



The Agile Campus

The traditional route for “going online,” creating parallel tracks, one for on-ground programs, one for online, is a waste of resources. Noodle Partners helps campuses not only take programs online, thereby increasing capacity, but also helps them create one system, reducing redundancy and expense. We are not about doing “cheap” -- creating great virtual experiences is not inexpensive. But we are about reducing costs; we advise universities to strategically deploy resources and create the experiences that matter most.

The agile campus is characterized by one integrated admin/tech/learning platform , where engaged students and faculty interact around innovative learning approaches, resulting in successful grads.

More specifically, the agile campus consists of:

- a. One learning ecosystem, accessible and fluid such that all resources, events, and courses are accessible to students regardless of their location. Rather than duplicate processes and services from the on-ground program for the online program, there is one program, one set of services, one tech. The supports that faculty and students need to be successful in this environment are available intuitively, in a variety of modalities, and in anticipation of need.
- b. Engaged students, faculty, and staff, connecting in a virtual community that allows for spontaneous communication, creation of like-minded groups, attendance at events, and so forth. Faculty and staff network with colleagues within their program, their school, their institution, and across other institutions; this community is so engaging that it has co-opted the on-ground faculty and students who might not otherwise engage in the online environment.
- c. Engaging, effective learning experiences which are outcomes-driven, adaptable to each learner’s needs, provide a real-time performance assessment, support learning from one another; the content is so compelling that faculty teaching on-ground want to pull it into their courses, and all faculty use the experiences as models for additional resources. (talk about support, and the overall impact on degree completion)
- d. The end result is a learning ecosystem that creates a powerful experience that all students who begin our programs emerge as competent and confident, highly competitive candidates for their desired fields.