



# UCF Board of Trustees

*Academic Excellence and Student Success Committee*

December 5, 2024

## Agenda Item

DISC - 1: UCF Strategic Investments

## Proposed Action

There is no proposed action. The discussion will provide an update on university and state investment in advancing UCF's strategic priorities as outlined in *Unleashing Potential*, UCF's strategic plan.

## Authority for Board of Trustees Action

N/A

### Supporting Documentation Included

Attachment A: UCF Strategic Investments

### Facilitators/Presenters

Michael Johnson, Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

Paul Dosal, Senior Vice President for Student Success

Paige Borden, Chief Analytics Officer

Winston Schoenfeld, Vice President for Research and Innovation

Rebeca Richards, Associate Provost for Integrated Academic Planning and Chief of Operations for Academic Affairs

## **Summary of Key Observations/Recommendations**

- Provost Johnson and members of the leadership team will provide an update to the Committee on UCF's strategic investments to advance research, student success faculty recruitment and operational efficiencies.

## **Additional Background**

- Strategic investments are aimed at rapidly achieving UCF's strategic plan metrics and in supporting the university's position as Florida Premiere Engineering and Technology University.
- The discussion will be led by Provost Johnson and include Drs. Paul Dosal, Senior Vice President for Student Success, Paige Borden, Chief Analytics Officer, Winston Schoenfeld, Vice President for Research and Innovation, and Rebeca Richards, Associate Provost for Integrated Academic Planning and Chief of Operations for Academic Affairs.

## **Implementation Plan**

UCF remains committed to rapidly achieving strategic plan goals by 2027 and continues to align investments to accomplish this.

## **Resource Considerations**

Strategic investments have been made in a number of key areas to help UCF rapidly advance student success and well-being, faculty recruitment and retention, and research efforts. Investments are aligned with the priorities set in the strategic plan.