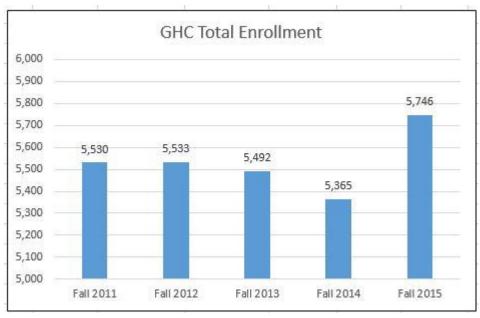
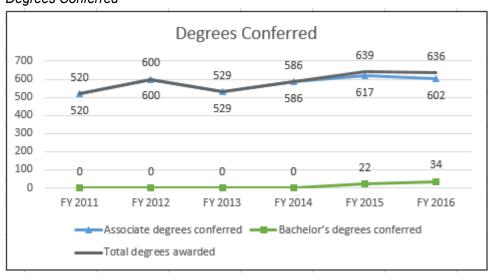
Georgia Highlands College Appendix

Institutional Characteristics



Goal 1. Increase the number of undergraduate degrees awarded by USG institutions

Degrees Conferred

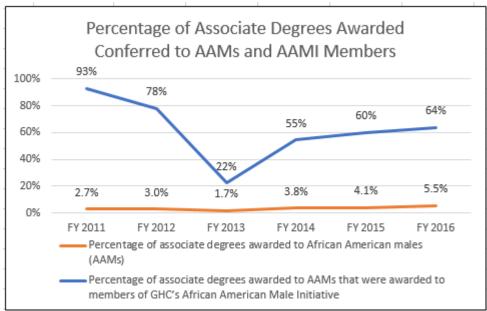


Degrees Conferred Data with Special Focus on African American Male Recipients

Recommended Outcome Metrics, Degre	es FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016
Conferred					
Associate degrees conferred	600	529	586	617	602

Associate degrees awarded to African American males (AAMs)	18	9	22	25	33
Percentage of associate degrees awarded to African American males (AAMs)	3.0%	1.7%	3.8%	4.1%	5.5%
Associate degrees awarded to members of GHC's African American Male Initiative	14	2	12	15	21
Percentage of associate degrees awarded to AAMs that were awarded to members of GHC's	78%	22%	56%	60%	64%
African American Male initiative					
Number of bachelor's degrees conferred	0	0	0	22	34
Number of bachelor's degrees awarded to African American males (AAMs)					1
Number of bachelor's degrees awarded to members of GHC's African American Male Initiative					0
Total degrees conferred	600	529	586	639	636

AAMI Program Degrees Conferred



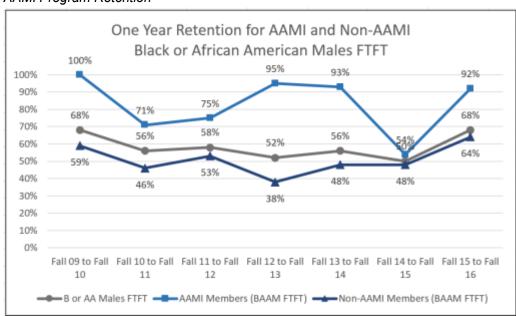
Retention data table

Recommended Progress Metrics	Fall	10	Fall	11	Fall	12	Fall	13	Fall	14	
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	to Fall				
	11	12	13	14	15
One-year retention rates for the institution as a	61%	59%	62%	62%	62%
whole (all first time students) *					
One-year retention for students who begin as	63%	61%	65%	63%	63%
full-time students (FTFT) *					
One-year retention for students who begin as	52%	50%	55%	55%	60%
part-time students (FTPT) *					
One-year retention rates for students entering	61%	58%	59%	60%	61%
on federal financial aid (Pell-eligible)					
One-year retention rates for students entering	60%	55%	59%	57%	63%
in Learning Support					
One-year retention for African American male	54%	58%	52%	56%	50%
(AAM) students (FTFT)					
One-year retention for AAM members of	71%	63%	95%	93%	54%
African American Male Initiative (AAMI) (FTFT)					

^{*} These figures are institution-specific retention as published by USG's department of Research and Policy Analysis.

AAMI Program Retention



^{*} Fall 2015 to Fall 2016 figures are locally generated.

Credit Awarded to Joint Enrolled Students

Recommended Progress Metrics	AY	11-	AY	12-	AY	13-	AY	14-	AY	15-
	12	Fall-	13	Fall-	14	Fall-	15	Fall-	16	Fall-

	Spr	Spr	Spr	Spr	Spr
Number of college credits awarded to dual	1340	1807	1566	2264	3326
enrollment students or joint enrollment students					
in each of the past 5 academic years					

Goal 4. Provide intentional advising to keep students on track to graduate

Use of Degreeworks

Recommended Degreeworks Metrics				
Number of times Degreeworks is used by fac	ulty, advis	ors, and students	Fall 14-	Fall 15-
(track separately) in the academic year.			Spr 15	Spr 16
- Advisors (professional)			11,966	35,403
- Faculty members			3,127	14,454
Total			15,093	49,857

Early Bird Advising

Process Metric					
	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16
Student participation in Early Bird Advising	459	230 *	2521	2766	2251
Total Enrollment at the college (IPEDS 12-	7603	7285	7287	7122	7580
month enrollment figure)					
Percentage of Total Enrollment participating in	6%	3%	35%	39%	30%
EBA					

^{*}The method of counting EBA sessions changed in 2012-13 from faculty reports to Notes made in Degreeworks. All faculty did not start using the notes until 2013-14. Also in 2013-14, a student incentive was added so that participants in EBA could register early for the following term.

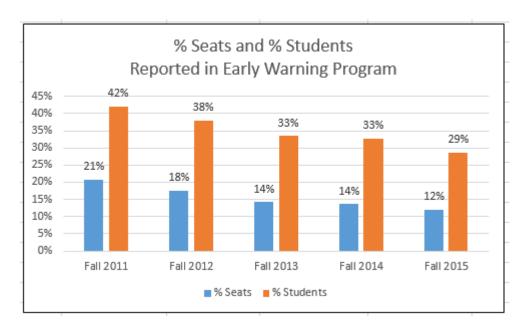
Number and Percent of Early Warning (EWP) Reports of Unsatisfactory Performance (compared with Seats) and Students

Total EWP Reports

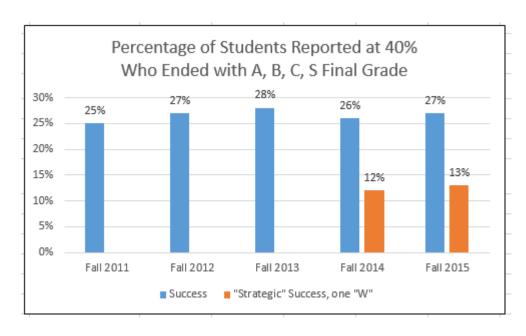
	Reports	Seats Occupied	% Seats
Fall 2011	3685	17754	21%
Fall 2012	3122	17689	18%
Fall 2013	2550	17921	14%
Fall 2014	2395	17547	14%
Fall 2015	2264	18702	12%

Total Students Reported

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	Reported	Total Students	% Students
Fall 2011	2329	5530	42%
Fall 2012	2105	5533	38%
Fall 2013	1836	5493	33%
Fall 2014	1751	5365	33%
Fall 2015	1648	5746	29%



Unsatisfactory EWP reports leading to passing grades



Students Who were Off-Track in Courses

Recommended Outcome Metrics						
					Fall 14	Fall 15
Number and (percentage) of students off-trace	ck in one	or more of	their co	ourses	1751	1648
					(33%)	(29%)
Of the students who were off-track in their	semeste	r course v	vork, n	umber and	1751	1648
(percentage) who received interventions	within o	ne week	of th	e off-track	(100%)	(100%)
notification?						

Goal 5. Award degrees to students who may have already met requirements for associate degrees via courses taken at one or more institutions

Degrees awarded through auto-award or reverse transfer

	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016
Associate degrees awarded through auto-	0	0	44 *	39 *	22 *
award or reverse transfer of credit.					
Total associate degrees awarded	600	529	586	617	602
Percentage of associate degrees conferred that			8%	6%	4%
were awarded via auto-award or reverse					
transfer					

^{*}This figure is a combination of auto-award and reverse transfer.

Goal 7. Increase the likelihood of degree completion by transforming the way that remediation is accomplished

Fall 2014 Cohort

Corequisite placements and success

IPEDS cohort who began classes in Fall 2014,	Combined		Mathematics			
full and part time	English/Reading					
Number of New Freshmen requiring	165		491			
remediation in Fall 2014						
Number and percentage of New Freshmen	53	32%	185 38%		38%	
receiving corequisite remediation in Fall 2014						
			STATS	Path	STEM F	Path
			78		107	
Gateway Success	ENGL 1101		MATH 1001		MATH 1111	
Number and percentage of corequisite students	40	75%	62	79%	64	60%
passing the gateway class in Fall 2014						

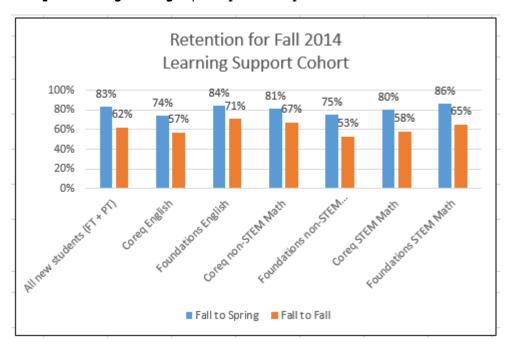
Percentage of non-LS students passing the	80%	77%	70%
gateway class in Fall 2014			

Foundations placement and success

IPEDS cohort who started classes in Fall 2014,	Combined	Mathematics			
full and part time	English/Reading				
Number of New Freshmen requiring	165	491			
remediation in Fall 2014					
Number of New Freshmen receiving	112 (68%)	306 (62%)			
foundations remediation in Fall 2014					
		STATS Path STEM F	STEM Path		
		165 141			
Foundations Success	96 88%	125 76% 113	80%		
Gateway Success	ENGL 0989	MATH 0987 MATH 0	MATH 0989		
Foundations students passing the gateway	70 84%	75 68% 68	72%		
class in Spring 2015					
Percentage of non-LS New Freshmen passing	68%	83% 54%	54%		
the gateway class in Spring 2015					

Retention of Learning Support Students starting classes in Fall 2014

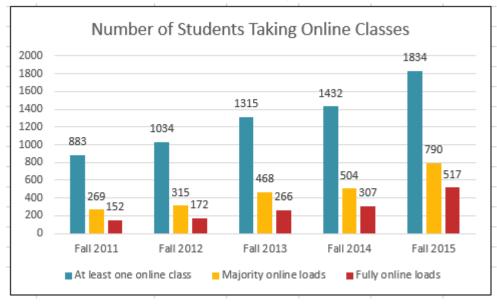
	English		STATS Path		STEM Path	
Fall to Spring						
Overall retention rate for all new students	83%					
Corequisite students retained to Spring 2015	39	74%	63	81%	86	80%
Non-LS students in gateway class retained to	85%		82%		85%	
Spring 2015						
Foundations students retained to Spring 2015	94	84%	123	75%	121	86%
Non-foundations students in gateway class	85%		83%		85%	
retained to Spring 2015						
Fall to Fall						
Overall retention rate for all new students	62%					
Corequisite students retained to Fall 2015	30	57%	52	67%	62	58%
Non-LS students in gateway class retained to	65%		64%		64%	
Fall 2015						
Foundations students retained to Fall 2015	79	71%	88	53%	92	65%
Non-foundations students in gateway class	63%		65%		64%	
retained to Fall 2015						

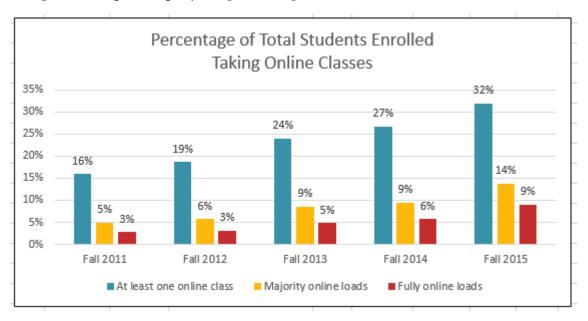


8. Restructure instructional delivery to support educational excellence and student success

Growth of GHC's online offerings fall-to-fall for the past five years

The following graph shows the total numbers of students taking at least one online class and then, from that total, how many are taking majority online loads and fully online loads. Below it, a graph compares the percentage of the total number of enrolled students in each of these categories.





Credits Attempted and Passed in Online vs. Face to Face Classes

The following table shows the number of credits attempted and passed (ABC rate) in online classes and face-to-face classes for the past five fall terms. The pass rate gap is also shown.

	Fall 2011	Fall 2012	Fall 2013	Fall 2014	Fall 2015
F2F	44600	46660	45871	44680	43841
ABC	33050	34506	33598	32941	33667
% ABC	74%	74%	73%	74%	77%
GHC Online	3055	4231	6000	6332	8035
ABC	1947	2759	4038	4174	5669
% ABC	64%	65%	67%	66%	71%
Pass Rate Gap	10%	9%	6%	8%	6%

Credit hours attempted and passed in online and face-to-face classes are graphed below with success rates in each. GHC's volume of credit hours contributed via online classes is growing steadily but growth is not eroding quality, which is increasing as measured by success rates along with volume. Success rates increased substantially in Fall 2015, corresponding to the beginning of our rollout of Quality Matters training at GHC.

