





# CrimsonOpps for Mon., Feb. 24, 2025

*This week: virtual presentations at URCAS, April events in Honors, last call for the Student Juried Art Show, Lowride Culture Internship at the Smithsonian, culinary competition, & more!*



- Virtual URCAS! NMSU Global, Grants, and Alamagordo
- Mark your calendar for April events in Honors:
  - Theater Reception for *The Prom*, 4/10 
  - Undergraduate Research and Creative Arts Symposium, 4/25, register to present by 4/1
  - Undergraduate Poetry Reading @ Grounded, 4/25 (call for readers coming soon)
  - Honors Team for campus Suicide Prevention Walk, 4/26
- LAST DAY to enter the NMSU Juried Student Art Show
- 575 Food Fights Culinary Competitions
- Lowrider Culture Internship at the Smithsonian (all fields)
- Summer STEM Research on: 
  - Reproductive and Developmental Sciences in Michigan
  - Biostatistics and Data Science in Florida
- Reminder of upcoming deadlines: Summer QU-REACH at UNM

## **URCAS 2025: DID YOU KNOW?** **Students enrolled in NMSU Global, Grants, and Alamagordo can present virtually!**

[MORE INFO ON THE WEBSITE HERE.](#)

**HAVE QUESTIONS?**  
**EMAIL [TOMLIN@NMSU.EDU](mailto:TOMLIN@NMSU.EDU)**



**Virtual URCAS**

**URCAS 2025**  
30th Annual NMSU Undergraduate Research & Creative Arts Symposium  
Friday, April 25, 2025, in Corbett Center

Share your research and creative projects with a friendly audience. Prizes offered in several categories!

Register by April 1, 2025

# NMSU HONORS COLLEGE APRIL EVENTS

**NMSU Theatre Dept. Preview of  
"The Prom"**

Thursday, April 10th, 3:30-5:00 pm  
RECEPTION in HONORS COMMONS  
Thursday, April 10th, 5:30-7:30 pm  
FREE TICKETS TO SHOW



for first 25 to request them! Register here:  
<https://forms.office.com/r/mTn7B544Sk>

## URCAS Conference

Corbett, 3rd Floor: Friday,  
April 25th, 8:00 am-3:00 pm

## POETRY Night -- Part of URCAS

Grounded Cafe: Friday,  
April 25, 4:30-6:30 pm

## Out of the Darkness Suicide Prevention Walk

JOIN TEAM HONORS on this NMSU Walk!  
Saturday, April 26, 8:30-11:00 am  
Sign up to be on the Honors Team here:  
<https://forms.office.com/r/zBb2Md7na5>

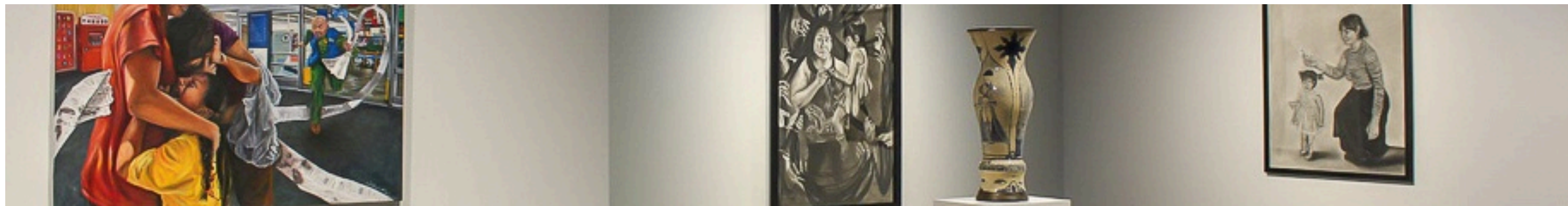


**AND EVERY THURSDAY ALL SEMESTER  
Tea and Yoga: 3:30-4:30 pm, Honors Commons**

For any questions, please email  
[honors@nmsu.edu](mailto:honors@nmsu.edu)

# **2025 JURIED STUDENT ART SHOW: LAST CALL!**

Email [artmuseum@nmsu.edu](mailto:artmuseum@nmsu.edu) to get started



The University Art Museum at NMSU invites you to apply for the 2025 Juried Student Show. The deadline to apply is 11 p.m. Feb. 27.

Register for access to the UAM JSS Canvas site by emailing your full name and NMSU email address to [artmuseum@nmsu.edu](mailto:artmuseum@nmsu.edu). Log onto Canvas and find “UAM Juried Student Show” in your courses within the next 48 hours of emailing. For more information, contact Jasmine Herrera at 575-646-2545 or Jennell Juarez at [artmuseum@nmsu.edu](mailto:artmuseum@nmsu.edu).

## **575 FOOD FIGHTS COMING UP IN GERALD THOMAS 100**

**March 3, March 17, March 24, April 7, April 14 and April 21  
(100 West Café in Gerald Thomas Hall)**



575 Food Fights, the culinary bracket-style competition, is back for a bigger and better third season — with more competitions and entertainment. The event is free and open to the public. 575 Food Fights is looking for competitors for the following categories: community (open to the public, no food experience required), students (hospitality or culinary students), and professionals (those that have been employed or are currently employed in the hospitality or culinary industry). If you would like more information or have any questions, please reach out to chef Danielle Young at [danielly@nmsu.edu](mailto:danielly@nmsu.edu) or call at 575-646-8099. You can register to compete on the HRTM website (click header).

### **CURCA ADVISING THIS SPRING**

**Mondays, 12:30-2 (CHC 204)**

**Tuesdays, 10:30-12 (Zoom)**



Are you interested in research or creative scholarship but unsure where to begin? Let's meet to identify opportunities in your field and brainstorm how to get started. Just drop in!

# **SUMMER SMITHSONIAN INTERNSHIP: WOMEN AT THE WHEEL: LOWRIDER CULTURE**

**Deadline: March 1, 2025**



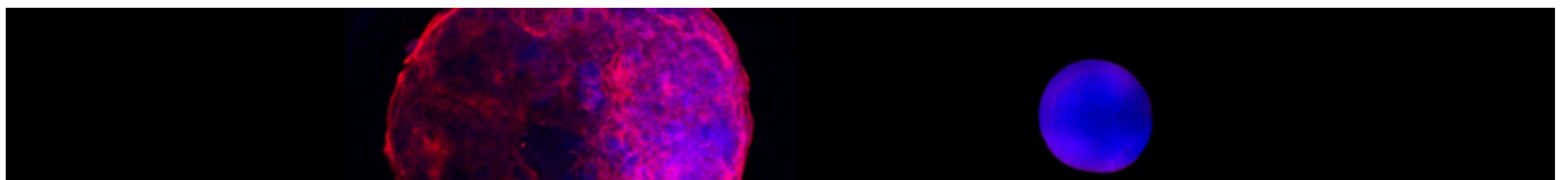
This curatorial and public programs internship supports the “Lowrider Culture” program area of the 2025 Smithsonian Folklife Festival, *Youth and the Future of Culture*, taking place on the National Mall in Washington, D.C., July 2–7.

More information & application attached and at <https://internships.si.edu/opportunity/women-wheel-lowrider-culture-internship>



## **REPRODUCTIVE AND DEVELOPMENTAL SCIENCES: UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH EXPERIENCE AT MICHIGAN STATE**

**Deadline: Fri., Feb. 28, 2025**



Participants will be trained in areas of reproductive biology and developmental sciences and participate in career development workshops to prepare them for graduate school. Researchers work with mentors at one of 15 MSU labs--see website for projects. The opportunity to attend the Society for the Study of Reproduction annual conference may also be available. Preferentially, juniors or rising seniors are invited to apply.

10-weeks, starts May 27, 2025. Stipend, travel, and lodging provided. Apply at <https://www.canr.msu.edu/rdstp/summer-undergraduate-training>.

## **FLORIDA SUMMER INSTITUTE IN BIOSTATISTICS AND DATA SCIENCE**

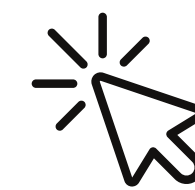
**Deadline: Fri., March 14, 2025 (asap, rolling review)**



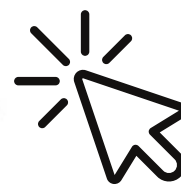
Florida's Summer Institute in Biostatistics and Data Science Program (SIBDS), funded by the National Institutes of Health, seeks undergraduate students or those recent graduates not currently in graduate programs, to discover how working with data can change lives. The program explores how data, driven by participants' responses, can help draw conclusions on everything from why COVID-19 impacts certain populations more than others, to why clinical trials are important and a whole lot more. Hosted on Florida Atlantic University's campus in Boca Raton.

6-weeks, starts May 19, 2025. Stipend, housing, and more--see details on website about reimbursement portion. More information and application on the website: <https://www.fau.edu/research-admin/cores/biostatistics-core/fl-summer-institute-biostatistics-data-science-program-2025/>

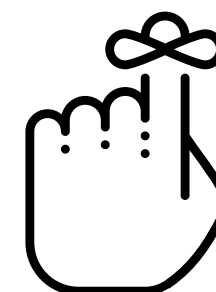
## **DON'T SEE A SUMMER PROGRAM IN YOUR FIELD? BROWSE THESE DATABASES!**



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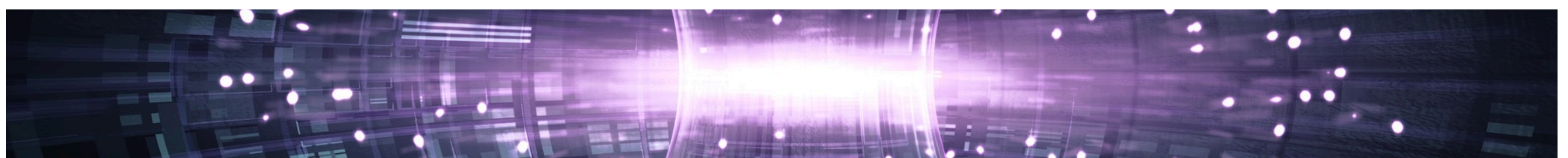


## **REMINDERS**



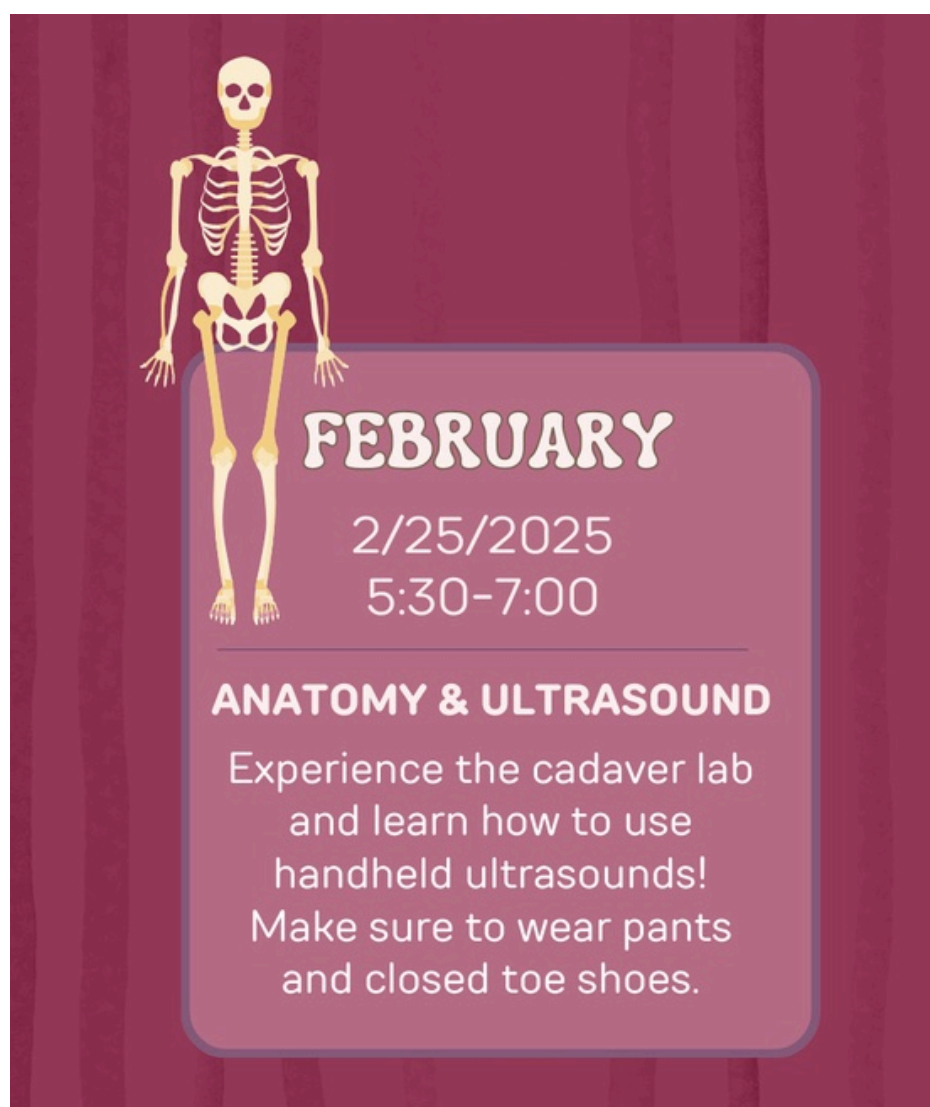
## **QUANTUM TECHNOLOGY SUMMER RESEARCH AT UNM**

**Deadline: Fri., March 7, 2025**

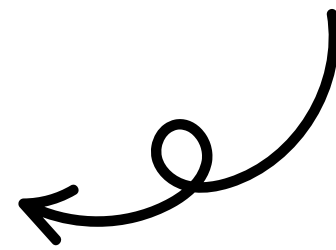


Quantum Technology promises to revolutionize the fields of computing, communications, and sensing and deepen our understanding of the universe. The paid QU-REACH program at UNM offers New Mexico undergraduates an early hands-on research experience in Quantum Technology. Projects are available in a broad range of disciplines (Physics, Chemistry, Electrical Engineering, etc.) related to the three cornerstones of Quantum Technology: Quantum Sensing, Quantum Communications, and Quantum Computing.

10-weeks, May 27-Aug. 1; \$7,000 stipend. Apply at <https://qureach.unm.edu/>



**BURRELL-AGGIE  
MENTORSHIP EVENT  
TOMORROW:  
CADAVER LAB**



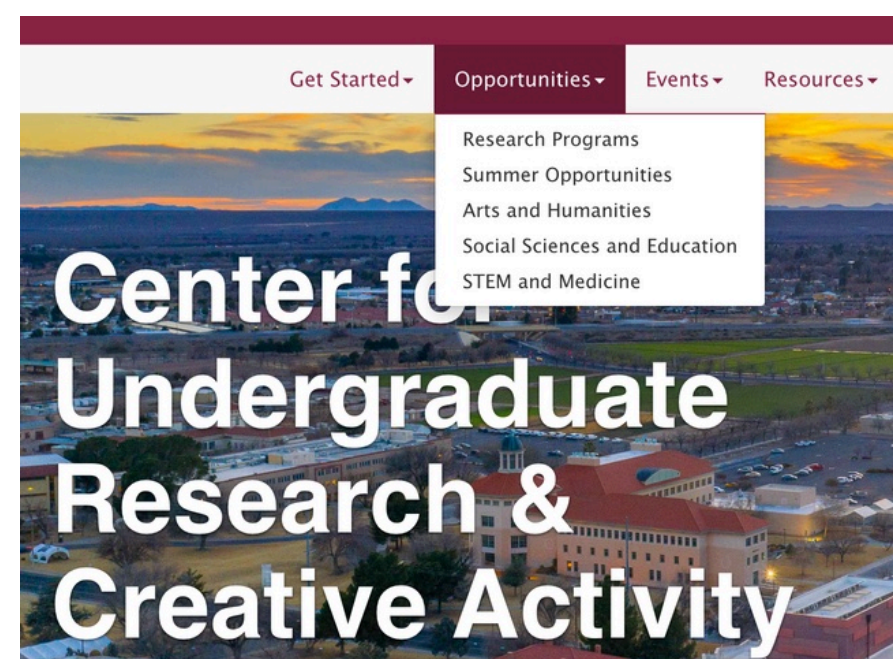
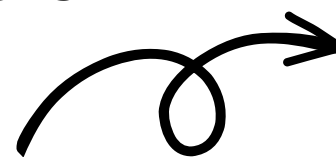
**SIGN UP NOW  
TO PRESENT AT THE UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH  
AND CREATIVE ARTS SYMPOSIUM ON 4/25**

Present a research poster, give a short talk, or perform!  
For more info and to sign up, go to the [URCAS website](#).

**All undergraduate work is welcome:**

- research posters and talks
- course projects
- findings from an internship
- performances
- readings
- screenings
- and more!

**OPPORTUNITIES & RESOURCES  
ON THE CURCA WEBSITE**



**AND UPCOMING EVENTS/DEADLINES ON SOCIAL MEDIA**



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## ***And as always:***

- to get started in research and creative activity, visit [CURCA](#) and email Dr. Tracey Miller-Tomlinson at tomlin@nmsu.edu,
- to learn about our journal of undergraduate scholarship, submit work or join the editorial team, go to [The Agora](#),
- to find national scholarships and opportunities, visit the [Fellowships Office](#) and contact Dr. Lori Keleher at lkeleher@nmsu.edu,
- to talk about an [Honors capstone project](#), or getting Honors credit for a [capstone in your major](#), contact Dean Camarena at phame@nmsu.edu,
- to learn more about the [McNair Scholars Program](#), contact Director Marko Mohlenhoff at markom@nmsu.edu,
- for [Honors capstone internships](#), including medical shadowing, contact Shawn Werner at swerner@nmsu.edu,
- for advising and help [graduating with Honors](#), contact Dr. Anne Hubbell at ahubbell@nmsu.edu.

Best wishes,

Dr. Tracey M-T



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