Location: NE Delta Dental, 2 Delta Dr., Concord, NH (Maine Room)

9:30 – 10:00 COFFEE

10:00 – 11:25 AM Business Meeting – (agenda is separate)

11:30 – 12:00 noon Check in: 65 by 25 Plan (Chancellor Gittell and Kristyn Van Ostern)
How are we doing against the strategic plan that we set last year? Where are we making progress and where do we need additional focus and resources?

12:00 – 12:45 pm Lunch Discussion: (Led by Jeremy Hitchcock)

What does President Obama’s free college tuition proposal mean for New Hampshire? (Discussion may include other issues of interest to the Board of Trustees.)

12:50 – 1:50 pm Presentations: New Hampshire’s workforce in 2020 and beyond (Bruce DeMay, NH Department of Employment Security and Erica Dickinson, Burning Glass)

What will New Hampshire’s workforce look like in 2020 and beyond? Where are the jobs today in New Hampshire?

2:00 – 2:50 pm Panel Discussion: How are New Hampshire’s community colleges responding to workforce needs?

What are New Hampshire’s community colleges doing to ensure we are offering the programs and training that New Hampshire’s employers need today and in the future?
What is the future of educating and training software developers at New Hampshire’s community colleges? Will Arvelo, President, Great Bay Community College

What is the future of construction, energy and industrial technologies at New Hampshire’s community colleges? Susan Huard, President, Manchester Community College

What is the future of advanced manufacturing at New Hampshire’s community colleges? Lucille Jordan, President, Nashua Community College

(Presidents to discuss the initiatives they are leading to align curriculum and programs with pathways to employment and 4-year degrees.)

3:00 – 4:00 pm  **Panel Discussion:** Where is New Hampshire’s talent gap?
*Sam Backus, VP Client Services, Robert Half Management Resources*
*Patrick Dwyer, VP, Salaried Professional Services Group*
*David Lock, Division Director, Robert Half Management Resources*
*Tracey Madden, President and Founder, McIntosh Staffing Resources*
*John Roller, Owner, Express Employment Professionals & Specialty Search Group*

- What skills are in demand?
- Where are the jobs?
- Where is the gap between job openings and New Hampshire’s workforce?

4:00 – 5:00 pm  **Update:** Statewide Marketing Campaign– Shannon Reid and EVR

5:00 – 5:30 pm  **Closing:** Do we need to make any changes to our vision, goals, or strategic initiatives for 2015-2016? Do any strategic initiatives need more priority or less priority in the next academic year? (Chancellor Gittell and Kristyn Van Ostern)

6:00 – 8:00 pm  **Dinner and Social**  Centennial Hotel, Pleasant St. Concord