



Regional Council Partnerships

with Universities, Colleges and Workforce Agencies

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KANSAS CITY ART INSTITUTE

K-STATE



DONNELLY COLLEGE
EST. 1949



University of Missouri



Regional and Community Planning

- **Mobility Hubs Design Studio** - UMKC Plans
- **Local Comprehensive Plans** - KU Urban Planning
- **Watershed Modeling** - K-State Engineering



Human Services

- **Caregiving Protocols** - KU Alzheimer Researchers
- **Early Education Credentialing Program** - UCM
- **Aging Services Client Screening Validation** -
University Consortium



Research and Grants

- **Regional Economy Analysis** - UMKC Economics/Brookings
- **Principal Investigates/Grant Writers/Independent Evaluators** - KU, UMKC, K-State
- **HUD Grant Sub-Recipients** - UMKC, KU, K-State



Cross Participation

- **Academic Advisory Committees** - MARC Staff
 - Public Administration, STEM, Planning
- **Adjunct Faculty and Guest Lecturers** - MARC Staff
- **MARC Policy Committees** - Faculty Experts



Workforce Development

- **KC Rising Regional Economic Strategy** -
Multiple Universities
- **Regional Workforce Intelligence Network** -
Workforce Analytics
- **GradForce KC** - *Multiple Universities*



KC Rising Partnership

- Educational Asset Inventory
- Talent to Industry Exchange
- KC Degrees - Adult learner supports

