

# 2024-2025 FOCUS AREAS

## AWARDED CANDIDACY STATUS

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- Eligibility filing submitted by December 1st, 2024
- Repond to additional evidence requests, if any
- Submit letter of candidacy approximately March 2025
- Prepare UDOE Application
- Financial Aid
- .edu by Educause
- Develop benchmarks and milestones

## CELEBRATE SUCCESSES

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## ELLUCIAN

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- HR module implementation
- Full test, finalization and implementation of Student, Academic, and Student Services Modules
- Ethos options and insights
- Audits (2025)
- Financial Aid (2025)

## ENZI CENTER FOR APPLIED LEARNING

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### PHASE II

- RFQ
- Building Conceptual Design
- Capital Campaign Prep

## INSTITUTIONAL LEADERSHIP

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- Demonstrated ownership of role that aligns behaviors with GCCD mission, vision, and values.
- Two-way transparent communication
- Succession Planning

## INSTITUTIONAL RESEARCH

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- Data Governance Policy and Procedures
- Warehouse ALL of the data

## IT SOFTWARE

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### **FINALIZE SOFTWARE DECISIONS AND IMPLEMENTATION**

- Element 451
- NEO Gov
- Retention Tool (ie. Starfish)
- Entrance Dev. Platform (IR)
- Canvas - LMS
- Zoom vs. other platform
- Maxient vs. Guardian

## STAFFING

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- Efficient processes for examining staffing needs and human resources of the institution
- Review and assess evaluation tool
- Recruit and onboard a Grant Writer and Network Security Administrator
- Review current position descriptions

## STRATEGIC PLAN ASSESSMENTS

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- Assess Year One
- Formalize recruiting, persistence, retention, and completion goals
- Create baseline data