



## DIVISION OF STUDENT AFFAIRS 2018 – 19 CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE PRESIDENTIAL STRATEGIC PATHWAYS AND PRIORITIES

### BECOME A NATIONAL LEADER FOR DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION

All new staff are required to attend a day-long social justice training, and all current staff annually complete a social justice in-service opportunity or training.

More than 550 diverse student organizations engaged a community of 10,000 Bobcats.

Training was provided to all transportation services staff regarding rape culture, bystander intervention, empathic response and survivor support.

**622%** The rapidly expanding Career Closet served 386 OHIO students, a 622% increase from last year, providing students and alumni with professional attire for career-related functions.

Counselors-in-Residence held 244 appointments, a 50% increase from 2017-18.

More than 580 staff, faculty and student leaders were trained through Bobcats Who Care, a suicide gatekeeper program.

Approximately 200 psycho-educational/preventative programs were held, impacting over 5,000 OHIO students, faculty and staff.

Since January 2019, more than 20 students received an emergency microgrant, and 92% of respondents reported that the financial assistance kept them in school.

Gender inclusive housing initiatives were expanded through renovations to campus housing, resulting in additional single-user restrooms in four facilities.

**1,200** More than 1,200 interactions with 147 survivors or co-survivors were documented.

A new confidential skills-based workshop series was implemented for female-identifying, male-identifying, and gender-expansive survivors of sexual assault.

### ENHANCE THE OVERALL ACADEMIC QUALITY OF THE UNIVERSITY

DOSA concluded its third year of a pilot microcredentialing project, which seeks to help students become aware of, develop and articulate DOSA's eight learning goals. This spring, 1,200 DOSA student employees participated and reported increased awareness of the eight goals.

Nearly 32% of Greek affiliated students were on the Dean's List.

The Charles J. Ping Recreation Center hosted 6,523.2 hours of reservations, with more than 20% of those hours supporting academic courses.

Faculty and deans on the Athens Campus and regional campuses are working with community standards to support the academic integrity of Ohio University.

### BUILD A UNIVERSITY ENGAGEMENT ECOSYSTEM

Over 400 community, wedding and external events were supported by division staff including 37 conferences hosting 2,879 registrants.

Greek affiliated students mobilized community donations totaling \$1,700 and two tons of food.

**39K** Performing Arts programs, outreach and sponsored events tallied 39,907 attendees, with an annual increase of 28% in public performances and 36% in outreach activities provided to K-12 area schools compared to last year.

Community engagement initiatives included Athens Beautification Day, MLK Day of Service, Appalachian Service Immersion Trip, neighborhood clean ups, and weekly service projects. These projects engaged over 1,000 students in the service of the Athens community.

Club sports members provided over 10,500 hours of community service including project partnerships with Athens High School, Athens Hospice and others.

Bobcat Bistro collaborated with campus faculty, staff, and community organizations to provide catering and special events that improve experiences at the Lancaster Campus.

### BECOME A PLACE WHERE DIALOGUE AND CIVIL DEBATE ARE INSTITUTIONAL HALLMARKS

Both the Kennedy Lecture Series and the Frontiers in Science Lecture Series welcomed over 4,000 attendees to hear Women's Rights Icon Anita Hill, Harry Potter Art Director Molly Hughes and Science Podcasting phenoms, Gastropod, among others this year.

DOSA staff members are participating in Culture of Respect, a national initiative that aims to educate and create policy and programs that address sexual violence prevention and response.

Counseling staff focused on diversity dialogues and advocacy through active engagement with the LGBT Center, Survivor Advocacy Program and OMSAR.

### GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT EFFORTS

Staff participated in the Study Away Committee through the Office of Global Opportunities.

### SUPPORTING OUTSTANDING FACULTY AND STAFF

Division staff led a faculty learning community centered on facilitating career development.

### ENHANCING GRADUATE STUDENT STIPENDS AND BENEFITS

More than 60 graduate assistantships are housed in DOSA, each offering financial support and professional work experience to students enrolled in post-professional programs.

### PUBLIC SERVICE MISSION

Approximately 6,000 background checks were processed for the Athens and University communities.

Cats' Cupboard successfully secured 501(c)3 status from the Ohio University Foundation Board of Trustees. The pantry saw an average of 110 users per week, and more than 18,000 pounds of food were donated to the program last year.

More than 920 health and wellness educational programs were delivered to 13,816 students.

### NATIONAL RESEARCH AND CREATIVE PROFILE

The second edition of Brain Based Career Development Theory, an original Ohio University publication, was printed by the National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE).

### CAMPUS INFRASTRUCTURE AND SUSTAINABLE FINANCIAL MODEL

**5.5M** The division dedicated \$5.5 million in revenue toward scholarship funding.

A large-scale, six-year prioritized list of capital improvements was established in consideration of occupancy, financial capacity, sustainability and emerging facility concerns.

Southernmost Café on the southern campus reduced labor costs by 38.7%, implementing a student managed and operated venue.

### NATIONAL POSITION AS A LEADING LABORATORY FOR SUSTAINABILITY

Continued improvement of sustainability and local purchasing initiatives included partnerships with the Farm to OHIO Working Group, Rural Action, Campus and Community Engagement, the Food Studies Program and the Office of Sustainability. This plan includes GAP certified regional farmers as part of a coordinated effort to expand regional economic development.

### TAKE BRANDING AND MARKETING EFFORTS TO GREATER HEIGHTS

Making OHIO Home: History of Housing and Residence Life from the 1800s to the Present was the featured exhibit for Founder's Day.

"Start by Believing: A Collaborative Discussion Between a Survivor & the Detective Who Helped Her on the Journey to Regain Power," is an original Ohio University documentary.

DOSA centralized division marketing staff into a single unit, implementing new organization and project management systems, marketing best practices and strategy into division initiatives, programs and event promotions. This included shepherding the migration of 14 division websites.

### STRATEGICALLY RECONNECTING WITH ALUMNI BASE

DOSA hosted socials for OHIO alumni and friends at three annual professional association conferences.

Division staff planned and executed four Commencement ceremonies, serving over 4,400 new alumni and 9,000 friends and family members.

More than 11,000 employers connected to OHIO through Handshake, posting 28,902 full-time jobs and 6,170 part-time jobs to the University-wide job and internship database system, a 497% increase in opportunities posted to students and alumni compared to last year.

