

From the President



Dr. Sunil Chand

Dear Reader,

You hold a very special document. It has grown out of many requests to college trustees, three years of planning, and almost two years of dedicated work by college faculty, student employees, staff and administrators. All this effort has been directed toward one end, the presentation of the calendar, curriculum, policies and procedures of College of DuPage on a semester system.

This *Catalog* represents the change. I extend my deepest appreciation to those, numbered in the hundreds, who have brought the college to this point in such a timely and effective manner.

If you are reading this as a new or prospective student, welcome. The catalog will inform and guide you accurately and efficiently. You will learn of our college, its mission and values, its student policies and procedures, its academic offerings, requirements and opportunities, its expectations, services and its people. C.O.D. is robust, innovative, diverse and expansive. It is also focused, concentrated, intense and resilient. Do take full advantage of all that the college offers.

If you are a continuing student or general reader, welcome also to our new *Catalog*. While much has changed, C.O.D. will always offer the finest education, training and personal development opportunities. Thank you for being with us.

And to all, do remember that the *Catalog* is only the introduction. The web site offers much greater detail, and we welcome your personal contact.

Best wishes,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sunil Chand".

Sunil Chand, Ph.D.
President