

# Student Success Launch 2017

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# Welcome & Agenda

- Remarks-Setting the Vision for AY 2017-2018
- Poster Presentations
- Assessment and Evaluation Ideas

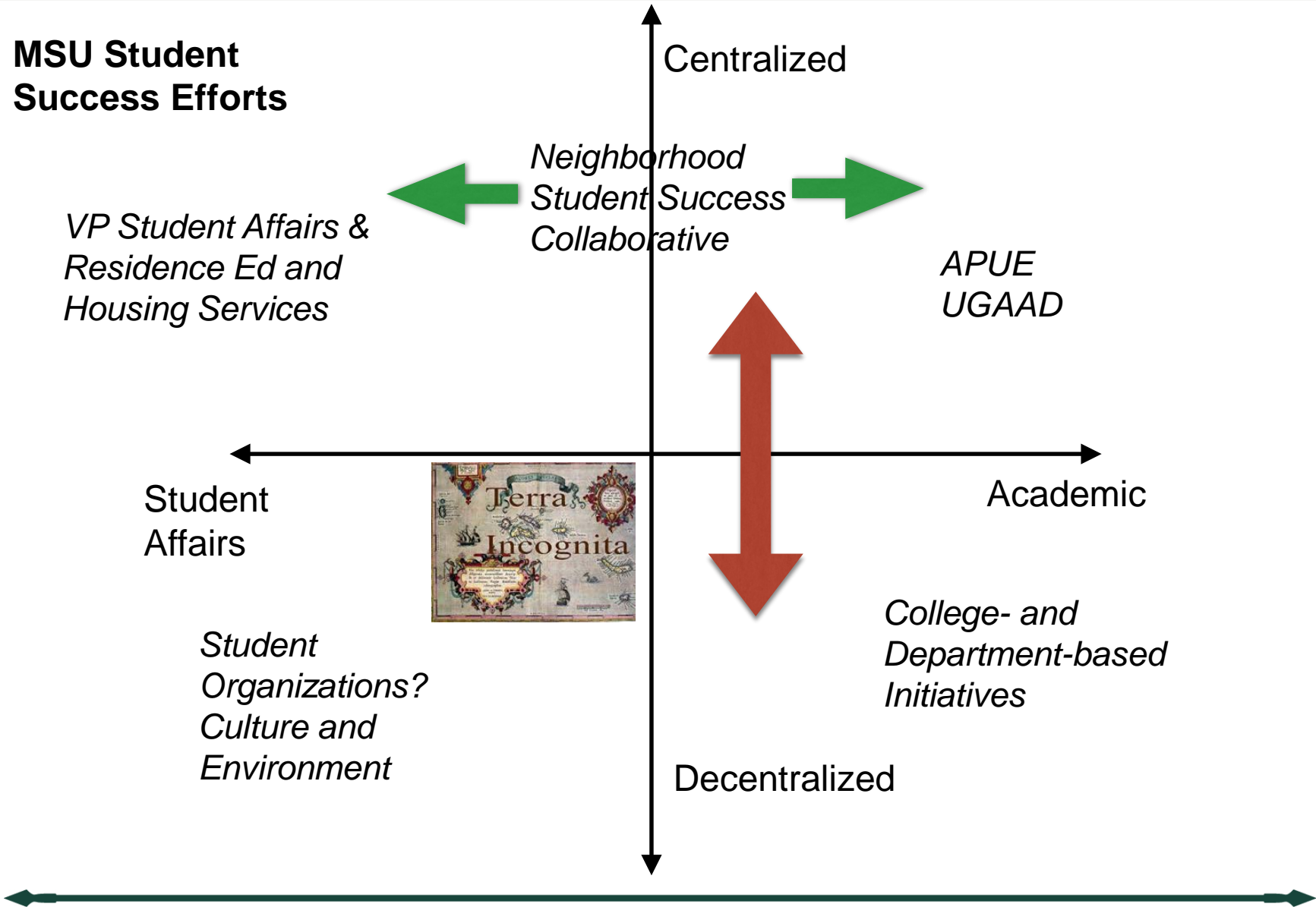
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# MSU Student Success Vision

- At MSU we have high expectations and believe every student we admit has the ability to succeed and graduate. Our job is to ensure that every one of our students has an equal opportunity to do so.
- We are committed to helping our students reduce their time and cost of degree as they navigate the right academic path to grow their knowledge, pursue their passion, and discover their purpose.
- As a part of achieving this goal, we are focused on closing opportunity gaps for lower-income, first-generation, and underrepresented minority student populations.
- MSU aspires to create a national model for students to be successful.



# MSU Student Success Efforts



# The Purpose of the Student Success Leadership Community is to:

- Facilitate campus-wide student success initiatives through both planning and implementation
- Encourage the incorporation of student-centered success strategies into college/unit functions
- Share knowledge and perspectives to foster continuous improvement
- Enable coordination and cooperation across units.

# Data Summit & Review Committee Summer 2017 Feedback:

- Explain the focus on opportunity gaps
- Use data to take action and assess effectiveness of programs
- Engage faculty, departments, and colleges directly in student success activities
- Create more opportunities for listening and strategizing action with various groups of faculty, staff, students

# Working Together to Close the Opportunity Gaps

**Vennie Gore**

Vice President for Auxiliary Enterprises

**Denise B. Maybank**

Vice President for Student Affairs and Services

**June Youatt**

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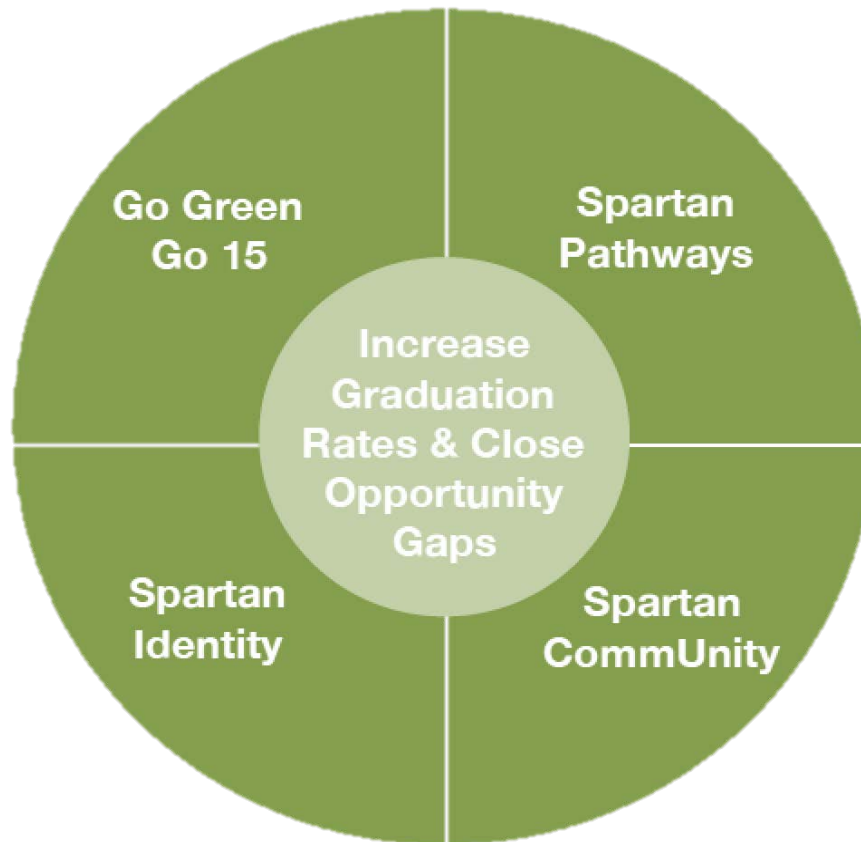
# Student Success Initiatives AY 2017-2018

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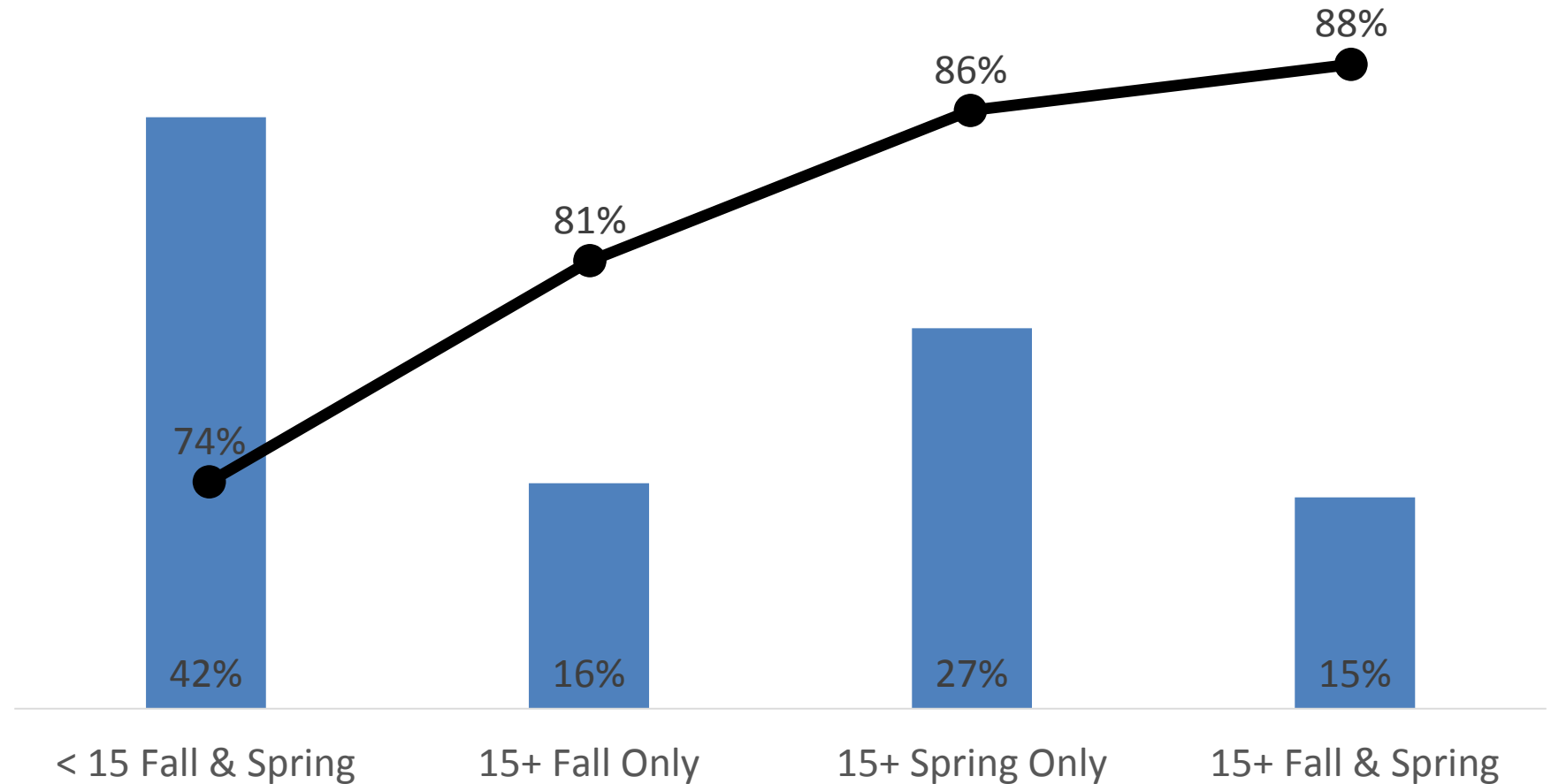




- Engage students, parents, advisors, and faculty to encourage MSU students to enroll in an average of 15 credits per semester and 30 credits in each year, and to have a completion conversation with their advisor.
- Credit momentum is strongly correlated with higher levels of academic success for students from all backgrounds.

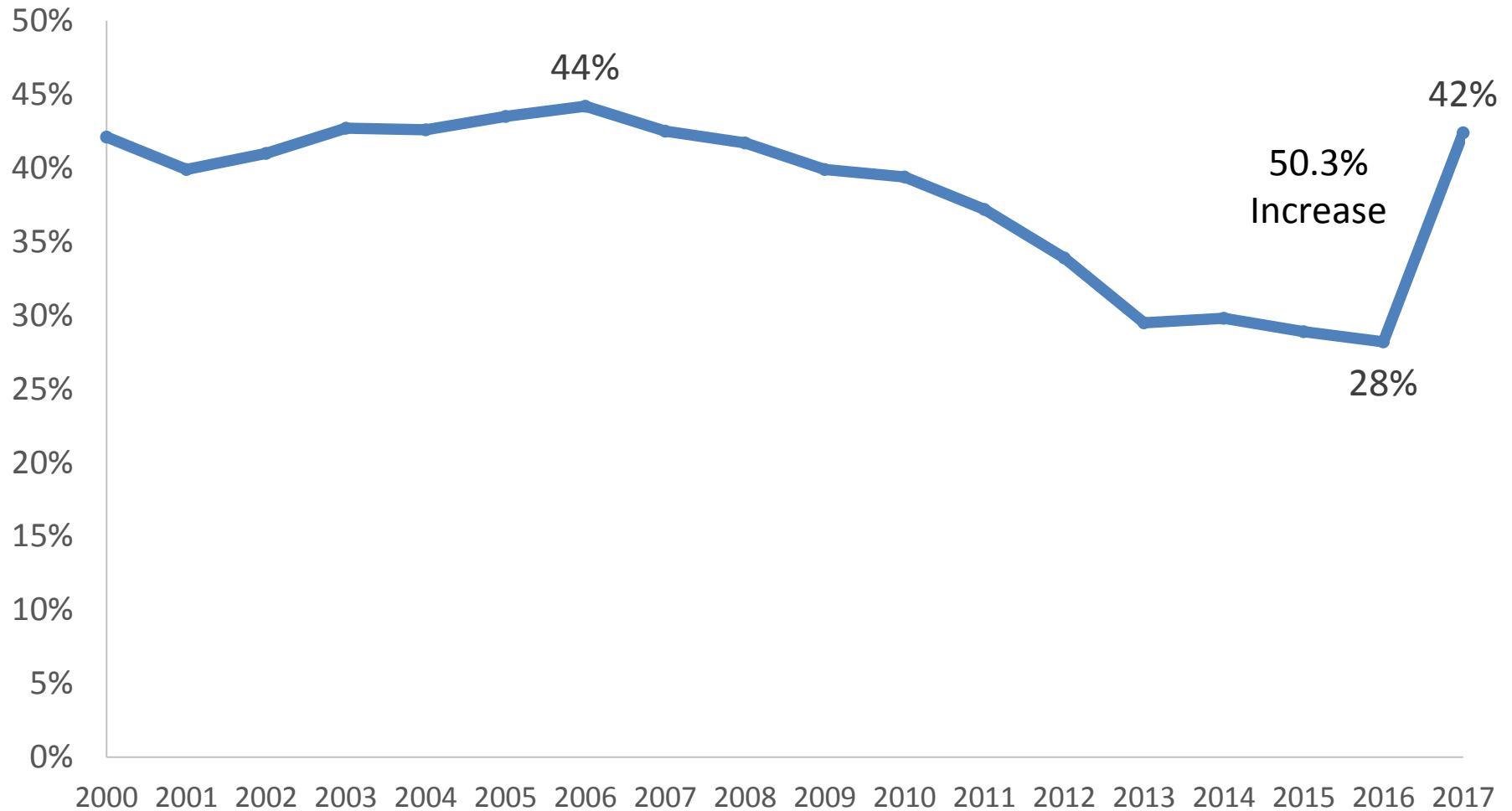


## Relationship Between First Year Credit Loads and Six Year Graduation Rates



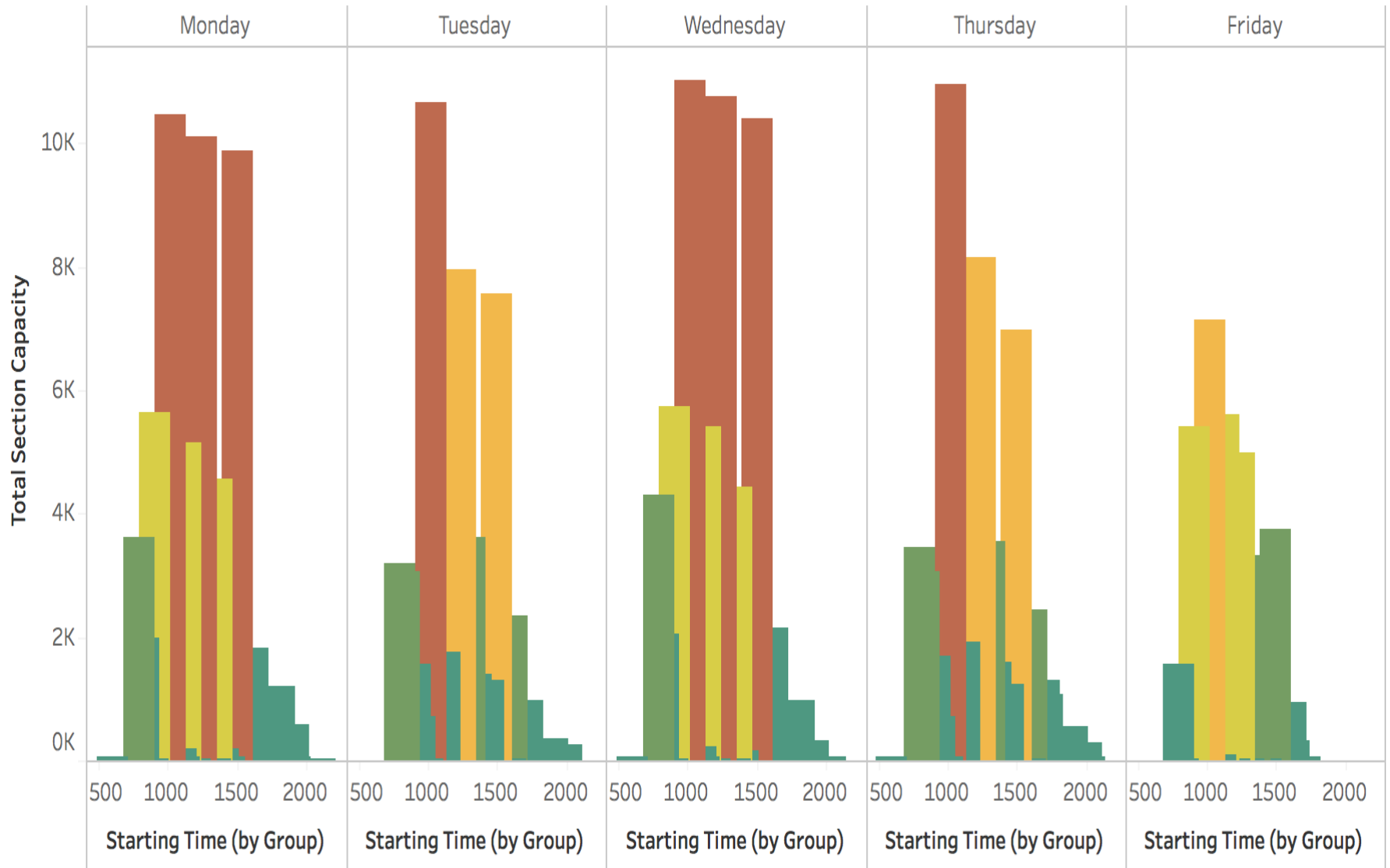
Entering Students from 2011. Source: MSU's Institutional Studies

## Percent of First-Year Students Who Enrolled in 15+ Credits in Their First Fall Semesters



Source: MSU's Institutional Studies

## Starting Times for 100/200-Level Courses, FS17

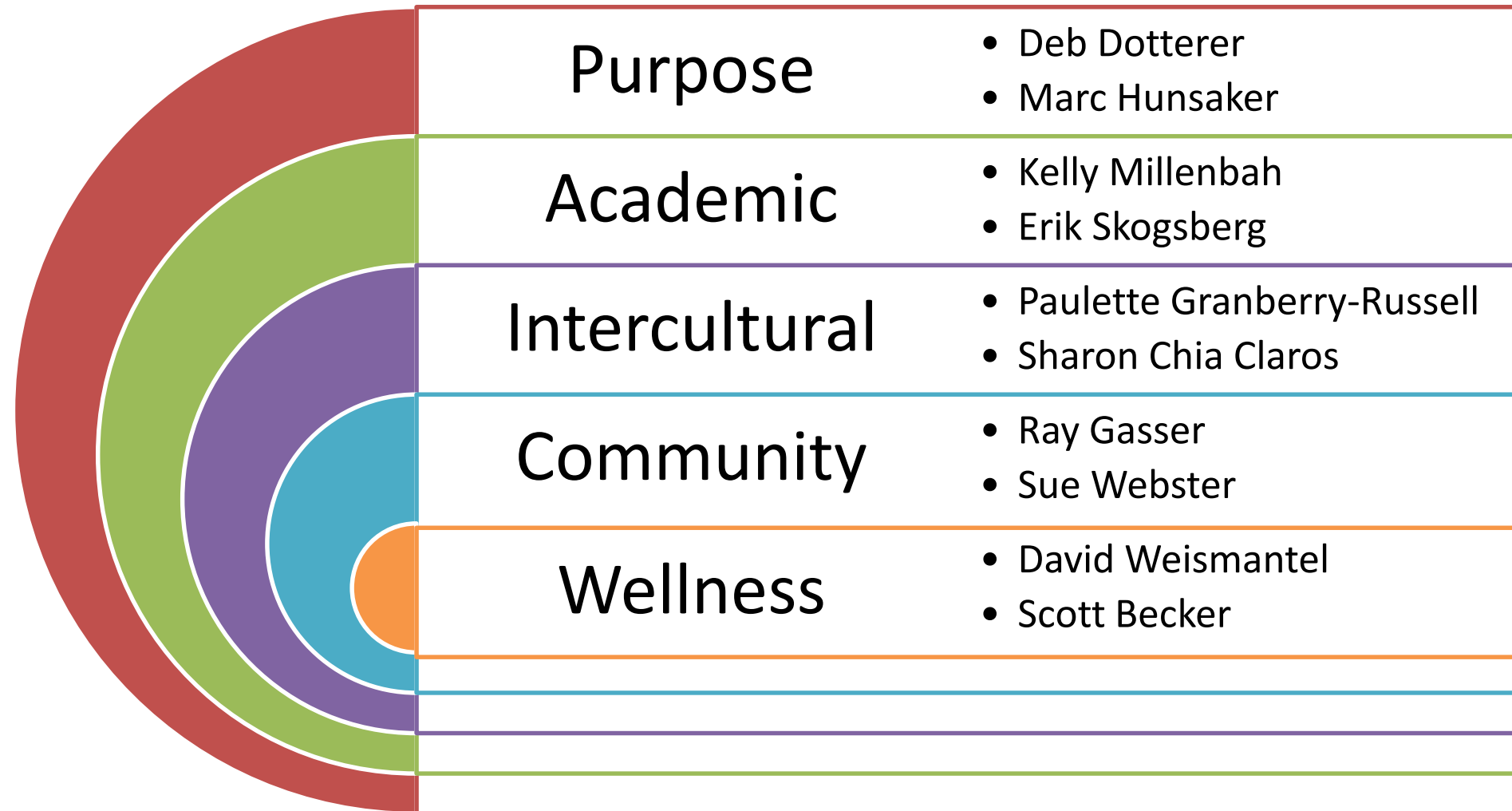


# Spartan Pathways

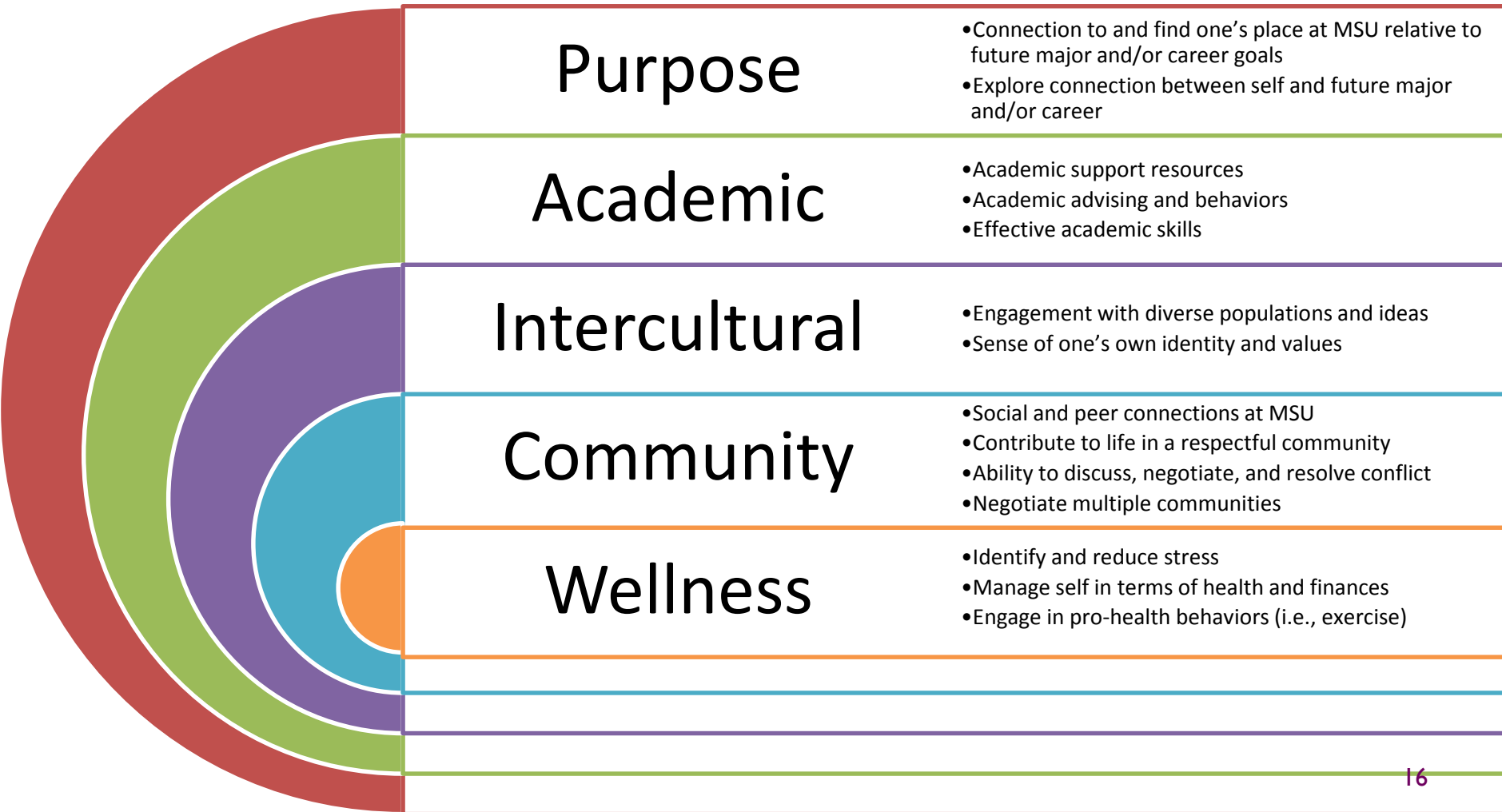
Coordinate recruiting, admissions, orientation, first-year curriculum, and co-curricular experiences to create a seamless pathway for each student from high school to MSU, providing the appropriate support, guidance, and skill development to establish a strong foundation for academic success.



# Student Success Pillars Leadership 2017-2018

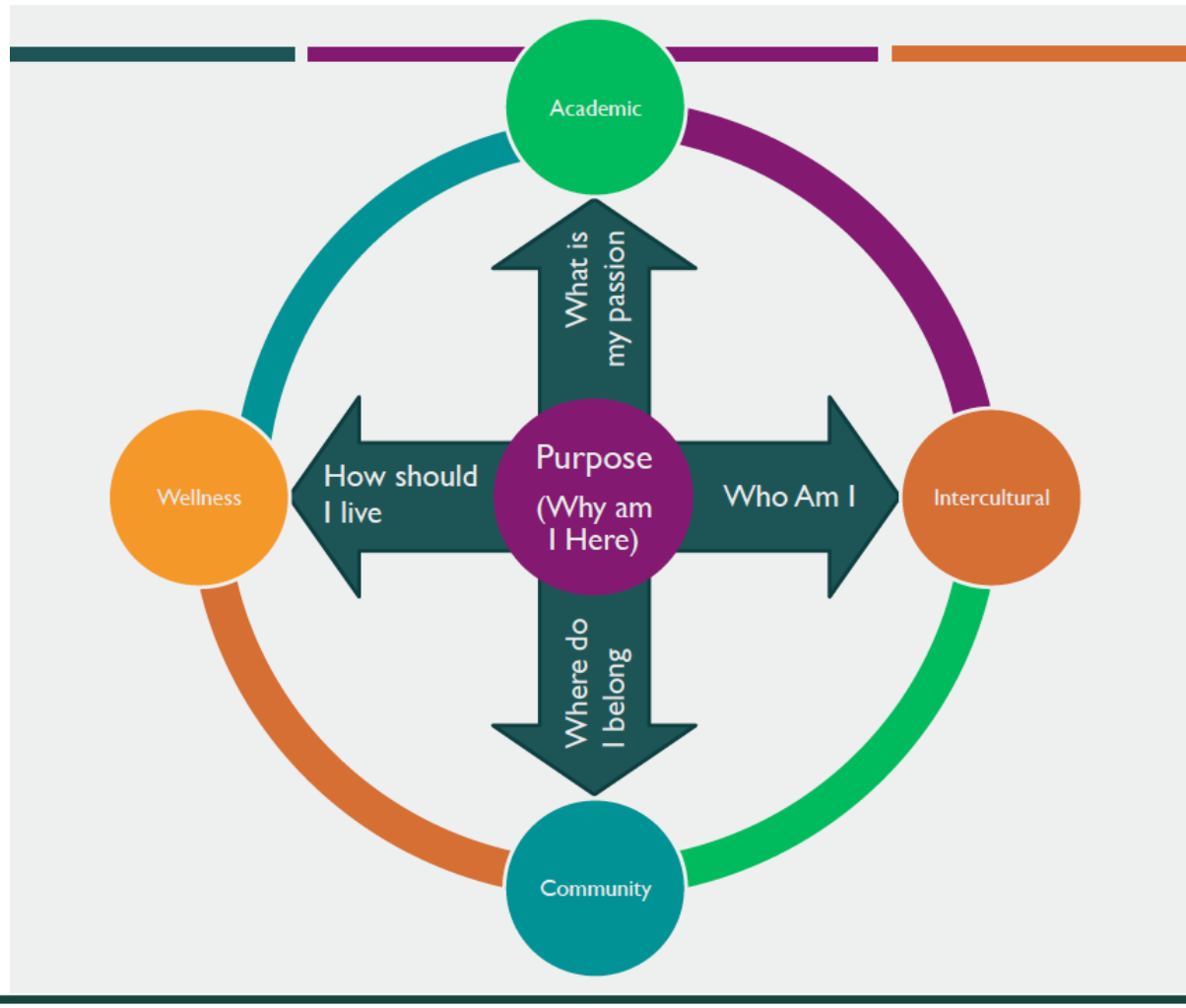


# First Year Pathway Milestones (outcomes)





# Spartan Pathways



# Spartan Pathways- Examples of Current Projects

- Formation of New Pillars Structure
- Student Success Dashboard Campaigns by NSSC/Colleges
- Bridges Assessment and Interventions-NSSC
- CIE Cohort Pilot
- Math Reform
- STEP-AOT
- Emerging Scholars Program-Undergraduate Research
- Co-curricular Record Development
- Non-Cognitive Interventions
- Neighborhoods Website Update & Interactive Resource



# Spartan CommUnity

Focus on staff and community development to improve the living and learning environment for our students from all backgrounds, and examine our programs so students learn to work together across difference with respect and a commitment to equality.



# Spartan CommUnity- Examples of Current Projects



- Building Inclusive Communities Campaign-OI3
- APUE Outreach to Faculty, Staff, Students
- Mapping and assessing current training efforts-STEP professional coaches, college/NSSC advisors, peer coaches, peer assistants in Engagement Centers, resident assistants, intercultural aides

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# Building Inclusive Communities at Michigan State University

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*Jennifer Orlando, Paulette Granberry Russell*

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“There’s a need for us to acknowledge and talk more about our differences,” Paulette Granberry Russell, senior advisor to the president for diversity and director of [MSU’s Office of Inclusion and Intercultural Initiatives](#), tells [Jennifer Orlando](#) on [MSU Today](#).

# Spartan Identity

Synthesize and communicate our [vision](#) for an MSU undergraduate education that prepare our students to “contribute fully to society as globally engaged citizen leaders”. Align our engagement, curricular, and student support processes with this vision. Provide clear direction to guide student learning, persistence, and success.

Hub Design Project AY2017-18



# Work Streams

- Proactive Advising
- Student Success Analytics
- Curriculum and Instruction
- Enabling Technology and Data
- Student Centered Process Reviews
- Neighborhoods
- University Engagement
- Academic Services and Enrollment Management



# Student Success Poster Session

Over 40 opportunities to:

- **Learn**
- **Discuss**
- **Partner**
- **Engage**

with your colleagues!

Be prepared to move every 5-7 minutes!



# Assessment Activity & Discussion

Please comment on our planned efforts.

- What outcomes should we be assessing?
- How do we evaluate our work in each area?
- What would “success” look like?
- What is measurable (Qual and Quan)?
- How would MSU be different as a result of this effort?

# Closing

Schedule of Student Success Meetings:

**Wed, November 8<sup>th</sup>**

**Wed, January 31<sup>st</sup>**

**Wed, March 28<sup>th</sup>**

8:30-10:00am Kellogg, Red Cedar A/B