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CWI names five presidential finalists

Each of the candidates has leadership experience running a community college.

BY BILL ROBERTS

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CWI, which opened in

January, hopes to have a new president on board when school opens this fall. CWI's current president Dennis Griffin will retire in August.

The candidates are:
► Paula Gastenfeld, president of Owensboro Community and Technical College, Owensboro, Ky. She helped

start a fundraising office and a "one-stop-shop" for student affairs.

► Berton L. Glandon, president of Arapahoe Community College, Littleton, Colo. He was president of Treasure Valley Community College in Ontario for nine years in the 1990s.

► Peter A. Gustaf, president of Wichita Area Technical College, Wichita, Kan. He



Paula Gastenfeld



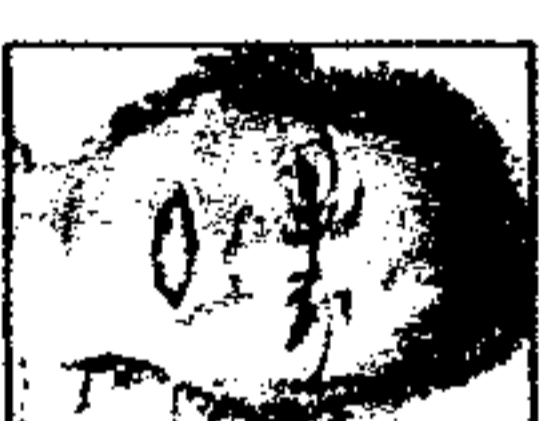
Berton L. Glandon



Peter A. Gustaf



Linda Simmons



Susan J. Wolff

has worked to bring together the business and educational communities in his area.

► Linda Simmons, district vice president for academic and student affairs, Cuyahoga Community College, Cleveland, Ohio. She helped develop curriculum and

honors programs.

► Susan J. Wolff, chief academic officer of Columbia Gorge Community College, The Dalles, Ore. She worked to develop a renewable energy technology program that increased enrollment.

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MEET THE HOPEFULS FOR CWI'S TOP JOB

You can meet the presidential candidates June 2 and 3 in the Coronado Room of the Courtyard Marriott Hotel, 1789 S. Eagle Road, Meridian.

June 2

► Peter Gustaf,
5:30-6:15 p.m.

► Paula Gastenfeld,
6:30-7:15 p.m.

► Linda Simmons,
7:30-8:15 p.m.

June 3

► Berton Glandon,
6-6:45 p.m.

► Susan Wolff,
7-7:45 p.m.

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