STUDENT AFFAIRS STRATEGIC PLAN 2023 AND BEYOND!

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EVERY STUDENT THRIVES. TO EMPOWER STUDENTS SO THEY CAN NAVIGATE LIFE, EXPERIENCE FULFILLMENT, AND CONTRIBUTE TO HUMANITY.

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MISSION

VALUE PROPOSITION

TO INSPIRE COURAGEOUS DISCOVERY THROUGH ENGAGEMENT BEYOND THE CLASSROOM.





STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES – FUNDAMENTAL

BELONGING

HEALTH & WELLNESS

LEADERSHIP & DEVELOPMENT

WORK ENVIRONMENT & CULTURE

Create a culture of mattering, acceptance, value and encouragement. Advance programs and services to promote behaviors, attitudes and environments that contribute to lifelong success and a culture of well-being. Provide opportunities for staff and students to engage in personal leadership and professional development. Create a work environment and culture that attends to individual needs, is responsive to staff feedback, and results in a greater student experience.

BELONGING

Create a culture of mattering, acceptance, value, inclusion, and encouragement.

Lead and co-lead with campus partners to both define and direct collaboration and innovation to address issues of access and sense of belonging Develop a comprehensive student experience that will positively impact retention, persistence, and graduation. Inspire a greater and more inclusive sense of UW spirit, pride, and tradition among students, alumni, parents/supporters, and staff Enhance the physical environments of studentcentered spaces known for vibrancy, access/universal design, and appeal

HEALTH & WELLNESS

Advance programs and services to promote behaviors, attitudes and environments that contribute to lifelong success and a culture of well-being.

Implement the Wellness Wheel framework for programs across the division that addresses the needs of students related to their health/wellbeing, sense of self, and belonging. Evaluate existing services; how existing services align with the wellness wheel. Promote/prioritize the expansion of primaryprevention programs, services, and strategies that are evidence-based and developmentally informed. Invest in division programs that support expanded and emerging student needs.

LEADERSHIP & DEVELOPMENT

Provide opportunities for staff and students to engage in personal leadership and professional development.

Establish compassion and competence as foundational elements of leadership we uphold as a division Cultivate an evidence-based and data-driven organizational culture Create (and maintain) developmental student employment within the division

WORK ENVIRONMENT & CULTURE

Create a work environment and culture that attends to individual needs, is responsive to staff feedback, and results in a greater student experience.

Assess and create sustainable functional operations and expectations.

Develop consistent and centralized practices for the recruitment, retention, promotion, and compensation of **Student Affairs** staff

Develop a robust and consistent onboarding program to welcome new **Student Affairs** staff as a foundation for success

Recognize, celebrate, and reward positive contributions and

growth

professional staff health through partnerships, on and off-campus, to incorporate an emphasis on services and training related to resilience, wellness, and self-care

Prioritize and

value

Establish feedback mechanisms that enables all staff to provide feedback, ask questions, and elevate issues to division leadership