**GOAL 2:** Advocate for necessary resources and support, such as TriO Programs, MSI, that will increase retention rates of undeserved student populations.

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| **Action Items** | - Research funding opportunities  
- Promote efforts by presenting at conferences  
- Garner testimonials from students |
| **Indicators and Data Needed** (Measures that will appraise progress towards the strategic objective) | - Number of program participants  
- Number of faculty/staff engagement  
- Number and type of programs  
- Enrollment data on participants |
| **Responsible Person and/or Unit** (Data collection, analysis reporting) | - Robert Clay – Interim Director, Student Life and Intercultural Student Affairs  
- Kristy Goodwin – Director, College Pathways  
- Corey Williams – Dean of Students  
- Sean Smith – MSI Coordinator |
| **Milestones** (Identify Timelines) | - Strategize processes to secure funding  
- Establish team to serve as writers for external funding opportunities  
- Submit proposals for conferences to present |
| **Desired Outcomes and Achievements** (Identify results expected) | - Increase retention and graduation of underserved student populations  
- Establish GSU as a pipeline for student success  
- Enhance enrollment efforts of diverse student populations |
| **Achieved Outcomes and Results** | This was an unrealistic endeavor due to GSU being a viable candidate for TRIO program funding. |
| **Analysis of Results** (Where outcomes met? Exceeded? Progress towards goal. Implications for FY20 Objectives.) | Outcome wasn’t met and will be suspending this goal now due to not being under the auspices of Student Life. However we will partner and support as needed. Additionally MSI AIM HIGH scholarship was created |