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## **Center for Business Innovation**

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The center will operate as a workforce development site, where local workers can obtain new skills base on the requirements of growing fields and emerging markets. The facility will be equipped to support digital media production, information technology, distance communications services and business/consumer services and will provide an opportunity for constituents to engage a state-of-the-art digital broadcasting theater where presentations and instruction can be shared to both live and online participants around the globe.

As part of the downtown UNM-Taos facilities, the Center for Business Innovation is well situated to share its resources to local small business members and our own programs in the technology and health care areas. The center will be supported and provide pipeline opportunities for UNM-Taos's newly created Digital Media Arts (DMA) academic program and will provide numerous opportunities to both clients and students to engage media production in Northern New Mexico. Curriculums oriented toward entrepreneurship as well as career technical education will be developed to further develop the outcomes for DMA programming related to business and workforce development and will align with programs at the secondary level, with an appropriate partnership with the Taos Municipal Schools. Academic Courses to be offered via the UNM-Taos Digital Media Arts program for upcoming semesters will include topics courses in 3D Design for Digital 3D Printing and Digital Media for Social Networking, among others.

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## Details

**Ages:** Children and Youth Teen Adults Seniors/elderly

**Races:** All

**Genders:** All

**Intake Process:** Appointment Necessary Call Email Walk-In

**Payment Options:** Fee for service Free

**Waiting List:** Sometimes

**Contact:** Louis Moya

**Contact Email:** moya@unm.edu

**Capacity:** Informational (all), Consultation/Partnership (3-4 Business/fiscal quarter)

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## Services

Community Economic Development

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## Locations

### UNM-Taos Center for Business Innovation

*115 Civic Plaza Dr.*

*Ranchos de Taos, NM 87557*

**Mailing:**

*1157 County Road 110*

*Ranchos de Taos, NM 87557*

**Phone:** (575) 737-3737

**Hours:** 9am-5pm

**Languages Spoken:** English Spanish

**Services Limited By Geography:** Generally to Taos County Residents

**Geographic Area Served:** Colfax County Rio Arriba County Taos County

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## Parent Organization

### UNM-Taos Branch Campus

UNM-Taos provides quality educational opportunities that transform the lives of our students, enrich the cultural life of our diverse communities, and strengthen the regional economy.

*1157 County Road 110  
Ranchos de Taos, NM 87557*

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