



Prior Higher Education Enrollment of Fall 2015 Transfer Students to Kapi'olani Community College

Methodology

Names and birthdates of transfer students (student type = 'T') to Kapi'olani Community College (KapCC) were extracted from the Operational Data Store (ODS) data warehouse after the fall 2015 census freeze (28 September 2015.) These data were submitted to the National Student Clearinghouse (NSC) with a request for prior attendance information. Records for 998 transfer students were submitted to the NSC, and prior attendance records for 768 transfer students were returned.

Limitations of Methodology

The NSC StudentTracker system provides attendance data for more than 3,500 institutions accounting for more than 98% of the national college enrollment.

Findings

Time Since Transfer Students Were Enrolled in Higher Education		
Time Since Last Enrollment	Frequency	Percent
< 4 Months	267	34.77
4 to 6 Months	43	5.60
7 to 11 Months	87	11.33
1 to < 2 Years	132	17.19
2 to 5 Years	147	19.14
> 5, But < 10 Years	76	9.90
10 Years or More	16	2.08

The first table shows the most recent higher education enrollment before the students transferred to KapCC in fall 2015. Over half (52%) of the 768 transfers to KapCC had been enrolled within 1 year of transfer. Almost 12% of the transfers had been out of school for over five years.

Number of Schools	Frequency	Percent
1	482	62.76
2	185	24.09
3	69	8.98
4	23	2.99
5	5	0.65
6	4	0.52

The second table shows that the majority of transfers only attended one institution prior to KapCC. Over 86% of the 768 transfers attended one or two institutions prior to KapCC.

Rank	Number of Students	College	State	2-or 4-Year School	Public or Private
1	126	UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA	HI	4	Public
2	87	HONOLULU COMMUNITY COLLEGE	HI	2	Public
3	85	LEEWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE	HI	2	Public
4	39	HEALD COLLEGE - HONOLULU	HI	2	Private
5	38	HAWAII PACIFIC UNIVERSITY	HI	4	Private
6	32	WINDWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE	HI	2	Public
7	19	MAUI COMMUNITY COLLEGE	HI	4	Public
8	18	UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT WEST OAHU	HI	4	Public
9	12	HAWAII COMMUNITY COLLEGE	HI	2	Public
10	10	UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO	HI	4	Public
11	9	UNIVERSITY OF PHOENIX	AZ	4	Private
12	8	KAUAI COMMUNITY COLLEGE	HI	2	Public
13	7	UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA LAS VEGAS	NV	4	Public
14	5	CHAMINADE UNIVERSITY OF HONOLULU	HI	4	Private
14	5	NORTHERN VIRGINIA COMMUNITY COLLEGE	VA	2	Public
14	5	PACIFIC UNIVERSITY	OR	4	Private
15	4	AMERICAN PUBLIC UNIVERSITY SYSTEM	WV	4	Private
15	4	PIKES PEAK COMMUNITY COLLEGE	CO	2	Public
15	4	PORTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE	OR	2	Public
16	3	CENTRAL TEXAS COLLEGE-TRADITIONAL	TX	2	Public
16	3	LINN-BENTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE	OR	2	Public
16	3	NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY	AZ	4	Public
16	3	PALOMAR COLLEGE	CA	2	Public
16	3	PORTLAND STATE UNIVERSITY	OR	4	Public
16	3	SALT LAKE COMMUNITY COLLEGE	UT	2	Public
16	3	SANTA MONICA COLLEGE	CA	2	Public

The third table shows the number of students who transferred from all colleges with at least three transfers to KapCC. These colleges were the most recent school from which the students transferred to KapCC.

The third table shows that 26 institutions sent 538 transfer students to KapCC. These 26 institutions sent 70% of the total transfer students to KapCC. Transfers from any of the University of Hawai'i institutions required a change of home institution to be counted (rather than just attendance.)

The top three transfer institutions were all schools within the

University of Hawai'i system. These three schools sent 298 or 39% of the transfers to KapCC. The top three sending schools from outside the UH system were Heald College (ranked 4th with 39 students or 5% of the transfers), Hawai'i Pacific University (ranked 5th with 38 students or 5% of the transfers), and the online University of Phoenix (ranked 11th with 9 students or 1% of the transfers.) The top three sending schools physically located outside of the state of Hawai'i were University of Nevada Las Vegas (ranked 13th with 7 students or 0.9% of the transfers), Northern Virginia Community College, and Pacific University (tied at 14th with 5 students or 0.7% of the transfers each.)

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9	UNIVERSITY OF PHOENIX	AZ	4	Private
3	NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY	AZ	4	Public
3	PALOMAR COLLEGE	CA	2	Public
3	SANTA MONICA COLLEGE	CA	2	Public
4	PIKES PEAK COMMUNITY COLLEGE	CO	2	Public
126	UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA	HI	4	Public
87	HONOLULU COMMUNITY COLLEGE	HI	2	Public
85	LEEWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE	HI	2	Public
39	HEALD COLLEGE - HONOLULU	HI	2	Private
38	HAWAII PACIFIC UNIVERSITY	HI	4	Private
32	WINDWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE	HI	2	Public
19	MAUI COMMUNITY COLLEGE	HI	4	Public
18	UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT WEST OAHU	HI	4	Public
12	HAWAII COMMUNITY COLLEGE	HI	2	Public
10	UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO	HI	4	Public
8	KAUAI COMMUNITY COLLEGE	HI	2	Public
5	CHAMINADE UNIVERSITY OF HONOLULU	HI	4	Private
7	UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA LAS VEGAS	NV	4	Public
5	PACIFIC UNIVERSITY	OR	4	Private
4	PORTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE	OR	2	Public
3	LINN-BENTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE	OR	2	Public
3	PORTLAND STATE UNIVERSITY	OR	4	Public
3	CENTRAL TEXAS COLLEGE-TRADITIONAL	TX	2	Public
3	SALT LAKE COMMUNITY COLLEGE	UT	2	Public
5	NORTHERN VIRGINIA COMMUNITY COLLEGE	VA	2	Public
4	AMERICAN PUBLIC UNIVERSITY SYSTEM	WV	4	Private

The fourth table shows a reordering of the 26 sending institutions in the previous table by state rather than the number of students. Of the institutions that sent at least three transfers to KapCC, Hawai'i and Oregon sent 494 students or 64% of the transfers.

State	Frequency	Percent
AZ	2	7.69
CA	2	7.69
CO	1	3.85
HI	12	46.15
NV	1	3.85
OR	4	15.38
TX	1	3.85
UT	1	3.85
VA	1	3.85
WV	1	3.85

The fifth table shows the number of sending institutions in each state. Of the 26 institutions that sent at least three transfers to KapCC, 12 of the institutions were located in Hawai'i (46%) and four were located in Oregon (15%), and the remaining sending institutions were located in eight other states.

Additionally, 14 (54%) of the institutions that sent at least three transfers to KapCC were 2-year institutions, and the majority of the 26 sending institutions also were public rather than private schools (77% vs. 23%).

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