

MCLA Strategic Plan: Goals and Strategies

Goal	Strategies
<p>Excellence in Teaching and Learning: Engage students through a dynamic and transformative liberal arts education that encourages excellence, innovation, and student success in academic and co-curricular programs.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Offer high quality, innovative programs that enhance intellectual discovery and social conscience as central to the experience and application of the liberal arts. • Strengthen MCLA’s rich co-curricular environment and leverage it to further enhance student learning and experience. • Invest in faculty, staff, and student development. • Utilize integrated and innovative communication strategies to promote the value of MCLA as an institution of excellence. • Create an environment of excellence to enhance student success and retention.
<p>Supportive and Inclusive Community: Embrace and sustain the diverse communities that support MCLA’s educational, cultural, and social environment.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide students with a community-centered public liberal arts education that enhances their MCLA experience and prepares them to be successful global citizens. • Create a culture that will attract, orient, engage, honor, and retain MCLA faculty and staff. • Capitalize on the talents and expertise of faculty, staff, and students to develop and implement programs that build community. • Continue to build a diverse campus community across all dimensions.
<p>Responsive and Intentional Stewardship: Secure MCLA’s future through the innovative, strategic, and informed development of our human, ecological, and financial resources.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create a culture of stewardship as an MCLA value that inspires everyone to want to give back and help strengthen and sustain the institution. • Work toward environmental sustainability. • Strengthen sustainable financial investment and philanthropic practices.
<p>Public Purpose and Engagement: Promote and ensure access to MCLA’s programs and resources and prepare students for personal and professional success over a lifetime of learning and citizenship.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demonstrate the connection between liberal arts education and future success. • Ensure broad access to educational opportunities for all students to succeed and graduate. • Promote MCLA as an innovative thought leader, convener, and partner. • Maintain access to MCLA’s educational offerings. • Encourage a spirit of service.