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RE: 2022-23 Four-Year Transfer Numbers

Overview

The 2022-23 transfer data, identified from the California State University Chancellor's Office, University of California Office of the President, and California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office, are analyzed to present a report about the transfer rate and patterns to the CSU and UC systems as well as to in-state private and out-of-state institutions.

- The number of transfers to the in-state public system, CSUs and UCs, decreased by 24% between 2021-22 and 2022-23. Transfers to the CSU system decreased by 20%, while transfers to the UC system decreased by 28%.
- The decline in transfers to the UC system between 2021-22 and 2022-23 was due to a decline in the number of applicants (760 vs. 520). While there was an increase in the acceptance rate to UC for Foothill applicants between these years (75% vs. 81%), the decline in applicants led to an overall 28% decline in transfers.
- The number of transfers to in-state private and out-of-state institutions decreased by 32% between 2021-22 and 2022-23 (ISP: -51%; OoS: -26%). This continues a general trend of decreasing transfer to these institutions over the past five years.
- The largest number of transfers to the CSU system¹ For CSU, the percents were 35% Latinx, 22% White, and 36% Asian, while for UC the percents were 15% Latinx, 25% White, and 36% Asian.
 - Compared to its eight neighboring community colleges, in 2022-23 Foothill had the highest total number of students transferred to the CSUs and the UC system (652). De Anza (2,279) and Evergreen Valley College(655).

¹ Includes Filipinx transfers.



Table 3. Foothill College California State University Transfer Students by Ethnicity, 2018-19 to 2022-23.

Ethnicity	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	% Change 2021-22 to 2022-23	% of Total Transfers 2022-23
African American	12	15	15	22	11	-50%	3%
American Indian							

In 2022-23, Foothill's neighboring institutions sent the majority of their transfer students to the same CSU destinations as Foothill's top destinations, San Jose State and San Francisco State. The top UC destinations from neighboring institutions were predominantly UC Berkeley and UC Davis; UC Santa Cruz, UC San Diego, and UCLA were also popular destinations. Foothill and De Anza together transferred over 1,600 students to the CSU system and over 1,200 students to the UC system in 2022-23.

Table 9. Foothill College Top 2 In-State Private Transfers 5-Year Trend, 2018-19 to 2022-23.

Institution	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	% Change 2021-22 and 2022-23
Santa Clara University	9	1	6	6	3	-50%
University Of San Francisco	2	4	3	2	3	50%
Total	11	5	9	8	6	-25%

Source: CCCC Data Mart. Numbers reflect most recent data available.

Table 10 lists the top three out-of-state universities and colleges enrolling the highest number of Foothill transfers in 2022-23. Among these three institutions, the number of transfers decreased by 21% (-6 students) between 2021-22 and 2022-23. These three institutions were also the top three out-of-state transfer destinations in 2021-22. Transfers slightly increased for Western Governors University between 2021-22 and 2022-23 (+1 student, +14%), while they declined for Arizona State University (-4 students, -33%) and Southern New Hampshire University (-3 students, -33%).

Table 10. Foothill College Top 3 Out-of-State Transfers 5-Year Trend, 2018-19 to 2022-23.

Institution	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	% Change 2021-22 and 2022-23
Arizona State University	12	13	9	12	8	-33%
Western Governors University	6	6	4	7	8	14%
Southern New Hampshire University	3	7	10	9	6	-33%
Total	21	26	23	28	22	-21%

Source: CCCC Data Mart. Numbers reflect most recent data available.

Methodology

The transfer rates reported are for the full academic year.

Sources

CSU Chancellor's Office (CSU Analytics)

UC Office of the President (UC Infocenter)

CCCCO Data Mart, Transfer Volume to In-State Private and Out-of-State Baccalaureate Granting Institutions Report