



## **SMU in the News** **Highlights from April 4-10, 2017**

### **News**

#### **Austin American-Statesman**

Joshua Rovner, Dedman, Bannon out, Perry in: Trump shakes up National Security Council

<http://www.mystatesman.com/news/state--regional-govt--politics/bannon-out-perry-trump-shakes-national-security-council/7SBUuimgXQSqepwzGrwaNP/>

and here

<http://www.statesman.com/news/local/rick-perry-added-national-security-council-core-decision-makers/zWCr3g9Z7hCTCn3380KOhI/>

#### **Boston Globe**

Jeffrey Engel, Dedman, Gorsuch confirmation a much-needed win for Trump

<http://www.bostonglobe.com/news/politics/2017/04/07/needed-win-for-president-donald-trump-with-neil-gorsuch-confirmation/ytiweS95wjbXVh6KWdpsYM/story.html>

#### **D Magazine**

Amit Basu, Cox; Marc Christensen, Volkan Otugen and Mitch Thornton, Lyle School, how North Texas universities are improving tech education

<https://www.dmagazine.com/publications/d-ceo/2017/april/how-north-texas-universities-are-improving-tech-education/>

SMU mentioned in a story about the Dallas Art Fair, held last week

<https://www.dmagazine.com/arts-entertainment/2017/04/dallas-art-fair-alternatives-2017-500x-womens-museum/>

SMU and Kate Canales, Lyle School, mentioned in a story about Roka brand sports gear

<https://www.dmagazine.com/health-fitness/2017/04/roka-is-taking-on-the-sports-gear-world-right-here-in-dallas/>

#### **Dallas Innovates**

SMU mentioned in a story about the walkSTEM program

<https://www.dallasinnovates.com/walkers-stem-concepts-dallas-arts-district/>

#### **Dallas Morning News**

SMU announces new Cox dean

<http://www.dallasnews.com/business/business/2017/04/06/smu-hires-global-expert-new-business-school-dean>

and here

[http://www.bizjournals.com/dallas/news/2017/04/06/smu-cox-school-of-business-myers.html?ana=RSS%26s%3Darticle\\_search&utm\\_source=feedburner&utm\\_medium=feed&utm\\_campaign=Feed%3A+bizj\\_dallas+%28Dallas+Business+Journal%29](http://www.bizjournals.com/dallas/news/2017/04/06/smu-cox-school-of-business-myers.html?ana=RSS%26s%3Darticle_search&utm_source=feedburner&utm_medium=feed&utm_campaign=Feed%3A+bizj_dallas+%28Dallas+Business+Journal%29)

and here

<http://poetsandquants.com/2017/04/06/smu-names-new-dean-miami-university>

and here

<http://www.smudailycampus.com/news/cox-school-announces-new-dean-for-next-academic-year>

and here

<http://miamioh.edu/news/campus-news/2017/04/fsb-dean-myers-to-leave.html>

SMU mentioned in a story about how the arts can support public safety

<http://www.dallasnews.com/opinion/commentary/2017/04/04/arts-can-support-public-safety>

SMU mentioned in a story about North Texas and school choice

<http://www.dallasnews.com/opinion/commentary/2017/04/03/north-texas-already-school-choice>

Rick Halperin, Embrey Human Rights, in a letter to the editor, offenders are not "monsters"

<https://www.dallasnews.com/opinion/letters-to-the-editor/2017/04/06/syria-faith-johnson-billy-james-smith-un-world-food-program-stray-dogs-dallas>

SMU's spring football game previewed

<http://sportsday.dallasnews.com/college-sports/smumustangs/2017/04/07/five-things-watch-smu-spring-game-including-heated-qb-battle>

Luisa del Rosal, Tower Center, Texans understand need to defend Mexico, but more can be done

<https://www.dallasnews.com/news/mexico/2017/04/07/ambassador-texans-get-need-defend-mexico-can-done>

and here

<http://www.aldiadallas.com/2017/04/07/dallas-embajador-de-mexico-en-eu-geronimo-gutierrez-ofrece-respaldo-a-connacionales/>

Meadows presents its annual benefit concert this week

<https://www.dallasnews.com/business/philanthropy/2017/04/07/ray-wylie-hubbard-rock-dallas-country-club-nexus-fundraiser>

### **The Hill**

Bryan Garner, Dedman Law, commentary, critics of Originalism don't know their history, or Founding Fathers

<http://thehill.com/blogs/pundits-blog/the-judiciary/327298-critics-of-originalism-dont-know-their-history-or-founding>

### **The Hub (DISD)**

SMU and DISD's African American Success Initiative hooped it up at a STEM event last fall

<https://thehub.dallasisd.org/2017/03/22/aasi-teams-with-smu-to-hoop-it-up-at-stem-event/>

### **KRLD-AM**

Mike Davis, Cox, changes to H1-B visa regulations might impact hiring in the high-tech industry

<https://mms.tveyes.com/mediaview/?U3RhdGlvbj02NTAwJIN0YXJ0RGF0ZVRpbWU9MDQIMkYwNSUyRjIwMTcIMjAxMiUzQTA3JTNBmzgmRW5kRGF0ZVRpbWU9MDQIMkYwNSUyRjIwMTcIMjAxMiUzQTE3JTNBmzgmUGxheVN0YXJ0UmVnZXg9JTVDYIMuTS5VLIU1Q2IIN0MINUNiZWNVbm9taXN0JTVDYiU3QyU1Q2JNaWtJTIwRGF2aXMINUNiJlBsYXITdGFydFJlZ2V4UHJlcm9sbD0xNSZEdXJhdGlvbj0zMDA4ODImUGFydG5lckIEPTczMTMmRXhwaXJhdGlvbj0wNCUyRjEwJTJGMjAxNyUyMDIxJTNBmzgmM0EzNSZlZWdobGlnaHRSZWdleD0INUNiUy5NLIUuJTVDYiU3QyU1Q2JlY29ub21pc3QINUNiJTdDJTVDYk1pa2UIMjBEYXZpcyU1Q2ImTW9kRWRpdG9yRW5hYmxlPXRydWUmTW9kRWRpdG9yRGVzdGluYXRpb25zPTQmc2lnbmF0dXJlPTM2OThhMDQ2YmVkOTljZDk5Y2IxOTBmZDI0YmU3YmNj>

### **Medical Xpress**

Chrystyna Kourous, Dedman, male versus female college students react differently to helicopter parenting

<https://medicalxpress.com/news/2017-04-male-female-college-students-react.html>

and here

<http://parenting.blog.austin360.com/2017/04/05/new-smu-study-shows-just-how-bad-helicopter-parenting-can-be-on-kids-years-later/>

### **National Science Foundation**

Barry Lee, Dedman, developing and analyzing mathematical models to ensure secure electric power image

<http://nationalsciencefoundation.tumblr.com/post/159239425278/mathstatmonth-developing-and-analyzing>

### **Notimex**

Tower Center, Texas-Mexico holds its first symposium

<http://www.notimex.gob.mx/ntxnotaLibre/334853>

and here

<http://sos.texas.gov/about/newsreleases/2017/040617.shtml>

and here

<http://www.military-technologies.net/2017/04/07/secretary-pablos-addresses-smu-mission-foods-texas-mexico-center-first-annual-keynote-dinner/>

and here

<http://www.hoytamaulipas.net/notas/290087/Banco-de-Mexico-afirma-que-TLCAN-tiene-futuro-con-integracion-profunda.html>

### **PaperCity**

Meadows Museum mentioned in a roundup of Dallas' art fair frenzy

<http://www.papercitymag.com/arts/dallas-art-fair-frenzy-blockbusters-billionaire-guide/>

### **Park Cities People**

SMU Fashion Week previewed

<http://www.parkcitiespeople.com/education/smu-fashion-week-enters-sixth-year/>

and here

<http://www.prestonhollowpeople.com/education/smu-fashion-week-enters-sixth-year/>

### **Phys.org**

SMU archeologists co-authors of new study on the fluting of ancient stone weaponry

<https://phys.org/news/2017-04-archaeologist-fluting-ancient-stone-weaponry.html>

and here

<https://archaeologynewsnetwork.blogspot.no/2017/04/archaeologist-explains-innovation-of.html>

and here

<http://popular-archaeology.com/issue/fall-2016/article/kent-state-archaeologist-explains-innovation-of-fluting-ancient-stone-weaponry>

### **Politifact**

Joshua Rovner, Dedman, unmasking requests by White House officials

<http://www.politifact.com/truth-o-meter/statements/2017/apr/06/tom-cotton/tom-cotton-its-unusual-white-house-officials-susan/>

### **Primewomen**

Mary Vernon, Meadows, featured/celebrated artist and art educator

<https://primewomen.com/career-and-business/featured-women/mary-vernon-artist-art-educator/>

### **Science Newsline**

Dominique Baker, Simmons, co-authors a study that found more than half of the racial college completion gap explained by pre-college factors

<http://www.sciencenewsline.com/news/2017040616130041.html>

and here

<http://www.houstonchronicle.com/news/houston-texas/houston/article/Study-Non-whites-less-likely-to-graduate-college-11061692.php>

### **South Florida Times**

Robert Hunt, Perkins, moderated last week a faiths in conversation event, in Dallas

<http://www.sftimes.com/opinion/prayerfulliving/religions-that-justify-genocide-are-wrong>

### **United Methodist News Service**

C. Michael Hawn, Perkins, a history of hymns

[https://www.umcdiscipleship.org/resources/history-of-hymns-the-old-rugged-cross?mkt\\_tok=eyJpIjoiTW1RNFIXTTNORgt5T0RneiIsInQiOiJKSlwvT0Z5bkdBN2p1K0ZSY0VHamxiNzRSNWZNTkVaWW5mMUhLQUlaa2lvdVBoZnVhdzQ3ejdHMDdwSGN2b0RKYXIYamhyV01keW5YN0IRS2txWUZIRXBxQXhkVnlkMTJhRVRITEFuQjhwOFE3ajdKSXROU0VXUHFmdUJjTXNSOG0ifQ%3D%3D](https://www.umcdiscipleship.org/resources/history-of-hymns-the-old-rugged-cross?mkt_tok=eyJpIjoiTW1RNFIXTTNORgt5T0RneiIsInQiOiJKSlwvT0Z5bkdBN2p1K0ZSY0VHamxiNzRSNWZNTkVaWW5mMUhLQUlaa2lvdVBoZnVhdzQ3ejdHMDdwSGN2b0RKYXIYamhyV01keW5YN0IRS2txWUZIRXBxQXhkVnlkMTJhRVRITEFuQjhwOFE3ajdKSXROU0VXUHFmdUJjTXNSOG0ifQ%3D%3D)

Perkins, offering new degrees in church management, social innovation

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### **American Athletic Conference**

Jeanne Sutherland, women's golf, coaching by the book

[http://www.theamerican.org/news/2017/4/6/Golf\\_0406174618.aspx](http://www.theamerican.org/news/2017/4/6/Golf_0406174618.aspx)

### **Students**

SMU student Ndumiso Nyoka performed at the the TACA 2017 Silver Cup luncheon

<http://mysweetcharity.com/2017/04/tacas-2017-silver-cup-luncheon-had-some-hits-and-misses-but-recipient-nancy-nasher-and-walter-elcock-were-the-best-of-the-best/>

SMU student Bianca Harris talks about erasing the gender pay gap

<http://dfw.cbslocal.com/2017/04/04/erasing-the-gender-pay-gap-one-ask-at-a-time/>

SMU student Rachel Scruggs dislikes Snapchat's new feature

[http://college.usatoday.com/2017/04/06/facebook-just-launched-new-privacy-tools-what-about-twitter-and-snapchat/?utm\\_source=feedblitz&utm\\_medium=FeedBlitzRss&utm\\_campaign=usatoday-techtostories](http://college.usatoday.com/2017/04/06/facebook-just-launched-new-privacy-tools-what-about-twitter-and-snapchat/?utm_source=feedblitz&utm_medium=FeedBlitzRss&utm_campaign=usatoday-techtostories)

SMU students Rodrigo Ricaud and Mariah Cuellar, co-founders of SMU's Association of Mexican Entrepreneurs, hosted former Mexican President Felipe Calderón on campus last week

<https://www.dallasnews.com/news/community-column/2017/04/07/young-entrepreneurs-smu-emphasize-international-connections>

SMU students Alexander (Alec) Bucshon, Laura Kohner and Megan Kohner, nicely profiled

<http://poetsandquantsforundergrads.com/2017/04/07/best-brightest-business-majors-class-2017/>

and here

<http://poetsandquantsforundergrads.com/2017/04/09/2017-best-brightest-alexander-alec-bucshon-southern-methodist-university-cox/>

and here

<http://poetsandquantsforundergrads.com/2017/04/09/2017-best-brightest-laura-kohner-southern-methodist-university-cox/>

and here

<http://poetsandquantsforundergrads.com/2017/04/09/2017-best-brightest-megan-kohner-southern-methodist-university-cox/>

### **Alums**

SMU alumnus Matt Zollar Seitz remembers the late Roger Ebert  
<http://www.rogerebert.com/mzs/to-roger-on-his-birthday>

SMU alumna Charla Aldous takes on big cases in the new TV show *You the Jury*  
<http://www.star-telegram.com/entertainment/tv/article142581784.html>

SMU alumna Shanterra McBride to keynote the Dallas Women's Foundation's Leadership Initiative, #BestSelf 2017 on campus, April 29  
[https://garland.bubblelife.com/community/garland\\_ireporter/library/35671521/key/351828861/Dallas\\_Womens\\_Foundation\\_and\\_Junior\\_League\\_of\\_Dallas\\_Host\\_BestSelf\\_2017\\_for\\_Tween\\_and\\_Teen\\_Girls](https://garland.bubblelife.com/community/garland_ireporter/library/35671521/key/351828861/Dallas_Womens_Foundation_and_Junior_League_of_Dallas_Host_BestSelf_2017_for_Tween_and_Teen_Girls)  
and here  
[http://northdallasgazette.com/2017/04/05/shanterra-mcbride-keynote-speaker-bestself/?utm\\_source=feedburner&utm\\_medium=feed&utm\\_campaign=Feed%3A+feedburner%2Fndg+%28ndg%29](http://northdallasgazette.com/2017/04/05/shanterra-mcbride-keynote-speaker-bestself/?utm_source=feedburner&utm_medium=feed&utm_campaign=Feed%3A+feedburner%2Fndg+%28ndg%29)

SMU alumna Brittany Merrill Underwood, Akola Project to expand after winning \$75k from UnitedWay GroundFloor  
<https://www.dmagazine.com/business-economy/2017/04/akola-project-set-to-expand-after-winning-75k-from-unitedway-groundfloor/>  
and here  
<https://www.dallasinnovates.com/akola-bonton-farms-take-prize-at-oneup-the-pitch/>  
and here (expanded story)  
<https://www.dallasnews.com/business/entrepreneurs/2017/04/10/social-entrepreneurs-wow-dallas-celebrities-pitchesfor-100000-prize>

SMU alumnus Jose Manuel Santoyo spoke at the Mega March in Dallas, last weekend  
<http://www.fox4news.com/good-day/247181052-story>  
and here  
<http://www.wfaa.com/news/local/organizers-preparing-for-mega-march-2017/429702802>

SMU alumna Sarah Evans among the women creating positive change through technology  
<http://www.m2woman.co.nz/1-women-creating-change/>

SMU alumni Christ Banjo and Sterling Moore attend spring football game  
[http://www.nbcdfw.com/news/sports/smu-spring-football-game\\_Dallas-Fort-Worth-418741423.html](http://www.nbcdfw.com/news/sports/smu-spring-football-game_Dallas-Fort-Worth-418741423.html)

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