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New Programs

Approval Body	Associate & Baccalaureate Degree/Major	Master's & Doctoral Degree/Major	Supplemental Major	Minor	Concentration	Graduate Certificate
Departmental Faculty	X	X	X	X	X	X
Department Head	X	X	X	X	X	X
College Curriculum Committee	X	X	X			X
Academic Dean	X	X	X	X	X	X
Graduate Dean		X		X[1]	X[1]	X
University Program Academic Committee (UPAC)	X	X	X	X	X	X
Provost	X	X	X			X
President	X	X	X			
NMSU Board of Regents	X	X	X			
NM Council of Graduate Deans		X				X[2]
NM Higher Education Dept.	X	X				X[2]
NM State Board of Finance		X				X[2]
Higher Learning Commission	X	X		X	X	X

Curriculum Changes

Approval Body	Associate & Baccalaureate Degree/Major	Master's & Doctoral Degree/Major	Supplemental Major	Minor	Concentration	Graduate Certificate
Departmental Faculty	X	X	X	X	X	X
Department Head	X	X	X	X	X	X
College Curriculum Committee			X			
Academic Dean	X	X	X	X	X	X
Graduate Dean		X		X[1]	X[1]	X
University Program Academic Committee (UPAC)				X	X	X
Provost	X	X	X			
NM Higher Education Dept.	If needed	If needed				If needed
Higher Learning Commission	If needed	If needed	If needed	If needed	If needed	If needed

[1] Graduate level only
[2] If additional resources are needed