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CSN Welcomes Elaine Wynn to Lecture Series

The series connects students with real-world business and industry leaders

October 11, 2019 – The College of Southern Nevada is pleased to welcome business leader and philanthropist Elaine Wynn to campus for its “Let Las Vegas be Your Classroom” lecture series.

Launched in 2015 by CSN hospitality professor Lonnie Wright, the series brings real-world experts into the classroom. Past speakers include Former U.S. Sen. Richard Bryan, former Las Vegas Mayor Oscar Goodman, businessman and former Ambassador Sig Rogich, and former Gov. Bob Miller.

“I am honored and humbled to welcome Elaine Wynn to my classroom,” said Wright, a Las Vegas native and former UNLV Runnin’ Rebel. “She has been a major contributor to the success and evolution Las Vegas, and I know our hospitality students are very much looking forward to learning more about her contributions to the industry.”

Wynn co-founded Wynn Resorts in 2000 and helped guide the company’s expansion from the opening of Wynn Las Vegas and Wynn Macau to the unveiling of Encore. Previously, she co-founded and led Mirage Resorts. Her pioneering contribution to the gaming and entertainment industry in America was recognized by her induction into the Gaming Hall of Fame in 1999.

Media are welcome to attend the lecture.

What: Let Las Vegas Be Your Classroom with Elaine Wynn

When: 10 a.m. Monday, October 14

Where: CSN Charleston Campus, Building I, Room 108

About CSN: Founded in 1971, the College of Southern Nevada is the state’s largest and most diverse higher education institution. CSN is accredited through the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities and specializes in two-year degrees and workforce development that lead directly to high-demand careers or transfer to a university. It also offers seven bachelor’s degrees in specialized fields and is the state’s largest provider of adult basic education and literacy training. CSN is a Minority Serving Institution and Nevada’s first Hispanic Serving Institution. Our students create flexible schedules with day, evening and weekend classes taught on three main campuses and multiple locations throughout Southern Nevada or online. CSN is an Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action institution.