



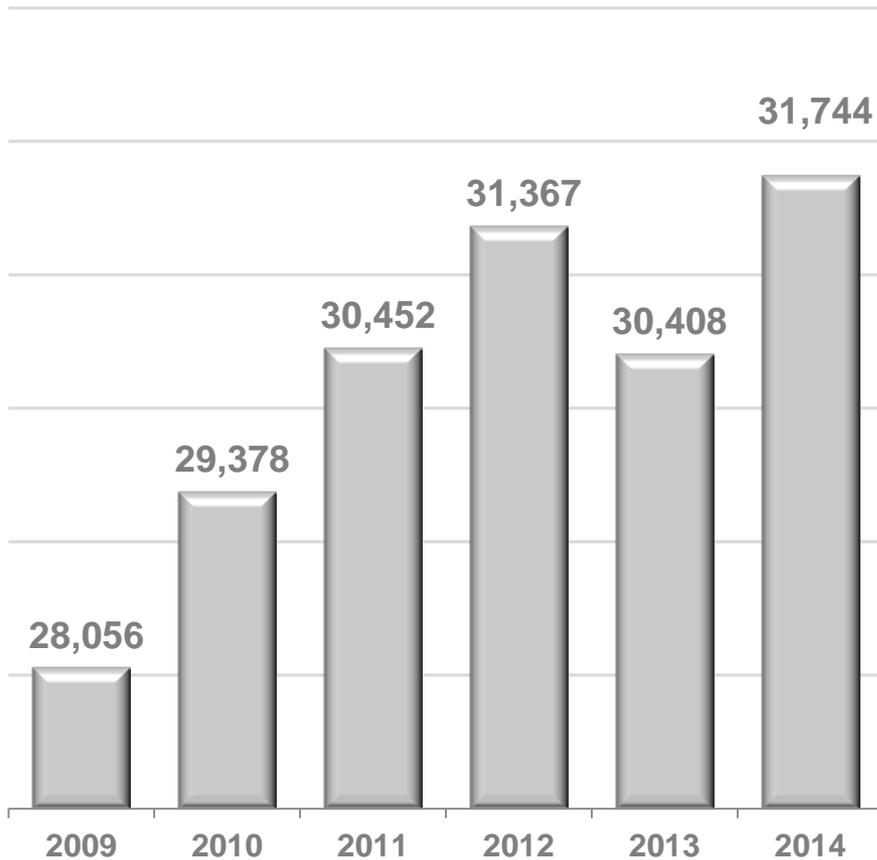
# President's Fall Address

October 1, 2014 • Moores Opera House

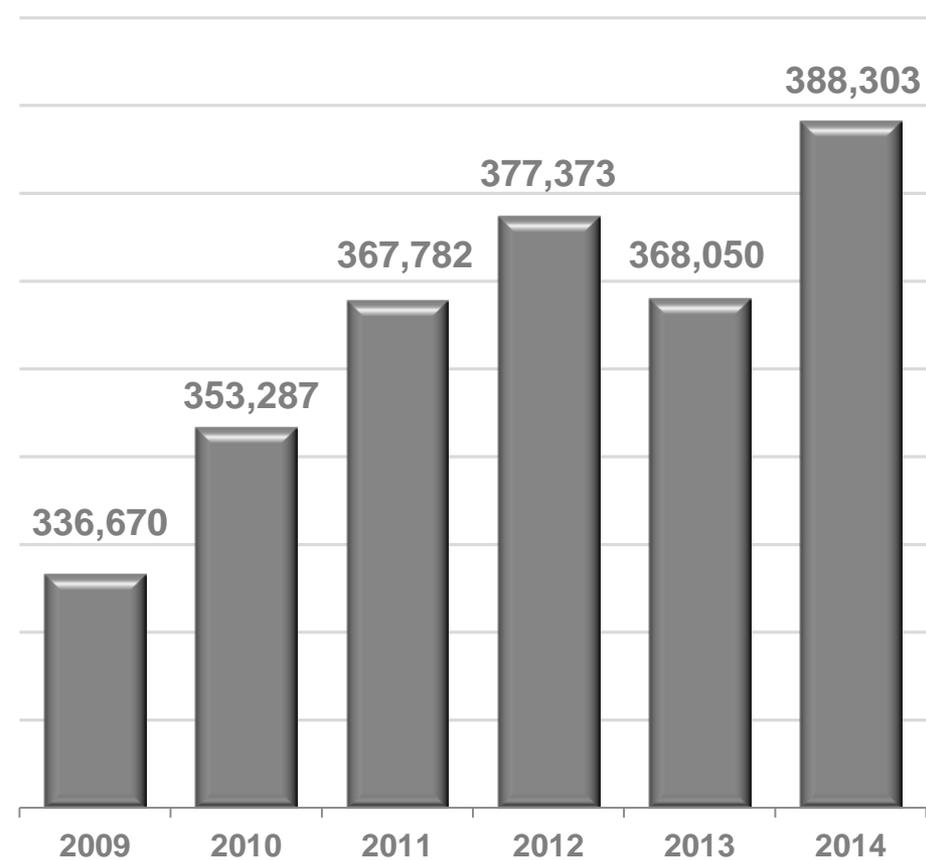


# Fall Undergraduate Enrollment

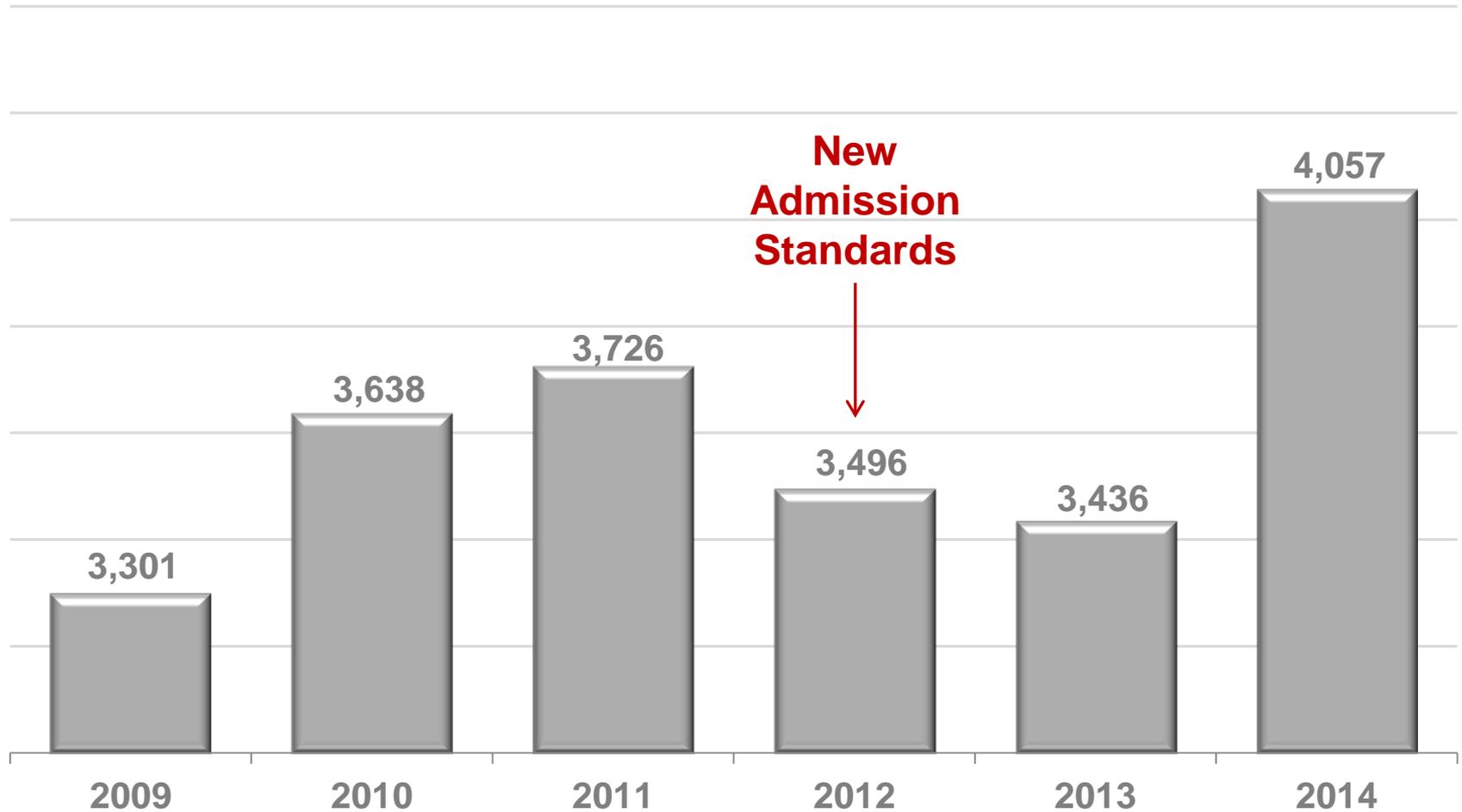
## Headcount



## Semester Credit Hours



# First Time in College Fall Freshman Enrollment



# The Class of 2018

Average  
SAT

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**1143**

**32**

National Merit Scholars

**96%**

Enrolled full time

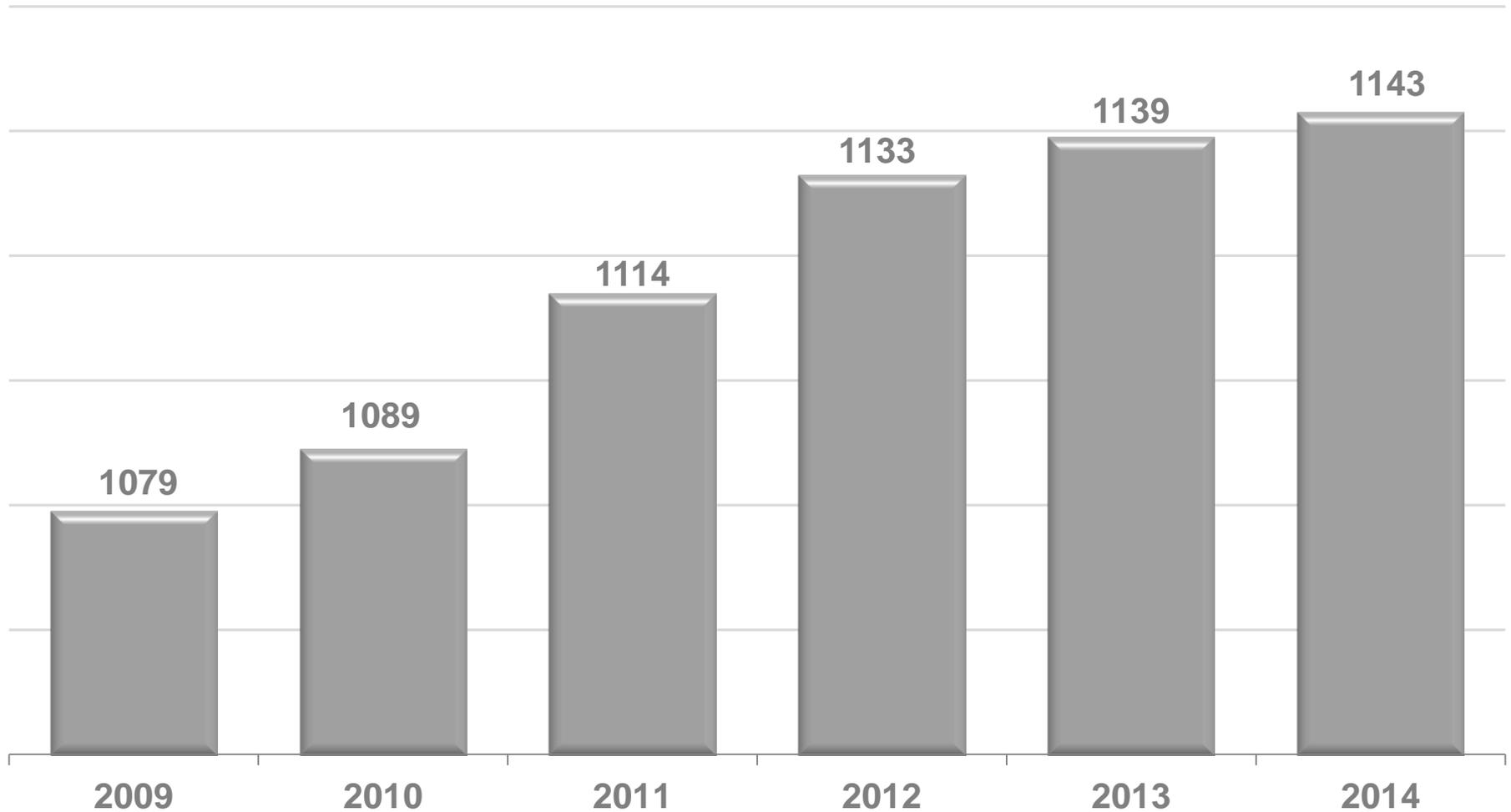
**47%**

Living on campus

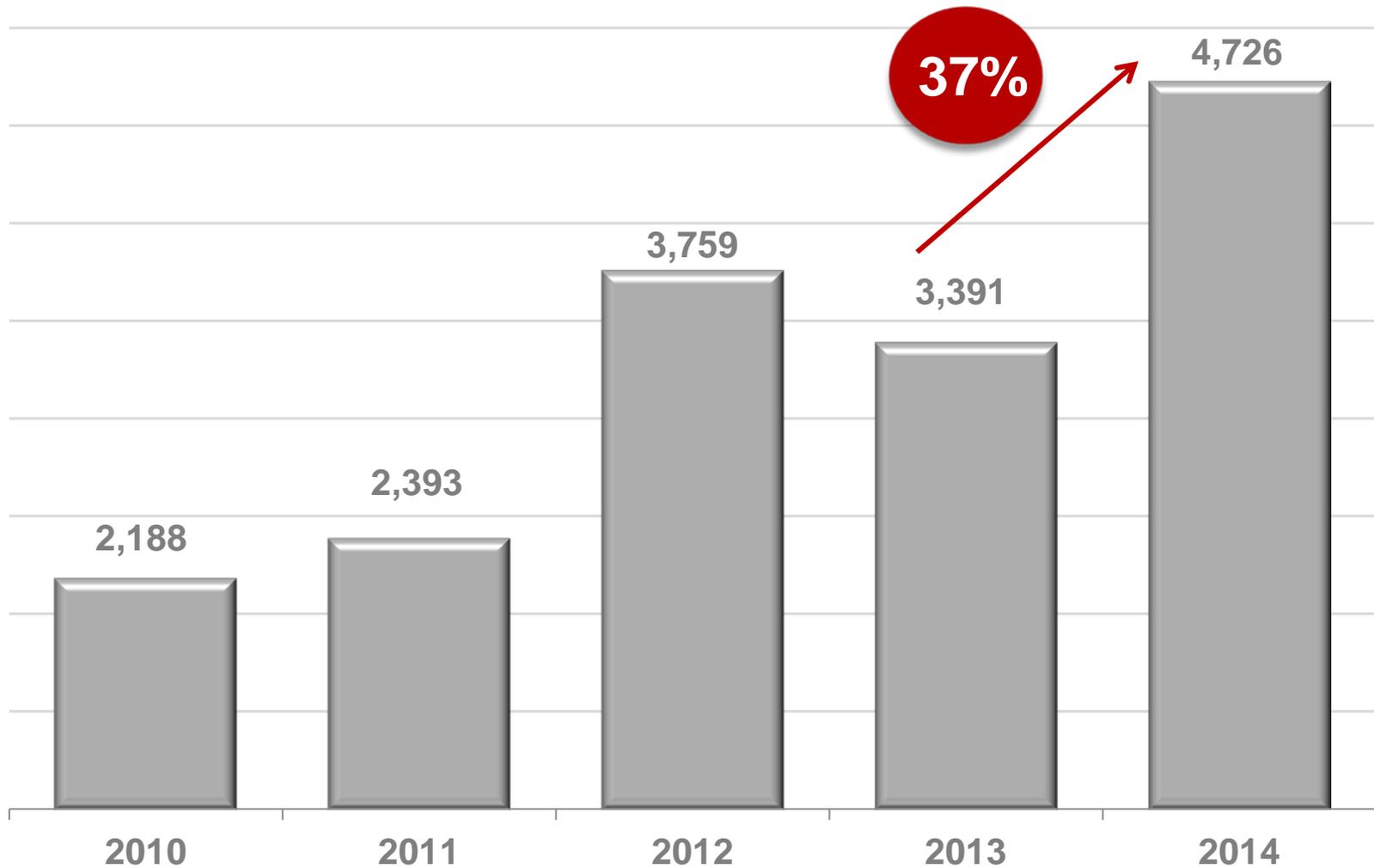
**48%**

Participating in UHin4

# Average SAT of Incoming Freshmen



# New Transfer Student Enrollment





# National Recognition



Best Value College

**A**ffordable **S**chools

Top 50 Most Affordable Colleges  
with Best Return

polycymc

#4 Colleges with Best Bang for the Buck

& WORLD REPORT  
**U.S. News**

#16 Graduating Students with  
Least Amount of Debt

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Public Universities

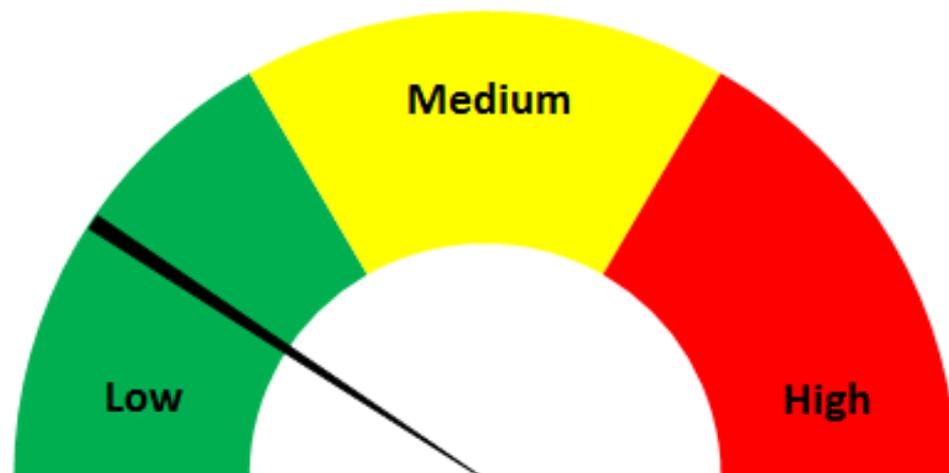


# College Scorecard • Affordability

Cost

Median Borrowing

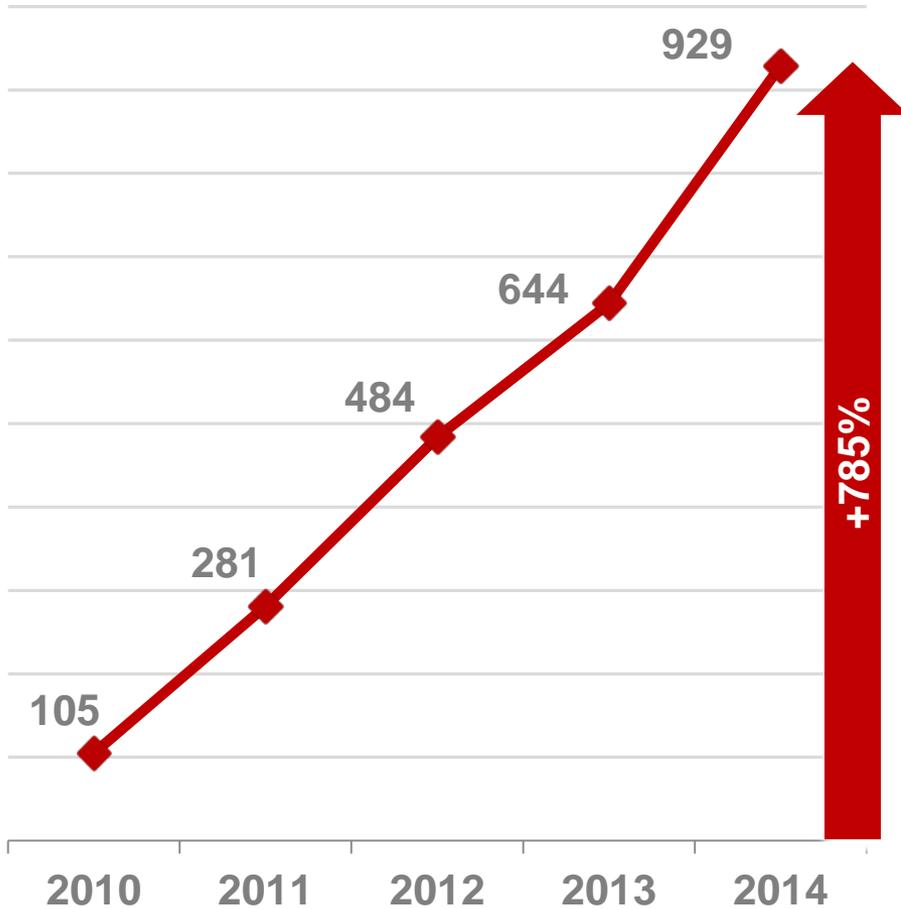
Loan Default Rate



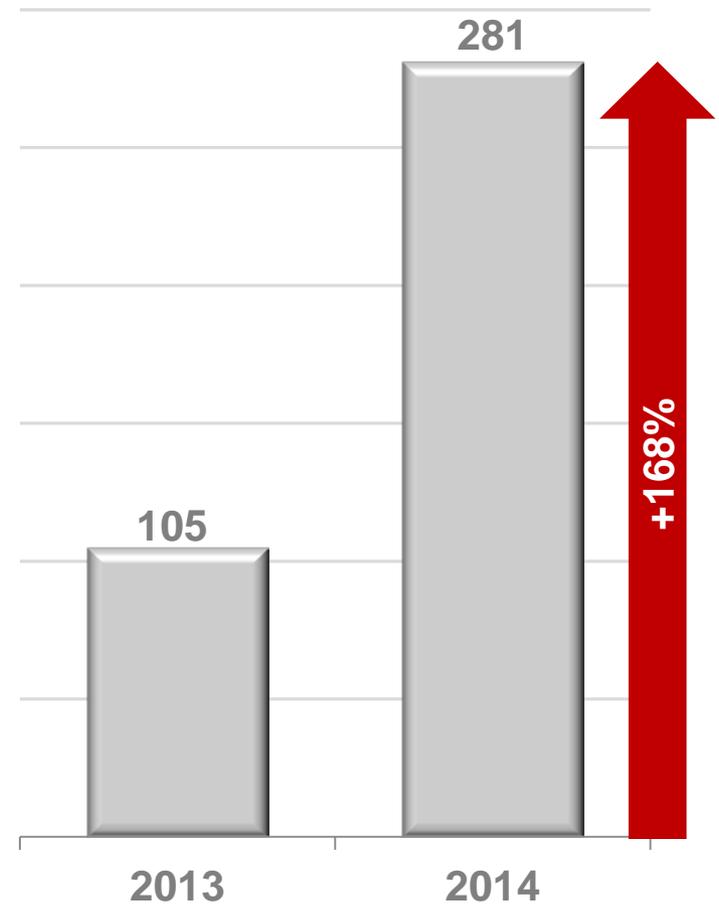


# Engineering Education

## Petroleum

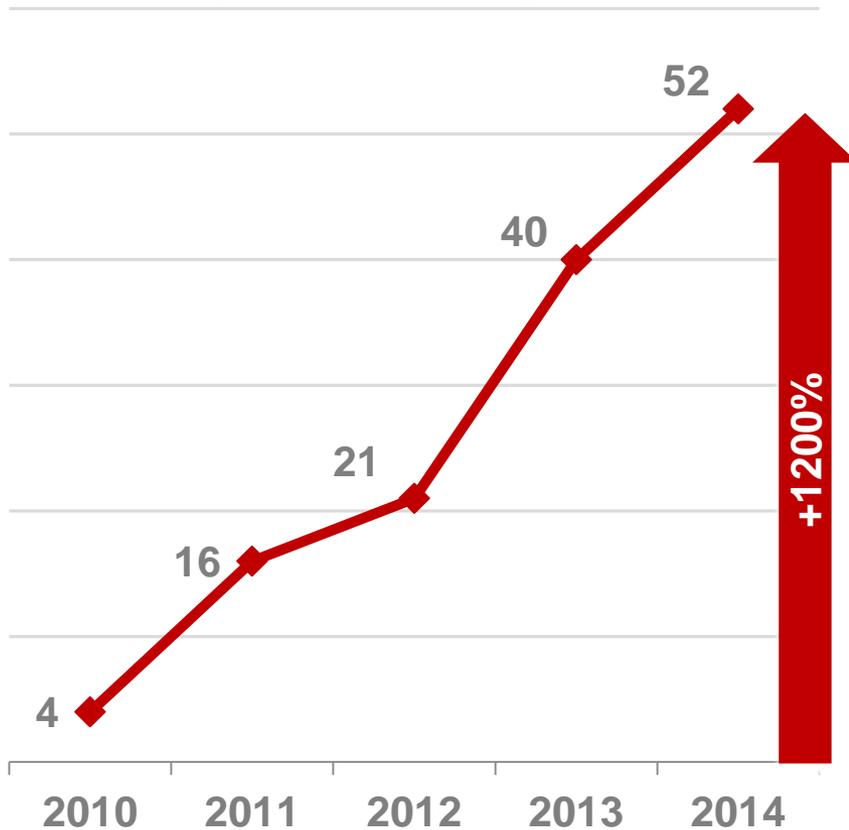


## Subsea

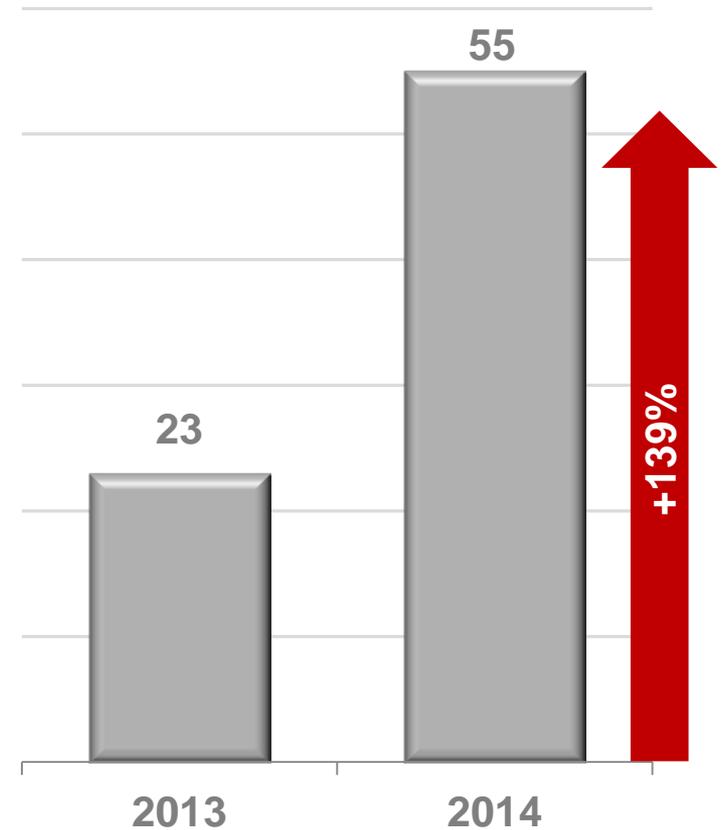


# Biomedical Education

Biomedical  
Engineering  
(MS & PhD)



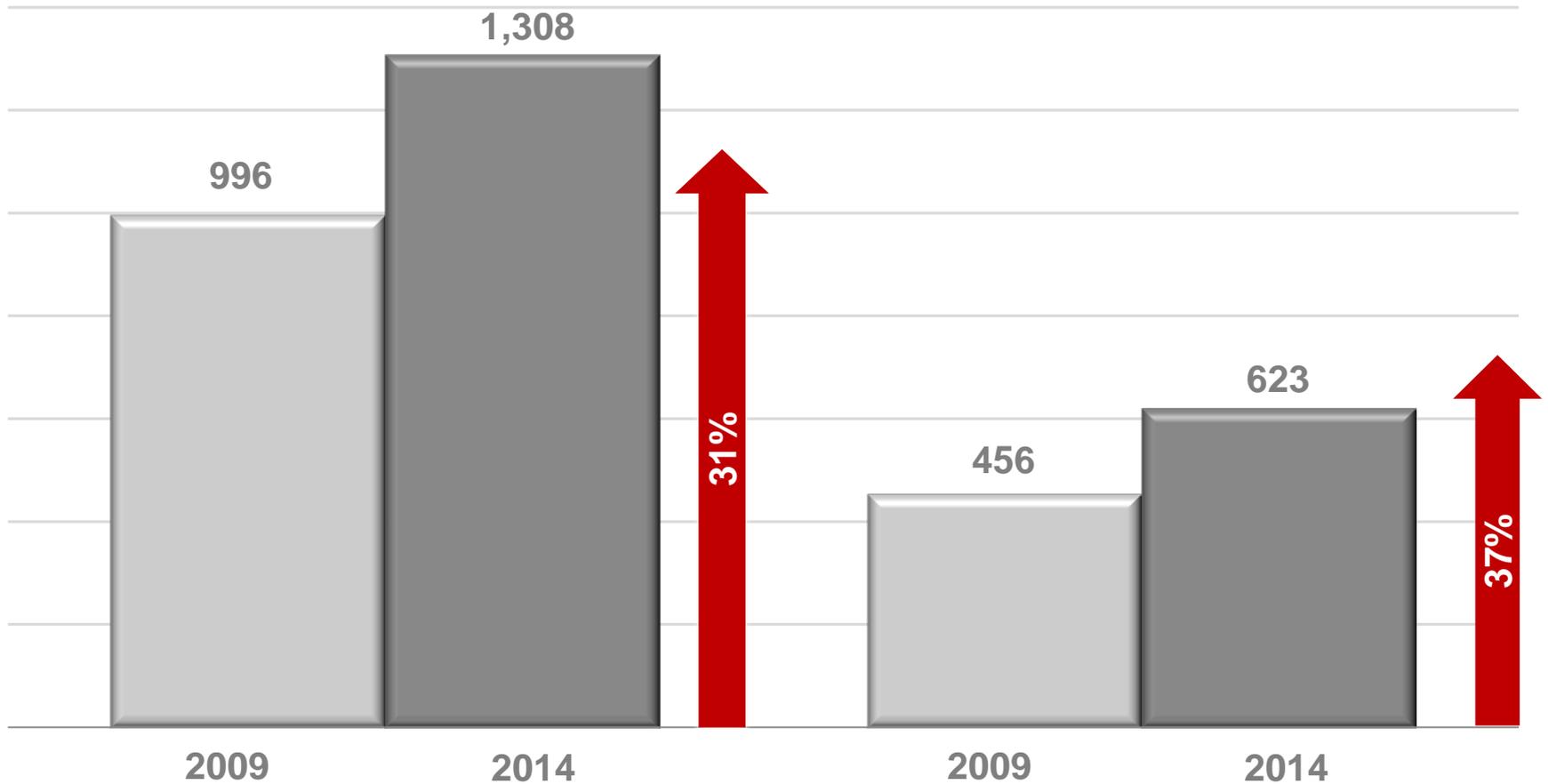
Honors Biomedical  
Sciences Degree



# STEM: Degrees Awarded

Undergraduate

Graduate



# Raising Entrepreneurs in the Entrepreneurial City

REECycle



1<sup>st</sup> Place Winners

WAVE



1<sup>st</sup> Place Winners



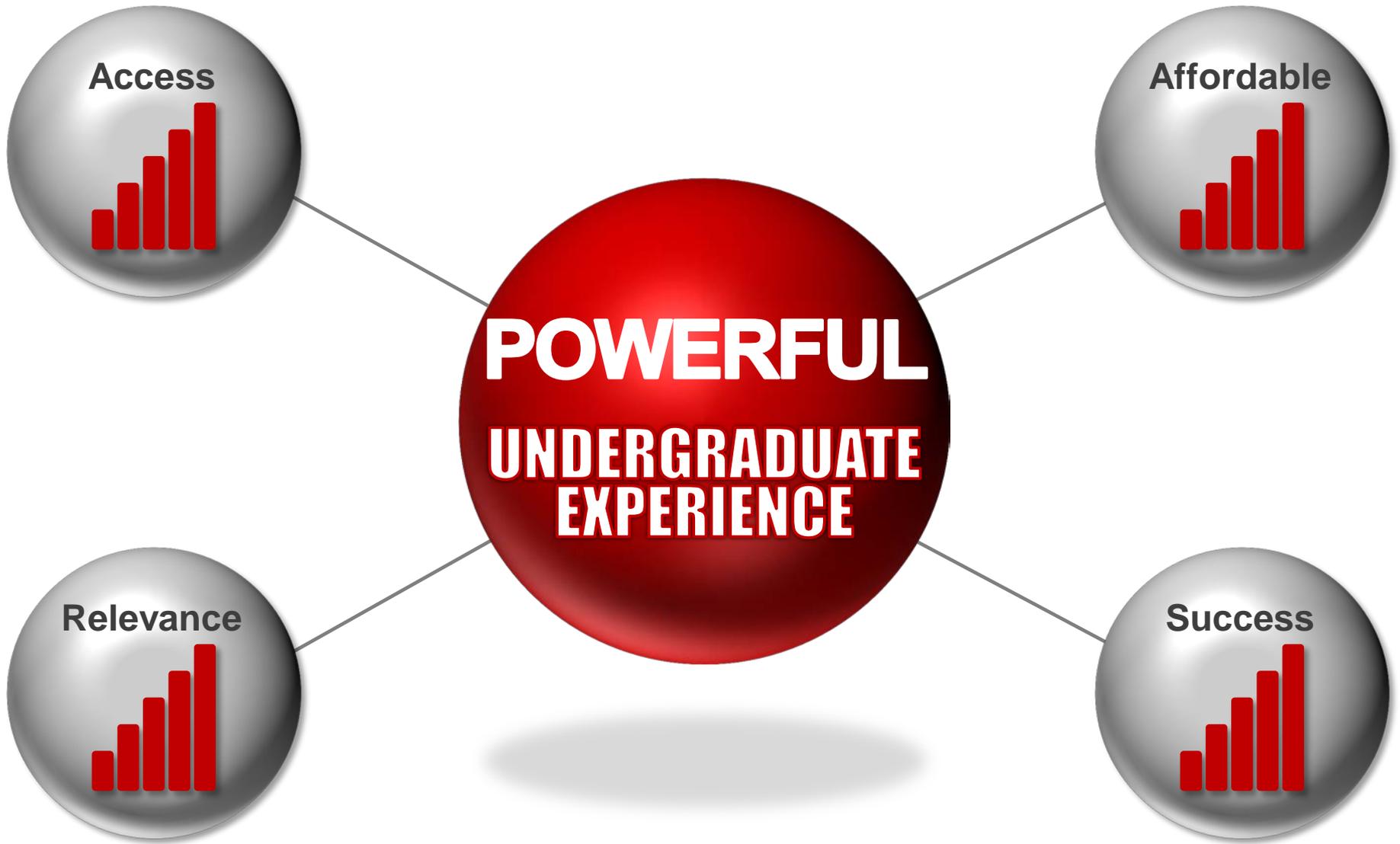
NATIONAL CLEAN ENERGY  
BUSINESS PLAN COMPETITION  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY



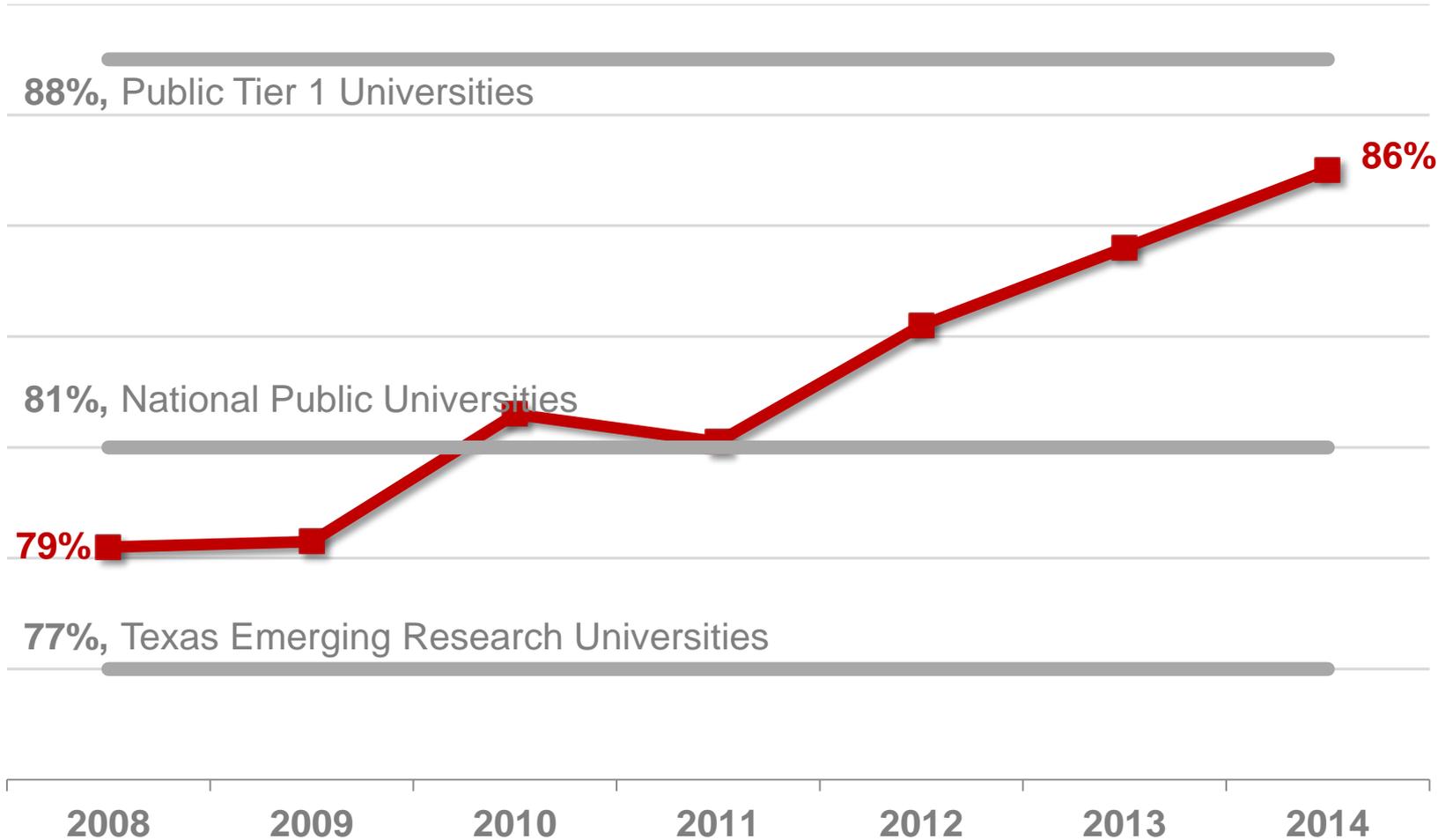
Conferencing, Competing & Connecting!

UNIVERSITY of **HOUSTON**

Source: Department of Energy,  
Global Business Plan Competition



# First Year Retention • Nationally Competitive



# Graduation Rate • A Work in Progress

71%, Public Tier 1 Universities

59%, National Public Universities

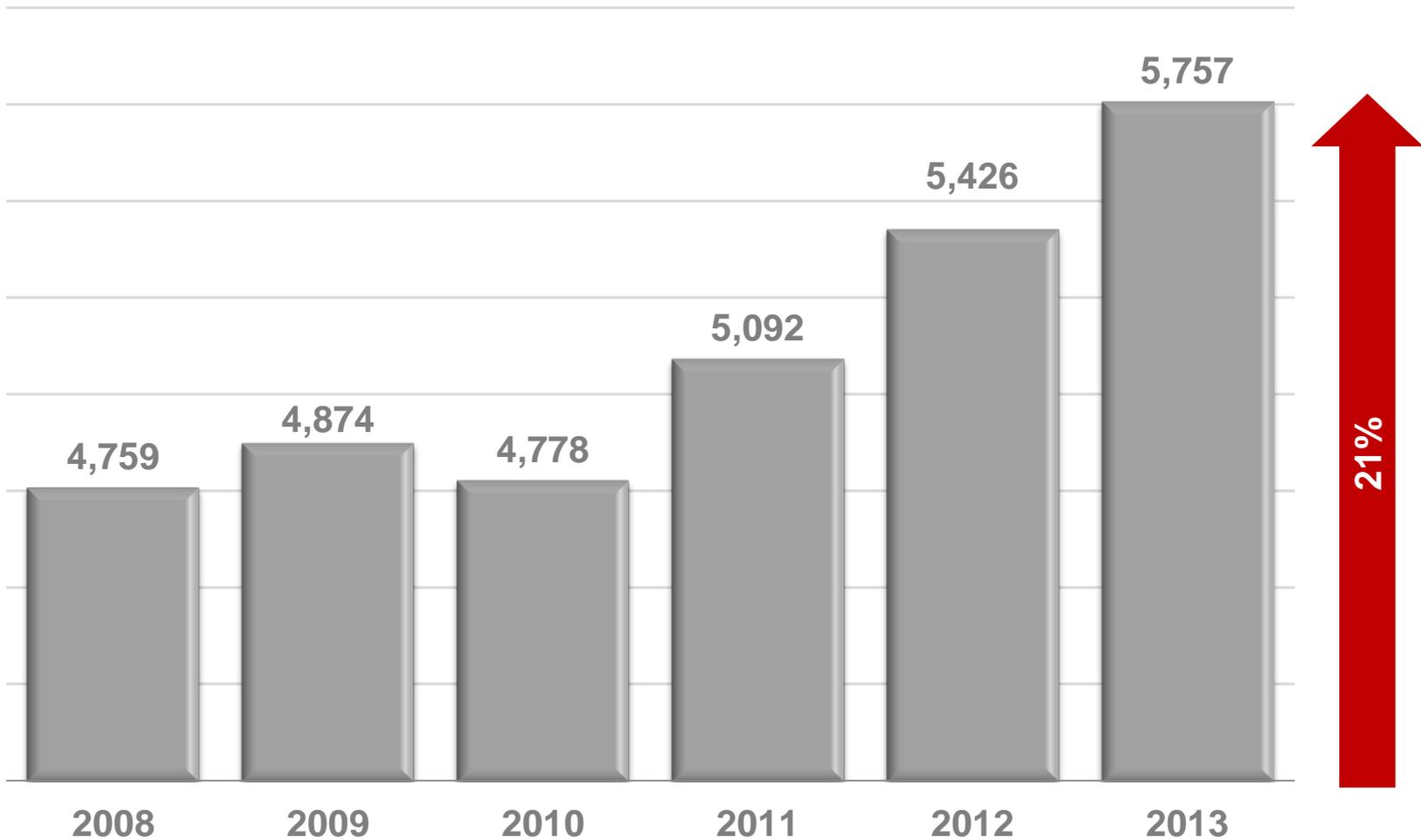
48%, Texas Emerging Research Universities

48.2%

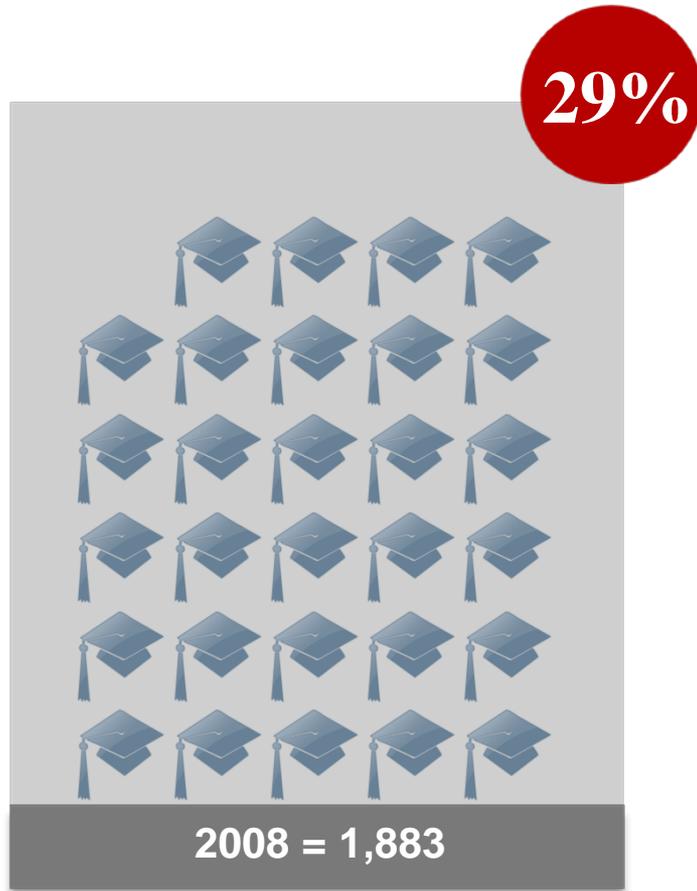
41.8%



# More Undergraduate Degrees Awarded



# UH's Share of Houston Area Degrees Awarded to Minority Students



# School Pride and Confidence



**UH Baseball Ranked 11th in the Nation!**



**Highest End-of-Season Ranking Since 2002!!**

# Best in the World...

## Google Online Marketing Challenge



**2nd Place for AdWords  
Social Impact Award**

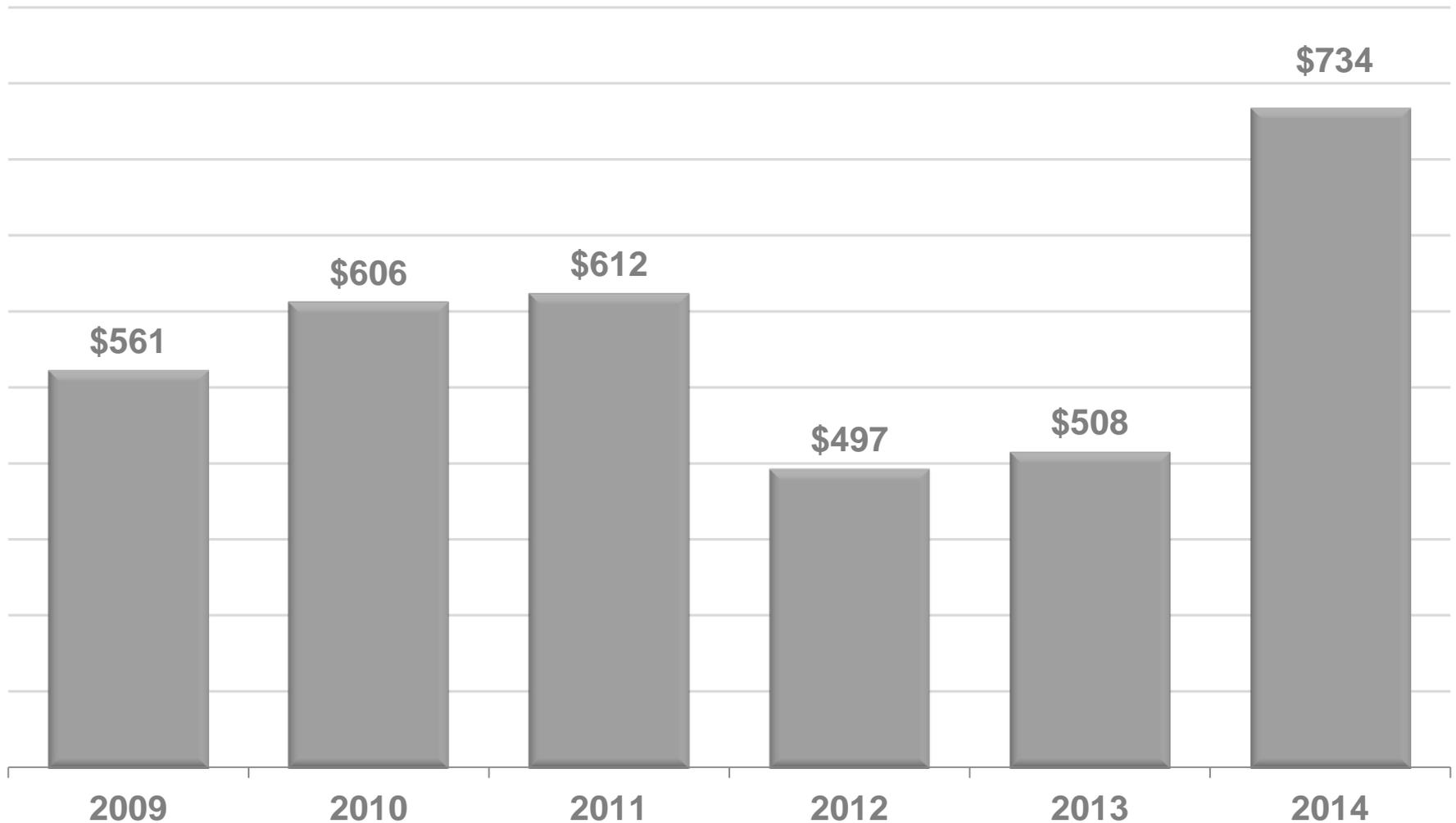


**3rd Place for AdWords  
Social Impact Award**



# Research Proposals on the Rise

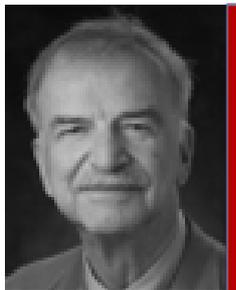
## Funding Pursued (in Millions)



# National Academy Members



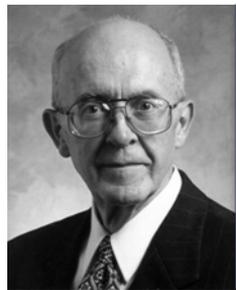
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2011



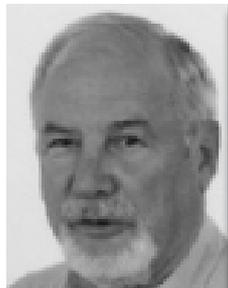
2011



2011



2011



2013



2013



2014



2014



# Highly Cited Research

**Oomman Varghese**  
Associate Professor of Physics



**Maggie Paulose**  
Research Scientist



# Highly Published Faculty

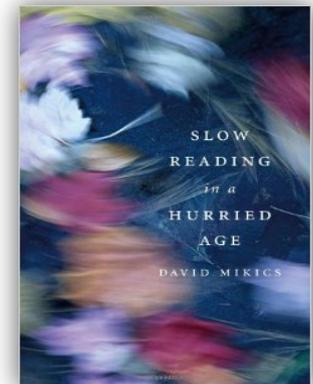
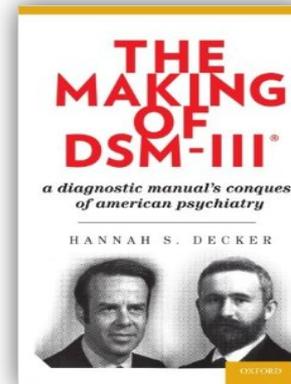
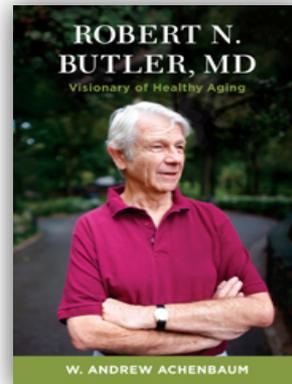
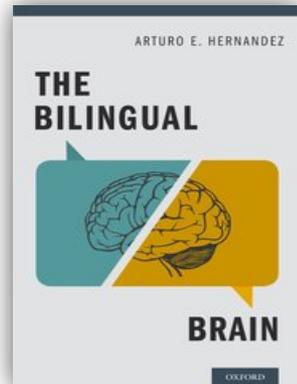
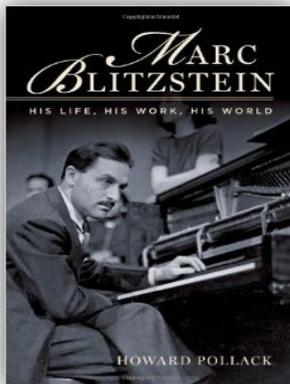
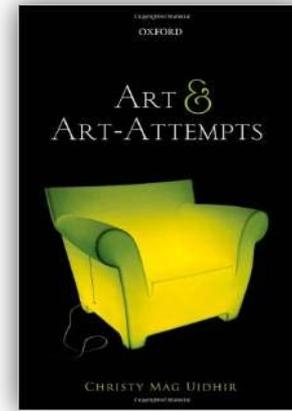
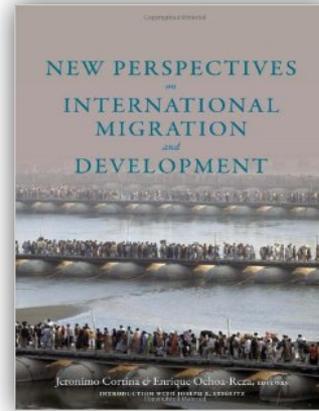
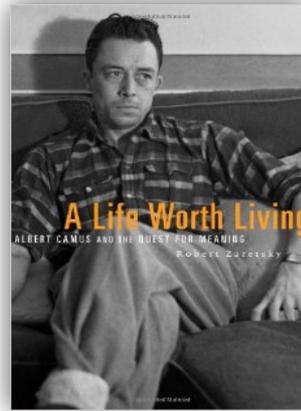
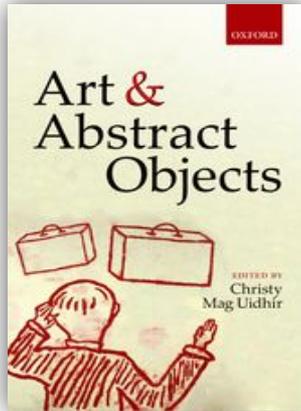


UH Faculty and Students Have Published in 11 of the Top 20 Science Journals Since 2009

UH Faculty and Students Have Published in 6 of the Top 20 Social Science Journals Since 2009

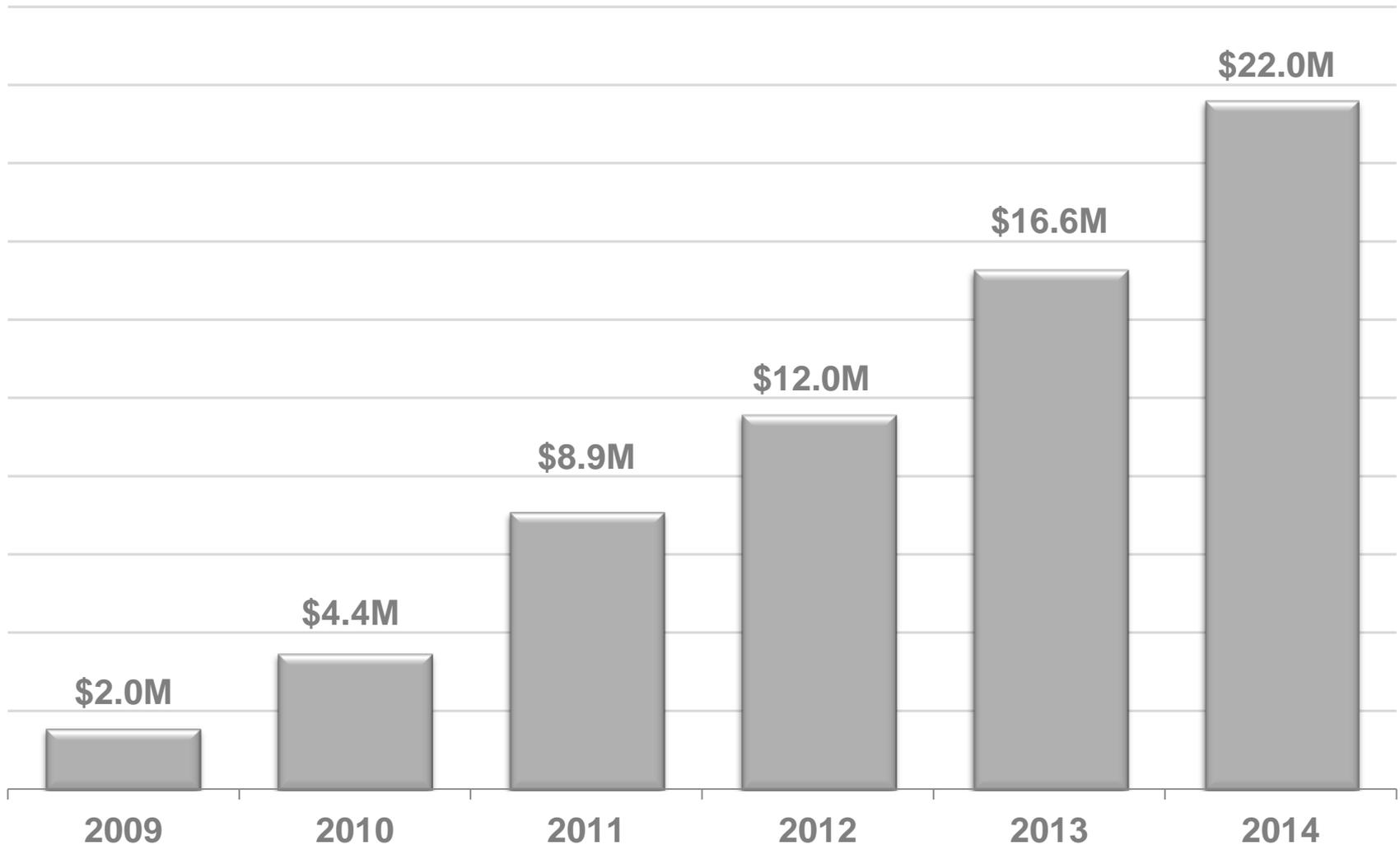


# Books • Arts and Humanities





# Technology Transfer • We Have the Product!



# National Leader in Technology Transfer

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**THE highest royalty income in the nation**  
among public universities without medical schools



**Association of University Technology Managers®**  
Advancing Discoveries for a Better World®

**Betsy Cook Weber**

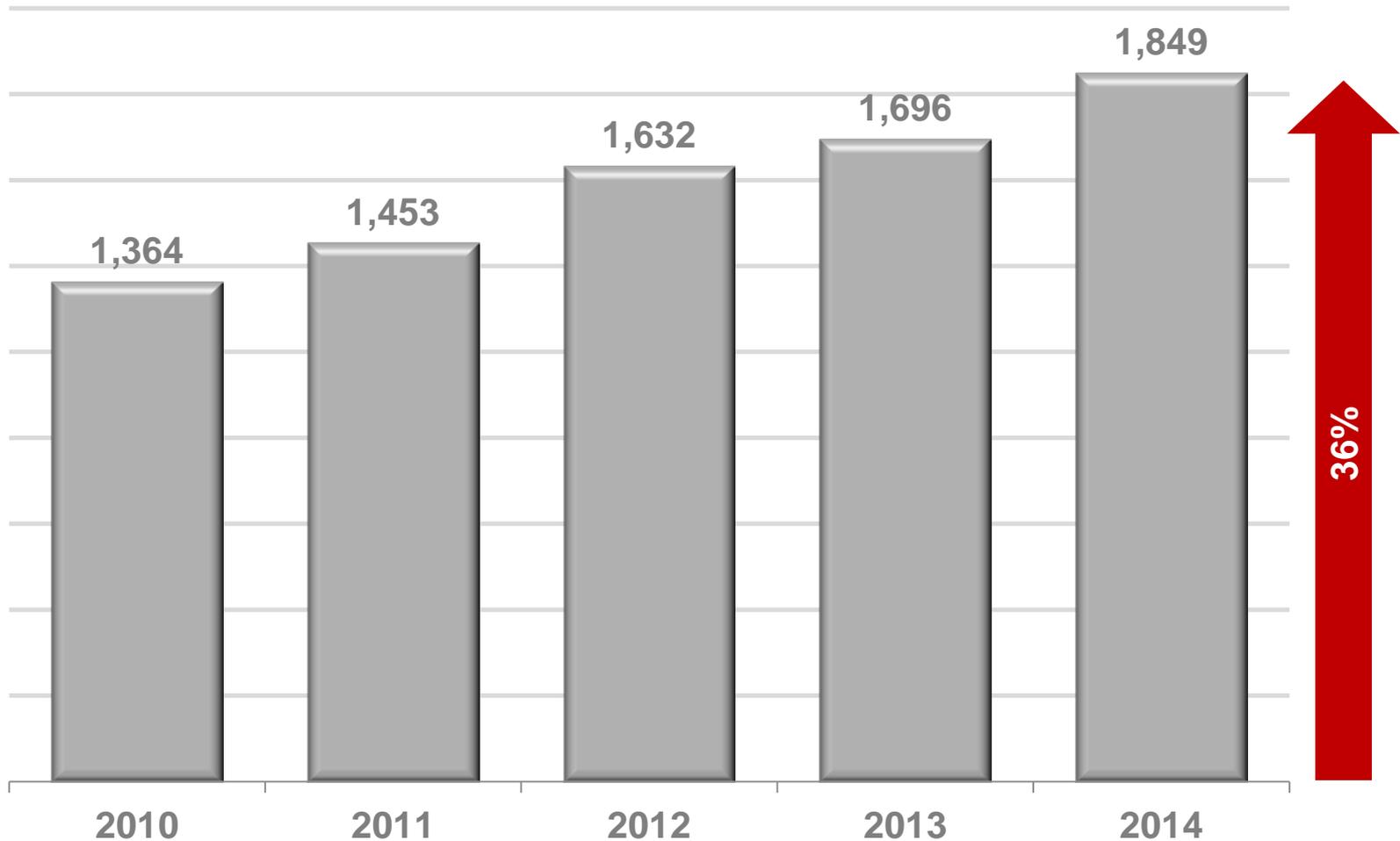
# Application of Research





# Growing World-Class Talent

## Total Enrollment in Doctoral Programs

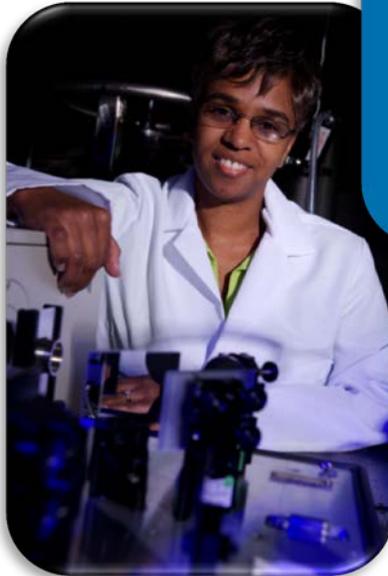


# NSF Invests \$3.3 Million in UH to Train More Female Faculty in STEM Fields



ADVANCE

Increasing the Participation  
and Advancement of  
Women in Academic Science  
and Engineering Careers



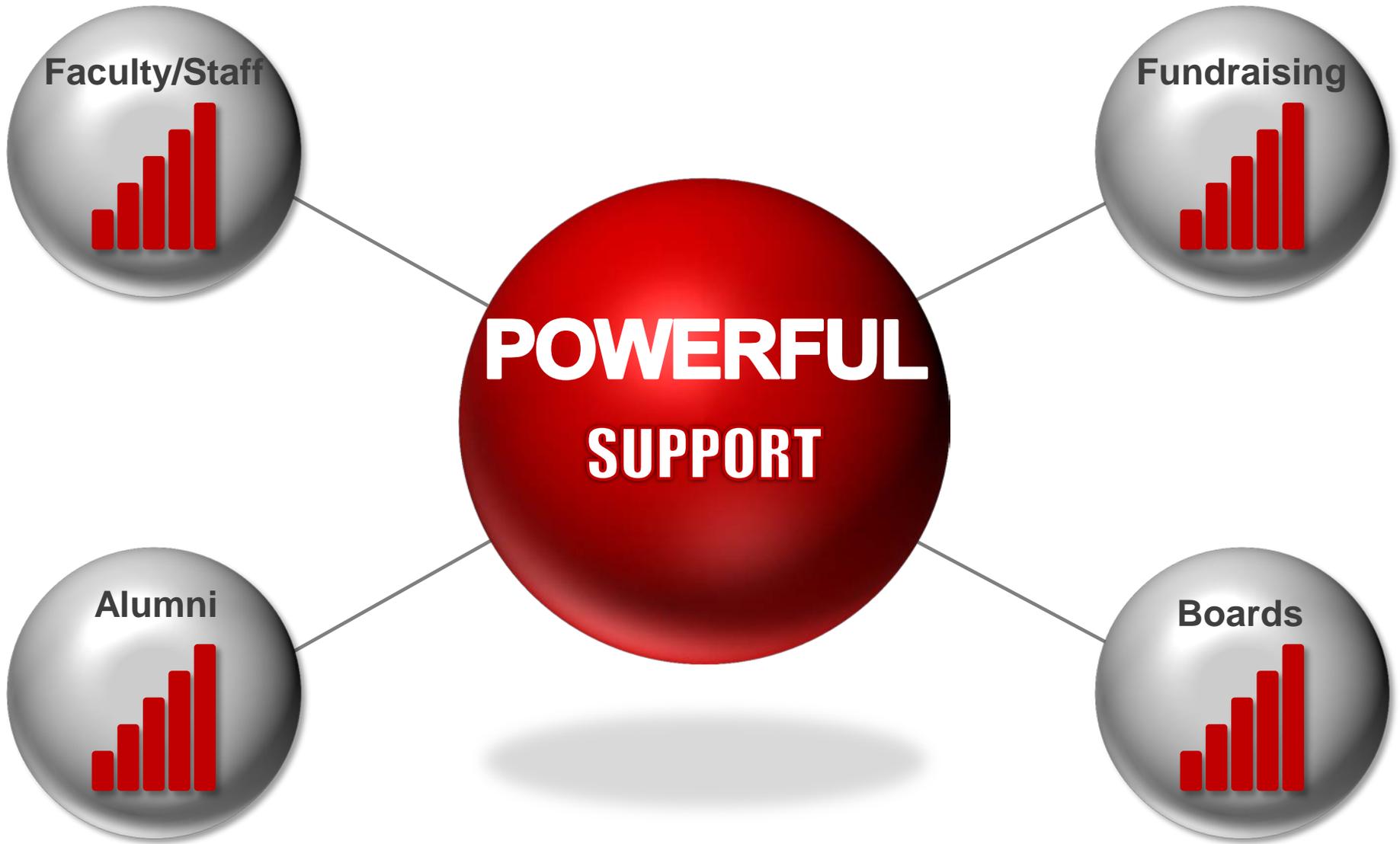


**Leonard M. Baynes**

**New Dean of  
Law Center**

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**Source:** Law Center



# Faculty & Staff Giving

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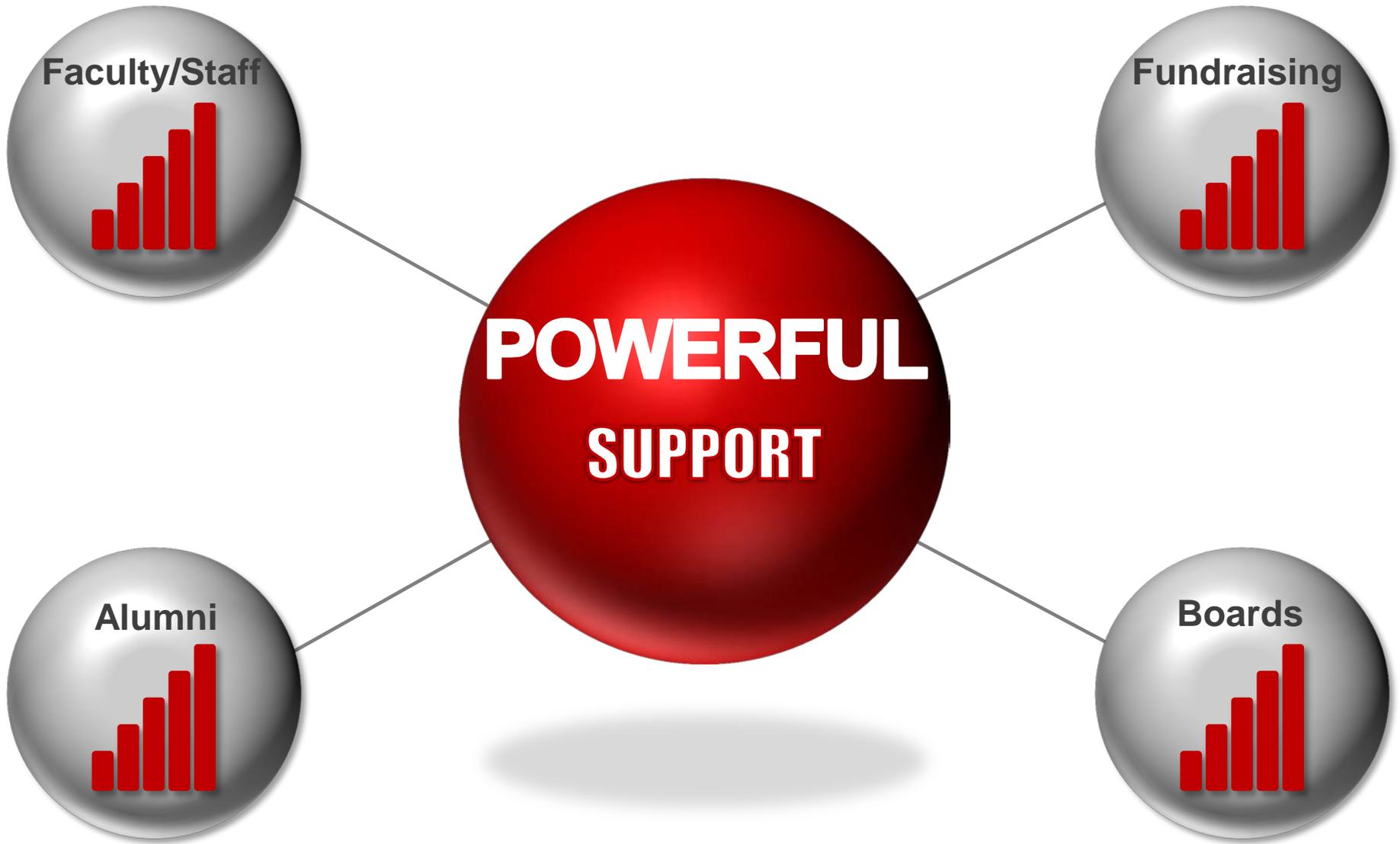


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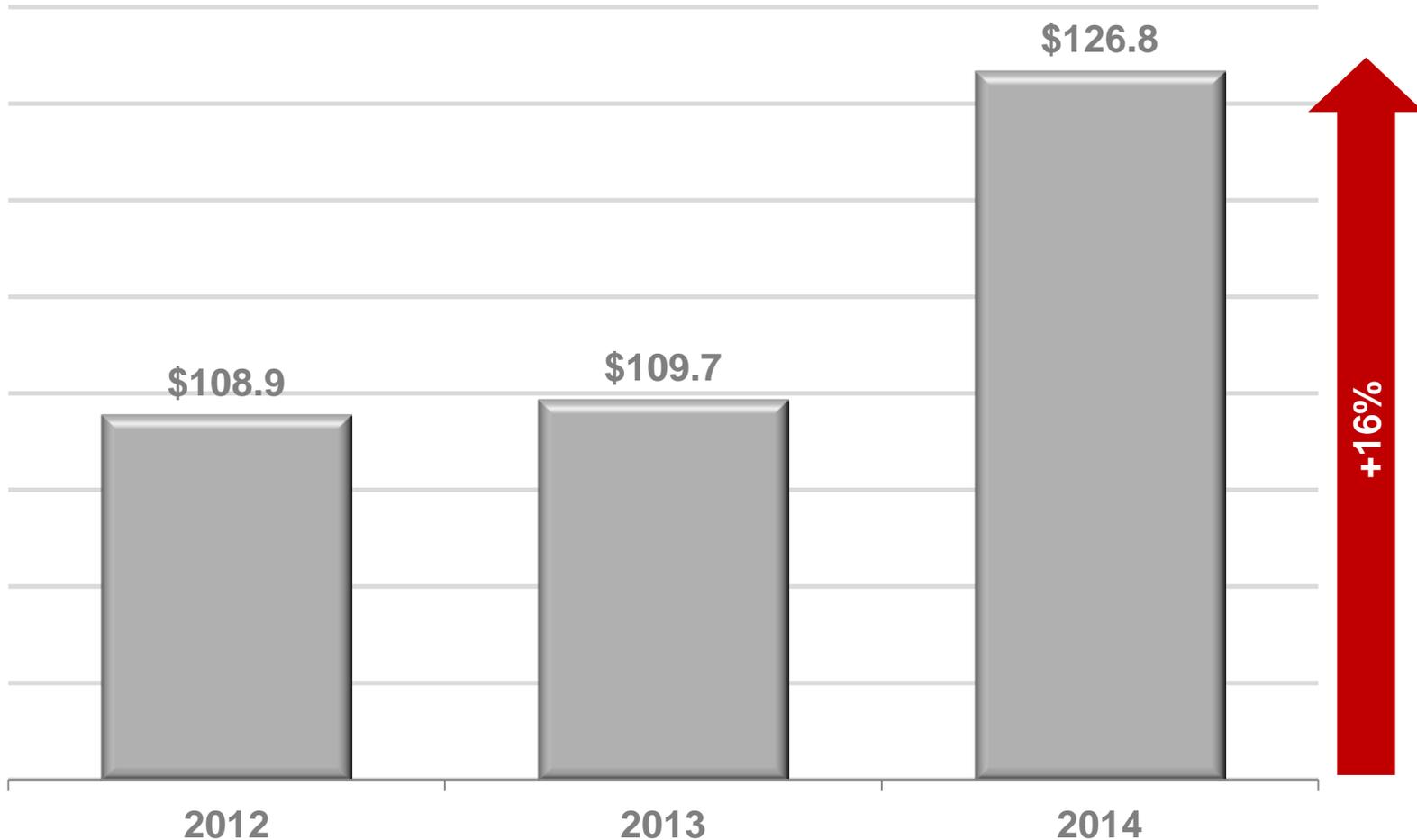


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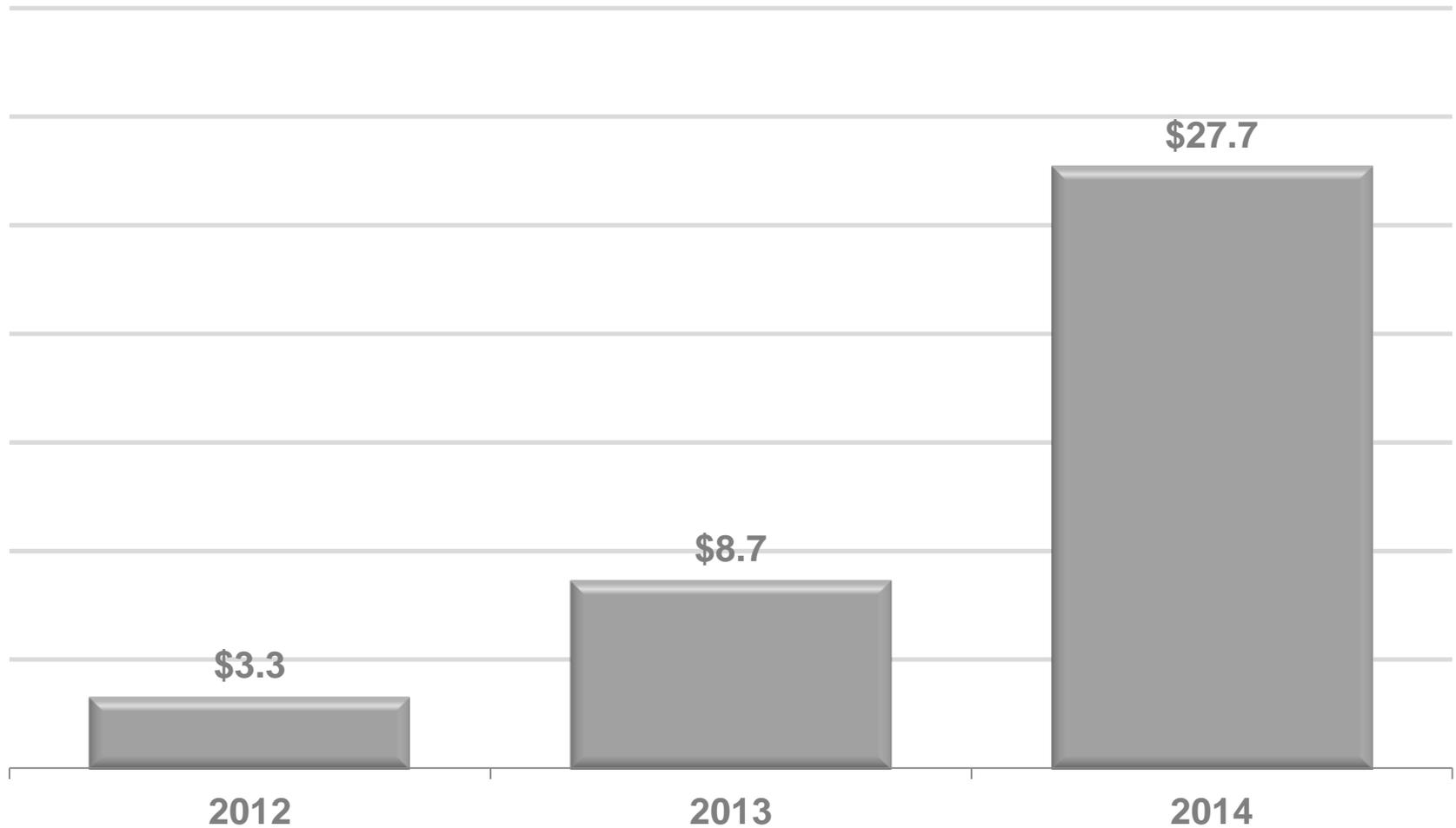


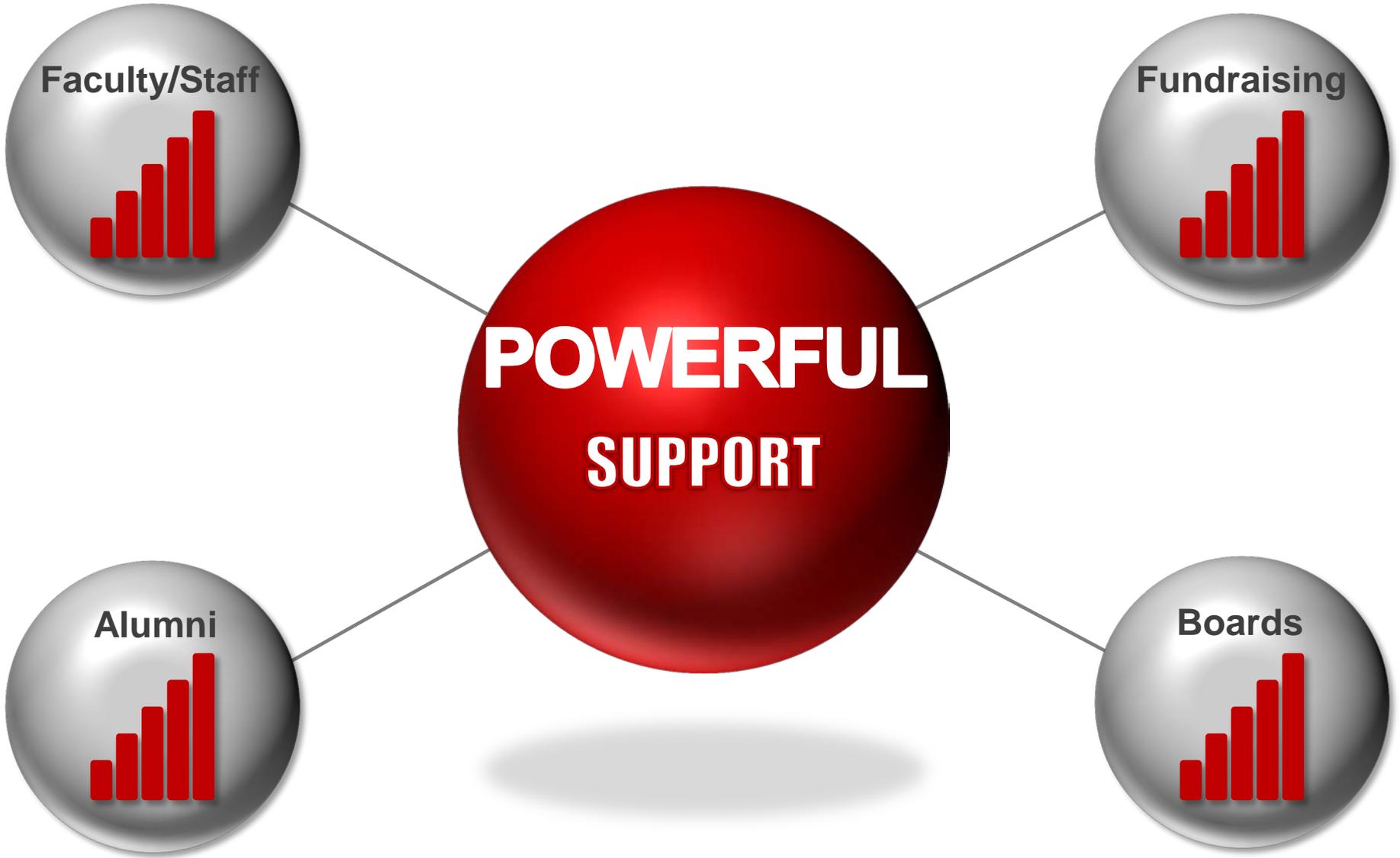
# Raised a Record \$126.8M

## Annual Fundraising Totals (in Millions)



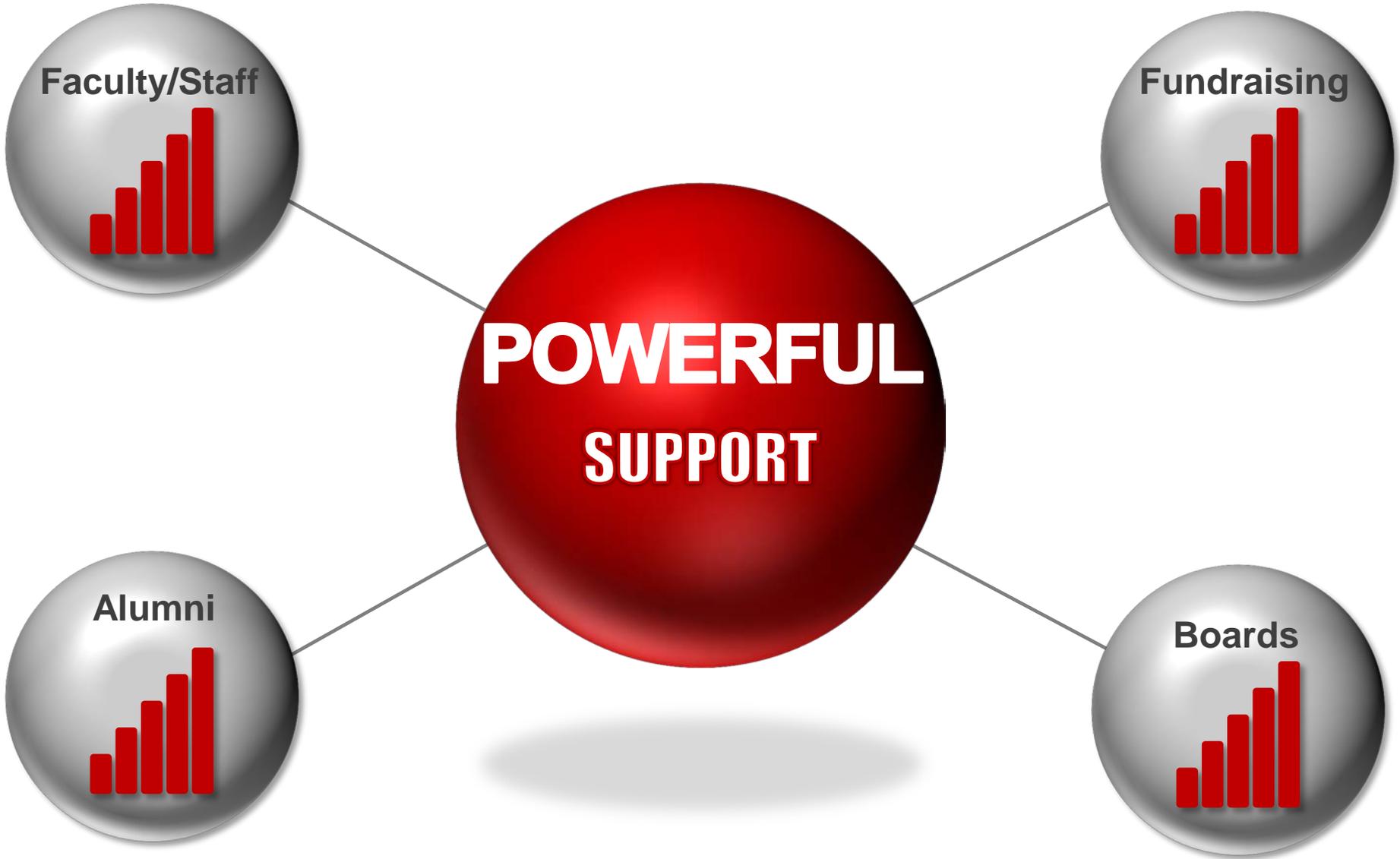
# University of Houston Planned Giving Commitments (in Millions)





# Cougar Send-offs





# Volunteers

## Board of Visitors



**John McNabb**  
Chair



**Jack Moore**  
Vice Chair

## Energy Advisory Board



**David Ramm**  
Chair

## UH Alumni Association



**Joe Pogge**  
Board Chair



**Starlet Agrella**  
Immediate  
Past Chair



**POWERFUL  
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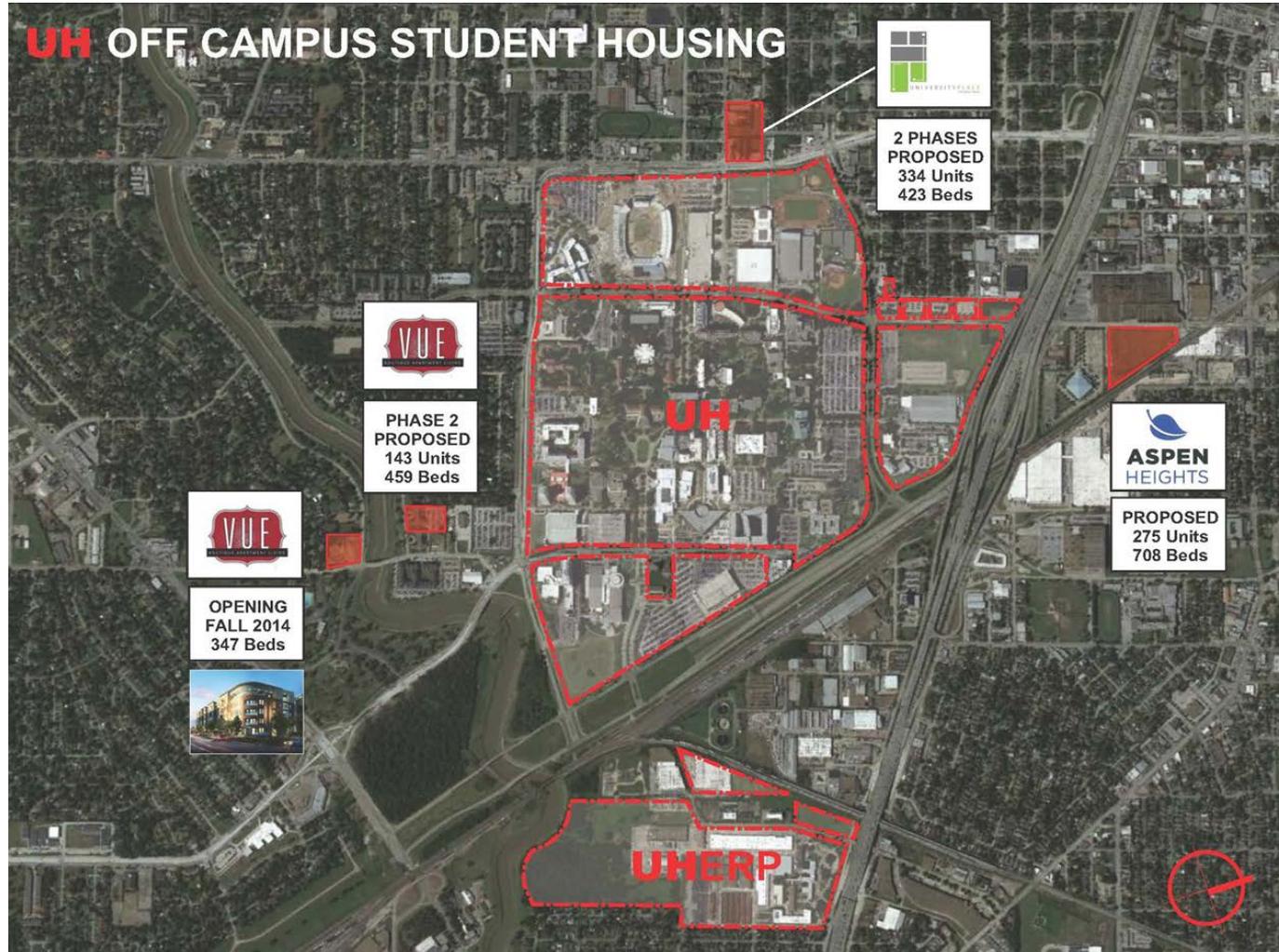




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# Private Development Around Campus



**What's Next?**

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We're using nanotechnology to harvest sunlight on cloudy days.

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powering artistic discovery to  
awaken the senses and shape  
the cultural landscape.

We're revolutionizing the approach  
to educating choreographers.

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