

County College of Morris

H. Major research and public service activities.

1. Research & Development Expenditures, AY 2012.
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. The 2011-2012 fiscal year, the CCM Foundation raised \$1.035 million for a number of projects and needs including:

- A new Media Center (broadcast studio) for the college. The Foundation has undertaken a two-year, \$1.5 million campaign (*Visioning the Future*) to create a modern facility for students. To date, \$250,000 has been raised toward this goal.
- More than \$735,000 was raised for scholarships to assist students with tuition and fees. As a result, more than 200 CCM students received assistance in disciplines ranging from liberal arts to nursing to the sciences.
- The Foundation continued to fund such programs as the *CCM Summer Academy for Young Scholars*, the annual *Teen Arts Day* for Morris County middle- and high-school students, a *CCM Celebrates Seniors Day*, which educated seniors on issues ranging from healthcare to driver safety, and the *Women Who Dare* event, which introduces high-school women to careers in the sciences.
- The annual CCM Scholarship Gala netted \$70,000 for the scholarship program at the April 27, 2012 event. Dennis M. Bone, president of Verizon New Jersey, received the Foundation's 2011 *Leadership Award*.

During 2011-2012 academic 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.