

Alumni in the news

Business, Hospitality, and Tourism

Philip Altemose (Harrisburg, Business Administration '09) earned a bachelor's degree in marketing from Penn State University. He is currently an office automation clerk with the U.S. Department of Navy in Mechanicsburg.

Brenda Boitson (Lancaster, Business Studies '10) works in marketing for Engel Architects in Lancaster.

Jessica Finkle (Lebanon, Business Studies '10) is the office manager for Conexus, Inc. in Lebanon.

Kelly Hockenberry (Harrisburg, Entrepreneurial Leadership '08) married in 2008 and gave birth to her son Aidan in August 2009. She is a part-time Mary Kay consultant, but is also working on owning and operating an equestrian business.

Erin Neidig (Harrisburg, Business Administration '08) is an electronic banking analyst for Graystone Tower Bank in Enola.

Donald Strawderman (Gettysburg, Accounting '10) is assistant meat manager for Martin's Foods in Eldersburg, MD.

Aurrilious E. Williams (Harrisburg, Business Administration '84) is a data collection technician with the U.S. Postal Service.

Communications, Humanities, and the Arts

Barry E. Cannon (Harrisburg, Liberal Arts '01) continued his education at the University of Maryland where he earned a bachelor's degree in psychology. He is a VETS employment program specialist with the YWCA of Greater Harrisburg.

Aaron Danner (Harrisburg, Liberal Arts-Mass Communications '02) completed a bachelor's degree in speech communications from Millersville University and currently works for Clear Channel Radio in Harrisburg.

Adam Houck (Lancaster, Humanities '10) is working as a game advisor at GameStop in Lancaster.

Kristin Schanz (Lancaster, Art and Design '07) is an apparel merchandise processor for Sports Authority in York. She earned a bachelor's degree from Millersville University.

Health Careers

Barbara Adkins (Lancaster, CVT-Cardiac Sonography '08) is a cardiac sonographer for Wellspan Health in York.

Sandra L. Allen (Lancaster, Radiologic Technology '07) is a radiologic technologist for Lancaster General Health Urgent Care.

Jamie Garrett (Lancaster, Surgical Technology '07) is a surgical technologist with Ephrata Community Hospital. She is currently working on an associate's degree in nursing at HACC.

Mary Hershey (Harrisburg, Medical Laboratory Technician) is a medical laboratory technologist for Pinnacle Health Systems in Harrisburg.

Mathematics and Science

Sara Gettys (Harrisburg, Environmental Specialist '09) is a plant industry field technician with the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture in Harrisburg.

Social Sciences

Tracey Smith Dicely (Harrisburg, Elementary Education '78) works for the Pennsylvania Department of Labor and Industry's Office of Vocational Rehabilitation in Harrisburg.

Marie Robertson James (Harrisburg, Human Development '76) is a program representative II in the Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare's Office of Children, Youth and Families. She earned a bachelor's degree in social science from Penn State University.

Sara E. Roy (Harrisburg, Elementary Education '10) is attending Shippensburg University where she is working on a bachelor's degree in education.

Lori L. Seese (Harrisburg, Early Childhood Education '04) is a pre-kindergarten teacher for Capital Area Head Start. She earned a bachelor's degree in early childhood, elementary education, and special education at Eastern University.

Lisa Shaver (Lancaster, Social Science '10) is program coordinator for Ephrata Area Social Services.

Kenneth Stillings (York, Social Science '10) is continuing his education at Millersville University where he is majoring in social work. He will be inducted into the university's National Society of Leadership and Success in April.

Erica Strickler (Harrisburg, Paralegal Studies '07) is a paralegal for Rite Aid Corporation in Camp Hill.

Sean P. Sullivan (Harrisburg, Police Science '07) earned a bachelor's degree in criminal justice from Central Pennsylvania College. He is a family resource specialist with Justice Works Youth Care in Harrisburg.

Technology

Ryan Trone (Harrisburg, Automotive Technology '08) is a mechanic with Trone's Service Station in York.

Kudos

R. Curtis Aumiller (Harrisburg, Respiratory Care Technician '93, Respiratory Therapist '96, Respiratory Care Technology '96) was featured in the Harrisburg *Patriot News* on January 30 for his volunteer work with the American Lung Association. He is an associate professor of respiratory care at HACC.

Richard S. "Chip" Dougherty (Harrisburg, Criminal Justice 30+ Credits) announced January 28 that he will seek another term as a district judge in East Pennsboro Township. Dougherty, who has presided over District Court 09-1-03 for the past five years, was a police officer in East Pennsboro Township for 34 years before being elected judge.

In Memoriam

The following HACC alumni and faculty members recently passed away and will be sadly missed:

David L. Bair (Harrisburg, Business Management '71) died November 15, 2010, after a courageous battle with cancer. He was retired from the United Parcel Service and subsequently was employed by Goodall Pools and Spas and Leslie's Pools before relocating to Naples, FL.

Sandra J. McElwain passed away on December 31, 2010, at York Hospital. She was an English instructor at the HACC-York Campus.

Rhea Amy Metz (Harrisburg, Social Science '89) died December 17, 2010, at home. After graduating from HACC, she completed course work at the Schoenoman Beauty School and was a licensed cosmetologist.

Lois Ann Rausch (Harrisburg, Nursing '87) passed away December 14, 2010, at Carolyn Croxton Slane Hospice Residence. She was formerly employed as a registered nurse for Community General Osteopathic Hospital in Harrisburg.

Naomi Jane Rice (Harrisburg, Executive Secretary '67) passed away December 24, 2010, at Carlisle Regional Medical Center after a nine-year battle with cancer.

Daryl Allen Shaffer (Harrisburg, Math and Science '69) died December 10, 2010, at Holy Spirit Hospital in Camp Hill. In addition to HACC, he was also a graduate of Lebanon Valley College and the University of Chicago. He worked as a registered respiratory care therapist in the surgical intensive care unit at the

Penn State Milton S. Hershey Medical Center and served as a clinical site associate professor of respiratory care at HACC.

Christopher Michael “Scooter” Williams (Harrisburg, General Studies 30+ credits) passed away December 21, 2010, at Harrisburg Hospital. His passions were his love of family, the Miami Dolphins football team, and computers.