

2020-2021 TIMC Goals

Goal #1: Publish and promote College Textbook Affordability Guidelines (aka “Recommendations for Adoption of Required Instructional Materials”)

Goal #2: Revise, post and promote the Textbook Adoption Roadmap

Goal #3: Educate faculty about the textbook adoption process and the impact of instructional materials costs on students—including financial aid, basic needs, accessibility, copyright, course packs, off-campus bookstores, achievement, and retention.

Goal #4: Investigate a low-cost designation in the class schedule.

Goal #5: Survey students about textbooks for baseline data; work with RIE to decide on data points and how often to survey students in the future.

Goal #6: Identify other campus committees and units in areas that we can collaborate with.

Goal #7: Work with the Library Initiative for Equitable & Affordable Learning (LIEAL) to promote Library resources and services that reduce the cost of instructional materials.