

Weekly Update | October 14, 2022

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Dear Faculty and Staff,

These weekly updates will serve as a tool to keep you informed and engaged with SMU's Academic Affairs division as, together, we work toward achieving the goals that fall within our four priority areas through 2025: 1) Academic Excellence/ top 50, 2) Road to R1: Research and Scholarly/Creative Excellence, 3) 2016 – 2025 Strategic Plan and 4) Inclusive Excellence.

If you have suggestions for what we should include in future communications, please send your ideas to this [email address](#). Previous newsletters are available [here](#).

Today's update falls into three categories: 1) Fall 2022, 2) Road to R1: Research and Scholarly/Creative Excellence, and 3) News and Noteworthy.

Fall 2022

Cox School of Business Executive Board Meeting This Week

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SMU Joins the National Tuition Exchange Consortium

This week, SMU [announced](#) that it would be joining [Tuition Exchange](#) (TE), a national consortium of colleges and universities that provides educational scholarships to its more than 670 member institutions. Beginning in spring 2023, dependents of SMU benefits-eligible employees will be able to apply for full or partial tuition awards at other TE member institutions. More information about eligibility requirements and the application process can be found here on the [HR website](#).

SMU in Four: Year-One Progress Shared

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Call for Nominations: Faculty Teaching Awards

Each year, we have the honor to award a number of teaching awards to deserving SMU faculty, underscoring our

Register for Virtual Book Discussions of *Inclusive Teaching*