

### Science Saturday

### UT Dallas with SEM

### Pathways in Science at UT Dallas

# **UT** DALLAS

### UTD - A Dynamic Past

- Created by bold visionaries and tech pioneers, UT Dallas has nurtured generations of innovators in its first 50 years.
- Our roots go back to the 1960s when the three founders of Texas Instruments Eugene McDermott, Erik Jonsson and Cecil Green established the Graduate Research Center of the Southwest as a source of advanced research and trained scientists to benefit the state and the nation. Our creativity and enterprising spirit has been and will continue to be UT Dallas' guiding light.



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### **UTD Nobel Laureates**





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Polykarp Kusch



Alan MacDiarmid



Chemistry

Physics



Russell Hulse



Aziz Sancar



### UTD - An exciting future

# We would like for you to join us in that journey



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Careers in Science/Math Education	Mary Urquhart		10:45-11:15
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# Each program will provide:

#### • Job prospects in the field – which may include

- US Department of Labor data
- Example range of careers for the field
- Example pay range for those careers
- How one obtains a BS
  - Graduate degrees usually paid for.
- Example JOBS IN DFW



# Each program will provide:

- Why one might wish to study at to UTD and may include:
  - Examples of UG students working with the various research groups
  - Examples of program specific Student clubs
  - Examples of success of graduates
  - Examples of where people go for JOBS and Graduate schools.



# How <u>YOU</u> can actually do it:

- UTD Admissions
- UTD Financial Aid
- NSM Advising Office
  - Degree plans
  - Flow charts
- If you wish to go on past the BS Grad school is often paid for by others!



## More - How YOU can actually do it:

#### • University wide support

- Large Peer Led Team Learning (PLTL) program
  - Free (by lottery)
  - Small groups learning core science and math
  - Students in PLTL become more adept in managing learning, approaches to group study, and time.
  - ⇒ Students in PLTL programs have much better grades

Those attend regularly receive on average a letter grade higher.

<u>https://studentsuccess.utdallas.edu/programs/peer-led-team-learning/</u>

#### **Mathematics** Chemistry

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- •MATH 1326 •CHEM 1312
- •MATH 2413 •CHEM 2323
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- •CHEM 2325

#### •MATH 2417 Physics

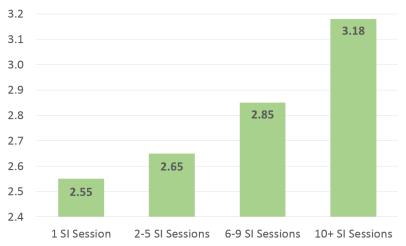
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- •PHYS 1302



## More - How YOU can actually do it:

#### • University wide support

- Large Supplemental Instruction (SI) program
  - Free



#### Sessions Attended vs. Received GPA

<u>https://studentsuccess.utdallas.edu/supplemental-instruction/</u>



# More - How <u>YOU</u> can actually do it:

- Academic Success Coaching
  - <u>https://studentsuccess.utdallas.edu/programs/academic-success-coaching/</u>
- Peer Tutoring
  - <u>https://studentsuccess.utdallas.edu/programs/peer-tutoring/</u>
- Honors college
  - <u>https://honors.utdallas.edu</u>
  - <u>https://honors.utdallas.edu/cv/application-process</u>
- Student clubs and organizations on campus
  - <u>https://soc.utdallas.edu</u>



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