Welcome to our latest edition of The Bottom Line, where we bring you up-to-date with all of the wonderful and exciting things happening in NMSU’s College of Business. As you will see, 2010 has been a busy year.

Enrollment in the college continues to be strong. With more than 26,000 student credit hours produced in fall 2010, the College of Business continues to be second only to Arts and Sciences in doing what we do well—teaching. We owe our success to the efforts of faculty and staff who continue to engage our students in dynamic, relevant and challenging courses and opportunities. They also provide these future leaders with an environment where they can prosper.

Ethics have always been important in business as well as in society. That’s why we are so pleased the College of Business has been awarded $1.25 million over the next five years to develop a principle-based ethics program. The grant is part of the Daniels Fund Ethics Initiative and will help us toward our goal of developing new and innovative ways to teach ethics and to extend ethics training beyond the NMSU campus.

Continuing our outreach efforts, this fall the university hosted its most successful Domenici Public Policy Conference to date. A record number of attendees were on hand as New Mexico governor candidates Susana Martinez and Diane Denish addressed the conference. ABC News contributor Sam Donaldson moderated a discussion between Fox News contributor Karl Rove and political analyst Joe Lockhart that focused on the 2010 midterm elections. Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison and retired Sen. Sam Nunn also shared their insights on important national issues. Sen. Domenici took the stage with Sam Donaldson and they chatted about the state of the nation. And the good news: we’re already working to top this year’s conference in 2011.

Our college has some of the best faculty and staff members at New Mexico State. Together, we’ll continue our work to take the college and the university to new heights. I appreciate everyone’s help and hard work and I look forward to another great year.

Garrey E. Carruthers, Dean
College of Business
The New Mexico State University College of Business was awarded $1.25 million over the next five years to develop a principle-based ethics program with a consortium of seven other university business schools spanning the inter-mountain west. The initial grant and ongoing support for the initiative is provided by the Daniels Fund, a private foundation established by cable television pioneer Bill Daniels that reflects his ethics, integrity and goals.

“Ethics has always been important in business as well as in society in general,” said Garrey Carruthers, dean of NMSU’s College of Business. “Unfortunately, there is a growing concern in the public that not enough is being done to educate people, and in particular young people, about ethics. Events over the past few years, from Enron to Bernie Madoff, have resulted in the business community being indicted by the public as being unethical. That’s why our goal is to develop new and innovative ways to teach ethics and to extend ethics training beyond the NMSU campus.”

The college consortium collaborates to develop curriculum materials and programs aimed at instilling a high standard of ethics in business school students. Its primary objectives are student learning of ethical principles in business, and involvement in the business community to promote student interaction with business leaders. The consortium is also involved in outreach to non-business disciplines on campus, other educational institutions and the community.

“All business students, through excellent academic preparation and commitment to the highest ethical principles, shall graduate prepared to compete successfully in a global economy.”

– NMSU Daniels Fund Ethics Initiative, Vision Statement

Unique contributions of NMSU’s College of Business to the initiative include investigating cross-border ethical issues, incorporating ethical insights from New Mexico pueblos and tribal groups and providing ethics training for public officials. The ethics course for public officials will be part of a required continuing education and orientation program. The college is also increasing principle-based ethics instruction to Ph.D. students, focusing on the importance of and methods to incorporate ethics coverage into business courses. In addition, NMSU will host an ongoing series of joint conferences with the University of New Mexico for faculty from all New Mexico colleges and universities.

Also, 39 New Mexico high school seniors who have demonstrated strong character and determination to succeed in life have been named Daniels Scholars and will receive funding to attend the college or university of their choice.

Bill Daniels Fellows in Ethics

• Bruce Huhmann, NMSU College of Business Daniels Fund Ethics Initiative Chair, Department of Marketing
• David Boje, Grace Ann Rosile and Steve Elias, Department of Management
• Jim Nelson and Jennifer Kreie, Department of Accounting and Information Systems
• Kelly Tian, Department of Marketing
• Greg Roth, Department of Finance
• Diane-Michelle Prindeville, Department of Government
• Nancy Hastings, Department of English
New Mexico State University's Domenici Public Policy Conference is turning the Las Cruces campus into a popular meeting place for national political movers and shakers each fall.


The yearly conference, hosted by NMSU’s Domenici Institute, brings together some of the best minds in the country to focus on significant national issues.

Martinez, the state’s third judicial district attorney, and Denish, New Mexico’s lieutenant governor, were each given 45 minutes to outline the policy objectives they would seek as governor.

Their talks were followed by question-and-answer sessions with student panelists.

Sen. Hutchison, from Texas, spoke about the U.S./Mexico border situation and how drugs, guns and violence in Mexico impact states in the Southwest. Sen. Nunn, from Georgia, spoke about the importance of nuclear nonproliferation.

Donaldson moderated a discussion between Rove and Lockhart, looking at the 2010 midterm election and analyzing the issues that would have the biggest impact on voters.

Retired Sen. Pete Domenici addressed the national debt and stressed the importance of working together to find solutions to tackle the matter.

For more information about the Domenici Institute, as well as webcasts, photos and other materials from previous conferences, visit domenici.nmsu.edu.

Books and conference proceedings

- “Not Just New Mexico’s Senator: Senator Pete V. Domenici’s Leadership on Four Issues Affecting Our Nation’s Future” by Martin J. Janowski. 2010 New Mexico Book Award winner in the Political Book award category.

- “The Proceedings from the 2009 Pete V. Domenici Public Policy Conference” edited by Vicki Taggart in collaboration with NMSU.


All published by Rio Grande Books (nmsantos.com) in collaboration with New Mexico State University.
Imagine filling your tank with a fuel grown in New Mexico, not drilled for in some far-off country. What if that fuel created a more secure energy future while pumping new money into the state’s economy? What would it take to make that fuel economically viable?

That’s what C. Meghan Starbuck, assistant professor of economics at New Mexico State University, is working on – a way to turn microalgae into a successful fuel industry for the state. Unlike other crops that have been raised for thousands of years, experts are still perfecting algae farming.

“Algal biofuel can be refined into a variety of fuels, including gasoline. I would run my car on algal-based gasoline, if I could get my hands on a couple of gallons,” Starbuck said. Her car, a 315-horsepower 2010 Mustang GT, comes in handy when making the 143-mile trip between Las Cruces and the NMSU Agricultural Science Center at Artesia, home to a project with the Center for Excellence in Hazardous Materials Management. According to Starbuck, CEHMM is a leader when it comes to scaling-up algae production.

“Few companies have been able to produce algae on the scale that they have,” she said. “It’s one thing to have success in a beaker. It’s another thing to replicate that in quantities large enough to sustain an industry.”

Algae grow best in only a few areas of the U.S., which includes New Mexico and a handful of surrounding states. Starbuck said that means the Land of Enchantment stands to benefit tremendously from a fully developed algal fuel industry.

According to the U.S. Department of Energy, the U.S. imports an average of 3.5 billion barrels of oil a year, with a 10-year price average of nearly $50 a barrel. Starbuck said if New Mexico could capture just 35 percent of an algal fuel industry, the potential for job creation could be enormous. Some of her models put potential employment in algal fuel and algal fuel-related companies in the hundreds of thousands, with potential tax revenue in the billions. Producing biocrude in the U.S. would also provide a more stable and secure supply chain.

The day when filling your tank with a fuel grown in New Mexico may not be far off, which could be a good thing in more ways than one: The economist working on making this happen doesn’t like waiting around. She drives a pretty fast car.

Eric Layer, a senior majoring in economics at New Mexico State University, was awarded the 2010 Truman Scholarship, a prestigious award given to students with outstanding academic records who have demonstrated potential for leadership and the commitment to pursue a career in government or public service. The scholarship provides funding of up to $30,000 for graduate school, along with training in leadership programs. In addition to the award, the foundation provides assistance with career counseling, internship placement, graduate school admissions and professional development.

“I was surprised, elated, excited and honored to be able to represent the university,” Layer said of the moment he found out he had won the scholarship.

“Eric possesses all the qualities of an ideal Truman Scholar – he has proven leadership potential, outstanding intellect, and the drive and ability to make a positive difference in the world,” said Tracey Miller-Tomlinson, associate dean of the Honors College at NMSU. “His leadership skills have been tested in the fires of both local and national politics. He served as an intern and writer for the campaigns of New Mexico politicians and as a White House intern for former President George W. Bush.”

Layer was among 60 students from around the nation who received the award, including a student from the University of New Mexico.

A large portion of the Truman Scholarship application focuses on the candidate’s policy proposal, which outlines a significant social or economic problem and proposes a policy-based solution to it.

“My policy proposal was on social security reform,” Layer said. “It was a lot of economics-based reasons why the current system isn’t working and why a more privatization-based solution is needed.”

Layer plans to pursue a graduate degree in economics or public policy, and a career in politics, first in staff function and later in an elected capacity. One of his major interests lies in communications, where he aspires to modify the way representatives handle communications.
Lots of people are concerned about world hunger. Not everyone makes it his or her career to tackle the problem. But that’s exactly what recent NMSU graduates Jose Rodriguez and Aron Jones are doing with their company, ROJO Apparel.

ROJO, based out of Las Cruces, started a little more than a year ago. Their mission is to help those facing extreme poverty while creating awareness about poverty issues. With every shirt sold, ROJO sends 50 meals to people living in extreme hunger.

“To date, we’ve sent more than 176,000 meals to people living in poverty.”

–Jose Rodriguez

“I say we, but it’s really our customers who made it possible for us. We tell them they aren’t just buying a shirt, they are buying into a movement,” Rodriguez said.

Rodriguez graduated from NMSU in 2008 with degrees in economics and finance and went to work at Los Alamos National Laboratory. After seven months, he called and pitched the idea of a charitable clothing company to his friend Jones, who had just graduated from NMSU with degrees in management and marketing. From there, the idea took off.

“We’ve multiplied our initial investment several times. I’ve been really excited to see what we’ve been able to do over the last year,” Rodriguez said, crediting what he learned in the College of Business in helping with their success. “More than anything we just like being able to think creatively and play by our own rules.”

Part of playing by their own rules was not prescribing to the business idea that all startups must secure capital and loans.

“I think it takes away from the autonomy of a business when you have to answer to banks and investors,” Rodriguez said. “Our primary obligation is to people in extreme poverty. We don’t want to ever have to answer to other people or compromise our primary responsibility to the poor.”

In addition to meal donations generated by shirt sales, ROJO donates 10 percent of what they make doing screen-printing and embroidery to charity, something that started just with local customers, but has since expanded across the nation. Rodriguez said social media has been a valuable tool in helping organize and inform their customers.

“It’s a lot of word of mouth. Having just started up, traditional advertising would not be effective for what we are trying to accomplish,” he said. “Our advertising takes the form of providing a great product with a story behind it. We give people something they are excited to tell others about.”

Rodriguez said NMSU students and others from around the U.S. also have helped by buying shirts, volunteering at events, modeling, and by working in their intern program.

To learn more about ROJO Apparel, visit their website at rojoapparel.com. They can also be found on Facebook and Twitter.

Keep in touch:
Update your contact information online at alum.nmsu.edu/onlineforms.php. The NMSU Alumni Association website, alum.nmsu.edu, has information on membership services, events and more.
Distinguished Alumna:

Julie Dill

Julie Dill ’81 is president of Union Gas Limited, an integrated natural gas storage, transmission and distribution company serving about 1.3 million residential, commercial and industrial customers in more than 400 communities in northern, southwestern and eastern Ontario. The company also provides storage and transportation services to other utilities and energy market participants in Ontario, Quebec, and the United States. Union Gas, a Spectra Energy company, has assets of approximately $4 billion and employs about 2,200 people.

Dill has a wealth of experience in the energy sector, having served in a number of executive capacities in the natural gas and power industries. Before assuming her current role in January 2007, she served as group executive, investor relations and chief communications officer for Duke Energy International (DEI). She was responsible for monitoring changes and trends in investment markets as well as developing, maintaining and enhancing key relationships and communications with retail and institutional investors, financial analysts and financial institutions. Dill also led DEI’s communications and public affairs functions.

She joined DEI in September 1998 as senior vice president of planning and finance and chief financial officer, and was responsible for economic and strategic analysis, planning and all aspects of financial and management accounting and reporting. In June 2001, she was named executive vice president, Asia Pacific. Dill was responsible for the assets and operations in Australia, New Zealand and Indonesia, including 1,439 net miles of natural gas pipelines, 778 net megawatts of thermal power generation and energy marketing across the region. She was named vice president of investor and shareholder relations in January 2005.

Prior to joining DEI, Dill was fiscal director of transportation with Equilon Enterprises, a Royal Dutch Shell company. During her 17 years with Shell Oil Co., she served in several leadership capacities including assignments in exploration and production, internal auditing, refining and marketing. Dill was also involved in the transition work and strategic planning for the alliance between Shell, Texaco and Star Enterprises in the U.S. refining and marketing business.

Dill received a Bachelor of Business Administration degree, summa cum laude, in finance from NMSU.

She chairs the Canadian Gas Association and serves on the board of the Ontario Energy Association. She also is a member of the United Way of Chatham-Kent Women’s Leadership Council, the NMSU Alumni Association and sits on the Business Advisory Council for the College of Business. She was named to the College of Business Hall of Fame in 2000, and was named one of the top 50 Women in Energy in 2002. Most recently, Dill was awarded the 2010 Energy Leader of the Year Award by the Ontario Energy Association.

Yates returns for another term as Executive in Residence

Peyton Yates, a 2010 NMSU honorary doctorate degree recipient, has elected to extend his service as Executive in Residence at the College of Business for another year. As the Executive in Residence, he shares his business expertise with students and faculty and, in his words, “has a lot of fun.” An Artesia native, Yates cherishes the town he has called home most of his life. A third-generation oilman, he has been a diligent steward of the Yates legacy in the oil and gas industry. He has been an active civic leader working to improve the quality of life for the citizens of Artesia and the Pecos River Valley.
Business leaders Arturo D. Jurado and Bill Myers were inducted into New Mexico State University’s College of Business Hall of Fame Sept. 24, 2010. Additionally, NMSU professor emeritus John Loveland received the college’s 2010 Traders Award and New Mexico Mutual received the 2010 Corporate Traders Award during the ceremony.

Arturo Jurado, president of Jurado Farms, studied business administration and in 1966 became the first of 12 family members to earn a degree from NMSU. His family expanded their agricultural enterprise, beginning with cotton, alfalfa and vegetables, and later branching out into the processing and fermentation of pepper mash. Millions of pounds of cayenne peppers are grown and processed at their three facilities. The family also owns a transportation company, rental properties and a land development company.

Bill Myers is president and chief operating officer of Starz Entertainment, LLC, and Starz Media, LLC. At Starz Entertainment, Myers is responsible for all day-to-day operations including sales, marketing, programming, engineering and IT. At Starz Media he oversees all live action television programming development, production and sales as well as IT and marketing. Myers holds a bachelor’s degree in accounting from NMSU and began his career at KPMG Peat Marwick.

John Loveland is a professor emeritus at NMSU’s College of Business. He served the university for 36 years as a professor of management, department head of management and director of key college programs. Loveland received his bachelor’s of business administration in 1960 and MBA in 1965 from Texas A&M University. He completed his Ph.D. at Arizona State University in 1970 with a focus on management and quantitative methods and marketing.

New Mexico Mutual is the largest writer of workers’ compensation insurance in the state of New Mexico, providing workers’ compensation insurance to New Mexicans for 20 years. The company was selected by New Mexico Business Weekly as a 2009 Corporate Hero for charitable giving and as one of the Best Places to Work in New Mexico. It was also honored as a 2008 winner of the New Mexico Ethics in Business Award. New Mexico Mutual employs more than 100 individuals who provide workers’ compensation insurance to more than 8,000 businesses across the state.

The NMSU College of Business Hall of Fame was established in 1997 to honor outstanding business college alumni who have distinguished themselves in their careers. The Traders Award, named for the statue in the College of Business plaza, recognizes friends of the college who are not NMSU alums.
Honors and retirements

Awards

Michael Hyman
Marketing
Stan Fulton Chair in Business for 2009-2012

Kelly Tian
Marketing
Robert O. Anderson Distinguished Professorship for 2009-2012

Peter Dorfman
Management
Outstanding Professional Service for 2009-2010
Bank of America Professorship for 2009-2012

Harikumar Sankaran
Finance
Outstanding Graduate Teaching for 2009-2010
Wells Fargo Professorship for 2010-2013

Ken Martin
Finance
Donald C. Roush Award for Teaching Excellence

Meghan Starbuck
Economics and International Business
University Research Council Early Career Award for fall 2009

Nate Whitten and Justine Adkisson
Advising Center

Carol Corley
Economics and International Business
Gold Standard Staff Award for Outstanding Service for 2009-2010

Rich Fortin
Finance
Outstanding Senior Research for 2009-2010

Collin Payne
Marketing
Outstanding Junior Research for 2009-2010

Bonnie Daily
Management
Outstanding Undergraduate Teaching for 2009-2010

Jim Peach
Economics and International Business
Outstanding Service to the College for 2009-2010

New department heads 2010

Ed Scribner
Accounting and Information Systems

Richard Adkisson
Economics and International Business

Retirees 2010

Tony Popp, Elliott Willman and David W. Smith
Economics and International Business

Robert Schoener and Kerry Alt
Accounting and Information Systems

Lorna Davis
Dean’s Office
Audit Budget Technician

Pam Speer
Management
Department Secretary III

College quick facts

Academic Year 2009-2010

Faculty
By gender, ethnicity and rank

Men.......................................................... 57
Women.................................................... 19
American Indian/Alaskan Native................................ 3
Asian/Pacific Islander...................................... 4
Black, non-Hispanic........................................ 2
Hispanic...................................................... 5
White/Other................................................. 62
Professor.................................................... 29
Associate Professor....................................... 31
Assistant Professor........................................ 16

Undergraduate Enrollment
By gender, ethnicity and class

Men...................................................... 1,125
Women................................................. 938
American Indian/Alaskan Native....................... 64
Asian or Pacific Islander................................. 35
Black, non-Hispanic...................................... 72
Hispanic................................................... 877
White/Other............................................. 1,015
Freshman................................................. 428
Sophomore.............................................. 393
Junior..................................................... 472
Senior..................................................... 770

Graduation Data
Bachelor’s degrees
Accounting................................................. 64
Economics.................................................. 17
Finance..................................................... 58
General Business........................................ 77
Information Systems.................................... 30
International Business.................................. 10
Management............................................... 77
Marketing................................................ 80

Master’s degrees
Accountancy.............................................. 23
Agricultural Economics................................. 8
Business Administration............................... 50
Economics............................................... 17
Experimental Statistics............................... 4

Doctorates
Business Administration............................... 7
New Mexico State University’s Arrowhead Center promotes economic and business development in New Mexico through a wide range of services, including entrepreneurship development, technology-based business incubation, workforce innovation, policy analysis, assistance with intellectual property, and by managing NMSU’s business and research park. Some highlights and milestones of the year include the following.

Funds for construction of the Early College High School (ECHS) at the Arrowhead Research Park on NMSU’s Las Cruces campus have been approved. The school’s first cohort of 117 students currently attends ECHS at NMSU’s Doña Ana Community College campus. The ECHS is a project of the Bridge, an organization representing the three local school districts, NMSU, DACC, the city, county and the private sector. The objective of the Bridge and this project is to substantially reduce the dropout rate in local public schools. The new high school is scheduled to be ready for fall 2011.

The 2010 Innovaenture Competition for high school and middle school students was held in March. Student teams presented their business plans and inventions to a panel of judges, and learned about social entrepreneurship from Blake Mycoskie, founder of Toms Shoes. Mycoskie is a social entrepreneur whose company gives one pair of shoes to a needy child for each pair it sells. More than 350 NMSU students attended his presentation, which focused on how he built his business.

Innoventure 2010 1st place winners were students from Tony Hillerman Middle School in Albuquerque, N.M., who created a solar oven specifically to assist in efforts to curb deforestation in Haiti. Due to the Jan. 12 earthquake disaster, the invention had extreme relevance and was picked up by a non-profit organization in New Mexico, which will take the product to Haiti for distribution. More than 150 students and 25 advisors participated. Winners received digital cameras and $350 scholarships.

The Arrowhead Center’s Entrepreneurship Institute created the New Mexico Entrepreneurs Alliance, an online network for entrepreneurs across the state. The website, nme-alliance.ning.com, officially launched late last year. Those who register with the site can access a full range of business resources, including current and relevant business articles, information on regional workshops and conferences, and links to entrepreneur-focused websites.

The Arrowhead Center hosted the 2nd Annual National Security Technology Incubator, an event promoting high-tech jobs and economic development in New Mexico. The 2010 conference focused on the business of national security technologies, covering topics for technology companies intending to do business with major national security contractors. David Crandall, chief scientist for the National Nuclear Security Administration, and Thomas A. Cellucci, science and technology director for the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, gave the keynote addresses. A special classified section on computer forensics and infrastructure protection was available for attendees with a secret level security clearance.

The U.S. Economic Development Administration awarded NMSU’s Arrowhead Center a $1.5 million grant for infrastructure improvements to the Arrowhead Business and Research Park, and to expand the newly created Arrowhead Drive. A mile-long extension of Payne Street through NMSU’s Arrowhead Business and Research Park opened in April 2010. The new road, and its accompanying underground utilities, allows for the park’s continued growth and better connects it with the rest of campus. The road project represents nearly $2 million in investments, including a $900,000 grant from the U.S. Economic Development Administration.

Officials cut the ribbon during a ceremony opening the extension of Payne Street near Arrowhead Research Park.
Barbara Couture commits to a new path of excellence

The inauguration of Barbara Couture as the 25th president of New Mexico State University Aug. 17, 2010, was truly a community event. People came from around the state — and around the world — to help Couture usher in "A New Era of Excellence through Partnership."

During the ceremony, Couture charted her path for how NMSU can create a new era of excellence through partnerships with the state, friends and alumni, businesses and industries, public schools and fellow colleges, cooperating departments and campuses, and students, faculty, and staff.

“The history of New Mexico State University is an especially proud one, bolstered by strong traditions of the peoples of this state and the defiant ‘dare to be different’ attitude that has distinguished this ‘land of enchantment’.”

— Barbara Couture

“Yet we will be challenged to do so during this decade, like never before, by the constraints of shrinking resources and increasing demands on our creative and educational services,” Couture said.

She said she was proud of the diversity at NMSU and how it mirrors the multicultural population of New Mexico. The president also committed to making the No. 1 goal of the university graduation and vowed to save the state money by raising admission standards and providing such services as scholarships only to students who are prepared for the rigors of college and can graduate within six years.

The president added that she wants to focus NMSU’s international research to prepare students for a global society and expand the land-grant teaching and research missions, as well as build a culture of pride in partnerships and achievements in the classrooms, studios and laboratories at the NMSU campuses.

“Today, I am humbled by the outpouring of our university community, alumni, friends and supporters across the state of New Mexico and their enthusiasm for the future of this great place,” she said.

Before being appointed as president of NMSU, Couture was senior vice chancellor for academic affairs and professor of English at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. She served as the dean of the College of Liberal Arts at Washington State University in Pullman. Couture earned her bachelor’s degree with high distinction from the University of Michigan where she earned a master’s and doctoral degree in English language and literature.
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