

UAA

- x UAA signed an agreement with Nankai University in Tianjin, China, providing Nankai students from the master of economics program to be considered for admission to MBA programs in UAA's College of Business and Public Policy.
- x UAA and Willamette University College of Law signed a memorandum of understanding to offer a "3+3" program allowing students to complete a bachelor's degree and a law degree in six years, rather than the usual seven.
- x With support from a \$1M donation from Alaska Airlines, the Alaska Native Science and Engineering Program (ANSEP) Middle School Academy is expanding in FY15 to reach an additional 650 middle school students each year the next three years. ANSEP is partnering with the following school districts in order to draw the needed 650 students: Kenai Peninsula Borough School District, Mat-Su Borough School District, Lower Kuskokwim School District, Anchorage School District, Northwest Arctic Borough School District, Lower Yukon School District, and the Fairbanks North Star Borough School District.
- x UAA signed an MOU with the Anchorage School District to streamline the process and provide student success support to high school students taking UAA classes.
- x University Advancement (Development and Alumni Relations) is working with local media outlets to increase the reach of UAA lectures and further  
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## UA Irons in the Fire

- x UAF/UAA/UAS partner with the Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education (ACPE) on a statewide College Access and Success ~~Center~~ whose mission is to improve Alaska's postsecondary completions and to foster a college-going culture in Alaska.

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- x UAF – The federal government in 1915 approved a cornerstone to mark Alaska's first college in 1917. The Alaska territorial government approved the Fairbanks college charter and the Board of Regents was formed in 1922, the first college classes were offered. UAF is planning a series of events to recognize and celebrate the many contributions of the university to the state over the last 100 years.

### UAS

- x UAS is an active participant in Fisheries, Seafood, Maritime Initiative that is fostering strategic investment and partnerships in expanding maritime industries.
- x UAS is proposing to join UAF in co-offering an undergraduate fisheries degrees with a goal of increasing career pathways for SE Alaska students, and growing student numbers entering UAF graduate programs.
- x Alaska Coastal Rainforest Center is partnering with UAF SNAP program, along with UAA, and other regional partners seeking NSF funding for a regional research coordination network.
- x UAS moving forward with their "Finish College Alaska" initiative to promote return of mature students seeking to finish their college degree program.
- x UAS is actively engaged with UAA and UAF Education program collaboration, including new plan to revitalize teacher education programs in Alaska.
- x UAS partnership with Juneau Police Department to create on campus police substation.
- x UAS partnered with the City & Borough of Juneau (CBJ) to implement and Emergency Management MOA.
  - o Efficiency: In lieu of hiring a fulltime UAS risk management officer position, they partnered with Juneau police for services.
- x UAS/UAA have shared library catalog systems.
- x UAS established additional regional Tech-Preparation agreements with local Southeast