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2011-2012 College Council Technology Committee Final Report

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New York Simulation Center:

The New York Simulation Center (NYSIM) features a 25,000 square foot disaster training room, a 5-bed ICU, two operating rooms, trauma rooms, a labor and delivery room and 14 patient examination rooms, all equipped with over 100 cameras to record training sessions for students to review in debriefing sessions. The NYSIM Center will give students the ability to practice, and learn the application of simulation learning to support their course of study.

Blackboard usage for 2011-2012:

Fall semester 2011 = 878 courses
Spring semester 2012 = 913 courses

Open Access Computer Lab Policy :

Access to college computer lab facilities are restricted to currently enrolled students. A validated BMCC id is required for both access and service. Signs have been posted in all computer labs. Computer lab personnel have been instructed to enforce this policy.

Library Loaner Laptop program:

The library has added 8 additional laptops to their loaner program with Intel i5 processor based units which provides greater processing speeds resulting in improved efficiency in student research.

Software licensing:

The university has completed a license for SPSS for college workstations. Department approval is required. All interested faculty should contact the helpdesk for installation.