Career Connections, held in the spring, is a two-day career fair co-sponsored by Career Services and the College of Engineering. The focus of each day differs, with the first being for Business, Agriculture, Liberal Arts, and Health and Social Services, and the second for Engineering, Science and Technology. Coordinating the dates with nearby UTEP provides four days of recruitment, thereby creating additional incentive for large, national employers to attend. Employers also utilize NMSU Career Services to arrange for on-campus information sessions and interviews.

This fair serves NMSU on many levels, providing a venue for the students to meet the recruiters, ask questions about the companies and the industries, network, and participate in interviews. Students can obtain cooperative education, internship, and employment offers. The fair is open to alumni and community members are also welcome to attend. The fair is a national showcase of the high quality of NMSU students and academic programs.