

All Staff Forum

20 May 2022

Agenda

- **Welcome + Vice-Chancellor's update** –
Professor Attila Brungs (40 mins)
- **Q&A** - facilitated by Professor Anne Simmons (30 mins)
- **Strategy in action** (15 minutes)
 - Australian Human Rights Institute - *Professor Justine Nolan*
 - Enhancing the Student Experience - *Martin Borchert, Librarian*
 - Research impact: Recycling & Clean Energy Trailblazer -
Professor Renate Egan
- **Closing remarks** – *Professor Attila Brungs*

Detail from 'Awelye' 1997 by Ada Bird Petyarre, UNSW Art Collection



Impressions

- Staff excellence
- Commitment to purpose
- Collaboration





Highlights

- Academic Excellence
 - UNSW receives \$4.7m to pursue health prevention research
 - Australian Graduate School of Engineering
 - UNSW Course Design Institute
- Innovation and Engagement
 - Trailblazers and CRC
- Social Impact
 - Decarbonisation
 - Bushfire Management
 - Canberra young women in engineering

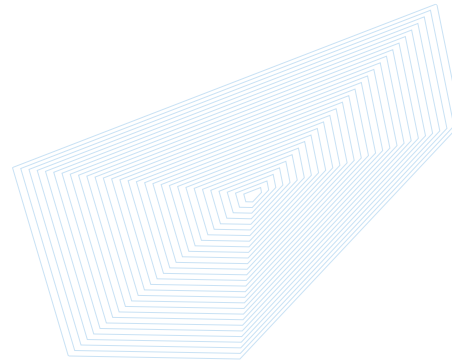
Financial stability

- 2021 end of year positive circa \$300m
 - Government research support
 - Income increase (incl Education Australia)
 - COVID spending constraints
- Managing future challenges





Social

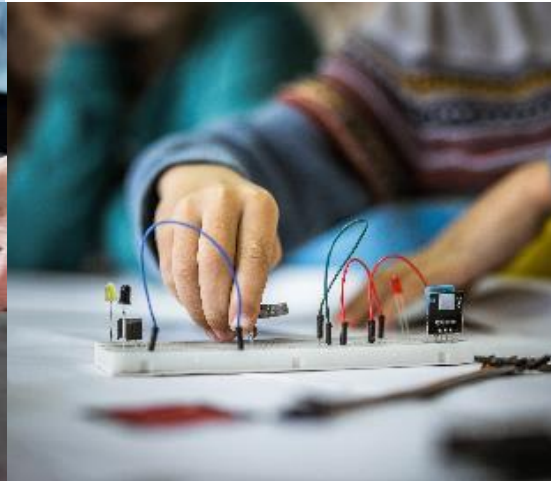


Disruption in multiple spheres

Geopolitical



Industry



**Government &
regulatory**

Higher education

Converging insights

- Student expectations continue to change
- Staff priorities include emerging themes from The Ideas Hub:
 - Our community and collaboration; exciting new approaches, reduce red tape and bureaucracy, increase transparency, staff fatigue after a big two years
 - Operations; facilities and campus, hybrid modes, best of COVID learning, support staff flexibility
 - Increase engagement; social impact, industry engagement, volunteering
 - Academic excellence; course syllabus and systems, optimise 3+, lifelong learning.
- Partners' priorities

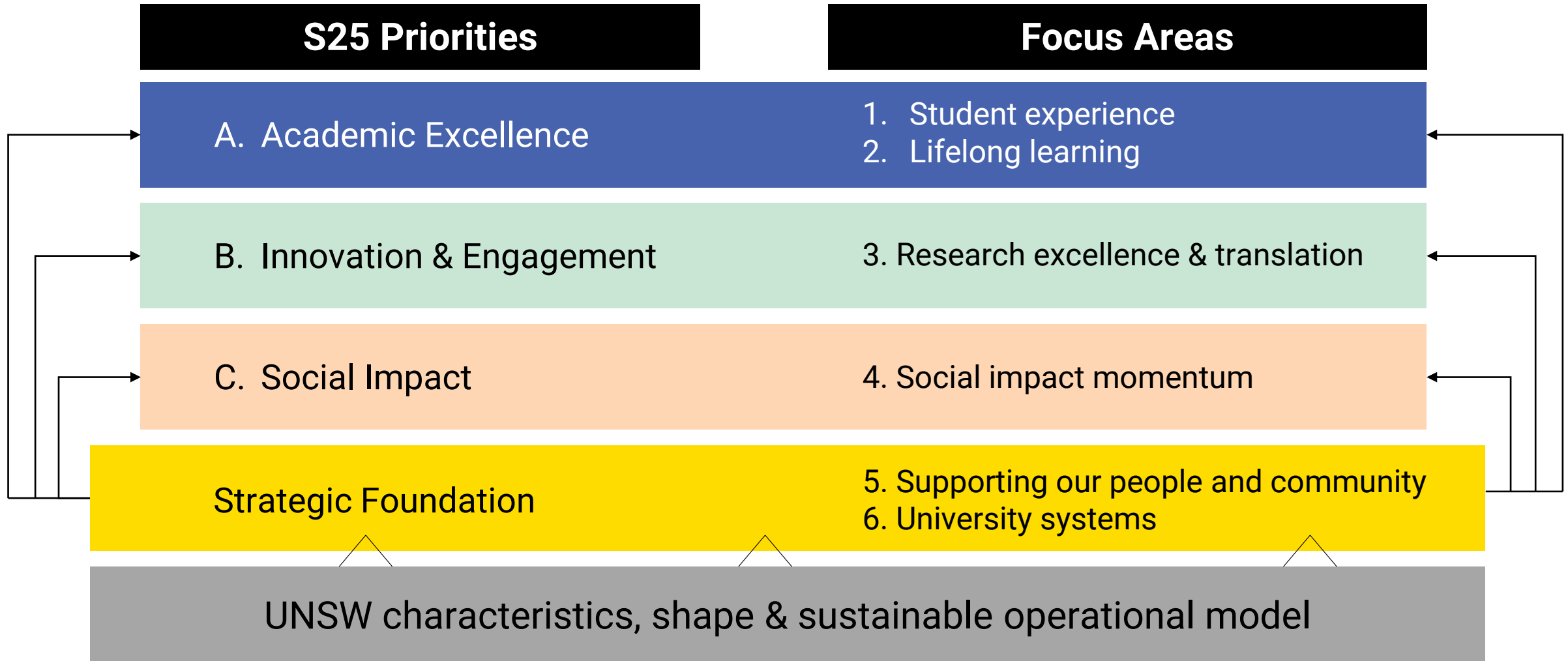




UNSW 2025 Strategy: Excellent progress

- UNSW has made significant progress on S25.
- Many achievements have been made amid the upheaval of the pandemic.
- UNSW ensured educational, research and professional functions continued effectively, while remaining true to S25 and our vision.

S25 Focus Areas



Thank you!