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Community College Prepares Students for Careers

Triton College Hosts Business and Accounting Panel Discussion *Students will Learn Interview and Employment Skills*

RIVER GROVE, Ill. – Triton College will be hosting a business and accounting panel discussion on Tuesday, April 12, 9:30-10:45 a.m., in Room B-204.

The discussion will be for students pursuing careers in the business and accounting fields. Dr. William Griffin, chair of the Triton College School of Business, said the panel discussion is a part of Triton's strategic plan.

“This panel is designed to help prepare our students for future job interviews,” he said. “It will give them tools they need to ease their nerves when pursuing careers after Triton.”

Dr. Griffin explained that representatives from Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM), Building Owners and Managers Association (BOMA) and Mainfreight, Inc. will be speaking directly to students. The representatives will discuss employment from a human relations standpoint.

Students enrolled in business and accounting classes will attend the discussion during their usual class times. Dr. Griffin said about 75 students will be participating.

“These companies are going to show Triton students the soft skills that they’re looking for when hiring,” he said.

Dr. Griffin explained the panel will also answer questions from students in regards to interviewing for a job as well as identify mistakes to avoid. He noted the event will be very informative for Triton students and will give them a “total picture” of life in the business and accounting fields.

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