

2025 NMEIC Symposium - Draft Agenda				
Day 1 - November 18th, 2025 - Fidel Center, NMT, Socorro				
Time	Speaker	Role	Organization	Duration (minutes)
8:00	Breakfast - Fidel Center			50
8:50	Opening Remarks - Dr. Jackson - Interim President NMT			10
9:00	Secretary Black Economic Development Department			30
Generation, Transmission and Storage R&D in New Mexico				
9:30	Dr. Sydney Lienemann (Mod.)	Strategic Advisor on Energy, Climate & Natural Resources		75
	Lynn Mostoller	Executive Director	Renewable Energy Transmission Authority	
	Dr. Karthi Ramasamy	Deputy Director - Energy Programs	Los Alamos National Lab (LANL)	
	Rob Black	Secretary	NMEDD	
	Rebecca Puck Stair	Director	Energy Conservation and Management - EMNRD	
	Dr Robert Balch	Director	NMT-PRRC	
10:45	Break			30
New Mexico Utilities Perspectives				
11:15	Kelly A. Tomblin	President and CEO	El Paso Electric	20
11:35	Laurie Williams	Senior Vice President, Integrated Planning and Transmission	Public Service Company of New Mexico	20
12:00 PM	Lunch			60

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12:00 PM	Lunch			60
1:00 PM	Dr. Sudip Sen Dean of Graduate Studies, Navajo Technical University			30
Tribal Energy Leadership and Partnerships				
1:30 PM	Steve Grey (mod.)	CEO	Grey LLC	60
	Danielle Todacheene	Executive Director	Four Corners Clean Energy Alliance	
	Arvin Trujillo	Navajo Nation Government Affairs Manager	Navajo Transitional Energy Company	
	Terry Dayish	Professional Engineer	Arizona Public Service (APS)	
Energy Workforce Development				
2:30 PM	Veronica Alonzo (mod.)	WIOA Operations and Program Manager	Department of Workforce Solution	60
	Alessandra Barbiero	State Apprenticeship Expansion Program Coordinator	Department of Workforce Solution	
	Kathy Steen	Innovation Program Manager	NewSpace Nexus	
	Dr. Lique Coolen	Vice President of Research and Academic Affairs	NMT	
	Dr. Julianna Fessenden	Division Leader - Earth and Environmental Science	LANL	
3:30 PM	Forum, Exhibition Booths & Posters			120
5:30 PM	Dinner - Fidel Center			120
7:30 PM	Adjourn			0

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8:00	Breakfast - Fidel Center			55
8:55	Opening Remarks NMEIC Symposium Day 2			5
9:00	Secretary Kenderdine Energy, Mineral and Natural Resources Department (EMNRD)			30
Comprehensive Energy Transition Strategy				
9:30	Anna Aguilera	Senior Policy Advisor	EMNRD	60
	Jeanette Pablo	CEO	Climate Equity Foundation	
	Fonquergne Jean-Lucien	Research Engineer	NMT-PRRC	
	Dr. Kramer Winingham	Director of Economic Analysis	Arrowhead Center - NMSU	
	Dr. Kristin Morehead	Director Community Entrepreneurship	Arrowhead Center - NMSU	
	Rosa De La Torre-Muñoz	Senior Program Operations Director	College of Engineering - NMSU	
10:30	Break			30
Building the Mine of the Future in New Mexico for the Energy Transition				
11:00	Dr. Virginia McLemore	Senior Scientist	NMT-NMBGMR	60
	Dr. Jolante Van Wijk	Program Manager, Applied Energy Program Office	LANL - Earth and Environmental Sciences	
	Dr. Jianjia Yu	Research Scientist	NMT-PRRC	
	Dr. Guangping Xu	Principal Member of Technical Staff	SNL	
	Laura Phelps	Senior Administration Manager - New Mexico Operations	Freeport-McMoRan	
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1:00 PM	Secretary Kenney New Mexico Environment Department (NMED)			30
Greenhouse Gases Inventory and CAP Process Overview				
1:30 PM	Amy Rosebrough	Climate Action Program Coordinator	NMED	60
	Becky Smith	Community Engagement Manager	NMED Climate Change Bureau	
	New Mexico Climate Action Plan (CAP) Panel			
	Becky Smith	Community Engagement Manager	NMED Climate Change Bureau	
	Jessica Hejny	Control Strategies Manager	NMED Air Quality Bureau	
	Richard Kirschner	Climate Action Plan Analyst	EMNRD	
	Evan Rogers	Economist	EMNRD - Energy Planning Bureau	
Carbon, Methane and Water Management Integrated Subsurface Strategies for New Mexico Energy Future				
2:30 PM	Dr. Robert Balch	Director	NMT-PRRC	60
	Dr. Bailian Chen	Research Scientist	LANL - Earth and Environmental Sciences	
	Matt Eales	CEO	CoolSky Energy	
	Dr. Tushara Gunda	Principal Member of Technical Staff	Sandia National Laboratory	
	Ben Shelton	Deputy Cabinet Secretary	EMNRD	
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