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# Community Goal

**Academic Leaders Council** 









#### **About One Community One Goal**

- One Community One Goal (OCOG) is the roadmap for Miami-Dade County's future economic development success. It offers strategic recommendations aimed at creating an environment of significant job creation with a focus on new higher-paying jobs within the target industries. It is a community-wide effort that provides a unified vision for longterm economic growth in Miami-Dade County.
- Education has been identified as the foundation of OCOG and is the key driver of the seven target industries.



#### **About the Academic Leaders Council**

- The One Community One Goal Academic Leaders Council, whose
  members have been recognized as being among the top educational
  leaders in the country, has been established as a result of OCOG. Its' aim is
  to create an educational ecosystem that aligns with local business needs in
  order to ensure the workforce is both available and trained properly.
- One outcome of the work of the Academic Leaders Council (ALC) is the Catalog of Academic Offerings, which serves as a baseline measurement by which to gauge the progress of the ALC member institutions' commitment to aligning their curricula with industry needs.
- OCOG supports the ALC and the implementation of key education recommendations



### **Barry University**











#### **Academic Leaders Council: Primary Aims**

- 1. Growing skills and producing the next generation of talent
- 2. Aligning curriculum with current workforce demands
- 3. Ensuring students graduate with the skills required by the seven targeted industries.

## Seven Target Industries



Aviation



Banking & Finance



Creative Design



Hospitality & Tourism



Information Technology



Life Sciences & Healthcare



Trade & Logistics

#### **The Talent Development Network**

- 1. The Talent Development Network (TDN) is an internship portal, product of a collaboration between seven academic institutions, and housed out of FIU.
- 2. TDN is a result of the work of the ALC.
- 3. TDN is rooted in the belief that education is critical to our economic vitality.
- 4. A strong educational ecosystem is critical to the economic vitality and success of our community.
- 5. Attracting and retaining top talent is key. It grows the economy faster than other more traditional measures of economic development.
- 6. The initiative continues to have a positive impact on the internship culture across Miami-Dade County.

### **TDN:Our Success**

- To date we have had:
  - Over 1152 students had registered at TDNmiami.com and uploaded their resume.
  - We recruited 296 employers to register and post their internships.
  - More than 469 internships posted.
  - 90% of the internships posted were paid opportunities.

Thank you!

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