



**Groundbreaking of the College of Education
and Human Services Building
Thursday, January 10, 2008**

Speakers include:

Dr. Pierre Allaire, Vice President of Institutional Advancement
John A. Delaney, President

Dr. Bruce Taylor, Chairman of the UNF Board of Trustees

Dr. Larry Daniel, Dean, College of Education and Human Services

Daryl Everett, President of the Student Council for Exceptional Children

The three-story structure will comprise 98,000 square feet and will cost approximately \$27 million to construct. The new building will house classrooms, teaching labs, faculty offices, auditoriums, meeting space and student services.

Among the many innovative features of the new education building are specially-designed rooms for teaching methods classrooms and a model technology classroom for preparing educators to work with technology in schools as well as an American Sign Language lab and a large multi-purpose classroom.

The COEHS building will follow the Osprey Fountains residence hall, Student Union, Brooks College of Health addition and the Social Sciences Building as the next “green” building on campus, meaning it will use energy-saving measures, recycled materials and natural light to improve the work environment.

Every year, the COEHS hands out an average of 350 bachelor’s degrees, 200 master’s degrees and 12 doctorate degrees. The College offers 13 bachelor degree programs with 18 concentrations, five master degree programs with 18 concentrations and a doctoral program in Educational Leadership.