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REPORT

Santa Ana College Transfers to Four-Year Institutions by Associate Degree-Earners October 2017

In 2016-17, Santa Ana College (SAC) awarded 2,451 Associate degrees to their students. An unduplicated count of those students (some were awarded multiple degrees during Summer 2016, Fall 2016, Intersession 2017 and Spring 2017 sessions) results in 1,729. Transfer files (Summer 2016 through Spring 2017) were located at four-year institutions for 70% (1,202 out of 1,729) of the students who were awarded degrees by SAC. For those graduates:

- Three-quarters (932 out of 1,202) of the transfers to four-year institutions by SAC graduates enroll in colleges in the California State University system.
 - Over half (679 out of 1,202) of the transfers to four-year institutions by SAC graduates can be attributed to California State University, Fullerton.
 - The next highest numbers of transfers from SAC are to CSU Long Beach (9%) and Dominguez Hills (5%).
- Another twelve percent (148 out of 1,202) of the transfers to four-year institutions by SAC graduates enroll in colleges in the University of California (UC) system. The highest numbers of transfers from SAC to the UC system can be attributed to UC Irvine (6%) and UC Los Angeles (2%).
- About ten percent (122 out of 1,202) of the transfers to four-year institutions by SAC graduates enroll in private or out-of-state universities such as Arizona State University and Chapman University (1% each).
- Liberal arts graduates (49%, 587 of 1,202) accounted for the highest number of transfers followed by business administration (13%, n=161), psychology (6%, n=73), criminal justice administration (4%, n=44) and nursing degrees (3%, n=41).

The numbers presented in this report underestimate the true number of transfers due to limitations in tracking students once they leave Santa Ana College. Despite these limitations, the transfer activity captured in this report provides valuable insight on student transfer and college degree completion. Note that student course enrollment or performance at their new college destinations are unavailable.

Detailed data is included on the following pages.

2016-17 Degree Earners at Santa Ana College who Transferred to Four-Year Universities

TRANSFER-IN UNIVERSITIES	AA/AS Degree Major																																				
	Anthropology	Art	Art Graphic Design	Automotive Technology	Biology	Business Administration	Chemistry	Communication Studies	Community Social Services	Computer Science	Criminal Justice Administration	Economics	Engineering	English	Fire Tech, Public Fire Service	General Management	History	Human Development	Kinesiology	Liberal Arts	Library Technology	Medical Assistant	Mathematics	Music	Nursing - Pre & Registered	Nutrition and Dietetics	Philosophy	Physics	Political Science	Psychology	Science	Sociology	Speech Language Pathology Asst	Spanish	Studio Arts	Other (1 each)	Total
Private and Out-Of-State Universities																																					
ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
BIOLA UNIVERSITY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3
BRANDMAN UNIVERSITY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	3
CALIFORNIA BAPTIST UNIVERSITY - UNDERGRADS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
CHAPMAN UNIVERSITY - ORANGE	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
COLUMBIA SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY - IRVINE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4
DUKE UNIVERSITY NURSING	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
GRAND CANYON UNIVERSITY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
KAPLAN UNIVERSITY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
NATIONAL UNIVERSITY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3
PACIFIC OAKS COLLEGE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
TRINITY INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA - FAIRBANKS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
UNIVERSITY OF PHOENIX	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS ARLINGTON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
UTAH STATE UNIVERSITY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	3	
VANGUARD UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
WEST COAST UNIVERSITY - ANAHEIM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Other (1 each)	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	1	1	22	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	44
Total	3	2	2	2	9	161	12	21	17	9	44	2	2	10	22	2	14	24	11	587	3	3	14	4	41	2	7	9	9	73	8	30	6	5	11	21	1202