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**SUFFOLK COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE NAMED AMONG NATION'S
TOP 20 WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT PROVIDERS**

Selden, NY – Suffolk County Community College was recently named one of the Top 20 Workforce Development Providers in the country for 2013 by TrainingIndustry.com. This website continuously reviews companies and community colleges that provide customized corporate training services and conducts an annual assessment to determine suppliers' experience and capabilities.

Selection to the Top 20 list is based on the following criteria: industry visibility, innovation and impact; capability to develop and deliver customized corporate training services; company size and growth potential; depth and breadth of subject matter expertise; organization size and growth potential; quality of clients; and geographic reach. Only three other colleges were selected for the list: Cuyahoga Community College in Cleveland, OH; Oklahoma City Community College; and the College of the North Atlantic in Canada.

Dr. Shaun L. McKay, President of Suffolk County Community College stated, "The College is committed to exceptional workforce skills enhancement and to continuing to positively shape workforce, a role that is now more crucial than ever to the economic vitality of our country."

John Lombardo, Associate Vice President for Workforce and Economic Development at the College, said, "Suffolk has long been recognized for its national leadership role in the development and implementation of innovative workforce training programs. This latest recognition further underscores that our efforts are moving in the right direction."

About Suffolk County Community College

Suffolk County Community College (SCCC) is the largest community college in the State University of New York (SUNY) system, enrolling approximately 26,000 students at its three campuses in Selden, Brentwood and Riverhead. SCCC offers the Associate in Arts (A.A.), Associate in Science (A.S.), and Associate in Applied Science (A.A.S.) degrees, as well as a variety of certificate programs. Offering affordable college tuition, a highly respected Honors program, extensive extracurricular activities, championship athletic teams, and numerous transfer programs, SCCC is a first-choice college for Long Island students. Visit us online at sunysuffolk.edu.

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