MISSION, VISION, GOALS

Mission
- The Office of Transfer Student Services will support all transfer students, after the point of admission, by facilitating seamless pathways and encouraging programming and resources to ensure successful transition, persistence, and graduation.

Vision
- The Office’s vision is a simple three part approach: Partner, Promote, & Connect. We will partner with campus departments and schools to promote services and unique programming in order to connect transfer students to the IUPUI campus.

Goals
- The Office of Transfer Student Services supports transfer students’ academic integration, social integration, and enhancement of students’ goal commitment and self-efficacy.

KEY FUNCTIONS, PROGRAMS, & SERVICES

The Office of Transfer Student Services serves as a hub of information about the transfer student population at IUPUI. From the point of admission through graduation, the Office provides programming, resources, and workshops for transfer students to acclimate to IUPUI academically and socially, and assist in the formulation and accomplishment of goals. The Office provides and facilitates these programs, resources, and workshops through partnerships with other offices on campuses.

KEY DATA & 3-5 YEAR GOALS

Services & Assessment (Transfer-Year Experience)
- Transfer Orientation
  - As of 7/14/2014:
    - 491 SU/FA 2014 admits attended an April/May orientation
    - 1156 SU/FA 2014 admits attended orientation (includes April/May)
    - 553 FA 2014 admits reserved for future orientations
- Transfer Connection – Program Review
- School-based Transition Program: SPEAk the TRUth
  - 44 students in Oncourse site
  - 34 public announcements/messages from academic advisor
  - 6 public announcements/messages from student mentor
  - Very low level of participation reported by advisor and mentor
- Transfer Seminars
- BUSN-X103 (instructor Matt Wade did not receive course evaluations from Kelley School of Business)
- Transfer Insider (eNewsletter)
  - Fall 2013 – two issues in circulation:
    - Average open rate – 24.33%
    - Average click rate 2.45%
  - Spring 2014 – two issues in circulation:
    - Average open rate – 42.6%
    - Average click rate 3.35%
- Tau Sigma
  - Inducted 28 students during Fall 2013
  - Three active participants in chapter meetings and service event with Keep Indianapolis Beautiful

3-5 Year Goals
- Support the work of the Foundations of Excellence: Transfer Focus by participation in subcommittees and other new initiatives
- Policy change: Require a Transfer-Year Experience
- Continue expanding longitudinal data from 2013-2014 baseline data including demographics, overall persistence/success, persistence/success by sending institution, and graduation rates
- Collaborate with Ivy Tech & IUPUI Coordinated Programs (Passport) Office to facilitate a holistic Pathways to IUPUI program for specific Ivy Tech populations
- Maintain the development of an annual Transfer Symposium to serve as a professional development experience for campus faculty/staff
- Continue to expand the recognition of Tau Sigma National Honor Society for Transfer Students on campus to incoming students, continuing students, and faculty/staff.