



Thank you for exploring volunteer opportunities at MCC. Your support in reaching out to prospective and current students, our community, and other alumni is invaluable. Join us in spreading the word about MCC's proud reputation as a top academic institution and a leader in career development and community involvement.



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### MCC Alumni Association Mission Statement

The Mesa Community College Alumni Association is committed to serving and uniting alumni for the purpose of promoting the interests of MCC, its alumni, current and future students, and the community.

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# MCC

## Alumni Association

EXCITING START, EXTRAORDINARY RETURN

Your success started by attending MCC.

Help others create their own success stories by becoming an active alumni volunteer.



# We Appreciate Your Support and Value Your Time

Your service makes a difference – to our students, our college and our community.



## Student Recruitment

Recruit the next generation of students by sharing your MCC story.

### RECRUITMENT EVENTS

Represent MCC at recruitment fairs in your area. We'll help you with the information and materials you'll need to spread the word about MCC.

### RECRUITMENT NETWORK

Share your MCC story without having to physically attend an event. Add your phone and email to a directory of volunteers who are willing to be contacted by prospective students and their families.

## Student Success

Help us ensure that students are successful in their educational pursuits and assist in celebrating those accomplishments.

### WELCOME WEEK AND NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION

Help the college roll out the welcome mat by assisting students in finding their classes, handing out maps and answering questions during the first week of school.

### HOSTS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Holidays can be a challenging time for international students far from home. Help students overcome homesickness while being introduced to new holiday customs by inviting them to be a part of your celebration.

### GRADUATION AND STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT BANQUETS

Serve as an event host and welcome the college's newest alumni into the association.



## Alumni Career Network

By encouraging career development, you positively impact our students and our community for generations to come.

### CAREER ADVICE

Share information with current students about your profession and the path you took to get there. Conversations may occur via phone, email, or in person.

### SPEAKERS BUREAU

Volunteer to speak to classes and clubs about your particular area of expertise.

### INTERNSHIPS

Reap the benefits of helping to train and educate MCC students while meeting your business goals. Internships offer students opportunities to apply classroom work through part-time work.

### MENTOR A STUDENT

A long-term mentoring relationship may include tutoring, connecting the student with college and/or community resources and career exploration.

## Community Engagement

The college reaches out through volunteerism, service-learning, and working partnerships that keep us in close contact with the community we serve.

### INTO THE STREETS AND INTO MCC

Partner with current MCC students to complete volunteer projects for a variety of organizations in our community and throughout the College.

### EXPERIENCE CORPS

Through a partnership between MCC, Mesa Public Schools, and Make a Difference, volunteers provide intensive tutoring in the area of reading and writing for fourth-grade students.

### VOTER OUTREACH

Provide voter education, training, and forums to K-12 students and the community through MCC's Center for Civic Participation.



## Legislative Advocacy

Stay informed about issues and propositions that impact Arizona's community colleges by visiting the Maricopa County Community Colleges Office of Government Relations at <http://www.maricopa.edu/govrel>. The site provides updates on local, state and federal action affecting higher education.

## Alumni Association

Join our board of directors in planning the future opportunities offered through the Alumni Association.

### VOLUNTEER AND SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Identify and develop opportunities such as the ones listed in this brochure.

### EVENTS

Partner with the Alumni Office to plan several events each semester, including the college's annual Homecoming celebration.

### ALUMNI HALL OF FAME

Select the individuals to be inducted into MCC's Alumni Hall of Fame.

### EDUCATIONAL INVESTMENT

Identify opportunities to increase scholarship funds available for MCC students.



Many volunteer opportunities can be accomplished at a time that's convenient for you while others may require you to attend an event at a specific time. Our goal is to provide a variety of volunteer options so that you can find one that fits your interest and availability.