

Campus to Career Alumni Panel Wednesday, November 13 Village Hall 118, 6 p.m. *Meet the Panelists*

Carlos T. Carter '94, Business Administration



Carlos T. Carter, a Pittsburgh native, is the Executive Director for Homeless Children's Education Fund (HCEF) and a motivational and keynote speaker at Seeds2FruitMotivation. Graduating from the University of Pittsburgh, he went on to earn his MBA from Robert Morris University and AS from Community College of Allegheny County. His compelling life story places him in a unique position to motivate individuals of all ages, corporations, and nonprofits. Prior to joining HCEF, he consulted for Holy Family institute/Nazareth Prep, and he worked in the banking industry for more than 17 years. He has also achieved numerous accolades including the Pittsburgh Magazine 40 under 40 Award and the National Diversity Multicultural Leadership Award.

Kate M. Clymer '05, Humanities



Kate Clymer is a Pitt-Greensburg alumna. A Greensburg resident, she is currently a local employer through TRC Staffing Services, a locally owned and operated company for 28 years in Westmoreland County. With 20 years of experience in career education, she provides top talent to hand-picked industries and employers. Before returning to Greensburg, she worked as a career services director in Queens, New York, where she assisted over 6,000 students, graduates, and alumni in finding employment within their desired fields. She brings a lot of passion to career readiness and is available to provide insight from the beginning of the job search to negotiating a raise to entrepreneurship.

Timothy C. Dugan '83, Engineering



Tim Dugan attended the University of Pittsburgh at Greensburg from 1979 to 1980 before transferring to the Pittsburgh campus to complete his degree. Graduating from Pitt with a BS in chemical engineering, he started his career with Cabot Oil & Gas in 1984 as a Field Engineer and has held positions with progressively more responsibility at EQT Corp, Chesapeake Energy, and CNX Resources. Most recently, he held the role of Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer at CNX Resources and Chief Operating Officer of CNX Midstream. Tim received the Pitt-Greensburg Alumni Association Alumnus of Distinction Award in 2018.



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Eric J. Kocian, PhD '00, Psychology & Administration of Justice



Dr. Eric Kocian has a true passion for the field of criminology, law, and society and continually makes efforts to expand his knowledge and teaching abilities in all areas of the discipline. A Pitt-Greensburg graduate, he is an assistant professor of criminology, law, and society at Saint Vincent College. He earned a master's degree in criminology in 2002 and a PhD in 2010 from the Indiana University of Pennsylvania. A former US Marine Corps Reservist, he also completed training from the FBI in 2012. He recently completed the Drug Enforcement Administration and Federal Bureau of Investigation Citizen Academies. He continues to research the opioid epidemic and has briefed various local, state, and federal agencies and departments on his findings.

Kathleen A. Sankovich, DNP '18, Nursing



Kathy Sankovich received her doctorate in nursing practice from the University of Pittsburgh. Earning her RN from St. Francis Hospital School of Nursing and her BSN from La Roche College, she worked as a nurse's aide and as both an ICU and operating room nurse. After receiving her MS in public management from CMU, she began working as an healthcare consultant and discovered that her passion was in hospital administration. Striving to make the patient experience better, her career in administration has included positions as unit manager, director of surgical services, and service line director. Currently the Sharon Regional Medical Center's Chief Quality Officer, she won the Cameos of Caring Quality and Safety Award.

Michael V. Spadafore Jr. '18, Management



Michael Spadafore Jr. is a Pitt-Greensburg graduate with a degree in management and a minor in actuarial science. As a student, he was a member of the baseball team from 2015 to 2018, a community assistant, and the vice president of the Student Athlete Advisory Council. After earning his degree, he was hired by New York Life/ NYLIFE Securities as an advisor. He reached a milestone with NYLIFE Securities in his first year where he qualified for Executive Council. Michael is currently a member of the Pitt-Greensburg Alumni Association Board of Directors and serves on its Professional Development Committee.