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William D Ardis* (bardis@cccd.edu), 9700 Wade Blvd., Frisco, TX 75035. *Chances in Life*
— *Creating a Statistics/Biology Learning Community*. Preliminary report.

The Learning Communities Program has enjoyed great support for the past fourteen years at Collin County Community College. This Fall, 2005, one of the Learning Communities CCCC offered was “Chances in Life: A Quantitative Approach to Biology”. This Learning Community combined the Introductory Statistics course with General Biology I. This talk will give a brief overview of the Learning Communities program at CCCC, discuss the development of the “Chances in Life” Learning Community, and report any findings/observations based on the Learning Community offered this past fall. (Received September 28, 2005)