

OUR VISION

Leading towards a better society through social work education, research and practice.

OUR MISSION

- Educate competent and ethical social workers equipped to influence our changing world
- Advance social work research, practice and policy
- Provide international leadership by mobilizing knowledge
- Collaborate with diverse global partners to address social inequities

OUR VALUES

- Promote social justice, diversity, equity and human rights
- Understand individuals in their environments
- Work with multiple, diverse and interdependent systems
- Integrate research and practice
- Pursue the betterment of society



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TRANSFORMING LIVES, CONNECTING COMMUNITIES

Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work
Academic Strategic Plan
2017-2022



DEAN'S MESSAGE

The Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work at the University of Toronto is dedicated to changing lives and working towards the betterment of society. At a time of extraordinary challenges and rapid social, economic, political and technological change, we are at the forefront of social work education, research and practice, committed to making a significant contribution on a global scale.

Our 2017-2022 Academic Strategic Plan, **Transforming Lives, Connecting Communities**, is a blueprint for our future path. In it, we identify the strategic directions and goals that will enable us to pursue our aim of leading in excellence in social work education, research and practice and serving the most vulnerable among us.

We invite you to view our plan at uoft.me/academicplan2017-2022

STRATEGIC GOALS

1. MOBILIZE KNOWLEDGE

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2. PROMOTE WELLBEING AND EQUITY

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3. FOSTER INNOVATIVE LEARNING

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4. COLLABORATE LOCALLY/ NATIONALLY/GLOBALLY

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MEASURING OUR SUCCESS

Heightened research impact and dissemination.

Increased research promoting wellbeing and equity; increased diversity in the hiring of faculty and the recruitment of students.

Continued recognition as a leading global innovator in social work education and simulation-based learning.

Greater number of collaborations with partners at universities and community agencies locally, nationally and globally.

Visit the full plan for a complete list of measurements of success.