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UNM AND LULAC (League of United Latin American Citizens) are working together on the 1st National LULAC Leadership Program, which will bring approximately 20 of the nation's best and brightest 15 and 16 year olds to the UNM campus this summer.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/002047.html#more>

AFTER SEVEN YEARS of persistence by student government representatives, the Johnson Field lighting project has become a reality. ASUNM helped raise \$260,000 from state appropriations in the last legislative session to cover part of the \$720,000 project costs. As President David Schmidly got on board, he promised the students that Johnson Field would be lit by the beginning of the fall semester.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/002043.html#more>

LAST AUGUST, UNM Continuing Education instructor and self-employed computer consultant Mark Justice Hinton was given a task that at first glance would require a Sisyphusian effort. But, unlike the Greek myth, Hinton did not have to push a boulder up a mountain for all of eternity. That might have been too easy for him.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/002046.html#more>

INTERIM PROVOST Viola Florez has announced the appointment of Uday Desai as the new director of the School of Public Administration. Desai comes to UNM from Southern Illinois University (SIU) with more than 17 years of academic administrative experience including 10 years as chair of the Department of Political Science at SIU.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/002049.html#more>

JULY MARKS THE sixth year the Anderson School of Management at UNM will host Executive MBA students from a private university in Sao Paulo, Brazil. This year, 16 students will participate as part of a six-year, cooperative international exchange program between Anderson and the Fundacao Armando Alvares Penteado University.

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STARTING JULY 7, the Rapid Ride BlueLine will provide service from UNM to Montano Plaza on Coors Boulevard. The new bus line will provide express service traveling down Lomas Boulevard to Old Town, then north on Coors..

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HAVE A TALENT for creative wit? Staff, faculty and students are invited to submit cartoons, sudoku, crosswords, word searches and other puzzles for the new UNM Today fun spot. Send submissions, attached as .jpg or .gif files, to: michal@unm.edu.