

DR. REAGAN F. ROMALI



*SUPERINTENDENT-PRESIDENT OF
THE LONG BEACH COMMUNITY COLLEGE
DISTRICT*



Dr. Reagan F. Romali began her tenure as Superintendent-President of the Long Beach Community College District (LBCCD) in May 2017. She is a nationally recognized educational leader who has achieved groundbreaking work in student success, increased graduation rates, increased transfer rates and outcomes for minority students.

Long Beach City College (LBCC) consists of two campuses, with an enrollment of more than 24,000 students. Dr. Romali is responsible for the college's \$1.2 billion budget and more than 2,300 employees. Long Beach is California's seventh largest city with a population of almost half a million people.

Prior to LBCC, Dr. Romali served for six years as the President of Harry S Truman College, one of the City Colleges of Chicago, with more than 20,000 students. During this time, the college increased the Federal IPEDS graduation rate by 300%. At the same time, the college increased the number of associate degrees by 129%, and the number of certificates awarded by 288%. In addition, Dr. Romali increased the rate of

transfer of Truman College students to a four year institution from 30% to 46%, and increased the number of adult based education students advancing to college level courses by 108%.

She currently serves on the Advisory Committee for the Long Beach Ronald McDonald House, Board of Directors for the LBCC Foundation, and is a member of the Long Beach Rotary Club. Dr. Romali also served on various Chicago-based organizations including the Board of Directors for Tenet Healthcare - Weiss Memorial Hospital, Uptown United, and the Chicago Sinfonietta.

Dr. Romali holds a Ph.D. in Education from Walden University, a MBA from the University of San Diego and a Bachelor's degree from Rutgers University. She also served as an adjunct instructor at Southwestern Community College and National University.

Dr. Romali is a proponent of strong international relations and has a multi-cultural family. She has two adopted sons from the People's Republic of China.