

PROVOST'S SPRING REPORT 2023

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IMPRESSIONS

PROGRESS

New degrees approved

UH SYSTEM BOARD OF REGENTS

- *B.S. Integrated Studies*
- *B.S. Atmospheric Science*
- *Ph.D. Computer Engineering*

TEXAS HIGHER EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD

- *Doctorate of Business Administration*

GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES COMMITTEE

- *Doctorate of Global Hospitality Leadership*
- *M.S. Global Business Leadership*
- *M.S. Business*
- *M.S. Real Estate*
- *M.S. Healthcare Leadership*



PROGRESS

Cougar Textbook Access Program Expanded

- **52,454** students in pilot program
- **\$2.9M** in savings from pilot program
- **\$6.4M** in projected savings per semester
- **\$254** in average saving per student



THE PATH FORWARD

STUDENT SUCCESS

GOAL: 70% Graduation Rate

RESEARCH

GOAL: \$400M

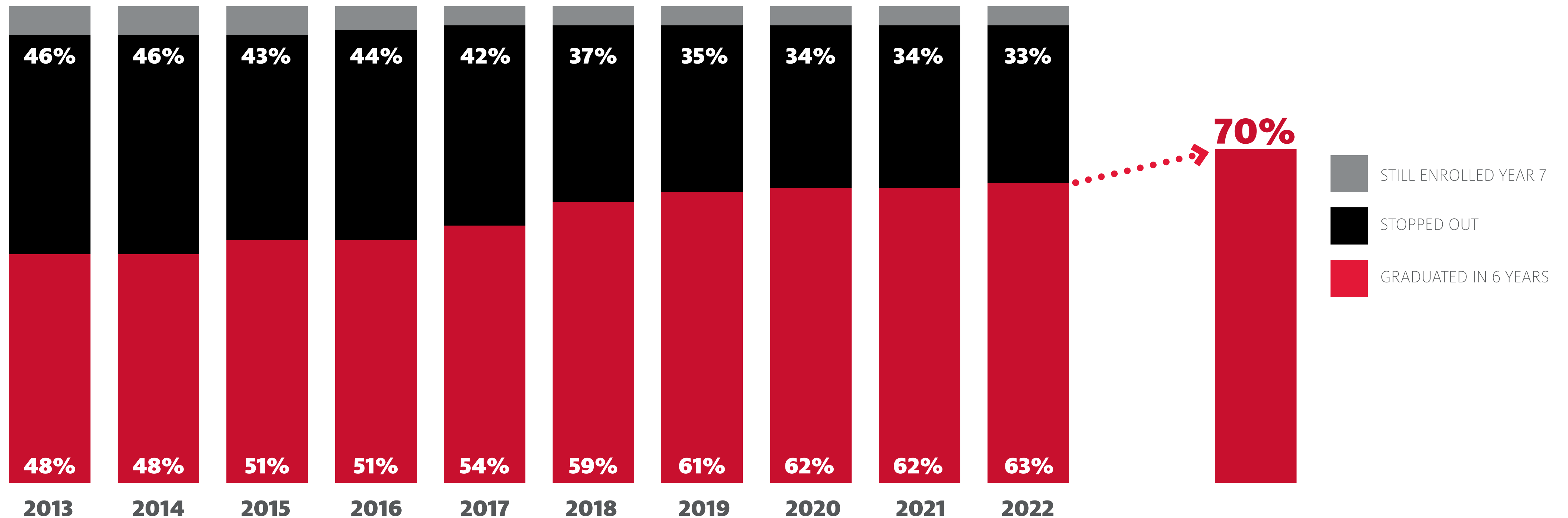
FACULTY SUPPORT

STUDENT SUCCESS



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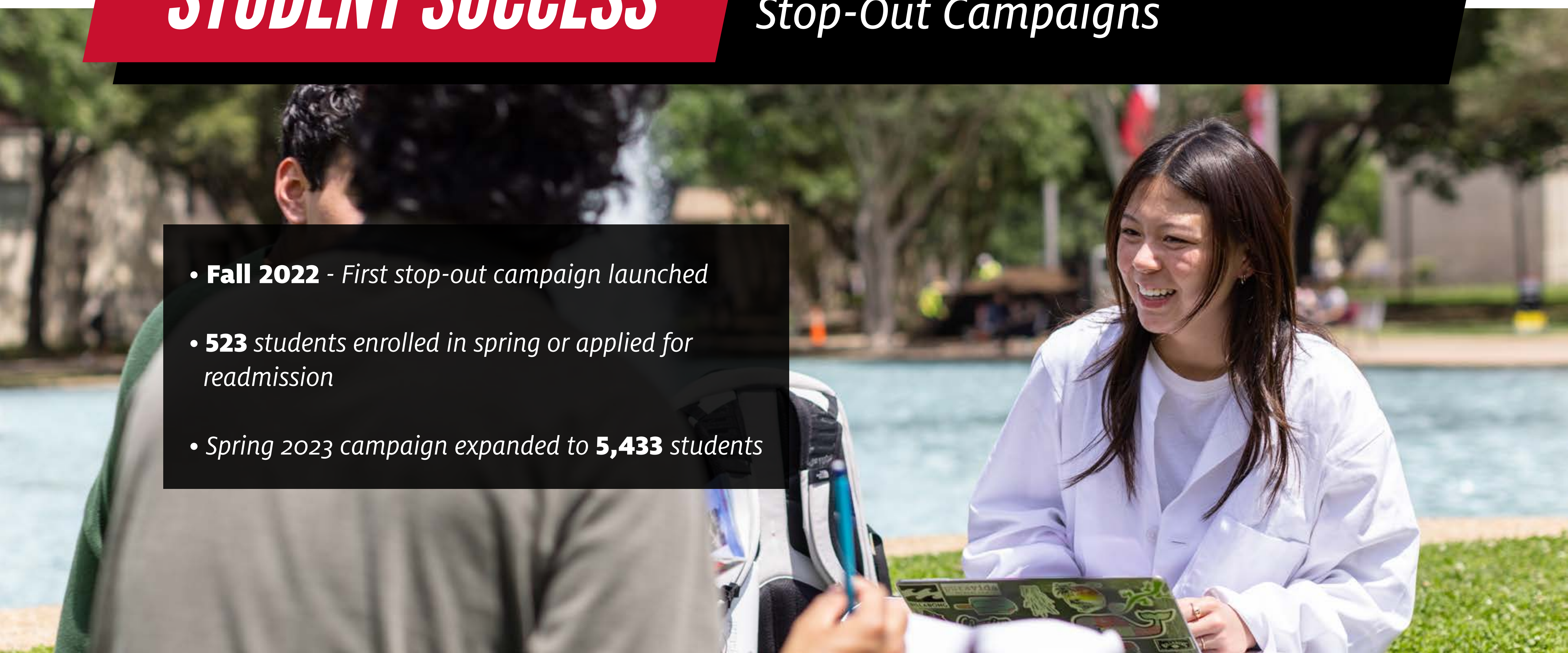
Six-year Graduation Rate



STUDENT SUCCESS






Stop-Out Campaigns

- **Fall 2022** - *First stop-out campaign launched*
- **523** students enrolled in spring or applied for readmission
- Spring 2023 campaign expanded to **5,433** students



STUDENT SUCCESS

Gateway to Completion Course Redesign

	Course	DWIF Rate (percentage points) Fall 2021 - Fall 2022
COLLEGE ALGEBRA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updated course materials • Scholar Enrichment Program workshop • Math alignment advising 	MATH 1314 - College Algebra	10 
CHEMISTRY <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Early diagnostic assessment • Corequisite workshop 	CHEM 1311 - Fundamentals of Chemistry I	5 
	CHEM 1312 - Fundamentals of Chemistry II	15 

STUDENT SUCCESS

Early Alerts

- **275** faculty submitted Navigate progress reports in Fall 2022
- **800** students identified as at-risk in at least 1 course
- Expanding early alert opportunities in Fall 2023



STUDENT SUCCESS

Graduate School

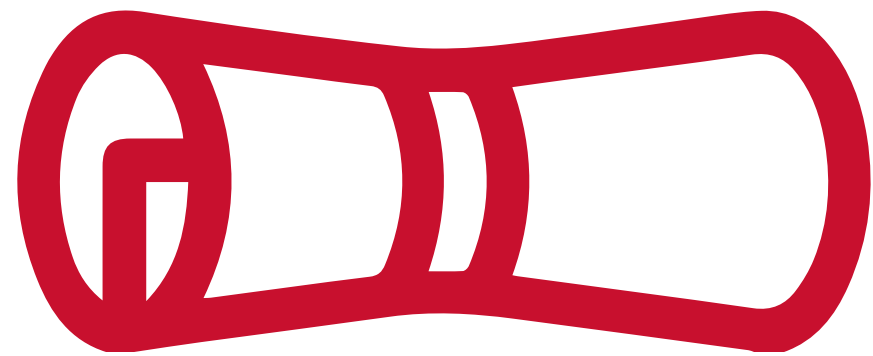


270

2013 - 14

364

2019 - 20



430

2020 - 21

DOCTORAL DEGREES AWARDED:

406

2021 - 22

FALL 2022 ENROLLMENT:

8,658

graduate and professional students
(All-time high)

30%

increase in Latino graduate and professional
students from Fall '18

4,750

master's students
(All-time high)

23%

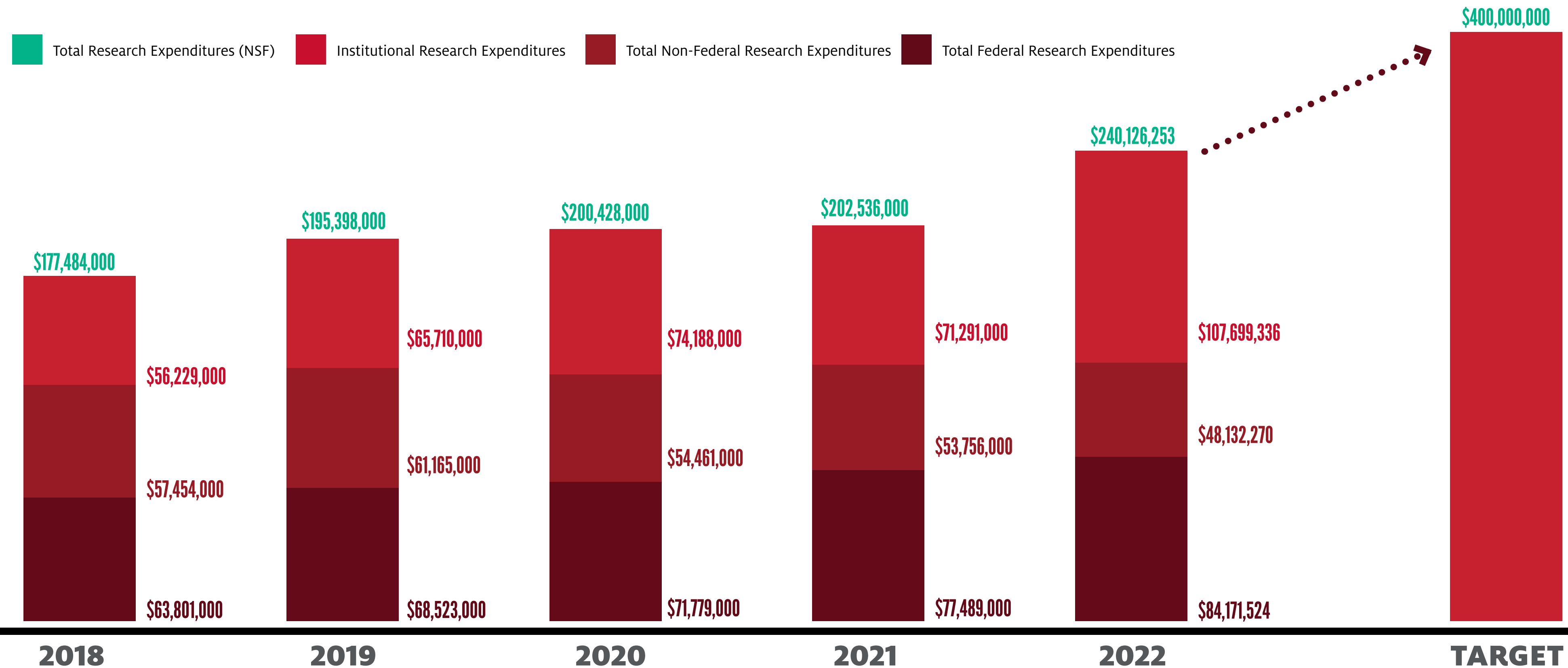
increase in African American graduate and
professional students from Fall '18

RESEARCH



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Research Expenditures - Current Status and Goal

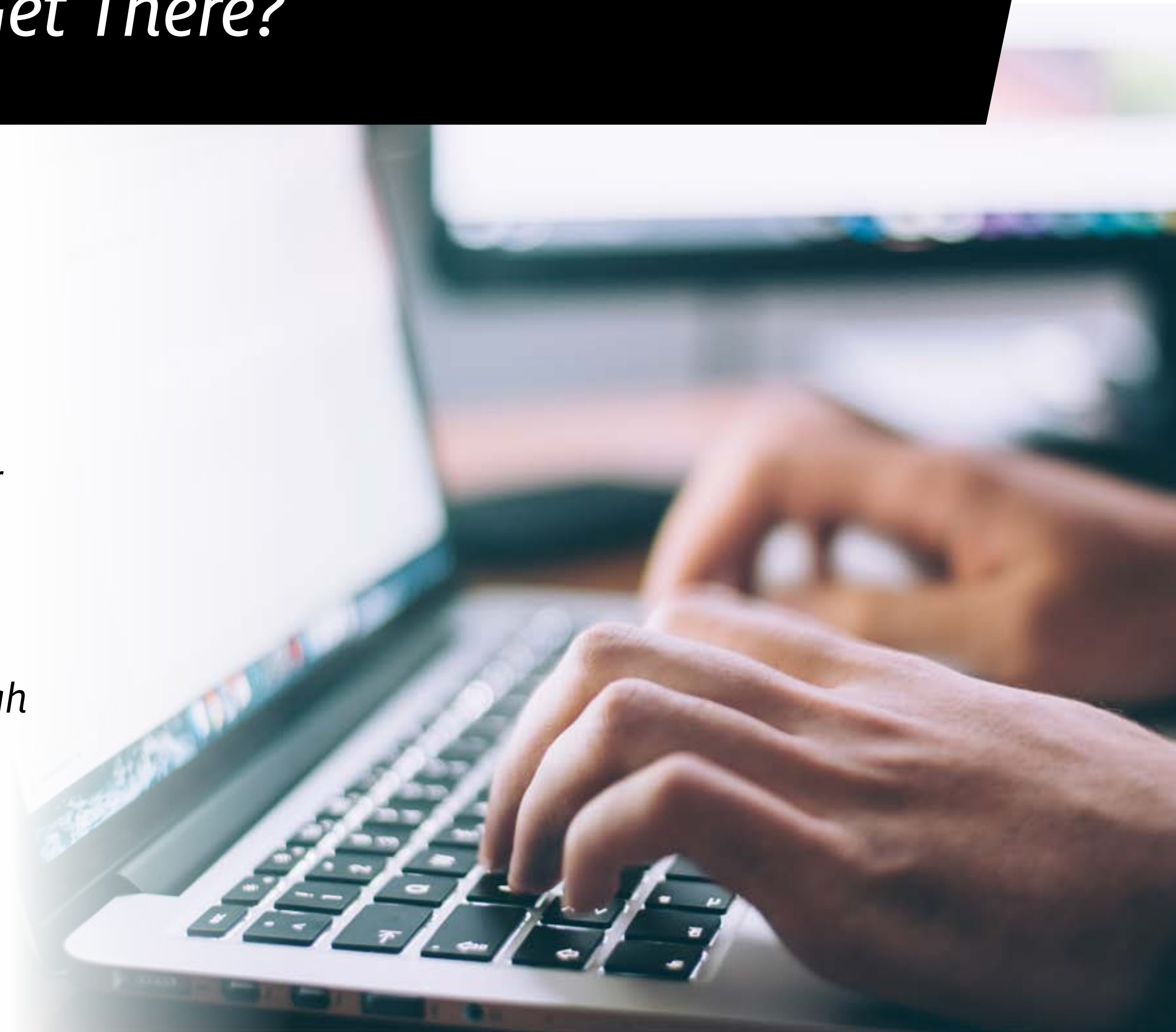


RESEARCH

How Do We Get There?

RESEARCH PREEMINENCE

- *Recruitment of research-intensive faculty members - Presidential Frontier Faculty and ASPIRES Faculty*
- *Emphasis on large multidisciplinary grants focused in our major research thrust areas that include expertise from STEM, social sciences, arts and humanities*
- *Continued support for large proposal development through Division of Research*
- *Continued development of Core Facilities and Shared Equipment to support the faculty research enterprise*



FACULTY SUPPORT

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FACULTY SUPPORT

SIGNATURE FED PROGRAMMING

- *Mastering the Craft of Teaching*
- *Mastering the Craft of Research*
- *Advancing Pedagogy*
- *Faculty Academic-Writing Community Training (FACT) program.*

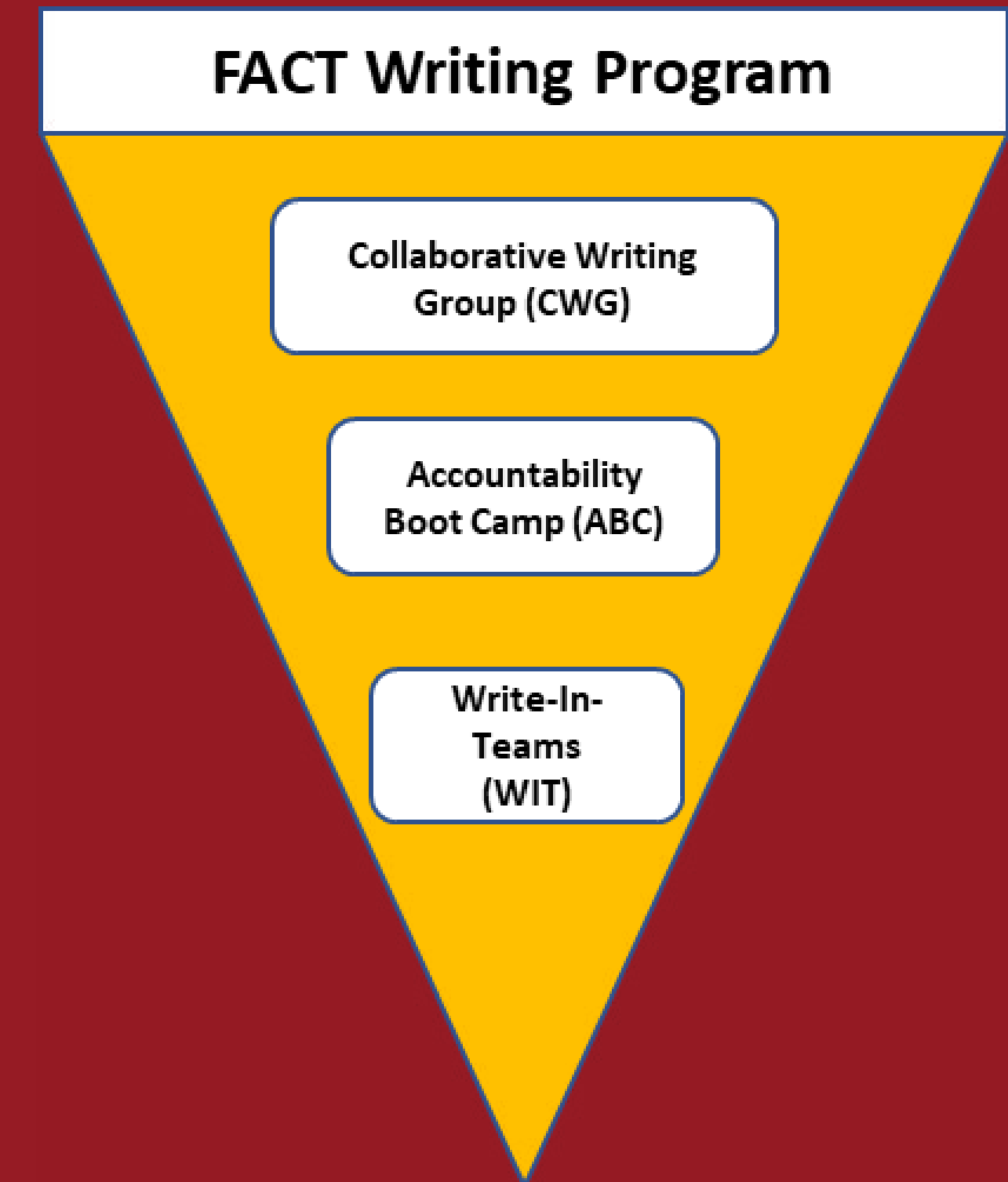


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FACULTY ACADEMIC-WRITING COMMUNITY TRAINING (FACT) PROGRAM.

In 2020-2021, FACT Program sessions resulted in ...

- More than 130 manuscripts, book chapters and conference proposals submitted*
- 22 grant submissions*
- More than 40 publications*
- 12 external awards (appx. \$1.4million in funding)*



FACULTY SUPPORT

FACULTY CERTIFICATIONS AND TRAINING

- *72 faculty members earned Certificates in Effective College Instruction from the Association of College and University Educators*





COLLEGE HIGHLIGHTS

C. T. BAUER COLLEGE OF BUSINESS



#1 IN TEXAS

Undergraduate program ranked #1 in Texas, #14 in U.S.
(Poets&Quants)

CULLEN COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING



MOVING UP


The College now has 17 National Academy of Engineering members with the addition of Joe Powell to its faculty.

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION



U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT - TOP 10... AGAIN

#10 – Online Master’s Programs



COLLEGE OF NATURAL SCIENCES & MATHEMATICS

NSF CAREER AWARDS

Emily Beverly
Tai-Yen Chen
Mehmet Sen
Melissa Zastrow



COLLEGE OF NURSING

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

College of Nursing students Debra Bayliss and Arlena Davis he Doctor of Nursing Practice program have been named Albert Schweitzer Fellows for 2023-2024.



COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

\$400K SUPPORTING HUMANITIES RESEARCH

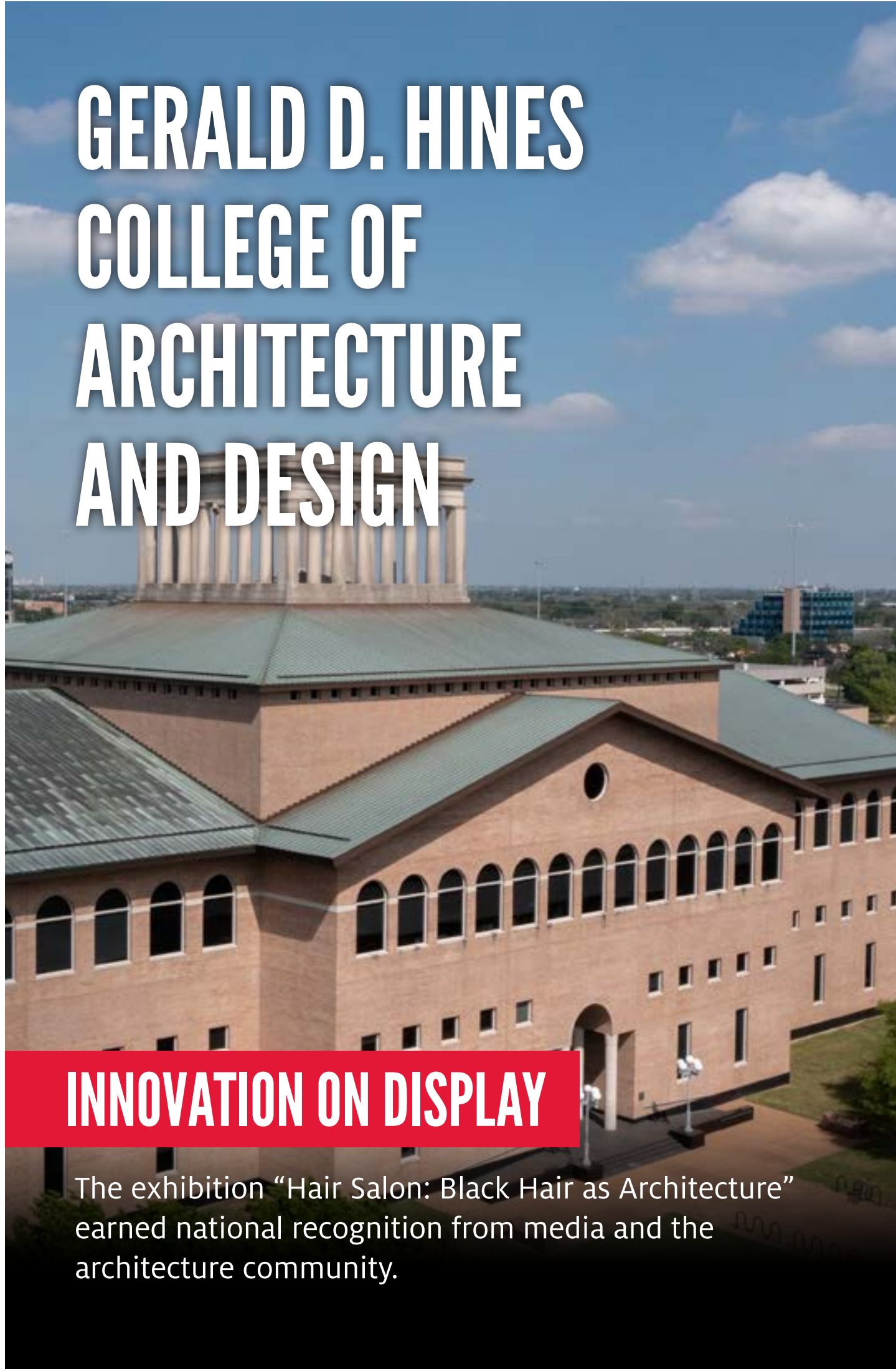
Arte Público Press's Recovering the U.S. Hispanic Literary Heritage project was recognized with a \$400K Mellon Foundation grant.



COLLEGE OF OPTOMETRY

COMMUNITY SERVICE

See to Succeed, a UH-lead vision program serving underserved children, served its 100,000th child from the Houston area.



**GERALD D. HINES
COLLEGE OF
ARCHITECTURE
AND DESIGN**

INNOVATION ON DISPLAY

The exhibition “Hair Salon: Black Hair as Architecture” earned national recognition from media and the architecture community.



**GRADUATE COLLEGE OF
SOCIAL WORK**

**GCSW AUSTIN LEGISLATIVE
INTERNSHIP PROGRAM COHORT:**

10 students are interning as policy analysts with the 88th Texas Legislature session.



**CONRAD N. HILTON
COLLEGE OF GLOBAL
HOSPITALITY
LEADERSHIP**

GRAND EXPANSION

The college unveiled a bold new look with new rooms, renovated spaces and a new 64,000 sq. foot tower.

HONORS COLLEGE

PHI BETA KAPPA

More than 90 Honors College students were inducted into Phi Beta Kappa, the largest UH cohort to join this honor society.

COLLEGE OF PHARMACY

GRADUATE STUDENT SUCCESS

Olajumoke Olateju - Postgraduate Best Paper Podium Award, American Pharmacists Association Annual Meeting & Exposition

Bilqees Fatima – Winner Best Poster Competition - Academy of Managed Care Pharmacy 2023 Annual Meeting

Fatima Dagher- Best Abstract Award at the American Association of Pharmaceutical Scientists 2022 PharmSci 360 meeting

HOBBY SCHOOL OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS

STAR STUDENTS

Hobby student Alexia Aguilar received national recognition as a 2023 Paul A. Volcker Government Internship Award recipient.

TILMAN J. FERTITTA FAMILY COLLEGE OF MEDICINE

SCHWEITZER FELLOWS

Five students were named as Albert Schweitzer Fellows:

Isabella Martingano

Amber Hurd

Hannah Adams

Anika Felix

Angelique Basquine

KATHRINE G. MCGOVERN COLLEGE OF THE ARTS

ALL THAT JAZZ

UH's Moores Jazz Festival celebrated its 25th anniversary this year to coincide with launch of Jazz Studies program.

UH LAW CENTER

THREE TOP 10 RANKINGS

U.S. News & World Report
#6 - Intellectual Property Law

#7 - Health Care Law

#9 - Part-Time Law

UH LIBRARIES

RECENT GIFT

UH Libraries recently received an anonymous gift of \$135,000 to support the expansion of co-curricular student success.

FACULTY AWARDS

Faculty Excellence Awards

6 P.M., May 3

Hilton University of Houston

