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# ***TRANSFER TUESDAY***

***MONTHLY NEWS FROM THE ADVISING COMMUNITY ON  
TRANSFER STUDENTS***

As we wrap up the Fall semester, I want to acknowledge and thank all of you for your hard work and efforts to support your students. This has been a year filled with unusual challenges and I know that you have served as student advocates all while managing a myriad of other responsibilities. I hope that you are able to find time to care for yourself and your families and that you enjoy a safe holiday season. Our steering committee is working on a schedule for the spring semester and we look forward to seeing you all in the new year.

If you know someone who would benefit from joining our community, please forward this message to them. For those of you who are new to the group this month, welcome! We have a lot of ways to engage members and we rely on you to help make this group as robust as possible. Whether it is engaging with our listserv (directions on how to join can be found by [clicking here](#)), our [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#) accounts, or attending an event, this group is what you make of it.

**This message will include:**

- 1) 2021 NACADA Annual Conference
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**2021 NACADA Annual Conference**

NACADA is gearing up for its 2021 Annual Conference, October 6-9, in Cincinnati, OH.

Whether you want to present, read proposals, or share updates with your colleagues, keep an eye

on your email for details. The call for proposals opens December 11th. We hope to see many transfer-focused proposals submitted!

Get inspired today by learning about past [NACADA annual conferences](#).

## NISTS Conference



The National Institute for the Study of Transfer Students (NISTS) will be holding their [annual conference](#) virtually February 23-25, 2021. The conference is another great professional development opportunity for transfer advocates. Learn more about the upcoming conference [here](#).

## Listserv Threads This Month

We realize that many may not read through listserv topics right away, so hopefully having a condensed subject view and summary might give you a reason to go back and dig through your inboxes. November was a quiet month on the listserv.

- Transfer Learning Communities with Faculty Involvement - request for information on programs that prioritize and integrate meaningful faculty support
- Implementation Checklist - Seeking checklist that identifies necessary steps to high school and university partnership agreements.

- November Transfer Tuesday Newsletter and follow up about previous issues -- you can find them on our [resources drive](#).

## Resource Spotlight

A silver lining of the pandemic has been the sheer number of free professional development opportunities offered over the past few months. The opportunities have usually been webinars but many organizations then provide the sessions on Demand. College Source offered a [2020 Transfer Week Webinar Series](#) during National Transfer Student Week and now all webinars from this event are available on demand.

The [Transfer Website Strategy Guide](#) is available now. The guide is the result of a year long project on the ideal transfer website undertaken by NISTS and mStoner. They shared the results in a webinar last month and also developed the guide linked above.

### **Are you a creative mind looking for a challenge?**

We have a new project for you, and we believe it will help your students.

Many professionals across the nation have expressed interest, or attempted creating a guide that will expand on the transfer process. To make the transfer process more seamless, colleagues in various functional areas came together to create an outline of a guide that will include the following:

- Overview of Schlossberg's Transition theory
- Responsibilities of guide champions at two partnering schools (transfer-sending and transfer-receiving)
- Components of the transfer guide

To learn more, and get started on your new project today, view the article [Beyond Articulation: A Guide to Incorporating Transfer Guides](#).