# UNIVERSITY ACADEMIC AFFAIRS UNIVERSITY TRANSFER OFFICE

# Transfer Issue Brief

Dear Transfer Staff,

Happy National Transfer Student Week! We hope you are reaching out to your transfer students and have some amazing activities planned on your campus.

# In the Know

#### 2020 IU Transfer Symposium

The next IU Transfer Symposium will be held on February 17, 2020; 8:30am – 4:00pm at the IUPUI Campus Center. Please save the date and start thinking of presentation proposals. The call for proposals opens November 1<sup>st</sup>. See the Save the Date flyer on the right.

#### CTL Currency Review Timeline for 2019-2020

The deadline to submit documents to CHE was October 4, 2019, and the deadline for uploading documents to Box for review was October 11. The CTL Currency Review began October 11, and the preliminary results will be submitted to CHE on January 10, 2020. The CTL Academic panel meetings will take place on March 27. The Approval Forms will be uploaded by March 30, and the CTL Final Approval Forms will be submitted to CHE on May 1. Finally, the CTL Database will be updated on <u>TransferIN.net</u> on June 5, 2020.

#### Forever GI Bill

The Harry W. Colmery Veterans Education Assistance Act, the "Forever GI Bill," is in the final stages of its implementation plan. Changes started taking effect August 17, 2017, the most recent change took place August 1, 2019, and the last change is due August 1, 2022. To see what has been and is going to be implemented, the Forever GI Bill fact sheet can be found on the right.

## What's New

#### National Transfer Student Week

The National Institute for the Study of Transfer Students (NISTS) organizes National Transfer Student Week annually. This year's National Transfer Student Week is being held October 21-25. UTO is reaching out to gather information on each of the campuses' activities that are related to National Transfer Student week. Even if your campus is holding your National Transfer Student Week campus activities the week before or after October 21-25 due to fall break, feel free to send us the details of any related activities so we can highlight them in November.

IU Northwest has graciously shared a couple of flyers for events hosted on their campus for National Transfer Student Week. One flyer features a transfer café information session, and the other reveals their events for the whole week. These flyers can be accessed on the right.

#### **TSAP Review**

UTO is undertaking a review of all the current TSAP programs and checking that they have completed all the stages needed to place students in the TSAP. These steps include working with campus faculty, obtaining curriculum approval, going through university processes, and website/marketing/enrollment access/iGPS setup.

Audit documentation will be sent out in the next month to campus representatives.

#### Feature an Article

UTO has created a great resource for IU transfer staff, faculty, and administrators to share articles that focus on transfer. UTO will regularly showcase articles shared with us via our Monthly Issue Brief and website. Please review <u>the General Disclaimer and Article Guidelines</u> before leaving an article suggestion.

After reviewing, please leave your article suggestions by following the link to the right.

#### **Guidance Documents and Training**

New to transfer? Unsure of information used to make a decision of transfer as a staff, faculty or administrator? Want to know what TES or CTS is? Check out our Canvas Training course. Enroll by following the link to the right. To help with consistency, a guidance document manual was also created. See link on the right.

Sincerely,

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## **New from UTO**

- 2020 IU Transfer Symposium Save the Date
- Forever GI Bill
  Fact Sheet
- <u>Canvas Training</u> <u>Course</u>
- <u>Guidance</u>
  <u>Document</u>
  <u>Manual</u>
- <u>Transfer Café</u>
- <u>IUN Transfer</u> <u>Student Week</u> <u>Flyer</u>
- <u>Article</u>
  <u>Suggestion</u>
  <u>Form</u>

#### **Questions?**

If you have questions about this issue brief, if you believe you received it in error, or if you know someone else who should also receive it, please reach out to UTO.

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