Welcome

THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT ARLINGTON

Symposium: Creative & Cultural Activities as a Means for Greater Engagement
TODAY’S AGENDA

Welcome from President Karbhari

Overview from Provost Lim

Group Activity
  • Breakout One
  • Breakout Two

Report Out

Additional thoughts on Creative & Cultural

Closing Remarks from President Karbhari
Symposia on Creative & Cultural Activities as a Means for Greater Engagement

Teik C. Lim, Ph.D.

Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs
Advancing Hispanic media education, journalism, and research

UTA Hispanic Media Initiative (HMI) partners with leading Spanish language media and has launched the careers of many national media professionals. 6 former HMI students won 11 Lone Star Emmys.

Positioning students for success in the workforce

The new GILT (Globalization, Internationalization, Localization, and Translation) Program is making industry access a reality for both students and the campus community.

Design students working in the community

Working with over 750 companies in DFW, 50 students annually from our Visual Communication Design program are developed through professional internships, and this number is growing every year.

Packaging students collaborate with community

The packaging program collaborates closely with DFW’s packaging design community. Recognition of this resulted in UTA winning the 2018 International Corrugated Packaging Foundation Packaging Award.
Engagement with new Music Industry Studies degree

Working to produce a national music business conference and festival October 2021 in Arlington. One project that students are working on involves writing, recording, and producing several songs that are centered around suicide awareness.

UTA Orchestra Strings represented in nationwide tour

UTA Orchestra Strings recorded a video with acclaimed gospel singer and actor David Mann. The Texas native is using the video in his nationwide tour.

UTA Front and Center at the “Oscars of Architecture”

UTA, in collaboration with UNESCO, Design Futures Council and the European Cultural Center, is curating an exhibition on Watershed Urbanism at the 2020 Venice Architecture Biennale in Venice, Italy. (600,000+ attendees)

Award-winning faculty

Faculty member Dr. Cedric May won first place in the ScreenCraft TV Pilot Launch Competition for his screenplay, “The Guardian.”
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GROUP ACTIVITY - BREAKOUTS
Topic I: Facilitator - Lolin Martins-Crane
Create new experiential learning opportunities for students (internships, service learning, mini internships, community projects, capstones, community events, etc. with Arlington and DFW cultural organizations.

Topic II: Facilitator – Jean Hood
Strengthen UTA’s inter-connectedness between individuals of the campus community through intentional engagements to increase understanding across cultures and lead to fruitful collaborations.

Topic III: Facilitator- Dan Cavanagh
Creative and cultural engagements with community and industry leaders.
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