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INSPIRING MINDS

CELEBRATING OUR NEW FACULTY,
ASSOCIATES OF THE FACULTY,
AND PROFESSORS EMERITI

THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT ARLINGTON

*“When faculty discover something new, that
experience can change students’ lives.
It also changes the way students think
and instills in them creativity
and innovation.”*

—PRESIDENT VISTASP KARBHARI

NEW FACULTY

SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE

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SPECIALIZATION: Financial Accounting and Reporting, Managerial Accounting, Audit

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SPECIALIZATION: Corporate Governance, Performance Measurement and Incentives, Cost Control, Physician Incentives in Health Care Organizations

EXPERIENCE: University of Pittsburgh, Sasin Graduate Institute of Business Administration, Indian School of Business

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FINANCE AND REAL ESTATE

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EXPERIENCE: Sellmark Corporation, Yukon Advanced Optics, Schneider Electronics

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SPECIALIZATION: Marketing Research and Marketing Strategy

EXPERIENCE: Oklahoma State University, University of New Orleans, University of Oklahoma, University of Wisconsin

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

BIOENGINEERING

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CIVIL ENGINEERING

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SPECIALIZATION: Embedded Systems, Electronics, Power, Engineering System Design

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INDUSTRIAL, MANUFACTURING, AND SYSTEMS ENGINEERING

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MECHANICAL AND AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

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SPECIALIZATION: Aircraft, Rotorcraft, Missile Analysis Design and Modeling

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COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

COMMUNICATION

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SPECIALIZATION: Arts and Humanities-Aesthetic Studies

EXPERIENCE: The University of Texas at Arlington, Texas Christian University

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EXPERIENCE: The Dallas Children's Theater, WaterTower Theatre, The Inevitable Theatre Company, Hangar Theatre

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COLLEGE OF SCIENCE

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EARTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

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MATHEMATICS

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SPECIALIZATION: Pure Mathematics

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PHYSICS

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EXPERIENCE: Nevis Laboratory, Columbia University, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory

PSYCHOLOGY

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SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK

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SPECIALIZATION: Clinical, Management, Substance Abuse in Veterans and Service Members; Psychotherapy, Generalist Micro and Macro Practice, Human Behavior in the Social Environment; Field Education

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NEW ASSOCIATES OF THE FACULTY

UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES

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EXPERIENCE: Dallas Jewish Historical Society, Dallas Holocaust Museum, Methodist Hospitals of Dallas, The University of Texas at Arlington

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