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New and Improved Scholarship Process

The Office of Financial Aid introduces STARS online, the new online software that will improve the scholarship process for both staff and students. In the past, the scholarship process has been difficult and time consuming. With the new online scholarship software, time, money, paper and frustration will be saved. Students will learn about their awards quicker and be able to track the progress online. Staff will spend less time processing information and have better access to updates and reports without the intervention of IT. To learn more about the benefits of the new software go to www.starsonlinescholarships.com.

Administrator Speaks to the Masses

Executive Director of Enrollment Management, Randall Langston, spoke this past January at the College Personnel Association of Colorado Annual Conference. In the upcoming months he will also be speaking at the following conferences:

-SunGard Summit Conference, March 2011, New Orleans, LA. Topic: *Implementing Campus Wide Enrollment Management in Difficult Fiscal Times: Defining Key Ingredients to Success.*

-International Conference on Student Retention, June 2011, San Diego, CA. Topic: *Recruitment, Retention, and Financial Aid: Bringing it All Together.*

The National Association of Student Personnel Administrators will be publishing Randall's article, *Engaging in Research--Lessons Learned, Lessons Shared* in their winter newsletter. For more information contact Randall at Randall.Langston@unco.edu.

Introducing "Healthy Monday" Program

Campus Recreation is excited to provide a new wellness program to UNC students, faculty and staff. The Healthy Monday program is a national movement that dedicates the first day of each week to health and wellness. Every Monday, individuals commit to healthy behaviors that improve nutrition, fitness and overall health.

The Healthy Monday program is an online program. Goals focusing on behavior change are posted on the Fitness and Wellness website each week. Participants are able to track their progress by downloading a weekly score card and turning them in to be entered into drawings for massages, personal training sessions and more. A variety of mini-events, including chair massage and free fitness classes, are also available to keep participants motivated.

The UNC Healthy Monday program was recently highlighted on the national Healthy Monday website and 75 UNC students, faculty and staff are currently participating. You can register and begin participating in this free program at any time. To learn more, visit Campus Recreation's Healthy Monday website, or contact Jessica Weiderspon, at jessica.weiderspon@unco.edu.

Summer & Fall 2011 Registration Begins April 4th
For Current Summer Session Courses Visit
www.unco.edu/summer/schedule

UNC Grad Completes Rec Center Mural



A new mural now graces the UNC Recreation Center. The large mural which depicts a roaring wild bear in a mountainous landscape emblazoned with the university name was completed by UNC alumnus Armando Silva. Silva received his bachelor's degree in visual arts last May. The mural took him nearly 280 hours between November 1 and January 14 and is the largest project Silva has taken on to date. Read more about Silva and his accomplishments since graduating in his [UNC featured story](#).

Check-out Admissions new "visit" page!
www.unco.edu/visit/

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