

## Calumet College & Stong College Plan 2015-2020

<b>Vision</b>	<b>Inspiring learning, leadership and citizenship.</b>
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<b>Mission</b>	A college community committed to an engaged student experience through high-quality and collaborative academic support, leadership development and recognition of achievement.
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<b>Values</b>	<b>Student-centric</b> Supporting the engagement of students in their own learning and growth	<b>Collaborative</b> Actively involving all community partners	<b>Mentorship</b> Enabling the learning process and personal development	<b>Engagement</b> Developing a sense of belonging and promoting growth	<b>Bold</b> Challenging the status quo and being resourceful
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### Strategic Directions

<b>A. Enhancing Academic/Learning Support Programs &amp; Student Success</b>	<b>B. Developing student leadership &amp; citizenship</b>	<b>C. Fostering a culture of social and intellectual growth</b>	<b>D. Promoting Health and Wellness</b>	<b>E. Building Resources &amp; Sustainability</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ensure students have successful and positive transitions</li> <li>• Collaborate with campus partners to promote early alert initiatives among students to foster academic success</li> <li>• Ensure undergraduate students have the opportunity to engage in mentoring experiences</li> <li>• Develop and/or expand programs related to academic skill development</li> <li>• Support student engagement in the following domains: academic, social, athletic, cognitive and psychological</li> <li>• Collaborate with campus partners to improve the student experience (e.g., advising, career services, post-grad)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Embed leadership, mentoring and learning opportunities across the student experience</li> <li>• Expand programs to incorporate experiential learning</li> <li>• Expand opportunities where innovative/entrepreneurial skills can flourish</li> <li>• Recognize and reward students for their leadership achievements and contributions</li> <li>• Expand opportunities for career exploration</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Promote a shared responsibility for building a vibrant community</li> <li>• Promote networking between students and partners to create a climate of learning and an engaged community</li> <li>• Create and maintain new opportunities for student development</li> <li>• Strengthen relationships with the Aboriginal community</li> <li>• Foster a thriving and rich transcultural and diverse community that provides academic and social support</li> <li>• Create and sustain opportunities for alumni engagement</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Develop and promote initiatives, training and partnerships on mental health and wellness</li> <li>• Advocate for a healthy lifestyle through optimum nutrition, healthy eating and physical education</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Evolve functional responsibilities to support strategic directions and operational plans</li> <li>• Support professional development for faculty, staff and student leaders in the College community</li> <li>• Explore alternative financial resources to support programming</li> <li>• Invest in appropriate equipment, space and technology to support our strategic directions</li> <li>• Effectively communicate the Colleges' role and identity through branding and marketing</li> </ul>