

Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs and Provost

SCHOLARSHIP IN ACTION

UIC Leadership Retreat
August 20, 2013

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Evolving Context of UIC Within the University, State, Nation

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Evolving Context of UIC **Within the University, State, Nation**

UNIVERSITY	Faculty collective bargaining University Administration review University Administration planning University of Illinois Hospital & Health Sciences System
STATE	Pension reform Job Analysis/Civil Service conversions Flat budget, delayed state payments
FEDERAL	Sequester, grants



Infrastructure

- Physical
- Administrative
- Academic



Physical Infrastructure

New Buildings

- Mile Square Health Center – under construction – \$42M
- Advanced Chemical Technology Building – in design - \$104M
- Jump Trading Simulation & Education Center (Peoria) - completed April - \$51M

Building Infrastructure

- Energy Performance Contract (ESCO) – SEL, SES, SEO, ERF - \$65M
- Dentistry building modernization - \$20.8M
- College of Medicine Learning Center - \$15M
- Facades - \$20.2M
- HVAC - \$13.3M
- Science and Engineering Lab renovation - \$11.7M
- Lecture Center A renovation - \$6.2M

Regional Infrastructure

- Circle Interchange and Peoria Street Overpass



Administrative Infrastructure: Senior-Level Administrators Joining the UIC Family

- Steve Everett, Dean, College of Architecture, Design and the Arts
- Alfred Tatum, Interim Dean, College of Education
- Jerry Bauman, Interim Vice President for Health Affairs
- Ed Ewald, Interim Vice Chancellor for Development
- Michael Redding, Exec. Assoc. Chancellor of External and Governmental Relations
- Janet Parker, Interim Vice Provost for Resource Planning & Management
- Renee Taylor, Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs
- Saul Weiner, Vice Provost for Planning and Programs



Administrative Infrastructure: Searches Underway

- Dean, College of Dentistry
- Dean, College of Education
- Vice Provost for Budget & Resource Planning/Associate Chancellor
- Vice Provost for Diversity/Senior Advisor to the Chancellor
- Vice Chancellor for Administrative Services
- Vice Chancellor for Development



Academic Infrastructure:

Faculty Hiring

169 for 2013-14 (tenure-track and non-tenure-track)

Estimate 100 – 120 for 2014-15

New Faculty Orientation

Department Head Hiring

43 for 2013-14 (new hires and internal appointments)

New Heads and Deans Orientation



Selected Major Academic Projects

Chancellor's Cluster Initiative to Increase Diversity and the Interdisciplinary Culture at UIC – 7 clusters funded

Bioengineering Department

UIC Cancer Center - attain National Cancer Institute designation

UICentre: Collaborative Engagement in Novel Therapeutic Research and Enterprise – Drug Discovery

IUPLR: Inter-University Program for Latino Research

Social Justice Initiative

NIH-funded six-year study of Chicago participants in the Hispanic Community Health Study/Study of Latinos (M. Daviglius)



Planning and Doing



Campus/University Planning Processes

- Focusing on Urban Excellence: A Three year Strategic Outcomes Plan
- UIC Global Excellence
- Healthcare Enterprise
- IT Strategic Plan
- Sustainability Strategic Planning
- UIC Undergraduate Student Success Plan
- Plan for 2015 Healthcare Work Force Needs
- Increase student population by 20% out of state

Implementations Ongoing

- Through the Lens of Diversity / A Mosaic for UIC Transformation
- UIC Campus Master Plan
- UIC Undergraduate Student Success Plan



Planning Processes: UIC Undergraduate Student Success Plan



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Planning Processes: UIC Undergraduate Student Success Plan

Undergraduate Policy Council

200+ faculty and staff engaged in eight task forces

Final reports in October, immediate action items already underway

**TARGET
AREAS**



Data Analysis and Assessment
First-Year Coordinated Curriculum
Support for Student Learning
Faculty Engagement
Advising
Financing College
Campus Life
Pre-matriculation/Transition Issues



Planning Processes:

UIC Undergraduate Student Success Plan

Selected accomplishments

- Undergraduate Success Center
- Education Advisory Board software tool
- Policy changes (classroom scheduling, syllabus policy, etc.)
- National leadership (APLU & USU, APLU Gates Consortium, etc.)
- First-Year Dialogues Seminar (required in one college, elective in all)
- Provost's Excellence in Undergraduate Advising award
- Multivariate analyses of factors contributing to UIC student success
- Grew Summer College

Coming year

- Implement Center for Contemporary Teaching and Learning
- Complete review of student support units; hiring of leadership
- Pursue HSI designation; increase African-American enrollment



Scholarship in Action

...and, what counts?



Revenue Sources

Research/ICR.....**decreasing**
Philanthropic/Foundation.....*transition from campaign*
Tuition.....**increasing (slightly)**
GRF.....*flat*
Entrepreneurial.....**increasing**

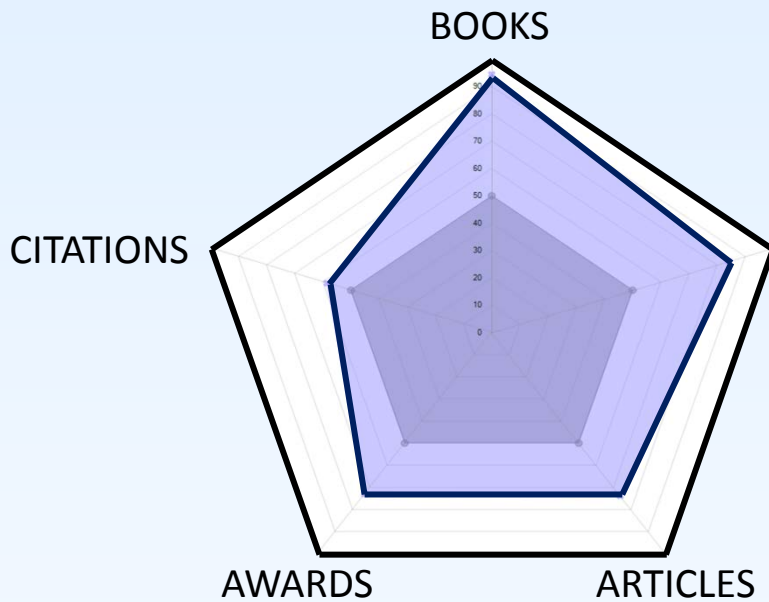


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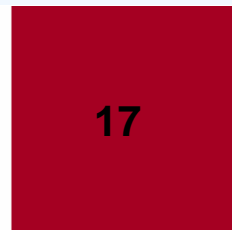
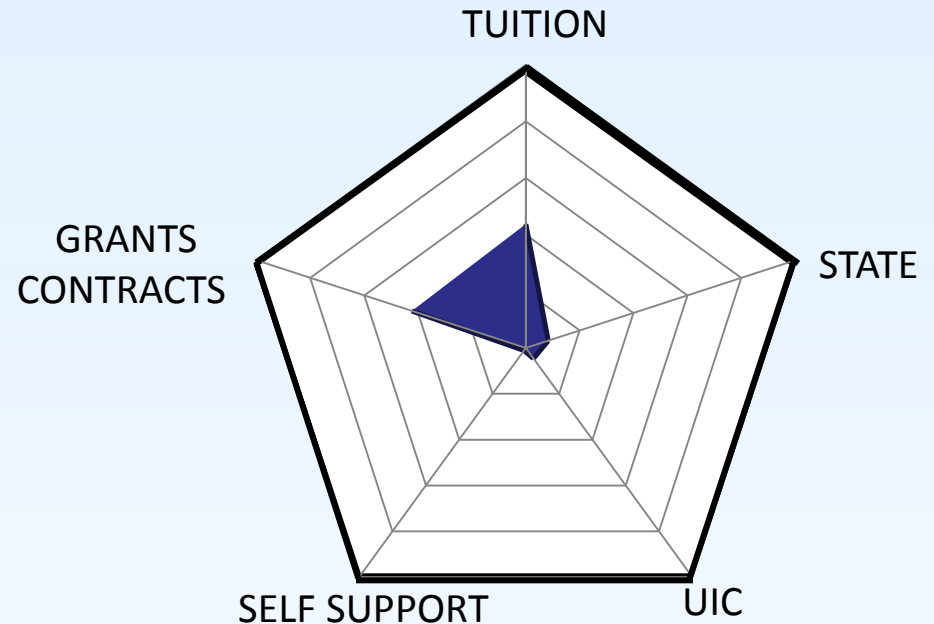


Revenue

DISABILITIES STUDIES



APPLIED HEALTH SCIENCES



The Unique Nature of UIC's Research

“Engaged”

“Translational”

“Innovation”

“Entrepreneurship”

“Application”



How We Operationalize Innovation

- Research Centers
- Innovation Center
- Seed Grants – e.g. Chancellor’s Innovation Fund
- Office of Technology Management
- Illinois Ventures
- Chicago Technology Park



How We Make Change

Center for Literacy

Center for Urban Economic Development

Jane Addams Center for Social Policy and Research

Institute for Health Research and Policy

Institute for Research on Race and Public Policy

Institute for Policy and Civic Engagement

Learning Sciences Research Institute

Midwest Latino Health, Research, Training and Policy Center

Science, Technology & Environmental Policy Laboratory

Urban Transportation Center

....and many more

