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THE FIRST INSTALLMENT in the School of Architecture and Planning's Monday Night Lecture Series, is set for tonight, Monday, Aug. 23 from 5:30 – 6:45 in the auditorium of George Pearl Hall. The fall series, which focuses on indigenous architecture, is free and open to the public. David Sloan, Diné, of David Sloan Architects, is a 1976 graduate of the UNM architecture program and is a registered architect in New Mexico, Arizona, Utah and Colorado. <http://news.unm.edu/?p=3087>

THE UNM SCHOOL of Architecture and Planning is offering a new course this fall in indigenous architecture. The course, set for Mondays, 5:30–8 p.m., covers the history and practice of indigenous architecture and community design. It offers graduate or undergraduate credit in architecture, planning and art history. Ted Jojola, regents' professor, community and regional planning, co-teaches the course with Professor Eleni Bastea. <http://news.unm.edu/?p=2879>

WELCOME BACK DAYS continues through Friday, Aug. 27 with free food, live entertainment and a host of great information. Stop by the many informational booths from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. during UNM's weeklong annual tradition welcoming students back to campus. <http://news.unm.edu/?p=2765>

STUDENTS INTERESTED IN working on campus will have an opportunity to meet with UNM department and program representatives during the fourth annual UNM Student Job Fair Friday, Aug. 27, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Duck Pond. Departments with student job openings, including off campus sites, are encouraged to participate. <http://news.unm.edu/?p=2823>

THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO celebrates the opening of the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Questioning Resource Center on Friday, Aug. 27, 12:30-2 p.m. in Building 20A on Roma Avenue near Dane Smith Hall. The LGBTQ Resource Center is UNM's first center designed to cater to the needs of LGBTQ and ally students, faculty and staff. The center serves people of all gender identities and sexual orientations through support, advocacy, education and safety. <http://news.unm.edu/?p=3135>

THE ROBERT WOOD JOHNSON Foundation Center for Health Policy at UNM announces a fall art exhibit opening on Saturday, Aug. 28. An arts and crafts sale featuring the work of dozens of VSA artists kicks off the exhibit from 1 – 3 p.m. on the lawn in front of the Center at 1909 Las Lomas. Proceeds from all art sales go directly to the artists. <http://news.unm.edu/?p=2538>

THE DEADLINE FOR the Popejoy subscription discount benefit is Saturday, Aug. 28. Benefits-eligible faculty and staff can purchase subscriptions to the 2010-11 season for half price. All that is required to become a subscriber is to purchase two shows from the Ovation Series, or to purchase the five-show Broadway in New Mexico package, which includes the blockbuster hit, Wicked. For more information call 277-8010 during business hours or visit: <http://popejoypresents.com>.