

Community Partnerships

programs. Programs include: Management, Leadership, Supervisory Skills, Service Excellence, Business Communications and Computer Training. All programs can be customized to meet the training and development needs of businesses, hospitals, educational institutions and other organizations located in Orange County. The Business Solutions/ Professional Development Department offers information technology training and industry certification programs, as well as web design and developmental courses.

Institute for Nonprofit Leadership and Management

The Institute for Nonprofit Leadership and Management offers a series of specialized courses that strengthen the specific needs and necessary skills of folks who are working in, or are planning to work in, the nonprofit sector. Courses address the relevant issues facing these organizations, allowing them to become more proficient and successful in reaching their goals. Topics include: Legal Responsibilities of Boards, Strategic Planning, Public Relations, Grant Writing, Accounting Basics, Marketing Events and Fund Development. The College awards a Certificate in Nonprofit Leadership and Management after students complete any six courses.

Community Enrichment

To serve the varied educational needs of Orange County residents, the College offers a myriad of vocational, recreational and remedial programs for the community. Specialized courses are also offered to fulfill state licensing and professional certification requirements. Additional programs include:

- Youth Program: Enrichment and recreational courses are offered both on- and off-campus.

Workforce Development Education

SUNY Orange conducts training programs that provide individuals with the skills necessary to succeed in the workplace. Courses are offered for people beginning new careers or those who may be entering the workforce for the first time. In addition, courses are available that will enable people to upgrade their skills for their current job or to continue their education.

Driving Programs/Alcohol Substance Abuse Counselor Training

The College cooperates with the New York State Department of Motor Vehicles' to offer the NYS Drinking Driver Program, the 5-hour Pre-licensing course for permit-holders, and the 6-hour National Traffic Safety Institute point and insurance reduction/defensive driving course.

SUNY Orange is approved by the NYS Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services Academy to offer the Credentialed Alcoholism and Substance Abuse (CASAC) counselor education training program for students who wish to pursue careers as alcohol/substance abuse counselors.

English as a Second Language

The College offers an extensive ESL program with classes at the beginner, intermediate and advanced levels. In addition, more specialized classes allow students to practice pronunciation, improve their workplace English or increase their vocabulary.

Classes are offered at both the Middletown campus and the Newburgh campus.

Testing Center

SUNY Orange's Testing Center provides testing and exam services to SUNY Orange students and other community members. Our mission is to offer a reliable and secure testing environment in order to give test takers a fair opportunity for academic and professional success. For more information, e-mail us at testcenter@sunyorange.edu, or call the CAPE office at 845-341-4890.

Over Sixty Program

SUNY Orange permits individuals sixty years of age or older to audit credit courses on a space available basis without payment of tuition according to NY State Law Article 126, Section 6303. Full classroom participation is encouraged; no grades are given nor is credit earned. (Non-credit courses, health professions courses and some studio classes are not included in the Over Sixty Program.)

Registration for Over Sixty students is held on the first day of the Fall and Spring terms. All students are required to complete an audit registration form and, if they are NY State residents, a Certificate of Residence.

For questions regarding the Over Sixty Program or to receive a credit course bulletin please call the Registration Office at 845-341-4129.