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Student Success, Academic Programs & Campus Identity Subcommittee
November 6, 2018

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I. Call to Order

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II. New Business – Action Items

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III. New Business – Information Items

a. Introduction

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 SUMMARY OUTPUT OF COMMITTEE PROCESS, November 13, 2018

	Focus Area	Vision Statement	Considerations	Description
1	Student Success	Enhance strategies for student persistence and completion to empower USF graduates to be productive, contributing members in their chosen career fields in support of economic and community development.	# Educator and adm \$ their academic discipline c. Leverage the new Student Success Committee to promote a unified approach to student success d. Develop Persistence Committees on each campus e. Implement coordinated retention and completion efforts including application of predictive models and the “Finish in Four” initiative f. Support on-campus student housing at USFSM, using housing demand studies and other relevant information	
2	Academic programs	Align academic programs to meet the workforce demands of the communities USF serves and provide students access to, and success in, a broader array of integrated degree programs by discipline, level, mode of delivery, and location.	# Academic programs aligned to regional market needs	a. Develop recommendations for expanding academic degree offerings based on a multi-layer, multi-year approach b. Ensure protocols are established to examine student demand, critical mass and available resources prior to expansion of degree offerings c. Consider including updated labor market data sources in Program Reviews, so that students are better situated/equipped to understand real-life applications d. Increase master and doctoral degree program delivery at USFSP and USFSM e. Increase blended learning and hybrid course offerings

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				f. Ensure at least one college is “homed” on each USF campus g. Develop guiding principles, such as # One college per academic discipline # Benchmarks and standards for what constitutes a college # Meeting local workforce needs of the communities USF serves # Establishing realistic and manageable-sized college units
3	Campus identity	Promote a unified educational mission that reflects “one university geographically distributed” while driving economic development through high-impact practices and programs responsive to market needs.	# Unified educational mission # Local relevance	a. Identify high-impact practices that reflect campus identities through community collaboration, service learning opportunities, and civic engagement b. c.
4	Research capacity	Elevate the level of research productivity across the three campuses consistent with a Carnegie R1 institution that aspires towards membership in the Association of American Universities (AAU).	# Research infrastructure # Faculty start-up packages and seed funding # Facilities, instrumentation, and equipment	a. Support the growth of regional campus research initiatives and strengths through strategies including joint appointments for USFSM and USFSP faculty b. Develop an online database that highlights the resources and centers that are available to all USF faculty c. Develop state-of-the-art videoconferencing capabilities to promote cross-campus collaboration
5	TBD			<i>Additional recommendation prioritized by committee</i>