

THE COLLEGE OF WESTCHESTER



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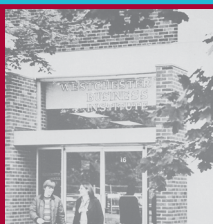
GREAT PAST. BRIGHT FUTURE.

HISTORICAL PERSPECTIVE

1915

Founded in New Rochelle, NY.

Day class began September 7th. Evening classes began September 8th. Westchester Commercial School was different because the secretarial course included bookkeeping, classes taken together shortened program time and students could stay in town for such studies.



1959

Expanded and moved to 16 Bank Street, White Plains.

1973

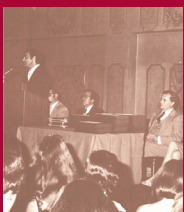
Accredited and firmly established as The Westchester Business Institute (WBI).

1975

First Student Success Awards Ceremony. This year, the College is celebrating 40 years of recognizing outstanding high school students throughout Westchester, Putnam, Bronx, Rockland, Orange, Dutchess and Fairfield counties, and Connecticut.

1997

The college was authorized by the New York State Board of Regents to offer the Associate in Applied Science (AAS) degree in two newly created program areas: Multimedia Development and Management (now Digital Media) and Computer Network Administration.



Svetlana
Digital Media

"As a graduate of CW, I understand the importance of keeping up with and exploring the latest technologies to become an expert in your profession."

The Middle States Commission on Higher Education, 3624 Market Street, Philadelphia, PA 19104; (267) 284-5000. The Middle States Commission on Higher Education is an institutional accrediting agency recognized by the U.S. Secretary of Education and the Council for Higher Education Accreditation.

1966

Data processing is authorized through Automation Institute – C.E.I.R. IBM Automation and Computer Programming courses are offered.

1975

NYS Board of Regents authorized WBI to offer the Associate in Occupational Studies (AOS) Degree.

1985

The college moves from Bank Street to 325 Central Ave., White Plains.

2003 (March)

College granted accreditation by Middle States Commission on Higher Education.

2003

(October)

NYS Education Department approved name change from WBI to The College of Westchester (CW)



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2003

The College was authorized to offer a new Associate in Occupational Studies (AOS) degree in Medical Office Systems Management as well as a certificate program in Medical Billing Specialist

2005

The College of Westchester Charitable Foundation (CWCF) was established as a 501(c) (3) public charity, providing an additional vehicle to supplement grant and scholarship opportunities for current students of the college.

THE COLLEGE OF WESTCHESTER CHARITABLE FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP FUND



Providing a Path to Success

2008

Authorization was granted to offer the Bachelor of Business Administration Degree (BBA) in Business Administration



"I finished my BBA at CW and I am now in management at Hertz, a Fortune 500 company."

-Michael
BBA Business

"After graduation I interviewed and landed an Audit Assistant position at Deloitte & Touche, LLP"

- Deyanira
BBA Accounting

2010

NYS Board of Regents authorized CW to offer the Bachelor of Business Administration Degree (BBA) in Accounting

2011

Authorization was granted to offer the Bachelor of Business Administration Degree (BBA), in Business Administration and Associate in Applied Science (AAS) in Business Administration Management/ Marketing in fully online format

Mary Magdalene
CW Online Bachelor of Business Administration



"I came back to CW for my bachelor's and after I graduated I got another promotion. It's inspired me to want to be better and do better."

2014

Authorization was granted to offer the Bachelor of Business Administration Degree (BBA), in Health Care Administration



"This program will prepare future graduates for a solid career in a growing and thriving healthcare industry."

- Estelle Coffino
Program Director/Chairperson Allied Health

2014

Authorization was granted to offer a Concentration in Digital Marketing & Design as part of the BBA in Business Administration



"My experience prepared me with the latest programs and skills. I am a full-time Graphic Artist."

-Joselly
Digital Media

"I work for two surgeons and look forward to gaining more experience within my career."

-Nancy
Health Information Management

2014

Authorization was granted to offer the Bachelor of Business Administration Degree (BBA), in Health Administration in a fully online format