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A BIWEEKLY NEWSLETTER
FOR STUDENTS, BY STUDENTS

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THE BIWEEKLY NEED TO KNOW

Pages 2. Learn how GPSA Grants & Scholarships benefit grad students!

Pages 4. Read about the GPSA Annual Budget Process for Student Orgs.

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Page 8. Read an update from UGW and learn about the Community Demand to Bargain Rally.

To be included in Issue 15 of the GPSA Communiqué on Feb. 9, email us at gpsapr@unm.edu by Feb. 7.

WHO WE ARE

GRADUATE & PROFESSIONAL STUDENT ASSOCIATION (GPSA)

GPSA is the official student government of all Graduate and Professional Students at UNM. We strive to support and promote YOUR interests and concerns on all university affairs. We offer several resources dedicated to advocacy, education, and financial support because we want YOU to succeed. For more information, visit www.gpsa.unm.edu.

What we do to support YOU:

- We offer grants for research, travel, and conference expenses.
- We offer funds to support graduate student organizations.
- We offer free computer pod services in our office.
- We advocate for YOU at University Administration Meetings and at the State Legislature.

GPSA FEATURE

LEARN HOW OUR GRANTS & SCHOLARSHIPS
BENEFIT GRAD STUDENTS!



RABEYA BILKIS
GPSA GRANT RECIPIENT

Rabeya Bilkis, a Ph.D. student in Biomedical Sciences, received Student Research Grant, 2021. She works in UNM Cancer Research Facility as a graduate research assistant. Her research involves investigating alternative mechanisms to treat cancer cells. Cancer cells tend to be resistant and thus be difficult to treat. She is investigating alternative approaches to sensitize resistant cancer cells.

RABEYA'S GRANT STORY

"I am thankful to GPSA for the research grant. I am honored and I want to thank GPSA to establish such a platform for students. It gives me a great opportunity to introduce my work to a common ground. With this money, I have applied for a conference on 'Mammalian DNA Damage and Repair' which will take place in California this year. This conference is one of the top assemblies on this subject. I believe, attending this conference will give me enough opportunity to represent UNM. It will give me a chance to share my work with other research community as well as to learn about others' innovation. This kind of networking will certainly be helpful for my future career."

LEARN MORE ABOUT GPSA'S GRANTS & SCHOLARSHIPS

GPSA is pleased to offer four different grants to students looking to fund their research, travel expenses, professional development, and/or the cost of research materials. They are:

- [Student Research Grant](#) (up to \$500)
- [Professional Development Grant](#) (up to \$500)
- [New Mexico Research Grant](#) (eligible for up to \$5,000, offered during fall semester only)
- [Graduate Scholarship Fund](#) (a \$1,000, need-based scholarship)

Find more information on our [Grants & Scholarships](#) page.

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GPSA GRANTS SPRING 2022 CYCLE



APPLICATIONS OPEN:

FRIDAY, JANUARY 28, 2022

TO

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2022 AT 11:59 PM (MST)

APPLICATION WORKSHOPS



Application Workshops are intended to help guide applicants in identifying details and requirements regarding their grant application(s)

FEBRUARY 1, 2022

2:30 - 3:30 PM

ONLINE

FEBRUARY 1, 2022

2:30 - 3:30 PM

HYBRID

SUB ROOM SPIRIT

Zoom: <https://unm.zoom.us/j/3449319493>

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ANNUAL BUDGETS

FUNDING FOR STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

ELIGIBILITY

- BE A CHARTERED STUDENT ORGANIZATION THROUGH THE STUDENT ACTIVITIES CENTER
- HAVE AN ACTIVE GRADUATE AND/OR PROFESSIONAL STUDENT MEMBERSHIP
- MAY NOT BE AN RDSA/RGSA THAT DIRECTLY APPLIES FOR AND RECEIVES GPSA PB (PRO-RATED BENEFIT) FUNDING

USE OF GPSA BUDGET FUNDS

- INTENDED FOR:
 - REOCCURRING COSTS
 - OPERATIONAL EXPENSES
 - EX: ADVERTISING, COPYING, OFFICE SUPPLIES, RECRUITMENT MATERIALS, AND EQUIPMENT, ETC.
- NOT INTENDED FOR:
 - TRAVEL
 - ONE-TIME EVENTS
 - RAINY DAY FUNDS

BUDGET APPLICATION

- TO RECEIVE AN APPLICATION, A REPRESENTATIVE FROM EACH STUDENT ORGANIZATION MUST ATTEND ONE OF THE FOLLOWING GPSA FINANCE COMMITTEE BUDGET WORKSHOPS:
 - FEBRUARY 1, 2022 AT 6:00 P.M. (MT)
 - FEBRUARY 5, 2022 AT 9:00 A.M. (MT)
 - FEBRUARY 8, 2022 AT 6:00 P.M. (MT)
- SUBMIT A BUDGET APPLICATION COPY BY FEBRUARY 18, 2022
- ATTEND A SCHEDULED HEARING TO PRESENT A BUDGET REQUEST TO THE GPSA FINANCE COMMITTEE

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT GPSA ANNUAL BUDGET AT [GPSA.UNM.EDU](https://gpsa.unm.edu) OR EMAIL GPSAFIN@UNM.EDU.

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GPSA

Graduate & Professional Student Association

LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES

NEW MEXICO GRADUATE ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP

- Implementation of a statewide scholarship to benefit NM's first time graduate/professional students. The goal is to increase diversity within graduate and professional programs and increase the opportunity to attain a graduate/professional degree in the state of NM.
- TOTAL ASK: RECURRING AMOUNT OF \$5,000,000

UNM HEALTH SCIENCES STUDENT GRANT

- Creation of a new grant housed under GPSA's grant cycle that benefits Health Sciences Students. The goal is to fund Health Sciences Students in their clinical rotations around rural NM and increase the ability of students to serve the people of NM.
- TOTAL ASK: ONE-TIME AMOUNT OF \$50,000

UNM NEW MEXICO RESEARCH GRANT

- Match funding for a grant currently housed under GPSA's grant cycle. The goal is to double the funding available for students that are conducting research and doing work that benefits NM and its people.
- TOTAL ASK: ONE-TIME AMOUNT OF \$874,735

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Get Involved with GPSA

Please submit your resume to gpsa@unm.edu by
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2022 at 11:59 PM (MST)
Subject Line: <Position Title(s)> - Your Name

GPSA IS LOOKING FOR MEMBERS TO FILL THE FOLLOWING POSITIONS:

COUNCIL RECORDER **\$50 / MEETING**

The Council Recorder shall assist the Council Chair with the production of all Council meeting minutes and other duties as assigned.

ELECTIONS COMMITTEE MEMBER **COUNCIL APPOINTMENT**

The main duties of the Council Chair appointed Elections Committee Member is to serve on the Elections Committee. They will be able to preside over the elections, maintain uniformity in the application and operation of the Elections Code, and to develop, coordinate the casting of, and publicize all proposed ballot items.

ATHLETICS COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE

The chief duties and functions of the Athletic Council Representative is to serve on the Athletic Council representing graduate and professional students.

[Read more ►](#)

KUNM RADIO BOARD MEMBER

The KUNM Radio Board Member serves on the KUNM Board as a representative of graduate and professional students.

[Read more ►](#)

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Notice:



**Graduate/Professional Students
Lockers in Zimmerman
Library are available!**

**If you wish to check out a locker, please visit the
Graduate & Professional Student Association
(GPSA) Office located in the
Student Union Building (SUB) Suite 1021.**

**Please contact the GPSA Office at
505.277.3803 with any questions/comments.**

Thank you!

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

A MESSAGE FROM UNITED GRAD WORKERS

In spite of our union's certification on January 4th by the Public Employee Labor Relations Board, UNM admin continue to ignore our calls for them to bargain a new contract. Our elected bargaining committee sent a formal request to begin negotiations on January 10th and we are now inviting everyone (graduate workers along with our students, families, friends, and community supporters) to add their voices by sending an Action Network letter. UNM admin must stop their stalling and stop wasting taxpayer dollars on a third-party law firm that has yet to succeed in busting our union. We also encourage you (and your friends and family!) to write a physical letter and post a picture of yourself with your letter on Twitter and/or Instagram (tag @unmgradworkers). And finally: **today, January 26th, at 12pm**, we are holding a Community Demand to Bargain Rally and March between Mesa Vista Hall and the SUB. The bigger and more participatory our union is, the stronger we will be at the bargaining table - sign a card and take the bargaining survey, and encourage your colleagues to do the same!

***THE UNIVERSITY WORKS
BECAUSE WE DO!***

IG & TWITTER: @UNMGRADWORKERS
FB: FACEBOOK.COM/UNMGRADWORKERS

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THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO HAS UPDATED ITS COVID ADMINISTRATIVE VACCINE MANDATE AND WILL NOW REQUIRE A BOOSTER SHOT REQUIREMENT AS PART OF ITS MANDATE. THE REQUIREMENT APPLIES TO ALL CURRENT EMPLOYEES AND STUDENTS TO RECEIVE A BOOSTER DOSE OF THE VACCINE WHEN ELIGIBLE ACCORDING TO THE FDA.

INDIVIDUALS WHO RECEIVED THEIR SECOND DOSE OF AN MRNA VACCINE (PFIZER OR MODERNA) ON OR BEFORE JUNE 15, 2021, OR THEIR SINGLE DOSE OF A VIRAL VECTOR VACCINE (JOHNSON & JOHNSON) ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 15, 2021, MUST PROVIDE DOCUMENTATION OF RECEIPT OF A BOOSTER DOSE NO LATER THAN JANUARY 17, 2022.

UNM Vaccine Booster Clinic for COVID-19

SUB Ballroom C
on Saturday, January 22 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.



ALL UPDATED INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND HERE:
[HTTPS://BRINGBACKTHEPACK.UNM.EDU/](https://bringbackthepack.unm.edu/)

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Become a Mentor or Mentee

Project for New Mexico Graduates of Color (PNMGC) is a student-led program working to retain students of color through ongoing peer mentoring.

Apply Now!

Visit pnmgc.unm.edu
to complete our
application

MARK YOUR CALENDAR
FOR PNMGC'S
SPRING 2022 EVENTS



**Student
scholarships
every
semester!**

CONTACT US:

SUB Lobo Lair, Room 1046

Website: pnmgc.unm.edu

Email: gradpeer@unm.edu

Office number: 505-277-7397



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SPRING calendar

2022



JANUARY

FIRST ORIENTATION
JANUARY 24, 2022
11:00 AM -12:00 PM

SECOND ORIENTATION
JANUARY 27, 2022
2:00- 3:00 PM

PROJECT FOR NEW MEXICO GRADUATE OF COLOR
BUILDING COMMUNITY SINCE 2002
PNMGC.UNM.EDU | GRADPEER@UNM.EDU

FEBRUARY

**RESUME AND COVER
LETTER WORKSHOP**
CAREER SERVICES
FEBRUARY 4, 2022
3:00-4:00 PM

**RECRUITMENT
ROUNDTABLE**
PNMGC TEAM
FEBRUARY 21, 2022
12:00-1:00 PM

**IMMIGRATION &
ASYLUM**
DR. KIMBERLY
GAUDERMAN
FEBRUARY 23, 2022
3:00-4:00 PM

MARCH

**WOMEN OF COLOR
FEMINIST PRAXIS
AND PEDAGOGIES
OF SELF CARE**
DR. ANDREA MAYS
MARCH 8, 2022
12:00-1:00 PM

**FARMWORKERS
AWARENESS WEEK**
MARCH 25- 31, 2022
TIME: TBA

**TRANS VISIBILITY
IN THE CLASSROOM**
DAMON CARABAJAL
& LGBTQ RESOURCE
CENTER
MARCH 31, 2022
1:00-2:00 PM

APRIL

GRAD SCHOOL 101
MARGARET GONZALES
APRIL 7, 2022
12:00-1:00 PM

**FINANCIAL PLANNING
FOR STUDENTS:
HOW TO BUDGET AND
BUILD CREDIT**
CENTER FOR FINANCIAL
CAPABILITY
APRIL 11, 2022
3:00-4:00 PM

**EARTH DAY: LAND
GRANTS & ACEQUIAS**
DR. JACOBO BACA
APRIL 22, 2022
2:00-3:00 PM

MAY

**END OF
SEMESTER
CELEBRATION**
MAY 6, 2022
2:00-3:00 PM

*MOST WORKSHOPS/EVENTS WILL BE HELD IN THE LUMINARIA ROOM LOCATED ON THE THIRD FLOOR OF THE SUB FOR ZOOM INFORMATION PLEASE EMAIL THE PNMGC TEAM

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

GRADUATE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

Lunchbox Theology meets each Friday
Discussing various theological topics
Noon to 1 pm on Zoom

<https://intvarsity.zoom.us/j/92177697881?pwd=OVlKak1zRUN0THc5RVFwKzdOa2tHdz09>



Prayer meetings every Wednesday
8:30 to 9:00 am ▪ on Zoom

<https://intvarsity.zoom.us/j/98423597544?pwd=dDFxZ3Z2VaktjR1lzMTRiYXJneFQxZz09>



Bible Study
Thurs. ▪ 7 to 9 pm
in the SUB
Fiesta Room A & B
Studying the
book of Hebrews
this Spring

All Graduate students are welcome to attend • For more info:
Text Andres at 928-499-2459 or Rod at 505-710-4823
Find us at gcf.unm.edu
Contact us at gcf@unm.edu

GRADUATE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP



Saturday ▪ January 22
Capulin Snow Play Area
Leave from UNM at 1 pm
Arrive back at 8:30 pm
Disking, Tubing, Free-falling
Yummy Chili dinner and games
And it's totally FREE !!

Snow Play Day 2022



All Graduate students are welcome to go with us • For more info:
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Rising Voices Youth Advisory Council

Student Leaders, We Want to Hear from You!

PNM is looking for motivated young people in Bernalillo County to become members of the first Youth Advisory Council for a leading energy company in the nation.

The energy industry is growing and creating pathways for the future, your voice is needed! You are the future leaders of our state and unlike any other energy company, we want to integrate youth voices from our community to shape our future together.

This diverse advisory council will consist of 15 students and young adults ranging from Junior year UNM students to young New Mexico professionals who will work with PNM to achieve the following: A transparent partnership with our Energy company, advising how to improve our state together, giving back to the community through a group-based community project at the end of the member's term.

Goal: Over the course of one term, this council will have learned from PNM professionals in chosen areas (i.e., energy legislation, policy, grid modernization and resiliency, renewables, economic development, climate justice, and energy careers) and implement a project of your own. Provide feedback that PNM will use to develop their reputation and community engagement strategy through your perspective on the state and community needs. The ultimate goal of this council will result in a deepened relationship with our youth and premier education institutions within our state.

Where: Flexible virtual meetings, with the goal of moving towards safe, in person conversations

When: Every 2 weeks

Please contact Breda Garrity at breda.garrity@gmail.com for membership and questions before **Wednesday, February 2, 2022.**

We are excited to introduce the first Rising Voices Youth Advisory Council to the State of New Mexico while we move towards a sustainable energy future of New Mexico together.

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Be a Lobo Friends Mentor!

MAKE GLOBAL FRIENDS

**BE A CULTURAL AND ACADEMIC AMBASSADOR TO
INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS**

**GAIN INSIGHTS ON DIFFERENT VALUES AND
CULTURES**

For questions or additional information, email geo@unm.edu



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Photos taken by D. Baca

The LAII FIELD RESEARCH GRANT provides graduate or professional students the opportunity to conduct preliminary research in Latin America for their degree projects, as well as faculty the opportunity to begin fieldwork on new projects or add a comparative dimension to previous research. Restrictions apply.

Applications are due Friday, March 11, 2022.

AN INFORMATION SESSION will be held virtually via Zoom on **Friday, January 28th, 2022**, from 2:00 P.M. – 3:00 P.M. All prospective applicants are encouraged to attend.

Register Here: [FRG Information Session Registration](#)

FOR GUIDELINES AND APPLICATIONS:

Student: <https://lail.unm.edu/funding/student-field-research-grants.html>

Faculty: <https://lail.unm.edu/funding/faculty-field-research-grants.html>

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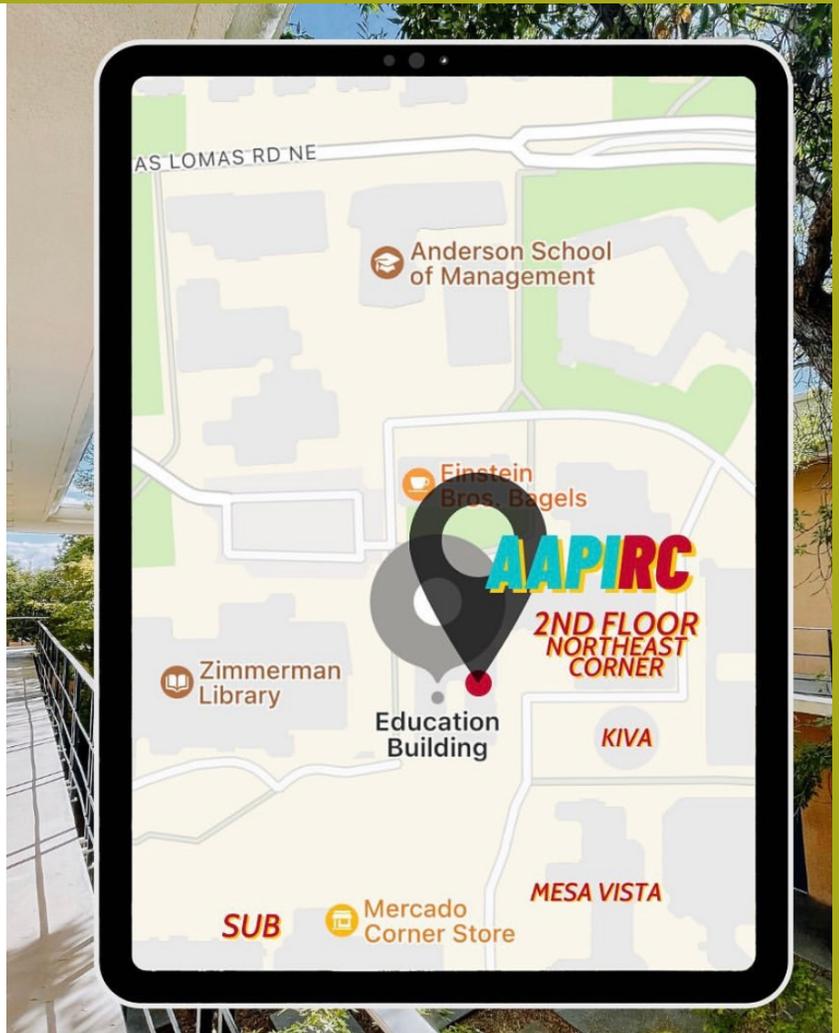
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ASIAN AMERICAN PACIFIC ISLANDER RESOURCE CENTER

**Visit the newly opened
Asian American Pacific
Islander Resource
Center (AAPIRC) located
on the 2nd floor of the
Education Building!**

**Visit with Mishy Wang
AAPI's Student Success
Specialist to learn how
to get involved! Contact
Mishy at
mishywang@unm.edu.**



Follow AAPI on Instagram @aapircunm!

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Spring 2022 Hours:



Monday, Wednesday, Friday

11:30-1:30 p.m.

Tuesdays & Thursdays

& 3-5 p.m.

SUB, Room 1093

(First floor)

Free groceries & toiletries for current UNM students!

What to Bring:

UNM ID card or valid ID and UNM ID number

Box/bag to carry your groceries



505.277.2911

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ANDERSON SCHOOL
OF MANAGEMENT
NEW MEXICO FOR GOOD

Business for Good **Consulting Clinic**

JOIN AN INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDENT TEAM TO HELP GUIDE THE FUTURE OF LOCAL SUSTAINABLE BUSINESS

Help transform local business in our Spring 2022 Business for Good Clinic. Over 12 weeks, student consulting teams will act as changemakers to help local companies implement responsible business practices using B Lab's B Impact Assessment.

Apply Today: Applications Due Monday, January 31
mgt.unm.edu/nmforgood/clinic/

Selected students will gain marketable, real-world experience while networking with some of the most forward-thinking and socially responsible businesses in the state. The clinic will be hosted virtually. Students are expected to commit four to six hours per week and attend all key clinic events.

- Join us Friday, January 28th from 12-1 p.m. for our Spring 2022 information session
- Email nmforgood@unm.edu to RSVP or ask questions.

Learn more and apply today:
mgt.unm.edu/nmforgood/clinic/

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OF MANAGEMENT
NEW MEXICO FOR GOOD



SANTA FE
INNOVATES



New Mexico For Good **Outdoor Recreation Certificate**

Do you have a business idea related to outdoor recreation? Join other early-stage entrepreneurs in our Outdoor Recreation certificate program! This certificate will help participants validate their outdoor recreation business ideas through the use of Santa Fe Innovates' early-stage momentum program, Anderson's business mentors, and access to industry experts. You will be provided with the tools and processes to validate your business idea, helping you systematically answer pivotal questions to grow a successful venture.

VALIDATING AN OUTDOOR RECREATION BUSINESS IDEA

Workshops:

Five consecutive Saturdays
from Jan. 29 - Feb. 26,
9 a.m. - noon | Virtual

Guest Presentations:

Five consecutive Tuesdays
from Feb. 1 - 23,
noon - 1 p.m. | Virtual

Learn more: mgt.unm.edu/nmforgood/outdoor-recreation/

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Disordered Eating in Adults with Phenylketonuria (PKU) compared to Adults without PKU

We are seeking **people 18 years of age and older who do not have PKU** to participate in a research project.

This project will compare eating behaviors, disordered eating, and dietary intake in people with and without PKU.



If you decide to join the project, you will be asked to:

- Complete surveys online.
- Complete a 24-hour diet recall online.

If you participate in this research study, you will receive a \$10 electronic Amazon gift card.

*This project is being conducted by Katie Coakley,
Assistant Professor of Nutrition at the University of New Mexico (UNM)*

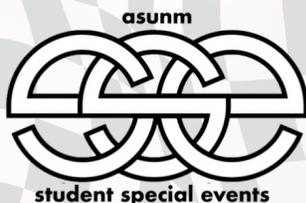
**Please email kcoakley@unm.edu or
call 270-312-6086 to participate!**

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HYPNOTIST
LARRY VOLZ



THURSDAY, JAN. 27, 2022
7:30PM SUB BALLROOM C



FREE
MUST SHOW: UNM ID
OR VACCINE CARD
SSE.UNM.EDU

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LEARN TO SUPPORT
IMMIGRANT STUDENTS
ON YOUR CAMPUS



FOR MORE INFORMATION AND REGISTRATION:
[HTTPS://FORMS.GLE/DQ51J47K1P72AZ9Q6](https://forms.gle/dQ51J47K1P72Az9Q6)
UNM EDUCATORS REGISTRATION AT
LEARNINGCENTRAL.UNM.EDU

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UNM DEAF & HARD OF HEARING PANDEMIC PEER SUPPORT GROUP

A support group led by a fellow hard-of-hearing person. This support group is a safe space to share concerns, experiences, and support each other during the pandemic.

Olivia Fadul, MS, LPCC, leads this support group. Olivia is a licensed professional counselor and a Counseling Education and Supervision doctoral student at UNM.



**3RD THURSDAY NIGHT OF
EACH MONTH.**



6:00 PM- 7:00 PM



**ZOOM LINK- EMAIL OLIVIA
@ OFADUL@UNM.EDU FOR
LINK**



**Olivia Fadul, MS, LPCC
Ph.D. Student**

Facilitator of Peer Support group
(Hard of hearing since age 5)

Email me for zoom link @ Ofadul@unm.edu

or Text me at 866-977-8013

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UNIVERSITY NEIGHBORHOOD METROPOLITAN REDEVELOPMENT PLAN



You're Invited:

Discuss boundaries and plans for a Metropolitan Redevelopment Area in the University Area.

Discuss Strategies for housing, redevelopment, local business health, and community vibrancy

Share Ideas, Learn More, and register for Zoom Meeting:
cabq.gov/universitymra

Virtual Public Meeting
Wednesday, Feb. 2nd
5:30 - 7:00 PM

CABQ.GOV/UNIVERSITYMRA

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LOOKING FOR OTHER RESOURCES?

- [African American Student Services \(AASS\)](#)
- [American Indian Student Services \(AISS\)](#)
- [Associated Students of the University of New Mexico \(ASUNM\)](#)
- [Collegiate Recovery Center](#)
- [Community Engagement Center \(CEC\)](#)
- [NM Dream Team](#)
- [El Centro de la Raza](#)
- [Graduate Resource Center \(GRC\)](#)
- [Graduate and Professional Student Association \(GPSA\)](#)
- [Graduate Studies \(GS\)](#)
- [Kiva Club](#)
- [LGBTQ Resource Center](#)
- [Lobo Guardian](#)
- [LoboRESPECT](#)
- [Men of Color Initiative \(MOCI\)](#)
- [Office of Career Services](#)
- [Project for New Mexico Graduates of Color \(PNMGC\)](#)
- [Student Activities Center \(SAC\)](#)
- [Student Government Accounting Office \(SGAO\)](#)
- [Veteran & Military Resource Center \(VRC\)](#)
- [Women's Resource Center \(WRC\)](#)
- [United Grad Workers \(UGW\)](#)

WANT TO SHARE A MESSAGE WITH GRAD STUDENTS?

WE CAN SHARE YOUR MESSAGE WITH ALL GRADUATE & PROFESSIONAL STUDENTS AT UNM

Our team is dedicated to promoting the resources available to Graduate & Professional Students at UNM. If you want us to highlight an event, program, or other resource available to Graduate & Professional Students, please email a request to gpsapr@unm.edu with a brief description and flyer to include in the next newsletter.

All requests should be made one week prior to the publication of the GPSA Communiqué. The deadline for submissions to be included in the next newsletter is 5:00 PM on Feb 4, 2022.

WANT TO LEARN MORE ABOUT GPSA?

OUR TEAM IS HERE TO SUPPORT YOU ANY WAY THAT WE CAN! READ OUR FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Why do I have GPSA charge on my bursar's account? Students enrolled in a degree-seeking graduate program at UNM are required to pay a student fee to GPSA. This fee goes to funding UNM programs and organizations and is allocated annually by the Student Fee Review Board. Students who do not pay this fee are not eligible to apply for scholarships or grants through GPSA.

Are new UNM Graduate & Professional Students eligible to apply for grants? Yes. You are eligible to apply for SRG, PDG and NMRC (if being offered in the semester) if you meet the respective grant's requirement. However, you are not eligible to apply for the Graduate Scholarship Fund (GSF) if you are in your first semester.

WANT TO LEARN MORE ABOUT GPSA? CONTINUED

Are grants and scholarships offered every semester? The Student Research Grant (SRG), Professional Development Grant (PDG) and Graduate Scholarship Fund (GSF) are offered in every semester i.e. Fall, Spring and Summer. However, the New Mexico Research Grant (NMRC High Priority and General Priority) are offered only in the Fall Semester.

Can I apply to multiple grants in one grant cycle? Yes, you can apply multiple grants in the same grant cycle, but each grant requires a separate application i.e. Statement of Proposal, Budget sheet and Letter of Recommendation (if required).

Can I utilize my grant award another semester? Yes, you can. The funds which are sought for the event or activity must be utilized within the next, current or previous funding period.



Ask a question. Didn't see your question in our list of [FAQs](#)? Submit any questions you have on [our website](#). If your question is urgent or specific, please submit an email directly to the appropriate Committee Chair for a quicker response.

CONTACT US!

OFFICE PHONE: (505) 277-3803

EMAIL: GPSA@UNM.EDU

LISTSERV: [JOIN OUR LISTSERV](#)

