

UM celebrated **125 years** of excellence during a **week-long celebration** in mid-February.

UM Alumna Dana Fitz Gale **won** the 2017 Ellen Levine Prize for her novel "Able."

UM Campus Recreation will become **carbon neutral** in 2018.

UM Instructor Gary Kerr recently received the **Eleanor Roosevelt Global Citizenship Award** from The Center for a Public Anthropology.

UM recently received **high rankings** from two national organizations – Military Friendly and Military Advanced Education & Transition – for service to veterans.

The UM College of Business has redesigned its MBA – Montana's only master of business administration program – so students can now earn the degree completely **online**.

Two UM professors and one adjunct faculty member were recently recognized on the **2017 list** of "The World's Most Influential Scientific Minds."

Roberta Evans, former Dean of the Phyllis J. Washington College of Education and Human Sciences, **was recently named** the Inaugural William C. Shreeve Chair in Educational Leadership.

UM College of Business launched "**A New Angle**" **podcast** in early January. UM Associate Professor Justin Angle hosts the podcast.

More than 2,600 UM students made the fall semester 2017 **Dean's List** and President's 4.0 List.

The U.S. Department of State **has selected** UM as one of a handful of U.S. universities to host the Hubert H. Humphrey Fellowship Long-term English Language Program. This is the second consecutive Humphrey Program award the university has received.

UM's African-American Studies program and the Black Student Union **celebrated** their 50-year anniversary with a week of activities in mid-February.

UM Journalism Associate Professor Jule Banville **won** a Best of Competition award for an audio documentary that aired on her podcast, "Last Best Stories."

Montana Repertory Theatre, the professional theatre-in-residence at the UM School of Theatre & Dance, **selected** Michael Legg to become its next artistic director.

Hailey Lee Eakin, a junior at UM, was one of **six Montana college students** to receive a Civic Engagement Scholarship from Montana Campus Compact.