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**Texas Wesleyan University announces Allen Henderson
as provost and senior vice president**

FORT WORTH, May 27 – After conducting a national search over the last several months, Texas Wesleyan University announces the appointment of Dr. Allen Henderson as provost and senior vice president of the University. As a member of senior management, Henderson works closely with the faculty and president to help guide the University in the fulfillment of its strategic plan and academic mission. He serves as the liaison between faculty and administration and oversees the University academic programs and accreditation process.

Henderson has served as the interim provost since September 2003, having previously held the position from January 2001 to August 2002. He has worked with the Wesleyan community in various positions since 1979, when he joined the staff as professor of psychology. Since then, he has held the position of associate provost, chairman of the psychology department, director of the Pre-Professional Studies Program and dean of the school of education.

“Allen Henderson has served the University well in many capacities for twenty-five years,” says Texas Wesleyan University President Harold G. Jeffcoat. “The search committee

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did a good job finding competitive candidates for the provost position and I'm pleased that Dr. Henderson prevailed in that search.”

Henderson's academic specialization is in social psychology, including the social aspects of effective learning environments, attitude or behavior changes and health psychology.

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