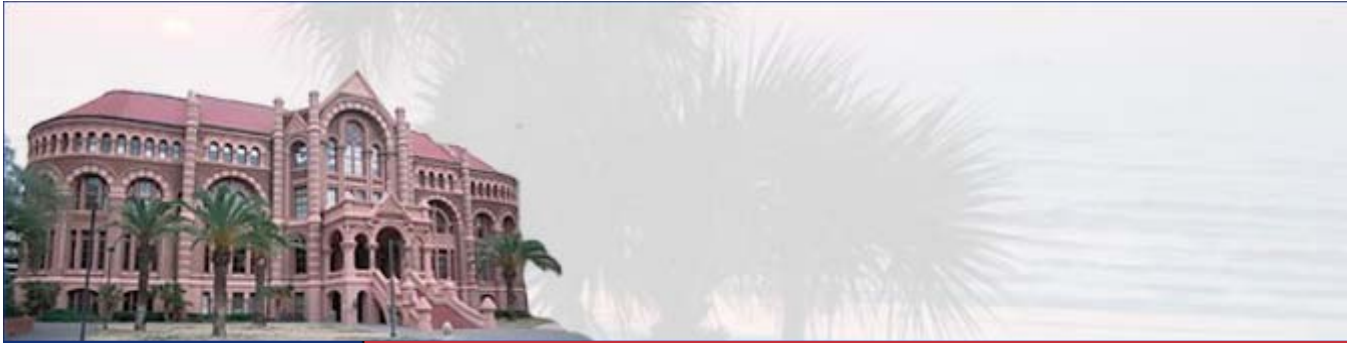


# **UTMB** The University of Texas Medical Branch



- ❖ [Home](#)
- ❖ [Meet the OSA Staff](#)
- ❖ [Office of Admissions](#)
- ❖ [Academic Support Services and Career Counseling](#)
- ❖ [Special Programs](#)
- ❖ [Recruitment and Student Support Services](#)
- ❖ [Research Opportunities](#)
- ❖ [Joint Admissions Medical Program \(JAMP\)](#)
- ❖ [National Student Research Forum \(NSRF\)](#)
- ❖ [Enrollment and Financial Aid Services](#)
- ❖ [Student Government and Organizations](#)
- ❖ [Student Housing](#)
  - Dormitories and Apartments
  - Galveston Housing
- ❖ [Visit Our Campus](#)
  - Campus Map
  - Virtual Tour
  - Directions to Campus
- ❖ [FAQ](#)

Texas Medical & Dental Schools  
Application Service



[click here for application](#)

***"Wherever the art of medicine is loved, there also is love  
humanity"***  
- Hippocra

## **Hello and Welcome to UTMB!**

We have a proud tradition of excellence in teaching, scholarly research, curricular innovation, and meeting the healthcare needs of the State of Texas. UTMB is an integrated academic medical center which places major emphasis on basic and clinical research as an important experience for its students. Through our innovative integrated medical curriculum, which has problem-based learning at its central core, students enjoy didactic teaching, peer and group interactive dynamics, and self-directed learning.

The Office of Student Affairs is charged with the responsibility enhancing student life, from matriculation to graduation. As a student oriented institution, UTMB takes fierce pride in providing all the necessary resources to ensure that its students' medical education and experiences will be excellent ones. Now more than ever before, students will be challenged to learn vast amounts of basic science and clinical knowledge. The practice of medicine is both an art and science - you will be called upon to master the clinical paradigms, and apply it in a setting conducive to life long learning. As Stanley Lemon, M.D., former SOM Dean, has noted, "You will find that UTMB's traditional commitment to community and its strong presence the medical humanities will foster your personal and professional development as a physician and healthcare caregiver".

We hope that this website will provide you with an overview of the UTMB community, the Office of Student Affairs, its admissions procedures, special programs, academic and career counseling services, student government, and the many excellent educational opportunities that await you. We welcome you to this place of learning, where the art and science of medicine truly comes alive.

***Lauree Thomas, M.***

*Associate Dean for Student  
Affairs and Admissions*

---

Copyright © 2004 The University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston.  
Please review our privacy policy and Internet guidelines.