

NMSU FACULTY SENATE CHAIR REPORT—SEPTEMBER 2019 ACTIVITY

Submitted October 3, 2019 by Becky Corran

Assignment Advisory Group (AAG) did not meet in September.

Associate Deans Council (ADC) meeting was cancelled for September.

University Administrative Council (UAC), Tuesday, September 10th 2019

- UAC had no new business for September, but did approve a number of room names across campus.
- Announcements include:
 - Please encourage faculty and staff to take the campus climate survey, which will come out in mid-October.
 - Scooters will likely be back on campus soon...they are negotiating with potential providers.

Board of Regents (BoR) meeting, Wednesday, September 4th 2019

The BoR met and heard reports on a number of items, including the budget overview.

- You can view the electronic binder for the BoR meeting here <https://wpsites.nmsu.edu/download/BOR-Regular-Meeting-Binder-SEPT-4-2019.pdf>

Informational Items (this will include items that are considered FYI for the Faculty Senate, including new AAS degrees and official announcements from administration.)

- New Associates of Applied Science in Surveying Technology (contact Chip Moore, cmoore@dacc.nmsu.edu) and Computer and Information Systems (contact Jon Juarez, juarez@dacc.nmsu.edu.)
- The College of Education has begun the search for a new dean. A&S Dean Enrico Pontelli will chair the search committee.

Other items and activities

- Represented faculty on HR committees, including CC Faculty Salary committee and system-wide Climate Survey group.
- Representing faculty on the Holistic Investigation Protocol task force.
- Meeting with Provost's office and UGC regarding Faculty Office Hours, ARP Proposal 6.86, incorporating collected feedback from 21 faculty (October 3.)
- Presented at the Community College Roundup with Sylvia Walker (NMSU-A) on Faculty Senate updates and activities.
- Represented Faculty on the NMSU Budget Committee student fee review (September 30.)
- Representing Faculty Senate on the Strategic Budget Planning Committee (initial meeting, September 24.)
- Representing Faculty Senate on the [LEADS 2025](#) Research (Goal 2) planning group.

Thank you for your continued investment in the work of the NMSU Faculty Senate. If you have any questions, suggestions or concerns, please email me at bcorran@nmsu.edu or call 575.528.7033.