

Itinerary for Dr. Gautam Pillay

Finalist for Dean, College of Engineering, Architecture and Technology

Monday, February 12, 2024

- ~ 1:45 p.m. Arrive at OSU-Tulsa campus. *Meet H. Taylor at the entrance of the Helmerich Center.*
- 2:00 – 3:00 p.m. Tour of CEAT Facilities on the OSU-Tulsa campus with Heath Taylor, Facilities Coordinator-OAIRE, Helmerich Research Center. *Will be escorted to the Executive Board Room by H. Taylor.*
- 3:15 – 3:45 p.m. CEAT-Tulsa Faculty (Executive Board Room, 2nd Floor, Stanley E. White Hall).
- 4:00 – 4:30 p.m. Dr. Craig Freeman, Interim Vice Provost for Academic Affairs and Interim Dean, College of Professional Studies (Administrative Office Suite, 2nd Floor, Stanley E. White Hall).
- 4:30 p.m. Depart OSU-Tulsa for Stillwater.
- 6:45 – 8:30 p.m. Dinner with CEAT Executive Team* (location TBA).

Tuesday, February 13, 2024

- 7:30 – 8:30 a.m. Breakfast with Blaire Atkinson, President, and Scott Roberts, Vice President for Development, OSU Foundation (Ranchers Club, Student Union). *Will be met by K. Wheeler and escorted to Whitehurst.*
- 8:45 – 9:15 a.m. Dr. Jeanette Mendez, Provost and Senior Vice President (106A Whitehurst).
- 9:30 – 9:55 a.m. Jerome Loughridge, Senior Vice President and Chief of Staff for an Overview of [“We Are Land-Grant”](#) Strategy (107 Whitehurst).
- 10:00 – 10:30 a.m. Dr. Kayse Shrum, President (107 Whitehurst). *Will be met by A. Lowe and escorted to the ATRC.*
- 10:45 – 11:15 a.m. Dr. John Veenstra, Interim Dean, College of Engineering, Architecture and Technology (201 ATRC).
- 11:20 – 11:45 a.m. Dean’s Administrative Staff* (206 ATRC)
- 12:00 – 1:00 p.m. Luncheon with Undergraduate and Graduate Student Representatives* (206 ATRC).
- 1:15 – 1:40 p.m. Jean Kerr-Hunter, Director, CEAT Fiscal Operations (206 ATRC)
- 1:45 – 2:15 p.m. Discussion Session with CEAT Department/School/Division Heads* facilitated by Dr. Mari Chinn (206 ATRC). *Will be met by P. Wheeler.*

*Invited individuals are listed in attached.

- 2:15 – 3:00 p.m. Walking Tour of CEAT Facilities with Patrick Wheeler, Manager of CEAT Facilities. *Will be escorted to forum location by P. Wheeler.*
- 3:00 – 3:30 p.m. Break and forum preparation
- 3:30 – 4:30 p.m. Campus Forum for Faculty, Staff, Students and External Constituents: *“Role of a College of Engineering, Architecture and Technology at a Land-Grant Institution.”* Vice President Kenneth Sewell will serve as moderator.
(Room 170, DWR School of Architecture Building **and** Zoom)
Reception following in the gallery.
- ~ 5:15 p.m. *K. Sewell will escort to the Atherton Hotel.*
- 6:30 p.m. Dinner with Friends and Donors of CEAT and CEAT OSU Foundation Representatives (Ranchers Club). *Meet Bryce Killingsworth, Senior Director of Development/CEAT Team Lead, in the hotel lobby at 6:20 p.m.*

Wednesday, February 14, 2024

- 7:30 – 8:30 a.m. Breakfast with Academic Affairs Leadership Team* (Ranchers Club, Student Union). *C. Francisco will escort to Whitehurst.*
- 8:45 – 9:45 a.m. Council of Deans* facilitated by Dr. Jon Pedersen (204 Whitehurst Conference Room and Zoom). *Will be met by E. Kirtley and escorted to the ATRC.*
- 10:00 – 10:30 a.m. Overview of CEAT Extension / Outreach Programs with Dr. Ed Kirtley, Associate Dean for Extension, and Outreach Directors* facilitated by Dr. Jovette Dew (206 ATRC).
- 10:45 – 11:10 a.m. CEAT Faculty Discussion Session (206 ATRC).
- 11:15 – 11:45 a.m. CEAT Faculty Council* facilitated by Dr. Clint Aichele (206 ATRC).
- 12:00 – 1:00 p.m. Luncheon with Search and Screening Committee (206 ATRC). *D. Weaver will escort to the Student Union.*
- 3:30 – 4:00 p.m. Exit Interview with Provost Jeanette Mendez (106A Whitehurst).

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Campus Interview Groups
Dean, College of Engineering, Architecture and Technology
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CEAT Executive Team (Dinner)

Charles “Chuck” Bunting, Associate Dean for Research and Professor,
Electrical and Computer Engineering
Sunderesh Heragu, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs and Regents Professor,
Industrial Engineering and Management
Ed Kirtley, Associate Dean for Engineering Extension and Professor of Professional
Practice, Fire Protection and Safety Engineering Technology
Carisa Ramming, Associate Dean for Engagement and Inclusion, Professor, Architecture
and Member, Search and Screening Committee
Raman Singh, Associate Dean of Engineering at OSU-Tulsa, EPSCoR State Director,
Director of the Helmerich Research Center and Professor, Mechanical and Aerospace
Engineering and Materials Science and Engineering

Academic Affairs Leadership Team (Breakfast)

Shannon Baker, Associate Provost for Student Success and Teaching Professor, History
Christopher “Chris” Francisco, Vice Provost for Academic Affairs and Professor,
Mathematics
Christine “Chris” Ormsbee, Vice Provost of Online Programs, Director of the Institute
for Teaching and Learning Excellence and Professor, Teaching, Learning
and Educational Sciences
Becky Taylor, Assistant Vice President, Provost’s Strategies and Priorities

CEAT Dean’s Administrative Staff

Jean Kerr-Hunter, Director of Fiscal Operations
Amanda Lowe, Executive Administrative Associate
Tim Sullivan, Senior Manager of Administrative Operations
Jamie Westmoreland, Associate Director of Sponsored Programs
Kristi Wheeler, Manager of Marketing and Communications
Patrick Wheeler, Manager of CEAT Facilities

CEAT Undergraduate and Graduate Student Leaders (Lunch)

Meji Mega Jayaseelan, Senior, Chemical Engineering and Member, Search and
Screening Committee
Cheyenne Mata, Master’s Graduate (Dec 2023), Civil Engineering and Member, Search
and Screening Committee
Other Student Leaders - TBA

CEAT School and Division Heads

Mari Chinn, Professor and Head, Department of Biosystems and Agricultural Engineering and Member, Search and Screening Committee

Norb Delatte, Professor and Head, School of Civil and Environmental Engineering

Heather Fahlenkamp, Professor and Head, School of Chemical Engineering

Guoliang Fan, Professor and Interim Head, School of Electrical and Computer Engineering

Sandip Harimkar, Professor and Head, School of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering

Guiping Hu, Professor and Head, School of Industrial Engineering and Management

John Phillips, Professor and Interim Head, School of Architecture

James Smay, Professor and Head, School of Materials Science and Engineering and Member, Search and Screening Committee

Chulho Yang, Professor and Interim Head, Division of Engineering Technology

OSU Foundation Leadership with CEAT Donors and Friends (Dinner)

Bryce Killingsworth, Senior Director of Development and Team Lead

CEAT Donors and Friends – TBA

Council of Deans

Craig Freeman, Professor and Interim Vice Provost and Dean, College of Professional Studies, OSU-Tulsa

Richard “Ritch” Frohock, Professor and Interim Dean, Honors College

Keith Garbutt, Professor and Interim Dean, College of Arts and Sciences
(and Dean, Honors College)

Sheila Johnson, Professor and Dean, Libraries

Randy Kluver, Associate Provost and Dean, OSU Global / School of Global Studies and Partnerships

Jayson Lusk, Vice President and Director, Division of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources and Dean, Ferguson College of Agriculture

James Payne, Professor and Dean, Spears School of Business

Jon Pedersen, Professor and Dean, College of Education and Human Sciences

Carlos Risco, Professor and Dean College of Veterinary Medicine

Jeff Stroup, Professor, Provost and Dean, Center for Health Sciences / College of Osteopathic Medicine

Jean Van Delinder, Professor and Interim Dean, Graduate College

CEAT Extension and Outreach Directors

Ed Kirtley, Associate Dean for Engineering Extension and Professor of Professional Practice, Fire Protection and Safety Engineering Technology

Craig Hannan, Director, Fire Protection Publications

Mike Melancon, Manager, Information Technology Services

Caroline Reed, Director, Fire Service Training

Eldonna Sadler, Manager, International Fire Service Accreditation Congress

Gary Snyder, Director, Center for Local Government Technology

Jessica Stewart, Manager, Outreach Education

Robert Taylor, Director, New Product Development Center and Research Professor, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering

CEAT Faculty Council

Clint Aichele, Professor, Chemical Engineering
Rifat Bulut, Professor, Civil and Environmental Engineering
Terry Collins, Associate Professor, Industrial Engineering and Management
Brian Elbing, Associate Professor, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering
Brian Hoskins, Associate Professor, Engineering Technology
Jessie Mao, Professor, Biosystems and Agricultural Engineering
Nathan Richardson, Associate Professor, Architecture
Pankaj Sarin, Associate Professor, Materials Science and Engineering
James Stine, Professor, Civil and Environmental Engineering

Search and Screening Committee (Lunch)

Kenneth Sewell, Vice President for Research, Professor, Psychology, College of Arts and Sciences and Chair, Search and Screening Committee
Clint Aichele, Associate Professor, Chemical Engineering
Aaron Alexander, Associate Professor, Engineering Technology
Andrew Arena, Professor, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering
Jeffrey Callicoat, Teaching Associate Professor, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering
Mari Chinn, Department Head and Professor, Biosystems and Agricultural Engineering
Jovette Dew, Director of CEAT Outreach Programs
Jeff Hume, Vice Chairman, Strategic Growth Initiatives, Continental Resources
Meji Mega Jayaseelan, Senior, Chemical Engineering
Katie Jurewicz, Assistant Professor, Industrial Engineering and Management
Tyler Ley, Regents Professor, Civil and Environmental Engineering
Cheyenne Mata, Master's Graduate (Dec 2023), Civil Engineering
Christina McCoy, Assistant Professor, Architecture
Ann Oglesby, Vice President of Energy Research and Innovation, Phillips 66 (Retired)
Carisa Ramming, Associate Dean, Student Engagement, and Professor, Architecture
James Smay, Department Head and Professor, Materials Science and Engineering
Heather Yates, Professor, Engineering Technology
Weili Zhang, Professor, Electrical and Computer Engineering