



TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER  
Senate Resolution 21.12

(Stating the sentiments of the Student Senate congratulating Dr. James Dembowski, Ph.D., CCC-SLP on his retirement from TTUHSC School of Health Professions. )

WHEREAS, Dr. James Dembowski is a distinguished Speech-Language Pathologist in the Center of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research, and

WHEREAS, Dr. James Dembowski serves as an Associate Professor and Clinical Instructor with many publications under his belt, including: *Acoustic Changes Secondary to Transgender Voice Therapy* (Dembowski, 2010), *Acoustic Characteristics of Stop Consonants in Children with Fetal Alcohol Syndrome: Preliminary Findings* (Bolinger, 2015), and *Pneumonia: Does Age or Gender Relate to the Presence of an SLP Dysphagia Consultation?* (Bolinger, 2020) as well with many other publications, and

WHEREAS, Dr. James Dembowski is a respected professor who has demonstrated a passion for his field and practice throughout his years at TTUHSC, and

WHEREAS, Dr. James Dembowski is a role model to not only his students and his colleagues, but current and future SLPs in West Texas as he exemplifies diversity and inclusion in the field of speech language pathology and audiology, and

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Student Senate of the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center congratulates Dr. James Dembowski on his retirement and establishing his name and legacy here at TTUHSC,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution be spread upon the Journal and that copies be sent to **Lori-Rice Spearman Ph.D.**, President of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center; **Dawndra Sechrist, OTR, Ph.D.**, Dean of the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center School of Health Professions; **Chase Seabolt**, Editor-in-chief of The Daily Toreador; and to the students and faculty of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center.

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President, Student Senate

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