

Police: Drunk Texas State student, 21, caused wreck that killed man, injured pregnant wife

Police say the "unborn child would most likely succumb to injuries sustained in the collision."

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A 21-year-old Texas State student who told police she had been drinking while floating the river was arrested Tuesday and charged with intoxication manslaughter and assault following a crash that killed a man and left his 5-months-pregnant wife hospitalized.

The "unborn child would most likely succumb to injuries sustained in the collision," a probable cause affidavit obtained by [mySA.com](#) said.

Shana Elliott, a public relations and mass communications senior, was still wearing a bikini from a float while she was driving a Chevrolet Impala in the 1700 block of Highway 21 in San Marcos around 6 p.m. Tuesday when the crash occurred, according to the affidavit.

She is charged with two counts of intoxication manslaughter, second-degree felonies, and an intoxication assault charge, a third-degree felony.

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Kristian Guerrero, a 24-year-old Bryan resident, was driving the opposite direction in a Toyota Corolla with her husband Fabian Guerrero-Moreno in the passenger seat when Elliott's Impala crossed the highway center line and collided with the Corolla, the affidavit said.

Guerrero-Moreno was killed in the crash and his wife Kristian was transported to St. David's South Austin Medical Center for treatment, the affidavit said. She is in serious condition as of Wednesday afternoon.

On Facebook, the couple [checked in at a Joe's Crab Shack in San Antonio](#) hours before the crash and had also [posted a sonogram image](#) the day before the crash with a caption reading: "Is this the face of

a little prince or a little princess?! We can't wait to find out Sunday! Are you team boy or team girl?! Taking bets now!"

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Elliott, who was had two previous arrests in Hays County, both on drug charges, told an officer who responded to the scene that she consumed "beer and liquor while floating the river at Texas State Tubes prior to the collision," the report said.

Her breath contained "the strong odor" of alcohol, her eyes were red, glassy and blood shot and she was unsteady on her feet, the affidavit said.

The affidavit said a witness saw "a female in a bikini" "roll a bottle of alcohol under a vehicle" at the scene.

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Elliott was transported to the Central Texas Medical Center for minor injuries.

Texas State officials confirmed to mySA.com Wednesday that Elliott "was a Texas State student enrolled in spring 2016, and that she is registered for classes in fall 2016. She was not enrolled this summer."

Elliott posted a photo on Facebook of a Dean's List certificate from the fall of 2014.

She was arrested on March 22 on three felony charges of possession of controlled substances and marijuana. She was arrested again May 2 on two felony charges of possession of controlled substances.

Her bond was set \$185,000 cash or surety by Judge Beth Smith, she said.

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