




Transfer Issue Brief

Dear Transfer Staff,

Trusting your fall semester is off to a good start. In this issue brief we remind of transfer week, update on fall 2020 reverse transfer deadlines, share professional development opportunities, and notify of updates and reminders.

National Transfer Student Week



WEEK of October 19-23

University Transfer Office (UTO) Transfer Week of Activities

"Thriving Through Transfer."

Monday October 19	YOU BELONG HERE! (Show your IU Campus Color #Belong@IU)
Tuesday October 20	IU PROUD-N-READY (Give-n-share IU gear, Welcome a transfer)
Wednesday October 21	MY CHAMPION AND I (Introduce transfer champions to transfers)
Thursday October 22	SELECT N CONNECT (Virtual social hours and platforms i.e. CN)
Friday October 23	HELP-ME-FINISH (Email blast to Point to people, places, things, for success)

With National Transfer Student Week—October 19-23—approaching, IU campuses are preparing for events. Using the daily themes they can pick one day and one activity or offer countless activities on all five days under each theme. Be sure to check out how they engage transfer students.

Spotlight

Transfer Student Advisory Board (TSAB): Creating a TSAB allows campuses to hear directly from transfer students. Read how IU Bloomington grew its TSAB and recruited students during events such as National Transfer Student week.

"In fall 2019, Bloomington's First Year Experience Programs (FYE) and the Office of Admissions recruited transfer students for the new Transfer Student Advisor Board (TSAB) during events such as an ice cream social and the National Transfer Student week. With 30 transfer students showing interest, we were able to elect an Executive Board, who started working in early spring. They attended Bloomington's NST Transfer Student Sub-Committee where they shared their transfer experience, provided ideas of where improvements could be made for future transfer students, and shared ideas of projects that they were planning. As of August 2020, the TSAB group has officially been added as a student organization on campus and has already welcomed new transfer students at a Welcome Station and at a Town Hall during IU Bloomington's Weeks of Welcome! We now have over 40 students who are part of the Bloomington TSAB going into the 2020/2021 school year."

- IU Bloomington - Kelly Waggoner

Send your transfer week calendar of events to UTO to post at [Transfer Events](#).

Fall 2020 Reverse Transfer

The Office of the Registrar has confirmed the following dates for Reverse Transfer:

September 16 – IU will generate emails to eligible students

October 30 – Deadline for eligible students to opt-in

November 6 – IU will generate transcripts for students who opted-in and send to the community college

For more information and FAQs, please visit the UTO webpage [here](#).

Professional Development

Looking for opportunities to develop professionally? Check out these resources:

- [CollegeSource Webinars](#)
- Inside Higher Ed – ["Can we finally fix transfer?"](#) three-part event
- IU- Transfer Training via Canvas – (See link on right hand menu)

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2021 NISTS awards

- [Nomination Information & Form](#)

Resources

- [Canvas Training Course](#)
- [Guidance Document Manual](#)
- [Archived Issue Briefs](#)
- [IU Transfer Credit Standards](#)

Feature an article

- [Article Suggestion Guidelines and Form](#)

Questions?

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Updates and Reminders

- NISTS transfer award applications are due Wednesday September 30, 2020. Follow the link on the right for nomination criterion and the application form.
- Submit your internal and external articulation agreements to UTO at uto@iu.edu by October 30, 2020.

Sincerely,
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