

Joseph A. Fidel Student Services Building

New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology currently serves 1,500 students, with plans to increase the student body to 2,000 in the near future. The new student services building consolidates student services functions into a single location, as well as providing a contemporary setting for student activities. The design of the building will be open and inviting to encourage more interaction among students, faculty and administration. Major components of the new building include:

Student Services Agencies - Advisors, Student Affairs, Cashiers, Financial Aid, Registrar, Student Accounts, Auxiliary Services

Food Services facility, providing up to date choices and a variety in food service

Large group facility capable of handling assemblies of up to 400, banquets serving 240, student drama performances and student dances

The project consists of several phases, beginning with demolition of buildings within the new buildings footprint. Complex angeles, ellipses throughout required extensive care by Bradbury's experienced surveying crew who was up for the challenge.

Following completion the occupying agencies moved to the new building, allowing for final demolition of the existing buildings and completion of the site improvements.

Location..... **Socorro, NM**
Owner **New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology**
Architect..... **BPLW Architects & Engineers**
Cost..... **\$15.0M**
Size **90,312 sf**
Completed **July 2005**



Frank Perea: Superintendent



Other Ammenities:

- Campus Bookstore
- Campus Post Office
- Student Game Room
- Student Government Offices
- Student Newspaper and Radio Station
- Student Health and Counseling Center

Similarities in Execution:

- Complex Project
- Phased Construction Plan
- High Level of Finishes
- Multiple Interested Parties
- Complex surveying required with many intersecting ellipses and angles