Dear UTHealth Students,

Hi! On behalf of all the student representatives on the Student InterCouncil (SIC), welcome to a new academic year at UTHealth! I hope you are ready for an exciting and productive new school year. Whether you are a seasoned veteran or a newcomer to the university, I am sure we will overcome many obstacles and accomplish many of our goals. SIC is here to serve you, the student body, to ensure that your time here is a memorable one. Our goal this year is to unite the campus. As we embark on this journey, called life we will run into my challenges and we must work as a team to heal a nation. We have the unique opportunity to bring together six schools full of innovative and life changing ideas. Please join me this year as we incorporate, social, interprofessional, career development and community service ventures to solve problems in the community and in our own lives.

Professional school is about honing in on our skills and giving back to the community. We learn about who we are during the experiences we have as we navigate through school. SIC provides annual social events such as the SIC Sports Day and the SIC Crawfish Boil, to interact and relax with your fellow students around campus. There will be several university wide community service events being planned, allowing us to engage the community we will someday serve in our future careers. With the help from our Center for Interprofessional Collaboration (CIPC), we aim to bring the six schools together to tackle interprofessional issues on campus and in the community. In addition, career development is on everyone's mind, so why not have a university career development day to enhance the skills we will need to enter the workforce. We look forward to addressing any student concerns and speaking on your behalf. I wish everyone a successful and fruitful school year.

Join your student government in making UTHealth the best university for its students! Stay updated via our emails, facebook @ https://www.facebook.com/UTHealth.SIC/ and our website https://www.uth.edu/sic.

Best regards,
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