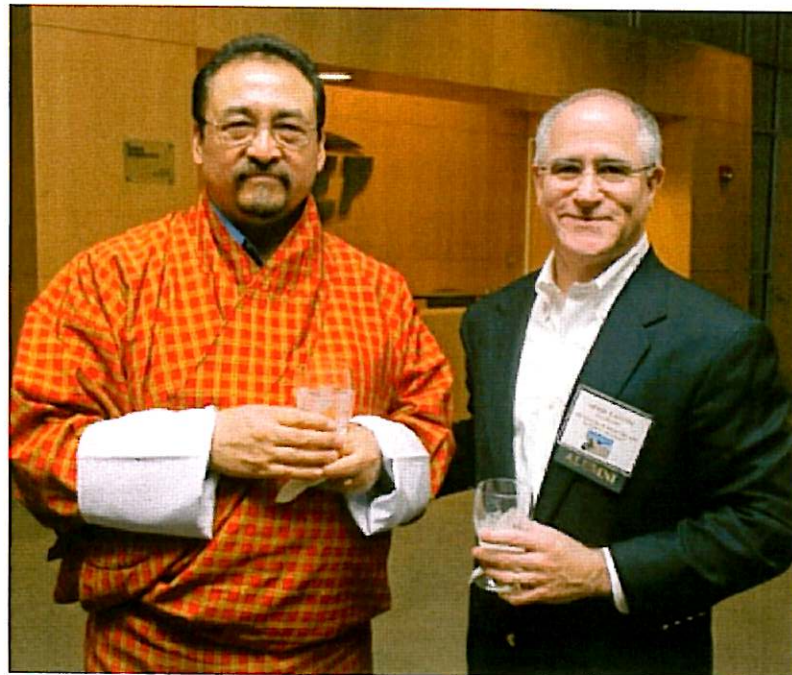




State Leaders Visit UTEP ☐

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Bhutanese Ambassador Daw Penjo and Texas Lyceum alumnus Armin Cantini

The Texas Lyceum, the state's premier leadership group, visited UTEP last week to learn about the growing university.

The group of nearly 100 leaders from public service, private industry and education were in El Paso for a three-day visit to learn about issues surrounding national security policy. During the visit, the group enjoyed dinner and remarks by UTEP President Diana Natalicio at the Durham Center.

"We were pleased to host the Lyceum on campus," said Estrella Escobar, assistant to the UTEP president and El Paso Lyceum Director. "Their visit to El Paso was extremely successful. In addition to everything the group learned about Fort Bliss and our region, they were able to experience the beauty of our Bhutanese architecture personally, and to learn more about the increasing role that UTEP is playing in national security efforts."

The Texas Lyceum, a non-profit, non-partisan organization, acts as a catalyst to bring together diverse opinions and expertise to focus on national and state issues. The group's 96 members, all of whom have demonstrated leadership in their community, serve six-year terms.

-Kim Miller