

**SUNY DELHI RECEIVES APPROVAL FROM STATE UNIVERSITY  
TO OFFER HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT BACHELOR'S DEGREE AT  
SCHENECTADY COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

**DELHI, NY ...** SUNY Delhi recently received approval for a master plan amendment from the State University Board of Trustees to offer its Hospitality Management Bachelor's Degree at Schenectady County Community College (SCCC). Following final approval from the State Education Department, students in the Capital Region will be able to take all of the courses for Delhi's degree program on the SCCC campus in Schenectady.

"Since we began offering courses onsite at Schenectady in 2001, it's become clear that we needed to move ahead and establish an outreach site where we could offer the entire Hospitality Management bachelor's degree," said Larry Barrett, SUNY Delhi enrollment services dean. "Interest has been strong from Schenectady students, as well as from those who are already working in the hospitality industry in the Capital District."

Schenectady County Community College invited SUNY Delhi to offer onsite courses in SUNY Delhi's Hospitality Management bachelor's degree program in Fall 2001. This action was taken after a survey showed that there was strong interest in SUNY Delhi administering a bachelor's degree program in Hospitality Management on the SCCC campus.

"This partnership is fast becoming a model for how SUNY campuses can work together to meet the needs of students," said SUNY Delhi President Candace S. Vancko. "We've worked closely on the finer details to make sure that receiving a SUNY Delhi degree will be a seamless process for Schenectady students and others in the Capital District."

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“This has been a truly positive experience for both of our institutions and for the students. We will be looking toward other partnerships for Bachelor’s degree opportunities in various areas to continue to serve our community,” said SCCC President Gabe Basil.

SUNY Delhi is awaiting final approval by the State Education Department for the Hospitality Management Bachelor’s Degree at SCCC. The degree will have a hotel and resort management focus, preparing graduates for management level positions at hotels, resorts, motels, country inns, and bed and breakfast establishments.

SUNY Delhi was one of the first colleges in New York State to introduce Hospitality Management at the associate degree level and has become a recognized leader in hospitality education. The college also offers the only Bachelor of Business Administration degree in Hospitality Management in New York State. With its full range of majors in Restaurant and Foodservice Management, Hotel and Resort Management, Travel and Tourism Management, and Culinary Arts, SUNY Delhi graduates gain real-world experience through internship opportunities and state-of-the-art training facilities.

For more information about SUNY Delhi’s Hospitality Management bachelor’s degree at SCCC, please contact Larry Barrett at 1-800-96-DELHI or log on to [www.delhi.edu](http://www.delhi.edu).