Higher Education Turnaround

At *JC Jones Advisory Services* our award-winning turnaround experience reaches far beyond for-profit businesses. *Higher Education* is an area of deep expertise for JC Jones. There is no one size fits all solution for college turnarounds; accordingly, we tailor our approach to the unique needs of your institution, stakeholders and environment. We possess the knowledge and experience to provide distressed colleges and universities with value-add advice and support. We offer the following turnaround services:

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ADVISORY SERVICES



Collegiate Strategy

- Enrollment & Net Tuition enhancement
- Strategic plan development and implementation
- Faculty realignment and optimization
- Market analysis of competing programs and institutions
- Interim leadership / Chief Restructuring Officer

Academic Program Realignment



- Market relevant academic programs
- Program demand research
- Educational valueadded services
- ♦ Student Retention



Net Asset Enhancement

- Cost containment and reduction
- Liquidity generation
- Financial projections and forecasting
- Cash flow management

Regulatory Compliance & Funding

- Consulting services for specialty programs like HEERF and CARES Acts
- Grant management and compliance services
- Institutional alignment with regulations and statutes
- Endowment & other investment assessment

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Higher Education Experience

Governance and Internal Controls

- Fraud and Investigative Services: Investigative reviews incorporating data analytics and forensic analysis
- Internal Audit Co-Source / Out-Source: Design adequacy and operating effectiveness of core institutional processes and controls
- SAS 115 Readiness: Top-down risk-based auditing consistent with the COSO 2013 framework
- Uniform Guidance (UG): Review and recommend procedural updates in compliance with UG

Data Analytics and IT Services

IT project leadership, including software and system implementations, identification and implementation of IT general controls, data-driven reviews and IT security assessments

- Cybersecurity Services
- Data Analytics & Visualization
- Data Governance

Advisory Services

- Disaster Recovery
- Information Security
- System Selection and Implementation
- Bond Evaluation: Analyze and support bond covenant negotiations
- **Capital Project Management:** Develop construction project monitoring tools, manage third-parties and provide litigation and negotiation support
- Cash Management: Cashflow forecasting and projection services
- Endowment Management: Assist with unrestricting of endowment funds to support operational activities, including cy-pres
- **Enrollment Enhancement:** Increase enrollment while improving net tuition through yield improvements, tuition resets, marketing, etc.
- **Faculty Management:** Interim/permanent placement, fractional leadership, executive search, part time employees
- Process Reengineering: Assess and enhance institutional processes (e.g. Procurement Card, T&E, AP, Dining, Vendor Management, etc.)



CLARITY

CREATIVITY

RESULTS