

## Kim McCuistion, Ph.D.

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Dr. Kim McCuistion serves as Associate Vice Chancellor with The Texas A&M University System and the Director of Texas A&M - Fort Worth. In this role, Dr. McCuistion's focus is to manage the development of the new campus into a hub for collaboration between key Fort Worth industries and top research, education and workforce training assets of The Texas A&M System.



Dr. McCuistion has experience in planning, programing, design and construction of new buildings to serve student populations in the Fort Worth area. Prior to joining The Texas A&M System, she served as the Vice President for External Operations and Dean of the Fort Worth campus at Tarleton State University which opened in 2019. As dean of the Fort Worth campus, she worked with North Texas business and industry leaders, Tarleton State University faculty and staff, and community college partners to expand existing degree programs and add new ones. In addition, she was responsible for the university's teaching sites in Waco, Midlothian and Bryan as well. Dr. McCuistion also served as Chief of Staff to Tarleton's President James Hurley and President Emeritus Dominic Dottavio and was a tenured Professor in the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources at Tarleton State University.

Dr. McCuistion spent 11 years with Texas A&M University-Kingsville before moving to North Texas. At Texas A&M University-Kingsville, she had a split faculty appointment with the Department of Animal, Rangeland and Wildlife Sciences and the King Ranch Institute for Ranch Management. She also served as Dean of Texas A&M University-Kingsville's Honors College for three years.

Dr. McCuistion holds a bachelor's degree in animal science from Texas A&M University, a master's in animal science from Kansas State University and a doctorate in agriculture from West Texas A&M University. She and her husband Brian have three children, Sam, William and Clair.