

AGENDA
NESS MEETING
05/14/2025
11:30-12:30
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1. Welcome to the May NESS meeting
2. Welcome this month's guests, *Bethany Spore, Compliance Manager, and Pamela Hawley, Registrar's Office. The topic is FERPA training!*
3. Election of VP and President for NESS, starting their term in July 2025.
 - Nominees: Helena Dahlen, President, and Barbara Smith, VP. Only Senators can vote
4. Voting to pass the Plan of Organization for USC. Only senators can vote.
 -  Plan of Organization Proposed Amendments 2024-25 legal blacklin...
5. Middle State Steering Committee update/reminders - *Barbara Smith*. Please review the [Executive Summary](#) that was shared with the whole campus and submit your [feedback](#) by or before May 15th.
6. Committee updates
 - University Steering Committee update: *Helena Dahlen*
 - IT Steering Committee update: *Helena Dahlen*
 - Retriever Essential, Advisory Board update: *Helena Dahlen*
7. CUSS Meeting Update and Survey - *Catherine Fu*
 -  [USM 2024 Shared Governance Survey.docx](#)

8. Request for a NESS representative to join the Community Collaborative for Inclusive Excellence (CCIE). (*Jasmine Lee, Associate VP, Community & Culture, Co-director for Center for Social Justice Dialogue.*)
9. Don't forget the ESS/NESS Cookout on August 13! Invitation to follow shortly.

The next meeting will be June 11, 2025. Our guests will be Mariann Hawken, Director, New Media DOIT, presenting information about the *new requirements for meeting digital accessibility*, and Dan Petree, Interim VPAF. Dan will talk about his role at UMBC and how he envisions his department being part of the community.