Mr. Johnson’s visit will have a lasting impact on the futures of Tri-C students. “Our supporters help change lives by contributing toward scholarships that provide access to higher education,” said Rick Chiricosta, chairperson of the Presidential Scholarship Luncheon. Jerry Kelsheimer, Regional President, Fifth Third Bank, Northeastern Ohio, told the crowd, “At Fifth Third Bank, we sincerely appreciate the support of all of its generous donors for scholarship funds, along with personal appearances at guest-sponsored events. Johnson’s philanthropic generosity generated an additional $95,000, bringing the total raised at the 2015 Presidential Scholarship Luncheon to $1.4 million benefiting Tri-C students through scholarships awarded by the Tri-C Foundation. “Our supporters help change lives by contributing toward scholarships that provide access to higher education,” said Rick Chiricosta, chairperson of the Tri-C Foundation. “This luncheon opens doors and makes dreams possible.” In thanking Magic for his time and engaging dialogue, Dr. Alex Johnson, president of Cuyahoga Community College, announced the establishment of the Earvin “Magic” Johnson Scholarship Fund of the Tri-C Foundation to benefit deserving and underserved youth from our community, noting that Mr. Johnson’s visit will have a lasting impact on the futures of Tri-C students. “Our generous donors have made it possible for Tri-C to change the lives of thousands of students over the years,” said Gloria Moosmann, vice president of development and the Tri-C Foundation. “The scholarships created through the Presidential Scholarship Luncheon provide critically needed funds for those who might otherwise be unable to afford a college education. We are so honored and appreciative to have had Magic Johnson join us this year. He is an inspiration to all students at Cuyahoga Community College. We are grateful for his generosity.” This marked the fifth consecutive year for Fifth Third Bank’s support as presenting sponsor of the Presidential Scholarship Luncheon. Jerry Kelsheimer, Regional President, Fifth Third Bank, Northeastern Ohio, told the crowd, “At Fifth Third Bank, we sincerely believe that the investment in student scholarships is an investment in the future of our community.” The Cuyahoga Community College Foundation appreciates the support of all of its generous donors for showing they are ALL IN in supporting scholarships for student success at Cuyahoga Community College.