



Partnering in Mutually Beneficial Ways With Urban Raleigh

Current Status and Future Visions

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Individual Efforts Across Our Colleges, Departments, & Units

- 80+ Projects and programs in the Raleigh Urban Area by individual faculty members (often engaging students)
- Lack of clear identification of innovative engagement that is not connected to external/extramural funding sources
- Partnerships of individual faculty members with other higher education institutions. These partnerships may not be communicated beyond the project.

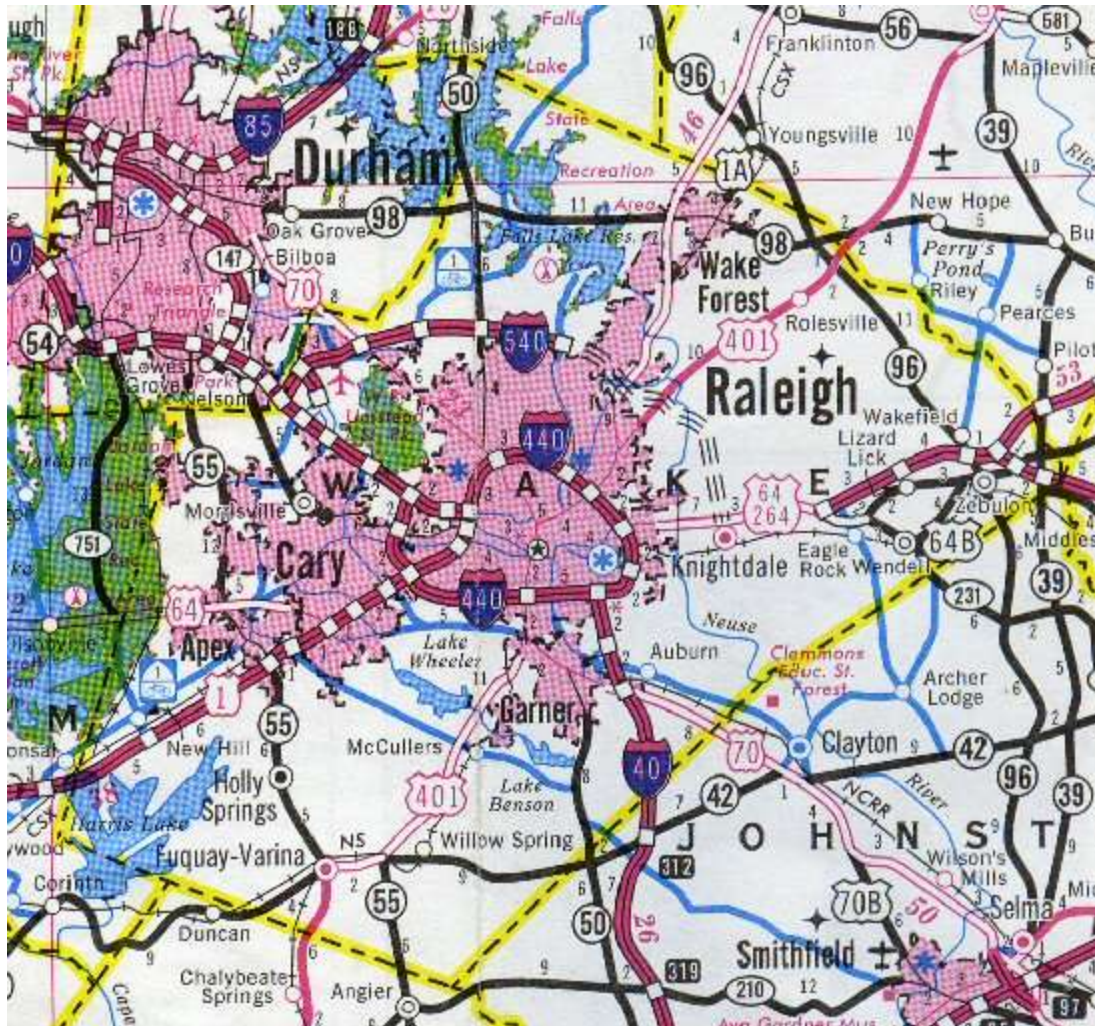
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- Potential for greater funding if contiguous projects and program areas are communicated.

Possible Future: The Multi-Institutional Cafe

- **How are we currently engaging the people and neighborhoods of Raleigh/Durham Urban Area as “Higher Education Institutions”?**
- **What can we do better if we collaborate?**

Possible Future: Mapping Programs & Impact?





The Foundation on which we Build

✓ Engagement “7 Part Test”

- 1. Responsiveness**
- 2. Respect for Partners**
- 3. Academic Neutrality**
- 4. Accessibility**
- 5. Integration**
- 6. Coordination**
- 7. Resource Partnerships**

The Foundation on which we Build:

- ✓ **Program Leadership**
- ✓ **Existing Partnerships & Success**
- ✓ **New Partner Engagement**
 - ✓ **Across Institutions**
 - ✓ **Networks addressing same community issue – *EX: STEM***
- ✓ **Infrastructure Support**
- ✓ **Institutional Policies**



Potential Future: Infrastructure for Urban Engagement Initiatives

What Are Next Steps?

- **How can we create a structure that encourages and facilitates interdisciplinary work and multi-institutional partnerships around priority issues?**



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- **How can we develop mechanisms for better communication between and among faculty across higher education institutions?**

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What Are Next Steps?

- **Develop a collaborative Partnership Board? (Inreach and Outreach)**
 - **Across Institutions of Higher Education**
 - **With Communities of Place & Community Partners**
- **Others ???**

