GUIDED PATHWAYS CAPITOL FORUM

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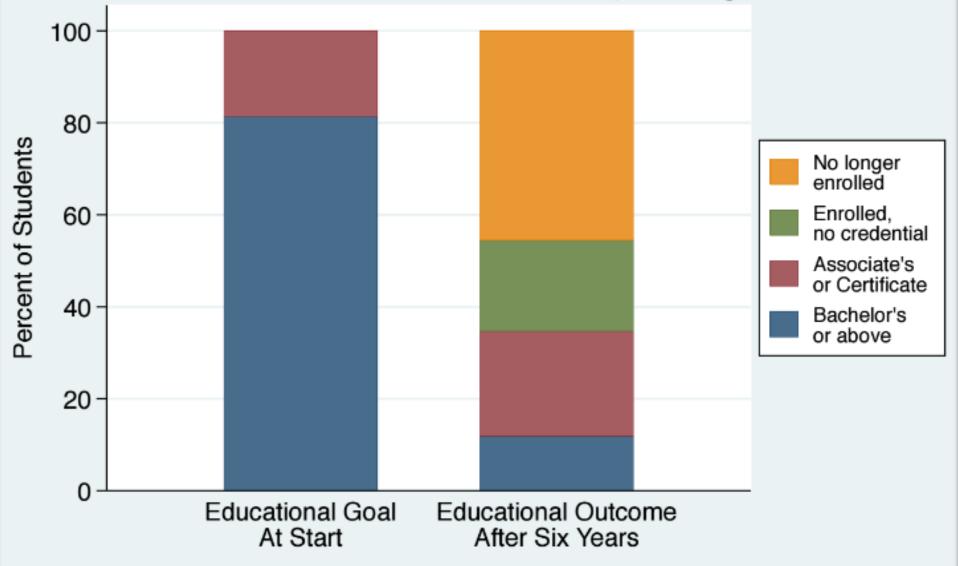
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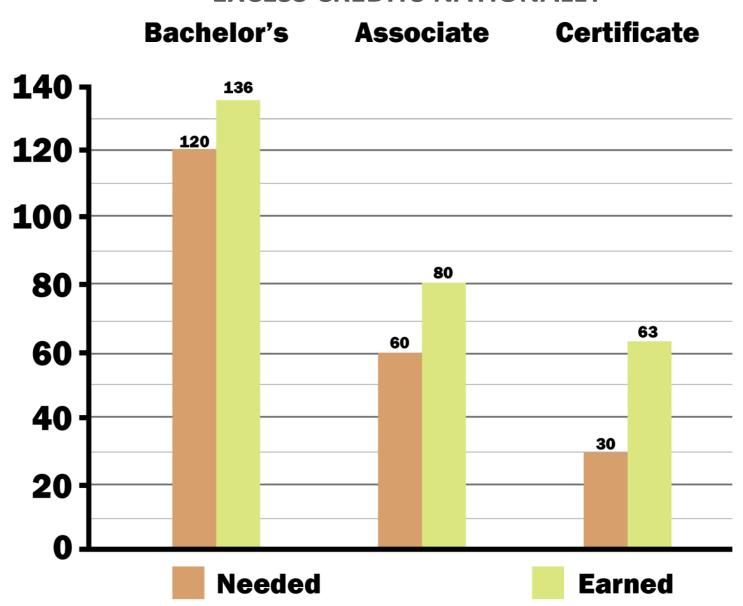
WHY "GUIDED PATHWAYS?"

Educational Goals and Six-year Attainment, Students who Started at a Community College, Fall 2003



Source: U.S Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2003 Beginning Postsecondary Students Longitudinal Study, Second Follow-up (BPS:04/09)

EXCESS CREDITS NATIONALLY





"...a student who takes four years to earn an associate degree can spend as much as \$15,200 more on fees and other expenses, and will earn \$33,500 less than someone who graduated in two years."

-The Campaign for College Opportunity

FROM THE STUDENTS' PERSPECTIVE

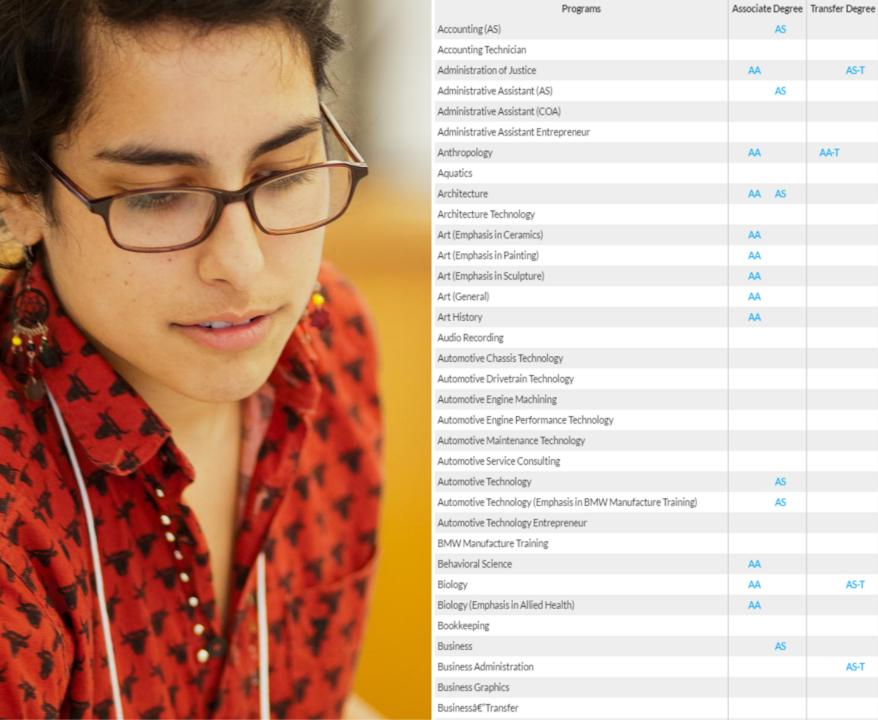


COMMUNITY COLLEGE STUDENTS

> 50% concerned about making a mistake when choosing classes

(Moore & Shulock, 2014)

Surprised to find that courses taken **do not count** towards credentials (Nodine et al 2012)



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WHAT ARE GUIDED PATHWAYS?

Coherent and easy-to-follow college-level programs of study that are aligned with requirements for the next stage of education and success in careers

Programs, support services, instruction and administrative practices are redesigned and/or re-aligned to help students clarify their goals, choose and enter pathways, stay on track and master the knowledge and skills to advance in further education and careers.

WHAT'S DIFFERENT HERE?

"Guided Pathways" represent a comprehensive approach to improving student completion

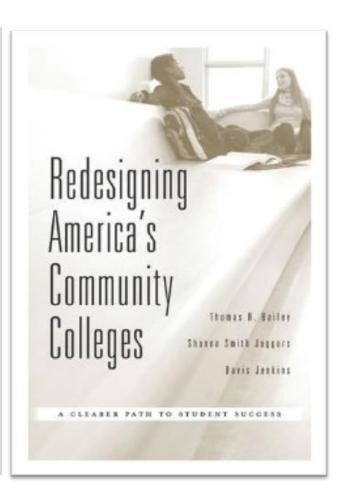
- Focus is on institutional transformation
- Provides an overarching framework to integrate diverse initiatives and reforms underway at the colleges

Brings together evidence-based practices into a more coherent whole:

- Support and guide student exploration to understand options and make informed choices
- Clearly delineate program requirements, "mapping" them and offering predictable course schedules so students can complete
- Integrate basic skills and basic skills reforms with students' program of study
- Bring together "career" and "transfer" programs, major requirements, general education and elective options
- Provide proactive and intrusive student supports that are integrated with instruction and students' program of study

Redesigning America's Community Colleges A Clearer Path to Student Success

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GUIDED PATHWAYS AT SCALE

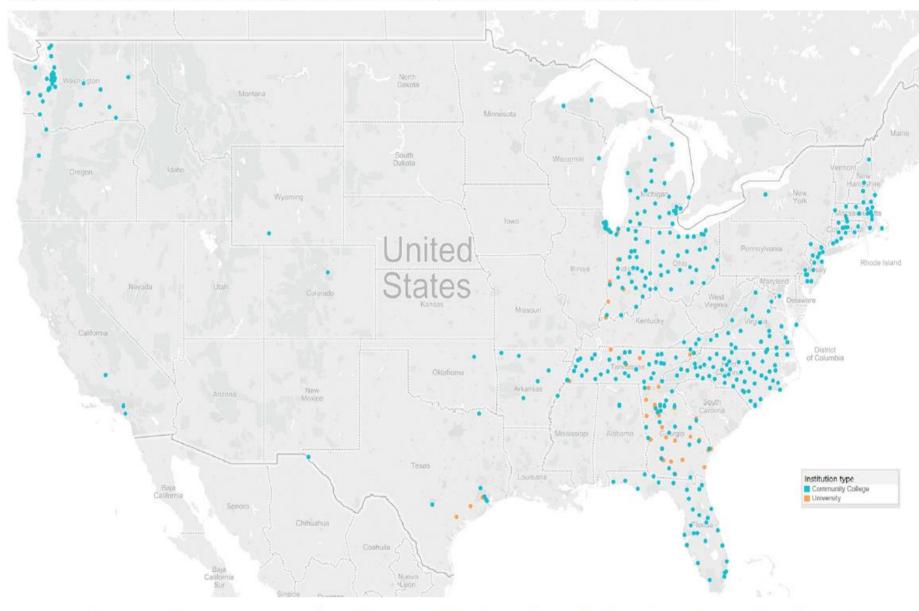
UNIVERSITIES

- Florida State
- Univ. of Central Florida
- Georgia State
- Arizona State
- TN State Universities
- Florida International

COMMUNITY COLLEGES

- Queensborough (CUNY)
- Guttman College(CUNY)
- City Colleges of Chicago
- Miami Dade College
- TN community colleges
- St. Petersburg College
- Valencia College

Organized National, State, and Regional Efforts to Implement Guided Pathways at Scale



Note. The institutions shown on this map are community colleges and universities involved in organized national, statewide, or regional guided pathways initiatives. A growing number of two- and four-year institutions are implementing pathways on their own.

http://ccrc.tc.columbia.edu/media/k2/attachments/guided-pathways-scale-adoption-initiatives.pdf.

CITY COLLEGES OF CHICAGO, IL



HEALTHCARE (



BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY





CONSTRUCTION
TECHNOLOGY AND DRAFTING

LIBERAL ARTS





CULINARY ARTS AND HOSPITALITY LIFE AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES





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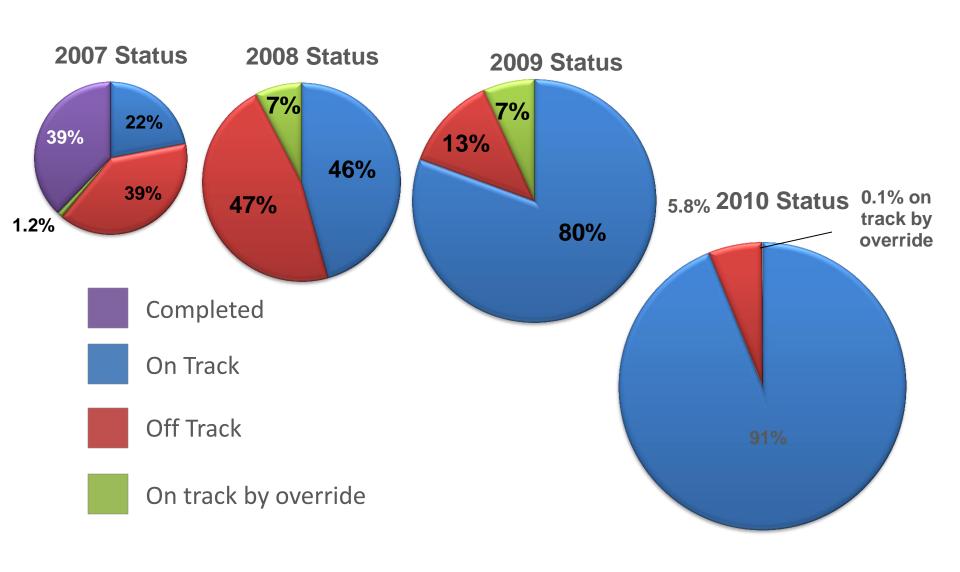
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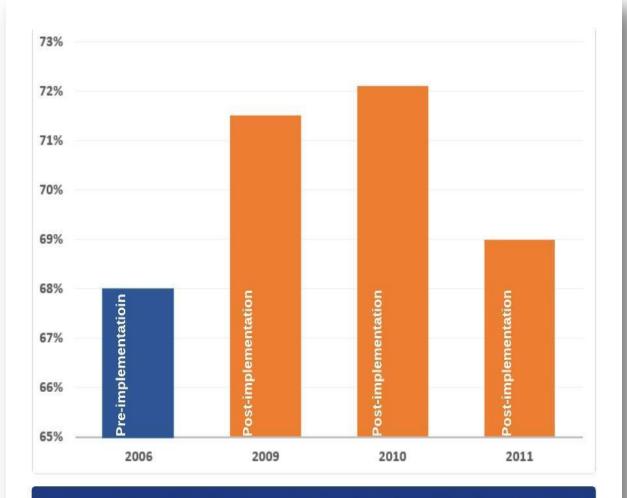


WHAT ARE THE **RESULTS**?

Impact: Tracking Overall Student Progress

Cohorts are defined by the academic year that the student enters Arizona State U as a full-time freshman

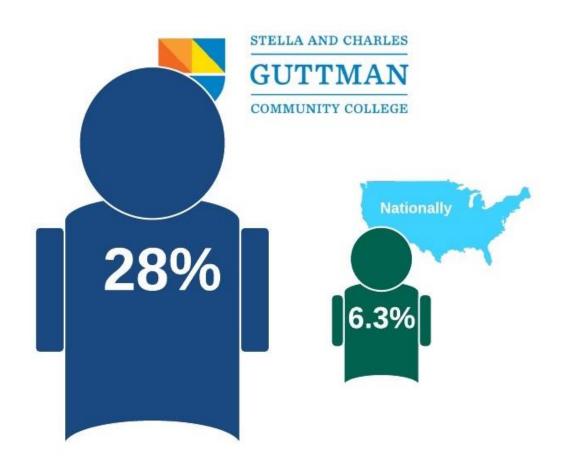




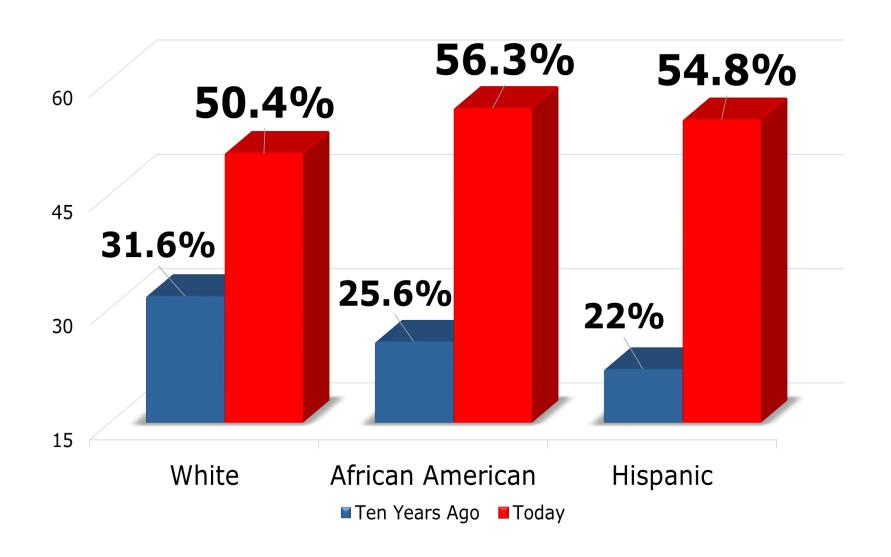
Queensborough
Community College
Fall to fall Retention



Percentage of students graduating with an Associates Degree within 2 years:



GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY COMPLETION RATES



IN CALIFORNIA, MANY HAVE BEGUN

Several colleges have their own initiatives underway

Foundation funded Initiatives:

- 3 CA CCs participate in a national AACC Pathways Project
- 15-20 CA CCs to participate in a CA Project modeled after AACC

The opportunity is to do this well and at scale in CA:

- Integrate and build on the many reforms and accomplishments to date
- Share effective practices and innovations, with attention to learning over time
- Dramatically increase student success and completion

WHAT WILL IT TAKE TO DO THIS?



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