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"I believe the speed of change will continue to accelerate even faster in our world — and higher education must be defining and leading such change. The challenge for higher education is to clearly define its role for leading change, or risk being subject to the pace of change that questions both our value and relevancy."

— CHUCK AMBROSE ’73, PRESIDENT OF CENTRAL MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY, IN ITS INAUGURAL ADDRESS

"I'm leery about placing very young children in any form of organized activity at a time of their development when they should be allowed to have spontaneous play. Children need to have honest conversations with our kids about how adults in a society disagree."

— TROY DMITRIEVR, DIRECTOR OF LANGUAGES STUDIES, IN A GENERALIZED ABSTRACT TITLE: "WE MUST TEACH OUR CHILDREN HOW TO TREAT OTHERS."