

# New Beginnings: Creating a Roadmap for Success

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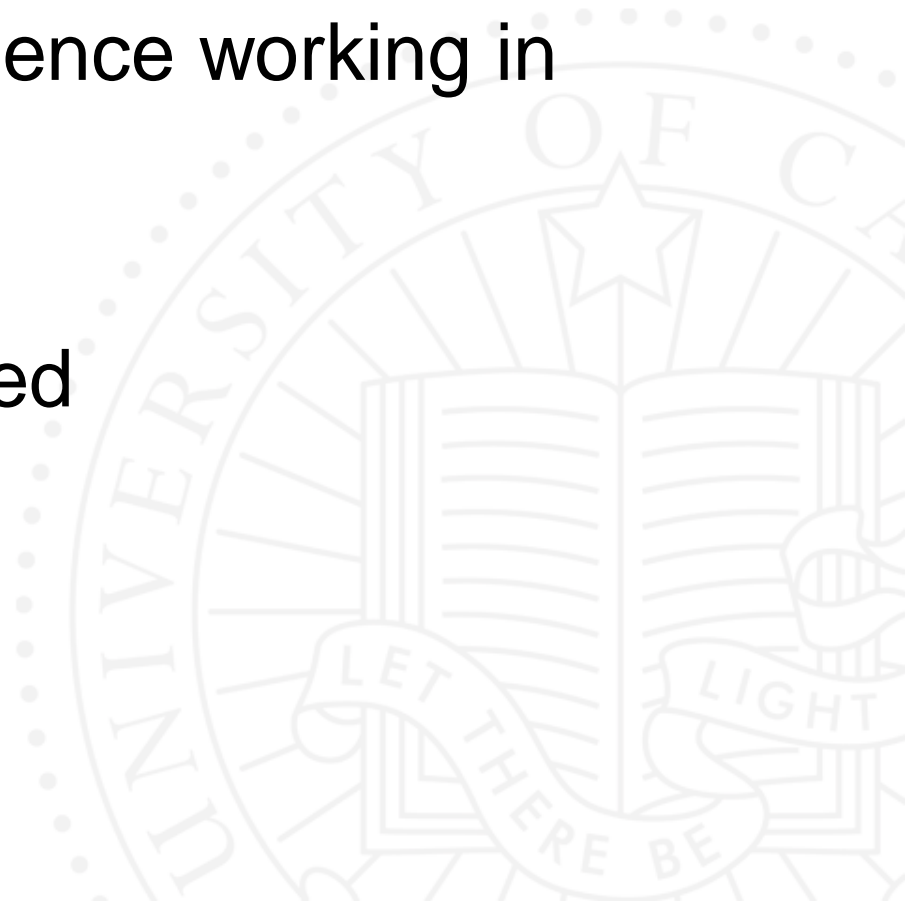
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# A little bit about me...

- First generation college student and UC alumna
- Over 21 years of experience working in higher education
- Super powers
- What keeps me balanced



# Future Planning

- Provide leadership to move the AVC/DOS unit forward
  - Highlight three specific areas of focus
  - Strategic planning and partnerships



# Areas of Focus

- › The Student Experience
- › Department Operations/Staff Needs
- › Campus Relationships and Strategic Partnerships



# The Student Experience

- How does the AVC/DOS Unit
  - Identify student needs
  - Contribute to sense of belonging/Connection to campus
  - Connect to campus and community resources
  - Integrate academics
  - Contribute to retention/time to degree/graduation
- Develop structured on-going ways to receive student feedback/have continued interaction with students

# Department Operations and Staff Needs

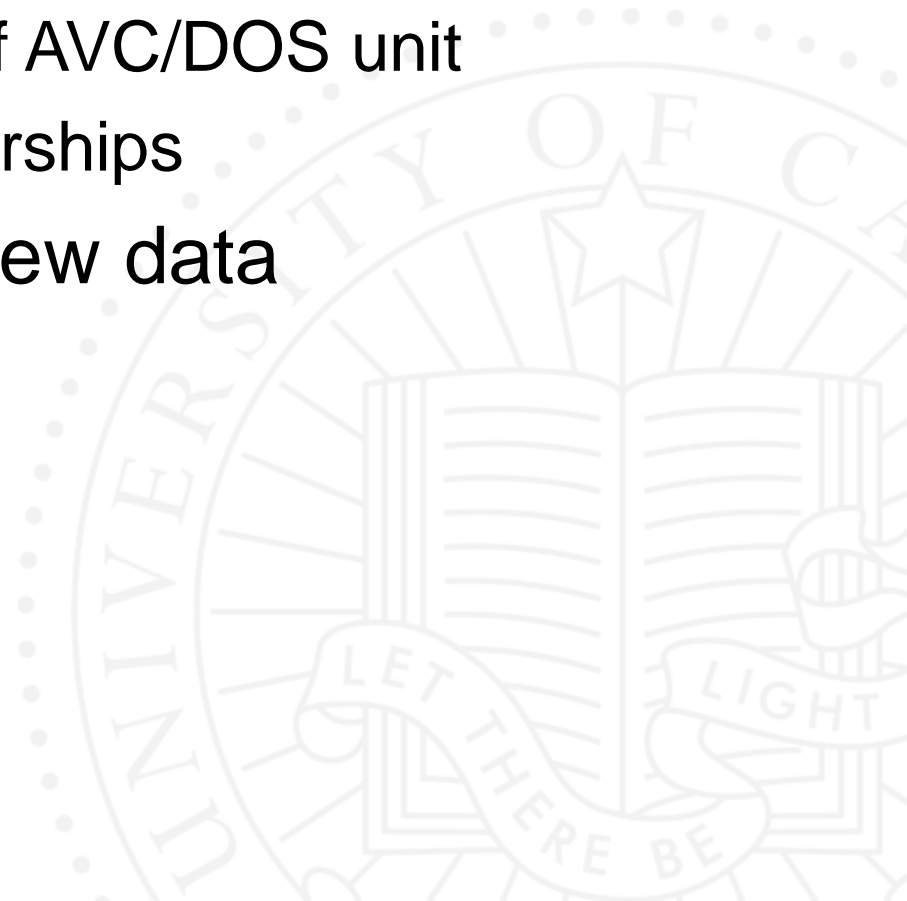
- Departments in the AVC/DOS Unit
  - Identify department mission/goals
  - Identify department priorities and needs
  - Budget/SFAC/funding streams outside of student fees
  - Identify contributions to outreach, promoting access, community building, and student engagement
  - Identify strengths and areas of opportunity
  - Professional development/Staff development
  - Build relationships/Build Team

# Campus Relationships and Strategic Partnerships

- ▶ Identify opportunities for engagement/dialog to support the academic mission and student engagement
  - ▶ Relationship building with campus partners
  - ▶ Business and Auxiliary Services
  - ▶ Academic Affairs
  - ▶ Alumni Affairs

# Create a Roadmap

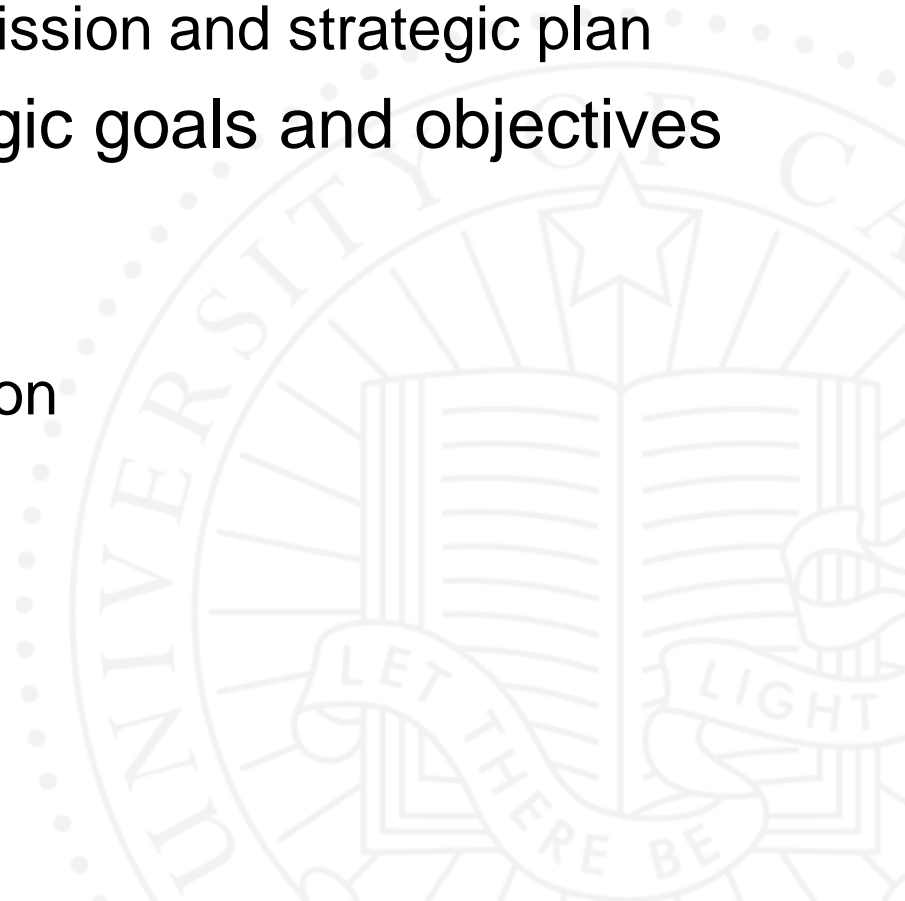
- ▶ Listening sessions
  - ▶ Perception of student needs and experiences
  - ▶ Feedback/perceptions of AVC/DOS unit
  - ▶ Develop strategic partnerships
- ▶ Document analysis/review data





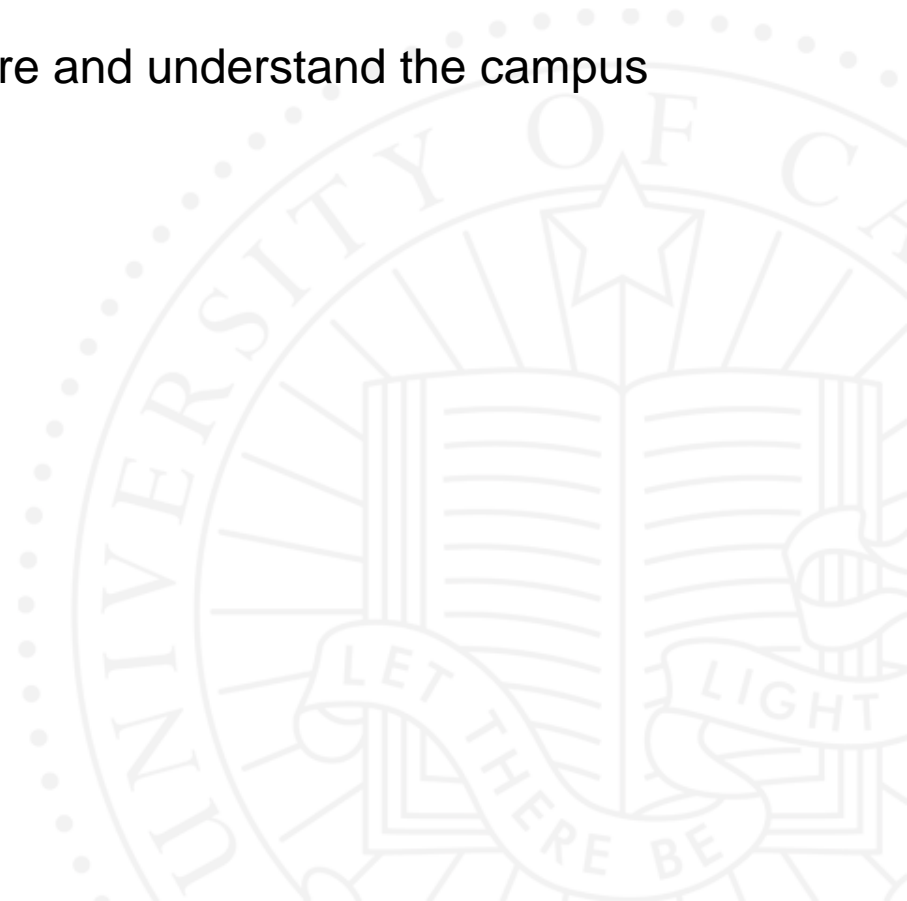
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- Strategic planning and strategic partnerships
  - UCR 2020 (+)
  - Student Affairs division mission and strategic plan
- Identify AVC/DOS strategic goals and objectives
  - Engage staff
  - Develop an action plan
  - Assessment and evaluation
  - Identify best practices



# Final Thoughts

- Considerations for incoming AVC/DOS
  - Fall quarter 2017
  - Be proactive
  - Learn and appreciate campus culture and understand the campus climate



# Questions?

- Thank you for attending
- Questions?

