Next Steps for Continuing and Transfer Students from CPE

I. First, you will need to start a transfer application to a 2 or 4 year university. Once you have started your application there will be a few tasks you will be required to complete. Keep in mind that each program may have different application material requirements, so make sure to check your specific programs requirements.

II. Second, you will need to request an official transcript from Wesleyan University, Middlesex Community College, and any other accredited universities that you have been enrolled in. One reason you will need to send any prospective Universities your past transcripts is so they can evaluate your previously earned credit, and determine what credits will transfer to their institution. Keep in mind that each university and each degree program will be different in the credits that they do and do not accept. Make sure you contact the Admissions team at your prospective schools so they can give you an idea on where your transfer credits stand.

There are a wide array of reasons why you might need to request a transcript down the road. You might be transferring schools, applying to graduate school, applying for a scholarship, your employer might request it, you might just want it for yourself etc. Keep in mind that it is not always necessary for you to send “official” transcripts. In most of these cases, an “unofficial” transcript would suffice. Keep in mind that you only need to request an “official” transcript when it required, since there is often a cost associated with obtaining them.

Below are reference to two guides on how to request a transcript from Middlesex University and Wesleyan University, if applicable. In regards to requesting transcripts from other institutions, you should be able to search “transcript request” on your previous universities main page to find their particular processes and instructions. Make sure you are sending any official transcripts directly to the designated recipient, and not to yourself, unless instructed otherwise.

a. Refer to the following link for instructions on how to request a transcript from Middlesex Community College: https://mxcc.edu/transcripts/
b. Refer to the following link for instructions on how to request a transcript from Wesleyan University: https://www.wesleyan.edu/registrar/general_information/transcripts.html

III. Third, you have the option to apply for FAFSA and other Financial Aid.

a. Refer to the following link for more detailed descriptions of FAFSA and Financial Aid options: https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa

IV. Fourth, you may need to submit proof of immunizations that your prospective college requires. Please refer to your prospective programs requirements for specific details on what to submit and where to submit it.