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Alumni
SMU alumna Lynn Murphy appointed by Gov. Greg Abbott to the San Antonio River Authority board of directors

SMU alumnus William Sanderson profiled for his acting roles

SMU alumnus Thomas Guderjan leads an international initiative to better understand rise/fall of Mayan empire

SMU alumna Joowon Kim, virtual reality game helps young cancer patients

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