Engaging

We will design the Arizona experience so that 100 percent of our students have the opportunity to engage in integrating and applying their knowledge through real-world experiential learning.

OUR GOAL

Through a learning experience tailored to individual students’ needs, the UA will graduate future leaders who have the skills to apply their knowledge and solve the world’s grand challenges.

STRATEGIES, ACTIONS, AND INITIATIVES

1. Recruit and retain a diverse student body of undergraduate, transfer, and graduate degree-seeking students who represent the state, national and global demographic landscape.
   - Leverage merit-and need-based aid.

2. Optimize student access and success.
   - Enhance partnerships with high schools and community colleges nationally and internationally.
   - Identify students early in their careers who can benefit from programmatic intervention and increase opportunities for academic recovery.
   - Improve retention with greater support in advising, learning specialists, coordination, hardware, and software.
   - Decrease graduate-level time to degree.

3. Provide students with a dynamic educational experience.
   - Promote actions that help us ensure 100 percent student engagement, including the addition of targeted program coordinators, evaluations, and operational support.
   - Expand study-abroad options to contribute to the 100 percent student engagement goal.
   - Support online course and program development.

4. Graduate individuals who will be sought out by the best employers and postgraduate programs.
   - Redesign courses incorporating workshops, new uses of information technology, specialized equipment, and facilities.
   - Update classroom facilities to better support an active learning environment.
   - Emphasize graduate workforce development in selected master’s programs.

5. Graduate individuals ready to engage in productive lives and personally satisfying work.
   - Establish engagement credits in the areas of global, civic, and research activities.