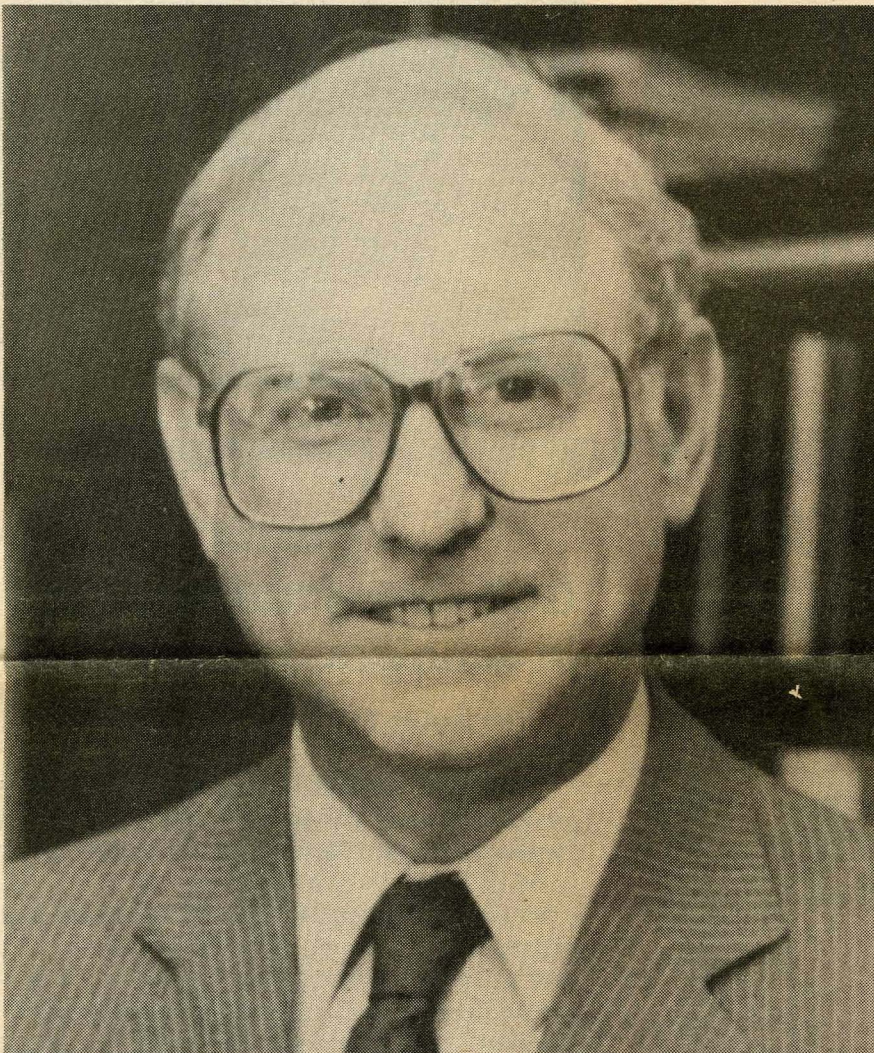


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Dr. James P. Long to become CTC President



Dr. James P. Long

by Melissa Keeler

Dr. James P. Long, dean of the Community and Technical College at the University of Akron, has been named president of Cincinnati Technical College effective January 1, 1990.

The Community and Technical College of the University of Akron has an enrollment of 5,000 students and 1,200 full-time and 150 part-time employees while CTC has an enrollment of 4,500 students and 289 full-time faculty and staff.

Prior to joining the University of Akron, Dr. Long was executive vice president and academic dean at the College of Steubenville; acting president, and vice president and dean of instruction and director of planning and development at Muskingum Area Technical College; and director of the postsecondary program at the National Center for Research in Vocational Education at Ohio State.

Dr. Long is a native of Johnstown, Pennsylvania. He received his masters and doctoral degrees in Mathematics from the University of Pittsburgh.

According to John J. Geiger, chairman of the Cincinnati Technical College Board of Trustees, "Dr. Long has a strong track record in leadership positions. He has served in administrative positions in a private four-year college, another of Ohio's technical colleges, and in a state university. Dr. Long has been successful in areas where CTC must move forward. Specifically, he has worked with the [Ohio Board of] Regent's staff and legislators to insure adequate support for his institution."

At the University of Akron, Dr. Long has taken a strong stand on affirmative action. He believes that access to college must be a high priority for all involved in education. Dr. Long has declared that as president of CTC he "will work to increase the number of black faculty members and to increase black enrollments to more closely match the racial diversity of the college's service area."

According to Dr. Long, "Society is challenging CTC to open its doors wide to provide even greater access to persons who perhaps never thought of themselves as college material, and then it must help those persons succeed academically."

EXPO Open House to be held Nov. 29

by Sandy Fields

CTC will be holding Expo '89 - Open House on Wednesday, November 29, 1989, from noon until 8:30 p.m. This is the fifth year for CTC's Expo.

Ann Rasche, Dean of Student Services, and Dan Cayse, Dean of Business Technologies, are co-chairing Expo'89.

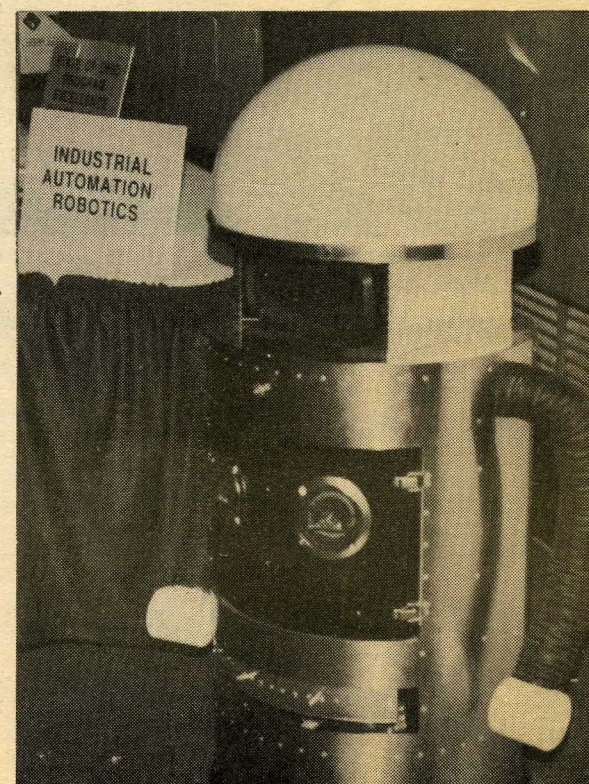
Most of CTC's facilities will be open to the public with exhibits, displays, and demonstrations conducted by faculty and students from all divisions. According to Ms. Rasche, "Students from over 100 high schools in the area will be invited to attend the Expo. In addition, Expo is an opportunity to show our current and prospective co-op employers what CTC students are learning."

Ms. Rasche said, "Expo '89 - Open House is a chance for the whole community to see and

experience some of the exciting things being taught at CTC. I urge students, faculty, and staff to invite their family, friends, employers, and associates to see the technical world of CTC."

Last year, visitors to the Laser Optics Technology watched as their names were engraved on small plaques. At the end of the demonstration they were given the plaques as souvenirs. Visitors to the Technical Writing & Editing Technology display received a newsletter with their electronically-scanned picture printed on the front page. Medical Assisting Technology offered blood pressure checks along with several other services commonly performed in doctor's offices. "Rhino" the robot greeted visitors to the Electronics Engineering Technology demonstration.

Shuttle bus service from the lower lot to the main entrance will be available. Visitors will also be able to register for door prizes.



Rhino the robot at Expo '88

660 graduate in September event

by Dayna Mattress

The CTC 22nd Annual Commencement was held at Music Hall on Sunday, September 17, 1989. A total of 660 students qualified to graduate. Several graduates said CTC has helped them greatly.

Greg Tackett said that it felt great to be graduating. "It was a struggle as well as an accomplishment," he said. Greg received an Associate's Degree in Marketing Management in addition to a certificate in Labor Relations. Greg graduated *cum laude* (with academic honors). His advice to CTC students is, "establish good study skills, and keep humor in school while taking it seriously."

Ruth and Rachael Harris, twin sisters, received Associate's Degrees in Medical Assisting. They were referred to CTC by Bethesda Hospital. Both Ruth and Rachael gained full-time jobs with their former CTC co-op employers. Ruth said, "Knowing exactly what you'll be doing once you get into the real world is an asset."

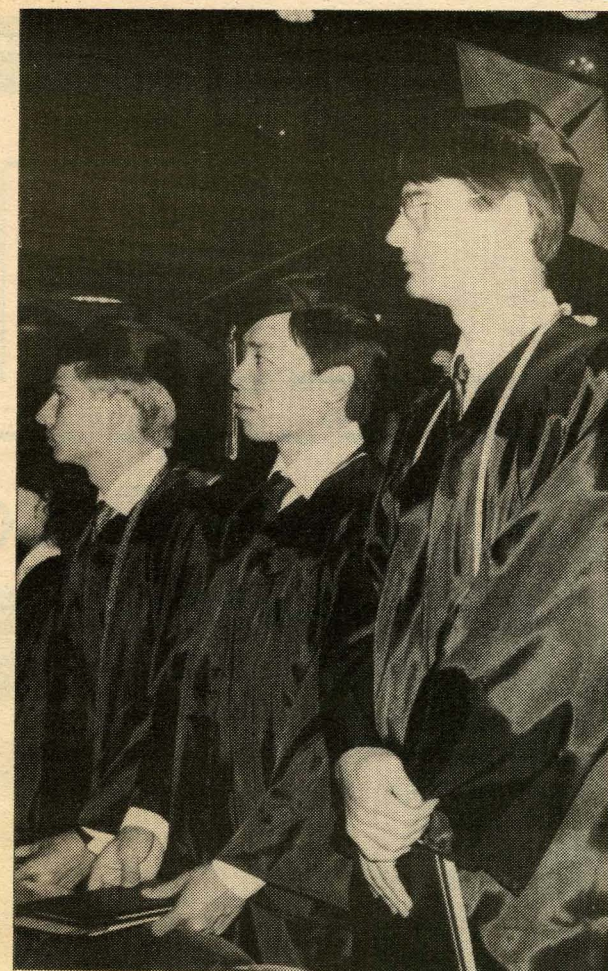
Keith Garnes received an Associate's Degree in Biomedical Engineering. He gained a

permanent position at Veteran's Administration (V.A.) Hospital through his co-op job at CTC. Keith said that the quality of his CTC education was superior to other junior colleges. He said, "Everyone supports you; they really care." Keith concluded that graduating from CTC was an important endeavor completed.

Also in the graduating class were two husband and wife "teams," Roy and Xiomara Faulkner and Paul and Deborah Dykes. Paul said that he and his wife achieved their educational goals through CTC.

Paul received an Associate's Degree in Automotive Service Management. Deborah received a Associate's Degree in both Accounting and Business Management, and was the 1989 Student Speaker at Commencement. Paul and Deborah both graduated *summa cum laude*.

Roy received an Associate's Degree in Mechanical Engineering Technology, and Xiomara received an Associate's Degree in Electro-Mechanical Engineering Technology and graduated *cum laude*.



New grads receive their CTC degrees. From left to right: Gerry Thinnes, Peter Ma, Mark Manzi.

Scholarship recipients honored



Scholarship recipients receive certificates. Front row, left to right: Sandra Fields, Diane Hinkerton, Anisha Meyer, Colleen Tolle, Diane O'Rourke, and Nancy Krimm. Back row: Donald McNeal, Joyce Speier, Annette Weber, Kimberly Schneider, Cheryl Wissel, Dixie Stiles, Lee Anne Monahan, and M. Catherine White.

by Sandy Fields

The 1989-90 scholarship recipients were honored October 26, 1989 at a reception held in the CTC Conference Center.

"There were eighty-five scholarship recipients this year," said Cathy Rahmes, Assistant Dean of Humanities and Sciences and Scholarship Committee Chairperson.

Certificates of recognition were presented to the scholarship recipients by David Ballinger, Interim President and Dr. Gordon Fooks, Vice President for Institutional Development & Community Relations.

The reception was attended by College personnel and community members who have donated funding for scholarships, CTC faculty and staff, and friends and family of the honorees.

Golf outing raises \$4,000 in scholarship funds

by Sandy Fields

The sixth annual CTC golf outing, *Driving for Dollars*, was held at the Jack Nicklaus Sports Center on August 23, 1989.

John Hurley, Director of Athletics and Student Activities and committee chair for this year's outing, reported that there were 84 participating golfers, and 36 individual and organizational "hole sponsors." The outing raised over \$4,000 for the Cincinnati Technical College Scholarship Fund.

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CTC student describes school experiences in Bogota, Columbia

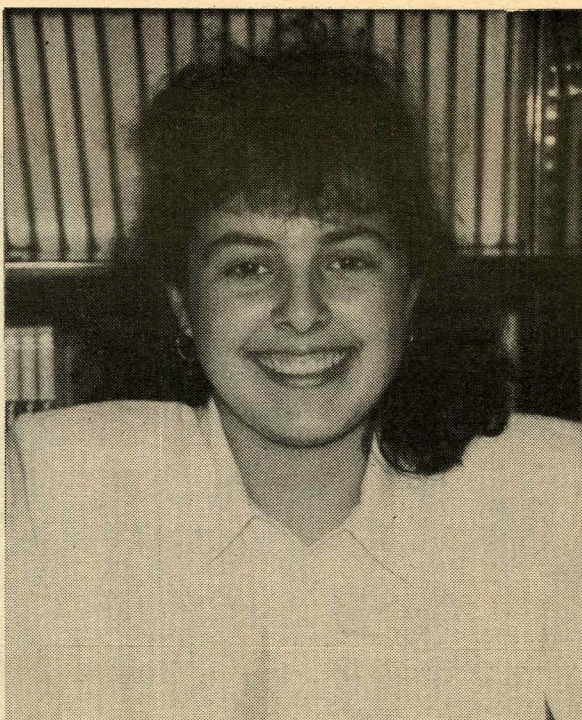
by Melissa Keeler

Christina H. Nino, a student in the Chef/Hotel-Restaurant Management Technologies at CTC, brings with her an unusual background. She was born in Bogota, Columbia and attended the Santa Francisca Romana (SFR) "Santa Pacha" school for 13 years. As a student she was required to teach area poor children for one month in a school created in SFR.

She began, reluctantly, two years ago as a school secretary, helping in the Director's Office. Although at first she did not want to do this work, Nina says now that it was the best experience she has ever had.

In addition to being a coordinator and secretary, Nina said she was a "teacher, nurse, dentist, dietitian and disciplinarian."

Nina said the children especially enjoyed a



Christina "Nina" Nino

Halloween party during her time at the school. They collected money and bought candy, cake and milk for the party. The children all came to school with homemade costumes.

Once, Nina acted as a dentist for a small girl with a loose tooth. After the little girl left the office proudly carrying the tooth, Nina felt sad because she could not suggest that the tooth fairy might come and leave some money under her pillow. "I knew it probably would not happen," she said.

Nina said the parents of poor children in Bogota pay a very small fee for their children's education. They live in very poor conditions, often without enough food or running water.

Nina enjoyed her month with the children so much that she volunteered to teach for two additional months during her vacation, and she filled in for many of her classmates when they could not help. "I felt this was an opportunity to teach the children and become a part of their lives," she said.

Nina continued, "Today, about 500 children attend our school. They not only learn math and Spanish grammar, but also English and computer skills. Maybe tomorrow they will be able to do something for their country, just as we did for them. With knowledge, they may possibly get better jobs and better pay."

provides information on which job markets are expected to have a shortage of applicants and the expected salaries for available jobs.

Mr. Wagner said, "The systems are very easy to use. We'll just key in what we want answers to and be able to get up-to-date information immediately, instead of relying on printed information that can be outdated."

Some of the other services offered by the counseling center are personal counseling, admission advising, and educational transfer counseling for students transferring from or to another college.

Counseling services for all CTC students are available on a walk-in basis from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday and by appointment on Saturday. To avoid delays, Mr. Wagner suggests students make appointments by calling the Counseling Center at 569-1544.

Counseling Center Report:

Don't let "holiday depression" get you down

by Sandy Fields

The holiday season is traditionally the time for family get-togethers, parties, and a general mood of happiness. It is also when some of us are reminded of the loss of loved ones, lack of financial resources, or other unhappy events from our past.

John Wagner, Director of Counseling, said, "Anyone who finds themselves struggling through the holidays and finds them an ordeal is probably experiencing holiday depression. It may even be brought on by changes in responsibility—once viewing the holidays with a child-like perception of receiving and now being expected to be the giver."

Mr. Wagner said the thing that makes holiday depression unique from any other depression is that it happens during the holiday season.

He said some of the symptoms of depression include avoidance of others, lethargy, loss of energy, and self-criticism.

To help those who want more information, the Counseling Center will be presenting a seminar on "Depression and Anxiety Through the Holidays" at noon on November 29. The seminar will be held in the NCA Room, on the lower level.

The speaker will be Karen Grote, a Recreational Therapist at Good Samaritan Hospital.

Computerized career advising now available

by Sandy Fields

A new Career Center, located in Room 157B, next to the Counseling Center, is scheduled to be open in the November Term. According to John Wagner, Director of Counseling, the new center will be equipped with the computerized Ohio Career Information System and the new DISCOVER Computer Career System.

The Career Center is designed to help students determine their areas of ability and interest as they plan their educational and career goals. The new computerized system provides tests to determine areas of ability. It also

Financial Aid Forms available this month

by Sandy Fields

In late November the 1990-91 Financial Aid Forms (FAFs) will be available at CTC. All students currently receiving financial aid will receive the new forms by mail.

According to Jesse Roper, Director of Financial Aid, a new set of application forms must be submitted every year. There are many different types of financial aid available to college students—loans, grants, needs-based financial aid and scholarships. To receive any available aid, the first step is completing an FAF.

Approximately eighty-five percent of the students who apply for financial aid have no problems completing the required paperwork.

For those who do, Mr. Roper has some suggestions:

- Save your 1989 financial information concerning income and expenses. Specifically, save your Internal Revenue Service 1040 and W-2 forms.
- Read all the directions before filling out your FAF. If you still have trouble, the counselors in the Office of Financial Aid will help you.
- Check your work. Make sure you have filled in all the appropriate blanks, verified your entries, and recalculated your figures.

Students who plan to request financial aid and do not receive a packet in the mail may obtain a packet in the Office of Financial Aid, Room 159, or by calling 569-1426.

CTC Tigers begin new basketball season



The 1989-90 CTC Tigers Men's Basketball Team. Front Row: Sam Byrd, Darrick Murdock, Trent Martin, Mark Allen, Mike Eubanks, Tim Keeton, Tim Swain, Kevin Pace. Back Row: Harry Krohn, Ass't Coach; Jerry Bovard, Ass't Coach; Henry Jones; Gary Wehrum; Steve Brundage; Renfred Davis; Brian Kelly; Doxie Jones, Manager; John Hurley, Coach.

Prediction Run combines speed and accuracy

by Melissa Keeler

Speed was not the determining factor when the results were announced in the 1989 Homecoming Prediction Run which was held on Saturday, October 14 at CTC's Trechter Stadium. Twenty-seven runners and two walkers competed on a three-mile double-loop course around the CTC campus.

The competitors were not just competing against the other entrants. Each competitor also was trying to match his or her own time prediction. These predictions were made just prior to the race and were recorded by the judges. Entrants were not allowed to use timepieces of any kind to gauge how well they were matching their predicted times as they participated in the race.

Awards were given to men and women in five categories: CTC Students, CTC Staff, CTC Alumni, Master (40 and over), and Walker.

The results of the race were based not on the time to finish the route, but on the difference between the estimated time and the actual time. For this group of participants, the differences ranged from a low of an amazing 0 seconds to a high of 191 seconds. Two individuals finished with a 1 second difference between their predicted and actual times.

The winner in the Overall Men category was Paul Hamilton, who matched his predicted time of 19:15 exactly. The fastest male runner, Mark Linder, completed the race in 16:15. However, he finished in seventh place his category because his prediction was 15:15—a difference of 60 seconds.

The winner in the Overall Women category was Jo Clark who over-ran her predicted time (30:00) by 20 seconds to finish with a 30:20.

Cincinnati Technical College 1989-90 Basketball Schedule

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	TIME
Friday	Nov. 10	Vincennes Invitational	Away	6:00 & 8:00
Saturday	Nov. 11	Vincennes Invitational	Away	6:00 & 8:0
Friday	Nov. 17	Hudepohl Classic	Home	6:00 & 8:00
Saturday	Nov. 18	Hudepohl Classic	Home	6:00 & 8:00
Tuesday	Nov. 21	Thomas Moore J.V.	Home	7:30
Wednesday	Nov. 29	Lees College	Home	7:00
Saturday	Dec. 2	Columbus State	Away	2:00
Tuesday	Dec. 5	Wright State-Lake	Away	7:30
Friday	Dec. 8	Brevard Christmas Tourney	Away	6:00 & 8:00
Saturday	Dec. 9	Brevard Christmas Tourney	Away	6:00 & 8:00
Wednesday	Dec. 13	Clark State	Away	7:00
Thursday	Dec. 14	Miami U. - Hamilton	Away	7:30
Tuesday	Dec. 19	O.S.U. - Lima	Home	7:30
Wednesday	Jan. 3	Sullivan	Away	8:00
Saturday	Jan. 6	Cuyahoga	Home	2:00
Wednesday	Jan. 10	Vincennes	Away	7:30
Friday	Jan. 12	Lakeland	Home	7:30
Wednesday	Jan. 17	Sinclair	Home	7:30
Saturday	Jan. 20	Owens Tech	Away	2:00
Wednesday	Jan. 24	Thomas Moore J.V.	Away	5:30
Friday	Jan. 26	Lees College	Away	7:00
Saturday	Jan. 27	Clark State	Home	2:00
Wednesday	Jan. 31	Edison State	Away	7:30
Saturday	Feb. 3	Cuyahoga	Away	2:00
Sunday	Feb. 4	Lakeland	Away	2:00
Tuesday	Feb. 6	Sullivan	Home	7:30
Friday	Feb. 9	Edison State	Home	7:30
Monday	Feb. 12	Vincennes	Home	7:30
Wednesday	Feb. 14	Sinclair	Away	7:00
Thursday	Feb. 15	Miami U. - Hamilton	Home	7:30
Saturday	Feb. 3	Cuyahoga	Away	2:00
Saturday	Feb. 17	Owens Tech	Home	2:00

Volunteers Needed

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Expo '89 - Open House
Wednesday, November 29, 1989

For a 2 hour block of your time between noon and 8:30 p.m., you will receive a free lunch and t-shirt.

Volunteers are needed to:

- greet visitors at College entrances
- accept registrations for door prizes
- assist visitors with directions as an "Ask Me I Can Help" helper

Volunteers are also needed in the morning to help set up displays.

Help make this year's Expo the best ever!

Sign up in Room 157 or call
Yolanda Lawrence at 569-1543