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#### PRESIDENT EMERITUS PROMOTES CCPI-STEM IN SOUTHEAST

Dr. Ed Massey, president emeritus of Indian River State College in Florida and chair of the Southeast Regional Network of the Community College Presidents' Initiative in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (CCPI-STEM) shares his knowledge about the success community colleges have had with Advanced Technological Education (ATE) grants. By talking one-on-one with community college presidents around the country, Massey tailors his information based on their answers to specific questions and shares what he has learned from his connections with employers. He also encourages these leaders to pursue ATE grants, which greatly benefit their colleges.

Read the full article here: <a href="https://bit.ly/3WASsE5">https://bit.ly/3WASsE5</a>. Email Dr. Ed Massey at info@ccpi-stem.org for more information.

## CCPI-STEM SELECTS SIX INDIVIDUALS FOR ITS INAUGURAL FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

The Community College Presidents' Initiative in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (CCPI-STEM) selected six community college educators for its inaugural fellowship program. The fellowship is one facet of the Community College Presidents' Initiative in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (CCPI-STEM), which aims to strengthen community college faculty and administrators and nurture their leadership skills in order to grow and diversify the STEM technician workforce. This two-year program is open to individuals who are pursuing or beginning graduate degrees and engaging in research related to STEM education and workforce development in community colleges. It is funded by an Advanced Technological Education Program grant from the National Science Foundation. The next deadline to apply for the fellowship is Sept. 15.

Read the full article here: <a href="https://bit.ly/3kzn19d">https://bit.ly/3kzn19d</a>. Email Dr. Ashok Agrawal at Ashok@AgrawalAdvisory.com for more information.

### **ABOUT CCPI STEM**

The CCPI-STEM initiative focuses on advancing the STEM workforce education and the NSF Advanced Technological Education (ATE) program. Project strengths include an experienced leadership team, a nationally-recognized advisory board, as well as organizational collaborations with the Association of Community College Trustees and the League for Innovation in the Community College.

CCPI-STEM signature programs include community college president-led Regional Networks, STEM Fellowships, instructional modules, and a national outreach and dissemination strategy.

More information is available at ccpi-stem.org.

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

January 30, 2023 | 1:00 - 1:30 pm ET

**Webcast:** "What is the Community College Initiative in STEM?"

Hosts: Dr. Charlene Dukes, Dr. George Boggs, and

Dr. Elizabeth Hawthorne

RSVP HERE: bit.ly/jan30webcast

February 10, 2023 | 1:00 - 1:30 pm ET

Webcast: "Leveraging ATE Grant Opportunities at

Community Colleges"

**Hosts:** Dr. George Boggs and Shane Kirby

RSVP HERE: bit.ly/feb10webcast

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