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“ A people without the **knowledge** of their past **history, origin and culture** is like a tree without roots.”
-Marcus Garvey

Member Spotlight: Andrew Bowen

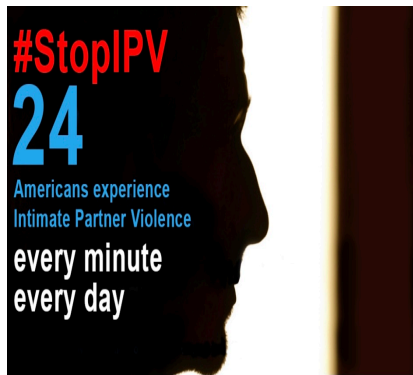
Currently the Interim Chief for the New Mexico state University (NMSU) Police Department. I have 19 years of law enforcement experience plus 4 years as a fire fighter at the NMSU Fire Department. I possess an Associate's Degree from NMSU in Emergency Management, and a Master's Degree from Sam Houston State University in criminal Justice Leadership and Management. I have completed the Federal Bureau of Investigation National Academy and have served as the Deputy Chief for the last eight years. I have enjoyed serving the NMSU community in a variety of public safety positions over the last 23 years and look forward to the opportunity to play an active role in improving our university and the community as a whole in the future.



Dear M.O.C.I Members & Supporters,

We are in the midst of a pandemic . During this period of uncertainty, we are aware of the mental health and psychosocial consequences of living through this time. We stand together, to support each other in these difficult times-
M.O.C.I

Executive Team

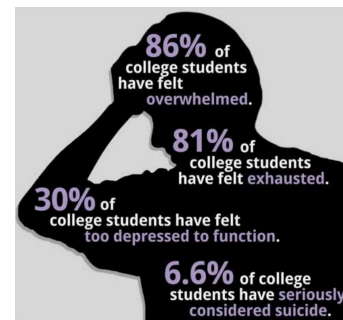


Intimate Partner Violence (IPV) and Covid 19

As the Covid 19 pandemic continues, there have been increased cases of partner and domestic violence. Be aware, seek shelter, and reach out for help.

Impact of College Life on Mental Health

College life can be stressful, which has only been increased by the Covid 19 pandemic. This can have a negative impact on your mental health and happiness. Make sure to prioritize your mental health. It is important to your overall success.



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Upcoming Events:

- Keep It Moving Fitness
- Research Wednesdays
- MOC Dialogue

dates to be announced

<https://provost.nmsu.edu/student-resources/men-of-color/>