

THE CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK  
**BOARD OF TRUSTEES**  
535 East 80 Street, New York, N.Y. 10075  
(212) 794-5450



**Philip Berry**  
VICE CHAIRMAN

December 1, 2008

**To:** The Hostos Community College Community

**From:** Vice Chair Philip Berry, Chair, The Hostos Community College  
Presidential Search Committee

**Re:** Search Progress Report #2

---

It is my pleasure to provide the Hostos Community College Community with an update on the presidential search. The search committee has been busy reviewing applications and conducting initial interviews. We anticipate continuing the screening process through the upcoming month and the Holidays.

We have a group of highly qualified candidates, including several sitting presidents, vice presidents and individuals in fields related to higher education. We anticipate inviting three to four finalists to visit the college and participate in open public forums in the near future. Please note that we have given our word to all the candidates that this will remain a confidential process. This commitment applies to the search committee, the college community and individual candidates.

Once we are ready to make a public announcement, the names and brief bios of the finalists, along with further details about the campus visits, will be included in the next progress report.

Have a healthy and happy holiday season.