Programs of Strategic Emphasis

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The Programs of Strategic Emphasis help align State University System degree production with Florida’s economic & workforce needs.
Percent of Degrees Awarded in Programs of Strategic Emphasis

- Almost 60% of all bachelor’s degrees awarded in the System
- Nearly 2/3 of graduate degrees awarded in the System

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Source: 2022 System Accountability Plan

Note: The Programs of Strategic Emphasis list was updated in 2019, which contributes to the increase in undergraduate degrees awarded in 2020-21.
Degrees Awarded by Programs of Strategic Emphasis Category

Programs in STEM, Gap Analysis & Health have grown the most in the last 5 years.
Periodic updates of the Programs of Strategic Emphasis reflect Florida’s changing & dynamic workforce needs.

- Florida’s Workforce Needs
- Programs of Strategic Emphasis
- Related Board Documents & Initiatives
  - New Academic Program Approval
  - Performance Based Funding
  - Annual Accountability Plan
The 2023 updates will take effect in the 2024-2025 Academic Year

Initial List

- 2001: Advisory Group on Emerging Technologies
- 2005: Targeted Program List
- 2008: Areas of Programmatic Strategic Emphasis
- 2013: Programs of Strategic Emphasis
- 2019: Programs of Strategic Emphasis Update Approved Fall 2019
- 2020: CIP Programs of Strategic Emphasis Update 2020
- 2023: Programs of Strategic Emphasis Update

6th Revision

Advisory Group on Emerging Technologies
Targeted Program List
Areas of Programmatic Strategic Emphasis
Programs of Strategic Emphasis
Programs of Strategic Emphasis Update Approved Fall 2019
CIP Programs of Strategic Emphasis Update 2020
Programs of Strategic Emphasis Update 2023
Anticipated Timeline

January 2023
Initial discussion with Board

February - August 2023
Complete initial analyses required to recommend updates in all categories

September 2023
Board considers initial recommendations

November 2023
Board votes on final recommendations
Stakeholder feedback & information from multiple sources are used to update the programs of strategic emphasis list

### Stakeholder Feedback
- Governor’s REACH Office
- Legislative staff
- Florida Chamber of Commerce
- Florida Department of Economic Opportunity
- Florida Department of Education
- Florida Council of 100
- Enterprise Florida
- CareerSource Florida
- Florida Credentials Review Committee
- Florida Talent Development Council

### Workforce Data
- Florida Department of Economic Opportunity & the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics
- State Board of Education list of critical teacher shortage areas
- STEM lists from
  - Florida Department of Economic Opportunity
  - Department of Homeland Security
  - National Science Foundation
House Bill 1507, the Reimagining Education & Career Help (REACH) Act, established the Credential Review Committee to identify credentials & degrees of value.

**Credential Review Committee**
- Uses the following information to identify degrees of value
  - Demand
  - Wages
  - Linkages to occupations

**Board of Governors**
- Uses the following information to identify Programs of Strategic Emphasis
  - Demand
  - Wages
  - Linkages to occupations
Are these 5 categories still appropriate?

- Education
- Healthcare
- Global Competitiveness
- STEM
- Gap Analysis