

**NMSU Faculty Senate
Meeting**
February 6, 2025; 4:00 p.m.
Hadley Hall Rm 130 and [Zoom](#)

AGENDA

1. Call to Order

2. Approval of Agenda

3. Recognition of Guests

4. Approval of Minutes of January 9, 2025, meeting

5. Reports of Officers

FS Chair, Vimal Chaitanya

03 Minutes

FS Vice-Chair, Christopher Brown

03 Minutes

6. Reports of Standing Committees

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- Budget and Resources – Chair, Stephen Hanson
- University Planning – Chair, Erik Lehnhoff
- Curriculum and Planning - Chair, Gustavo Piña
- Research and Creative Activity – Chair, Paul Tian
- Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion – Chair, Karen Kopera-Frye
- Student Success – Chair, Tawny Aguirre

7. New Business

- **Proposition 09-24/25** – Memorial in Appreciation of Dr. Monica Torres for Serving as Interim President. **Sponsor(s):** T. Aguirre (DACC), K. Lopez-Gallagher (NMSU-A), C. Brown (A&S), O. Holguin (ACES), V. Chaitanya (Engineering), S. Hanson (ACES), M. Darapuneni (ACES), K. Grover (ACES), E. Lehnhoff (ACES), G. Duff (ACES), J. Hunter (A & S), J. Cook (A & S), J. Dalager (A & S), L. Hermanson (A & S), T. Conner (A & S), J. Bronstein (A & S), R. Obregon (A & S), K. Finlator (A & S), T. Cleveland (A & S), H. Baek (A & S), A. Ashley (A & S), I. Hanson (A & S), W. Walker (A & S), M. Furuhashi (A & S), H. Hampton (A & S), K.T. Manis (Bus), C. Erickson (Bus), F. Arslan (Bus), R. Rahman (Bus), Z. Shen (Bus), O. Bello (Engineering), M. Elshinawy (Engineering), R. Li (Engineering), H. Badawy (Engineering), R. Jayaraman (Engineering), T. Manz (Engineering), K. Kopera-Frye (HEST), L. Saiki (HEST), S. Lynch (HEST), J. Tomaka (HEST), J. Rice (HEST), C. DeBlicke (HEST), P. Smoak (HEST), F. Boutsen (HEST), W. Stem (HEST), D. Magoc (HEST), S. Walker (CES), S. Gordan (CES), K. Knight (CES), E. Gamboa (DACC), T. Price (DACC), G. Pina (DACC), L. Grant (DACC), T. Allred (Alamogordo CC), K. Lopez-Gallagher (Alamogordo CC), A. Romero (Grants CC), S. Elliss (NTT), M. Burkardt (NTT), R. Schumacher (NTT), R. Gioannini (NTT), C. Anaya (NTT), J. Sandstrom (NTT), D. Overstreet (NTT), I. Villicana Pedraza (NTT), E. Hetrick (NTT)

Sponsors request the Senate to consider this as Emergency Legislation.

- **Proposition 10-24/25-** Proposal for name change from the “Department of Civil Engineering” to the “Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering.” **Sponsor(s):** Runwei Li (College of Engineering), Michaela Buenemann (College of Art and Science), Christopher Erickson (College of Business), Tawny Aguirre (Doña Ana Community College), Dylan McDonald (Library), Omar Holguin (College of Agricultural, Consumer and Environmental Sciences), Geoffrey Smith (College of Art and Science), Kristian Finlator (College of Art and Science), Jiayi Wang (College of Health, Education and Social Transformation), and Christopher Brown (College of Art and Science).

Assigned to Curriculum and Planning.

8. Unfinished Business-
NONE

9. Other Business –
NONE

10. Remarks and Announcements

a. FS Chair, Vimal Chaitanya

02 Minutes

b. FS Vice-Chair / SLC Chair, Christopher Brown

02 Minutes

11. Adjournment