

President's Corner



Dear Atlantic Cape Alumni,

As the seasons change, we are sad to see the end of summer, but we are excited to welcome our new and returning Atlantic Cape students to campus!

Summer 2023 was one of memories for twenty-four students and two Chef Educators in our Culinary Arts program who had a once-in-a-lifetime learning experience in a study abroad trip to Italy! This year the Academy attended the Marco Polo Study Abroad Program where our students experienced a 17-day educational and cultural excursion that took them to Italy's ancient stone streets of Orvieto, the Anzio Cooking Institute, a class at the public culinary academy Tor Carbone, the Venetian canals, a winery in Treviso

province of Veneto, and a Parmigiano Reggiano organic cheese farm in the Emilia Romagna region, and so much more. We were excited to provide this amazing opportunity to our culinary students, especially as this was the first time many of them got to travel abroad. We couldn't provide such a rich experience if it weren't for our various fundraising efforts and the generosity of our community through the Foundation.

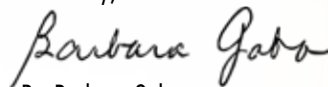
As we begin the fall semester, the Atlantic Cape Foundation is currently planning the 2023 Scramble 'FORE' Scholarships Golf Tournament, that will take place on Friday, October 13, 2023 at the Cape May National Golf Club. Last year, the Atlantic Cape Foundation raised a record amount of \$67,235 to support student scholarships. Atlantic Cape alumni are encouraged to play and will receive a \$100 discount when registering a team of four.

Please visit atlanticcape.edu/golf for more information.

I invite all Atlantic Cape alumni to stay involved and in touch with us through our Alumni Association programs and services. We are eager to hear about your accomplishments, to celebrate them with you, and to share them with current and future students who might need some encouragement to help them along their own path. To share your success story, reach out to Kristin Jackson at (609) 463-3621 or kjackson@atlanticcape.edu.

Best wishes to all of our alumni for a healthy and safe fall season.

Sincerely,



Dr. Barbara Gaba
President



From left: Chris Mularz '01, advancement officer; Suzanne Haggerty, advancement database manager; Krista Fitzsimons, director, Cape May County Campus and community outreach; Kristin Jackson '09, senior manager, advancement, alumni and Foundation events; and Zachary Pashley '10, owner, Gusto Brewing Co.



Alumni & Friends Summer Happy Hour

The Alumni Association hosted an "Alumni & Friends" summer happy hour at Gusto Brewing Co. in North Cape May on Thursday, June 29. The event was attended by 35 Atlantic Cape graduates and supporters.

Gusto Brewing Co. owner Zachary Pashley '10, provided event guests with a warm welcome to his establishment, which he and his wife Adriana opened in 2018. Zack, a 2023 recipient of the President's Distinguished Alumni Award in the Young Alumni Achievement category, also offered guests a

generous tasting of four Gusto beers. In addition, attendees enjoyed pizza, salad, and snacks while spending time connecting with one another or in some cases, reconnecting.

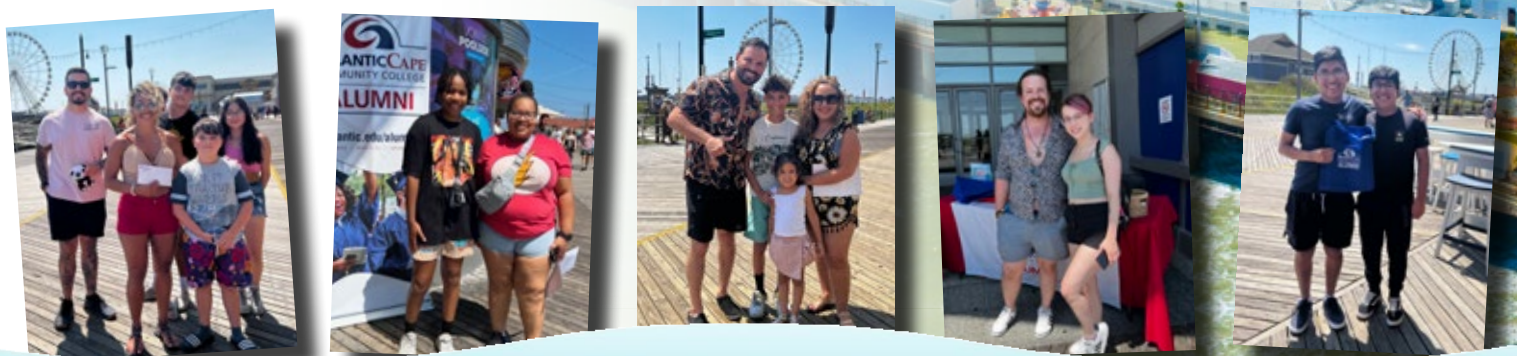
The Alumni Association would like to thank Zack, the entire staff at Gusto Brewing Co. and event attendees for a wonderful summer get together! Check out atlanticcape.edu/alumnierevents for upcoming opportunities to connect with fellow graduates!



Sixth Annual Atlantic Cape Alumni Bash Returns to Steel Pier

The Atlantic Cape Alumni Association was delighted to host the Sixth Annual Alumni Bash on the Atlantic City boardwalk on Sunday, August 20. The event returned to Atlantic City for the first time since 2015.

Event attendees enjoyed a picture-perfect summer day along with all-access to the amusement rides at Steel Pier and plenty of fun and games at Lucky Snake Arcade located at Showboat Hotel.



For additional information about this and other Alumni Association events, please contact Kristin Jackson (609) 463-3621 or kjackson@atlanticcape.edu.



Atlantic Cape Community College officially unveiled the Cape May County bizHub during a ribbon cutting ceremony on September 6 at the college's Cape May campus.

Atlantic Cape President Dr. Barbara Gaba was joined by Congressman Jeff Van Drew, bizHub Director Christopher Stenger, Cape May Campus Director Krista Fitzsimons, Atlantic Cape Trustees, past bizHub representatives, elected officials and members of the community.

For more information, visit www.cmcbizhub.com.

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ATLANTIC CAPE COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOUNDATION

SCRAMBLE
FORE
SCHOLARSHIPS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13
at Cape May National Golf Club

10:00 a.m.
Registration

11:30 a.m.
Shot-Gun Start

5:00 p.m.
Awards Dinner



> **TEAM OF FOUR:**
\$600
INDIVIDUAL GOLFERS:
\$175

> **FACULTY, STAFF,
& ALUMNI:**
SAVE \$100
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2023 WOMEN OF WONDER



The Atlantic Cape Community College Foundation and the
Cape May County Women's Commission
invite you to honor this year's award recipients at the

2023 Women of Wonder Luncheon

Thursday, November 2, 2023 | 11:30am

The Flanders Hotel
719 East 11th Street, Ocean City, NJ 08226

*Proceeds from the event will support scholarships
for students attending Atlantic Cape Community College.*

Individual Luncheon Tickets \$50 per person

Reserved Table of Ten \$450

Sponsorship and advertising opportunities are available. Sponsorship commitments requested by October 6.

To purchase tickets: atlanticcape.edu/wow



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In Memoriam Tribute

Laurie Johnson

May 21, 1960 - May 29, 2023

Executive Director

Family Promise of
Cape May County

BE INVOLVED. STAY CONNECTED.

There are many opportunities for Alumni to Volunteer:

- Mentor Students
- Classroom Guest Speaker
- Volunteer at Alumni or College Events
- Serve on the Advisory Committee
- Assist at College Open Houses & Recruitment Events



Tell us how you want to volunteer. Please contact
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