

Richard Stockton College Designated a "Best in the Northeast" College by The Princeton Review

Results from Student Surveys Help to Place Stockton Among Top 25% of the Nation's Four-Year Colleges

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Galloway Township, NJ- The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey has been named a "Best in the Northeast" college by The Princeton Review, a nationally recognized education services company. Stockton College is one of 218 Northeast institutions profiled on The Princeton Review's Web site and in its 2011 college guidebook.

The Princeton Review profiles a total of 623 schools from the Northeast, the Southeast, the Midwest and the West in their Web site feature, "2011 Best Colleges: Region by Region." The 623 regional best colleges constitute 25% of the nation's 2,500 four-year colleges. Stockton is also profiled in The Princeton Review's book, *The Best Northeastern Colleges: 2011 Edition.*

Robert Franek, senior vice president and publisher of The Princeton Review, said, "From hundreds of institutions we reviewed in each region, we selected these colleges and universities primarily for their excellent academic programs. We also took into account what students attending these schools reported to us about their campus experiences on our [80-question] student survey for this project."

Student surveys revealed that Stockton has "great computer facilities," "students get along with local community," the "campus feels safe" and "student publications are popular."

The 218 higher education institutions selected as "Best in the Northeast" colleges are located in the following eleven states: Connecticut, Delaware, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island and Vermont, and the District of Columbia.

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The Princeton Review does not rank the 623 colleges in its "2011 Best Colleges: Region by Region" list hierarchically.

Students surveyed described Stockton as "extremely affordable" and "transfer friendly." In addition, they explained that Stockton's professors are "more than willing to help students in and out of the classroom," and that "there is a great ethnic diversity on campus" and "everyone is very friendly."

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