

# OCC credits can transfer to OU

BY RALPH R. ECITINAW  
STAFF WRITER

Students who want to avoid Oakland University tuition of \$84.25 per credit hour in their first two years of college may now find it easier to complete their freshman and sophomore years at Oakland Community College for \$45 a credit hour.

Although the two institutions have had an informal pact on transferring credits for many years, five "articulation" agreements are supposed to be signed soon to make the arrangement official and increase the available options for students.

According to OU vice president for academic affairs Gary Russi, the agreement will cover 14 degree programs, including six engineering degrees, five business degrees,

one elementary education degree, one industrial health and safety degree and a general studies degree.

Russi added that a similar agreement is in the pipeline for St. Clair County Community College and additional agreements with other colleges will likely follow.

OCC spokesman George Cartsonis said that more OCC students already transfer to OU than any other university. In the fall of 1992, he said, 326 former OCC students enrolled at OU. In second place was Wayne State University with 309. The University of Michigan-Dearborn had 109, Western Michigan University 102 and Michigan State University 78. Figures were not available for Eastern Michigan University.

# Hills man runs for college trustee

BY RALPH R. ECITINAW  
STAFF WRITER

Eleven people have returned petitions to Oakland Community College indicating that they intend to run for the board of trustees.

At stake are two six-year terms on the board currently held by incumbents Richard Blonde of West Bloomfield Township and David Hackett of Rochester. The election is June 13.

In addition to Blonde and Hackett, those filing are:

- Carol Crew-Sheldon of Waterford Township.
- Pamela Davis of Clawson.
- Francis "Frank" Riley of Royal Oak.
- Henry Woloson of Clarkston.
- Paula Fleischer of Birmingham.
- Beverly Walker-Sims of Rochester Hills.
- Joseph Ajiouny Jr. of Farmington Hills.
- Jan Mack of Waterford Township.
- John Bushart of Waterford Township.

Blonde, 39, has been an OCC board member since 1990. The Bloomfield Hills Andover High School graduate is an analyst specializing in data base administration for Ameritech Network Services. He has three associate degrees from OCC.

Hackett, 70, is the OCC board chairman. He has been on the OCC board since 1964, the year the college was founded. A retired school teacher, Hackett has a philosophy degree from the University of Detroit and a master's in teaching from Wayne State University.

Walker-Sims, 38, is married and a mother of two. One of her sons is an OCC student. She has a bachelor's degree in psychology from Wayne State University and is working on a master's in business administration. Walker-Sims works as a program coordinator at Jay Shop Rehabilitation in Pontiac. At New Liberty Baptist Church in Detroit, Walker-Sims is involved in a teen female support group.

Davis, 50, has been a code enforcement officer for the city of

Royal Oak for seven years. She is also the president of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees local representing Royal Oak employees.

Woloson, 41, is an investment consultant at Kemper Securities in Birmingham. Before that he was vice president and controller of two automotive suppliers located in Oakland County.

Woloson has a law degree from Wayne State University and a master's in business management and supervision from Central Michigan University.

Riley, 62, is a Certified Manager who spent most of his career with Chrysler in various positions, notably finance, human resources and computers. He recently retired from General Dynamics.

Riley has a master's in business administration from Wayne State. He was born in Clawson and lived most of his life in Royal Oak. He and his wife, Pat, have seven children, two of whom graduated from OCC.

Crew-Sheldon is the director of nursing services at Riverside Correctional Facility in Ionia. She has a master's degree in nursing from Wayne State (1979) and a bachelor's in nursing from Mercy College (1970). She has also worked at Clinton Valley Center, the Ypsilanti Regional Psychiatric Hospital and the Walter Reuther Psychiatric Hospital. Crew-Sheldon has been a part time teacher at the University of Michigan-Ann Arbor and has served on five state committees regarding mental health.

Ajiouny is a literary agent and attorney. His agency specializes in representing authors and artists in the fields of humor, popular reference, popular culture, film, TV, music and sports.

The other candidates, Fleischer, Mack and Bushart, could not be reached for comment by press time.

The public is invited to meet these candidates 3-5 p.m. Wednesday, April 20, at OCC's Farmington Hills campus in room 305 of J Building.

*Stewart-Glean Furniture*  
IS  
**GOING OUT OF BUSINESS**  
Look For Our Ad In Today's Paper  
332-8348

IF ALL THE WORLD'S A  
STAGE, THEN WE HAVE THE  
PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE.  
1-800-NCA-8888

The National Cultural Alliance and 23,000 arts and humanities organizations guarantee there's something in your community you can get excited about. Call for a free brochure.

THE ARTS AND HUMANITIES  
THERE'S SOMETHING IN IT FOR YOU  
Generous support is provided by NCA's Corporate Circle: American Express Co., AT&T, Cantor Fitzgerald, GTE Corp., Mobil Corp., Panvel/Welsh, Sara Lee Corp.

(810) 435-2717  
**Bridal Network**  
Wedding, Business & Social Event Needs

Sunday, May 1, 1994  
1:00 - 4:30 pm  
Fashion Show 3:00pm

St. John's Armenian  
Cultural Center  
22001 Northwestern Hwy,  
Southfield  
(gold domed building)

"Wedding Bells & Diplomas"

Men's & Women's  
Bridal, Prom,  
Lingerie & Evening  
Fashions  
Tickets:  
\$6.00 advance  
(buy 4 get 1 free)  
\$7.00 at the door  
Rite Dressings  
External  
Retrofashions  
Carriage Ride  
See all event needs

To order tickets enclose coupon with check or money order. Please print.  
Mail to: Bridal Network • 3203 Garden, Royal Oak, MI 48073

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
No. of tickets \_\_\_\_\_ Enclosed Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**HIGH EFFICIENCY AIR CONDITIONING**  
**FREE ESTIMATE** IMMEDIATE  
INSTALLATION

**150% REBATE**  
**LENNOX**  
Buy now and get  
FLAME'S super war-  
ranty, which includes  
5 years parts and ser-  
vice, plus a 10 year  
guarantee on the com-  
pressor including  
labor.



**FLAME**  
FURNACE COMPANY SINCE 1949

**CUSTOM TAILORED**  
**50th Anniversary**  
**MEN'S APPAREL**

**CELEBRATE OUR**  
**50TH ANNIVERSARY**  
**WITH SAVINGS**  
**THROUGHOUT**  
**THE STORE**

You're cordially invited to shop at our  
**50th Anniversary Sale. Buy two of any item and take 50%**  
off the second item of equal or lesser value.  
Take advantage of savings of 50% on everything from  
shirts to suits, shoes, and more.

**STEVE PETIX**  
**CLOTHIER**

31455 Southfield Road  
Beverly Hills, MI 48025  
313/645-5560

340 S. Main Street  
Plymouth, MI 48170  
313/459-6972

\* Purchase any single item and receive 20% off.