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2021-2022 Annual Report Included



MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

I'd like to introduce myself to you as the proud seventh president of Skagit Valley College (SVC). I have had the opportunity to interact with a large number of faculty, staff, students, and community members, and I have discovered one common denominator in learning more about the college. People love SVC! We have been here for 96 years and have established ourselves as a fundamental partner with you over the years.

We are particularly focused on reinforcing our Guiding Principles in everything we do at the college ranging from instruction, support services, and of course, community relations. We reaffirm our commitment to equity as our foundation for providing access, supporting achievement, and strengthening community. This requires that we listen, innovate, and be adaptive as we keep our Guiding Principles of Integrity, Respect, Open and Honest Collaboration, and Compassion, at the heart of everything we do.

At SVC, in this post-COVID environment, we believe in building back **community**. After experiencing a world in which we relied heavily on communicating and learning online, we recognize the importance of getting together to interact in person. We learned so much during COVID, and we discovered that we are strong, resolute, persistent, and resourceful. It has been amazing to experience the depth to which we as a community needed to physically interact with each other.

We have started to build back community by hosting events such as El Grito (see page 3). We look forward to planning and hosting more community-wide events and hope you will join us.

On behalf of the SVC Board of Trustees, Foundation Board of Governors, faculty, staff, and students, thank you for continuing to be part of our SVC community!

Sincerely,

Dr. Christopher Villa
President



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Board of Trustees

Megan Scott O'Bryan Chair	Kathryn Bennett
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SKAGIT VALLEY COLLEGE (SVC) hosted El Grito, a celebration of Mexico’s independence, on Thursday, Sept. 15. The Consulate of Mexico in Seattle, Héctor Iván Godoy Priske, Cónsul Titular, attended the event as a special guest.

More than 600 local community members packed Tollefson Plaza on

the Mount Vernon campus to celebrate El Grito.

El Grito featured local food, vendors, a resource fair, and performances from Mount Vernon High School Mariachi, Ballet Folklorico, and a DJ.

On Sept. 16, 1810, Mexico reclaimed their

independence from the Spanish monarchy. El Grito is a traditional celebration

of the independence held the day before on Sept. 15.

Sept. 15 also marks the

independence for many other Latin American countries: Honduras,

Guatemala, El Salvador, and Costa Rica. This event also celebrated these countries.

Through the El Grito celebration, SVC fostered a culture of belonging and provided a space for the community and students to celebrate and practice the tradition.

More than 600 local community members packed Tollefson Plaza... to celebrate El Grito.

ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT

EBER RIVERA

As a high school senior, nobody was as surprised as Eber Rivera when he learned that he had received a Champions of Diversity scholarship.

“My first year in high school was not a good one – as a person or a student. But during that year, I learned that I needed to change if I wanted to have a better life,” said Eber.

That self-motivated change was noticeable by those around him. In school, teachers saw him not just wanting to be better, but working to be better. His desire and effort

were undeniable, leading to his nomination for the Champions of Diversity scholarship.

Being the first in his family to graduate from high school, staying close to home was a key factor in choosing SVC.

“Navigating college was tough, but I would think about standing in front of people as a Champion of Diversity and I understood that I wasn’t alone,” said Eber. “I was validated that I

belonged here.”

But, as with many first-generation students, Eber remembers times where he didn’t know if he’d finish



college. The connections with new friends, staff, and faculty at SVC helped him persevere. Again, his efforts were

recognized by those around him as SVC’s 2020 Charles H. Lewis Memorial Award winner.

“It was beautiful to know that people saw that in

me...it was a sign from the universe that I was on the right path and doing what I should be doing with my life,” said Eber.

Now, Eber works for the Mount Vernon School District as a Migrant Education Specialist and is the Executive Director of the Triumph Teen Life Center. Eber is also planning on returning to SVC in winter 2023 to pursue a bachelor’s degree and has started writing a book about his experiences and the lessons he’s learned along the way.



SVC PARTNERS WITH SWINOMISH TRIBE TO ADDRESS UNMET NEED FOR DENTAL THERAPISTS

This fall, SVC, in partnership with Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, proudly launched the first Dental Therapy Education Program in the lower 48 states after more than a decade of advocacy, collaboration, and planning.

In celebration, SVC and the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community hosted a ribbon cutting ceremony and blessing of the program on Sept. 15.

The new program addresses the on-going oral health workforce disparities among underrepresented minorities specifically, the American Indian/Alaska Native (AI/AN) communities.

“Dental therapists bring

culturally appropriate oral health care to Native communities,” said Swinomish Tribal Chairman Steve Edwards. “There is an unmet need for dental therapists, and now this training program will make dental therapy training available here in Washington, so students won’t have to move far from home to learn these valuable skills.”

The name of the Dental Therapy Program is **dəxʷx̣ayəbus**, which is a Lushootseed phrase pronounced as dahf-hi-

ya-buus and translates to a **Place of Smiles**. Lushootseed is a common language of coastal Salish tribes, made up of many

local dialects of Native Americans throughout the Puget Sound region.

This new professional dental education program is co-located at SVC’s Mount Vernon Campus

and Swinomish Indian Tribal Community’s Dental Clinic and is a rigorous, cohort-based, three-year program. It focuses on student-centered teaching and

learning with a commitment to equitable student outcomes.

The Dental Therapy Program was developed through a collaboration of numerous partners, including: Swinomish Tribal Senate, departmental leadership, and community members; SVC and supporting departments; world-wide dental therapy advocates; Washington Dental Therapy Education Advisory Committee; Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board; ARCORA; Margaret A. Cargill Philanthropies; Kellogg Foundation; and the National Indian Health Board.

THE PROGRAM AIMS TO DELIVER “SMILES” BECAUSE SMILES ARE STRONG INDICATORS OF PERSONAL CONFIDENCE AS WELL AS PHYSICAL AND MENTAL HEALTH.



Donor Spotlight: George and Sheila Saul

Oak Harbor Couple Shows Support for Early Childhood Education

George and Sheila Saul generously established the endowed Peg Moy and Sheila Moy Saul Early Childhood Education scholarship fund to support students pursuing a four-year Early Childhood Education degree.

The scholarship fund is named after Sheila's mother, Peg Moy, who lived in Ithaca, N.Y. with her GI Bill-educated husband where they raised six children, including their eldest daughter, Sheila.

Education has been an important part of both George and Sheila's lives.

Sheila has degrees in Education, Child Development, and Special Education and has taught in preschools, elementary schools, junior high, and high schools. In retirement, she volunteers at Coupeville Elementary School.

George is a volunteer caseworker at Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society and was a mentor with the Island



County's Drug Court program. With the Whidbey Community Foundation, George helped to kick off the foundation's annual grant program.

In addition to providing financial support to many community causes, George and Sheila have sponsored a Sno-Isle Library Prime Time family reading program in honor of George's mom who was a librarian. They have also provided scholarships to graduating Oak Harbor High

School students in honor of George's dad.

This newly established scholarship was created on the heels of the recent opening of SVC's Sue Krienen Early Learning and Childcare Center which has capacity for 30 children in two classrooms and includes an outdoor play area and an observation room for ECE students.

If you are interested in supporting the Saul's Early Childhood Education Scholarship, visit skagitfoundation.org/givenow.



Give the Gift of Lifelong Learning! Take a Class or Teach One!

SVC SKAGIT VALLEY COLLEGE Continuing and Community Education

Continuing and Community Education at SVC offers a variety of personal enrichment and professional development non-credit courses. For lovers of lifelong learning, taking a CCE course is a great way to engage in a passion, build connections in the community, or acquire a new skill.

Give the gift of lifelong learning! If you are looking for a unique and special holiday gift, consider giving your friends or loved one a seat in an in-person or online class. Classes range from art, fitness, professional development, computer training, and more.

Interested in sharing your gifts? We value the talent and expertise in our community. If you would like to teach or have a class topic you would like to take, let us know. For more information, contact communityed@skagit.edu.

Check out our catalog and sign up at skagit.edu/cccatalog.

Program Spotlight

SVC SKAGIT VALLEY COLLEGE Bachelor's Degree Programs

Your Path to a Bachelor's is Closer Than You Think

SVC Offers Three Bachelor's Degrees Environmental Conservation

Taking advantage of the exceptional learning opportunities in Skagit Valley's unique ecology of temperate forests, shorelines, and mixed-use wilderness areas and a fully water accredited lab. The Environmental Conservation program prepares students for careers in natural resource management, ecology, and environmental science. This degree is one of two of its type to be offered at a community college in Washington.

Management

Known as the learning lab for the 21st century workplace and now in its sixth year, the bachelor's in management degree has two tracks: general management and healthcare management. The fully online program replicates the on-the-job learning environment with courses that model a management view perspective through teamwork and a curated independent learning experience.

Computer Science/Software Development

SVC's latest area of bachelor's degree focus is on the high demand field of computer science/software development. Students will work on integrated real-world projects in teams and individually, building their own networks of industry and community partners.

Learn more at skagit.edu/bas or email bachelors@skagit.edu.

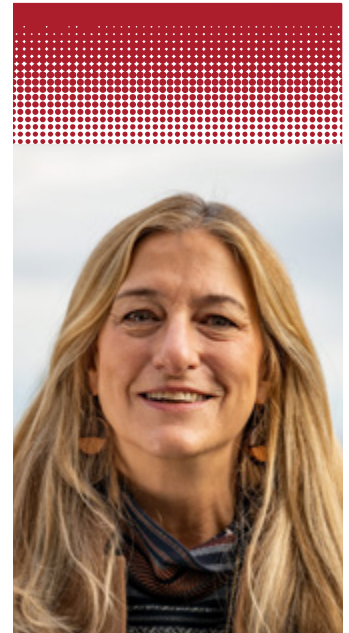
**ANNUAL REPORT
2021-2022**



Brad Tuininga
Executive Director,
SVC Foundation

As we reflect on the last academic year, which was marked by a persistent pandemic, we began to see glimmers of hope and re-emergence by spring. Our economy, jobs and global markets were strong, and that optimism came through with your philanthropy. Your gifts to SVC provided a true sense of hope for our students. Thanks to YOU, SVC Foundation was able to continue supporting college programs and students at greater levels than we have in the past.

This year we celebrated the grand openings of three donor driven capital projects: the Sue Krienen Early Learning & Childcare Center, the Claude Blackburn Pickleball Pavilion, and our new Head Start Center in Friday Harbor. All this, in addition to countless stories of our community supporting student scholarships, emergency and childcare funding, as well as direct support to College programs. In this report, we focus on the stories and impact of YOUR generosity. While we can report a strong balance sheet and extraordinary philanthropic impact, we count our success with the quality of relationships we have with our community. Your involvement and commitment is proof we are strong.



Pam Allen
President,
SVC Foundation

Thanks to YOU our students are thriving!



OVER \$2.9M
OVER \$565K
OVER \$862K

RAISED IN CASH, PLEDGES, AND IN-KIND GIFTS

AWARDED TO SUPPORT VITAL COLLEGE PROGRAMS AND CAMPAIGN FUNDS FOR STUDENTS

IN SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED TO 382 STUDENTS

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

ASSETS		NET ASSETS	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$1,701,998	Unrestricted	
Pledges receivable	\$4,343	Board designated - endowment	\$2,069,545
Advances due from Skagit Valley College	\$429,252	Board designated - endow., operating reserv.	\$93,577
Investments	\$16,311,802	Board designated - Campus View Village	\$1,434,586
Property and equipment, net	\$3,029,098	Board designated - Booster Club	\$324,335
Other assets	\$33,688	Board designated - Cardinal Complete Prg.	\$0
Total assets:	\$21,510,181	Board designated - President's Dev. Fund	\$0
		Undesignated	\$1,930,937
		Total Unrestricted	\$5,852,980
		Permanently Restricted	\$14,769,442
		Total Net Assets	\$20,622,422
		TOTAL LIABILITIES & NET ASSETS	\$21,510,181
LIABILITIES			
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$123,747		
Advances due to Skagit Valley College	\$354,763		
Tenant security deposits and prepaid rent	\$36,560		
Passthrough funds held as agent	\$26,992		
Long-term debt, net	\$345,697		
Total liabilities:	\$887,759		

COMMUNITY AND DONOR IMPACT REPORT

STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

\$863,231 awarded to 382 students



For many SVC students, their ability to pursue a college degree would not be possible without the support of scholarships.

Liberty Miller is one of those students. She comes from a loving and supportive family who have encouraged her to attend college and play volleyball, her passion since the age

of nine. Her parents work hard but with three kids and two other family members to support, money is tight.

Thanks to the **Melvin and Oscar Peterson / Henry Tenneson Memorial Endowment** and the **Jerry and Kathy Clark Memorial Scholarship**, pursuing a criminal justice degree and playing volleyball at SVC is

attainable for Liberty.

While attending school and playing volleyball, Liberty also works as a Resident Advisor in Campus View Village, SVC's student housing. With her determination and the support she's getting from scholarships, Liberty is on her way to a bright future.

ATHLETICS SCHOLARSHIPS

\$64,767.01 awarded to 39 athletes



For some students, academics doesn't come easy. This much was true for **Julius Cain**, basketball player and second-year student at SVC. For student-athletes like Julius, the opportunity to play competitive sports at a small college, where he can also focus on his classes, he is poised to excel.

Aside from his success on the court, Julius has seen a marked increase in his academic success. Having come from modest means, with no financial support from his family, Julius relies on the **Athletic Scholarship** he received (along with the **Brandon Koetje Scholarship** through the SVC Foundation) to

make ends meet.

Julius knows his past won't define his future, he wants this to be this example for his sisters. "I want to show my little sisters that we aren't defined by our past and that you can break the cycle that you're born into," said Julius.

CHAMPIONS OF DIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS

\$30,000 awarded to 10 first-year students
\$10,000 awarded to 10 second-year students



The Champions of Diversity Scholarship has been supporting SVC students for 22 years and in that time we've impacted hundreds of students throughout our district. One example is **Dianey Ramirez Aguilera** who graduated from Sedro-Woolley High School last June and started working on her

nursing pre-requisites at SVC this fall.

Dianey comes from a migrant farming family who moved around a lot when she was young. As a result, she developed a strong commitment to family and community.

Nominated for the **Champions of Diversity Scholarship** by the librarian

at Sedro-Woolley High School, she is described as "courageous, caring, and dedicated to family and community."

A career in nursing where Dianey can put these skills to work — along with her fluency in English, Spanish, and Mixteco languages — will benefit our community for years to come.

Student Emergency Funding \$54,320 awarded to 60 students

Like so many students in the community and technical college system, pursuing a college degree is not always an easy path.

After starting and stopping her work toward a nursing degree,

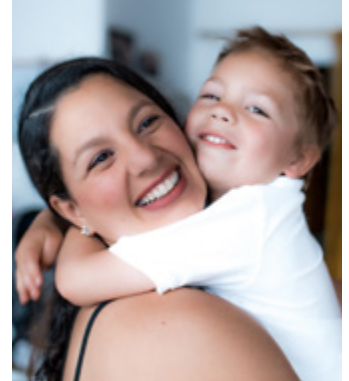
Renata Lovisicorrea, an Oak Harbor native and resident, was able to re-

enroll in her program at the Mount Vernon campus. The unexpected spike in travel distance and fuel costs meant Renata needed all the help she could get just to make her way to the end of the quarter.

Thanks to the **Emergency Fund**, Renata could stay enrolled.

“I’ve been struggling in silence for as long as I can remember and resources like this help women like me pursue their dreams of providing a better future for our children,” Renata said.

Your support has brought Renata one step closer to graduation and a more secure financial future.



Student Childcare Assistance \$43,820 to 32 students

Andrew Richardson applied for **childcare assistance** as he balanced the needs of his daughter and the demands of his program.

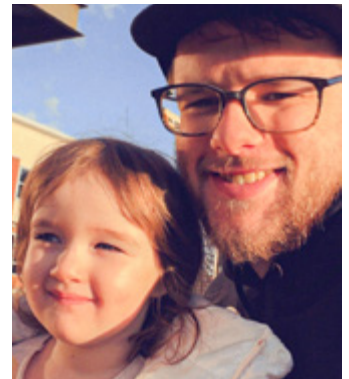
Andrew is studying to be a firefighter and the challenge of finding safe, affordable childcare while he pursues his dream of

becoming a first responder was difficult.

Andrew knows his ‘why’. “My why is becoming a better person who is an asset to this community,” said Andrew. “My why is being a man that my daughter is proud to call her dad — a person that not only wants to help but has

the tools to do so, a person who did not settle for being average, and someone who used their full potential to become the best version of themselves that they could possibly be.”

Because of you, we help students like Andrew and his daughter.



OPPORTUNITY FOR EXCELLENCE

\$565,562 Awarded for SVC Programs, Equipment, and Students Support

Opportunity for Excellence funds a wide variety of programs, equipment, and student activities throughout the three counties we serve. Whether it's new lab equipment, capital projects, degree completion programs, or investments in equity and cultural enrichment programs, philanthropy has many faces at SVC. Here are two examples:



In its second year, **Leadership Whidbey** graduated 20 participants in May 2022. With a mission to provide accessible, high quality development opportunities that will connect, inspire, and advance transformational leadership across Whidbey Island, generous community donors, who gave through SVC Foundation, were able to provide scholarships and operational support to help sustain this fledgling program.

As one graduate noted, “Imagine 10 years from now when there are 200 graduates, and the impact that they can make with their understanding of Whidbey Island and the network they’ve created.” Modeled on the success of Leadership Skagit, this new leadership program will benefit aspiring leaders on Whidbey Island for years to come.



Local business involvement with SVC programs is critical to our success. Whether it includes serving on an Advisory Committee, donating equipment, or providing direct support to programs, we rely heavily on our community partners to deliver the highest quality workforce education for students. **Dwayne Lanes Auto Family** understands the value of investing in their future workforce. They contributed two cars for training purposes in the Automotive Technology program lab, and sponsored four tool carts so students have access to the tools they need when they begin the program.



Last year: \$48,158 awarded to 23 SVC Faculty

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Licensed Dental Hygienist

And Independent Stylist,

Stella & Dot

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Dr. Christopher Villa

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Mariko Doerner

Trustee, Skagit Valley College

Carolina Olza-Kelsh, Melanie Horowitz-Coyne, and Ariana Salazar Cecena

(Early Childhood Education) for removing barriers to students by teaching ECE certificate classes in Spanish.

Laura Flores Cailloux, Sharon Hall, and Kevin Meenaghan

(Leadership Whidbey) for exceptional leadership and community engagement in successfully developing the Leadership Whidbey program. (Dave Paul was also acknowledged for his contributions to this program.)

Nancy Bixler, Avery Myers-Regulinski, and Heather Davidson

(Communication Studies) for creating an online public speaking course, which helped keep students on track throughout the pandemic.

Khai Le, Sofia Cotrina, and John Drummond

(Math) for developing curriculum, which will provide for multiple math pathways for emerging math scholars and Basic Education for Adults learners.

Brian Brady, Cindy Elliser, Kristen Hoffbuhr, and Cliff Palmer

(Biology) for developing Course-Based Undergraduate Research Experiences (CUREs) to the Biology Majors Laboratory Curriculum, which enhances community partnership and undergraduate research opportunities for SVC students.

Margret Mills, Elizabeth Sullivan, and Shalon Hurlbert

(Library Services) for updating SVC's Library Collection to include more online, electronic, and computer resources to meet the changing needs of our students.

Matt Mardesich, Mike Beemer, and Art Hebert

(Marine Technology) for increasing enrollment by documenting the complete overhaul of an offshore sailboat for distribution through social media outlets. (Misty Rydberg was also acknowledged for her contributions to this program.)

Jeff Stady

(Math) for reducing educational costs to students by developing open source options for the Introduction to Statistics and Algebra for Statistics courses.

IN MEMORY OF

Linda Carter

Diane Groves

George Edmundson

Cheri Strahl Walsh

Claudia and LeRoy Claude Collins

Ken Brown

Clarence Lisenbee

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 Pickering Endowment
 Pickering Matching Fund
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 Removing Barriers Endowment
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 Second Chance Scholarship
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 Sharon Cole-Waldschmidt Scholarship
 Shayla K. Martin Memorial Scholarship
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 Skagit Valley College Student Nurse Club: Practicing Heroes Scholarship
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 Student Emergency Assistance Endowment
 Susan Scripps Wood and Leighton Wood Scholarship
 SVC Marine Technology Scholarship
 SVC San Juan Center Scholarship
 T. Joy Memorial Endowment
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 Peggy Moy & Sheila Moy Saul

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 Harold and Nelle Creel Scholarship
 Harry & Myra Roller Memorial Nursing Scholarship
 Hayes Family Scholarship
 Helen Larm Agriculture Scholarship
 Herbert Drummond Memorial Library Endowment
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 Irene Schumaker Vocational Scholarship
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 Jack and Micki Deierlein Scholarship
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 Jerry and Kathy Clark Memorial Scholarship
 Jim & Fran Ford Scholarship

Washington Restaurant
 Association Prostart Scholarship
 Whidbey Island Bank Golf Classic
 Scholarship
 Wilbur Ivey Scholarship
 William and Kathleen Massey
 Endowment Scholarship
 William D. Werner Memorial
 Scholarship
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 William Werner Opportunity for
 Excellence Endowment
 Women's Study Club San Juan
 Island Scholarship
 Yoko Hisaki Memorial
 Scholarship

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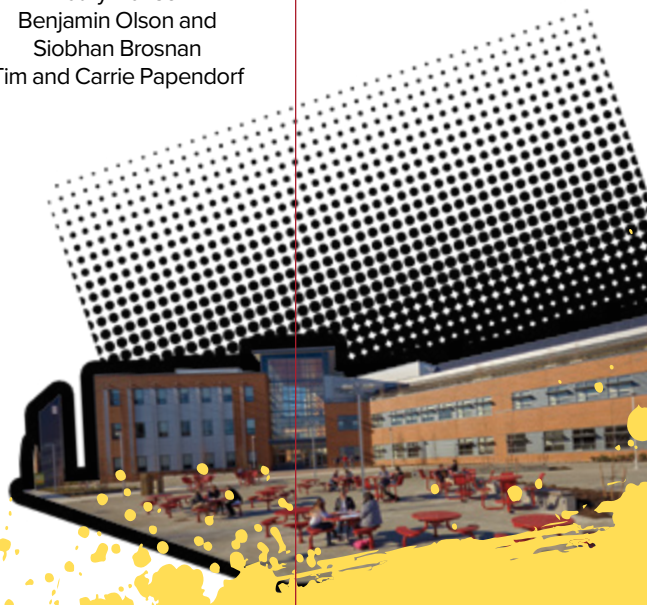
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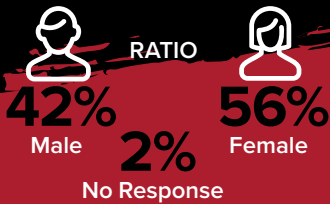


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SVC Student Profile



Estimated annual cost of tuition for a Washington resident



SVC served more than

7,000

students in 2021-2022



ENROLLMENT BY INTENT

- 4% Developmental Education
- 10% Basic Education for Adults
- 48% Academic Transfer
- 37% Workforce Education

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE



1,200

Students who care for dependents

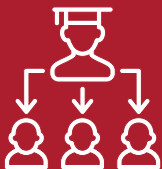
85%

of students with significant need applied for financial aid



RACE

- 2% African American
- 5% Asian
- 24% Hispanic
- 1% Native American
- 45% Caucasian/White
- 23% Other/No Response



Classes Taught By Faculty

100%

63%

of students are the first in their families to attend college



Average age

27

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College Advancement

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