



MAHE JOURNAL CALL FOR PAPERS

You are invited to submit a manuscript for publication to the *MAHE Journal*. After a hiatus of several years, the *MAHE Journal* will resume publication in 2005. Since its inception, the Journal has sought to serve the needs and interests of all segments of higher education in Maryland. Manuscripts may include case studies, research reports, policy and position papers, or other approaches to issues of interest to the Maryland higher education community

The *MAHE Journal* will be published once a year. Journal articles examine in-depth trends, problems and solutions, innovations, new technologies, and new ideas in higher education. Issues should be of current interest to presidents, board members, administrators, faculty, and staff at two and 4-year colleges and universities. All manuscripts, solicited or unsolicited, are subject to review by the editorial board and may be published or not according to the editors' discretion. MAHE assumes no responsibility for the receipt, return, or publication of unsolicited manuscripts. For guidelines please visit the MAHE website at www.mahe.umd.edu.

Deadline

To be considered for publication, manuscripts must be received by June 17, 2005.

Submission should be sent to:

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Colleagues:

It's hard to believe that the spring semester is in full swing. Soon, we will be planning for graduation and yet another academic year. Congratulations to all those upcoming graduates and good luck to those students - undergraduate, graduate and doctoral- who are beginning their higher education experience.

The MAHE executive board has been very busy planning the Fall 2005 conference, *Legal Landmines in Higher Education*, working on a reissue of the MAHE Journal, and soliciting nominations for the MAHE Distinguished Program Awards (DPA). Recently you should have received in your mail guidelines and requests for MAHE Journal articles and nominations for the DPA's. Please take the time to review the guidelines; then identify and submit nominations from your institution for recognition honoring outstanding and innovative higher education programs in Maryland. Additionally, we can all benefit if you share your valuable educational experiences with the MAHE community through a journal article. Nominations are due by May 16th and articles by June 17th. Information about MAHE and all of its programs, including past award winners, can be found on our website at www.mahe.umd.edu.

Included in this issue of the newsletter is a MAHE membership form. I encourage you to join MAHE and attend our Fall 2005 conference on October 21, 2005 at Bowie State University.

Best wishes for a successful spring and summer and I look forward to seeing you on October 21st.

Jackie Deyo



HOLD THE DATE!



Fall Conference 2005
Legal Landmines in Higher Education
Friday, October 21, 2005
8:30am – 1:00pm
Bowie State University



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Partners in Adult Continuing Education (PACE) is a consortium of area colleges and universities that serve the needs of adult students. PACE members represent both public and private institutions and include two-year, four-year, undergraduate, graduate and professional programs. PACE enables Baltimore area employers and their employees to easily access a wide array of continuing education options by providing a single point of contact for the planning and presentation of education fairs. The primary goal of PACE is to assist businesses in promoting education as a means to ensure growth and stability in their companies and in the community.

For information regarding the many companies visited and higher education institution members please visit PACE's website at www.pacemaryland.org.



Conference at UMUC

Tomorrow's Classroom Today: Using Technology to Improve Teacher Quality

Quality teachers create better test results. Can technology help create better teachers?

As educators, you are expected to close learning gaps and raise the performance bar on a tight budget. Given budget constraints, what strategies can you use to raise student performance? This conference explores a new strategy for reaching the goal of improved learning results and explains how a school's investment in technology can increase student performance by focusing the technology on the teacher first.

We approach this strategy by examining accountability and management trends in the private sector. During the 1990s, the private sector experienced a dramatic increase of productivity that led to higher wages and salaries for the first time in 20 years. This productivity was the result of two revolutions: (1) the use of technology and (2) new management techniques based on sophisticated performance measurement. What lessons can we take from the private sector and apply to education? What are the changes we can make in education to help us reach our goal of raising student performance at a nominal cost?

Please join us to learn more about the role that teacher-focused technology can play in your school's success. There is not a fee to attend this conference, and a complimentary lunch is provided. Please click [here](#) to view a video invitation from Syfr President, Richard Erdmann or go to www.syfrcorp.com.

MAHE'S MISSION STATEMENT

MAHE seeks to promote the general welfare of colleges and universities in Maryland; improve higher education in the state; promote collaboration among state and national educational agencies and lay groups in higher education; and improve the professional, economic, and social status of college personnel.

About MAHE ...

The Maryland Association for Higher Education (MAHE), founded in 1946, is a voluntary organization for professionals in post-secondary education in Maryland committed to the advancement of higher education in Maryland.

Members include administrators and faculty in public and private sectors, from two- and four-year colleges and universities. State agencies and governing boards are also represented.

Through its conferences and other programs, the organization provides forums for exploring current issues that affect higher education in Maryland.



Visit our website:

www.mahe.umd.edu

Please note that this is a new web address and change any bookmarks.

Adelphi, MD – March 15, 2005

8:00 am - registration

8:30 am - 2:00 pm - conference

University of Maryland University College Inn and Conference Center by Marriott
3501 University Blvd., East
Adelphi, MD 20783

How to register:

No fee to attend - complimentary lunch provided. Although there is no charge for this conference, advanced registration is required for catering purposes. To register for this conference, click [here](#) or go to www.syfrcorp.com.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT YOUR INSTITUTION?

SPOTLIGHT ON VILLA JULIE COLLEGE

Villa Julie has given the 2004-2005 school year the theme of "Transformation" because of the many changes in progress at Maryland's third-largest independent coeducational college. The academic year started with the opening of our new residential complex in Owings Mills, six miles away from our Stevenson campus. For the first time, Villa Julie students live in housing owned and operated by the College. More than 540 students live in the garden apartments. The College has also leased some classroom space on the same property in the first step toward providing full academic facilities in Owings Mills.

The growth will continue this year with the expected opening of another residential facility for the 2005-2006 academic year. Over the next several years, suites for around 600 students will be built in Owings Mills, along with a 90,000-square foot academic building. The growth at Villa Julie is not limited to buildings at the College's second location. The entering freshman class pushed the College to another year of record enrollment.

Recently, Villa Julie has unveiled master's degree programs in forensic studies and forensic science. The growth in the sciences received a welcome boost with an anonymous donation that helped transform two classrooms into new research laboratories.

The College has also dedicated significant resources toward its RN to BS bachelor's degree program, which plays a key role in attempting to reduce Maryland's nursing shortage. The College has signed agreements with five community colleges to allow their students a smoother path toward a bachelor's degree in nursing. Villa Julie has also received close to \$250,000 in federal funds thanks to Sen. Barbara Mikulski. The money will help expand a distance learning initiative in nursing, a key portion of the agreement with community colleges.

Villa Julie continues to watch its graduates excel with 96 percent of the Class of 2004 already employed, based on a response rate of 97 percent of the 458 graduates. The College continues to look for innovative ways to prepare its students to make a significant contribution after they complete their education.

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Forensic Science at Villa Julie College

Villa Julie College is pleased to announce its new Master of Science degree program in Forensic Science! Forensic science is an interdisciplinary and applied course of study, and as advances in instrumentation and technology have opened up new approaches to solving crime, the need for individuals trained in both science and the law has grown. Villa Julie College's Master's degree program in Forensic Science offers highly specialized training in the sciences, a core of law courses, and a thesis based upon original research. Areas of study include crime scene investigation, microscopic techniques, quality control and safety, drug analysis, serology and immunology, DNA analysis, and criminal procedure and evidence.

Graduates of our Master's degree program will have a skill set that will enable them to be highly valued as forensic scientists as well as marketable in areas outside of forensics. They will be prepared for employment in local, state or federal government crime laboratories, forensics laboratories, the biotechnology industry, and/or continued study at the doctoral level.

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The Villa Julie College Master of Science degree program in Forensic Science will be offered in two formats. The first option is a stand-alone two-year program for students who have already earned a Bachelor's degree in a science discipline. Students accepted into this program will have the opportunity to fulfill necessary pre-requisite science courses in the summer prior to the start of their Master's studies (Forensic Science Summer Institute). The second option is a combined B.S. (Chemistry)/M.S. (Forensic Science) degree program which will allow for both degrees to be earned in five years. We are interested in establishing articulation agreements with programs offering Associate's degrees in the sciences for this option.

For further information, please visit our website at www.vjc.edu (click on Academics, then Forensics) or contact Ellen Roskes, Ph.D. at f-roskes@mail.vjc.edu.

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DISTINGUISHED PROGRAM AWARDS

Now Accepting 2005 Nominations

In 1982, the Maryland Association of Higher Education initiated the MAHE Distinguished Program Awards (DPA) to provide recognition of innovative and outstanding programs in Maryland higher education, and to facilitate communication about successful programs among individual and institutional members. The application form requests information about the nature of the programs, the population served, program implementation, effectiveness as measured by formal assessment methods, quality as documented in letters supporting the application, and overall contribution to higher education. MAHE solicits and presents these awards every other year. In addition to the statewide recognition of the award winning programs, we ask the award recipients to make a presentation at MAHE's annual fall conference. This forum offers an opportunity to showcase Maryland's higher education programs. Below is a list of our most recent award recipients.

2003 Award Recipients:

Student Services Award

Bowie State University - ADA Resource Center

Johns Hopkins University - Teach Baltimore: Summer Academy Program

Instructional Award

University of Maryland, College Park - The Hinman Campus

Entrepreneurship Program

Other Category Award

Salisbury University - Eastern Correctional Institution Book Program

Application forms can be obtained from the MAHE website www.mahe.umd.edu and should be returned by May 16, 2005 to Mrs. Joyce Sebian, Chair MAHE Distinguished Programs Award, Carroll Community College, 1601 Washington Road, L289F, Westminster, MD 21157. For additional information contact Joyce at jsebian@carroll.edu or 410.386.8329.

If your institution is not already a MAHE member, you may wish to consider joining for an annual fee of \$100. You must be a member to be eligible for the Distinguished Awards Program.

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2005 EXECUTIVE BOARD**

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MAHE membership is intended to serve the professional needs of higher education administrators within the State of Maryland; however, membership is open to everyone. To join MAHE, please complete the *MAHE Membership Application/Renewal* form below. Indicate method of payment and mail or FAX the completed form to the addressee above. Application forms may also be obtained from www.mahe.umd.edu.

Member Information Please complete the information below and check all boxes that apply.

Name:		Title:	
Institution:			
Address:	City:	State:	Zip:
Phone:	Fax:	E-Mail	

Status (see reverse of details)

- Professional
- Student
- Emeritus
- Institutional
- Institutional Representative/Coordinator

Special Interest(s)

- The Fall Conference Planning Committee
- The Newsletter Committee
- The Distinguished Program Awards Committee
- The Outstanding Educator Award Committee
- Journal Editor
- Web Site Administrator
- Marketing/Public Relations Committee
- Membership Committee
- By-laws Review Committee
- Legislative Affairs

Membership Dues (*Please mail or fax your payment to the MAHE Treasurer*)

Professional \$30 _____ Student \$15 _____ Emeritus(no charge) _____
 Institutional \$100 _____ Institutional Representative/Coordinator (one per institution)
Method of Payment: Check made payable to MAHE or Charge to credit card –Visa, MasterCard

Card Number _____ Exp Date _____

Cardholder Signature _____

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The mission of MAHE is to promote the general welfare of colleges and universities in Maryland; improve higher education in the state; promote collaboration among state and national; educational agencies and lay groups in higher education; and improve the professional, economic, and social status of college personnel.

Benefits of Membership

Distinguished Program Awards Networking
Fall Showcase of Exemplary Higher Education Programs
Newsletters
Higher Education Research Award
Professional Development Activities
Legislative Updates
Outstanding Educator Awards
The MAHE Journal Membership
Discounts to Programs and Events

Membership Status: Select Only One Status On Reverse (Required)

Professional Voting membership is available to dues paying administrators and faculty members in public and private sectors, from two- and four-year colleges and universities, representatives of Maryland State agencies and governing boards, other agencies with a focus on higher education, and interested persons.

Student Non-voting dues paying membership is available to students.

Emeritus Non-voting, non-dues paying membership is granted for life to any former active individual MAHE member who has retired from their profession and who has served in the areas which affect education for at least 20 years, and has served in higher education for at least 15 years.

Institutional Regular Voting membership is available to dues paying public and private two- and four-year colleges and universities. Institutional membership provides free membership for the institution's president and the institutional representative, as well as the newsletter and program announcement mailings.