

Director-at-Large position 5 & 6 student only:

Kasey Durham

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Jessica Hightower is an officer of the Sam Houston State chapter of USITT. As a member of the SHSU USITT board, it would be useful to also serve on the Southwest board given that the Winter Symposium will be held at SHSU in 2020. She served in the 2018-19 year as a Director at Large, and would like to fill the position once more in order to continue the success of the new student driven committee. She is excited to see the growth of the organization and the hard work and accomplishments of its members.

Nathalia Pesola: As a member of one of the high school chapters, Nathalia aims to be representing the younger subgroup of students and offering a unique perspective to Southwest. She currently holds the position of treasurer within her local chapter and has been managing funds while recruiting fellow technicians into the young chapter, wishing to recruit peers on a regional scale. Within the theatre she is studying lighting design and technology but gaining additional experience in other disciplines.

Alexis Renfro is the now historian of the USITT chapter at Sam Houston State University and is currently in her second academic year. She is majoring in theatre with emphasis in design technology and management with a focus in scenic design. Being a student representative would create a great opportunity to bridge the gap between the board and students. As SWUSITT Symposium 2020 will be hosted at Sam Houston, being elected as a student representative would provide a role in the planning process both with the board and the school's chapter.