UNIVERSITY UPDATE
Alumni Association Board

Dr. Taylor Eighmy, President
July 28, 2022
RECENT ACHIEVEMENTS

UTSA attains Carnegie R1 Classification
This elite designation aligns the university with the nation’s top public and private research institutions.

UTSA Achieves NRUF Eligibility
National Research University Fund eligibility solidifies UTSA’s position among the state’s premier research universities.

Largest Freshman Class in UTSA History
34,734 students enrolled for fall 2021 semester, including a freshman class of 5,500.

Carlos Alvarez College of Business
A $20M gift from Carlos and Malú Alvarez establishes first named college at UTSA.

Klesse College of Engineering and Integrated Design
A $20M gift from Margie and Bill Klesse establishes second named college.

Grand Opening of Roadrunner Athletics Center of Excellence
$41.5M state-of-the-art athletic training facility opened in Aug 2021.

Membership in the American Athletic Conference
A preeminent league with a history of unprecedented success in intercollegiate athletic competition.
LOOKING AHEAD

88th Legislative Session
Establishing our goals for the session commencing January 2023

$500M BE BOLD Campaign Launch
Building the infrastructure and resources needed to achieve our three strategic destinations. October 2022

A New Normal
Building on the adoption of flexible learning approaches, new pedagogies, hybrid work modalities and reimagined space use.

Strategic Plan Refresh
Taking stock of our plan, mission, core values and peer models of excellence in light of our new Tier One classification.

Downtown Focus
Continued expansion of our downtown educational and research facilities.

$500M BE BOLD
Campaign Launch

Downtown Focus

Campus Climate Survey Follow-Up
- Staffing
- Compensation
- Communication
UTSA’S TRAJECTORY

WAYPOINTS

R1
Carnegie’s highest research classification
✓ DEC 2021

NRUF
Tier One in the State of Texas
✓ MAY 2022

AAU Equivalent
Nation’s most prestigious research institutions
SAN ANTONIO’S TIER ONE UNIVERSITY

WITH A PRESTIGIOUS CARNEGIE R1 CLASSIFICATION

A BOLD MILESTONE FOR RESEARCH EXCELLENCE

TOP 4% ONLY 146 UNIVERSITIES IN THE NATION

MORE OPPORTUNITIES FOR STUDENTS & SAN ANTONIO

INCREASING THE VALUE OF A UTSA DEGREE

AND ONE OF 20 TIER ONE HISPANIC SERVING INSTITUTIONS
NATIONAL RESEARCH UNIVERSITY FUND
TIER ONE IN TEXAS
ATTAINED ELIGIBILITY IN MAY 2022
$500M CAMPAIGN GOAL

$298M RAISED TO DATE

110K+ GIFTS RECEIVED

38K+ DONORS

$40M for Student Success from MacKenzie Scott

$20M Carlos Alvarez College of Business

$20M Klesse College of Engineering and Integrated Design
Our commitment to offer high-quality, affordable education to incoming freshmen who come from low and middle-income Texas families.

1,700 Bold Promise students received a tuition-free education since 2020 launch

3,800 qualified for the fall of 2022
UTSA’S FIVE CAMPUSES
UTSA
SOUTHWEST
CAMPUS
Building a healthier community through public health education, prevention and policy
Provides a strong foundation of serving public health needs unique to diverse populations of San Antonio and South Texas
Investment allocated for acquisition, retention and recognition
UT System Board authorized November, 2021
VISIONING PROCESS