

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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**SAN JOSE, CA** – This Saturday, Sept. 27, Educate our State and the Santa Clara County Office of Education will co-host the State Superintendent Forum at the Marriott Waterfront SFO Hotel in Burlingame.

**SCCOE** co-hosts State Superintendent Forum

State Superintendent of Public Instruction Tom Torlakson and candidate Marshall Tuck will discuss their positions on issues affecting our schools and their visions for the future of public education in California. The public will have the opportunity to submit potential questions for the candidates here.

After the forum, Educate Our State is offering a full day of workshops at their Fall Conference, lead by political consultant Larry Tramutola, with a keynote speech from Santa Clara County Supervisor Joe Simitian. Topics include developing local campaigns, organizing communities and community outreach skillbuilding. For more information, contact <u>Suzy Pak</u>.

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UPDATE: Watch the video of the forum.