Plymouth State in *The Chronicle of Higher Education*

Plymouth State University's progress towards the cluster model was featured in an article, "Want to Revamp Your Curriculum? Here’s How to Avoid a Quagmire" in the well-respected Chronicle, the national newspaper and website for higher education. PSU’s "system change" involves curriculum changes and "a radical restructuring." The Chronicle recognized that the cluster model combines research innovation and business partners with hands-on education, giving PSU students life-long learning skills.

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PSU and the NHCUC Higher Education Summit

On March 19, representatives of government, business, and universities came together at the Higher Education Summit to discuss post-secondary education. Economist Philip Trostel highlighted the benefits higher education provides to individuals and the state. Personal benefits include the well-known earnings premium and less-well-known better health for graduates. Public benefits of college-educated citizens include increased taxes to the state, increased volunteerism, a more engaged citizenry, far less incarceration, a reduced risk of unemployment, and more. In sum, Trostel noted: *if you want lower taxes rates and less government, support higher education.*

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For additional information, please read the new [NHCUC Economic Impact report](https://example.com/report)