

STUDENT LIFE & LEADERSHIP SPRING 2025



The SL&L Department welcomes you to campus! We have a variety of on-campus, hybrid and virtual activities.

NETWORKING

Welcome Week - WWC & JKC

Dates: 1/21 - 1/24 throughout the day,
Campus-wide

End of Semester Power Snacks- JKC Commons Lounge

Dates: 5/6 & 5/7 at 9:00am & 5:30pm

WELCOME

MONDAY FUNDAYS

12 NOON SC104

Vision & Mood Boards 2/10

Create your own visualization board to consciously and unconsciously set your path of intention for your goals.

Diamond Art Projects 2/17

Join us for this combination of cross-stitch and paint-by-numbers activity.

Rock Painting 2/24

Rock painting is all the rage right now! Come show off your designs!

Basketball Tournament "March Madness 2025" 3/10

Stop by to Shoot some Hoops!

Spring Watercolor Painting Event with Artist, Rebecca Swan 3/31

This event will give you a beginner's overview of painting with watercolors. You'll learn about shading/blending techniques and more.

FELLOWSHIP

Club Day

2/13 at 11:30am - 1:30pm Gym

Join us for this club recruitment event featuring DJ Coqui, Brood Coffee Truck, Photos by Jo Marie Portraits, A Moment in Time Studios, Snow Globe Photos and more!

Green & Gold Days ~ Spirit Week

4/7 - 4/10

In honor of Community College Month celebrate MCCC Spirit Week with Student Life!

Featuring ~ Battle of the Clubs Field Day in the Quad, Unity Wall, Campus Clean-Up and more!

COMMUNITY SERVICE & VOLUNTEERISM

Community Service Fair

2/5 at 12 Noon in SC104

Featuring :

- Miracle League
- RISE
- Breast Cancer Resource Center
- PALS

American Heart Association

2/6 at 12 Noon in the SC Hallway ~

Wear red to campus, stop by the Student Life table to snap a pic and get entered into a raffle!

L.E.A.D. Campus Clean-Up

4/9 at 11:00am

In honor of Earth Month ~ join us for this clean-up to help keep the campus looking pristine. Meet in SC114 at 11:00am for trash bags and gloves.

ENGAGEMENT EVENTS

Mercer Night at the Skating Rink - Mercer County Ice Skating Center
2/10 at 6:00pm - 8:00pm

Students First Fest - WWC Quad
4/22 at 11:00am - 2:00pm

Students First Fest - JKC Parking Lot
4/23 at 12:00pm - 2:00pm



DIVERSITY, EQUITY & INCLUSION

Black History Month - “The Crossing” by McCarter Theater at Richardson Auditorium, Princeton University
2/4 at 7:30pm

Women’s History Month - Panel Discussion - SC104/Virtual
3/5 at 12 Noon SC104

Women's History Month

The Walk for Women is a worldwide event during the month of March to celebrate Women's History Month and International Women's Day. Everyone can participate - just get moving and share your #WhyIWalk

Help us spread awareness about the stories, struggles, and strength of women!

Be sure to follow us on social media for pop-up walks throughout the month of March.

Irish American Heritage Month - Saint Patrick’s Day Shamrock Hunt

3/12 at 11:00am Campus-wide

Arab American Heritage Month Event with the Muslim Student Association

April (Date TBD) at 12:00 Noon SC104

Asian American & Pacific Islander Heritage Month - Tea Tasting with Tea-for-All

5/1 at 9:30am SC Hallway

Jewish American Heritage Month -

Collaborative Event with the Mercer County Holocaust, Genocide & Human Rights Education Center at MCCC. Details TBA

ORIENTATION

“Welcome Express” Event - CM110

1/21 at 12:30pm

New and Returning Students - Join us to brush up on your knowledge of all things Mercer!

New students will receive their orientation cinch sack and New Student Guidebook.

Mid-Semester Welcome - SC114

2/18 at 9:00am

Join us for an “Open House” Brunch for our 10-Week Students.

SUSTAINABILITY

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LEADERSHIP & PERSONAL GROWTH

Brought to you by our Leadership, Education and Development Program (L.E.A.D.)

Speaker Series - SC104 at 12 Noon

Monday, February 3rd - "Working for the State of New Jersey"

Dalia Seidl - Jury Manager, Mercer County, State of NJ Judiciary

Ms. Seidl has worked for the State of NJ for over 17 years. Starting in the Automated Trial Courts Systems Unit, she worked her way up to the position of Jury Manager while also serving as the Title 2 ADA Coordinator for all court users which include plaintiffs, defendants, jurors or attorneys. Ms. Seidl was the first Jury Manager in NJ to have a blind juror on a Grand Jury Panel and made the necessary accommodations for jurist. Another significant accomplishment was she oversaw the first Grand Jury homicide case virtually in New Jersey; an homage to her beginnings in Information Technology.

Tuesday, February 4th - "Veg-Out Mercer"

Mary Ann Cavallaro, Nurse & Author

Learn the benefits of plant based nutrition with Mary Ann Cavallaro ~ Nurse, Author and Animal Lover. Enjoy a vegan lunch and a copy of Mary Ann's latest book.

Monday, March 3rd - "Have Bacon, Will Travel" (Women in Business)

Sondra Duckett - Owner of "Have Bacon, Will Travel"

Known as "The Mistress of Bacon", Ms. Duckett hails from Mississippi where her family encouraged her to perfect her recipes of pork belly. In business for a year and a half, she has started selling her flavorful bacon creations of PB&J with peanut sprinkles, Korean BBQ with ginger dressing and the BLT at different festivals in the tri-state area including the Sunflower Festival at Holland Farms and the Asbury Fest in Asbury Park, NJ. She also tries out seasonal flavors with the most recent creation of bacon, pumpkin, pumpkin seeds and cranberry. Most recently, she was on the Fox TV show, Good Night New York.



THE ZEN ZONE

HOLISTIC & WELLNESS EVENTS TO CARE FOR YOUR PHYSICAL, MENTAL & SOCIAL HEALTH

The Art of Mindfulness Meditation

with Adreyanna- Monday

Instagram LIVE

2/3- 3/31 & 4/28 at 7:30pm

(Excluding 3/17 due to Spring Break)

Zumba with Colleen- Tuesday, JKC Kerney Hall

Dates: 2/18, 2/25, 3/4, 3/11, 4/1, 4/15, 4/29

12 Noon

Yoga with Tracey - Thursday

Instagram LIVE

2/6 - 3/27 at 7:30pm

(Excluding 3/20 due to Spring Break)

Please note- 3/27 class will be held at 11:00am

Nature walk in honor of Earth Month

4/16 at 11:00am Campus-wide

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2/4 at 12:00 Noon SC104

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Wellness Wednesday

Check out our social media every Wednesday throughout the semester for information focused on habits and practices that contribute to your overall health and wellbeing.



SEMESTER WRAP-UP CELEBRATION WEEK

Surprise End of Semester Event!

4/28 - Details will be announce on our social media!

Meditation with Adreyanna - Virtual

Instagram LIVE 4/28 at 7:30pm. Join Adreyanna for a special end of semester de-stress meditation! Be relaxed and calm for your final exams!

Grad Video - Virtual

4/29 Social Media

Tea Tasting with Tea-for-All in Honor of Asian American & Pacific Islanders Heritage Month

5/1 at 9:30am SC Hallway


Summer Self-Care Strategies - Virtual

5/2 on Social Media

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ADDITIONAL SERVICES

The SL&L Department is the frontline to the student body. In addition to our primary areas of focus, we offer extended student support.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Do you need help finding your class? Or want to join/start a club? We are your information hub! Contact us and we will point you in the right direction!

CAREER CLOSET

We want you to dress for success! Our career closet provides interview appropriate attire at no cost for Mercer students. Let us help you move forward in the working world!

Sidewalk Sale Event

2/12 at 12 Noon, SL Hallway
Featuring warm coats, holiday outfits for Valentine's Day & Spring Break and various other items at no cost to you! Join us and shop some fab items for free!

Stay tuned for our pop-up event ~
Professional Makeover Session!

CAMPUS TOURS

Mercer's beautiful campus is constantly changing. We'd love to show you around! Your walking tour will include various stops across the campus, as well as a campus map. Your tour will be led by one of our student ambassadors. To schedule a tour please email: orientation@mccc.edu

WHAT'S YOUR STORY ALUM INTERVIEWS

Alumni, we want to hear from you! Reach out and tell us how your experience at Mercer kick-started your professional career!



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