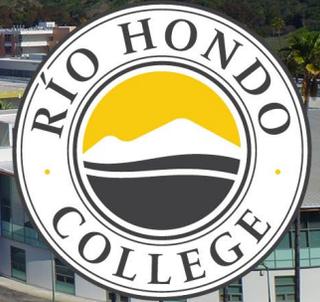


Presidential Search Finalists

Public Forums

April 7 and 8, 2026



DATE: March 31, 2026
TO: Río Hondo Community College District
FROM: Rosaelva Lomeli, President, Board of Trustees, Río Hondo College
RE: Announcement of Superintendent/President Finalists

The Board of Trustees is pleased to announce that we have selected three finalists for the Superintendent/President of Río Hondo Community College District. We would like to thank the entire College community for your continued interest and support in the process to identify our next Superintendent/President. I would also like to take this opportunity to thank each member of the Superintendent/President Search Committee for their exceptional insight, work, and effort.

The Río Hondo Community College District Superintendent/President finalists are (in alphabetical order):

Jeffrey Archibald, Ed.D., is the Vice President of Academic Affairs & Workforce Development of West Los Angeles College, CA. Previously, Dr. Archibald served as the Dean of Social Sciences of Pasadena City College, CA. Dr. Archibald earned a Doctor of Education in Educational Leadership from Drexel University; a Master of Science in Communications from Illinois State University; and a Bachelor of Arts in Government from Cornell University.

Don Moya-Miller, Ph.D., is the Vice President/Assistant Superintendent, Academic Affairs of Río Hondo Community College District, CA. Previously, Dr. Moya-Miller served as the Vice President of Instruction of the College of Alameda, CA. Dr. Moya-Miller earned a Doctor of Philosophy in Spanish from the University of Virginia; and a Master of Arts and Bachelor of Arts in Spanish from Brigham Young University.

Laura Ramirez, Ed.D., is the Assistant Superintendent/Vice President of Instruction of Pasadena Area Community College District, CA. Previously, Dr. Ramirez served as the Vice President of Academic Affairs of Río Hondo Community College District, CA. Dr. Ramirez earned a Doctor of Education in Community College Leadership from California State University, Fullerton; a Master of Science degree in Chemistry from California State

University, Fullerton; a Bachelor of Science in Chemistry from the University of California, Los Angeles; and an Associate of Science in Math from East Los Angeles College.

Public forums will take place in the week of April 6, 2026, and each candidate will participate in a 1-hour forum. We invite and encourage everyone to participate in the open forums. Forums will be made accessible to all faculty, administrators, staff, students, and the public. There will be a brief introduction of each candidate, followed by a question-and-answer session. If you're interested in submitting candidate forum questions for consideration, please email Reneé Gallegos, Presidential Search Liaison, at RDGallegos@riohondo.edu by 12 p.m. on April 7, 2026. Please indicate which candidate the question is directed to.

Forums will be conducted in-person at Río Hondo College in the Board Room (503 A & B), located on the 5th Floor of the L Tower. A livestream will also be available for those who cannot attend in person at <https://www.riohondo.edu/presidential-search/forums/>. All attendees will be asked to complete a feedback form, and the completed forms will be provided to the Board of Trustees for their review.

Open Forum Schedule:

Tuesday, April 7, 2026 at 3:00 p.m.

Don Moya-Miller, Ph.D.

Board Room (503 A & B), located on the 5th Floor of the L Tower

Wednesday, April 8, 2026 at 1:00 p.m.

Jeffrey Archibald, Ed.D.

Board Room (503 A & B), located on the 5th Floor of the L Tower

Wednesday, April 8, 2026 at 3:15 p.m.

Laura Ramirez, Ed.D.

Board Room (503 A & B), located on the 5th Floor of the L Tower

***Please note: Forum participants and members of the public can submit feedback regarding candidates from 5 p.m. April 8, 2026 to 3 p.m. April 9, 2026. All surveys will close at 3 p.m. Thursday, April 9, 2026.**

We are looking forward to a successful completion of the Superintendent/President search process. If you have any questions regarding the schedule, please contact the Presidential Search Liaison Reneé Gallegos at rdgallegos@riohondo.edu



If you have any questions regarding the search process, feel free to reach out to our ACCT Search Consultant: Debbie DiThomas, Ed.D, ACCT Search Consultant, at ddithomas5@gmail.com or (951) 961-6533.