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## Academic Divisions, Schools, and Colleges

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Non-Mining and Non-Engineering Curriculum 1927-1931

Division of Arts and Education 1931-1940

Division of Arts and Sciences 1940-1959

School of Arts and Sciences 1959-1967

Schools of Business, Education, Liberal Arts, and Science 1967-1973

Colleges of Business, Education, Liberal Arts, and Science 1973-

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Mining and Engineering Curriculum 1914-1927

Division of Mines and Metallurgy 1927-1939

Division of Engineering (7/15/39) 1939-1949

Division of Mines and Engineering 1949-1959

School of Mines and Engineering 1959-1964

School of Engineering 1964-1973

College of Engineering 1973-

UTEP Encyclopedia Webpages:

School of Arts and Sciences, 1959-1967

Division of Arts and Education, 1931-1940

Division of Arts and Science, 1940-1959

[http://encyclopedia.utep.edu/index.php/School\\_of\\_Arts\\_and\\_Sciences](http://encyclopedia.utep.edu/index.php/School_of_Arts_and_Sciences)

Also see UTEP Encyclopedia Online for other Colleges. 1973-

[http://encyclopedia.utep.edu/index.php/Portal:Departments#Colleges\\_and\\_Schools](http://encyclopedia.utep.edu/index.php/Portal:Departments#Colleges_and_Schools)

College of Liberal Arts, 1973-

[http://encyclopedia.utep.edu/index.php/College\\_of\\_Liberal\\_Arts](http://encyclopedia.utep.edu/index.php/College_of_Liberal_Arts)

College of Engineering, 1973-

[http://encyclopedia.utep.edu/index.php/College\\_of\\_Engineering](http://encyclopedia.utep.edu/index.php/College_of_Engineering)

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**Historical Milestones in UTEP History**  
**Academic Reorganizations - Divisions to Schools to Colleges**

<u>Catalogue</u>	<u>Names of Academic Deans</u>	<u>Divisions to Schools to Colleges, and Name Changes</u>
1926-1927	John William Kidd, Dean, College of Mines & Metallurgy	
1927-1931	Charles Alexander Puckett, Dean, College of Mines & Metallurgy John William Kidd, Director of Mines & Metallurgy	Division of Mining & Metallurgy
1931-1932	John William Kidd, Dean of Mines & Metallurgy, and Science Charles Alexander Puckett, Dean of Arts and Education	Division of Mines & Metallurgy, and Science (p. 39) Division of Arts and Education (p. 36) (First year these Divisions were mentioned.)
1932-1937	John William Kidd, Dean of Mines & Metallurgy, and Science Charles Alexander Puckett, Dean of Arts and Education	Only mentions in text "Deans of the Division of Arts and Education, and Division of Mines and Metallurgy" (didn't list "and Science")
1937-1939	Charles Alexander Puckett, Dean of Arts and Education John William Kidd, Dean of Mines & Metallurgy	Divisions of Arts and Education Divisions of Mines and Metallurgy
1939-1940	Charles Alexander Puckett, Dean of Arts and Sciences John William Kidd, Dean of Engineering	Division of Arts and Sciences Division of Engineering (Eff. 7/15/39 per UT-BR) Engineering and Drawing Mining and Metallurgy
1940-1941	Charles Alexander Puckett, Dean of Arts and Sciences John William Kidd, Dean of Engineering (Died 12/29/41)	
1942	Eugene McRae Thomas, Dean of Engineering	(Appointed Acting Dean 01/01/42)
1943-1949	Charles Alexander Puckett, Dean of Arts and Sciences Eugene McRae Thomas, Dean of Engineering	
1949-1959	Charles Alexander Puckett, Dean of Arts and Sciences Eugene McRae Thomas, Dean of Mines & Engineering	Division of Arts and Sciences Division of Mines and Engineering
1959-1960	Eugene McRae Thomas, Dean of Mines & Engineering Charles Alexander Puckett, Dean of Arts and Sciences	School of Mines and Engineering School of Arts and Sciences

1960-1964	Eugene McRae Thomas, Dean of Mines & Engineering Anton Helmer Bergman, Dean of Arts and Sciences	School of Mines and Engineering School of Arts and Sciences
1964-1967	Lonnie Lee Abernethy, Dean of the School of Engineering Ray Small, Dean of the School of Arts and Sciences	School of <b>Engineering</b> School of Arts and Sciences
1967-1973	Effective September 1967  Lonnie Lee Abernethy, Dean of the School of Engineering Ray Small, Dean of the School of Liberal Arts	<b>School of Business</b> (Administration added later) <b>School of Education</b> School of Engineering <b>School of Liberal Arts</b> <b>School of Science</b>
1973-1974	Effective January 1973	All " <b>Schools</b> " were redesigned as " <b>Colleges</b> ."

Note: The "**red**" text indicates the first mention of a change in the titles of the academic organizations.

References: Most UTEP Class Catalogues Archives 1920 to 2000 are located online at:

<http://academics.utep.edu/Default.aspx?alias=academics.utep.edu/catalogarchive>

Those that not available online are available in hard-copy format at the Heritage House.

UTEP Class Catalogs from 2000 are available online, under various webpages, to wit:

<http://catalog.utep.edu/archive>

<http://catalog.utep.edu> [or search the UTEP Webpage with the Academic Year]

<http://catalog.utep.edu> [current Academic Year]

-or- Heritage House File HH/WFQ #32-G

"Backgrounder: The Breakup of the School of Arts and Sciences, 1967," by P.J. Vierra, November 28, 2017.

Copy located on the Heritage House File COLLEGES within UTEP: "Schools" Renamed "Colleges" (1973).

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