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Vision Seminar Advancement and Higher Education

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Advancement in Higher Education Past and Present

Advancement practices have changed dramatically

From the Past

Fundraising

Alumni Relations

Publications

To the Present

Culture of Philanthropy

Alumni Engagement

Communications



Future of Advancement in Higher Education



Economic and Social Change

- / Pandemic
- ✓ Inflation
- ✓ Transfer of Wealth

Giving Trends

- ✓ Donor Investors
- ✓ Giving Mechanisms
- ✓ Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, Belonging





Higher Education – A Changing Value proposition

- ✓ Social Mobility (Inclusivity, Access, and Excellence)
- ✓ Addressing real world problems
- ✓ Time to degree and career readiness



Higher Education Private Philanthropy Continues to Grow

2021 Voluntary Support of Education survey (VSE)*



Higher education fundraising rose nearly 7% to \$52.9 billion



Foundations and alumni continue to be lead benefactors. Contributing 56.3% of all reported gifts



Increase in giving to restricted endowments

\$10M+ Gifts to Higher Ed by Level



Data source: Chronicle of Philanthrop

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Opportunities for the Future

Leading the Country in Student Success

- #1 in Social Mobility
- Graduation rates that transcend national higher education standard parity amongst URMs
- University Innovation Alliance

Solving Real World Problems

- Addressing physician shortages
- Ensuring clean air and sustainable food
- Academic Excellence

Redefining the Value of Higher Education

- A campus of choice
- Student debt
- Access, inclusivity, and excellence

National Brand

130,000 alumni strong

Building on Fundraising Success













Preparing for Campaign #2

Alumni Engagement at the next level

Culture of Philanthropy

Telling our story to the World

Talent and Culture

UCR Advancement - A Vision for the Future