

Highlights

National Recognition

- President's Higher Education Community Service Honor Roll:
2005 - 5 Institutions
2011/12 - 15/14 Institutions
- Carnegie Community Engagement Classification:
2009 - 3 Institutions
2010 - 4 Institutions
- 2012 U.S. Department of Education Together for Tomorrow Recognition for the Achievement School District VISTA Project
- 2012 Presentation at SACSCOC Annual Meeting
- 2012 President's Interfaith and Community Service Campus Challenge and White House Young America Series

State Recognition

In March 2012, the TN General Assembly House of Representatives Joint Resolution No. 662 was signed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, Speaker of the Senate, and the Governor recognizing the Tennessee Campus Compact as a key state partner addressing college access and success and workforce development through service-learning and civic engagement.

Leadership

Board Chair: President Ted Brown, MMC
Vice-Chair: President L. Anthony Wise Jr., PSCC
Board Members:

Chancellor Tom Rakes, U of TN at Martin
President Sidney McPhee, MTSU
President William Seymour, CSCC
President Jerry Faulkner, VSCC
President Robert Fisher, Belmont U
President Harley Knowles, TN Wesleyan
President Randolph Lowry, Lipscomb U

Host Institution (2009-Present)
Lipscomb University, Nashville, TN

TNCC was established as the 33rd State Campus Compact in March 2008.

Campus Compact has nearly 1,200 member institutions and a network of 35 state affiliates utilizing civic engagement to improve college access and retention, enhance college readiness in K-12 education, better prepare college students for their careers and for society, as well as establish meaningful, reciprocal community partnerships.



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Mission

TNCC mobilizes engaged campuses to strengthen student learning and revitalize communities contributing to workforce and economic development.



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Member Services

2013-2014

- ☞ \$22,000 CNCS federal grant resource for graduates of member institutions to serve as a standard AmeriCorps VISTA member to build infrastructure and capacity for campus-community engagement in an effort to alleviate poverty.
- ☞ \$11,000 CNCS federal grant resource for graduates of member institutions to serve as a cost-share AmeriCorps VISTA member.
- ☞ \$4,000 CNCS federal grant resource for undergraduate students to serve as VISTA Summer Associates.
- ☞ Six annual faculty service-learning curriculum integration training and professional development forums, conferences, and workshops.
- ☞ Day on the Hill legislative advocacy in support of higher education civic purposes.
- ☞ Annual reporting structures to document service activities and outcomes to promote efforts and enhance national rankings.
- ☞ National and regional recognition award opportunities for institutions, faculty members, and students.
- ☞ Customized technical assistance to guide practices and increase effectiveness.
- ☞ Opportunities for research and publication in the scholarship of engagement.
- ☞ Media attention of campus service activities that benefit local communities.
- ☞ Initiatives to prepare students for the workplace through academic-community-business-government partnerships.
- ☞ Website and monthly newsletter of local and national resources and opportunities.
- ☞ Visibility for presidents, including national leadership opportunities, for promoting the public good of higher education.

Current Members

2013-2014

Higher Education

Austin Peay State University
Belmont University
Carson-Newman University
Cleveland State Community College
East Tennessee State University
Fisk University
Jackson State Community College
Johnson University
Lee University
Lipscomb University
Martin Methodist College
Maryville College
Middle Tennessee State University
Pellissippi State Community College
Rhodes College
Roane State Community College
Southern Adventist University
Southern College of Optometry
Southwest TN Community College
Tennessee State University
Tennessee Technological University
Tennessee Wesleyan College
Tusculum College
University of Memphis
University of the South – Sewanee
University of TN at Knoxville
University of TN at Martin
Volunteer State Community College

K-12/Achievement School District

Corning Elementary School
Frayser Elementary School
Georgian Hills Elementary School
Whitney Elementary School
Westside Middle School
Gestalt Charter Community Schools

Past Performance

2008-2013

- ☞ For every \$1 of member investment, TNCC returned to campuses \$13.42 (ROI: 1,342%).
- ☞ For each \$1 that TNCC invested in local communities, an impact of \$4.66 was generated (ROI: 466%).
- ☞ Leveraged \$5,000,000 in AmeriCorps VISTA resources and fielded 185 VISTA Members on 25 campuses and 10 schools to build capacity for service-learning to address identified community needs in the CNCS priority areas of education, economic opportunity, veterans & military families, and healthy futures.
- ☞ Mobilized over 98,682 community volunteers who provided 851,274.75 service hours for an economic impact of \$17,209,690.
- ☞ Established 20 central coordinating units for service-learning and civic engagement.
- ☞ Transitioned 14 VISTAs to permanent staff positions to sustain community engagement.
- ☞ Provided professional development for 4,000 faculty and staff in service-learning curriculum integration.
- ☞ Hosted five annual conferences with national speakers and other state partners with 1,000 participants.
- ☞ Developed nearly 1,000 service-learning courses and involved nearly 1,800 faculty members in service-learning and civic engagement efforts.
- ☞ Established nearly 1,137 partnerships between campuses and agencies to address community needs.
- ☞ Served 15,379 meals to address food security and access needs.
- ☞ Assisted 4,415 veterans and military families with various services.
- ☞ Mentored nearly 5,263 students for college access and success.