



2008 UPDATE: USF Sarasota-Manatee Strategic Plan 2006-11

VALUES

The University of South Florida Sarasota-Manatee values academic excellence, professionalism, and continuous improvement through integrity, collaboration, diversity, and leadership.

VISION

HOMETOWN CAMPUS, GLOBAL IMPACT

The University of South Florida Sarasota-Manatee aspires to be a leader in higher education, delivering accessible academic programs and contributing significant research, while inspiring continuous improvement locally and globally.

MISSION

The University of South Florida Sarasota-Manatee delivers quality education to upper-division baccalaureate and master's students in an active research environment. We support students in attaining their highest potential by nurturing leadership, critical thinking, and an appreciation for learning. We advance cultural, social, environmental, and economic well-being for all we serve.

GOALS

1. Learner-Centered Environment

Be a diverse, collaborative, and intellectually challenging campus with high quality academic programs and support services for students, faculty, staff, and community. (Aligns with USF Goal II)

2. Technology

Provide and encourage strategic use of electronic learning technology. (Aligns with USF Goal II)

3. Program Growth

Promote expansion of distinctive upper-division baccalaureate, master's, and research initiatives that serve local and global needs. (Aligns with USF Goals I & II)

4. Professional and Continuing Education

Provide advanced professional and continuing education that serves community needs. (Aligns with USF Goal III)

5. Financial Stability

Grow and diversify the resource base. (Aligns with USF Goal IV)

6. Assessment

Expand the system of self-study and continuous improvement. (Aligns with USF Goal II)

7. Accreditation

Work toward institutional autonomy within the USF system with separate regional and professional accreditations. (Aligns with USF Goal I)

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