

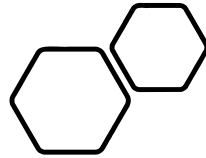
The Future of myUK GPS (Graduation Planning System)

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What is myUK GPS? Graduation Planning System

- A series of tools within the myUK Portal which allows students and advisors the ability to plan, register, and follow progress toward degree.
- Allows us to capture large and valuable amounts of data and display it for retention purposes.
- Data is used from the degree audit to confer degrees which has greatly enhanced our timing to get diplomas into the hands of students.



Now that we have successfully built out Degree Audit/Registration/Degree Planning tools for Undergraduates, Graduates, and Professional schools; what's next?

Utilizing myUK GPS (Graduation Planning System) to increase retention and shorten time to graduation for our undergraduates.

This project allows us to use data that we have available in new ways to impact retention. We will do this in 3 phases.

Phase 1 Enhancements

1. Develop a process that allows all undergraduate students to know their current percentage of completion toward their degree. (Enhanced reporting system will be needed to identify who is on and off track)
2. Build an Academic Progress Gauge on the Degree Audit
3. Identify the Expected Academic Progress percentages for each class. Compare the Actual Academic Progress (AAP) for each student to the Expected Academic Progress (EAP)

Phase 2 Enhancements

Implement a process in which Priority Registration for currently enrolled students is determined by the following criteria:

Percentage of completion toward degree (Actual Academic Progress)

Phase 3 Enhancements

Implement a process based upon coursework/hours a student has completed to develop logic within myUK GPS to have the system identify majors (up to 3) in which a student may have a higher percentage toward degree completion.

Benefits of Degree Completion % Project

- Allows us an outreach opportunity that we have not previously had.
- Holds Students more accountable in meeting degree requirements.
- Holds departments/colleges more accountable for the success of their students.
- Greater opportunity to increase time to graduation.
- Greater opportunity to identify majors that slow down student progression over time.
- Opportunity to increase Course Planning for more than one semester, which could impact when courses are offered.
- Greater opportunity to send nudges to students to encourage time to degree completion to include summer school, part of term courses, and winter intersession courses.
- Opportunity to assist students in finding alternative majors which will likely lead to quicker degree completion.

Timeline for Implementation

For Fall 2021

1. Percentage of degree completion built within myUK GPS for each undergraduate major.
2. Finalize Expected Academic Progress (EAP) Rates for Fr. And Transfer students
3. Create a Communication Plan for Students and Advisors



Questions or Comments

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