August 2020

UM distributes **Healthy Griz Kits** to all students and employees to combat COVID-19.

The University's **summer enrollment grows** for the third straight year.

UM <u>launched a redesigned website</u> and homepage, which provides prospective students and others an easy-to-use, on-brand experience.

The University made a list of "Best Universities Solving the Coronavirus Pandemic."

The University releases its "UM Healthy Fall 2020" plan to the public.

UM has created a new <u>Griz Health program</u> that helps student volunteers become part of the campus response to coronavirus.

UM has hired a **new director of prestigious scholarships**.

Campus completes extensive <u>renovations to Urey Lecture Hall</u>.

Information Technology at UM launched a new project to enable distance learning.

**New S.E.A. Change director hired** to advance gender equity.

The University was awarded a \$500,000 TRIO grant for disadvantaged students.

UM's spectrUM Discovery Area awarded \$671,000 for STEM education across Montana.

UM was **honored for research impact** by an international ranking organization.

The University updates the historic brick walkways on its iconic Oval.

UM biological station researchers unlock a mystery of subterranean stoneflies.

UM renewed a memorandum of understanding with the Buddhist kingdom of Bhutan.

A new chemistry grant will buoy women in STEM fields.

Universities team to form new statewide board designed to improve Montana health care.

UM's Family Medicine Residency Program <u>landed a \$2.5 million grant</u> for primary care training.