

Israel Posner Named Executive Director of the Lloyd Levenson Institute at Stockton

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Galloway Township, NJ- Dr. Israel Posner of Northfield, NJ has been named executive director of the Lloyd D. Levenson Institute of Gaming, Hospitality and Tourism at The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey.

Posner, a longtime Stockton faculty member and administrator, has overseen the College's Certificate Programs in Gaming Management as well as customized training programs for the gaming and hospitality industries. He will continue to direct those programs, along with expanded services under the Lloyd D. Levenson Institute umbrella. Posner is also the co-editor of a highly rated book, *Casino Gaming in Atlantic City: A Thirty Year Retrospective*.

"The new structure enables us to expand our research, conference and educational programs in support of the region's gaming, hospitality and tourism industries," Posner said.

The Lloyd D. Levenson Institute of Gaming, Hospitatilty and Tourism was established through a major gift pledged to the Stockton College Foundation by the prominent Atlantic City area attorney.

The College's expertise in hospitality and tourism management includes the successful and widely-quoted "Jersey Shorecast" forums, continuing education programs and private partnerships and will all be administered through the new Institute.

"Having these services under one umbrella greatly enhances our ability to serve our students, partners in the gaming and hospitality industry, and the regional and statewide economies," Posner said.

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