



MEMORANDUM

DATE: May 21, 2002

TO: Currently Enrolled SCD Students

FROM: Dr. Stephen L. Athans
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NC Community College System
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SUBJECT: Teach-out Plans for Currently Enrolled SCD Students

With the recent closure of Solid Computer Decisions (SCD), the North Carolina Community College System (NCCCS) is organizing a “teach-out” plan to allow currently enrolled SCD students to complete their programs of study. Currently enrolled students are defined as students who enrolled with SCD between July 1, 2001 and May 1, 2002 or have been actively taking classes during that period. With the assistance of public and private schools in the Charlotte and Raleigh areas, these teach-out plans will allow currently enrolled SCD students to complete their training at the participating schools of their choice. It is our hope that training will be offered to eligible SCD students at no cost; there may be some costs associated with books and/or certifying tests. Costs may vary from school-to-school. Costs for this teach-out are being offset by donations from SLM Financial Corporation and Key Bank. SLM Financial Corporation and Key Bank USA are financial institutions that specialize in providing educational loans to students. This teach-out is a one-time opportunity and students who wish to complete their training must enroll with a participating school prior to August 1, 2002.

Students who wish to take advantage of this opportunity must:

1. Study and research participating schools found on the attached forms.
2. Contact their chosen school to set up an enrollment appointment.
3. Enroll with a participating school prior to August 1, 2002 and remain continuously enrolled until the completion of their program of study.
4. Take all of their SCD-related paperwork including, but not limited to, copies of the SCD enrollment agreement, loan agreement, transcripts, receipts, cancelled checks, and letters from their lending institutions and/or the NCCCS to the enrollment appointment.

Questions should be addressed to the contact person for your chosen school.

Thank you.

School Information Form

Name of School:

Brookstone College of Business

Address:

**8307 University Executive Park Drive
Suite 240
Charlotte, NC 28262**

Telephone:

704-547-8600

Website:

www.brookstone.edu

Name of School Contact Person:

Jill Deardorff

Training Program(s) Offered (MCSE, CIW-Site Design, CIW- Engineer, etc.):

**MCSE
A +
NET +
SERVER +**

Description of Training Delivery:

Instructor led lectures and instructor directed hands-on labs

Capacity (number of students):

SCD students will be integrated into existing classes. Numbers vary depending on course and class times

Projected Begin and End Dates:

Class start dates are: May 13, June 17, July 29

School Information Form

Name of School:

Central Piedmont Community College

Address:

**P.O. Box 35009 (mailing address)
Charlotte, NC 28235**

Multi-Campus, 3 locations that offer certification courses:

**South Campus, 2800 Campus Ridge Road, Matthews, NC
SouthWest Campus, 315 Hebron at Nations Ford Rd, Charlotte, NC
West Campus, Morris Field Drive and Billy Graham Parkway, Charlotte, NC**

Telephone:

(704) 330-4200, ext. 7206

Website:

www.CPCCTraining.org/computertraining

Name of School Contact Person:

Ashley Haynes

Training Program(s) Offered (MCSE, CIW-Site Design, CIW- Engineer, etc.):

**MCSA
MCSE
MCDBA
CIW-Site Design
Oracle
A+
Network+
iNet+**

Description of Training Delivery:

Instructor led training in an integrated classroom environment. All students have their own workstation/PC. Classes are a combination of lecture and lab. Instructors are industry professionals with various levels of certifications. All instructors are certified in the area/product they are instructing.

Capacity (number of students):

16 students per class with the ability to run day and evening classes at three locations simultaneously.

Projected Begin and End Dates:

CPCC has the ability to begin a class at any time. The length of classes is dependent upon each individual course. Schedule TBA. Contact for more information.

School Information Form

Name of School:

NC State University – Computer Training Unit

Address:

**1100 Gorman Street, Suite 222
Raleigh, NC 27607**

Charlotte location to be determined

Telephone:

919-515-9095

Website:

www.ncsu.edu/ctu

Name of School Contact Person:

Jatinder Chandok (JC) / Betty Gardner

Training Program(s) Offered (MCSE, CIW-Site Design, CIW- Engineer, etc.):

**MCSE Windows 2000
CIW (Site Design)
CIW (Programmer)
CIW (Administration)**

Description of Training Delivery:

Hands-on classroom training

Capacity (number of students):

16-24 students in a class; normally 12-14 students per class.

Projected Begin and End Dates:

May 2002 – dependent upon the number of students

School Information Form

Name of School:

New Horizons Computer Learning Center of Charlotte, NC

Address:

**9140 Arrowpoint Blvd., Suite 220
Charlotte, NC 28273**

Telephone:

704-522-9747

Website:

www.newhorizons.com; www.nhcharlotte.com

Name of School Contact Person:

Debbie Messner

Training Program(s) Offered (MCSE, CIW-Site Design, CIW- Engineer, etc.):

**MCSE
CIW-Site Design
CIW-Engineer**

Description of Training Delivery:

Instructor-led training

Capacity (number of students):

Students will be put into currently scheduled classes. Contact the school for a current class schedule.

Projected Begin and End Dates:

Beginning dates for classes are scheduled throughout June and July 2002. Contact the school for a current class schedule.

School Information Form

Name of School:

TechTrain – Charlotte

Address:

**2730 Tyvola Road, #240
Charlotte, NC 28217**

Telephone:

704 357-8010

Website:

www.techtrain.com

Name of School Contact Person:

**Michael Dunagan, General Manager
Mimi Shieh, Career Specialist
Frank Kohler, Career Advisor
LeVay Penny, Career Specialist**

Training Program(s) Offered (MCSE, CIW-Site Design, CIW- Engineer, etc.):

**A+
Net+
MCSE**

Description of Training Delivery:

TechTrain offers instructor-led training, with flexible schedules - day and evening. To enroll at TechTrain, SCD students must present original invoice, copy of registration document, transcript and loan documentation. Students must meet entrance requirements and show the ability to benefit from the training. Students must adhere to all policies and procedures in place. Students must sign new enrollment documentation and do not have any refund options through TechTrain. TechTrain is not assuming any obligations from SCD, nor is TechTrain receiving any compensation from SCD for training SCD's former students. TechTrain is merely providing a service to the local community by providing this training.

SCD students are not permitted to re-sit a course at TechTrain. SCD students may only attend courses that were not attended at SCD.

Capacity (number of students):

TechTrain Charlotte can accommodate up to 50 students, on a space available basis.

Projected Begin and End Dates:

Courses begin every month, during day and evening. Students from SCD can expect to resume their training at the next scheduled class within 6 weeks of the time of enrollment at TechTrain.

School Information Form

Name of School:

TechTrain – Raleigh Durham (Cary, NC)

Address:

**4000 Centre Green Way
Suite 100
Cary, NC 27513**

Telephone:

919 678-1111

Website:

www.techtrain.com

Name of School Contact Person:

**Dustin Kanady, General Manager
Aaron Martin, Career Specialist
Annelise O'Conner, Career Advisor**

Training Program(s) Offered (MCSE, CIW-Site Design, CIW- Engineer, etc.):

**A+
Net+
MCSE**

Description of Training Delivery:

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Capacity (number of students):

TechTrain Raleigh can accommodate up to 50 students, on a space available basis.

Projected Begin and End Dates:

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