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YCCD Chancellor Finalists Named and Forums Announced **(PHOTOS BELOW)**

MODESTO, CA – The Yosemite Community College District (YCCD) Chancellor Search Committee has narrowed the field of candidates for the YCCD Chancellor position to 3 finalists – Dr. William A. Dunn, Dr. Sandra L. Mayo, and Dr. Donald G. Wallace.

The successful candidate will replace the retiring Chancellor Joan Smith who will remain at her post through January 2017 and has provided executive leadership to the District since 2007, serving as Columbia College President (2007-2010), Interim Chancellor (2010-2011), and Chancellor (2011-present).

Open forums for the finalists are scheduled for October 12 and 13, 2016 at Columbia College and Modesto Junior College locations. Each finalist will be given an opportunity to discuss their preparation for the position, their education and leadership philosophy, and respond to questions from the forum attendees. Attendees will be given the opportunity to complete a comment card that will be given to the Yosemite Community College Board of Trustees. The forums will be open to the public.

The schedule and locations for the candidate forums are as follows:

Wednesday, October 12, 2016

Location: Modesto Junior College – East Campus, Performing Arts Center

11:10 a.m. Dr. Donald Wallace

12:10 p.m. Dr. Sandra Mayo

1:10 p.m. Dr. William A. Dunn

Thursday, October 13, 2016

Location: Columbia College, Dogwood Forum

10:00 a.m. Dr. Donald Wallace

11:00 a.m. Dr. Sandra Mayo

12:00 p.m. Dr. William A. Dunn

FINALIST PROFILES

Dr. William A. Dunn

Education:

- Ed.D. in Community College Educational Leadership, California State University, Fullerton, CA (2015)
- MPA in Public Administration, California State University, San Bernadino, CA (1993)
- BA in Architecture, California Polytechnic University, Pomona, CA (1983)

Professional Experience:

- Chief Business Officer, Coast Community College District, Costa Mesa, CA (2010-present)
- Lecturer, Ed.D. Community College Leadership at California State University, Fullerton, CA, (2011-present)
- Vice Chancellor of Business Services, Foothill-De Anza Community College District, Los Altos Hills, CA (2007-2010)
- Vice President of Business Services, San Joaquin Delta Community College District, Stockton, CA (2002-2007)
- Director of Facilities Planning and Development, Los Angeles Community College District, Los Angeles, CA (1997-2002)

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Dr. William A. Dunn

Dr. Sandra L. Mayo

Education:

- Ed.D., University of Southern California Rossier School of Education, Los Angeles, CA (2005)
- MS in Applied Mathematics with Digital Systems Option, West Coast University, Irvine, CA (1980)
- BS in Mathematics with an Urban Studies Minor and Secondary Teaching Credential, University of California, Riverside, CA (1974)

Professional Experience:

- President, Moreno Valley College, Moreno Valley, CA (2012-2016)
- Vice President of Academic Affairs, Los Angeles Valley College, Valley Glenn, CA (2007-2012)
- Dean of Business, Mathematics and Sciences, Santiago Canyon College, Orange, CA (2002-2007)
- Faculty Director, Los Angeles Valley College, Valley Glenn, CA (1997-2002)
- Mathematics Instructor, Los Angeles Mission College, Sylmar, CA (1987-1997) (adjunct 1987-1992)

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Dr. Sandra L. Mayo

Dr. Donald G. Wallace

Education:

- PhD in Education/Community College Leadership, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR (2006)
- MPA in Public Administration/Finance, Portland State University, Portland, OR (2002)
- BS in Math/Electronics and Biblical Studies, Southeastern Bible College, Birmingham, AL (1989)

Professional Experience:

- Superintendent/President, Palo Verde Community College District, Blythe, CA (2013 – present)
- Vice President Adm. Svc. & Student Support, Cosumnes River College, Sacramento, CA (2007 – 2013)
- Adjunct Faculty, CSU Sacramento, Doctorate in Educational Leadership, Sacramento, CA (2008 - 2013)
- Director Facilities Management, Mt. Hood Community College District, Gresham, OR (1997 – 2007)
- Adjunct Faculty, Mt. Hood Community College, Business Management, Gresham, OR (2003 – 2007)
- Facility Manager, Oregon Health Sciences University, Portland, OR (1991 – 1997)

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Dr. Donald G. Wallace