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1. FOR THE PAST FEW months, UNM leadership has worked to develop a “Strategic Framework” individual departments and programs can use as guide as they develop their plans and goals. On Tuesday, President David J. Schmidly spoke to the entire university community via a live web cast explaining what this means for the campus community and how to become more involved.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/002805.html#more>

2. PRESIDENT DAVID J. Schmidly has announced that Josephine (Jozi) De Leon has been selected as the university’s vice president for Equity and Inclusion, a new position that provides strategic leadership on initiatives that increase and maintain diversity across all academic disciplines and units on campus. De Leon currently serves as the associate provost for Academic Affairs and Community Colleges at New Mexico State University.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/002817.html#more>

3. UNM INTERIM Provost Viola Florez has named management and organization expert Barry Cooney as acting executive director of the UNM-Gallup branch campus. Cooney started work on April 9. Cooney will serve a six-month appointment while a national search for executive director is conducted.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/002816.html#more>

4. FOUR PROPOSED POLICIES are available for review and comment at <http://www.unm.edu/~ubppm>. The policies are: proposed policy 2030 “Social Security Numbers;” proposed policy 2480 "Incentives to Program Participants;” proposed policy 2550 "Information Security;” and proposed policy 3280 "Background Checks." Comments on the proposed policies are requested by May 15, 2008, and can be e-mailed to, [ubppm@unm.edu](mailto:ubppm@unm.edu) or mailed to the UNM Policy Office at MSC07 4270.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/002815.html#more>

5. UNM IS AGAIN home to an internationally recognized, award winning Model United Nations team. The 12 members of the UNM World Affairs Delegation returned recently from the Harvard World Model United Nations conference in Puebla, Mexico as recipients of five awards for excellence in diplomacy.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/002819.html#more>

6. SUMMER AND FALL 2008 Schedule of Classes for UNM-Albuquerque is now available through [www.unm.edu](http://www.unm.edu). Click on 'Class Schedule' on the left hand side of the university’s home page.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/002813.html#more>

7. THE LOBO CLUB recently announced its 2007-08 University of New Mexico Student-Athletes of the Year at the 2008 membership drive kickoff event. Football player George Carter and volleyball player Gayle Tripp were selected for the award by the Lobo Club Board of Directors Executive Committee from nominations by each Lobo team.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/002814.html#more>

8. On KNME's 'In Focus,' hosts and panelists discuss the 66<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Bataan Death March with interviews from former New Mexico POWs. Other topics include General Patraeus and the American troops in Iraq and Afghanistan, a look at the New Mexico Congressional races and the spaceport. The program airs Friday, April 11 at 7 p.m. and repeats Sunday, April 13 at 6:30 a.m.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/002820.html#more>

9. 'ARTISTS 4 AUTISM,' a first time partnership between the UNM Center for Development and Disability and the best known artists and galleries from New Mexico and beyond, will host its first live art auction on Saturday, April 19, 4 p.m. - 8 p.m. at the Casa Rondena Winery. Auction art proceeds will benefit New Mexican families living with autism and related developmental disorders. For more information contact Maryellen Missik-Tow at (505) 272-6990.