Preeminent Metrics 2019

1. **Average GPA and SAT score** (for incoming freshmen in Fall semester) (Fall 2018)
   - GPA: 4.1
   - SAT: 1326
   - SAT: 1200

2. **Public university national ranking** (in more than one national ranking) (2019)
   - Ranking: 3
   - Ranking: 2+

3. **Freshman retention rate** (Summer-Fall full-time, FTIC) (2017-18)
   - Retention rate: 90.4%
   - Retention rate: 90%

4. **Four year graduation rate** (Summer-Fall full-time, FTIC) (2012-16)
   - Graduation rate: 60%

5. **National Academy memberships** (2019)
   - Memberships: 6

6. **Science & engineering research expenditures** (2017-18)
   - Expenditures: $176M
   - Expenditures: $200M

7. **Non-medical science & engineering research expenditures** (2017-18)
   - Expenditures: $165M
   - Expenditures: $150M

8. **National ranking in STEM research expenditures** (includes public & private institutions) (2016-17)
   - Ranking: 7 of 8
   - Ranking: 5 of 8

9. **Patents awarded** (over 3 year period) (2016-18)
   - Patents: 147
   - Patents: 100

10. **Doctoral degrees awarded annually** (2017-18)
    - Degrees: 438
    - Degrees: 400

11. **Number of post-doctoral appointees** (Fall 2015)
    - Appointees: 51
    - Appointees: 200

12. **Endowment size** (2017-18)
    - Endowment: $163M
    - Endowment: $500M