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Dear New Faculty,

Assistant Vice Provost, Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI) Initiatives Marla Franco greets new members to the Wildcat community. Marla has been part of the University of Arizona community for seven years.

The university received the HSI designation in 2018 by the U.S. Department of Education. This means the university must maintain at least 25% enrollment of Hispanic-identifying full-time undergraduate students, contributing to the rich diversity across this community.

All faculty are invited to not only support the university's Hispanic student population in accessing the university but also in retaining and graduating. There are a number of ways to get involved in Hispanic-serving initiatives, including fellowships and leadership opportunities, communication and engagement efforts, research and grant-development endeavors. Learn more at <https://hsi.arizona.edu>. Be pending of our next communication from Karen Francis-Begay, Assistant Vice Provost for Native American Initiatives.

Stay safe and Bear Down,

Office of the Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs

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