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We invite you to take advantage not only of this fine service, but also of other educational programs which we may be able to arrange at your request. To request a speaker, call him or her directly. MVCC speakers represent themselves and speak on their own behalf, not as College representatives.

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Speakers' Topics

Athletics

Gary Broadhurst – How MVCC's athletic programs were developed into winning traditions.

Aviation Technology

Don Cope - Aviation Maintenance Technology.
Don Cope - "Airplanes for Dummies."

Baseball

Dave Warren – Learn about the MVCC baseball program.

Body Donation

William Perrotti - The need, impact and process of donating a body to the advancement of science.
William Perrotti - Cadaver Anatomy Program at MVCC.

Business Administration

Robert Huyck - Computer Applications (Excel, Access, etc.).
Robert Huyck - Business Management.
Jerylann George - Career Success - Owning your own business.

China

Dr. Yixion "Shawn" Liang - China Today.
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Citizenship

Alina Mildred Treis - Journey of becoming an American citizen and settling in the United States.

Coaching/Motivation

David R. Katz III – Approaches, philosophies and techniques on leading any group toward becoming a cohesive unit utilizing "active learning strategies."

Domestic Violence Prevention

Kristen Medici - How to recognize, seek help, getting support.

Education

Carmelita Lomeo-Smrtic – Teaching Math and Science in the Early Childhood and Elementary Years.
Jennifer Boulanger – Importance of study skills and literacy in adult education.

Ethics & Society

William Zogby - Discussion of the social and economic responsibilities of business management.

Fitness

Robert Gould – Staying healthy mentally and physically key to living a long productive life.

Government

Samuel L. Russo, Jr. - Public Administration.
Marianne Buttenschon - Public Policy.
Marianne Buttenschon - Local Criminal Courts.

Guilt

James Smrtic – Guilt is a powerful emotion and we can be our hardest judge and jury.

Healthy Living

Pamela Fess – Blood cholesterol and its impact on coronary artery disease and stroke.
Jerylann George - Fitness and Well-Being
William Hysell - Successful Strategies for Living Well with Diabetes.

Health Issues

Jennifer Polley - Understanding Alzheimer's disease.

Horses/Horsemanship

Maureen McCleary - Discover the joy of interaction with these majestic animals and the horse industry.

International Politics

Samuel L. Russo, Jr. - Foreign Governments impact on U.S. Federal, State and Local Governments.

Literature

Krista Hartman – Children's Literature History and Appreciation of local children's authors - Book talk.
Krista Hartman – Oneida County/Upstate NY Authors - book talks, resource guides and lectures available.

Management Topics

Nancy Caputo – How to implement change in the workplace.
William Zogby – What History Teaches About Good Management; What made the "managers" of the past successful and how can these methods be employed today.

Marketing

Richard Haubert – What is marketing and techniques for spreading your message.

Motivation

David R. Katz III – Trauma Survivor: Speaker's own personal story on surviving a traumatic accident and approaches to maximize the healing process.

Nursing

Nancy Caputo – How to read Arterial Blood Gas Reports.
Nancy Caputo – Why choose nursing as a profession.

Origami

Mark Radlowski – Learn the Art of Paper Folding.

Peace Corps

Rob Ichihana – A personal journey then and now.

Political Science

David R. Katz III – Areas include American Political Economy, International Relations, Peace Studies and History.

Religion and Faith

William Hysell - Living life of peace through Zen Buddhism and Eastern Philosophy.
Jennifer DeWeerth - Religious Faith and Politics in America.
Jennifer DeWeerth - The Bible, Theology and Ethics: Discussion of historical context of the Bible, specific theologians, along with historical and modern theologies.

Research Skills

Krista Hartman – Informational literacy skills include Internet search tips, navigating blogs, and evaluating websites.
Colleen Kehoe-Robinson – Information Literacy and Research Topics: Learn to identify, locate, evaluate and effectively use information.
Colleen Kehoe-Robinson – Introduction to Legal Research.

Stress Management

Rob Ichihana – Finding Inner Peace in a Stress-filled World.

Science

Nicholas Gioppo – Geology and Earth Science for any age.

Soccer

Robert Gould – Learn the skills, techniques and rules that makes soccer one of the world's fastest growing sports.

Weather

Nicholas Gioppo – What makes the weather.

Writing Skills

Dr. Leslie Goerner – Essay, Autobiography, Poetry, and Short Story: Audience can participate in the writing process as a way to appreciate the genre more fully.

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