

**Board of Directors Meeting Attendees  
June 27 and 28, 2024  
Universidad Cooperativa de Colombia  
Medellín, Colombia**

as of **June 24, 2024**

**HETS Board Members and Representatives**

**Executive Committee:**

1. Dr. Carlos Morales, President, TCC Connect Campus, Tarrant County College District  
**HETS Chair – In Person**
2. Dr. Olga E. Rivera, President & CEO, ICPR Junior College  
**HETS Vice Chair – In Person**
3. Dr. Carlos Vargas-Aburto, President, Southeast Missouri State University  
**HETS Secretary – In Person**
4. Eng. Gladys Nieves, President, EDP University – **In Person**  
**HETS Treasurer**
5. Dr. Maritza Rondón, Chancellor, Universidad Cooperativa de Colombia – **In Person**  
**HETS Regional Representative – International**

**Board Members in person:**

6. Dr. María Hernández Núñez, President, Atenas University, Puerto Rico
7. Dr. Waleska Crespo, President, *Universidad Central del Caribe*
8. Dr. Anthony E. Munroe, President, Borough of Manhattan Community College, CUNY
9. Dr. Alice Casanova, Director of Digital Learning  
Albizu University, Puerto Rico (Designated Representative)
10. Ing. Elizabeth Aldás, Coordinator of International Relations  
*Instituto Tecnológico Universitario Rumiñahui* (Designated Representative)
11. Dr. Carlos Guevara, Co-Director, Office of Educational Technology  
Hostos Community College, CUNY (Designated Representative)
12. Dr. Samuel Sudhakar, Vice President and Chief Financial Officer  
California State University, San Bernardino (Designated Representative)
13. Dr. Jacqueline Álvarez Peña, Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs  
Inter American University of Puerto Rico (Designated Representative)
14. Dr. Betsy Vidal, Vice President for Student Affairs  
Columbia Central University & NUC University (Designated Representative)
15. Dr. Yahaira Torres Rivera, Director of Distance Learning  
University of Puerto Rico, Río Piedras Campus (Designated Representative)

**Members virtual:**

16. Dr. Milton Santiago, Interim President, Bronx Community College, CUNY
17. Dr. Larry Johnson, President, Guttman Community College, CUNY
18. Dr. Tom Mills, President, Hill College, Texas
19. Dr. Christine Mangino, President, Queensborough Community College, CUNY
20. Dr. Fernando Delgado, President, Lehman College, CUNY
21. Dr. Kamari Collins, Vice President for Student Success and Enrollment Management  
Chesapeake College, Maryland (Designated Representative)
22. Dr. Jesús Santiago Rosado, Vice President for Academic & Student  
Caribbean University (Designated Representative)
23. Mr. Eduardo Leyva, Director Educational Opportunity Program Guardian Scholars  
California State University Long Beach (Designated Representative)
24. Dr. Kristina Harb, Title V Program Assistant, On PACE for STEM Success  
New Jersey City University (Designated Representative)
25. Dr. Carmen V. Lidz, MS – Vice Chancellor & Chief Information Officer  
Los Angeles Community College District (Designated Representative)
26. Mr. Sunil Gupta, Vice President Adult Continuing Education & Workforce Development  
LaGuardia Community College (Designated Representative)
27. Dr. Elizabeth Rodriguez, Dean of Academic Innovation & Technology  
Laredo College, Texas (Designated Representative)
28. Dr. Sumaya Villanueva, Assistant Provost for Academic Engagement, Undergraduate Studies  
John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY (Designated Representative)
29. Dr. Erik Ramirez, Director of Divisional Initiatives & Partnerships  
California State University San Marcos (Designated Representative)
30. Dr. Christina Irizarry, Assistant Director Opportunity Programs  
Eastern Connecticut State University (Designated Representative)
31. Dr. Rafael Nadal Bosch, Vice President of International Affairs  
Ana G. Méndez University, PR & Florida (Designated Representative)
32. Ms. Yarleen González Esq., Dean of Student Affairs  
*Colegio Universitario de San Juan*, Puerto Rico (Designated Representative)
33. Mr. Christopher Diniz, Interim Associate Vice President & CIO Information Technology Service  
California State University, Bakersfield (Designated Representative)
34. Dr. Francisco García, Director for Center for Online Learning and Teaching Technology  
The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley (Designated Representative)
35. Dr. Norma Pérez, Chief Academic Officer & Senior Vice Chancellor for Student Services  
Houston Community College, Texas (Designated Representative)

36. Dr. JoAnne Malatesta, Dean of Undergraduate Education and Vice Provost for Academic Innovation and Students Success, University at Albany, SUNY (Designated Representative)
37. Dr. Xiomara Giordano, Assistant Vice President and Chief Diversity Officer  
SUNY Empire State College (Designated Representative)
38. Ms. Jennifer R. Lang, History Professor, Delgado Community College  
Louisiana Community & Technical College System (Designated Representative)
39. Dr. Andrew Drummond, Associate VP for Academic Advising and Career Development  
California State University, Dominguez Hills (Designated Representative)

### New Member

40. Dr. Irvin Maldonado, Dean of Academic Affairs, San Juan Bautista School of Medicine  
(Designated Representative) – **Virtual**

### Special Guests

41. Ms. Pamela A. (Krauser) Vargas, HOJ Chief Editor & Director, Office of Research and Sponsored Programs, Southeast Missouri State University - **In Person**
42. Dr. Álvaro Pérez, Dean of Diversity Equity and Inclusion, Universidad Central del Caribe - **In Person**
43. Ms. María Consuelo Moreno Orrego, General Vice Chancellor  
*Universidad Cooperativa de Colombia* – **In Person**
44. Ms. Claudia Hernández, Chief of the Staff, Office of the President,  
University at Albany, New York – **Virtual**
45. Dr. Matías Garza, Associate Vice Chancellor of System Operations Planning and Institutional Effectiveness, Houston Community College – **Virtual**
46. Dr. Ana Falcón, Special Assistant for Academic Affairs and Research,  
University of Puerto Rico, Central Administration – **Virtual**

### Corporate Partners & Members

47. Ms. Daniela Lopez, Chief Marketing Officer, uPlanner – **In Person**
48. Mr. Nicolás Elton, Sales Director, uPlanner – **In Person**
49. Ms. Pamela Garmon Johnson, National Vice-President, Health Equity Impact and Partnerships, American Heart Association – **In Person**
50. Ms. Mitzi Cardona, National Program Lead and Portfolio Management, American Heart Association – **In Person**
51. Ms. Stephanie Pérez, Co-Producer of The Summ & HETS Marketing and Communications Consultant - **In Person**

52. Mr. Roger Rodríguez, Apprenticeship Director, Miami Edtech (Designated Representative) - **In Person**
53. Ms. Sorani Marin, Associate Director TOEFL & GRE Client Relations Educational Testing Services (Designated Representative) - **In Person**
54. Mr. Carlos Crespo, Executive Director, COBIMET – **Virtual**
55. Ms. Kate Sonka, Executive Director, Teach Access – **Virtual**
56. Dr. Alberto Acereda, Partner Consultant, Territorium – **Virtual**
57. Mr. Marcelo Rodríguez, President, InQmatic – **Virtual**

#### **HETS Staff**

58. Dr. Yubelkys Montalvo, HETS Executive Director – **In person**
59. Ms. Izarys Gutiérrez, HETS Executive Assistant – **In person**