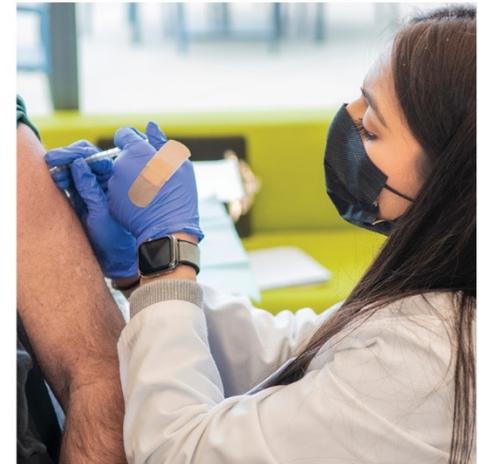


STATE OF THE COLLEGE 2021

**PRESENTED BY INDRA K. REDDY, PH.D.
PROFESSOR AND FOUNDING DEAN**



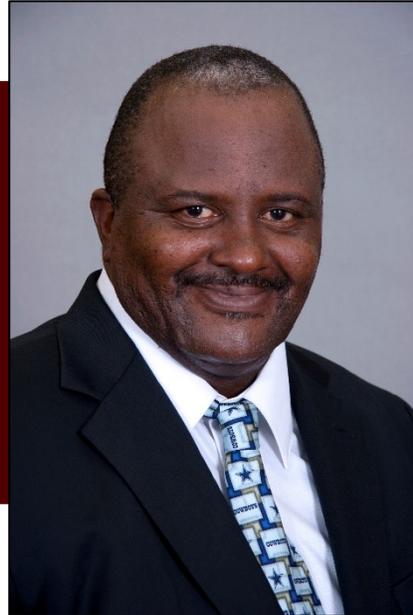
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Irma Lerma Rangel
College of Pharmacy



MOMENT OF SILENCE



Dr. Mona Ramon, '18
H-E-B Pharmacist



Mr. Charles Parker
Lead Custodian

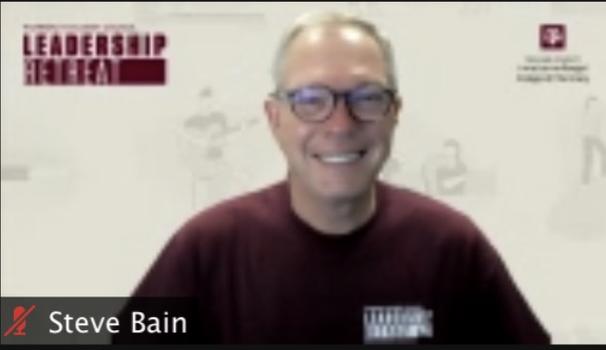


Mrs. Adriana Herrera
Program Assistant

OVERVIEW

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 - ASPIR²E
 - Education
 - Wellness
- New Initiatives and Future Directions





Steve Bain



Galvan, Amanda M



Kevin Purcell



Kamdar, Chandni R



Reddy, Indra K



Jaime, Gil



Motamed, Rashno

Our Community



Wilks, Anthony



Jackie and Taylor



Jenna & Brooke



Esqueda, Lauren



George, Bethany



Segura, Diego

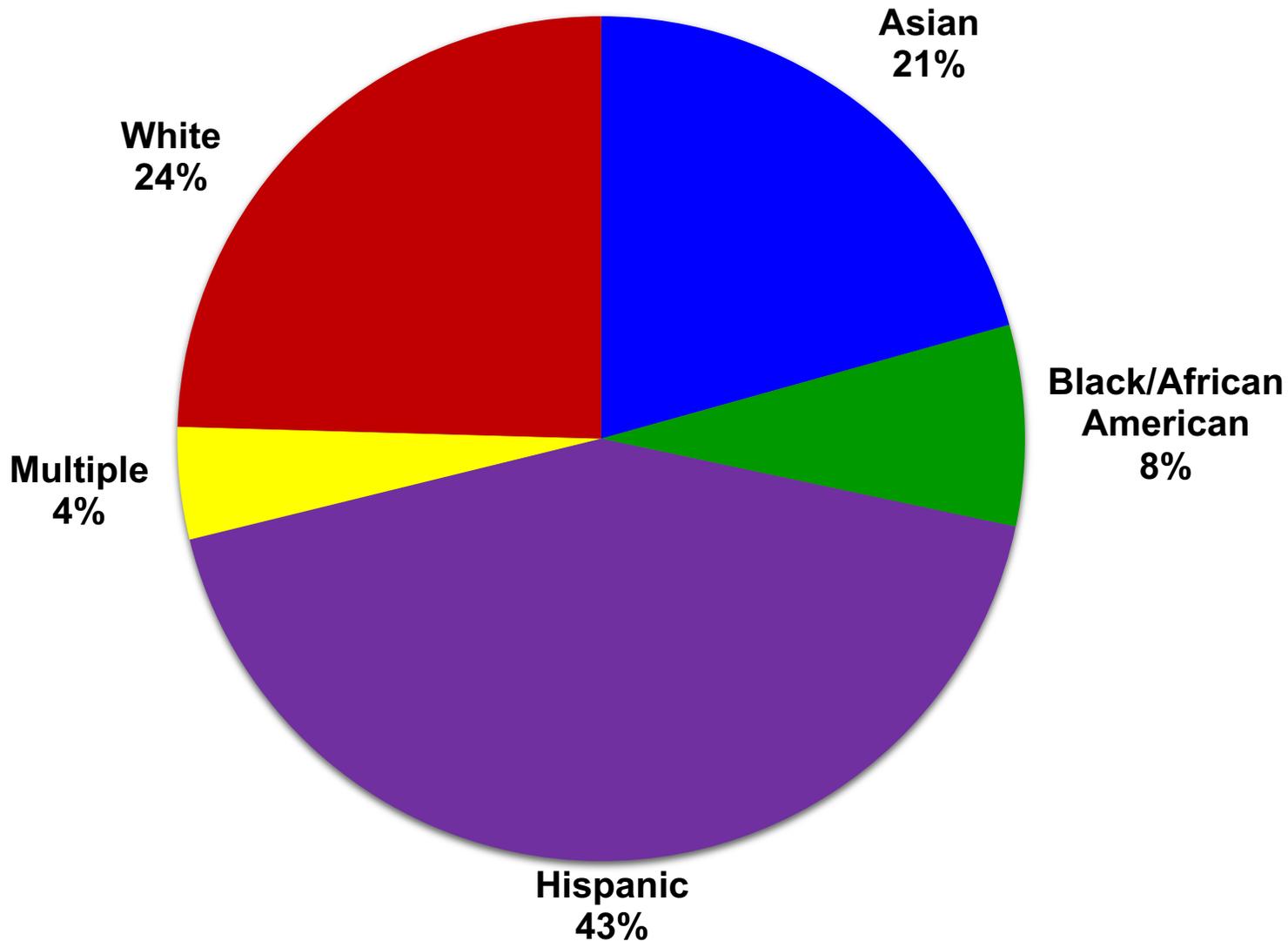


Mckeever-Ramos, Candy



Hoang, Uyen

CURRENT STUDENTS



Classes 2021 to 2025

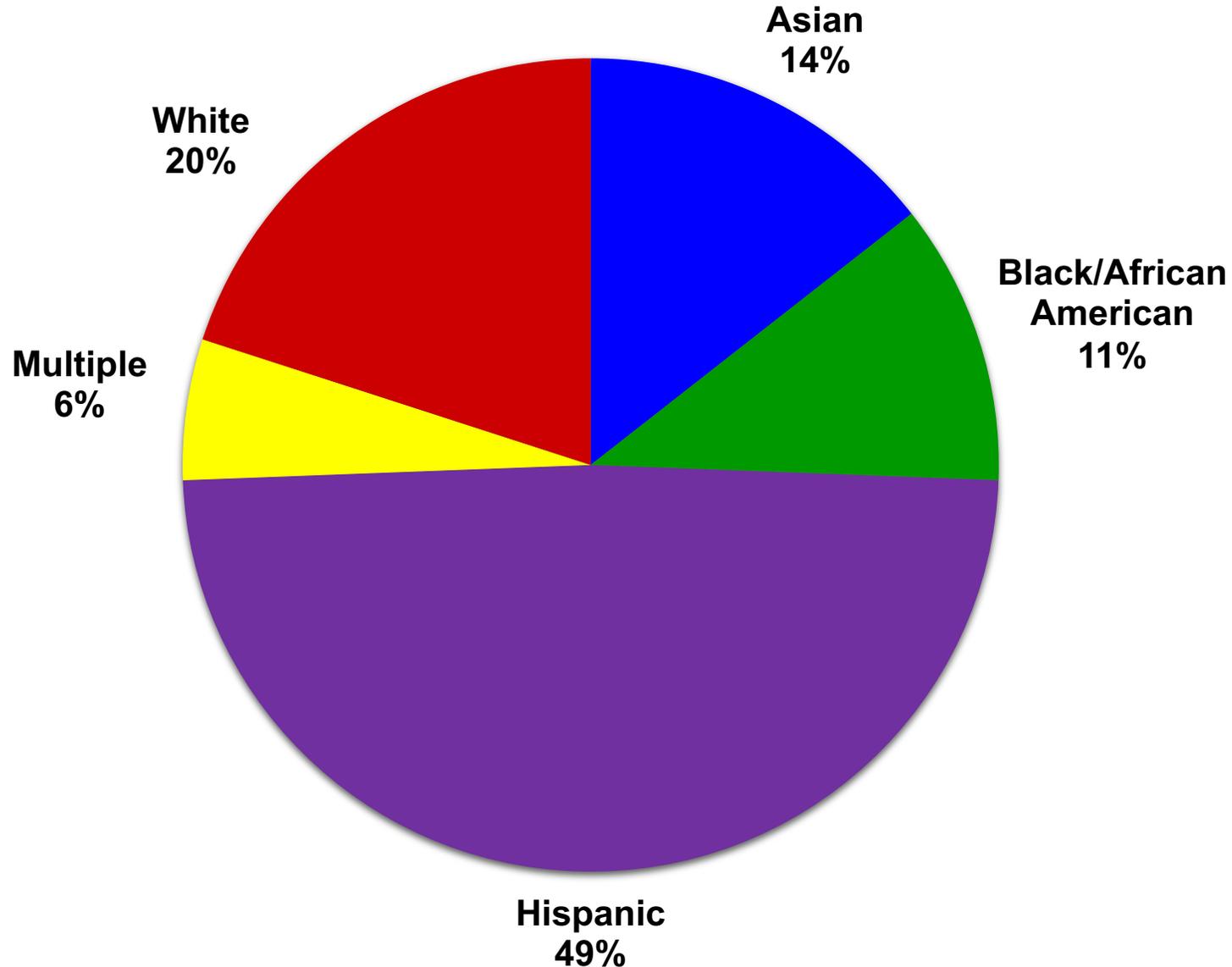
443 Enrolled

61% Women
39% Men

37% First Generation



FIRST-YEAR STUDENTS



Class of 2025

125 Enrolled

62% Women
38% Men

42% First Generation



NEW GRADUATE STUDENTS



**Nishta
Ara**



**Sumedha
Kapre**



**Sushesh
Palakurthi**



**Victoria
Parra**



**Shelby
Szteiter**

NEW LEADERSHIP



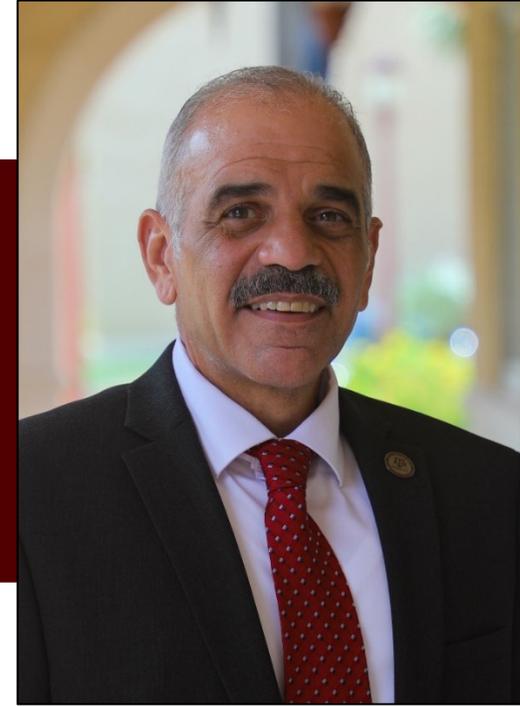
Kim Tanzer, PharmD, RPh

Associate Dean for
Academic Affairs
Clinical Professor of
Pharmacy Practice



Chendil Damodaran, PhD

Interim Associate Dean of
Research and Innovation
Professor of
Pharmaceutical Sciences



Garry Castellanos, MA

Assistant Dean for
Finance &
Administration



NEW FACULTY



**Frank North,
PharmD**

Instructional Assistant
Professor of Pharmacy
Practice



**Trager Hintze,
PharmD**

Clinical Assistant
Professor of Pharmacy
Practice



**Andrew Tenpas,
PharmD**

Clinical Assistant
Professor of Pharmacy
Practice



**Annette
DeSantiago,
PharmD**

Clinical Assistant
Professor of Pharmacy
Practice



**Sara Rogers,
PharmD**

Clinical Assistant
Professor of Pharmacy
Practice



NEW STAFF



Maggie Abrigo
Administrative Associate IV



Debbie Branstetter
Business Coordinator II



Ivanna De Leon
Veterinary Technician II



Elaine Demps, PhD
Lead Data Analyst



Beth Johnson
Administrative Associate V



Chelsie McMillon
Executive Assistant I



Karlie Stehle
Administrative Coordinator I



NEW RESEARCH PERSONNEL



Ashish Tyagi
Associate Research
Scientist



Nitya Shree
Postdoctoral Research
Associate



Nitin Bharat Charbe
Postdoctoral Research
Associate



Sabita Thapa
Research Associate



Daniel Villalobos
Postdoctoral Research
Associate



**Tamizhselvi
Ramasamy**
Research Scientist



Vaishnavi Sundar
Research Associate



Renuka Khatik
Postdoctoral Research
Associate



Uttara Saran
Associate Research
Scientist



Vaibjav Shukla
Postdoctoral Research
Associate



Faculty, Staff & Student Spotlight



TEACHERS OF THE YEAR



**Jose Hernandez,
PhD**

Assistant Professor of
Pharmaceutical Sciences
P1 Students



**Hamed Aly-Ismael,
PhD**

Associate Professor of
Pharmaceutical Sciences
P2 Students



**Andrea Mora,
PharmD**

Clinical Associate Professor
of Pharmacy Practice
P3 Students



**Simi Gunaseelan,
PhD**

Instructional Associate Professor
of Pharmaceutical Sciences
**AFS Teaching Award &
Provost Academic Teaching
Excellence Award**



TEACHING TEAMS OF THE YEAR

IPT I: ELECTROLYTES, ACID-BASE, ANEMIAS, AND KIDNEY DISEASE



**Charlotte Farris,
PharmD**

Clinical Assistant
Professor of
Pharmacy Practice

*Course
Coordinator*



**Merlyn Joseph,
PharmD**

Clinical Assistant
Professor of
Pharmacy Practice



TEACHING TEAMS OF THE YEAR

IPT VII: INFECTIOUS DISEASES



**Andrea Mora,
PharmD**

Clinical Associate
Professor of
Pharmacy Practice

*Course Co-
Coordinator*

**Simi Gunaseelan,
PhD**

Instructional Associate
Professor of
Pharmaceutical Sciences

*Course Co-
Coordinator*

**Hamed Aly-Ismail,
PhD**

Associate Professor of
Pharmaceutical Sciences

**Michael Horseman,
PharmD**

Clinical Associate
Professor of
Pharmacy Practice

**Ladan Panahi,
PharmD**

Clinical Assistant
Professor of
Pharmacy Practice

**Jaye Weston,
PharmD**

Clinical Assistant
Professor of
Pharmacy Practice



PRECEPTORS OF THE YEAR



**Heather Hay,
PharmD**

Clinical Assistant
Professor of
Pharmacy Practice

*Faculty
Preceptor*



**Laura Sample,
PharmD**

Emergency
Medicine
Pharmacist

Preceptor



RESEARCHERS OF THE YEAR



**Ziyaur Rahman,
PhD**

Associate Professor of
Pharmaceutical
Sciences

*Mid-to-Senior Career
Outstanding Faculty
Researcher Award*



**Fatima Alshbool,
PharmD, PhD**

Assistant Professor of
Pharmacy Practice

*Early Career
Outstanding Faculty
Researcher Award*



FACULTY APPOINTMENTS AND HONORS



- **Indra Reddy**, PhD, Elected Chair, Board of Directors, National Institute for Pharmaceutical Technology & Education (**NIPTE**), 2021-24.



- **Fadi Khasawneh**, PhD, Member, American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy (**AACP**) Research Achievement Award Committee, 2021-2022.



- **Kim Tanzer**, PharmD, RPh, Appointed as a Member, Advisory Committee on Examinations (ACE) for the National Association of Boards of Pharmacy[®] (**NABP**[®]).



- **George Udeani**, PharmD, elected as President of the Coastal Bend Society of Health-System Pharmacists (**CBSHP**). He was elected to the Board of Directors of the Texas Society of Health-System Pharmacists (**TSHP**).

FACULTY APPOINTMENTS AND HONORS



- **Mahua Choudhury**, PhD, Chair of Translational Biomarkers Focus Group, NIPTE. She is also a Mentor for Fulbright Scholar Winner.
- **Simi Gunaseelan**, PhD, and **Delaney Ivy**, PharmD have been Selected to the Inaugural ‘*2021 Texas A&M Inclusive Teaching Faculty Fellows Program (Professional Programs)*’ sponsored by the Texas A&M University.
- **Jayshree Mishra**, PhD, re-elected to the Council of Principal Investigators as the representative for the College of Pharmacy for a three-year term, 2021-2024.

OUTSTANDING EARLY CAREER ALUMNUS



**Rachel Musgrove,
PharmD**

Clinical Pharmacy
Specialist

St. Joseph Regional
Hospital

Class of 2014



STAFF AWARDS



Lynde Buras, RPh

Experiential
Education
Coordinator

Staff of the Year



Denise Hornsby

Administrative Associate
for Experiential Education

Staff of the Year



Lace Jaramillo

End User Support
Specialist

Staff of the Year



Gilbert Reyna, MS

Associate Director of
Instructional
Technology Services

Staff of the Year



Maria Jaramillo, MS

Executive Assistant to
the Dean

***President's
Meritorious Service
Award***



DEANS CARE INTERNS



**Nada
Helal**

PhD Graduate
Student



**Tiffany
Miles**

Third-Year PharmD
Student



**Alyssa
Sarmiento**

First-Year PharmD
Student

PHARMACY STUDENT COUNCIL



Andrew
Duong



Anna
Oommen



Ashley
Ferris
Treasurer



Benjamin
Garcia



Crystal
Chi



Emily
Wong



Enrique
Arredondo



Gabriela
Gonzalez



Javier
Garcia



Jenna
Davis
*Vice
President*



Jennifer
Nwosu



Lauren
Esqueda



Makeda
Asamnew



Monica
Deleon



Sarah
McKeever
Ramos



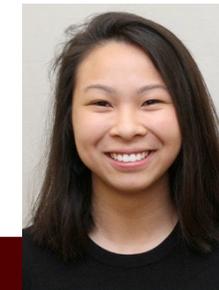
Sharon
Halliburton



Sophia
Fontana
Secretary



Taylor
Roberson



Uyen
Hoang
President



Yurim
Lee



A close-up photograph of a multi-well microplate, likely used in laboratory research. The plate is filled with numerous small, clear wells. A purple pipette tip is positioned over one of the wells, dispensing a small amount of liquid. The background is dark and out of focus, emphasizing the microplate and the pipette tip. The overall lighting is soft, highlighting the texture of the wells and the color of the pipette tip.

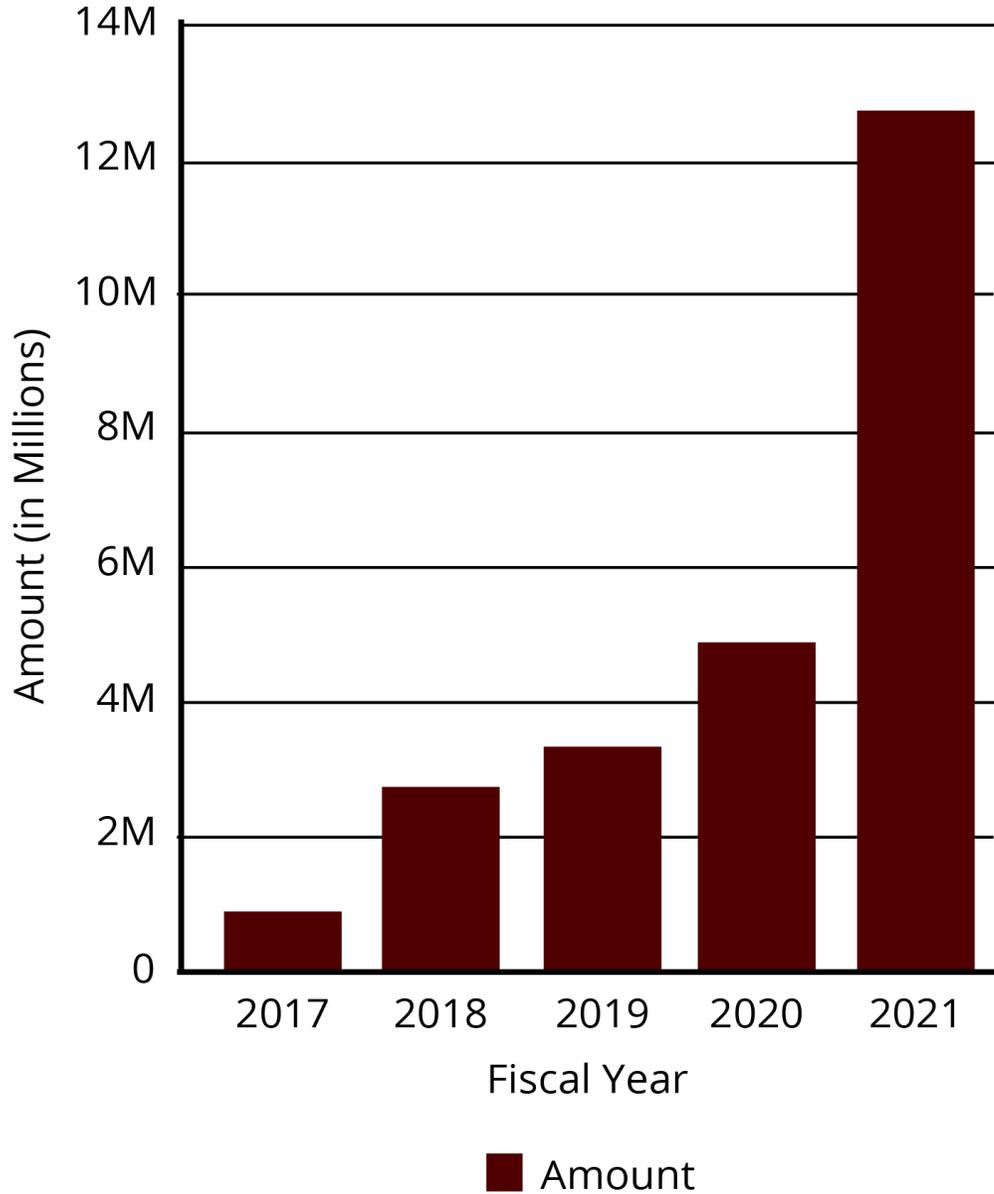
**Achievements & Advances in
Research and Scholarship**

RESEARCH ACTIVITY

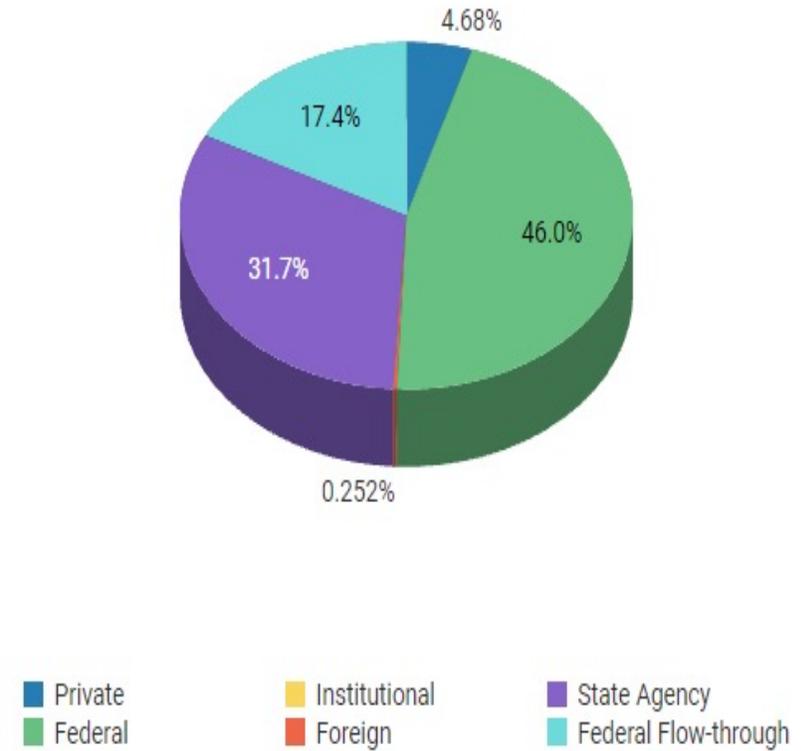
- Steady increase in Publications and Citations
- Ranked #49 in Federal Research Grants for FY 2020
- Key Federal Grants include:
 - Prostate Cancer and Carcinogenesis
 - Diet & Diabetes
 - The Impact of Third-Hand E-Cigarette
 - Cell Survival Advantage in Cadmium
 - Investigation of the Platelet 5HT_{2A}
 - Targeting AR and AR-Variants
 - Clinical Trails (Moderna vaccine, BCG, etc)



External Research Awards By Fiscal Year



Research Expenditures By Sponsor Type For 2022



PREVENT COVID-U



Texas A&M University is the largest of the 20 participating U.S. colleges in the COVPN, NIH-funded study and leads the nation in participation.

College Updates

IRMA LERMA RANGEL
COLLEGE OF PHARMACY





AGGIE STUDENT PHARMACIST INITIATIVE FOR RECRUITMENT | RETENTION & EDUCATION

Interim Provost and Executive Vice President, Mark Weichold awarded **\$70,000** in funding to support all tracks of the ASPIR²E program



Kingsville Cohort



College Station Cohort



COMMUNITY OUTREACH



DIVERSITY



Top Colleges for Diversity

#1 in Diversity

The Rangel College of Pharmacy has the highest percentage of underrepresented minority PharmD students among the Top 50 pharmacy colleges ranked by U.S. News and World Report.



INTERPROFESSIONAL EDUCATION (IPE)

Katlyn Kuruda
(COP), Blanca
Brosig (SOPH),
Kathleen Koenig
(CON), and Teja
Veerati (COM)
earned first place at
the national
CLARION
competition.



TOP PCOA PERFORMERS



Raymond Dang



Koren M. Dunn



Jose V. Elizalde



Jason M. Maille



Ihsan M. Muhsin



Hanh M. Ngo



Chris C. Omoregie



Zachary A. Shenkir



Matthew A. Smith

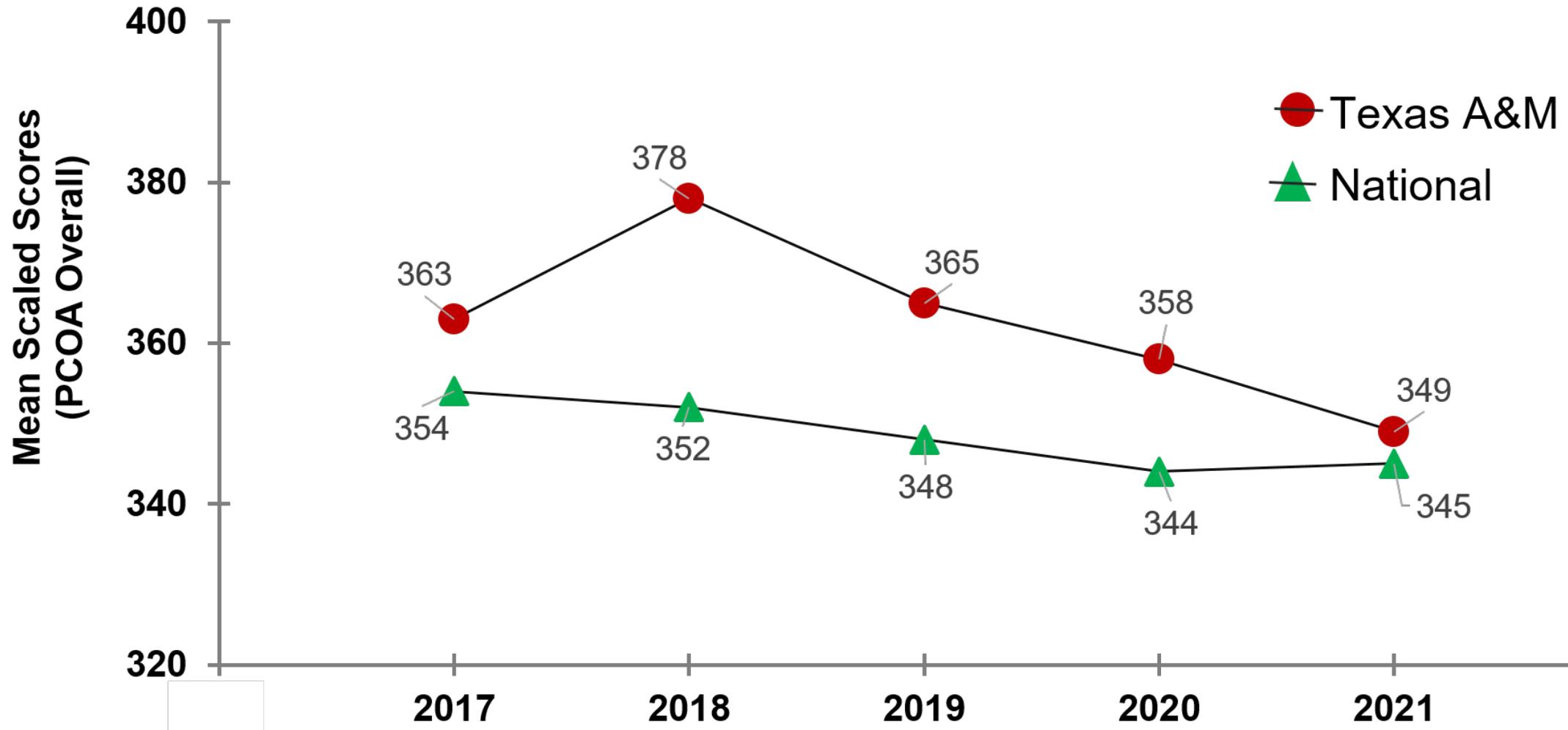


Anthony C. Wilks



PCOA FIVE-YEAR TREND

(Mean Scaled Scores for 2017—2021 3rd Year Pharmacy Students)



RESIDENCY PLACEMENT

- Residency Match for 2021
 - PGY-1: **22/34** matched
 - 65% match rate
 - PGY-2: **6/8** matched
 - 75% match rate
- Residency Program Expansion
 - St. Joseph Regional Hospital in Bryan



STUDENT STUDY SPACE



ROOM 359: REYNOLDS, COLLEGE STATION



STUDENT STUDY SPACE



ROOM 116: RHODE HALL, KINGSVILLE



MEMORIAL WALL



WELLNESS

- Three teams at the RCOP participated and placed in Walk Across Texas!
 - The Blazing & Motiv8ted Runners
 - The Kleberg Walkers
 - Team Pharmily
- Operation Health and Wellness
- Telehealth Station Opens in Milam County





Our Strategic Priorities

NEXT 3 TO 5 YEARS

- Critically evaluate the professional curriculum
- Support and expand faculty development
- Enhance research enterprise
- Develop and grow clinical and translational research
- Cultivate a college-wide climate of wellbeing and inclusive excellence
- Explore and develop new educational offerings and
Expand post-graduate programs



*Success comes when
preparation meets opportunity.*