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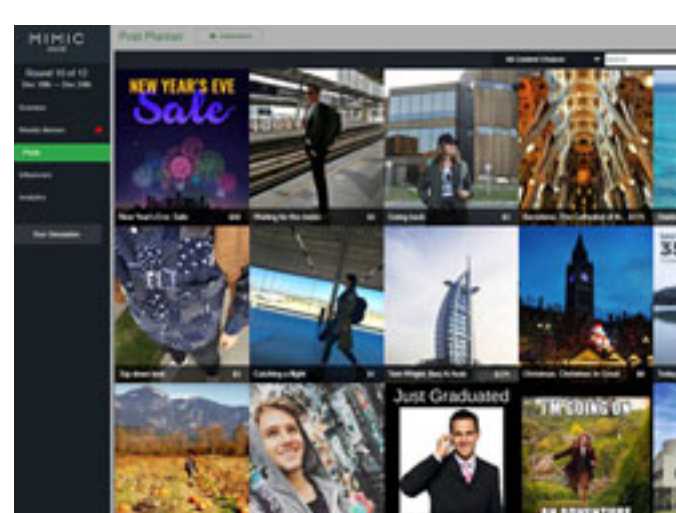
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New app helps connect students to global experiences

A new interactive tool helps students participate in virtual global classrooms and internships, access passport services and streamline course-approval processes.



Simulations let students, staff practice high-stakes skills

Computer-based simulations being used in education, patient care and research missions combine real-life verisimilitude with video-game-style consequences. If you run into trouble here, you always can try again.



Gaspar to intern on Capitol Hill

Bessie Gaspar, political science major and vice president of the Spanish and Latino Student Association, earned an internship with the Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute for its 2021 summer program.

More news online

Get campus news at uab.edu/students and COVID-19 updates at uab.edu/uabunited. If you have news you want to share, use the [Request Publicity](#) form online.

Information



Summer parking permit sales start tomorrow

Summer parking permits will be available for purchase online, on a first-come, first-served basis, beginning 8 a.m. April 1. Review rates and zone options before purchasing a permit; exchanges may not be possible.

Explore a career in occupational and environmental health

This free, innovative institute is open to undergraduate students in engineering, the sciences (biology, chemistry, physics), nursing and health sciences programs to explore the science and practice of occupational and environmental safety and health. Learn more and apply online for the four-day program to be held May 18-21.

Student veterans hosting food drive for homeless vets

The [UAB Student Veterans Association](#) is hosting a food and supply drive for Three Hots and A Cot through April 30. Donations can be dropped off in Hill Student Center Suite 313. A list of needed items is online.

Mark your calendars



Explore privilege, oppression with fellow students March 31

Examine your own identities and learn about systemic privilege, oppression and social justice in this students-only Safe Zone training session 5-6:30 p.m. March 31.

Learn to use digital platforms to advocate for social change

Graduate students Odion Ovbiagele and Jaylah Cosby will lead a conversation on activism for human rights, criminal justice reform and racial equity 4 p.m. April 6 on Zoom.

Do 'respectability' standards violate your rights?

Tamar Malloy, Ph.D., associate professor of political science at the University of Colorado Boulder, will discuss ways in which she says the politics of respectability have been co-opted by dominant groups as a tool to provide legal and social cover for structural injustice 4 p.m. April 7.

Need to talk about your pandemic experiences?

UAB Student Affairs is hosting a student-led initiative, OWN Your Resilience, to provide a safe space for students to share their mental health struggles and experiences 6 p.m. April 1 on Zoom.

One more thing



3 walking trails show off UAB's outdoor public art collection

UAB's campus is home to more than 35 statues or sculptures, and each trail takes about 30 minutes or fewer to walk. The trails can be viewed on a specialized [Google Map](#), created by the UAB Reporter to provide additional details about the art and artists.

Check the campus calendar for more events

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- Athletics
- Lectures

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