165th Plenary Fall Meeting
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Nancy L. Zimpher

On June 1, 2009, Nancy L. Zimpher became the 12th Chancellor of The State University of New York, the nation’s largest comprehensive system of higher education.

A nationally recognized leader in education, Chancellor Zimpher spearheaded and launched a new strategic plan for SUNY in her first year as chancellor. The central goal of the plan, called The Power of SUNY, is to harness the university’s potential to drive economic revitalization and create a better future for every community across New York.

Chancellor Zimpher is active in numerous state and national education organizations and is a leader in the areas of teacher preparation, urban education, and university-community engagement. As co-founder of Strive, a community-based cradle-to-career collaborative, Chancellor Zimpher has been instrumental in creating a national network of innovative systemic partnerships that holistically address challenges across the education pipeline.

She has authored or co-authored numerous books, monographs, and academic journal articles on teacher education, urban education, academic leadership, and school/university partnerships.
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Interim Provost and Vice Chancellor

Dr. Elizabeth L. Bringsjord was appointed Interim Provost and Vice Chancellor by the SUNY Trustees as of August 2013. She is the chief academic officer for the SUNY system and supports the Chancellor and Board of Trustees in carrying out their oversight responsibilities. Dr. Bringsjord is temporarily stepping away from her work as Vice Chancellor for Academic Programs and Assessment and Vice Provost. In that capacity, she leads the office responsible for system-wide academic planning and policy development, academic program review and assessment, campus liaison activities, and regional accreditation support to individual campuses.

Dr. Bringsjord plays an active role in transformational work now underway across SUNY’s 64 campuses in the areas of Academic Excellence, Innovative Instruction, Strategic Enrollment Planning, Student Mobility and Success, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion, and Teacher Education.

Having held a series of progressively senior roles in her 16 years at SUNY system, Dr. Bringsjord has participated in or led numerous initiatives to enhance academic quality, expand access and ensure accountability. Noteworthy among her contributions is a restructuring of the process by...
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Fred Kowal - UUP President
Jim Malatras - Start Up NY
Brian Hutzley - SUNY Shared Services Report
Carey Hatch - Open SUNY
Transfer Pathways

SUNY Seamless Transfer initiative
Over 400 faculty members involved
Looked at colleges that produced and received the highest number of transfer students

Concerns among the Community Colleges

UPDATE - each discipline/ each campus will have a point person
SUNY Transfer Paths

Get Started
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SUNY in NYC
Get Answers

SUNY Transfer Paths

Home  >  Get Started  >  Transfers  >  SUNY Transfer Paths

SUNY has created Transfer Paths that summarize the common lower division requirements shared by all SUNY campuses for similar majors within most disciplines. If you want to prepare for as many SUNY campuses as possible, the SUNY Transfer Paths will help you identify coursework that will prepare you for multiple SUNY campuses.

If you have already decided on a program of study:
Select your curriculum from the list of bachelor's degree programs below to view the SUNY Transfer Path for that discipline.

Curriculum:  select one

View Transfer Path >>

If you have not yet decided on a program of study:
Click here to browse SUNY Transfer Paths for all disciplines.
Open SUNY

Online degree programs
Goal to increase system-wide enrollment by 100,000
Roll out in January 2014
Major concerns with support for students and faculty
Senate creating an Ad Hoc Committee
Provost Brown Bag – (WAS) Monday 18 Nov noon Crumb 107A
Open SUNY

SUNY contracted with Coursera to offer MOOCs

Stony Brook offering his fall

Transfer to any SUNY?

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XgWbG17fY-8
MOOC (Massive Open Online Course)

- Focus on Scalability:
  - What is massive?
    - 100?
    - 1,000?
    - 10,000?
    - 100,000?
  - Local cohorts?
  - Open registration?
  - Self-paced?
  - Start/end dates?
  - College credits?
  - Badges?
  - Role of the instructor?
  - Learning community?
  - Scripted assessments and feedback?

- Focus on Community and Connections:
  - Open content?
  - Free of charge?
  - Affordable?
  - Real-time interaction?
SUNY Shared Services

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Issues with transparency
ALBANY, N.Y. — Two upstate State University of New York campuses have launched a program to share information technology services and facilities. The University at Albany and Hudson Valley Community College are the first of SUNY's 64 campuses to share IT facilities. They'll serve as each other's secondary data centers under the agreement.

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Read more here: http://www.kentucky.com/2013/11/04/2911307/ny-campuses-share-information.html#storylink=cpy
“START-UP NY, Governor Cuomo’s groundbreaking initiative, is creating tax-free zones across the state for new and expanding businesses. Now businesses can operate 100% tax-free for 10 years. No business, corporate, state or local taxes, sales and property taxes, or franchise fees.”

http://startup-ny.com/
Start-Up New York

Concerns with connections to the “academic mission.”
Admission to Education Programs
Directive from BOT to SUNY campuses
Usurps the responsibilities of the faculty
Responsibilities outlined in the BOT Policies
Passed two resolutions, w/o dissent
Resolution on Failure of Consultation and Shared Governance Regarding SUNY Educator Preparation Programs and the New NY Education Reform Commission
The University Faculty Senate decries the passage of said resolution without consultation with faculty governance and requests that in light of this incident the Chancellor and the SUNY Board of Trustees uphold the long-standing principles of shared governance as published in the Policies of the Board of Trustees to produce a comprehensive strategy to continue to ensure the quality of students admitted to teacher education programs.
Resolution on the Board of Trustees recommendation on the use of admissions criteria for teacher education programs
Therefore, be it resolved that System Administration create a Task Force on Predictive Indicators of Teacher Candidate Quality which will include representatives from faculty governance;

And be it further resolved that this Task Force work with the Provost Office, the SUNY Deans and Directors of Education, and appropriate faculty and staff to gather new data as needed to be combined with existing data and to analyze these data to determine effective indicators of teacher candidate success;

And be it further resolved that the Task Force be charged to complete its work by June 30, 2014;

And be it further resolved that the changes to admissions criteria be held in abeyance until the Task Force on Predictive Indicators of Teacher Candidate Quality has completed its work.
Budget Concerns

Expecting a flat budget from the state legislature

Problems with Alfred

Problems with Downstate Medical