Opportunities and Challenges of Partnering with Other Research Institutions

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The Path Forward Report

- Review
- Dissemination on Campus
- Support to Organize Joint Meeting with Deans of Research Institutions
Meeting of Graduate Deans

- Meeting with Graduate Deans from Research Universities in Kansas
- Discussion of Path Forward Report
- Brainstormed Potential Statewide Initiatives
Outcomes of Meeting

- Use The Path Forward Report to Promote Graduate Education and Its Values to Our Different Constituents
  - Campus
  - State and Federal Legislators
  - Chambers of Commerce
  - Kansas Bio and Other Business Development Organizations
  - Kansas Board of Regents
Campus Constituents

- Administrators
- Faculty
- Undergraduates
- Graduate students
Federal and State Legislators

- Partner with Legislative Liaisons
- Capitol Research Summit
Board Of Regents

- Strategic Plan—Work Force Development
- The Path Forward---Educational Tool
Future Plans at KSU

- Collaborate with Director of Community Relations and Economic Development to Create Campus Initiatives
- Collaborate with Legislative Liaison
- Graduate Education in the 2025 Strategic Plan
Challenges of Multi-Campus Initiatives

- Changes in Leadership Teams
- New Priorities and Initiatives
- Time Commitments
- Leadership to Sustain Communication