

## SSCC offers online courses developed by top universities

Southern State Community College now offers local professionals access to sought-after non-degree professional education programs developed by the nation's leading universities.

Delivered 100 percent online, these programs feature content developed by schools such as Villanova University, Michigan State University, the University of San Francisco and the University of Vermont.

"We are pleased that Southern State is now able to serve students and employers virtually anywhere in the state with online training in a wide range of today's most important disciplines," said John Joy, SSCC Dean of Workforce Development and Community Services. "This new initiative will significantly extend our academic reach to give participants the flexibility of completing course work anytime and anywhere."

The new online program offerings include courses in Project Management, Six Sigma, Supply Chain Management, Leadership, Internet Marketing and other in-demand areas of study with many of the programs preparing students for credentialing certifications from internationally recognized certifying organizations.

"Whether prospective students are looking to advance, change jobs or rebound after a layoff, Southern State's interactive non-credit professional development courses are an ideal way for them to gain the career skills and credentials that are crucial in a competitive job market," said Joy.

The new online content will also enhance Southern State's corporate training initiatives,