PLENARY SESSIONS

7:45 a.m.—8:15 a.m.  Check In
Breakfast

8:15 a.m.—8:45 a.m.  Updates
Greg Heileman, Associate Provost: Academic Affairs

8:45 a.m.—9:00 a.m.  Enrollment Management Updates
Alex Gonzalez, Registrar and Elizabeth Jacquez Amador, Manager, Financial Aid

9:00 a.m.—9:15 a.m.  English
Charles Paine, Associate Chair of Core Writing & Director, Rhetoric and Writing

9:15 a.m.—10:00 a.m.  NSO Updates
Chriselle Martinez, Mgr. Student Initiatives: Dean of Students, and
Jose Villar, Sr. Program Manager, College Enrichment Program

10:00 a.m.—10:15 a.m.  BREAK

10:15 a.m.—10:45 a.m.  Advising Updates
Vanessa Harris, Director of University Advisement

10:45 a.m.—11:00 a.m.  Advising Awards
Vanessa Harris, Director of University Advisement

11:00 a.m.—11:30 a.m.  Freshman Year Learning Communities
Sonia Rankin, Associate Dean, University College

11:30 a.m.—11:45 a.m.  University College / Honors College Updates
Kate Krause, Dean: University College and Honors College

11:45 a.m.—12:00 p.m.  Closing
Chaouki Abdallah, Provost & Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs
The Provost’s Committee for Advising (PCA) began in 2005, in response to the Provost’s call for proposals that would address the need to: enhance advising practices University-wide for the betterment of the student user, and to provide advisors with more opportunities to develop and grow within their profession.

The selected proposal, submitted by Stephanie Hands, Michelle Steiner, and Jennifer Gomez-Chavez, discussed the advantages of having an overarching committee that attended to the mission and goals handed down by the Provost, with continuous working subcommittees that brought the ideas of the committee, with significant input from the advisor community at large, to fruition. With a final approval from the Deans, the PCA was put into place.

The PCA and respective subcommittees thus far have accomplished the following:

- Intensive research into the advising path that students take from admission to UNM to graduation, looking for problem areas along the way.
- Development of a training PASSPORT, which allows for a more consistent, comprehensive training program for new advisors.
- Creation of a professional development certificate program for advisors (pending approval from the Deans) that allows for professional development opportunities at three different levels, with advantages/perks for those advisors who choose to participate in the program.
- Involvement of advisement-related material in FastInfo.
- Management of Banner training for advisors.
- Evaluation/Assessment of new units of advisors.

**ADVISOR INSTITUTE SUB-COMMITTEE**

Thanks to the Advisor Institute Sub-committee for all your hard work on this. Included on the committee are: Shannon Saavedra, Cree Gattison, Krystal McCutchen, Marlene Sanchez, Rachel Perovich, Tiffini Porter, Mariah Harrison, Julie Bustamante, Chris Larranaga, Suzie Vigil, and JJ Conn.

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