

TENNESSEE TRANSFER PATHWAYS

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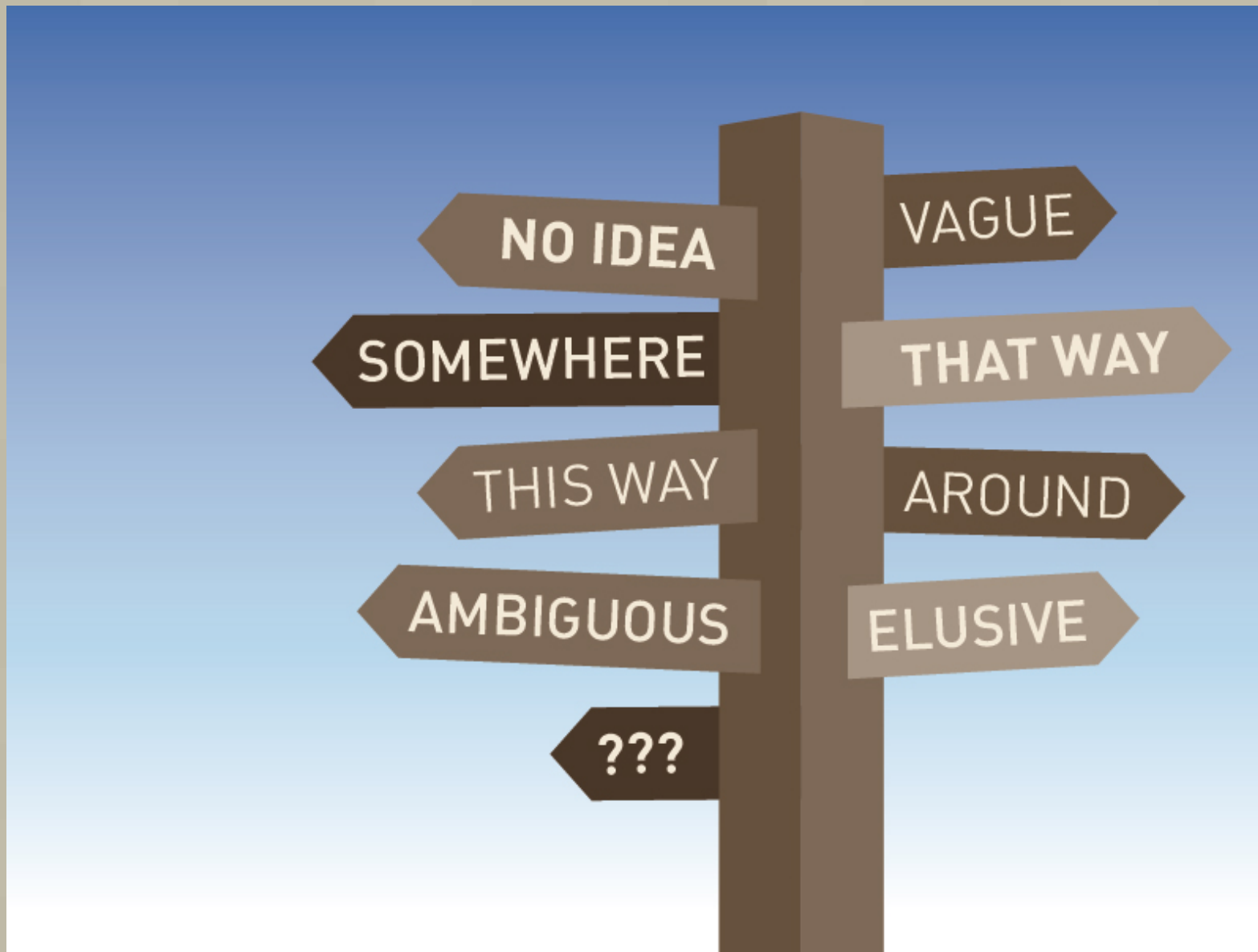




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TTP Origins

COMPLETE COLLEGE TENNESSEE ACT OF 2010

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-7-202

(e)(1) The commission shall develop a university tract program within the University of Tennessee and the Tennessee board of regents systems consisting of sixty (60) hours of instruction that can be transferred and applied toward the requirements for a bachelor's degree at the public universities.

The tract shall consist of forty-one (41) hours of general education courses instruction and nineteen (19) hours of pre-major courses instruction, or elective courses instruction that count toward a Major...Courses in the university tract program shall transfer and apply toward the requirements for graduation with a bachelor's degree at all public universities.



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COMPLETE COLLEGE TENNESSEE ACT OF 2010

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-7-202 (e) (2)

It is the legislative intent that community college students who wish to earn baccalaureate degrees in the state's public higher education system be provided with clear and effective information and directions that specify curricular paths to a degree.



TTP Promise

TENNESSEE TRANSFER PATHWAY

A student who completes all the courses listed for the selected major of a Transfer Pathway will be able to earn an A.A. or A.S. degree from the community college. Whenever the student transfers to a Tennessee public or private college/university, the transcript will certify that the pathway has been followed.

The student is guaranteed that all the community college courses taken will be accepted at the college/university and the courses will count toward completion of the particular major. If a community college student transfers to another Tennessee community college, he or she is guaranteed that all courses transfer.



TTP Initial Outcomes

RESULTS: 2013

Development of 36 transfer pathways in the most frequently awarded Baccalaureate majors

And...



TTP Initial Outcomes

TENNESSEE TRANSFER PATHWAY WEBSITE

<http://www.tntransferpathway.org/>

And...



TTP Initial Outcomes

RESULTS: 2013

Formation of a statewide *Articulation and Transfer Council*

Members include representatives from

- THEC
- TBR
- UT
- TICUA
- Legislature
- Boards
- Faculty



TTP Act II

HB 2246/SB 2362 passed April 7, 2014

Amends the Complete College Tennessee Act:

This bill directs THEC to require the UT and TBR two systems to collaborate and develop a transfer pathway for at least the **50** undergraduate majors for which the demand from students is the highest and those fields of study for which the development of a transfer pathway is feasible based on the nature of such field.



TTP Act II Outcomes

RESULTS: 2015

Development of 16 additional transfer pathways in the next most frequently awarded Baccalaureate majors for which a pathway was deemed feasible.



New TTP Developed in 2014 - 2015

- Allied Health Sciences
 - Imaging Sciences
 - Pre-Dental Hygiene
 - Pre-Clinical Laboratory Sciences
- Anthropology
- Engineering Technology
- Family & Consumer Sciences
- Finance
- Geosciences
- International Affairs
- Management
- Marketing
- Nutrition & Food Science
- Philosophy
- Physical Education
- Special Education
- Sport & Leisure Management



TTP Development Process

- Identify Baccalaureate major for prospective TTP
- Identify TBR and UT universities that offer that degree major
- Invite representatives from those institutions and from any community college with interest and appropriate course offerings to offer that TTP*
- Meet fact-to-face



TTP Development Process

Discuss and decide upon the 60 credit hour degree pathway course requirements for the AA, AS, AFA and/or AST degree that will transfer completely into the major at all TBR and UT universities.

- General Education electives,
- Area of Emphasis (major) course requirements
- General electives (if any)

Then, develop a four semester sequence for the TTP to be followed in the first and second year at the community college.



TTP Development Process

1. Submit Curriculum and Curricular Maps to all public universities and community colleges for campus-specific discernment
2. Accept and acknowledge an institution's affirmation of offering/accepting a TTP
3. Publish that TTP with list of "Who Offers This Pathway?" and "Who Accepts This Pathway?" on the TTP website



Proposed New TTP: 2016 - 2017

- **Art AFA – BFA**
- **Elementary Education AST**
- **Secondary Education – English AST**
- **Public Health***



Revisiting & Revising Existing TTP

FIVE YEAR CYCLE OF FORMAL REVIEW OF EVERY TTP

- 2015 – 16: Business-related TTP
- 2016 – 17: STEM & Agriculture
- 2017 – 18: Social Sciences & Education
- 2018 – 19: Arts & Humanities
- 2019 – 20: Health-related TTP



Revisiting & Revising Existing TTP

ANYTIME REVIEW AND REVISION OF A SPECIFIC TTP

- 2015 – 16: Psychology
 - Concerns expressed about two General Education requirements for the Psychology TTP.
 - Faculty advisory group convened and amended the TTP to require Introduction to Psychology as a Social/Behavioral Sciences General Education Elective and allow for non-majors Biology to satisfy the Natural Sciences General Education elective along with majors Biology



Exploring New TTP: 2017 - 2018

- **Theatre AFA – BFA**
- **Secondary Education – History**
- **Secondary Education – Mathematics**
- **Child Development and Family Relations**



Continuous Improvement...

- Participation of TICUA institutions in Education TTP meeting – June 2016
- Increased participation by TICUA institutions in TTP activities going forward...





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