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TRANSFER ACTION CAUCUS

MEMO:

IU campuses, via the University Transfer Office , are engaged in responding to IU's 21 transfer friendly standards. Your campus representative is actively reporting and responding to these standards.

TAC Members gave a brief report of each campus current state in relation to the campus recommendations from 2021 TAC.



During week 7 each campus provided a brief report out on the 9 campus focused recommendations from the 2021 TAC. Each campus has its own challenges and bottlenecks to address to advance transfer, but some of the common barriers were, PLA processes (who accepts? How? Required material?), informing and involving faculty of the importance of keeping transfer at the forefront, and creating a dedicated space for transfer students and staff, however that may look on your campus. Quick solutions to some of the barriers were, potential adoption of general education course fulfillment, creating more partnerships with external institutions, paying closer attention to the data and how it can inform and prioritize the creation of articulation rules. Campuses have indicated that this year's caucus has unveiled many transfer related issues.



WHAT'S NEXT?

Next week's meeting is a celebration! VP of Regional Campuses and Online Recruitment, Susan Sciame-Giesecke will join the meeting to thank everyone for their hard work and efforts to increase transfer enrollment at Indiana University.

In the upcoming weeks, please be on the lookout for more information regarding the creation of workgroups proposed from this year's caucus, Prior Learning Assessment and Intercampus Transfer/Enrollment. In addition, the Data and Tracking group along with other TAC member will aid in reducing the 21 standards. As we cross the finish line of the caucus, please know that the work does not stop here and UTO is here to help in any way we can. We appreciate the momentum of progress that each campus has made during this short time expand.

MAKE IT HAPPEN STEPS FOR LEADERS:

- Please continue to inform and involve faculty of the importance of keeping transfer at the forefront.
- Thank you, for the support of the TAC initiative to spotlight transfer while responding to leaks in the pipeline.



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