Saddleback College to Host Live Webcast of The Women’s Conference
Campus Discussions to Follow Presentations by Acclaimed Leaders Including Condoleezza Rice and Arnold Schwarzenegger

Mission Viejo, CA – Saddleback College students, faculty, staff, administrators, and members of the community are invited to attend a live webcast of The Women’s Conference hosted by California First Lady Maria Shriver and Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger on Wednesday, October 22nd in rooms 212 and 208 of the Student Services Center from 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. At 11:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m., Saddleback College female professors of disciplines in the humanities and social sciences will facilitate discussions on topics covered during the webcast.

Saddleback College is webcasting the event on behalf of the State Chancellor’s Office and the Office of Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger, who with California First Lady Maria Shriver will be at The Women’s Conference in Long Beach, an event that was sold out with more than 14,000 guests attending. To enable more interested parties to see the conference, Saddleback College will offer a live webcast to facilitate campus discussions.

Dr. Tod A. Burnett, President of Saddleback College, stated, “The Women’s Conference is a wonderful annual tradition that brings the world’s visionaries together to discuss women’s empowerment. Broadcasting the conference at Saddleback College is a great opportunity for campus-wide discussions on critical current events, including economics, political science, and women’s studies.”

The Women’s Conference is the nation’s premier annual forum for thousands of diverse women to have a shared conversation and a common purpose – to empower, inspire, and educate women to be architects of change in their lives, in their communities, and around the world.

The program agenda of the webcast is as follows:
8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.
SSC 212 and 208
Opening session with speakers Warren Buffett, Chairman and CEO of Berkshire Hathaway; Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger, and Christiane Amanpour, CNN Chief International Correspondent.

10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
SSC 212 and 208
Panel discussion: “It’s Your Voice: How You Can Use it to Change the World.” Participants include Christiane Amanpour; Madeleine Albright, former Secretary of State; Cecilia Maria Atias, CEO, the Experience Corps; Cherie Blair, Human Rights Advocate and wife of former Prime Minister Tony Blair; and Cerue Konah Garlo, Executive Director, Women NGOs Secretariat of Liberia (WONGOSOL).

11:30 a.m. to Noon
SSC 212
Women’s Studies Professors Allison Camelot and Anne Cox and Spanish Professor Carmenmara Hernandez-Bravo will lead on discussion on using one’s voice to change the world.

12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.
SSC 212 and 208
A panel of women leaders discuss challenges, greatest moments, and personal insights. Participants include Sister Joan Chittister, author; Maria Shriver, First Lady of California; Condoleezza Rice, Secretary of State; Indra Nooyi, Chairman & CEO, PepsiCo.; and Campbell Brown, CNN Anchor.

2:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
SSC 212
Anthropology Professor Renee Garcia and Sociology Professors Nicole Loftus and Elizabeth Arreaga will lead a discussion on challenges women face in positions of leadership.

3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
SSC 208
“Life’s Biggest Hurdles: How to Overcome the Unimaginable” with Lynn Sherr, Author of Outside the Box: A Memoir; David Sheff, Author of Beautiful Boy: A Father’s Journey through His Son’s Addiction; Mary Tillman, Author of Boots on the Ground by Dusk: My Tribute to Pat Tillman; and Jenny McCarthy, Author of Louder than Words.

5:00 to 7:00 p.m.
SSC 208
First Lady Maria Shriver will present the Minerva Awards; Bono, Lead Singer of U2 and Co-Founder of the ONE Campaign and (RED), will speak, and Bonnie Raitt will perform.
Located in Mission Viejo, Saddleback College is celebrating its 40th year of providing quality higher education to the south Orange County community. For more information on the college and its programs, please visit [www.saddleback.edu](http://www.saddleback.edu).

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