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1. ON FRIDAY, Feb. 29, at 9 a.m., UNM administrators, students, faculty and staff will meet in the Student Union Building, Ballroom C to discuss the university budget. The budget, which goes into effect on July 1, 2008, has been partially formed by the result of the 2008 legislative session.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/002642.html#more>

2. AS RIO RANCHO grows, so do its educational needs. A partnership between UNM, CNM and the Rio Rancho community, looks to provide a commute-free start-to-finish education in Rio Rancho. Making this vision a reality is in the hands of Rio Rancho voters when they go to the polls on March 4. "If approved, the Higher Education Initiative will generate at least \$20 million over the next 20 years to construct state-of-the-art facilities and other land improvements to make the new campus a reality," UNM President David J. Schmidly said.

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3. INTERIM VICE PRESIDENT for Institutional Diversity Dr. Rita Martinez-Purson will provide an update on the purpose and major components of a three-year diversity plan, highlighting the eight major goals in a proposed university-wide diversity plan. The update is scheduled for Wednesday, Feb. 27 from 12 to 1 p.m. in SUB Ballroom B. The university community is invited to attend. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/002661.html#more>

4. BEGINNING WEDNESDAY, Feb. 27 through Friday, Feb. 29, from 6 a.m. - 6 p.m., Jackie, Tony and Donnie, from 100.3 The Peak, will be broadcasting live from the sixth floor of the UNM Children's Hospital, conducting their annual Radiothon to benefit UNM Children's Hospital, a Children's Miracle Network Hospital. Listeners are asked to help make miracles happen by calling in their pledge to (505) 272-1003 or 1-866-811-1003. Log on to <http://www.1003thepeak.com> for more information on the Radiothon.

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5. THE 15th ANNUAL UNM Conference on Ibero/American Culture and Society, presented by the Department of Spanish and Portuguese, will be held Wednesday through Friday, Feb. 27 – 29, in Ortega Hall on the UNM campus. The theme of this year's conference is "Heroes and Anti-Heroes: A Celebration of the Cid."

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6. THE UNM ART Museum presents "For the Greater Good: New Deal Art in New Mexico, 1933-1943," an exhibition commemorating the 75th anniversary of the New Deal and the work created by New Mexicans under its auspices. The exhibit will run Feb. 26-May 25, with an opening reception on Friday, Feb. 29, 5-7 p.m.

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7. THE UNM ALUMNI ASSOCIATION will host the 3rd Annual "Dinner for 12 Strangers" on Feb. 28. The "Dinner for 12 Strangers" program provides an opportunity for alumni to connect with UNM students and faculty. Local alumni are asked to host a dinner in their homes in an effort to make UNM a smaller, friendlier place. UNM students, alumni and faculty come together as strangers and leave as friends. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/002647.html#more>

8. DR. WILLIAM R. MILLER, Emeritus Distinguished Professor of Psychology and Psychiatry at the University of New Mexico, will open the Distinguished Professors Lecture Series at UNM on Thursday, Feb. 28. Miller's lecture titled, "Motivational Interviewing in Addiction and Healthcare," will be held from 7 to 8:30 p.m. in Ballroom C in the UNM Student Union Building. The Distinguished Professors Lecture Series at UNM is presented by the College of Arts and Sciences. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/002641.html#more>

9. HOW TO BUILD A TIME MACHINE, a free public talk by internationally recognized scientist, author and speaker Dr. Paul Davies, will be held Friday, Feb. 29 at 7 p.m. in Regener Hall 103 on

UNM's main campus. Davies will examine time travel from the physicist's perspective. The talk is sponsored by the UNM Dept. of Physics and Astronomy and the College of Arts and Sciences. For more information call 277-2616.

10. UNM HISTORY Professor Paul Hutton's article, "Dreamscape Desperado: Billy the Kid and the Movies," received the 2007 Western Heritage Award for best article. It was published in the New Mexico Historical Review, vol. 82. no. 2, Spring 2007, pages 149-196. The NMHR staff learned of the award from the National Cowboy and Western Heritage Museum in Oklahoma City. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/002657.html#more>

11. A NEW EXHIBIT presented by the UNM Health Sciences Library & Informatics Center's New Mexico Health Historical Collection explores life at Valmora Industrial Sanatorium (1905-1989). At the end of the 19th Century, sanatoria such as Valmora were heralded as a solution to the problems of tuberculosis control. The new exhibit, which opened Wednesday, Feb. 20, gives a glimpse into what life was like at the sanatorium. For more on Valmora visit: <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/002658.html#more> or [http://hsc.unm.edu/about/features/2008\\_02b.shtml](http://hsc.unm.edu/about/features/2008_02b.shtml).

12. THE UNM Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures presents, "World Language Expo 2008: What part of this world don't you understand?" on Saturday, March 1, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Ortega Hall on UNM's main campus. Admission is \$2. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/002609.html#more>

13. THE UNM COMMUNICATION and Journalism Career Fair is scheduled for Tuesday, March 4 from 1-4 p.m. in the Student Union Building ballrooms A&B. Information about internships and job opportunities in the fields of print and broadcast journalism, public relations, advertising and communication will be available. Also on hand will be representatives of various companies and offices open to employing individuals or accepting interns. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/002646.html#more>

14. THE UNM INSTITUTE for Ethics is announcing its Brown-Bag Ethics Journal Club. Any interested student, resident, faculty member or staff person is welcome to join. The group will meet on the first Thursday of each month from noon to 1 p.m. at the Institute for Ethics located at 917 Vassar NE. The first session, scheduled for Thursday, March 6, will be on "Ethical Treatment of Pain in Babies and Children." For more information contact Tina Lujan at, [tlujan@salud.unm.edu](mailto:tlujan@salud.unm.edu) or by telephone 272-4566.