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1. PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE forums will be held this week for two of the five finalists - Daniel H. Lopez and Meredith Hay. On Tuesday, Jan. 30, Lopez' open forums will be held as follows: meet with staff, 10:15 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.; meet with faculty, 3:45 p.m. – 5 p.m.; and meet with students, 5 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. On Thursday, Feb. 1, Hays' forums will be held as follows: meet with staff, 10:15 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.; meet with faculty, 3:45 p.m. – 5 p.m.; and meet with students, 5 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Lopez' forums will all be held in SUB Ballroom C, while Hays' forums will all be held in SUB Ballroom B. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001670.html#more>
2. THE 2007 INTEL International Science and Engineering Fair, which will be held in Albuquerque May 13-19, is looking for individuals to serve as Volunteer Grand Awards Judges and also volunteers for the prestigious weeklong event. For more information and a complete list of judges criteria visit: <http://www.intelisef2007.org/>
3. UNM CAREER SERVICES will host the largest career fair in state history, "Career Expo 2007," on Tuesday, Feb. 6, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Student Union Building ballroom. More than 110 local and national employers will have exhibits. Representatives from state and federal agencies, television media, homebuilders, bankers and business organizations will share information about employment opportunities. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001674.html#more>
4. AN INFORMATIONAL MEETING will be held on UNM's "World of Wellness" Rapid Redesign Initiative Wednesday, Jan. 31, from 11:30 to 12:30 p.m. in the SUB Ballroom. The purpose of the initiative is to design and implement a comprehensive system of benefits, services and programs to support the highest level of employee health and wellness at UNM. For more information contact Jessica McKenna at 277-2695. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001675.html#more>
5. OLIVER SACKS, FAMED neurologist and author, will be speaking Thursday, Feb. 1, from 9:30 to 11 a.m. in the Basic Medical Sciences Building, rm. 303, on UNM North Campus. Sacks is the author of several books, including Awakenings, which details his discovery in the 1960s of chronic care patients in a New York facility who survived the great pandemic of sleepy sickness in frozen animation. The presentation is free and all are welcome to attend. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001673.html#more>
6. RAY HERNANDEZ-DURAN, assistant professor of Art and Art History, presents, "The Academy of San Carlos and Colonial Art History in Mexico: Nation, Politics, and History," on Tuesday, Jan. 30 at 5:30 p.m. at the UNM Art Museum. The "Tuesday Talk" is held in conjunction with the exhibit, "Body and Soul - Ibero-American Colonial Art in Context," which will be up through Aug. 5. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001672.html#more>

7. UNM'S SECOND ANNUAL conference, "Success in the Classroom: Sharing Practices that Work," will be held in the SUB on Friday, Feb.16, from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. Approximately 30 UNM faculty and staff members will present practical sessions focusing on methods that they have used in their classrooms and online instructional environments that have improved student learning. The event is free and open to all UNM faculty, students and staff.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001671.html#more>