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Gov. Brown Appoints Dr. Natalie Berg to California Community Colleges Board of Governors *Veteran educator brings more than 40 years of experience to new post*

SACRAMENTO, Calif. – California Community Colleges Chancellor Jack Scott today welcomed the appointment of Dr. Natalie Berg to the California Community Colleges Board of Governors. Gov. Jerry Brown selected Berg on May 20 for one of the two trustee positions on the board. The appointment still must be confirmed by the state Senate.

“Dr. Berg is extremely well-qualified and has work hard on behalf of the students, faculty and staff at City College of San Francisco,” said California Community Colleges Chancellor Jack Scott. “She has been part of our system for more than 40 years and she’ll bring that experience, her intelligence and a can-do attitude to the board. This is an excellent appointment and I warmly welcome her.”

Dr. Berg has served as an elected member of the City College of San Francisco Board of Trustees since 1997. Prior to her election, Berg served with the City College of San Francisco in a variety of instruction and administrative positions from 1967 to 1997 and retired as dean of the School of Health on the John Adams Campus. She is a member of the Bay Area Council and the president of Jewish Vocational Services.

The California Community Colleges Board of Governors sets policy and provides guidance for the system. The 17-member board formally interacts with state and federal officials and other organizations. The board also selects a chancellor for the system.

The [California Community Colleges](#) is the largest system of higher education in the nation. It is composed of 72 districts and 112 colleges serving 2.76 million students per year. Community colleges supply workforce training, a basic skills education and prepare students for transfer to four-year colleges and universities. The Chancellor's Office provides leadership, advocacy and support under the direction of the Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges.

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