



UNIVERSITY ACADEMIC AFFAIRS  
**UNIVERSITY TRANSFER OFFICE**

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## Transfer Issue Brief

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Dear Transfer Staff,

We hope you had a wonderful holiday break! We have some great updates to share with you all.

### In the Know

#### Transfer Friendliness Survey

In Fall 2019, 3,997 students IU system-wide were invited to participate in a transfer student satisfaction survey. A sample of question topics included financial aid, new student orientation, advising, course registration, and sports and athletics. Survey data is currently being compiled and a summary will be published in the February 2020 Issue Brief. Thank you UIRR for your leadership in administering the survey!

#### 2020 IU Transfer Symposium - *Building Connections for Transfer Success*

The proposal deadline has closed and proposals are being reviewed by the symposium committee. IU faculty, staff, administrators, and transfer students are all encouraged to attend. Complete your symposium registration [here](#).

[Errol Wint](#), IUPUI Director of Undergraduate Admissions, will present the opening session. Space will be available near the check-in desk for campuses to showcase their campus work and resources. An email about parking and day-of logistics will be sent by UTO to all registered attendees a few days preceding the event. We look forward to seeing you there!

#### Transfer Student Events

Are you hosting an event or workshop for transfer students? Send the details to Amber Huff at [adeptree@iu.edu](mailto:adeptree@iu.edu) to post to the [transfer.iu.edu](http://transfer.iu.edu) [events](#) website.

### What's New

#### Transfer Recognition Award

UTO is now accepting nominations for the Transfer Recognition Award! Nominations will be evaluated in three areas:

- Professional Development in Transfer
- Leadership in Transfer
- Impact of Transfer Work

Nomination guidelines, including explanations of the three above areas, eligibility, submission procedures, and the nomination form can be found [here](#). Selected nominees will be notified and honored at the 2020 IU Transfer Symposium.

#### UTO's New Mission

In December, UTO's mission was revised to reflect current office practices. The new mission is: *The University Transfer Office (UTO) eases student transition through improved access, accuracy and application of credit toward degree attainment.*

### Transfer Projects

List of priority projects for 2020 with USSS and campus partners:

- Create a guidance document for processing and evaluation of apprenticeship, field work, and internship transfer coursework.
- Explore ways to pull accurate transfer data on TSAPs, 2+2 completions, etc. Opportunities with the data dashboards are also being explored.
- Compile findings from the fall 2019 transfer friendliness survey and launch a dashboard.
- Gather and compile a repository of university-wide transfer policies.
- Build infrastructure for transfer student engagement with campuses.

Sincerely,  
**The University Transfer Office**



### Links

- [Register for Transfer Symposium](#)

### Resources

- [Canvas Training Course](#)
- [Guidance Document Manual](#)
- [Archived Issue Briefs](#)

### Feature an article

- [Article Suggestion Guidelines and Form](#)

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### Questions?

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