

# The New Mexico Career Expo for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Community 2017

**! Space is limited — first come, first served !**



**March 9, 2017  
9:30 am – 4:30 pm**

**Event Site:  
Sheraton Albuquerque  
Uptown Hotel  
2600 Louisiana Blvd.  
Albuquerque, NM 87110**

## **Special Keynote: Leah Katz-Hernandez**

From February 2015 to January 2017, Leah Katz-Hernandez served as the West Wing Receptionist for the President - a position commonly known as 'ROTUS,' or Receptionist of the United States. With a desk just steps away from the Oval Office, Leah welcomed the President's guests into the West Wing Lobby. Leah rose from being a volunteer in the field for the Obama-Biden 2008 campaign to hold multiple positions in the Obama's White House, campaign, and Inaugural teams.

In between Obama-related positions, Leah was awarded a fellowship on Capitol Hill to focus on strategies for successful transition to lasting employment and independence for millennials with disabilities. Leah also advised the AT&T corporation on youth-related disability issues as a part of an advisory panel for two years before entering public service full-time.



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## REGISTRATION

The following is required to confirm your registration:

- ◆ Event forms are available on our website: [nmsd.k12.nm.us](http://nmsd.k12.nm.us)
- ◆ One registration form per person, or one per family.
- ◆ One release form per student.
- ◆ Please complete all sections on forms and send to:

**Regular Mail:**

NMSD

Attn: CECT/Career Expo

1060 Cerrillos Rd.

Santa Fe, NM 87505

**Email:**

[exporegistration@nmsd.k12.nm.us](mailto:exporegistration@nmsd.k12.nm.us)

**Fax to:** 505-476-3671

**Additional registration details:**

- ◆ Event is free
- ◆ Space is limited
- ◆ First come, first served
- ◆ Registration packet must be complete to reserve your space

## WORKSHOPS / ACTIVITIES

**Presentations and exhibits on transition issues such as:**

- ◆ Self Determination & Advocacy
- ◆ Assistive Technology
- ◆ Summer Employment
- ◆ Cultural Sensitivity
- ◆ Transition Planning

## WORKSHOP PRESENTERS

- ◆ NMTAP
- ◆ Leah Katz-Hernandez
- ◆ NTID/RIT – Center on Access Technology
- ◆ Deaf New Mexicans with Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics (STEM) related jobs

## EXPO PARTICIPANTS

- ◆ Deaf and hard of hearing students, 14 and up
- ◆ Parents of deaf and hard of hearing students
- ◆ Professionals serving deaf and hard of hearing students (14-22)

## NMSD Contact Information:

Email to: [exporegistration@nmsd.k12.nm.us](mailto:exporegistration@nmsd.k12.nm.us)

Phone: Priscilla Coriz 505-476-6400

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## Registration Form

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### Family Registration

#### Adults Attending

Last Name	First Name	Relationship to Student

#### Deaf/Hard of Hearing Student(s)

Last Name	First Name	Youth Age	Grade	Language (ASL and/or Spoken Language)

Family Address:

City:

State:

Zip

Family Number or VP:

Family email:

#### Student(s) School District Information

District: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Communications/ Access Needs

ASL to spoken English and spoken English to ASL will be provided in all sessions.

Please note other access needs here:

**NOTE: Student emergency/release/waiver form required to complete registration for each student.**

#### Mail forms to:

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Attn: CECT/Career Expo  
1060 Cerrillos Road  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Email forms to: exporegistration@nmsd.k12.nm.us

Fax forms to: 505-476-6371

**Registration Deadline: Feb 17, 2017**

**STUDENT FORM  
EMERGENCY / RELEASE / WAIVER**  
**!One form per student - required in order to complete registration!**

**Name of Student (print full name):**

Print full name of parent/guardian completing this form:

Date:

Relationship to Student:

Phone Number:

Signature:

**IN CASE OF EMERGENCY**

\_\_\_\_ Contact parent/guardian listed above

\_\_\_\_ If parent/guardian is not available, contact:

Name:

Relationship to Student:

Phone Number:

List any medical/health conditions – including allergies:

**TRANSPORTATION**

The New Mexico School for the Deaf has my permission to transport my child, individually or in a group, to and from all off campus activities for this event (and going home if applicable).

Signature:

Date:

**RELEASE OF CUSTODY PERMISSION**

Listed below are the persons who may pick up my child, \_\_\_\_\_, and transport him/her from campus or at transportation pick-up/ drop-offs (if applicable). I understand that my signing this form releases the New Mexico School for the Deaf from responsibility for the student while in the custody of the individual listed below. NMSD requires the individuals below to show identification before releasing the child.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Only I will be picking up my child. (Only check here if no one else has permission to pick up your child).

Signature

Date:

**PHOTOGRAPHY/VIDEOTAPE RELEASE**

Consent is hereby given to the New Mexico School for the Deaf to take photographs, videotapes, digital or electronic pictures of individually or in a group, for the purpose of informing parents, students and/or the general public about the event.

Photographs and videotapes may be utilized in a variety of publications and public venues: newspapers, magazines, brochures, and NMSD Website. NMSD's Website is accessible on the Internet and pictures will be used to support various information such information about this event. It is understood that such photographs and videotapes may be taken during activities during the Career Expo, and that I have the right to see the finished photographs or videotapes upon request. It is also understood that the students will be creating a project that requires the use of pictures and videotaping and this project may be presented at the end of the event.

**Check one:**

NMSD **has** permission to release photographs, videotapes, electronic or digital pictures of my child for the purposes stated above.

NMSD **does not** have permission to release photographs, videotapes, electronic or digital pictures of my child for the purpose state above.

Parent/Guardian Signature:

Date:

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