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NEWS

Coast District Trustees Select Serban to head Educational Services and Technology divisions for Multi-College District

Dr. Andreea Serban appointed Interim Vice Chancellor of Educational Services and Technology



Costa Mesa, Cal. – At the September 21 Board meeting, the Board of Trustees appointed Dr. Andreea Serban as Interim Vice Chancellor of Educational Services and Technology for the Coast Community College District. Serban began as Vice Chancellor on *October 3, 2011*.

Andreea Serban provided leadership for Santa Barbara City College (SBCC) as Superintendent/President from 2008 to 2011. Dr. Serban was also Vice Chancellor of Technology and Learning Services at South Orange County Community College District in Mission Viejo, CA from 2006 to 2008. She joined SBCC in 1999 as its first Director of Institutional Assessment, Research and Planning followed by Associate Vice President for Information Technology, Research and Planning, a position she held until 2006.

"Coast Colleges has a great reputation," Serban said. "I am honored to join their great team and look forward to working with the Board, Chancellor, and each of the three campuses to continue to serve our students."

"Dr. Serban brings a broad spectrum of leadership skills with her to the Coast District," said Dr. Andrew Jones, Chancellor. "I am confident that she will help us to continue to serve our students with innovative and highest quality educational programs."

Dr. Serban received a Ph.D. and a Master of Science in Higher Education Administration from University at Albany, State University of New York and a Bachelor of Science in Mathematics from University of Bucharest.

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The Coast Community College District is headquartered in Costa Mesa, Ca. along the Orange County coastline. The district is comprised of Coastline Community College headquartered in Fountain Valley, Golden West College in Huntington Beach and Orange Coast College in Costa Mesa.