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Dear Tina,

None of us would be where we are without the benefit of mentorship and training. It's so very important to "pay it forward" to those leaders and future leaders at your institution. We have a responsibility to ensure the next generation of leaders is prepared to succeed. That means investing in professional development, such as AACC's renowned leadership training programs. You can learn more in the "Must Do" section.



MUST READ

"Ditch the 'T' Word"

House Education and the Workforce Committee Chair Virginia Foxx is on a personal quest to nix the "T" word, as in "training." Foxx said the term only adds to the perceived stigma associated with vocational and trade careers. Read more in [CC Daily](#).

"A New Kind of Signing Day"

Over the years, a number of student-athletes have signed letters of intent to play sports at Northeast Community College. But now the Nebraska institution has used the same concept to focus on why students attend college in the first place, to obtain a degree, and eventually get a job. Learn more at the [21st Century Center](#).