



Executive Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

University of Texas System

Austin, TX

The Position:

Reporting to the Chancellor of The University of Texas System, the Executive Vice Chancellor (EVC) for Academic Affairs provides leadership, strategic guidance, and support to the presidents of the System's eight academic institutions as they work to advance their respective institution missions. The Executive Vice Chancellor also works collaboratively with the System's health affairs leadership and other members of the Chancellor's executive team to improve education, research, and student success across the University of Texas System and in Texas. This position leads the Office of Academic Affairs in its efforts to facilitate achievements of institution goals, develop partnerships, and foster collaboration among the institutions.

The next EVC will work closely with the Chancellor on forging the next strategic plan for the UT System. The Executive Vice Chancellor also serves as the chief liaison with the UT systemwide Faculty Advisory Council and Student Advisory Council.

Essential Functions:

- Review and advise on budgets, academic planning and programs, facility planning and construction, and leadership of the eight academic institutions.
- Ensure that requirements for accreditation are met and report the status to the Board of Regents periodically.
- Foster and support high standards of academic quality throughout the eight academic institutions.
- Work closely with and support the presidents' strategic plans of their respective academic institutions.
- Represent the UT System effectively to its constituencies, including federal, state, and local agencies and the public-at-large.
- Responsible for the design, execution, and effectiveness of a system of internal controls to provide reasonable assurance that academic and supporting services are effective and efficient, intellectual and other assets are safeguarded, program and financial information is reliable, and applicable laws, regulations, policies, and procedures are followed.
- Other duties as assigned.

Required Qualifications:

Doctorate and 15 years of related experience leading in a higher education environment.

The Ideal Candidate will:

- Possess strong academic credentials and uphold the highest academic standards;
- Play a role in improving higher education throughout the state;
- Be highly conversant in the current and future issues facing the future of higher education, particularly in the areas of demographic growth, diversity, and retention and graduation rates;
- Demonstrate strong interpersonal skills, able to relate to a wide range of constituencies.
- Serve as a trusted advisor and colleague to university presidents, successfully helping them navigate a wide range of campus issues and opportunities, demonstrating excellent judgment and counsel, and a high degree of discretion; and,
- Provide sound judgment to the Chancellor to allow him to make well-informed decisions and recommendations to regents and policymakers to best support each institution's advancement.

About The University of Texas System:

For more than 130 years, [The University of Texas System](#) has been committed to improving the lives of Texans and people all over the world through education, research, and health care. With 14 institutions, an enrollment of nearly 240,000 students and an operating budget of \$21.1 billion (FY 2020), the UT System is one of the largest public university systems in the United States. UT institutions produce more than 60,000 graduates annually and award more than one-third of the state's undergraduate degrees and more than half of its health professional degrees. Collectively, UT-owned and affiliated hospitals and clinics accounted for more than 8.2 million outpatient visits and 1.6 million hospital days last year. Across UT institutions, research and development expenditures total \$2.9 billion – the highest in Texas and the second highest in the nation among public higher education systems – and the UT System is regularly ranked among the top 10 most innovative universities in the world. The UT System is also one of the largest employers in Texas, with more than 21,000 faculty – including Nobel laureates and members of the National Academies – and more than 83,000 health care professionals, researchers, and support staff.

A smartbook with additional information about the University of Texas System can be found [here](#).

A summary of University benefits can be found [here](#).

EO/AA Statement:

The University of Texas System Administration is an Equal Opportunity/ Affirmative Action employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, veteran status or sexual orientation. Reasonable disability accommodation may be requested by contacting the Office of Employee Services.

Submission of materials:

For best consideration, please submit nominations and application materials, in confidence, to:

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