Student Success | Research Excellence | Strategic Growth



#### **Be Bold: Strategic Growth** The University of Texas at San Antonio

#### OVERVIEW

As one of the fastest growing universities in the State of Texas, The University of Texas at San Antonio fosters an environment of excellence for its exceptional community of students and faculty. The university's master plan and strategic vision will come to life through capital projects and programmatic initiatives. This plan will bring new infrastructure to support increased research activity and high-quality learning. Strategic Growth serves as one of the three major destinations that ground Be Bold: A Campaign for Our Future - a campaign extending 10 years with a working goal of raising \$500 million. Strategic Growth is more than bricks and mortar, it is an opportunity that provides students and faculty with the most effective tools and facilities to develop transformative and impactful solutions to society's greatest challenges.



## CHALLENGE

With a goal of growing to more than 45,000 students, 2,000 faculty, and 3,250 staff by 2028, UTSA must actively cultivate the excellence of its people by enhancing the environments in which they learn, research, teach, collaborate, and grow. UTSA continues to transform in size and scope through multiple initiatives. Residence spaces serve as the foundation of student life and a robust campus. State-of-the-art laboratories prepare students for what they will experience in fast-paced science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) sectors that are reshaping the nation's economy. Mixed-use, residential and commercial spaces blend the time between studying, relaxing and reenergizing. In order for us to continue advancing the UTSA experience, the university must enhance its infrastructure and facilities.

UTSA will realize its full potential by growing its enrollment and infrastructure while focusing on innovation and improvement.

#### GOALS

- Grow strategically to 45,000 students and over 2,000 faculty.
- Build over 5 million square feet of new facilities and space

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### IMPACT

UTSA's **Campus Master Plan** will guide the development of our campuses, ensuring that the infrastructure facilitates world-class instruction and research to meet the needs of our growing campus population. UTSA's **Downtown Campus** expansion positions the university to fuel the economic development of San Antonio, the State of Texas, and beyond. The campus will provide a centralized hub for crosscollaboration and the training of skilled researchers, leaders, and entrepreneurs prepared to impact the tech industry at local, national, and global levels.

# A few key initiatives driving UTSA's strategic growth include:

- The UTSA School of Data Science will be the first of its kind in the state of Texas, further solidifying San Antonio's status as the largest information security hub outside of Washington, D.C. The National Security Collaboration Center—located within the School of Data Science—brings together more than 40 partners in government, industry, and academia to tackle our nation's cybersecurity threats.
- The **Roadrunner Athletics Center of Excellence** serves as a hub for the hundreds of student-athletes participating in 17 NCAA Division I sport programs at UTSA. The comprehensive multi-purpose sports performance center focuses on providing resources that address student-athlete academic success, safety, performance, and wellness.
- Expanding Business Education Downtown deepens partnerships with the local business community and allows UTSA to meet escalating workforce needs by connecting students with career-engaged professional development opportunities.
- The Westside Community Partnership amplifies the economic and cultural strengths of San Antonio's Westside by marshalling UTSA talent and resources to engage in strategic community partnerships. UTSA will develop a coordinated approach to deliver a world-class education to communities in San Antonio's urban core.



### PHILANTHROPIC OPPORTUNITIES

The campaign will support all divisions, schools, departments, and institutes across UTSA. Scholarships make a tremendous difference and help UTSA attract and recognize high-achieving students. 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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