



TEMPLE COLLEGE FACULTY COUNCIL

NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

September 2014

Health Professions

Patricia Nevins MSN, RN and Dawn Reiss MSN, RN will be presenting at the Texas Nursing Associations District 7 Nursing Conference on October 4th. Patricia will be presenting on Factors Affecting Graduate Nurse Attrition Rates and Dawn will be speaking on Creating the Right Work Environment.

Science

Dr. John McCain, participated in measuring the physical and orbital parameters of Hohensteina, a 50 x 90 mile wide belt asteroid. Dr. McCain was part of several scientist that collected data in July at the University of Texas.

Thanks to the Board of Trustees for your support of the students,
faculty, and staff of Temple College.



MEMORANDUM

Vice President of Educational Services

To: Dr. Glenda O. Barron
From: Dr. Mark A. Smith
Subject: September 2014 Educational Services Report

Outlined below are the reports from the educational services centers/departments.

COMMUNITY INITIATIVES AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS

2012-2013 ASALFS Students Pursuing Additional Education

Students Pursuing Additional Education is a report generated from the Automated Student and Adult Learner Follow-Up System (ASALFS). This report tracks students (graduates, completers, and non-returners) who were enrolled in a Texas public community, state, or technical college during a given academic year and were enrolled in a Texas public institution the following fall. The report lists aggregate numbers of students by academic, technical, tech-prep, or continuing education (CEU graduates only) next to the college or university they attended in the fall. The report lists the specific public schools where former Temple College students enrolled. This year was the first time that Texas A&M-Central Texas took the number 1 position, beating out Texas A&M in College Station by 2 students. Texas State University took the third position with the University of Texas in Austin and Sam Houston University in the fourth and fifth slots respectively.

The report also indicates that many Temple College students return to Temple College for additional education after they have completed a degree or certificate. Temple College led the 2-yr college list. Rounding out the top five list of community colleges to which Temple College students transferred were Central Texas College, Austin Community College, Blinn College, and McLennan Community College.

ACADEMIC OUTREACH & EXTENDED PROGRAMS

ELearning Department *submitted by Mr. Brian St. Amour*

No report for September.

DUAL CREDIT (DC) *submitted by Mr. Stephen Phelps*

Mr. Stephen Phelps, Dual Credit (DC) Director, reports that fall semester registration is complete and summer semester grades were reported to all High Schools. The requests for spring semester 2015 DC courses have been sent out. Mr. Phelps also manage the Dreg list based off of DC status, conducted a Zero Week presentation for faculty, and attended an orientation at Temple High School for am EMT program being piloted for dual credit learners in the Temple ISD CTE (Career Technical Education) Department.

Currently Dual Credit enrollment: 2,175 duplicated students*, 980 unduplicated students*, 6,813 semester hours*, and 119,995 contact hours*. At the end of Fall Semester 2013 Temple College dual credit had: 1,955 duplicated students, 945 unduplicated students,

6,087 semester hours, and 107,304 contact hours. *Note: *These numbers are expected to fluctuate as students are added and dropped prior to census.*

CAMERON EDUCATION CENTER (CEC) *submitted by Dr. Dan Spencer*

The Cameron Education Center was re-opened for the fall semester with new daytime hours of operations. The CEC will be operating Monday through Thursday from 7:30 am – 12 noon. Mr. Johnnie Demsky, Temple College CEC Office Manager, has been coordinating building maintenance and getting the morning classes off to a good start. The Business and Continuing Education Division has scheduled some training sessions at the CEC that will take place in the upcoming weeks (September).

EWCHEC TAYLOR *submitted by Kim Townsend*

Dual Credit students from Taylor, Thrall, Thorndale, Bartlett, Granger, and Legacy ECHS were advised on the Dual Credit process. Taylor staff diligently tracked down transcripts, meningitis vaccinations, and TSI scores to finalize registration for fall 2014. EWCHEC-Taylor staff are continuing to work with high school counselors and the Temple College Business Office to finalize dual credit payments.

EWCHEC-Taylor Coordinators Ms. Christy Hortenstine and Ms. Suzanna Hernandez have been processing 2013-14 and 2014-15 Verification forms. Three Entrance Loan Counseling Classes were offered in EWCHEC-Taylor in August. Three additional Entrance Loan Counseling Classes are scheduled for September 2014.

EWCHEC-Taylor held New Student Orientations on Wednesday, August 20 from 9 – 10 am and 6:30 – 7:30 pm. A total of 58 students attended. Dual Credit students attended a New Student Orientation and E-Learning Workshop on August 20 from 5 - 6 pm and 6:30 - 7:30 pm. A total of 47 students and their parents attended these sessions. New Student Orientation and an eLearning Workshops were held for Legacy Early College High School Students on Thursday, August 14. A total of 28 students and their parents attended the information sessions.

EWCHEC-Taylor staff checked classroom computer equipment to ensure it was functioning; assisted instructors dialing into video-conference classes, and troubleshoot equipment for instructors in the faculty office. Staff assisted instructors in classrooms with smart-classroom equipment providing training on the equipment and finding alternative solutions when equipment did not work.

Staff assisted numerous students setting up payment plans online with step by step instructions.

TEXAS BIOSCIENCE INSTITUTE (TBI) *submitted by Ms. Kristen Griffith and Ms. Alicia McQueen*

Ms. Kristen Griffith, Texas Bioscience Institute Coordinator and Middle College Advisor, reports that the Friday lecture series will host two speakers this month (September): Mr. Jason Jacks, College of Science and Technology Student Recruiter (Medical School Liaison), Tarleton University and Ms. Jennifer Graham, Temple College Foundation Director, (Discussing Foundation Benefits).

On Friday, August 26, TBI staff held the "First Friday Student Orientation", covering items that we did not have time to cover during SPOTS Camp. Topics that were presented by Ms. Kristen Griffith, Ms. Alicia McQueen and Ms. Sarah Solorzano included the importance of attendance, the procedures for logging-in, how to handle extracurricular absences, job shadowing and community service obligations, rules pertaining to the Scott

& White West Campus, academic suspension, the Killeen ISD grade policy, online classes, etiquette while in the classroom and learner behavior expectations during the Friday Lecture Series presentations. Sarah Solorzano discussed the TBI Middle College Student Ambassadors program. Kristen Griffith also went over both the Temple College Handbook and the TBI Student Handbook.

Currently, TBI Middle College has a 155 students enrolled (90 juniors and 65 seniors). Classes at TBI also contain traditional Temple College learners.

STUDENT & ENROLLMENT SERVICES (SES)

General Information

Fall 2014 enrollment is 5,293 as of September 2, 2014. An enrollment update will be provided at the September 29 Board meeting reflecting the enrollment status after census.

EWCHEC-Hutto

Mr. Lester Sombito, Student and Enrollment Services Coordinator reports 473 students were served for financial aid, admissions applications, evaluations, advising, registration, add and drop, cashier functions, and/or general questions during the month of August at EWCHEC-Hutto.

EWCHEC-Taylor

Ms. Christy Hortenstine, Student and Enrollment Services Coordinator reports 1,135 students were seen in the EWCHEC-Taylor center in the month of August. (These numbers do not include email or phone advising.) Thirty-seven percent of those are Financial Aid related, 4% Admissions related, 13% Academic Advising related; and 46% Advising over multiple areas of Admissions, Financial Aid, and Academic Advising.

Admissions and Records – August Report

Applications Entered into Datatel	427
Transcripts Entered into Datatel	4,421
Transcripts Requested (Learner requested)	1,034 w/dup 1,286
Transcripts Equated	902

Advising

Ms. Amy Flinn, Director of Advising, reports that over 3,500 students signed in to the Advising Center during the registration period (from Priority Registration, July 14, through Adds/Drops, August 26). This was an average of 145 students per day (these totals include “in person” contacts only, not email and phone). Front desk “triage” proved effective; however, some areas for improvement were identified. Advisors are currently advising students for second eight week classes, revising degree plans, training, and working on reports.

Financial Aid Board Report

Students Assisted August 2014

Students seen at the Financial Aid front counter

3,604

Satisfactory Academic Progress Appeals as of August 28, 2014

Financial Aid SAP Appeals	
Appeals Received	376
Approved	276
Denied	100

Fall 2014 disbursement date for returning borrowers will be September 26, 2014.

Disbursement for first-time loan borrowers will be on October 10, 2014.

Mr. Lester Sombito began offering In Person Loan Counseling sessions this month. Nineteen students attend four sessions in EWCHEC-Hutto. Loan counseling sessions are offered once a week, every Wednesday, from 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm until the end of October. Below are the following attendance numbers:

August 6, 2014 had 6 attendees
August 13, 2014 had 1 attendees
August 20, 2014 had 8 attendees
August 27, 2014 had 4 attendees

Ms. Hortenstine and Ms. Hernandez have been processing 2014-2015 financial aid verification forms.

Recruitment

Throughout August, Recruitment conducted 25 personal campus tours.

On August 4, 2014 Ms. Misty Reid- Coordinator of Recruitment Programs attended the Temple Workforce Development Skills Team Meeting at the Fred W. Edwards Academy. This committee met to discuss plans for the Waymon Manor Apartments parent meeting. This committee works together to assist the lower economic housing areas in the city to bring them job training, GED, and higher education resources and information as well as parent informational handouts. Ms. Reid represented Temple College on this committee and spoke to parents and students about the Business and Continuing Education classes and degrees and programs Temple College has to offer them.

On August 7, 2014 Ms. Reid and Dr. Dan Spencer, along with EWCHEC-Taylor staff held an Open House at the EWCHEC-Taylor Center from 4:00-6:00pm. The Business and Continuing Education Department, Dual Credit, Student Success Department, and Legacy as well as other Temple College departments were available to speak with students and parents at the Open House. Refreshments were served and door prizes were given out to students and parents who attended the Open House.

On August 14, 2014 Hutto High School held a College Workshop. Mr. Lester Sombito represented EWCHEC- Hutto to help assist students with completing the Texas Common Application, essays, and help answer general questions concerning the college entrance process.

On August 15, 2014 Hutto High School held a second College Workshop. Ms. Erica Fennewald represented EWCHEC-Hutto to help assist students with filling out the Texas Common Application, essays, and help answer general questions concerning the college entrance process.

On August 18, 20, and 22 2014 Ms. Reid and Mr. Adrian Sora, Director of Recruitment and Retention held New Student Orientations for the fall 2014 semester for new and transfer students in the Leopard Room at the Pavilion. The New Student Orientation ended with breakout sessions from the E-Learning department, Financial Aid department, Temple College Foundation, and Student Life.

On August 18, 2014 and August 19, 2014 Ms. Christy Hortenstine held two New Student Orientations for new and transfer students for the fall 2014 semester.

On August 19, 2014 Ms. Erica Fennewald and Mr. Lester Sombito held two New Student Orientations for new and transfer students for the fall 2014 semester.

On August 27, 2014 Ms. Erica Fennewald attended meet the Hippos at Hutto High school with Ms. Stacy Suhre from Texas A&M University Central Texas and Mr. Jeff Pyeatt from Texas State Technical College.

On September 10, 2014 The Surgical Technology department, EMS department and Business and Continuing Education department along with Ms. Misty Reid will attend the Fort Hood Education Center's Career and Military Evaluation Day to promote Temple College's "career" type programs to Fort Hood soldiers and spouses.

The Taylor Business Expo is scheduled for Saturday, September 20, 2014. Ms. Suzanna Hernandez, Ms. Kim Townsend, and Ms. Misty Reid will represent Temple College.

Ms. Hortenstine will represent Temple College at the Taylor High School College Fair on Thursday, September 25, 2014. Taylor, Thrall, Thorndale, Bartlett and Granger High Schools are invited to attend.

Retention

Seventy-five students are enrolled in the fall 2014 semester with a suspension waiver and are required to meet with Mr. Sora three times during the semester for academic progress follow up.

Student Accommodations

Ms. Danya Bailey, Coordinator of Student Accommodations and Athletic Advisor reports that a total of 78 accommodation letters were approved for 42 students in summer 2014. The Office of Student Accommodations (OSA) saw a 27% increase in student's requesting accommodation letters and a 24% increase in the number of letters of accommodation written for qualifying students as compared to summer 2013.

The initial fall 2014 Office of Student Accommodations (OSA) statistics have a total of 314 accommodation letters being approved for 96. A full calculation of statistics will be run at the end of the semester and compared to fall 2013.

On August 18, 2014, Ms. Danya Bailey provided a presentation at All College Day over Service Animals on the Temple College campus.

On August 20, 2014, Ms. Bailey provided the yearly ADA/Section 504 Educational Accommodation training to faculty. One Hundred six faculty members attended the presentation, and 40 faculty members completed the digital training version.

On August 25, 2014, Ms. Bailey provided a New Student and Returning Student Orientation to the Athletic Department.

Student Life Events for the month of July

On August 27, 2014 Student and Enrollment Services staff held a student worker meeting to thank them for their work this past year and to discuss office protocol for the upcoming semester/school year.

September 2, 2014	Club Day Arnold Student Union (ASU)
September 3, 2014	Venders Day - ASU
September 3, 2014	Rotaract Club Ice Bucket Challenge for ALS outside the OCC
September 4, 2014	Welcome Week – Handed out Snow Cones/Popcorn with Welcome blow pops
September 8, 2014	Baptist Student Ministries (BSM) Free Lunch and Bible Study
September 10, 2014	African American Student Association Meeting
September 15, 2014	Free Lunch BSM and Bible Study
September 15, 2014	Constitution Week - Quiz on “The Constitution” in ASU
September 16, 2014	Young Adult LULAC Meeting
September 16, 2014	Movie on Edmonson v. Leesville Concrete Company in ASU
September 17, 2014	Hand out Red, White, and Blue Snow Cones
September 18, 2014	Video on “Our Constitution a Conversation” and “Key Constitution Concepts” in ASU
September 22, 2014	Free Lunch BSM and Bible Study
September 23, 2014	Sam Houston State University representative in ASU
September 29, 2014	Free Lunch BSM and Bible Study
September 29, 2014	Warrior Corps Transfer Day in ASU

Testing

Ms. Stephanie Perkins, Director of Testing, reports that overall in the month of August 395 students have tested at the main campus Testing Center and 154 students have tested at EWCHEC-Hutto Testing Center. Of these students, 244 on main campus took the TSI Assessment, and at EWCHEC- Hutto 81 took the TSI Assessment. Other tests administered include classroom exams, proctored exams for other colleges/universities, ACCUPLACER, THEA, GED, and the HOBET V.

The testing centers are preparing to begin administering the HESI A2 exam in September for the prospective LVN students applying to the program. Also, the HOBET V exam has been replaced with the TEAS V exam beginning in September. This exam pretty much has the same layout, just a different name. We administer this exam year-round to prospective Dental Hygiene, Respiratory Care, Diagnostic Medical Sonography, Emergency Medical Profession, and Surgical Technology students.

Veteran’s Affairs

Certifications (Week Beginning):

7/28	174 student certifications
8/4	123 student certifications

8/11	105 student certifications
8/18	78 student certifications
8/25	117 student certifications

Summary:

406 VA students enrolled compared to 551 in fall 2013 and 395 in fall 2012

VA students enrolled in 4,980 semester credit hours compared to 5,544 in fall 2013 and 4,295 in fall 2012

BUSINESS & CONTINUING EDUCATION (BCE)

No report.



Leopard Dreams



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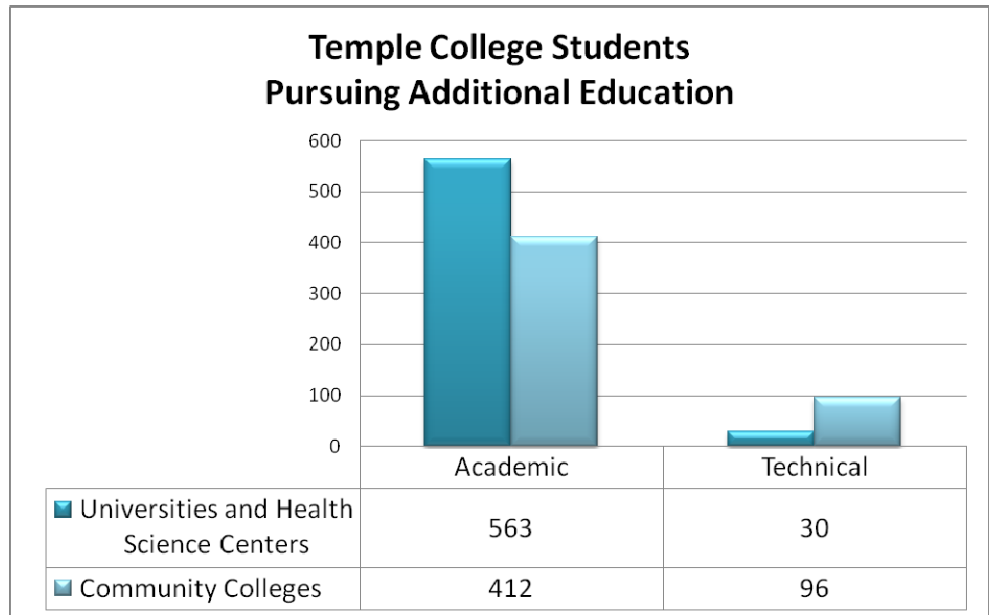


Transfer Mission

The Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board's *Automated Student and Adult Learner Follow-Up System* (ASALFS) tracks graduates, completers, and non-returners from an academic year for employment and/or additional education. The system generates a series of reports by which colleges can monitor the success of their graduates through aggregated wage information, employment status, and transfer status. One of the reports specifically addresses the community colleges transfer mission. This report, titled *ASALFS Students Pursuing Additional Education*, tracks students (graduates, completers, and non-returners) who were enrolled in a Texas public community, state or technical college during a given academic year and were enrolled in a Texas public institution the following fall. It lists aggregate numbers of students by academic, technical, tech-prep, or continuing education (CEU graduates only) next to the college or university they attended in the fall.

Through this report, colleges can see the matriculation patterns of former students to universities, health science centers, and other two-year colleges. This information can be helpful for college staff in determining how to ease the transition of students from one higher education institution to another or in establishing priorities for specific articulation agreements.

The following graph shows the breakdown of enrollments by academic and technical students.



Source: texashighereddata.org (Student Follow-up)

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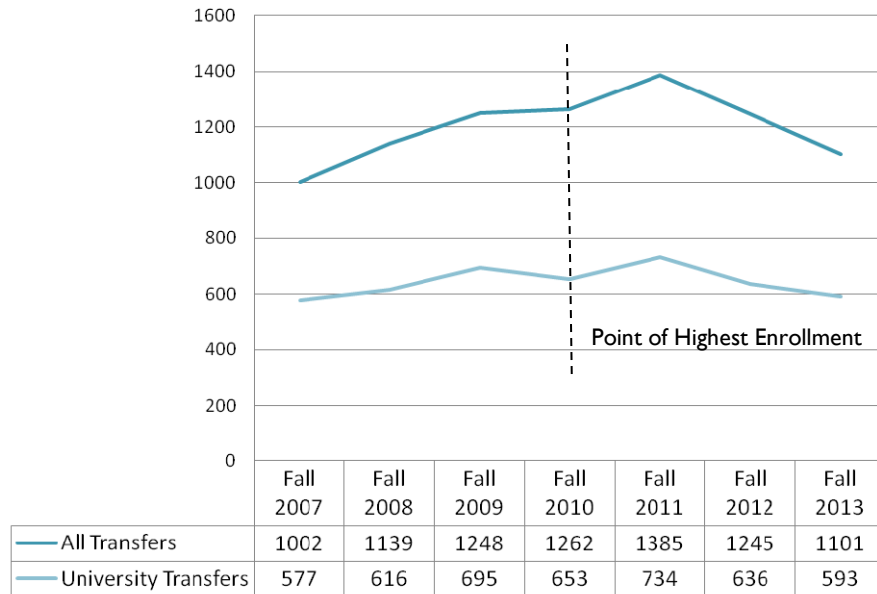
Transfer Mission, continued

Information for the currently released *Students Pursuing Additional Education* report indicated that for the first time Texas A&M University-Central Texas was the 4-year institution of choice among former Temple College students. Texas A&M University in College Station was a close second. Texas State University, Sam Houston State University, and University of Texas in Austin filled out the top five positions for public schools.

The report also includes transfers to Texas public 2-year colleges. Not surprisingly, many Temple College graduates return to Temple College for additional education. Certificate graduates often continue with a view toward obtaining an additional certificate or an associate degree. Some associate degree graduates return to take additional courses for transfer to a University. Other colleges at the top of the 2-year transfer list included our neighboring colleges of Central Texas College and McLennan Community College. Additionally, students transfer to Blinn College and Austin Community College in which many students either concurrently enroll in Texas A&M or University of Texas, or they enroll in the 2-year schools as transition schools to either of the two flagship public schools.

The graph below shows the transfer student population over time.

Temple College Transfers



Congratulations to ATD Colleges

Achieving the Dream announced that five of the 10 Aspen Prize for Community College Excellence Finalists are Achieving the Dream Colleges. The Achieving the Dream Colleges are Brazosport College (Lake Jackson, TX), El Paso Community College (El Paso, TX), Indian River State College (Fort Pierce, FL), Renton Technical College (Renton, WA), West Kentucky Community and Technical College (Paducah, KY).



Dohnalik Judith

From: Jennifer Graham <Jennifer.Graham@tcfound.org>
Sent: Thursday, September 18, 2014 8:42 AM
To: Dohnalik Judith
Subject: Foundation Board Report

Golf Tournament raised \$65,000 and we had full flights in both the am and pm

Low Brow High Tea brings donors and scholars together and is scheduled for Tuesday Sept. 23 at 4:00 at the Hilton Garden Inn. All board members invited

Kings of Cuisine is scheduled for Oct. 18 at the Hilton Garden Inn from 6:00 – 8:00. We are featuring 30 chefs this year and expect crowds to top 250. Tickets are \$20.

The Visual Arts Department is working with the Foundation to host an online art auction in November of 2015 featuring student work.

The EMS department is working on establishing an endowment for students in their department.