

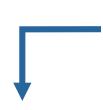


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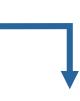




## Contribute to the Conversation



## **Contribute Live Today**



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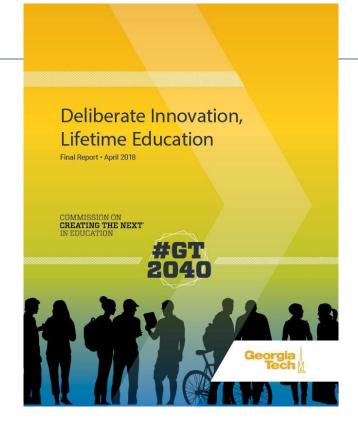
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## Context: The National Picture



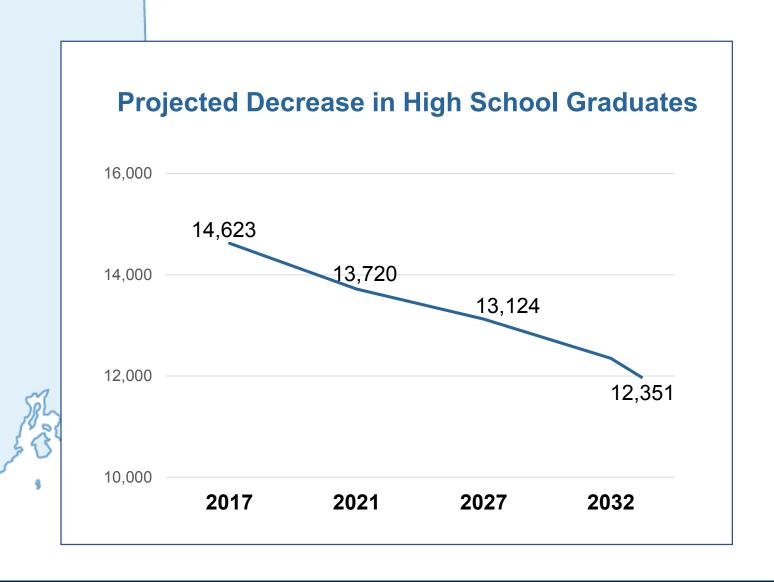






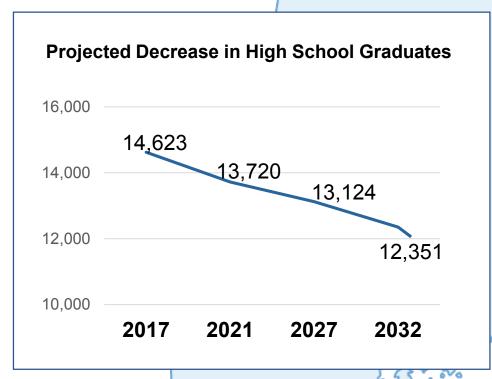


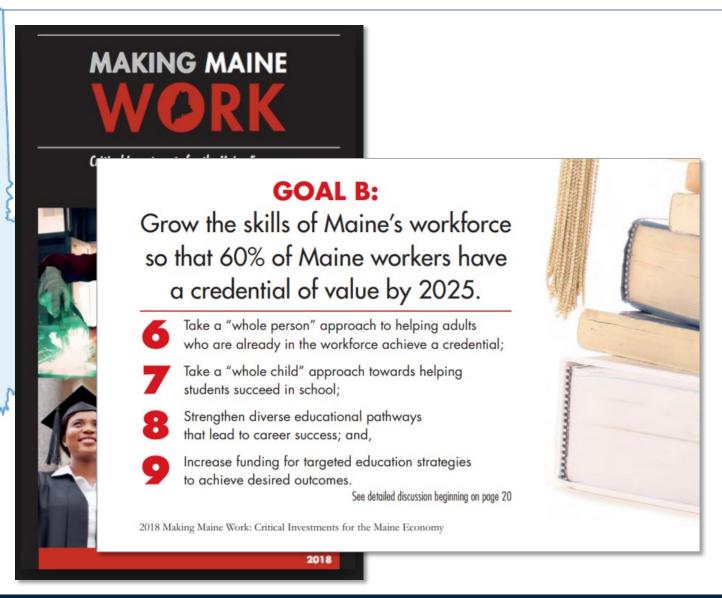
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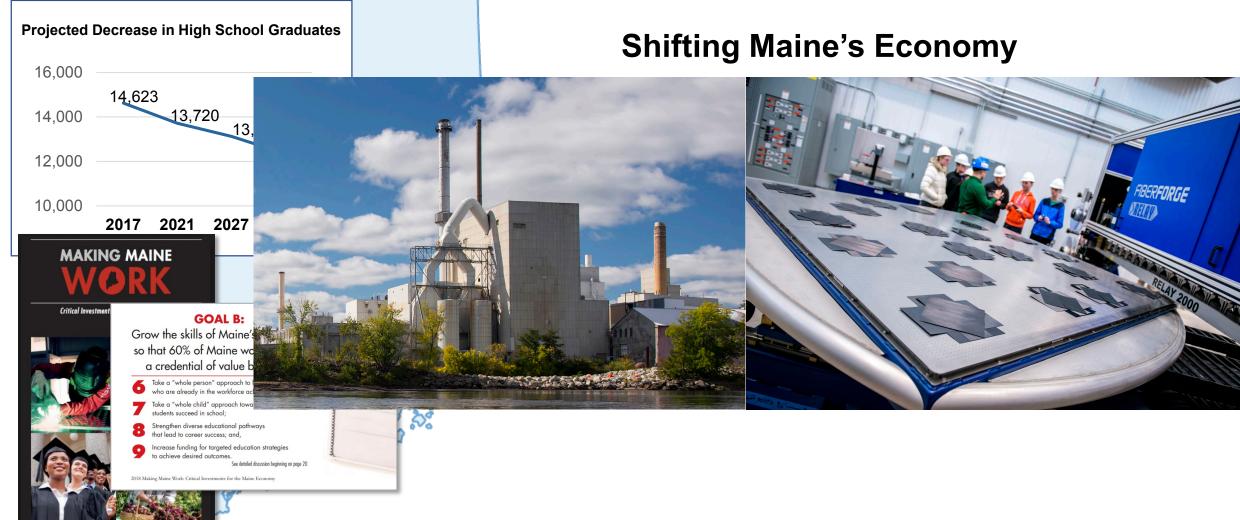
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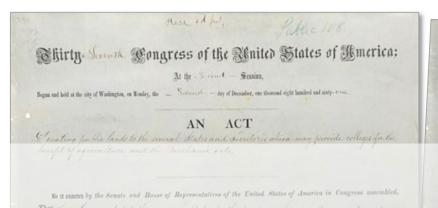


## Context: The State of Maine





## Maine's Land and Sea Grant University



#### Morrill Act – 1862

"...to promote the liberal and practical education of the industrial classes in the several pursuits and professions in life"

#### Hatch Act - 1887/Smith-Lever Act- 1914/Sea Grant - 1966

Expand mission to include advancing and sharing research, education and training to advance the state economically, socially and culturally



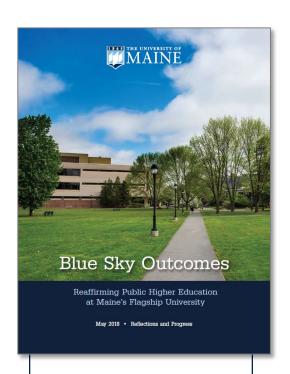
## Context: University of Maine System



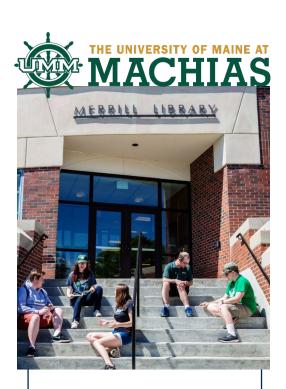
- One University
- Board of Trustee Perspectives



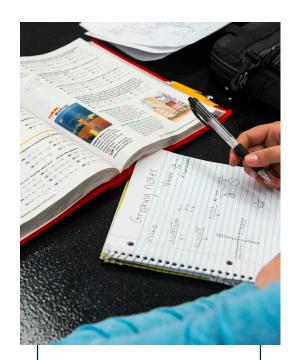
## Context: University of Maine



Blue Sky Outcomes



University of Maine at Machias a regional campus



167 faculty members hired in the past three years



New Leadership



## Building a Vision for Tomorrow

## Leadership team retreat – August 2018 – Plan Characteristics

Builds on Blue Sky Outcomes

Recognizes and integrates existing initiatives and inspires new ones

Supports "nimbleness"

Grounded in key indicators

Aligns incentives and resources with goals

Guided by shared strategic values

Should there be others?



## **Strategic Values**



Learner

**Creating and** 







## Strategic Value: Fostering Learner Success



- UMaine "learners" faculty, staff, students, community members
- Culture of innovation
- Inside and outside the classroom
- Diversity is essential
- Personalized
- Leads to outcomes



# Strategic Value: Creating and Innovating for Maine and Beyond



Creating and Innovating for Maine and Beyond

- Research and scholarly work at the core
- Impacts for the State of Maine
- National and international leadership and reputation
- Undergraduates learning in a culture of discovery and knowledge creation
- Embrace the diversity of scholarship



## Strategic Value: Growing and Stewarding Partnership

- Mission to serve and engage the State
- Partnerships extend beyond the State
- Grounded in shared goals
- Leverage university resources to advance the partner's mission
- Leverage partner's resources to advance the university's mission





## Charge to Provost

Create a process of developing a strategic vision for the University of Maine and a plan to realize that vision.

Inclusive

Timely

Guided by Strategic Values





## Building a Vision for Tomorrow: Inclusive

#### **Stakeholders**

Internal

Students

Faculty

Staff

Administration

**External** 

UMaine stakeholder groups

**Business/Industry** 

Community

**UMS** 

Government



## Building a Vision: Timely

#### November 15 – January 30

- Articulate Strategic Values
- Create Strategic Vision

#### February 1 – April 30

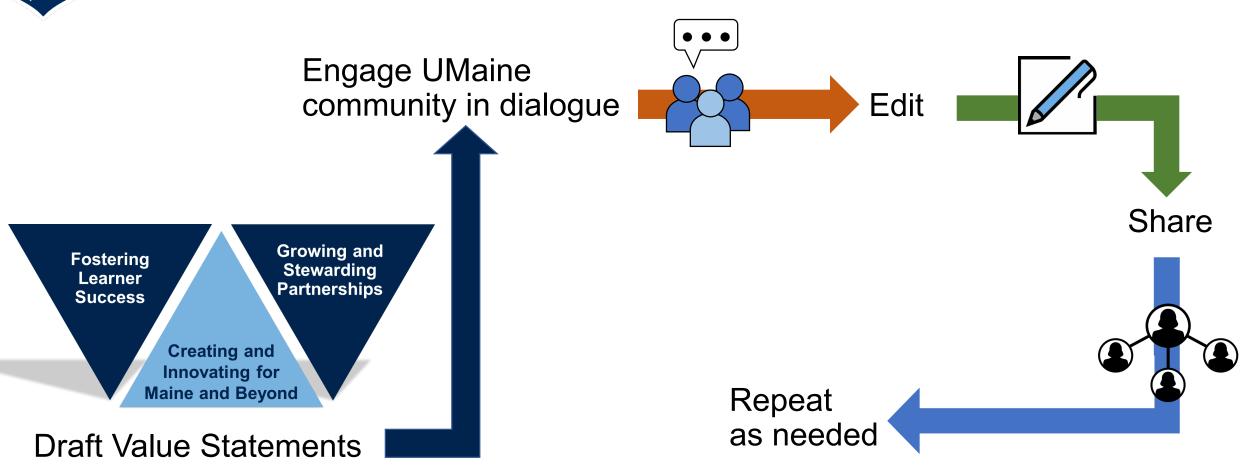
- Articulate Goals
- Articulate Strategies
- Create a Dashboard of Key Indicators

#### May

Present toUniversity ofMaine SystemBoard of Trustees



## Building a Vision for Tomorrow: Guided by Strategic Values





#### Strategic Value: Fostering Learner Success

Fostering Learner Success

The university is a community committed to fostering learning opportunities for all of its members. We create rich learning opportunities in the classroom, laboratory, studio, field, and community as well as the spaces within which students live, work, and socialize. We create academic and co-curricular pathways for success and assure that our students are prepared for successful careers and rich lives. Our faculty and staff are life-long learners and we are committed to their professional development over the span of their careers. Our community welcomes learners who do not easily fit the traditional definition of "student" and we are committed to their learning success. We celebrate the diversity of our community and are committed to creating a safe and respectful environment within which all learners can flourish.



## Strategic Value: Creating and Innovating for Maine and Beyond



Creating and Innovating for Maine and Beyond

At the core of the university's mission is the creation of new knowledge. Fulfillment of this mission takes a wide variety of forms. As Maine's Land and Sea Grant University we are committed to creating knowledge that impacts the social, cultural, and economic well-being of the state. At the same time, the impact of our creativity is not limited to the state's borders. Innovation is built into our genetic make-up and, therefore, is present in all aspects of our operation. Our community encompasses designers, builders, makers, and discoverers working in and across a remarkable range of contexts. We champion this work and we apply it in the service of our state, our region, and the world.



#### Strategic Value: Growing and Stewarding Partnerships

As a public institution, the university partners with other entities in fulfilling its teaching, research, and service/outreach missions. These partnerships leverage the university's and its collaborators' assets to advance the cultural, economic, and civic interests of Maine communities even when a direct impact on the university's mission is not obvious. In this way, we serve as good stewards of the resources entrusted to us by the people of Maine through their elected representatives, and by our many partners in science, industry, commerce, state and local government, and the arts.



## Strategic Values: Engage UMaine Community in Dialogue

#### **Questions to Guide Discussion**



Do these three statements capture the strategic values that should guide the university's development?



What goals should the university pursue that would best express our shared strategic values in action?



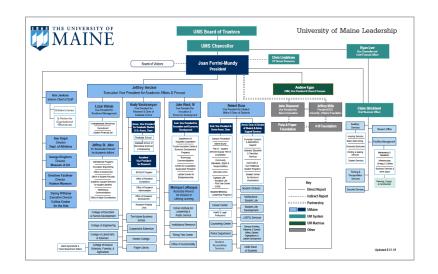
What strategies should the university employ to achieve these goals?



What would be the key indicators of success in each of strategic value area?



## **Engaging the University Community**



Utilize existing organizational structure

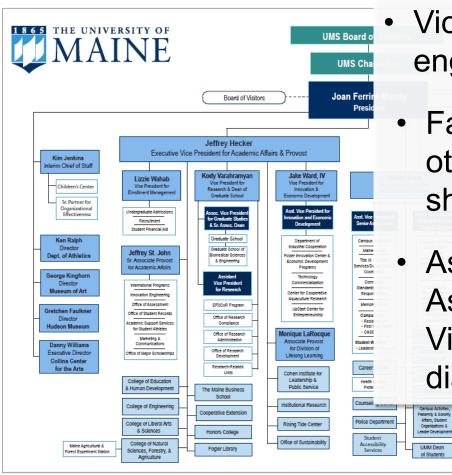


Open avenues for discussion



## **Engaging the University Community**

## Utilize existing organizational structure



- Vice Presidents/deans/directors/unit leaders will engage their areas.
- Faculty Senate, student governments, unions and other organizations within campus will discuss and share ideas.
- Ask affiliated organizations such as Alumni Association, University of Maine Foundation, Board of Visitors, college advisory boards to participate in the dialogue.

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## **Engaging the University Community**

## Open avenues for discussion



- Today's presentation
- Three open forums Wells Conference Center
  - 1. Nov. 29, 1:00 2:30 pm: Fostering Learner Success
  - 2. Dec. 6, 3:30 5:00 pm: Creating and Innovating for Maine and Beyond
  - 3. Dec. 10, 3:00 4:30 pm: Growing and Stewarding Partnerships
- Website
  - umaine.edu/strategic-visioning
- Pop-up Dialogues



## Bringing it all together: Steering Committee

**Jeff Hecker**, Executive VP for Academic Affairs and Provost (Chair)

**Andy Egan**, Vice President for Academic Affairs and Head of Campus

#### **UMaine Faculty Senate**

- Finance and Institutional Planning Committee representative
- Environment Committee representative

**UMM Faculty Assembly representative** 

#### **Board of Visitor Members**

- UMaine
- UMM

**University of Maine Foundation Board** member

**Undergraduate students** 

- UMaine
- **-**UMM

**Graduate Student** 

**PEAC Representative** 

**CEAC** Representative

**AFUM Representative** 



# Thoughts • Comments • Questions e-Messages • Live Communication





# Thank you

