



## **PVAMU RECEIVES MAJOR FINANCIAL COMMITMENTS FROM BANK OF AMERICA, DOW, CHEVRON, AND GOLFER CAMERON CHAMP**

*The grantors are creating partnerships and training, developing future talent, and offering scholarships to diversify the workforce.*

**PRAIRIE VIEW**, Texas (November 20, 2020) – This week, three major corporations announced plans to invest in the students and academic programs at Prairie View A&M University. The commitment from the following grantors creates unique partnerships for PVAMU.

**Bank of America** (BOA) announced its \$2.65 Million Jobs Initiative for Black and Hispanic-Latino Students in Texas. BOA is awarding PVAMU \$1 Million to help students of color complete the education and training necessary to succeed in today's workforce. Details [here](#).

**Dow** is investing more than \$5 Million to Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCU) to enhance the Black STEM talent pipeline. PVAMU is the only HBCU in Texas included in the partnership. Details [here](#).

**Cameron Champ Foundation and Chevron Corporation** are establishing two scholarship funds for student-athletes on PVAMU's men's and women's golf teams. The funds are in honor of Cameron's grandfather, Mack Champ, who attended PVAMU. It's also a way to improve education and access to golf in underserved and underrepresented communities. More details on the scholarships [here](#).

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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 nine 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](http://www.pvamu.edu).

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