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1. MORE THAN 100 students at UNM will appear in the 2005 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges." They will be recognized at the annual UNM Student Recognition reception Thursday, April 14, 2005 in the Student Union Ballroom.
<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/000484.html#more>
2. FINALISTS VYING for the position of African American Studies director will be on campus throughout February. AAS, the African American Student Services Center and College of Arts and Sciences are hosting a series of free community receptions for the candidates.
<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/000482.html#more>
3. R. PHILIP EATON, executive vice president for the Health Sciences Center, recently received the prestigious inaugural Many Hands, One Vision Diversity Leadership Award from the HSC Star Council. The Star Council is comprised of a group of Native American, Hispanic, African American and Asian American community leaders and current HSC employees who provide advice and referral support to the HSC in its ongoing efforts to promote diversity in the workplace.
<http://hscapp.unm.edu/calendar/output/index.cfm?fuseaction=main.release&EntryID=3668>
4. THE LODESTAR ASTRONOMY CENTER presents Family Lobo Night, a special version of their Starry Nights evening program, Saturday, Feb. 12. Starry Nights includes a planetarium show on the biggest screen in New Mexico, observed through a 16-inch telescope, and lots of activities for children of all ages. <http://www.unm.edu/news/05-01-18/LodeStar.htm>
5. "TORTURED REASONING: Has the United States Abandoned the Geneva Conventions After 9/11?" is the title of a free talk given by Joshua Dratel on Thursday, Feb. 17, from 12 to 1 p.m. in the forum at the UNM School of Law. Dratel has been part of the defense counsel in several high profile U.S. terrorism prosecutions.
<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/000487.html#more>
6. A NATIONAL ELECTION REPORT, featuring the research of UNM Professor Lonna Rae Atkeson, was released recently at a press conference at the National Press Club in Washington, D.C. Atkeson monitored the New Mexico 1st Congressional District race between Heather Wilson and Richard Romero, a spirited contest in which new federal election laws were put to the test, and the activities of the parties, candidates and groups in New Mexico involved with the presidential race. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/000483.html#more>
7. ABORIGINAL CANADIAN actor, writer and artistic director Sandra Laronde will give a presentation about her work with Red Sky Theatre at UNM Monday, Feb. 14, from 6 to 7 p.m. in the UNM Center for the Arts, rm. 1111. Laronde is the artistic director for Red Sky and founder and artistic producer of Native Women in the Arts.
<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/000481.html#more>

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