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The College of The Bahamas is pleased to announce the appointment of Dr. Earla Carey-Baines, President of The College of The Bahamas, with effect from July 1, 2010, continuing until a new president of The College of The Bahamas is installed in Nassau. Dr. Carey-Baines will succeed Janyne Hodder who will retire on June 30, 2010.

Dr. Carey-Baines, Dean, Liberal and Fine Arts, began her College of The Bahamas career as a faculty member in 1988 and has held various academic and administrative leadership positions including Head of Department, School Chair and most recently Dean. She has served The College in initiatives covering a range of interests including research, graduate programming, quality assurance, faculty promotions, professional development and fundraising; and has presented scholarly papers in a number of areas including academic integrity, academic programme and course development. Since January of this year she has headed The College's negotiating team that has been in talks with the faculty union for a new labour agreement.

Dr. Carey-Baines received her Doctor of Philosophy degree from Washington State University, with an interdisciplinary focus in English, Education and Sociology; where she also obtained a Master of Arts Degree in Composition and Rhetoric. She completed her undergraduate study from Concordia University in Montreal, Canada, where she earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in English Literature. The College of The Bahamas is confident that given Dr. Carey-Baines' experience and expertise, the brand of leadership she will bring to The College will allow it to continue to build on the great work of College leaders before her.

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