

To: President's Cabinet
From: Kelly R. Damphousse
Subject: President's Cabinet Meeting
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TXST Global

Dr. Sivakumaran provided an update on progress towards two primary goals of TXST Global: 1) to enhance recruiting efforts to bring international students to our campuses, and 2) to provide students unable to come to campus an opportunity to earn a TXST degree/credential through online programs or at regional and international locations.

Dr. Sivakumaran has set in motion several key initiatives including:

- Issuing a Request for Proposals (RFP) for domestic and international online operational management service providers to help market and recruit international and domestic students to online degree programs offered by TXST.
- Issuing an RFP to add approximately 50 new international recruiting agents.
- Creating continuing education programming for the Round Rock Campus.
- Preparing to launch TXST Online in Summer and Fall 2024, which will offer bachelor's, master's, and doctoral programs.
- Preparing six online doctoral program proposals.
- Developing partnerships with:
 - Universities in England and Japan to offer a TXST degree at their campuses through transfer credit, online classes, and in-person classes taught by TXST faculty.
 - Texas community colleges to offer several 4-year TXST degrees at their campuses.

President's Report

President Damphousse recapped a series of events and activities that he participated in week of June 12th:

- Productive meetings with foundations and donors. The momentum of giving to the university is picking up tremendous speed.
- Successful G.J. Kinne Coach's Nights in Austin, Houston, and Dallas with large turnouts of alumni and supporters of TXST Athletics.
- A signing ceremony on the Round Rock Campus celebrating the Round Rock ISD, Austin Community College, and TXST Future Teachers Partnership.

President Damphousse announced that Mr. Ken Pierce will be retiring from his position as Vice President for Information Technology and Chief Information Officer on September 8, 2023.

President Damphousse reminded Cabinet members that voluntary Ally Training for the Cabinet will be held on June 21, 2023.

New Business

No new business was discussed.

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