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Dr. Chase Young’s Book, *Artfully Teaching the Science of Reading*, in collaboration with David Paige and Timothy V. Rasinski Jack Cassidy Award for Scholarly Contributions from Specialized Literacy Professionals. The Jack Cassidy Award for Scholarly Contributions is an annual recognition that SLP bestows upon those who have made exceptional contributions to the field of literacy. Congratulations, Dr. Young!

Sam Houston Association for the Education of Young Children (SHAECY) hosted a make and take event at Lakeshore Learning Store in The Woodlands!

Submitted by Dr. Desiree Hickman
Students in Dr. Hickman's 4343 class participated in The Parent Academy, a partnership with Scott Johnson Elementary. The students assist in engaging families in activities that help to support child development. The most recent session was about fostering creativity in children. Parents were given the book The Smart Cookie and were guided by our students in 4343 on appropriate questions and ways to engage children while reading. After reading the students then created cookies with the families.

Submitted by Dr. Desiree Hickman

There were four sessions presented by Bearkats at the Texas Association of College and University Student Personnel Administrators (TACUSPA) conference in El Paso, Texas. SHSU tied with the host institution UTEP for having the most sessions.

Presentations given:

- **Erica Castro** (HEDL doc student) – From Bars to Books: Empowering Inmates through Partnerships
- **Kara Fahringer-Baer** (HIED alumnus & HEDL doc student) – Moments of Euphoria: Fostering Gender-Affirming and Trans-Inclusive Campuses
- **Uyen Tran-Parsons & Peggy Holzweiss** (EDL faculty) – Beyond Referrals: Managing Mental Health in the Classroom

Study Abroad in Costa Rica!

SHSU is offering THREE education classes abroad in Costa Rica this summer!

Classes offered: **BESL 3301: Second Language Acquisition**, **SPED 2301: Introduction to Exceptionality**, **TESL 4303: Teaching Eng As A Second Lang.**
Join us in Costa Rica, where education meets adventure, and where every moment becomes a lesson in language and culture.

**Counselor Education Internship Fair**
The Department of Counselor Education is hosting an internship fair for current counseling students.

October 21  
10:00 am - 12:00 pm  
SHSU The Woodlands Center  
[View flyer](#) and [register](#)

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**Upcoming Events**

**SHSU v. UTEP Tailgate:** October 25, 5:00 pm, Bearkat Alley

**Dean's List Reception The Woodlands Center:** October 26, 3:00 - 4:00 p.m., TWC East Commons

**SHSU v. Kennesaw State Tailgate (Homecoming):** November 4, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm, Bearkat Alley

**Teacher Pinning Ceremony:** December 5, 3:00 - 4:00 pm, LSC Orange Ballroom

**Doctoral Hooding Ceremony:** December 8, 7:00 - 8:00 am, LSC 241

For additional information, please contact Events Coordinator.

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