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Saint Louis University Five Year Research Growth Plan

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SLU RESEARCH

Igniting Discovery, Transforming Lives





WE ARE ON THE GO

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PURSUE TRUTH

FIND ANSWERS

CHANGE THE WORLD

MAKE STUFF HAPPEN

BECOMING THE WORLD'S LEADING JESUIT RESEARCH UNIVERSITY

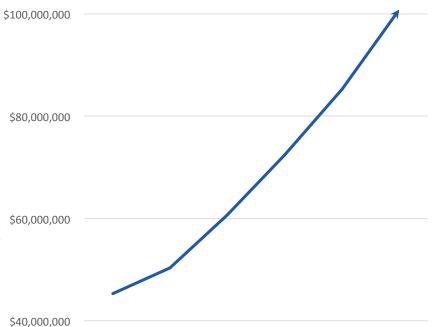
FIVE YEAR GOALS

 Double Enterprise from \$50M to \$100M

 Build Areas of Research Distinction

 Raise Profile as Preeminent Regional Research University







WHAT MUST SLU DO TO THRIVE IN THE 21ST CENTURY?

- Research Partner of Choice
- Magnet & Talent Engine for STL Region
- Creative Regional Collaborations
- Ambitious, Nimble,
 Pragmatic, Scrappy

Multi-University Federal
Research \$ by City

San Francisco:	\$2.94B
Boston:	\$2.44B
Baltimore:	\$2.24B
Los Angeles	\$2.09B
New York	\$1.98B
Chicago	\$1.48B
Washington DC	\$788M
Saint Louis	\$751M



HOW CAN SLU BUILD ITS STRENGTHS INTO AREAS OF DISTINCTION?

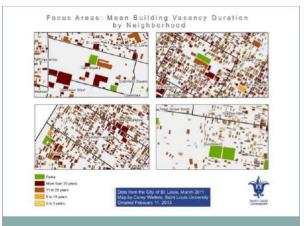
Example Existing Strengths

- Vaccine Development
- Health Law, Biochemistry, Population Health
- Entrepreneurship

Potential Strategic Research Priorities

- Urban Engagement
- Food & Water
- Holistic Health
- Geospatial & Data Science







HOW DOES JESUIT MISSION TRANSLATE INTO IMPACTFUL RESEARCH?





Knowledge For What

Innovation & Entrepreneurship

 Industry – Academic Partnerships



MISSON DRIVES SLU's QUEST TO REINVENT RESEARCH INNOVATION

- Leave no research on the shelf
- More nimble and effective ways to apply research to the world's needs
- Bridge the divide between academic research and industry/ entrepreneurship
- Relevance through reinvention



KEY RESEARCH INNOVATION QUESTIONS

- How to enable faculty entrepreneurship? Student/faculty collaborations?
- How to best advance basic research to translational stage, proof of concept, external validation?
- Most efficient models for invention disclosures, IP policies, options, and licenses? University co-investment?
- How to form, drive, and accelerate startups? Leadership, financial, technical and business expertise
- New models for partnerships among universities, regional innovators, entrepreneurs, and industry?

