

OUTREACH AND ENGAGEMENT DISCUSSION

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ENGAGEMENT GOALS

AS ARTICULATED IN THE ENGAGING WITH EXTERNAL PARTNERS REPORT

1. The U of S will foster and model a culture that values external partnerships as critical to innovative scholarly research and teaching.
1. The U of S will be distinguished for its engagement program at local, provincial, national and international levels.

KEY PRINCIPLES

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1. Engaged partnerships are mutually beneficial
2. Partners must work to build and maintain respect and trust
3. Collaboration is critical to effective partnerships
4. Communication must be clear and regular
5. Partnerships must be innovative in ways that recognize that each partnership is unique and dynamic
6. Engaged partnerships will, by definition, contribute to a culture of engagement at the University of Saskatchewan.



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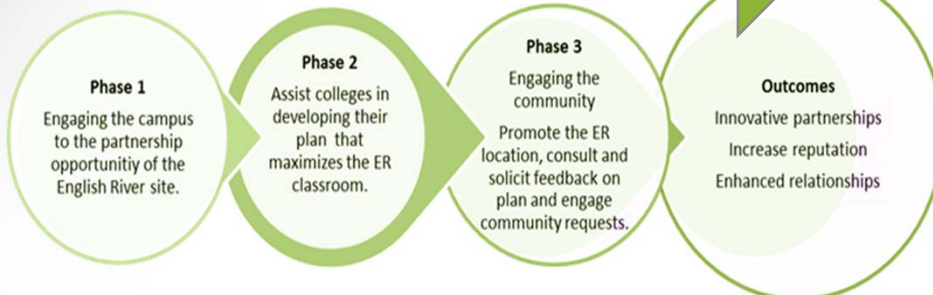
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To increase cross cultural understanding – to be a listening post in the community – to be a platform for coordination and dialogue

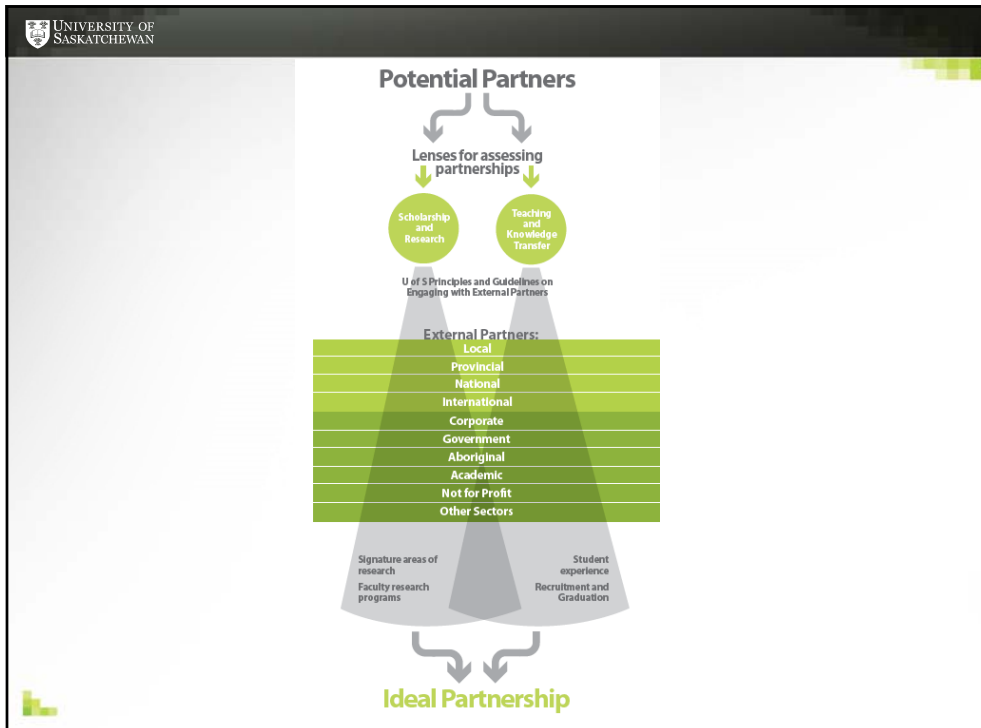


The Aboriginal Engagement Spatial Initiative

<http://webgis.usask.ca/abor/>

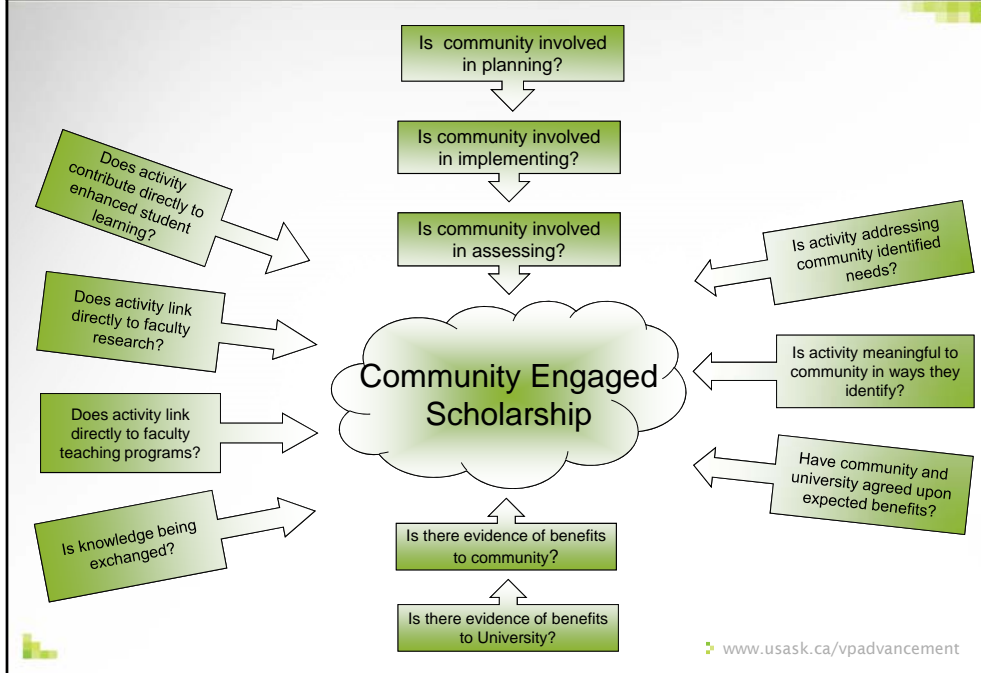
WHAT IS COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT?

Community Engagement describes the collaboration between higher education institutions and their larger communities (local, national, global) for the *mutually* beneficial *exchange* of knowledge and resources in a context of *partnership* and *reciprocity*. (Carnegie Foundation, 10/2007; emphasis added)

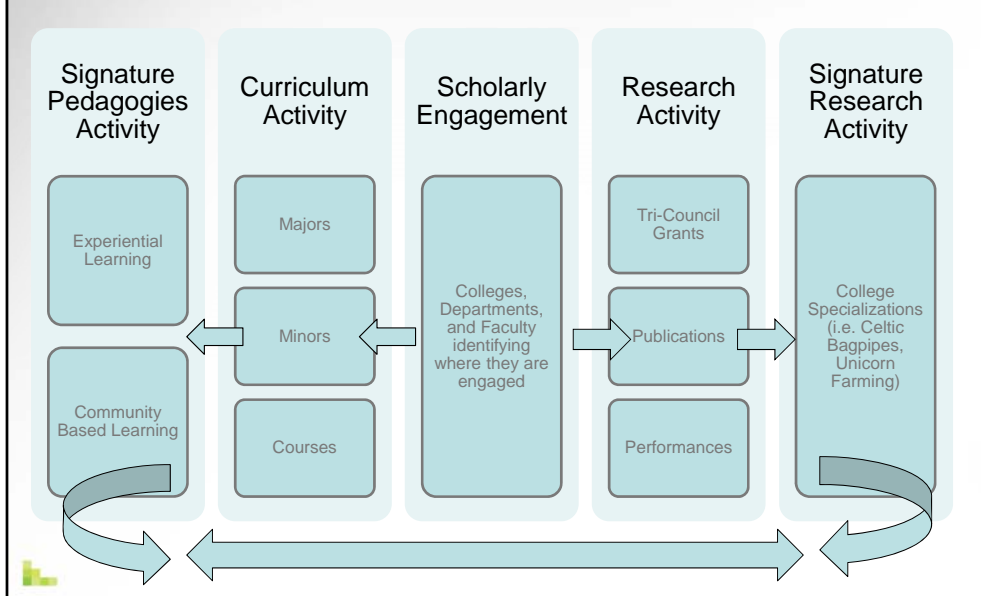


IS IT COMMUNITY-ENGAGED SCHOLARSHIP?

- Is there one or more community partner involved in planning and implementation?
- Does the activity address a specific community need?
- Have the university and the partner articulated expected benefits?
- Is there evidence of benefits or outcomes for the university and the partner?
- Is knowledge or expertise being exchanged to meet the goals of the activity?
- Does the activity link directly to research or teaching/learning or both?



SCHOLARLY ENGAGEMENT MODEL



OUTREACH AND ENGAGEMENT AT STATION 20 WEST

- **Personnel:**
 - Lisa Erickson, Manager
 - Nola Woods, Community Engagement Specialist
 - Phaedra Hitchings, Community Engaged Learning Specialist
 - Donald Bear, Administrative Assistant
 - Soon to be filled, Student Academic Advisor
- **Some of what Stn. 20 West can offer:**
 - Meeting space
 - Office Space
 - Teaching Space
 - Relationship building
 - Soon to be announced programs and financial resources