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Stockton to Host Re-Employment Conference

*Effort Underway to Help Community Members
Cope During Economic Downturn*

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Galloway Township, NJ- The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey will host a conference on March 18th designed to help community members displaced by the economy to re-enter the workforce.

“The Three R’s (Re-entry, Re-Invent, Resources) of Re-Employment” Conference will include sessions on how displaced workers might market themselves during tough economic conditions and retool their skills to be more attractive to a wide range of employers.

The event, open to the public, will take place from 8:30 to 1:00 PM, Wednesday, March 18th at the Arts and Sciences Building, Room 102 on the Galloway Township Campus. Cost is \$10 for

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In highlighting the service the College is partnering to offer the community, President Saatkamp states that “Stockton has resources, expertise and facilities to help displaced workers through difficult times. We’re offering these resources to our community members as well as our students.”

The March conference offers specific strategies for unemployed professionals, according to event organizing team member, Cynthia Sosnowski. “We will be helping people with résumé development strategies, utilizing 21st Century job search resources and even social networking to help find employment.”

An additional session at the conference will inform attendees about in-demand careers and the requirements to be marketable in today’s workforce and that of the future. Panelists will include a wide range of Stockton faculty and staff, and will also include representatives from Atlantic Cape Community College and the Workforce Investment Board One Stop Career Center.

“Although people have been displaced by the current state of the economy, there remain opportunities for those savvy enough to reposition, use the skills they have and acquire new skills,” Sosnowski said.

The cost of the conference includes a continental breakfast. For more information or to register, please call (609) 652-4227 or log onto www.stockton.edu/hshs and click on ‘Conferences.’ To be placed on the mailing list, please e-mail cs-hshs@stockton.edu.

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