

# ALUMNI CONNECT



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**March 1 is deadline to nominate distinguished alumni**

The HACC Alumni Association is seeking nominations for its 2013 Distinguished Alumni Award. This award is given annually to outstanding HACC alumni who, through their commitment and hard work, embody the HACC "spirit" and serve as an inspiration to other alumni and current students.

Nominations must be made in writing and submitted to the HACC Office of College Advancement by March 1, 2013. Recipients of the 2013 HACC Distinguished Alumni Award will be notified about their selection in early May and will be welcomed into HACC's Circle of Distinction at a special celebration dinner in June 2013. [More](#)

## Help plan the future of your alumni association

Please tell us how we can better serve you by taking 10 minutes to complete our [HACC Alumni Survey](#). HACC values your opinions. Your feedback will help determine how to improve HACC's alumni programs to meet your needs and keep you better connected to your alma mater. By completing the survey, you will also be eligible to win HACC alumni merchandise. The deadline to submit your survey is Monday, Dec. 17.

	<h3>Kick Up your heels with Lula Washington</h3>
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The Lula Washington Dance Theatre hits the 'Live at Rose Lehrman' stage on Wednesday, Feb. 13, 2013, at the Rose Lehrman Theatre on the Harrisburg Campus. The 7:30 p.m. performance is sponsored by your HACC Alumni Association.

The dance group fuses African and Afro-Haitian dance and incorporates the dance styles of gospel church, classical ballet, modern, street, theatrical and hip hop. Academy Award winner Lula Washington, founder and artistic director, created ritual movements including war scenes, hunting and large dance sequences for the motion capture technology for "Avatar!" [More](#)

## We have moved

HACC's alumni relations team, now part of HACC's Office of College Advancement, has moved its offices from the C. Ted Lick Wildwood Conference Center on the Harrisburg Campus to Campus Square, 1426 N. Third St., Harrisburg, Pa., 17102. Our mailing is Campus Square 404C, One HACC Dr., Harrisburg, Pa. 17110, and our telephone number is still 717-780-2474.

## Last minute holiday gift ideas

The HACC Alumni coffee mug is a perfect holiday gift or stocking stuffer for any HACC graduate. These 12 oz. durable, stainless steel travel mugs keeps drinks hot or cold and includes the HACC Alumni Association logo. Choose from four colors—green, blue, silver and black. The cost is only \$10 each. For more information,

contact the [HACC Alumni Association](#).

All HACC bookstores are having holiday sales from Dec. 10-21. Save 25 percent off regular-priced clothing and gifts and 10 percent off clearance items. [More](#)

## HACC alumni rock!

Kudos to these HACC alumni:

In November 2012, **Susan C. Helm** and **Ron Marsico** were reelected to the Pennsylvania House of Representatives. Helm, a 1981 HACC graduate, serves the 104th district, and Marsico, who completed his studies in 1969, serves the 105th district, both in Dauphin County.

**Elaine Moore**, a 2001 Lebanon Campus graduate, was the keynote speaker for the Benefactors' Banquet at the Council for Resource Development annual conference on Nov. 10 in Washington, D.C. She received a standing ovation from community college leaders and benefactors from across the country after sharing her moving story.

**Edy P. Pierre**, a 2000 graduate from the Lebanon Campus, recently published his book, "In Search of Meaning and Purpose Through Living, Structure and Functions" through Xlibris Publishing Corp.

**Jenna Rembecki**, a nurse at Hanover Hospital and a 2011 HACC Gettysburg Campus nursing alumna, received the American Red Cross Heroes of Adams and York Counties Award on Nov. 15 for saving a young boy's life at Codorus State Park pool. Jenna was swimming with her children when an 8-year-old boy was pulled out of the water not breathing. Jenna administered CPR until the boy began to breathe and EMTs arrived.

## Alumni in the news



HACC takes pride in its alumni. With more than 50,000 members, HACC is making a difference in communities and workplaces in Central Pennsylvania, across the nation, and around the world. Please share your [news](#) with us, so we can publish it in "HACC Alumni Connect" or our "HACC Connections" magazine.

HACC recognizes its responsibility to promote the principles of inclusion and equal opportunity in employment and education. Therefore, it is the policy of HACC, in full accordance with the law, not to discriminate in recruitment, employment, student admissions, and student services on the basis of race, color, religion, age, political affiliation or

belief, gender, national origin, ancestry, disability (physical or intellectual based challenges), place of birth, General Education Development Certification (GED), marital status, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, veteran status, genetic history/information, or any other legally protected classification. Inquiries should be directed to the Office of the President, One HACC Drive, Harrisburg, PA 17110, Telephone 717- 221-1300, ext. 1541.



