

**JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS**  
**SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION**

April 12, 2023  
8:00 a.m.

Hearing Room E

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Sen. Low Frederick, Co-Chair  
Sen. Michael Dembrow  
Sen. Suzanne Weber

Rep. Susan McLain, Co-Chair  
Rep. Tracy Cramer  
Rep. Emily McIntire  
Rep. Hoa Nguyen  
Rep. Ricki Ruiz

**STAFF PRESENT:**

Kim To, Legislative Fiscal Office  
Vivian Stair, Committee Assistant

**EXHIBITS:**

Exhibits from this meeting are available [here](#)

00:00:21 [Meeting Called to Order](#)  
00:00:22 Senator Frederick, Presiding Co-Chair  
00:00:56 Kim To, Legislative Fiscal Office  
  
00:01:39 [HB 5025 Higher Education Coordinating Commission - Investment in Institutions: Impact on Oregonians](#)  
00:01:54 Ben Cannon, Executive Director, Higher Education Coordinating Commission  
00:09:08 Rep. McIntire  
00:09:24 Mr. Cannon  
00:11:25 Rep. McIntire  
00:11:35 Mr. Cannon  
00:12:12 Sen. Dembrow  
00:12:26 Mr. Cannon  
00:18:32 Sen. Dembrow  
00:18:40 Mr. Cannon  
00:19:47 Co-Chair Frederick  
00:20:07 Mr. Cannon  
00:22:22 Co-Chair Frederick  
00:22:28 Mr. Cannon  
00:23:03 Co-Chair McLain  
00:24:24 Rep. Ruiz  
00:24:45 Mr. Cannon

00:28:25 Co-Chair McLain  
00:29:36 Sen. Dembrow  
00:31:26 Rep. McIntire  
00:32:24 Mr. Cannon  
00:36:16 Sen. Dembrow  
00:37:29 Co-Chair McLain  
00:39:11 Mr. Cannon  
00:40:00 Co-Chair Frederick  
00:40:45 Mr. Cannon  
00:42:23 Co-Chair Frederick  
00:42:39 Rep. McIntire  
00:43:14 Donna Lewelling, Director, Office of Community Colleges and Workforce  
Development, Higher Education Coordinating Commission  
00:49:30 Sen. Dembrow  
00:49:45 Ms. Lewelling  
00:51:51 Veronica Dujon, Director, Office of Academic Policy and Authorization, Higher  
Education Coordinating Commission  
00:59:12 Sen. Dembrow  
00:59:31 Ms. Dujon  
01:00:05 Co-Chair McLain  
01:00:29 Ms. Dujon  
01:06:09 Julia Steinberger, Director, Office of Workforce Investments, Higher Education  
Coordinating Commission  
01:10:42 Mr. Cannon  
01:11:24 Co-Chair McLain  
01:12:42 Sen. Dembrow  
01:13:00 Mr. Cannon  
01:14:43 Sen. Dembrow  
01:15:23 Kim To, Legislative Fiscal Office  
01:17:06 **Meeting Adjourned**