

NSR Meeting Summary

Date: September 11, 2019

Event: North State Roots Meeting

Time: 12 P.M. – 1 P.M.

Location: SSC room 122

In Attendance:



Name	Dept./Major	Email
Ann Schulte	Educ./Civic	
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Michael Rehg	Bus/MGMT	mrehg@csuchico.edu

Announcements

Upcoming Event: [Mural Reveal](#)

Host: J. Pouwels and ARTS 499 mural class

Invited: Campus community

Location: 2nd floor of Meriam Library

Time: 4pm

Updates

- **Mike Rehg (Business Management)**
 - Hybrid Classes have shown success
 - Double enrollment in students since last year (5 accounting students/16 new students enrolled)
 - Financial reasons are the most common barrier
- **Eli Goodsell (BCCER)**
 - Fall 2020 will be the first cohort of a new interdisciplinary land management program here at Chico State
- **Cheri Chastain (FMS-Sustainability)**
 - EPIC workshop opportunity at UCLA on October 1

- EPIC was a program initiated by Chico State that worked on community revitalization and improvement, was adopted by the City of Chico, and has since been a model program for potential growth in other areas (South Neighborhood Project with Pushnik)
 - Workshop is followed by CA Higher Ed. Conference on October 2 – 3
- **Karina Zamacona**
 - It would be helpful to other students to learn more information about how to get to college and its benefits
- **Amanda Widgay**
 - Will talk to other student senators about NSR

Additional Discussion

What are ways to make pathways to education more positively perceived in the service area?

- Asking them what they have and what they need
- A dedicated distance learning option
- Talking to trusted community members
- Possible partnerships with head of community college counselors in Shasta Co.