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# *Annual Report*

## *2007-2008*

*A New Beginning*

**JAMES I. PERKINS COLLEGE OF EDUCATION**

**STEPHEN F. AUSTIN STATE UNIVERSITY**

Nacogdoches, Texas

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Pictured on the front cover, left to right:

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION LEADERSHIP TEAM

Dr. Dixie Mercer, Dr. Janice Pattillo, Dr. Mel Finkenberg,  
Dean John Jacobson, Dr. Lynda Martin, Dr. Lisa Mize, Dr. Betty Alford

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*Dr. John E. Jacobson*

ASSOCIATE DEAN for Student Affairs

*Dr. Lisa Mize*

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*Dr. Lynda J. Martin*

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ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

*Dr. Janice Pattillo*

HUMAN SERVICES

*Dr. Dixie Mercer*

KINESIOLOGY AND HEALTH SCIENCE

*Dr. Mel E. Finkenberg*

SECONDARY EDUCATION AND  
EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP

*Dr. Betty Alford*

2007-08 DEAN'S ADVISORY/COLLEGE COUNCIL

Pictured left to right:

Standing: Dr. John Jacobson, Dean; Dr. Lee Stewart;  
Barry Stafford; Dr. Robert Choate;

Seated: Dr. Vi Alexander, Dr. Sandra Cole, Dr. Sheryl Whittenbach



# Message from the Dean



Dear Friends and Colleagues;

There are certain significant landmark events that occur only once during the lifetime of a college. The College of Education was fortunate to have three such events occur this year. Through a generous gift by the Perkins Family, the College was renamed the James I. Perkins College of Education. The Department of Human Sciences received a change in status to School of Human Sciences. And, the College broke ground on a new \$30.8 million Early Childhood Research Center. These and many other important events have helped us in the pursuit of our vision and achieving our mission. I invite you to review in detail these and many other noteworthy and important events contained in this report. As always, we appreciate all who have given voice, heart and hand to our efforts and accomplishments. The Perkins College of Education is truly blessed to have outstanding and dedicated faculty and staff. We extend our thanks and appreciation to all who have given their time, talent and financial resources in building the College this year.

Sincerely,

John E. Jacobson, Dean



## College Highlights 2007-2008

- Stephen F. Austin State University's Board of Regents approved the renaming of the College of Education to the James I. Perkins College of Education Oct. 30. A special inaugural luncheon was held Jan. 29 in honor of Mr. Perkins.
- The Board of Regents gave approval Oct. 30 to change the designation of the Department of Human Sciences to School of Human Sciences. A special celebration program was held April 9 to recognize the change in status.
- A groundbreaking ceremony was held Jan. 29 for the new Early Childhood Research Center, which will house the nationally accredited Early Childhood Laboratory, the new exemplary-rated SFA Charter School and the Department of Elementary Education.
- The Margaret Perkins Elementary Education Endowed Professorship was established with a \$100,000 gift from the Perkins Family Foundation.
- Grant funding in the Perkins College of Education exceeded \$18 million.
- Through a \$1.4 million U.S. Department of Education grant, the Perkins College is providing English Language training to all P-12 teachers in schools where SFA teacher interns are placed (eight elementary schools, three middle schools and two high schools) and to all teacher education faculty within the Perkins College of Education. The Perkins College of Education also is revising its curriculum so all teacher education students will graduate from SFA with the knowledge, skills and dispositions to work with English Language Learners and to pass the state certification exam in this area.

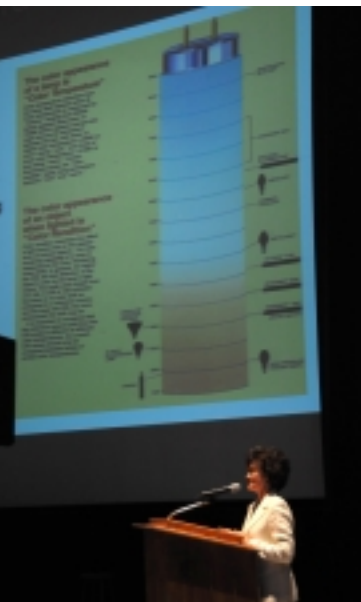


## College Highlights (continued)

- The Perkins College of Education received its first federal earmark of \$286,000 that will support the establishment of research in the Early Childhood Research Center, which is currently under construction.
- A Perkins College of Education Faculty Research Academy was established through a \$100,000 grant that supports faculty development and research activity within the Perkins College of Education. Twenty-two faculty members participated in six research institutes where they developed and conducted research projects. Each participant wrote a research brief, and many will present their research at national and international conferences and publish their work in professional journals.
- The Perkins College of Education hosted a very successful National Summit on Rural Education March 28. This innovative summit was held at SFA and broadcast live via the Internet. A Web site and blogs were created for interactive participation. For more information, visit [www.PerkinsCollegeSummit.net](http://www.PerkinsCollegeSummit.net).
- The Department of Kinesiology hosted the 2008 American College Dance Festival Association South Central Region Conference Feb. 27 through March 1. Over 500 guests from approximately 30 colleges and universities with three internationally renowned adjudicators attended.



NATIONAL RURAL EDUCATION SUMMIT



BRIGHT IDEAS CONFERENCE

- Through a gift from the Perkins Family Foundation, the James I. Perkins Professional Development Fund was established. This year the fund supported 20 faculty members in their travel to present papers at national and international conferences.
- Thirty-six faculty and staff from the Perkins College of Education participated in the 2008 Bright Ideas Conference, which is held biannually at SFA.
- The Texas State Board of Education approved the creation of the SFA Charter School on January 18. The University of Texas at Austin has the only other Texas elementary university charter school. Since 1998, SFA has had a partnership district charter school on campus with the Nacogdoches Independent School District. The new SFA Charter School will begin fall 2008 and will be part of the Early Childhood Research Center complex when it is completed in fall 2010.
- Articulation agreements were signed with Tyler Junior College, Northeast Texas Community College and Grayson County College for the Bachelor of Science in interdisciplinary studies with EC-6 & 4-8 teacher certifications, and Angelina College and Head Start will offer the child and family development degree.
- The Board of Regents approved several new distance education degrees and certificates in the Perkins College of Education. They are as follows: master's degrees in educational leadership and human sciences, BSIS degree with a variety of 4-8 teacher certification options, and certificates in international teaching and hospitality. The Perkins College of Education is currently working on developing online undergraduate and graduate programs in special education.

- Through a \$25,000 grant from the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, the Deep East Texas Regional P-16 Council was established. The council consists of all schools in Nacogdoches and Angelina counties; Angelina College; Stephen F. Austin State University; and representatives from Region VII Service Center, the East Texas Workforce Solutions, and business, civic and faith-based organizations. Its mission is to build bridges among business, civic and educational groups to create a college-going culture and a better educated and enriched community. The council is committed to leading efforts that will prepare all students, beginning in preschool, for living, learning and working in a changing world.

## College Highlights (continued)

- The newly created Perkins College of Education Student Services and Advising Center advised more than 1,500 students this past year, attended 10 job and career fairs, cleared students to take more than 1,200 educator certification exams, and as of July 1, recommended over 500 educators for certification to the State Board for Educator Certification.
- The Gwen and Ed Cole Audiology Lab expanded its services to the community by adding a full-time clinical audiologist and administrative assistant.
- The Perkins College of Education expanded its International Education programming to include additional student teaching sites in Costa Rica, and several faculty members led study-abroad trips to England, France, Germany, Switzerland and Italy.
- Several programs in the School of Human Sciences received favorable reaccreditations through the American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences and the Council on Interior Design Accreditation.
- The Department of Human Services received preliminary planning authority from the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board to develop a Ph.D. in school psychology. Full approval is expected by January 2009 with a start date of fall 2009.



CELEBRATION OF THE SFA SCHOOL OF HUMAN SCIENCES

## NISD/SFA Council Board

On August 14, 1998, the NISD/SFA Charter Campus officially began operation of the only school district/university charter school collaboration in Texas.

The Charter Campus was built in the interest of Nacogdoches Independent School District and Stephen F. Austin University providing an educational option for students and parents within the district, extending the existing Early Childhood (ECH) Lab School model for training teachers, and providing a more diverse population within the model school to better prepare teachers for meeting the needs of the student population of Texas. This tradition of collaboration to provide quality education in East Texas has continued through 10 years of exemplary innovations in education.

In July 2008, the current district charter agreement expired, but with the support of NISD, SFA obtained a university charter scheduled to open in August of 2008. As SFA begins construction of a \$30.8 million academic facility for the James I. Perkins College of Education, the college plans to create a "one-of-a-kind" early childhood research center. This opportunity will expand research endeavors, increase enrollment in the charter school, and prepare additional high-quality educators to serve our community and Texas.



NACOGDOCHES INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT  
STEPHEN F. AUSTIN COUNCIL BOARD

Pictured left to right: Seated: Vanessa Hoopler, Lysa Hagan, Becky Griffith  
Standing: Lori Harkness, John Jacobson, Rodney Hutto, Janice Pattillo,  
Weldon Beard

# Vision, Mission and Core Values

## VISION

The College of Education at Stephen F. Austin State University will be the college of choice for students striving to achieve professional excellence through exemplary programs that are recognized at state, national and international levels.

## MISSION

The mission of the College of Education is to prepare competent, successful, caring and enthusiastic professionals dedicated to responsible service, leadership and continued professional and intellectual development.

## CORE VALUES

In the College of Education at Stephen F. Austin State University, we value and are committed to:

- academic excellence through critical, reflective and creative thinking
- life-long learning
- collaboration and shared decision making
- openness to new ideas, culturally diverse people and innovation and change
- integrity, responsibility, diligence and ethical behavior
- service that enriches the community



The School of Human Sciences has placed their Steen Glass collection in the Board of Regents meeting room for public display.

Pictured left to right are Human Sciences faculty members Dr. Greer, Dr. Kenner, and Ms. Runnels with chair Dr. Martin; Dr. Durr, former department chair; Dr. Hallman, former dean of the College of Education; and Dean Jacobson.



### NTCC ARTICULATION SIGNING

*Stephen F. Austin State University and Northeast Texas Community College, located in Mt. Pleasant, TX, signed an articulation agreement on May 13, 3008.*

*This agreement allows NTCC students to seamlessly transfer into the EC-4/ED-6 or 4-8 teacher education program at SFASU.*

Pictured left to right:

Seated: Dr. Herb Riedel, NTCC; Dr. Charles Florio, NTCC; Dr. Baker Pattillo, SFASU; Dr. Richard Berry, SFASU.

Standing: Sonya Woods, NTCC; Dr. Janice Pattillo, SFASU; Paula Griffin, SFASU; Susan Barber, SFASU; Dr. John Jacobson, SFASU

## GOAL-SETTING

The College of Education's goals, developed and ratified in 2004-2005, provide a clearly articulated purpose and direction for continuous improvement efforts. Developed through the strategic planning process, these goal statements and indicators provide the blueprint for our becoming the "College of Choice" for students pursuing degrees and certifications. The College of Education believes that it can, and should, define our preferred future by continuing to build on its successful and well-respected past.

### Goals of the College of Education:

#### GOAL 1: PROGRAMS

Provide programs at both undergraduate and graduate levels based upon sound pedagogical and clinical practice

#### GOAL 2: PREPARE EDUCATORS AND INDUSTRY PROFESSIONALS

Prepare teachers, support personnel, educational leaders and industry professionals

#### GOAL 3: FACULTY

Employ and support faculty who are committed to excellence in teaching, scholarship and service

#### GOAL 4: TEACHING & STUDENT SUCCESS

Provide a variety of teaching venues incorporating the latest technologies to a range of diverse student interests, backgrounds, and aspirations

#### GOAL 5: RESOURCES & FACILITIES

Maintain resources and facilities that allow each program to meet its expected outcomes

#### GOAL 6: COLLABORATE WITH EXTERNAL PARTNERS

Collaborate with external partners to enhance students' knowledge, skills and dispositions, and to influence the ongoing exchange of ideas for mutual benefit

#### GOAL 7: OUTREACH SERVICES

Engage in outreach services to address specific needs in the broader community; to enhance student learning; to instill commitment to service; and to promote the reputation of the university

#### GOAL 8: SCHOLARLY/CREATIVE ACTIVITY

Engage in scholarly and creative activities to advance knowledge and to contribute to the common good

#### GOAL 9: ACCREDITATIONS

Ensure and maintain accreditations to assure exemplary programs

# James I. Perkins College of Education

## SFA College of Education named for East Texas banker James I. Perkins

The college with the largest enrollment at Stephen F. Austin State University now will be known as the James I. Perkins College of Education, following unanimous approval by the Board of Regents during its meeting on October 30, 2007.

James I. Perkins, president and chairman of the board of Citizens 1st Bank and a long-time supporter of SFA, made a significant donation to the Stephen F. Austin State University Foundation in naming the college.

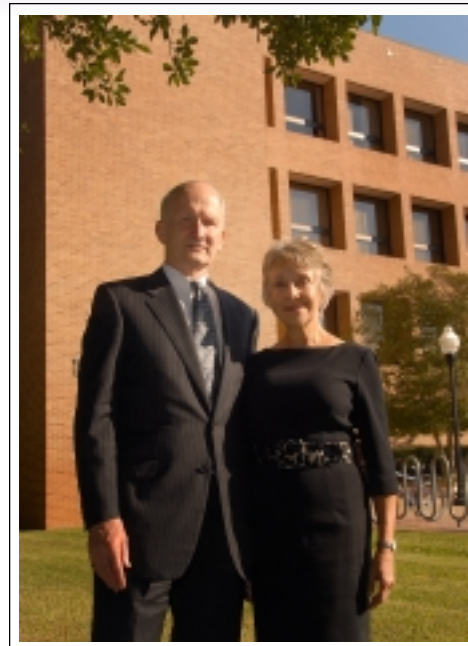
Raised in Rusk, Mr. Perkins said that his life was enriched by having teachers and administrators educated at SFA. Both of his children attended SFA.

Mr. Perkins believes strongly that quality education is a critical component for effective economic development and a better standard of life in our region and state.

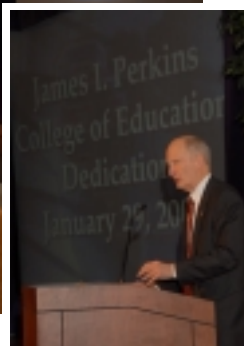
Perkins served on the SFA Board of Regents from 1969 to 1981, and he held the position of chair of the board in 1977-78. He also is one of the founders and a former chairman of the SFA Foundation and is an ex-student.

During the dedication ceremonies, Dr. John Jacobson, dean of the college said that "The College of Education is honored to be named after James I. Perkins. The established reputation of the College of Education at SFA will be enhanced by the great integrity and strength of character associated with the name of Mr. Perkins."

The Perkins College of Education, which enrolls more than 3,300 students, is the largest of SFA's six academic colleges. It offers 27 bachelor's, master's and doctoral degree programs and 45 educator certificate programs. The college is fully accredited through the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education and includes the School of Human Sciences and the departments of Elementary Education; Human Services; Kinesiology and Health Science; and Secondary Education and Educational Leadership.



James I. and Margaret Perkins stand in front of the building that houses several departments within the college at Stephen F. Austin State University. The college is now known as the James I. Perkins College of Education. Perkins is president and chairman of the board of Citizens 1st Bank and a long-time supporter of SFA.



Among the more than 40 scholarships awarded annually by the Perkins family and Citizens 1st Bank, 21 are designated for SFA. The scholarships include the Citizens 1st Bank/Rusk High School/ Tyler Junior College Scholarships, Citizens 1st Bank State Employees' Children Scholarship Fund, the Noble Scholarship for Nacogdoches High School seniors, and the University of Texas at Austin James Perkins Family Endowed Presidential Scholarship at Law. An SFA annual scholarship also is awarded in honor of Perkins' deceased mother-in-law, Lillian E. Hoover.

# PROFILE: Faculty, Staff and Students



## **DIXIE MERCER named Chair of Human Services**

Dr. Dixie Mercer has been with SFA as a faculty member in the Visual Impairment Program since 1998, and just received her 10-year service pin. Well known instructor of distance education as well as face-to-face classes, Dr. Mercer is a member of the SFA Graduate Faculty and was tenured in March 2004. She received the Teaching Excellence award both at the department and college level in 2006-2007. Dr. Mercer was promoted to full professor in April 2007 and was appointed as chair in September of 2007.

## **Promotions and Tenure**

Dorothy Gotshall	<i>to Assistant Professor</i>
Wendy Killam	<i>to Associate Professor</i>
Scott Whitney	<i>to Associate Professor</i>
Carl Pfaffenberg	<i>to Associate Professor</i>
Wynter Chauvin	<i>to Professor</i>
David Shows	<i>to Professor Emeritus</i>
Linda Bobo	<i>Tenure</i>
Jeffrey Gergley	<i>Tenure</i>
Jay Lee	<i>Tenure</i>
Wendy Killam	<i>Tenure</i>
Scott Whitney	<i>Tenure</i>
Dorothy Gottshall	<i>Tenure</i>
John Leonard	<i>Tenure</i>
Carl Pfaffenberg	<i>Tenure</i>

## **Retirements**

George A Carpenter	Educational Leadership
Harvy R. Brown, Jr.	Education
Linda K. Mack Christian	Teacher Certification
Betty S. Harvey	Early Childhood Lab

## **New Faculty and Staff**

<b>NAME</b>	<b>DEPARTMENT</b>
Carol Bradley	Human Sciences
Debra Brown	Human Services
Janiece Buck	Dean's Office
Jo Lynn Corley	Educator Certification
Jennifer Crenshaw	Dean's Office
Layne Debardeleben	Human Services
Amy Durham	Human Services
Teresa Figueroa	Human Services
Cynnaron Hines	Secondary Education
Monica Jaramillo	Dean's Office
Ashley Johnson	Elementary Education
Eric Jones	Kinesiology
Mary Nino	Secondary Education
Mary Olle	Human Sciences
Heather Olson Beal	Secondary Education
Danielle Perry	Human Services
Donna Pharris	Human Sciences
Heather Roten	Secondary Education
Barry Stafford	Human Services
Brette Tanner	Kinesiology
Leonard Thornton	Kinesiology
Belinda Vanglahn	Educator Certification
Audrea Vanscoder	ECH Teacher
Emily Wilson	ECH Substitute
Stephanie Youngblood	Human Sciences

## **40-year Service Awards**

Sandra Cole	Kinesiology & Health Sciences
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## **30-year Service Awards**

Susan Jacobs Barber	Elementary Education
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## **20-year Service Awards**

Sally Ann Swearingen	Human Sciences
Dixie Mercer	Human Services
Robin Rumph	Human Services

## **10-year Service Awards**

Connie DeLaney	Elementary Education
Shelia Dyer	Human Services
Lori Harkness	Elementary Education
Carol Harrison	Human Services
Sybil Hurst	Teacher Certification
Brenda Marques	Human Sciences

## PROFILE: Faculty, Staff and Students (continued)

### DEPARTMENTAL TEACHING EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENTS

Vi Alexander	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION
Sally Ann Swearingen	HUMAN SCIENCES
Lee Stewart	SECONDARY EDUCATION



**VI ALEXANDER**  
**2008 Teaching**  
**Excellence Award**  
**Recipient for**  
**the James I.**  
**Perkins College**  
**of Education**

#### Enrollment Fall 2007

Department	Number of Majors		
	Undergraduate	Graduate	Total
<b>Elementary Education</b>	1065	160	1225
<b>Human Sciences</b>	484	27	511
<b>Human Services</b>	226	200	426
<b>Kinesiology and Health Science</b>	706	51	757
<b>Secondary Education/ Educational Leadership</b>	0*	Master's Doctoral 362	362
<b>Undecided Majors</b>	40	39	79
	<b>2521</b>	<b>839</b>	<b>3360</b>

\* Secondary Education Students major in their content area

Dr. Vi Alexander serves as coordinator of reading in the Department of Elementary Education. As such, she oversees the quality of instruction and the curriculum for all reading coursework. She is a pioneer in distant education at SFA - creating a master's degree with reading specialist and master reading teacher certifications offered totally online. She is a leader in the Texas Higher Education Collaborative, a state wide initiative that helps reading faculty throughout the state keep current in the best practices in reading. Surrounding school districts seek out her assistance and service in providing quality and appropriate reading instruction in their schools.

#### Course Credit Generation Fall 2007

Department	Semester Hours		
	Undergraduate	Graduate	Total
<b>Elementary Education</b>	6,750	885	7,635
<b>Human Sciences</b>	6,393	230	6,623
<b>Human Services</b>	3,858	1,587	5,445
<b>Kinesiology and Health Science</b>	7,133	460	7,593
<b>Secondary Education/ Educational Leadership</b>	1,221	2,265	3,486
<b>Totals for College of Education</b>	<b>25,355</b>	<b>5,427</b>	<b>30,782</b>

### Human Sciences becomes a School

SFA celebrated the new status of the School of Human Sciences on April 9, 2008.

The Department of Human Sciences is now known as the School of Human Sciences. According to Dr. Becky Greer, assistant director of human sciences, the new name better reflects the specialized and professional programs offered by the school and the overall educational experience of graduates.

Speakers at the celebration were Dr. Lynda Martin, human sciences director; Dr. John Jacobson, dean of the James I. Perkins College of Education; Dr. Gloria Durr, former chair woman of human sciences; and Paul G. Pond, SFA Regent, and his wife, Lila Long Pond, whose grandfather was an early administrator at the university.

A reception followed in the Baker Pattillo Student Center Regents Suite B.

# Instruction, Research and Service Centers, Clinics and Laboratories

CENTERS/LABORATORIES	MAJOR SERVICE	ESTIMATED NUMBER SERVED THIS YEAR
<b>Advanced Technical Credit (ATC)</b> <i>Dr. Bill Wilson</i>	Approves secondary teachers to teach articulated technical courses	2,650 secondary teachers statewide
<b>Basic Academic Skills Instruction</b> <i>Dr. Glen McCuller</i>	Provides after school and summer reading, math and social skills instruction	54
<b>Biomechanics Laboratory</b> <i>Dr. Sandra Cole</i>	Provides various motion analysis equipment to analyze gait, balance and sport performance assessments	200 undergrads 20 graduates
<b>Career Planning Laboratory</b> <i>Dr. Bill Weber</i>	Provides work evaluation training for placement of individuals with disabilities	150 undergrads
<b>Center for Economic Education</b> <i>Phyllis Gilbert</i>	Teaching materials and professional development for K-12 teachers of all subjects	200
<b>Center for Educational Partnerships</b>	Collaboration with school/community partners in advisory role for educator preparation	69 partner schools
<b>Charter School</b> <i>Lysa Hagan</i>	NISD/SFA-sponsored model school for grades PK-5 and internship site for future teachers	1,200
<b>Counseling Center</b> <i>Robert Patterson</i>	Counseling services by graduate interns	200 1,800 hours
<b>Design Center</b> <i>Sally Ann Swearingen</i>	Manufacturers provide design pieces (carpet, chairs, etc) so that students can work with clients and actually see the products they recommend	300
<b>Early Childhood Laboratory</b> <i>Lori Harkness</i>	Education for university students preparing to work with young students	800
<b>Education Media Center</b> <i>Ed Wittel</i>	Computer lab and video transfer facility for faculty and students	700
<b>Educational Research Center</b> <i>Dr. Patrick Jenlink</i>	Supports the collaborative research of doctoral students and edits a major state educational journal	200
<b>Economic Education Center</b> <i>Phyllis Gilbert</i>	Teaching materials and professional development for teachers of economics and social studies	250
<b>Elnita Stanley Speech and Hearing Clinic</b> <i>Debra Brown</i>	Provides speech, language and hearing evaluations	1,500 3,500 hours
<b>Food Laboratories</b> <i>Dr. Darla Daniel and Dr. Sheryl Wittenbach</i>	Teaches the science and basics of food and how to design and implement quality meal experiences for the public	160 students 300 public
<b>Gaining Early Awareness and Readiness for Undergraduate Programs (GEAR UP)</b> <i>Barbara Davis</i>	Supports increased secondary student participation in advanced-level classes as a step for increased success in post-secondary education	1,548 students in 10 partner schools
<b>Gwen and Ed Cole Audiology Laboratory</b> <i>Dr. Danielle Perry</i>	Full service audiologic and vestibular (hearing and balance) clinic. Offers hearing aid sales and service to SFA and the general public. Serving ages 0 to 00+	3500 public & private school children 400 patients in clinic
<b>Human Neuroscience Laboratory</b> <i>Dr. Judith Lauter</i>	State-of-the-art laboratory facilities for testing a wide range of issues related to the human brain and behavior	80
<b>Human Performance Laboratory</b> <i>Dr. Eric Jones</i>	Provides stress tests, including metabolic analysis, body fat analysis and pulmonary function assessment	200 undergrads 20 graduates
<b>Humane and Environmental Education Center</b> <i>Dr. Wynter Chauvin</i>	Study of humane and environmental education concepts and methods with emphasis on the role they can play in the teaching of the essential elements of curriculum	58
<b>The Learning Center</b> <i>Dr. Dottie Gottshall</i>	After school reading tutoring and remediation	100
<b>Textile Laboratory</b> <i>Dr. Janie Kenner</i>	Evaluation and testing of fiber, yarns and fabrics to determine quality and functionality of end-use products	85

# Elementary Education

**Chair:** Janice Pattillo, Ph.D.

**Faculty:** 36

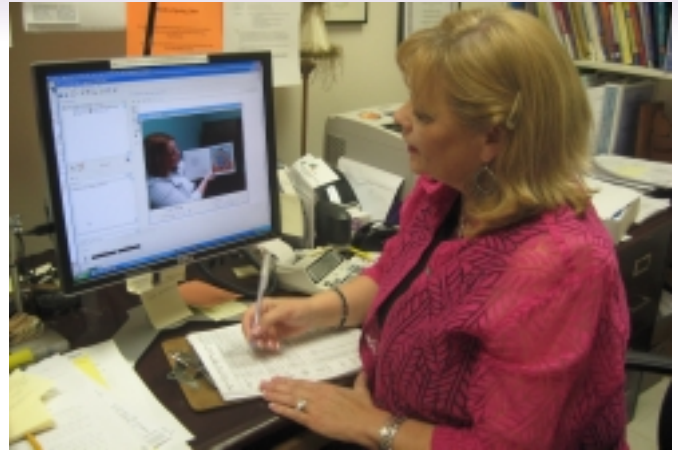
**Majors:** 1,266

## Initiatives, Awards and Achievements:

- The new \$30 million Early Childhood Research Center broke ground in January and will be completed in July, 2009. It will house Elementary Education, the Early Childhood Laboratory and the University Charter School.
- Our online program continues to attract paraprofessionals and nontraditional students from all over the state. These students must have completed 45 hours with a GPA of 3.0 in order to apply for the program. In the May Commencement, 2008, there were 27 students in the EC-4 Completer program who graduated. Of those 27 candidates who completed the last half of their program online, eight graduated Summa Cum Laude, four graduated Magna Cum Laude and eight graduated Cum Laude. This means that approximately 70 percent of the students in this online program graduated with honors.
- Lysa Hagan and Lori Harkness (and many others) have written the new University Charter. The state has approved it, and we will begin operating this fall as the SFA University Charter School.
- A grant for \$286,000 was received for research in early childhood. This will provide for a grant writer and researchers, including purchasing release time for faculty researchers.
- The ECHL will receive an additional \$50,000 from the Work Force Solutions of Deep East Texas Board to host the Early Childhood Conference this fall. This is the 3rd year the Early Childhood Lab has hosted this valuable training opportunity free of charge to area childcare providers.
- Vi Alexander was selected to be the recipient of the Teaching Excellence Award for the College of Education.
- Bugs, Bees, Butterflies and Blossoms was again successful. Alan Sowards had over 2,200 children on campus.
- Wynter Chauvin has developed a new International Teaching Certificate consisting of four graduate and four undergraduate courses. This certificate will prepare candidates for teaching in foreign countries.

### Preparing students for careers in:

- Early childhood through grade 6
- Grades 4 through 8
- Bilingual/ESL education
- Professional reading specialist
- Master's reading teacher
- Early childhood specialist
- Elementary specialist
- Post baccalaureate, EC-4 and 4-8



EC-6 Online Program Coordinator, Susan Barber, assesses distance education student using webcam technology.

- The FIPSE grant has provided for the redesign of courses, Webcam use in online courses for observation of lessons taught in public schools across the state, and the development of Spanish modules for Pre-K teachers who speak English.
- Articulation agreements with Tyler Jr. College, Northeast Community College and Grayson County College have been signed.
- We continue to serve eight public school sites in Internship I and seven sites in Internship II. This year we added Huntington to our sites for internship. Student teachers are placed throughout the state.
- The Research Academy was launched for the college and 10 elementary professors submitted proposals, were accepted, and are researching, writing and publishing results.
- All of our programs have been revised to meet the state requirements of 120 hours for undergraduate degrees (The generalists are allowed to have a few more hours.)
- On the state exams, our pass rates and average scores continue to increase. Thirteen TExES certification exams are delivered by the department for the various programs. Less than one percent of those candidates who have taken the exams have been unsuccessful, and most of these students participate in individualized study preparation guided by the departmental faculty before they retest.
- During March 2008, 26 students participated in the fourth study abroad educational program in France, Germany, Italy and Switzerland. Students spent eleven days studying the education, government and diverse cultures of these European countries where they visited a teacher preparation university, public and private schools, and various cultural sites.
- Over 500 third graders from Nacogdoches I.S.D. and the county schools learned what life was like for a boy or girl their age living on an East Texas subsistence farm 100 years ago as they experienced hands-on activities at "Adventures in the Good Old Days" conducted at Millard's Crossing by SFA interns enrolled in social studies methods classes during the fall and spring semesters.

# Human Sciences

**Director:** Lynda J. Martin, Ph.D.

**Faculty:** 16

**Majors:** 580

## Initiatives, Awards and Achievements:

- This year HMS became a school and welcomed three new faculty members - Carol Bradley, Donna Pharris and Mary Olle.
- Dr. Perritt represented the College of Education at the Bright Ideas Conference with her research topic: "The Effect of Light Source and Direction on the Cognitive Performance of College Students with Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder."
- The school has expanded its Web-based offerings and will offer the M.S. in human sciences totally online starting fall 2008.
- Dr. Janie Kenner was selected by her peers as the Willie Lee Glass Spirit recipient for 2008.
- Mrs. Swearingen was the School's Teaching Excellence recipient.
- Family & Consumer Sciences hosted a workshop for area high schools for Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA).
- FCS and dietetic majors served as judges in the Nacogdoches Pineywoods Fair baking contest. Students from various high schools entered in various categories such as cookies, cakes, yeast and quick breads.
- Dr. O'Dwyer and Mrs. Swearingen represented the Teaching Excellence Center at Bright Ideas Conference with a poster session titled "Study Abroad Program in Thailand Enhances Students' Cultural Diversity."

- Interior Design went through a CIDA accreditation site visit, and Food, Nutrition and Dietetics submitted their interim accreditation report for the DPD and DI programs.
- Dr. Marques', nutrition students hosted a "Grow and Buy Locally" seminar that was well attended by the community and government agencies.
- Dr. Greer and Dr. Kenner accompanied the Fashion Merchandising Club on a field trip to Dallas. Thirty-two students participated and went "behind-the-scenes" at the downtown Neiman Marcus, Nordstrom's Northpark Center and the World Trade Center in Dallas.
- Child and Family Development faculty (Dr. Saracino and Ms. Gilbert) along with students in the Child and Family Development Club attended the Texas Council on Family Relations annual conference in Houston, TX, in March.
- Dr. Perritt and Mrs. Bridwell accompanied 24 students from the School of Human Sciences for a London Through The Ages tour, and Mrs. Runnels and Dr. Wittenbach have a Germany, France, Switzerland trip planned for Summer 2009.
- Dr. Pfaffenberg accompanied 11 hospitality students to Las Vegas to study tourism in that city.
- Dr. Wittenbach's HMS 404 Quantity Foods had another successful year that featured locally grown products.
- Thirty-seven students enrolled in Twentieth Century Costume under the instruction of Dr. Kenner developed and hosted an exhibition and presentation of authentic apparel worn in Nacogdoches from 1900 to 1970. "Nacogdoches: A Classic Town - Classic Styles" was presented on April 22, 2008.
- Thirty-one SFA fashion-merchandising students prepared entries for FGI-Dallas and Texas Food & Fibers Trend Board Competition. Out of 79 entries from colleges and universities across the U.S., and after judging by industry representatives, two SFA students placed - Jamie Reichstein, 2nd place and Melanie Northam, 3rd place in the wool division.
- Under Dr. Pfaffenberg's leadership as advisor, the Driving Jacks were named SFA Organization of the Year.
- The Child and Family Development program is expanding online course offerings to facilitate Head Start teachers and other nontraditional students to complete their B.S. in Child and Family Development.



Hospitality Administration students with their demonstration on different recycling materials. Students enrolled in HMS 480 researched various environmental issues for the hospitality industry.

## Preparing students for careers in:

- Child and family development
- Family and consumer sciences
- Fashion merchandising
- Foods, nutrition and dietetics
- Hospitality administration
- Interior design
- Interior merchandising
- Teaching

# Human Services

**Chair:** Dixie Mercer, Ph.D.

**Faculty:** 27

**Majors:** 422

## Initiatives, Awards and Achievements:

- The School Psychology Ph.D. proposal received preliminary planning authority from the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board. Pending final approval the start date would be summer or fall 2009.
- Visual Impairment and Orientation and Mobility filled two open positions, administered 3 major grants, including 2 federal programs and admitted a new cohort that includes 34 graduate students and 10 M.Ed. students.
- Special Education established a non-teaching minor appropriate for students in psychology, orientation & mobility, kinesiology, rehabilitation, social work, and those seeking the Bachelors of Applied Arts and Sciences (BAAS) degree.
- Special Education began development of an EC-12 Special Education Online Completer Program for students more than 60 miles from campus (target start date Fall 2009).
- Special Education revised courses required for the Early Intervention minor to include competencies for the Early Intervention Specialist career path (Texas Department of Assistive and Rehabilitative Services).
- Dr. Mask designed and initiated a research project: "Survey of Elementary Campus Student Intervention Teams on Response to Intervention (RTI) Practices"
- Updated curriculum for Educational Diagnosticians to include ESL/Bilingual coursework.
- Scott Whitney completed research funded by the National Science Foundation to study the effectiveness of 3D motion captured animations of ASL (American Sign Language) and his presentation proposal on motion capture for ASL has been accepted for June 23, 2008 at the National Technical Institute of the Deaf.
- Shelia Dyer, with Talking Hands, organized an interpreting workshop presented by Amy Wych and a trip to Houston to see world-famous deaf actor Bernard Bragg in the Spring of 2008.
- The Cole Audiology Lab became a fully functional facility, now offering hearing and balance evaluations to all members of the East Texas area, ages 0 to 100+. The lab also offers a full line of digital hearing aids.
- National Student Language Hearing Association sponsored a major conference
- During Expanding Your Horizons Day, 2008 (a conference for East Texas middle-school girls sponsored by American Association of University Women) the Human Neuroscience Laboratory hosted 3 workshops of 12 girls each.
- Rehabilitation secured a major federal grant for putting the undergraduate rehabilitation program on line
- Counseling successfully sponsored the SFATX Rehabilitation Counselors and Educators Association in Galveston, completed preliminary work on establishing an off campus cohort in Palestine, TX, and completed preliminary work on establishing a Master's degree in Student Affairs.
- Dr. Solmonson won the Texas Association of Counselor Educators service award.
- Dr. Ninness was appointed associate editor of the prestigious *Journal of Applied Behavior Analysis*
- SFA served as a review university for the National Association of School Psychologists



## Preparing students for careers in:

- Special education
- Visual impairment
- Deaf and hard of hearing
- Rehabilitation services
- Orientation and mobility
- Communication sciences and disorders (formerly speech-language pathology)
- Counseling
- School psychology
- Educational diagnostics

# Kinesiology and Health Science

**Chair:** Mel E. Finkenberg, Ed.D.

**Faculty:** 23

**Majors:** 757

## Initiatives, Awards and Achievements:

- Kim Archer served as National Strength and Conditioning Association Treasurer for the Nutrition, Metabolism and Body Composition Special Interest Group.
- Linda Bobo served as test writer for the Board of Certification national examination for athletic training, test writer for the Texas State Licensing Examination for athletic training, site-visitor for the Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education, and consultant for CAATE educational programs.
- Sandra Cole, director of the Biomechanics Laboratory, received a 40-year service award and served as a member of the Physical Education Delegation to China sponsored by the People to People Ambassador Programs.
- The SFA Repertory Dance Company performed in the 2007 Annual Convention of the Texas Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance Kaleidoscope concert, Galveston, November 2007.
- Libby Rhodes produced SFA Repertory Dance Company "In Concert," December 2007
- Dance Major Alicia Howell presented her work "Waiting" at Pilot Choreographers Take Flight, a juried concert at the Fort Worth Community Arts Center, Feb. 8-9, 2008.
- Hosted the 2008 American College Dance Festival Association South Central Region Conference, Feb. 27-March 1, 2008, with over 500 guests from approximately 30 colleges and universities and three internationally renowned adjudicators
- Professor Stan Bobo's work "Water Falls" was performed at the American College Dance Festival, Feb. 28, 2008.
- Professor Elizabeth Rhodes' dance "Suite Balletto" was selected to be performed in the 2008 National Convention of the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance Kaleidoscope concert, April 10, 2008.
- Mel E. Finkenberg served as the 27th Dudley Allen Sargent Lecturer at the annual conference of the National Association for Kinesiology and Physical Education in Higher Education.



At the American College Dance Festival Association's annual conference of the South Central Region, the SFA Repertory Dance Company performed the modern dance "Solace," choreographed by Lesley Snelson-Figueroa.

Dancers pictured from left to right: Megan Durell, Michelle DuBos, Kathleen Madsen, Mary Jacquelyn Kirchoff

- Eric Jones and Jay Thornton took eight undergraduate students to the regional meeting of the Texas American College Sports of Medicine in Odessa, TX.
- Dr. Jones, director of the Human Performance Lab, has begun the process of implementing ACSM curriculum courses to enable students to become certified by this prestigious agency.
- DawnElla Rust completed her role as TAhPERD president. She also served as member of SFA's Center for Regional Heritage Development.
- The Human Performance Laboratory was modified and updated this past year to include, among other capabilities, an environmental stress chamber.
- Dartfish software has been added to the Biomechanics Laboratory.

## Preparing students for careers as:

- Teachers
- Coaches
- Athletic trainers
- Dance instructors
- Health professionals

# Secondary Education and Educational Leadership

**Chair:** Betty Alford, Ph.D.

**Faculty:** 16

**Majors:** 374

## Initiatives, Awards and Achievements:

- Project DEVELOP, a \$715,516 U.S. Department of Education grant, is completing its 3rd year in partnership with 21 school districts. Through the grant, 83 prospective principals have completed courses for principal certification. SFA is one of only 25 universities in the nation to be selected for this grant. An additional grant for Project DEVELOP for \$103,000 was funded for a follow-up, multi-case evaluation study of nine assistant principals in their first year of employment as an assistant principal.
- The \$6.1 million GEAR UP grant continues its very successful 3rd year. This grant partnership of 10 area schools, Angelina Community College, and business and community partners prepares secondary students for postsecondary education through college outreach activities, rigorous courses, support systems and professional development.
- The English Language Acquisition Center for Excellence Pilot Study was funded for \$1,434,109 as part of a five-year project. The professional development school model was strengthened through the training of 70 teachers from our professional development school partners in ESL certification. Three institutes were held at the James I. Perkins College of Education for identified coaches from partner schools and College of Education educator preparation faculty members. Faculty members participated in a curriculum revision process to infuse ELL strategies and knowledge into teacher preparation courses.
- The Educational Leadership Doctoral Program is celebrating its 11th year. The 11th cohort presented their research at the Southwest Educational Research Association conference in New Orleans.
- Eleven doctoral students completed all requirements for the Doctor of Education in educational leadership.

### Preparing students for careers as:

- High school teachers
- Principals
- Superintendents
- Specialists at the doctoral level



2007 faculty and staff of the Department of Secondary Education and Educational Leadership

- The professional development school model was further strengthened through faculty providing professional development to the Costa Rica school sites where student teachers were placed. Dr. Neill Armstrong coordinated a summer course for educators in Costa Rica in addition to the placement of student teachers in the Costa Rican international schools.
- Faculty members presented papers at many national, regional and state conferences including Association of Teacher Education, the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, National Council of Professors of Educational Administration, the American Educational Research Association, Consortium of State Organizations for Texas Teachers Education, College Board Forum and Texas Association of School Administrators. Faculty scholarship continues to grow as a result of these presentations and many publications. The Perkins College of Education Professional Development fund provided travel to faculty who presented their research.
- Two additional faculty members completed WebCT training, and two additional online courses were fully developed.
- Funds from the Transition to Teaching grant were used to provide scholarships for students in the PBIC Secondary Education Program.
- Two doctoral newsletters were published, with two of our doctoral students serving as co-editors.
- *Scholar-Practitioner Leader and Teacher Education and Practice*, two educational journals, were published by a faculty member.
- The principal leadership grant, Project DEVELOP, provided training for academic coaching and leadership institutes.
- Dr. John Leonard was awarded tenure by the Board of Regents of SFA.
- Dr. Ralph Marshall, received the Educator of the Year Award from Phi Delta Kappa and served on the planning committee for the Rural Education Summit for the Perkins College of Education.
- The department hosted the Texas Association of School Boards, spring school board workshop.

# Doctoral Program

## DOCTORAL GRADUATES

Sixteen students in the Secondary Education and Educational Leadership doctoral program graduated in 2007-2008. The graduates and their dissertation topics are:

### December 2007

#### Jacquelyn L. Armwood

"Opportunity and Achievement Through Change: A Biographical Study of Carzetta Snell"

#### Marsha Smith Blount

"A Phenomenological Analysis of Artistic Creativity-Contemporary Artists, Practice and Philosophy"

#### Nichole E. Bourgeois

"The Scholar-Practitioner: Constructing a Critical and Practical Leadership Philosophy Toward Democratic Practice"

#### Preston Cade Brumley

"Louisiana's Successful Combination School Principals: A Narrative Inquiry of Professional Beliefs and Practices Through a Servant-Leadership Lens"

#### Irene Cravey

"Voices of Change: An Ethnography of the Early College High School Student"

#### Wanna Slaid Giacona

"I Was Supposed to Graduate: A Narrative Non-Fiction Study of Second Language Learners Who Could Not Pass the Exit Level TAKS Exam"

#### Georgia King

"African-American Teenage Males: The Ethnography of Clothing Patterns and Cultural Affects and the Impact on Academic Performance"

#### Carla McAvoy

"Grade Transitions and Student Performance of Texas Fourth-Graders"

#### Jason Lyle McCullough

"Effects on Texas Assessment of Knowledge and Skills Scores by the Sixty-Five Percent Expenditure Rule"

### May 2008

#### Keri Brown Hampton

"The Perceptions of Teachers and Campus Administrators on the Relationship between Climate and Student Achievement"

#### Darin Ray Jolly

"Music Educator Perceptions of Declining Music Education Enrollments in Texas Band Programs"

#### Patricia A. Nation

"The Effectiveness of Bilingual Teachers and Teachers Assisted by Bilingual Aides: A Comparison"



Doctoral graduates pictured at May 2008 Commencement. Left to right: Keri Hampton, Peggy Oden, Patricia Nation, Darin Jolly, Sally Jane Sims, and Diana Vaughn and Daniel Spethmann

#### Peggy N. Oden

"Performance-Based Monitoring Analysis: A Multi-Case Study of Its Impact on Students with Disabilities in East Texas"

#### Sally Jane Sims

"The Texas Student Success Initiative: Effects on the Initial Third-Grade Students"

#### Diana Dunnington Vaughn

"The Barriers Voiced by African American Women Superintendents in Texas"

### August 2008

#### Marie D. Davenport

"Teacher Preparation Program Considerations for the Bilingual Student in an Online Environment"

## Doctoral Cohort XII

The following students have been selected for the 2008 doctoral cohort:

Gregory Bouck

David Brown

Lakesha Shane Brown

Nathan Chaddick

Jo Lynn Corley

Joel Lee Davenport

Brent Edward Hawkins

Hugo Ibarra

Charles Anthony Lopez

John Mastillo

Kimberly A. Morrison

Jo Ann Parsley

Valerie Sheppard

Craig Olin Wilcox

Patrick Winters

# Student Services and Advising Center Office of Educator Certification

**Director:** Lisa Mize, Ph.D.  
Associate Dean - Student Affairs

**Staff:** Seven

## Initiatives, Awards and Achievements:

- Admitted more than 1200 students to the Educator Certification Program
- Placed 375 student teachers in 46 partnership schools.
- Developed 150 certificate plans for post-baccalaureate students seeking initial teacher certification
- Served 1200 students in the alternative certification/post-baccalaureate initial certification(PBIC) program
- Supervised 120 post-baccalaureate teaching interns in 45 partnership schools.
- Maintained up-to-date teacher education database containing more than 6,000 individual records
- Received approval for 26 undergraduate degree plans from the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board. The new plans will require fewer total hours for a degree that leads to certification
- Established field placement agreements for student teaching with 86 independent school districts in Texas and with multiple international private schools in the Central American nation of Costa Rica
- Increased alternative certification/PBIC enrollment by attending various job fairs and partnering with the Texas Job Force Commission
- Advised more than 3000 College of Education students

## Serving SFA by:

- providing information for undergraduate and graduate students seeking certification by telephone, online and in person.
- screening students for admission to the educator certification program and verifying continued eligibility each semester.
- coordinating field experiences, including student-teaching and post baccalaureate teaching internships, with partner schools.
- reviewing benchmark data for program improvements.



The College of Education Student Services and Advising Center is open from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. daily and is located in McKibben 118. The goal of the center is to provide a centralized, "one-stop-shopping" for all College of Education majors.

The following offices are housed in the Student Services and Advising Center: Associate Dean-Student Affairs, Advising, Alternative/PBIC Certification, Field Experience and Student Teaching, Office of Educator Certification, and Office of Assessment and Accountability.

# Office of Assessment and Accountability

**Director:** George Ann Leonard, M.Ed.



## STATE ACCOUNTABILITY SYSTEM FOR EDUCATOR PREPARATION

All Stephen F. Austin State University educator preparation programs continue to be accredited by the state. The overall initial pass rate for individuals completing a certification program during 2006-2007 was 98 percent, with each of six demographic groups' pass rates at 95 percent or higher. The overall final pass rate for candidates completing a certification program during 2005-2006 was 99 percent.

## NATIONAL REPORT CARD – TITLE II

Ninety-nine percent of SFA students seeking initial teacher certification during 2005-2006 passed all state-required assessments in basic skills, professional knowledge/ pedagogy, academic content area, and teaching special populations.

## Academic Year 2006-2007 Certification Profile\*

Elementary .....	263
Secondary .....	73
All Level .....	88
Professional .....	99
Endorsements .....	10

\*September 1, 2007 - July 1, 2008

**Total 533**

## Serving SFA by:

- authorizing registration of students for state certification examinations
- collaborating with faculty to align the curriculum with new educator standards
- working with teaching field departments to develop strategies for improving student performance on the state examinations
- providing administrators with statistical data for use in making programmatic decisions
- disseminating the latest information on standards, policies, procedures, and performance of students
- preparing national and state accountability reports
- implementing and maintaining an up-to-date data base system
- recommending candidates for certification after they have completed an educator preparation program (teacher, counselor, educational diagnostician, principal, superintendent, master reading teacher, master math teacher, reading specialist)
- providing programs with representative exams as they become available.

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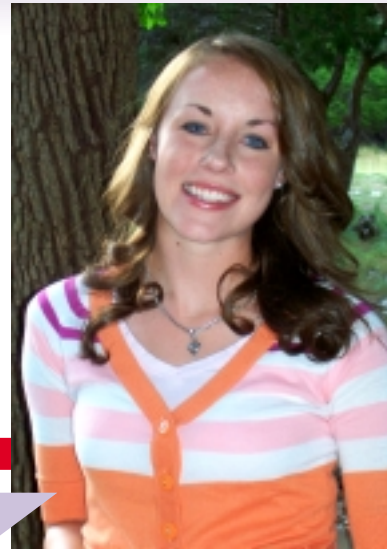
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# Student Spotlight

## Glennadene Byrns McKibben Outstanding Student

KATIE SHELTON is the 2008 award recipient of The Glennadene Byrns McKibben James I. Perkins College of Education Outstanding Graduate Award.

Katie graduated Summa Cum Laude with a Bachelor of Science in child development and family studies with a minor in early childhood intervention. She is from Belton, Texas, and plans to attend the applied behavior analysis in developmental disabilities master's program at Auburn University in Auburn, Alabama, for the fall 2008 semester.



LACEY CLAVER,  
hospitality administration senior,  
has been selected to be  
the student  
representative  
on the SFA  
Board of Regents.



Amanda Ayala receives the Edna Wilkin Teagarden Graduate Award at the HMS Honor's Convocation on April 9, 2008. Pictured left to right: Amada Ayala with Mitzi Blackburn of the SFA Alumni Association.

## Edna Wilkin Teagarden Graduate Award

The Edna Wilkin Teagarden Graduate Award is presented annually by the Alumni Association to a student in the School of Human Sciences. It honors the top undergraduate. Criteria for selection are: must graduate within the current school year, must have a 3.0 or better GPA and have taken at least 60 or more quality hours at SFA and must have contributed in other activities related to their major.

A variety of student organizations are sponsored by faculty in the Perkins College of Education, including:

- American Society of Interior Designers
- Collegiate Middle Level Association
- Early Childhood Organization
- Family and Child Development Club
- Family/Consumer Science Teachers Association
- Fashion Merchandising Club
- Hospitality Administration Society
- Human Sciences Ambassadors
- Kappa Delta Pi
- National Association of Collegiate Scholars
- National Student Speech-Language-Hearing Association
- Organization of Athletic Training Students
- Phi Delta Kappa
- Phi Upsilon Omicron (honor society)
- SFA Alliance (Kinesiology/Health Science/Dance)
- Student Council for Exceptional Children
- Student Dietetic Association
- Texas Association of Family and Consumer Sciences Student Section
- Texas Student Educators Association
- Talking Hands
- Texas State Reading Association

## University Charter School

The Texas State Board of Education unanimously approved an application by Stephen F. Austin State University to open a university charter school during the 2008-09 school year.

In December, SFA's James I. Perkins College of Education submitted a letter of intent to the Texas Education Agency to open a university charter school. The completed application was forwarded to the state agency and considered by the State Board of Education's Committee of School Initiatives during a Jan. 17 meeting. The committee recommended the board approve the application.

"With the approval of the application, we can move forward with our plans to create a one-of-a-kind, early childhood education center as we open the new university charter school this fall," said Dr. John Jacobson, dean of the Perkins College of Education.

Jacobson said SFA's new university charter school will become the only such school in Texas directly linked with a research laboratory. Currently, the University of Texas at Austin is the only other Texas university that operates a university charter school.

The new university charter school will offer the Perkins College an opportunity to build on the great success that has been achieved with the exemplary-rated NISD/SFA Charter School. It will be integrally linked with the Perkins College of Education Department of Elementary Education and the Early Childhood Laboratory, a research laboratory within the college that prepares SFA students to work with young children and their families.

"With the dynamic interaction of the Elementary Education department, Early Childhood Laboratory and the university



ARTIST'S RENDITION OF NEW  
SFA CHILDHOOD RESEARCH CENTER

charter school, the Perkins College will be able to perform cutting-edge research in early childhood education," Jacobson said. "This will be a one-of-a-kind center for East Texas and the state."

The current NISD/SFA Charter School operations agreement between the Nacogdoches Independent School District and the university expires in July 2008. The new university charter school, which will be state funded and operate as a public school, will replace the NISD/SFA Charter School.

Lysa Hagan, who has served as the charter school leader since 2002, will serve as director of the new school.

"We are very excited about transitioning from a very successful district charter school with NISD to this new university charter school," Hagan said. "We look forward to continued collaboration for teacher preparation as well as expanded research opportunities."

SFA university charter school classes will be held in the current charter school facilities during the 2008-09 school year. In 2009, the university charter school will move to the facilities of the Early Childhood Research Center that also will house the Early Childhood Laboratory and the Department of Elementary Education.

Parents of current NISD/SFA Charter School students will have the option to automatically enroll their children in the new university charter school, and new students will be accepted on an open-enrollment basis beginning with the fall 2008 semester. Information about applications will be available in February.



SFA President Dr. Baker Patillo is pictured with students from the SFA Charter School at the groundbreaking ceremony on January 29, 2008.

# GIVING TO THE College of Education

## ANNUAL GIVING

Your annual gift to the College of Education provides supplemental operating income for needs like the latest computer software and equipment, program accreditation fees, professional development, classroom updates and many other items essential for providing excellent service to SFA students. You may make your annual gifts to the College of Education through any of the following ways:

### SFA Phonejack Telephone Outreach Program

Phonejack student callers, many of them studying in the College of Education, will be more than happy to take your gift over the phone. The Phonejacks call year-round seeking support from SFA alumni, parents and friends.

### Annual Mailings

Look for these throughout the year and designate your gift to the College of Education.

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## PLANNED GIVING

There are a variety of ways to support the College of Education by way of gift planning, which will benefit both the college and the donor. Planned gifts to the College of Education are most suited to alumni and friends age 45 and older, and include many options such as:

### Charitable Trusts

Set up a trust to support the college and help provide you with a lifetime income.

### Charitable Gift Annuities

Make a charitable gift to the college today and you can receive future income benefits.

### Bequests

Name the College of Education in your will.

For more information about making a planned gift to the College of Education, please visit the "Ways to Give" section of the SFA Office of Development Web site. You also may figure your potential gains from making a planned gift to the college by using the Planned Gift Calculator, also located at [www.givetosfa.sfasu.edu](http://www.givetosfa.sfasu.edu).

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Endowed gifts are a way for alumni and friends to show perpetual support to the College of Education. Donors provide funds, which are then invested to help provide support to the College of Education for a lifetime.

Several types of endowments exist, such as:

### Faculty Chairs or Professorships

This type of endowment attracts and retains prestigious faculty to the College of Education.

### Scholarships

Endowed scholarships help many SFA students for several generations.

### Lecture Series

This type of endowment helps provide the opportunity to bring exceptional speakers into the college for the students' benefit.

To explore the possibilities of making an endowed gift to support the College of Education, visit the "Create an Endowment" section of the Office of Development Web site.



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- Choate, R.O. (2007). "The Autistic Client, the New Frontier for Rehabilitation Counseling." Meeting the Challenge of Social Change, Texas Rehabilitation Association/SFA, Nacogdoches, Texas. April 20, 2007.
- Enochs, W. (2006). "Becoming an Adult: The Transition from High School to College." AADA and Monclair State University, Monclair, N.J. Aug. 4, 2006.
- Enochs, W. (2007). "Current Ethics in Rehabilitation Counseling." SFA/TRCA, Nacogdoches, Texas. April 19, 2007.
- Enochs, W. & Battee, P. (2007). "Prevention and Treatment: Counseling African-American and Hispanic Women About Risk of HIV/AIDS." ACA Annual Convention, Detroit, Mich. March 24, 2007.
- Enochs, W., Roland, C., Burlew, L., Rheineck, J. & Monk, P. (2007). "Assisting Adults in Making Positive Life Changes During Mid-Life Transitions: A Panel Discussion." ACA Annual Convention, Detroit, Mich. March 23, 2007.
- Harrison, C. (2007). "Children with Autism in Texas Public Schools." Texas Elementary Principals and Supervisors Association Annual Conference, Austin, Texas. June 7, 2007.
- Hawkins, L. K., McKaig, M.D. & Rupp, G. (2007). "Dysarthria in Progressive Subnuclear Palsy." Annual Convention of the Texas Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Houston, Texas. March 29, 2007.
- Lauter, J.L. (2007). "Can Your Brain Hear What I'm Saying? Central Auditory Processing and Its Implications for Rehabilitation." Texas Rehabilitation Counselors Annual Conference, Nacogdoches, Texas. April 2007.
- Lawson, D.M. (2006). "Partner Abusers Who Did or Did Not Witness Parent Violence." Annual Conference for the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Austin, Texas. Oct. 23, 2006.
- Lawson, D.M. (2007). "Disability and the Family: Family Consideration and Intervention." Texas Rehabilitation Counseling Association Conference, Nacogdoches, Texas. April 19, 2007.

## Faculty Presentations (continued)

McGill, M.B. & Davenport, M. (2006). "Are We Making a Difference? A Four-Phase Program Evaluation Model." Consortium of State Organization for Texas Teacher Education Annual Conference, Corpus Christi, Texas. Oct. 23, 2006.

McGill, M.B. (2007). "Rethinking Learning Disabilities: The Response-to-Intervention Model." International Association of Special Education 10th Biennial Conference, Hong Kong. June 5, 2007.

McKaig, M.D. & Abbott, S.E. (2007). "English and Spanish Morphological Errors of Normal and Language-Impaired Bilingual Children." Texas Research Symposium on Language Diversity, University of Texas, Austin, Texas. Feb. 10, 2007.

McKaig, M.D., Hawkins, L.K. & Abbott, S.E. (2007). "English and Spanish Language Errors of Bilingual Children." 51st Annual Convention and Exhibition, Texas Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Houston, Texas. March 29, 2007.

Ninness, H.A., Rumph, R., Dixon, M., McCuller, G.L., Ninness, S. & Holland, J. (2007). "Trigonometric, Stimulus, and Psychological Relations: A Web-Interactive Approach." Association for Behavior Analysis Annual Conference, San Diego, Calif. May 2007.

Ninness, H.A., Rumph, R. & Holland, J. (2007). "Graduate Training in Behavior Analysis at Stephen F. Austin State University." Association for Behavior Analysis Annual Conference, San Diego, Calif. May 24, 2007.

Patterson, R.B. (2007). "Using the SASSI as a Rehabilitation Counseling Tool." Texas Rehabilitation Association, Stephen F. Austin State University, Nacogdoches, TX. April 20, 2007.

Rumph, R. (2007). "30-Year Reunion for the Behaviorists for Social Responsibility." Association for Behavior Analysis Annual Conference, San Diego, Calif. May 24, 2007.

Rumph, R., Ninness, H.A., McCuller, G.L. & Holland, J. (2007). "A Behaviorist Remembers the Population Bomb." Association for Behavior Analysis Annual Conference, San Diego, Calif. May 25, 2007.

Solomonson, L. (2006). "Intervention Strategies for Children and Adolescents." Beta Kappa Tau Chapter of Chi Sigma Iota, Huntsville, Texas. Nov. 4, 2006.

Solomonson, L. (2007). "Are You Culturally Relevant?" Secondary School Counselors Conference, Texas Counseling Association, Austin, Texas. Feb. 5, 2007.

Solomonson, L. (2007). "Adult ADHD: Why Can't I Get It All Together?" Department of Assistive and Rehabilitative Services Spring Conference, Nacogdoches, Texas. April 20, 2007.

Weber, W.F. (2007). "New Treatment Techniques for the Narcotics Addict." Meeting the Challenges of Social Change, Texas Rehabilitation Association, Galveston, Texas. April 20, 2007.

Whitney, S.A. (2007). "Euphoria and Insanity: The Two Faces of Technology." Summer Academy for the Advancing Deaf and Hard of Hearing in Computing, University of Washington, Seattle, Wash. June 2007.

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Andrews, A.A. & Bobo, L.S. (2007). "Using Videotape Feedback to Prepare Graduate Students to Become Approved Clinical Instructors." Poster presentation at the National Athletic Trainers' Association Educators' Conference, Dallas, Texas. Jan. 11, 2007.

Archer, K. (2007). "Coaching Nutrition." Iron Jack Speed and Strength Camp, Sports Performance and Consulting Inc., Nacogdoches, Texas. June 1, 2007.

Archer, K. & Alastuey, L. (2006). "Sleep Deficit Equals a Health Deficit." TAHPERD Annual Convention, Fort Worth, Texas. Nov. 30, 2006.

Archer, K., Lee, J., Eason, D., Whisenant, A.J., Burton, B. & Bahnsen, P. (2007). "Pilot Study of Weight Gain in Collegiate Male Athletes: Supplement vs. Food Products." National Strength and Conditioning Association National Conference, Atlanta, Ga. July 10, 2007.

Bobo, L.S. (2007). "Panel Discussion: Job Searches, Careers, and Graduate Programs in Athletic Training." Southwest Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Student Workshop, Arlington, Texas. July 21, 2007.

Buswell, D. (2006). "Depictions of Females in a Popular Sports Magazine." Texas Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Fort Worth, Texas. Dec. 1, 2006.

Buswell, D., Hilgenbrinck, L. & Leriou, F. (2007). "Adapted Physical Activity Service Learning in Undergraduate Education." National Consortium for Physical Education and Recreation for Individuals with Disabilities, Reston, Va. July 10, 2007.

Finkenberger, M.E. (2006). "Closing the Technology Gap Between the Marketplace and Practice." National Physical Education Teacher Education Conference, National Association of Sport and Physical Education, Long Beach, Calif. Sept. 12, 2006.

Finkenberger, M.E. (2007). "Implications of the 120-Hour Limit for Texas Teacher Education Programs." TAHPERD Administrator Conference, San Antonio, Texas. March 5, 2007.

Jevas, S.A. (2007). "Panel Discussion: Job Searches, Careers, and Graduate Programs in Athletic Training." Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting and Clinical Symposium, Southwest Athletic Trainers' Association Student Athletic Trainers' Association, Arlington, Texas. July 21, 2007.

Rhodes, E.R. (2006). "Jazz Dance in France." Texas Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance Annual Convention, Fort Worth, Texas. Dec. 1, 2006.

Rhodes, E.R. (2007). "Teaching Jazz Dance in Higher Education." American College Dance Festival Association Annual Conference, Fort Worth, Texas. Feb. 24, 2007.

Rhodes, E.R. (2007). "Folklorico Dance in Panama; Modification for the U.S. Classroom." National Dance Education Association Annual Conference, Mobile, Ala. June 22, 2007.

Rhodes, E.R. & Carter, W.R. (2006). "Folklorico Dance in Texas: Digital Access and Preservation." Congress on Research in Dance Annual Conference, Arizona State University, Tempe, Ariz. Nov. 4, 2006.

Rust, D.M. (2007). "Teaching Populations." Texas Association of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance Conference, Austin, Texas. July 26, 2007.

Rust, D.M. & Alastuey, L. (2007). "Environmental Health Issues in the Modern Home." Southern District AAHPERD Conference, Chattanooga, Tenn. Feb. 16, 2007.

Rust, D.M. & Alastuey, L. (2007). "Providing Support for a Walkable/ Bikeable Community." AAHE/AAHPERD Convention, Baltimore, Md. March 16, 2007.

### SECONDARY EDUCATION AND EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP

Acker-Hocevar, M., Ballenger, J. & Alford, B.J. (2006). "Interstices for Democracy Within Social Justice, Building Community, and Working on School Improvement—Principals' Voices from Different School Types." University Council for Educational Administration, San Antonio, Texas. Nov. 9, 2006.

Alford, B.J. (2007). "The Influence of a Doctoral Program on Growth as a Scholar-Practitioner Leader: Perceptions of Graduates." Southwest Educational Research Association Regional Conference, San Antonio, Texas. February 2007.

Alford, B.J. (2007). "Lessons Learned in Strengthening a College-Going Culture." NASSP with National Council of Professors of Educational Administration, Las Vegas, Nev. February 2007.

Alford, B.J. (2007). "Strengthening a College-Going Culture: The Vital Role of Leadership for Increasing Student Participation and Success in the Advanced Placement Program." College Board, Los Angeles, Calif. July 2007.

Alford, B.J. (2007). "A Case Study of a High-Performing Middle School Engaged in Sustaining the Focus of Middle School Reform: Voices from Students, Counselors, Faculty, and Administrators." National Council of Professors of Educational Administration, Chicago, Ill. August 2007.

Alford, B.J. (2007). "Voices of Graduates of a Doctoral Program: Important Factors in Scholar-Practitioner Leadership." National Council of Professors of Educational Administration, Chicago, Ill. August 2007.

Alford, B.J., Davis, B., Adams, M. & Allen, D. (2007). "Creating a College-Going Culture in Rural Schools: Strengths of the Partnership." National GEAR UP Conference, National Council for Community and Education Partnerships, San Francisco, Calif. July 2007.

Alford, B.J., Davis, B., Tierney, C., Mitchell, J. & Allen, D. (2007). "Improving Student Achievement and Success in Rural Schools." College Board Regional Meeting, Albuquerque, N.M. February 2007.

Alford, B.J., Freeman, J., Murakani-Ranalho, E., Rodriguez, M., Roeltger, C., Roeltger, L. & Christman, D. (2006). "Voices III: Principals Discuss Democratic Community." University Council of Educational Administration National Conference, San Antonio, Texas. November 2006.

Armstrong, J.A. & Rudolph, A.M. (2007). "Best of an Imperfect World." Association of Teacher Educators Annual Meeting, San Diego, Calif. Feb. 19, 2007.

Armstrong, N. (2006). "Revisiting Our Professional Development Schools: Where Are We Thirteen Years Later?" Consortium of State Organizations for Texas Teacher Education Annual Meeting, Corpus Christi, Texas. Oct. 23, 2006.

Armstrong, N. (2006). "The Institutional Benefits of International Projects." Consortium of State Organizations for Texas Teacher Education Annual Meeting, Corpus Christi, Texas. Oct. 24, 2006.

Armstrong, N. (2007). "Transforming the Field Experience Dyad." Association of Teacher Educators Annual Meeting, San Diego, Calif. Jan. 21, 2007.

## Faculty Presentations (continued)

- Armstrong, N., Rudolph, A.M. & Austin, K. (2007). "Transforming the Field Experience Dyad: More Than a Partnership, Less Than a PDS—Making Do With the Best of an Imperfect World." Association of Teacher Educators Annual Meeting, San Diego, Calif. Feb. 19, 2007.
- Ballenger, J. (2006). "Handbook for Gender Equity." Research on Women and Education, AERA, Detroit, Mich. Oct. 26, 2006.
- Ballenger, J. (2006). "Taskforce to Evaluate Educational Leadership Preparation Effectiveness, Planning and Data Analysis Session." University Council of Educational Administration, San Antonio, TX. November 9, 2006.
- Ballenger, J. (2007). "The Importance of Culturally Responsive Teaching: Voices of Rural Secondary School Principals." National Council of Professors of Educational Administration, Chicago, Ill. August 2, 2007.
- Ballenger, J., Alford, B.J. & Ninness, S. (2007). "Making Possibilities Real Through Quality Professional Development: A Chapter Reports on Collaborative Practices That Work." Phi Delta Kappa International, Denver, Colo. March 2, 2007.
- Ballenger, J., Anderson, M., Bishop, R., Campbell, T., Caraway, C., Fredrickson, R., Green, B., Ponder, L. & Woodworth, C. (2007). "Teachers' Beliefs Regarding the Importance of Culturally Relevant Teaching to Improved Academic Achievement of Students of Color." Southwest Educational Research Association, San Antonio, Texas. Feb. 7, 2007.
- Ballenger, J. & Carpenter, G. (2007). "Culturally Responsive Teaching: Teacher Beliefs." Texas Association of School Administrators Midwinter Conference '07, Austin, Texas. Jan. 31, 2007.
- Ballenger, J. & Carpenter, G. (2007). "The Importance of Culturally Relevant Teaching: Voices of Rural Secondary School Principals." NASSP 91st Convention, National Council of Professors of Educational Administration CWC, Las Vegas, Nev. Feb. 23, 2007.
- Ballenger, J., Hopkins, K. & Jones, B. (2007). "The Importance of Culturally Responsive Teaching: Voices of Rural Secondary School Principals." Texas Association of Secondary School Principals, Austin, Texas. June 2007.
- Ballenger, J., Jacobs, G., Nino, M., Rascoe, C., ShROUT, B., Slaton, J., Walker, D. & Woods, Q. (2007). "The Impact of a Science Methods Course on Elementary School Pre-service Science Teachers' Self-Efficacy." Southwest Educational Research Association, San Antonio, Texas. Feb. 8, 2007.
- Black, L.J. (2007). "Using Children's Stories to Teach Point of View and Historical Context in History." World History Association Annual Conference, Milwaukee, Wis. July 1, 2007.
- Carpenter, G. & Ballenger, J. (2007). "Do the Data to Walk the Walk." National Association of Secondary School Principals 91st Convention, Las Vegas, Nev. Feb. 23, 2007.
- Coleman, C., Tareilo, J., Stewart, L. & Ballenger, J. (2007). "Superintendent Hiring Practices: What Superintendents Look for When Hiring Principals." National Council of Professors of Educational Administration, Las Vegas, Nev. February 2007.
- Coleman, C., Tareilo, J., Stewart, L. & Ballenger, J. (2007). "Preparing and Hiring Quality Principals." National Council of Professors of Educational Administration, Las Vegas, Nev. Feb. 23, 2007.
- Jenlink, K.E., Jenlink, P. & Jenkins, D. (2006). "Writing for Publication." Consortium of State Organizations of Texas Teacher Education Conference, Corpus Christi, Texas. Oct. 29, 2006.
- Jenlink, P. (2006). "Poetics and Leadership Preparation: The Cognitive and Aesthetic Dimensions of Pedagogy." Curriculum and Pedagogy Conference, Marble Falls, Texas. Oct. 27, 2006.
- Jenlink, P. (2007). "Public Pedagogy and the Intellectual Work of Teachers." American Association of Colleges of Teacher Education, New York. Feb. 26, 2007.
- Jenlink, P. (2007). "Analyzing Pre-service Teacher Preparation Experiences Within Constructivist Learning Environments." American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Ill. April 9, 2007.
- Jenlink, P. (2007). "Changing Teacher Pedagogy and Practice: Teacher Learning and Constructivist Professional Development." American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Ill. April 10, 2007.
- Jenlink, P. (2007). "Public Pedagogy and the Intellectual Work of Educational Leaders: A Social Justice Stance." American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Ill. April 10, 2007.
- Jenlink, P. (2007). "Dewey's Democracy Revisited: What Would Dewey Say About Teacher Preparation and Learning Today." American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Ill. April 11, 2007.
- Jenlink, P. (2007). "Learning to Teach Democratically: Revisiting Dewey's Notions of the Engaged Teacher in a Democracy." American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Ill. April 11, 2007.
- Jenlink, P. (2007). "Teaching and Educational Change: A Discussion." American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Ill. April 11, 2007.
- Jenlink, P. (2007). "Transforming the School Into a Democratically Practiced Place: Dewey's Democracy as Spatial Practice." American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Ill. April 11, 2007.
- Jenlink, P. (2007). "Narrative Inquiry in Practice Settings: A Discussion." American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Ill. April 12, 2007.
- Jenlink, P. (2007). "Perspectives on School Leadership: A Discussion." American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Ill. April 12, 2007.
- Jenlink, P. (2007). "Preparing Effective Educational Leaders: Developing Dispositions for Successful Practice." American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Ill. April 12, 2007.
- Jenlink, P. (2007). "Principal Leadership for School Improvement: A Discussion." American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Ill. April 12, 2007.
- Jenlink, P., Fredrickson, R. & Fredrickson, K. (2007). "A Correlational Study Concerning the Superintendent's Educational Attainment and Their District's Accountability Rating." National Council of Professors of Educational Administration, Chicago, Ill. Aug. 2, 2007.
- Jenlink, P. & Jenlink, K.E. (2006). "A Re-enchantment of Education in Democracy: The Work of Democratic Educational Leaders." Curriculum and Pedagogy Conference, Marble Falls, Texas. Oct. 2, 2006.
- Jenlink, P. & Jenlink, K.E. (2007). "Teaching for Democracy: An Imperative for Rearticulating Teacher Preparation." American Association of Colleges of Teacher Education, New York. Feb. 26, 2007.
- Marshall, R. & Sampson, P. (2007). "Impact of Superintendent and Board Member's Actions on Student Achievement." Texas Association of School Administrators Midwinter Conference, Austin, Texas. Jan. 31, 2007.
- Marshall, R. & Sampson, P. (2007). "District Leadership and Student Achievement: A Comparison of District Leaders' Longevity and School District Demographics to High Student Achievement." National Council of Professors of Educational Administration National Conference, Chicago, Ill. Aug. 1, 2007.
- Ninness, S. & Ballenger, J. (2006). "You Get What You Expect: School Leaders as Change Agents in Implementing Inclusive Practices." Seventh Annual Curriculum and Pedagogy Conference, Marble Falls, Texas. Oct. 25, 2006.
- Place, A.W., Ballenger, J., Wasonga, T.A., Piveral, J. & Edmonds, C. (2007). "Voices III: Some Principals' Discussion of Social Justice." University Council of Educational Administration, San Antonio, Texas. Nov. 11, 2006.
- Rudolph, A.M. (2007). "Classroom Management Research for Stephen F. Austin State University." Association of Teacher Educators Annual Meeting, San Diego, Calif. Feb. 19, 2007.
- Rudolph, A.M. (2007). "Teaching Online: How to Survive in the Virtual Jungle." Association of Teacher Educators Annual Meeting, San Diego, Calif. Feb. 19, 2007.
- Rudolph, A.M. (2007). "Post-baccalaureate Online Teacher Preparation: Are We Preparing Them to Teach?" Association of Teacher Educators Annual Meeting, San Diego, Calif. Feb. 20, 2007.
- Sampson, P. & Marshall, R. (2007). "Board Member and Superintendent Longevity and the Impact on Student Achievement." Southwest Educational Research Association, San Antonio, Texas. Feb. 10, 2007.
- Sampson, P. & Marshall, R. (2007). "Superintendents and School Board Presidents in High-Achieving Schools." Texas Association of School Boards and SFA Department of Educational Leadership, Nacogdoches, Texas. May 17, 2007.
- Seaman, M. (2007). "The Use of Narrative in Self-Study." Southwest Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, San Antonio, Texas. Feb. 9, 2007.
- Stewart, L., Nix, S. & Rolf, S. (2007). "Principals' Knowledge of Critical Element of Reading." Texas Association of School Administrators, Austin, Texas. Jan. 30, 2007.
- Stewart, L. & Tareilo, J. (2007). "Bullying in Schools: What Can We Do?" Texas Association of Secondary School Principals Summer Workshop, Austin, Texas. June 2007.
- Tareilo, J. (2007). "What I Learned From Mr. Rogers: Welcome to MY Neighborhood." Texas Association of Secondary School Principals, Austin, Texas. June 13, 2007.
- Tareilo, J. & Stewart, L. (2007). "Leadership in a Global Society." Project DEVELOP, Nacogdoches, Texas. July 2007.

# Faculty Research and Sponsored Programs

## INTERNAL AWARDS

PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR, DEPARTMENT	PROJECT TITLE	TYPE OF AWARD	AWARDED
Alexander, Vi, Elementary Education	A Study of the Implementation Research-based Reading Strategies and Best Practices	Minigrant (Research Enhancement)	\$450
Alford, Betty, Secondary Education and Finkenberg, Mel, Kinesiology	Education Research Academy	Research Development Fund	\$100,307
Archer, Kimberly, Kinesiology	Performance Indicators, Weight Gain, and Taste Satisfaction in Collegiate Male Athletes: Sport Supplement vs. Food Products	Minigrant (Research Enhancement)	\$500
Armstrong, Neill, Secondary Education	Summit on Global Education	Minigrant (Research Enhancement)	\$850
Austin, Kenneth, Secondary Education	Creating Educational Settings for Truth-Setting and Critical Thinking for Both Teacher Educator and Student Learner	Minigrant (Research Enhancement)	\$255
Ballenger, Julia and Alford, Betty, Secondary Education	Evaluating Leadership Preparation Programs: Creating Collaborative Communities for Program Evaluation Research - The Texas Study	Minigrant (Research Enhancement)	\$900
Cole, Sandra, Kinesiology	The Status and Delivery of Physical Education Within the Chinese Educational System	Minigrant (Research Enhancement)	\$1,000
Gresham, Gloria, Elementary Education	I - 3: Inquire, Integrate, and Interact	Minigrant (Research Enhancement)	\$501
Jenlink, Patrick, Secondary Education	Enhancing Research for Educator Preparation, Practice, and Policy	Minigrant (Research Enhancement)	\$500
Jevas, Stephanie, Kinesiology	Metamotivational Profiles and Body Image Perceptions in NCAA Division I College Athletes	Minigrant (Research Enhancement)	\$142
Lauter, Judith, Human Services	Present FRG Paper "Neurocardiology: Noninvasive Functional Assessment Using the AXS Test Battery"	Minigrant (Research Enhancement)	\$1,158
Lauter, Judith, Human Services	The Human Neuroscience Laboratory at SFA: Expanding the Circle-YEAR 2	Research Development Fund	\$19,824
Lawson, David, Human Services	A Treatment Outcome Study for Abused Women and Their Children: An Integrated Trauma-Focused Model of Intervention	Faculty Research Grant (Research Enhancement)	\$25,274
Leonard, John, Secondary Education	Examining the Role of Dewey's Democratic Education Society: Considerations for the Public and Its Problems Today	Minigrant (Research Enhancement)	\$500
Ninness, Chris, Human Services	Developing and Deploying an Online Statistical and Artificial Neural Network Server to Facilitate Innovative Research at SFASU-YEAR 2	Research Development Fund	\$32,049
Perritt, Mitzi, Human Sciences	Exploring Healthcare Design: A Proposed Emphasis for Graduate Study	Minigrant (Research Enhancement)	\$507
Perry, Danielle, Human Sciences	Parent Satisfaction with Early Hearing Detection and Intervention Services Received in East Texas	Minigrant (Research Enhancement)	\$500
Rhodes, Elizabeth, Kinesiology	Elle Johnson: a Messenger for Katherine Dunham	Minigrant (Research Enhancement)	\$600
Seaman, Mark, Secondary Education	First-Year Teacher, Second Time Around	Minigrant (Research Enhancement)	\$700
Tareilo, Janet, Secondary Education	The Role of the Campus Principal in Fostering Administrative Leadership in Assistant Principals	Minigrant (Research Enhancement)	\$500
Welsh, Kimberly, Elementary Education and Kenner, Janie, Human Sciences	Transition from Teacher Candidate to a Novice Teacher: The Sustainability of Guided Reading Instruction	Minigrant (Research Enhancement)	\$500
Whitney, Scott, Human Services,	Motion Capture Innovation Initiative	Minigrant (Research Enhancement)	\$500

**TOTAL INTERNAL AWARDS as of May 30, 2008**

**\$188,017**

*Active Awards - includes total awards for all years of the grant or contract.*

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## ACTIVE AWARDS

### PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR, DEPARTMENT

### PROJECT TITLE

### TYPE OF AWARD

### AWARDED

Alford, Betty, Secondary Education	English Language Acquisition Center for Excellence (ENLACE)	US Dept. of Education	\$1,434,109
Alford, Betty, Secondary Education	Developing Entrepreneurial Vision for Exemplary Leadership and Ongoing Professionalism (PROJECT DEVELOP)	US Dept. of Education	\$715,516
Alford, Betty, Secondary Education	East Texas GEAR UP	US Dept. of Education	\$6,150,178
Alford, Betty, Secondary Education	PROJECT DEVELOP National Evaluation	US Dept. of Education	\$103,356
Bridwell, Leisha, Human Sciences	Etiquette and Protocol = Success	Angelina College (THECB, US Dept. of Education)	\$5,000
Bryant, Bob, Human Services	Orientation and Mobility for the Blind Training Program	US Dept. of Education	\$500,000
Bryant, Bob, Human Services	Summer 2008 O&M Cooperative Internship Program	Texas Dept. of Assistive and Rehabilitative Services	\$6,000
Choate, Robert, Human Services	Vocational Rehabilitation Counseling Training Program	US Dept. of Education	\$750,000
Choate, Robert, Human Services	Rehabilitation Counseling Internship Contract	Texas Dept. of Assistive and Rehabilitative Services	\$89,743
Hagan, Lysa, Elementary Education	SFA Charter School Start-up Grant	Texas Education Agency (US Dept. of Education)	\$246,179
Harkness, Lori, Elementary Education	Child Care Local Match Agreement	Workforce Solutions Deep East Texas (US Dept. of Health and Human Services)	\$50,000
Harkness, Lori, Elementary Education	Child Care Local Match Agreement	Workforce Solutions Deep East Texas (US Dept. of Health and Human Services)	\$165,000
Jacobson, John, College of Education	Advanced Technical Credit Professional Development Accountability System	Texas Education Agency (US Dept. of Education)	\$149,997
Jacobson, John, College of Education	Deep East Texas P-16 Regional Council	Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board	\$25,000
Jacobson, John, College of Education	Deep East Texas P-16 Council Enhancement Grant	Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board	\$49,676
Jacobson, John, College of Education	Consortium for Excellence in Rural Teacher Preparation (CERT-Prep) - ELL	US Dept. of Education	\$1,494,664
Jacobson, John, College of Education	Consortium for Excellence in Rural Teacher Preparation (CERT-Prep)	US Dept. of Education	\$2,077,881
Jenlink, Patrick, Secondary Education	Texas Educational Research Center for Educator Preparation, Policy, and Practice (TERCEP)*	UT Dallas (Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board)	\$125,000
McCuller, Glen, Human Services	Special Education Recruitment and Retention Grant	US Dept. of Education	\$24,092
Mercer, Dixie, Human Services	Project VISTA (Visual Impairment Student Training Alternative)	US Dept. of Education	\$800,000
Mercer, Dixie, Human Services	Visually Impaired Preparation Program	Texas School for the Blind and Visually Impaired (US Dept. of Education)	\$320,000
Pattillo, Janice, Elementary Education	Articulated Internet Teacher Education Program for Multilingual Elementary Classrooms	US Dept. of Education (FIPSE)	\$592,260
Pattillo, Janice, Elementary Education	Early Childhood Research and Development Center**	US Dept. of Health and Human Services	\$286,899
Sowards, Alan, Elementary Education	Energy, Economics and the Environment	Luminate Power	\$28,000
Sowards, Alan, Elementary Education	Teaching Environmental Science	Region VII Education Service Center (UT Center for Science and Math Education)	\$12,000
Weber, Bill, Human Services	Undergraduate Rehabilitation Services Training Program	US Dept. of Education	\$375,000

**TOTAL AWARDS UNDER CONTRACT as of July 24, 2008 \$16,575,550**

Hagan, Lysa, Elementary Education	SFA Charter School Operational Budget***	US Dept. of Education	\$1,047,262
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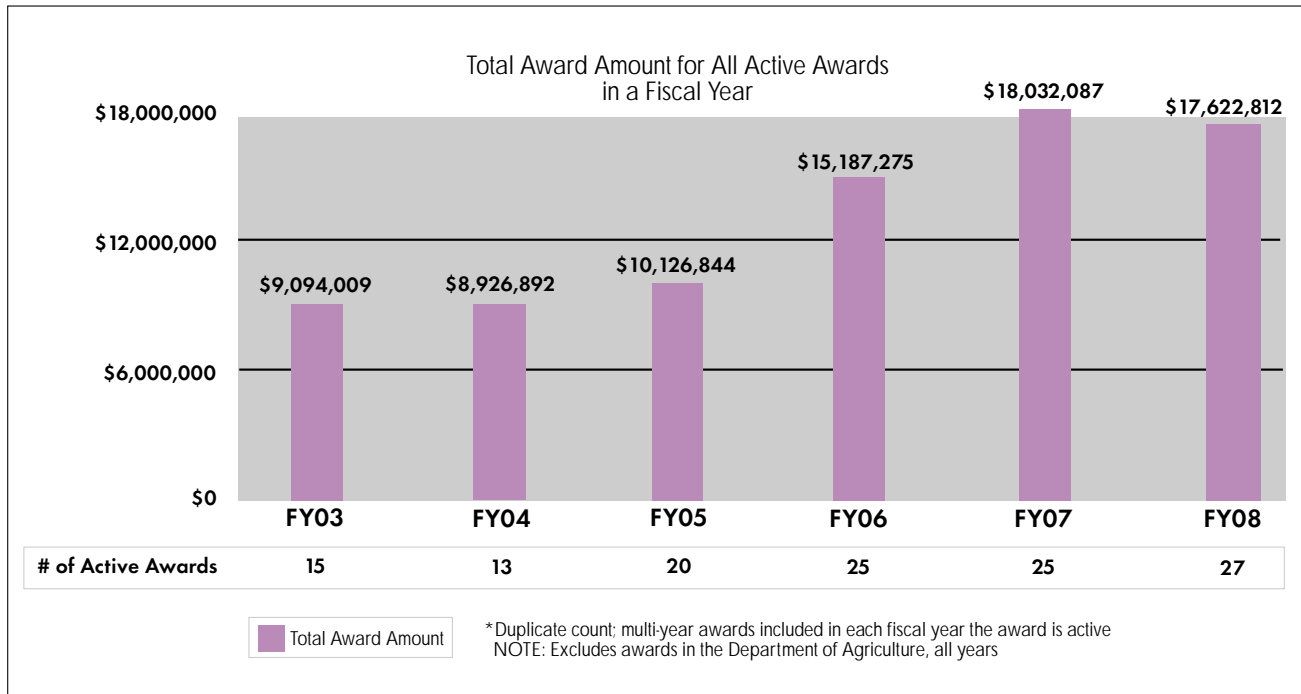
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## PENDING PROPOSALS

PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR, DEPARTMENT	PROJECT TITLE	TYPE OF AWARD	AWARDED
Alford, Betty, Secondary Education	GEAR UP: Gaining Early Awareness and Readiness for Undergraduate Programs for Success	US Dept. of Education	\$5,844,319
Alford, Betty, Secondary Education	Project BUILD - Bridging Understanding through Innovative Leadership Development	US Dept. of Education	\$749,505
<b>TOTAL PENDING AWARDS as of July 24, 2008</b>			<b>\$6,593,824</b>

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