College of Arts and Humanities Mission Statement

The College of Arts and Humanities at CSUDH provides an academic nexus that demonstrates the centrality of the arts and humanities to all varieties of human endeavor past, present, and future and contributes to the growth and success of every CSUDH student. The College accomplishes this by:

- Reflecting and engaging cultural diversity in its academic and creative programs.
- Providing a transformative educational experience for students that focuses on the education of the whole person in addition to the acquisition of skills.
- Fostering a student-centered teaching and learning environment that develops interpretive, communicative, and critical thinking competencies that will enable students to address challenges in creative, inspiring, and socially responsible ways.
- Educating students to be global citizens who are equipped to make independent judgments using imagination and reason.
- Supporting initiatives that facilitate the growth of faculty as teachers, scholars, performers, artists, and campus leaders.
- Promoting civic engagement and a commitment to the public good through service to the campus and community.
- Enriching campus and community life by providing access to creative and performing arts events and exhibitions.
- Utilizing the interface between the humanities and digital technology to support innovative pedagogies, scholarship, and creative activities.