

Introducing Chancellor Candidate, Marty Cavalluzzi



Open Forums for Dr. Cavalluzzi will be held on March 3, 2023
Personal biography was provided by the candidate

Dr. Marty Cavalluzzi holds a distinguished record of leadership in higher education in the Washington State community and technical college system. He is currently serving his sixth year as president of Olympic College, serving over 9,000 students per year through campuses located in Bremerton, Poulsbo, and Shelton, and a federal apprenticeship and journeyman program at the Puget Sound Naval Shipyard and Intermediate Maintenance Facility.

Prior to becoming president at Olympic College, Dr. Cavalluzzi served as the president of Pierce College Puyallup (July 2013 through January 2018), Executive Vice President for Instruction and Chief Academic Officer at Edmonds Community College (July 2006 through June 2013), Dean of Science and Math at Seattle Central Community College (August 2001 through June 2006), Associate Dean for Math and Science at Northwest Indian College in Bellingham (September 2000 through June 2001), and Faculty Research Assistant at Oregon State University (January 1999 through August 2000).

Dr. Cavalluzzi has been grateful for a variety of teaching experiences throughout his career. He transitioned to administration and now serves as a guest lecturer, panelist, and speaker for a variety of venues and organizations.

Dr. Cavalluzzi serves on the boards of the Kitsap Economic Development Alliance, Olympic Workforce Development Council, West Sound STEM, and Graduate Strong, as well as serves as a Commissioner on the board of the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities, the accrediting body for seven northwest states and British Columbia. Dr. Cavalluzzi holds a Doctor of Philosophy in Marine Science and a Master of Arts in Marine Science from The College of William and Mary in Virginia, and a Bachelor of Science in Fisheries from Humboldt State University in California. He is most proud of where his higher education journey began, with an Associate of Arts degree at Orange Coast College in California.