

Nancy Zimmer

Nancy Zimmer is the Development and Activities Coordinator for Economic and Workforces Development at Pueblo Community College. She has over ten years in workforce development and five years in youth development programs. She has a solid history working with job seekers as well as employers.

Ms. Zimmer brings experience in program management and curriculum development, implementation and evaluation. She received her undergraduate degree from the University of Southern Colorado in Pueblo and obtained her Master's degree in Public Administration through the University of Colorado-Colorado Springs.

Ms. Zimmer has been with Pueblo Community College for over 1 ½ years and has previously worked with the Colorado Department of Labor, Pueblo County Department of Social Services and youth agencies in Pueblo and Denver.

Ms. Zimmer serves as an Ambassador for the Greater Pueblo Chamber of Commerce and volunteer chair for the City of Pueblo's Community-Development Block Grant Citizens Advisory Committee.

John Vukich

John Vukich is the Dean, Economic & Workforce Development Division at Pueblo Community College, He leads a department of twelve staff dedicated to providing workforce training to new and incumbent workers in a variety of topics including: industrial, manufacturing, business, construction, safety and engineering.

Mr. Vukich has over 27 years experience in Engineering and Manufacturing and Technical Workforce Training. He holds a B.S. Degree in Mechanical Engineering Technology from the University of Southern Colorado.

His prior experience includes: Eleven years at Texas Instruments, Inc. as a Methods & Tooling Engineer and Manufacturing Engineering Manager, four years as President of Diversified Products & Research, Inc., three years with the Mid America Manufacturing Technology Center as a Field Engineer and eleven years with Pueblo Community College.

Mr. Vukich also serves as a board member for the Pueblo Retention & Expansion Program, a board member for the Pueblo Regional Building departments Mechanical Board of Appeals and is ex-officio of the BattleBots Educational Advisory Board, and a member of the Kiwanis Club of Pueblo, past Regional Coordinator for the Southwest portion of the

U.S. for the National Coalition of Advanced Technology Centers, a member of the United Way campaign committee, an active member of the Medical Reserve Corp, and part of the “Impact Team” at Fellowship of the Rockies.

Both Nancy and John will be sharing with us the exciting things they are doing at Pueblo Community College to further meet the needs of manufacturers in their area.