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Summary of Small Group Discussions

Pillar 1:

An Institution
of and for
Our Students

- Develop out of class experiences that include solving real societal problems
- Use general education as a vehicle to produce graduates ready to succeed in their careers and communities
- Value diversity and inclusion of vulnerable and underrepresented populations
- Leverage online education as a vehicle to reach nontraditional students and/or to prepare high school students for college

Pillar 2:

Research and
Scholarship with
Global Impact

- Incentivize internal and external collaboration and eliminate barriers that prohibit good working relationships
- Expand Extension model to embed the University throughout the state (distance learning, healthcare)
- Address Grand Challenges and healthy communities in the age of globalization

Pillar 3:

A Healthy Future
for Illinois
and the Midwest

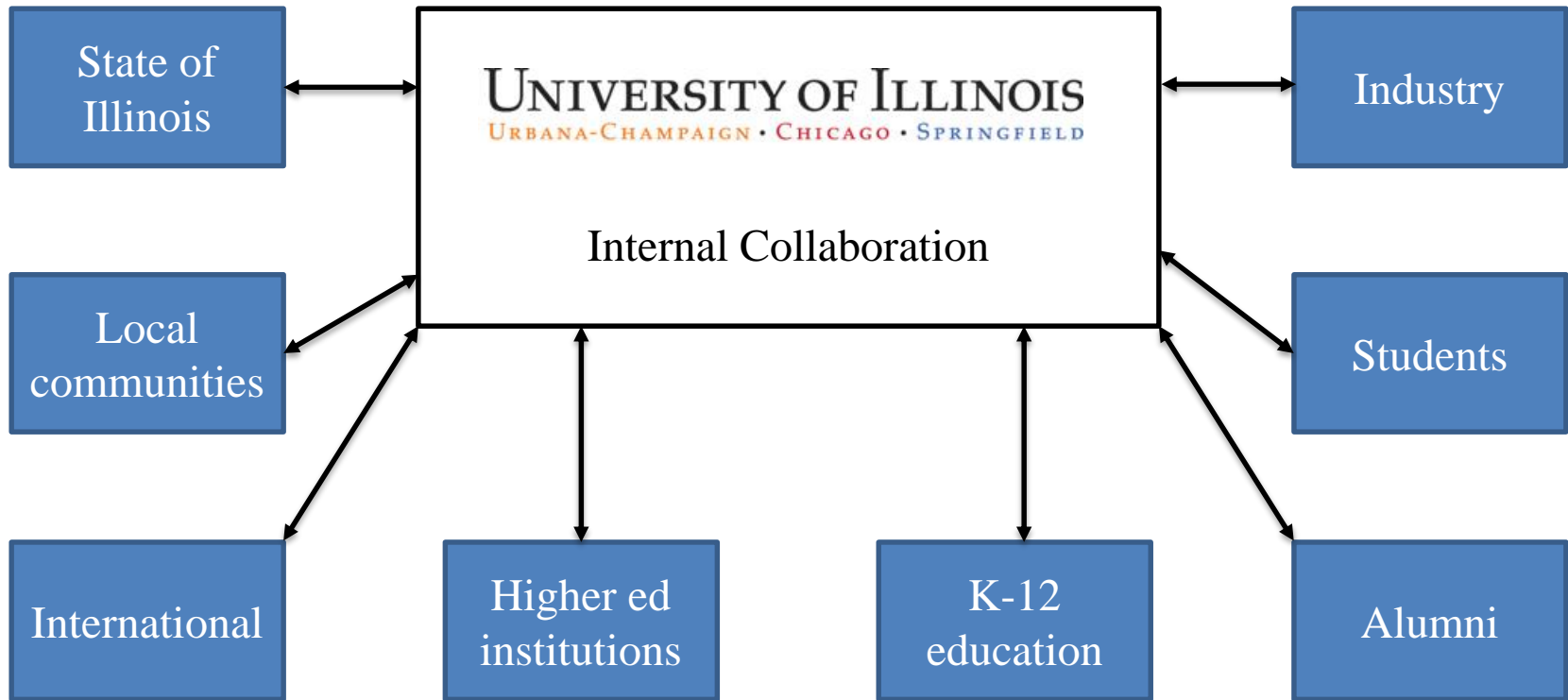
- Expand Extension model to reach all communities to deliver education, healthcare, etc.
- Invest in human capital to improve wellness of individuals and communities, including college readiness and job preparation
- Address wellness of all communities (rural, University, underserved, etc.)
- Participate in creating State of Illinois health goals

Pillar 4:

Tomorrow's
University
Today

- Develop strategic tuition pricing to improve affordability
- Encourage completion through flexible, personalized curricula that incorporate extracurricular opportunities and future career paths
- Leverage advanced technologies to improve reach and affordability
- Improve online learning to enhance student engagement
- Reward and encourage entrepreneurship

Critical Partnerships



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