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KEY FACTS:

Year Founded: 1966

Service Area: Central, East and Downtown Seattle, King County

Legislative Districts: 1st, 11th, 32nd, 34th, 36th, 37th, 43rd, 46th

Programs: 1 bachelors degree, 24 associate degrees, 51 professional certificates in 30 programs of study.

Highest Enrolled Programs:

- Associate of Arts - DTA
- Nursing – Associate Degree
- Culinary Arts
- Social and Human Services
- Graphic Design and Illustration

State-Supported Enrollment:

Headcount: 12,504
FTES: 5,852

Enrollments for Selected Student Types (FTES):

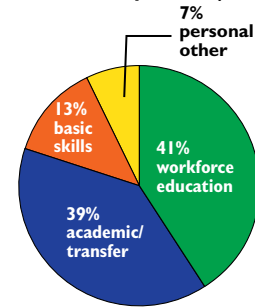
eLearning: 532
I-BEST: 41
International Students: 1,306
Opportunity Grant: 91
Running Start: 225
Worker Retraining: 491

Seattle Central CC's student population is among the most diverse in the state; more than 50 percent of SCCC's students are persons of color.

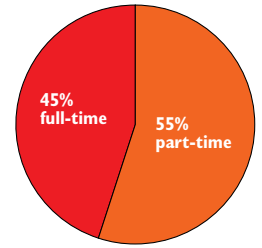
STUDENT PROFILE

(Fall 2010 unless otherwise noted)

Enrollment by intent (2010-11)



Attendance



Ethnicity

Asian/Pacific Islander 19%
African American 19%
Native American 2%
Hispanic 10%
Other, Multiracial 3%
White/Caucasian 47%

Median age

27.6

Family and Finances

Students receiving need-based financial aid (2010-11): 24%
Students who work: 53%
Students with children: 23%

Gender

Female: 55%
Male: 45%

Employment Rate (2008-09):

73%

(within 9 months of program completion)

POINTS OF INTEREST:

Sustainability Seattle Central was "green" before it was popular. The college began recycling and energy conservation programs in the 70s and continues its commitment to sustainable practices to this day. Seattle Central is now host to the Capitol Hill Farmer's Market, providing local farmers a venue to sell their food. Seattle Central's Culinary Academy was one of the first to incorporate sustainability into its curriculum. The college also has a \$2 million grant for an energy conservation project that is expected to save \$200,000 per year. In 2010 the college opened the Plant Sciences Laboratory (the "urban greenhouse") which will be used by students in the SAge (Sustainable Agriculture Education program).

Student Life Seattle Central has one of the most vibrant Student Leadership programs in the nation. On average, there are more than 50 clubs and organizations available to students each quarter. The school's Phi Theta Kappa chapter is recognized nationally and has amassed more than \$1 million in scholarship money for its members. A Student Veterans club serves the 300 veterans on campus. Students who assume leadership roles at Seattle Central take classes in leadership, ethical citizenship and leadership theory and practice. When they leave, they have an official transcript of leadership involvement and accomplishments. Students sit on all major committees of the campus, including the College Council (which advises the President).

Seattle Maritime Academy The Seattle Maritime Academy (SMA) is the only program of its kind serving students from the states of Washington and Alaska. Ninety-five percent of its students graduate from the program and all graduates find employment in the maritime industry. The Maritime Academy currently offers two U.S. Coast Guard approved programs: Marine Deck Technology and Marine Engineering Technology. The demand for SMA graduates has historically been high and is expected to increase as the current maritime population nears retirement. The Maritime Academy will soon begin work on an \$18 million project that will add 23,800 square feet of space to include three specialty labs, classrooms and a simulation suite (engine, bridge and navigation).