

Transfer Mentor Program

Mentee Application

PROGRAM INFORMATION:

The Santa Ana College University Transfer Center has created the *Transfer Mentor Program* to promote peer collaboration and learning among Santa Ana College transfer students. The program aims to facilitate navigation of the transfer process and promote the retention of transfer students at universities. Other benefits include networking, personal growth, interpersonal skills and an attractive resume.

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS:

- Attend mandatory orientation
- Participate in all program activities
- Apply for Fall 2013 admissions
- Meet with mentor for 10 hours per semester (fall and spring)
- Maintain good academic standing and make timely progress towards transferring
- Apply for financial aid or scholarships as applicable
- Meet with designated university representatives
- Update Educational Plan each semester

SELECTION CRITERIA:

- Current SAC student eligible to transfer Fall 2013
- Planning to transfer to CSUF, CSULB, Cal Poly Pomona, CSUDH, or UCI
- Minimum 2.5 transferable G.P.A
- Demonstrate financial need
- AB540 students are welcome to apply
- Have an updated Educational Plan

The priority deadline application is Friday, September 14, 2012.

Turn in your application at the University Transfer Center in S-110.

If accepted into the program participants are expected to attend a mandatory orientation on Friday, October 5, 2012

*For more information visit the Transfer Mentor Program webpage at,

http://sac.edu/students/counseling/transfer_center/PDF%20documents/TMP/transfer_mentor.htm

or contact Mark Franco franco_mark@sac.edu in the University Transfer Center S-110 (714) 564-6165

Mentee Application

Date:	Name:	Date of Birth:		
Gender: Female / Male	Social Security # or Tax Payer I.D #:	Student Number:		
Address:	City / State:	Zip Code:		
Cell Phone:	Home Phone:	E-Mail:		
Residency (circle one):	AB540	Permanent Resident	US Citizen	F1 Visa
Do you work? Yes / No	If yes, how many hours?	Are you first generation college student? Yes / No	Ethnicity (e.g., Latino, Asian...):	

Are you now or have you ever worked for Rancho Santiago District (SAC or SCC)? **If yes, When?**

****NOTE:** If you become employed by RSCCD at any time during the program you may become ineligible for the stipend.

Major:	Expected Transfer Term/Yr:	Career Goal:	
List hobbies and or programs/clubs/organizations you are involved in:			
List your top three transfer Institutions:	1.	2.	3.

Financial Information:

Family Annual Income for 2011: \$ _____	Number of family members: _____	Independent / Dependent
Are you eligible for financial assistance (FAFSA, Fee Waiver, EOPS, etc...)?	Yes / No	

In order to be considered, please submit the following materials with the application

1. A copy of your current six-semester educational plan
2. Confidential recommendation form (see attachment)
3. A copy of your unofficial transcript
4. Briefly respond to the following questions in 1-2 pages (typed, double-spaced)
 1. What do you hope to gain from participating in this program?
 2. What are your transfer and career goals?
 3. What are your sources of funding for college (i.e. work, grants scholarships)? Describe any unmet needs or expenses.

I certify that the above information is correct and understand that I may be asked to provide supporting documentation including tax returns.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:

Application Complete:	Pending documents:	Recom. Letter:
G.P.A. :	Units:	Residency:
Accepted:	Orientation:	Mentor:
Additional Notes:		

Confidential Recommendation Form

Provide this form to someone who is familiar with your qualifications. Once completed, have the recommender seal it in an envelope and sign across the flap.

_____ is applying for the Transfer Mentor Program. If selected he/she would be mentored by a
Applicant's Name
 University student and required to complete several activities related to the transfer process.

Recommender's Name: _____ Title: _____

How long have you known the applicant? _____ In what capacity have you known the applicant? _____

Category	Rate the Applicant (circle one)					Not Observed	Comments
	1-Poor	2-Below average	3-Average	4-Above average	5-Excellent		
Professional competence (responsible, punctual etc..)	1	2	3	4	5	Not Observed	
Ability to conceptualize, organize, and communicate ideas:	1	2	3	4	5	Not Observed	
Ability to establish / maintain relationships with others:	1	2	3	4	5	Not Observed	
Leadership Skills:	1	2	3	4	5	Not Observed	
Resourcefulness:	1	2	3	4	5	Not Observed	
Communication Skills:	1	2	3	4	5	Not Observed	
Initiative:	1	2	3	4	5	Not Observed	

Additional comments/concerns:

Overall Recommendation (check one):

- I highly recommend the applicant
- I recommend the applicant
- I recommend the applicant with some reservation. For the following reason(s):

- I do not recommend the applicant

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Contact Number: _____ E-Mail: _____