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RE: California State University Report: Assembly Bill 1016, Student Transfer Achievement Reform Act

The total number of transfer students entering the California State University (CSU) with an associate degree for transfer (ADT) has been on a positive trajectory. In Fall 2019, almost all of the students who applied to the California State University with an ADT were offered admission to at least one of the CSU system's twenty-three campuses. More than two-thirds of accepted ADT students ultimately enrolled at a CSU campus. Of these students, 58 percent are enrolled in a "similar pathway", i.e., a major that has been deemed similar or related to their ADT by faculty at the CSU campus. Finally, students entering the CSU with an ADT on a similar pathway continue to graduate at a higher rate. For students transferring to the CSU in fall 2016, more than 50 percent of those who earned an ADT and transferred on a similar pathway graduated in two years and 78 percent graduated in three years.

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As required by the Student Transfer Reform Act, information has been posted to summarize campus acceptance of transfer model curricula by concentration and to provide data related to admission, enrollment, and graduation of students with an ADT who applied to a campus of the California State University, plus additional admission and enrollment data for those redirected to another campus than that indicated in the application.

This report, which summarizes campus acceptance of transfer model curricula by concentration, can be found at:

<https://tmc.calstate.edu>

The information about the admission, enrollment, and graduation of students with an associate degree for transfer in this report is also posted at:

<https://www2.calstate.edu/data-center/institutional-research-analyses/Pages/reports-and-analytics.aspx>

The reporting requirement excerpt follows:

Education Code Section 66749.5

(b) The California State University shall submit two reports to the Legislature on campus acceptance of transfer model curricula by concentration, on or before December 1, 2016, and on or before December 1, 2017, respectively.

(c) (1) The California State University shall annually, commencing December 1, 2016, publicly post available data on all of the following:

(A) The number of students admitted with an associate degree for transfer.

(B) The proportion of students with an associate degree for transfer who graduate from the California State University within two or three years.

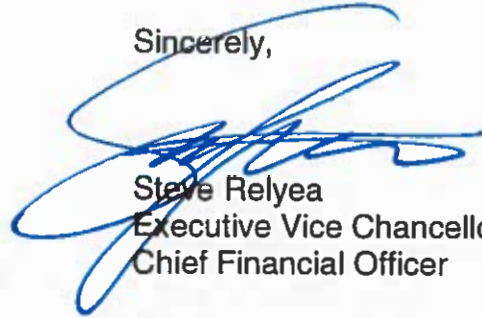
(C) The number of students with an associate degree for transfer who applied to a campus of the California State University and were redirected to another campus than that indicated in the application.

(D) The number of students described in subparagraph (C) who ultimately enrolled at a California State University campus.

Should you have any questions about this report, please contact Nichole Munoz-Murillo, Assistant Vice Chancellor, Advocacy and State Relations at (916) 445-5983.

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The total number of students (unduplicated) with an associate degree for transfer applied, admitted and enrolled at CSU, Fall 2019

	Total Applications Received	Admitted and on ADT Pathway	Admitted not on ADT Pathway	Total Admitted	Enrolled and on ADT Pathway	Enrolled not on ADT Pathway	Total Enrolled
Associate Degree for Transfer Earners	42,841	19,313	20,395	39,708	15,195	10,810	26,005

The total number of students (unduplicated) with an associate degree for transfer (excluding redirected applications) applied, admitted and enrolled at CSU, Fall 2019

	Applications Received	Admitted and on ADT Pathway	Admitted not on ADT Pathway	Total Admitted	Enrolled and on ADT Pathway	Enrolled not on ADT Pathway	Total Enrolled
Associate Degree for Transfer Earners	37,987	18,472	19,245	37,717	15,089	10,728	25,817

The total number of students (unduplicated) with an associate degree for transfer who applied to a campus of the California State University and were redirected to another campus than that indicated in the application, Fall 2019

	Applications Received and Redirected	Admitted and on ADT Pathway	Admitted not on ADT Pathway	Total Admitted	Enrolled and on ADT Pathway	Enrolled not on ADT Pathway	Total Enrolled
Associate Degree for Transfer Earners	4,854	841	1,150	1,991	106	82	188

The total number of students with an associate degree for transfer who graduated from the California State University within two or three years, Fall 2016

	Admitted and on ADT Pathway	Graduated within one year (Headcount)	Graduated within two years (Headcount)	Graduated within three years (Headcount)	Graduated within three years (%)	Still Enrolled after three years (Headcount)	Still Enrolled after three years (%)
Associate Degree for Transfer Earners	8,152	30	4,183	6,366	78%	620	8%