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**Empowering  
a Data-Driven Culture**

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**“At FAMU, Great Things Are Happening Everyday.”**



# Empowering a Data-Driven Culture

1. The Right Culture
2. The Right Focus
3. The Right Technology



Source: *Competing on Analytics: The New Science of Winning*, by Thomas H. Davenport and Jeanne G. Harris, March, 2007, September 2017

# Right Culture: Champion Data Fluency and Ownership Across the Organization

*“Not just reporting... its how we know when we’re successful, when we’re failing, and where to go next.”*

- **Champion from the Top**

- Set goals and KPIs focused measurable improvement
- From President to down to departmental ownership
- Establish decision-making criteria (Priorities, Resources, Investments)

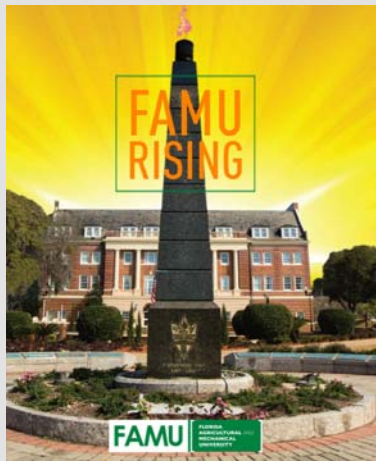
- **Instill in Daily Workplace**

- Daily/Weekly Dashboards, Meetings
- Hypothesis Testing, Learning, Optimization
- Incentivize desired behaviors (Performance Reviews, Recognition)

# Right Focus: Align Strategic Plan, Activities, KPIs and Data-Driven Process

## Example Focus:

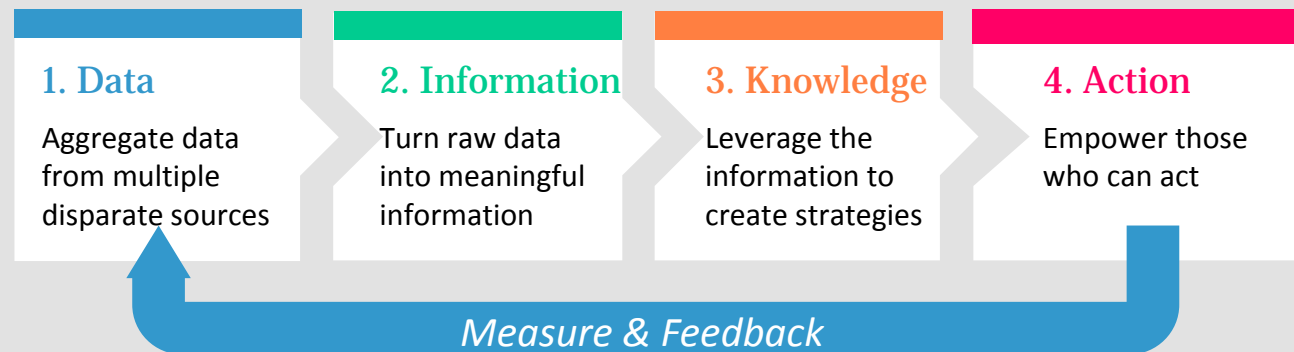
Measurable improvement on Four-Year Graduation Rate, Academic Progress Rate, Bachelor's Degrees in Programs of Strategic Emphasis, and Degree Completion time



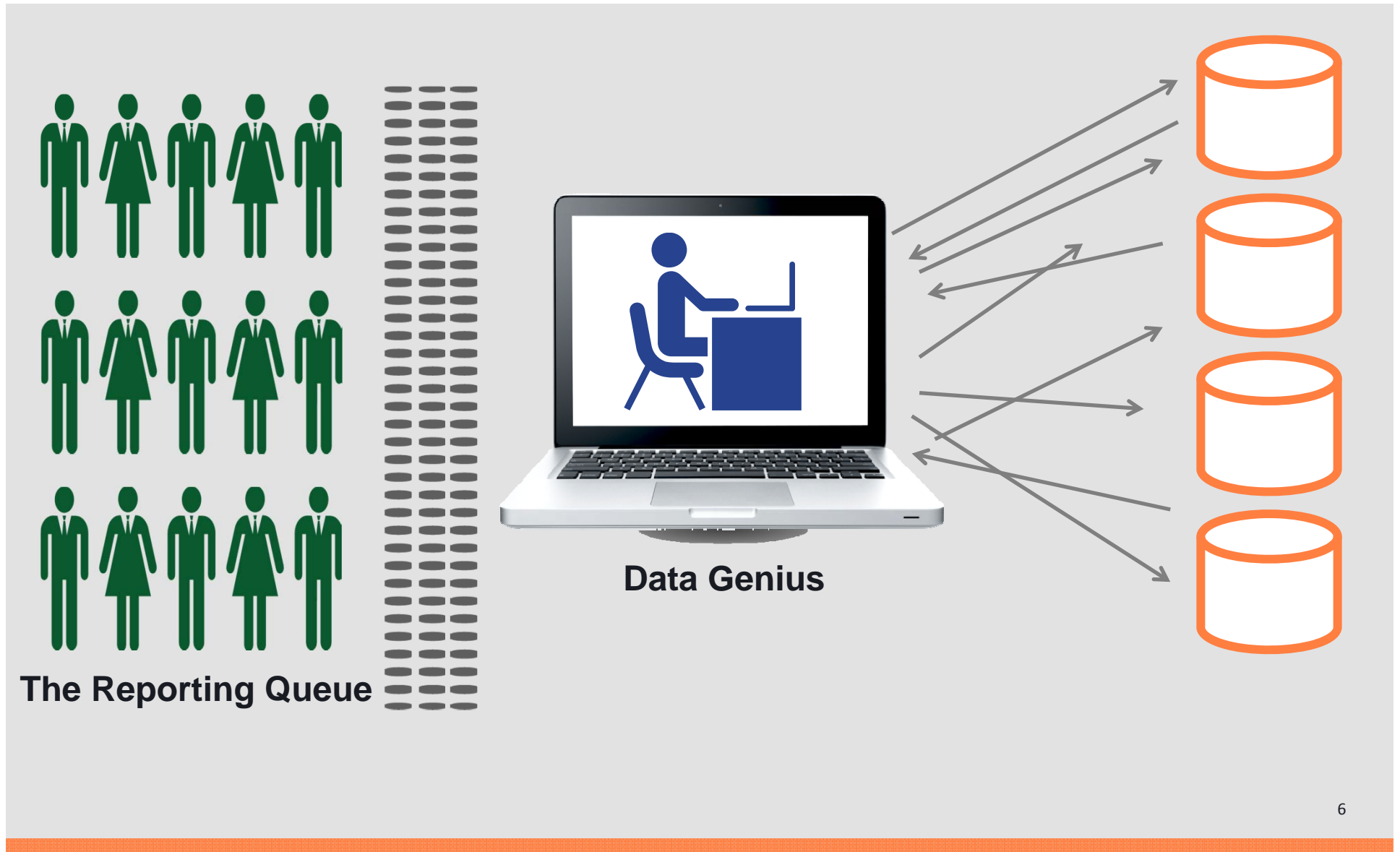
Example Key Performance Indicators	
<b>Four Year Graduation Rate:</b>	% of full-time and part-time FTIC graduating from the same institution in four years
<b>Academic Progress Rate:</b>	% of fall-to-fall, 2nd year retention of FTIC with GPA > 2.0 from the same institution
<b>Bachelor's Degrees within Programs of Strategic Emphasis:</b>	# of baccalaureate degrees awarded Programs of Strategic Emphasis
<b>Percent of Bachelor's Degrees Without Excess Hours:</b>	% of baccalaureate degrees awarded within 110% of the credit hours required for a degree

## Data-Driven Approach:

Leverage data to identify opportunities that drive institutional strategies & performance improvements



# The Information Access Problem



# Right Technology: Empower Advisors/Faculty with 360° Student View to Engage in Intrusive Advising

## Grade Center Report:

Combines SIS + LMS data to identify at-risk students in a specific course, regardless of teaching modality.

## Intelligence

BLACKBOARD COURSE HISTORY																	
<input type="checkbox"/> > Avg. + 10% <input type="checkbox"/> < Avg. - 10% <input type="checkbox"/> Within Avg. +/- 10% <input type="checkbox"/> NA																	
TERM	LEARN COURSE	GRADE CENTER NOT USED	NO ITEMS ADDED	ENROLLED COUNT	COURSE ACCESSES		MINUTES		INTERACTIONS		SUBMISSIONS		GRADE CENTER SCORE		SIS GRADE		INSTRUCTOR
					STUDENT	AVG	STUDENT	AVG	STUDENT	AVG	STUDENT	AVG	STUDENT	AVG	STUDENT	AVG	
Spring 2017 Semester	SUBJ63-0107-07 Sociology (2016SP) - Online (07)			15	40 ↓	52	610 ↓	1486	418 ↓	680	22 ↓	28	61% ↓	88%		No Grade Recorded	Patterson, Elaine
Fall 2016 2nd 8 Weeks	SUBJ03-0105-04 Crn Nurs Aide Ref Cr (2015FA2) - On-Ground Lecture (04)	X		6	0 ●	0	0 ●	0	0 ●	0	0 ●	0			4.0 ↑	3.5 A	Cabrera, Jonathan
Fall 2016 Semester	SUBJ60-0101-08 Psychology (2015FA) - On-Ground Lecture (08)	X		17	0 ↓	5	0 ↓	9	0 ↓	9	0 ●	0			4.0 ↑	2.5 A	Marvin, Danny
Fall 2015 Semester	SUBJ27-0102-06 Composition II (2014FA) - On-Ground Lecture (06)	X		14	2 ↑	2	1 ↓	59	5 ↑	3	0 ●	0			0.0 ↓	2.4 F	Thompson, Jerry
Fall 2015 Semester	SUBJ30-0148-03 Wellness & Fitness Center I (2014FA) - Exercise (03)	X		28	1 ↓	3	1 ↓	136	2 ↓	9	0 ●	0				NP	Hendricks, Gwendolyn

## Course Grade Exception Report:

Enables advisors to select the grade threshold and show all students not meeting that criteria.

# Right Technology: Empower Deans/ Department Chairs to Measure Success & Drive Actions

## Student Detail Report:

Allows Deans and Chairs to assess intervention strategy trends at aggregate and detail level to drill down on demand for further assessment as needed.

**Intelligence**  
SIS+LMS data

Term		Course	
Spring 2017 Semester		SUBJ63-0107	

SIS Department	Instructor	Course Long Description	Student	Date Graded.Week	Avg Grade	Distinct Students ~
Sociology	Nicole Mathews	SUBJ63-0107-03 Sociology (2016SP) - On-Ground Lecture	All Students	All Weeks	72.1	22
		SUBJ63-0107-04 Sociology (2016SP) - On-Ground Lecture	All Students	All Weeks	75.3	22
		SUBJ63-0107-06 Sociology (2016SP) - Online	All Students	All Weeks	82.9	17
		SUBJ63-0107-10 Sociology (2016SP) - Online	All Students	All Weeks	84.3	14
		SUBJ63-0107-61 Sociology {h} Honors (2016SP) - Online	All Students	All Weeks	83.6	15
	Elaine Patterson	SUBJ63-0107-07 Sociology (2016SP) - Online	All Students	All Weeks	86.4	15
		SUBJ63-0107-08 Sociology (2016SP) - Online	All Students	All Weeks	82.5	16

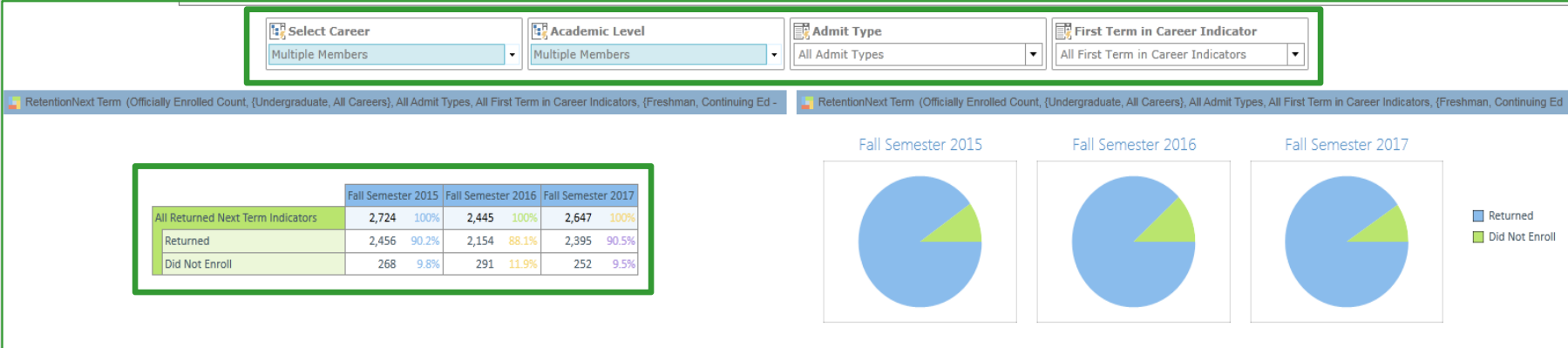


# Right Technology: Empower Institution Leaders to Assess KPI Performance Against Strategic Goals

## Student Engagement by School / Department:

Allows leaders to quickly review, identify and track at-risk students by school or department across a range of engagement and performance metrics.

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SIS+LMS data



## Student Retention by Term & Segment:

Enables leaders to view overall student retention trends at an aggregate level for a term, over time, by segments like academic level, admit type and degree field.

Please be advised that this is not actual student/faculty data.

# Right Technology (Future): Empower Advisors/Faculty with Predictive Analytics Prior to Stop-Outs

## Student Risk Reports:

Allow advisors/faculty to quickly identify student risk and % likelihood of student passing a course

Students My Students (215)

6 Results Risk Trend: Increasing Risk Risk Level: Medium Risk Academic Load: Full time [Clear Filters](#)

Student	Probability of Passing	Courses	Cumulative GPA
<input type="checkbox"/> Eric Clarkson 10416607	58 %	CMSC-205 ↓	
<input type="checkbox"/> Parker McCarthy 10178952	67 %	CMSC-205 ↓	
<input type="checkbox"/> Mary Peake 10760253	67 %	CMSC-205 ↓	
<input type="checkbox"/> Lois Lane 10103754	69 %	CMSC-205 ↓  CMSC-206C ↓	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bernadette Kim 10757155	71 %	CMSC-205 ↓	
<input type="checkbox"/> Amelia Hart 10254419	73 %	CMSC-206C ↓	

Predict



## Grade Projection Report:

Allow advisors/faculty to view the Minimum, Current Pace, and Max possible grade for a student

Please be advised that this is not actual student/faculty data.



# The Opportunity



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