TIME CERTAINLY FLIES
“Serving as your provost during this time has been an amazing and enriching experience on so many levels. Yet, the biggest reward has been working alongside the outstanding faculty, staff, and students. **Together, we have accomplished many great things.**”

—**Paula Myrick Short**
Senior Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, University of Houston System
Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost, University of Houston
OFFICE OF THE PROVOST SUCCESS INITIATIVES

2013
- Cougar Chairs Leadership Academy (CCLA)
- UH Graduate School

2014
- Center for ADVANCING UH Faculty Success
- Provost Summer Read Program
- UHin4

2015
- Cub Camp
- Faculty Recruitment, Retention, Equity and Diversity
- Houston GPS

2016
- Faculty Competitive Salary Initiative
- Hobby School of Public Affairs
- Kathrine G. McGovern College of the Arts

2017
- 50-in-5 Scholars
- First UHin4 Class Graduates

2018
- Institute for Global Engagement
- Power-On Online Instructional Training

2019
- Cougars Initiative to Engage (CITE)
- Campus Wide Ad Astra Classroom Scheduling and Space Management System

2020
- “Together, We Rise. Together, We Soar” Strategic Plan
- Houston GPS Equity Walk Initiative
- Hyflex Instructional Technology Implementation Initiative

2021
- UH Named Among Top Producer of Fulbright Scholars Again
- Gates Foundation/ACUE Certificate in Effective College Instruction Initiative

2022
SUPPORTING STUDENT SUCCESS

FOUR-YEAR AND SIX-YEAR GRADUATION RATES


4-Year
48.0% 48.1% 51.0% 50.7% 59.5% 61.3% 62.2% 62.0%

6-Year
19.7% 22.7% 25.2% 29.6% 32.5% 36.3% 38.0% 39.2%

8,840 bachelor's degrees awarded 2020-2021
54%↑ bachelor's degrees awarded 2012-2013

85% One-year FTIC retention rate
63% projected 2022 graduation rate

bachelor's degrees awarded
2020-2021
2012-2013

One-year FTIC retention rate
85%
63%
Since 2014, more FTIC students are on track to graduate in four years, particularly students in underserved populations.

61.2% average of incoming freshmen who participated in UHin4 from 2013–2021

2017 Star Award from the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board
CUB CAMP

72% increase in camp registration from 2015–2021

98% of camp participants enrolled in spring classes

92% of campers leave Cub Camp feeling proud to be a Coog!
SUPPORT FOR STUDENTS

PROVOST’S UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIP

$233,000
Total Funding
Disbursed from
2013-2022

233
Students Awarded
PROVOST SUMMER READ PROGRAM

42,800 books given away to students, faculty, and staff since 2014

31,169 students have had the book in a course
Collaborative partnership among the following two-year and four-year institutions that potentially benefits 300,000+ students in the region:

- Alvin Community College
- College of the Mainland
- Galveston College
- Houston Community College
- Lone Star College System
- Prairie View A&M University
- San Jacinto College
- Texas Southern University
- University of Houston
- University of Houston Clear Lake
- University of Houston Downtown
- University of Houston - Victoria
- Wharton County Junior College

**EQUITY WALK INITIATIVE**

Houston GPS is addressing equity gaps that create barriers to success with the support of $900,000 in grants.

**84.6%**

Increase in FTIC students graduating within three years in two-year institutions

**26.1%**

Increase in FTIC students graduating within six years in four-year institutions

**39%**

Growth in degrees awarded by Houston GPS initial partners from 2013 to 2020
UH GRADUATE SCHOOL
Founded in 2013

DOCTORAL DEGREES AWARDED

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ENROLLMENT TRENDS

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FACULTY EXCELLENCE
BUILD & RETAIN A DIVERSE, WORLD-CLASS FACULTY

NOTABLE FACULTY SINCE 2012

50 National Science Foundation CAREER Awards
16 National Academy of Engineering Members
1 National Academy of Education Member

4 National Academy of Sciences Members
16 National Academy of Inventors Fellows
15 National Academy of Inventors Senior Members
21 American Law Institute Members
UH PREEMINENCE: **50-IN-5**

**2020–2021:**

- $203M Research Expenditures
- 36.5% Increase in research income above $1M
- 32 Major Grants
- 73 Disclosures
- 25 Patents
- 3 National Centers
- 8 NSF CAREER Awards FY21

**YEAR 1-3 SCHOLARS SINCE 2018**

- 122 National Awards and Recognition
- 175 Major Grants
- 152 High-Impact Publications
- 91 Patents
UNDERREPRESENTED WOMEN OF COLOR COALITION

Increase in Membership
(51 members in 2016 to 68 members in 2022)
HELPING ADVANCE FACULTY SUCCESS

UH TENURED / TENURE-TRACK FACULTY BY THE NUMBERS 2013-2021

- **29%** increase in Women faculty in Advance Disciplines (STEM, Social and Behavioral Sciences)
- **24%** increase in Women faculty in STEM Disciplines
- **26%** increase in Women faculty
- **52%** increase in Underrepresented faculty
OFFICE OF FACULTY ENGAGEMENT AND DEVELOPMENT

STRENGTH IN NUMBERS

1,313 Total number of FED events (2017 – 2022)

A DESTINATION FOR FACULTY

42,574 Total visits to Faculty Café (2017 – 2021)
COUGAR CHAIRS
LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

220 graduates 2014-2022*
*last cohort expected to graduate May 2022

24%
CCLA graduates have moved into leadership roles to date
A UNIVERSITY ON THE MOVE
BECOMING A MAJOR GLOBAL INSTITUTION

SINCE 2017...

98 Gilman Scholarship Awardees
16 Fulbright Scholars and Specialist Faculty
115 Faculty-Led Study Abroad Programs
783 International Scholarships Awarded

GLOBAL FACULTY DEVELOPMENT FUND

164 Faculty Received Funds (2015-2020)
$277,811 in Funds Disbursed (2015-2020)

INSTITUTE FOR GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT, AN ASPIRE INITIATIVE

“Global engagement enriches everything we do. We work to equip our students with the tools to succeed and thrive on the world stage, while adding value to the community and workforce.”
—Amb. Michael Pelletier (Retd.), Founding Executive Director of the Institute for Global Engagement
INCREASING NATIONAL PROMINENCE

228
Average number of postdoctoral appointees from 2012-2022

17 SPOTS
UH Libraries increased in the Association of Research Libraries rankings from #76 in 2013 to #59 in 2021

21:1
Student-to-faculty ratio in Fall 2021

238,682
Average number of citations from 2013–2022

59%
Increase in publications from 2013–2021
NATIONALLY RANKED PROGRAMS

#1
Bauer College's Cyvia and Melvyn Wolff Center for Entrepreneurship

#3
of 88 Texas Universities Most Diverse Colleges in Texas - *Niche* 2021

#5
Best law school for Healthcare Law - *USNWR 2022*

#8
Best Law Schools - Intellectual Property Law - *USNWR 2022*

#9
National Universities Best Hispanic-Serving Institutions in America - *Niche* 2021

#9
Top Graduate Petroleum Engineering Program - *USNWR 2022*

#10

#11 - Best Law Schools – Part-Time Law - *USNWR 2022*
#13 - Best Online Master’s in Educational Administration Programs - *USNWR 2022*
#14 - Best Online Graduate Education Program - *USNWR 2022*
#14 - Best Online Master’s in Curriculum and Instruction Programs - *USNWR 2022*
#14 - Best Online Master’s in Education (All Specialties) - *USNWR 2022*
#15 - Best School for Hispanic Students: UH Law Center - *preLaw Magazine* (2020)

#19 - Top Undergraduate Business Entrepreneurship Program - *USNWR 2022*
#20 - Best Law Schools – Environmental Law - *USNWR 2022*
#20 - Best School for Hispanic Students: UH Law Center - *preLaw Magazine* (2020)
#22 - Top Graduate Social Work Program - *USNWR 2022*
#29 - U.S. B-Schools Ranking for Networking - *Businessweek* (2021-22)
#31 - Top Pharmacy Program - *USNWR 2022*

#33 - Best Graduate Engineering Schools – Chemical Engineering - *USNWR 2022*

#39 - Top Performers on Social Mobility - *USNWR 2022*
#39 - Top Undergraduate Business Marketing Program - *USNWR 2022*
#42 - Best Law Schools – Trial Advocacy - *USNWR 2022*
#43 - Best Law Schools – International Law - *USNWR 2022*
#44 - Top 50 Best Value Colleges (Public Schools) - *The Princeton Review* (2022)
#45 - Best Law Schools – Contracts/Commercial Law - *USNWR 2022*
#46 - Best Law Schools – Legal Writing - *USNWR 2022*
#46 - Best Part-Time MBA Program - *USNWR 2022*
#50 - Best Political Science Schools - *USNWR 2022*
UH AT SUGAR LAND / UH AT KATY

POINTS OF PRIDE

UH’s Cullen College of Engineering and Houston Community College-Katy are teaming up to offer the UH/HCC Engineering Academy at UH at Katy.

Heavy Construction Systems Specialists, Inc. awarded a gift of $2 million to the College of Technology.

The College of Nursing received a $3.5 million donation from HCA Houston Healthcare.

In 2019, the College of Technology expanded its presence at UH at Sugar Land with the opening of state-of-the-art classrooms and labs.
COLLEGE
ACHIEVEMENTS
A WORLD STAGE

The college’s City of Refugees exhibition, tackling the global refugee crisis, opened in 2020 at the Aedes Architecture Forum in Berlin, Germany, alongside world-renowned activist and artist Ai Weiwei.

#1 in College Factual’s Best Colleges for Music (2020) - Moores School of Music
The Cyvia and Melvyn Wolff Center for Entrepreneurship remains atop rankings from The Princeton Review and Entrepreneur’s Top Best Undergraduate programs for Entrepreneurs.

NIH award to establish a national center on addictions research and cancer prevention

$11.8 MILLION
CULLEN COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

FOUR NEW MEMBERS
in the national academy of engineering (from left to right): Birol Dindourk (2017), Don Wilton (2021), Hao Huang (2021) and Pradeep Sharma (2022)

CONRAD N. HILTON COLLEGE OF GLOBAL HOSPITALITY LEADERSHIP

A NEW NAME
In 2022, the college changed its name from “Hotel and Restaurant Management” to “Global Hospitality Leadership” to better reflect its mission and its 50-year evolution as a global leader in hospitality education.
The new John M. O'Quinn Law Building will open its doors in Fall 2022.

Cristina Rivera Garza, Distinguished Professor in Hispanic Studies (2020)
First College of Medicine class admitted July 20, 2020.

**CLASS OF 2025**

- **63%** Female
- **73%** Underrepresented Groups

**COLLEGE OF NATURAL SCIENCES AND MATHEMATICS**

- **38** National and International Awards and Society Fellowships (2017-2022).
2021
Enrolled first cohort of Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) students

GROWTH
12 faculty added in 2021
Research funding on the rise
$2 million increase in clinical revenue
COLLEGE OF PHARMACY

MAKING THE GRADE
Four consecutive years of highest NAPLEX first-time pass rate in Texas (2017-2020)

GRADUATE COLLEGE OF SOCIAL WORK

STAR SCHOLAR
Nicole Bromfield, Associate Professor
Fulbright Scholar – University of Namibia
COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY

AT THE TOP FOR...

Total number of students enrolled in College of Technology and total number of degrees awarded

Total number of Engineering Technology degrees awarded to underrepresented students and women

HOBBS SCHOOL OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS

337
Undergraduate Interns
(Government and non-profit offices)

608
Number of times faculty experts cited in the media
(2018 – 2022)
UH LIBRARIES

OPEN EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES

$887,144 in Savings to Students (FY21)

6,759 Students Impacted (FY21)

HONORS COLLEGE

TOP PRODUCER

UH Named Fulbright Student Program Top Producer (2019, 2021)

UH Named Fulbright Leader among Hispanic Serving Institutions (2021)

PHI BETA KAPPA – ΦΒΚ
UH Chapter installed in 2016