

Mission

Houston Community College is an open-admission, public institution of higher education offering a high-quality, affordable education for academic advancement, workforce training, career development, and lifelong learning to prepare individuals in our diverse communities for life and work in a global and technological society.

Vision

Houston Community College will be the most **relevant** community college in the country.

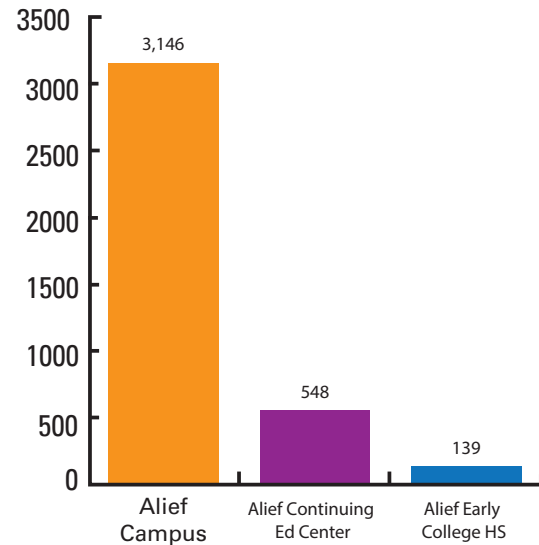
We will be the **opportunity** institution for every student we serve – **essential** to our community's success.

Leadership



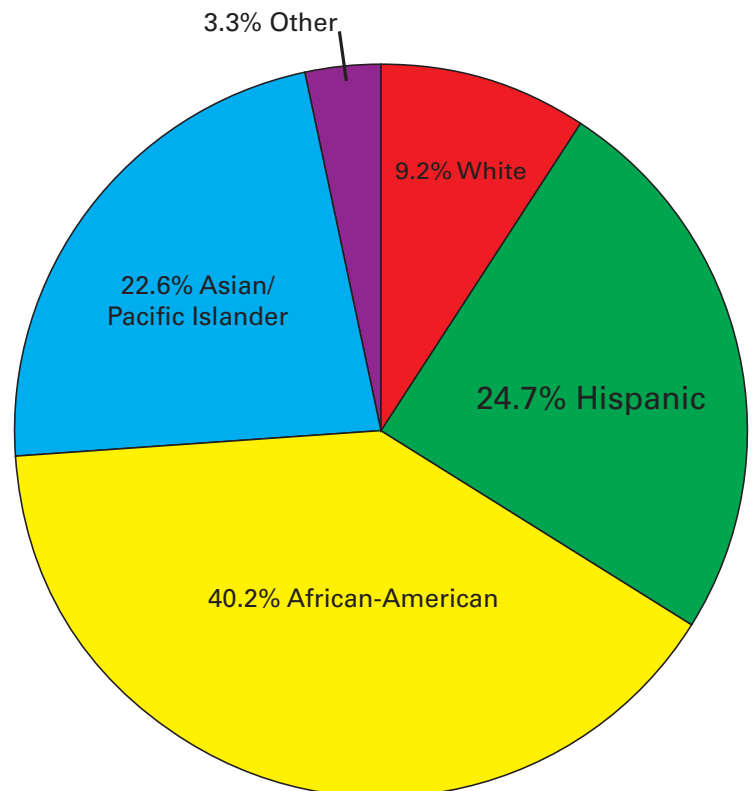
Dr. Zachary R. Hodges has served as president of HCC Northwest College since 1994. In his 18 years as president, his commitment to partner with diverse stakeholders has leveraged the college as a catalyst for economic and community development in West Houston.

Spring 2012 Enrollment



Student Population

Ethnicity



2012 Tuition and Fees

- **In-district tuition and fees** for one semester credit hour are \$92.30 or \$813.60 for 12 hours
- **Out-of-district tuition and fees** for one semester credit hour are \$164.30 or \$1,677.60 for 12 hours.
- **Out-of-state tuition and fees** for one semester credit hour are \$306.80 or \$1,875.60 for 12 hours.

How does Alief benefit from HCC?

- Coming in 2013, UT Tyler is scheduled to offer junior and senior level electrical and mechanical engineering classes leading to a four-year degree at the Alief campus.
- Build out of the Alief campus to include a library, space for UT Tyler and additional classrooms.
- Alief Early College High School will graduate its first class in Spring of 2013, with several students earning both their high school diploma and associate's degree.
- Partnering with Alief ISD to master plan the Alief Continuing Education Center which would include space sharing opportunities and the potential to offer more workforce programs.
- Dual Credit classes to expand into all Alief ISD high schools beginning Fall 2012.

HCC's Top Rankings

- HCC is the #1 Texas community college for placing students in jobs when they graduate.
- HCC is the #1 college in Texas for workforce programs, with 25 recognized as exemplary.
- HCC is #1 in Associate Degree transfers to the University of Houston.
- HCC is #1 for international student enrollment among U.S. community colleges.
- HCC is ranked #1 in Texas for granting Associate Degrees, with 3,606 awarded this year.
- HCC is the eighth largest degree granting college or university in the country.
- HCC offers a wide variety of financial aid options, including grants, loans, work-study programs and scholarships.
- Average class sizes are small, with low student to teacher ratios of 23 to 1.

HCC's Economic Impact

- HCC contributes roughly \$155 million in income to the service area economy annually due to our operations.
- State and local governments and taxpayers receive a 6.6% rate of return on their investments in HCC.
- On average, more than 75% of our students settle in the HCC service area while another 15% remain in Texas. Their skills translate into higher earnings and increased output to your businesses, amounting to \$1.7 billion annually.
- \$15.8 million would annually be spent by the government in costs on health, medical, crime and welfare if HCC were not here.
- \$24.5 million are added annually to the tax revenue of the region from the citizens we educate and from the avoided social costs that result from their increases education.



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HCC Katy Campus

1550 Fox Lake Drive
Houston, TX 77084
713.718.5757

Alief Hayes Campus

2811 Hayes Rd.
(Westheimer & Hayes Rd.)
713.718.6870

HCC Spring Branch Campus

1010 W. Sam Houston Pkwy. N.
Houston, TX 77043
713.718.5700

Alief Bissonnet Campus

13803 Bissonnet St.
(Bissonnet & Eldridge)
713.718.5700