

# Fall 2022 College Meeting

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# Career Engagement

**Ralph Leal, SPHR**

**Director, Career Engagement  
and Corporate Relations**



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# Updates

- Rebranded to Career Engagement
- New location – Memorial Student Union Building – Room 122
- Launched inaugural graduation outcomes survey to May 2022 graduates with the survey closing in November
  - Pedro Mata - Indio Faith Ranch in Carrizo Springs
    - Range and Wildlife Management

# Career Engagement as a Resource

- Going to be gone?
  - Let us talk with your students
- Resume reviews and interview practice
  - Online or in-person
- Employer and jobs database
  - We can share and post positions in Javelina Careers powered by Handshake

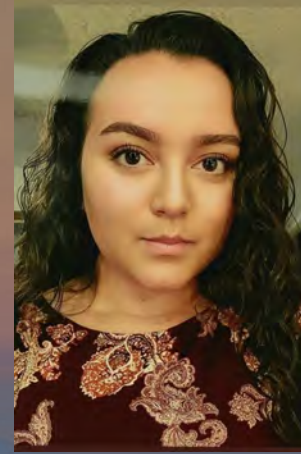
# Career Events 2022-2023

- Fall 2022 Javelina Career Expo – Thursday, October 6<sup>th</sup>
- Graduate and Professional School Fair – Tuesday, November 1<sup>st</sup>
- Fall 2022 Javelina Education Expo – Tuesday, November 8<sup>th</sup>
- Spring 2023 Javelina Career Expo – Tuesday, February 28<sup>th</sup>
- Spring 2023 Javelina Education Expo – Tuesday, April 4<sup>th</sup>

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**Derek Gonzales**  
Human Resources Manager



**Sarai Guillen**  
Human Resources Generalist I

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# Retirees

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**Dr. Eliezer Louzada**

Professor,  
Citrus Breeding and  
Molecular Biology

Citrus Center

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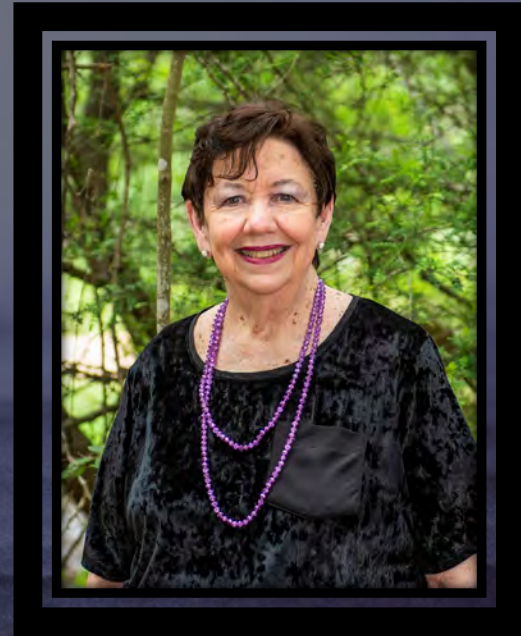




**Rebecca Trant**

Director, Administration

Caesar Kleberg Wildlife  
Research Institute



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Growth is never by mere chance;  
it is the result of forces working  
together.

# New Faculty and Staff

# Hello!

A hand is holding a white bowl filled with a light-colored liquid, likely a beverage. The bowl contains several slices of lemon and a piece of ginger. The background is a plain, light-colored surface.

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**WELCOME**  
WE'RE *glad* YOU'RE HERE

# Animal Science & Veterinary Technology



**Amanda Ashcraft**  
Administrative Associate III



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# King Ranch<sup>®</sup> Institute for Ranch Management

**Dave DeLaney**  
Practitioner in Ranch  
Management



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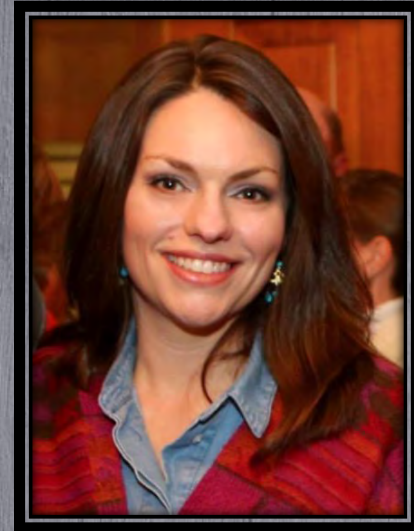
**Emily Stribling**  
Communications Specialist III

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**Anne Thurwalker**

Associate Director  
of Development



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# Caesar Kleberg Wildlife Research Institute



**John "Tony" Dietz**  
Purchasing Specialist



**Edna Kirkpatrick**  
Travel Specialist II



**Celina Ortiz**  
Purchasing Specialist



**Zachary Rodriguez**  
Business Coordinator II

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*Promotions*

your potential to succeed

*is infinite*



# PROMOTION & TENURE



**Dr. Natasha Mast**

**Associate Professor,  
Animal Science & Ruminant  
Nutrition**

**Animal Science and Veterinary  
Technology**

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# Faculty Position Changes

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**Dr. Ashley Unger Tanner**

Assistant Professor,  
Natural Resource and Ecology

**Rangeland and Wildlife Sciences**

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# Staff Position Changes

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**Niki Kaiser**

Senior Administrative  
Coordinator

Dick and Mary Lewis Kleberg  
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# Rangeland and Wildlife Sciences

**Dr. Bart Ballard**  
Chair and Professor



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**Yolanda Ballard**  
Director,  
Administration



**Nancy Jennings**  
Assistant Director,  
Administration



**Shyla Rabe**  
Assistant  
Director of  
Operations

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**Cecilia Chapa**  
Business  
Coordinator II



**Thomas Rose**  
Administrative  
Associate V

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# South Texas Natives



**Dr. Anthony Falk**

Dan L. Duncan Endowed  
Director,  
Texas Native Seeds

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# Personnel Searches

- ❖ **AGSC – Assist/Assoc Professor** –75% Teaching / 25% Research [Agriculture Science]
- ❖ **PLSS/CITR – Assist/Assoc Professor** –25% Teaching / 75% Research [Plant Breeding/Genetics]
- ❖ **PLSS/CITR – Assist/Assoc Professor** – 25% Teaching / 25% Outreach / 50% Research [Entomology]
- ❖ **ANSC – Assistant Professor** - 75% Teaching / 25% Research
- ❖ **ANSC – Instructor/Lecturer** - 100% Teaching - Outreach
- ❖ **VETT – Vet Nurse I**
- ❖ **VETT – Veterinary Technician III** – Daily care of animals & supervising student workers
- ❖ **CLAG – Academic Advisor I**



# **Endowments, Fellows, National & Local Awards**

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# Agriculture, Agribusiness, & Environmental Science



## **Dr. Steven "Boot" Chumbley**

Associate Professor, Agricultural  
Education and Mechanics

**2022 Chancellor's Academy  
of Teacher Educator's Award**

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# Agriculture, Agribusiness, & Environmental Science



## **Dr. Diane Friend**

Assistant Professor,  
Agribusiness  
RELLIS Campus

**“2022 Outstanding Non-Tenure Track  
Teaching Award”**

Presented by Center for Teaching  
Effectiveness

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# Agriculture, Agribusiness, & Environmental Science



## **Dr. Benjamin Turner**

Associate Professor,  
Agriculture & Natural Resource  
Management

**“Commissioner of the Texas Animal  
Health Commission”**

(6 year service term)

Appointed by  
Governor, Greg Abbott

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# Animal Science & Veterinary Technology



**Dr. Jason Apple**

Professor and Chair  
Department of Animal Science  
& Veterinary Technology

**“2022 Signal Service Award and  
American Meat Science Association  
Fellow Recipient”**

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# Animal Science & Veterinary Technology



## **Dr. Clayton Hilton**

Professor and Jo and Bruce  
Gunn Endowed Director of  
Veterinary Technology

**“2022 Wilford S. Bailey  
Award Recipient”**

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# Animal Science & Veterinary Technology



**Tiffany Pope**

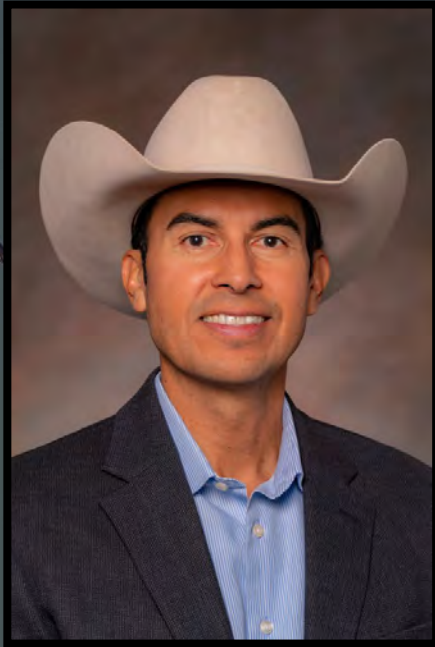
Instructional Veterinary Nurse II

**“2022 Outstanding General  
Education Teaching Award”**

Presented by Center for Teaching  
Effectiveness

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Rangeland & Wildlife Sciences / Caesar  
Kleberg Wildlife Research Institute



## **Dr. Fidel Hernandez**

Professor, Alfred C. Glassell, Jr.  
**Endowed Chair** in Quail Research,  
Wildlife Science

**Regents Professor**

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Rangeland & Wildlife Sciences / Caesar  
Kleberg Wildlife Research Institute



## **Dr. Humberto L. Perotto- Baldivieso**

Associate Professor and Research  
Scientist

**“Outstanding Achievement Award”**  
presented by the  
Society for Range Management

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# Caesar Kleberg Wildlife Research Institute



## **Dr. David Hewitt**


Professor and Leroy G. Denman, Jr.  
**Endowed Executive Director** of  
Wildlife Research

**“2022 Sam Beasom  
Conservation Leader Award”**  
Texas Wildlife Association



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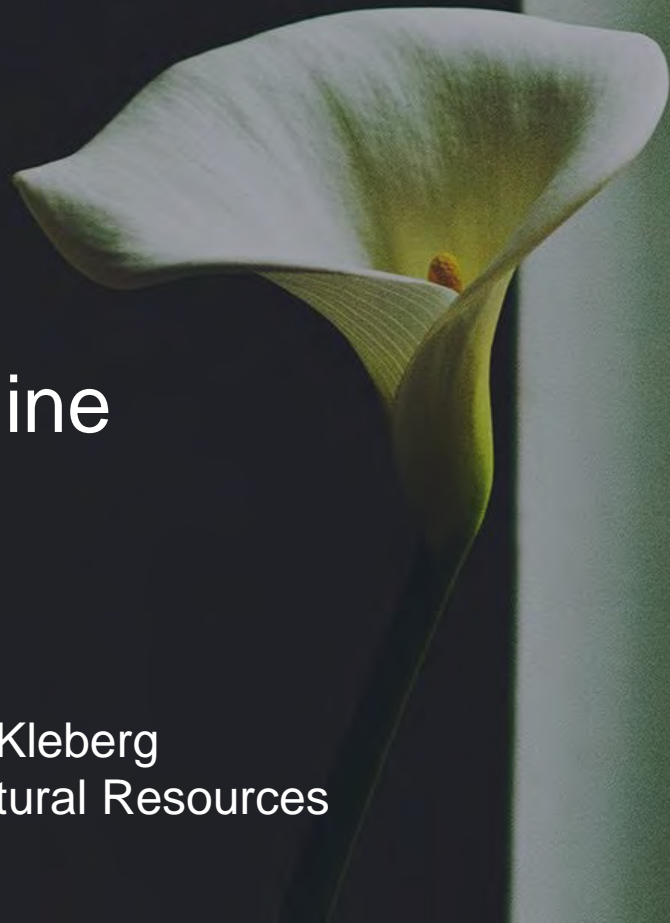
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# Promotion & Tenure Timeline

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# Promotion & Tenure Timelines, Continuation, Annual Reports, Post -Tenure Review

- Everything will be submitted electronically via eportfolios to Blackboard.
- For those of you unfamiliar with this process E-Portfolio guides and a tutorial recording is available at the following link: <http://www.tamuk.edu/academicaffairs/promotion-tenure.html>.
- Chairs may request a hard copy from faculty if they wish to facilitate reviews. However, electronic signatures on recommendation letters are required because these documents must be uploaded to Blackboard on due dates.



# Promotion & Tenure Timelines

## Mike Cherry (RWSC)

- **NLT 8/29/22** – Faculty member submits material as an eportfolio to Blackboard.
- **NLT 8/30/22** – Department Chair reminds Departmental Committee to schedule meeting to review eportfolios in Blackboard. Committee access open in Blackboard.
- **NLT 9/8/22** – Department Committee Chair submits committee recommendation to Department Chair via Blackboard. Chair access open in Blackboard.
- **NLT 9/16/22** – Department Chair submits recommendation to Dean via Blackboard. College Committee access open in Blackboard.
- **NLT 9/30/22** – College Committee Chair submits recommendation to Dean. Dean access open in Blackboard.
- **NLT 10/14/22** – Dean decides for or against continuation and notifies faculty and Provost.

# Promotion & Tenure Timelines

## Fourth – Fifth Year Continuation

### Cariann Galloway (ANSC/VETT)

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- **NLT 8/30/22** – Department Chair reminds Departmental Committee to schedule meeting to review eportfolios in Blackboard. Committee access open in Blackboard.
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# Promotion & Tenure Timelines

## First – Third Year Continuation

Evan Tanner & Ashley Tanner Unger (RWSC), Ann Staiger (ANSC/VETT),  
Seth Abugho & Joel Cabrera (AAES)

- **NLT 1/20/23** – Faculty member submits material as an eportfolio to Blackboard.
- **NLT 2/6/23** – Department P/T Continuation Committee Chair submits committee recommendation to Department Chair via Blackboard. Chair access open in Blackboard.
- **NLT 2/21/23** – Department Chair submits recommendation to Dean via Blackboard. College Committee access open in Blackboard.
- **NLT 3/10/23** – College P/T Continuation Committee Chair submits recommendation to Dean. Dean access open in Blackboard.
- **NLT 3/27/23** – Dean decides for or against continuation and notifies faculty and Provost.

# Post -Tenure Review

## Tanner Machado (ANSC/VETT)

- **NLT 1/20/23** – Faculty member submits material as an eportfolio to Blackboard.
- **NLT 2/6/23** – Department P/T Continuation Committee Chair submits committee recommendation to Department Chair via Blackboard. Chair access open in Blackboard.
- **NLT 2/21/23** – Department Chair submits recommendation to Dean via Blackboard. College Committee access open in Blackboard.
- **NLT 3/10/23** – College P/T Continuation Committee Chair submits recommendation to Dean. Dean access open in Blackboard.
- **NLT 3/27/23** – Dean decides for or against continuation and notifies faculty and Provost.


# Annual Evaluation

## All Faculty Members Must Submit One

- **NLT 1/31/23** – Faculty member submits material as an eportfolio to Blackboard.
- Individual Department chairs will review all faculty eportfolios and schedule annual evaluations with faculty members at appropriate times.
- Department Chairs will submit evaluation letters on Blackboard.

# Recruiting

- Faculty members are always encouraged to help recruit high school and transfer students to the College and University.
- Faculty are welcome to attend any recruiting event on campus when they are scheduled by TAMUK recruiters or by the Dean's Office.
- There will be four Javelina Preview Days during the year that faculty can attend and talk to potential students and their parents.
- Faculty participation in recruiting events is strongly encouraged because faculty make a very strong impression on students and particularly their parents.



# College Activities & Events

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75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration

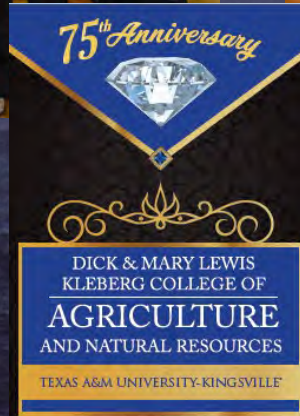




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Stephen J. "Tio" & Janell Kleberg

Friend of the College  
Diamond Level Honoree



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Dr. Neal Wilkins



Dale Murden



James H. Clement, Jr.

Hall of Honor Diamond Level Honorees

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2021 Teaching & Research  
Awardees

[Joe Paschal, John Howard for Michael  
Howard, Dr. Cariann Galloway, Dr.  
Humberto Perotto, Dr. Ben Turner]



Advising Excellence Awards  
[Shelly Salazar, Javier Mendoza,  
Carla Winterbottom]



2022 Teaching & Research  
Awardees

[Dr. Steven Chumbley, Dr. Diane  
Friend, Dr. Veronica Ancona, Dr.  
Fidel Hernandez, Dr. Michael Cherry]

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Julia Rogers  
VETT



Yolanda Ballard  
CKWRI



Terry Gonzales  
CITR

Service Excellence Awards

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Dr. Consuelo Donato  
AAES



Becky Trant – Lifetime Award  
CKWRI



Rosie Vela  
Dean's Office

Dean's Excellence Award





Outstanding Graduate Student  
Plant and Soil Science  
Horacio Rodriguez



Outstanding Undergraduate Student  
Agriculture Science  
Cordel Bosler



Outstanding Undergraduate Student  
Agriculture Science – Teacher Certification  
Rudy Moreno



Outstanding Undergraduate Student  
Agribusiness  
Kendall Cloud

# Outstanding Student Luncheon



Outstanding Graduate Student  
Plant and Soil Science – Citrus Center  
Yovanna Lizeth Soto



Outstanding Doctoral Student  
Wildlife Science  
Kristyn Stewart



Outstanding Undergraduate Student  
Veterinary Technology  
Shaira Nunez-Perez



Outstanding Undergraduate Student  
Animal Science  
Jordan Lewis



Outstanding Undergraduate Student  
Environmental Science  
Reid Baty



2021-2022 Outstanding Student Organization – Plant ID Team



**Go Start Now Costa  
Rica  
At TAMU Soltis Center  
-San Isidro, Costa Rica**

**Students from TAMUK,  
University Of Florida  
& University of  
Puerto Rico.**

Soil Judging Team  
North Platte, Nebraska

2022 NACTA Judging Conference



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2022 Ag Mechanics Show



More Ag  
Mech  
Show



# College Statistics: Status Updates

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# College AGNR Research Expenditures

AY	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Million (\$)	12.1	11.8	11.3	12.2	12.8	11.6	
\$ / FTE	280K	285K	275K	348K	335K	300K	

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# CoAGNR: Semester Credit Hours

AY	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
SCH	10,923	11,047	12,235	12,644	12,659	≈12,600
WSCH	40,906	37,244	39,747	40,030	41,437	

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# CoAGNR: Graduation Rates

## 4-Year Graduation Rate (Univ Strat Plan Goal =45% by F'26)

Fall	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
AGNR	17.2%	24.0%	30.6%	26.5%	32.4%	35.3%	? %
Univ	20.3%	21.5%	23.0%	24.2%	27.5%	25.7%	? %

## 6-Year Graduation Rate (Univ Strat Plan Goal =70% by F'26)

Fall	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
AGNR	32.9%	33.0%	38.9%	39.8%	53.8%	46.5%	? %
Univ	29.1%	34.7%	37.3%	39.3%	44.7%	43.5%	? %

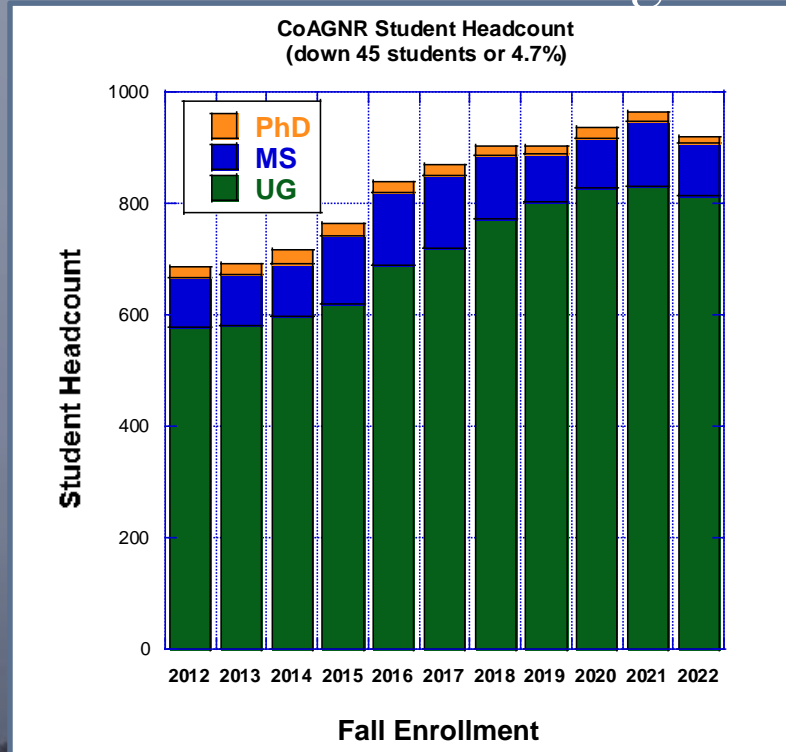
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## Freshman Retention (Univ Strat Plan Goal =85% by F'26)

Fall	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
AGNR	75.9%	68.2%	71.2%	65.0%	76.8%	71.4%	61.4%
Univ	71.4%	68.1%	66.8%	65.0%	72.1%	65.8%	63.4%

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# Headcount Growth: College AGNR only



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# Endowments: Unit Director's Impact

- **KRIRM: \$15.9 H.M. Smith Ranch Endowment** available  
Appraised 2022 Value: \$31.3 Million  
(\$4 M operating funds + >\$27.3M ranch value)  
credit to Dr. Clay Mathis & KRIRM alumnus
- **CITR: \$100K Endowed Gift + \$400K funds for new plantings**  
thanks to Dr. Mamoudou Setamou & Dr. Hussey
- **VETT: \$1.3 Million Gunn Endowment** available  
shout out to Dr. Clayton Hilton
- **CKWRI: Surpassed it's 40th Year Anniversary**  
In the past 25 years Endowments exceed \$50 Million  
Big Cudoz Fred Bryant, David Hewitt & Caroline McAllister

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# FY 24-25 Legislative Request

- Dean's Request to TAMUS is for Legislature to Restore all lines back to FY16 levels : KRIRM, CKWRI, and VETT
- CITR: \$1.5 Million per year requested  
we need to start asking what it really takes to run the center
- TRB: \$90 Million new College AGNR Building  
new lab and classroom building  
update facilities
- Last Biennium FY22-23 Funding:  
New \$1.5 Million Swine Unit  
New Farm Entrance Gate Signage and Road

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# FY 23 Construction Projects

- VETT: New office building under development.
- CITR: New 40-citrus block planted  
drip system & 1 Acre pond w/pump system
- CLAG: Remodel Areas in Human Science Bldg.  
we need to create 3 to 4 new faculty offices
- RWSC: Remodel Rachel Perez' office  
new carpet, paint, possibly furniture
- CLAG: Remodel Dean's Suite office  
new carpet

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# Signed Memorandum's Of Understanding



**LEAP PROGRAM MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING  
between  
TEXAS VETERINARY MEDICAL FOUNDATION (TVMF) AND  
TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY-KINGSVILLE VETERINARY TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM (TAMUK VETT)**

**Special appreciation to: Ms. Christine Hoskinson (LEAP MOU)  
and  
Dr. Michelle Garcia and TAMUK MOU Committee**

# Renewed Memorandum of Understanding with TAMU Vet School

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# Signed Memorandum of Understandings

Special appreciation to Dr. Consuelo Donato



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# 1<sup>st</sup> REL LIS - AGBU Graduation Class

Cudoz to Dr. Diane Friend diligent labors for TAMUK!

Program growth from 1 student in F'19 to 24 students F'22



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# 2022 Best Value Colleges for Agribusiness in Texas

## Agricultural Business Operations (Income \$75-\$11k)

**#1** Texas A&M University - Kingsville  
Kingsville, Texas 

 **#4**  
IN OVERALL QUALITY



 **\$19,635**  
AVERAGE NET PRICE


 **\$39,107**  
AVERAGE EARLY-CAREER EARNINGS


You'll join some of the best and brightest minds around if you attend Texas A&M University - Kingsville. The school came in at #1 for the Best Value Agribusiness Schools in Texas For Those Making \$75-\$110k. Texas A&M University - Kingsville is located in Kingsville, Texas and, has a medium-sized student population. In 2019-2020, this school awarded 13 's agribusiness degrees to qualified students.


Texas A&M Kingsville not only placed well in this ranking. It is also #4 on our "Best Agribusiness/Agricultural Business Operations Schools in Texas" list. It costs about \$19,635 for Texas Agribusiness students whose families make \$75-\$110k per year to attend Texas A&M University - Kingsville.

[Full Texas A&M University - Kingsville Agribusiness/Agricultural Business Operations Report](#)

**#2** Texas A&M University - College Station  
College Station, Texas 

 **#1**  
IN OVERALL QUALITY

 **\$26,028**  
AVERAGE NET PRICE

 **\$53,657**  
AVERAGE EARLY-CAREER EARNINGS

**#3** Sam Houston State University  
Huntsville, Texas 

 **#2**  
IN OVERALL QUALITY

 **\$19,531**  
AVERAGE NET PRICE

 **\$39,948**  
AVERAGE EARLY-CAREER EARNINGS

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# Faculty Program Spotlight

Dr. Sandra Rideout-  
Hanzak

“A Talk on the Wild Side”  
Podcast



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“It would be absolutely useless for any of us to work to save wildlife without working to educate the next generation of conservationists.”

Jane Goodall



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## What are we about?



- Science and Research—Universities, TPWD, etc.
- Wildlife—Terrestrial and Marine/Freshwater species
- Game and Nongame—Quail, Reddish egrets, Dolphins, Deer, Texas horned lizards, etc.
- Restoration—Coral reef restoration, Pipeline disturbance, Introduced Old World bluestems, etc.
- Social Issues—Enjoyment of birding, Women in natural sciences, etc.
- Fun and Interesting—What's Wild and New, Biology Blunders

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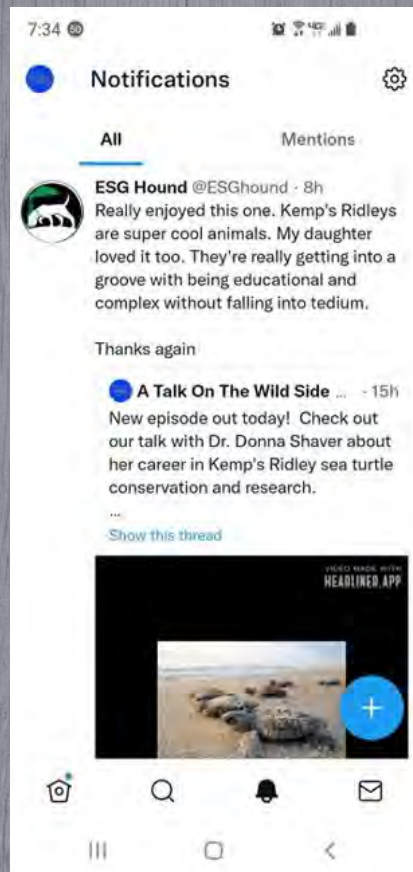
## Where are our listeners?

- United States (47 states)
  - Most Popular—Texas, Colorado, Virginia, California, Florida
  - Missing states—South Dakota, Hawaii, Alaska
- 39 Foreign Countries
  - Most popular—India, Germany, UK, France, Belgium



## What are people saying about us?

- Almost 15,000 downloads (37 episodes)
- 15 Reviews, All 5 stars
- Highest ranking—27 in Nature podcasts in April 2022
- 
- “This podcast is informative and easy to listen to! It covers a wide range of topics related to rangeland, wildlife... I highly recommend it!”  
jcort1024 · 08/07/21
- 
- “Only two episodes in and I’m hooked! A Talk on the Wild Side is a Podcast for everyone. From the “What’s Wild and New?” segment...”  
Read full review » Anonymous Ecologist · 06/29/21
- 
- “The recently launched “A Talk on the Wild Side” has already secured its place in my podcast listening rotation. Their insights on flora and fauna in and around Texas can be enjoyed by any level of wildlife enthusiast. Dynamic guest speakers, multi-perspective analyses, and entertaining topics...”  
Read full review » Nobamanos · 06/29/21



## How can I use the Podcast in class?

- Assignment with writing
- Extra credit assignment with worksheet
- Almost always advice for young professionals
- Undergrads can learn a lot about graduate school
- Ask me for a list of discussion topics
- Hear from experts on specific topics:
  - Different color morphs within a species
  - Survival adaptations in the desert
  - How wildfires are a weather phenomenon
  - Politics and natural resources management
  - Chronic Wasting Disease
  - Environmental cues affect quail breeding
  - Genetics and Epigenetics
  - Co-evolution

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# University Farm Fire

## BIG THANK YOU to a REAL HERO!



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