

# ACCA Elections

*Elections for the position of Second Vice-President will be held this fall. Information about the candidates appears below.*



## **David Campbell, Ph.D. - President, Northeast Alabama Community College**

**Dr. David Campbell** has been a part of the Alabama Community College System since 1976, when he joined the staff at Northeast Alabama Community College (NACC) as an adjunct instructor. He has served as president of NACC since 2001. His tenure as president has seen unprecedented growth at NACC with the addition of new programs and the expansion of the college's mission. In 2009, Community College Week recognized NACC as one of the fastest growing community colleges in enrollment in the United States.

Campbell's professional activities include serving as the Vice-President of the Alabama Community College System's Presidents' Association, Chair of Commission on College's On-Site and Off-Site committees, and Chair of the Jackson County Economic Development Authority. He has been named Citizen of the Year in Jackson and DeKalb counties and has been recognized as an Exemplary Leader by the Chair Academy. He received the Chancellor's Award as the System's Faculty Member of the Year while an Instructor at NACC. Additionally, under Campbell's leadership, NACC became the host institution for the Alabama Community College System's Master Teacher Experience, an annual event for Instructors.

Dr. Campbell is a graduate of Auburn University (B.A.); Florida State University; and the University of Texas at Austin (Ph.D.). He has done additional graduate study at The University of Alabama. He and his wife Carole, a former teacher, live in Langston, and are the parents of one son, Jeremy, a television newscaster working in Tampa.



## **Herbert Riedel, Ph.D. - President, Lurleen B. Wallace Community College**

**Dr. Herbert Riedel** has been serving as President of Lurleen B. Wallace Community College since January 2009 and has 25 years experience in higher education, including universities, technical, and community colleges in Florida, South Carolina, and Texas. He has held positions as adjunct and full-time faculty member, Mathematics Department Head, Division Chair of Arts and Sciences, Deputy Director of Nanotechnology, and Vice President for Instruction and Student Development. His undergraduate degree is from the University of Pretoria, South Africa, and his master's and doctorate are in Pure Mathematics from the University of Waterloo, Canada. A native Canadian, Dr. Riedel is conversant in five languages and holds a fourth degree black belt in the Japanese martial art of Aikido, which he teaches in the physical education department of LBWCC.

His approach to education is student centered and focuses on the community college mission and continuous quality improvement. At LBWCC, he added program offerings, including Truck Driver Training, instituted a Foundation Mini-Grant Program, and established committees to create an Honors Program, to find ways to reduce the high cost of textbooks, and to boost class attendance. He serves on the Chancellor's Budget Allocation Committee and co-chairs the state's Dual Enrollment Policy Review Committee. He also served as a panelist in The University of Alabama Community College Leadership Academy.

Dr. Riedel resides in Andalusia, with his family. His wife Lisa is a research chemist and currently a stay-at-home mother. The Riedels have two sons, Willie, 14, and Matthew, 10. Dr. Riedel is active in the Andalusia Area Chamber of Commerce, the Covington County Economic Development Commission, the Alabama Partnership for Children, the Andalusia Ballet, Rotary International and church, and enjoys attending community events, regional cultural events, and little league baseball games.