

Business Administration and Accounting

Core Competencies Analysis

Core Competencies of a CPCC Graduate

In support of the Learning College initiative, four core competencies have been identified as critical to the success of CPCC graduates.

The competencies were developed using a process that included a survey sent to all faculty and staff, the work of the 21st Century Learning Outcomes Project, best practices from the Vanguard schools at the League for Innovation, CPCC general education goals, and current research about the learning college movement and learning outcomes.

The four competencies are:

1. Communication
2. Critical Thinking
3. Personal Growth and Responsibility
4. Information Technology and Quantitative Literacy

Financial Readiness Workshop Competency Focus: Personal Growth and Responsibility



Dru Carter, Vice President/City Executive with the State Employees' Credit Union, addresses seminar attendees on February 8, 2007.

Workshop Overview

This workshop focuses on the importance of saving now and for the future through effective budgeting. The following topics are discussed:

- The Importance of Managing Money
- The Importance of Financial Planning and Setting Financial Goals
- Credit Management: Good debt/bad debt and how it affects your credit score
- Budgeting for Retirement and Investment Opportunities

Key Indicators

- Assumes responsibility for own actions
- Applies knowledge in practical ways
- Analyzes and evaluates data, ideas, and perspectives

Assessment

Participants are surveyed to assess how they believe their thinking and ideas changed because of the information they received from the workshop.