

COBA NEWS

- COBA announces 2020
 Holiday baking competition
 winners
- <u>Dr. Abhijit Nag addresses</u> <u>cybersecurity threats</u>
- Program Updates Changing for the better (SEE PAGE 2)

EVENTS

- Dean Speaker Series TBD (Feb. and April)
- Virtual Coffee With The Dean
 March 2021
- SUSTEX 2021 April 22-23rd

SUCCESS STORIES

Several students share their path to success and how it their success has improved their lives.

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MEET THE DEAN

Dr. Faiza Khoja

Dr. Faiza Khoja has over 15 years of expansive academic and professional experience working in a Hispanic-serving, first generation, diverse University providing leadership in strategic planning and budgeting; student academic and career success; community college partnerships; industry-driven, inter-disciplinary programmatic development; outreach to community and business partners; fundraising; faculty and staff hiring, development and retention; accreditation; and overall College of Business and University effectiveness.

"I look forward to meeting the alumni and celebrating your successes in the New Year."





SUCCESS STORIES

How sharing helps future students

COBA has received several success stories from alumni who wish to share the value of the education they have received at Texas A&M University - Central Texas. Not only should they be proud of their own accomplishments, but also the civic nature of showing future students how an education can help improve lives. Some notable stories include:

- Falina Brown
- Ted Stanhope
- Rick Moore-Grant
- Crystal Bausley

We would love to hear and share your story on our website and social media pages. Please email Susan at sbanks@tamuct.edu for more information.



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PROGRAM UPDATES

Changing For The Better

The Certificate for Leadership in Sustainability is designed to assist those committed to a more sustainable world develop the leadership for sustainability knowledge, skills and perspective they need to understand and address these environmental and social challenges, and build companies that meet the needs of society while delivering economic returns to financial stakeholders.

The Master of Science (MS) in Information Systems program has decreased the number of requirements for graduation to 30 credits, allowing students to earn the degree in a shorter amount of time. The program hones in on leadership and technical skills, offering graduate students increased opportunities in higher positions and salaries.

In addition to taking advantage of these programs yourself, please pass on this information to others interested in furthering their education and increasing their career opportunities.

It does not
matter how
slowly you go as
long as you do
not stop."

-Confucius

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