

During registration, you may choose to submit comments, or you may request speaking time at the meeting. The Commission may invite some attendees who submit advance comments to discuss their comments during the meeting. Comments submitted will be reviewed by staff and the Commission members before the meeting. Comments posted in the chat box during the meeting will be shared with the Commission members after the meeting. The Commission is not subject to the requirements of 5 U.S.C. 552(b); however, the Commission published this notice to encourage the broadest possible participation in its meeting.

Personal Information: Speakers should not include any information that they do not want publicly disclosed.

Michael R. Jurkowski,
Director, Business Operations.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

[Docket No.: ED–2026–SCC–2641]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Eligible Career Pathway Program

AGENCY: Federal Student Aid (FSA), Department of Education (ED).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995, the Department is proposing an extension without change of a currently approved information collection request (ICR).

DATES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before November 2, 2026.

ADDRESSES: Written comments and recommendations for proposed information collection requests should be submitted within 30 days of publication of this notice. Click on this link www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain to access the site. Find this information collection request (ICR) by selecting “Department of Education” under “Currently Under Review,” then check the “Only Show ICR for Public Comment” checkbox. *Reginfo.gov* provides two links to view documents related to this information collection request. Information collection forms and instructions may be found by clicking on the “View Information Collection (IC) List” link. Supporting statements and other supporting

documentation may be found by clicking on the “View Supporting Statement and Other Documents” link.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For specific questions related to collection activities, please contact Carolyn Rose, (202) 453–5967.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department is especially interested in public comment addressing the following issues: (1) is this collection necessary to the proper functions of the Department; (2) will this information be processed and used in a timely manner; (3) is the estimate of burden accurate; (4) how might the Department enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (5) how might the Department minimize the burden of this collection on the respondents, including through the use of information technology. Please note that written comments received in response to this notice will be considered public records.

Title of Collection: Eligible Career Pathway Program.

OMB Control Number: 1845–0175.

Type of Review: Extension without change of a currently approved ICR.

Respondents/Affected Public: State, Local, and Tribal Governments; Private Sector.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Responses: 5,000.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Burden Hours: 50,000.

Abstract: Section 668.157, under the authority of section 484 of the HEA, specifies the documentation requirements for eligible career pathway programs for submission by institutions to the Department for approval as a Title IV eligible program. Enrollment in an eligible career pathways program is one of the three Ability to Benefit (ATB) alternatives that an individual who is not a high school graduate could fulfill to receive Title IV, HEA, Federal student aid.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

21st Century Energy Workforce Advisory Board

AGENCY: Office of Policy, Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces a virtual, open meeting of the 21st

Century Energy Workforce Advisory Board (EWAB). The Federal Advisory Committee Act requires that public notice of these meetings be announced in the **Federal Register**.

DATES: Monday, November 2, 2026, from 2 to 3 p.m. Eastern Time (ET).

ADDRESSES: Virtual meeting.

Register to attend at: <https://events.gcc.teams.microsoft.com/event/625684d3-34b1-4fe6-b433-98a46b4ef2d8@6b183ecc-4b55-4ed5-b3f8-7f64be1c4138>.

The meeting information will be posted on the EWAB website at: <https://www.energy.gov/policy/21st-century-energy-workforce-advisory-board-ewab> and can also be obtained by emailing EWAB@hq.doe.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Angela Dayton, Designated Federal Officer (DFO), EWAB; Telephone: (240) 449–0652; or Email: EWAB@hq.doe.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of the Board: EWAB advises the Secretary of Energy in developing a strategy for the Department of Energy to support and develop a skilled energy workforce to meet the changing needs of the U.S. energy system. It was established pursuant to Section 40211 of the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA), Public Law 117–58 (42 U.S.C. 18744) in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), as amended, 5 U.S.C. 1001 *et seq.* This is the eleventh meeting of the EWAB.

Tentative Agenda: The preliminary agenda for the meeting includes a roll call of the Board, a presentation on the history of the EWAB, deliberation of topics for the biennial report, and an opportunity for public comments.

Public Participation: The meeting is open to the public via a virtual meeting option. Individuals who would like to attend must register for the meeting here: <https://events.gcc.teams.microsoft.com/event/625684d3-34b1-4fe6-b433-98a46b4ef2d8@6b183ecc-4b55-4ed5-b3f8-7f64be1c4138>.

It is the policy of the EWAB to accept written public comments up to five (5) pages and to accommodate oral public comments, whenever possible. The EWAB expects that public statements presented at its meetings will not be repetitive of previously provided oral or submitted written statements. The public comment period for this meeting will take place on November 2, 2026, at a time specified in the meeting agenda. This public comment period is designed only for substantive commentary on the EWAB’s work, not for business marketing purposes. The DFO will