

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Newsletter of ENMU-Ruidoso Branch Community College

July 20, 2026

Register Now for Fall Semester Classes, Classes begin Tuesday, Aug. 18

ENMU-Ruidoso Fall 2026 semester registration is open now during regular business hours, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Extended registration hours will be available on Saturday, Aug. 8, from 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Thursday, Aug. 13, from 4-7 p.m. and Saturday, Aug. 15, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Students can register in person at the ENMU-Ruidoso campus, located at 709 Mechem Dr., Ruidoso, or call 575-315-1120 to schedule an appointment with an advisor to register. Online registration is also available for currently enrolled students. For more information, go to ruidoso.enmu.edu and search for the fall 2026 class schedule.

The ENMU-Ruidoso Foundation Scholarship Deadline is Aug. 10. The Foundation provides scholarships to ENMU-Ruidoso students each fall and spring semester and summer session. To get a scholarship application stop by the Foundation Office in Room 161, call 575-315-1216 or email the Foundation Director Rochelle.Lentschke@enmu.edu.

Trosper and DeMott Appointed to AACC Commissions

ENMU-Ruidoso President Dr. Ryan Trosper was appointed to the AACC Commission on Institutional and Financial Resilience. The charge of this commission is to advise AACC on strategies to strengthen colleges' ability to withstand demographic decline, financial volatility, and operational disruption. The commission will recommend frameworks for business model innovation, risk management, and infrastructure modernization, ensuring institutions remain agile and sustainable. Trosper previously served on the Small, Rural and Regional Resilience Commission.



Campus President
Dr. Ryan Trosper



External Affairs Officer
Dr. Robin DeMott

ENMU-Ruidoso Chief External Affairs Officer Dr. Robin DeMott was reappointed to the American Association of Community College (AACC) Commission on Research, Data and Strategic Narrative. These three-year appointment terms are from July 1, 2026-June 30, 2028. This appointment requires attendance to at least one of the two commission meetings held during the year. The Commission was previously named Public Relations Advocacy and Advancement and was recently redesigned.

"These appointments are an opportunity not only to contribute to the national conversation about the future of community colleges, but also to bring innovative ideas and best practices back to ENMU-Ruidoso," said President Ryan Trosper. "Our students and communities deserve access to the strongest educational opportunities possible, and participating in AACC commissions helps ensure we remain forward-thinking, responsive to workforce needs, and committed to creating pathways that improve lives and strengthen our regional economy." [Read more.](#)

Upcoming Events**July****21 Tuesday**

- ◇ Emergency Watershed Protection Program Planning Meeting, SCM RC&D/Lincoln County, Rms 202 & 209, 10a-5p

22 Wednesday

- ◇ Ruidoso/Lincoln Co. Association of Realtors, Rm106, 8a-5p
- ◇ Emergency Watershed Protection Program Planning Meeting, SCM RC&D/Lincoln County, Rms 202 & 209, 8a-5p

23 Thursday

- ◇ Ruidoso/Lincoln Co. Association of Realtors, Rm106, 8a-5p
- ◇ Burleson Family Research Group, Rm201, 8a-5p
- ◇ Workforce Training Center Groundbreaking Ceremony, outside at new building site, 10a
- ◇ Emergency Watershed Protection Program Planning Meeting, SCM RC&D/Lincoln County, Rms 202 & 209, 8a-5p
- ◇ Classic Cinema Film Series, Double Indemnity (1944), Rm116, 1p

24 Friday

- ◇ Burleson Family Research Group, Rm201, 8a-5p

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You are cordially invited to attend the
ENMU-Ruidoso Branch Community College
Groundbreaking Ceremony
celebrating the commencement of construction
for our new
Workforce Training Center



Thursday, July 23 · 10 a.m.
ENMU-Ruidoso · 709 Mechem Drive · Ruidoso, NM 88345

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