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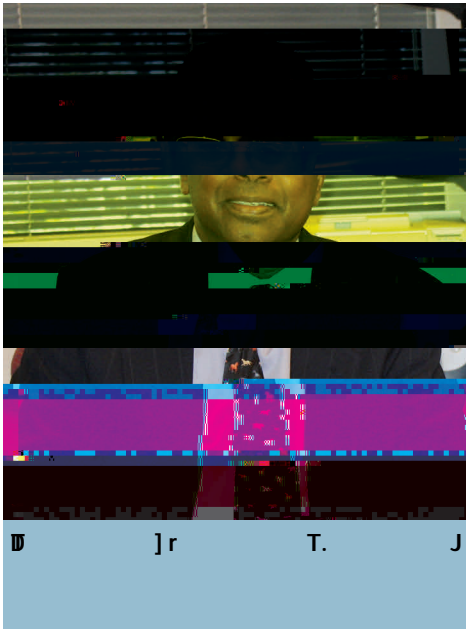
Stockton Continues to Advance in *U.S. News* Report Rankings

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Stockton Students Attend National Conventions

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Dr. Sathasivam "Kris" Krishnan joined Stockton on Monday, September 10 as the new associate provost for Personnel, Programs and Policy.

"I would like to thank Dr. Sonia Gonsalves for chairing the national search for the position and fulfilling the role as Interim Associate Provost this past summer in an extraordinary manner," Provost Harvey Kesselman said. "I would also like to thank the members of the Search Committee for their excellent work."

Dr. Krishnan has over 19 years of experience with the New Jersey Department of Higher Education and the New Jersey Commission on Higher Education in the area of Research & Policy Analysis. During this time, Dr. Krishnan assumed progressively greater levels of responsibility relating to statewide accountability and assessment reporting issues, and he eventually served as the director of the Office of Research and Policy Analysis for five years.

Since 2006, Dr. Krishnan has served as the associate dean for Institutional Research & Planning at the Hudson County Community College. In this position, he developed and implemented the College's assessment plan and played a pivotal role in moving the institution from MSA CHE probation status. Dr.

Krishnan's substantial experience in policy, programs and research makes him an exceptional fit for this position as does his eclectic educational preparation.

Dr. Krishnan earned a B.S. in engineering from Sri Venkateswara University, Andhra Pradesh, India, an M.B.A. from the University of Texas at Arlington and an Ed.D in Educational Leadership from Rowan University.

Please join the *Stockton Times* in welcoming Kris Krishnan to Stockton.

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senior and Student Senate VP David Lamando represented the College at the Republican National Convention. Both students were treated to a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to rub shoulders with political heavyweights and assist behind the scenes with journalists and technicians at CNN.



"April met Rahm Emanuel and Robert Gibbs," Professor Rodriguez said. "She's still walking on air."

Stockton is affiliated with the nation's largest internship organization, [The Washington Center](#). Since the mid-1970s more than 1,000 Stockton students have completed para-professional internships in Washington, D.C. One of the largest groups of Washington Center alumni in the country is from Stockton, and it is very common to find Stockton alumni in the D.C., metropolitan region who trace the trajectory of their career paths to their internships as Stockton undergraduates.

Please visit the [Hughes Center Facebook page](#) to see photos and read the daily journal entries from Lamando and Lind.

Associate Professor of Political Science Michael Rodriguez is coordinator of the Washington Internship Program and Director of Research and Policy Analysis for the William J. Hughes Center.

Economic Impact Fact

Results of the FY '11 study demonstrate the enormous economic contribution of Stockton to New Jersey. The combination of direct spending, community service and alumni earnings, along with the creation of new jobs, produced a one-year impact in the New Jersey economy to the tune of \$442,176,989.18.

To read the full Economic Impact Report, [click here](#).



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