

## President's Welcome

Welcome to Heartland Community College! Pursuing your educational interests at Heartland certainly is a wise decision. Everyone working at the College is focused ultimately on one primary goal – ensuring your success.

Whether transferring to a four-year institution, updating current job skills, training for a new career, or pursuing a personal interest, Heartland Community College can guide you on your path to success. Heartland students have transferred to more than 500 colleges and universities, and over 90 percent of our career and technical program graduates secure jobs in their fields of study.

As a Heartland student, you will enjoy a supportive learning environment built around exceptional faculty, dedicated staff, and state-of-the-art technology. The College has established a variety of resources that further reinforce our commitment to your success including: career/college/life planning, flexible scheduling, scholarships and other financial aid, child care, tutoring, and assistance programs for our students with unique needs. Our services are offered on a 256 acre main campus with facilities that demonstrate a strong commitment to environmental sustainability. Learning opportunities are enhanced by extension centers in both Pontiac and Lincoln, and through a variety of online course offerings.

Heartland invites you to explore our many Student Life offerings. You can participate in clubs, organizations, and other cultural and educational activities; look into our various study abroad opportunities; and discover new friends among our international students and faculty members on campus. All among the Heartland community will make every effort to offer support as you learn, grow, and strive to achieve your educational goals.

On behalf of all Heartland faculty, staff, and students, I welcome you to Heartland Community College and the many exciting opportunities and experiences awaiting you!

Rob Widmer, President