

Committee on Academic Advising
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During the 2001-2012 academic year, the Committee on Academic Advising embarked on a two year project of process mapping the transfer student advising experience on campus. We are examining the advising processes from pre-admission to graduation for this important and often over-looked group of students. This first year has been dedicated to data and information gathering. This involved interviewing key faculty, administrators and staff across campus. Hour-long interviews were conducted and recorded by teams of two committee members.

In order to get input from students, we developed an advising survey which is being sent out to transfer students as they register for Fall 2012 classes. All transfer students will be emailed the survey, both continuing and incoming. Emails will be sent once a week until the beginning of the Fall 2012 semester in order to capture all of the incoming students as they are admitted and enrolled throughout the summer.

The process mapping will continue during the summer and into the 2012-2013 academic year as we examine the data and make recommendations.