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Higher Education and the Maine Economy

The Maine Higher Education Council (MHEC)

- Members of the MHEC are the Presidents of the 35 public and private colleges and universities in Maine, the Chancellor of the University of Maine System, the President of the Technical College System, the Commissioner of Education and the Department of Education Director of School Support Systems.
- Our campuses are located in all reaches of the state.
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Bates College estimates it brings at least \$70.3 million to the Lewiston/Auburn area in

