STUDENT SUCCESS

Create an exceptional learning environment that extends beyond the classroom to a commitment by the entire community to provide the wraparound supports that are essential to retention, persistence, graduation, and placement.

Student success requires delivering and amplifying excellence at every student touchpoint throughout the higher education experience. Setting the stage by exceeding student expectations of excellence from the first moment on campus is critical because our learning environment must always balance scholarly pursuits and student well-being.

The University will continue to make a clear priority of retaining and promoting competent personnel who will, in turn, catalyze the recruitment and retention of outstanding students eager to persist toward graduation. Central to our mission is the provision of world-class undergraduate and graduate educational programs that instill the knowledge, skills and abilities (KSAs) students will need for advanced study and demanding careers across the globe. Additionally, the very essence of our 1890 land-grant status requires that we nurture a concern for social justice and help students build the capacity to advocate for it.

OBJECTIVES

1.1 CAREER PLACEMENT
Increase career placement by enhancing programs that prepare students for jobs or additional educational opportunities after graduation and help alumni achieve their career goals.

1.2 TALENT PIPELINE
Sustain a robust talent pipeline for first-year, transfer, online and nontraditional students. Once enrolled, ensure that students receive the tools and resources to provide them with a comprehensive, state-of-the-art, productive, and safe educational experience that prepares them to have a competitive edge in their lives and careers after graduation.

1.3 EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING
Increase student participation in experiential learning opportunities that prepare them for a life of learning in our diverse, global society.

1.4 STUDENT RETENTION AND GRADUATION RATES
Increase student retention and graduation rates by creating a service-centric campus culture that includes training, mentoring, coaching, and modeling of quality service best practices.

KEY GOALS

- Increase academic preparatory, pre-enrollment engagement efforts (in-person and virtual) by six percentage points to 80%.
- Increase student career readiness for fields of study to 90% by assessing and improving academic unit vibrancy and health.
- Increase student satisfaction to 85% using student data collection strategies that gauge satisfaction concerning the quality of the student experience.
- Increase percentage of graduate employment in respective fields by five percentage points to 90% within the next five years.
- Increase student professional development opportunities and instruction in collaboration with Career Services and Alumni Relations by 10 percentage points by 2026.
- Increase student career readiness for fields of study by 10 percentage points by 2026.
- Increase six-year student graduation rate by two percentage points annually to 55% by 2025, while striving to increase four-year graduation rates.

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