10 Accomplishments in 365 Days

Based on Impact Activities identified in Public Scholarship for the Public Good: An Implementation Framework for UC Davis, we undertook an ambitious plan to pursue 10 actions that support our goals and objectives. Below are 10 Accomplishments Public Scholarship and Engagement achieved in our first year.

Established **Advisory Committees** related to Student Learning and Community Engagement with 21 representatives from various colleges, schools, centers and institutes, and non-university organizations.

Created **a web-based portal for engaged scholarship and engaged learning**, tracking existing activity and connecting UC Davis with community organizations; promoted campus-wide events related to public engagement and highlighted members of the UC Davis community whose research, teaching and learning serves society.

Collaborated in **the creation and launch of a UC Davis facility in Sacramento**, opening doors to the Launch Space at Aggie Square in August 2019, which includes a conference/seminar room, workshop space, open meeting areas and a community kitchen designed to support engagement initiatives and projects with non-university partners.

Launched an announcement for the **Public Scholarship Faculty Fellows** program in April 2020 to recruit a cohort of 12 faculty interested in translating their engaged research and practices into academic publications.

Established a **Community Engaged Learning Faculty Fellows** program in January 2020 with a cohort of eight faculty representing the College of Letters and Science, the School of Education, the College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences, and the School of Medicine, working to create and improve community-based student learning experiences.

Developed **10 pilot projects to support UC Davis colleges, schools, and other academic units** including College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences, College of Letters and Science, Global Affairs, Graduate Studies, the Undergraduate Research Center, and Office of the University Registrar to initiate seed and bridge grants, examine course attributes for community engagement, and more.

Co-sponsored more than **10 trainings or workshops** with faculty, staff, and students from 7 different UC Davis colleges, schools, and other academic units with topics ranging from building community engaged scholarship, to supporting underrepresented minorities in the healthcare workforce.

With a goal of **expanding internships, clinical programs, and curriculum-based projects** to serve communities in the Sacramento region, co-sponsored and co-convened the first symposium on experiential learning at UC Davis in March 2020 with representatives from Colleges and Schools, Global Affairs, Internship and Career Center, and Undergraduate Education.

Identified more than 450 UC Davis programs and initiatives serving communities in Sacramento and Yolo counties for the purpose of planning an annual **Community Engagement Forum**.

Supported a university-wide **taskforce exploring ways to achieve greater recognition of public scholarship** by convening 14 members from across campuses as part of a Provost’s Work Group; submitted a recommendations report in May 2020.

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