

Faculty Student Mentor Program (FSMP)

Who we are

The program is designed to provide traditionally low-income students with the academic support and encouragement needed to accomplish their educational goals.

Demographics of Students for AY 18-19 (N=2711)

Gender

59% of them are female.

41% of them are male.

Ethnicity

38% were Asian.

32% were White.

16% were Hispanic/Latin0.

14% were Other.

Class Level

32.8% were freshmen.

20.7% were sophomores.

43.7% were juniors.

2.8% were seniors.

Age

Average age: 21 years old

Ranging from 17 to 69 years of age

Primary College

22% from Health and Human Services.

17% from Engineering and Computer Science.

17% from Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Studies.

14% from Arts and Letters.

12% from Business Administration.

12% from Natural Sciences and Mathematics.



6% from Education

Note: This academic year, FSMP focused on Non-URM low-income students.

Key Performance Indicators

Fall 2018 (n=2711)

Average Term GPA was 2.91.

Average Unit Load was 13.49.

90% of students were full-time.

45% of students were enrolled with 15 units or more.

91% of students were in good academic standing.

94% of students persisted to Spring 2019.

Spring 2019 (n=2560)

Average Term GPA was 2.88.

Average Unit Load was 13.57.

90% of students were full-time.

42% of students were enrolled with 15 units or more.

92% of students were in good academic standing.

88% of students persisted to Fall 2019.

- 65% of students met the English 20 requirement.
- 17% of students met the Writing Intensive requirement.
- 7% of students applied to graduate.
- 2% of students are graduating seniors.

Benefits

- Have the opportunity to meet new and continuing students with similar academic, cultural, and social interests
- Have a collaborative relationship with a faculty mentor within the discipline of choice;
- Gain support for academic pursuits and personal development
- Get assistance to improve academic skills such as writing, note-taking, time management, and stress management skills
- Receive assistance with course selections, majors and referrals to major advisors;
- Offer peer-to-peer advising, mentoring, or tutoring

Specific College Services

- College of Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Studies
 - Opportunity to enroll in a mentoring class
- College of Education
 - Assists with test preparation (TEAS, CBEST, CSET, WPJ)

- Provides teacher credentials program overview, and prerequisites, and assist in application process
- College of Natural Science and Mathematics
 - Offers assistant through the Science Educational Equity (SEE) program
 - Provides workshop through the Commit to Study program
- College of Engineering and Computer Science
 - Provides tutoring, professional development seminars and career services

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