

BENEFITS

- Affordable and effective leadership and student government training, including;
 - *Affecting change within complex systems;*
 - *Tools for peer engagement;*
 - *Community building, collaborative decision making and facilitation skills.*
- Statewide networking opportunities (MTCC Raise Your Voice includes all of Montana's tribal, private and community colleges);
- Access to on-site MTCC training and technical support;
- Student Leader listserv and conference calls; and
- Legislative training (lobbying, issues, statements, letter writing).



Raise Your Voice
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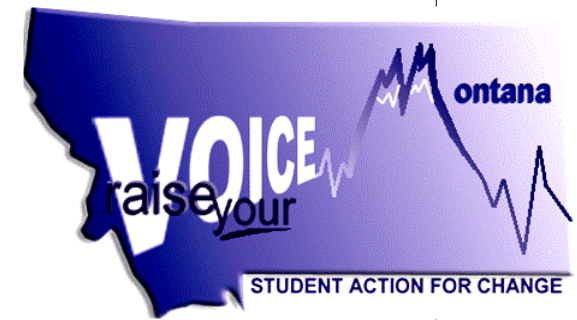
*The Montana Campus Compact is Montana's largest higher education network committed to renewing the public purposes of higher education. MTCC campuses sponsor Campus Corps AmeriCorps teams and Community Partners members to engage in community needs, AmeriCorps*VISTAs to facilitate anti-poverty work, Raise Your Voice student leaders to promote public discourse and student engagement, and engaged faculty and civic engagement professionals to support the work and incorporate ser-*



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Student Action
for Change



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What is Raise Your Voice?

The Montana Raise Your Voice campaign brings together students from private, tribal and public colleges and universities to promote the voice of all Montana students.

Raise Your Voice provides student governments with the tools to:

- Network with peers from around the state;
- Engage greater numbers of students;
- To better meet student needs;
- To foster collaboration among campuses;
- To lobby elected officials on issues important to students.

Vision

Raise Your Voice listens to student voices and supports student civic engagement to address public issues crucial to our democracy.

The Raise Your Voice Campaign has three overarching objectives:

- Increase college student involvement in public life and connect these actions with a larger national student movement around civic engagement
- Document student civic engagement activities and issues that are important to college students
- Mobilize higher education to give more voice to students and makes civic engagement central to student learning

Upcoming Events

Day at the Statehouse, February 11 and 12, 2007 (Helena)

Includes a lobbying workshop and a full day of lobbying and working with elected officials on behalf of student concerns.

Student Training Institute, Fall 2007 (Location TBA)

STI happens each spring with student leaders coming together from around the state to share their leadership skills and experiences. Learn the tools that work from the leaders who use them.

Building Engaged Citizens Conference September, 2007 (Helena)

Network with student leaders from around the state, set goals for your campus and expand your leadership skills.