



2007 Spring Commencement

Joseph McFadden, Cohort #26, alumnus

A flexible degree program for busy adults

"I am proud to be an alumna of the Morris College family. When you choose Morris College, you are entering an institution that truly cares about you."

—Gwendolyn Lowery, alumna

"Realizing the need to foster the importance of education to my children, I set out to live my life by example. I enrolled in the Advance Program at age 35 and accomplished my goals in less than 18 months!"

—Sharon Helton-Massey, alumna

"The Advance Program was one of my best educational experiences. The program offered diversity and flexibility, all at an affordable cost. I gained knowledge and acquired skills that I was able to put to work in my current profession."

—Pheisha E. Lewis, alumna



Diana Hudson and Develyn Boone, Cohort #27

"At Morris College, we seek to broaden your horizons and to nurture your spirit through experiences that are intellectual, organizational, and social. From these experiences, we offer you the opportunity to develop into mature adults who can exemplify the college's motto: *Enter to Learn; Depart to Serve.*"

—President Luns C. Richardson



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Mr. C.J. Duvall, Vice-President of Human Resources, Alltel Leadership Workshop

Gregory White, Cohort #27

The Morris College Management Institute-Advance Program is an accelerated degree program designed for working adults age 25 and older who have 60 semester hours of transferable college credits. Graduates of the program earn a Bachelor of Science degree, with a major in Organizational Management. The Organizational Management major provides working adults with the knowledge and skills pertaining to management, organizational behavior, and human resources for the purpose of promoting managerial effectiveness and enhancing human performance in organizations.



Cohort #29

Designed to foster career and educational advancement, the program provides students with the knowledge and skills necessary to start their own businesses or to assume managerial positions within small and large agencies. Students in the program discover how to adapt business strategies to accommodate changing marketplace conditions; apply effective leadership skills; gain the ability to assess organizational needs and implement effective improvement scenarios by analyzing case studies and completing a capstone research project.

The Advance Program offers:

Flexibility – The Advance Program offers evening and weekend classes. In fact, most classes meet only one evening a week from 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

A Competitive Edge – Earn a Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Organizational Management in as short a time as 18 months.

Convenience – All classes meet on the campus of Morris College. The Advance Program allows students to maintain their full-time jobs and attend classes.

Accessibility – Provides students with access to faculty and staff, advance technology, social activities, career services as well as a host of other resources and activities.

Quality Education – Through classroom discussions, group assignments, and guided research applications, students will build strong managerial and leadership skills.

Marketability – Students acquire skills and professional credentials to make them more competitive in the workplace or to give them a whole new career start.

Affordability – Grants, scholarships, and student loans are available for students who qualify.

Classroom Innovation – The Cohort or group learning experience promotes peer support, academic exchange, and professional networking.

Enrollment Options – The Advance Program accepts new students in the fall and spring semesters.

Successes

- ▶ In 2006, the Organizational Management degree program received accreditation from the Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs.
- ▶ Highest Graduation Rate among all degree programs offered at the college (Spring Semester 2005–Spring Semester 2007: 77%)
- ▶ Greater number of students attending Graduate and Professional Schools after graduation (2003-2007, Five-Year average: 84%).
- ▶ More career options and career placement are available.
- ▶ Graduates experience greater promotional opportunities within existing settings and externally.

<i>Division of Business Administration</i>		
MCMi-Advance Program		
Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Organizational Management		
General Education		60
Organizational Management Core		48
ORM-300 Adult Development and Career Life Assessment	3	
ORM-301 Group and Organizational Behavior	3	
ORM-302 Organizational Concepts	3	
ORM-303 Organizational Communication	3	
ORM-304 Methods of Research and Analysis	3	
ORM-305 Research Project Seminar I	1	
ORM-400 Humanities: A Holistic Approach	3	
ORM-401 Managerial Economics	3	
ORM-402 Managerial Marketing	3	
ORM-403 Managerial Accounting and Finance	4	
ORM-404 Managerial Principles	3	
ORM-405 Biblical Perspectives	3	
ORM-406 Human Resource Management	3	
ORM-407 Strategic Planning	3	
ORM-408 Personal Values and Organizational Ethics	3	
ORM-409 Capstone Course: Research Project Seminar II	4	
Electives as required		0-16
TOTAL		124

Working adults preparing for the future at Morris College:

“The Advance Program assisted me in developing my communication and management skills. It also enabled me to get a promotion at Eaton Electrical, and provided the necessary skills and curriculum to prepare me for graduate school. I have since completed my MBA Degree!”

–David Witherspoon, alumnus

“The faculty and staff are some of the best in the area.”

–Anthony Rembert, alumnus

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