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Summarization of the November 1, 2005
Academic and Student Services Committee Minutes

The Board Committee on Academic and Student Services met on Tuesday, November 1, 2005, to hear staff reports.

Bill McMillan, Associate Vice Chancellor reported there will be a presentation by Siemens Building Technologies, Inc. Partnership at the Board of Trustees meeting on Thursday, November 3rd.

Illinois Workforce Development Award for Innovative Solutions Bill McMillan, Associate Vice Chancellor, reported the Mayor's Office of Workforce Development and the City Colleges of Chicago were awarded the Innovative Solutions Award at the Illinois Workforce Development Conference for placing over 1,300 Chicagoans in employment at the Chicago Manufacturing Campus. Mr. Al Friedman and Ms. Nancy Clawson, Co-Chairs of the Chicago Workforce Board, nominated the project for the Award.

Staff Reports:

WYCC-TV Maria Moore, General Manager of WYVV-TV reported the next WYCC-TV20 town hall meeting project on the topic of Stem Cell Research occurs on December 1st at Malcolm X College with lunch at 12:30 and taping beginning at 1:00pm. The moderator for this event is Dr. Yvonne Harris, Biology and Biotechnology professor from Truman College. The event will feature faculty and students from all seven colleges. The finished program will be broadcast in March along with additional programming on this issue.

Two grants received by WYCC were reviewed. One for \$10,337 from Northwestern University with funds received from the Foundation for Ethics and Excellence in Journalism and the second from the Illinois Arts Council for basic operations for \$120,153.

Office of Development Update Michael Mutz, Vice Chancellor
reported that the Office of Development is working closely with the Daniel

M. Kerrane, Jr. Foundation on the upcoming schedule and program design changes which will be implemented for the spring 2006 term.

The Office of Development has several projects underway including:

- Working with the colleges to finalize scholarship descriptions, eligibility requirements and other details needed to post scholarship information on the City Colleges of Chicago website targeted project completion by year end.
- Possible dates for the City Colleges of Chicago Foundation's fall 2005 Board of Directors meeting.
- Developing a process to identify pockets of need among students enrolled in our financial aid eligible programs.
- The Teacher Housing Project and the Quietword project (linked with the City Colleges website), where students and alumni can register and be matched with potential employers.

Wilbur Wright College is a named beneficiary of the estate of Mr. John Edwin Ohman. Mr. Ohman graduated from Wright College in 1950. The Office of Development is in contact with the trustee of Mr. Ohman's estate.

This concludes my report.