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OUR UNDERACHIEVING COLLEGES

A CANDID LOOK AT HOW MUCH STUDENTS LEARN AND WHY THEY SHOULD BE LEARNING MORE

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A Balanced Approach to Achieving Student Success

Access
Affordability
Accountability
Federal R&D Expenditures
In millions of dollars, 2010
Source: National Science Foundation
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Nationally Competitive Scholarships Awarded to USF Students, 2007–2012
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Center for Advanced Medical Learning & Simulation
CAMLs — Downtown Tampa
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Advanced Visualization Center
Math/Physics Building — USF Tampa Campus
SMART Lab and Expanded Learning Commons
Library, 2nd Floor — USF Tampa Campus
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Our Strategic Focus:

• Student Success
• Global Literacy and Impact
• Research and Innovation
• Integrated, Interdisciplinary Inquiry
• Community Engagement
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Transforming Higher Education for Global Innovation

Strategic Plan 2007-2012

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Critical to your success is a plan to ensure that you will graduate in four years. To do this, make sure that you “take 15” and invest at least 30 hour per week in your studies. Get to know your each of your professors and make a commitment to attend all classes. Monitor your progress using Degree Works and visit the Education Abroad office to find out what studying abroad can do for you.
Graduate in Four Years

take 15
Source: IPEDS
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Full-Time Freshmen retention rate
Source: Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS)
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GRADUATION STARTS NOW

- Develop a 4-year plan
- Manage your finances
- Get involved
- Explore your career
- Graduate on time

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