



UPLIFT VALPO

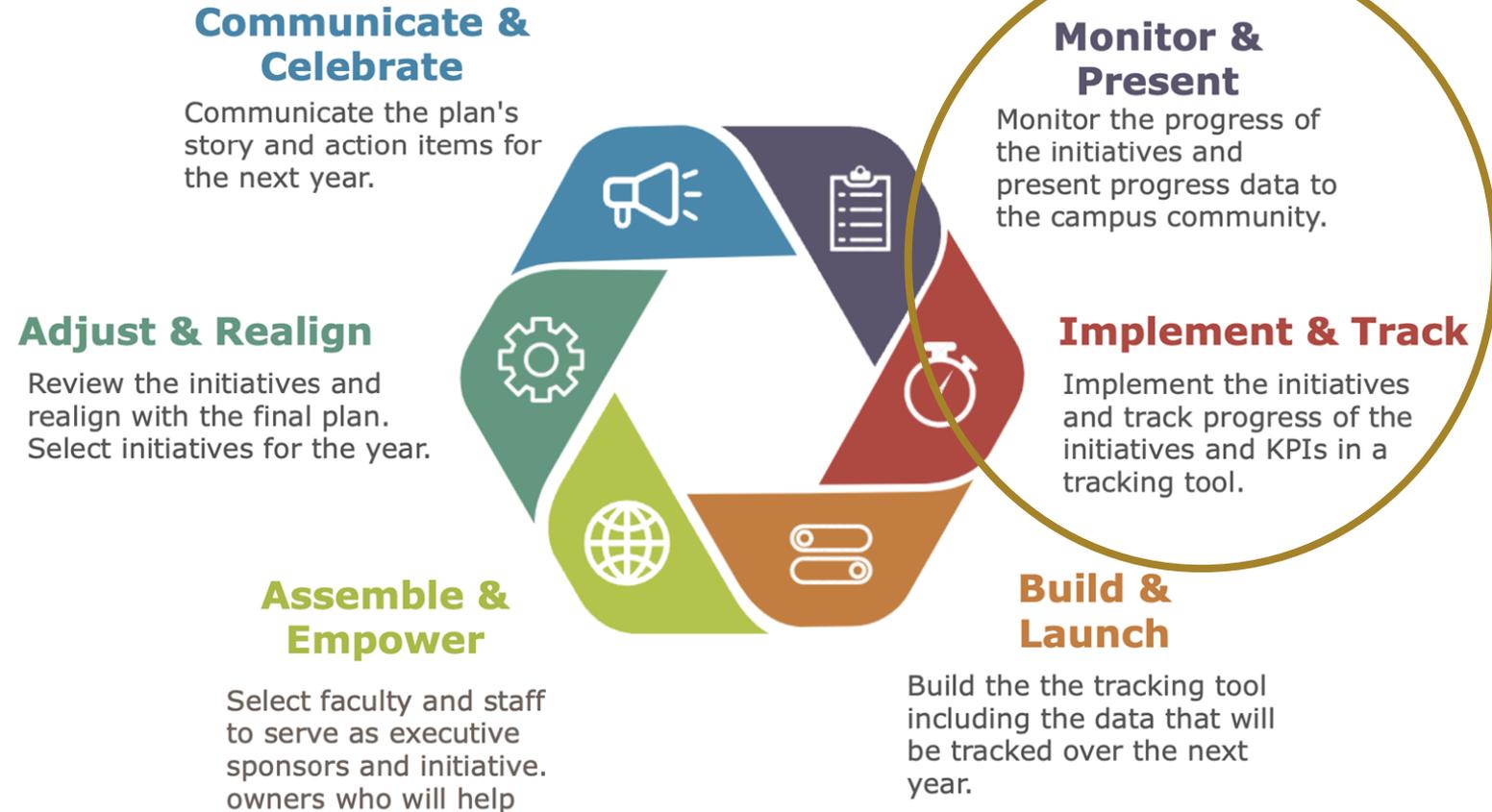
A BEACON FOR OUR JOURNEY FORWARD

Learn. Serve. Lead. Thrive.

Implementation Progress

We are here!

- Twelve Teams Working on Initiatives
 - All teams have made progress
 - Developing Strategies
 - Taking Action



Strategic Action





Prioritized Initiatives – LEARN

- LEARN 1 – Valpo Connect
Created Sustainability Scholar Program
- LEARN 2 – Reimagine General Education

The Valpo Experience

- **- Incorporating Leadership and Service**
- LEARN 3 – Strengthen Arts and Humanities

Stories captured; building relationships among programs





Prioritized Initiatives – SERVE

- SERVE 1 – Many Ways to be Valpo – Student-Centered Campus
Streamlining student business processes and practices
- SERVE 2 – Transfer Friendly Transformation
Evaluating practices, identifying gaps, proposing changes to better serve students





Prioritized Initiatives – SERVE

- SERVE 3 – Valpo Success Initiative (Access College)
Creation of two-year associates degree complete
- SERVE 4 – Valpo Bloom Program
Expanded to four-year program
- SERVE 5 – Sustainability
Finished 19/105 in Campus Race to Zero Waste Comp.





Prioritized Initiatives – LEAD

- LEAD 1 – We Are Valpo – Leadership in Action
Application started; Leadership portfolio envisioned
- LEAD 2 - Build to Our Future – Evaluate construction of new Athletics and College of Nursing and Health Profession buildings
Planning started; working group formed





Prioritized Initiatives – THRIVE

- THRIVE 1 – Caring for Faculty and Staff
Data gathered, analyzed; survey conducted
- THRIVE 2 – Enrollment – Advance to HSI

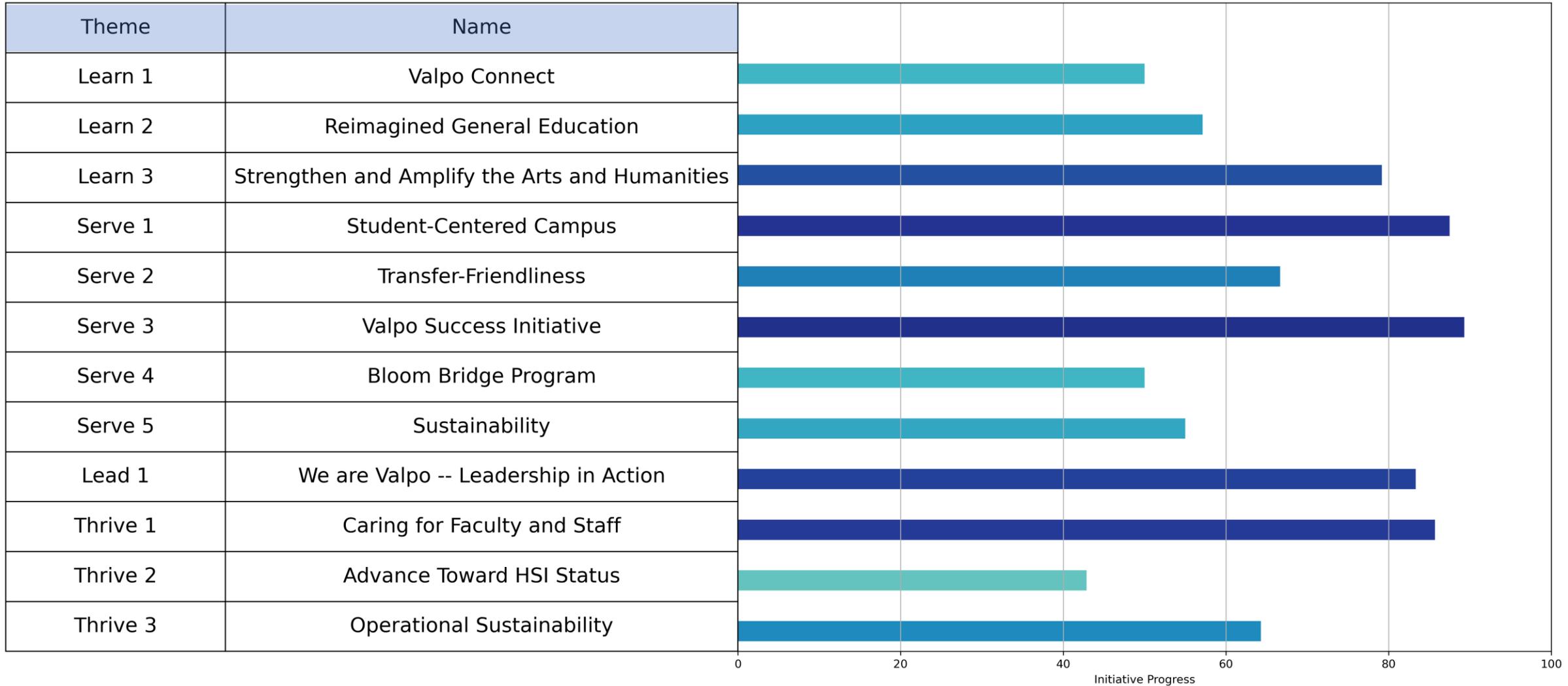
Established ¡VALE!; Campus Roadshow begins

- THRIVE 3 – Operational Sustainability

Structures defined; alternative scenarios developed



Year 1 Initiative Progress



Overall Initiative Progress = 67.6%



Initiative Impact

- Valpo Connect
 - 35 acceptances; waitlist
 - 31 different majors represented in applicant pool

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| Total Applicants | 65 |
| Deposited (when applied) | 11 |
| Deposited after applied | 17 |

- Access College

| Direct Applicants | | |
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| Applications | Admits | Deposits |
| 21 | 3 | 0 |
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| Referred Applicants | | |
| Applications | Admits | Deposits |
| 80 | 70 | 22 |

* Note: Metrics are as of Friday, April 21, 2023



Initiative Impact cont.

- Advance to HSI
 - Top 10 App. Majors: Nursing, Business (Undecided), Undecided/Exploratory, Psychology, Biology, Criminology, Mechanical Engineering, Computer Science, Education: Elementary, Health Science
- Bloom Program
 - 20 different majors represented in applicant pool
 - Reimagined as a four-year program – not just a summer bridge

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| Applicants | 1193 |
| Admits | 972 |
| Deposits | 70 |

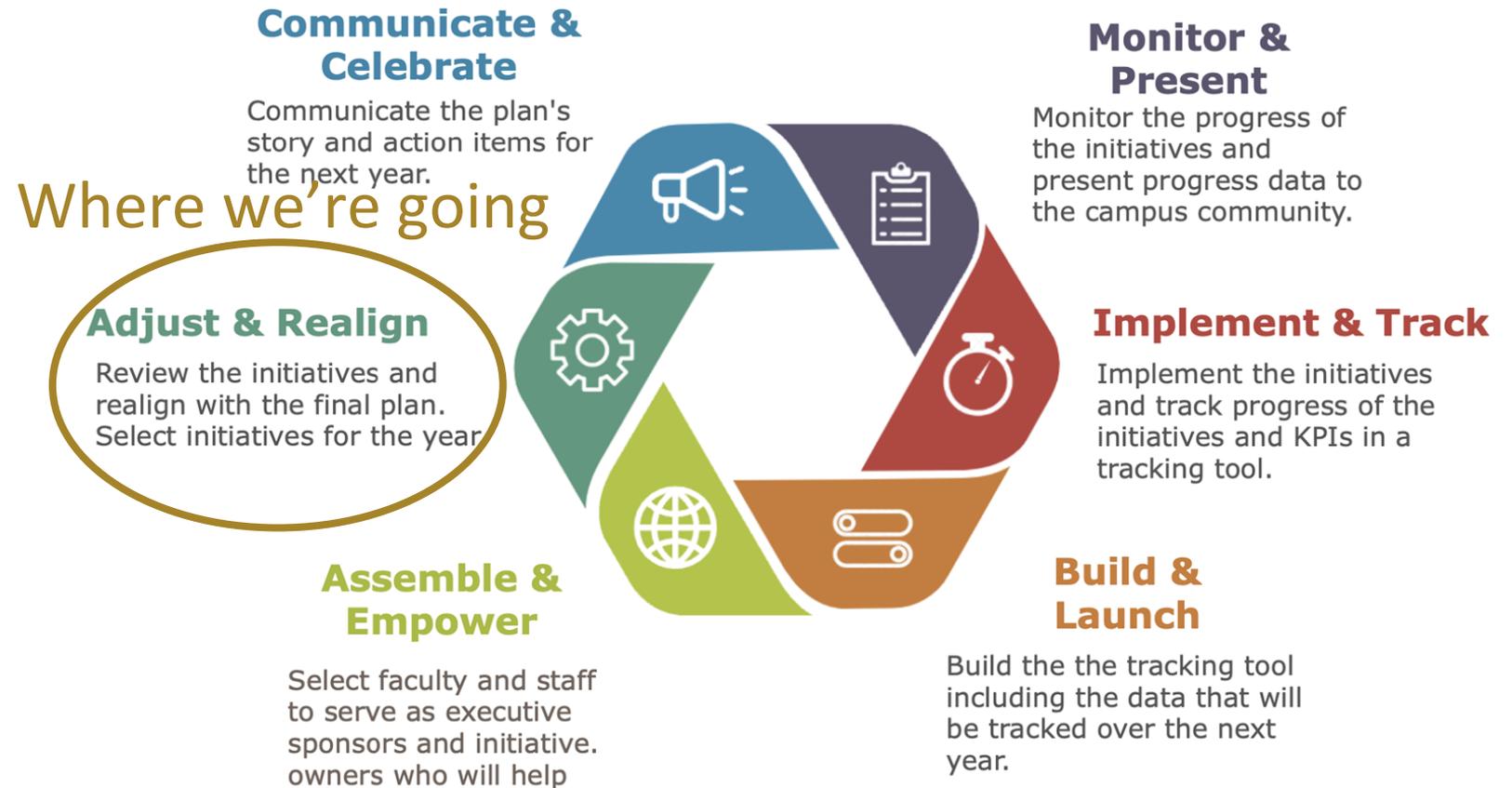
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| Invitations Sent | 2400 |
| Applicants | 32 |
| Deposits | 20 |

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Implementation Progress

- Year 2 Implementation



Strategic Action



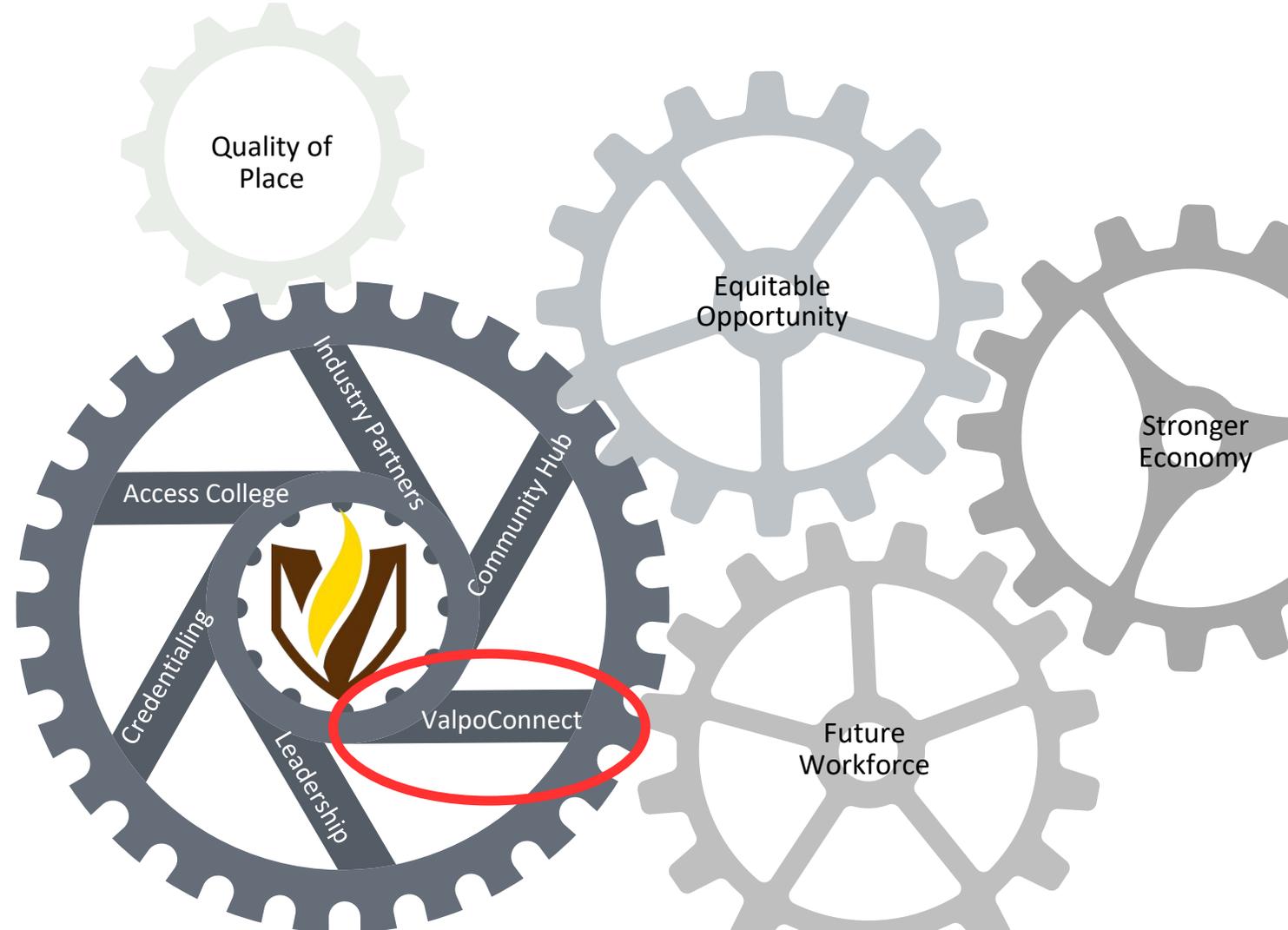
Lilly Planning Grant Implementation: College & Community Collaboration

"A Beacon for a Future Workforce"

ValpoConnect

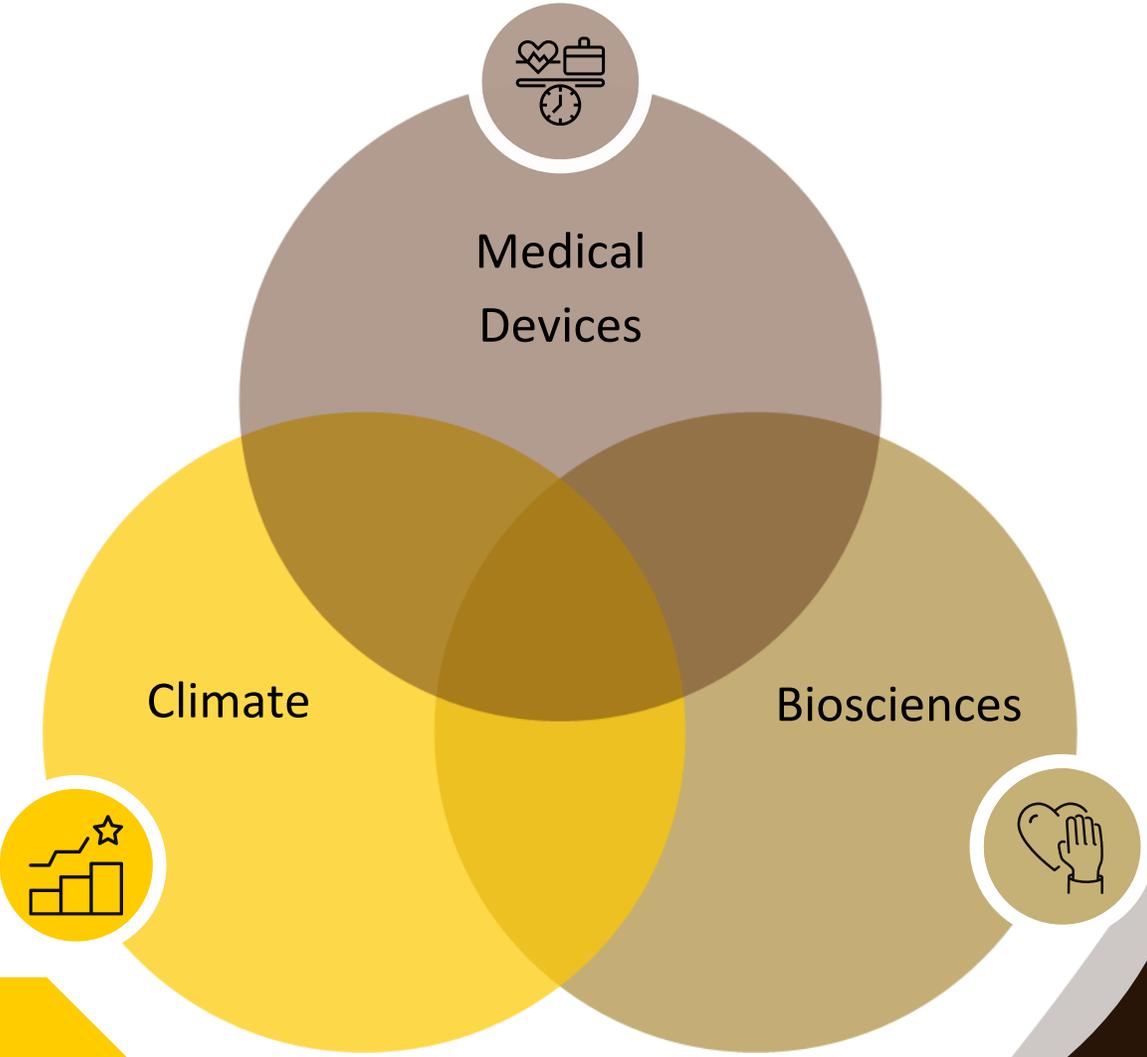
Goal: Develop a Bioeconomy in
NWI

How is Valpo developing a
workforce for this economy?



VALPO CONNECT

Biosciences Manufacturing Center



Define 3 Areas of Biosciences Manufacturing Center

What would be the programming & curriculum framework?

What would you need funding for?

STEP 1: IDEATION GROUP SESSION

Thursday, June 1, 2023 - Ideation workshop

- Harre Union Ballroom
- \$100 stipend for participation
- 30 faculty

10 a.m. - noon session 1

noon - 1 p.m. lunch provided

1 p.m. - 3 p.m. session 2

SIGN UP HERE



Keep Up to Date!

- Periodic Updates to Campus and on Strategic Plan Website
<https://www.valpo.edu/uplift-valpo>

Questions?



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