

HACC CENTER FOR GLOBAL EDUCATION

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AT HACC, CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA'S  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE



**IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR AN AFFORDABLE EDUCATION IN A BEAUTIFUL SETTING THAT IS CLOSE TO MAJOR METROPOLITAN AREAS, THEN HACC, CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA'S COMMUNITY COLLEGE, IS THE RIGHT CHOICE FOR YOU.**

HACC offers close to 200 associate and transfer degree, certificate and diploma programs at five regional campuses within driving distance of New York City, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Baltimore and Washington, D.C.

You'll find a welcoming atmosphere, academic support and numerous opportunities to make friends through student clubs and organizations, and you can count on HACC for a quality academic experience provided by high-quality, engaged professors in a supportive environment. HACC provides day, evening and weekend classes at physical campuses in Gettysburg, Harrisburg, Lancaster, Lebanon and York.



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## AT A GLANCE

- Accredited by the Commission on Higher Education of the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools
- Student-faculty ratio: 19-1
- Central Pennsylvania is close to the metropolitan areas of New York City, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Baltimore and Washington, D. C.
- HACC college credits transfer to most four-year universities across the country, with more than 40 formal transfer agreements
- Campuses in Gettysburg, Harrisburg, Lancaster, Lebanon, and York
- More than 23,000 credit students and more than 50,000 students enrolled in workforce development and community education programs annually
- **Climate:** Pennsylvania has four seasons, including spring, summer, fall and winter. Temperatures range from approximately 90 degrees F (32 degrees C) in the summer to 5 degrees F (-15 degrees C) in the winter.
- **Off-Campus housing:** HACC is a commuter school and, as such, does not offer residential accommodations on campus. However, housing assistance is available through the International Admissions Coordinator.

[www.hacc.edu](http://www.hacc.edu)



HACC does not discriminate in employment, student admissions, and student services on the basis of race, color, religion, age, political affiliation or belief, sex, national origin, ancestry, disability, place of birth, General Education Development Certification (GED), marital status, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, veteran status, or any other legally protected classification.



## WHAT CURRENT STUDENTS SAY

- “The best experience at HACC is making friends while taking academic challenges,” said Maria Anosova of Ukraine, who is a nursing major at the Harrisburg Campus. “Here, one has a chance to find himself or herself in the world of fascinating extracurricular activities, interesting class discussions and fulfilling sharing of the cultures.”
- “I would recommend HACC to other international students because I feel welcome to the college, and I find all the help necessary,” said Marie-Claire Charles of Haiti, who is a business administration major at the Lancaster Campus. “At HACC, I also feel no different than the other students, and the education is credible.”
- “Pennsylvania is a great part of America and relatively close to Washington, D.C., and New York City, so doing all those tourist trips in free time is easy,” said David Yates of the United Kingdom, who is a business administration and management major at the Gettysburg Campus.
- Beata Hunyadi of Romania found out about HACC from her uncle. She decided to enroll in the nursing program at the York Campus because of “low tuition costs and the excellent ESL program.”
- Karen Wynter of Jamaica said, “Classes are small, so you will get individual attention. A lot of resources are provided to help you in areas you struggle.” Wynter, a business studies major, chose the Lebanon Campus because it is close to where her family lives.

## ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

At HACC you will find:

- **English as a Second Language Program (ESL)**  
The ESL program offers four levels of instruction from beginning to advanced. Classes meet 15 hours a week with emphases on speaking, listening, reading and writing skills.
- **Career Programs**  
Career programs require four or more terms of full-time study to complete and include courses providing concentrated study in a particular field and general education; enable students to enter a career immediately upon graduation.
- **Transfer Programs**  
Transfer programs provide the first two years of education for a four-year bachelor's degree. Top transfer schools for international students include Penn State University, Shippensburg University, Millersville University, York College of Pennsylvania and Temple University, but credits are easily transferred nationwide.

Find a complete listing of programs at [www.hacc.edu](http://www.hacc.edu).

## SUPPORT SERVICES

- International student orientation program
- Academic support services including free tutoring
- Expert academic advising
- Student activities and clubs
- Assistance with immigration responsibilities related to maintaining status, transfer, employment and travel
- Internships and practical training opportunities
- Study abroad opportunities

## ADMISSION

HACC's open enrollment policy ensures that any student with a high school diploma can enroll in classes.

The application and instructions for international students are accessible to download from our website.

Please visit our website at [www.hacc.edu](http://www.hacc.edu) for more information on how to apply. You can also contact Jill Matolyak, International Admissions Coordinator, at 717-780-2403 or email [iadmissn@hacc.edu](mailto:iadmissn@hacc.edu) for more information.