Surveys and Awards News

Digital Community Colleges Survey

The Center for Digital Education, in conjunction with the American Association of Community Colleges, conducts annual survey examines and documents how community colleges have progressed in using information technology staff. Presidents at nearly 1,000 community colleges across the nation are invited to participate in the survey.

2003 Digital Community Colleges

The Center for Digital Education, in collaboration with the American Association of Community Colleges, is pleased to announce the results of its 2003 Digital Community Colleges Survey!

Launched in October 2003, the Digital Community Colleges Survey examined and assessed how community colleges have progressed in using information technology to deliver services to their students, faculty and staff.

College officials responded to a set of 18 questions and community colleges were ranked according to a four-point scale, providing Web site addresses and background data for final verification and validation.

Presidents at nearly 1,000 community colleges across the nation were invited to participate in the survey. Winners were grouped into three categories based on city and student population: Large/urban, mid-sized/suburban and small/rural.

Top 10 Digital Community Colleges

Large/Urban:
1st Place: Florida Community College, Jacksonville, Fla.
2nd Place: Central Piedmont Community College, Charlotte, N.C.
3rd Place (tie): Arizona Western College, Yuma, Ariz.
3rd Place (tie): Utah Valley State College, Orem, Utah
4th Place: Fox Valley Technical College, Appleton, Wis.
5th Place: St. Petersburg College, St. Petersburg, Fla.
6th Place (tie): Miami-Dade College, Miami, Fla.
6th Place (tie): San Joaquin Delta College, Stockton, Calif.
7th Place (tie): Daytona Beach Community College, Daytona Beach, Fla.
7th Place (tie): Laramie County Community College, Cheyenne, Wyo.
7th Place (tie): Tallahassee Community College, Tallahassee, Fla.
8th Place: Piedmont Virginia Community College, Charlottesville, Va.
9th Place: Jefferson State Community College, Birmingham, Ala.
10th Place (tie): Darton College, Albany, Ga.
10th Place (tie): Houston Community College, Houston, Texas
Mid-sized/Suburban:
1st Place: Anne Arundel Community College, Arnold, Md.
2nd Place: Montgomery County Community College, Blue Bell, Pa.
3rd Place: Indian River Community College, Fort Pierce, Fla.
4th Place: Hibbing Community College, Hibbing, Minn.
5th Place (tie): Brevard Community College, Cocoa, Fla.
5th Place (tie): Cerro Coso Community College, Mammoth Lakes, Calif.
6th Place: College of DuPage, Glen Ellyn, Ill.
7th Place: Herkimer County Community College, Herkimer, N.Y.
8th Place: Edison Community College, Piqua, Ohio
9th Place: Diablo Valley College, Pleasant Hill, Calif.
10th Place (tie): Collin County Community College, Plano, Texas
10th Place (tie): Northwestern Connecticut Community College, Winsted, Conn.

Small/Rural:
1st Place: Skagit Valley College, Mount Vernon, Wash.
2nd Place: Minnesota West Community and Technical College, Worthington, Minn.
3rd Place: Rogue Community College, Grants Pass, Ore.
4th Place: Patrick Henry Community College, Martinsville, Va.
5th Place: Blue Ridge Community College, Weyers Cave, Va.
6th Place: Cascadia Community College, Bothell, Wash.
7th Place (tie): Lehigh Carbon Community College, Schnecksville, Pa.
7th Place (tie): Piedmont Technical College, Greenwood, S.C.
8th Place: Central Wyoming College, Riverton, Wyo.
9th Place: Panola College, Carthage, Texas
10th Place (tie): Lake Sumter Community College, Leesburg, Fla.
10th Place (tie): Quinebaug Valley Community College, Danielson, Connecticut

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2002 Digital Education Surveys
To view the results of the Center for Digital Education's 2002 Digital Community Colleges Survey or Digital States Survey/Education, click here.