## ANNUAL FALL UNM WATER FORUM

Tuesday October 31, 2006 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM Lobo A&B Student Union Building University of New Mexico

The Office of the Vice President for Research & Economic Development and the UNM Water Resources Program are hosting the annual Water Forum featuring presentations from different segments of the campus water community and invited guests. As an added feature this year, The Rio Grande Seminar series presentation is part of the Water Forum

**PURPOSE**: The Water Forum is convened to bring together invited guests and members of the UNM community engaged in water research and creative activities so we may learn from one another and share our work; and to continue a dialogue that will lead to collaborations, partnerships, and syntheses of ideas for expansion of interdisciplinary research and creative activity on water topics.

**WHO SHOULD ATTEND**: University faculty, staff and students, and members of the larger New Mexico water community interested in water issues and solutions to practical problems.

**ABOUT THE FORUM**: Presentation topics include the 2006 monsoon; the Middle Rio Grande urban flood demonstration program; community acequias; water leasing markets; and potable reuse of municipal wastewater. Bill Hume (invited), Director of Policy and Issues, Office of the Governor Bill Richardson, will speak on the Year of Water. Erik Webb, Sandia National Laboratories and detailed to the staff of Senator Pete Domenici, will talk about the Water/Energy Nexus. A special feature of this year's Forum is The Rio Grande Seminar lecture by environmental historian Dan Scurlock. He will present on the *History of the Rio Grande*.

**REGISTRATION**: All attendees are encouraged to register in advance. There is no registration fee. The registration Web site for the Water Forum can be found at <a href="http://research.unm.edu/NewsEvents/register/">http://research.unm.edu/NewsEvents/register/</a>. Please look under **Water Forum**. Advance registrations will be taken up to <a href="mailto:5:00 pm">5:00 pm</a>, **Friday**, **October 27**, **2006**, after which registration can be made at the symposium. Registration questions should be directed to Dr. Tim J. Ward, P.E., Assistant Vice-President for Research, at <a href="mailto:tjward@unm.edu">tjward@unm.edu</a> or by phone at (505) 277.2328.



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