



CATYC Call for Proposals

Council on Accreditation for Two-Year Colleges (CATYC) was established in 1937. This organization brings forward and contributes to the dialogue with HLC in matters of particular relevance to two-year colleges. An example is the change in rules for faculty credentialing and the time-line for implementing the policy. CATYC sought to influence HLC to address two-year college concerns with meeting initial time-lines which were ultimately modified and clarity was also given to the application of tested experience particularly relevant to technical / workforce programs.

Fall 2020 CATYC Conference will be held September 13-15, 2020.

Responding to the call for proposals will provide an opportunity for administrators and faculty to participate in the conference and to increase awareness and engagement around the Higher Learning Commission.

As the current chair of CATYC, along with our CEO and Independence Community College President, George Knox, we are asking for your institution's support and participation.

- Join CATYC – Membership is a modest \$100 to \$200 annually based on enrollment.
- Attend CATYC reception at the HLC Annual meeting in Chicago, include your staff. This will be held on Sunday, April 19th (fall presentation acceptance will be announced)
- Encourage those in your institution to submit a proposal for the Fall 2020 Conference in Kansas City, MO. Deadline for proposals is April 10, 2020.
- Attend the Fall CATYC Conference include: Presidents, Professional Staff and Faculty. (Conference brochure included)

We welcome our long-standing colleagues, as well as, new presidents to join us and help continue the important work to assure the perspective of our two-year colleges are a part of the HLC dialogue during their process of planning and implementation.

Sincerely,

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