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Contra Costa Community College District Announces Selection of Executive Vice Chancellor, Education and Technology.



MARTINEZ, California – The Contra Costa Community College District (4CD) has announced the selection of Kelly Schelin as the next Executive Vice Chancellor of Education and Technology. The 4CD Governing Board will vote on ratification of her contract at their meeting on Wednesday, March 13, 2024.

Chancellor Mojdeh Mehdizadeh shared, “Kelly's broad background and experience in leading various aspects of instruction and student services, with extensive experience in workforce development, and educational grants makes her the perfect person for this position. Kelly's proven track record of strategic leadership and commitment to advancing student-centered initiatives will benefit 4CD tremendously.”

Ms. Schelin most recently served as the Interim Vice Chancellor of Education and Technology at 4CD, where she provided leadership and administrative oversight for all aspects of instruction and student services, workforce and economic development, international education, technology services, and education-related grants. Ms. Schelin

has 15 years of leadership experience in community colleges, with seven years in senior management roles within 4CD. She has served in Cabinet-level positions at 4CD since 2019, initially as the Associate Vice Chancellor of Educational Services before being named the Interim Vice Chancellor of Education and Technology.

“It is truly an honor to be selected to serve as the Executive Vice Chancellor of Education and Technology for 4CD. I welcome the opportunity to continue working with colleagues across the District to advance equitable educational opportunities and outcomes for learners across Contra Costa County.” said Ms. Schelin.

Ms. Schelin holds a Master of Divinity degree from Duke University and a bachelor’s degree in philosophy from Westmont College.

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The Contra Costa Community College District (4CD) is one of the largest multi-college community college districts in California. 4CD serves 1.2 million residents, and its boundaries encompass all but 48 of the 734-square-mile land area of Contra Costa County. 4CD is home to Contra Costa College in San Pablo, Diablo Valley College with campuses in Pleasant Hill and San Ramon, and Los Medanos College with campuses in Pittsburg and Brentwood. The District headquarters is located in downtown Martinez. Each college is individually accredited by the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges. For more information, visit www.4cd.edu.

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