

**Sauk Valley Community College  
January 28, 2019**

**Agenda Item 3.1.1**

**Topic:**                   **Acknowledgements – Former Nursing Faculty, Dr. Catherine Akker, and former Adjunct Faculty for Radiological Technology, Karen Koehler-Dunsworth**

**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 and Dr. Steve Nunez**

**Presentation:**

Sauk Valley Community College remembers Dr. Catherine Akker, who had several roles at Sauk. In August 2011, she was hired as an adjunct faculty member and continued in that role until 2013. In August 2014, Cathy was hired as an Assistant Professor of Nursing and in August 2017 was promoted to an Associate Professor of Nursing. Cathy graduated from Clinton Community College in 1978 with an AAS degree, in 2016 from Graceland University with a Bachelor of Arts degree, in 2009 from University of Phoenix with a MS in Nursing and a MBA, and in 2015 with a Doctorate of Nursing Practice in Organizational Leadership from Graceland University.

The College also remembers Karen Koehler-Dunsworth, who was an adjunct faculty member for the Northern Illinois On-line Nursing Program and the Radiologic Technology Program. Karen taught for SVCC from 2013 through 2015.