OSA Mission, Vision & Core Values

**Mission**

The Division of Student Affairs provides access, support, and encouragement to all students in pursuit of academic excellence in the University of New Mexico’s diverse community. As a Division, we establish inclusive partnerships, programs, facilities and services, guide leadership, enrich academic and career goals, and enhance the quality of life for potential and current students, and alumni.

**Vision**

The UNM Division of Student Affairs encourages students to achieve their individual potential to become life-long learners and engaged members of a global community through the development of learning environments that inspire learning and academic success.

**Core Values**

- Academic Success: recruitment, retention, graduation, career development
- Leadership: accountability, opportunity, sustainability
- Community: civility, health and safety, respect
- Excellence: diversity, equity, integrity
Led by Dr. Eliseo Torres, the Division of Student Affairs is the primary student services provider for UNM’s large and diverse student population. Our departments provide support services for students from all backgrounds, including first generation and non-traditional. Our programs and services help enhance our students’ learning and living experiences and are focused on student’s needs, educational growth, student success, academic achievement, and excellence.
Student Life

Focusing on student development and learning experiences outside the classroom through programs and services; provides students opportunities to connect with campus, leaders, peers, and the community at large, fostering success in preparation for tomorrow.

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Student Services

Develops and provides program grants and contracts designed to recruit, retain, support and graduate underrepresented and low-income first generation student populations. Provides support and vision to departments in their efforts to accomplish their goals; and administrative support as needed in locating and securing funding, assistance, and guidance with assessment of department’s performance of set goals.

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Accessibility Resource Center

Dr. Joan Green
Director

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Academic support services for qualified students with disabilities including: interpretation, tutoring, enlargement of books, note-taking, and transcription. To be eligible students should first seek academic adjustment due to a disability, register with the office and submit documentation from a licensed or certified professional. Once disability is established, ARC will work with them to determine appropriate academic adjustments.

Air Force ROTC

Lt Col William Beauter
Comanding Officer

505.277.4502  afrotc.unm.edu

The mission of the Air Force ROTC is to develop the best Air Force leaders and citizens of character dedicated to serving the nation. The cadre serve as role models for cadets. They instruct and mentor cadets on what it takes to be an officer in the US Air Force. As with other ROTC programs, cadets learn management and enhancement of leadership skills.

African American Student Services

Brandi Stone

505.277.5645  aass.unm.edu

Provides culturally relevant programs designed to assist African American students in making a confident transition and successful adjustment to UNM. Staff are available to support the students’ personal, academic, educational, and social development needs. AASS concentrates on the special concerns that arise from being an African American on a predominantly white campus.
American Indian Student Services

505.277.6343  aiss.unm.edu

Cultural and academic programs for UNM’s American Indian students to ensure academic achievement and help develop personal, cultural, and social success. Liaison for Native students at local high schools, schools located on or near tribal reservations, community colleges, tribal colleges, governments, and higher education programs that directly impact their recruitment and retention at UNM.

Army ROTC

505.277.2274  armyrotc.unm.edu

Commission fully qualified, competent officers into the U.S. Army as 2nd Lieutenants to serve in the Army, Army National Guard or Army Reserves. Offers students the opportunity to learn and grow in many ways and challenges cadets in indoor and outdoor settings. Cadets participate in classroom instruction, physical fitness training, land navigation, marksmanship, management and leadership skills.

Career Services

505.277.2531  career.unm.edu

Career portal, on-campus recruiting site assisting students and alumni in choosing appropriate careers and pursuing career-related opportunities. Career counseling, job search workshops, career fairs, cooperative education, internship opportunities, job posting database, cyberspace cafe resource center, resource library, access to career position recruiters on campus, Lobo Career Connection and NM Career Match.
Children’s Campus
505.277.3365  childcare.unm.edu

National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC) accredited. Provides high quality early childhood experience for students, staff, and faculty families with children 6 months-10 years old. Integrates play with learning. Works with the Colleges of Education, Nursing, Pediatrics Nurse Practitioner Programs, Family Studies, Speech Pathology and Art Education to provide student training and assessment.

Daniela Baca
Director

College Enrichment & Outreach Programs (CEOP)
505.277.5321  ceop.unm.edu

Support services particularly for low-income, first generation students to ensure equal access to education. Fosters excellence through a collaboration of services including academic support and advising; career exploration and selection; and civic engagement. Social and cultural opportunities such as orientation including transition and retention. Offers guidance to increase overall development in higher education.

Andrew Gonzalez
Director

Community Engagement Center
505.277.5158  cec.unm.edu

Committed learning partner bringing UNM’s resources and educational strengths to public service. Supports community learning projects and partnerships in tribal settings, rural villages, border towns, and statewide communities which results in better leadership for the next generation of civic minded youth and adults, and a willingness for each to become more involved with local problem solving and quality of life concerns at the grassroots and policy-making levels of community life.

Dr. Kiran Katira
Director
Provides tools for self-determination and resiliency, supports student transformation through knowledge, skills, and responsibility; and challenges self and systems to achieve social justice. Founded in 1969 by student and community activists, El Centro continues the legacy of advocacy, holistic support and partnerships via student advocacy, peer mentoring, academic and graduate support, career advisement and community involvement.

Main point of contact for students needing help resolving issues, UNM policies, campus resources, absences, safety, domestic partners, conduct, military withdrawals, national student exchange, parent and family resources, short term loans, death notifications, transfers and tuition appeals. Coordinates LoboRESPECT team charged with identifying and implementing practices to prevent sexual violence within the campus community.

Develops, coordinates, and integrates research and training in mentoring best practices at UNM. Through instructional design standards, provides education, certification and evaluation services for a diverse array of staff, faculty, and students’ mentoring programs in an effort to recruit, educate, train, and develop qualified mentors for UNM, and our communities. Provides excellence in teaching, research and community service.
Navy/Marine ROTC

CAPT Nick Sarap
Commanding Officer

Provides a means for UNM students to earn a commission as an officer in the Navy or Marine Corps. Develops individuals morally, academically, and physically to be leaders in the Navy, Marine Corps, and society, teaching the values of honor, courage, commitment and life-long learning. Leadership, management, naval history, navigation, engineering, weapons systems and amphibious warfare courses.

Recreational Services/Johnson Center

Jim Todd
Director

Sports, recreational, and fitness activities for men and women, and individuals with special needs of all ability levels to enhance academic productivity, personal effectiveness and commitment to quality of life in the campus community. Benefits include enhanced educational outcomes, a heightened sense of accomplishment, improved health, stress release, social interaction, and lifetime physical benefits.

Residence Life & Student Housing (RLSH)

Wayne Sullivan
Director

Enhances student’s quality of life through safe, clean, well-maintained facilities and exceptional customer service. Supports effective programing promoting student graduation and success, living learning communities, family and graduate housing, student personnel aspects of residence halls, staff training, supervision and development, student group advisement, educational and social programming for 6 residence halls.
STEM Collaborative Center (STCC)

Funded through a 5-year developmental grant from the US Dept. of Education only available to institutions who serve large Hispanic student populations. Activities are designed to increase the institution’s capacity to address Hispanic (and low income and “high need”) student needs in accordance with grant guidelines. STCC reporting outcomes are focused on select populations, but the center recruits and serves all students.

Dr. Tim Schroeder
Director

Student Activities Center (SAC)

Oversees chartering process of student organizations helping manage their funds through Student Government Accounting, advises ASUNM (undergraduate), GPSA (graduate and professional), fraternities and sororities. Plans student awards receptions; advises ASUNM Student Service Agencies and supports events: Homecoming, Red Rally, Fiestas, Spring Storm. Lobos Got Talent, Welcome Back Days and Mid-Week Movies.

Ryan Lindquist
Director

Student Affairs Assessment & Research (SAAR)

Student Affairs Assessment and Research (SAAR) aims to improve organizational effectiveness in Student Affairs and improve student success by coordinating planning, assessment, and research activities for program evaluation and decision-making. Provides staff development opportunities and collaboration with key shareholders that facilitate learning and academic success.

Dr. Tim Schroeder
Director
Student Health & Counseling (SHAC)

505.277.3136  shac.unm.edu

Provides unique health service to assist students in maintaining optimal health and staying in school. Primary medical services, counseling services, health education and prevention, information and resources for referrals, and student support services for the UNM campus community. Also immunizations, lab and x-ray, physical therapy, travel health, massage therapy, and pharmacy.

Drs. James Wilterding & Beverly Kloeppel
Co-Interim Executive Directors

Student Publications

505.277.5656  pubboard.unm.edu

Supports students who participate in the opportunities offered in its publications. Provides an environment and professional resources to ensure an optimal learning experience as an adjunct to formal classroom instruction. Primary objective is to build a broad base of student writers, editors, photographers, designers and advertising professionals. Publishes the Daily Lobo, Conceptions Southwest and Best Student Essays.

Daven Quele
Director

Student Union Building (SUB)

505.277.2331  sub.unm.edu

Operates under the direction of the SUB Board, and students play a predominant role in its operation, policy, and strategic planning. Maintains the highest standard in support, services and programs to promote a strong sense of community and student life. Includes a computer lab, credit union, barber shop/salon, pool hall, postal kiosk, Transportation Information Center, food, space for student organizations.

Cheryl Wallace
Interim Director
The WRC is a place of advocacy, support, and safety for all members of the greater University and New Mexico community. Focusing on gender-related issues, the WRC has a wide range of programs and services including advocacy, crisis intervention, family-friendly computer pod, guest lectures/presentations, information and referrals, newsletter, peer support groups, special events/conferences, and video library/film series.

Highest quality, comprehensive support to veterans, active service members, and their dependents in an atmosphere of commitment, respect, and academic excellence. Strives to remove unique social, physical, psychological, and educational challenges that military-affiliated students face. Provides Green Zone training, academic, professional, administrative services and job advisement.

Women's Resource Center (WRC)

505.277.3716 women.unm.edu

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Veteran & Military Resource Center

505. 277.3181 vrc.unm.edu

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2019 – 2020 Goals

1. Facilitate and participate in university-wide retention, graduation initiatives, and enhancement of academic support for students through collaboration with Academic Affairs, Enrollment Management, and community partners, and writing for more academic support-focused grants.

2. Continue to implement programs and initiatives on campus-wide sexual assault, safety awareness, education, training and emergency preparedness through LoboRESPECT initiatives.

3. Enhance our engagement and visibility through campus-wide collaboration and integration of programs and events aimed at improving campus climate.

4. Gain improved access to university data for the Student Affairs Assessment and Research Office to enhance the production of data-driven assessment reports to aid in decision-making.

Capital Projects

1. The Johnson Center expansion and renovation started in the summer of 2018 and will be completed in early 2020.

2. Plan and develop the Student Health and Counseling building plaza level expansion addressing the overall needs – expected completion early 2020.

3. Develop and plan for a centralized facility for Army, Air Force/Marines, and Navy ROTC programs.

4. Identify funding sources to expand the UNM Children’s Campus to address current parent waiting list of over 1,500.

5. Re-evaluate proposed expansion plans for the Student Union Building Phase II expansion.

6. Explore funding sources to renovate Cornell Mall.

7. Determine funding sources for multi-phase design for the designated site on south campus for outdoor recreational and student activity venues.
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