

a photography suite; and a black box theater that seats 175 people.

Dr. Guiyou Huang, the university's current Chancellor, was appointed in November 2016 and assumed his duties on January 1, 2017.

Vision

LSUA envisions itself as a university of choice, recognized for academic excellence, committed to student and community growth through teaching, research, and service, and esteemed as a contributor to the economic, cultural, and intellectual growth of Louisiana.

Mission

As the only state-supported undergraduate university in Louisiana, LSUA's mission is to provide a broad spectrum of affordable undergraduate degrees in a robust academic environment that challenges students to excel and creates proactive and reciprocal relationships that meet the needs of the diverse student body and community that it serves.

Values

The diversity of the LSUA community is reflected in its students, alumni, staff, faculty, in the residents of Central Louisiana, and in the range of profit and non-profit organizations it serves. This diversity has been enhanced in recent years by the addition of students from other regions of the State, other parts of the United States, and other countries. While this diversity makes a comprehensive listing of values a challenge to develop, the following value statements are indicative of the institutional mission of LSUA:

- Promoting academic freedom;
- Fostering academic integrity;
- Developing, reviewing, and revising rigorous degree programs;
- Promoting research and scholarship;
- Encouraging interaction among all community members;
- Recognizing the importance of diversity, multicultural awareness, and respect;
- Instilling a desire for life-long learning;
- Encouraging service-learning and civic engagement;

- Promoting education as a method of making sound life choices;
- Advancing LSUA as an engine of regional economic growth.



LSUA 2016 Student Dragon Boat Racing Team