

# TAUGHT BY US



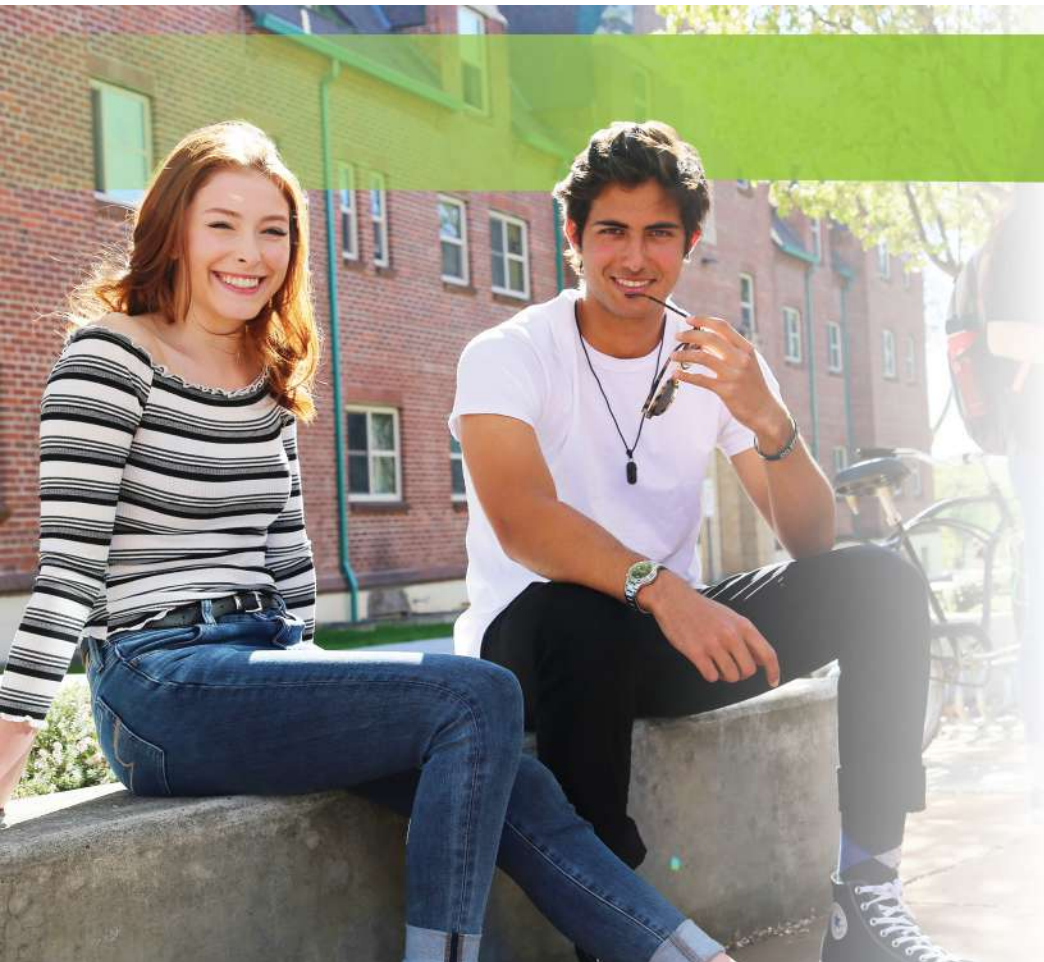
Meet John Blankenship, franchisee, H&R Block in Lewiston and Clarkston, an LCSC alum and board member of the LCSC Alumni Assoc.

Lewis-Clark State College is proud of the accomplishments of its alumni, like John, and the contributions they make in our community. John has been connected to the college since his graduation in 1978. He began his career in law enforcement, but joined the fire department at Potlatch Corp. (now Clearwater Paper) in 1980. It wasn't long after that he started working at H&R Block in Lewiston. He worked the two jobs until he retired as a firefighter in 2008. "But I work harder now with one job than I did with two," he says, laughing.

John is proud of his connection to LCSC. Two of his daughters and a grandson attended the college. Starting his ninth year on the alumni board, John likes to promote the college any way he can. Some members of his H&R staff are LC graduates and he regularly hires interns from the Business Division. "The college's role in the community obviously has expanded and will continue to expand with the development of the new technical center," he says. "LCSC will be a big player in regards to the local economy and supplying skilled labor for the work force."

An education at LCSC, an entrepreneurial spirit, and a desire to give back make John a true asset to our wonderful community.

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**95%** of recent grads are settled in a job, graduate school, or other related area

**76%** of LCSC students are first generation college students

**NO. 1** lowest tuition in Idaho among public four-year institutions

**3,746** students from over 25 states and 34 different countries

**13:1** student-to-teacher ratio

**125** years of serving students

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# COMMUNITY BUILT BY YOU

By shopping locally and supporting local businesses and colleges, your community enjoys numerous benefits, including:

**BUILDING** our community cohesiveness

**GIVING** back to your community

**ENHANCING** local democracy

**LOWERING** residential taxes

**IMPROVING** citizen health

**CREATING** tailored customer choices

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