



### **UNIVERSITY OF MAINE SYSTEM TRUSTEES TO MEET NOVEMBER 15-16 IN BANGOR**

BANGOR—The University of Maine System Board of Trustees will hold a two-day meeting on November 15-16, 2009 at the System Office in Bangor.

At the meeting, a major topic of discussion will be the approval of the final report and implementation plan for *New Challenges, New Directions—The University of Maine System and the Future of Maine* initiative. During the past two months Chancellor Richard L. Pattenau and members of the Board received feedback from hundreds of faculty, staff, students, members of university boards of visitors, and community members as they traveled across the state meeting with the various constituencies.

Other items to be discussed by Trustees include:

- Academic program proposals
- Tuition/financial aid/markets study
- UMS work force analysis: profile, compensation, turnover
- Annual financial report for FY2009

The complete agenda for the November UMS Board of Trustees meeting may be found at <http://www.maine.edu/UMSNov09agenda>.

Established in 1968, the University of Maine System is the state's largest educational enterprise. It has an annual enrollment of more than 42,000 students and serves over 500,000 individuals annually through educational and cultural offerings. The University of Maine System features seven universities – some with multiple campuses – located across the state, as well as nine University College outreach centers, a law school, and an additional 75 interactive distance learning sites. For more information, visit [www.maine.edu](http://www.maine.edu).

All Board meetings are open to the public. Persons with disabilities who need accommodations to attend should call Eduard Dailide, director of facilities management and planning, at 973-3335 (voice) or 973-3262 (TDD/TDY) or by e-mail at [edailide@maine.edu](mailto:edailide@maine.edu).