Bruce E. Cooper Student Center

Campaign Fundraising Goal: \$10 million

In 2016, with the support of the HACC, Central Pennsylvania's Community College, Board of Trustees, HACC made one of the most significant facilities investments in the College's 54-year history – **a complete renovation and expansion of the Bruce E. Cooper Student Center**. Constructed in 1968, the building was not designed to serve the volume of students that would one day seek their education at HACC's Harrisburg Campus. Today, that number stands at nearly 7,500.

As you know, the heart of every college campus is a vibrant student center. For decades, HACC students have looked to the Cooper Student Center as a community gathering space that enriches their academic experience, provides social offerings and extends the College atmosphere beyond the walls of the classroom. Completed in August 2017, the newly renovated Cooper Student Center has been transformed into an attractive, modern facility that has enhanced the student experience and become the epicenter of a dynamic campus community.

The Cooper Student Center now provides some of the following services to benefit our students:

Career Services supports students' professional development and job searches and assists them in major and career exploration.

The Chef's Apprentice Restaurant and Dining Facilities provide access to quick and healthy meals and handson learning opportunities for HACC's culinary students.

Computer Classrooms and Labs provide space for students to access online coursework, study and complete assignments.

Counseling and Advising Services supports students' academic success by providing services that promote intellectual, emotional and social development. **Disability Services** assists students by providing academic accommodation and support services while promoting student independence.

Global Education provides domestic students with study abroad opportunities and provides international students with the tools they need to be successful in college in the United States.

Military and Veteran Affairs

supports active military, veterans and dependents in their pursuit of higher education, including financial assistance and coordination with the U.S. Department of Veteran Affairs. **Student Development and Multicultural Affairs** offers services and activities that enhance students' experiences, build upon classroom conversations and learn about a variety of cultural traditions to broaden their appreciation of others.

Student Government Association and Student Clubs provide opportunities for students to learn and practice leadership skills and meet students who share similar interests.

Student Lounge offers expanded seating and study area for students.

The Welcome Center includes essential student services such as admissions and financial aid.

Even though the renovation project was financed by a bond issuance (a form of loan), HACC has made the Cooper Student Center a priority of the current *Invest. Impact. Inspire. Campaign for HACC*, with a fundraising goal of \$10 million. We are confident that through your generous investments and charitable contributions, HACC will be able to satisfy the bond.

Therefore, we kindly invite you and/or your organization to generously invest in the Bruce E. Cooper Student Center Renovation Fund. We would be pleased to work with you to create a one-of-a-kind giving opportunity, including named spaces, recognition on a special donor wall on HACC's Harrisburg Campus and access to special events.

For more information, please contact the HACC Foundation at foundation@hacc.edu.

Thank you!



