

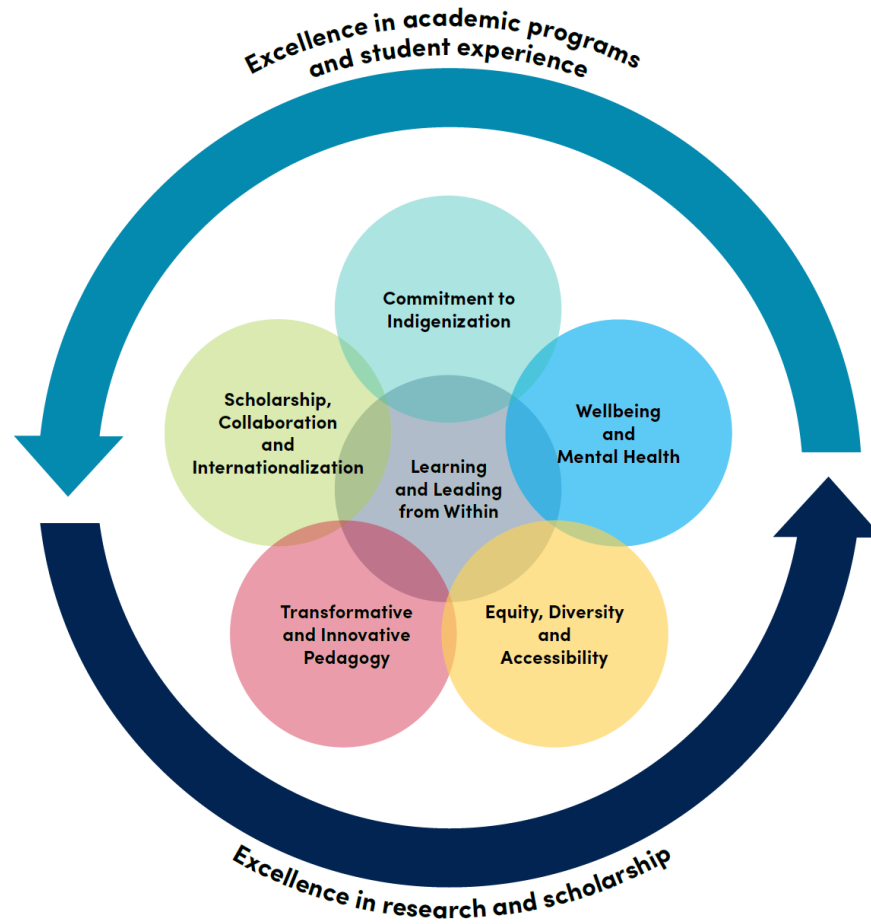


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REFLECTING ON OISE ACADEMIC PLAN

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Final Report to OISE Faculty Council
April 28, 2021

LEARNING AND LEADING FROM WITHIN



BUILDING OUR COMMUNITY

- Deans and Chairs as focal point for decision-making
- Decentralized budget model with more flexibility for departments
- Faculty renewal plan
- Space planning and major renovations (ORSS, JICS, lobby, planning for 5th floor patio/garden)

BUILDING OUR COMMUNITY (cont'd)

- Climate Action Summit and first Sustainability and Climate Action Plan
- Student Success Committee
- New student scholarships
- Increased communication within our community (Dean's notes, Inside OISE, social media)
- New faculty, staff and student awards to celebrate success

COMMITMENT TO INDIGENOUS EDUCATION

- Dean's Advisory Committee on Indigenous Education
- New staff support (including new Indigenous Liaison)
- Operating budget support for Indigenous Education Network
- Increase in programming
- New DACIE/IEN space on 5th floor
- 3 Canada Research Chairs

EQUITY, DIVERSITY AND ACCESSIBILITY

- New accessible subway entrance and other facilities.
- Emphasis on diversity in faculty renewal
- Black Faculty Caucus
- Proposed new Center for Black Studies in Education
- Strong Equity Committee with new community programming
- Numerous department initiatives

WELLBEING AND MENTAL HEALTH

- New OISE Wellness Committee
- New wellness and mindfulness programming
- New Mental Health advancement initiative
- OISE Stay@Home Club and range of other community-building initiatives

TRANSFORMATIVE AND INNOVATIVE PEDAGOGY

- Detailed review of MT program
- Accreditation (2017) and modifications in accreditation (2019) of MT and MA (CSE)
- Redesign of EdD programs with new “Dissertation in Practice”: Educational Leadership and Policy; Counselling Psychology; and Social Justice Education.
- New field in International Educational Leadership and Policy (within ELP EdD).

TRANSFORMATIVE AND INNOVATIVE PEDAGOGY (cont'd)

- New field in Global Mental Health (within M.Ed. in Counseling Psychology)
- New field in School Psychology (within Counseling Psychology EdD).
- New EdD in Child Study and Education
- New field in On-Line Education (within M.Ed. in Curriculum and Pedagogy)
- New OISE Alumni Association Mentorship Program

BUILDING OUR IMPACT: SCHOLARSHIP, COLLABORATION AND INTERNATIONALIZATION

- OISE Strategic Advisory Group
- Increase in international partnerships
- Increase in international students
- OISE Alumni Association “Leaders and Legends Awards”
- Increase in research grants
- Increase in CRC allocation



THANK YOU!

