

Charge of the Learning Goals Project from the Provost

The goal of the Learning Goals Project is this:

Create a set of holistic, integrated learning goals that embody MSU's identity as a global land-grant institution. These goals will align with the university's Student Success Strategy and support the State of Michigan's priorities for degree completion, workforce readiness, and educational equity

Your charge is this:

- 1) The Institutional Learning Goals Group, convened by the Provost with the endorsement of the President, is charged with revamping and updating the university's institutional learning goals to better align with student success efforts
- 2) Over the project timeline, the group will guide the development of a more unified curricular and co-curricular Spartan Experience, ensuring that the goals reflect the university's mission and provide a cohesive framework for student learning and development preparing students for life and careers in 2075

We are asking you to proceed with this work over the course of following timeline. This work will have to be done in a transparent manner and in such a way that there is widespread engagement from a large variety of on- and off-campus stakeholders. We ask that you break down the work within each of these charges into components that can be pursued by the working committee and the advisory council, both of which are composed of a broad range of stakeholders.



Project Timeline

- Fall 2025 Launch working committee, advisory council
- Fall 2025-Spring 2026 Co-design revised undergraduate learning goals and align with five areas of student success
- Spring-Summer 2026 Engage governance & approvals
- Fall 2026 Finalize approval, pilot goals, build governance
- Spring 2027 Approve governance, develop communications & training

Additional documentation of the project brief and roles will be provided for review and discussion.

