Fort Peck Community College Receives 2.5 Million Dollar Grant to Develop Pre-Engineering Curriculum

Fort Peck Community College has been awarded a 2.5 million dollar grant from the National Science Foundation -TCUP program (NSF-TCUP). The main objective of the grant is to establish a Pre-Engineering curriculum at Fort Peck Community College (FPCC). Students planning on majoring in any field of engineering can finish their freshman and sophomore years at FPCC then transfer to any 4-year institution that offers engineering curriculum to finish their B.S. degree. Students enrolled in the Pre-Engineering curriculum at FPCC will receive a monthly stipend of \$150. The NSF-TCUP grant also provides support for Math tutoring and summer undergraduate research. Students who are interested in tutoring Math can work 10-15 hours per week during the academic year as well as the summer semester. Students interested in participating in the summer undergraduate research can work 6-7 weeks at 30 hours per week. The pay rate for tutoring math or participating in the summer undergraduate research is \$12 per hour. The NSF-TCUP grant also provides support for summer Math bridge program and early college Math courses for high school students. Dr. Ali Wehbe is the director of the NSF-TCUP grant. For information, please contact Dr. Ali Wehbe at 406-768-6386 or awehbe@fpcc.edu or call FPCC at 406-768-6300.