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Dear Colleagues,

As the semester winds down, we wanted to provide an update on the 2023-2028 Strategic Planning process. After our initial [Kickoff Event](#), the Task Force [team members](#) attended two webinars, which provided a foundation for our work. The first webinar was hosted by strategic planning expert, Dr. Paul Friga, who discussed [Best Practices and New Era Considerations](#). The second was by our on-campus [Assessment Capability Collaborative](#) who presented an [Assessment Oriented Framework for Strategic Planning](#). In addition to attending these webinars, the Task Force has been reading relevant materials (e.g., articles on Strategic Plan best practices, [WSCUC report](#)) and campus-documents pertaining to each of their respective goal domains (e.g., [DEI Strategic Plan](#)).

As a reminder, the four goals in our plan center on: (1) Student Success, (2) Faculty and Staff Success, (3) Diversity, Equity and Inclusion, and (4) Internationalization.

We will be sharing drafts of our work in March so that all campus members can provide feedback via survey and town halls. In the meantime, we welcome your input throughout this process. Whenever you want to share something, visit the strategic plan [website](#) and select "[Share Your Voice](#)." The input gets distributed to the Task Force for consideration as they develop their deliverables. We also regularly update the website so if you ever want to know the latest news, that is where to find it!

We hope you have a wonderful winter break and look forward to continuing this work into the new year.

Warm wishes,

Kelly & Nicole

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