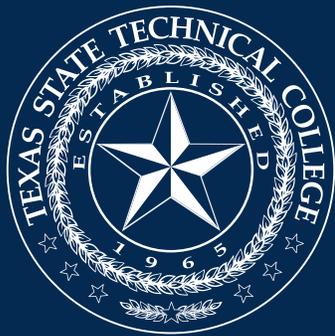
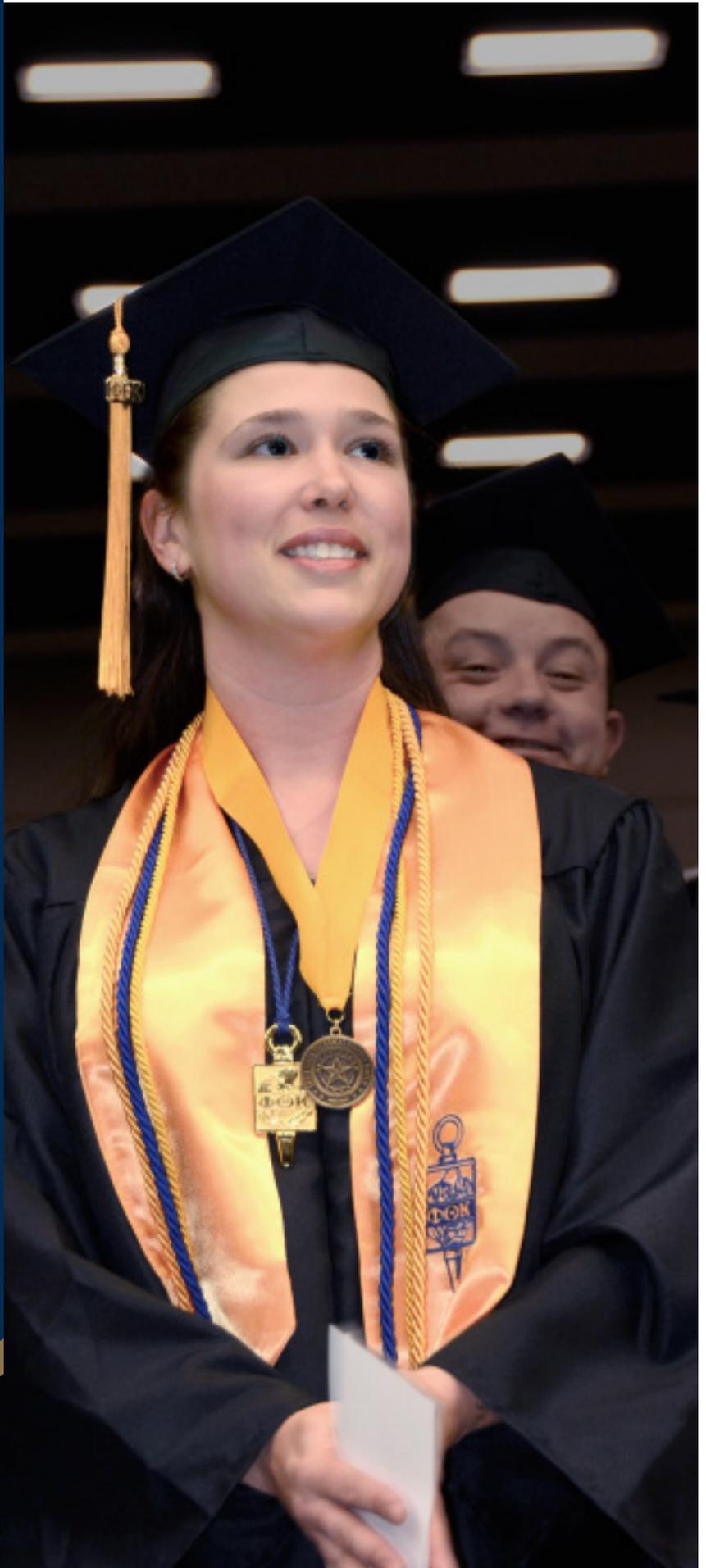


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SUMMER 2020
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A portrait of Mike Reeser, Chancellor & CEO, wearing a light blue striped shirt and a brown plaid blazer. He is holding a pair of glasses in his right hand, which also features a gold ring. The background is a plain, light-colored wall.

MESSAGE FROM THE **CHANCELLOR**

Graduates,

Congratulations! You are surely filled with pride today as you celebrate graduation, an outstanding achievement that only a few accomplish.

Today may be the end of your time at TSTC, but it is also the first day of your next adventure: a new career. Chances are you have already landed your new job. But if you haven't yet, you can find support through our Placement Office or the Alumni Network. Please know that your TSTC family is ready to help you achieve the American dream by finding a spot that matches your new skills.

We are grateful to have been a part of your college journey, and we will count on you being an ambassador for TSTC throughout the years ahead.

With Deep Respect,
Mike Reeser, Chancellor & CEO

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DESCRIPTION OF AWARDS & HONORS

THE DEGREES

The **Associate of Science degree** is specifically designed for the benefit of students transferring to a four-year university. TSTC offers this degree in the areas of biology, computer science, engineering, math and physics.

Technical programs of study offered at TSTC award the **Associate of Applied Science degree**. These programs prepare technicians who are in demand in today's industry to work on a level between engineers and skilled craftsmen.

Skill development programs offered at TSTC award **Certificates of Completion**. These programs are designed to teach students specific skills needed for entry-level jobs. This is accomplished through specialized training in the particular skills area.

THE REGALIA

Every college commencement ceremony reveals the regalia specific to academia. Academic institutions throughout the world have created a wide variety of distinctive dress, color and ceremony to indicate the accomplishments of scholars. American academic regalia developed from English traditions and have been in continuous use in this country since Colonial times. Each institution of higher education in the United States has a well-defined code for identifying different academic degrees by distinctive gowns, hoods and colors. The differences in the regalia seen in the faculty procession represent the variety of institutions from which they are graduates and the different degrees they earned. The associate's gown has open sleeves and features a special cowl instead of a hood, which distinguishes it from the bachelor's, master's and doctor's regalia.

THE HONORS

Select candidates, chosen by their respective divisions, carry the divisional banners. A member of Phi Theta Kappa, the international honor society for two-year colleges, carries the TSTC banner.

Members of **Phi Theta Kappa**, the international honor society of the two-year college, are recognized with gold stoles and tassels.

***Honor graduates**, participants who have maintained a grade-point average of 3.5 or higher, are recognized with gold cords.

+**Board of Regents Honor Roll members**, who have a cumulative grade-point average of 4.0, are recognized with gold medallions.

SkillsUSA Medal winners are recognized with competition medallions.

▪ **Military Veterans**

TSTC takes great pride in helping veterans transition from military service to civilian careers. Graduating military veterans are honored with a red, white and blue spirit cord and recognized during the commencement program.

Welcome to the TSTC Alumni Network

Congratulations on your graduation! We would love for you to continue your relationship with TSTC faculty, staff, administrators and classmates. For more information and ways that you can become actively involved, get connected at tstc.edu/alumninetwork.

The TSTC Foundation supports Texas State Technical College, its students, career programs, faculty and staff. The TSTC Foundation supports the critical needs of students (scholarships, tools and equipment, personal hardships) and provides funds to enhance our ability to provide new and emerging technical programs to support the Texas workforce. Please visit tstcfoundation.com for more information or to make a donation.



CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

AEROSPACE

Aircraft Airframe Technology

Certificate of Completion

Chad L. Taylor[♣]

ALLIED HEALTH

Chemical Dependency Counseling

Associate of Applied Science

Linda Adame

Mindy L. Casto^{+♣}

Virginia Romero^{*♣}

Sierra R. Willis^{+♣}

Certificate of Completion

Ashli N. Arispe⁺

Emergency Medical

Services Technology

Associate of Applied Science

Jasmine L. Ables

Jonathan M. Brooks^{*♣}

Jonathan Hubbard

Certificate of Completion

Dustin Patrick C. Abarintos^{*♣}

Michelle D. Bates^{*♣}

Christopher J. Everett

Selma M. Everett[♣]

Bonnie R. Gibson

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Jaime Hernandez

Haylee A. Johnson^{*♣}

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Daniel R. Ortega

Justin Prince

Shelly J. Ragland^{*♣}

Jewel D. Roberts

Cameron D. Summey^{+♣}

Dayna L. Williams^{*♣}

Health Information Technology

Associate of Applied Science

Shaina D. Barrera^{+♣}

Melinda S. Cannon[♣]

Alexis D. Martinez

Amber N. Parrish

Certificate of Completion

Melinda S. Cannon[♣]

Nursing

Associate of Applied Science

Melinda J. Adkins^{*♣}

Krysta S. Banks^{*♣}

Aleisha S. Bartlett Compo⁺

Joann L. Benavides^{*♣}

Katie Cargill

Jennifer K. Elliott

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Hillary F. Foster

Crystal Funderburk

Kayla M. Killian

Sharla J. Mitchell^{*♣}

Kali L. King

Jere L. Lowe^{*♣}

Miriam E. Marchan^{*♣}

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Dennis O. Moturi^{*♣}

Tonderai Munakiri

Roberto Nyabira

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Maryrose Onyemetu^{*♣}

Sospeter A. Opasi⁺

Aubree A. Pitkin

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Terah M. Sealy^{+♣}

Evelyn P. Serrato

Ivan G. P. Serrato

Ashley D. Shetter

Janessa D. Simpson

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Crystal M. Tijerina

Hannah L. Travis

Latasha R. Valliant

Belinda Vela

Lisa Walker[♣]

DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION

Architectural/Civil Drafting

Technology

Associate of Applied Science

Austin A. Ely

Austin Sifuentes

Computer Networking & Systems

Administration

Associate of Applied Science

David A. Baker

Justin S. Baker

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Lori M. Hooper^{*♣}

Thomas J. Kaspar^{*♣}

Michael D. Ray^{*♣}

Robert D. Zamperio^{*♣}

Digital Media Design

Associate of Applied Science

Cynthia D. Martinez^{*♣}

Steven A. Todd^{*♣}



ELECTRICAL & INSTRUMENTATION

Electrical Power & Controls

Associate of Applied Science

Jonathan S. Calvo*[♣][♣]

Jose L. Flores

Shawn A. Jewell

Luis Silva

Clint R. Vallejo[♣]

Electromechanical Technology

Associate of Applied Science

Zach I. Casares

Quincy A. Ellington

Edward R. Griswold Jr.[♣]

Brandon L. McGee

Jeremiah C. Snyder

Wind Energy Technology

Associate of Applied Science

Edward R. Griswold Jr.[♣]

Certificate of Completion

Antonio Shand

INDUSTRIAL MANUFACTURING

Welding Technology

Certificate of Completion

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Brian A. Nava

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Jaime Segura

Justin M. Terry

Kody B. Turner*

Jose G. Vazquez Cardona+

Ulysses Villarreal

Justin Wood

TRANSPORTATION

Diesel Equipment Technology

Certificate of Completion

Jason C. Carrillo

Andrew M. McElderry

Alfred Rodriguez Jr.

Ricky R. Rodriguez



