

SEPTEMBER 2021

TITLE III GRANT PROJECT

TROY UNIVERSITY MONTGOMERY



TITLE III GRANT OVERALL GOAL... *RETENTION*

While on their education journey, sometimes all a student needs is support and to know that someone cares. The focus of this grant is to create a central location where students can access all the Center for Student Success has to offer. The new center will house full-time tutors, a mental health counselor, academic and career counseling, and the testing center. Smart furniture, strong WI-FI, conference rooms, and study areas make the center conducive to meet student needs.



Project Accomplishments

- Established a Title III Grant Care Teams Committee.
- Established a Title III Grant Financial Literacy Advisory Committee.
- Established a Title III Grant Workforce Development Committee.
- Established a Title III Grant Advising Committee.
- Hosted three TROY- Montgomery faculty/staff events to increase communication efforts.
- Installation of carpet and walls painted in the new Center for Student Success.
- Advisor Assessment Survey created and distributed to Montgomery Campus Advisors.
- All renovation contractors have been identified.



Upcoming Project Activities

- Develop an internship program on the Montgomery Campus.
- Implement a Financial Literacy Program.
- Order signage for the new CSS area.
- Ending year 1 fiscal year and beginning year 2 fiscal year of grant.
- Installation of workstation walls, electrical work, and HVAC to begin on September 27, 2021.
- Order all new technology for new CSS.
- Complete Testing Center renovations.

Upcoming Project Events

- External Evaluation- September 8th
- Fall Soup Luncheon- October 26th
- Halloween Door Decoration Contest- October 28th

New CSS Space Renovations Updates

First Stage – Walls Painted



Second Stage – Removing Old Carpet



Third Stage – New Carpet and Borders Installed



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A NOTE

From the Title III Director

I am thrilled to serve the Troy University Montgomery Campus as the Title III Project Director! When the application for this grant began a few years ago, I was an undergraduate student working closely with Dr. Sharon Everhardt on a different grant project. I was ecstatic to see this application for the Title III grant begin evolving. As a student and then eventually a staff member of Troy University Montgomery Campus, I can see the potential that this campus can be. The Title III Grant project will bring much needed resources to the Montgomery Campus by having full-time tutors, a part-time Student Intervention Coach to provide mental health counseling services, an internship program, advisor training and development, new technology, great study spaces, and more! As the Title III Director, I plan on giving 100% toward the success of this grant and the success of Troy University Montgomery Campus. With the fantastic faculty and staff on campus coming together for our students, we can provide an amazing educational journey and support system to aid in student success. Though this grant ends in five years, my hope is that the grant will be a foundation for the future of Troy University Montgomery and thrust this campus into an environment of excellent support and service for our students.

*Bre Gentry
Title III Project Director*

Thank You!

Dallin Dean & Barbara Jeffrey

We really appreciate the effort you have contributed to this project.

"Life is like a camera. Focus on what is important. Capture the good times. Develop from the negatives. And if things don't work out, take another shot."

Dr. Julian Thomas

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