## HAMLINE STRATEGIC PLAN

## Strategy 1: Academic Excellence

Hamline will provide relevant, mission-driven, best-in-class educational experiences for all 21st Century learners including traditional, non-traditional and graduate students. To that end, we will continue to strengthen curriculum and programs to evolve with the changing needs of our students, the workforce and our communities. We will provide high-impact, transformational experiences for our students which empower them to become future leaders.

**Goal:** Enhance educational relevance and distinction.

## Objectives:

- 1. Identify and expand programs, including internships and other high impact practices that prepare students for successful educational and post-graduate experiences
- 2. Imbed applied learning and reflection in all academic programs intentionally connecting a liberal arts education to and as career and professional preparation.
- 3. Create opportunities for students to attain stackable certificates in high-need employment and community service areas.
- 4. Restructure academic programs, where appropriate and with faculty input, into interdisciplinary units that build on synergistic strengths, and align with academic enrichment programs.
- 5. Create University professorships to instruct students in addressing issues facing society and their professions, while increasing visibility and furthering the engagement of the Hamline community.