



CrimsonOpps for Mon., July 22, 2024

This week: apply to the AMP research program in STEM, NASA seeks artists and researchers, calls for art and creative writing, livestock field research days, & more.

- Introducing fall CURCA coordinator Devynne Hadley '24!
- NM AMP seeks STEM student researchers for Fall 2024
- ACES Livestock Research Field Days
- Psyche Inspired seeks student artists to depict NASA mission
- NASA Undergraduate Research Program
- CAMP Art Contest: The Migrant Story
- *Puerto del Sol* Poetry and Prose Contest
- Play a learning game: Dr. Eugene's Biotech Lab

MEET DEVYNNE HADLEY, FALL CURCA COORDINATOR

Visit [CHC 2024](#) for fall office hours or email devynne@nmsu.edu



Have questions about how to get started in undergraduate research and creative activity? Ask Honors graduate Devynne Hadley '24! This fall, Devynne is Activities Coordinator for CURCA. For her Honors capstone, Devynne served as founding editor for NMSU's undergraduate journal of research and creative activity, The Agora. This fall, she continues her mission of supporting undergraduate scholars through CURCA and the Honors College. To learn more about Devynne, visit "About the Center" on the CURCA website.

Visit the website next month for Devynne's office hours

NM AMP SEEKS STEM STUDENTS FOR FALL 2024

URS & STEM PREP deadline for fall 2024: Thurs., Sept. 5, 2024

Applications are open for New Mexico Alliance for Minority Participation programs,

including the STEM PREP and the Undergraduate Research Scholars (URS) programs. STEM PREP prepares students who have completed at least one term to get started in research. URS supports students in faculty-mentored research projects and provides professional development and preparation for internships, grad school, and the workforce.



ACES LIVESTOCK RESEARCH FIELD DAYS

Aug. 6 in Tucumcari, Sept. 16 in Clayton, NM.



NMSU's annual field day at the Rex E. Kirksey Agricultural Science Center in Tucumcari will cover topics such as forage sorghum, alternate cropping system and cattle genetic testing. For more info and to register, go to <https://rsvp.nmsu.edu/rsvp/tucumcari>. Clayton Research Center will hold a field day on Sept. 16.

A full schedule of summer and fall ACES field research days is posted at <https://aes.nmsu.edu/field-days.html>.

PYSICHE INSPIRED SEEKS STUDENT ARTISTS TO DEPICT NASA MISSION

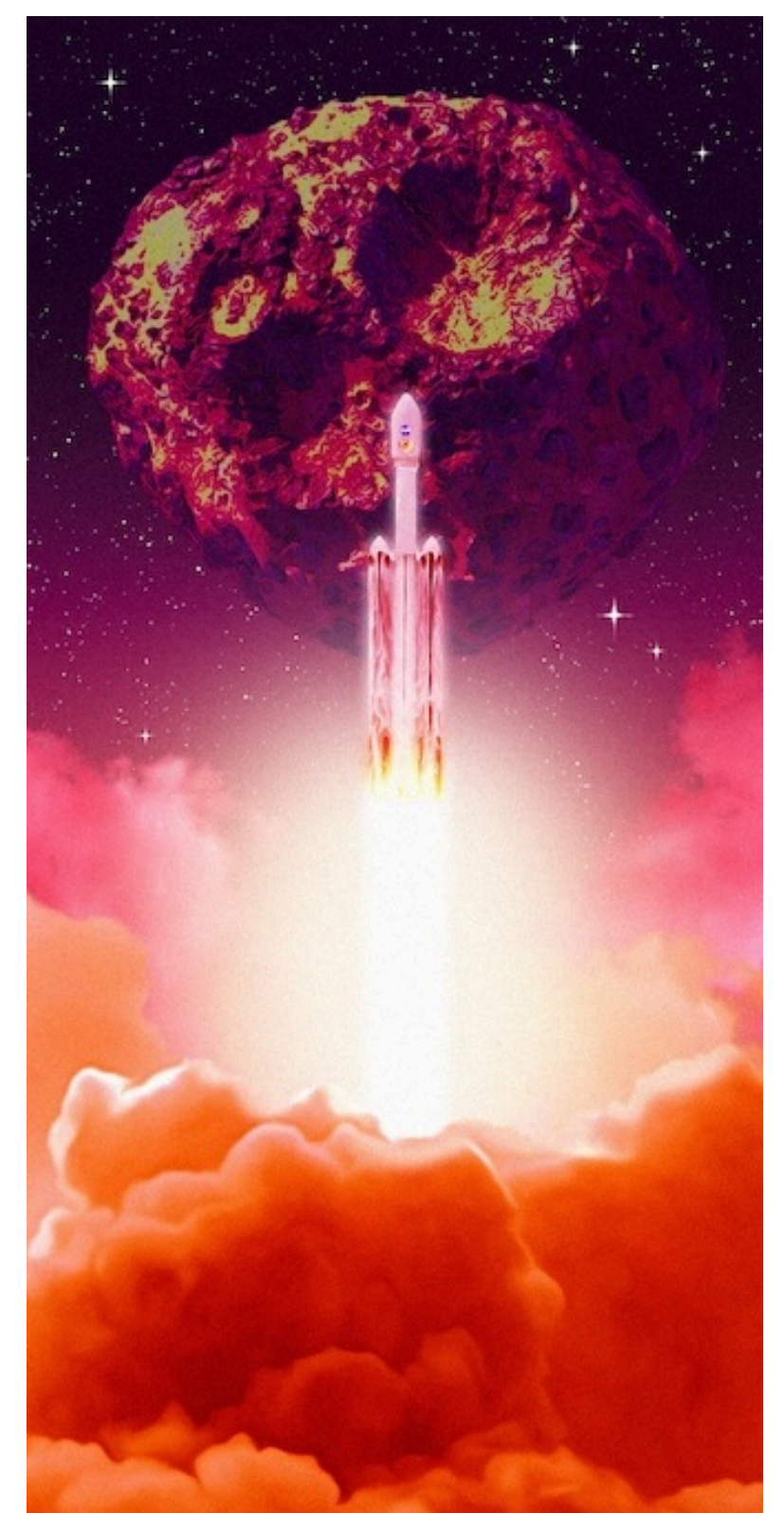
Deadline this Friday, July 26, by noon

Directed by the 2023 NMSU University Speaker, Dr. Lindy Elkins-Tanton, NASA's Psyche mission to a metal asteroid seeks creative interns for the Psyche Inspired Program.

Psyche Inspired interns will create art to share the excitement, innovation, and scientific and engineering content of NASA's Psyche mission. As part of the Psyche team, they will interact with Psyche scientists and engineers from NASA, ASU, and other partners.

Interns will meet once per week via videoconferencing and submit creative work at assigned intervals through the year. All majors welcome!

For more information, and to apply, go to <https://psyche.asu.edu/get-involved/psyche-inspired/psyche-inspired-application-iridium-class/>.



NASA UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH PROGRAM

Deadline for Spring 2025: Fri., Aug. 23



Paid interns at NASA's Office of STEM Engagement contribute to the agency's mission to advance science, technology, aeronautics, and space exploration. Interns gain practical work experience while working with mentors who are research scientists, engineers, and individuals from other professions. Internships may be full time or part time, at a NASA facility or remote from your home.

2025 NASA Internship Deadlines:

Spring 2025: Fri., Aug. 23, 2024

Summer 2025 (Early Decision): Oct. 25, 2024;

Summer 2024 (Final):

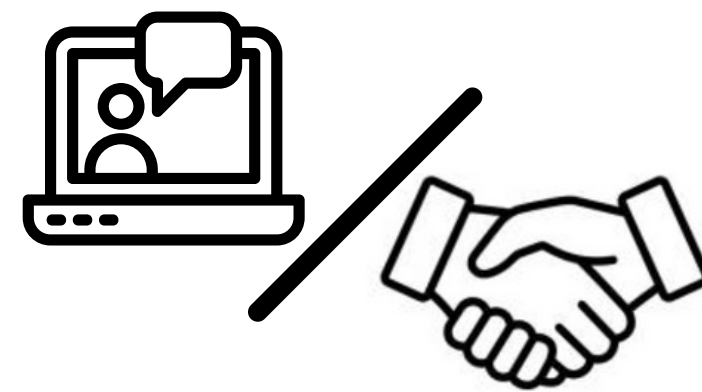
Final, Feb. 28, 2025

Fall 2025: May 16, 2025

CURCA RESEARCH ADVISING THIS FALL

Email devynne@nmsu.edu to make an appointment

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



CAMP PROGRAM 2024 ART CONTEST

Deadline: Weds, July 31, by noon

Calling CAMP/HEP students and alums enrolled full-time!

The **HEP/CAMP Association** will provide a **\$1,000** scholarship/stipend to the winner of this contest!!

The competition invites CAMP/HEP students' original artwork incorporating this year's theme, "The Migrant Story: Standing Tall Through Adversity." Submit your artwork to camp@nmsu.edu by noon on Weds., July 31.

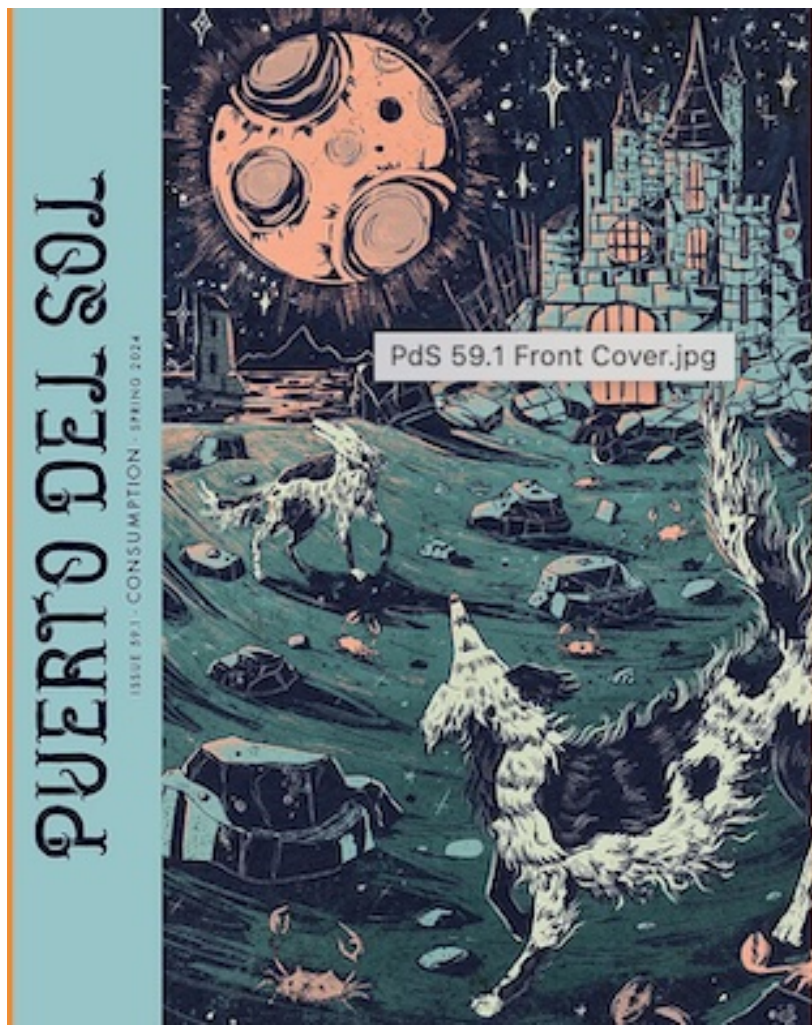
Unleash Your Creativity!
2024 HEP/CAMP STUDENT ART CONTEST

The National HEP/CAMP Association is calling for submissions of student artwork to be used in the cover of the 2024 HEP/CAMP Association National Conference program. The Association will provide a **\$1,000 scholarship/stipend** to the winner of this contest.

Submit your artwork to camp@nmsu.edu by noon on Wednesday, July 31, 2024.

Artwork By : Ashley Cisneros Artwork By : Ruby DeAnda

PUERTO DEL SOL POETRY AND PROSE CONTEST



Deadline: Sun., Sept. 1

Submit poetry and prose for *Puerto del Sol's* annual juried competition. Puerto del Sol is a national journal published by NMSU's Creative Writing faculty and MFA students.

Submit work at <https://puertodelsol.submittable.com/submit> (fee applies).

Let's play
a
Game



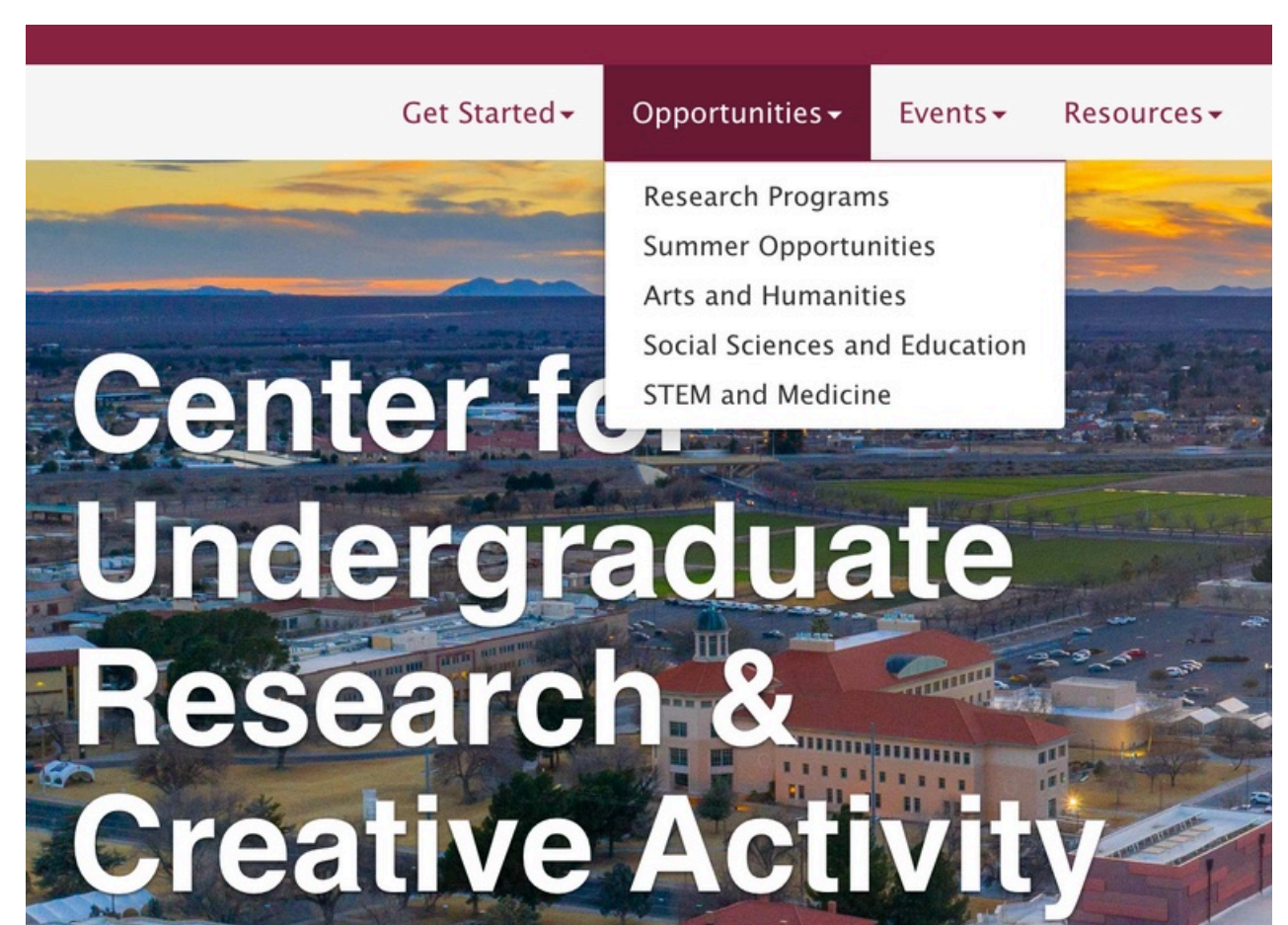
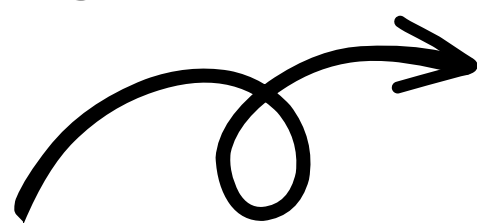
PLAY A GAME: DR. EUGENE'S BIOTECH LAB

Eugene's Biotech Lab is a collaboration between the NMSU Learning Games Lab and the University of Connecticut.

Today is your first day as an intern at the biotech lab! Learn about how to use gene editing to strengthen agriculture and conserve environmental resources. The Federation Orbital Operation Department for Sustainability or F.O.O.D.S. is an inter-planetary coalition tasked with helping explorers better adapt to unique alien environments with technologies for more effective food production. Play the game here: <https://4hbiotechgames.com/play.html>.

Find more games on the NMSU Learning Games Lab website at <https://innovativemedia.nmsu.edu/products/college.html>.

OPPORTUNITIES & RESOURCES ON THE CURCA WEBSITE



AND UPCOMING EVENTS/DEADLINES ON SOCIAL MEDIA



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RESEARCH AND CREATIVE ACTIVITY

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. Andrea Orzoff at aorzoff@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 Associate Dean Anne Hubbell at ahubbell@nmsu.edu.

Best wishes,

Dr. Tracey M-T



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