

CIVIL RIGHTS ACTIVIST, AUTHOR ANTHONY J. HARRIS JOINS PVAMU FACULTY

Dr. Harris has begun his role as the new chair of the Department of Educational Leadership and Counseling.

PRAIRIE VIEW, Texas (August 2, 2021) – A champion for social justice and active participant in the Civil Rights Movement has joined the faculty at Prairie View A&M University (PVAMU). Anthony J. Harris, Ed.D., was named chair of the Department of Educational Leadership and Counseling in the [Whitlowe R. Green College of Education](#) (WRGCOE).

“We find ourselves at a place of welcoming a proven leader,” said WRGCOE Dean Michael L. McFrazier, Ed.D.

“I have published a total of 13 books across different genres – children’s books and my memoir about growing up in the Civil Rights Movement in Mississippi. That’s one of the reasons I was so attracted to the opportunity to come to Prairie View A&M University – being a historically black college, being an 1876 university. I feel so at home here. I feel so welcome here,” said Dr. Harris.



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About Prairie View A&M University: Designated an institution of “the first class” in the Texas Constitution, Prairie View A&M University is the second-oldest public institution of higher education in the state. With an established reputation for producing engineers, nurses, and educators, PVAMU offers baccalaureate degrees, master’s degrees, and doctoral degree programs through eight colleges and schools. A member of The Texas A&M University System, the university is dedicated to fulfilling its land-grant mission of achieving excellence in teaching, research, and service. For more information regarding PVAMU, visit www.pvamu.edu.

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