



NSSE 2020

Multi-Year Report

University of North Carolina at Pembroke

About Your Multi-Year Report

For institutions participating in multiple NSSE administrations since 2013, the year of the last survey update, this report presents year-to-year results for Engagement Indicators (EIs), High-Impact Practices (HIPs), and key academic challenge items to illustrate patterns of change or stability. It also provides details such as number of respondents, standard deviation, and standard error so that statistical tests can be calculated.

For more information and recommendations for analyzing NSSE data over time, view our webinar entitled *Recommendations for Using Multiple Years of NSSE Data*: <http://go.iu.edu/2R1r>

This report contains three main parts: (a) a page that provides a quick reference to important information about each year's administration, (b) multi-year figures, and (c) detailed statistics. Key terms and features are illustrated below.

Report sections

Administration Summaries (p. 3)	A summary of respondent counts, response rates, sampling errors, and administration details for each participation year.
Engagement Results by Theme (pp. 4-7)	Results for ten EIs and selected individual survey items are displayed, organized under four broad themes. The Academic Challenge theme is represented by four EIs as well as several individual items. The three remaining engagement themes (Learning with Peers, Experiences with Faculty, and Campus Environment) are each represented by two EIs.
High-Impact Practices (pp. 8-9)	Results for six HIPs are displayed. First-year student results indicate students who participated in service-learning, a learning community, and research with faculty, and who <i>planned to do</i> an internship or field experience, study abroad, and a culminating senior experience. Senior results indicate students who participated in all six.
Detailed Statistics (pp. 10-13)	Displays detailed information for results including counts, standard errors, and confidence intervals (CIs) for each measure.

Interpreting year-to-year results

When examining year-to-year results, you may wonder whether observed differences signify meaningful change and whether a trend is indicated. Figures display CIs around each score showing the range of values that is estimated to contain the population score 95% of the time. Upper and lower CI bounds are also reported in the Detailed Statistics section.

For further investigation

The Report Builder, updated with current data in the fall, allows for multi-year analysis of Engagement Indicators and individual items (including HIPs). It also affords the analysis of results by subpopulation.

The precision of an institution's population estimates can vary between administrations. An important early step in conducting a multi-year analysis is to review data quality. The values in the tables below were drawn from your *Administration Summary* reports.

Response Details by Participation Year

Year	First-year students					Seniors				
	Response rate ^a	Sampling error ^b	Total respondents ^c	Full completions	Partial completions	Response rate ^a	Sampling error ^b	Total respondents ^c	Full completions	Partial completions
2013										
2014	17%	+/- 6.2%	204	166	38	25%	+/- 5.9%	210	179	31
2015										
2016										
2017	24%	+/- 5.6%	236	168	68	26%	+/- 5.5%	239	200	39
2018										
2019										
2020	25%	+/- 5.4%	246	150	96	26%	+/- 4.9%	295	228	67

Administration Details by Participation Year

Year	Recruitment method	Sample type	Incentives offered	Additional question sets	Report Sample identified ^d	BCSSE	FSSE
2013							
2014	Email	Census	Yes	Academic Advising	No	No	No
2015							
2016							
2017	Email	Census	No	Writing Experiences, FY Experiences / Sr Transitions	No	No	No
2018							
2019							
2020	Email	Census	No	Civic Engagement, Writing Experiences	No	No	No

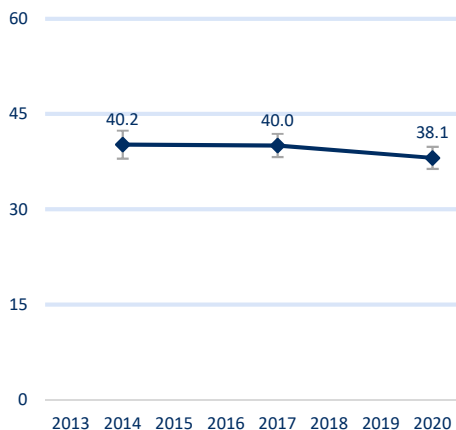
Note: All of your institution's participation years since 2013 (the first year of the updated NSSE) are reported. Years in which your institution did not participate are blank.

- Response rates (number of respondents divided by sample size) are adjusted for ineligibility, nondeliverable addresses, and students who were unavailable during the survey administration.
- Sampling error gauges the precision of results based on a sample survey. It is an estimate (at the 95% confidence level) of how much survey item percentages for your respondents could differ from those of the entire population of students at your institution. While data with larger sampling errors (such as +/-10%) need not be dismissed out of hand, such results should be interpreted more conservatively.
- Count used to calculate response rates and sampling errors for each *Administration Summary* report. Includes all census-administered and randomly sampled students, regardless of "Report Sample" designation.
- Starting in 2017, institutions had the option to flag a subset of students for exclusion from reports. Refer to your *Administration Summary* reports.

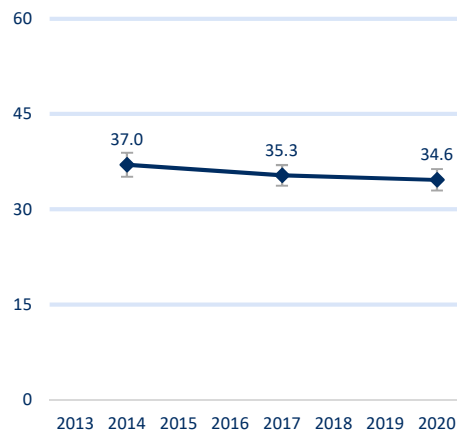
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Academic Challenge: First-year students

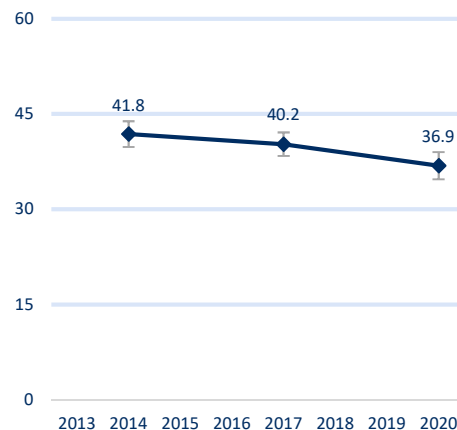
Higher-Order Learning



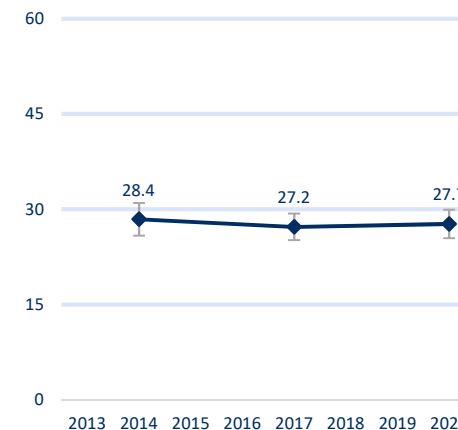
Reflective & Integrative Learning



Learning Strategies

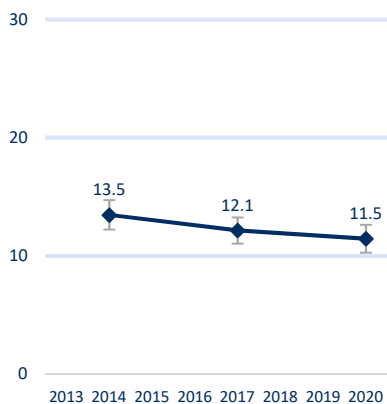


Quantitative Reasoning

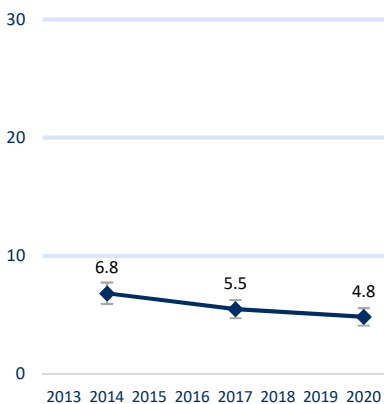


Academic Challenge (additional items): First-year students

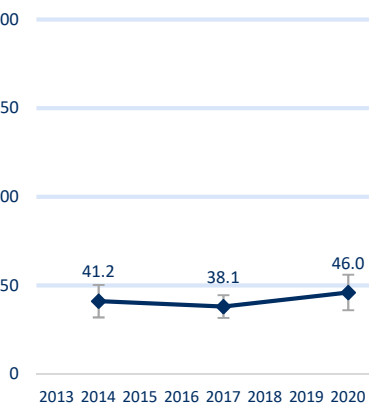
Preparing for Class (hrs/wk)



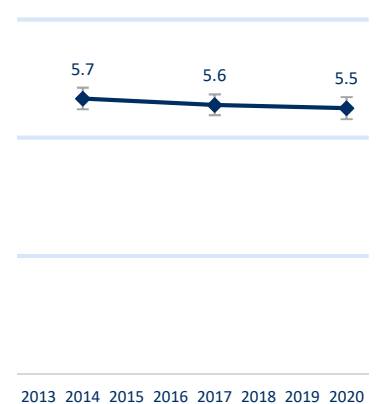
Course Reading (hrs/wk)^a



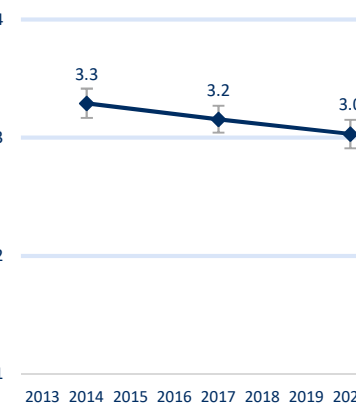
Assigned Writing (pages)^a



Course Challenge^b



Academic Emphasis^c



a. Values for Course Reading and Assigned Writing are estimates calculated from two or more survey questions.

b. Extent to which courses challenged students to do their best work (1 = "Not at all" to 7 = "Very much").

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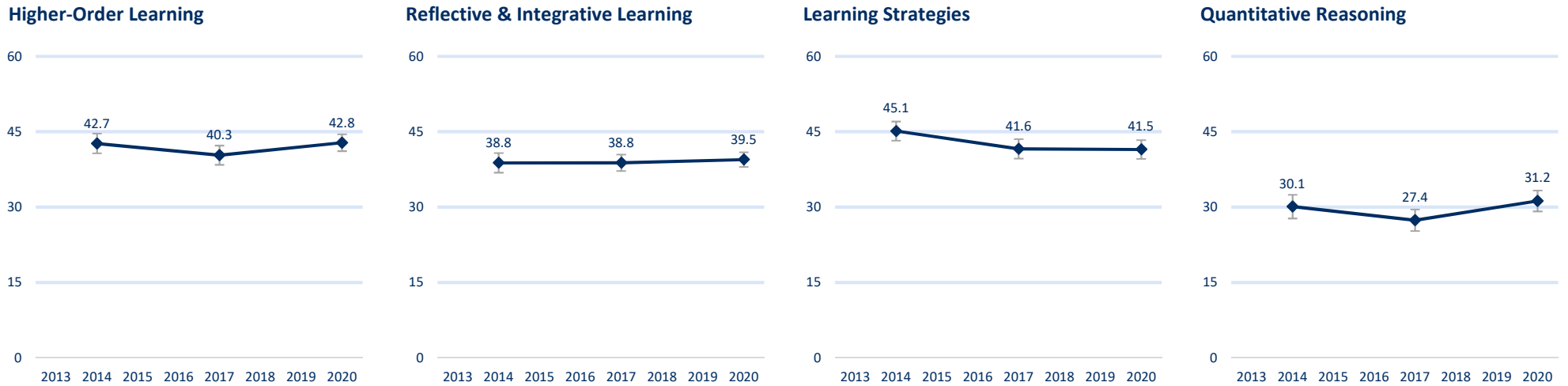
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Engagement Results by Theme

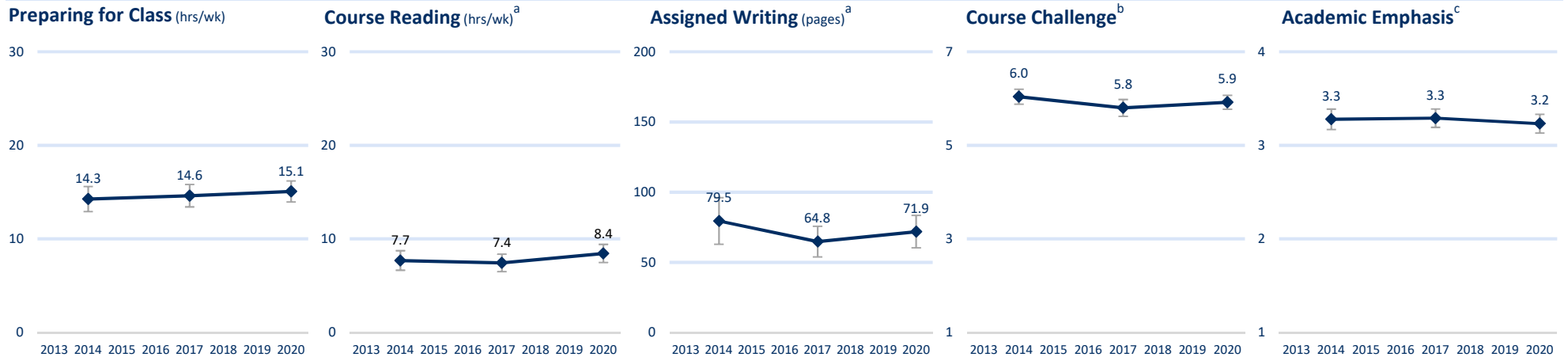
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Academic Challenge: Seniors



Academic Challenge (additional items): Seniors



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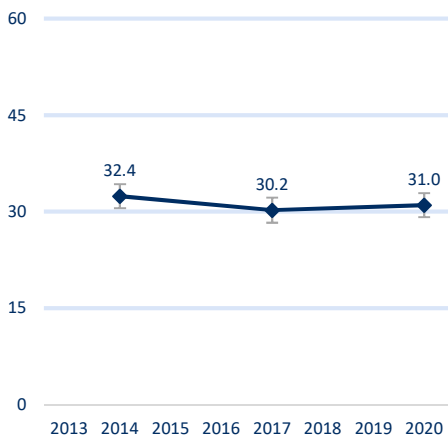
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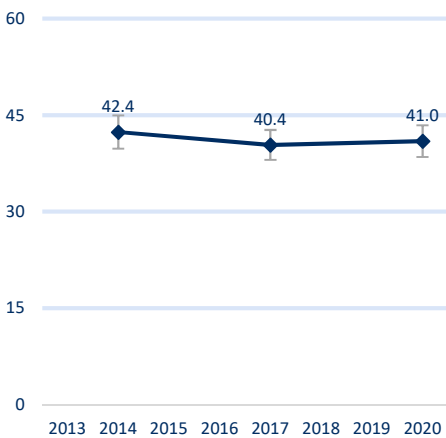
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Learning with Peers: First-year students

Collaborative Learning

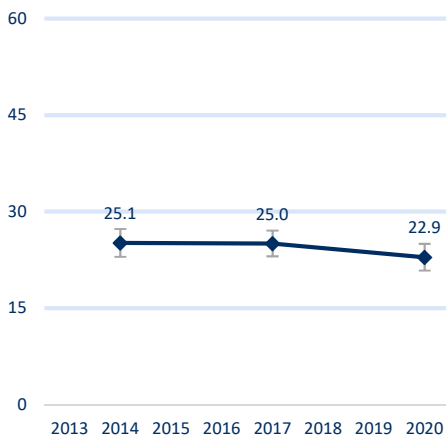


Discussions with Diverse Others

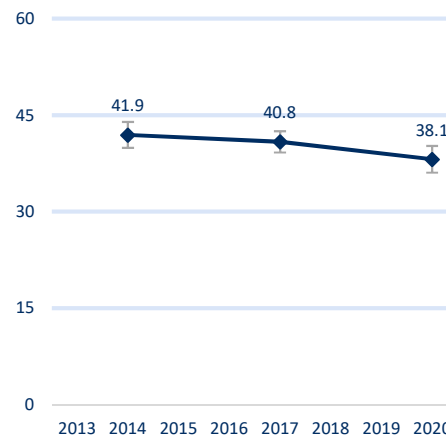


Experiences with Faculty: First-year students

Student-Faculty Interaction

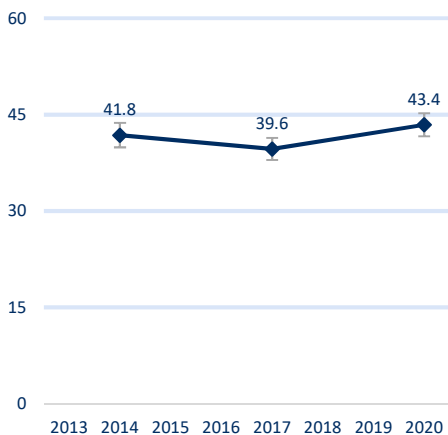


Effective Teaching Practices

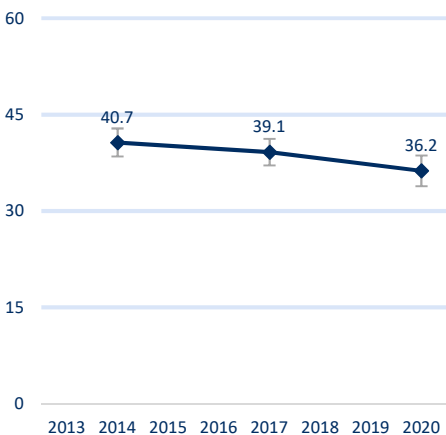


Campus Environment: First-year students

Quality of Interactions



Supportive Environment



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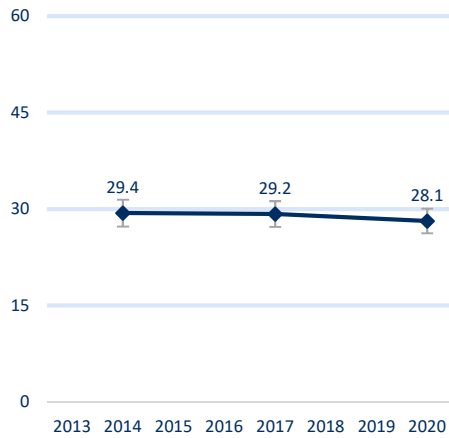
Engagement Results by Theme

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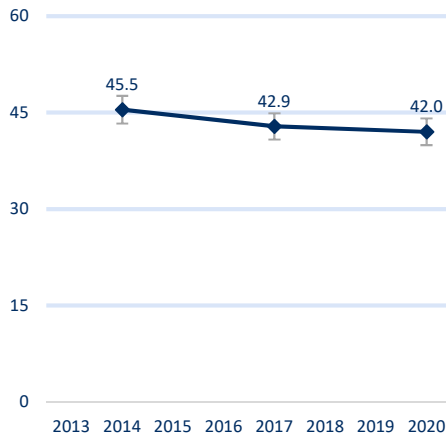
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Learning with Peers: Seniors

Collaborative Learning

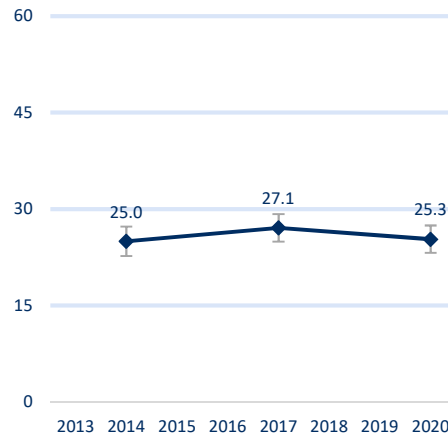


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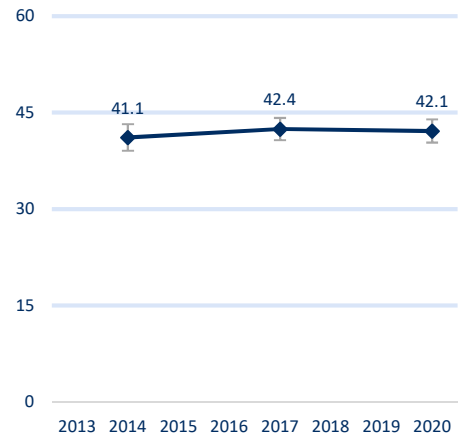


Experiences with Faculty: Seniors

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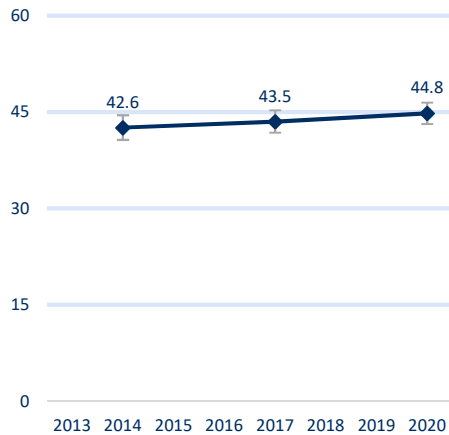


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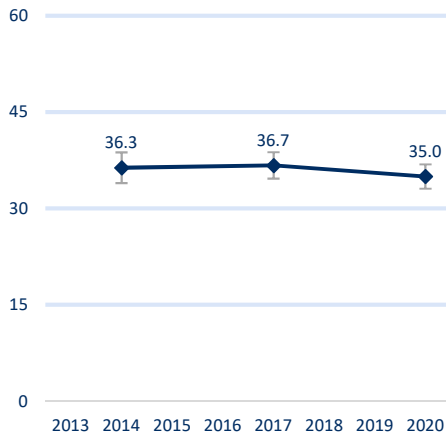


Campus Environment: Seniors

Quality of Interactions



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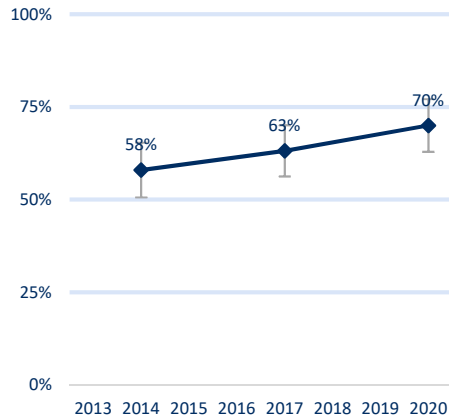


Due to their positive associations with student learning and retention, special undergraduate opportunities are designated "high-impact." The figures below display first-year students' participation, or intent to participate, in High-Impact Practices (HIPs) by year. See page 13 for detailed statistics. For more information, refer to your *High-Impact Practices* report.

High-Impact Practices: First-year students

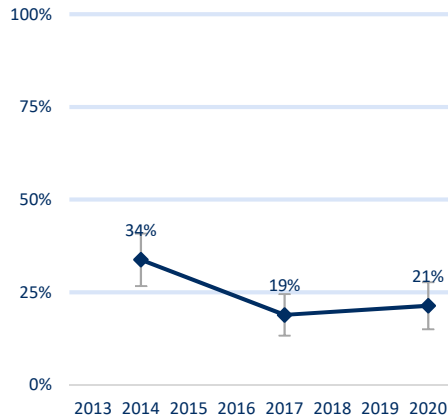
Service-Learning

(Some, most, or all courses)



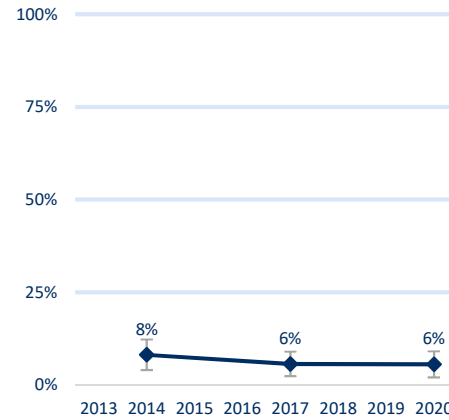
Learning Community

(Done or in progress)



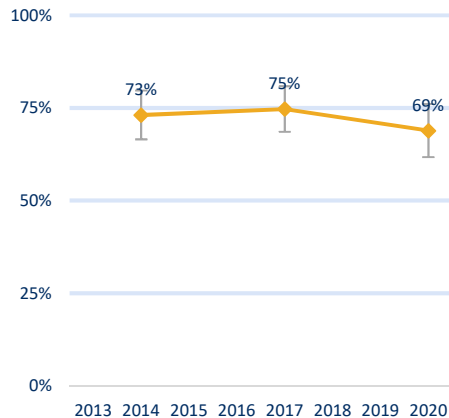
Research with Faculty

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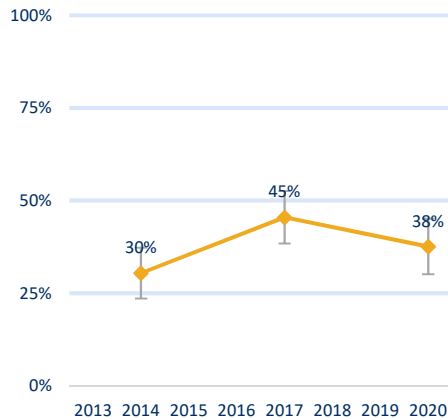
Internship/Field Experience

(Plan to do)



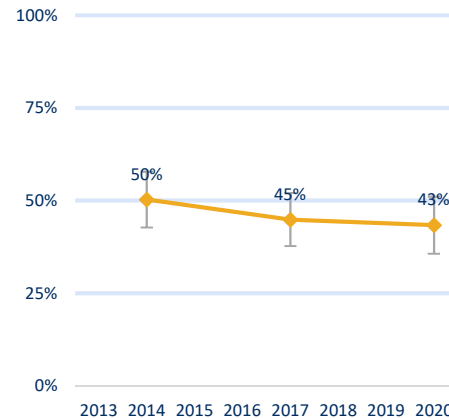
Study Abroad

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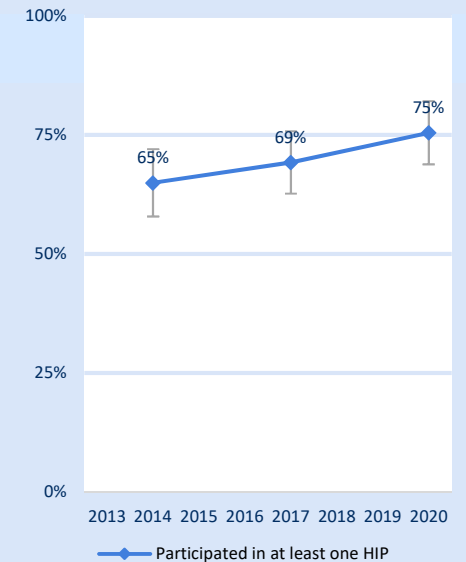
Culminating Senior Experience

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Overall first-year HIP participation

The figure below displays the percentages of first-year students who participated in at least one high-impact practice. The figure is limited to participation in service-learning, a learning community, and research with faculty.



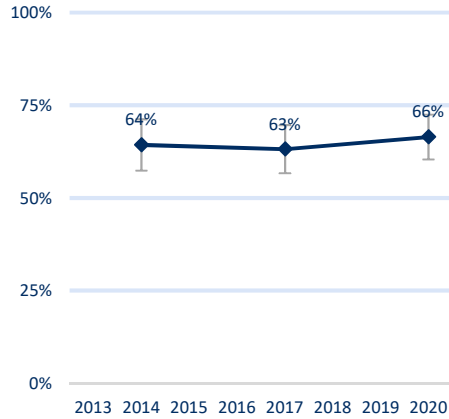
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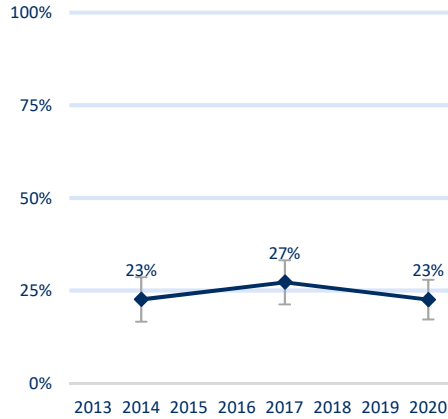
Service-Learning

(Some, most, or all courses)



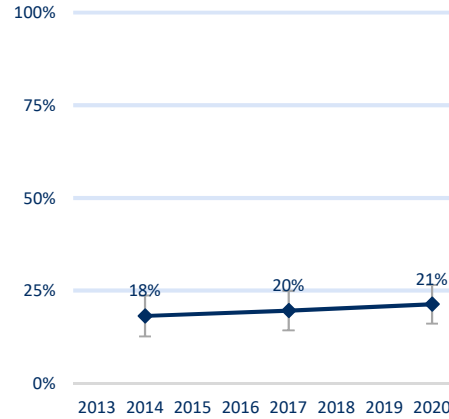
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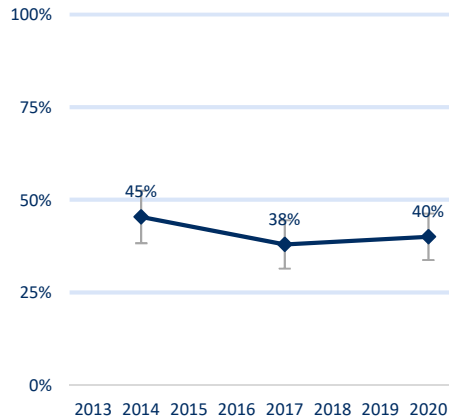
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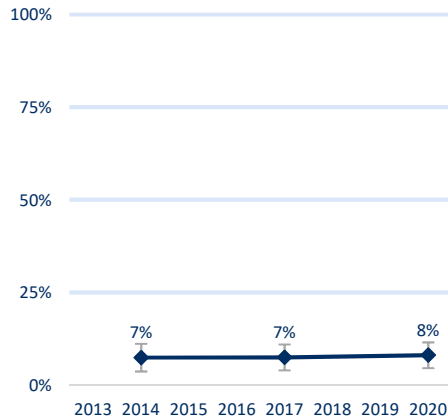
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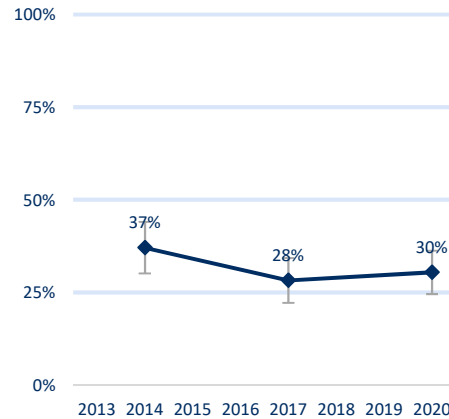
Study Abroad

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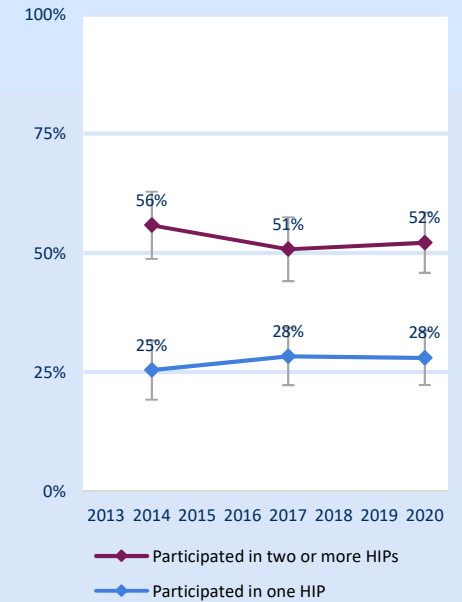
Culminating Senior Experience

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Overall senior HIP participation

The figure below displays the percentages of seniors who participated in one, and two or more, high-impact practices. The figure includes all six HIPs.



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Detailed Statistics: Engagement Indicators and Additional Items

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		First-year students							Seniors								
		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
<i>Academic Challenge</i>																	
Higher-Order Learning	<i>Mean</i>		40.2			40.0			38.1			42.7			40.3		42.8
	<i>n</i>		183			214			181			197			228		243
	<i>SD</i>		15.2			13.6			11.9			14.2			14.7		13.4
	<i>SE</i>		1.12			.93			.89			1.01			.98		.86
	<i>CI upper bound</i>		42.4			41.9			39.8			44.7			42.2		44.5
	<i>CI lower bound</i>		38.0			38.2			36.4			40.7			38.4		41.1
Reflective & Integrative Learning	<i>Mean</i>		37.0			35.3			34.6			38.8			38.8		39.5
	<i>n</i>		186			224			203			200			234		269
	<i>SD</i>		13.2			12.4			12.3			14.1			12.8		12.2
	<i>SE</i>		.97			.83			.86			.99			.84		.75
	<i>CI upper bound</i>		38.9			37.0			36.3			40.8			40.5		40.9
	<i>CI lower bound</i>		35.1			33.7			32.9			36.9			37.2		38.0
Learning Strategies	<i>Mean</i>		41.8			40.2			36.9			45.1			41.6		41.5
	<i>n</i>		172			194			163			188			213		236
	<i>SD</i>		13.5			13.2			14.0			13.3			14.4		14.6
	<i>SE</i>		1.03			.95			1.09			.97			.99		.95
	<i>CI upper bound</i>		43.9			42.1			39.0			47.0			43.5		43.3
	<i>CI lower bound</i>		39.8			38.4			34.7			43.2			39.7		39.6
Quantitative Reasoning	<i>Mean</i>		28.4			27.2			27.7			30.1			27.4		31.2
	<i>n</i>		186			211			168			200			225		240
	<i>SD</i>		17.9			15.5			14.9			17.0			16.4		16.5
	<i>SE</i>		1.31			1.07			1.14			1.20			1.09		1.06
	<i>CI upper bound</i>		31.0			29.3			29.9			32.4			29.5		33.3
	<i>CI lower bound</i>		25.9			25.1			25.4			27.7			25.3		29.1
<i>Academic Challenge (additional items)</i>																	
Preparing for Class (hours/week)	<i>Mean</i>		13.5			12.1			11.5			14.3			14.6		15.1
	<i>n</i>		168			170			156			176			198		227
	<i>SD</i>		8.2			7.4			7.4			9.1			8.6		8.6
	<i>SE</i>		.63			.57			.60			.68			.61		.57
	<i>CI upper bound</i>		14.7			13.3			12.6			15.6			15.8		16.2
	<i>CI lower bound</i>		12.2			11.0			10.3			12.9			13.4		14.0
Course Reading Estimated hours per week calculated from two survey questions.	<i>Mean</i>		6.8			5.5			4.8			7.7			7.4		8.4
	<i>n</i>		164			170			155			174			198		222
	<i>SD</i>		5.9			5.1			4.6			7.0			6.8		7.4
	<i>SE</i>		.46			.39			.37			.53			.48		.49
	<i>CI upper bound</i>		7.7			6.3			5.6			8.7			8.4		9.4
	<i>CI lower bound</i>		5.9			4.7			4.1			6.7			6.5		7.5

Notes: n = Number of respondents; SD = Standard deviation; SE = Standard error of the mean; upper and lower bounds represent the 95% confidence interval (mean +/- 1.96 * SE).

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<i>Academic Challenge (additional items, continued)</i>																	
Assigned Writing	<i>Mean</i>		41.2			38.1			46.0		79.5			64.8			71.9
Estimated number of pages calculated from three survey questions.	<i>n</i>		164			194			166		166			212			238
	<i>SD</i>		59.9			46.0			65.7		109.3			81.5			91.0
	<i>SE</i>		4.67			3.30			5.10		8.49			5.59			5.90
	<i>CI upper bound</i>		50.3			44.6			56.0		96.1			75.7			83.4
	<i>CI lower bound</i>		32.0			31.7			36.0		62.8			53.8			60.3
Course Challenge	<i>Mean</i>		5.7			5.6			5.5		6.0			5.8			5.9
Extent to which courses challenged students to do their best work (1 = "Not at all" to 7 = "Very much").	<i>n</i>		173			192			161		188			215			239
	<i>SD</i>		1.2			1.2			1.2		1.1			1.3			1.2
	<i>SE</i>		.09			.09			.10		.08			.09			.08
	<i>CI upper bound</i>		5.8			5.7			5.7		6.2			6.0			6.1
	<i>CI lower bound</i>		5.5			5.4			5.3		5.9			5.6			5.8
Academic Emphasis	<i>Mean</i>		3.3			3.2			3.0		3.3			3.3			3.2
Perceived institutional emphasis on spending significant time studying and on academic work (1 = "Very little," 2 = "Some," 3 = "Quite a bit," and 4 = "Very much").	<i>n</i>		168			172			157		178			199			230
	<i>SD</i>		0.8			0.8			0.8		0.7			0.7			0.8
	<i>SE</i>		.06			.06			.06		.06			.05			.05
	<i>CI upper bound</i>		3.4			3.3			3.2		3.4			3.4			3.3
	<i>CI lower bound</i>		3.2			3.0			2.9		3.2			3.2			3.1
<i>Learning with Peers</i>																	
Collaborative Learning	<i>Mean</i>		32.4			30.2			31.0		29.4			29.2			28.1
	<i>n</i>		193			230			232		200			232			278
	<i>SD</i>		13.2			15.1			14.4		15.1			15.6			16.4
	<i>SE</i>		.95			1.00			.94		1.07			1.02			.98
	<i>CI upper bound</i>		34.3			32.2			32.9		31.5			31.2			30.1
	<i>CI lower bound</i>		30.5			28.3			29.2		27.3			27.2			26.2
Discussions with Diverse Others	<i>Mean</i>		42.4			40.4			41.0		45.5			42.9			42.0
	<i>n</i>		175			194			165		187			215			238
	<i>SD</i>		17.4			16.5			16.2		15.0			15.3			16.3
	<i>SE</i>		1.32			1.19			1.26		1.10			1.04			1.06
	<i>CI upper bound</i>		44.9			42.7			43.4		47.6			44.9			44.1
	<i>CI lower bound</i>		39.8			38.0			38.5		43.3			40.8			39.9

Notes: n = Number of respondents; SD = Standard deviation; SE = Standard error of the mean; upper and lower bounds represent the 95% confidence interval (mean +/- 1.96 * SE).

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Detailed Statistics: Engagement Indicators and Additional Items

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		First-year students							Seniors								
		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
<i>Experiences with Faculty</i>																	
Student-Faculty Interaction	<i>Mean</i>		25.1			25.0			22.9		25.0			27.1			25.3
	<i>n</i>		182			220			194		199			230			258
	<i>SD</i>		14.9			15.1			14.8		16.4			16.7			17.4
	<i>SE</i>		1.10			1.02			1.06		1.17			1.10			1.08
	<i>CI upper bound</i>		27.3			27.0			25.0		27.3			29.2			27.4
	<i>CI lower bound</i>		23.0			23.0			20.8		22.7			24.9			23.2
Effective Teaching Practices	<i>Mean</i>		41.9			40.8			38.1		41.1			42.4			42.1
	<i>n</i>		187			217			177		199			232			250
	<i>SD</i>		14.0			12.4			14.1		14.9			13.4			14.5
	<i>SE</i>		1.03			.84			1.06		1.05			.88			.92
	<i>CI upper bound</i>		43.9			42.5			40.2		43.2			44.2			43.9
	<i>CI lower bound</i>		39.9			39.2			36.1		39.1			40.7			40.3
<i>Campus Environment</i>																	
Quality of Interactions	<i>Mean</i>		41.8			39.6			43.4		42.6			43.5			44.8
	<i>n</i>		171			183			157		184			201			209
	<i>SD</i>		12.8			11.8			11.4		13.3			12.6			12.3
	<i>SE</i>		.97			.87			.91		.98			.89			.85
	<i>CI upper bound</i>		43.7			41.4			45.2		44.5			45.3			46.5
	<i>CI lower bound</i>		39.9			37.9			41.6		40.7			41.8			43.1
Supportive Environment	<i>Mean</i>		40.7			39.1			36.2		36.3			36.7			35.0
	<i>n</i>		166			172			154		177			199			229
	<i>SD</i>		14.3			13.8			15.2		16.2			14.8			14.6
	<i>SE</i>		1.11			1.05			1.22		1.22			1.05			.96
	<i>CI upper bound</i>		42.8			41.2			38.6		38.7			38.8			36.9
	<i>CI lower bound</i>		38.5			37.1			33.8		33.9			34.6			33.1

Notes: n = Number of respondents; SD = Standard deviation; SE = Standard error of the mean; upper and lower bounds represent the 95% confidence interval (mean +/- 1.96 * SE).

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Detailed Statistics: High-Impact Practices

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		First-year students							Seniors								
		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Service-Learning^a	%		58			63			70		64			63		66	
	<i>n</i>		172			189			161		186			212		235	
	<i>SE</i>		3.8			3.5			3.6		3.5			3.3		3.1	
	<i>CI upper bound (%)</i>		65			70			77		71			70		72	
	<i>CI lower bound (%)</i>		51			56			63		57			57		60	
Learning Community^a	%		34			19			21		23			27		23	
	<i>n</i>		172			190			162		189			215		237	
	<i>SE</i>		3.6			2.8			3.2		3.1			3.0		2.7	
	<i>CI upper bound (%)</i>		41			24			28		29			33		28	
	<i>CI lower bound (%)</i>		27			13			15		17			21		17	
Research with Faculty^a	%		8			6			6		18			20		21	
	<i>n</i>		170			190			162		188			215		237	
	<i>SE</i>		2.1			1.7			1.8		2.8			2.7		2.7	
	<i>CI upper bound (%)</i>		12			9			9		24			25		27	
	<i>CI lower bound (%)</i>		4			2			2		13			14		16	
Internship or Field Experience^b	%		73			75			69		45			38		40	
	<i>n</i>		175			192			161		191			215		236	
	<i>SE</i>		3.4			3.1			3.7		3.6			3.3		3.2	
	(First-year results: Plan to do) <i>CI upper bound (%)</i>		80			81			76		52			44		46	
	<i>CI lower bound (%)</i>		67			69			62		38			31		34	
Study Abroad^b	%		30			45			38		7			7		8	
	<i>n</i>		173			191			162		189			214		237	
	<i>SE</i>		3.5			3.6			3.8		1.9			1.8		1.8	
	(First-year results: Plan to do) <i>CI upper bound (%)</i>		37			53			45		11			11		12	
	<i>CI lower bound (%)</i>		24			38			30		4			4		5	
Culminating Senior Experience^b	%		50			45			43		37			28		30	
	<i>n</i>		171			186			160		186			214		238	
	<i>SE</i>		3.8			3.7			3.9		3.6			3.1		3.0	
	(First-year results: Plan to do) <i>CI upper bound (%)</i>		58			52			51		44			34		36	
	<i>CI lower bound (%)</i>		43			38			36		30			22		25	
Overall HIP Participation^c																	
Participated in one HIP	%		37			55			56		25			28		28	
	<i>n</i>		175			191			162		191			215		240	
	<i>SE</i>		3.7			3.6			3.9		3.2			3.1		2.9	
	<i>CI upper bound (%)</i>		44			62			64		32			34		34	
	<i>CI lower bound (%)</i>		30			47			49		19			22		22	
Participated in two or more HIPs	%		28			15			19		56			51		52	
	<i>n</i>		175			191			162		191			215		240	
	<i>SE</i>		3.4			2.6			3.1		3.6			3.4		3.2	
	<i>CI upper bound (%)</i>		35			20			25		63			57		58	
	<i>CI lower bound (%)</i>		22			10			13		49			44		46	

Notes: n = Number of respondents; SE = Standard error of the proportion ($\sqrt{p * (1 - p) / (n - 1)}$) where p is the proportion; upper and lower bounds represent the 95% confidence interval ($p \pm 1.96 * SE$).

a. Results are the percentage who had done the activity.

b. First-year results are the percentage who planned to do the activity; Senior results are the percentage who had done the activity.

c. First-year results are limited to participation in a Learning Community, Service-Learning, and Research with Faculty; senior results include all six HIPs.