

**UNM SCHOOL OF LAW  
FACULTY MEETING**

**Tuesday, April 9, 2013**

The meeting was called to order by Interim Dean Bergman at 3:02 p.m.

**Attendance**

**Faculty:** George Bach, Reed Benson, Barbara Bergman, Sherri Burr, Yael Cannon, Eileen Gauna, Scott Hughes, April Land, John LaVelle, Alfred Mathewson, Aliza Organick, Sergio Pareja, Carol Parker, Alex Ritchie, Dave Sidhu, Kevin Tu, Peter Winograd, Christine Zuni Cruz

**Students:** Jesse Allen

**Sr. Staff/Staff:** Jeffery Dubinski-Neessen, Stephanie Grant, Cyndi Johnson, Pam Lambert, Bonnie Stepleton, Raylene Weis

**I. Announcements**

- The Governor signed House Bill 483 establishing a Public Defender Commission.
- Professor Sherri Burr announced the open house for the Students' Art Show on April 16<sup>th</sup>, and provided information for the Fall 2013 art show, which will showcase faculty artists.
- Professor Christine Zuni Cruz announced that the Federal Bar Conference SILC Alumni Reception will be held at the Buffalo Thunder Resort on April 11 from 5:00 to 6:30.

**II. Approval of Minutes from March 5, 2013**

A motion to approve the minutes from the faculty meeting on March 5, 2013, was made. It was seconded, and the faculty unanimously approved the minutes.

**III.** Jeffery Dubinski-Neessen gave an update on the Admissions Accepted Applicants' Day. He reported that the feedback from the applicants, their families, and faculty were very positive.

**IV.** Bonnie Stepleton provided an update of Bar Exam results from February 2013.

**V.** Associate Dean Carol Parker reported on the Self-Study Committee for the pending ABA Site Visit (2014-15). There was an explanation of the process involved, the criteria that will be used, and the timeline for compiling the self-study data for submission prior to the on-site visit.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:00 p.m.