

# ST. PHILIP'S COLLEGE MILESTONES

### September 2012-August 2013

#### Academic Success

- Centers of Excellence in Science and Math facilitated academic cooperatives with new businesses and awarded 62 T-STEM scholars
- College Credit for Heroes established a pathway for military personnel to achieve allied health degrees
- Conferred 335 degrees and 295 certificates during May 2013 Commencement
- Faculty certified for National Center for Construction Education and Research curriculum
- National Automotive Technicians Education Foundation (NATEF) 5-year reaccreditation Master Status
- Pam Ray, Early Childhood Studies Program Director was appointed to the Pre-K for SA Board, a part of the Mayor's SA2020 initiative
- Partnership with UIW resulted in development of the new Optometry Tech Program
- Received \$500,218 NSF grant for Cyber Security Awareness /training
- Rose Spruill, Dean of Health Sciences, was inducted into the Educators' Hall of Fame through Phi Delta Kappa.
- SPC and Plumbing Heating and Cooling Contractors (PHCC) National Association partnered for a new Department of Labor approved apprenticeship program.
- SPC partnered with local entities in the YouthBuild program to provide training for Eastside residents, as part of the \$50mil Choice and Promise neighborhood initiatives lead by United Way and four federal agencies
- SPC received approval for its SACSCOC 5th Year Compliance Report & QEP impact report
- Surgical Tech Program received the Galaxy Award from the Accreditation Review Council on Education in Surgical Technology and Surgical Assisting for program excellence. The program was approved to move from a certificate program to an A.A.S. Degree

#### Student Success

- Awarded a \$100,000 USA Funds grant to institute a financial literacy program
- Painting classes collaborated with outside artists to create the Bowden Mural on the Campus Ministries building that was unveiled at the national Tri-History Conference of the Episcopal Church
- Two students performed at the national HBCU concert in Washington D.C. as part of the 105 Voice Choir

#### Recognition

- Designated as a National Center of Academic Excellence in Information Assurance 2013-2015 by National Security Agency and Department of Homeland Security
- Designated Military Friendly for the fourth year in a row
- The Quality Texas Foundation awarded SPC at the Achievement Level with special recognition for Leadership, Strategic Planning, Student Focus and Workforce Focus
- UIW opens the Bowden Eye Clinic and Healthcare Institute in recognition of our founding president, Miss Artemisia Bowden
- History of SPC was captured in an oral history book written by Dr. Marie P. Thurston and published in conjunction with Texas A&M University Press
- Dr. Loston was appointed to the USA Funds School and Student Services Advisory Council
- Dr. Loston was appointed to the President's Board of Advisors for Title III Administrators
- Dr. Loston was awarded the Top Ladies of Distinction National Humanitarian award



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## Institutional Advancement & Sustainability

- Collaborative funding with City of San Antonio and Home Depot of approximately \$3.2 million for the SPC Veterans Outreach and Transition Center to support veterans.
- Dedicated the newly renovated Science Building and celebrated the renaming of the William C. Davis Science building
- Fifth Annual Golf Tournament raised over \$108,000 for student scholarships
- HEB awards SPC \$250,000 "HEB Scholars" grants
- LINKS Endowment for \$25K was completed and 1st Presidential Scholarship awarded
- Since 2008 \$445,750 has been awarded in Student Engagement Grants
- The Palm restaurant hosted a fundraising event raising \$4,300 for student scholarships
- Title III grant was renewed resulting in \$5.4 million
- SPC was awarded \$1.5 million in Title III Mandatory Funds (SFRA)
- Workforce Development and Continuing Education earned \$2.5mil in revenues, highest of all 5 Alamo Colleges

#### Community Engagement

- 1-year anniversary of Saving our Sons youth mentorship program
- 3<sup>rd</sup> annual EMBODI: Men of Color Conference hosted in partnership with Delta Sigma Theta sorority and Northeast Lake View College
- 4<sup>th</sup> year of participation in the Summer Employment Program for In-School youth 40
  participants only worksite for Alamo Colleges
- Adopted Bowden Elementary School to include a mentoring program and community activities led by SPC personnel and administration
- Alamo City Black Chamber of Commerce EPIC Leadership Academy, 2 SPC personnel earned scholar designation
- Community Health Fair collaboration between SPC and the University of the Incarnate Word provided free health screening for over 350 individuals
- Culturefest activities generated over \$10,000
- District 2 Second Annual Early Childhood Training and Resource Fair (200+ participants)
- Eastside Summit Participation
- Established Mobile Food Pantry
- In collaboration with Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority two trees were planted to commemorate Arbor Day and the sorority's commitment to environmental leadership
- Largest Hunger Banquet in SPC history resulting in over 2000 pounds of food donated to the SPC Phi Theta Kappa Food Pantry
- Partnership with Omega Psi Phi for Youth Leadership conference
- Relay For Life \$600 was raised, increasing donations from previous years
- SPC personnel and students processed over 3,000 returns through the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance program resulting in over \$6.7 million in tax returns and was recognized by the IRS and the City of San Antonio for over 20 years of service
- WINTO, I Love Tech Day, & Career Tech Day impacted over 1,000 potential students