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SUFFOLK COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE APPOINTS JAMES E. SHERWOOD AS EXECUTIVE DEAN FOR THE AMMERMAN CAMPUS

Selden, NY– Suffolk County Community College has appointed James E. Sherwood, Ph.D., as Executive Dean for the College's Ammerman Campus in Selden. In his role as Executive Dean, Dr. Sherwood will serve as the campus chief academic and administrative officer, providing oversight for the integrity and direction of all campus programs and services.

Dr. Sherwood received his Ph.D. and his M.A. in History from Pennsylvania State University, and his B.S. in History from Canisius College in Buffalo. He brings almost 40 years of progressive academic and administrative experience in a variety of college settings. Most recently he served as Provost and Chief Academic Officer for the University of Maryland-University College, where he was responsible for all academic areas of this Masters Comprehensive institution serving students in the United States and abroad. During his tenure, Dr. Sherwood also taught as a Professor in the Graduate School of Management and Technology. Prior to that, he served as Dean and later as Special Academic Assistant to the Executive Vice Chancellor and Provost at the University of California, Berkeley. His career also includes positions at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

Dr. Sherwood has published widely, including four books and 15 articles or chapters in books. He has served as a presenter at numerous conferences and at many colleges and universities on topics including strategic planning in higher education, technology, distance learning and academic program management.

George Gatta, Jr., Interim President, Suffolk County Community College, commented, “It’s my pleasure to announce the appointment of Dr. Sherwood to the position of SCCC’s Executive Dean of the Ammerman Campus. Dr. Sherwood was selected for the position after a national search, conducted by a college-wide committee. In addition to having held key leadership positions with several organizations, including the National Association of State Universities and Land-Grant Colleges and the National University Continuing Education Association, his extensive academic and administrative background made him an excellent candidate for the position.”



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About Suffolk County Community College

Suffolk County Community College (SCCC) is the largest community college in the State University of New York (SUNY) system, enrolling approximately 25,000 students at its three campuses in Selden, Brentwood and Riverhead. SCCC offers the Associate in Arts (A.A.), Associate in Science (A.S.), and Associate in Applied Science (A.A.S.) degrees, as well as a variety of certificate programs. Offering the lowest college tuition on Long Island, a highly respected Honors program, extensive extracurricular activities, championship athletic teams, and numerous unified transfer programs, SCCC is a first-choice college for Long Island students. Visit us online at sunysuffolk.edu.

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