WHAT IS SERVICE LEARNING?

Service Learning is a method of teaching that combines classroom instruction with meaningful, community-identified service.

**Traditional Service Learning Model**
- Connects a UNO course with a community agency
- Engaged over 1,600 UNO students during the 2017-2018 academic year

**P-16 Service Learning Model**
- Connects a UNO course with a community agency and a preschool–12th grade classroom
- Facilitated over 190 P-16 projects in the last two years

WHY SERVICE LEARNING?

- Research has shown students, educators and communities benefit from service learning
- Educators enhance their own skills while engaging with motivated students who are applying classroom concepts to real life situations
- Communities become connected with students through increased civic engagement
- Allows for impactful involvement with the community through unique partnerships that fill community-identified needs

WHAT DOES THE UNO SERVICE LEARNING ACADEMY DO?

- **Supports** faculty, staff and partners engaged in service learning
- **Educates** others about service learning
- **Connects** with the community to plan and implement Traditional and P-16 service learning
- **Researches** and assesses service learning

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SERVICE LEARNING 101

Learn about integrating service learning into your course with the Service Learning Academy.

Service Learning 101 trainings introduce concepts and standards of service learning, providing UNO faculty the opportunity to identify and discuss the integration of service learning into course curricula in a small group setting.

All UNO educators welcome!

All trainings will be in the Weitz CEC, Room 128 Marian Ivers Board Room

Fall Semester
SEPTEMBER 13, 3 - 4pm
OCTOBER 17, 1:30 - 2:30pm
NOVEMBER 6, 9 - 10am

Spring Semester
JANUARY 22, 9 - 10am
FEBRUARY 20, 1:30 - 2:30pm
MARCH 14, 3 - 4pm

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The Service Learning Academy (SLA) at UNO offers support for faculty to create academic service learning projects. The SLA provides resources for the development and implementation of quality service learning on campus and with our community.

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