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## Prestigious educational appointment in Greece for Cyprus Institute trustee

**FOLLOWING** the appointment of Professor Harold Varmus as co-chair of the Presidential Council of Advisers on Science and Technology in the US by President Barack Obama, another Cyprus Institute personality has been chosen to serve in a very prestigious post. Professor Linda Katehi, a trustee of the Cyprus Institute and chancellor of the University of California, Davis, has been appointed by the Greek Prime Minister Giorgos Papandreou to lead the new international advisory committee for reforming tertiary education in Greece.

The committee has been established as part of the Greek government's strategy for improving tertiary education in the country. The committee is led by Katehi and is comprised of internationally renowned academics and politicians from the USA, Australia and Asia, including rectors and presidents of universities and former ministers of education. The committee, after

reviewing the current operations of Greek universities, will provide advice and guidance to the Greek government regarding global trends on university education. It will also liaise with other Greek political parties, educational and social bodies.

Katehi has been a board member of the Cyprus Institute since 2008. She was appointed as chancellor of the University of California, Davis in 2009. She previously served as provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs at the University of Illinois, USA. She has received national and international recognition for her work as a researcher and educator, receiving numerous awards and distinctions.

The engagement of such an eminent academic and international personality in the activities of the Cyprus Institute, is not only an honour for the Institute, but also contributes to the further promotion and development of research and innovation in Cyprus.