

# Mission Statements

## Example from the Nonprofit Sector:

Since 1981 the Indiana Chamber of Commerce Foundation, Inc. has provided timely and thought-provoking research to enhance Indiana's business climate, economic future and quality of life. *The Foundation is dedicated to elevating the visibility and discussion of key issues that improve Indiana's economic opportunities.*

<http://www.indianachamber.com/>

## Example from the For-Profit Business Sector:

In 1837, John Deere founded the company that would come to bear his name. Incorporated as Deere & Company in 1868, it has grown from a one-man blacksmith shop into a worldwide corporation that today does business in more than 160 countries and employs approximately 43,000 people [worldwide](#) . It is one of the oldest industrial companies in the United States.

*Our company is guided today, as it has been since its beginning, by John Deere's original values of quality, innovation, integrity and commitment. We strive to create [shareholder](#) value through the pursuit of continuous improvement and profitable growth.*

[http://www.deere.com/en\\_US/compinfo/index.html](http://www.deere.com/en_US/compinfo/index.html)

## Example from the Government Sector:

*Indiana State Board of Education*

The Mission of the Indiana State Board of Education is to fulfill its statutory responsibility by establishing policies that promote excellence in learning for all students. The Board shall provide Leadership, Vision and Advocacy to secure optimum educational opportunity and benefit to the citizens of Indiana.

<http://www.in.gov/sboe/>

