



2024 UTEP Edge Fellow Application
Supervisor Statement of Support

Applicant Name	
Title	
Department	

The UTEP Edge fellows’ program is a unique experience that provides faculty and staff hands-on opportunities to collaborate and promote student engagement. This experience will help fellows further develop their own professional skills.

During the two-year fellowship commitment, fellows will:

- Participate in annual off-campus retreats
- Receive specialized training and leadership development in topics including, but not limited to:
 - Integrative and Applied Learning approaches
 - Communities of Practice
 - Asset-based approach to teaching and learning in higher education
 - Exploration of strengths using the StrengthsFinder tool
 - Connecting key assets and core values with the UTEP Edge
 - Understanding of the value of reflective practices inside and outside the classroom
- Apply for funding to attend and present at a conference, webinar, or institute for further professional development in areas pertinent to the goals of the UTEP Edge
- Receive recognition at the UTEP Edge annual awards ceremony for their work and commitment to student success

The Fellows will contribute to institutionalizing the UTEP Edge through various activities to include:

- Attend and actively participate in Edge Fellow meetings
- Share learnings on the implementation of Edge in their practices through reflections and discussions during Edge Fellow meetings
- Facilitate UTEP Edge presentations, workshops, and activities
- Assist in the development of UTEP Edge programming for special groups
- Serve as spokespersons and ambassadors for UTEP Edge initiatives

I, _____, acknowledge and support _____ in their interest to apply to become a UTEP Edge Fellow.

Supervisor Printed Name

Supervisor Signature

Date