

SECTION M. STUDENT INVOLVEMENT & REPRESENTATION

1. **Student Government Association**

The Student Government Association (SGA) is the official organization representing student interests and voicing concerns to administration. SGA provides programs and activities directed to enhance and develop premier leadership and career success through education.

2. **Toreador Media**

Located on the first floor of the Media & Communication Rotunda, Toreador Media provides out of classroom learning opportunities for students to use academic training obtained at Texas Tech in practical settings of publishing the student newspaper, *The Daily Toreador*; digital media at www.dailytoreador.com; and the campus yearbook, *La Ventana*. Texas Tech University recognizes the editorial independence and press freedom of all student-edited campus media, specifically *The Daily Toreador* and *La Ventana*. Both print and digital publications are considered out-of-classroom learning opportunities, free from administrative censorship. Student editors of *The Daily Toreador* and *La Ventana* have the authority to make all content decisions; consequently, they bear the responsibility for the decisions they make. Toreador Media employs 30-50 students each semester as collegiate editors, reporters, photographers, videographers, graphic designers, print, & digital advertising account executives, and members of the delivery staff and street team. Many Toreador Media students are Media & Communication majors while others may study other disciplines. Students interested in the fields of advertising, journalism, marketing, public relations, photography and broadcast are encouraged to apply for positions on the newspaper, multimedia website, and yearbook staffs at www.dailytoreador.com. See TTU Operating Policy 30.27.

3. **Military & Veterans Programs**

Military & Veterans Programs (MVP) is here to assist veterans and their families in achieving academic and personal success. The department serves as a resource to connect veterans and their family members to the University and surrounding community. MVP oversees the certification of Veterans Educational Benefits such as:

- a. The exemption for Texas Veterans under the Hazlewood Act which provides an education benefit to honorably discharged or separated Texas veterans and to eligible dependent children and spouses of Texas veterans.
- b. The educational programs such as the various educational benefits offered through the Department of Veteran Affairs.

Connect with Military & Veterans Programs by visiting www.mvp.ttu.edu