On a separate sheet, please respond to the following prompts – and as you do so, think about what will make your heart sing. The questions are primarily intended to fire your imagination, and NOT to lock you into a particular direction.

1. Read the article “Inside-Out Leadership” accompanying this application, and reflect on / respond to its thesis and major claims. For example: What strikes you about the authors' view of leadership? How do their ideas fit with your own evolving understanding of your work? What questions do their ideas raise for you? How does it inform or illuminate, challenge or inspire your intentions and aspirations for participating in the Academy?

2. Please describe some aspect of your work where your imagination, engagement, and effectiveness might flourish because of this experience. How might your participation in this safe, courageous community of learning and practice over the course of the year assist you in strengthening education for the common good at UNI? How might your participation help you to flourish and, in turn, assist in elevating the vitality of our community? What project or experiment can you see yourself working on over the course of the year, what idea or possibility might you like to develop in the company of supportive colleagues?