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Vice President of Human Resources Announced

I am pleased to announce that Victoria Simmons will become Vice President of Human Resources effective July 1, 2019, subject to Board of Trustees approval May 21, 2019.

Victoria Simmons is the principal partner in a contract human resources executive firm, Collaborative Results Consultants. She has seven years of management experience working for California community college districts as an employee or contractor. Her experience includes serving as the chief human resources officer at San Jose Evergreen Community College District, Kern CCD, Sierra CCD, Yosemite CCD, and Ohlone CCD. She also has human resources management experience with Allan Hancock CCD, University of California Davis, Recom Technologies, AT&T, and CHW Medical Foundation.

Ms. Simmons holds a Juris Doctor from UC Davis, King Hall School of Law and a Bachelor of Arts from California State University Long Beach. She is a member of the Society of Human Resources Management.

My appreciation is extended to the members of the Search Committee (Eric Hanson, chair, Tzoler Oukayan, Amir Nour, Alfred Ramirez, Heidi Jenkins, Cindy Pollack, Piper Rooney, Roger Bowerman, Paul Vera, Narbeh Nazari, Saodat Aziskhanova, Anna Manukyan, and Jennifer Briones, EEO representative); CSEA President Narbeh Nazari, Guild President Roger Bowerman, and Academic Senate President Piper Rooney who organized the Candidates Forums; the individuals who attended the forums and/or viewed the candidates' presentations on-line and completed the survey to provide their perspectives on the candidates; and the numerous individuals who provided valuable information through the comprehensive reference checking process.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'David Viar'.