



Seth Fairchild – Executive Director of Cultural Services

Seth Fairchild is the Executive Director of Cultural Services at the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma. He was promoted to that role in 2021 after serving as the Executive Director of the Chahta Foundation for six years. Fairchild's life and work are dedicated to three pillars—faith, family, and the Choctaw people.

Fairchild earned his degree in Business Administration and Marketing at Southeastern Oklahoma State University where he was in the Honor's program and the Native American Council, a student-led group that focused on Native issues and initiatives. He also earned his MBA in Organization Leadership from Oklahoma Christian University.

Following graduation, Fairchild began work at the Choctaw Nation's Success Through Academic Recognition (STAR) program encouraging academic achievement and increasing college aspirations among Choctaw students ages 6-18. In 2011 he began working with the Chahta Foundation, where he and his team developed innovative programs that elevate education, wellness and culture among Choctaws living across the United States.

Over his career, he has had the opportunity to speak at many events around the country, including panels, keynotes and giving a TED talk in 2018.

He is actively involved in community service, including serving on the board of directors for the Texoma Health Foundation, Oklahoma Center for Nonprofits, Imagine Durant and as an advisory board member for Oklahoma Nonprofit Council. In his spare time, Fairchild enjoys spending time with his wife and children."

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