



# Center of Excellence HSEM

## 18 REASONS WHY WE'RE PROUD OF

# 2018

**We** are a team of dedicated Board Members, staff, volunteers and Senior Fellows who support our community and technical colleges (SBCTC), and business and industry partners to train and educate a skilled workforce that helps maintain our safety and security and builds emergency and disaster resilience in our communities. We value and respect each other and our partners and build relationships that reflect the highest standard of integrity. We advance a culture of creativity, innovation, teamwork and transparency.

### 1 RESOURCE GUIDE



**Published** the updated comprehensive Program Guide that provides information about career pathways.

Printable copy on Center's website [www.coehsem.com](http://www.coehsem.com).

**2 BAS Degree in Fire Leadership & Management Launched** Celebrated w/Pierce College the initial approval of the new BAS degree program for Fire Services. Center supported the establishment of this degree. It is an on-line program, awaiting final SBCTC approval in Summer of 2019.

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**3** July of 2018 we published the first edition of our news-magazine called **"Confluence"**. Confluence serves as an

### 4 DISCUSSIONS OF STATEWIDE CJ CURRICULUM



On Nov. 1, Center hosted the fall quarter CJ Program Managers meeting which was attended by 13 of our 20 CJ Program Manager's and faculty to review the CJ **Core Curriculum** recommendations. At the end of meeting 15 of our 20 CJ college programs agreed with the five core courses discussed & agreed w/submitting to SBCTC approval for common course numbering. In January the Center announced the establishment of WA Assn. of Public Safety Trainers & Educators which hosted its first statewide conference in Spokane.

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### "Confluence" Media



The King County TV's **"Disaster Zone"** interview with Linda Crerar and Eric Holdeman, **"Careers in Emergency Management"** provided information on the establishment of the BAS, Associates and Certificate HSEM degrees, curriculum framework, faculty and internships and work experience opportunities. This was one of the first taped "YouTube" interviews that the Center staff, Board Members and our constituents participated in to discuss a variety of issues and interests. Our Confluence Media videos are available on our website [www.coehsem.com](http://www.coehsem.com).

**PIERCE COLLEGE CRIMINAL JUSTICE**

Meet the demands of the future with a certificate in **CRIME ANALYSIS AND INVESTIGATIONS**. An all online, one-year program consisting of eight 5-credit courses.

**CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS:**

- CJ 101 Introduction to Investigation Profiling
- CJ 102 Introduction to Crime Analysis
- CJ 103 Crime Analysis Techniques
- CJ 104 Crime Analysis Profiling
- CJ 105 Introduction to Crime Analysis Research & Design Methods
- CJ 106 Crime Analysis Research & Design Methods
- CJ 107 Crime Analysis Research & Design Methods

**CRIMES:** Only Report 1 (25,912, 917) | [Classupdate.pierce.edu](http://classupdate.pierce.edu)

### 5 Meeting demands of the future

#### Certificate in Crime Analysis

CJ workgroup & Center supported the first of its kind CAI online one year Certificate offered at Pierce College.

### 6 Registered OSH Apprenticeship and Internship Program Implemented

**EDMONDS COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

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**OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH**

Area of Study > Occupational Safety and Health > Apprenticeship Program

**REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM**

Earn While You Learn

**14** "Digital Transformation of the Supply Chain" Student panel shared recommendations on



APRIL 26, 2018

**Securing the Supply Chain Forum**  
The Digital Transformation of Supply Chain



**15 BRIDGING THE ROLE OF AN ACADEMIC-PRACTITIONER IN TEACHING ABOUT TECHNOLOGY** Thanks to funding from UW's Foster School of Business three Centers were able to build a template for a training-the-trainers course to improve teaching technology for our CTC faculty. In 2019 we will continue workshop sessions



**16 FORUM FOCUSED ON FOOD SECURITY, SAFETY, and DEFENSE**

"Farm to Fork" Securing the Supply Chain Forum:  
Pathways to Resilience  
October 26, 2018 at Walla Walla Community College

**17 Nov 11, 2018**, Center-published a special edition of Confluence to honor our Veterans. [www.coehsem.com/military-transitions/](http://www.coehsem.com/military-transitions/)



**18** Center Director, Linda Crerar, was asked by Pierce College to serve on the South Puget Sound Red Cross Board representing the College and the Center.



**7** SBCTC Workforce Division liaisons praised the work done by the Center, members of the RAISE Grant Team, Labor & Industries and State Labor for organizing efforts to meet with organizations and businesses interested in apprenticeships throughout the year. Iiabw committed to pursue a Registered Apprenticeship.

**9 WOMEN IN POLITICS Leadership Forum** videos available on the Center's YouTube page. Below are links to the 4 video segments recorded and edited by the Center's Graphics and Digital Design Specialist Jasmine May.

<p><b>Christy Kuderer - Keynote Speaker</b></p> <p>Christy Kuderer is a Washington State legislator and a former member of the Washington State Senate. She has served on the Senate's Education and Workforce Committee, the Senate's Health and Human Resources Committee, and the Senate's Public Safety and Justice Committee. She is currently serving on the Senate's Education and Workforce Committee.</p>	<p><b>Traci Buxton City Council Member - Des Moines</b></p> <p>Traci Buxton has been involved in real estate investment and property management for over 25 years. As an entrepreneur, she has worked in real estate, worked the business, advised on real estate professional advice on profits and growth programs, and has long experience in the real estate industry.</p>
<p><b>Leta Rings City Council Member - Des Moines</b></p> <p>Leta Rings is a Washington State legislator and a former member of the Washington State Senate. She has served on the Senate's Education and Workforce Committee, the Senate's Health and Human Resources Committee, and the Senate's Public Safety and Justice Committee. She is currently serving on the Senate's Education and Workforce Committee.</p>	<p><b>Michelle Stamba Washington State Representative, 25th District</b></p> <p>Michelle Stamba is a Washington State legislator and a former member of the Washington State Senate. She has served on the Senate's Education and Workforce Committee, the Senate's Health and Human Resources Committee, and the Senate's Public Safety and Justice Committee. She is currently serving on the Senate's Education and Workforce Committee.</p>



In April, the Center, Pierce and Edmonds Colleges staff and volunteers met with participants at our booth at the conference to help us share the multitude of education and training opportunities available at our 34 Community and Technical Colleges in all-hazard emergency management careers and other related fields. Well over 150 people visited us at our booth.

**Role of the HSEM Center of Excellence in bringing the colleges together**

- The director for the HSEM Center of Excellence (Linda Crerar) saw the need for a program that could serve the needs for students throughout the state of Washington.
- The director of the center envisioned the model that we are sharing today
- HSEM Career Pathways
  - Criminal Justice | Emergency Medical & Health Services | Fire Service | Homeland Security Emergency Management | Occupational Safety & Health | Technology & Cyber Security

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**HAPPY HOLIDAYS**

Holiday Edition December 2018

**RECOGNITION OF OUR ADVISORY BOARD, REGIONAL COORDINATORS AND PROJECT MANAGEMENT STAFF**

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**New Internship Guide**

**INTERNSHIP GUIDEBOOK**

For Employers

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Successfully completed all of the 2017-18 Work Plan objectives and our 2018-19 Plan was approved by the State Board. 2018 Plan continues our focus on students' career success which means completing degrees and gaining employment in their chosen fields.

**2018 NCWE CONFERENCE**  
"PARTNERSHIPS THAT IMPROVE PROGRAM DESIGN".

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**PRESENTATION BY PIERCE AND OLYMPIC COLLEGE'S**

THE HSEM COLLABORATION GEOGRAPHIC REACH