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2020 Legislative Budget Request

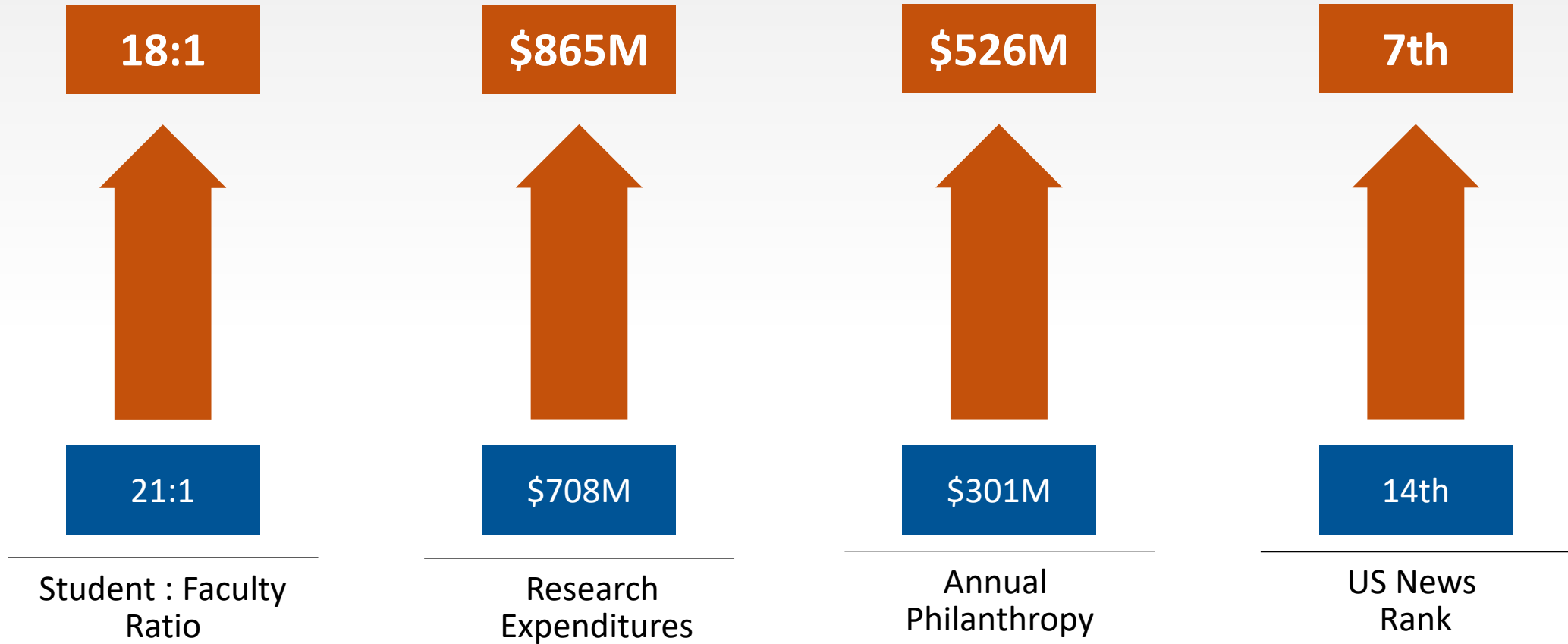
*Pillars of Excellence:
Moving Florida from popularity to preeminence*

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Outcomes

Quality Education in National Rankings

- 28 graduate programs ranked in the top-30 public and private universities
- #5 in online undergraduate education among publics and privates
- 45 faculty in the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering and Medicine, and the American Academy of the Arts and Sciences
- 66 departments ranked in the top 20 for scholarly research

Technology

- 46% of bachelor's degrees and 60% of graduate degrees are awarded in STEM and health disciplines
- #3 in the nation for effectiveness of technology transfer
- #1 in the world for biotechnology business incubation

Our state can be the national leader

- Education: Early childhood through PhD
- Destination for world-class healthcare that is exceptional and accessible
- Technological innovation
- Resilience of our state's infrastructure
- Feeding the world and sustainability of natural resources
- Arts, humanities and culture

Focus Areas

- Student success
- Student-faculty ratio
- Merit- and market-based faculty and staff compensation
- \$1B in annual research expenditures
- Private philanthropy to leverage state investment

Top Five National Ranking Operating Support

- Hire, retain and compensate outstanding faculty, staff and graduate assistants
- Postdoctoral scientists who will work with STEM faculty in their laboratories
- Seed funds for innovative research
- Modernize laboratories and learning environments
- Establish world-class centers of excellence through the recruitment of National Academy and Nobel Laureate scientists

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*When future generations
think of Florida...*

