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Stockton Center on Successful Aging to Host Money Management Series

12 Free Classes are Scheduled Beginning Feb. 25

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Galloway Township, NJ - The Stockton Center on Successful Aging (SCOSA) at The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey will host a series of 12 free classes for senior adults, ages 55 and older, beginning on Thursday, February 25, 2010 at three locations in Atlantic County. The goal of the program, presented by Money Management International (MMI) – a nonprofit, credit counseling agency - is to increase knowledge in the areas of spending, avoiding identity theft, preparing for homeownership, and creating wealth.

David Burdick, Ph.D., Director of the Stockton Center on Successful Aging, noted that “planning for one’s financial future is a core component of the successful aging initiatives sponsored by the Center and we’re thrilled to collaborate with Money Management International to bring this important program to our region.”

“Due to the recent economic downturn, people are becoming more and more interested in how to make their dollars stretch a little farther,” said Maura Attardi, Regional Director of Education, Development, and Community Relations for Money Management International. “These classes will be a unique opportunity for individuals and families to make it through these tough economic times and come out the other side more financially savvy.”

Schedule for classes:

The Art of the Scam - Scams & Fraud

Thursday, February 25 from 1:00-3:00pm at the Atlantic County Library System/Galloway Township Branch, 306 E Jim Leeds Rd., Galloway

Tuesday, March 2 from 10:00-12:00pm at the Atlantic County Library System/Hammonton Branch, 451 Egg Harbor Rd., Hammonton

Avoid becoming a victim yourself. Learn how to recognize the tricks of a con artist and the tell-tale warning signs of a scam.

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Living on a Fixed Income

Setting Goals & Priorities

Thursday, April 1 from 1:00-3:00pm at the Atlantic County Library System/Galloway Township Branch, 306 E Jim Leeds Rd., Galloway

Goals provide direction as you travel toward your financial destination.

Using Credit wisely: Curves Ahead

Thursday, April 15 from 1:00-3:00pm at the Atlantic County Library System/Galloway Township Branch, 306 E Jim Leeds Rd., Galloway

One of the essential tools that can help you reach your financial goals is your credit management. When credit is used wisely, it can be a part of your plan to reach major long-term goals. Used unwisely, overwhelming debt can affect long-term plans.

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