Spring Provost’s Retreat
January 2016
Status of Academic Affairs

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The First 4 Months

- Listening tour
- The Great Flood
- Hiring a new ball coach
- Student walkout, #USC2020Vision
- 2nd round of compression raises
The First 4 Months

- Launched a study in partnership with Faculty Senate on Non-Tenure Track positions
- Hired/hiring deans
- Faculty hiring rubric
The First 4 Months

All building towards:

• What is the vision?
• What are we doing next?
• Is it working?
The First 4 Months

Q&A
Informing Strategic Goals/Planning

Focus Carolina

• Quality
• Leadership
• Innovation
• Diversity
• Access
• Global Competitiveness
• Community Engagement
Informing Strategic Goals/Planning

Four Pillars

1. Research
2. Superior Student Experience
3. Flexible Models for Access and Affordability
4. SC’s Economic and Overall Wellbeing
Informing Strategic Goals/Planning

Dashboard

- Enrollment
- Quality of freshmen
- F-S retention rate
- 6-yr graduation rate
- S/F ratio
- RS expenditures
- Awards
- Doctoral production
Informing Strategic Goals/Planning

Key Initiatives

• Palmetto College
• On Your Time
• GLD
• Gamecock Guarantee
• School of Medicine Greenville
• Big Infrastructure
  • Darla Moore School of Business
  • Law School and more
Strategic Goals/Planning Today

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FOUR PILLARS

DASHBOARD
Pulse Check

• What should these goals be today?

• Are we measuring ourselves well?

• What’s our next chapter of big ideas?
Pulse Check

Q&A
Survey

• How about these goals?

http://sc.edu/provost/survey
Next Big Idea

• What should the next big idea be?
  *Fill this out any time today or as ideas emerge.*

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Draft Dashboard

- Living the Brand
- Measures of National Distinction
- Due Diligence Metrics
Detailed Draft Dashboard

Due Diligence Metrics

- Total enrollment SAT/ACT score
- F-S retention rate
- 6-year graduation rate
- F/S ratio
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Due Diligence Metrics

- Research expenditures
- Doctoral degrees produced and enrollment in advanced degrees
- Inclusion/Campus Climate
Detailed Draft Dashboard

Measures of National Distinction

- Faculty productivity/impact
- Rankings
- Postgraduate placement
- Brand performance
- Community engagement
Living the Brand

- What is specific and special to us
- In development
Breakout Sessions

- **Interdisciplinary Research**
- **Finance and Budget**
- **EAB and Degree Works**

- Spend 15 mins in each area.
- You have 5 mins to transition.