

To: Ms. Cathy Giovannetti, College Council Chair

From: Dr. DeRionne P. Pollard, President

Subject: College Council Recommendation 19-03: Scholarship Resource Fair

Date: May 30, 2019

Thank you and all the members of the College's participatory governance system for your leadership in considering issues of importance to the Montgomery College community. I have reviewed the College Council's recommendation 19-03: Scholarship Resource Fair. The document presented to me by the College Council is attached.

On March 26, 2019, the College Council voted to move recommendation 19-03 forward to the president. This action recommends that the College have a scholarship resource fair every year on all three campuses. Based on my review, I have assigned this recommendation to Dr. Monica Brown, senior vice president for student affairs, to investigate and review all factors related to this matter and report her findings to me. Based on those findings, a final decision will be made. Any further questions concerning this recommendation should be directed to her office.

Thank you for your dedicated service to Montgomery College's governance system and all of the work you do to support Montgomery College's mission and vision. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have further questions or concerns.

Attachment

cc: Senior Administrative Leadership Team
Director of Governance (Administrative Associates)



Governance Recommendation

Council submitting the recommendation: Student Council	
Council Chair: Dini Khiangte	
Date: March 5 th , 2019	Recommendation Presenter: Dini Khiangte
Recommendation Issue or Concern: <i>(Provide background reasoning or justification for recommendation)</i>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Many students need financial assistance but are unaware where/how to look• There is currently no alternative to this. Many students have to search themselves or are emailed specifically by certain advisors. However, the remaining students are unaware of these scholarships• This would help students be aware of the different scholarship opportunities that are available to them. It would also promote positivity and hope for the students who feel financial burden.• Idea proposed by Rockville Student Senate• Locations in different campus would vary• The time of the fair would preferably be in the beginning of the semester or early as possible to accommodate application due dates• Different programs within the school would be allowed to provide information (Ex. Honors programs, clubs, etc.). Outside scholarships as well as MC scholarships would be included	
Resolution:	
<i>Motion passed that a scholarship resource fair to be held every semester on all three campuses</i>	
Student Impact: <i>(Explain the impact of this recommendation on MC students)</i>	
Students are knowledgeable of different scholarship opportunities they were not aware of Relieves the stress and work of students who do not know how to look/apply for scholarship	
Economic Impact: <i>(Explain cost factor or any economic impact of this recommendation, if known)</i>	
Help students pay for school/classes	
Disposition: <i>(Complete once decision is made by College Council)</i>	
Moved to President for decision.	