

Students Beyond the “Norm”

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At the Community College of Aurora, we value the diverse backgrounds, experiences, cultures, and strengths that our students bring with them as they pursue their academic and career goals. Our students come from five continents, 96 countries and speak 70 languages across our Community ESL and College programs. We are a Hispanic Serving Institution with 29.9% of our population being Hispanic and LatinX. We are also a Minority Serving Institution with 61.9% of our full time students being students of color.

CCA thrives on the cultural perspectives, awareness, and global knowledge each student contributes to our local community. Our students are hard workers who have experiences beyond the scope of jobs and familial responsibilities - they are masters of balancing multiple roles within their lives and have stories that continually awe our staff and faculty members. These students bring resilience, problem solving skills, the ability to adapt to new situations and environments, and a hunger to continue improving their skills to become successful working professionals.

We encourage our employers to listen to the stories of our students and challenge themselves to also continue to strive for and value education by learning new world perspectives, thus, continually growing their human capital. This diversity goes far beyond numerical values to contribute to a more successful, innovative, and collaborative work culture. These are the individuals who make up the community of Aurora and are a core piece of the growth and development we are seeing around us each day.

At the Community College of Aurora, we recognize the importance and varying skillsets that each student carries with them and invite you to look beyond the norms typically seen in candidates. CCA Students are extraordinary in many ways. We hope you take the time to see just how extraordinary they are.

~CCA Career Services

