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## NEWS RELEASE

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### **Dr. Paul Eidson Elected to DETC Nominating Committee**

The DETC Board of Directors is pleased to announce that Dr. Paul Eidson, President and Chief Executive Officer of Apollos University, has been elected to the Distance Education and Training Council (DETC) Nominating Committee. He was elected following the DETC Business Meeting held on October 6, 2014 in Austin, Texas. He will join current Nominating Committee members, Dr. David Curd of Harrison Middleton University, Mr. Paul McDonald of American Graduate University and Ms. Dawn Turco of The Hadley School for the Blind.

"I would like to express my deep appreciation for the opportunity to serve in this important capacity for DETC," said Dr. Eidson. "I look forward to working with my colleagues in the coming months to identify strong institution member candidates for election to the DETC Board of Directors."

The election of new members to the Board of Directors is an important part of the governance and accreditation activities of the DETC. The Nominating Committee will work with the Board of Directors to identify candidates to fill two institution member positions for three year terms beginning April 1, 2015. The Directors encourage all accredited institutions to fully engage and participate in the forthcoming nomination and election processes.

### **ABOUT DETC**

The Distance Education and Training Council (DETC) Accrediting Commission is a private, non-profit organization founded in 1926 that operates as a national accreditor of distance education institutions. DETC's goal is to ensure a high standard of educational quality in the distance education institutions it accredits and a quality education for the more than two million students who annually study at its accredited institutions.

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