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1. UNM EXPERTS prepared to work with print and television media are listed in a new, on-line UNM Experts Guide, compiled by the Public Affairs Department. The media guide is designed for journalists seeking expert comment on topical news issues. The database lists nearly 300 experts in a variety of subject areas. Faculty interested in listing their expertise can do so on-line. <http://expertsearch.unm.edu>.
2. NEW MEXICO Gov. Bill Richardson awarded UNM \$3 million to create the "Art, Research, Technology and Science Laboratory" (ARTS Lab) to support the state's efforts in the burgeoning digital media industry. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/000294.html#more>
3. CONNIE BEIMER has been named by President Louis Caldera as his Chief of Staff. She will assist President Caldera as the president's day-to-day point of contact for individuals within as well as outside the university community, dealing with a range of student, faculty, staff and public issues. Her responsibilities include overseeing the president's office and ensuring effective communication and coordination of effort among the university's senior staff. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/000295.html#more>
4. ROXANA A. MORENO, assistant professor, College of Education, received the Presidential Early Career Award for Scientists and Engineers, the nation's highest honor for professionals at the outset of their independent research careers, at a White House ceremony recently. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/000285.html#more>
5. PAUL ROTH, School of Medicine dean and associate vice president of the Health Sciences Center, received the prestigious New Mexico Distinguished Public Service Award from Gov. Bill Richardson at the Governor's 35<sup>th</sup> annual awards banquet recently. Roth was selected for his contributions to improving health and access to health care for all New Mexicans and for public health advocacy on the national scene. <http://hscapp.unm.edu/calendar/output/index.cfm?fuseaction=main.release&EntryID=3173>
6. THE ROBERT O. ANDERSON Graduate Schools of Management have been ranked No. 6 in the country for Hispanic students by Hispanic Business in rankings released in the September issue of the magazine. It's the fifth consecutive year that the Anderson Schools have been ranked in the top 10 by Hispanic Business. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/000297.html#more>
7. KNME-TV, CHANNEL 5 won three Rocky Mountain Regional Emmy awards announced recently at the 2003-2004 Rocky Mountain Emmy Awards ceremony, held in Phoenix, Ariz. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/000296.html#more>
8. JYTTE KLAUSEN presents a lecture, "Banning the Muslim Headscarf: Europeans Debate Religious Toleration and Gender Equality," as part of the International Studies Institute's "Islam and Europe," fall lecture series Thursday, Sept. 16 in Woodward Hall,

room 101 on the main UNM campus. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/000289.html#more>

9. DE COLORES, Inc., Hispanic Culture Festival, celebrated in conjunction with Hispanic Heritage Month, Sept. 15-Oct. 15, has a full calendar of events for 2004 including an art exhibit, leadership awards banquet, film festival, art demonstrations, folkloric dance, Latino music and more. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/000290.html#more>

10. THE FIRST HISPANIC mayor of a major U.S. city, Henry Cisneros, will be the guest speaker for the third annual Arthur A. Blumenfeld Memorial Lecture Wed., Sept. 22 at 6 p.m. at the Sheraton Old Town Hotel. During his visit, Cisneros will also speak on Leadership and Diversity in Public Administration at the UNM Student Union Building, Ballroom A at 12:30 p.m. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/000287.html#more>

11. AN OPEN HOUSE for the Isleta Pueblo Head Start & Child Care Center is scheduled Saturday, Sept. 18 from 10 a.m. to noon at 2 Sagebrush Road in Isleta. The children will dance in honor of the completion of their new school, designed by Janet Carpio as a master's thesis in architecture at the School of Architecture and Planning. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/000288.html#more>

12. THE U.S. DEPARTMENT of Labor and American Association of People with Disabilities will sponsor National Disability Mentoring Day, Wednesday, Oct. 20, in conjunction with Disability Awareness Month. UNM employees will participate this year by providing job shadowing opportunities to people with disabilities. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/000292.html#more>