

**ACAGE Meeting
February 15, 2002
Uptown Sheraton
Albuquerque, NM**

Attendees:

Steve Hardin, President	Walt Hines
Conrad Keyes, Jr.	Rob Tachau
John Phillips	Ken White
Chub Foreman	Bill McCarthy
John Burkstaller	

1. Opening Remarks

Brief open discussion covered a variety of topics including e-mail address updates, methods of assisting CAGE (Civil and Geological Engineering) through more interaction with students, faculty. The group discussed desirability of expanding involvement with department and suggested that we poll membership for ideas. A speaker's bureau was suggested to assist student organizations.

2. Task Group and Members

1. Finance – Ed Archuleta (chair), Hines, Navarro, Fiske, D. Sayre
2. Faculty – John Burkstaller (chair), Hines, Hightower
3. Students – Steve Hardin (chair), Youngblood, Kozeliski
4. Membership – John Phillips (chair), French
5. Nominations/Awards – Bill Lorang (chair), Lunsford, Ed Foreman, C. Foreman, Hernandez, Keyes, E. Archuleta

3. Website changes

Several suggestions were made for improving/updating the Web site. These included providing link to nominating forms, clean up of the By-Laws, etc.

4. Presentations

Ken White made a presentation on CAGE that included changes in curriculum and a request for suggestions for improving without adding more credits. He also discussed several topics that were impacting operation and well-being of the program.

5. Chi Epsilon

Two students (Chris Almy and Karl Meier) from Chi Epsilon were introduced and discussed potential interactions and methods of assisting students.

6. Banquet & Annual Meeting

October 11, 2002 was tentatively chosen for the Banquet and Annual Meeting (Homecoming Week-End).