

September 2019-August 2020

Recognition

★ **SPC receives the 2020 Texas Award-Next for Performance Excellence from the Quality Texas Foundation.**

- SPC receives INSIGHT Into Diversity Magazine's 2019 Inspiring Programs in STEM Award.
- Quality Matters (QM), the international leader for quality assurance in online and innovative digital teaching and learning environments, has awarded St. Philip's College the Online Learner Support Certification.
- Fulbright Scholar Dr. Derick Wilson and his wife Dot arrived from Northern Ireland Fall 2019. Dr. Wilson is an expert in Peace and Restorative Justice.

Academic

- SPC library added 2,057 items to the library collection, a new library wagon around campus, 25 online resources for students and faculty and three professional development sessions.
- The Simulation Center has acquired a new Labor and Delivery Simulator Package; the Noelle Labor and Delivery Simulator includes improved capabilities that provide realistic clinical preparation for our Nursing and Allied Health Professionals.
- The Simulation Center acquired virtual reality technology (Oculus Quest and VR Compatible computing System) to develop zero risk VR Training Scenarios for healthcare students. The first project, a Medical Waste Safety game, has been piloted to the Vocational Nursing Level 1 Students and the Physical Therapy program. Projects in development include a virtual Gram Staining Lab and What's Wrong with this Room – Environmental Risk Assessment in the Pediatric ICU.
- The National Home Builders Association (NHBA) student club engaged in numerous community projects and were recognized with the NHBA Outstanding Chapter award beating other competitors such as Purdue and BYU.
- In support of AlamoPROMISE, SPC initiated Summer Bridge 2019 as preparation for Summer Bridge 2020; SPC leads the way across the district in preparation for summer 2020.
- SPC initiated the Experiential Learning/Co-Curricular Program with 625 events hosting 11,248 students.
- SPC hosted the Association for Practical and Professional Ethics (APPE) Eighth Annual Two-Year College Ethics Bowl National Competition; the SPC Nursing Team won the spirit award and earned 3rd place.
- SPC Cyber Tigers placed 2nd in TexSAW workshop held at UT Dallas University
- Diagnostic Medical Sonography Program granted initial CAAHEP accreditation
- The Radiography program received a 100% Pass Rate on their internal competency exam for both first year and second year students in Fall 2019 (100% Persistence-Retention Rate)



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- Invasive Cardiovascular Technology has converted its classroom/lab experiences to 100% online
- Vision Care Technology program gained initial accreditation from International Accreditation Agency of Joint Commission of Allied Health Personnel in Ophthalmology.
- Instructional Innovation Center offered professional development and workshops to over 1,100 employees including Master Teacher Certification (32 faculty) and Distance Learning Certification (20 faculty) in Canvas.

Student Success

- Military Support began offering new student orientations on the joint base San Antonio sites
- Development and deployment of the Student Advocacy Center (SafeSPaCe) providing 18 different services to over 2,818 students.
- SPC hosted its largest Fall commencement ceremony, conferring the highest number of Fall graduates (853 degrees/certificates) in college history.
- Phi Theta Kappa (PTK) members, Michelle Ochoa, Catherine Cantu, and Jose Martinez, selected as 2020 All-Texas Academic Team Scholars (Texas region)
- PTK member, Stephanie Perez, awarded the Walgreens Pharmacy Technician Scholarship that will cover the fee for her Pharmacy Technician Certification exam
- SPC Collegiate 100 Chapter student organization received a \$5,000 grant to mentor ECHS students; 35 St. Philip's College Early College High School students were mentored by 16 Collegiate 100 student members.

Community Engagement

- San Antonio Youth Wind Ensemble celebrated their tenth year anniversary.
- SPC's Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program has completed 2800 Tax Returns with over \$4,000,000.

Institutional Advancement and Sustainability

- Creation of online forms for remote working
- Scott Petty Family Foundation donated \$30,000 for the Tourism, Hospitality and Culinary Arts programs
- Gunn Family Foundation donated \$12,000 for the automotive programs
- Records & Registration incorporated use of 10 repurposed IPADS into the student graduation rehearsal and commencement check-in process
- Testing Center began to offer their services face-to-face and online.
- Through assistance of the Perkins Grant, Valero gas cards totaling \$1,215 were distributed to students.
- SPC's Employee Give Back campaign raised \$56,554; SPC recognized for having the greatest average gift amount (\$239.64) and as the college that raised the most funds across the Alamo Colleges District. Funds raised support the Advocacy Center and other student assistance programs and resources.
- SPC's Information and Communication Technology and Instructional Innovation Center departments provided strong guidance, leadership and support in the



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transition to remote working and learning for faculty, staff and students during COVID-19 crises.

- Cowboy Breakfast Foundation presented SPC a \$20,000 donation during their annual Cowboy Breakfast where SPC culinary students have participated for 10 years.
- SPC/Continuing Education was awarded a Department of Transportation Grant \$99,000.00 for DL commercial driver's license training.
- SPC awarded a Texas Workforce Commission apprenticeship grant \$111,000.00 for the Plumbing, Heating and Cooling Contractors apprenticeship program.