Erick Jones announced as third finalist for engineering dean

March 12, 2019 – Erick Jones from the University of Texas at Arlington is the third finalist for the next James L. and Katherine S. Melsa Dean of Engineering at Iowa State University. He will visit campus March 13-15.

Jones, George and Elizabeth Pickett Endowed Professor of industrial, manufacturing, and systems engineering, and associate dean for graduate affairs at UT-Arlington, will meet with students, faculty, staff, and external stakeholders during his visit. He will also hold an open forum Thursday, March 14, from 2-3 p.m., at the Alliant Energy-Lee Liu Auditorium in Howe Hall.

Jones holds a bachelor’s degree in industrial engineering from Texas A&M University, and master’s and Ph.D. degrees in industrial engineering from the University of Houston. He joined UT-Arlington in 2010, following eight years at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, and recently served as program director, engineering research and centers, at the National Science Foundation.

More information on Jones, and on the search, is available at: https://www.provost.iastate.edu/administrator-resources/recruitment/searches/dean--college-of-engineering

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