

County College of Morris

I. Major research and public service activities.

1. Research & Development Expenditures, AY 2007.

2. Public Service Activities

CCM pursues funding from both public and private external sources to fund scholarships, improve teaching and learning, acquire state of the art equipment and provide public services. 2007-2008 was a successful year in this regard with over \$1 million dollars garnered for the College. Projects worthy of note include:

- The new Planetarium at the college received gifts totaling more than \$200,000 toward the goal of \$250,000 for the renovation of the facility
- The nursing program received significant support, including a \$250,000 bequest from the Estate of Helen M. Bauer as well as a grant of \$175,000 from the F.M. Kirby Foundation
- The Adopt-a-Chair Campaign for the Performing Arts raised nearly \$34,000 for the Performing Arts program at CCM
- Among the corporate support received this year, both Alcoa and Bank of America provided gifts of \$10,000 to host two weeks of the CCM Summer Academy for economically disadvantaged high school students

The College faculty and staff also continued to provide lectures for community events through the CCM Speakers Service.

During 2007-2008 year, the Special Events department provided public service through events that stimulated and enriched the social, cultural, professional and recreational climate of the community. Many of the programs were co-sponsored by the Office of Campus Life. Program expenses are subsidized by the College to keep ticket prices affordable and accessible to the local communities.