

RESOLUTION

SOUTH ORANGE COUNTY
COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

April 27, 2020

Saddleback College's 2020 Emeritus Professor of the Year **Marcela Duran DeMehranfard**

WHEREAS, Marcela Duran DeMehranfard, who has served at Saddleback College since 2007 and in the Emeritus Institute since 2015, has been named the Emeritus Institute Professor of the Year; and

WHEREAS, Marcela Duran DeMehranfard, a Spanish instructor, is described by her students as empathetic and professional and goes the extra mile to validate every student in her class; and

WHEREAS, Marcela Duran DeMehranfard's mentally stimulating and socially engaging classes are a great motivator to her students, who say that she has a masterful command of her subject matter and boundless patience; and

WHEREAS, Marcela Duran DeMehranfard is beloved by her students, who say that they have learned so much from her and appreciate that she is always cheerful; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees and the Chancellor of the South Orange County Community College District do hereby commend and congratulate Marcela Duran DeMehranfard as the Saddleback College Outstanding Emeritus Professor of the Year.

T.J. Prendergast III, President

Kathleen F. Burke, Chancellor

