Strategic Plan

If your unit does not have each component listed, please so indicate in the text box. The “Objectives” box is so named to distinguish unit objectives from the University’s goals. The total document should not exceed two pages.

The deadline for submission to the Provost’s Office is **November 21, 2014**.

Unit

CFPA

Date

November 2014

Mission

The goal of the College of Fine and Performing Arts is to nurture a comprehensive understanding of the languages of Movement Art, Visual Art, Theatre Art and Music in order to create thinking artists and artistic thinkers who will shape culture in the 21st century. To fulfill this mission, the College of Fine and Performing Arts aims:

• To maintain a viable connection with the liberal arts tradition of the university.
• To equip students with the creative and intellectual tools necessary for success in the arts.
• To enable students to value, understand and challenge traditional concepts.
• To maintain an environment that supports diversity, reflection and dedication to creative pursuits.
• To promote critical thinking, innovative ideas and active arts leadership.
• To provide world class and multicultural experiences in the arts for both students and members of the community.
• To prepare students for a dynamic, lifelong relationship with the arts.

Vision

The College of Fine and Performing Arts promotes a lifelong relationship with the arts that enhances, challenges and inspires both the individual and the community.

Values

Under review
Objectives

• Increase diversity/talent of incoming students. (Recruitment)
• Increase opportunities for interdisciplinary collaborative projects and initiatives. (Collaborations)
• Enhance funding streams, especially to grow departments and selected programs. (Funding)
• Increase non-scholarship Foundation and endowment funds (e.g., student travel, faculty grants). (Endowments)
• Celebrate our successes and engagement with art, performance and design. (Celebrate)
• Enhance a culture of respect, support and joy within the College. (Culture)
• Seek more avenues to engage with the community. (Community)
• Enhance visibility and awareness of CFPA (faculty, students, programs) on and off campus. (Visibility)

Note: The one-word descriptors in parentheses at the end of each objective are used as identifiers in the Six-Year Plan spreadsheet summary under “Unit Objectives.”