

## 2022-2025 Student Equity Plan DRAFT – outline.v1

For our **2022-2025 Student Equity Plan** our disproportionately impacted group of focus will be our Black/African American student population. However, we will design with both our Black & Latinx students in mind given that many of the supports that might benefit one group will also benefit the other.

### Strategic Plan Draft Goals & Objectives that Might Overlap

(Potentially/Ideally all of them)

**Educational Excellence:** Provide clear information, reliable access and intentional support at the onset for our Black & African American students.

*Targeted outreach for Black/African American students.*

- *Umoja*
- *a2mend*

**Community Collaboration:** We will support all of our Black/African American students' in achieving their educational and career goals and contributing to the greater good of our community.

Foster community partnerships with K-12 districts and regional businesses - identify how/what might benefit Black/AA students.

**Completion Culture:** Increase 3-year graduation rates for Black/AA students  
Remove barriers to completing degrees and certificates for Black/AA students.

**Equity & Antiracism:** Close equity gaps for Black/AA students

**Innovation & Effectiveness:** Early Alert System for Institution to Review/Monitor Student Success & Completion & Technology for Students to Review/Monitor Their Own Successes/Completion & hold institution accountable

Scale up high impact practices and programs geared toward Black/AA student populations

1. Expand Umoja and A2MEND programs
  - a. Faculty training program
  - b. Additional coordinators or reassigned time

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### Student Equity Plan Metrics for Our Black/African American Students

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<b>Successful Enrollment (Enrollment Rate)</b>	<p><b><u>Instruction:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Deficit mindset</li> <li>● lack/limited flexibility</li> <li>● Lack of diversity with faculty</li> <li>● Limited OER</li> <li>● Lack of mandated PD related to equity</li> <li>● Faculty evaluation process</li> <li>● Refusal to explore exit interview for students in webadvisor</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Student Services:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Generic outreach</li> <li>● Poor communication/ lack of follow up</li> <li>● lack/limited flexibility</li> <li>● Lack of mandated PD related to equity</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Business Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Other:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● More availability of technology - digital divide</li> <li>● Website/Self-Service/Registration/Mobile-Friendly</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Instruction:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Student Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Business Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Other:</u></b></p>	<p><b><u>Instruction:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Student Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Business Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Other:</u></b></p>	<p><b><u>Instruction:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Student Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Business Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Other:</u></b></p>

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<b>Completion of Transfer-Level Math &amp; English</b>	<p><b><u>Instruction:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Currently offering pre-transfer level courses in Math.</li> <li>● We don't look at equity data related to transfer level course success, and develop targeted PD, policies, etc. to address what we need to change.</li> <li>● We don't have enough tutoring/support programs that focus on the individual student.</li> <li>● Revive and expand tutoring services</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Student Services:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Not enough targeted Outreach that directs students to take the transfer level course in their first year.</li> <li>● Programs w/high schools in urban high schools that</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Instruction:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Student Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Business Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Other:</u></b></p>	<p><b><u>Instruction:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Student Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Business Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Other:</u></b></p>	<p><b><u>Instruction:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Student Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Business Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Other:</u></b></p>

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	<p>communicate our believe in student's capacity.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• When a student applies to the college, and has identified as black/African American, we don't have a targeted outreach effort that reaches out to that student.</li></ul> <p><b><u>Business Services:</u></b></p>  <p><b><u>Other:</u></b></p>			
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<b>Retention (Term Persistence)</b>	<p><b><u>Instruction:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Instructors do not have a systematic way to notify support services as the college does not have an early alert system. Some instructors may reach out to the Success Coach, but it is not a consistent process.</li> <li>• Cannot mandate faculty or staff to attend anti-racism professional development.</li> <li>• Hire more Black/AA tutors)</li> <li>• Hire more Black/AA/Brown faculty</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Student Services:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Support is relied heavily upon Umoja.</li> <li>• There is not a systematic way for students to reach out for help and SS also does</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Instruction:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Student Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Business Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Other:</u></b></p>	<p><b><u>Instruction:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Student Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Business Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Other:</u></b></p>	<p><b><u>Instruction:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Student Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Business Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Other:</u></b></p>

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	<p>not have to monitor students until after they have been put on probation or dismissed. Once on probation, we do not have a disaggregated list to be more intrusive with our Black &amp; African American students.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Do not have a dashboard to upload cohorts of students who are on probation to be intentional in support. Need the names and student information.</li><li>• Complaint process through Student Affairs is not a streamlined process. Students who may experience a racist or unsupportive encounter do not have an avenue to voice their concern. The only process is through student conduct and that is hard to navigate and locate.</li></ul> <p><b><u>Business Services:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Fees: What are doing to support students who</li></ul>			
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	<p>may have an outstanding fee, example in the library.</p> <p><b><u>Other:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The culture needs to be shifted from a student deficit mindset.</li> <li>• Student marketing needs to reflect our Black &amp; African American students to see themselves as a part of the community.</li> </ul>			
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<b>Completion</b>	<p><b><u>Instruction:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• We tend to only include contributions from white sources as opposed to diverse sources.</li> </ul>	<p><u>Instruction:</u></p>	<p><u>Instruction:</u></p>	<p><u>Instruction:</u></p>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lack of diversity in our faculty.</li> <li>• We aren't ready to meet students where they are.</li> <li>• Faculty lack professional development opportunities.</li> <li>• We do not require faculty training in DEI areas nor do we do we evaluate instruction based on DEI content.</li> <li>• We don't have a neutral place for students to report bias from instructors.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Student Services:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Students being treated rudely or with contempt when seeking services.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Business Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Other:</u></b></p>	<p><b><u>Student Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Business Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Other:</u></b></p>	<p><b><u>Student Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Business Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Other:</u></b></p>	<p><b><u>Student Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Business Services:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Other:</u></b></p>
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