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2. practicing and applying research, scholarship and creative activity; and 
3. providing engaged service and outreach that improve the quality of life for local and global communities.

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