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El Camino College Alumna Receives 2012 California Community College Distinguished Alumni Award

Exemplary El Camino College graduate and doctor of medicine Cinna Toy-Wohlmuth was recently named a recipient of the prestigious 2012 California Community College Distinguished Alumni Award, sponsored by the Community College League of California. The award will be presented at the League's Annual Convention, November 15-17, in Los Angeles.

Dr. Toy-Wohlmuth first attended El Camino College as a high school junior, taking advanced placement classes. After graduating from high school, she spent the next two years at ECC excelling at academics, while participating in a variety of clubs and activities.

After graduating from ECC in 1979, Dr. Toy-Wohlmuth transferred to Loma Linda University and earned a bachelor's degree and medical degree. She is now Assistant Clinical Professor in Obstetrics and Gynecology at Loma Linda University and the Obstetrics and Gynecology Program Director at White Memorial Medical Center.

Her faculty experience is accented with completing a Fellowship in Educational Leadership at the University of Southern California, and receiving the National Faculty Award for Excellence in Resident Education in 1998 and 2011. She continues working with organizations that promote academia and medical education, such as the Los Angeles Obstetrical & Gynecological Society (past president), the Pacific Coast Obstetrical & Gynecological Society's Los Angeles Caucus (chair), and the OB GYN Assembly of Southern California.

Dr. Toy-Wohlmuth is also a recipient of the 2011 El Camino College Distinguished Alumni Award, honored for outstanding achievement in her chosen career and service to the community.

The 2012 California Community College Distinguished Alumni Award recognizes and honors outstanding men and women whose attendance at a California community college helped them achieve their educational and professional goals and serve their communities. The League has recognized the distinguished alumni of California's community colleges since 1964.

The Community College League of California is a nonprofit public benefit corporation whose voluntary membership consists of the 72 local community college districts in California.