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SENATOR NELLIE POU VISITS RAMAPO COLLEGE FOR HIGHER EDUCATION AWARENESS WEEK

MAHWAH, N.J. -- The Student Government Association and the Office of the President welcomed New Jersey Senator Nellie Pou to campus on Wednesday, February 24 as part of Higher Education Awareness Week. She met with students and discussed issues that impact higher education in New Jersey.

Senator Pou is the Vice Chair of the Senate Higher Education Committee and serves the 35th District of New Jersey.

For video interview, [click here](#).

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Ranked by *U.S. News & World Report* as fifth in the Best Regional Public Universities North category, Ramapo College of New Jersey is sometimes mistaken for a private college. This is, in part, due to its unique interdisciplinary academic structure, its size of approximately 6,000 students and its pastoral setting in the foothills of the Ramapo Mountains on the New Jersey/New York border.

Established in 1969, Ramapo College offers bachelor's degrees in the arts, business, humanities, social sciences and the sciences, as well as in professional studies, which include nursing and social work. In addition, Ramapo College offers courses leading to teacher certification at the elementary and secondary levels. The College also offers eight graduate programs as well as articulated programs with Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey, New York Chiropractic College, New York University College of Dentistry, SUNY State College of Optometry and New York College of Podiatric Medicine.