

ANNOUNCEMENT

THE DIVISION DIRECTOR FOR HUMANITIES

Dear Colleagues:

I am pleased to announce the appointment of Sandra Jowers, PhD, to the position of Division Director for Humanities, effective January 2, 2015. This position reports to the Dean of the Office of the Academic Affairs.

Dr. Jowers' qualifications for the position are noteworthy and exemplary. She not only possesses outstanding abilities and knowledge in the content areas of the humanities, but also brings years of distinguished teaching experience and service at the University of the District of Columbia (UDC). During her tenure as coordinator of the History Program at UDC, she demonstrated strong supervisory skills thereby underscoring her ability to interact effectively with faculty, staff, administrators, and external stakeholders. She also demonstrated her commitment to and success in a shared governance model, as well, during this period. Moreover, Dr. Jowers has performed extensive interdisciplinary research, teaching and outreach activities; demonstrated success in program evaluation, revision, development, and implementation, and is currently serving on the University's Self Study Committee in preparation for the pending MSCHE reaccreditation review.

In preparation for her new role as director, she has proposed relevant goals and objectives for the division, indicating her clear understanding of the type of oversight needed for multiple disciplines. With the appointment of Dr. Jowers as the Division Director for Humanities, the Community College anticipates new and exciting developments and an infusion of creative energy. Please join me in welcoming Dr. Jowers to the Community College.

Sincerely,



Marilyn A. L. Hamilton

Acting Dean of Academic Affairs