**BGSU Firelands**

**Governance Document Policy**

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**The Mission of BGSU Firelands**

BGSU Firelands seeks to offer the citizens of north-central Ohio the broad educational resources of a major State university in a smaller, student-centered, teaching-focused, personalized environment. The stated functional mission of BGSU Firelands is four-fold:

1. **To provide BG Perspective (general education) and pre-professional curricula designed to prepare students for a bachelor's degree education.**

2. **To provide place-bound students in the BGSU Firelands area access to selective BGSU bachelor's degree and master's degree completion programs on the BGSU Firelands campus.**

3. **To grant technical and paraprofessional associate degrees for work settings.**

4. **To offer continuing education opportunities to serve the personal and professional development needs of the region.**

With its sharp focus on undergraduate education and teaching of the highest quality, BGSU Firelands implements the vision and values of Bowling Green State University with its commitment to becoming "the premier learning community in Ohio and one of the best in the nation." The College offers a rich array of general studies, technical/career studies, certificate programs, continuing education courses and employee training and workforce development initiatives that have been crafted to meet the unique educational needs of the north central Ohio region.

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**References**

- *Ohio Revised Code §3355*

- Ohio Board of Regents (April 1996). *Operating Manual for Two-Year Campus Programs*

- *BGSU Undergraduate Catalog*