AFFORDABILITY

- 62% of full-time UT System undergraduate students (Texas residents*) receive grant, scholarship, or tuition waiver aid
  - Aid covers 100% of tuition and fees plus additional expenses for families making less than $60,000
  - Aid covers 59% of tuition and fees for families making more than $80,000
- See our data narrative on Affordability on the UT System Dashboard
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  *Texas residents who completed a FAFSA

POST-COLLEGIATE OUTCOMES

- After one year of working full time in Texas, UT graduates earned $44,820 (median), and $64,767 per year after 10 years
- Median U.S. income (25 years and older) per year is $40,069. High school graduates earn, on average, $30,624 per year
- UT System's partnership with the U.S. Census Bureau will provide data on employment rates by degree and major for UT System graduates across the nation

Note: UTB and UTPA are not included.

INVESTING IN EDUCATION

- In their first five years after graduating from a UT institution, students working in Texas earned four times more than the estimated state appropriations received for those students while enrolled
- Students who graduated from a UT institution in 2012 earned $8.1 billion working in Texas within five years of graduation
- Former UT students now employed in Texas contribute to a variety of industries within the Texas economy—healthcare, oil and gas extraction, technology, finance, etc.—resulting in increased tax revenue, lower unemployment rates, reduced dependency on government services, and a potential increase in consumer spending

Appropriations and wages are inflation-adjusted to 2017 dollars.
seekUT

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seekUT is a free, online tool that presents national data on the employment outcomes of University of Texas graduates by degree level across 300 areas of study. It shows the importance of obtaining a degree and how it may affect earnings over time. Just a few features that can be accessed through seekUT include:

- Median earnings 1, 5, and 10 years after graduation (by UT institution and degree program)
- Median student loan debt (broken down to estimated monthly payments)
- Percentage of graduates who elect to continue their education
- Industries UT graduates are working in (by major)
- Projected job growth for occupations

UT SYSTEM DASHBOARD

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The UT System Dashboard is a business intelligence and data visualization system that includes publicly accessible Web-based applications for extracting and analyzing institutional data. The UT System Dashboard:

- Provides current data, trends over time, and comparative benchmarking across a variety of metrics
- Supports better data-informed decision- and policy-making
- Measures UT System’s productivity, efficiency, and impact, and demonstrates accountability to stakeholders
- Makes available additional analyses in the form of data narratives, policy papers, and briefs

UT SYSTEM PARTNERS WITH THE U.S. CENSUS BUREAU

UT System has signed a 10-year, first-of-its-kind agreement with the U.S. Census Bureau to provide salary and jobs data of former UT graduates across the nation. In the past, UT System has provided data on UT graduates who are currently working in Texas, but the partnership with the U.S. Census Bureau now gives both agencies a more comprehensive picture of degree attainment and how it impacts labor market outcomes.

This release of data is part of a joint pilot project between UT System and the U.S. Census Bureau’s Longitudinal Employer-Household Dynamics (LEHD) program. UT System will provide national aggregated data of earnings by institution and major for undergraduate, graduate, medical, and professional students alongside student debt for graduates of UT System institutions. The partnership will offer a pathway for higher education institutions to access data on post-graduation earnings for all degree holders across the country, regardless of their state of residence.