

MISSION: PRCC IS A PUBLIC INSTITUTION COMMITTED TO PROVIDING QUALITY EDUCATIONAL AND SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL WHO SEEK THEM.

STRATEGIC GOALS

- To prepare students to transfer and be successful in their studies at baccalaureate institutions and/or to be successful in careers for which they have been prepared.
- To provide quality student services.
- To provide access to college courses and programs using various instructional methods, including distance education.
- To employ qualified faculty and staff, compensate them well, and provide opportunities for professional development.
- To provide facilities, technology and support staff in order to improve student learning, enhance faculty and staff performance, augment community services, and make College services available via the Internet.
- To improve communication among campus personnel and community members regarding the College goals, objectives and activities.
- To recruit and retain students from a diverse population.
- To provide workforce training programs that meet requirements of business, industry, educational and public service agencies for basic skills, specific job skills, and technical training.

Institutional Effectiveness

APRIL 2009

CAMPUS CLIMATE SURVEY

The Campus Climate Survey is administered to the student body annually to ascertain student level of satisfaction with the services offered by Pearl River Community College. After analysis of surveys is completed, the Focus Group reviews all results of the surveys and recommends an action plan to address areas which achieved less than a 70% satisfaction level. Some of the results of the 2008-2009 Campus Climate Survey are summarized below.

Percentage reflects students who agreed or strongly agreed that they were satisfied with PRCC services.

Overall student satisfaction—students would recommend PRCC:

Poplarville Campus	Forrest County Center	Hancock Center
81%	75%	88%

Classroom environments conducive to student learning:

Poplarville Campus	Forrest County Center	Hancock Center
83%	82%	89%

Emphasis placed on academic achievement:

Poplarville Campus	Forrest County Center	Hancock Center
75%	74%	80%

Timeliness of Instructor Feedback:

Poplarville Campus	Forrest County Center	Hancock Center
81%	83%	88%

A more detailed report of the results of the Campus Climate Survey, as well as the Focus Group Report, may be found online at

<http://pr10.prcc.edu/opr/OIE/OIR/institutionalresearch.html>

Association for Educational Office Professionals

Forrest County Center Officers



Pictured at left are the newly elected officers for the Association of Educational Office Professionals at the Forrest County Center (FCC). FCC District Secretary/Treasurer—Sharon Kelly and FCC District Director—Missy Graves (left - right).

For more information about this organization, contact Marilyn Dillard, President of the Association for Educational Office Professionals, Poplarville Campus, extension 1201, or the FCC District Director, Missy Graves, extension 5525.

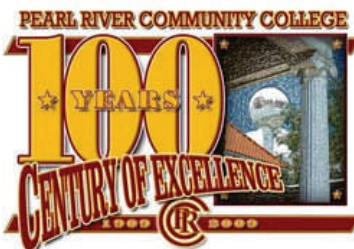
The Association for Educational Office Professionals held its first organizational meeting on Thursday, December 4, 2008. Officers for the Poplarville campus are: Marilyn Dillard, President; Kaye Olsen, Vice-President; Ann Lewis, Secretary; and Donna Warden, Treasurer. The members developed the following goals:

- To promote networking, information sharing, and professional development, and to foster better relationships and communication
- To educate, inform and enhance PRCC support staff members while benefitting the community
- To promote positive attitudes
- To recognize members' unique roles in education and to promote further training for members' areas of responsibilities



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