Stockton College's 30th Annual Scholarship Gala to be Held at the Borgata Hotel Casino & Spa for the First Time

Event Set for Saturday, April 24, 2010 at 6 p.m.

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Atlantic City, NJ- The 30th Annual Stockton Scholarship Benefit Gala will be hosted by the Stockton College Foundation for the first time ever at the Borgata Hotel Casino & Spa in Atlantic City on **Saturday, April 24, 2010 at 6 p.m.**

"Stockton is excited to be marking our 30th Anniversary of what has become an eagerly anticipated event for the benefit of scholarships to deserving students," said Stockton College President Dr. Herman J. Saatkamp, Jr. "We are equally excited about the new partnership with the Borgata."

The College community, area business and civic leaders, and scholarship recipients gather annually to enjoy an evening of fine dining, entertainment, and community engagement in support of Stockton's students. Proceeds from the event will benefit deserving students. Last year's gala raised \$760,000, exceeding the goal of \$750,000.

"We are consistently delighted at the success of the gala each year, and we hope to reach new heights at this year's event. Through the generous partnership of the Borgata, we have every expectation to do just that," Dr. Saatkamp said.

The Honorary Chairman for the event is Auggie Cipollini, Senior Vice President of Operations at the Borgata Hotel Casino & Spa. Mr. Cipollini oversees areas such as food and beverage, hospitality, security, surveillance, retail, project development, administration, and credit. Mr. Cipollini has been with the company since January 2000, previously serving as Senior Vice President & Chief Administrative Officer, Vice President of Finance, and Director of Development. Prior to Borgata, he spent 16 years with Harrah's Entertainment in Atlantic City and Tunica, Mississippi in various financial positions. Mr. Cipollini is a Certified Public Accountant and holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting from Widener University.

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The Gala Chairman is Dr. James Yoh, President and CEO of Galaxy Technology, L.L.C. and Chair of Stockton's Board of Trustees. Galaxy Technology, one of the world's leading information technology, aviation technology, navigation systems and training systems firms, delivers innovative technical solutions for diverse customers ranging from the United States Department of Defense, the Federal Aviation Administration, and the Commerce Department. An active community supporter, Dr. Yoh is a Board member of the AtlantiCare Medical Foundation and is in the forefront of fundraising efforts for the modernization of pediatric units and the creation of a trauma center. He is also lead sponsor for the Technical Youth Program, which provides summer jobs for high school students from disadvantaged families. Dr. Yoh received his bachelor's degree from Fu-Jen University and his doctoral degree in Nuclear Physics from the University of Notre Dame.

Stockton is seeking corporate and individual sponsorships and partners for the event. All are invited to receive updates on sponsorships, tickets, and auction items by calling (609)-652-4527 or by logging onto http://www.stockton.edu/benefitgala.

The Stockton College Foundation, governed by an all-volunteer Board of Directors, enables alumni, friends, and the community to help financially support Stockton programs, student scholarships, and initiatives for growth.

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