



Endowed Chairs

National Class Training

Vision

Olds College is committed to the establishment of at least four national class programs resourced for growth. These national class programs will bring together the best students and faculty to provide training opportunities that exceed the expectations of our industries.

Each of the national class programs will require an endowment and/or declining principal fund as part of the resourcing plan to attract exceptional faculty, and as a linkage to the business and industry associated with the programs.

The role of the four endowed chairs is critical to the advancement of national caliber training programs and the development of professional personnel. As dominant and acknowledged leaders in their respective fields, the Chairs will play a critical role in facilitating the development of courses, and in shaping the high level skills and professionalism necessary for graduates to perform and grow in an increasingly complex world.

The Land Agent program has been identified as the first national caliber program for which long term funding is being sought. An endowment was established during the 1990's to provide instructional assistance to the Land Agent Program. The Energy Industry Partnership Fund will build upon the success of this \$750,000 endowment and will grow the Endowed Chair fund for the Land Agent Program to \$2,750,000.

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