Strategic challenges for the transformation of a state and public university, integrated in a global world
National and global scenarios

Global society of knowledge

- Participation in building global knowledge communities.
- Production of cross-disciplinary and intercultural understanding, led to address complex global problems.
- Demand for articulation of knowledge, given the increased complexity in which occurs.
- Active, connected and informed societies, that challenge and question state and markets allocation mechanisms.

Social transformations in Chile

- Social mobilization and debate on inequality. Public demand for the right to a public, free and quality education.
- Initiation of reforms of public education in general, and higher education in particular.
- Challenge to reinstall the State as leader in the provision of education, displacing the market as the main allocator.
## Present time

### Set up the University to address global challenges

| Global Context | • Become part of a network of international academic exchange, training, research, and development of science and technology (integrated knowledge), applied to global problems of high complexity.  
|                | • Join the global communities of knowledge and collaboration to solve problems of university and national development. |
| Nacional Context | • Active participation in recovering public education in Chile, leading the process of higher education to set up a relevant network of State Universities.  
|                | • Leading the production of knowledge to guide the country’s development in an equitable and sustainable manner.  
|                | • Undertake processes of growth and consolidation of academic excellence. Increase coverage, democratized access, generation of ideas and technological development to serve the society.  
|                | • Relevance of Carén Scientific, Environmental and Technological Park. |
| Interuniversity Context | • Internal reform process. Expected reform tran of the National Education System.  
|                | • Enhancement of the ethic of solidarity, associated to the development of science, technology and knowledge, to serve the country needs. |
Interuniversity Cooperation.
Contribution to national development and democratizacion of advanced knowledge

**Development**
- To enhance the knowledge produced at the University of Chile. Compliance with International standards and integration to address complex global issues.
- Strengthening of local capacity building
- To train professionals committed with national problems, and experts with a global vision.
- To become a place for the exchange and production of cross-disciplinary knowledge, able to contribute to the solution of global problems.

**Access**
- Contribute to national development through science and technology, in coordination with other national and international universities, the state and the regional governments.
- Contribute to strengthening the quality of public higher education, focused on collaboration and exchange with international universities of excellence.