



### **Carl A. Stockton**

Carl A. Stockton has been the Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs at the University of Houston-Clear Lake (UHCL) since 2007. As the Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs, Stockton provides strategic vision and direction for Academic Affairs and assists the President in carrying out the mission of the university. Stockton is responsible for all divisions of Academic Affairs, including Enrollment Management, Student Services, Information Resources and Technology, Institutional Effectiveness, Sponsored Programs and Research, and International Admissions and Programs.

During his tenure at UHCL, Stockton led several successful initiatives that were focused on enrollment growth, program development, research, and facilities improvement through both public and private partnerships. Over his career, Stockton has led efforts in leveraging external funding to foster a culture of scholarship and research and has worked with such corporate entities as Texas Instruments, the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, the Meadows Foundation, the AT&T foundation, the Brown Foundation, the Hogg Foundation, the Simmons Foundation, and the Bay Area Houston Economic Partnership.

In order to promote internationalization of the campus, Stockton has led the development of several academic partnerships and exchange programs with universities in India, China, Vietnam, Korea, United Arab Emirates, Poland, Cyprus, Czech Republic and Turkey. He also developed and implemented new international initiatives in support of study abroad, student exchange, and Fulbright programs.

A lifelong educator, Stockton has served higher education institutions for over 31 years, 18 of which have been in upper-level administration. Prior to joining UHCL, Dr. Stockton served as the Dean and Houston Endowed Chair for Education at the University of Texas at Brownsville's School of Education, where he led the school to double its enrollment and added significant programs to its degree offerings while fostering collaborative initiatives among the university's schools and other

educational institutions. He continues to work with key state and federal legislators as well as community organizations and foundations to foster economic development and to receive much needed external resources to support various higher education initiatives. To ensure future success for the school and its students, he acquired more than \$35 million in external funding. In addition, Stockton worked with members of the development board to help raise over \$68 million from state and local communities in providing much needed resources for new construction projects.

His distinguished career features progressive levels of achievement as an educator, researcher and author, as well as active community involvement. Stockton holds a Bachelor of Science and Master of Arts in Health Education from the University of Florida and a Doctor of Philosophy in Health Education from the University of Tennessee.

In addition to serving as a Trustee for the Space Center Rotary Endowment Foundation Board, Stockton serves on the Board of Directors for the Space Center Rotary Club. He is also a member of the Bay Area Houston Economic Partnership. Stockton is the recipient of several honors and awards. These include, the membership of Pi Lambda Theta International Honor Society, the Professional Education Award, the Honorary Fellows Award by the American Association for Health Education, the University of Florida Distinguished Alumni award, and the Houston Endowed Chair for Education.