

Endowed Faculty Positions

College of Education and Human Development

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The College of Education and Human Development (COEHD) is one of the leading providers of educators in the San Antonio area. The college has become a national and international model for innovative teaching practices, health, professional development, and bi-national/bicultural issues. A primary key to the college's success is the dedicated faculty who serve as models for the next generation of scholars and practitioners, driving the advancement of knowledge and discoveries to tackle some of society's greatest challenges. The COEHD faculty within its six departments are responsible for innovative research and grants in STEM education, urban educational outcomes, applied behavior analysis, integrated behavioral healthcare, special education, K-12 school administration, higher education administration, and diversity pipelines. The strength of the COEHD faculty lies in its own diversity of backgrounds, perspectives, and ideas. This diversity creates an intellectual environment that first and foremost supports student success.

CHALLENGE

To meet both its instructional and research commitments to provide its students a rich and challenging academic experience, the COEHD has an obligation to continue to attract, nurture, and retain faculty of the highest caliber. By creating an environment that allows them to push the frontiers of their own work, they challenge the intellectual curiosity of both their graduate and undergraduate students, surrounding them with colleagues

who also possess eagerness to stimulate and support the creativity and passion of their students. As a fairly young institution, UTSA consistently works toward building critical funding for endowments and programs. To remain a competitive institution of higher education, the COEHD must increase its number of endowed chairs, professorships, and faculty fellowships to bring the brightest minds to San Antonio.





IMPACT

Endowed academic positions are the gold standard for recognizing and rewarding outstanding scholarship and research. They offer the COEHD opportunities to recruit an increasing number of high-quality faculty and recognize existing faculty who are committed to student success and innovative research. In turn, these top scholars and researchers bring increased visibility to the university and the city, attract more external funding and partnership collaborations, and increase student satisfaction in their overall educational experience. Endowed faculty have a greater ability to conduct distinguished research and provide learning laboratories for their students. These opportunities are critical in the development of a strong workforce pipeline. UTSA is one of the leading providers of educators, clinicians, and practitioners in the area and has one of the largest teacher certification programs in Texas. The college also serves as an educational and economic catalyst for leadership development and wealth creation in San Antonio and beyond.



PHILANTHROPIC OPPORTUNITIES

The University of Texas at San Antonio has launched a comprehensive campaign to support UTSA's 10-Year-Strategic Vision introduced by President Taylor Eighmy in 2017. **Be Bold: A Campaign for Our Future**, which also extends 10 years and has a working goal of \$500 million, is focused on providing the infrastructure and resources needed to become a model for student success and research discovery. There are several philanthropic opportunities within the College of Education and Human Development.

Endowed Faculty Positions help foster excellence in research and support efforts to recruit and retain highly qualified educators, researchers, and administrators.

Capital Projects provide the necessary spaces to stimulate learning, research, creativity, and collaboration among students and faculty. Our endowment levels include:

\$2,000,000+ Distinguished University Chair

\$1,500,000+ Distinguished Chair

\$1,000,000+ Chair

\$500,000+ Distinguished Professorship

\$250,000+ Professorship \$100,000+ Faculty Fellowship \$100,000+ Graduate Fellowship

\$25,000+ Undergraduate or Graduate

Scholarship

UTSA has multiple avenues available to make an incredible impact. Gifts made annually can provide scholarship, research, and programmatic support across all areas. Gifts made through certain assets also have many benefits and include stock, IRAs, donor advised funds, real estate, life insurance, intellectual property, collectibles, matching gifts, in-kind gifts, estate gifts, and more.

Naming Opportunities

The University of Texas at San Antonio also welcomes the opportunity to discuss a naming opportunity that can provide support beyond bricks and mortar. Supporting a naming opportunity can allow for major academic and programmatic transformations that will elevate UTSA to greater levels of excellence and increase its competitiveness on a global scale.

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