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Strategy	Actions	Accountability	Timeline
1. Increase student, staff, and faculty awareness of global issues through increased exposure to international perspectives	<ul> <li>1.1.1 Review curricula to identify courses and programs where it is appropriate to introduce international perspectives.</li> <li>1.1.2 Where appropriate, link global issues to local social, environmental, and economic realities.</li> </ul>	- Faculty Deans, Chairs/Directors - SUSC	2012/2016
	1.2 Develop and implement a plan to increase the number of international learning/exchange opportunities for Lakehead University students.	<ul> <li>Office of the Provost</li> <li>Dean Orillia Campus</li> <li>Special Advisor on International Affairs and Recruitment</li> <li>Faculty Deans</li> <li>Graduate Studies Lakehead International</li> </ul>	2012/2016
	1.3 Conduct a needs assessment on language course offerings available on campus to determine where offerings need to be enhanced.	<ul> <li>Faculty of Social Sciences &amp; Humanities</li> <li>Department of Languages CEDL</li> </ul>	2012/2013
2. Increase the number of international students enrolled at Lakehead University	2.1 Continue to develop a plan for International Student Expansion on both campuses. Communicate and promote widely.	<ul> <li>PPG</li> <li>Office of the Provost</li> <li>Dean Orillia Campus</li> <li>Special Advisor on International Affairs and Recruitment</li> </ul>	Ongoing
	2.2 Support and resource the further development of Lakehead International.	<ul><li>Office of the President</li><li>Office of the Provost</li><li>Special Advisor on International Affairs and Recruitment</li></ul>	Ongoing
	<ul><li>2.3.1 Explore new markets and appropriate develop recruitment strategies</li><li>2.3.2 Recruit international students to enrol in programs at Lakehead University's two campuses.</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Office of the President</li> <li>Office of the Provost</li> <li>Special Advisor on International Affairs and Recruitment</li> <li>Recruitment</li> <li>Faculty Deans</li> <li>Admissions and Recruitment</li> </ul>	2012/2015
	2.4 Establish English as a Second Language (ESL) programs to support the entry and retention of international students to the university.	<ul> <li>Special Advisor on International Affairs and Recruitment</li> <li>CEDL</li> <li>Admissions and Recruitment</li> <li>Department of Languages</li> </ul>	2012/2014
	2.5.1 Expand the supports services available to international students with the aim of retaining them and supporting them to	<ul><li>Lakehead International</li><li>Student Affairs</li><li>Financial Aid</li><li>External Relations</li></ul>	Ongoing

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	succeed throughout the completion of their degree programs. Coordinate support services offered by Lakehead University International and Student Affairs.		
	2.5.2 Establish a staff/student mentoring/buddy program to assist international students with transition.		
	2.6 Coordinate supports between Lakehead University International and Student Affairs.	<ul> <li>Student Affairs</li> <li>Special Advisor on International Affairs and Recruitment</li> <li>Lakehead International</li> </ul>	2012/2016
3. Encourage and support joint Research, Economic Development, & Innovation, teaching, scholarship, and service initiatives that emphasizes global connections between our communities and the rest of the world	3.1 Continue to strategically develop partnerships and formalize memoranda of understanding with universities located outside of Canada.	<ul> <li>Office of the President</li> <li>Office of the Provost</li> <li>Research, Eco. Dev. &amp; Innov.</li> <li>External Relations</li> <li>Faculty Deans</li> </ul>	Ongoing
	3.2 Increase the number of bilateral/bidirectional international learning/exchange opportunities for Lakehead faculty, staff, and students.	<ul> <li>Office of the President</li> <li>Office of the Provost</li> <li>Research, Eco. Dev. &amp; Innov.</li> <li>External Relations</li> <li>Special Advisor on International Affairs and Recruitment</li> <li>Lakehead International</li> <li>Human Resources</li> </ul>	2012/2016