



<b>Subject:</b>	USTC Mission, Vision, and Guiding Principles
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### **100.1 Approval**

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### **100.2 Mission**

The mission of the Utah System of Technical Colleges (USTC) is to meet the needs of Utah's employers for technically-skilled workers and to promote local and statewide economic development by providing market-driven technical education to secondary and adult students.

### **100.3 Vision**

The Utah System of Technical Colleges will be recognized as a world-class provider of technically skilled workers needed for the 21<sup>st</sup> century workforce.

### **100.4 Guiding Principles**

Through its technical colleges, USTC prepares students to enter, re-enter, or advance in the workplace, which contributes to economic development and improves the quality of life for Utah citizens. The USTC mission is accomplished through competency-based education and training programs, which may be long-term, short-term, apprenticeship, or custom-designed for individual employer needs. Most of the programs are offered in a flexible, open-entry/open-exit format.