

NEWSLTR

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

The M.O.C. Initiative is always open to new members. Find more information, including the link to sign up at <https://provost.nmsu.edu/student-resources/men-of-color/>

We hope to see you at our next meeting.

- M.O.C.I. Executive Team

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Upcoming Events:

- 1/12 MOCI Tabling
- 1/26 Study & Chill
- 2/2- Study & Chill
- 2/3 - MOC Meeting

"The time is always right to do what is right"

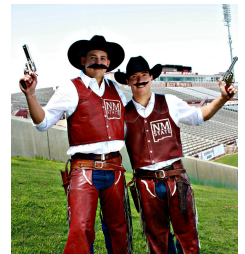
- Martin Luther King Jr.

SPRING into Success

It is the start of the Spring 2022 semester, so the campus is buzzing as students (i.e. new and returning), faculty, and staff prepare for a great academic new year. Success begins with a well thought out and executed plan. Small actions can make a big difference.

1. Confirm the time and location of all your classes
2. Sit in front of the class
3. Get to know your professors
4. Actively participate in class discussions
5. Join a club related to your major
6. Visit Instructor during their office hours (Ask questions)
7. Utilize campus quiet spaces
8. Use tutoring center and other support services
9. Find a friend or classmate to serve as a study partner
10. Don't wait until the last minute to ask for help when issues arise

NMSU is invested in your success, so let us help!



SPOTLIGHT on ACHIEVEMENT

It is an honor for the Men of Color to spotlight those members who are successful both inside and outside the classroom, in addition to earning a cumulative (overall) GPA of 3.9 and above. Let's congratulate Diego and Jordy for such an achievement.



Diego Fernandez is from Chihuahua Mexico. Diego transferred as a sophomore last semester and has loved NMSU ever since. As a Civil Engineering major, he aspires to get a Masters in Environmental Engineering and apply the knowledge and skills learned to develop and support the environment. He attributes his academic success to the many hours spent effectively studying, prioritizing exams, and seeking tutoring if he didn't understand something.



Jordy Espino grew up in Sonora, Mexico and moved to the USA when he was 16. His family still lives there who is a very important part of his life, who provide moral support and love without boundaries. As a first-generation college student, Jordy is a double major in Social Work and Spanish. Future plans are to graduate with University Honors in May 2023, then pursue a Master's degree in Social Work. As a Social Worker, Jordy hopes to assist minority groups, such as the elderly, immigrants and women.