

Texas Council of Chief Academic Officers Mid-Winter Meeting

January 23-24, 2024 Austin Bergstrom Hilton Hotel

AGENDA

Tuesday, January 23

- 3:00 p.m. Registration
- 4:00 p.m. Pre-Retreat Panel Presentation: *So You Want to Be a Provost?*
- 5:00 p.m. Reception
- 6:00 p.m. Dinner with Keynote Remarks: *Abdication or Indifference: The Curious Absence of Academic Affairs in the Student Success Movement*
- Welcome: Dr. Amber Smallwood, TCCAO President, University of Texas at Arlington
Dr. Dann Brown, TCCAO Vice President, Lamar University
- Keynote: Dr. George Mehaffy, Senior Consultant, SOVA Solutions, LLC and Past Vice President, Academic Leadership and Change, American Association of State Colleges and Universities

Wednesday, January 24

- 8:00 a.m. Breakfast
- 8:45 a.m. Welcome
Dr. Amber Smallwood, TCCAO President, University of Texas at Arlington
Dr. Dann Brown, TCCAO Vice President, Lamar University
- 9:00 a.m. *Reflecting on 88th Legislative Session Impacts on Public Universities*
Legal Issues Panel Presentation
- 10:15 a.m. Break
- 10:30 a.m. *THECB Update: Strengthening Research and Development Activities among Texas Public Universities*
- 11:30 a.m. *AI and Us: Preparing for Our Generative Technology Future*
Dr. Ashley Dockens, Associate Dean, Graduate College and
Director, Center for Teaching and Learning Effectiveness
Lamar University
- 12:30 p.m. Lunch and Business Meeting
Executive Committee:
Dr. Amber Smallwood, TCCAO President, University of Texas at Arlington
Dr. Dann Brown, TCCAO Vice President, Lamar University
Dr. Deborah Bordelon, TCCAO Treasurer, University of Houston-Downtown
Dr. Joshua Adams, TCCAO Secretary, Texas Woman's University
Dr. Serenity King, TCCAO Past President, University of Texas at Dallas
- 1:45 p.m. *THECB Update*
Dr. David Troutman, Deputy Commissioner for Academic Affairs and Innovation,
Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board
- 3:00 p.m. Adjourn