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1. PUBLIC FORUMS for the three remaining candidates for the position of dean at the College of Arts and Sciences continue this week. The three remaining candidates to visit campus for two-days of meetings include Michael Mares, March 1-2; Brenda J. Claiborne, March 5-6; and Vera Norwood, March 7-8.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001721.html#more>

2. FINALISTS FOR THE position of dean of University Libraries have been named and their campus visits scheduled, announced search committee chair Viola Florez, dean, College of Education. A forum for Bedard is scheduled, while the forums for Wilder, Wastaw and Walters have yet to be set.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001749.html#more>

3. A MARROW DONOR REGISTRATION DRIVE will be held in conjunction w/ ASUNM Community Experience Blood Drive, Tue., Feb. 27, 9 am - 4 pm, SUB, Ballroom A & B Get tested! A mouth swab of cheek cells is collected and results are added to the National Marrow Donor Registry. If you're a match, you're contacted to donate. For information call, United Blood Services, 843-6227, ext 251 or visit:

<http://www.unm.edu/~shc1/MarrowRegistrationDrive07.pdf>

4. A DAY-LONG PUBLIC SERVICE workshop on federal careers will be held Wednesday, Feb. 28 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the Student Union Building Ballroom B. Sponsored by The Partnership for Public Service, UNM Career Services, El Centro de la Raza and College Enrichment Outreach Programs, the workshop will include questions and answers on public service jobs, federal jobs and internships, benefits, how to apply and demystifying the myths of a federal job. For more information call Henry Gonzales, (505) 277-0124 or via e-mail, [hcgonz@unm.edu](mailto:hcgonz@unm.edu). To register directly visit:

[www.career.unm.edu](http://www.career.unm.edu).

5. RUSSIAN STUDIES' Forum on Russia and Eurasia presents a brown bag luncheon, "Reagan's 'Star Wars' Conspiracy: How America Stole Russia's Attempt to Control Space," featuring Nigel Hey, former senior administrator at Sandia National Laboratories and author of "The Star Wars Enigma: Behind the Scenes of the Cold War Race for Missile Defense," on Wednesday, Feb. 28 from noon to 1 p.m. in Ortega Hall 335. This event is free and open to the public.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001704.html#more>

6. MARY EDMONIA LEWIS, a 19th century sculptor of African and Native American descent will be the focus of a talk by Assistant Professor of Art History Kirsten Pai Buick on Feb. 28, in Zimmerman Library on the UNM campus. The talk, "Writing the Woman Artist: Mary Edmonia Lewis," begins at 4 p.m. in the Willard Reading Room. The event is free and open to the public.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001730.html#more>

7. THE UNM OFFICE of African American Student Services will host the 2007 Marsha K. Hardeman Black Cultural Conference March 1-3 at the Student Union building. The event will focus on the contributions of African Americans in New Mexico and on bridging the gap between students, community leaders, government officials and others interested in the state's cultural heritage. UNM's goal for the conference is to build a tradition of academic excellence, community empowerment, awareness and vision.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001740.html#more>

8. CELEBRATE THE VAST landscape of dance with eXpanZ, in Rodey Theatre, UNM Center for the Arts. Performances are Friday and Saturday, March 2-3 at 7:30 p.m., and Sunday, March 4 at 2 and 6 p.m. Performances include works by five faculty choreographers, including Celia Dale, Marisol Encinias, Alex Ossadnik, Jennifer Predock-Linnell, Karen Price, and features the work of guest artist Stacy Matthew Spence. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001717.html#more>

9. THE UNM WORLD Language Expo 2007 is set for Saturday, March 3, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Ortega Hall on the UNM campus. Admission is \$2. The World Language Expo is a high-energy event featuring dozens of language and culture workshops, competitions and demonstrations. Past Expos have included Tai Chi, Kendo, Argentinian mate, Latin dancing, crepe and truffle making, as well as how to speak Russian, Czech, Welsh, Swedish and more.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001677.html>

10. THE UNM CONCERT Choir present parts I & II of Handel's "Messiah," Saturday, March 3, at 7:30 p.m. at St. John's United Methodist Church, 2626 Arizona NE. Music Professor Bradley Ellingboe will conduct a small orchestra. Soloists are drawn from chorus members. Tickets are \$10 and are available only at the door. All proceeds benefit the choir's fundraising efforts to be the chorus-in-residence at the International Lyric Academy in Viterbo, Italy.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001748.html#more>

11. A MEMORIAL SERVICE for Chester Travelstead, UNM's first provost, will be held Sunday, March 4 at 11 a.m. in the Student Union Building. In lieu of flowers, the family requests any remembrances be donated to the College of Education for the Travelstead Fellowship or to the New Mexico Symphony Orchestra.

12. HIGH SCHOOL JUNIORS with an eye toward higher education are eligible to apply for UNM's College Readiness Program. A one-week residential component is offered June 17-23 on the main campus. The program includes classes, room and board, activities, and transportation. In addition, one-day workshops will be held beginning in July and through March 2008. Applications for the program must be postmarked no later than April 14. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001745.html#more>

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