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Culinary and Pastry Arts Programs Receive "Exemplary" by the ACFEFAC

The Culinary and Pastry Arts programs recently received a five-year accreditation from the ACFEFAC (American Culinary Federation Education Foundation Accreditation Commission) and found zero non-compliances.

Both programs were identified as "Exemplary". To qualify as an ACFEF Exemplary Secondary Program, a program must be confirmed in full compliance with ACFEF standards on two consecutive Team Reports.

The team evaluating the program participated in an onsite visit and determined through a checklist and comparison of the program to the nationally recognized ACFEF Standards that the program has substantially met the entire required standards. They are as follows:

- ◆ Eligibility
- Program Mission and Goals
- Organization and Administration
- Faculty and Staff
- Curriculum
- Facilities
- Student Services and Assessment



Education Foundation

This was the fourth time the Culinary and Pastry Arts programs were audited through the ACF accreditation. Both programs have never received a non-compliance in their 25 year history.

Chef Brian Peffley also received the ACF Northeast Chef Educator of the Year award for 2020.



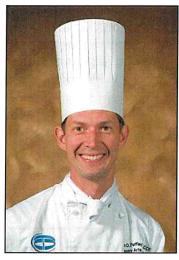




Congratulations to both instructors for an outstanding job and positive recognition of the Culinary and Pastry Arts Programs.



Chef Robert Corle



Chef Brian Peffley



CTC Events

Please welcome new staff member. . .

Andra Groller, Administrative Director—Programs

Education Certification and Career Development Facilitator

Andra Groller joined the Lebanon County Career & Technology Center team in July 2020 as the Assistant Director of Programs. Previously, Andra was the Assistant Principal and Cooperative Education Coordinator at the Lancaster County Career and Technology Center. She was also a Field Resource Educator for Pennsylvania State University, a Diversified Occupations Coordinator at Northampton High School and an Information Systems Technology Instructor at the Career Institute of Technology.

Andra Groller received her Bachelor of Science in Education from Temple University. She received her Master of Education in Workforce Education and Development with an emphasis in Educational Leadership from Pennsylvania State University. She is halfway through her Doctorate program in Educational Leadership. Andra has completed her Administrative Director Certification, Principal Certification K-12, Cooperative

Certification.

Reminder for our Visitors . . . School Gate Guardian

TO OUR NEW STAFF!

School Gate Guardian requires all visitors to present a valid driver's license or other state-issued identification upon arrival at the door. The ID will be scanned and checked. Visitors who have been cleared will receive a printed ID badge that includes their photo and name. The badge is self-expiring, meaning within 12 hours of receipt, the word "VOID" will bleed through to the front so the badge cannot be reused. The process to scan an ID, run the check and print a badge takes about 30 seconds to complete.