



Siyaphumelela 2.0 Partner Convening Meeting

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2020-2023

The golden thread

Using data
more
effectively:

- to improve the student experience and
- identify, remove or redesign systemic obstacles to student success

Always with
transformation
at the centre
of our
philosophy

Alignment of processes

- Governance
- Reporting
- Monitoring and evaluation
- Budgeting



2023-2024

Building 4 strong pillars

DATA



STRUCTURES



ADVISING



ETHICS



What we learned along the way

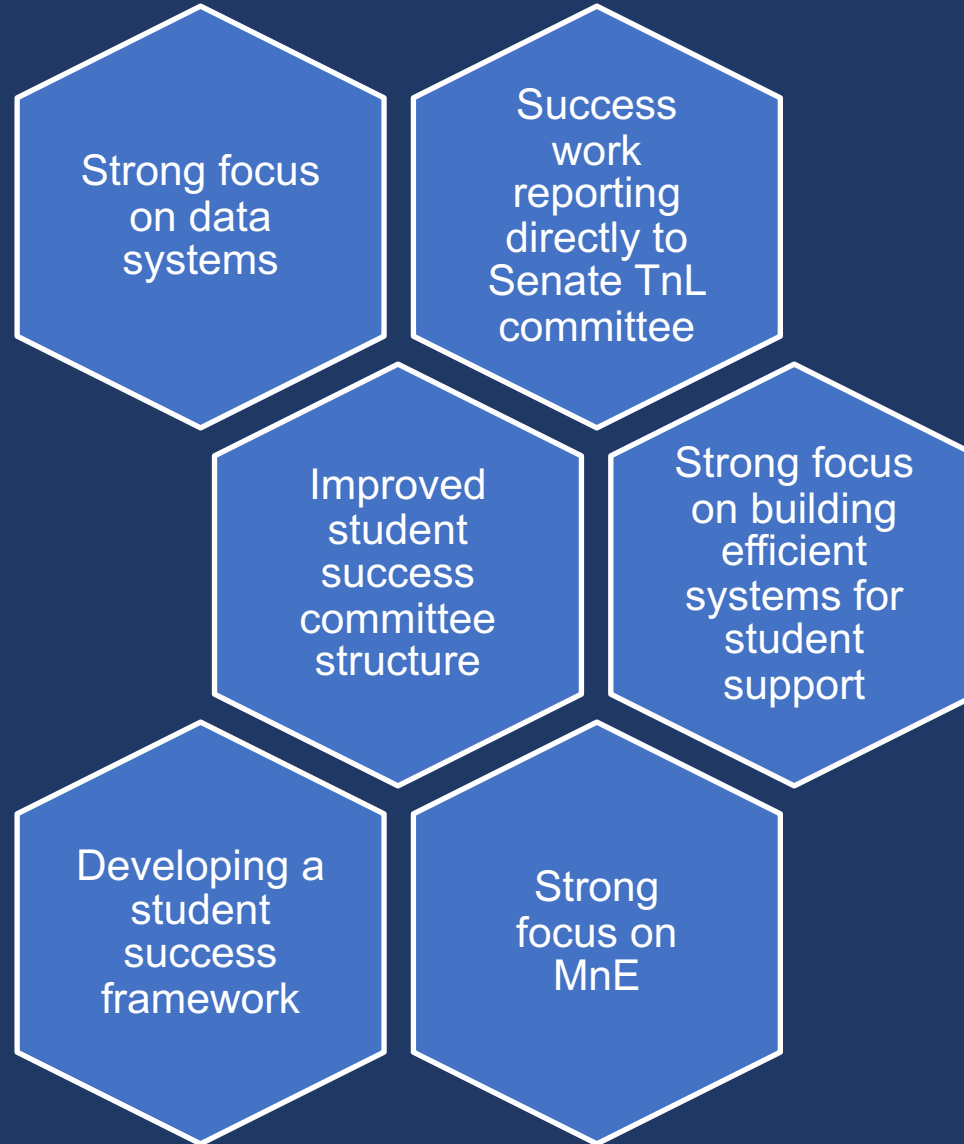
Challenges to scaling

- Lack of resource alignment
- Territorialism
- Competition for attention
- Lack of visibility
- Overloaded capacity
- Limited bandwidth for innovation
- Structural impermanence
- Structural inflexibility

MORE RESOURCES OR BETTER STRUCTURES AND GREATER EFFICIENCY

Next steps...

Siyaphumelela 3.0



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Objective 1

- This objective addresses the challenges students face due to inadequate academic advising and timely assistance.
- **Therefore, our objective is to develop a comprehensive data analytics framework tailored for academic advising purposes.**
- We will employ a case study approach to develop a model for data-enabled Academic Advising, starting with one Faculty for roll out to other Faculties

Objective 2

- Our proposed approach emphasizes the creation of a cohesive system of support mechanisms, structures, and practices within the university's Teaching and Learning ecosystem.
- **Leveraging data-enabled Academic Advising, we will track, monitor, and direct at-risk students to appropriate support services, thereby addressing potential interruptions to their academic progression.**
- In this objective we will establish and test an integrated advising system within at least one Faculty as a case study for roll out to other Faculties

Objective 3

- This objective is to establish a **methodology for developing a student success and retention framework.**
- **Coupled with evaluation of the effectiveness MnE of each component within the student support system.**
- In this objective we will establish and test within at least one Faculty as a case study for roll out to other faculties