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Prior to working at PCC, Mark served in the Obama Administration as the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Community Colleges in the US Department of Education. In this role, he advanced the President's and department's community college agenda through strategic partnerships across federal agencies and with national stakeholders. Mark also served as President of North Seattle College, Vice President of Student Services at South Seattle College, Assistant Dean of Student Services at Green River Community College (where he was awarded an Exemplary Leadership Award by the Chair Academy) and Director of Student Success at North Seattle College. Earlier in his career as an educator, Mark entered into the community and technical college arena as a teacher at Renton Technical College, where he was awarded an Outstanding Faculty Award in 1994 and served as lead faculty on the college accreditation team.