

Sauk Valley Community College
April 27, 2020

Agenda Item 3.1.1

Topic: **Acknowledgments – Former Professor Carl Gates, Former Assistant Professor Judith Hill, Former Adjunct faculty member Norma Wolens, and Former Associate Professor Bill Byar.**

Mission: **Sauk Valley Community College is dedicated to teaching and scholarship while engaging the community in lifelong learning, public service, and economic development.**

Presented By: **Dr. David Hellmich**

Presentation:

Sauk Valley Community College remembers Carl Gates, who was a Professor of Economics and Business from 1974 -- 2000. Carl earned his Doctorate of Education from Northern Illinois University and served Sauk from 1974 – 1983 as an Instructor, Assistant Professor, and Associate Professor. In 1983, Carl was promoted to Professor. Carl served his country in the United States Air Force as a pilot.

Sauk Valley Community College remembers Judith Hill, an Instructor and Assistant Professor of Human Services from 1995 – 2006. Judith was a Sauk alumna, earning her Associates Degree in Human Services. Additionally, Judy earned a Bachelor’s Degree in Family Services from Northern Illinois University and a Master’s Degree in Social Work from the University of Illinois.

Sauk Valley Community College remembers Norma Wolens, an Adjunct faculty member from 1996 – 2005. With a Master’s Degree in Human Resources Administration from Northern Illinois University, Norma taught GSP courses during her time at Sauk. Norma was dedicated to organizing and helping many different organizations, such as the Rock River Hospice and Home.

Sauk Valley Community College remembers William “Bill” Byar, an Associate Professor of History from 1966-1985. Bill earned his Bachelor’s Degree from Augustana College and his Master’s Degree in Education from Bradley University. He worked with Sauk to offer off-campus courses for senior citizen facilities in the Sauk Valley area and was a member of the Lee-Whiteside County Historical Center and the Sterling Kiwanis Club.