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Kristine Hafner, Ph.D.
California ISO Board of Governors

Kristine Hafner, Ph.D. accepted an appointment by Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger to the California Independent System Operator Corporation (ISO) Board of Governors in September 2009 to a term that expires in 2011.

Dr. Hafner retired in 2008 from the University of California Office of the President as Associate Vice President of Information Resources and Communications and Chief Information Officer. Prior to her retirement, she oversaw delivery of a broad range of information technology services for the university's ten campuses, five medical centers and the Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, which the university manages under a contract to the U.S. Department of Energy. Dr. Hafner's areas of responsibility included planning, design and delivery of system-wide administrative, student services and research computing initiatives, information technology policy development, data center and telecommunication services and IT procurement. Other positions Ms. Hafner held upon joining the university system in 1997 included Deputy to the Senior Vice President of Business and Finance and Director of Business Initiatives.

Previously, Dr. Hafner spent fifteen years at IBM, managing large systems marketing activities in the Midwest region and managing and performing strategic business consulting engagements with private and public sector clients in a variety of industries.

Dr. Hafner completed her Ph.D. at the University of Wisconsin, Madison, and then pursued MBA coursework at the University of Pennsylvania Wharton Graduate Business School.