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LATER THIS WEEK, regular faculty and staff members will see an e-mail from Research & Polling, Inc. in their inbox. The company has been hired by UNM to conduct an online survey on various university matters, including topics such as climate and communications. The e-mail will come from [surveys@rpinc.com](mailto:surveys@rpinc.com).

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004853.html#more>

DURING THE PAST two years, the University of New Mexico reached out to communities statewide to develop new admission standards giving all students access with support to succeed. On Monday, March 8, UNM's board of regents will vote on a proposal emphasizing students' preparation in high school, rewarding rigorous coursework and continuing to de-emphasize standardized test scores. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004849.html#more>

THE UNM WOMEN'S RESOURCE Center celebrates its 38th anniversary in March and presents a series of events honoring Women's History Month. In 1981, Congress passed a resolution recognizing Women's History Week and by 1987 Congress expanded it to the whole of March. To celebrate, WRC will bring the New Mexico Women's Hall of Fame Exhibit to campus March 1-31. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004835.html#more>

PAYING FOR HIGHER EDUCATION for two student veterans will be a little easier with the creation of two new scholarships now available through the Student Veterans at the University of New Mexico (SVUNM). A new merit-based scholarship and a general scholarship will be awarded on a per semester basis the Student Veterans Association announced recently. The deadline to apply for the summer scholarship is Monday, March 15.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004828.html#more>

THE OFFICE OF THE PROVOST and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs will celebrate Mitchell Hall's renovation with an open house on Wednesday, March 3 from 3 - 5 p.m. in Mitchell Hall. This is a 1950s building that has been renovated to modern classroom standards. The program begins at 3 p.m. and everyone is invited. Light celebratory fare will be offered. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004763.html#more>

MEET THE UNM faculty at the next Parent Talk, Wednesday, March 3, from 6-7 p.m. in the Student Services Building, Dean of Students Conference Room, Rm. 260. Please RSVP for this free event at: <http://parent.unm.edu/parent-talks/>.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004830.html#more>

GET IN, GEAR OUT, an event held by UNM's Recreational Services and Getaway Adventures, is a way for you to sell your outdoor gear that you no longer need and an opportunity to buy someone else's gear you may need. Bring your used gear to the Outdoor Shop on March 3-4 to register for Recreational Services event. The big sale will be held March 5 and is exclusively for

UNM faculty, staff and students.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004838.html#more>

TODAY, THE ALBUQUERQUE BERNALILLO County Water Utility Authority began work on Basehart Road, near the Science and Technology Park. Construction will last through March 12, 2010. During this time the two westbound lanes of Basehart Road will be closed, with traffic shifted to the eastbound lanes and one lane of traffic open in each direction.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004850.html#more>

THE UNM BOOKSTORES will be closed Thursday-Saturday, March 4-6 to conduct its physical inventory count. The closure affects all three UNM Bookstores located on Main Campus, North Campus and the West Campus. Regular hours will resume on Monday, March 8.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004843.html#more>

THE UNVEILING OF two initiatives for the advisement community and student success will be celebrated Friday, March 5, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. The first is an open house to introduce the new "University Advisement and Enrichment Center," formerly known as the Student Services Center. The second is the formal release of LOBOTRAX - UNM's new interactive degree audit.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004836.html#more>

THE UNM CORE CURRICULUM task force invites students to an open meeting on Friday, March 5, 3-4:30 p.m. at the Student Union Building, Acoma rooms. An open meeting for faculty and staff is scheduled on Friday, April 9.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004846.html#more>

THE ANDERSON SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT is hosting an open house for anyone interested in pursuing a Master of Business Administration degree. The informational open house will be held on Tuesday, March 2, from 5:30 – 7:30 p.m., in the Jackson Student Center located just west of the Anderson School on the UNM Campus.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004802.html#more>

JOIN TIM KELLY, Senior Manager of REDW, for detailed information about startup firm financial statements on Friday, March 5, from 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. in Anderson School of Management (ASM) 1064. This seminar is required for participants in the UNM Technology Business Plan Competition, but all students are welcome.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004845.html#more>

THE DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN Languages and Literatures hosts the 11th annual World Language Expo on Saturday, March 6, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m. in Ortega Hall. Workshops, food and presentations from more than 50 different countries are scheduled to complement this year's theme, "What in the world...?!"

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004794.html#more>

THE UNM CHAPTER of the Hispanic Engineering and Science Organization is sponsoring a Science Extravaganza primarily for high school students enrolled in the NM MESA program on March 6, at the Kiva on the UNM main campus from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. About 250 students are expected to participate in the half day of presentations and projects.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004820.html#more>

“ARCHAEOLOGY, NATIONAL IDENTITY and the Coup in Honduras: Tourism and the Role of the Ancient Maya,” a lecture by Dario Euraque, professor of history, Trinity College, is set for Monday, March 8 at 1 p.m. in the Center for the Arts room 2018.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004805.html#more>

IN PREPARATION for the second annual University of New Mexico Sustainability Expo to be held on Earth Day, Thursday, April 22, the event’s organizing committee has announced an open call for student, staff, and faculty participation. Event coordinators welcome individuals presenting research and organized groups and departments to showcase their sustainability programs, goals and initiatives in this campus-wide event. There is no cost to participate. The deadline is March 19. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004852.html#more>

THE 2010 SOCIETY for Human Resource Management Southwest Central Regional Student Conference is coming to Albuquerque on Friday-Saturday, March 26-27, at the UNM's Anderson School of Management. SHRM's SWC Regional Student Conference provides students from surrounding states (Texas, Arkansas, Missouri, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Arizona, Colorado, Kansas, New Mexico, and Utah) with the opportunity to network with Human Resources professionals, explore potential careers in HR, and expand their knowledge of human resources management. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004714.html#more>