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## **Shiloh London Named Interim Executive Director of the Network of California Community College Foundations**

**SACRAMENTO**— Shiloh London, currently the Director of Development Operations for the Foundation for California Community Colleges (FCCC), has been named the Interim Executive Director of the Network of California Community College Foundations (NCCCF), effective immediately. She will carry out both roles until a permanent Executive Director is named later this year.

London's selection comes after an extensive search, including the screening of more than 60 candidates by a four-person search committee. London, who was not among the initial candidates, was selected due to her similar roles and responsibilities at the FCCC, and her extensive background in marketing and fund-raising.

“Finding the ideal candidate is imperative for this exciting time of growth for our network,” said Ginger Ontiveros, Board President of the NCCCF. “We are pleased to have such a qualified and enthusiastic interim executive director in Shiloh London to help us move forward seamlessly.”

London joined the FCCC in early March to help launch its fund-raising efforts by providing vital operational support in developing a campaign strategy, creating and maintaining relationships with donors and sponsors, coordinating special events, and other development-related activities. Her prior experience includes more than 10 years in community development, campaign management and public relations roles.

“In her short time with the Foundation, Shiloh has done an excellent job in helping launch our unprecedented efforts to raise philanthropic dollars for California Community Colleges,” said Foundation President and CEO Paul Lanning. “Since the nature of her work as Interim Executive Director for the NCCCF will not greatly differ from her current responsibilities or past experiences, Shiloh makes an ideal candidate to help both organizations reach their goals until a permanent solution is identified.”

London is expected to serve as Interim Executive Director until the NCCCF's 2008 Symposium, which is slated for October 15 to 17 in San Diego. At that time, the NCCCF board will reevaluate the position and determine next steps.

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The NCCCF is a network of community college fund-raisers that strives to enhance and support the resource development capabilities of California community college foundations through leadership, training and networking. Under the leadership of an active volunteer Board of Directors and the executive director, the Network accomplishes these goals through a variety of offerings, including its annual three-day symposium.

The Foundation for California Community Colleges serves as the NCCCF's fiscal agent, in addition to providing operational support for key initiatives. For more information, visit [www.foundationccc.org](http://www.foundationccc.org).

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The Foundation for California Community Colleges is the official auxiliary to the California Community Colleges' Board of Governors, Chancellor, and System Office. The Foundation's mission is to benefit, support, and enhance the missions of the California Community College system, the largest higher education system in the nation. Incorporated in 1998, the Foundation works with Community Colleges and partner organizations to manage donations, grants, programs, and services that drive excellence in education while saving millions of dollars for colleges each year. The Foundation is a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt non-profit corporation and receives no direct state or public support. *For more information, visit [www.foundationccc.org](http://www.foundationccc.org).*

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