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Prince George's Community College Shines in the Fed's 2007 Community College Fed Challenge

BALTIMORE — Prince George's Community College, representing the Baltimore region, placed second in the Federal Reserve's second annual Community College Fed Challenge Competition held earlier today. North Shore Community College of Danvers, Mass., won this year's competition.

The Prince George's Community College team included Louis Woodland, Roger Shane Doughlin, Marion Logan, and alternates Gloria Williams and Gladys Williams. The team was coached by Professor Margaret Njoroge and Dr. Nelson Kofie.

As part of the competition, participating teams delivered 20-minute presentations on monetary policy to Federal Reserve judges. The teams were scored on content, teamwork, responses to questions, presentation and style.

The Federal Reserve sponsors Fed Challenge competitions nationwide to encourage better understanding of the nation's central bank and the forces influencing economic conditions in the United States and abroad. The program also promotes financial literacy, encourages interest in economics as a subject for advanced study and as the basis for a career; and helps develop a closer relationship between regional Banks and the academic communities in their districts.

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