SA Academic Advisory Committee (SAAAC) Meeting Agenda

September 18, 2023

WebEx Invite

1. Update: Student Analytics Data (B. Carpenter)
   * 1. First & Second Year Retention Models/Assessment
        1. Predict at 4 weeks whether a student can pass a specified course.
        2. About 400 students have been nudged to reach out to a tutor or change grade to SI.
        3. Used to predict whether a first year student will return for their second year. Doing this through Helio Campus.
        4. 2nd year retention looks at whether they will return for their 3rd year. Report looks at students at 10th day, in both the Fall and Spring semesters.
     2. Transfer Student Graduation Model
        1. Pilot deployment this term. This is used to determine the probability that a new transfer student graduates in 4 years. Currently, only looking at students who transfer in with 30 or more credits.
     3. REX 2.0 - Helio Campus (K. Joseph)
        1. Data warehouse – This is an ongoing project where UMBC is moving out of Blackboard and moving into a data warehouse which is called Helio Campus, the reporting tool is called Tableau. Currently at work moving frozen data into Helio Campus (with IRADS) so they can begin to report out of Helio Campus.
2. Update: Student Experience: Enrollment & Academic Planning (N. Czarnota/R. Caretti
   * 1. SBS is adopting the Highpoint Billing pages
        1. Two Highpoint mobile responsive pages where students can get to their bill and can print their bill.
        2. Highpoint has made two changes requested by Financial Aid. Will work with FA to review their page changes and work on an implementation plan.
     2. Submitting a modification Request to Highpoint for Admissions acceptance and Enrollment Deposit payment. This is very likely to be a paid engagement.
3. New: Modify Student Group Display and Display Campus Location in Advising Center (R. Caretti)
   1. Adding campus so Shady Grove can see Campus in the Career and Plan Summary section of the Advising Profile.
   2. We will no longer show Student Groups or Student Attributes in the Advising Profile.
4. Update: Assign Advisee Enhancements (K. Baron, R. Caretti)
   1. Working with remaining departments who are not currently using Assign Advisee functionality. Working on loading Visual Arts and Africana Studies.
5. Update: Schedule of Classes Security Change (A. Foelster, R. Caretti)
   1. Security issue with Guest View access to the PeopleSoft production system. There is currently no guest (non-authenticated) access to the schedule of classes. Exploring an option that DPS uses that shows the schedule of classes. Note that there are items that are not displayed that are important for the student.
6. Update: Student Personal Identity Data Systems Workgroup (Y. Mozie-Ross, A. Foelster)
   1. Rolled out updates in Blackboard to show student pronouns.
   2. No specific new requests.
   3. Although this project is student oriented the Faculty have an interest in this project. Also working with/through HR on possible changes.
7. Update: myUMBC Profile (C. Jones)
   1. Currently working on a newer version of the Degree Page with a view of Degree Audit that will better mirror what is seen in PeopleSoft.
8. Update: Transfer with Success Act (P. Hawley, Y. Mozie-Ross)
   1. Working diligently to make sure we are in compliance with this Act.
   2. MHEC is allowing up to 70 transfer credits vs the old 60 transfer credits. Systems need to be updated for transfer evaluation.
9. Review of Student Concerns (Fatima Wajid)
   1. Student not present. Molly is working on having two students invited for future meetings.
10. General Discussion, Concerns, Feedback
    1. N/A