

*****Membership Drive Contest going on now*****

*All new members will be entered in a drawing to win a \$50 Darden gift card

**All current members will be entered in a drawing for bringing in new members. 1 entry for each new member brought in.

*****Thanks for your support*****



FACC – Florida Association of Community Colleges

Valencia's Florida Association of Community Colleges (FACC) Board and members would like to personally take this opportunity to extend an invitation to you to become a member of the Valencia Community College chapter of FACC. This organization welcomes all full-time and part-time employees as members. You will find that this professional association, the 13th largest professional organization in the nation, and third largest organization in Florida, is unlike any other professional association.

FACC is the prime catalyst of legislation that is beneficial to both our community college system and all our employees. This non-union organization promotes Professional development activities at the local, regional, and state levels, and also works very closely with the Council of Presidents.

Dues for full-time employees are only \$30-40 per year depending on your income and may be payroll deducted. Our part-time employees pay an annual fee of only \$10.00 *****Dr. Shugart is a BIG supporter of FACC and will pay your first years dues.*****

If you have any questions, please call Shelby Fiorentino(chapter president) ext 1619 or e-mail mflorentino@valenciacc.edu or Debi Jakubcin(immediate past president & membership chair) ext. 2281 or email djakubcin@valencia.cc.fl.us or anyone listed on the Who is FACC at VCC document attached.

Please join - the value of your membership is more than just the few dollars you pay for dues - it means that you belong to an organization that will have a direct impact on events that affect your every-day life. Thank you.

Please take time to visit our Valencia site at www.valenciacc.edu/FACC or the state site at www.FACC.org

More reasons to join FACC

Why join FACC? That's easy! You should join FACC because FACC is the only organization whose purpose it is to represent ALL community college employees. FACC is the only organization that "fights" for the Florida Community System. FACC is the only organization that will help get you and your institutions the resources it needs.

Joining FACC increases our membership which creates a larger and therefore stronger organization. A larger and stronger organization also allows us to provide better professional development activities, increased leadership opportunities, and greater networking possibilities.

So, with all the return that you get for a very small investment, the question you should be asking yourself is... **"Why wouldn't I want to join FACC?"** That is a question I *don't* have an answer for.

Benefits of Belonging

- **Advocacy** –a full-time staff representing your interests in Tallahassee.
- **Recognition** – exemplary practice programs, awards, and honors.
- **Information**—publications, Web sites, and e-mail updates keep you informed.
- **Professional Development**—workshops, seminars and an annual convention geared towards your interests.
- **Networking**—sharing ideas, making contacts, and building partnerships with peers across the state.
- **Benefits and Services**—Discount programs "for members only."
- **Fellowship** – camaraderie and friendships that last a lifetime.
- For More Information: www.facc.org
- **How FACC can help your career:**

http://www.facc.org/facc/How_FACC_helps_your_carrer.asp?SnID=549227786

Other benefits - http://www.facc.org/facc/Benefit_information.asp?SnID=549227786

SPONSOR NAME (for drawing): _____

Florida Association of Community Colleges



Membership Application

PLEASE PRINT

Name _____ Date _____
(Dr./Mr./Ms./Mrs.)

College & Campus _____ Position _____

Campus Phone _____ E-mail _____

Home Address _____
Street City/State Zip

Membership: FACC membership is valid from month of application date.

Individual () open to any Florida Community College (CC) or Division of Community Colleges (DCC) employee
 Associate () open to individuals whose professional or educational activities are closely related to the functions and purposes of the colleges or support the aims and activities of the Association. (Non-voting membership.)
 Retiree () open to any person who has retired from a Florida Community College or from the DCC
 Part Time () open to any person who is employed by a Florida Community College as a part-time employee
 Adjunct () open to any person who is employed by a Florida Community College as an adjunct employee
 Life () available to individual members (special dues ten times regular dues)
 Life Retiree () available to retiree members (special dues five times retiree dues)
 Affiliate () open to institutions and organizations whose functions are closely related to the purposes and functions of FACC. (Non-voting)
 Sustaining () open to any CC or DCC employee who desires to support the work of FACC through this category of membership.

Category: () New FACC Member () Returning FACC Member

Classification: () Faculty () Career Employee () Administrator () Professional () College President () Other

Commissions: Primary Commission (job related): _____

Please check any two additional commissions in which you wish to participate:

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| () Administration | () Faculty | () Occupational & Workforce Education |
| () Adult & Continuing Education | () Global Initiatives | () Retirees |
| () Career & Professional Employees | () Institutional Advancement | () Student Development |
| () Curriculum | () Institutional Effectiveness | () Technology |
| () Equity | () Learning Resources | () Trustees |

Annual Dues: Individual Dues are determined by your ANNUAL base contracted salary. (Please check one.)
 () \$10 Retiree () \$35 (<\$30,000) () \$40 (> \$30,000 but < \$75,000) () \$50 (> \$75,000 but < \$100,000)
 () \$60 (\$100,000 and up) () \$250 (College President) () \$500 (Sustaining) () \$100 (Affiliate) () \$10 Adjunct/Part-time

Please be sure to fill out these sections

Charge my FACC membership to my: () Visa () MasterCard () American Express () Check () Cash

Account Name _____ Card No. (print all digits) _____

Account Signature _____ Date Card Expires _____

If you are paying dues by payroll deduction, please complete the payroll deduction authorization.

I authorize the Payroll Department of _____ College to deduct the current (and subsequent) approved rate of FACC dues as set forth by the Assembly of Delegates of the Florida Association of Community Colleges from my salary until further notice in accordance with the college's payroll deduction plan.

Signature Printed Name VID

I understand that my membership is continuous on a year-to-year basis until cancelled by me in writing.

FOR COLLEGE BUSINESS OFFICE USE ONLY

\$ _____ Month _____ Day _____ Year _____ \$ _____
 Total Amount Per Year Starting Date Amount Per Pay Period

Please return this form with cash or payroll authorization to your campus membership chair, **Debi Jakubcin mail code 3-29**, or to FACC, 113 East College Ave., Tallahassee, FL 32301, 850/222-3222.

NOTE: Campus Membership Chair: Please return *white* copy to FACC Tallahassee Office; college business office retains *yellow* copy for payroll authorization; campus chapter retains *pink* copy

DEDUCTIBILITY OF DUES: Payments of dues or gifts to the Florida Association of Community Colleges (FACC) are not deductible as charitable contributions for federal income tax purposes. However, dues payments for some individuals who meet the threshold to qualify for the deduction of business expenses may be able to deduct a portion of their FACC dues as an ordinary and necessary business expense subject to restrictions imposed as a result of lobbying activities. The Florida Association of Community Colleges estimates that the nondeductible portion of an individual's dues allocable to lobbying is seventy-two (72) percent. Please consult your tax advisor or accountant if you have any questions regarding the deductibility of your individual FACC dues.

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*****Dr. Shugart pays your first year dues*****
 Fill out the payroll deduction for this to happen

+++If you are a returning member, please include a check payable to FACC. Thank you.+++