Universal Tracking

Precursor to Universal Tracking

  - Replaced 80 hour rule
  - Student initially classified in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, regardless of their intended major
  - Monitored student progress at 30, 45 and 60 hours earned
  - Student does not meet criteria for intended major at 30 or 45 credit hours earned
    - Must see an advisor in the Academic Advising Center
  - Student does not meet criteria at 60 credit hours earned
    - Must either get conditionally admitted to the college of their intended major or admitted to a major in a different college
Universal Tracking

- First pilot run in Fall 1996
- Development of 8 semester plan for each major included in the catalog
- Critical tracking criteria established within the first five semesters
- Student admitted directly into major from the first semester
- Provost office guaranteed sufficient course offerings in Tracking courses
- Universal Tracking audit is separate from the degree/graduation audit
- Analysis only runs Fall and Spring semesters, allowing off track students to use summer coursework to “catch up”
- Process utilizes existing IT infrastructure and personnel
- Approximately 20,000 undergraduate students are evaluated for each Universal Tracking semester
- Approximately 20% of these students are evaluated off track

Preview Analysis

- Goal - all incoming students evaluated on track at first semester

Diagram:
- Student OK
  - Preliminary Analysis at Orientation
  - Student not OK
    - Advisor contacts student
Predictive Analysis

Predicted On Track

Predictive Analysis six weeks into the semester

Predicted Off Track

No Hold

Hold placed. Must see an advisor

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End of Semester Analysis

On Track

End of Semester Analysis

Off Track first time

No Hold

Off Track second time

Hold placed. Must see advisor before end of Drop/add

Change majors or one semester contract

Reevaluate with next semesters registration

Information email

Registration cancelled. Must seek direct admit to another major or leave UF

No Hold

Predictive Analysis - six weeks into the next semester

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Using the Universal Tracking System

- Advisors and faculty use ISIS Admin, an online web facility
  - View Universal Tracking audit
  - View Degree/Graduation audit
  - Training is minimal and in most cases self evident
- Students use ISIS, an online web facility
  - View Universal Tracking audit
  - View Degree/Graduation audit
  - Training is done in the First Year Florida course and Preview/Orientation
- College staff member is designated to maintain the Universal Tracking audit for each major
  - Training is done by the SASS coordinator in the Provost Office
  - Changes are tested, reviewed and approved by the SASS coordinator before moving to the live file

ISIS Admin for Faculty and Staff
Four and Six Year Graduation Rates

- Four Year Percentage
- Six Year Percentage
Thank you!

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