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The process of developing the University of Victoria's first Strategic Enrolment Management (SEM) Plan has allowed our community to engage in strategic multi-year planning, while working to align our enrolment goals with the Strategic Framework and other key institutional planning documents.

I would like to thank everyone who was involved in the SEM planning process and the extensive consultations that accompanied it. As chair of the Enrolment Management Working Group, I had the pleasure of working with faculty, staff and students from across the campus to identify the six enrolment goals that are at the core of our plan.

Each of the four SEM committees invested considerable time and effort to develop the respective supporting strategies, tactics and implementation plans that accompany each goal. The commitment and steadfast support of the committee members enabled us to develop an ambitious yet achievable plan for our institution.

Many thanks are also due to the members of the UVic community who took the time to participate in the SEM planning process by attending poster sessions, consultation events or by reaching out to committee members. Their engagement and feedback have been integral to the plan's success.

The goals, strategies and tactics outlined in this plan will guide university recruitment, retention and student success initiatives for the next five to ten years. This inaugural SEM Plan reflects the ambitions of our institution and positions the University of Victoria to achieve our enrolment priorities well into the future.

Yours sincerely,

Vice-President Academic and Provost



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The SEM process has allowed the UVic community to engage in strategic multi-year planning and has assisted with the alignment of enrolment goals with the implementation of the Strategic Framework and other institutional plans.

UVic has aligned our overall enrolment goals with the priorities outlined in the Strategic Framework.

#### CULTIVATE AN EXTRAORDINARY ACADEMIC ENVIRONMENT



#### ADVANCE RESEARCH EXCELLENCE AND IMPACT



#### FOSTER RESPECT AND RECONCILIATION

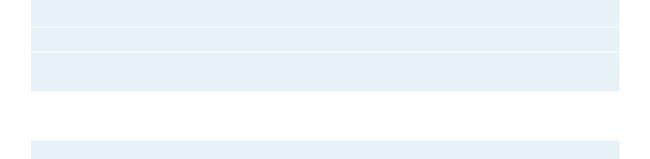
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a. increasing the % of rst-time enrolling students who have an entering average of 80% or higher from 79% to 89%;			
<ul> <li>b. increasing the % of admitted students with an entering average of at least 90% or higher who choose to register at UVic from 37% to 45%; and</li> </ul>			
c. enhancing and developing initiatives that increase the representation of under-represented populations, including but not limited to students with lived experience in care and students of low socio-economic status.			
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<b>2</b> . Re-align and enhance our entrance scholarship and needs-based nancial aid programs to provide incentives for students in targeted groups $\underline{a}$ , $\underline{b}$ and/or $\underline{c}$ above.			
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- b. Research programs will comprise 75% of base-funded graduate enrolments (currently 65%);
- c. 2, 3 and 4-year graduation rates for thesis-based master's students will increase from 30%, 57% and 65% to 57%, 65% and 70%; and
- d. 4, 5 and 6-year graduation rates for PhD students will increase from 17%, 36% and 48% to 36%, 48% and 60%.

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