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UNM ISSUED a statement Friday recommending students return from Mexico and that groups planning an imminent trip to Mexico suspend plans until further notice due to the outbreak of H1N1 influenza, or swine flu. Updated information can also be accessed via the UNM homepage.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003940.html>

MANUEL OLAVE, president, Universidad Privada Boliviana in Bolivia, will present, "Bolivia: A tale of two cities -- Globalization, Poverty and Democracy," on Wednesday, May 6 at noon at the Latin American and Iberian Institute, located at 801 Yale NE on the main UNM campus. This event is free and open to the public. Refreshments will be served. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003869.html#more>

NOW MORE THAN ever education is key. UNM's Parent Connection Workshop, for adult learners, parents and family members who need to retool, is Wednesday, May 6, from 6-7 p.m. in the Dean of Students' Conference Room, rm. 290, Student Services Building, main campus. The presentation will include information on earning undergraduate and graduate degrees, online courses and continuing education.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003930.html#more>

UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES will host an opening reception for "Yuyanapaq: Para Recordar" on May 7, from 3:30 to 6:30 p.m. in the Herzstein Gallery and 2nd floor lobby of Zimmerman Library. Yuyanapaq includes 40 well-traveled and sobering photographs chosen from over 1700 taken throughout the 20-year civil conflict between the Peruvian military, the Shining Path and the Tupac Amaru Revolutionary Movement.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003926.html#more>

A FREE LECTURE on the Impacts of Building Information Modeling (BIM) on Design and Construction will be held on Thursday, May 7, at 5:30 p.m. in the auditorium of the Centennial Engineering Center on the UNM Main Campus. The lecture will be conducted by Charles Eastman, professor in the Colleges of Architecture and Computer Science at Georgia Tech, and one of the pioneers of BIM.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003927.html#more>

THE ANDERSON SCHOOL of Management will host an open meeting of its Investment Management Program for anyone wishing to learn more about courses that allow students to manage millions of real dollars under the guidance of Anderson faculty members. The meeting will take place on Thursday, May 7, at 6 p.m. in Anderson's Jackson Student Center. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003922.html#more>

THE UNM COLLEGIATE Chapter of the American Marketing Association presents UNM's first-ever Undie Rock 'n' Run on Thursday, May 7 at Johnson Field. The festivities get underway at 8:30 p.m. at Johnson Field with rock music and a community social followed by clothing donations at 8:50 p.m. The run starts at 9:05 p.m.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003925.html#more>

WHERE DOES CHOCOLATE come from? The public is invited to find out at a free interactive lecture from Friday, May 8 from 12:30 – 1:30 p.m. at the UNM Continuing Education Auditorium, 1634 University Blvd. NE. The presentation, recommended for children ages 7 and up and their parents, will include experiments, taste tests, and interactive demonstrations to investigate what makes the perfect chocolate bar.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003928.html#more>

AS PART OF SIGNIFICANT upgrades and improvements to UNM's reporting tool Hyperion, Banner reporting services utilizing Hyperion will not be available Friday, May 8 at 5 p.m. through Sunday, May 10 at 5 p.m.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003878.html#more>

THE UNM BOOKSTORE'S Annual Children's Book Fair is set for Saturday, May 9 from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. at the UNM Bookstore, on Cornell and Central NE. This year's theme is Summer Camp Adventure and the bookstore will host a number of activities related to those lazy days of summer, friends and fun.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003864.html#more>

INSURANCE OPEN ENROLLMENT for 2009-10 is now underway through May 13, 2009. Open enrollment is the one time each year employees can make changes to insurance benefits without a qualifying status change. This year, we will include medical, dental, vision and accidental death and dismemberment.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003891.html#more>

PROPOSED CHANGES to Policy 2250 "Smoking on University Property," are available for a 30-day review and comment period ending May 15, 2009, and can be viewed at:

<http://www.unm.edu/~ubppm>. The proposed changes are based on input from faculty, staff, students, and the public made at the recent town forums, open committee meetings, and through UNM's Smoke Free website. Comments should be sent to: ubppm@unm.edu.

TWO NEW PROPOSED policies on identity theft and policy development and proposed changes to existing policies on computer use, emergency control, and tuition and related fees are available for a 30-day campus review and comment period ending May 16, 2009. They can be viewed at: <http://www.unm.edu/~ubppm/>. Comments should be sent to: ubppm@unm.edu.

THE RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES Day Camp (RAD Camp) is currently conducting its annual registration for its summer camps. Five sessions, beginning May 27, will be offered this summer. The camps are typically held Monday- Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003943.html#more>

NEW MEXICO EVALUATORS will present a conference titled, 'Multiple Perspectives on Cultural Competency for Evaluation Practice' Monday, May 18 from 12 to 5 p.m. at the State Bar of New Mexico. The conference will feature a variety of presenters

including UNM's Anthony Cahill, director, Division of Disability and Health Policy, Center for Development and Disability, UNM School of Medicine.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003944.html#more>

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