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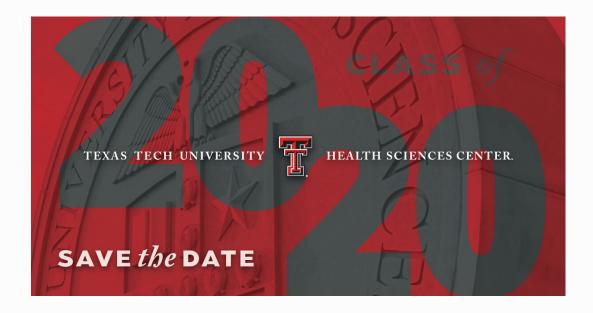
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#### Virtual Tribute for 2020 Graduates

Save the date! In abscence of this year's commencement, we want to make this year special for all graduating students. Join us on Wednesday, May 20th at 2 p.m. for a virtual tribute presentation which will be simulcast on both the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center Facebook page and YouTube Channel. More details to follow so make sure to keep an eye on your email and you can visit https://www.ttuhsc.edu/student-affairs/commencement/graduation-tribute.aspx.

#### **CARES Act Emergency Grants**

The grant application is now available, and we are ready to begin awarding grants to students who qualify. In the first round of funding, you may request up to \$1,000. Following the successful submission of your application, you will be notified of your application status within seven days (via your @ttuhsc.edu email address). Additional funding rounds will be determined at a later date. For more information, assistance in determining your eligibility, or to submit your application for CARES Act emergency grants, please visit the CARES Act Student Resource page. You can also contact Financial Aid at (806) 743-3025 or financial.aid@ttuhsc.edu with any questions.

#### **2020 Student Government Association Outstanding Faculty Awards**

Each year the SGA asks for nominations from the student body on the outstanding faculty in their programs. This year's winners are listed below. Please join us in congratulating them.

#### **School of Medicine**

- MSI Dr. Vadivel Ganapathy
- MSII Dr. Tom Tenner
- MSIII Dr. Amy Stark
- MSIV Dr. Victor Test

#### **School of Pharmacy**

- Preceptor Amie Blaszczyk
- Didactic Sivaramakrishna Kognati

#### School of Health Professions

- Clinical Laboratory Science Koy Kubala
- Molecular Pathology Taylor Eaves
- Healthcare Management Dr. Morgan House
- Healthcare Administration Dr. Rob Posteraro
- Speech, Language, & Hearing Sciences and
  Speech-Language Pathology Dr. Melinda Corwin
- Audiology Dr. Leigh Ann Reel
- Physical Therapy Dr. Gary Kearns
- Doctor of Science in Physical Therapy Dr. Jean Michel-Brismee
- Transitional Physical Therapy Dr. Kathryn Panasci
- PhD in Rehabilitation Sciences Dr. Troy Hooper
- Athletic Training Dr. Toby Brooks
- Occupational Therapy Dr. Megan Taylor
- Addiction Counseling Dr. Zach Sneed
- Clinical Mental Health Counseling Dr. Dave Schroeder
- Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling Dr. Evans
  Spears

#### **Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences**

- Biomedical Sciences Dr. Roger Sutton
- Biotechnology Dr. Susan Bergeson
- Pharmaceutical Sciences Dr. Constantinos Mikelis
- Public Health Dr. Duke Appiah

#### **School of Nursing**

- Accelerated BSN Diana Goodwin
- RN to BSN Richard Pullen
- Traditional BSN Level 1 Dr. Donna Paris
- Traditional BSN Level 2 David Baba
- Traditional BSN Level 3 Dr. Amy Owen
- Traditional BSN Level 4 Dr. Terry HIII
- BSN to DNP FNP Dr. Grace Sun
- MSN Acute Care Pediatrics Julia Kuzin
- MSN Administration Dr. Cindy Acton
- MSN Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Dr. Tara Hilliard
- MSN Education Dr. Laura Thomas
- MSN Family Nurse Practitioner LaMicha Hogan
- MSN Informatics Dr. Susan McBride
- MSN Nurse Midwifery Dr. Patricia Olenick
- MSN Pediatric Primary Care Dr. Mercedes Day
- MSN Psychiatric Mental Health Dr. Susan Calloway
- Doctor of Nursing Practice Dr. Lisa Campbell

#### 2020 - 2021 Student Government Association Officers

Elections were held at the last Student Government Association meeting of the school year and new officers were elected for the 2020-2021 academic year. Their term begins over the summer as they prepare for the new year. Please join us in congratulating the new SGA officers.

- President: Marcus Gonzalez, School of Medicine
- Vice President of Operations: Daniel Payberah, School of Medicine
- Vice President of Finance: Tim Brown, Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences
- Vice President of Communications: Rachel Kortman, School of Medicine

#### **Resiliency in Interprofessional Teamwork**

Change is a constant in healthcare. With today's global uncertainty, resiliency, grit, and an understanding of emotional wellness is critical for not only individual success, but team success as well. Join Dr. Michael Gomez, TTUHSC Center for Superheroes, as he shares insight on ways students can adapt in times of difficulty and build resiliency through creative approaches to self and team care.

Following the keynote address, students will participate in interprofessional team discussion identifying action plans that can be put into place that will support resiliency needs from both the individual professional perspective as well as the interprofessional team perspective.

### <u>Keynote Title:</u> Well Beyond Self-Care: Developing Resilience and Emotional Wellness in Times of Difficulty.

Michael Gomez, PhD -is a Licensed Psychologist (in both the states of Texas and Oklahoma) and Assistant Professor in the Pediatrics Department of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center. Dr. Gomez's research interests are child maltreatment, foster children, autism spectrum disorders, and children/adolescents with sexual behavior problems. Dr. Gomez's has been certified as a trainer in numerous specialty areas and is one of a dozen people in the United States who makes up the Trauma and Autism Community of Practice for the NCTSN. He is also one of only a handful of people in the United States trained to assess and differentiate traumatic stress and autism spectrum disorders (ASD) in a formal psychological evaluation.

To register, visit our Eventbrite page at: https://ipe-june-zoom.eventbrite.com Registration Deadline is 6-10-2020.

#### **New PubMed**

The National Library of Medicine has created a newly redesigned interface for PubMed. The new PubMed will become the default for all users on May 18 and will replace the current "legacy" PubMed. The new PubMed features include:

- a Cite feature that allows you to easily generate a properly-styled citation in AMA, APA or NLM citation format
- a Best Match sorting algorithm that brings the most relevant results to the top of your search results

The TTUHSC Librarians are available to answer your question about the new PubMed and provide assistance in learning to use the new and improved version. Use our Ask A Librarian service (https://ttuhsc.libanswers.com/ask) to contact us.

#### **Emotional Health in Times of Uncertainty: A Presentation for TTUHSC Students**

TTUHSC's Quality Enhancement Plan, Well Beyond, brings to you a recorded presentation specifically developed for TTUHSC students by Dr. Greg Johnston of the TTU Student Counseling Center. Dr. Johnston provides key insights on how to stay emotionally well when life's challenges create uncertainty, whether that's a coronavirus pandemic or any of the things in life that cause stress and anxiety.

Please use the following link to access the presentation: https://youtu.be/odYKpM4j1r4

## UPCOMING EVENTS

#### Events & Opportunities for Students

#### **Students Supporting Students: Virtual Hang Outs**

You're invited to hang out virtually with other TTUHSC students to give and receive support, as together we navigate this challenging time. The Counseling Center at TTUHSC is hosting these Zoom meetings through the end of June. Below are the days and times when you can attend. You will need to use the provided Zoom links each week.

Mondays from 6:00-7:00 pm - https://ttuhsc.zoom.us/j/93935902058

Fridays from 4:00-5:00 pm - https://ttuhsc.zoom.us/j/94781708374

# STUDENT ORGS

#### Important Information for Student Org Officers & Advisors

#### **Finance System Offline**

The Finance system is currently unavailable on HSC Net for all student organizations for all campus and school affiliation. We are undergoing a transition to a new finance structure for all student organization accounts. As soon as this transition is complete, we will notify all student leaders and advisors. Sorry for any inconvenience and we thank you for your patience.

#### **Connect With the Student Life Office**

