

Social Science 2008-09

Accomplishment Description:

A new, \$692,042, NSF 2 + year grant, GEOSTAC, was obtained to further develop the GIS program reach into the community. This grant will focus on developing GIS skills among high school instructors and infuse GIS into high school curriculum, stimulating interest in GIS as a career path.

Strategic Direction

- Achieve and sustain fiscal stability.
- Position Lane as a vital community partner by empowering a learning workforce in a changing economy.
- Foster the personal, professional, and intellectual growth of learners by providing exemplary and innovative teaching and learning experiences and student support services.

Learning Plan Goals

- Facilitate more integrated and connected educational opportunities.
- Enhance student transitions at all levels.
- Increase support for innovation in instruction.

Student Affairs Plan Goals

- Create innovative, flexible, and collaborative programs that are responsive to the needs of students and employers and facilitate a smooth transition from college to the workplace.
- Strengthen relationships with high schools, transfer institutions, community partners, and employers to enhance the student's preparation for and success in college, career, civic engagement, and community involvement.
- Enhance Recruitment Efforts.

College Council Priorities

- 1.e. Enrollment Management: Increase Credit Enrollment Level
- 1.c. Enrollment Management: Workforce Development
- 1.b. Enrollment Management: Recruitment and Retention