

Grants at KC

Kilgore College Faculty & Staff:

An external evaluator for the college's Title III grant has been selected and will begin working with KC this month.

The evaluator was a part of the college's grant application budget. The evaluator will work throughout the duration of the five-year grant, providing expertise in evaluation techniques and methodologies to ensure effective evaluation.

The evaluator will work with project staff and other campus personnel involved in the implementation of activities regarding data elements, design of collection and evaluation instruments, data analysis and the use of evaluation for successful institutionalization of project initiatives.

In addition, an internal Title III Evaluation Team has been appointed and will report to Dr. Mike Jenkins, Vice President of Student Development. The role of the Evaluation Team will be to review formative and summative reports; determine the quality of project implementation and achievement of project objectives; make recommendations for changes, as needed; and document all corrective actions. The ET will meet on a quarterly basis but may meet more frequently at the outset.

The Evaluation Team is: Dr. Jenkins; Pam Gatton, Director of Counseling and Testing; Karen Morris, Program Leader & Instructor Education & College Success; Dennis Cliborn, Assistant Director of TRIO; Doris Johnson, Coordinator, Instructional Support; Patrick Brophy, Data Specialist, Research and Institutional Effectiveness; and John Whitehead, Instructor, Legal Assisting.

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Criminal Justice Division, Office of the Governor

The Office of the Governor's Criminal Justice Division (CJD) provides grant funding to improve public safety and support victims of crime by filling system gaps and promoting innovative solutions to common challenges.

Every year, CJD makes over \$275 million in funding available to hundreds of organizations for projects to: prevent and intervene in juvenile delinquency; provide services to victims of crime and address violence against women; support law enforcement and improve the criminal justice system; support Crime Stoppers organizations; and prevent child sex trafficking.

One of its grant programs is the Justice Assistance Grant, which has an upcoming deadline. Last year, the East Texas Council of Governments recommended \$279,000 worth of JAG grants to the governor's office.