



## 2024 NM AMP Student Research Conference Agenda (Tentative)

### New Mexico State University Corbett Center

Saturday, October 5, 2024: Community College Professional Development Workshop (By Invitation Only)	
8: 00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	<p><b>Breakfast Session for Community College Institutional Coordinators, Conference Community College Professional Development Workshop Participants, Faculty and Statewide Program Staff</b> (Col. Fountain Room). Jeanne Garland: Welcome and Introductions. Michael Voegerl, University of New Mexico Director of International Admissions and Recruitment, will facilitate the CC workshop. Guests will be served Breakfast, followed by the sessions for students, faculty, and program staff.</p> <p><b>Concluding with take-home boxed lunch.</b></p>
9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	<p><b>Statewide Faculty and Statewide Program Staff and Administrators Workshop: NSF Funding Opportunities and Understanding the Merit Review Process</b> — Workshop presented by Dr. Sonja Montas-Hunter, NSF Program Director and Program Co-Lead (Doña Ana Room). (All institutional Faculty and Staff of institutional grant programs are invited)</p> <p><b>Concluding with take-home boxed lunch.</b></p>
Friday, October 4, 2024: NM AMP Student Research Conference	
7:00 a.m. – 7:30 a.m.	<b>NM AMP Students Poster Set Up</b> (East Ballroom) University and URS, SCCORE, and other <i>Student Presenters are responsible for putting up their own posters at this time.</i>
7:30 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.	<b>Conference Check-In</b> (Hall in front of the Ballrooms)
7:30 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.	<b>Breakfast Served</b> (West Ballroom)
8:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	<p><b>Conference Welcome; Introductions of Dignitaries; (West Ballroom, Corbett Center 3<sup>rd</sup> floor); Keynote Address</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Jeanne Garland, Director of New Mexico AMP - Welcome to the Conference and <u>Introduction of Honored Guest and Workshop Presenter, Dr. Sonja Montas Hunter</u>, NSF Program Director and Program Co-Lead.</li> <li>- Director Garland: <u>Introduction of Dr. Lakshmi Reddi</u>, New Mexico State University Interim Provost and NM AMP Principal Investigator</li> <li>- Dr. Reddi: <u>Welcome to NMSU Address.</u></li> <li>- Director Garland: <u>Introduction of Dr. Laura Crossey</u>, UNM Earth and Planetary Sciences Distinguished Professor: A brief overview of the Climate: Sustainability, and Resilience theme for this award period.</li> <li>- Director Garland: <u>Introduction of Keynote Speaker</u>, Title TBD, Dr. Sanna Sevanto, Research Scientist, Los Alamos National Laboratory.</li> <li>- Dr. Sanna Sevanto: Keynote Address</li> <li>- Director Garland – Adjourn Breakfast Session and Conference Instructions.</li> </ul>
9:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	<b>BREAK</b>
9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	<p><b>Students:</b> Attend two workshops: 1) Choose one workshop to attend in the 9:30-10:30 time slot and 2) Attend the remaining workshop in the 10:30-11:30 time slot (workshop titles are listed below).  <u>Student Workshop 1:</u> Title TBD, Senate Chambers Room, Presented by Dr. Marcy Litvak, University of New Mexico Professor of Biology  <u>Student Workshop 2:</u> “Sustainability: Creatively Aligning with the Web of Life,” Senate Gallery Room, Presented by Dr. Andreas Hernandez, University of New Mexico Director of Sustainability Studies Program</p>
9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	<p><b>Statewide Faculty and Statewide Program Staff and Administrators Workshop: Presented by Dr. Sonja Montas-Hunter</b>, NSF Program Director and Program Co-Lead: <i>NSF Funding Opportunities and Understanding the Merit Review Process</i> (All institutional Faculty and Staff of institutional grant programs are invited). (Held in the Doña Ana Room). This workshop will be Part One of two sessions. Part Two Session will be held from 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup>, also in the Doña Ana Room.</p>

9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	<b>NM MESA Program and NMSU TRIO Upward Bound GISD/LCPS Program Orientation and Workshop (Otero Room, 1<sup>st</sup> floor):</b> Welcome to Conference; Facilitators: Anita Gonzales NM MESA Statewide Deputy Director and NMSU Director of TRIO Upward Bound GISD/LCPS Program – “Navigation of the Conference” and “Reading Abstracts and Abstract Exercises.”
10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	<b>NM MESA and Upward Bound:</b> Undergraduate students present their research experiences and research projects.
10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	<b>NM MESA and Upward Bound:</b> Attend Conference Workshop of their choice (either Workshop 1 or Workshop 2).
9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	<b>New Mexico Community College Conference Professional Development Workshop (by invitation):</b> Facilitator Michael Voegerl, University of New Mexico Director International Admissions and Recruitment. <b>-Welcome and Introduction to Workshop: “Navigation of the Conference” and “Reading Abstracts &amp; Abstract Exercises,”</b> Col. Fountain Room
9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	<b>Advisory Board Meeting (By Invitation Only)</b> Conference Room 204A (On the 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor of Corbett Center) Advisory Board Chair, Dr. Lakshmi Reddi, NMSU Interim Provost will lead. Facilitators: Jeanne Garland, Director of NM AMP: Welcome to Attendees and Introduction to Dr. Lakshmi Reddi and Dr. Paola Bandini, NM AMP Co-PI. Self-Introduction of Attendees. NM AMP Updates: Salvador Valenzuela, Database Analyst: 2023-2024 Data Report and Dr. Rachel Boren, Director of NMSU SOAR / NM AMP Evaluator, Evaluator Report Advisors’ Discussion, led by Dr. Reddi Adjourn
11:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	<b>Break Before Lunch</b>
11:45 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	<b>Lunch and Keynote Address</b> (West Ballroom) Director Garland: <u>Welcome Back; Introduction of Clayton Abbey</u> , Assistant VP, Government & Community Relations Clayton Abbey: <u>Introduction of Keynote Speaker:</u> The Honorable New Mexico Senator Pete Campos <u>Keynote Address:</u> The Honorable New Mexico Senator Pete Campos <u>Announcement of the NM AMP Mentor of Year Award and Announcement of Lunch Raffle Winner,*</u> presented by Michael Voegerl
11:45 p.m. – 12:45 p.m.	<b>Judges’ Check-In and Training</b> (Doña Ana Room) Facilitator and Lead Judge Rita Villaseñor, NM AMP Staff. <b>NOTE:</b> <i>Judges, this is an important session that will be a working lunch; special accommodations will be made to have the buffet lunch set up directly in your meeting room.</i>
12:45 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.	<b>Judges’ Poster Preview</b> (East Ballroom) No students are allowed to be present during the Judges Poster Preview until 1:15 p.m.
1:15 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	<b>NM MESA and Upward Bound Workshop</b> (Otero Room, 1 <sup>st</sup> floor). Facilitators: Anita Gonzales NM MESA Statewide Deputy Director and NMSU Director of TRIO Upward Bound GISD/LCPS Program.
2:15 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	<b>NM MESA and Upward Bound Students:</b> Attend Session 2 of the Undergraduate Student Poster Presentations.
3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	<b>NM MESA and Upward Bound Students:</b> Feedback Session in group discussion.
1:15 p.m. – 3:15 a.m.	<b>Information Tables</b> with industry partners in 3 <sup>rd</sup> floor Hallway
1:15 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	<b>Session 1 Undergraduate Student Poster Presentations &amp; Judging</b> (East Ballroom) – To include: SCCORE presenters, additional-community college student presenters, and university undergraduate research presenters. <i>(Presenters – you will be given instructions so you know what Session you will be required to attend and be prepared to present.)</i>
2:15 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	<b>Session 2 Undergraduate Student Poster Presentations &amp; Judging</b> (East Ballroom) – To include: University undergraduate research presenters. <i>(Presenters – you will be given instructions so you know what Session you will be required to attend and be prepared to present.)</i>
2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	<b>New Mexico AMP Institutional Coordinators (IC) Meeting</b> (Quay Room): Facilitator: Jeanne Garland, Director of NM AMP, and Dr. Paola Bandini, NM AMP Co-PI: Welcome to Attendees; Self-Introduction of Attendees. Salvador Valenzuela, Database Analyst: 2023-2024 Data Report and Dr. Rachel Boren, Director of NMSU SOAR / NM AMP Evaluator, Evaluator Report.; Institutional Coordinators’ Updates. Discussion with IC’s.
3:15 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	<b>Poster Judges’ Scoring Discussion and Identification of CC and University 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Winners</b> (Doña Ana Room).
4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	<b>Awards and Brownie-Sundae Bar and Social</b> (West Ballroom). Michael Voegerl: <b>Announcement of Poster Presentation Winners</b> (1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , and 3 <sup>rd</sup> for Community College Students and University Students). <b>Announcement of Final Raffle Winner*</b> . Jeanne Garland, NM AMP Director – <b>Conference Closing</b> .

**\*NOTE:** For the Lunch and Awards Raffles, you **MUST** be present to WIN; otherwise, another winner will be drawn.

NM AMP thanks our Keynote Speakers, our Workshop Facilitators and Presenters. Thank you also to our Advisory Board, and all AMP staff and volunteers. A special thank you to Dr. Sonja Montas-Hunter, our NSF Program Director and Program-Co-Lead for presenting the Faculty and Statewide Program Administrative Staff Workshops on Friday, October 4 and Saturday October 5.

# Map of Corbett Center 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor

