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THE LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE program in the School of Architecture and Planning has been re-accredited by the national Landscape Architecture Accrediting Board for a full six-year term. The program fully met all nine standards set out by the accreditation board. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004215.html#more>

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE Yekaterina “Katya” Yushmanova is the recipient of a 2009 JSR Student Award for her project, Changing Perspective: Farming Habitat, that she designed for the Pat Hurley neighborhood in Albuquerque’s West side. The concept was to design a project that could act as a catalyst for quality of life improvement for residents. The award comes with a \$2,000 scholarship. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004211.html#more>

THE STUDENT VETERANS of the University of New Mexico, in coordination with the State of New Mexico Department of Veteran Affairs, will host the “Veterans’ Benefits Summit” on Wednesday, Sept. 2, from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. at the UNM Sub Ballroom. The “Veterans’ Benefit Summit” is free and open to veterans and other interested parties. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004214.html#more>

ALBUQUERQUE READS, a partnership between the Albuquerque Public Schools and the Albuquerque Chamber of Commerce, is seeking volunteers for its 2009-10 reading program. The program pairs students with volunteers to practice reading in a one-on-one setting that addresses their specific needs. The tutors come from throughout the community. Training sessions begin Wednesday, Sept. 2 and continue through Wednesday, Sept. 30. For more information call (505) 843-7323. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004217.html#more>

GRADUATE STUDENTS Nina Lanza and Ann Ollila in the Institute of Meteoritics are being honored as recipients of the 2009 ZONTA International Amelia Earhart Fellowship award at an Earth & Planetary Sciences department colloquium on Friday, Sept. 4. Each student will receive a \$10,000 fellowship and give a 15-20 minute talk about their project. The colloquium will be held in Northrop Hall 122. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004212.html#more>

FOOTBALL SEASON means Game Day Fridays and great savings at your UNM Bookstore! Visit the UNM Bookstores on Main and North Campus and save 25 percent off all Lobowear and Spirit merchandise every Friday before a football game. Game day Fridays begin Sept 4. It’s the perfect time to stock up for Red Fridays – Go Lobos! For more information visit: <http://bookstore.unm.edu/>.

STUDENTS AND FACULTY returned for the fall semester to significant visible changes to IT systems and services in several areas across campus. More than 10 projects in the areas of Student and Instructional Services, Network and Security, and Application Services, all designed to improve and enhance usability, have been in the works

throughout the summer.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004213.html#more>

THE UNM ANDERSON School of Management is offering assistance to its current students and graduates by helping them get ahead in the job market during these tough economic times. Anderson Career Week begins on Tuesday, Sept. 8 featuring workshops on job search, resume building, interviewing, and networking with employers.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004216.html#more>

ANNE TAYLOR, Regents Professor in the School of Architecture and Planning, will deliver a lecture and book signing at the UNM School of Architecture and Planning Gallery on Wednesday, Sept. 9 at 5 p.m. Taylor currently has an exhibition on display in the Pearl Hall Gallery through Sept. 12. Ice cream will be served on the patio during the book signing. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004186.html#more>

REGISTRATION IS NOW open for a Star-Hoppers weekend workshop in astronomy for grandparents and grandkids, to be held Sept. 18-20. Star-Hoppers is a not-for-profit program operating in partnership with the UNM Sevilleta Field Station. The field station is located on the Sevilleta National Wildlife Refuge in Socorro County. On Friday, Sept. 4, space permitting, registration will expand to include adult/child teams. For workshop information call (505) 261-0040.

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