Washoe County Commission Meeting

Invited by Commissioner Vaughn Hartung
Washoe County Administrative Offices
Heidi Gansert, Manos Maragakis, Miles Greiner
January 23, 2018
YOUR FUTURE IS LIMITLESS
WHEN YOU’RE POWERED BY KNOWLEDGE
• 12% of our graduates (23% of freshmen) are from other states
• New faculty increase our Education and Research Capacities and Reputations
• Initiating a new Aerospace Engineering Program
• New Computer Aided Design and Manufacturing Course
  • 3D Printing
• Part of the College’s New Manufacturing Quality minor
  • Developed in collaboration with Tesla/Panasonic

• Senior Capstone Design Course
• 35 five-student teams
• Students conceive, design, construct, test and market products for consumers and industry
  • Local Industry is mentoring and sponsoring many of the projects
• Innovation Day in May

• Laser Materials Processing Research
• Use high-powered lasers to harden metal surfaces so they resist corrosion and cracking
$14M Palmer Building Renovation

Enhanced Manufacturing and Research Labs, Classrooms and Offices

Southeast Corner of UNR

Palmer in the 1950’s

Where’s Palmer Today?