

USG Strategic Planning Workgroup Membership & Goals

USG's Fiscal Model

Goal: USG will develop an unparalleled innovative framework for a fiscal model that is diversified, scalable, and sustainable and that builds on the value of USG's expertise and services for all partners.

John Farley (Co-Chair)	USG - Acting Chief Financial Officer
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Mike Priddy	USG BOA - Owner, Interim HealthCare and CEO & Founder, Intervise Inc.
Bob Youngentob	USG BOA - CEO, EYA,LLC
PJ Hogan	USG BOA - Principal, Cornerstone Government Affairs
Anthony Foster	USM- Associate Vice Chancellor for Accountability and Planning
Bob Page	USM - Assoc. Vice Chancellor, Financial Affairs
Craig Rice	USG BOA - Montgomery County Council, Chair Education & Culture
	Committee
Rick Staisloff (Co-Chair)	rpkGROUP - Founder & Senior Partner
Larry Rosenblum	Montgomery County Business Hall of Fame Chair & Former Partner
	Grossberg CPA
Jared Solomon	Montgomery County Delegate - District 18
Erin Ward	USG - Manager of Administration
Lily Qi	Montgomery County Delegate - District 15 (USG's District)
John Zuknick	USG - Director, Economic Development & Workforce Initiatives
Chris Austin	CEO-Partner at Flagship Pioneering
Bilky Adama Okoh	USG Business Office, Manager

Pathways to Workforce

Goal: USG will collaborate to create equity-centered, evidence-informed, life-long learning pathways across Montgomery County that offer learners preeminent education and meet the future workforce needs. Key features include comprehensive academic planning across a pathway from pre-K to J and beyond, a career-ready focus, employer inclusion, support services to meet every learner where they are, and collaboration with all of our academic partners.

Robyn Dinicola (Co-Chair)	USG - Chief Student Affairs Officer
Steve Hull	USG BOA - USG Executive Committee Member, Founder of Bethesda
	Magazine
Don Lo	USG BOA -Director, Division of Preclinical Innovation at NCATS, NIH
Annica Wayman	UMBC - Associate Dean for Shady Grove Affairs
John Marino	IBBR/NIST - Interim Co-Director IBBR & Group Director, NIST
Patrick Killion	UMCP - Director, FIRE
Scott Murphy	MCPS - Director of College and Career Readiness Programs
Monica Brown	Montgomery College - Sr. VP Student Affairs
Nancy Leopold	Nancy Leopold Consulting, Former Co-Founder/Exec. Director for College
	Tracks
Tony Hawkins (Co-Chair)	Frederick Community College, Provost



Kim Cosler	USG - SAS Program Manager
Joan Pittman	UMB - Program Director, MSW
Jen Riehl	USG, Senior Recruitment Coordinator, CSEF
Freidricka Camille	USG - ACES Coordinator
Upneet Atwal	Montgomery County Senior Land Use & Transportation Aide, APA
	Diversity Fellow
Cinthia Martinez Lopez	UMCP (Marketing)

Innovation in Academic Planning

Goal: USG will create an innovative, comprehensive, pathway-focused method for academic planning that is continuously informed by evidence to meet the needs of the workforce and future learners.

Mary Lang (Co-Chair)	USG - Chief Strategy Officer
Eric Lin	USG BOA- Director, Material Measurement Laboratory at NIST
Charles Barnett	USG BOA -SVP, Engineering at Hughes Network Systems, LLC
MJ Bishop	USM, Kirwan Center Director
Betsy Beise	UMCP - Assoc. Provost for Academic Planning & Programs
Toni Coleman	USM - Assoc. Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs
Chris Steele	UMBC -Vice Provost Division of Professional Studies & Executive Director,
	The Shriver Center
Sanjay Rai	Montgomery College - SVP for Academic Affairs
Joyce Fuhrmann	USG - Director, BSE Operations & STEM Initiatives
Candace Caraco (Co-Chair)	UB - Associate Provost
Dr. Samuel Graham	UMCP - Dean, Clarke School of Engineering
Parisa Meisami	USG - STEM Coordinator
Diane Alonso	UMBC - Program Director, Psychology
Marcio Oliveira	UMCP - AVP Academic Technology & Innovation
Jennifer Schnur	TU-Program Director for the Elementary Education and Special Education
	Undergraduate Programs at USG
Francisco Cartagena	UMBC-Graduate Student in Cyber Security
Bracamonte	
Franklin Ofsthun	USG-Library Services Specialist

Infrastructure & Operations

Goal: USG will develop, support and implement resilient infrastructure, facilities, services and operational practices that fosters long term planning; sustains renewal and growth; adjusts to meet regulatory compliances; and enhances safety and security through collaboration, efficiency, knowledge management, and analytics to support the transformation to USG 2.0.

Jane Briggs (Co-Chair)	USG - Director of Facilities
Michael Eismeier	USM - Assistant Vice Chancellor for IT and Interim CIO
(Co-Chair)	
Erin Fernandez	USG - Manager, Space & Scheduling
Juan Pablo Camacho	USG - Associate Director, OIT



Paul Jackson	USG - Facilities and Planning, Planning Manager
Maureen Kotlas	UMDCP-Executive Director of Environmental Safety, Sustainability & Risk
Karen McDonald	UMCP-Assistant Director, Compensation and Classification UHR
Adam Reid	Public Safety Security, Montgomery County
Judith Worthington	USG - Executive Administration
Ambush	
Mark Beck	USM - Director, Capital Planning
Jim Johnson	IBBR - Director, Facilities and Lab Services
Axel Persaud	UMCP - Asst. VP DIT - EE
Obioma Akaigwe	USG - Manager, Auxiliary Services
Ryan Yu	Daly Computers, President

Career Ready Students

Goal: USG will build a collaborative, equity-centered learner experience at USG centered on career competencies, experiential learning, and cutting-edge mentorship.

Robyn Dinicola	USG - Chief Student Affairs Officer
Julia Rader (Co-Chair)	USG - Director CISC
Shirley Brandman	USG BOA - Chair
Demetrius Johnson	Bowie State - VP for Student Affairs
Tonya Mason	Montgomery College - Dean, Student Services
Katherine Zmoda	USG - Program Manager, Lab for Entrepreneurship
Marc Steren	USG - Founding Director of Entrepreneurship
Eileen Harrington	USG - Asst. Director, Priddy Library, Health & Life Sciences Librarian
Babette Gutmann	Westat - VP & Practice Director, Educational Studies
(Co-Chair)	
Sara Wells	USG - ACES Career Readiness Manager
Tom Clifford	USG - Major Gifts Director
Karen Crews	MCPS - Director, School Counseling Services
Michelle Marcellino	UMCP, Director of Programs at USG
Emily Samuels	Graduate Student Association - UMBC Data Science
Eisley Del Rosario	Student Council- TU - Early Childhood

Community Wealth Building

Goal: USG will lead a system-changing approach to shared economic prosperity, equity, and ecological sustainability through learner/student success that meets future workforce needs, and through conscientious decision making that impacts the distribution of wealth in the County and the region.

Richee Smith-Andrews	USG - Chief Advancement Officer
(Co-Chair)	
Kevin Beverly	USG BOA - Vice-Chair, Former CEO, Social & Scientific Systems
Marty Rosendale	USG BOA - CEO, Maryland Tech Council
Jessica Hanff	IBBR - Asst. Director, Finance & Admin



Ralph Hall	Virginia Tech - School of Public & International Affairs
Belinda Coleman	USG BOA - President & CEO, The Coleman Group
Will Jawando	Montgomery County Council, E&C/PHED Committee
Brendon Miller	Washington Area Community Investment Fund - Chief Development & Communications Officer
Sarah McKinley	Democracy Collaborative
David Flinchbaugh	UMB School of Social Work, Assoc. Dean, Development & Alumni Relations
Judith Worthington Ambush	USG - Executive Administrative Assistant
Anthony Featherstone (Co-Chair)	WorkSource Montgomery, Executive Director
Larry Walker	USG BOA - President, The Walker Group
Nadia Khan	MCEDC-special projects manager

Data (Evidence) for Pathways & Planning

Goal: USG will establish long term data excellence and thought leadership as the heartbeat of the educational ecosystem for innovating pathways and leading comprehensive planning for learners of the future.

Chris Saxton (Co-Chair)	USG - Director of Information Technology
Rose Jackson-Speiser	USG - Research & Data Coordinator
Jorge Restrepo	USG BOA - CEO & Founder of EurekaFacts
Anne Kaiser	USG BOA - Delegate, MD General Assembly
Gayle Fink (Co-Chair)	Bowie State - Assistant Vice President for Institutional Effectiveness
John Fritz	UMBC - Assoc. VP, Instructional Technology & New Media
Chad Muntz	USM - Assist. Vice Chancellor, Institutional Research, Data & Analytics
John Hamman	Montgomery College - Chief Analytics & Insights Officer
Natalie Wolanin	MCPS - Program Evaluation Analyst
Judy Streeter	USG - Project Manager Career Competencies
Russell Schlosburg	USG - Assist. Director, Information Support Services
Cheryl Green	USG - Development Coordinator
Sharon LaVoy	UMCP- Assistant Vice President for Institutional Research, Planning and
	Assessment

Diversity, Equity & Inclusion

Goal: USG will develop and implement a culture that values diversity, equity, and inclusion as foundational to the work of USG 2.0 and our partners to achieve mission excellence.

Annie Foster Ahmed	USG - Director, MCAS, Chair, USM Women's Forum
Kevin Beverly	USG- BOA Vice-Chair, Former CEO at Social & Scientific Systems
Sharon Bland	Montgomery College, Equity & Inclusion Officer
Tanisha Briley	Gaithersburg City Council, City Manager



Zakiya Lee	USM - Assistant Vice Chancellor for Academic & Student Affairs
Irene Munster (Co-Chair)	USG, Director Priddy Library
Andy Schell (Co-Chair)	HR Manager – Benefits & Diversity at Chesapeake Bay Foundation
Nitshu Joshi	USG- Manager, Human Resources
Chelsea Moyer	UMBC -Director, UMBC @ USG
Kaitlin Mills	USG - Coordinator, Testing and Disability Support Services
Jonathan Kandell	USG - Director, Center for Counseling and Consultation
Greta Ober-Beauchesne	USG-Senior Instruction/Liaison Librarian
Zandra Rawlinson	UB - Associate Director, Learning and Development
Marilyn Lynk	Adventist HealthCare, Executive Director & Faculty in public health
	management and health equity, diversity and inclusion, and leadership
	development

Activating the Flywheel for USG 2.0

Goal: USG will make a compelling case and plan for the successful implementation of USG 2.0 and transformative change in the educational ecosystem of the County and State.

Ike Leggett	USM - BOR & USG BOA
Dusty Rood (Co-Chair)	USG- BOA President & CEO, Rodgers Consulting, Inc.
Geoff Gonella	BOR - President & Managing Director, Cornerstone
Chris Steele (Co-Chair)	UMBC -Vice Provost Division of Professional Studies & Executive Director,
	The Shriver Center
Talia Fox	CEO KUSI Training
Adam Binkley	USG - MCAS Senior Coordinator
Andrea Milo	USG - Director, CSEF
Ken Mills	USG BOA - President & CEO, REGENXBIO
Roya Mohadjer	USG BOA - Vice Chair and Acting VP Business Development/Health,
	Battelle
Paul Goetz	USG - Associate Director, OIT
Rythee Lambert-Jones	UMCP - Asst. VP and Chief HR Officer
Steve Simon	USG - Interim Director, Marketing & Communications
Paula Widerlite	Widerlite Coaching & Consulting
Robyn Dinicola	USG - Chief Student Affairs Officer
Mary Lang	USG - Chief Strategy Officer
Irene Munster	USG - Director, Priddy Library
Richee Smith Andrews	USG - Chief Advancement Officer
Chris Saxton	USG - Director USG OIT
John Norman Farley	USG - Interim CFO