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CEE Names Christopher Sedlock VP of Communications and Advancement



McLean, VA – March 9, 2017 – The Center for Excellence in Education (CEE) is pleased to welcome Christopher Sedlock as its new and first ever Vice President of Communications and Advancement.

Christopher joins CEE after having served in advancement at Shepherd University. Previously, Christopher's experience includes three years generating leadership and corporate support for support of University Hospitals of Cleveland, 11 years of development and advancement experience at Cleveland State University, and seven successful years as a regional development officer for Ohio State University. He began his career in public affairs at the Standard Oil Company.

"I am excited to join CEE as VP of Communications and Advancement," said Christopher. "It will be an honor to generate the resources necessary to recognize, encourage and enable high-performing students through CEE."

Chris is well-versed in the full spectrum of resource development and has created and implemented integrated strategic plans in line with institutional goals and priorities. His areas of responsibility have included fundraising and related development components: capital campaigns, major and special gifts, grant making, alumni engagement, annual giving and public/private partnerships. In addition to development experience, Chris has had leadership positions in public relations, marketing, alumni and community relations.

"We are pleased that Christopher will bring his extensive experience to support CEE's educational programs," said Joann P. DiGennaro, CEE President.

About the Center for Excellence in Education

The Center for Excellence in Education was founded in 1983 by the late Admiral H.G. Rickover and Joann P. DiGennaro, President of the Center. The Center's mission is to nurture high school and university scholars to careers of excellence and leadership in science, technology, engineering and mathematics, and to encourage collaboration between and among leaders in the global community. CEE sponsors the Research Science Institute (RSI), the USA Biology Olympiad (USABO), and the Teacher Enrichment Program (TEP). For more information about the Center and its programs, visit CEE's Web site, www.cee.org

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