

Cunningham Children's Home: Preserving the Past through University-Community Partnership

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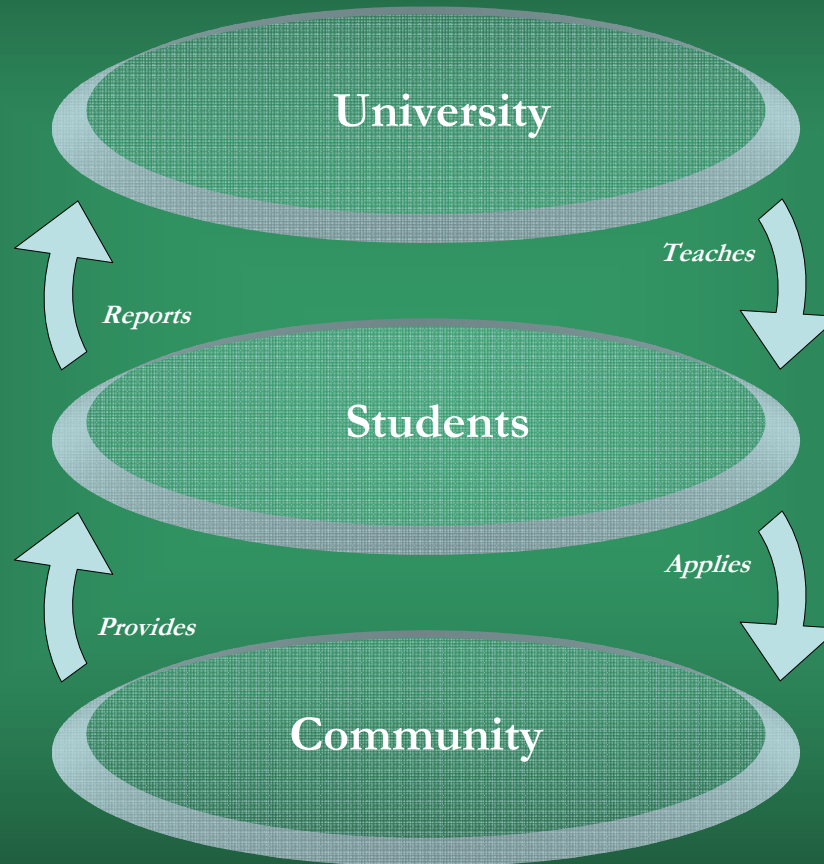
Community Engagement Course at GSLIS

- Practical application of community engagement theories and methods
- Service-learning/community-based research
- Collaboration with the community through projects
- Sustaining community-based projects
- Academic and professional development through community partners

Partnership Sustainability



- Continue collaboration between CCH and the course (university)
 - Communication
- Mutual understanding
 - Time
 - Resources
 - Benefits
- Training/learning from the early stage of collaboration



Cunningham Children's Home Archives



- Contain materials documenting the history of CCH since 1894
 - Photographs
 - Audio-visual materials
 - Art works
- History and memories of former residents and the local community

Students' Involvement



- Assessed photograph collection
- Created photograph inventory database
- Recommended preservation methods for photographs
 - Re-housing of photographs
 - Use of archival quality supplies
 - Proper arrangement and description
- Planned future work between CCH and students