

The Four Mission Statement Drafts

Mission Statement (Approved 2004)

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Senate / Council - Sub Committee revision: Mission Statement

Eastern Oregon University . . . beautiful setting, small size, personal attention

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In its teaching and research, EOU draws on the cultural, environmental, and social strengths of the region, and works in partnerships for sustainable growth and development.

As the only four-year university in the eastern half of the state, EOU brings higher education opportunities to the underserved communities and people of Oregon and beyond.

University Council - Approved revision of the 2004 Mission Statement (May 5, 2008)

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Mission statement from Repositioning Plan Jan. 2, 2008

EOU is an exemplary student-centered institution. As an educational, cultural and scholarly center, we are dedicated to serving rural Oregon and beyond through intellectually challenging and flexible programs of instruction, faculty and student research, and civic engagement. We have a special commitment to the educational, social, cultural and economic needs and benefits of eastern Oregon.