Vision
The Technology Department will be a leader in developing talent which will sustain, grow and diversify the economy in East Texas and beyond.

Mission
The Technology Department pursues excellence in advanced technological education by engaging our learners, faculty, industry, and community members. We cultivate and deliver innovative undergraduate and graduate programs to foster the success of our learners and stimulate impactful faculty research. We prepare the next generation of leaders and professionals to pursue career opportunities in East Texas and beyond.

PRIORITY: Enrich the student experience

GOALS
Increase student mentorship, experiential learning, and professional development opportunities for students
Promote student engagement.
Increase research experiences to be broadly available to all graduate and undergraduate students.
Support a growing student body by advancing a culture of equal opportunity and success.

PRIORITY: Elevate economic opportunity & social mobility for our students

GOALS
Increase educational impact to meet the demands of Texas learners through enrollment growth.
Enhance the delivery of flexible programs and additional supports for students.
Increase the number of quality academic programs.
Ensure student success through achieving excellence in outcomes assessment.
PRIORITY: Partner & collaborate in service to our community

GOALS
Establish a workforce pipeline that creates a positive impact on the community and all East Texas.
Foster communication and an inclusive culture among all stakeholders.

PRIORITY: Ensure sustainability and foster accountability

GOALS
Create a culture of accountability and transparency.
Expand infrastructure and facilities to support university growth.

PRIORITY: Advance excellence in teaching and research

GOALS
Invest in current faculty and staff, creating a campus culture of belonging.
Double research expenditures within five years.
Leverage growth trajectory and reputational momentum to attract diverse talent.