Advising with Transferology Chat
October 22, 2020 1-2pm

October 22, 2020 12:46 PM from Tracy M. to everyone: can't hear you...gotta adjust settings

October 22, 2020 12:54 PM from Mollie Stolbov to everyone: Hello!

October 22, 2020 12:54 PM from Rianna Bailey she/her/hers to everyone: Ok!

October 22, 2020 12:54 PM from Mollie Stolbov to everyone: I think it was Tracy

October 22, 2020 12:57 PM from Megan Grill to everyone: Welcome to the behind the scenes everyone! We'll get started closer to 1

October 22, 2020 12:57 PM from Megan Grill to everyone: You will enter this space muted, and we also ask that you leave video off to preserve bandwidth.

October 22, 2020 1:01 PM from Megan Grill to everyone: Welcome everyone! thanks for joining us, we'll get started shortly. Please leave mics muted and videos off during this training. We'll be monitoring the chat for questions

October 22, 2020 1:03 PM from Emily Dickmann to everyone: Thank you for being here with us!

October 22, 2020 1:03 PM from Megan Grill to everyone: Thanks for inviting me.

October 22, 2020 1:03 PM from Megan Grill to everyone: *here
October 22, 2020     1:07 PM     from Megan Grill to everyone: Feel free to ask questions in the chat. We'll be monitoring and will ask the presenters when they are done with the presentation.

October 22, 2020     1:07 PM     from AMY BETZELBERGER to everyone: Whats a "rule"?

October 22, 2020     1:08 PM     from Katy France to everyone: Amy, I was writing the same question, lol! Great minds...

October 22, 2020     1:08 PM     from Jessica Regan to everyone: Is transfer credit information 'guaranteed', similar to the previous TIS Commitment statement?

October 22, 2020     1:08 PM     from AMY BETZELBERGER to everyone: :D

October 22, 2020     1:09 PM     from Mollie Stolbov to everyone: Should we always use the "lab" version? I was always going to just transferlogy.com and signing in.

October 22, 2020     1:09 PM     to Emily Dickmann (privately): Here's a google doc to manage the chat questions
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1jJL1d0YaySHtvaLGvukDZGq8QhFL4NLrsYh114v5co/edit?usp=sharing

October 22, 2020     1:10 PM     from Scott Golueke to everyone: @Mollie - As a UW Staff member, we strongly encourage you to use Transferology Lab.

October 22, 2020     1:11 PM     from Mollie Stolbov to everyone: @scott - ok thank you! I'll bookmark that one instead!

October 22, 2020     1:13 PM     from Mollie Stolbov to everyone: This lab version is way easier to use and understand too!

October 22, 2020     1:14 PM     from Steffie Halverson to everyone: If the transfer course says (at least 3 hours) can we assume it will transfer back as 3 credits?
October 22, 2020     1:14 PM     from Scott Golueke to everyone:   @jessica - Unlike TIS, the information in Transferology is not an absolute guarantee. However, these are the course equivalent rules that CES uses when posting transfer credit to student records.

October 22, 2020     1:15 PM     from AMY BETZELBERGER to everyone:   So, how much confidence should we give a student when telling a student x shows up as y in Transferology?

October 22, 2020     1:16 PM     from AMY BETZELBERGER to everyone:   They don't want to pay money and take a class and then have it be for naught

October 22, 2020     1:17 PM     from KELLY HIGGINS (privately):   Hi Megan - The screen is hard to see. Not sure if it’s a problem for others. If so, could it be zoomed in?

October 22, 2020     1:18 PM     from Stacy Harnett to everyone:   If a student wanted a guarantee could they submit it through the Course Equivalency Service?

October 22, 2020     1:18 PM     to KELLY HIGGINS (privately):   Thanks for letting me know Kelly, I can see it okay, and I hope it is okay for most. Let me see if I can find a way for you to increase the size

October 22, 2020     1:19 PM     to KELLY HIGGINS (privately):   If you're using a PC you can hold CTRL and + to Zoom in. CTRL and - to zoom out

October 22, 2020     1:19 PM     from Scott Golueke to everyone:   @Mollie - Yes, credits taken will equal credits earned as long as the credits are semester hour as opposed to quarter or trimester.

October 22, 2020     1:19 PM     to KELLY HIGGINS (privately):   If you're using a mac, let me know and I'll see what the trick is for zooming in

October 22, 2020     1:20 PM     from KELLY HIGGINS (privately):   Thanks! I was trying to help a friend. I'm on my phone.
October 22, 2020 1:21 PM to KELLY HIGGINS (privately): got ya. feel free to tell them to chat with me. We are recording, so hopefully anything they miss will be available in the recording. I can also ask about sending out the presentation slides after the training

October 22, 2020 1:21 PM from KELLY HIGGINS (privately): Awesome, thank you!

October 22, 2020 1:22 PM from Scott Golueke to everyone: @Amy - That is a great question about the level of confidence level in encouraging students to use this tool for course planning. It would be rare that we would not honor an equivalent in Transferology. We can chat more about this in the Q&A portion at the end of the presentation.

October 22, 2020 1:24 PM from Alicia! to everyone: "Up to 3 hours"... would that come here as 3 credits/hours for sure, or what should we say if a student asks? :)

October 22, 2020 1:28 PM from Kendra Gurnee to everyone: this is a super cool feature!

October 22, 2020 1:29 PM from India Viola to everyone: Is this showing the term that the course is/will be offered?

October 22, 2020 1:29 PM from Katie Seibel to everyone: Can you use this option to search for a course that satisfies Comm A?

October 22, 2020 1:30 PM from Sarah Golla to everyone: Is there a way to search for online classes

October 22, 2020 1:31 PM from Scott Golueke to everyone: @Sarah - Modality of a course is not in the Transferology system

October 22, 2020 1:31 PM from Mollie Stolbov to everyone: You can use "all locations" to get more too. Maybe that would help to find online options in a non-COVID year
October 22, 2020     1:31 PM     from Sarah Golla to everyone:     thanks

October 22, 2020     1:33 PM     from Jack Champeau to everyone:     Mid-State has a campus in Marshfield, so be weary of the mileage away

October 22, 2020     1:33 PM     from Kendra Gurnee to everyone:     Can students do these same searches on the non-Lab side?

October 22, 2020     1:34 PM     from Scott Golueke to everyone:     @Katie - Only direct equivalents can be looked up in the Replacement Courses feature. Most Comm A equivalents are equated to ENGL X04. We've requested the developers at CollegeSource to enhance this feature.

October 22, 2020     1:35 PM     from Alyssa Watts to everyone:     Yes! :)

October 22, 2020     1:35 PM     from Matthew Mauk to everyone:     Yes

October 22, 2020     1:35 PM     from Katie Seibel to everyone:     Thanks Scott,, that would be great!

October 22, 2020     1:36 PM     from Kendra Gurnee to everyone:     Interesting. so what would be the benefit/preference for use to use labs, when the student view is different/we aren't able to show them what to do?

October 22, 2020     1:36 PM     from AMY BETZELBERGER to everyone:     Would be cool if we had a "Buckingham C Badger" student account to play with

October 22, 2020     1:37 PM     from Alicia! to everyone:     Agreed, Amy!

October 22, 2020     1:37 PM     from Mollie Stolbov to everyone:     I accidently created an account on the regular transferology - so you can do that too I think

October 22, 2020     1:38 PM     from Sarah Golla to everyone:     good question, Kendra
At TTP, Tracy- when you meet with prospective students, do you help them use Transferology to look at how the courses they've taken & are taking will transfer in?

Is there a tutorial on Admissions/RO for students to use as a guide for "their side" of Transferology?

+1 for Alicia's comment - a video walk through and screenshots would be helpful for students.

Tip that you can zoom in using the left hand side zoom buttons.

Will there still be a time of year/portal for students to submit classes they're thinking of taking (e.g., for Summer) at institutions that are not in the database?

Will this chat be available to view, along with the presentation recording? (my internet has been cutting out periodically)

@Alicia - There are videos for students on how to use Transferology.com at the bottom of the Transferology.com website.

@Sarah, Yes we'll share the recording and the chat after the training. It will be posted on the OUA website here: https://advising.wisc.edu/facstaff/working-remotely/

@Scott, thank you! I will have to link students to the transferology page as I can see them getting a bit confused (or mad) :)
October 22, 2020     1:51 PM     from Sarah Golla to everyone:   Thank you!

October 22, 2020     1:51 PM     from Nikki Witt Penwell to everyone:   Has CES received feedback/questions from students about ease of use of transferology?

October 22, 2020     1:54 PM     from Margo Ptacek to everyone:   @Nikki, we have received very little feedback from students so far. We appreciate everyone who filled out the survey prior to today's session and shared any feedback they received from students.

October 22, 2020     1:54 PM     from Alicia! to everyone:   Does the online tutorial on Transferology inform students of the "prep work" they may have to do in advance to take full advantage of Transferology?

October 22, 2020     1:55 PM     from Heather Danielson to everyone:   I have a student at Madison College who plans on transferring this spring, who really appreciated the guide that TTP developed this summer.

October 22, 2020     1:56 PM     from Sarah Golla to everyone:   What is the guide that TTP developed that you're referring to?

October 22, 2020     1:56 PM     from Tracy M. to everyone:   I forgot to mention this in my presentation, but TTP has created an informational guide for students to use when looking up our equivalents on Transferology. I don't yet have a go.wisc. link for this, but I can create one and send it out to folks, or feel free to bitly it when you send it out to students: https://transfer.wisc.edu/wp-content/uploads/sites/171/2020/08/FINAL-A-guide-to-understanding-transfer-evaluations.pdf

October 22, 2020     1:57 PM     from Sarah Golla to everyone:   Oh wow, great

October 22, 2020     1:57 PM     from Alicia! to everyone:   Yes, thank you Tracy!

October 22, 2020     1:58 PM     from Charles Schleicher to everyone:   Any kind of timetable for universities outside Wisconsin joining Transferology?
October 22, 2020     1:58 PM     from Heather Danielson to everyone: That's the one! Thank you so much, Tracy and TTP for developing this. It is going to be really important for our UW-Madison Online students. Thanks so much!

October 22, 2020     1:58 PM     from Tracy M. to everyone:

https://go.wisc.edu/transferologyinfo - shortened link

October 22, 2020     1:59 PM     from Erica Haas-Gallo to everyone: Are there disclaimers on Transferology or on UW pages that may link to Transferology that the transfers are not guaranteed?

October 22, 2020     1:59 PM     from Mollie Stolbov to everyone: Thank you for this training! It was very helpful!

October 22, 2020     2:00 PM     from Megan Grill to everyone: feel free to unmute to ask any other questions we haven't answered

October 22, 2020     2:00 PM     from Emily Dickmann to everyone: thanks for asking that, Kendra

October 22, 2020     2:00 PM     from Emily Chaltry to everyone: Could you explain how we should direct students to submit a credit evaluation in addition to transferology?

October 22, 2020     2:01 PM     from Jessica Regan to everyone: Could you say more about upcoming opportunities to use the Course Equivalency Service for students to get guaranteed equivs?

October 22, 2020     2:04 PM     from AMY BETZELBERGER to everyone: To avoid "tanking our recruitment stats", would it help to have a "Buckingham C Badger" student account for advisors to play with?

October 22, 2020     2:07 PM     from Sarah Golla to everyone: do you have a link to where courses for Winter term can be submitted
https://www.admissions.wisc.edu/ces/ Course Equivalency Service

Potential transfer students often want us to review transcripts and give a guarantee on transferability which determines whether they will even apply. They feel this is our responsibility to provide this info. What’s the best link to send them to?

And thanks to everyone for attending.