## **Department of Multicultural Engagement**

Nashua Community College offers ESOL courses to meet the needs of the diverse student and community population. ESOL courses help students to better prepare for the academic expectations of higher education. Courses are listed by ESLN code in the catalog, and they are housed in the Department of ESOL/World Languages. While credits for ESOL courses do not count toward graduation, they do count for the purposes of receiving financial aid. In addition, the ESOL Director (Elizabeth Berry, ext. 1678) offers personalized appointments, drop-in office hours, and other support geared specifically to the cultural, emotional, and academic needs of ESOL students (or any students enrolled at NCC for whom English is a second language).

The Department of Multicultural Engagement offers a "Multicultural Awareness Workshop," which can be tailored to meet the needs of faculty, staff, and students. The department sponsors a variety of multicultural events throughout the year, including Conversation Partners and International Café. ESOL students offer a wealth of cultural knowledge and world experience that benefit everyone at NCC! For more information about program offerings or to ask questions, faculty should contact Professor Elizabeth Berry at eberry@ccsnh.edu, or call 578-6912.

## **Student Life**

Student Life at Nashua Community College aims to enhance the academic experience of students by providing co-curricular activities that will foster a sense of meaningful involvement, community engagement, and student leadership. The Office of Student Life organizes campus events and provides leadership for student clubs and organizations. In addition, the office, which is located in Room 204 of the Wellness Center, coordinates student orientations and community service. The college recognizes the importance of co-curricular learning experiences and encourages students to take part in college events and clubs. For more information, please contact Amy Vazifdar at avazifdar@ccsnh.edu or visit our <a href="Student Clubs and Organizations">Student Clubs and Organizations</a> webpage.

## **Wellness Center**

The NCC Wellness Center houses a full-size gymnasium, elevated walking/running track, multi- purpose exercise room, and male and female locker rooms. The Fitness center is located on the second floor of the Wellness Center and is open to all students, staff, and faculty during the regular school semesters. Wellness Center staff are trained to conduct orientations on strength and cardio equipment. Faculty wishing to use the fitness center must have an active NCC ID card. For more information contact Wellness Center Director/Alex Wunderlich, 603-578-8900 ext. 1599 or visit our webpage