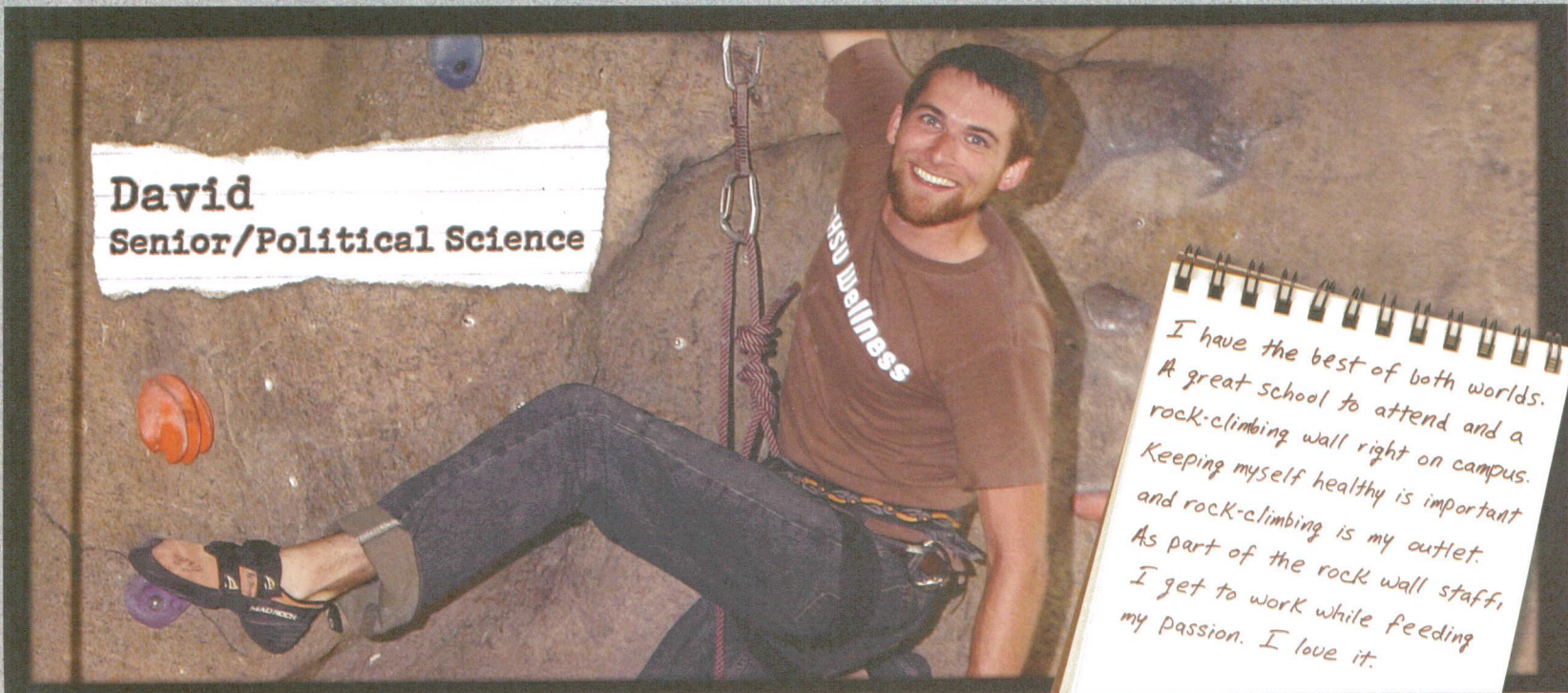




# WHO IS A BEARKAT?



**David**  
Senior/Political Science

I have the best of both worlds. A great school to attend and a rock-climbing wall right on campus. Keeping myself healthy is important and rock-climbing is my outlet. As part of the rock wall staff, I get to work while feeding my passion. I love it.



From seventh grade science class to being freshman year roommates, we do everything together. That's why the decision to attend SHSU was such an easy one. There is no better place for making friends. Or for keeping them.

**Brittany & Ashley**  
Freshmen/Roommates



**Aaron**  
Senior/Banking

Basketball might have attracted me to SHSU, but it's not the reason I stayed. The small-town feel mixed with a big campus environment felt homelike. I know I will look back at my time here and see how much I've grown as a student and person. The whole experience is incredible. And I just had to be a part of it.

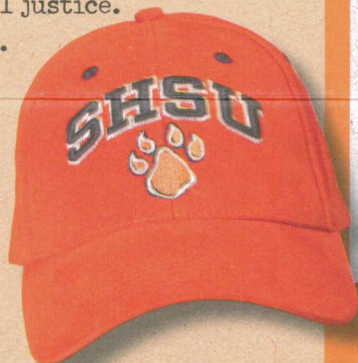
**Sam Houston**  
STATE UNIVERSITY

**S**ee **H**ow **S**uccess **U**nfolds.

# SO WHAT IS SO UNIQUE AND EXCITING ABOUT BEING A BEARKAT?

## THE MIND.

- Over 79 undergraduate degrees.
- Over 45 Master's degrees.
- Highly skilled, experienced faculty; 70% of faculty members hold doctoral or terminal degrees.
- Personal attention and access; 1:20 faculty to student ratio.
- Small class sizes; average class is 30 students.
- Classrooms equipped with high-speed internet connection.
- Preprofessional programs ranging from dental to veterinary medicine.
- Two agricultural complexes – a teaching & research farm and rodeo arena.
- One of the nation's largest programs in criminal justice.
- Top 5 in the state for music and top 25 in the U.S. for theater and dance.
- Only accredited bachelor degree in the U.S. for Banking and Financial Institutions.
- Only school in Texas to offer a degree in professional golf management.

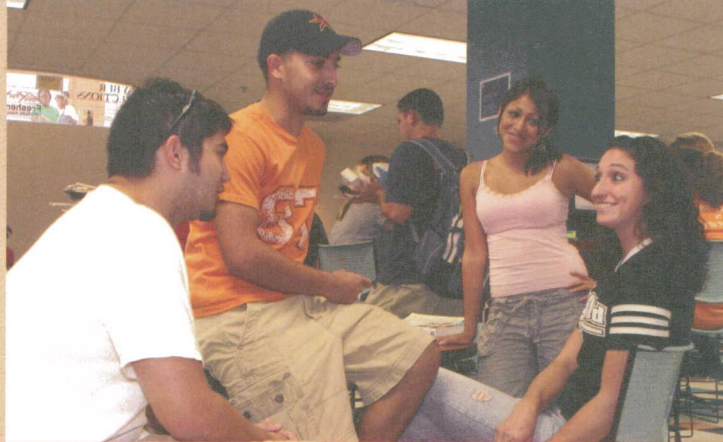


## THE BODY.

- NCAA Division I athletic program and a wide variety of informal sports and recreational activities.
- New Recreational Sports Aquatic expansion featuring heated pool and spa, lap lanes, water aerobics, sunbathing, and leisure activities.
- Comprehensive wellness programs for students, faculty, and staff.

## THE SPIRIT.

- A diverse student body representing 53 countries.
- 272-acre main campus surrounded by forests, lakes, and ranch lands.
- Located in Huntsville, Texas between Houston and Dallas.
- More than 200 student organizations.
- Student-operated cable television and radio stations.
- Student-published newspaper.



## ESTIMATED COST BY SEMESTER

Tuition/Fees, Texas Resident (12 hours)	\$2321*
Books and Supplies (approximate)	\$450
Residence Hall (residence halls range from \$1352-\$2228)	\$1730
Meal Plan (three options)	\$1200
<b>APPROXIMATE COST</b>	<b>\$5701</b>
Required Application Fee	\$40
Optional expenses may include: Parking permit (one year)	\$60

Based on Fall '07. Subject to change.

\*Class fees will vary depending on department.

## FINANCIAL AID:

Approximately 50% of the student body receives financial assistance through federal, state, and local programs administered by the Student Financial Aid Office. Grants, loans, scholarships, college work-study programs, and a tuition payment plan are available to qualified students. To apply for financial aid at SHSU, students must submit the most current 'Free Application for Federal Student Aid' (FAFSA.ed.gov), designated supplemental applications, and forms to the address indicated on each individual form. The Title IV code for SHSU is 003606. Call (936) 294-1774 for more information.

## ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

### BEGINNING FRESHMAN STUDENTS SUBMIT:

- Completed online application for admission with a nonrefundable \$40 application fee.
- Official ACT or SAT I scores required regardless of class rank.
- Official final high school transcript showing date of graduation and class rank.

### BEGINNING FRESHMAN STUDENT REQUIREMENTS:

Eligible beginning freshmen students must graduate from an accredited\* high school and meet one of the following:

QUARTER	ACT	SAT I (critical reading + math)
Top 10%	no minimum	no minimum
11 - 25%	17	850
2nd	19	930
3rd	22	1030
4th	25	1140

\*Students graduating from a non-accredited high school must meet requirements as listed in the SHSU Undergraduate Catalog.

### TRANSFER STUDENTS SUBMIT:

- Completed online application for admission and a \$40 nonrefundable application fee.
- Official transcripts on all previous coursework from ALL colleges or universities attended.

### TRANSFER STUDENT REQUIREMENTS:

- Eligible students transferring from other colleges and universities must:
- Have earned a minimum of 12 transferable accredited semester hours of college level coursework,
  - Have a minimum overall transfer grade point average of 2.0, and
  - Not be on suspension from any other college or university.



## DEGREE PROGRAMS

### COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

- Agriculture BS, MS
- Agricultural Business BS
- Agricultural Mechanization BS
- Animal Science BS
- Horticulture and Crop Science BS
- Applied Arts and Sciences BAAS
- Art BA, BFA
- Advertising & Graphic Design BFA
- Computer Animation BFA
- Photography BA, BS, BFA
- Studio Art BA, BFA
- Biology BA, BS, MA, MS
- Chemistry BS, MS
- Chemical Engineering (dual program) BS
- Computing Science BS
- Computing and Information Science MS
- Digital Forensics MS
- Dance BA, BFA, MFA
- Environmental Science BS
- Forensic Chemistry BS
- Geography BA, BS
- Geology BS
- Industrial Technology BS, MA
- Construction Management BS
- Design and Development BS
- Electronics BS
- Industrial Management BS

- Mathematics BA, BS, MA, MS
- Statistics MS
- Music BA, BM, MM
- Music Education MM
- Music Therapy BM
- Music Therapy- Correctional BM
- Musical Theatre BFA
- Physics BS
- Physics/Engineering (dual program) BS
- Theatre BFA

### COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

- Accounting BBA
- Banking & Financial Institutions BBA, MBA
- Business Administration MBA
- Economics BBA
- Finance BBA, MS
- General Business BBA
- Human Resource Management BBA
- International Business BBA
- Management BBA
- Management Information Systems BBA
- Marketing BBA
- Professional Golf Management BBA

### COLLEGE OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE

- Criminal Justice BA, BS, MS, PhD
- Criminal Justice and Criminology MA
- Criminal Justice Leadership and Management MS
- Forensic Science MS
- Security Studies MS
- Victim Services Management MS
- Victim Studies BA

### COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

- Academic Studies BA, BS
- Administration MA, MED
- Counseling MA, MED
- Counselor Education MA, PhD
- Curriculum and Instruction MA, MED
- Educational Leadership EdD
- Health BS, MA, MED
- Instructional Leadership MA, MED
- Kinesiology BA, BS, MA, MED
- Library Science MLS
- Reading MA, MED, EdD
- Special Education MA, MED

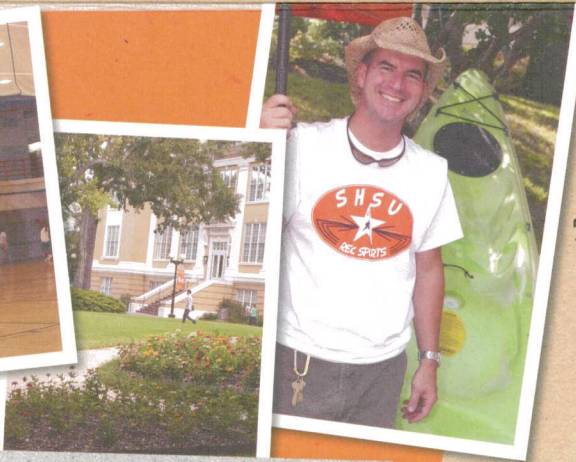
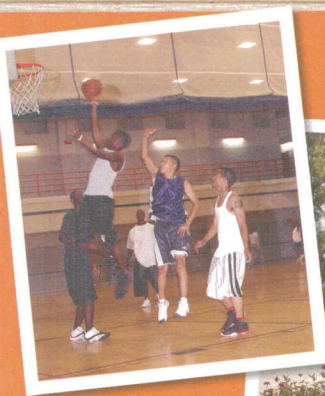
### COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

- English BA, MA
- Family and Consumer Sciences BA, BS, MS
- Dietetics MS
- Fashion Merchandising BA, BS
- Food Science and Nutrition BS
- Food Service Management BA, BS
- Interior Design BA, BS

- History BA, MA
- Mass Communication BA (formerly RTV and Journalism)
- Philosophy BA
- Political Sciences BA, BS, MA
- Public Administration MPA
- Psychology BS, MA
- Clinical Psychology MA, PhD
- School Psychology MA
- Sociology BA, BS, MA
- Spanish BA
- Speech Communication BA, MA

### PREPROFESSIONAL PROGRAMS

- Pre dental
- Pre dental Hygiene
- Pre law
- Pre medical
- Pre medical Record Administration
- Pre nursing
- Pre occupational Therapy
- Pre optometry
- Pre pharmacy
- Pre physical Therapy
- Pre physician Assistant
- Pre podiatry
- Pre respiratory Therapy
- Pre veterinary Medicine



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Campus Preview Days

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March 29, 2008



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