

# THE COMMON HOME PROJECT

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## Sustaining our Shared Future

The Creighton Global Initiative

### Institutional Hub Partner Selection Criteria

The Common Home Project will develop a key partnership hub in each continent of the world. Institutional partners will be selected based on the following criteria:

- 1.** The partner is a Jesuit institution of higher education (in this way we affirm Creighton's contribution to the IAJU vision);
- 2.** The partner has a similar vision for integration of Sustainable Integral Development in its operations (this affirms that the partner institution is not only looking to address areas of emphasis of the SDGs, but is also seeking to do so reflecting Laudato Si' and a uniquely Catholic and Jesuit perspective);
- 3.** The partner has prioritized community engagement as an important representation of their Catholic and Jesuit identity (this will permit Creighton to live out the Universal Apostolic Preferences and contribute more genuinely to the partner's community in a way that is consistent with Creighton University's own values for community engagement rather than create new and possibly superficial and unsustainable relationships in multiple disconnected locations);
- 4.** The partner has signed a student / faculty exchange agreement with Creighton University [this means that the partner's breadth of academic offerings and standards are comparable to Creighton University's, and that it has procedures in place to facilitate student short (i.e. 1 month) and medium (1 semester) study, including tuition waiver, student support programming, and credit transfer];
- 5.** The partner has committed to a reciprocal partnership with Creighton University (this means that it has identified key collaborators; and committed resources to the ongoing development of the partnership);
- 6.** The partner has programs already in place in which they seek collaboration (this means that the partner is willing to lead and provide their expertise so that Creighton University does not need to reproduce resources, and so the existing resources can go further in supporting more comprehensive outcomes).