Initiative Start Semester/Month	2017													2018												2019											
Initiatives	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Finalize approval of interdepartmental data sciences major.		Undergraduate major approved Spring 2017.																																		
Appoint Task Force to assess viability of interdepartmental research program in data sciences.									Handled by the signature research areas task force. Report sent to heads and deans May 2017.																												
Review and revise promotion and tenure criteria and processes.										Task force created to begin work August 2017.																												
Appoint Task Force that includes members from other colleges to define level of scientific literacy reasonably expected for all graduates from Purdue.																																				
Submit proposal to University Undergraduate Curriculum Committee for adoption of learning objectives to achieve scientific literacy.																																				
Each Department will have a first year orientation course approved that is available to all majors in their Department.			Offerings completed and available August 2017.																																	
Admission of first students to data sciences major.																																				
Appoint Task Force to assess and recommend means to optimize Science Education programs.																																				
Create and appoint a **Staff** Professional Development Committee to develop and implement a professional development program for staff members.		Committee appointed January 2017 and began work.																																		
Create and Appoint a **Faculty** Professional Development Committee to develop and implement a professional development program for faculty.			Committee appointed March 2017 and began work.																																	
Appoint a Task Force to develop a transparent process for identifying key signature areas for investment.			Task Force created and began meeting March 2017. Report sent to heads and deans May 2017.																																	
Identify key opportunities to align faculty hires with areas of focus in newly established research institutes.				Met with Institute Directors to discuss hiring April 17, 2017.																																	
Appoint Task Force to create a roadmap for developing national prominence.																																				
Appoint a Task Force to review and recommend revisions to criteria and process.																																				
K-12 engagement assessed and plan to optimize developed.																																				
Appoint a Career Development Committee to develop a comprehensive and integrated approach to career development.																																				
Task Force appointed to develop strategy, which should include implementation plan.																																				
Fulfill campaign goal of $117 MM in philanthropic support.																																				
Structure for prioritizing and initiating college-level global partnerships put in place.																																				