

**TEXAS HIGHER EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD**  
**ADVISORY BOARD**  
**TEXAS EDUCATION RESEARCH CENTERS**  
**Meeting**

This meeting will be held via videoconference in accordance with Tex. Gov't Code § 551.127 and open to the public at the George W. Bush Building, 1801 N. Congress Avenue, Suite 12.200, Capitol Conference Room, Austin, Texas

A link to the live broadcast will be available at <https://www.highered.texas.gov>

March 23, 2023  
1:00 p.m.

**AGENDA**

1. **Call to Order and Remarks by Advisory Board Interim Chair**
2. **Public Testimony**
3. **Consideration and Possible Action to Approve Additional Data and Amendment Requests**

**Data 1 (UTD 157)** School District Consolidations and Their Effects on Student Outcomes

**Data 2 (UTD 160)** The Effect of Bilingual Education: Non-Test Score and Long-Run Outcomes

**Data 3 (UTD 161)** Education and the Future of the Texas Labor Force

**Data 4 (UTD 165)** Longitudinal Analysis of Dallas-Area High School Graduates

**Data 5 (UTA 147)** The Effects of Grad PLUS Loans on Graduate School Outcomes, Earnings, and Programs

**Data 6 (UTA CDP 21-03-THECB)** Study and Evaluation of Texas Transfer Grants

**Data 7 (UTA 104)** OnRamps to Success? Examining the Impact of OnRamps Participation and Performance on Longitudinal Postsecondary Outcomes

**Data 8 (UTA 136)** Educational Profile of Central Texas (EPCTX)

**Data 9 (UH 030)** Exploring the Changes and Impacts of Demographic Representation of the Texas STEM Teaching Workforce

**Data 10 (UH 040)** School Closures and Student Outcomes

**Data 11 (UH 041)** The Role of Middle Schools in Texas High School Endorsement Trajectory

**Data 12 (UH 046)** The Effects of Toxic Air Pollution on Student Outcomes and Racial Gaps

**Data 13 (UH 051)** Tracking Undergraduate Research in Texas and Long-Term Effects (TURTLE): Does Participation in Undergraduate Research Link to Postsecondary and Labor Market Outcomes?

**Data 14 (UH 054)** Pre-Kindergarten in Texas and the Greater Houston Area

**4. Consideration and Possible Action to Approve Additional Data Requests and Extension Requests**

**Data 15 and Extension 1 (UTA 105)** Building Future Engineers in Texas: The Efficacy of the Project Lead the Way

**Data 16 and Extension 2 (UH 043)** Bold Action for a Prosperous Future: Evaluation of Texas House Bill 5 and Academic Trajectories of Texas Public High School Graduates

**5. Consideration and Possible Action to Approve Extension Requests**

**Extension 3 (UTA 150)** A School Like Mine: Investigating the Influence of Geographic and Demographic Congruence on New Teachers' Career Trajectories in Texas

**Extension 4 (UH 045)** Arrested Education: A Bayesian Analysis of the Racialized Effect of School Resource Officers on Academic and Discipline Outcomes In Texas High Schools

**6. Consideration and Possible Action to Approve New Research Projects**

**Proposal 1 including Remote Access Request (UTD 179)** Major-Specific Admissions Restrictions in Texas

**Proposal 2 including Remote Access Request (UTD 180)** Heterogeneous Returns and Characterizing the Roles of Choice of Major and Course Selection

**Proposal 3 including Remote Access Request (UTD 181)** Exploring the Influence of Parental Deployment on Educational Outcomes

**Proposal 4 including Remote Access Request (UTD 182)** The Effects of Community College Tuition Subsidies on College Enrollment: An Exploration of the Importance of Heterogeneity

**Proposal 5 including Remote Access Request (UTD 183)** The Impact of Online Training Certificates in Texas

**Proposal 6 including Remote Access Request (UTA 209)** Disaggregating the Effects of Grant Aid: Implications for the Consequences of Merit Standards

**Proposal 7 including Remote Access Request (UTA 210)** Advanced Courses, Tracking, and Educational Equity

**Proposal 8 including Remote Access Request (UTA 211)** What Determines the Impact of Dual Credit? Understanding Coursework Offerings, Teaching Context, and Outcomes

**Proposal 9 including Remote Access Request (UTA 212)** How Do College Courses Affect Students' Post-Graduation Opportunities?

**Proposal 10 including Remote Access Request (UTA 213)** How Does Immigration affect the Short and Long-term Academic and Labor Outcomes of U.S.-born Students?

**Proposal 11 including Remote Access Request (UH 059)** Identifying Key Predictors of Students' Post-Secondary Outcomes

**Proposal 12 including Remote Access Request (UH 060)** Alternative Pathways to High School Graduation in Racialized Contexts: The Implementation and Outcomes of a State-wide Policy

**Proposal 13 including Remote Access Request (UH 061)** Improving Higher Education Outcomes of Foster Youth in Texas: A Proposal to Evaluate Campus Support Services

**Proposal 14 including Remote Access Request (UH 062)** The Effect of Diesel School Bus Emissions on Student Achievement

## **7. Adjourn**

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- 551.071 Consultation with Attorney and 551.129 if such attorney consultation is via conference call*
- 551.073 Deliberation regarding Prospective Gift*
- 551.074 Personnel Matters*
- 551.0821 Confidential Student Information*

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