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I am pleased to announce today the selection of Rickey McCurry as the new vice president for development and alumni affairs and programs for the University of Tennessee System.

Rickey is currently vice president for institutional advancement for Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology in Terre Haute, Indiana. Subject to approval by the UT Board of Trustees at the winter meeting Feb. 25-26, he will take his new post on May 15.

I feel confident that Rickey is the right leader to help us grow our fundraising and alumni engagement programs, which are crucial to continuing the excellence of our University.

This is a homecoming for Rickey. He is a Tennessee native, and he was associate vice chancellor for development and alumni affairs at UT Knoxville from 1993 to 2000. He returns to Knoxville after serving at Rose-Hulman since 2011, and prior to that, he was vice chancellor for institutional advancement at Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, from 2000-2011.



I would like to express my gratitude to Institute of Agriculture Chancellor Larry Arrington for chairing this national search and to Linda Hendricks Harig, vice president of human resources, and her staff for supporting the search efforts.

In addition, I would like to thank Lofton Stuart, who has been serving as interim UT vice president for development and alumni affairs and programs and president of the UT Foundation since September 2013 when the position was vacated, for providing stability during the transition.

If you would like more information, please visit the search website at tennessee.edu/execsearch/development/.

All the best,
Joe

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