



**New Mexico Higher Education Department
New Mexico Higher Education Advisory Committee Program Review
Thursday, June 25, 2026
10:30 AM – 12:30 PM**

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AGENDA

- 1) CALL TO ORDER
- 2) APPROVAL OF AGENDA
- 3) **Fall NMHEAC Meetings:**
 - a) October 1, 2026, submission deadline September 10, 2026
 - b) November 19, 2026, Submission deadline October 29, 2026
- 4) **Undergraduate Programs**
 - a) SENMC, AAS Instrumentation, Controls and Electrical Technology
 - i) Institutional representative:
 - (1) Randy Shull rshull@senmc.edu Vocational, Energy & Manufacturing Department Chair
 - (2) Dr. Frosso Seitaridou eseitaridou@senmc.edu, Vice President of Academic Affairs
 - (3) Zane Biebelle zbiebelle@senmc.edu, Interim Dean of Academic Affairs
 - b) SENMC, AAS Creative Production and Venue Management
 - i) Institutional representative:
 - (1) Mickey Best mbest@senmc.edu program coordinator
 - (2) Dr. Frosso Seitaridou eseitaridou@senmc.edu, Vice President of Academic Affairs



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- (3) Zane Biebelle zbiebelle@senmc.edu, Interim Dean of Academic Affairs
- c) NMSU-DA, AAS Artificial Intelligence
- i) Institutional representative:
- (1) Gus Pina, Professor CIT Department, gpina@dacc.nmsu.edu
- (2) Shannon Bradley, Acting Vice-President of Academic Affairs, sbradley@dacc.nmsu.edu
- (3) Dr. Laura De La Cruz, Dean of Advanced Technologies, ldelacruz@dacc.nmsu.edu
- d) ENMU-RU, AS Agriculture
- i) Institutional representative:
- (1) Coda Omness, Vice President of Student Learning and Success, coda.omness@enmu.edu
- (1) Rochelle Elfelt, Chair of Science & Math Department, Rochelle.elfelt@enmu.edu
- b) UNM-Main, BS Bioengineering
- i) Institutional Representatives:
- (1) Dr. Donna Riley, Dean of the School of Engineering, Riley1@unm.edu
- (2) Dr. Darryl Dickerson, Associate Dean of the School of Engineering, dickerson@unm.edu
- 2) **Graduate Programs**
- a) NMSU, Master of Applied Artificial Intelligence
- i) Institutional representatives:
- (1) Enrico Pontelli, Dean of Arts & Sciences and Senior Advisor for AI, epontell@nmsu.edu
- b) NMT, MS Geobiology
- i) Institutional representatives:
- (1) Daniel S. Jones, Associate Professor of Geobiology, Earth & Environmental Sciences Environmental Sciences, daniel.s.jones@nmt.edu,
- (2) Jaakko Putkonen, Chair and Professor of Geology, Earth & Environmental Sciences, jaakko.putkonen@nmt.edu
- (3) Aly El Osery, Dean of Graduate Studies, aly.elosery@nmt.edu



(4) Lique Coolen, Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs,
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3) PUBLIC COMMENT

4) ADJOURNMENT