

Link named Trustee of the Year

(Lake Worth, Fla. – Nov. 3, 2011) Wendy Sartory Link, a Palm Beach State College trustee since 2007, has been named Trustee of the Year by the Association of Florida Colleges Trustees Commission.

Link was presented the award during AFC's state conference in Naples Oct. 26-28. Since her appointment to the board by former Gov. Charlie Crist, Link has served as vice chair in 2008-2009 and chair in 2009-2010. She also has served on numerous College committees including the Budget Facilities/Audit committee, Consultant's Professional Services Competitive Selection committee and the Strategic Planning Team. She also served as the Board's Legislative Liaison and represented the Palm Beach State College trustees at various Association of Community Colleges Trustees conferences: Annual Leadership Congress, Leadership Academy and National Legislative Summit. In 2010, she served as a member of ACCT's Southern Regional Nominating Committee. Most notably, Link has been lauded for her ongoing efforts to secure funds for a fifth Palm Beach State College campus.



Link, managing partner and a founder of the Ackerman, Link & Sartory law firm in West Palm Beach, is a 1998 graduate of Leadership Palm Beach County and involved in numerous other community activities and boards.

Serving more than 51,000 students annually, Palm Beach State College is the largest institution of higher education in Palm Beach County, providing bachelor's degrees, associate degrees, professional certificates, career training and lifelong learning. Established in 1933 as Florida's first public community college, it offers more than 100 programs of study at locations in Lake Worth, Boca Raton, Palm Beach Gardens and Belle Glade.

Editor's note: Please contact College Relations and Marketing for a photo of Wendy Link.

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