

## **Ricardo Estrada**

*Newly Appointed Member of the Admissions Review Commission*

### **Experience:**

- Executive Director, Erie Neighborhood House (2003 – Present)
  - Associate Director (1997 – 2003)
- President and Chief Executive Officer, Erie Elementary Charter School (2005 – Present)
- Program Consultant, Orphanlink International (1997-1999)
- Quality Assurance Consultant, Chicago Commons (1997)
- Associate Executive Director, Latino Youth, Inc. (1996 – 1997)
  - Director of Child Welfare Services (1993 – 1996)
  - Interim Director of Education (1994 – 1995)

### **Organization Membership and Recognition:**

- Vice President, Board of Directors, Leadership Greater Chicago
- Board Member, Donors Forum of Chicago
- Board Member, Latino Policy Forum
- Member, Chicago Council on Global Affairs Selection Committee, Emerging Leaders Program
- Illinois Childcare Advisory Council, Executive Committee
- American Marshall Memorial Fellow
- Loyola University Chicago Latino Alumnus of the Year
- City Club of Chicago John A. McDermott Award for Distinguished Social Leadership
- Citibank Hispanic Heritage Award

### **Education:**

- University of Illinois at Chicago School of Business Administration: MBA, Finance & Marketing (1997)
- University of Chicago School of Social Service Administration: A.M., Policy & Administration (1993)
- Loyola University, Chicago: B.S., Psychology (1989); Certificate in Project Management, (2005)
- Northwestern University: The Corporate Leadership Center and the Kellogg School of Management, CEO Perspective program (2009)

### **Personal Information:**

- DOB: 10/17/66
- Hometown: Chicago
- Lives in Chicago with wife Beatriz and two daughters, Sofia and Daniela.