Transfer Student Success asked incoming transfer students questions about engagement interests, programming preferences to inform services and support provided by the Transfer Student Success (TSS). Below are the results of our findings, the TSS action plan, and how we can support you in making informed programming decisions. We share these results with the campus community in efforts to support their creation of intentional, transfer-focused programming plans.

THE PROCESS

In 2020-2021, incoming transfer students received two emails to fill out an intake form. Reminders via social media were also posted. 389 unique users filled out the form, which is about 10% of the incoming class.

STUDENTS TOP RESPONSES

MOST LIKELY TO ENGAGE IN...
1. ACADEMIC WORKSHOPS
2. PEER COACHING
3. CAREER/LEADERSHIP WORKSHOPS

MODE OF DELIVERY PREFERENCES (ON-PRESENCE VS. VIRTUAL)

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PREFERRED WORKSHOP TOPICS

1. ADVISING INFO
2. MAJOR-SPECIFIC INFO
3. CAREER PREP

INVolVEMENT INTERESTS

1. MAJOR ACTIVITIES
2. ADVISING
3. CAMPUS OPPORTUNITIES (EX: STUDY ABROAD)

HOW WE RESPONDED

ACTION PLAN FOR 21 - 22

1. Collaborate with the Commons and HPS to host academic workshops focused on adjustment to the quarter system and transfer shock.
2. Train the peer coaches on basic resume and cover letter building, so they can use these skills to provide enhanced peer-to-peer support.
3. Work with the Study Abroad Office to spread awareness of opportunities; increase the number of transfers abroad.
4. Collaborate with CDAA to host Registration Labs for Winter 2021 registration, and share more advising information within our newsletters.
5. Continue and grow Maximizing your Second Career collaborative events with major departments who have high transfer numbers.
6. Pivot to provide hybrid services, focusing on virtual workshops and peer coaching opportunities.

As always, this is the tip of the iceberg! We will continuously re-assess and grow based on student need!

WE LISTEN

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