

Guiding Principles for USF Consolidation

- Strengthen USF's stature as a Preeminent Research University with national and global prominence;
- Embrace a model of "One University Geographically Distributed" while preserving campus identity – guided by a transparent and collaborative process;
- Commit to "Students First", through expanding access and raising educational attainment while continuing USF's national best practice of student success and diversity;
- Establish a clear, simple and unified leadership structure by aligning accountability with authority and valuing shared governance through engaging students, faculty and staff on all campuses;
- Assure consistency of high impact research across the university through establishing centers and programs of academic excellence on each campus;
- Enhance regional economic development while avoiding unwarranted duplication of academic programs, and
- Maximize performance, service quality and operational efficiencies through optimizing the utilization of faculty talent and technology across the University.

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