

# A Message from The Dean of The School of Health Professions.



Dear SHP Supporters, As the Dean, I am happy to introduce you to our new UTMB School of Health Professions newsletter. You will find current and useful information about all of the progress we have made over the past year. You will receive these newsletters on a regular basis, and I look forward to sharing all of our accomplishments with you. I also encourage you to scan the contents and find any information that may be useful to you in your daily life. I would love to hear from you about anything that you found interesting or impactful to you. You can reach me at [davibrow@utmb.edu](mailto:davibrow@utmb.edu).

I would like to introduce you all to our exciting new initiative program that guides our future endeavors. We call this program, RISES, which stands for Research/Influence & Impact/Student Success & Preparedness/Experiences in Clinical Settings/Strategic Capacity &

Transformation. With each of these initiatives, we will be leading our health care professions to greater educational training experiences, more impactful research, and innovative clinical care. In subsequent editions of the newsletter, I will focus on each of these initiatives, one per newsletter, and also provide you with suggestions about how you, as a key ally of our School, can participate and contribute to success.

I'm very proud of our students, faculty, and staff at UTMB SHP. We aspire to provide the best learning environment for our students, the best work environment for our employees, and the best health care opportunities for our community. We look forward to your continued interest and future involvement.

Sincerely, Dean Dave