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1. THERE IS REASON to be optimistic that a healthy compensation increase, plus Educational Retirement Contribution, might pass this session of the state legislature. That's the view of UNM's legislative team in Santa Fe. A five percent compensation increase is the goal approved by the Council of University Presidents and supported by all the member institutions.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001681.html#more>

2. PHYSICS AND ASTRONOMY Professor and Regents' Professor Wolfgang Rudolph has been named as one of 58 new fellows of the Optical Society of America (OSA). Rudolph was recognized for pioneering contributions to ultrashort pulse physics and groundbreaking research in femtosecond pulse microscopy and spectroscopy. Fellows are selected on a variety of criteria such as record of publications related to optics, service to OSA, achievements in optics and or management ability.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001679.html#more>

3. ANDERSON SCHOOL of Management Associate Professor Robert Del Campo was recently named associate editor of The Business Journal of Hispanic Research. The Journal, a new, peer reviewed research journal, focuses on topics that relate to Hispanic business professionals, managers and executives as well as managers, executives, diversity professionals and others who manage or work with Hispanic business professionals. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001678.html#more>

4. TED JOJOLA, REGENTS' Professor in the School of Architecture and Planning, will be a guest commentator on this Friday's (Feb. 2) edition of "The Line," presented by KNME-TV, Ch. 5. "The Line" airs Fridays at 7 p.m. and repeats Sundays at 7 a.m. "The Line" presents lively, stimulating discourse by featuring outspoken media voices together with guest commentators to explore national and New Mexico issues making the headlines. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001680.html#more>

5. THE UNM DEPARTMENT of Internal Medicine is hosting the department's second annual Happy and Healthy Heart Celebration and Red Dress Day on Friday Feb. 2. The day kicks off Heart Health Month and is dedicated to spotlighting the unique challenges women face in protecting themselves from heart disease.

<http://hscapp.unm.edu/calendar/output/index.cfm?fuseaction=main.release&EntryID=5673>