

2002 - 2003 ANNUAL REPORT

**CCID – A bridge
between living
and learning**



COMMUNITY COLLEGES FOR
INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, INC.



*“There is only one good, knowledge,
and one evil, ignorance.” – Socrates*

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OUR MISSION

*“The mission of CCID is to
provide opportunities for building
global relationships that strengthen
educational programs and
promote economic development.”*

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Letter from the Chair of the Board

Dear Colleagues and Friends,

Throughout my career in education I have been blessed with many opportunities. One such opportunity was leading the CCID organization as board chair for the past year. A new awareness of the importance of international education helped create an exciting year for CCID. It is comforting to know that those of us who are passionate about expanding international development will witness growth in all aspects of outreach.

This year, the organization accomplished many things. Of note is the continued success of the India Project, activities in Guyana, and new initiatives in Columbia, also with the Asia Development Bank and the Inter American Development Bank. Our strong links also continue between the United States, Mexico, and Canada.

Our organization continues to evolve, becoming stronger with new mentorship, leadership, and programs. We continue to have major successes in contract management, and CCID is clearly considered the leading organization in international education. And now, with new initiatives in study abroad, CCID continues to grow stronger.

Our world has changed significantly in recent years, yet CCID continues to focus on what we do best. A special thanks and recognition should be given to all the outstanding CEOs that continue to develop international awareness at their campuses during troubling times. Our member colleges have programs and human resources that are truly amazing. At any given moment, we are there to help, to develop, to create, to assist, to do whatever is necessary to make our communities and our world a better place.

I thank my fellow board members for their dedication to international development and for their hard work and for the work of the member colleges. After all, without the colleges' willingness to participate and support CCID's mission, these remarkable partnerships would not exist.



Thanks,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Edward Hernandez". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Dr. Eddie Hernandez





Dr. Mary Ellen Duncan



Dr. Lonnie George



Dr. Eddie Hernandez



Dr. Clyde Muse



Dr. Norm Nielsen

The Executive Committee and Board of Directors

The CCID Executive Committee, chaired by Dr. Eddie Hernandez, met eight times during the past year, and the substance of their discussions will be found in the following pages. In addition to these meetings the full CCID Board of Directors met twice, at the Annual Conference and at the Summer Institute. At the Annual Conference the CCID Board were pleased to welcome Dr. Kunihiko Ukifune, chairman of the Jikei Group, to CCID. Dr. Priscilla Bell, Highline Community College was also welcomed to her first CCID Board meeting. New Affiliate members welcomed included North Dakota State College of Science, ND; Iowa Central Community College, IA; Mohawk College of Art and

CCID President / Executive Director Report

Presidents' trip to Australia and Study Abroad initiatives:

Study abroad has been of special interest to CCID colleges and to the Executive Offices this past year. Green River Community College in particular has worked hard on new initiatives in Australia, culminating in a Presidents tour of Australia in March 2003. Led by Rich Rutkowski, President of Green River Community College, eleven participants visited Sydney, Perth and Melbourne. Among the highlights was the launching of the US-Australian Educational Alliance, and visits to Australian Technical and Further Education (TAFE) colleges. A series of Australia Study

South Central Technical College, MN, and Iowa Central Community College, IA traveled to Denmark to research Sustainable Energy and Agriculture Programs. Youth for Understanding, Denmark is the in-country partner. Programs are being planned for Summer 2004. A separate nursing program, using the "troika" model, is being developed with partners in Ecuador. Details of all CCID Study Abroad programs can be found at the CCID study abroad web site <http://www.ccidinc.org>.

CCID Personal Associates

The Board of Directors has long recognized that the CCID Personal Associate Membership Category does not reflect those who could qualify. A committee of International Education Directors, chaired by Dr. Don Matthews (Daytona Beach CC, FL) compiled a suggested list of changes. While the process is still under consideration, it is anticipated that the numbers of CCID Personal Associates will soon change.

"I have taken all knowledge to be my province"

— Francis Bacon

Technology, Ontario; College of the Mainland, TX; Onondaga Community College, NY; and South Central Technical College, MN. The CCID Board of Directors gave a warm welcome to these new members.

The dedication of the Executive Committee and Board Members has been exemplary.

Abroad programs will be offered in 2004. Separately, a new CCID study abroad program was initiated by Hillsborough Community College. At the February Board Meeting, Michael Brennan of Hillsborough introduced the "troika" concept of three colleges working together on short-term programs. Included in the concept paper was the goal of keeping the student expenses at approximately \$2,000.00; colleges finding scholarship funds for students; and a strong overseas partner. In June, a study team comprising officials from CCID, Hillsborough Community College, FL,

CCID Educational Partner Category

CCID created a new category of membership, and in so doing rationalized an existing situation. For many years CCID and other organizations have offered each other complimentary registration at their events. Reflected in the change to the CCID Operational Manual, this situation has now been formalized.

People

Two good friends of CCID passed away during the past year, and any accounting of CCID would be incomplete with recognizing their contributions.

Ms. Oddrunn Pettersen was General Secretary of the Barents Secretariat, based in Kirkenes, Norway. She passed away in November 2002. Oddrunn Pettersen was one of the initiators of the co-operation between Russian, American and Norwegian colleges and universities within the framework of CCID.

Coincidentally, the CCID person with whom Oddrunn first worked was Francisco Bertot. He also passed away, in the Spring 2003. As the International Education Director at Rancho Santiago Community College District, he willingly took on many leadership roles within CCID, thereby strengthening our group. Francisco was a keen observer and critic of international events, and was never afraid to share his opinions in a constructive fashion. His absence in our lives is sincerely felt.

J-1 Visa Service

An historical overview of J-1 Visa applications (now DS-2019) issued shows a growing recognition of the value of this service by members.

1999 – 2000	28	IAP-66
2000 – 2001	25	IAP-66
2001 – 2002	25	IAP-66
2002 – 2003	39	DS-2019

MedEvac Insurance Service

The provision of medical evacuation insurance for the membership – and the steady increase in numbers - is also seen as a valued service to members:

2000 – 2001	72
2001 – 2002	46
2002 – 2003	99

Newsletter

During the past year, as expenses have risen, we rationalized the production and distribution of the CCID International News – known as “*The Newsletter*.” By aggressively reviewing mailing lists, and by keeping the number of pages to a maximum of 20 per issue, costs have been trimmed considerably. Also, a full PDF version is made available on the CCID website. *The Newsletter*, and its publication regime has been excellently,

and rigorously managed and edited by Professor Robert Keener of Sinclair Community College. CCID owes Professor Keener and Sinclair a large “thank you” for the work they devote to this flagship contribution for CCID.

Summer Institute

The CCID Summer Institute 2002 was hosted by Dr. Eddie Hernandez, Rancho Santiago Community College District, and coordinated by Enrique Perez, IED. Outstanding training sessions on contract training were provided by Dr. Joseph Cohen, Senior Development Specialist, Academy for Educational Development. Keynote speakers and presenters included Mr. Gaddi Vasquez, Director, US Peace Corps; Ms. Judy Irwin, AACC; Dr. Don Matthews; and Dr. Paul McQuay.

Professional Development Program

The CCID Professional Development Program continues to be another flagship activity for CCID. Entirely managed by the membership, the Professional Development Program last year was under the expert care of Tony Digenakis of Delaware Technical and Community College, who organized a program to Turkey and Greece. The theme was to study these two similar, yet very different countries from their educational, cultural and social perspectives. Approximately 30 persons experienced the delights of the visit, as a large number of personal thank you letters indicated. The Professional Development Committee, chaired by Robert Keener, is again soliciting proposals for the coming year.

Annual Conference

The Annual Conference in Feb. 2003, hosted by Pima Community College, Tucson, AZ, proved to be a delightful setting at the Westward Look Resort, with outstanding conference sessions. The theme was “Shaping New World Prospects Through Education,” and included special sessions and keynotes by Dr. Mark Milliron, President of the League for Innovation in the Community College; Ms. Marlene Johnson, Executive Director and CEO of NAFSA; Ms. Judy

Irwin, Director of International Programs and Services for the American Association of Community Colleges; Ms. Katie Tremper, Senior Program Officer for Fulbright Programs of CIES/IIE; Dr. Al Koller, Executive Director of Aerospace Programs at Brevard Community College, Florida; and Mr. Peter Teahen, Director of the National Mass Fatalities Institute of Iowa. Another highlight of the conference was a gathering of CCID dignitaries from earlier times. Dr. Maxwell King, Jim Humphrys, Dr. Bill Stewart and Dr. Al. Koller were among the guests and speakers.



Dr. Kent Farnsworth

Dr. Werner Kubsch Award

The Werner Kubsch Award is always eagerly anticipated – the competition among colleges submitting their nominations can be

intense. The winner this year – Dr. Kent Farnsworth, President at Crowder College, MO – was highly deserving. As the words of the nomination address indicated, if you ask virtually anyone in community college circles in Missouri whom they associate with global education, the answer will be “Kent Farnsworth, President of Crowder College.”

The annual Award ceremony was also graced by the presence of past winners, including Dr. Paul McQuay, Dr. Tom Carey, Anthony Digenakis, Dr. Dick Romano, and Dr. Bill Greene.



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*“Learning is not attained by chance,
it must be sought for with ardor and
attended to with diligence” – Abigail Adams*

CCID Committee Activity

International Education Directors are tireless in their efforts to work collaboratively to achieve mutual goals and objectives. This is reflected in their participation in the following CCID committee activities:

- Annual Conference Committee
- Summer Institute Committee
- Washington Liaison Committee
- Study Abroad Development
- Agricultural Activities Committee
- Werner Kubsch Award Committee
- Professional Development Program Selection Committee
- Asia/India/Thailand Committee
- Caribbean/Latin America Committee

- Eastern European Committee
- Africa Committee

Executive Office Activities and Involvements

An examination of the CCID Executive Office activities over the past year, indicates the following, by no means exhaustive, selection:

Part of a bid for Training Services for the Uzbekistan Senior Secondary Education Project, funded by the Asia Development Bank.

Site visit by Dr. Nielsen to Waukesha County and Technical College, Wisconsin.

Site visit by John Halder to the Jikei Group of Colleges, Japan.

Site visit by Dr. George to Delaware County Community College.

Addressing SEVIS impact on CCID's ability to issue forms DS-2019 for visiting scholars.

Working with Highline Community College on an ALO proposal.

Working with a Canadian company on project activity in St. Lucia.

Working with the Asia Institute of Development Studies, Inc. on an

Member Activities Report

A huge strength of CCID lies in the membership. We are a collaborating group of individual colleges, each with our own specific agenda, but choosing to come together because we believe that working as teams we become stronger. This is illustrated through the written reports that the International Education Directors make to the Board of Directors twice a year, indicating the activities undertaken collaboratively. A selection follows:

Activity Reported	Number of Full Members Reporting	Activity Reported	Number of Full Members Reporting
Collaborative project participation	13	India initiatives	3
Best practices participation	11	E. European Sub-committee work	3
Professional Development Committee activities	10	Latin American Sub-committee activities	3
Newsletter participation	8	Colombia project activities	3
Developing study abroad models/exchanges	7	Thailand project activities	2
Caribbean Sub-committee activities	5	Africa Sub-committee	2
Asia Sub-committee activities	5	Agriculture Sub-committee	2
Annual conference planning/hosting activities	5	Washington representation	2
Summer Institute activities	4	Trustee initiatives	2
Collaborating on teacher exchanges	4	Satellite conference (planning or participation)	2
Presenting on behalf of CCID at conferences	4		
Legislative / Congressional activities	4		
Executive committee participation	4		
Mentoring	3		

In all cases illustrated there is under-representation of the true level of joint activities.

Expression of Interest in a project in Bangladesh.

Hosting at Kirkwood a live video-conference "A Global Education Boot Camp" on November 13th 2002. 119 colleges participated in this third in the series.

Preparing an MOU with the Indian organization SKIP – headed by Mr. Adrian Almeida.

Visit to Manila and Tokyo, resulting in follow-on activities with both the Asia Development Bank and the companies that bid on their projects.

Worked with Dr. George on the visit of the Turkish delegation to Delaware Technical and Community College, and to Northampton and Howard Community Colleges.

Werner Kubsch Committee activities.

Presented at a UNESCO Symposium in China in January 2003.

Worked on the preparation of a Peace Corps Proposal, targeted at training Peace Corps volunteers.

Discussions with the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO), resulting in CCID being granted "Flagship Partner" status.

Working with officials from the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, resulting in a number of initiatives.

Through an initiative by Humber College, an Expression of Interest was submitted to the Government of Vietnam.

Projects in Yemen and Saudi Arabia were developed.

An MOU was signed with Phoenix Engineering to assist in the creation of an International University of Information Technology, Pakistan.

The CCID Office Organization

CCID Office Coordinator

In March 2003 Ms. Andrea Siebenmann celebrated her one-year anniversary with CCID. As Office Coordinator, Andrea has excelled in learning about the complexities of CCID, and applying the lessons learned. She has streamlined office operations, re-designed the website, and done much to make the life and events of CCID seamless. She is a real asset to the organization and much appreciated by the membership.

Volunteer Support

CCID has been fortunate this past year to have an exceptional volunteer on staff - Dr. Lois Bartelme, a Kirkwood Community College Trustee. Lois has worked with CCID on a total review of the Consultant Database of over 400 names. The database is now searchable by name, discipline, country of experience, language capability, and other factors. This very large, year-long undertaking has had a huge impact on CCID's

ability and efficacy in identifying project consultants.

The other area on which Dr. Bartelme has focused has been to research the field of international accreditation. In addition to scanning the literature, she developed a Power-Point presentation, given at the July 2003 Summer Institute. CCID has been reviewing its role in this field, and using the background information researched by Dr. Bartelme to make informed decisions.

University of Iowa Volunteer

CCID was pleased to have the services of Ryan Wells, working in the Executive Offices. Ryan is a University of Iowa Graduate Student. As an Ex-Peace Corps worker, stationed in Samoa, Ryan brought to CCID a rich background of Peace Corps knowledge. Using this strength, a proposal he developed for the PC focused on entrepreneurship skills and training. Ryan also wrote for his thesis using CCID as a case study. Some of his writing can be found on the CCID website at <http://ccid.kirkwood.cc.ia.us/resources/paperindex.htm>

Kirkwood Work Study Student

CCID has often been blessed with accomplished and diligent student interns, and Ms. Audrey MacDonald has been no exception. Much of the work might be considered routine – mass mailings, compiling conference materials, etc – but Audrey always brings to her work enthusiasm and a bright demeanor. Her work is very much appreciated.

*"Learning without thought is labor lost;
thought without learning is perilous"* – Confucius



2002-2003 Member Colleges

Coast Community College District,
Costa Mesa, CA
Community College of Allegheny County,
Pittsburgh, PA
Daytona Beach Community College,
Daytona Beach, FL
Delaware County Community College, Media, PA
Delaware Technical & Community College,
Dover, DE
Eastern Iowa Community College District,
Davenport, IA
Green River Community College, Auburn, WA
Highline Community College, Des Moines, WA
Hillsborough Community College, Tampa, FL
Hinds Community College, Raymond, MS
Howard Community College, Columbia, MD
Humber College, Etobicoke, Ontario, Canada
Jikei Group, Osaka, Japan
Kirkwood Community College, Cedar Rapids, IA
Northampton Community College, Bethlehem, PA
Pima County Community College District,
Tucson, AZ
Rancho Santiago Community College District,
Santa Ana, CA
Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology,
Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
St. Louis Community College, St. Louis, MO
Sinclair Community College, Dayton, OH
State Center Community College District,
Fresno, CA
University of Hawaii Community Colleges,
Honolulu, HI
Waukesha County Technical College,
Pewaukee, WI

Affiliate Colleges

Anne Arundel Community College, Arnold, MD
Austin Community College, Austin, TX
Barbados Community College, St. Michael,
Barbados
Brevard Community College, Cocoa, FL
Broome Community College, Binghamton, NY
Broward Community College, Ft. Lauderdale, FL
Bunker Hill Community College, Boston, MA
Clover Park Technical College, Lakewood, WA
College of DuPage, Glen Ellyn, IL
College of Lake County, Grayslake, IL
College of the Mainland, Texas City, TX

Columbus State Community College,
Columbus, OH
Community College of Baltimore County,
Baltimore, MD
Community College of Philadelphia,
Philadelphia, PA
Crowder College, Neosho, MO
Cuyahoga Community College, Cleveland, OH
Dallas County Community College District,
Dallas, TX
Florida Community College at Jacksonville,
Jacksonville, FL
Forsyth Technical Community College,
Winston-Salem, NC
Fox Valley Technical College, Appleton, WI
Fulton Montgomery Community College,
Johnstown, NY
Georgia Perimeter College, Decatur, GA
Harford Community College, Bel Air, MD
Houston Community College, Houston, TX
Illinois Eastern Community Colleges, Olney, IL
Indian River Community College, Fort Pierce, FL
Iowa Central Community College, Fort Dodge, IA
LaGuardia Community College,
Long Island City, NY
Lakeland Community College, Kirtland, OH
Lee College, Baytown, TX
Lorain County Community College, Elyria, OH
Maricopa Community Colleges, Tempe, AZ
Metropolitan Community Colleges,
Kansas City, MO
Miami-Dade College, Miami, FL
Middlesex Community College, Bedford, MA
Minneapolis Technical & Community College,
Minneapolis, MN
Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College,
Perkinston, MS
Mohawk College of Art & Technology, Hamilton,
Ontario, Canada
Mohawk Valley Community College, Utica, NY
Monroe Community College, Rochester, NY
Moraine Valley Community College,
Palos Hills, IL
Mt. San Antonio College, Walnut, CA
North Dakota State College of Science,
Wahpeton, ND
North Harris Montgomery Community
College District, Houston, TX
North Hennepin Community College,
Brooklyn Park, MN
Northcentral Technical College, Wausau, WI
Onondaga Community College, Syracuse, NY

Parkland College, Champaign, IL
Pellissippi State Technical Community College,
Knoxville, TN
Peralta Community College District, Oakland, CA
Pierce College, Tacoma, WA
Pitt Community College, Greenville, NC
Portland Community College, Portland, OR
Red Rocks Community College, Lakewood, CO
Ridgewater College, Hutchinson, MN
Rochester Technical and Community College,
Rochester, MN
Roskilde Business College, Roskilde, Denmark
St. Clair County Community College,
Port Huron, MI
St. Petersburg Junior College, St. Petersburg, FL
Seattle Community College District, Seattle, WA
Shoreline Community College, Seattle, WA
South Central Technical College,
North Mankato, MN
Southwest Virginia Community College,
Richlands, VA
Tompkins Cortland Community College,
Dryden, NY
Trident Technical College, Charleston, SC
Tulsa Community College, Tulsa, OK
Universidad Autonoma Agraria Antonio Narro
Saltillo, Coahuila, Mexico
Universidad Regiomontana,
Monterrey, N. L., Mexico
University of Montana College of Technology,
Missoula, MT
Utah Valley State College, Orem, UT
Valencia Community College, Orlando, FL
Western Iowa Technical Community College,
Sioux City, IA

Int'l Associate Colleges

Instituto Campechano, Campeche, Mexico
Universidad De Quintana Roo, Chetumal,
Quintana Roo, Mexico
Universidad Don Bosco, Soyapango,
El Salvador, Central America
Yong-In Songdam College, Kyunggi-Do, Korea

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