

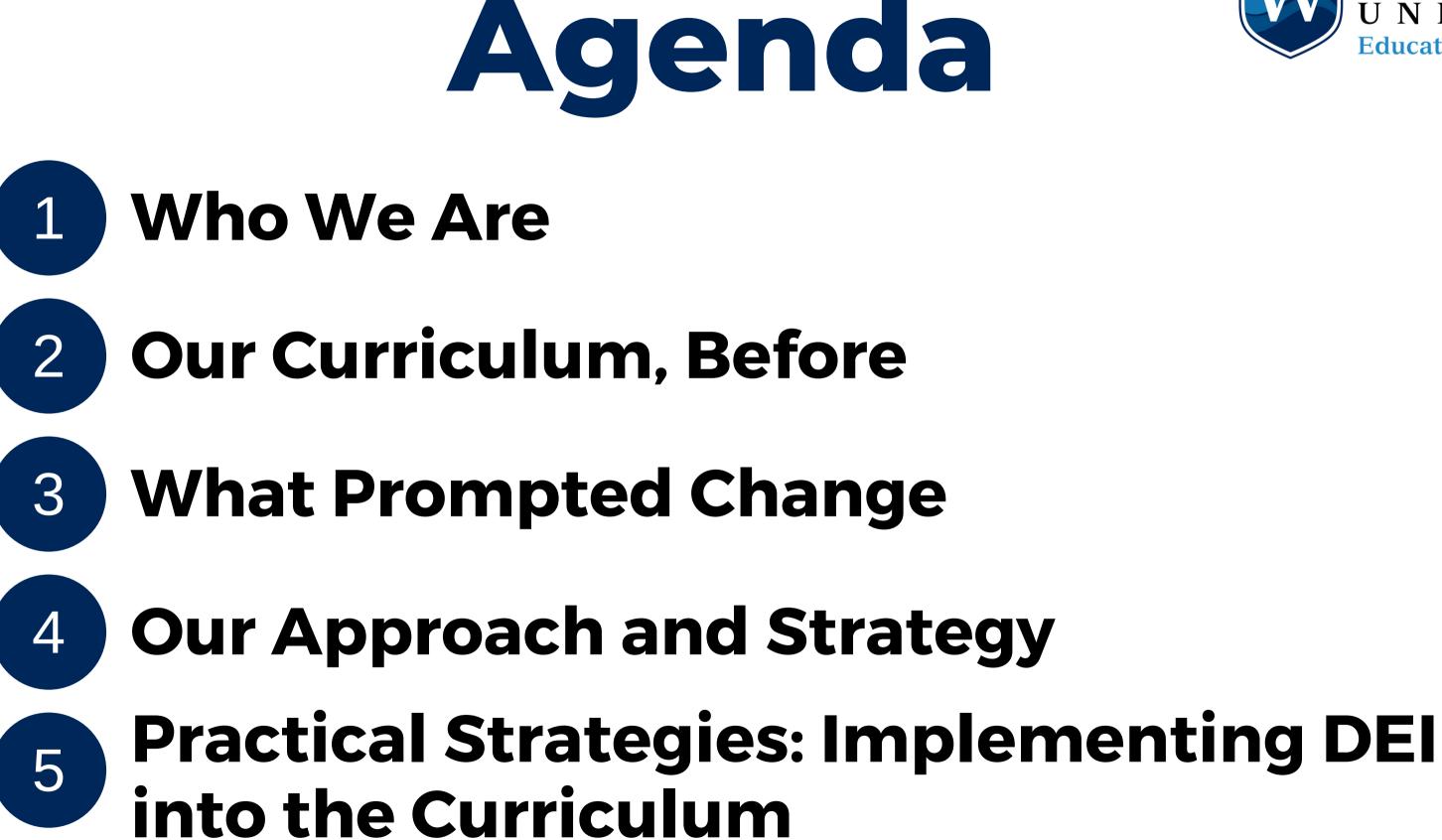
#### CHAMPIONING EQUITY, DIVERSITY & INCLUSION THROUGH CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT

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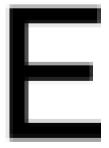
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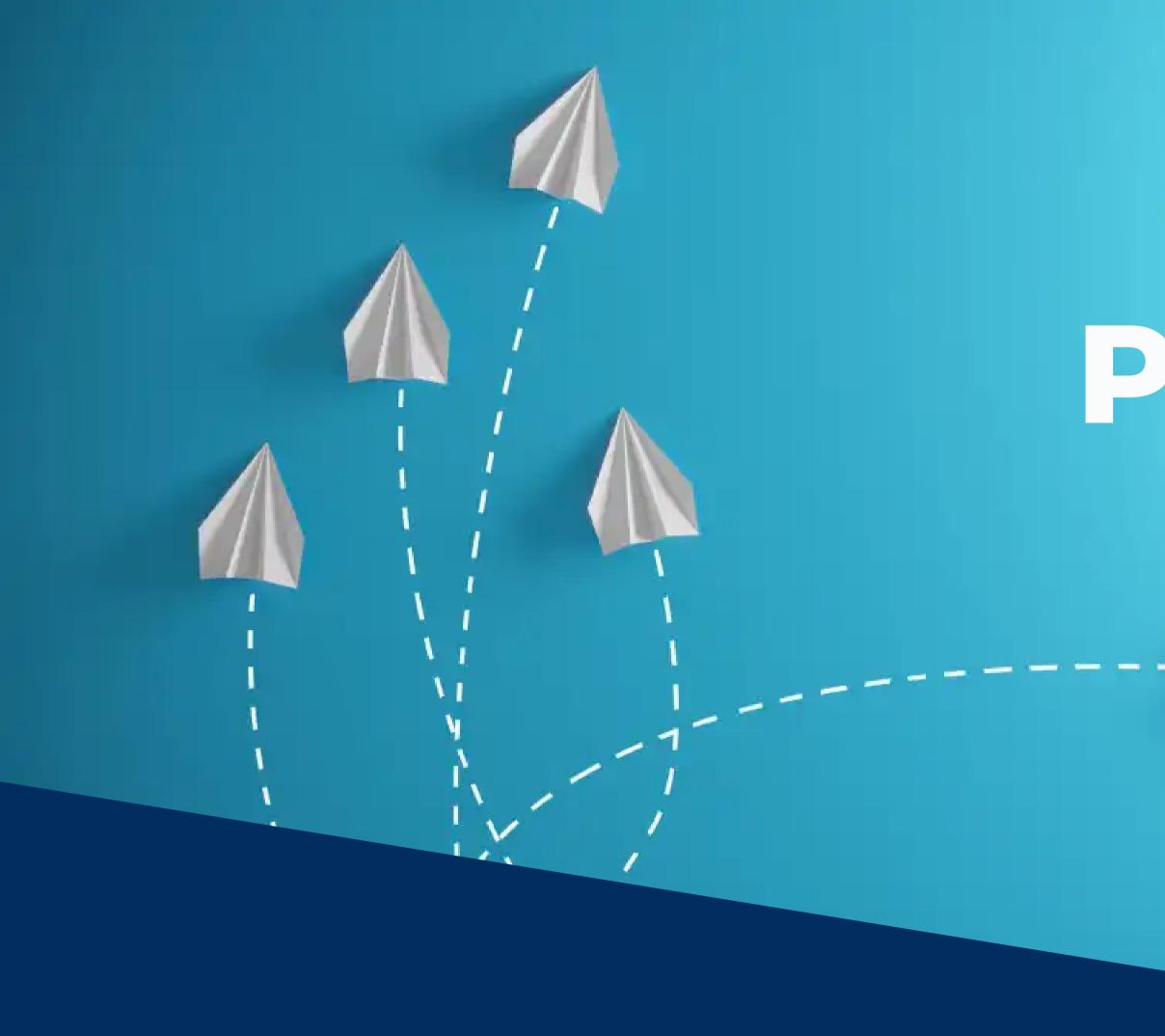
## Our Curriculum, Before

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# WhatPromptedChange

#### **Contextualized**

Learning in alignment with student interest and expertise

#### Inclusive

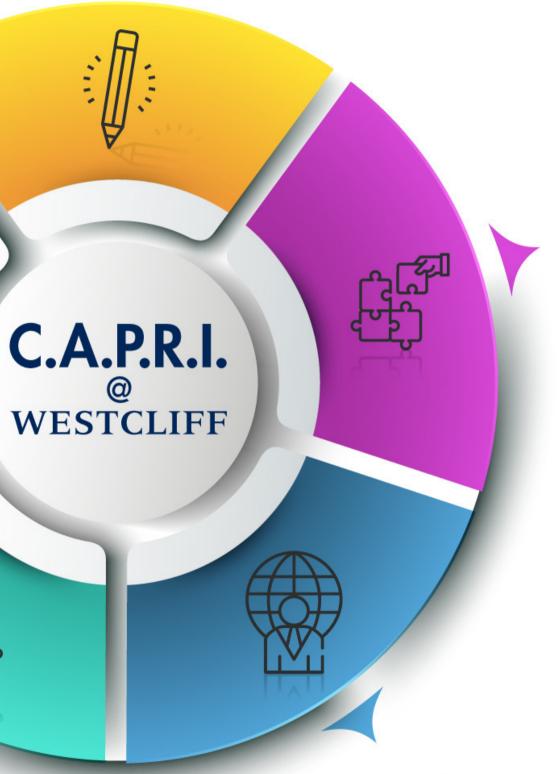
Learning for diverse needs and varying perspectives



#### Relevant

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Learning to address current and future industry demands



#### Applied Learning through creative, case-based problem-solving

#### **Practical**

Learning by doing in a real-world environment

## **Our New Approach and Strategy: Curriculum** Champions

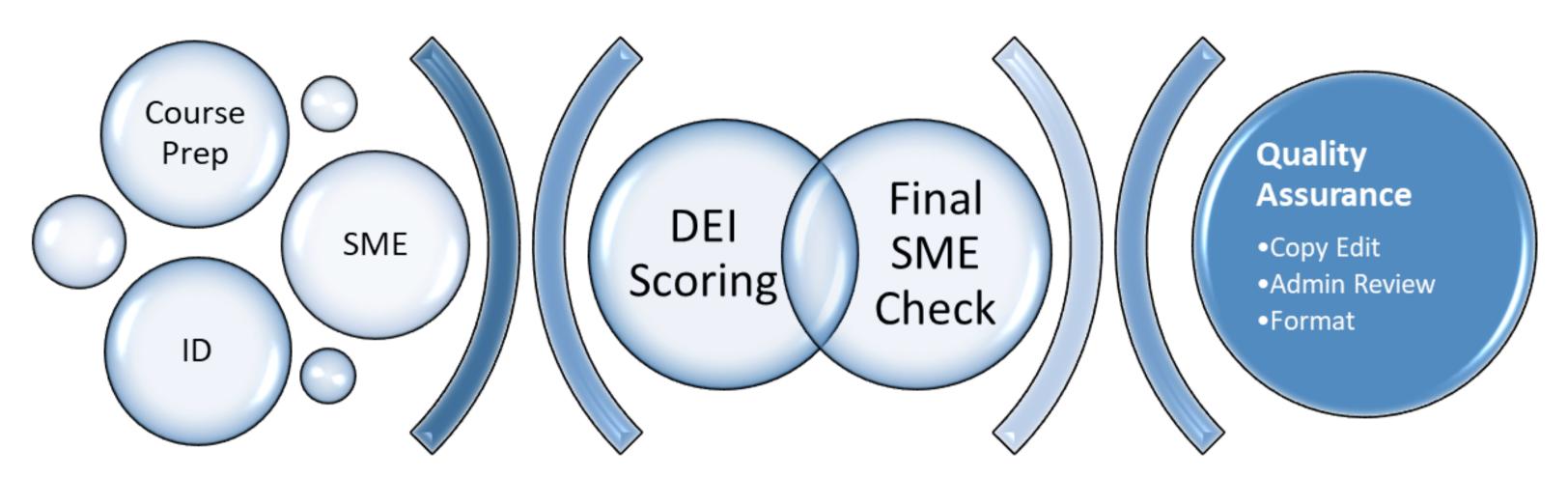








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#### Prep + Enhance

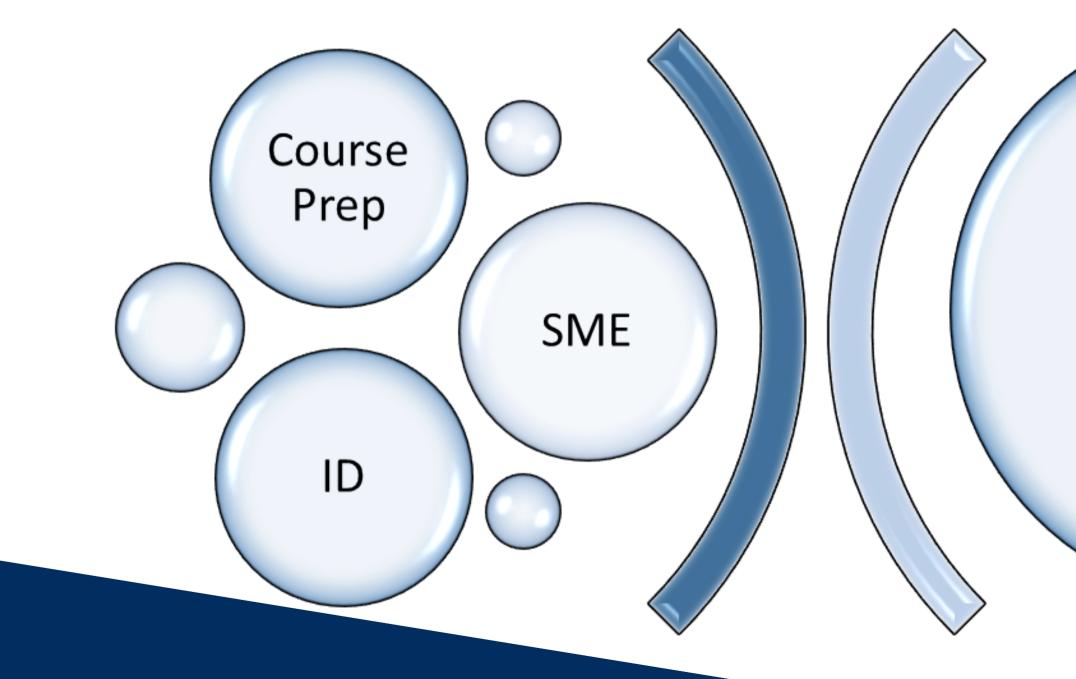
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#### Polish + Launch

## **Our New Approach and Strategy:** Curriculum Champions







## DEI Scoring

## **Practical Strategies: Implementing DEI**

- Diversity of Voice
- Differentiation & Individualization
- Equitable Access
- Practical Connections
- Social Justice
- Equity





## **Practical Strategies: Implementing DEI**



## Meaningful

TOPICS

## Equitable access

CONTENT AND RESOURCES



## Social & Cultural

BACKGROUND

## Contextualized

CONTENT AND RESOURCES

#### **Practical Strategies: Implementing DEI** Learning Tasks, Activities and 2 Assessments



TO ENCOURAGE COLLABORATION AND COOPERATION

## Self / Peer Assessment

TO GUARANTEE BOOSTS OF SELF-CONFIDENCE



VALUES, STRENGTHS, AND EXPERIENCES





LEARNING GOALS AND EVALUATION CRITERIA





TO SUBMIT OWN IDEAS / WRITTEN ORAL DELIVERABLES

#### **Practical Strategies: Implementing DEI**



#### COMPLYING AND ACCESSIBLE TO PHYSICALLY DISABLED STUDENTS.





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