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Lisa Murphy
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Dear Lisa,

Congratulations! Your college is a Paragon winner!

Your entries in the following categories will receive a gold, silver or bronze Paragon at our national conference, scheduled March 27-29 in Charleston, South Carolina. We hope you and others from your college will be able to accept your awards in person by attending NCMPR's biggest professional development event of the year.

Your winning entries:

Foundation Annual Report: "LCCC Foundation Fact Book"

Microsite: "LCCC Explore Microsite"

Original Photography-Manipulated: "LCCC -- Women's Soccer Stars"

Original Photography-Manipulated: "LCCC -- Isiah Sherman-Newsome"

There were nearly 1,750 entries from 247 colleges in this year's Paragon Awards competition – the only one of its kind that recognizes excellence in design and communication exclusively among two-year community and technical colleges. Nearly 80 judges from across the country in the marketing and PR industry reviewed and scored the entries. Altogether, 92 colleges came up winners.

We'll celebrate the winners at our Paragon Awards program and dinner on Monday, March 27, beginning right after our opening keynote. If you haven't yet registered for the conference, be sure to sign up before Feb. 17 to get the early-bird rate, which saves \$50 off the regular fee. Details, including the conference brochure and registration and hotel information, are online at www.ncmpr.org/17conf-reg.

IMPORTANT NOTE: We will ship to the conference location only those awards that will be picked up the evening of the awards ceremony. Please confirm your attendance by contacting me at dhalsey@ncmpr.org or (505) 349-0500, ext. 1. Otherwise, your awards will be mailed to your office about three weeks after the Paragon presentation.

Again, congratulations on your awards. It's a big achievement, and the NCMPR board of directors looks forward to personally congratulating you in Charleston!

Sincerely,

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cc: Joe Schaffer, Ed.D., President, Laramie County Community College