

Degree Conferral Policy

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In an effort to confer degrees in a timely and efficient manner, the following Degree Conferral Policy was adopted by the New Mexico Tech Board of Regents:

- The Board of Regents shall grant the President authority to confer degrees on behalf of the Board on-going throughout the entire year upon standard proof that the student has completed all degree requirements. This authority will be reviewed annually by the board.
- On a monthly basis the Registrar shall provide the Office of Academic Affairs with a list of students who have finished their degree requirements. Academic Affairs will circulate this list electronically to the Faculty Senate and Board of Regents and allow the members of each body to make exceptions, ask clarifying questions or provide additional information regarding any student eligibility to receiving a degree.
- Upon hearing no exceptions, the President may confer the list of degrees. The result will be a dependable monthly cycle of degree approval and conferral which will permit graduates to begin their careers without delay.