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The CPACS Collective

Your best source of news, the latest happenings, and exciting collaborations happening in the UNO College of Public Affairs and Community Service.



CPACS: Professionally-Oriented for Student Career

Success

CPACS has always been a professionally-oriented college, striving to prepare students for careers and creating career connections with a variety of organizations. Recently, this has ramped up. Below you will read about one good example, Aviation's pipeline program with Southwest Airlines. Social Work is also launching a Training and Supervision Academy that will provide individual supervision for both provisionally licensed mental health practitioners (LMHP) and continuing education for fully licensed LMHPs. Public Administration has provided training for Nebraska municipal clerks since 1976, and has developed new training programs in fundraising management, nonprofit leadership, government finance officers, and the Certified Public Manager program. All these are part of Chancellor Joanne Li's emphasis on UNO provision of workforce development programs to grow the economy of the state.

Our 50th anniversary celebrations are in full swing. And we don't do just one party but several! See the schedule below. Hope to see you at one.

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CPACS News



2021 NCJR Annual Report Now Live

UNO's The 2021 Nebraska Center for Justice Research annual report is now live.



UNO Aviation Students Participate in Leadership Day at Southwest Airlines

Students within the UNO Aviation Institute participated in Leadership Day at the Southwest Airlines Training Facility in Dallas, Texas.



New National Rankings Highlight UNO's Leadership in Online Programs

Online programs at the University of Nebraska at Omaha (UNO) are receiving national recognition, including notable jumps in rankings from U.S. News & World Report.



2022 CPACS Alumni Award Winners Announced

From excellence in the classroom to the community, these stellar alumni are being honored at this year's 2022 CPACS Alumni Awards Reception on March 10.



CPACS Celebrates 50 Years

Remarkable faculty and staff; distinguished alumni; national rankings; and excellence top the charts as the College of Public Affairs and Community Service begins celebrating the last 50 years.

NU Foundation Corner: 50 for 50

In celebration of the 50th anniversary of the College of Public Affairs and Community Service (CPACS), we are setting a goal to raise \$50,000 to support 50 CPACS students. We are inviting all alumni and community partners to join us in this tremendous effort.

CPACS was created to offer academic programs to prepare graduates to meet the critical social needs of our community and state. Your gift will assure CPACS continues to empower future leaders, foster inclusive collaboration, and create innovative solutions.

Gifts to this important campaign will provide student assistance, books and supplies, and access to educational resources. You can make your gift by visiting fundrasie.nufoundation.org/CPACS50. Thank you for supporting the next generation of Mavericks.

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Upcoming Programming

Curious People Series Featuring CPACS Justin Nix

Register for the School of Criminology and Criminal Justice Scholarship and Awards Luncheon

Save the Date for Upcoming CPACS 50th Anniversary Events

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