Planning for Articulation

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Articulation - The CC Perspective

• Advice for Students
  • Think about Long Term Goals
  • Plan early
  • Talk to your target institution early
  • other
• How can we make programs more “articulate-able”?  
  • Find common points with target programs
  • Negotiate with home departments for options
  • Highlight courses with “academically” qualified instructors
  • Have detailed syllabus and course descriptions
  • List textbooks used
  • Dual class listings
  • Reverse articulation
  • Custom programs specifically to create smooth pathways
  • other
Articulation - The CC Perspective

• Why do we need articulation?
  • Recruit more students by providing clear pathways
  • Cooperative arrangements with universities can be beneficial
  • Keep your good name and ask for referrals
  • other
Articulation – The Univ Perspective

• Can we accept “workforce” courses?
  • Yes – if you build in a “home” for them in your degree program
    • E.g. UNT BAIT Supporting courses
  • Yes – if CC instructor has appropriate credentials and course syllabus follows needed topics and guidelines
  • Yes – if it helps universities with accreditation
  • May be some differences by state and/or institution
  • other

• Can we selectively accept transfers from specific CC’s
  • Yes – see discussion about course content and instructor credentials
  • State-defined course cross-lists (COSC in Texas for example)
Articulation – The Univ Perspective

• Why do we need articulation?
  • Universities can bring in more students – ones that already have skills
  • Fewer resources needed to produce a graduate
  • Students who are ready to learn and progress – less babysitting!
  • Other
• Can we create programs to maximize transfer
  • YES YES YES!
• Can these programs still be Accredited?
  • YES YES YES AGAIN!
Questions??

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