

https://www.valleycollege.edu/about-sbvc/history/history-1967-2002.php

The screenshot shows a web browser window with several tabs open. The active tab is titled "1967-2002 — San Bernardi...". The address bar shows the URL "www.valleycollege.edu/about-sbvc/history/history-1967-2002.php". The page header features the San Bernardino Valley College logo on the left and a navigation menu with links for "Admission & Aid", "Academic & Career Programs", "Students", and "About SBVC". A search bar with the text "ENHANCED BY Google" and buttons for "Log In" and "Apply" is also present. The main content area is titled "The Caballero Presidency, 1997-2002" and contains two paragraphs of text. The first paragraph describes the transition from Don Singer to Sharon Caballero in 1997 and mentions her previous role at Rio Hondo College. The second paragraph discusses the challenge of funding new facilities and mentions a \$40 million bond and architect Steven Ehrlich. A portrait of Sharon Caballero is shown to the right of the text. A blue arrow button is visible at the bottom right of the page.


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The Caballero Presidency, 1997-2002

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Don Singer retired in 1997, and Sharon Caballero was appointed as his replacement in July of that same year. Prior to coming to San Bernardino Valley College, Dr. Caballero was the Vice President of Instruction at Rio Hondo College. A proponent of professional development, she had also been actively involved in the creation of statewide training programs for women administrators and for mid-managers.



The need to identify a funding source to build new facilities to replace the seven buildings that straddled the fault line presented an immediate challenge for President Caballero. Through a combination of district and college efforts, contacts with FEMA and the positive outcome of a state higher education bond resulted in a commitment of over \$40 million to erect replacement structures. Steven Ehrlich, a noted architect, was hired to design the new Administration, Science, Campus Center, Library and Art buildings.