grades Due - Full Term, Session B and Session O
May 21	<i>Thursday</i>	Spring and Summer 2015 Commencement

### SUMMER SESSION 2015

March 9 - May 25	<i>Monday-Monday</i>	Registration for Summer Session 2015
May 25	<i>Monday</i>	Memorial Day - College Closed
May 26	<i>Tuesday</i>	Summer Session Full Term and Session J Begin
June 8	<i>Monday</i>	Session L Begins
June 28	<i>Sunday</i>	Session J Ends
June 29	<i>Monday</i>	Session J Grades Due
June 29	<i>Monday</i>	Session K Begins
July 3	<i>Friday</i>	Independence Day Observation - College Closed - No Classes Scheduled
July 16	<i>Thursday</i>	Last Day to Withdraw from Full Term (10 Week) Course with a 'W' Grade ***
August 2	<i>Sunday</i>	Summer Session Full Term, Session K and Session L End
August 4	<i>Tuesday</i>	Final Grades Due - Full Term, Session K and Session L

\*\*\* Complete list of Academic Progress Reporting dates and Withdrawal dates are available on the Academic Calendar located at: [www.tri-c.edu/acadcalendar/Pages/default.aspx](http://www.tri-c.edu/acadcalendar/Pages/default.aspx).

Dates above are subject to change.



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4250 Richmond Road  
Highland Hills, OH 44122  
216-987-6000

**Metropolitan Campus**  
2900 Community College Avenue  
Cleveland, OH 44115  
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**Western Campus**  
11000 Pleasant Valley Road  
Parma, OH 44130  
216-987-6000

**Westshore Campus**  
31001 Clemens Road  
Westlake, OH 44145  
216-987-6000

**Advanced Technology  
Training Center**  
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Cleveland, OH 44115  
216-987-0148

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**Corporate College® East**  
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**Corporate College® West**  
25425 Center Ridge Road  
Westlake, OH 44145  
216-987-6000

**Hospitality Management Center**  
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180 Euclid Avenue  
Cleveland, OH 44113  
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**Unified Technologies Center**  
2415 Woodland Avenue  
Cleveland, OH 44115  
216-987-3075

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### Cuyahoga Community College

Education at Cuyahoga Community College (Tri-C®) is a life-changing experience. More than 900,000 present and former students have been touched by the Tri-C experience. Tri-C has enriched the lives and helped build solid futures for all who have attended, from the hopeful students who stood in line at the Brownell School building in 1963 to register for Tri-C's first classes to today's students who register through the Internet. The far-reaching effects of education at Tri-C have touched not only the individual students but their families, as well as the entire community.

The faculty, staff and administration at Tri-C are dedicated to providing innovative and flexible services to students and the broader community as a whole. This commitment is expressed by developing a curriculum and delivering an academic experience that will produce students who are competitive within the job market, well-educated and informed. Whether these students are on the threshold of an exciting career, returning for new skills training or simply taking courses in a field of interest, the academic experience at Tri-C meets their specialized needs.

### College Climate and Commitment to Diversity and Affirmative Action

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### History of Cuyahoga Community College, the Campuses and Corporate College®

On September 23, 1963, the largest first day enrollment for a community college in the nation's history took place at Tri-C's first home, the 19th century Brownell School building in downtown Cleveland, which was leased from

the Cleveland Board of Education. The initial enrollment was just over 3,000 students. Today, Tri-C serves more than 52,000 credit and non-credit students each year. Now one of the largest colleges in Ohio and the largest in Greater Cleveland, Tri-C has expanded to four modern campuses in downtown Cleveland, Parma, Highland Hills and Westlake, as well as two Corporate College® sites in Westlake and Warrensville Heights. Other facilities include the District Administrative Services in Cleveland and the Unified Technologies Center (UTC) adjacent to the Metropolitan Campus. Tri-C opened its beautiful and spacious 50,000-square-foot Advanced Technology Training Center (ATTC) in October 2012. The ATTC features high-bay labs, multipurpose training areas and an energy-efficient environment for learning and offers the latest state-of-the-art technology and curriculum. The ATTC provides students with education, hands-on training and employment preparation skills for well-paying jobs and provides employers with a constant feeder system of job-ready candidates for the in-demand high-tech industry.

### Eastern Campus

Founded in 1971, the Eastern Campus in Highland Hills has grown to encompass four buildings. In addition to state-of-the-art classrooms and laboratories, the campus celebrates a newly opened Natatorium and Fitness Center which features a six-lane swimming pool, diving area, vortex pool, and premier fitness center and weight room. The new space also provides learning spaces for students enrolled in the Tri-C Sport and Exercise Studies program and other physical education classes. Students, faculty, and community members can also make use of this pool and fitness center, as well as the full-service library, 600-seat performing arts center, art gallery, massage therapy clinic, music studios, cafeteria, employment and career services center. The Eastern Campus is located in the growing I-271 and I-480 corridor. Regional Transit Authority (RTA) buses also provide public transportation services.

The heart of the Hospitality Program is the Hospitality Management Center located across from Public Square in downtown Cleveland. This location, which is supported by faculty from the Metropolitan Campus, is in the center of the "culinary and hotel district", within walking distance of nationally recognized chef-run restaurants and expanding lodging and entertainment businesses.

### Metropolitan Campus

The Metropolitan Campus which opened in 1969, is Tri-C's first campus. Located near downtown Cleveland in the Campus District, the Campus is easily accessible from Interstates 71, 77 and 90. Classes are offered during the day, evenings, on weekends and through distance learning/e-learning.

The Metropolitan Campus houses outstanding science, engineering and health careers laboratories. Students learn first-hand in laboratories similar to those in the work environment. Laboratories exist for nursing, information technology, manufacturing and the recording arts industry. Additionally, the Campus opened the Transfer Connection Center in 2013 to help students navigate the process from degree completion at Tri-C to a successful transfer to a four-year college or university.

The Tommy LiPuma Center for Creative Arts presents the best in local, regional and international artists in the areas of music, dance, theater and performance art. Students mix music, record and stage musicians as part of the Recording Arts and Technology Program. The Visual Communication and Design Program offers students degrees and certificates in graphic design, illustration, web and interactive media, photography, digital video and digital filmmaking, 3D Design and 3D Animation.

Students with an interest in Engineering Technology can choose from nine degree programs in the industry that are nationally recognized by the American Society of Engineering Education and the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology.

A state-of-the-art center for Nursing provides hands-on learning. Students learn with the use of a Human Patient Simulator, a computer-driven mannequin, which mirrors the physical characteristics of a human and allows students to respond to critical care issues. A simulated hospital care unit with 22 beds allows students to study and test simulated patients.

Allied health laboratories also exist on the Campus for many other careers in the health care field including dental hygiene, health information management, surgical technician, emergency medical technician and occupational and physical therapy. The Dental Hygiene Clinic also provides low cost preventive dental care to community residents.

The Metropolitan Campus also features a commercial kitchen and full service restaurant for students in the Hospitality Management Program. The student operated restaurant serves breakfast and lunch during portions of the school year.

### Western Campus

The Western Campus in Parma, Ohio, has served Cleveland's southwest suburbs since 1966, operating in the former Crile Veterans Hospital.

The facilities were replaced in 1975 with a six-building interconnected campus. The sprawling, tree-lined picturesque campus offers more than 1,000 day, evening and weekend classes for associate degree programs. Students benefit from industry-standard laboratories and spacious learning environments, such as the Health

Careers and Sciences Building, Advanced Automotive Technology Center and the Visual Communications Center of Excellence. A new Public Safety Training Center of Excellence will be completed in Fall 2014. The only one in Northeast Ohio, the Public Safety Training Center will offer the latest, specialized training for EMTs, firefighters and police officers.

The Western Campus provides a full array of student services in the centralized Galleria. These services include the Enrollment Center, Admissions Office, Career Services, Barnes & Noble bookstore, a library, computer labs, a cafeteria and a coffee shop. Students and residents also have access to numerous science, health career and technology labs, a 466-seat theater, an indoor pool, gymnasium, fitness center, outdoor track and athletic fields for soccer, softball and baseball. Senior residents can take free non-credit courses through the Encore Program, and summer camps provide affordable, fun educational experiences for grade-school children and teens.

The 220-acre Western Campus at 11000 Pleasant Valley Road is accessible from Interstates 71, 77 and 480. Regional Transit Authority (RTA) buses provide public transportation services to the campus.

An extension of the Western Campus, Brunswick University Center (BUC) was built in 2011 in Brunswick, Ohio. Serving Medina County, BUC offers associate degree programs, as well as bachelor's degree and master's degree programs in criminal justice, business administration, accounting, forensic accounting and management leadership through its partnerships with Tiffin University and Franklin University.

Brunswick University Center at 3605 Center Road (Route 303) is easily accessible from Interstate 71. It is located next to Brunswick High School. The Brunswick Transit Authority provides public transportation to the center.

### Westshore Campus

The Westshore Campus is committed to meeting the educational needs of the residents of Cleveland's Westshore communities. With its opening in 2011 and the existing Corporate College® West facility, Westshore provides opportunities for students to complete associate degrees for transfer to a four-year institution or for certificates/degrees leading to entry into the workforce in a variety of health careers areas and in business.

The Westshore Campus is a transfer focused campus with an emphasis on Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics and Medical (STEMM) programs and degrees. Liberal arts, business, IT, pre-engineering, medical assisting, emergency medical technology, English as a Second Language, and many more programs are offered at Westshore. The Campus offers a full array of student services including a one-stop Enrollment Center, Technology Learning Center, library, five science

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labs and four health career labs, including a human patient simulator lab.

The Westshore Campus and Corporate College West site are easily accessible from Interstates 90 and 480 and are located approximately 5 miles from each other in the city of Westlake.

### Community & Continuing Education

Tri-C offers a wide range of Community and Continuing Education programs and courses spanning a broad base of career development, personal enrichment, and continuing education topics for all ages. We seek to promote individual development and improve the overall quality of life through multicultural lifelong learning courses.

#### Audiences we serve:

**Youth:** Young people can experience college life with our varied line up of courses and summer camps. These opportunities provide a fun and challenging learning environment for young students that complement their current studies and enable them to easily move into adulthood.

**Professionals:** Certified and licensed individuals will find our selection of personal career development classes and continuing education courses appealing as they help to assist individuals in maintaining their certifications or licenses with convenient and economical classes taught by professionals in the field.

**Personal Enrichment:** Tri-C encourages community members of all ages to participate in both events and courses that enhance the quality of life while building skill with hands-on and informative classes. These classes and events seek to show the ease of acquiring a new skill in a casual and fun environment.

**Topic Areas:** Taking a cue from the community we serve, our lineup of courses is continually updated based on the suggestions of residential and business community members.

**Continuing Education:** We offer a broad range of topics approved for professionals in need of continuing education for many occupations and professions.

All classes and courses offer valuable information to learners of all ages looking to enhance their current skills or quality of life.

### Workforce and Economic Development Division

The Workforce and Economic Development Division (WEDD) at Tri-C® partners with business and industry, government organizations and the community to provide: non-credit and credit fast track training for both individuals and businesses; employee and leadership

development solutions for professionals and managers; and continuing education and community programs.

### Workforce Solutions

#### Job Link Services

The Job Link Services (JLS) Department assists with recruiting and assessing qualified candidates to support workforce training programs. JLS offers employability training which includes: soft skills/life skills, work ethic, communications and teambuilding. In addition, job readiness skills such as resume preparation, interviewing techniques, employer networking, online job search and placement assistance and retention services are also offered to all students participating in workforce training grant-funded and other fast-track training programs. For information, call (216) 987-4391.

#### Public Safety Institute

The Public Safety Institute has provided over three decades of professional training to law enforcement and fire students as well as public safety professionals. The academies provide state-certified training for police officers, fire fighters, security officers, corrections officers and bailiff personnel, as well as advanced training in law enforcement and fire. Hands-on training is given by experienced instructors, where students learn the skills and teamwork necessary to be prepared when called upon for duty.

The Law Enforcement Academies are certified through the Ohio Peace Officer Training Commission (OPOTC). The academy offices and training facilities are located in the Unified Technologies Center at the Metropolitan Campus in Downtown Cleveland. Tri-C offers four basic OPOTC certified academies: Peace Officer Basic Training, Private Security Training, Bailiff and Corrections. The advance training programs of the Public Safety Institute offers the opportunity for police, security and law enforcement professionals to enhance their skills and enable them to deal with the ever-changing needs of society.

The Fire Training Academy facilities are located at the Western Campus in Parma. The Academy is chartered by the State of Ohio, Department of Public Safety, and Division of Emergency Medical Services in Columbus. The Fire Training Academy was established by a partnership with the Northeastern Ohio Fire Chiefs' Association and Tri-C. There are over 300 fire departments in a seven county region that rely on Tri-C's Fire Training Academy to meet their training needs.

The Fire Training Academy provides academic and practical skills training for Level I & II firefighters. We provide four day academies and two evening academies each year. Annually, approximately 200 students graduate from the Academy. This training provides the skills necessary for an entry-level firefighter position. Training includes topics related to the established requirements of the Ohio Revised Code for Career Fire

Fighters and the training and educational requirements identified in NFPA 1001.

**Manufacturing, Engineering and Bioscience**

The Advanced Manufacturing, Engineering and Bioscience Division provides students and industry with affordable, high-quality training leading to portable skill credentials. The division offers credit, non-credit, certificate and customized programs in manufacturing foundation skills, manufacturing technologies, applied industrial maintenance, medical device manufacturing, pharmaceutical drug manufacturing, engineering skills development, pre-apprenticeship and apprenticeship training.

At the downtown Unified Technology Center facility, the shop floor spans more than 12,000 square feet of completely renovated space that supports the latest equipment which regional manufacturers either currently use or will use in the future. It is the largest industrial maintenance training center in Northeast Ohio and through the Bioscience Workforce Training and Assessment Center, the only location offering job skills training in this emerging technology.

Programs include: Precision Machining, CNC Machining, Industrial/Equipment Maintenance, Tool and Die Apprentice, Industrial Welding, Blueprint Reading, Shop Math, Computer-Aided Design (CAD), Quality Control, Electronics Assembly, Mechatronics, and Wind Turbine Technician. In addition to the standard programs, customized job skill training is available.

Through consultation with an Industry Advisory Board, the standard and customized training programs provide participants with marketable skills that are “filling the talent pipeline” for Northeast Ohio manufacturers.

**Regional Transportation Institute**

The Regional Transportation Institute provides high-quality workforce training in Transportation, Logistics and Distribution (TLD) job functions. The training is targeted toward entry level through first line supervision personnel and provides certificates in TLD concentrations that demonstrate comprehension of applicable terminology, an ability to execute operational activities and the role and impact of their job function on the supply chain.

Located in the Heritage Business Park in Euclid, Ohio, the Regional Transportation Institute operates in an industrial environment utilizing industry standard equipment and supply chain management tools to simulate actual working environments.

Using active industry professionals to provide instruction, training is delivered through contract training, seminars and certificate programs. Current training programs include: Class A and B CDL, Forklift Operation, Hazardous Material/Dangerous Goods

Certification and Fundamentals of Warehouse and Distribution.

**Center for Health Industry Solutions**

The Center for Health Industry Solutions provides training tailored to meet the needs of the health care industry and its current and future employees. The Center focuses on critical health care employment shortages and provides a wide selection of courses that include training to assist in entering the health care field, continuing education and professional certification programs.

The Center works closely with representatives of the health care industry to develop accelerated training and education programs that respond quickly to critical workforce needs. All training is delivered at Tri-C sites, and scheduled for the convenience of students during the day, evenings, or on weekends.

Programs exist for those interested in entry-level positions, as well as for seeking career changes. There are also programs for professionals to keep up with change in their respective health care fields.

Entry-level Career Programs/Certifications:

- **State Tested Nurse Assistant (STNA)**  
STNAs work in a variety of health care settings to improve their patient’s well-being by assisting them with personal care and monitoring progress with their recovery goals.
- **Dental Assistant Radiography Initial Training**  
This course meets the Ohio State Dental Board training requirements for those seeking to become a certified dental radiographer.
- **Health Care Navigator**  
This program prepares students for work as an inpatient or outpatient navigator. Navigators assist patients with obtaining and accessing healthcare.
- **Home Health Aide**  
The Home Health Aide course is designed to prepare the nurse assistant for employment to provide home health care. STNA training experience is required.
- **Patient Access Specialist**  
The Patient Access Specialist program is designed to prepare students for the many opportunities available in the Patient Access department in a hospital setting. These may include admitting and registering, financial counseling or providing customer service to patients.
- **Professional Coding Program**  
The Professional Coding program utilizes the Professional Medical Coding Curriculum designed by the American Academy of Professional Coders to prepare students for the Certified Professional Coder exam.

The Center works with health care organizations to develop customized training programs that can be presented at their sites. Our programs keep up with the rapid changes in health care, and our expert instructors

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focus training on the key areas students need to succeed on the job. Whether you are a health care professional looking for career advancement, or a displaced worker looking to get into the health care field, the Center has high quality programs to meet your needs.

### Information Technology Training

The Information Technology Training department provides industry-certified training tailored to meet the information technology needs in Northeast Ohio. With courses available both online and flexibly scheduled, IT Training provides continuing education and professional certification programs for working professionals.

## Corporate College®

### About Us

Founded in 2003, Corporate College offers Northeast Ohio businesses and individuals professional training and development, along with state-of-the-art meeting and conference space. Corporate College delivers training and development solutions for organizations and individuals. We have internal organizational development and content experts, along with a professional external talent bench that includes the best and brightest minds in Northeast Ohio. As a division of Cuyahoga Community College, we provide access to an extensive network of faculty and programs to ensure we deliver the right solutions for your unique business needs. Corporate College has locations in Warrensville Heights and Westlake.

### Mission Statement

Our mission is to provide high-quality training and consulting expertise that drives business growth for organizations and professionals.

### Customized Training

Corporate College understands your unique organizational challenges and provides customized solutions that meet your strategic business goals. These customized solutions help organizations become more efficient, grow employee skills and retain top talent. We strive to improve individual, team and organizational performance. Programs are delivered exclusively to groups at your company facility or at our Corporate College locations.

### Professional Development

Corporate College provides training and development for professionals. We understand that in order to succeed and remain competitive in today's dynamic business environment, employees must continue to grow and learn. Our talented team brings a wealth of experience that will help take your skills to the next level.

### Training Topics

- Business Operations
- Customer Service and Sales
- Health IT/Informatics

- Information Technology
- Leadership
- Lean and Lean Six Sigma
- Project Management
- Quality and Compliance

### Conference Center and Hospitality Services

With Corporate College as your partner, planning that special event is easy. Our experienced team of event planners will focus on your event details so you can stay focused on your business agenda. Your Corporate College event planner will coordinate with our energetic and professional staff to ensure your meeting is a success. In addition to event planners, our team includes: concierge staff, an audio-visual technician, technology support staff and world-class catering.

## Accreditation and Institutional Memberships

Tri-C holds institutional memberships in numerous national, educational, professional, and accrediting organizations, as well as local area chambers of commerce. Tri-C is accredited by The Higher Learning Commission, a commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. In addition, a number of Tri-C's career programs are approved or accredited by appropriate specialized associations or agencies.

Some of these memberships are:

- Accrediting Commission for Education in Nursing, Inc. (ACEN)
- Accreditation Review Committee on Education-Physician Assistant
- Achieving the Dream
- American Association for Paralegal Education (AAFPE)
- American Association for Women in Community Colleges (AAWCC)
- American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers (AACRAO)
- American Association for Paralegal Education (AAFPE)
- American Association of Community Colleges (AACCC)
- American Association of University Women (AAUW)
- American Bar Association
- Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET)
- American Council on Education (ACE)
- American Culinary Federation
- American Dietetic Association
- American Dental Educators Association
- American Health Information Management Association (AHIMA)
- American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA)
- American Society of Health-System Pharmacists (ASHSP)
- American Student Association of Community Colleges (ASACC)
- American Society of Mechanical Engineers



American Technical Education Assistance (ATEA)  
 Association of Community College Trustees (ACCT)  
 Association of Governing Boards of Universities & Colleges (AGB)  
 Association of Performing Arts Presenters (APAP)  
 Association of Physical Plant Administrators (APPA)  
 Association of Veterinary Technician Educators (AVTE)  
 College Entrance Examination Board  
 Commission on Accreditation for Respiratory Care  
 Committee on Accreditation for Education in Neurodiagnostic Technology  
 Commission of Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP)  
 Community College Humanities Association  
 Community Colleges for International Development (CCID)  
 Council for Adult and Experiential Learning (CAEL)  
 Council for Advancement & Support of Education (CASE)  
 Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA)  
 Council for Opportunity in Education (COE)  
 Council of North Central Two-Year Colleges (CNCTYC)  
 Employer Resource Council (ERC)  
 50 Club of Cleveland, The  
 Fund for Our Economic Future (Cleveland Foundation)  
 Government Finance Officers Association  
 Greater Cleveland Partnership, The  
 Higher Learning Commission, The  
 Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT)  
 Joint Review Committee on Education in Diagnostic Medical Sonography (JRCDMS)  
 Joint Review Committee on Education Programs for EMT-Paramedics  
 League for Innovation in the Community College  
 Midwest Institute for International/Intercultural Education (MIIE)  
 National Alliance of Community and Technical Colleges  
 National Alliance of Concurrent Enrollment Partnership  
 National Association for Community College Entrepreneurship, Inc.  
 National Association for Developmental Education (NADE)  
 National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC)  
 National Association of College & University Business Officers (NACUBO)  
 National Association of Community College Teacher Education Program (NACCTEP)  
 National Collegiate Honors Council  
 National Council on Black American Affairs  
 National Guild of Community Schools of the Arts  
 National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA)  
 National Network of Health Careers  
 National Verbatim Reporters Association (NVRA)  
 Northeast Ohio Council on Higher Education (NOCHE)  
 Ohio Association of Community Colleges (OACC)  
 Ohio Campus Compact (OCC)

Ohio College Testing Association  
 Ohio Community College Athletic Conference (OCCAC)  
 Ohio Fuel Cell Coalition  
 Physician Assistant Education Association (PAEA)  
 President's Round Table  
 RC-2020  
 Second Nature, Inc.  
 Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education

## Northeast Ohio Commission on Higher Education

Tri-C® is a member of the Northeast Ohio Commission on Higher Education (NOCHE). This is an organization of 14 Northeast Ohio colleges and universities that represents a partnership among these institutions of higher education and the business and industrial community.

Established in 1951, the commission works to address the common needs and problems of higher education in Northeast Ohio.

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