# Report to the Oakland University Board of Trustees

Monday, April 12, 2021

#### Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, M.D. – President

## Agenda



- Vaccination Campaign & Fall Return to Campus
- Oakland University: A Tradition of Academic Excellence
  - School of Nursing Dean Judy Didion
  - Athletics Director Steve Waterfield
  - Honors College Dean Graeme Harper
- In Appreciation

- "Get vaccinated" messaging sent to students, faculty and staff
- OU community is doing their part to make sure we have a healthy campus
- Vaccinations are widely available
- Goal for all students, faculty and staff vaccinated by fall semester



# **Campus Vaccination Rollout**

- State of Michigan and the Oakland County Health Division will deliver Johnson & Johnson vaccinations for students (April 13)
- Vaccinations for students, faculty and staff provided at:
  - On-site Rite-Aid clinic in Meadow Brook Theatre
    - April 7 -9
  - OU Rec Center
    - April 13
  - Graham Health Center
    - Beginning April 14



## **Residence Hall Mandate**



- Resident students must provide verification prior to moving in
- Mandate allows for nearly full housing occupancy in the fall
- State and national recognition for taking the lead in making vaccinations available and mandating vaccinations



# **Return to Campus**

- Preparations are underway for a return to campus in the fall
- Preventive measures and strategy in place to return to pre-pandemic campus
- OU Leadership meets regularly to update "Grizzlies Together – Again," blueprint for fall return





#### Making a Mark on the State's Health Care Community

# OAKLAND UNIVERSITY... School of Nursing

Judy Didion, Ph.D., RN April 12, 2021

#### **Student Success Starts Here**





## The Future of Healthcare





#### Bachelors of Science in Nursing (BSN)

- Traditional 4 year track
- Accelerated 2nd Degree
- RN to BSN Completion



#### **Masters in Science in Nursing (MSN)**

- Family Nurse Practitioner
- Adult Gerontologic Nurse Practitioner (AGNP)
- Adult Gerontologic Acute Care Nurse Practitioner Program (AGACNP)
- Forensic Nursing Program (FN)
- Clinical Nurse Leader (CNL)
- Post Masters Certificates (FNP, AGNP)





- Doctorate in Nursing Practice (DNP)
  - Nurse Anesthesia
  - Post Masters DNP
- Clinical Doctorate and Advanced Nurse Practitioner



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Nursing and health care need more nurse scientists to develop the theoretical and empirical knowledge that improves practice and patient outcomes.

The Oakland University School of Nursing will prepare you with the highest level nursing degree with full faculty support and mentorship.

FACULTY MENTORSHIP between Ph.D. faculty and students

ONLINE COURSES with an annual on-campus residency week

FUNDING OPPS Nurse Faculty Loan Program (NFLP) Graduate Research Assistantships

IN STATE TUITION for out-of-state students

THREE PROGRAM TRACKS:

BSN - Ph.D. Master's - Ph.D. DNP - Ph.D. Doctor of Philosophy in Nursing (PhD)

#### Nurse scientists and creating a culture of scholarship and research

SHAWN LE VITT - currently enrolled in the PhD in Nursing program

#### **Continuing Education: Non Degree Granting Programs**

- Accredited by the American Nurses Credentialing Center through 2024 to provide continuing education
- Since 2018, 486 CEs offered to 558 nurses and 657 other learners
- Students come from throughout Michigan, some from across the country and the world



#### **Simulation and Clinical**

Basic BSN Students Simulation Lab



## **Clinical and Community Partners**







**Partnerships** 



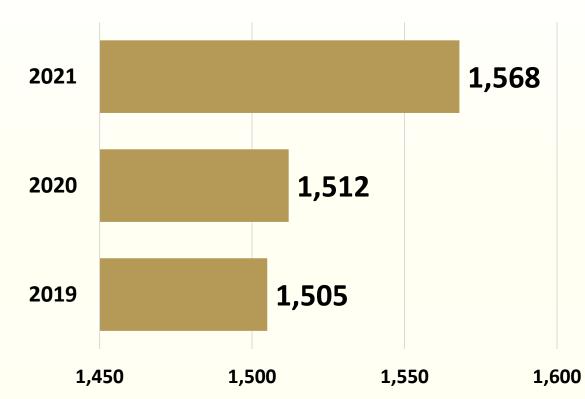




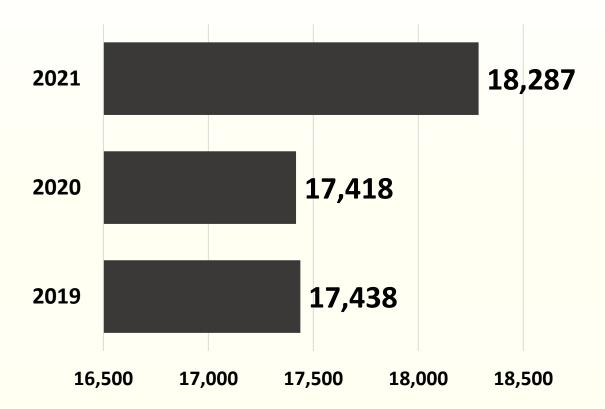


# 2020-21 Enrollment

## Headcount + 3.7%



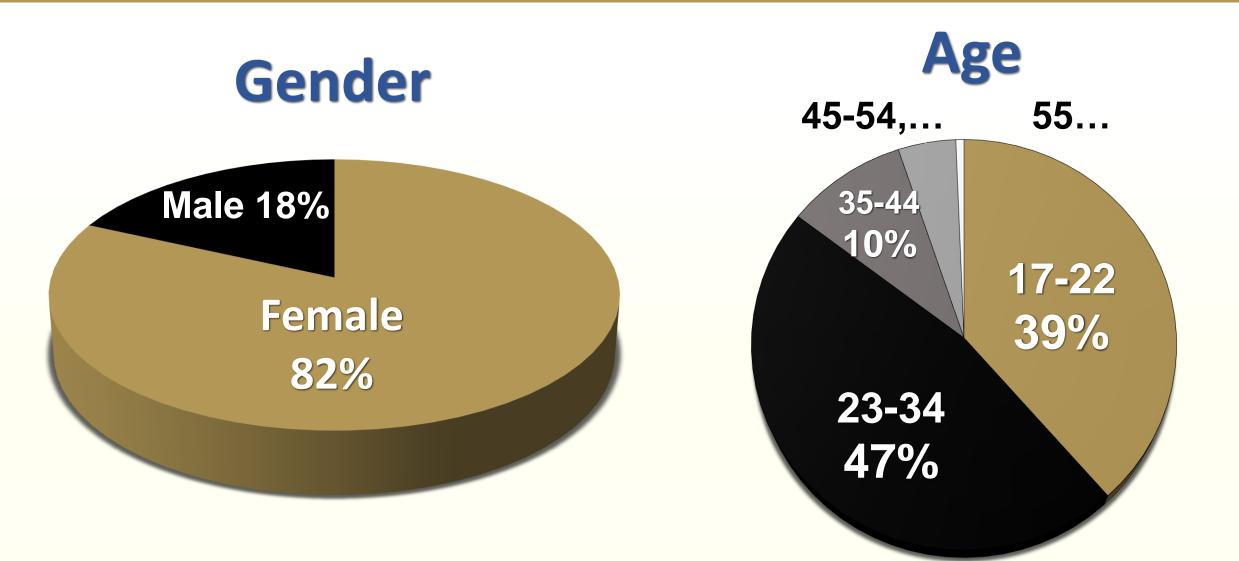
## Credit Hours + 4.9%





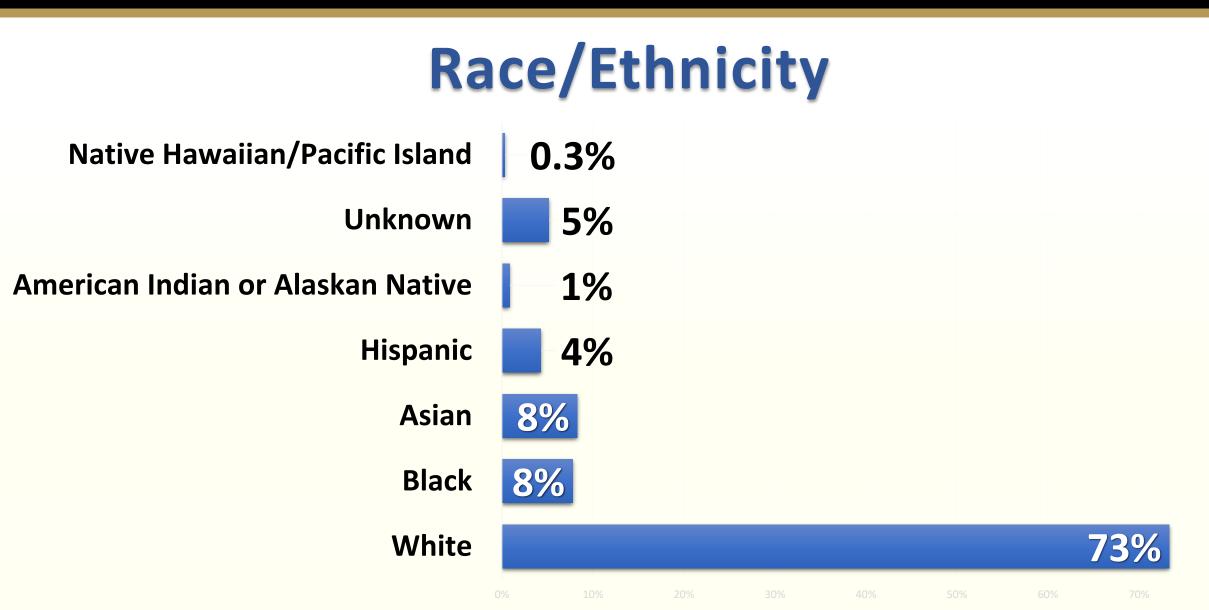
## Demographics





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### **Student Success Outcomes**



- Require a Holistic Strategic Plan
- Emerge from how we succeed in all of our other Strategic Goals
  - Diversity Equity and Inclusion
    - SON DEI Special Interest Think Tank, HRSA Workforce Diversity Grants, Holistic Admission Team, curriculum and policy review, Recruitment and professional development for students, faculty and staff
  - o Scholarship and Research
    - Clinical questions guide our scholarship, DNP scholarship, PhD research
    - 47% of faculty wrote Grants this past year and funding has increased 71% over 4 years
  - Community Engagement
    - Pipeline Programs, Continuing Education, Practice partnerships for clinical, advisory boards and advocacy. Community Service

#### **Student Success Outcomes**

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- NCLEX Pass Rate for 2020 93%
  - Graduation Rate: **92%** Basic and ASD; **81%** for RN-BSN
- Nurse Practitioner Certification Exam 2020
  - FNP Pass Rate 91% and AGNP Pass Rate 91%
- Nurse Anesthesia Certificate Exam 2019 (No grads in 2020)
  - Pass Rate **91%** first attempt **100%** second attempt
  - Graduation Rate: 100%
- Employment Rates between 90-100% in first year for all programs; 99% are staying in Michigan

	2016-2017		2017-2018		2018-2019		2019-2020	
Major	# Degrees	Rank	# Degrees	Rank	# Degrees	Rank	# Degrees	<u>Rank</u>
Nursing	174	3	177	2	173	2	180	1
Mechanical Engineering	132	6	131	8	171	4	176	2
Psychology	207	1	181	1	179	1	155	3
Accelerated Second Degree BSN	160	4	158	3	172	3	151	4
Human Resource Development	116	8	135	7	125	9	149	5
Communication	180	2	156	4	148	6	144	6
Elementary Education	152	5	138	6	142	7	134	7

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#### **Advancing Reputation & Philanthropy**

- Increased SON philanthropy by 200% from \$234,143 in 2017 to \$703,475 in 2020
- Council for Advancement and Support of Education (CASE) Award for the 2020
   Virtual Nightingale Awards for Nursing Excellence



## Impact of COVID-19



## **Opening Up**

#### March 2021

- Labs open and Almost all clinical sites are open
- Quarantine continues to be a challenge with exposures or illness
- Town Halls for students and faculty
- VACCINES and giving back

## **Essential Public Health Impact**

#### More than 100 students and 15 faculty participated in clinics in Wayne County, Oakland County and Macomb County

Ascension Clinic in Macomb



Wayne County Mobile Unit



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#### **2020 – The Year of the Nurse**

- Marked because of the 200th birthday of Florence Nightingale
- A surprising year for everyone
- Nurses in the spotlight daily worked in the center of the pain and suffering that patients and families experienced due to COVID-19
- Seeing how working nurses championed this pandemic, OU nursing students prevailed, graduated and are now on frontline
- Student success and gratitude acknowledges faculty and staff innovation, determination and work

# We are proud of our students and our grads as the SON continues its work today.

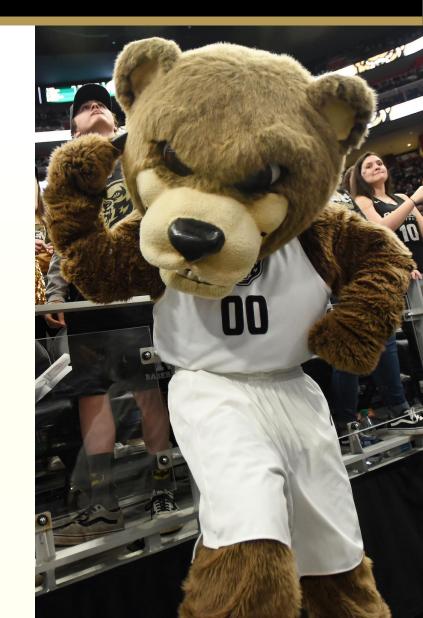
# Questions?



#### Overview

- Intercollegiate Athletics During a Pandemic
- Role of Intercollegiate Athletics
- Competitive Excellence
- Student-Success
- Community and Campus Engagement
- Diversity, Equity and Inclusion
- Esports Update







#### **Intercollegiate** Athletics During a Pandemic

- COVID-19 Testing
- Protocols
- Lost Revenue



## **Role of Intercollegiate Athletics**

- Build identity, connection and pride
- Celebrate excellence
- Opportunities for education and personal development
- Immediate and generational impact



# **Competitive Excellence**



- Competitions = Success
- Swimming and Diving
  - **o** Conference Championships
    - 42 consecutive men's titles
    - 26 straight conference titles for the women
  - Susan LaGrand
    - 2021 NCAA Honorable Mention All-American

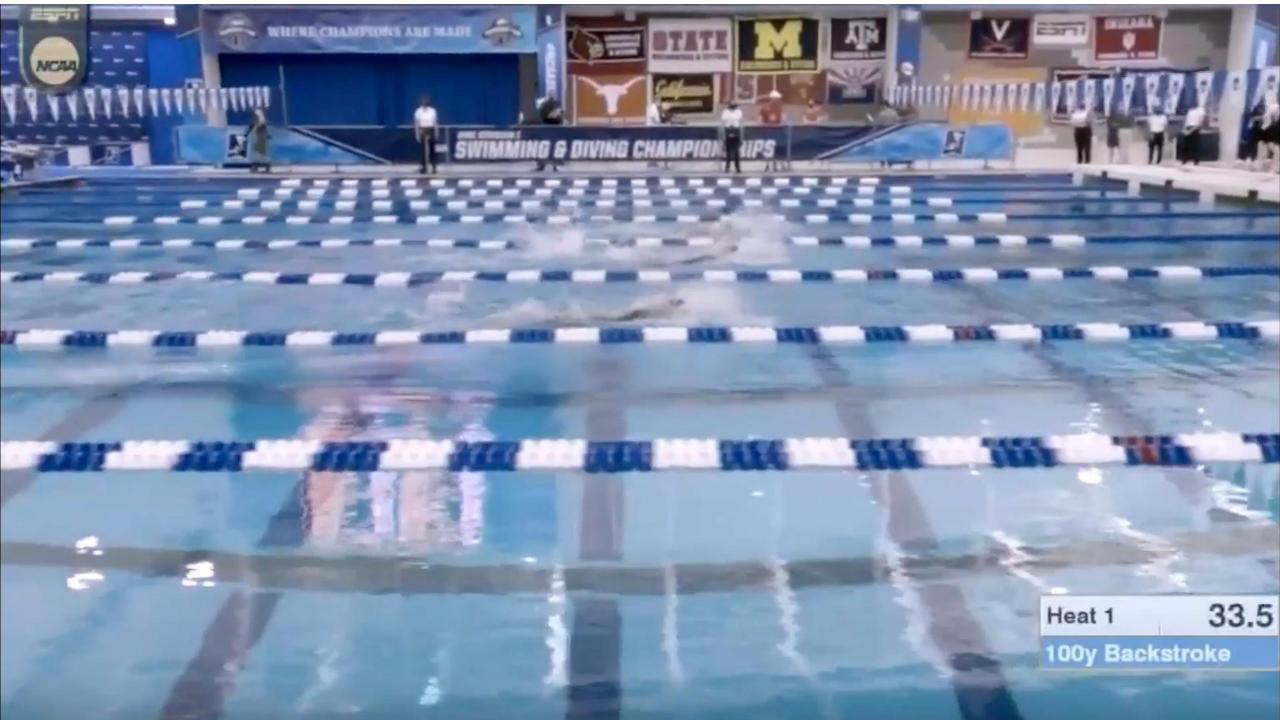














- All-student-athlete GPA: Above 3.20
- 156 student-athletes named to 2020
  Fall Horizon League Academic
  Honor Roll
- Student-athlete Graduation Rate
  - **o 19% higher than all students**
- NCAA Graduation Success Rate
  - o **90%**

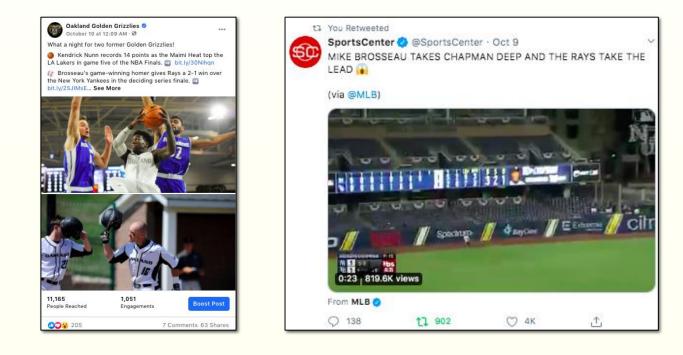
# **Collaboration and Engagement**

- Campus collaborations
- Student-athlete community service
- Social media
  - September 2020 March 2021: More than 4.3 million combined social media impressions
  - $\circ$  Golden Grizzlies in the pros



## Mike Brosseau and Kendrick Nunn

- National Media Coverage
- More than 30 stories reaching more than 22 million people
- More than 20 broadcast mentions totaling more than 3 million people





### Mike Brosseau and Kendrick Nunn



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# **Diversity, Equity and Inclusion**

- Athletics departmentwide programming
- Four-part series led by Dr. Tommy Shavers
- Athletics Diversity and Inclusion Council
- Monthly diversity and inclusion forums



Jenna Schroeder, Current NBA official, former OU women's basketball student-athlete

# eSports Update

#### OAKLAND UNIVERSITY.

- Created December 2019
  - First Division I Varsity program
    in Michigan
- Three games
  - Rocket League
  - League of Legends
  - **o** Super Smash Bros Ultimate
- 14 Student Athletes
  - Fall Team GPA = 3.34







#### February 27th 2021, CLOL Nationals

**Oakland eliminates Michigan and advances to playoffs** 

### eSports Update

#### OAKLAND UNIVERSITY.

#### Competitive Successes

- Six current eSports athletes rank in top
  .5% of all players in North America in
  their respective games (including
  professional players).
- Rocket League
  - Won Michigan Michigan Esports Conference (9-1 record)
  - Finished in the Top 50 n the College Rocket League National Qualifiers (250+ teams)



## eSports Update

- League of Legends
  - Finished in the Top 40 in North America in National Tournament (400+ teams)
- Super Smash Bros Ultimate
  - Finished 3rd in Campus Tech League
- Future Plans
  - Adding the game "Overwatch" starting in Fall 2021
  - Roster will increase from 14
    student-athletes to over 20









Honors College

Words by Graeme Harper, Dean

> Artwork by Isaac Brault, Age 12











"My Honors College experience was tremendous, and vital to my growth as a student. While maintaining a rigorous schedule as a studentathlete, I was able to expand my academic opportunities in multiple curricular areas and meet so many motivated students that shared my love of learning." Former OU student athlete Mychal Thom, Chief Diversity Officer, Concordia University St-Paul. s on Wheels Pontiac Youth Assistance Rochester Hills Public Library United Way Oakland County house - Oakland County - Pet Adoption Center Mentors Plus Mathnasium Mathis Community Center ersity of Michigan Medicine Mott Children's Hospital Hawk Woods Nature Center Camp Copneconic Great Caring Hospice Grace Centers of Hope Pontiac Habitat for Humanity Rochester Music Conservatory Camp Angels of Horse Headed Header of Congen Lym Header Association NED Scholar Paws for Life in Hope Medical Subart Gold and Congent Lym Header Of Life Scholar Scholar Music roads of Michigan Lymon Denig Concentration Years Interference Header Header Header Scholar Frest Foundation y Education Project The Rainbow Connection No Place Like Home Rescue of Michigan Provide Kids Without er Ascension Craction Hospital Halenwyck Hospital Michigan Charles Society Humble Design ing Families Full Control Control Control Control of the Hereiner Clark Society Guardian for als Cure Internation Control Relation Control Co Assistance League of Southeastern MI Michigan Work Matters Michigan Scholastic Cycling Association al Olympics [Forever Friends Network Cycle-Re-Cycle Fleece and Thank You Art Road Corporation bags of Hope IMinistries Every and Hohman Inside at Aite and Frederic The Pink Fund The Blood er Foundation (Rochester Vetering) Inside at Aite Curry I Carbon Oxfor of Hope Genesee County at for Humanitnd Family Services of Willice Stern MI Kusty Wanter Foundation ing Arts Center Charlotte's s Giving Songs Girlz N Tune Flint River Watershed Coalition The BRAVO Foundation Food Gatherers r House Michigan Team Guts Last Day Dog Rescue St Clair Butterfly Foundation Mission of Hope er FundDetroit Dog Rescue Animals and Society Institute Detroit Area Diaper Bank Every Girls Dream Foster t of MI Goodwill Industries of West MI Miss Sawyers Kids With a Cause Impact Equine The Ian ens Foundation Michigan Armed Forces Hospitality Center Amyloidosis Foundation Arts League of MI ran With Hair Long Forester Erianda Natwork Citale De Citale Fleese and Themly Veri Vering Deenlag Della







Thank You







### **Dr. C. Michelle Piskulich**

- To receive Distinguished Woman Award at MI-ACE Annual Conference in June
- Outstanding leadership at OU and in the community, including as Interim Provost
- Played a central role in navigating OU through the pandemic
- Distinguished advocate for women and catalyst for change

#### Katherine Golder, Senior Academic Adviser in FYAC

2020-21 Outstanding Academic Adviser

#### **Professor Jo Reger**

- Renowned scholar of feminist social movements
- Recently completed multi-year term as editor of the top ranked "Gender and Society," official publication for sociology and women's studies







### **Distinguished Women in STEM**

#### **Associate Dean Beth Zou**

Cofounder of the Automotive Tribology Center

#### **Kristen Landis-Piwowar**

 Biomedical Diagnostic and Therapeutic Sciences faculty member

#### **Amy Banes Berceli**

Instrumental in developing bachelor's in biomedical sciences





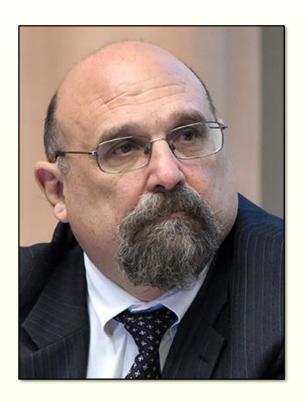






### Vic Zambardi

Vice President, Office of Legal Affairs, General Counsel and Secretary to the OU Board of Trustees



- 23 years of exceptional legal counsel
- Lead legal strategist representing OU in a range of legal matters
- Provided excellent support to Board of Trustees

"Oakland University has always provided a purpose larger than any personal achievement."



### **Kevin Corcoran**

#### Dean, College of Arts and Sciences

- Exceptional academic leader
- Known for engaging and memorable commencement addresses
- Passionate leader for the OU-Pontiac Initiative, and advocate for community engagement
- Legacy of compassion, inclusivity, collaboration, curiosity, creativity and stewardship



# **THANK YOU**