State of Academic Affairs

Tennessee State University August 19, 2010

Welcome Back

- Academic Affairs
 - Dr. Kathleen McEnerney
 - Dr. Patricia Crook
 - Dr. Ken Looney
 - Dr. Evelyn Nettles
 - Ms. Layla Bonner
 - Ms. Mary Gamble
 - Ms. Chris Word

Academic Affairs

- Colleges and Schools
 - College of Arts and Sciences Int. Dean Gloria Johnson
 - College of Business Dean Tilden Curry
 - College of Education Dean Peter Millet
 - College of Engineering, Technology and Computer Sciences Dean S. Keith Hargrove
 - College of Health Sciences Int. Dean Rosemary Theriot
 - College of Public Service and Urban Affairs Int. Dean Bruce Rogers
 - School of Agriculture and Consumer Sciences Dean Chandra Reddy
 - School of Nursing Dean Kathy Martin
 - School of Graduate Studies and Research Int. Dean Alex Sekwat

Academic Affairs

- Library and Media Centers Dr. Yildez Binkley
- Center for Service Learning and Civic Engagement –
 Dr. D. Sue Fuller
- Testing Dr. Yancey Padget
- SACS Accreditation Dr. Timothy Quain
- WRITE Program Dr. Samantha Morgan-Curtis
- Banner Services and University Protocol Officer Dr. John Cade
- Massie Chair of Excellence Dr. Lonnie Sharpe

Academic Affairs, cont.

- Registrar Ms. Vickie Holmes
- Honors Program Dr. Sandra Holt
- Academic Enrichment, Advisement, and Orientation Dr. Monetha Reaves
- Faculty Support Center Dr. G. Pamela Burch-Sims
- USAF ROTC Lt. Col. Karon Uzell-Baggott
- Center for Extended Education and Public Service (Avon Williams Campus) – Dr. Evelyn Nettles
 - RODP and On-line
 - Non-Credit

Promoted

Boadi, William

• Dhakal, Dharmenda

• Dixon, Rebecca

Elliott, Robert

Forcey, Stefan

Gardner-Jones, Carla

Jackson, Coreen

King, David

Moore, Joshua

Chemistry

Economics and Finance

Language, Literature Phi

Music

Physics and Math

Biological Sciences

Communications

Business Information

Chemistry

Promoted -continued

Oatis-Ballew, Robin Psychology

Okoro. Cosmos Chemistry

Phambu, Nsoki Chemistry

Popkin, JoanPsychology

Ray, Achintya
 Economics and Finance

Reed, Michael Physics and Mathematics

Stratton, Martha Biological Sciences

Wang, Xiaofei Biological Sciences

Wiemers, Roger Education Admin

Xiaoming, Li Business Admini

Tenured

Ashford, John

Ault, Lara

Burks, Geoffrey

• Dixon, Rebecca

Dunson, Samuel

• Elliott, Robert

Forcey, Stefan

Gardner-Jones, Carla

Ghosh, Soumen

Speech Path and Audiology

Psychology

Physics and Mathematics

Language, Lit and Philos

Art

Music

Physics and Mathematics

Biological Sciences

Economics and Finance

Tenured-continued

Jackson, Coreen

• King, David

• Machara, Margaret

McBride, Michael

Moore, Joshua

• Oatis-Ballew, Robin

• Phambu, Nsoki

Popkin, Joan

• Ray, Achintya

Communications

Business Information Systems

Consumer Sciences

Art

Chemistry

Psychology

Chemistry

Psychogy

Economics and Finance

Tenured-continued

• Reed, Michael

• Smith, Robert

• Wang, Xiaofei

• Xiaoming, Li

Physics and Mathematics

Criminal Justice

Biological Sciences

Business Administration

First TSU Faculty 1912



Classroom Response System (Clickers)

- Main goal: to engage, assess and increase student success
- Format
 - Instructor asks question
 - Students respond
 - Data instantly reviewed
- Can be linked to individual students
- Can collect and analyze data

Applications

- Engage students through practice or review questions
- Conduct opinion surveys
- Pre-test/Post-test/Quizzes
- Attendance
- Generate instant feedback
- Monitor understanding
- Gather research or classroom assessment data
- Honest answers to controversial topics
- Student Evaluation of Instruction??

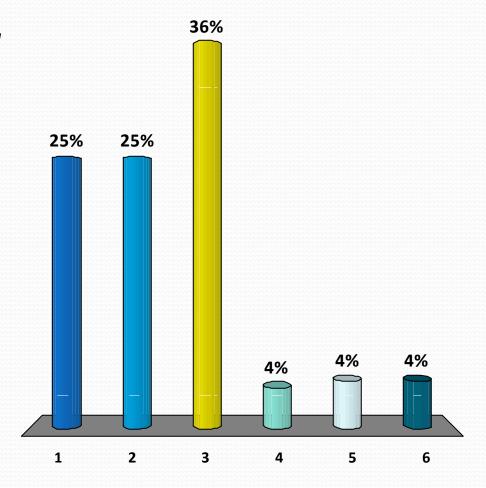
Opinion about clickers in class

- 1. I've used them and found that they enhance student learning

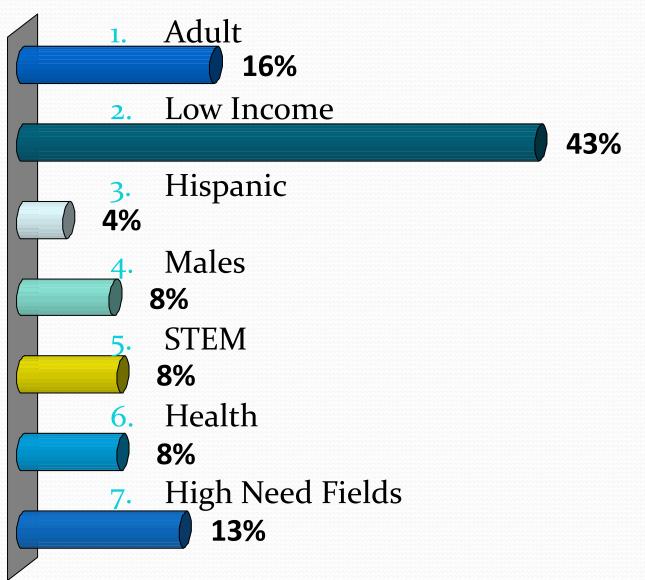
 1. I've used them but have mixed enions
 - 2. I've used them but have mixed opinions
- 3. I haven't used them but think clickers might work in my class. Sign me up!
- 4. I haven't used them and probably won't

Demographic Example: I am

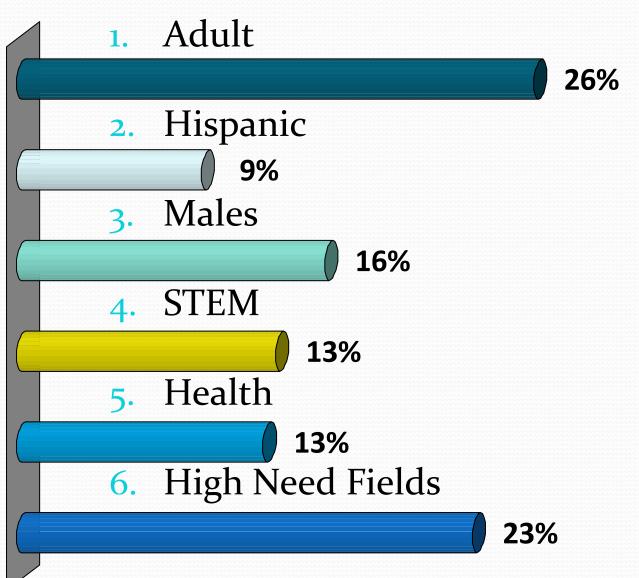
- 1. Professor
- 2. Associate Professor
- 3. Assistant Professor
- 4. Adjunct/Temp
- 5. Staff
- 6. Other



Which population should TSU measure for Formula Funding

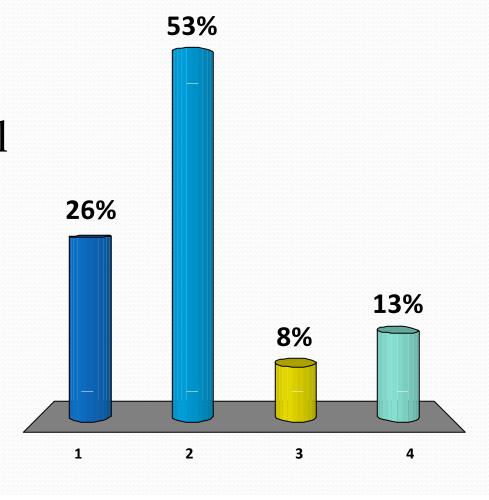


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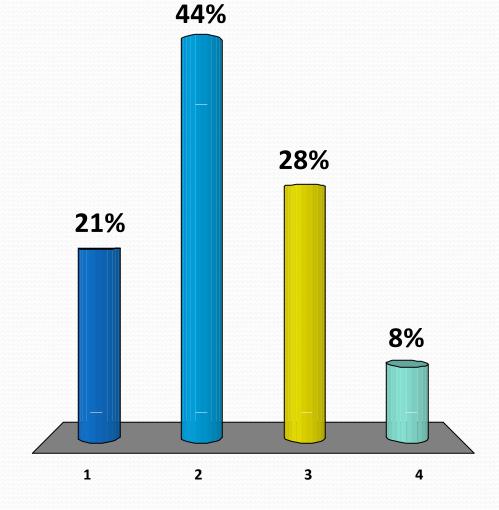
Which is the best student learning outcome

- Understand the principles of physiology
- Apply physiological principles to case studies
- 3. Describe osmosis
- 4. Diagram the Krebs cycle



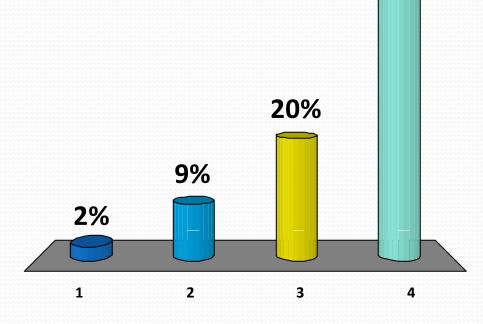
Faculty in my department use assessment effectively to improve student learning

- Strongly Agree
- 2. Agree
- 3. Disagree
- 4. Strongly Disagree



As a result of the May flood

- I had major problems, had to leave my home, lost valuable possessions
- I had major problems but did not have to leave my home or lose valuables
- J had minor problems with basement and/or roof repair
- 4. I had no problems



68%

Congratulations

- Dr. Arie Halachmi
- Dr. Chandra Reddy Soil Science Fellow
- Common Reader –TigerREAD The Parable of the Sower
- Race to the Top \$8M
- SACS report completed
- Forensics Team won 266 awards in Fall 09/10 (of 92 universities, 3rd in nation in poetry, 3rd in nation in dramatic interpretation)
- Inaugural Nashville Debate League Institute 40 HS participants and 20 coaches
- Dr. Iris Johnson-Arnold 2010 Scholar-Mentor Award at National Black Association of Speech Language and Hearing's Annual Convention
- Dr. Tom Bukoskey TSU Teacher of the Year
- Dr. Arie Halachmi Paul van Riper Award of ASPA

Research Grants

- Incentive Award
 - Total awards distributed 07/08 \$144,000
 - Total awards distributed o8/o9 \$180,666
 - 119 individual awards
 - From \$50 to \$8,385
- Research Awards
 - 7.5% (\$3.1M) of \$40M in student stipends
 - 70% (\$28M) of \$40M in release time

The A-List

- Whatwilltheylearn.com/a-list
- Over 700 colleges and universities
- TSU earned A for curriculum
- One of 16 universities in the country
- One of 2 universities in TSU and only HBCU



Early Intervention Policy

- New retention and probation standards effective this semester
- Students' academic standing printed on academic transcripts and grade reports each semester
- Four academic standing categories
 - Good standing
 - Probation
 - Suspension
 - Readmitted on Probation/Suspension appeal

Early Intervention Policy Retention Requirement

Current Requirements	Proposed New Minimum GPA Requirements Effective Fall 2010
0-14 hours attempted- No Minimum GPA	0-15 hours attempted-Not less than 1.5 cumulative GPA
15-30 hours Attempted- Not less than a 1.4 cumulative GPA	16-30 hours attempted -Not less than 1.7 cumulative GPA
30-50 quality hours attempted- Not less than a 1.7 cumulative GPA	31-45 hours attempted-Not less than 1.8 cumulative GPA
51-67 quality hours attempted-not less than a 1.9 cumulative GPA	46-59 hours attempted- Not less than a 1.9 cumulative GPA
ABOVE 67 quality hours attempted- not less than a 2.0 cumulative average: and satisfactory completion of all developmental or remedial courses	60 and above hours attempted -Not less than 2.0 cumulative GPA

Early Intervention Policy Transfer Requirement

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Communication

- MyTSU
 - Groups icon (upper right side)
 - Faculty communication
 - Files
 - Data portraits
 - Enrollment trend data
 - SACS Preliminary Report
 - VPAA uploads
 - Documents sent to deans and directors
 - General announcements

Common Reader

- Pilot Study 09/10
- Octavia Butler's The Parable of the Sower
- Part of first-year orientation program and ENG 1010
- 1534 Books purchased for students
- Study guides with questions (Parham, Houston, Dixon, Morgan-Curtis)
- Dr. Sandra Govan, a prominent scholar on speculative fiction in general and Octavia Butler in particular, was part of student lecture series

Common Reader, cont.

- 42 classes
 - 32 orientation and 10 English
- Faculty Survey
 - 10 responses
 - Indicated students neutral about TigerREAD but enthusiastic about the choice of book
 - Most indicated that common reader program was useful for interdisciplinary teaching and critical thinking

Common Reader Recommendations

- Continue program
- Select book in Fall, seek faculty text recommendation
- Include faculty from diverse disciplines
- Students responsible for purchase
- Develop learning outcomes to emphasize crossdisciplinary learning, critical thinking, and transference of skills
- Text integrated into courses and curriculum
- Program integrated into campus and local events
- Additional curricular support (e.g. assignments)

Retention Task Force

- Recommendations
 - Long Range Retention Plan
 - Implementation of CLASS
- The 1338
 - 51.55% of freshmen
 - 62% female
 - 97.5% traditional age
 - Mean ACT 18
 - In state 67%
 - 74% enrolled in >1 DSP courses

Assessment

Academic Program Review and Accreditation

- All accreditable programs at TSU are accredited at this time.
- All non-accreditable programs are scheduled to participate in TBR'S academic audit or program review in 5 year cycle.

Accreditation 2009-2010

- College of Education –NCATE
 Accreditation continued to Spring 2016
- College of Engineering ABET reaccreditation to 2016 visit November 2009 to review Mechanical, Electrical Architectural and Civil Engineering.
- Computer science-ABET accreditation through 2012
- Commission on Accreditation for Dietetics Accreditation continued accreditation.
- Master's in Social Work CSWE-Candidacy of Master's in Social Work granted

- Occupational Therapy ACOTE-Continued accreditation of Masters of Occupational
- Respiratory Care-COARC Continued accreditation for BS in Respiratory Care.
- Physical Therapy CAPTE-Reaffirm accreditation for maximum of 10 years

Program Review- Graduate

MS Biology 2006

MS Chemistry 2008

MA English 2008

MA Math2008

PhD Pub. Admin 2008

MS Ag Sciences 2009

MS Biology 2009

MS Comp/ Info 2009

PhD Comp/ Info 2009

PhD Biol. Sciences 2010

MS Engineering 2010

MS Psychology 2010

Academic Audit- Undergraduate

• Biology 2006

Sociology 2006

Mathematics 2007

Physics 2007

Pol. Science 2007

• Foreign Language 2008

English 2008

Speech Pathology 2008

Psychology 2008

Agricultural Sciences 2009

Africana Studies 2009

Health Sciences 2009

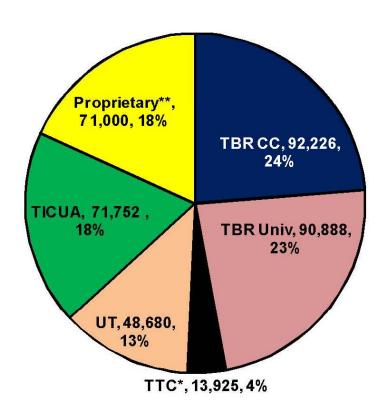
Arts & Sciences 2010

Spch Comm/Theatre 2010

Criminal Justice 2010

Academic Affairs Data

Headcount by Sector Fall 2009

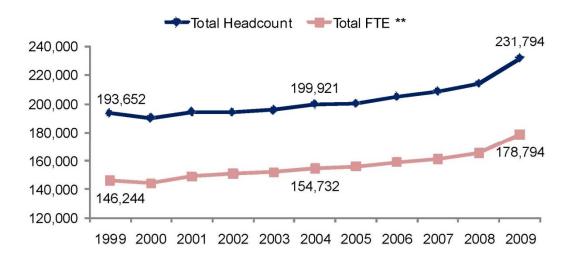


^{*} Tennessee Technology Center (TTC) enrollment reflects preliminary fall 2009 FTE.

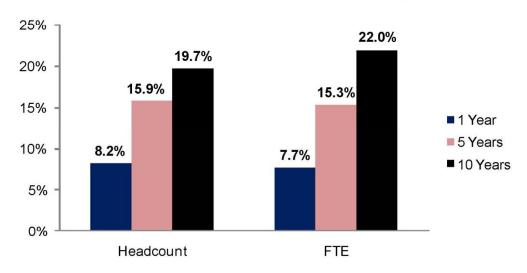
Total enrollment in Tennessee higher education 388,471

^{**} Proprietary enrollment is estimated for fall 2009.

Public Higher Education* Enrollment Trends Fall 1999 - Fall 2009



Fall 2009 Percent Change



^{*}Includes public universities and community colleges only

^{**}Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) Enrollment: For undergraduate students, the total credits attempted divided by 15. For graduate students, the total credits attempted divided by 12.

Headcount Enrollment Fall Terms 1999 and 2004-2009

Institution	1999	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
Universities								
Austin Peay	7,440	8,650	8,814	9,207	9,084	9,401	10,188	
East Tennessee*	11,423	11,869	11,894	12,390	13,118	13,646	14,421	
Middle Tennessee	18,993	22,322	22,554	22,863	23,246	23,866	25,188	
Tennessee State	8,836	9,100	8,880	9,038	9,065	8,253	8,824	
Tennessee Tech	8,584	9,217	9,312	9,733	10,321	10,793	10,847	
Univ. of Memphis	20,301	20,668	20,465	20,562	20,376	20,214	21,420	
TBR Total	75,577	81,826	81,919	83,793	85,210	86,173	90,888	
UT Chattanooga	8,604	8,689	8,656	8,923	9,558	9,807	10,526	
UT Knoxville**	26,444	25,671	26,294	26,560	27,385	27,881	27,221	
UT Martin	5,741	6,098	6,478	6,888	7,171	7,574	8,096	
UTMHSC	2,115	2,139	2,260	2,425	2,655	2,671	2,837	
UT Total	42,904	42,597	43,688	44,796	46,769	47,933	48,680	
Total Universities	118,481	124,423	125,607	128,589	131,979	134,106	139,568	

Degrees Awarded by Institution Academic Year 2008-09

Institution	Associate	Bachelors	Certificate	Masters	Ed. Specialist	Prof.	Doctoral	Total
Austin Peay	158	1,161	0	250	4	0	0	1,573
East Tennessee*	0	1,878	17	559	18	61	75	2,608
Middle Tennessee	0	3,789	9	682	95	0	24	4,599
Tennessee State	112	948	5	401	25	0	60	1,551
Tennessee Tech	0	1,528	0	544	260	0	17	2,349
Univ. of Memphis	0	2,590	45	862	10	121	132	3,760
TBR Total	270	11,894	76	3,298	412	182	308	16,440
UT Chattanooga		1,256	0	377	27	0	50	1,710
UT Knoxville**	-	4,107	42	1,628	17	200	277	6,271
UT Martin	-	1,018	0	115	0	0	0	1,133
UTMHSC		100	0	126	0	385	133	744
UT Total	0	6,481	42	2,246	44	585	460	9,858
Total Univ.	270	18,375	118	5,544	456	767	768	26,298

^{*}Includes ETSU Medical and Pharmacy Schools

^{**}Includes UT Space Institute and UT Veterinary School

Six Year Graduation Rates*							
Institutions	First-Time, Full-Time Freshmen	Grads from Admitting Institution		Grads Other Ins		Total Public Higher Education Graduates	
	riconnici	#	%	#	%	#	%
Austin Peay	969	304	31.4%	50	5.2%	354	36.5%
East Tennessee	1,568	652	41.6%	98	6.3%	750	47.8%
Middle Tennessee	2,969	1,364	45.9%	173	5.8%	1,537	51.8%
Tennessee State	1,168	472	40.4%	21	1.8%	493	42.2%
Tennessee Tech	1,143	565	49.4%	85	7.4%	650	56.9%
Univ. of Memphis	1,933	713	36.9%	77	4.0%	790	40.9%
TBR Total	9,750	4,070	41.7%	504	5.2%	4,574	46.9%
UT Chattanooga	1,382	565	40.9%	146	10.6%	711	51.4%
UT Knoxville	3,529	2,071	58.7%	237	6.7%	2,308	65.4%
UT Martin	969	459	47.4%	74	7.6%	533	55.0%
UT Total	5,880	3,095	52.6%	457	7.8%	3,552	60.4%
Total Universities	15,630	7,165	45.8%	961	6.1%	8,126	52.0%

^{*}Includes fall 2003 first-time freshmen and summer first-time freshmen who continued in fall 2003 matched to graduates through 2008-2009.

Six Year Graduation Rates* by Institution and Race

Cohort Voor		2001 2002			2002	02		2003	
Cohort Year:	Total	Black	White	Total	Black	White	Total	Black	White
Austin Peay	33.0%	28.5%	36.3%	37.0%	26.6%	40.9%	36.5%	25.5%	39.8%
East Tennessee	43.2%	24.2%	45.4%	47.5%	35.6%	48.2%	47.8%	32.4%	49.0%
Middle Tennessee	48.4%	42.8%	49.3%	50.5%	47.1%	51.5%	51.8%	45.1%	52.6%
Tennessee State	42.0%	43.2%	33.6%	38.6%	39.3%	33.6%	42.2%	42.8%	29.4%
Tennessee Tech	48.3%	32.8%	49.4%	49.2%	35.1%	50.9%	56.9%	64.3%	57.4%
Univ. of Memphis	38.9%	28.4%	44.0%	41.9%	31.4%	46.1%	40.9%	30.1%	48.2%
TBR Total	43.3%	37.5%	46.0%	45.4%	37.7%	48.5%	46.9%	38.3%	50.3%
UT Chattanooga	50.1%	49.6%	50.7%	47.1%	41.5%	49.7%	51.4%	45.7%	54.4%
UT Knoxville	63.9%	48.3%	65.6%	64.1%	57.0%	65.2%	65.4%	56.8%	66.7%
UT Martin	48.2%	37.8%	51.3%	53.1%	39.7%	57.5%	55.0%	45.0%	56.7%
UT Total	58.7%	45.8%	60.9%	58.7%	46.9%	61.3%	60.4%	49.5%	62.7%
Total Universities	49.3%	39.5%	52.4%	50.4%	40.1%	53.7%	52.0%	41.4%	55.4%

^{*}Six year graduation rate for 2003 includes fall 2003 first-time freshmen and summer first-time freshmen who continued in fall 2003, matched to graduates through 2008-2009.

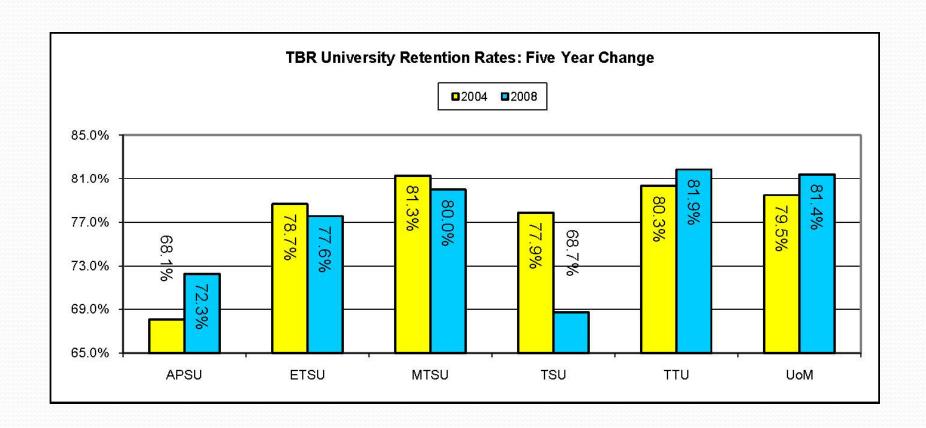
Budgeting Topics (C. Brooks)

- Appropriations
 - → \$2.6 m Additional Reduction
 - → ARRA is now State
 - → Land Grant Match
- Pay, Employment and Benefits
 - → Benefits Rate
 - → 90-Day Notice
 - → Supplemental Longevity
- Capital Projects
 - → \$2.5 m Capital Maintenance
 - → No Capital Construction Library
 - → Disclosed Projects
- Tuition and Fees
 - → Rate 5% Growth 1%
 - → TBR Rate Flexibility
 - → Financial Assistance

First-Year Student Retention

<u>Year</u>	<u>TSU</u>	Tn. Univ.
2008-2009	73.51	83.1
2007-2008	68.74	81.0
2006-2007	76.8o	82.4
2005-2006	75.78	81.98
2004-2005	77.0	81.70
2003-2004	77.0	80.80

Retention



Six-Year Graduation Rates

<u>Year</u>	<u>TSU</u>	<u>TBR</u>
2008-2009	42.21	46.31
2007-2008	38.59	45.40
2006-2007	41.99	43.34
2005-2006	42.03	43.84
2004-2005	45.39	43.36
2003-2004	46.43	42.82

National Survey on Student Engagement NSSE - Samples

- 31% of FY students spend >15 hrs/wk in class prep
- 44% of FY students report that exams are challenging
- 20% of FY students participate in DL; 51% did not
- 34% of FY students say faculty are available and helpful
- 63% of seniors would choose TSU again
- 57% of seniors have participated in service or volunteer work
- 17% of seniors have done research with faculty

Low Producing Programs

- 18 in 2008
- 26 in 2009
- 2 removed from list
 - MS Agricultural Sciences
 - BS Dental Hygiene
- 10 added to list

Low Producing Programs 05-09

- B.A. in Foreign Languages
- B.A. in History
- B.S. in Africana Studies
- B.S. in Early Childhood Education
- B.S. in Civil Engineering
- B.S. in Physics
- B.S. in Art
- B.S. in Music
- B.S. Mechanical Engineering *
- B.S. in Mathematics *
- B.S. in HealthCare Admin. & Planning *
- B.S. in Speech Pathology & Audiology
- B.S. in Medical Technology

^{*}new on list in 2009

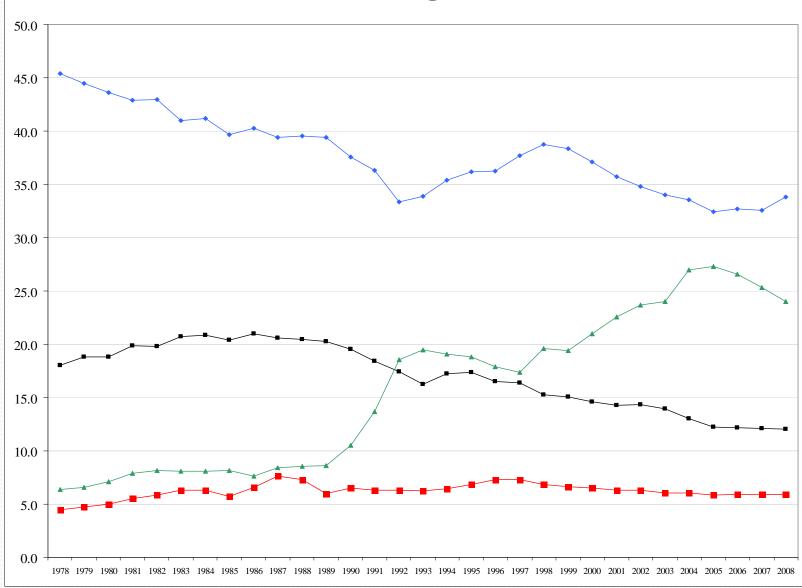
Low-Producing Programs 05-09

- M.A. in English *
- M.C.J. in Criminal Justice Administration (w/ MTSU) *
- M.S. in Mathematical Sciences
- M.S. in Computer & Info. Systems Engineering *
- M.S. in Music Education
- M.S. in Chemistry
- Ed.S. in School Psychology
- Ph.D. in Biological Sciences
- Ph.D. in Public Administration
- Ph.D. in Computer & Information Systems Engineering *
- Graduate Certificate in Applied Geospatial Information Systems *
- Graduate Certificate in Healthcare Administration & Planning *
- Graduate Certificate in Non-Profit Management *

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Budget Management

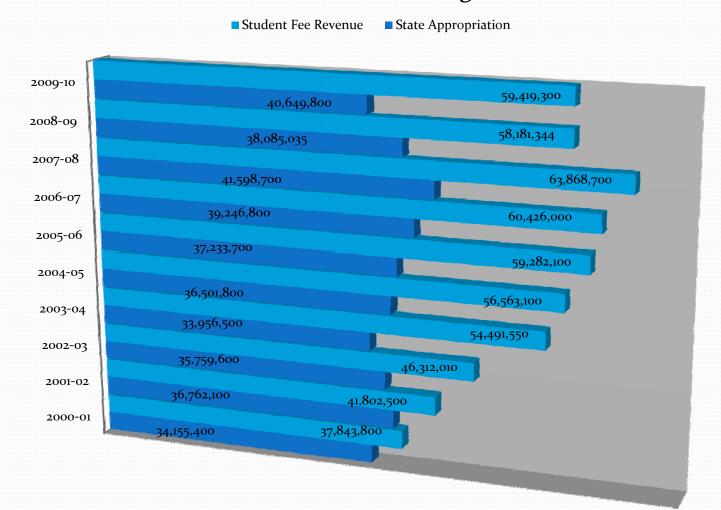




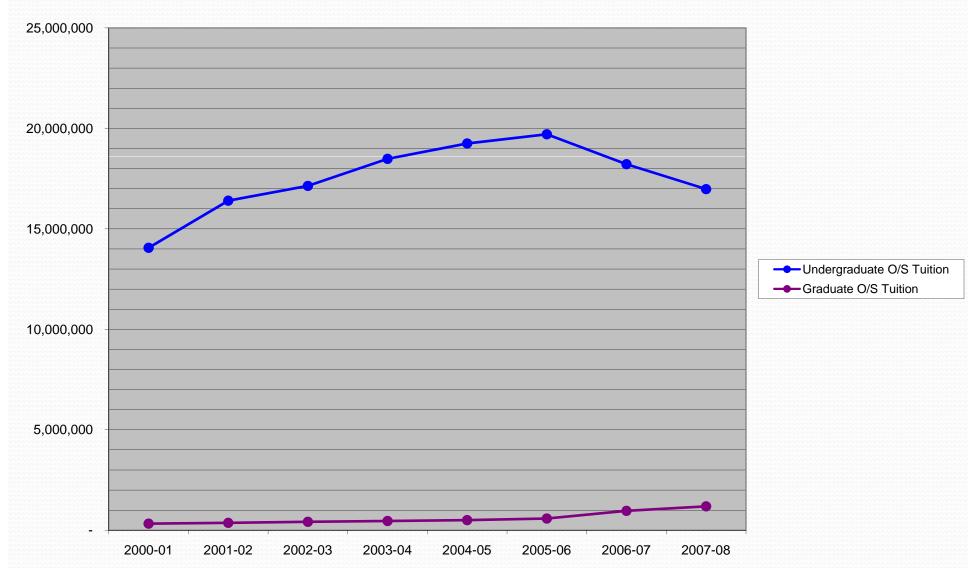
October 2009 Revised Budget

- Revenue
 - Tuition # students x tuition
 - State Appropriation
 - Other (e.g. grants, gifts, athletics)
 - Based on new funding formula
- Expenditure
 - Personnel approx 72%
 - Operating approx 25%
 - Other (e.g. travel, equipment) approx 3%

TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY State Appropriations vs. Student Fee Revenue Fiscal Years 2001 Through 2010



TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY Out-of-State Tuition Revenue 2001 - 2008



Summer School

• 2006/2007

Headcount

• FTE

Revenue

• 2007/2008

Headcount

• FTE

Revenue

• 2008/2009

Headcount

• FTE

Revenue

2790

1296

\$1.922M

2901

1335

\$2.078M

2687

1191

\$2.052M

2009/2010

Headcount 2997

• 1884 Undergraduate

• 1113 Graduate

• FTE 1356.72

• 820.47 Undergraduate

• 536.25 Graduate

• Net Revenue \$ 2.313 M

ROCC Net Revenue Summary

FY2003

FY2004

FY2005

FY2006

FY2007

FY 2008

FY 2009

\$ 337,962

\$ 694,424

\$ 686,900

\$ 864,214

\$1,181,906

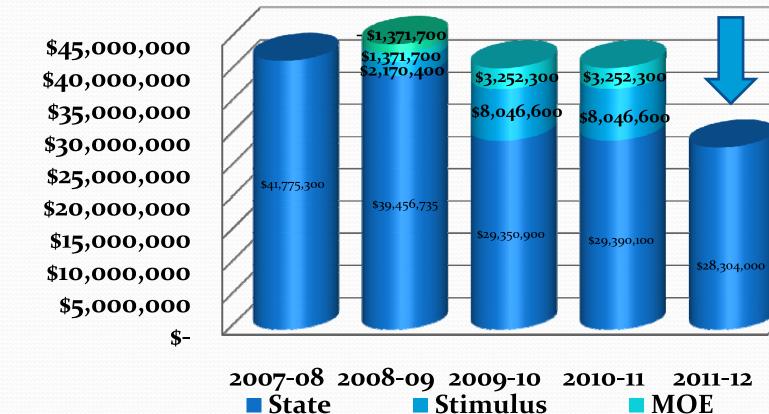
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\$1,502,114

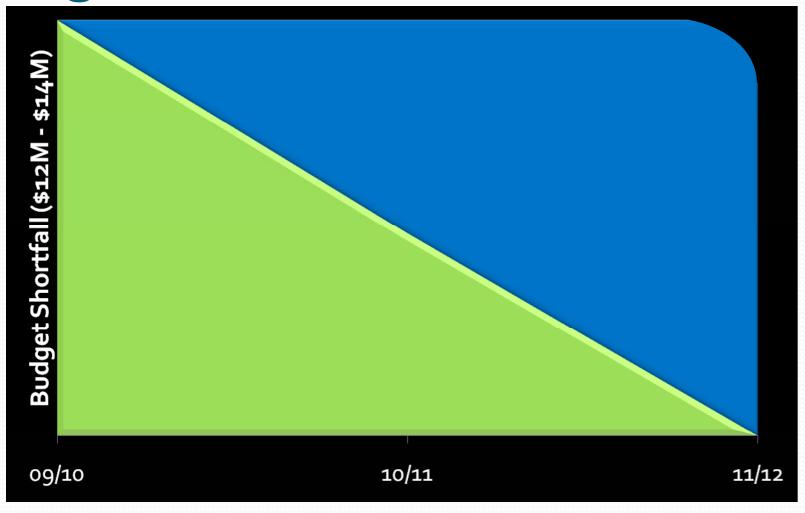
Budget Management

- Increasing revenue
 - Enrollment (including ROCC) \$6000/IS student
 - Summer school
 - Increasing retention
 - Performance Funding
 - Grants, fundraising
- Decreasing expenditure
 - Personnel
 - Operating
 - Cost efficiencies
 - Other

Impact of State Budget on TSU



Budget Shortfall



Performance Funding

- Tennessee Higher Education Commission (THEC) funding program
 - financially rewards exemplary institutional performance on selected measures of effectiveness
 - public colleges and universities can receive up to 5.45% above their annual formula generated appropriations
- TSU anticipates 85 of 100 points in 2009/10 (78 in 08/09, 84 in 2007/08)
- Each point worth about \$25,000

Std	Description	Max	07/08	08/09	09/10
1.A	Student Learning – General Education	15	12	13	13
1.B	Student learning- Major Field Assessment	10	9	9	10
1.C.1	Accreditation – Academic Programs	5	5	5	5
1.C.2	Undergraduate Program Review	5	5	5	5
1.C.3	Graduate Program Review	5	4	4	4
2.A	Satisfaction surveys-studnets, alumni, employers	10	10	8	8 Est.
3.A	Retention	5	4	2	3 Est.
3.B	Persistence to Graduation	5	3	3	3 est
3.C	Student Persistence Planning Initiative	5	5	5	5
4.A	Institutional Strategic Planning	5	5	5	5
4.B	State Strategic Planning	10	7	5	7
4.C	Articulation and Transfer	5	3	3	3 Est.
5.A	Assessment Pilot	5	5	5	5 Est.
5.B	Assessment Implementation	10	7	7	8 Est.
	TOTAL	100	84	78	85 est.

PF 2009-2010 points

Standard	Points	Explanation
1.A. Student Learning - General Education	13/15	Mean score on MAPPS below national average.
1.B. Student Learning - Major Field Assessment	9/10	Average credentialing exam scores low
2.A. Survey of alumni satisfaction	8/10	Lower than national mean on "supportive campus environment" (good scores on academic experience)
3.A. Retention	3/5	Low rate of AA return to TSU or other public inst.
3.B. Persistence to Graduation	3/5	Low graduation rate
4.B. State Strategic Planning	7/10	Did not meet goals in non- traditional enrollment, othe rrace students
4.C. Articulation and Transfer	3/5	Did not meet goals to increase non-traditional enrollment and retention.
5.B. Assessment Implementation	8/10	Assessment implementation.

Community Engagement

Carnegie Community Engagement Classification

 Defines community engagement as "the collaboration between institutions of higher education and their larger communities (local, regional/state, national, global) for the mutually beneficial exchange of knowledge and resources in a context of partnership and reciprocity."

TSU's Commitment to Community Engagement

- TSU Mission Statement
- Academic Master Plan
- TSU Strategic Plan
- Make student learning more relevant to real world issues
- Improve TSU's image in the Nashville community
- Inspire civic responsibility in students, faculty, staff
- Increase retention by providing quality educational experiences
- Recognize areas of strength in our long history of service

Carnegie Self-Study Process

February – September 2010

- Opportunity to post challenging question such as
 - Is TSU an institution that authentically focuses on community engagement?
 - How do we work with our communities in ways that provide rich learning experiences for our students while providing genuine service to the community?
 - What is the evidence, structurally, systemically, and programmatically to support this?"

Value of Self-Study

- Earn Carnegie Classification
- Result in
 - greater awareness of engagement activities, both internally and externally,
 - comprehensive system for tracking those activities, policy revisions to better support engagement, and
 - improvement of the quality and efficiency of our working relationships with communities across the region and world.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Service-Learning Workshops August 23 - 24 Consultant Patti H. Clayton, Ph.D.

Author of more than 60 publications, including the newly released,

Learning through Critical Reflection:
A Tutorial for Service-Learning Students
& accompanying Instructor Version

Faculty eligible to apply for \$1000 SL mini-grants



We are One

4th Annual Community Service Day

Friday, August 27, 2009 8 AM - 2 PM

Gentry Center

GOALS:

- 1. Demonstrate one of our core values by engaging students in meaningful service to the community
- 2. Engage first year students with faculty, staff, and upper division students
- 3. Build positive relationships in the community
- 4. Raise awareness of Tennessee State University's civic engagement mission
- 5. Have fun

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

2010-2011

- Faculty Handbook
- Clinical Faculty
- Developmental Studies Redesign
- Common Articulation Committees
- Implement Prioritizaiton

Academic Affairs Next Steps in Academic Program Prioritization

Principles

- Programs must be productive
- Program should be linked to the university mission and vision
- Faculty are fully engaged in the process
- Timelines are short for report, but longer for program phase out
- Process should be transparent and collaborative
- Careful consideration will be given to student advisement

Principles, cont.

- Careful consideration will be given to faculty/student ratios
- Careful consideration will be given to tenured and tenure track faculty.
- All programs will consider efficient and effective use of resources, including the loss of ARRA and MOE funds in 2012
- Discussions across units, as appropriate, will be held to optimize resources
- Recommendations will be data-informed

Academic Program Prioritization – Follow-Up

- Phase I: Prioritization of Programs by Academic Program Prioritization Task Force
- Phase II: College/School Engagement
- Phase III: Preparation of the Prioritization Operational Program
- Phase IV: Submission of Prioritization
 Optimization Program Report to President and Cabinet

To Achieve

- Recommendations of the Task Force on Academic Program Prioritization
- Better focus on degree options
- Optimal utilization of faculty and other resources
- Strengthening of programs that are mission central
- Reducing the number of programs consistent with the recommendation in the Pappas Report
- Goals in the Academic Master Plan
- Quality/Cost-efficiency
- Reallocation of resources to priority academic programs
- Reduction in the number of low-producing programs

Phase I

- PHASE I: Presentation of Academic Program Prioritization Task Force Report and Beginning the Conversation
- **Responsible:** President Johnson and Dr. Reddy
- Date: August 19, 2010

Phase II

- Deans will engage faculty in school/college to create an action plan for each program based on the Academic Program Prioritization Task Force Report
- Open forums will be held in each unit starting at Faculty/Staff Institute.
- Recommendations
 - Close Program
 - Merge or Consolidate Program
 - Retain the Program with cost efficiencies
- Deadline October 8, 2010

Action Plan for Each Program

- Action: Merger, closure, or cost efficiency
- Action Plan including action steps and timeline
- Number of faculty in program
- Number and titles of non-faculty staff in the program
- Percent of faculty time in program
- Number of faculty and staff reduced if program closed
- Cost savings realized
- Projected enrollment for merged programs
- Individual responsible for action plan and timeline
- Implications for change
- Other information (optional)

Phase III

- Action plans submitted to Prioritization Operational Plan Advisory Group
 - Faculty, staff, students, alumni
- Compile plans into comprehensive plan
- Deadline Submit to VPAA by November 1, 2010

Phase IV

- Submission of report to President and Cabinet
- November 15, 2010

Documents and Resources

- Report of the Academic Program Prioritization Task Force
- THEC Academic Program Review (Low-Producing Programs)
- Complete College Tennessee Act
- Academic Audit/Program Review/Accreditation
- Academic Master Plan
- Pappas Report
- Dickeson RC: Prioritizing Academic Programs and Services. Jossey-Bass, San Francisco, 2010.
- Eckel PD: Decision rules used in academic program closure. JHE 73(2); 237-263; 2002
- Schmid K, Doyle M: Program Prioritization @ISU; Academic Affairs Program Prioritization A2P2 @ WSU: Presentation at SCUP, July 21, 2008.

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