

City of Winston-Salem College Advisory Board

Newsletter

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2015-2016 College Advisory Board

By: Richard Caban-Cubero, Chair



The College Advisory Board of Winston Salem is excited and encouraged by the collaboration of this past semester.

Over the past several months, the College Advisory Board has been hard at work at creating space for students across the big five colleges and universities to share their passion with Winston Salem. This process reaches a crescendo with the hosting of the Winston Salem College Summit, where students have an opportunity to meet with each other, speak with government officials, and network with community and business leaders.

The College Advisory Board is a passionate bunch! We thank all who have contributed to our efforts this semester, especially our advisor Wanda Allen-Abraha and staff liaison Jayme Waldeck, and our community and government partners! This newsletter is focusing on the schools we represent and our members that are representing them.

WHO WE ARE

Forsyth Technical Community College



Forsyth Technical Community College is a two-year public community college. It is one of the largest in the North Carolina Community College System, with an enrollment of over 13,000 credit students and over 24,000 Corporate and Continuing Education students. Forsyth Tech is home to over 200 programs of study, including programs that promote personal and professional development through non-credit courses and seminars, as well as customized training for business and industry. President Obama visited the school to give a speech on October 6, 2010.



B. Rominger



D. Tally



K. Welch

Salem College



Salem College's history began in 1766, when the Moravians, an early Protestant denomination, established the village of Salem. Believing that women deserved an education comparable to that given men -- a radical view for that era -- the Moravians

began a school for girls in 1772. Salem educated girls of African-American heritage as early as 1785, and in the 1820s, the daughter of a Cherokee Indian chief attended the school but left to join the Trail of Tears. Salem began granting college degrees in the 1890s. Today, the American Council on Education in Washington, D.C. ranks Salem College as the oldest women's college in the nation by founding date and the 13th oldest college overall. It has a total enrollment of 1,100 undergraduate and graduate students.



M. Khan

CITY COUNCIL

Mayor: Allen Joines; Vivian H. Burke, Mayor Pro Tempore, Northeast Ward; Denise D. Adams, North Ward; Dan Besse, Southwest Ward; Robert C. Clark, West Ward; Molly Leight, South Ward; Jeff MacIntosh, Northwest Ward; Derwin L. Montgomery, East Ward; James Taylor, Jr., Southeast Ward; City Manager: Lee D. Garrity

HUMAN RELATIONS STAFF

Wanda Allen-Abraha, JD, Human Relations Department Director; Tonya McPhatter, Admin. Asst./Intake Jayme Waldeck, Specialist/Outreach Adolfo Briceño, Specialist/Hispanic Outreach; Jelani Biggs, Specialist

Wake Forest University



Wake Forest University is a private, independent, nonprofit, non-sectarian, coeducational research university. Wake Forest University was founded in 1834 outside the state capital of Raleigh, North Carolina. In 1941, the medical school moved to Winston-Salem, and the rest of the College followed in 1956.

It is a member of the Atlantic Coast Conference (ACC), competing in 18 Division I sports. There are 194 student clubs and organizations on campus. The undergraduate enrollment is just shy of 5,000 students and almost 3,000 graduate students.



V. White



R. Caban-Cubero

15-16 COLLEGE ADVISORY BOARD

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Winston-Salem State University



Winston-Salem State University is a comprehensive, historically Black university offering innovative undergraduate programs and exceptional graduate programs grounded in the tradition of liberal education. It is a member-school of the Thurgood Marshall College Fund. WSSU is an accredited university offering baccalaureate and graduate programs to a diverse student population. WSSU was founded in 1892 by Dr. Simon Green Atkins and in 1925 became the first African-American institution in the nation to grant elementary education teaching degrees. Today, there are more than 40 majors and more than 6,000 students enrolled. Winston-Salem State University is a constituent institution of the University of North Carolina.



C. Craven



E. Price

UNC School of the Arts



The University of North Carolina School of the Arts (UNCSA) is a public coeducational arts conservatory that grants high school, undergraduate and graduate degrees. It is one of the seventeen constituent campuses of the University of North Carolina. Founded in 1963 as the North Carolina School of the Arts by then-Governor Terry Sanford, it was the first public arts conservatory in the United States. It is located on 74 acres within the city of Winston-Salem. The school owns and operates the Stevens Center in Downtown Winston-Salem and is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. Its combined high school, undergraduate, and graduate student enrollment is more than 1,200.



E. Hart

