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Increasing the Participation of Women in Tech Careers

Maria Klawe, Harvey Mudd College

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Dr. Maria Klawe

Maria Klawe became Harvey Mudd College’s fifth president in 2006. A renowned mathematician, computer scientist and scholar, President Klawe is the first woman to lead the College since its 1955 founding. Prior to joining Harvey Mudd College, she served as dean of engineering and professor of computer science at Princeton University.

President Klawe is passionate about making science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) education more accessible to diverse groups and has emerged as a national thought leader on women in STEM education.

Within her own discipline of mathematics and computer science, Klawe has made significant research contributions, including functional analysis, discrete mathematics, theoretical computer science, human-computer interaction, gender issues in information technology and interactive-multimedia for mathematics education. Her current research focuses on discrete mathematics.

President Maria Klawe has taken on numerous leadership positions, and is the recipient of scores of awards and honors.