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# NEW MEXICO PUBLIC REGULATION COMMISSION

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**NEWS RELEASE**

## Commissioner Lovejoy Addresses UNM Business School Graduates

**SANTA FE** – New Mexico Public Regulation Commissioner Lynda Lovejoy was the guest speaker at the 20th Annual Commemorative Honor Banquet held Friday evening, May 6, at the All-Indian Pueblo Cultural Center in Albuquerque.

Native American student graduates of May 2016 from the Anderson School of Management, the business school located at the University of New Mexico since 1947, were presented with various leadership awards at the banquet sponsored by the American Indian Business Association (AIBA).

AIBA is a service organization under the umbrella of the UNM Anderson School of Management, whose primary goal is to increase the retention and graduation rate of Native American students at UNM. It encourages and directs students to take advantage of opportunities that will help them develop personal character and allow them to give back to their communities as they forge ahead on their respective career paths; and it provides first-hand experiences in the business arena through networking, conferences and internship.

“I’m proud to be here, assembled with people, including students, who know the meaning of sacrifice, personal commitment, the value of education, discipline, responsibility, self-development, ethics, love and respect,” Commissioner Lovejoy remarked. “These are the values and ideals that define our character to live a productive and successful life. You are successful young people who deserve recognition as you set another educational milestone in your life.”

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