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RETIREE RECEPTION

ENMU-Roswell recognized and celebrated the dedicated years of service for our 2018-2019 retirees at a Campus Retirement Reception on April 24.

Pictured (left to right):

James Engelhard, Co-op Activity Director - 12 years of service

Anna Chavez, HR Consultant - 19 years of service

Carol Dutchover, Business Instructor - 21 years of service

Not pictured:

Analisa Bhakta, Financial Aid Director - 26 years of service

Nadine Montoya, Administrative System Manager - 21 years of service

Greg Martinez, Student Outreach Director - 20 years of service

Susan Golden, Nursing Instructor - 16 years of service

Florentino Mendez, Custodian - 10 years of service



BREAKING NEWS:

71st Commencement - May 10, 7:00 p.m. - Roswell Civic Center

Adult Education Graduation - May 9, 7:00 p.m. - ENMU-R Performing Arts Center

Branch Community College Board Meeting - May 15, 4:00 p.m. -

ENMU-R Administration Center - Board Room 135



Recognition

ENMU-ROSWELL FOUNDATION ANNOUNCES SPRING SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

The ENMU-Roswell Foundation has awarded more than \$30,000 in scholarships to students this spring semester. Mary Garcia, John Hawk, Hunter Johnson, and Marisol Moriel each received the ENMU-Roswell Foundation Scholarship for \$1128. Ramon Montoya and Amber Rivas received the Desk and Derrick Scholarship for \$1000 each. Mendi Acosta, Camille Armijo, Ariana Chavez, Veronica Conde, Jeanette Fischer, Eternal Flores, Cassandra Jolley, Dorsey Kelley, Apryl Kirkham, Aileen Luna, Sara McClain, and Melissa Olivas received the William H. McCutchen Memorial Scholarship for \$1247 each. The Thomas M. Coates Aviation Scholarship for \$1000 was awarded to Raquel Molina. Bertha Hernandez and Aileen Luna received funds from the Claribel Marshall Trust Scholarship. Veronica Conde, Eternal Flores, Jayci Grantham, and Aileen Luna received funds from the Sally Pacheco Memorial Scholarship. Mendi Acosta received the \$1000 Saul Sanchez Nursing Scholarship and the \$1000 Sharon Farris-Stern Nursing Scholarship. Ariana Chavez and Bertha Hernandez were awarded the Maria de Los Angeles Gonzalez Scholarship for \$600 each.

For information on all available scholarships, contact the Financial Aid office on campus at (575) 624-7400. For information about the ENMU-Roswell Foundation, contact Craig Collins, Foundation Coordinator at (575) 624-7304.

COMM 101 CLASSES GIVE BACK TO THE COMMUNITY



CASA Dogs - raised \$325



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Harvest Ministries



Wings for Life - raised \$1,118



American Brain Tumor Association raised \$310



The Roswell Refuge



Assurance Home - raised \$180



Royal Family Kids - raised \$1,000



Awards

INSTRUCTORS CHOSEN FOR NATIONAL HONOR



Linda Urie, Nursing instructor & Cory Cogdill, Mathematics instructor are selected to receive the 2019 Teaching Excellence Award

Two instructors at Eastern New Mexico University-Roswell have been selected to receive 2019 Teaching Excellence Awards from the National Institute for Staff and Organizational Development (NISOD). This year, Linda Urie, Nursing instructor and Cory Cogdill, Mathematics instructor, have been selected. NISOD is a membership organization committed to promoting and celebrating excellence in teaching, learning and leadership at community and technical colleges. Urie, Cogdill and other Excellence Award recipients will be celebrated during NISOD's annual **International Conference on Teaching and Leadership Excellence**, May 25-28, in Austin, Texas.

Urie co-teaches the lecture and clinical components for level 1 nursing students. According to Candi Miller-Morris, Nursing Clinical instructor, Urie is very dedicated to student learning. "She developed a new clinical rotation that involves clinical simulation and helps the new nursing students learn to think critically and use clinical reasoning," said Miller-Morris. "Linda is very thorough and sets high standards for herself. She is always prepared and always available for students. Linda has been instrumental in assisting with the Nursing Program accreditation report as well."

In addition to his service as a Math instructor, Cogdill is also the Math director on campus. Robert Moore, Psychology instructor, nominated Cogdill for the award. "Cory continually seeks to improve his effectiveness in the classroom and find new ways to connect with students," said Moore. "Cory consistently takes advantage of any opportunity to develop himself professionally. I also appreciate Cory's willingness to explore new instructional methods and to keep an open mind to delivering math content in ways leveled with student learning."

ENMU-R TEACHERS OF CHARACTER



Congratulations to ENMU-Roswell's Teachers of Character for 2019!

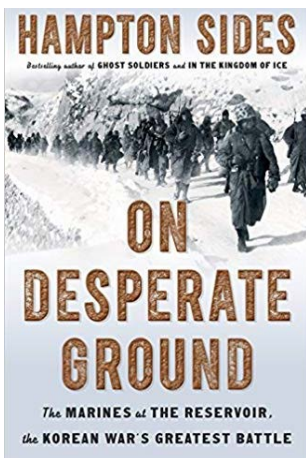
They were recognized at a dinner and Awards Ceremony along with the nominees from all Chaves County schools.

- Harun Williams
- Jerolyn Wagner
- Emma Rivas
- Ashley Cobos
- Tom Jordan
- Pam Wolfert
- Farah Stevenson
- Nancy Alvarado
- Rachel Conover

Department Update

WHAT'S NEW AT THE LRC

Years of careful archival research by author Hampton Sides have resulted in a gripping narrative about one of the most heroic and harrowing operations in American military history. It took place along the frozen shores of the Chosin Reservoir during the Korean War. In On Desperate Ground: the Marines at the Reservoir, the Korean War's Greatest Battle, Sides chronicles the ferocity, ingenuity and almost unimaginable courage of the surrounded and outnumbered United States Marines as they fought their way to the sea during "one of the classic battles of all time." The story is an inspirational one about "ordinary men" achieving great things in "the most extreme circumstances."



Hampton Sides-Author
& Historian

EXPLORE EASTERN EVENT










Over 100 high school students visited the campus for Explore Eastern on April 18. One student won a laptop computer and another won a \$1,128 scholarship for the fall semester, among other door prizes.

SECURITY UPDATE

For Your Safety & Ours

Spring time is here and summer is just around the corner! With the weather warming up and time change in effect it's unknown to the vast majority that the number of accidents increase during the warmer months. These are some tips to help you stay alert and safe while enjoying the weather.

-  Be observant of your surroundings! This includes all people and the environments you are in. Notify security if you feel someone doesn't belong on campus or is acting suspiciously.
-  Don't assume a vehicle will stop, even at a stop sign.
-  Use marked crosswalks where available and never cross in the middle of the street. If there is no crosswalk, only cross the street at a corner.
-  Stay close to children when crossing a street or walking along a sidewalk. Make sure younger children hold your hand or are carried, on the side of furthest from traffic.
-  Never push anyone off of the sidewalk or try to "beat" an oncoming vehicle across. If you have to walk on a road that does not have sidewalks, walk facing traffic.
-  Park in a well-lit area, next to a light pole if you can and know the parking lot that you're parked in.
-  While on campus, if you feel that you need an escort to your vehicle please contact the Security Office and we will be happy help.

For more information on sidewalk safety, go online to www.getstreetsmarts.org/downloads/adult_education/Pedestrian_Safety_Tips_ENGL.pdf

Any questions or for more safety tips, contact the ENMU-R Safety/Security Department at (575) 624-7180 or come by the office located between the RIC and RITC buildings.



ENMU-R Foundation News

FOUNDATION ELECTS OFFICERS AND WELCOMES NEW BOARD MEMBERS

The ENMU-Roswell Foundation Board of Directors recently approved the appointment of Cassie Holloway, Chief Financial Officer and Vice President at Read & Stevens, Inc. and Alejandra Martinez, New Loan Boarding Clerk at Pioneer Bank, as new members.

Holloway graduated from Goddard High School and attended New Mexico State University where she obtained her bachelor's degree in Accounting. She later obtained her Master of Business Administration degree from Eastern New Mexico University. Holloway and her husband, Byron, have 2 children.

A graduate of Dexter High School, Martinez previously worked as a teller at Wells Fargo Bank. She is currently pursuing an Associate of Arts degree in Business Administration at ENMU-Roswell. She plans to continue her education and earn a bachelor's degree in business. She is currently



Alejandra Martinez

Vice President of the Roswell Hispano Chamber of Commerce and a Co-Treasurer for Del Norte Elementary School. Martinez and her husband, Reyes, have 3 boys.

The other members of the board are Charlie Blanco, Brian Byrd, Jose Chavez, Laurie Archuleta Dudek, Mike McLeod, Adriann Ragsdale, and LaNelle Witt. Ex officio board members are Mireya Trujillo, President, Community College Board and Dr. Shawn Powell, President, ENMU-Roswell.

The Foundation's Board of Directors is made up of civic and business leaders in Chaves County who are dedicated to supporting one of the region's most important assets, ENMU-Roswell. The Eastern New Mexico University- Roswell Foundation is a non-profit group organized under 501 (c) (3) regulations to receive and distribute funds to assist the university and students enrolled at ENMU-Roswell. The foundation provides scholarships and other financial assistance to support education and training at the Roswell campus. For more information, contact Craig Collins, Foundation Coordinator, at 575-624-7304.



Cassie Holloway

The ENMU-Roswell Foundation Board of Directors recently approved the appointment of Richard C. Taylor, CPA, President and Owner of May, Taylor & Company, P.C., as a new member.

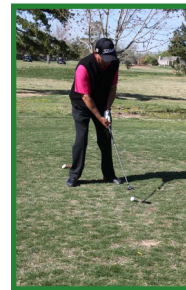
Taylor has a Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting from California State University at Los Angeles. Taylor served in the United States Air Force and has more than 50 years of experience in public accounting. Taylor is a member of the New Mexico and Texas Societies of Certified Public Accountants and a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Taylor has been a Roswell resident for 50 years and has been active in numerous community organizations. He served on the Roswell City Council for seven years and on the Chaves County Commission for eight years. He was a member of the Board of Trustees for Eastern New Mexico Medical Center for six years. He also served as the Treasurer of the Chaves County Republican Party for twenty years.

Taylor is a member of the Board of Trustees and Board President of the Assurance Home. He is a member of the Financial Council and served as Youth director at St. Peter's Church. He was a Little League coach for ten years and served on the Roswell Boy's and Girl's Club Board of Directors for six years. He is currently a committee member of Boy Scout Troop 149. Taylor and his wife, Diane, have three children and numerous grandchildren.



Richard C. Taylor

Sixteenth Annual Golf Tournament



Campus Clean Up Day



A big THANKS to all the staff and students who picked up trash, weeds, branches, etc. last Thursday for our Spring Clean-Up day! About 40 employees and students participated.



Jesse Davis & Mavis Williams

GOOD APPLES

Good Apples are popping up everywhere! Last month Mavis Williams brought energy, valued others, and demonstrated hope when she attended the Curriculum and Instruction Committee meeting and Jesse Davis recognized her contribution with a Good Apple card. Check out those smiles!

Thanks for being a
GOOD APPLE

Good Apple:

1. Contributes to the overall health and well-being of the group.
2. Desired teammate and family member.

Thanks for being a
GOOD APPLE

who...

Brings energy (*invests in the exchange or conversation*)

Values others (*treats others as unique and valued*)

Demonstrates hope (*signals that relationships will continue*)



Welcome New Staff

CUSTODIAN



Damaso Vinas

The Physical Plant would like to welcome Damaso Vinas to the campus. Although Damaso is not new to the campus, the Physical Plant would like to recognize him for his hard work and dedication. He has worked on campus now for two years.

He has lived in Roswell for five years and previously worked for RISD. He comes to New Mexico from Taguasco, Cuba.

Damaso may be contacted on campus at extension 175.

CUSTODIAN



Zoila Lopez

The Physical Plant would like to welcome Zoila Lopez to the campus. She previously worked in the cafeteria in the CUB.

She has lived in Roswell for 13 years and previously worked for Tia Juanas for 9 years.

She comes to New Mexico from Durango, Mexico.

Zoila may be contacted on campus at extension 175.

STUDENT OUTREACH PROGRAM SPECIALIST



Sherwin Pasiona

The Student Outreach Program would like to welcome Sherwin Pasiona.

Sherwin's experience includes a teaching certificate from Ateneo de Naga University in the Phillipines. He has eight years of teaching experience at the same university where he graduated. He also holds a Bachelor's degree in Philosophy from the Holy Rosary Seminary also in the Phillipines.

He has lived in the States for four years and in Roswell for two years.

Sherwin can be reached at extension 209.

Welcome to ENMU-Roswell!

Try It Track It Project

FORMATIVE ASSESSMENT THROUGH SOCIOLOGICAL COUPONS: A HIGH AND LOW CONTEXT CULTURE ASSIGNMENT ~By Edna Yokum

DEFINE THE PROBLEM:

Higher Education is changing, and assessments need to change with it. The recent inclusion of essential skills in general education courses in New Mexico is one example of this shift.

The problem was this: to find a way to holistically assess knowledge and skills which could no longer be captured within the scope of the traditional multiple choice midterm exam. If content and skill go together, is there a culturally responsive formative assessment that would measure content mastery and skill proficiency simultaneously?

HOW WAS IT ADDRESSED?

Students engaged in an in-class activity that took two class periods to complete. During Day One, they selected two vocabulary terms “out of a hat.” They were responsible for creating two coupons (one for each term) in which they incorporated the term and definition. As part of the drive to be culturally responsive in instruction, the students could work as individuals or in pairs, which allowed them to navigate their cultural contexts while showing content and skill mastery. The students were given a few examples using terms that were not available in the hat. They then had to write both coupons on chart paper to be displayed around the room.

During Day Two, the students were given post-it notes. They received direct guidance on writing constructive feedback for the coupons (such as “Your term is clear and understandable” instead of “Great job, I love it!”). They were tasked with walking around the room to read all the coupons; they would then leave comments for their classmates on whether they “got” the term or were left “needing more” information.

WAS IT SUCCESSFUL?

Yes, the project was a successful formative assessment of skill proficiency and content mastery. Just as the project had two-steps, so did the assessment. In the first level of assessment, an understanding of students’ ability to communicate, think critically, and demonstrate social and personal responsibility was evident in the process in which the students engaged. In the second level of assessment, the student’s level of understanding of key concepts within sociology was also evident.

DATA COLLECTED:

As for skill assessment, the journey was just as important as the final product. Below is the data collected, broken down into the three skills:

1) Critical thinking: Some students were comfortable making the critical connections of taking a term “out of context” and creating a new context. Other students struggled, which could be a reflection of lack of content mastery OR ability to think critically. Arguably it was more about critical thinking from the conversations during the activity. They couldn’t think of the term outside of the context of the textbook.

2) Communication: Some students were more comfortable with using writing as an additional form of communication during this assignment than they were previously in the beginning of the semester. The coupons offered a different genre and medium for them to practice their communication skills that previous assignments (Jigsaw on whiteboards OR formal written Current Event Analysis’). Again, the level of proficiency was evident in the final products through grammar/spelling and flow of information.

3) Personal and Social Responsibility: This skill was more nuanced in the assignment, but their level of civic discourse was evident in the way they presented the terms in the coupons. For example, the actual content of the sales pitch showcased their level of cultural relativism within the context of our society. Most were able to blend humor with cultural relativism.

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