



National Community College
Benchmark Project | Credit & Non-credit

Data from NCCBP 2017 Report: Completions and Transfers



The National Higher Education Benchmarking Institute just announced the release of their 2017 National Community College Benchmark Project reports. The project had 243 community colleges participate in its annual survey.

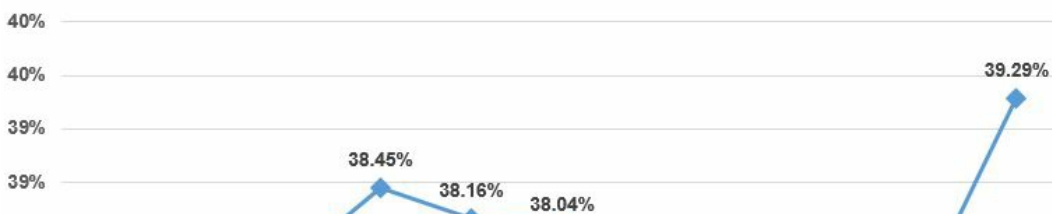
It is good news this year for student success. The data illustrates the percent of the college's full-time, first-time students that graduated, received a certificate or transferred to a four-year college in three years. The median for 2016 was 39.29%, which is the highest in the NCCBP's history. The increase from 2015 means that approximately 1,460 more students graduated, received a certificate, or transferred from NCCBP community colleges in 2016.

With many colleges working on increasing their student success rates, this upward trend is welcome news, showing that the success initiatives are starting to have an impact. Over 28% of the colleges have implemented, or are in the process of implementing, guided pathways. Another initiative over the last few years has been to encourage community college students to graduate "on time", in two years. The success rates for on-time are still low, at 24.95% but have increased since we started measuring them in 2014 (22.78%).

For more information about student success rates please contact the National Higher Education Benchmarking Institute, www.benchmarkinginstitute.org.

Student Success Trends: 2006-2016

Graduations, Certificates and Transfers

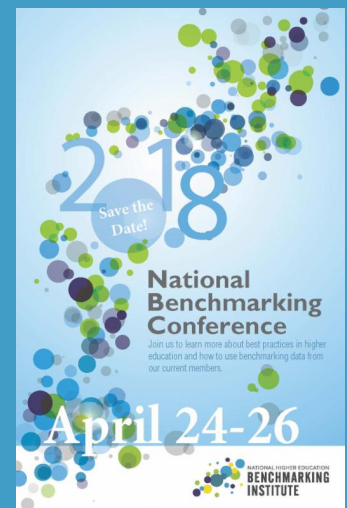


Reports for 2017 **NCCBP** are available.

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We will show you the custom report options -- awesome way to prepare benchmarking reports for your institution.

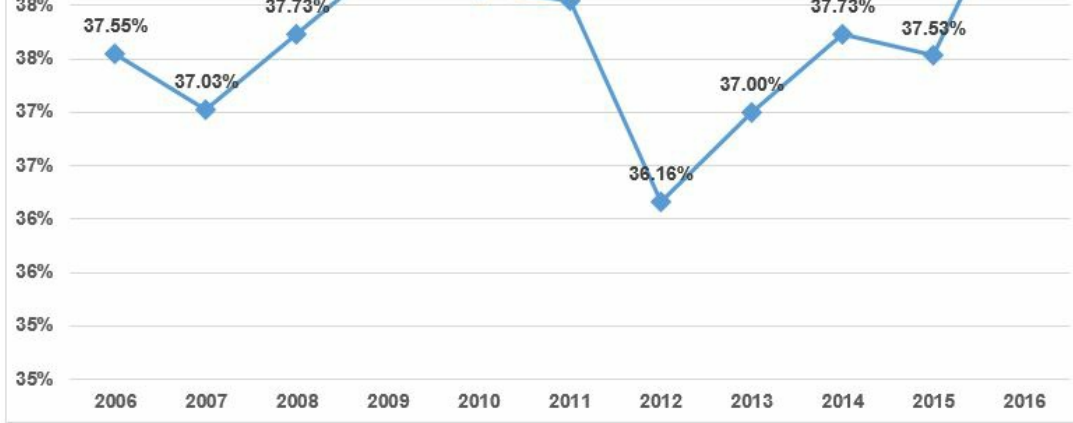
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Save the Date for 2018 National Benchmarking Conference

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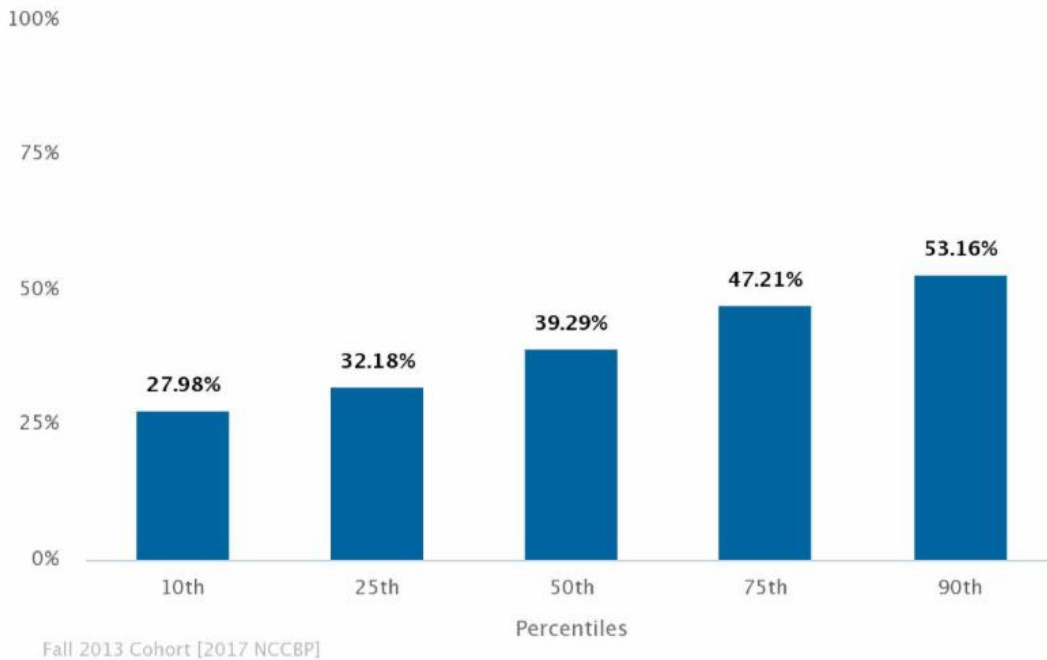
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- Great Networking
- Educational Sessions
- Great "Take Aways"



2018 Keynote Speakers

- Tuesday Stanley, President, Westmoreland Community College
- Martha Kanter, Executive Director, College Promise Campaign, former US Under Secretary of Education
- Mathew Reed, VP for Learning & CAO, Brookdale Community College, Inside Higher Ed. Columnist

% of Full-Time, First-Time Students that Completed OR Transferred in Three Years



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The Benchmarking Institute's Calendar:

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Upcoming Presentations:

- Sept. 10-13 Southern Association Community College Research (SACCR) in Savannah. John Clayton is presenting Use of Benchmarking Data to Evaluate Strategic Initiatives and Telling the Accreditation Story through Benchmarking.
- Oct. 23-25 Association for Continuing Higher Education (ACHE) in Portland, OR. Michelle Taylor is presenting How to Measure Your Continuing Education Programs.
- Nov. 2-4 Missouri Community College Association Annual Convention, Branson, MO. NHEBI has submitted a proposal.
- Nov. 9-11 MidAIR Conference, Kansas City, MO. Both Michelle and Lou have submitted

proposals.

- **In 2018** look for us at HLC, Innovations Conference, AACC and AIR as well as some regional AIR conferences.



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