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COMMUNITY NEWS

THE RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY

## J-Wing Renovations Latest Campus Improvement

The end of another Spring semester signals the start of the busy season for the Facilities Planning and Construction folks at Stockton.

The most visible project is the ongoing construction of the new Unified Science Center. However, the original "spine" buildings continue upgrades with the latest major work taking place in J-Wing.

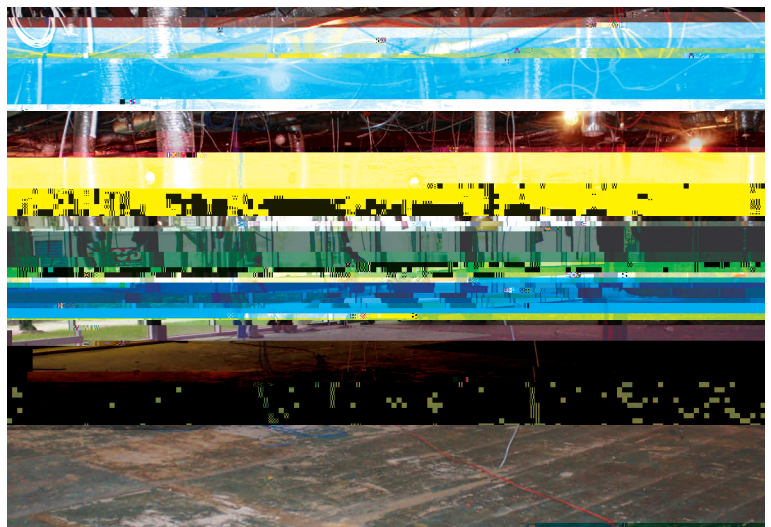
Glenn Brown, associate director, Facilities, Planning and Construction said work is progressing well with the completion goal of August for a completely re-designed space.

"Everything is being gutted with the walls taken down and starting over with a big new open space, new walls, new electrical work and fixtures, new carpeting, pretty much everything new and reconfigured," Brown said.

Meanwhile, showing typical Stockton 'can-do' spirit, the offices of human resources, payroll and benefits have been temporarily relocated to trailers adjacent to Housing III. "Welcome to my new double-wide," Human Resources Director Natalie Havran said with a smile this week. "We are off the beaten path a little bit back here, but the quarters are actually quite comfortable."

Training Manager, Safety Administration Gene Swilkey, who worked in a spacious cubicle

Associate Supervisor JoAnna Inferra and Program Assistant Celestine Houston make their way into the temporary payroll trailer.



Old carpeting is removed as workers continue the J-Wing renovations.





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## **Deb Figart Presents Paper at Columbia University**

Stockton Professor of Education and Economics and Director of the Stockton Center for Economic & Financial Literacy Deb Figart delivered an invited paper at a Columbia University Seminar series on April 26. Figart presented “Financial Capabilities for Low-Income Households: Alternative Responses to Financial Exclusion” at the Seminar on Political Economy and Contemporary Social Issues.

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