

SEPTEMBER 22, 2022

THE Σ Π Ω GPSA Graduate & Professional Student Association COMMUNIQUÉ

A BIWEEKLY NEWSLETTER
FOR STUDENTS, BY STUDENTS



**GPSA Grant applications
are due today, 9/23/2022
by midnight! Be sure to
submit your application.**

THE NEED TO KNOW

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Position Open

To be included in the
next issue of the GPSA
Communiqué on
October 7, please email
gpsapr@unm.edu by
October 5.

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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

**WE NEED SYSTEM
CHANGE, NOT CLIMATE
CHANGE**

**RALLY FOR OUR FUTURE!
GLOBAL CLIMATE STRIKE DAY!
SEPTEMBER 23RD**

11:00AM TO 1:00PM



**RALLY BEGINS IN FRONT
OF UNM BOOKSTORE**



LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS FOR:

CLUB 89

132 YEARS OF PRESTIGE

FOR GRAD STUDENTS BY
GRAD STUDENTS



**EMAIL GPSAPR@UNM.EDU IF YOU
ARE INTERESTED IN
VOLUNTEERS. VOLUNTEERS WILL
BE NEEDED FOR SET-UP (ARRIVE
AT 6PM) AND TEAR DOWN
(LEAVE AT 9:30PM)**

21+ | DRAFT & TABLE | SEPTEMBER 27 | 7 PM

NOMINEES SOUGHT FOR SARAH BELLE BROWN AWARDS

EACH YEAR, PRESIDENT STOKES
RECOGNIZES ONE STUDENT, ONE FACULTY
MEMBER, AND ONE STAFF MEMBER AS
RECIPIENTS OF UNM'S SARAH BELLE
BROWN AWARD, PRESENTED TO THOSE IN
THE LOBO COMMUNITY WHO SERVE AS
EXAMPLES OF SOCIAL RESPONSIVENESS
AND WHO HAVE DONATED CONSIDERABLE
PERSONAL TIME AND EFFORT ADVANCING
THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO'S
PUBLIC SERVICE MISSION. NOMINATIONS
ARE DUE SEPTEMBER 30. THE FACULTY
AND STAFF RECIPIENTS EACH RECEIVE A
CASH AWARD OF \$1,500 AND THE
STUDENT RECIPIENT RECEIVES A \$1,500
SCHOLARSHIP, ALL GENEROUSLY
ENDOWED BY DOUG AND SARAH BROWN.



New Mexico B Corp Speaker Series

Helping you blend profits with purpose

This speaker series brings together New Mexico B Corps with students from the Business for Good Consulting Clinic. Join us to learn from our state's most forward-thinking businesses as they share highlights of their impact business journey using the B Impact Assessment.



Topic 1: Workers

September 23, 2022, 11-Noon

Dawn Boulware, Taos Ski Valley, and Carrie Freeman and Francheska Jollivette, Second Muse, highlight the importance of supporting workers.



Topic 2: Environment

September 30, 2022 11-Noon

Megan Bott, Positive Energy Solar, and Erin Douglas and Ben Cote, Banyan Botanicals, discuss how business can positively impact the environment.



Topic 3: Customers

October 7, 2022, 11-Noon

Leah Cantor, Longview Asset Management, and Chase Barnes, Agenda, share insights on how to positively impacting customers.



Topic 4: Community

October 21, 2022, 11-Noon

Megan Bott, Positive Energy Solar, and Danika Padilla, Meow Wolf, share how their firm measures their positive impact in their community.



Topic 5: Governance

October 28, 2022, 11-Noon

Sam Wolf, Falling Colors, provides an overview of benefit corporations.



Learn from leaders in our state:

Register today: mgt.unm.edu/nmforgood/events
Designed for students, open to the public.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

GPSA, CTL, AND PNMGC PRESENT

HAUNTED UNM CAMPUS TOUR

Spooky Stories • Treats • Costumes

OCTOBER 20TH

Register here!

HAUNTED TOWER TOUR
by reservation only
(limited spots available)
6:00 - 6:30 PM
Entrance of Zimmerman Library

CAMPUS COSTUME WALK
all graduate students welcome
6:30 - 8:00 PM
GPSA Office | 1st floor of SUB

Join us for a haunted tour of UNM campus including the Zimmerman Library Tower where true spooky stories will be shared. Treats will be provided. Spooky attire encouraged!

@pnmgc @gpsa @unmgc

Critical Race Series featuring Dr. Vinay Harpalani



Students interested in diversity and racial justice will work with Dr. Harpalani to discuss the positioning of Asian Americans in America's racial hierarchy. Dinner will be provided

Thursday, September 22nd, 2022
5pm-7pm
AAPIRC, Education Classrooms #212



Dr. Harpalani teaches courses in constitutional law, civil rights, civil procedure, & employment discrimination. His writings have covered topics such as affirmative action in university admissions, racial ambiguity, skin color discrimination, & the psychological development of racial identity.

Please register below!



In partnership with



Yoga and Quiet Time



Mondays at AAPIRC
Yoga: 3:30-4:30pm, Quiet Hours: 3:30-5pm

AAPIRC is excited to be hosting yoga again this semester! We hosted yoga sessions throughout the summer with great turnout. During yoga time, AAPIRC will also be observing quiet time for studying and relaxation.

Yoga is open to everyone! Mats provided

JOIN THE AAPIC EMAIL LIST BY VISITING THEIR WEBSITE:
AAPIRC.UNM.EDU

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IN CELEBRATION OF HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

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STUDENT
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STUDENT REGENT POSITION

Application Due September 23!

[Click
here to
learn
more!](#)



UNDER ARTICLE 12, SECTION 13 OF THE NEW MEXICO CONSTITUTION, ONE MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO SHALL BE A MEMBER OF THE STUDENT BODY (STUDENT REGENT). THE STUDENT REGENT IS ONE OF SEVEN FULL VOTING MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS AND HAS THE SAME RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES AS OTHER BOARD MEMBERS, ALTHOUGH STUDENT REGENTS SERVE TWO-YEAR TERMS WHILE OTHER BOARD MEMBERS ARE APPOINTED TO STAGGERED SIX-YEAR TERMS.

AS DEFINED BY THE NEW MEXICO CONSTITUTION AND STATUTES, THE BOARD OF REGENTS IS CHARGED WITH THE MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL OF THE STATE'S FLAGSHIP RESEARCH UNIVERSITY. THE REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO IS THE OFFICIAL NAME OF THE UNIVERSITY AND THE REGENTS CONSTITUTE A BODY CORPORATE. AS SUCH, ALL MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS ASSUME OVERALL RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE UNIVERSITY AND ITS AFFILIATED RESEARCH PARK CORPORATIONS. THE REGENTS CAN ACT ONLY AS A WHOLE, NOT INDIVIDUALLY. THE BOARD OF REGENTS HAS DELEGATED SOME OF ITS POWERS TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY. THE BOARD OF REGENTS IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE SELECTION AND SUPERVISION OF THE PRESIDENT AND PROVIDES THE PRESIDENT WITH STRATEGIC DIRECTION.