UNT Dallas Strategic Plan Review

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Goal: Grow Enrollment & Graduation

Action Update: Enrollment, FTIC Retention, Degrees Awarded

- Enrollment
 - Targeted Recruitment
 - Fall 2019 enrollment target: 4,300 students
 - Key Community Partnerships
 - Principal Impact Collaborative
 - Strategic enrollment committee looking at intercollegiate athletics, international programming, retention initiatives, and UNTD downtown space
 - Athletic fee authorization is moving through House and Senate committees
 - International Studies Abroad (ISA) selected as international partner with a trip to London in Summer 2020; broad student support
 - Multiple studies underway for downtown building utilization
- FTIC Retention
 - Closing the gap between UNTD's rate and the state average. First-time, full-time student retention from Fall 2018 to Spring 2019 was 87.2%; encouraging but needs continued attention.
 - UNTD has the lowest debt upon graduation from all public universities in the USA.
- Degrees Awarded

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- We project 452 UG and 78 GR graduates for a total of 530 graduates in May 2019. In May 2018, we had 371 graduates. This is an increase of 42%.
- Estimate for AY 2018-2019 is 868; actual will be greater than 900.
- May 2019 Commencement Speaker is Tom Joyner.

Long-term Targets:

 \rightarrow 4,300 Headcount by Fall 2019 \rightarrow 975 Total Degrees Awarded by FY 20

Goal: Grow Research

Action Update: UNTD Office of Sponsored Projects (OSP)

- Implementation was September 1, 2018
- Three new awards: THECB Foundation (\$192,500), Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration (\$301,894), and Texas Health Resource (\$134,992)
- Training Sessions On:
 - Institutional Review Board (IRB)
 - Proposal and Budget Development Workshops
 - Mandatory Principal Investigator (PI)
- Online IRB Application started in January 2019
- OSP continues to identify funding opportunities and work with faculty/staff to submit proposals that fit our status as a developing University
- 4th Annual Student Research Symposium held in April 2019
 - 47 students and 13 faculty participants
 - Judges commented that the quality of the presentations were comparable to national conferences

Long-term Target: TBD; No projections in SP

Goal: Grow Foundation Assets

Action Update: UNTD Foundation, Fundraising

- Started FY 2016 at \$0 (baseline)
 - \$4,866,000 cumulative raised FY 2016, FY 2017, & FY 2018
 - FY 2019 collected year-to-date is \$2,292,815
 - To date, \$6,653,481 cumulative raised FY 2016, 2017, 2018, and 2019
- UNTD Foundation Reconstruction
 - 11-member board is active
 - Since formation in 2012, first-ever audit completed with good, informative results; second audit scheduled for Summer 2019
 - 100% participation at November 2018 Board Retreat and February 2019 Winter Meeting. Key accomplishments:
 - Board Officers Installed
 - Standing Committees established: Audit & Finance Committee; Nominating & Development Committee
 - Committees are active and working

Long-term Target: \$1.20M by FY20

Goal: Grow Foundation Assets

CONTINUED Action Update: UNTD Foundation, Fundraising

- Establishing a presence in the donor community and active fundraising
 - Wide circulation of "Why Invest in UNT Dallas" presentation to high-net worth individuals, corporations, and foundations
 - Ribbon-cutting ceremony for UNTD Student Center was on May 14; Hart Amphitheater and Student Center Grand Opening event scheduled for August 26
 - UNT Dallas Law Center (formerly COL Municipal Building) ribbon-cutting and fundraising event will be at The Statler on June 6
 - UNT Dallas is taking an active role in plans to develop the \$2 million Phase I of Five Mile Creek Greenbelt
 - 1.9-acre parcel on Overton Road by South Oak Cliff High School & 40-acre parcel on Simpson Stuart Road at Bonnie View
 - More than 30 high net-worth individuals and foundations from local, regional, and national areas are scheduled to visit campus in Summer 2019
 - At the invitation of Chancellor Roe, the Texas Women's Foundation (formerly the Dallas Women's Foundation) hosted its annual #BestSelf leadership conference in our new Student Center on May 18. More than 300 girls ages 11-16 gathered for a day of empowerment, leadership development, and inspiration as they gained knowledge and resilience to be their "best selves."

Long-term Target: \$1.20M by FY20 (Grand total)

Goal: Grow Top Rated Programs

Action Update: Priority Programs

- Seven (7) Priority Programs Identified
 - 1. Bilingual/English as a Second Language (ESL)
 - 303 students enrolled in Fall 2018 (15% growth since Fall 2017) & 288 students enrolled in Spring 2019 (13% growth since Spring 2018)
 - Charles Butt Aspiring Teacher Scholarship; William K. Kellogg Foundation and Meadows Foundation Grant; High school teaching pathway with Dallas ISD, Sunset HS, and Mountain View College; Emerging Teacher Academy with El Centro College
 - 2. Juris Doctorate
 - ABA accreditation visit completed in March 2019
 - 3. Logistics and Supply Chain Management
 - 54 students enrolled in Fall 2018 (23% growth since Fall 2017) & 54 students enrolled in Spring 2019 (4% growth since Spring 2018)
 - 4. Clinical Mental Health Counseling
 - 84 students enrolled in Fall 2018 (1% growth since Fall 2017) & 84 students enrolled in Spring 2019 (1% growth since Spring 2018)
 - 5. Public Health
 - 96 students enrolled in Fall 2018 (75% growth since Fall 2017) & 78 students enrolled in Spring 2019 (32% growth since Spring 2018)
 - UNTHSC assigned a public health school liaison to Sunset HS
 - 6. Biology
 - 212 students enrolled in Fall 2018 (68% growth since Fall 2017) & 178 students enrolled in Spring 2019 (28% growth since Spring 2018)
 - 7. Business Analytics
 - Enrollment will begin in Fall 2019
- Currently deliberating on next priority program

Long-term Target: 9 Priority Programs Identified by FY20

Goal: Become Best Place to Work

Action Update: Employee Engagement, Student Net Promoter Score (NPS)

- Employee Engagement
 - Gallup Survey participation at UNTD increased from 48% last year to 71% this year
 - Focus on "I know what is expected of me at work"
 - 57 UNTD job descriptions were updated by students in the Organizational Behavior and Human Resource Management capstone course
 - Culture Committee (as part of strategic planning committee) is divided into subcommittees including:
 - Career Development committee, 360 evaluations, and employee recognition programs
 - 360 Evaluations Pilot completed successfully; program will expand next academic year
 - Continue to hire for the mission
 - Heavy investment in mid-level and high-level training (increased participation in state and national professional development opportunities such as the Chairs and Deans training, AASCU MLI, and the BAPA Provost program)
 - Town halls in November & December 2018 and March & April 2019

Long-term Targets:

 \rightarrow 50% Employee Engagement for FY 19 \rightarrow 3.90 Grand Mean for FY19

Goal: Achieve Efficient and Effective System

Action Update: Project Status Updates

- Work to improve customer service, system relations, and our own competencies
 - Student Success Initiatives like multi-semester registration (going live for AY 20-21), catalog (updated), policies (6 academic policies updated), and university calendar (online)
 - Automation for CRM and degree audit (GR programs done; UG programs in progress)
- Align our business practices with system goals
 - Consistently improve the business practices and financial acumen on campus
 - Closely track revenue and expenses
- Work closely with the UNT System and Regents to execute steady and sustainable growth
- Continued refinement in use of data to increase applications and enrollment
 - Rewrote undergraduate admissions requirements
 - Restructured scholarship program criteria
- Increased efforts to coordinate efficiencies with System, UNT, and HSC

Questions & Discussion

