



Millersville Scholars Program – Creating Successful Transitions to College for At-Risk Students

Description

Can transition programs address specific needs of underprepared students so their success mirrors success rates of well-prepared students? The Millersville Scholars Program (MSP) provides a compelling example. Learn how one public institution transformed a traditional summer bridge program (including admissions, pedagogy and the living environment) to serve educationally and economically disadvantaged students. The result—despite a more rigorous course and credit load—2nd-year persistence rates now match the University rates.

Session Notes and Take-Away Ideas

[Identify key points that you would like to consider to help you transform at-risk student transitions to college.]

1) Program Rationale and Redesign: What ideas might we want to consider?

2) Pre Scholar Summer Institute Design and Structure: What ideas might we want to consider?



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3) Confidence-Building Pedagogy—Writing: What ideas might we want to consider?

4) Program Assessment: What ideas might we want to consider?

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