



A Progress Report and Roadmap

Presentation for the University of Arkansas System Board of Trustees
October 17, 2014

eVersity Staff

INTRODUCTIONS

eVersity Mission

The Mission of the University of Arkansas System eVersity is to provide high-quality, accessible, affordable, online education relevant to the modern workplace. Faculty from across the University of Arkansas System will develop and deliver rigorous certificate and degree programs that utilize rich data analytics to enhance student success and achievement. The system online university is committed to continual improvement of the craft of teaching through practice and scholarship and to serving our public communities by providing timely, interesting and useful educational material.



Guiding Principles

- Add Value
- Leverage System Resources
- Rethink Everything
- Data Driven Learning and Support System
- Design Matters

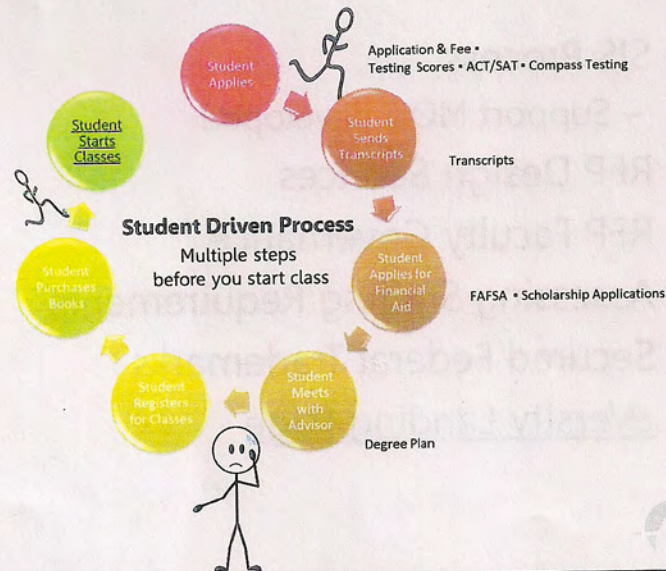


Accomplishments

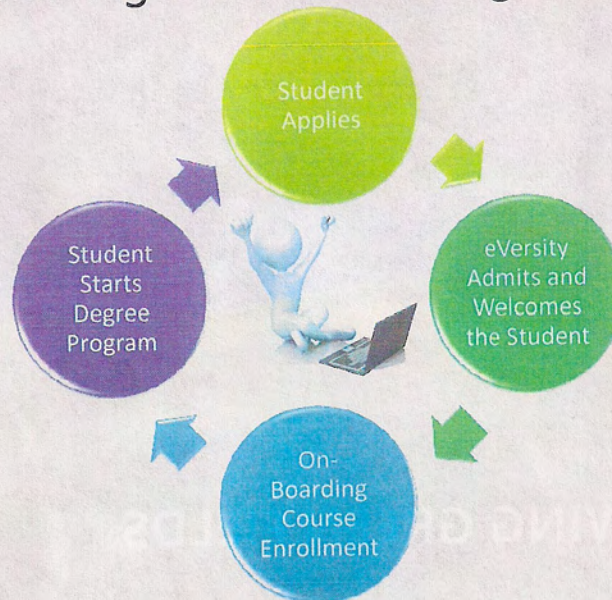
- SIS Process
 - Support MOU developed
- RFP Design Services
- RFP Faculty Governance
- Assessing Staffing Requirements
- Secured Federal Trademarks
- [eVersity Landing Page](#)



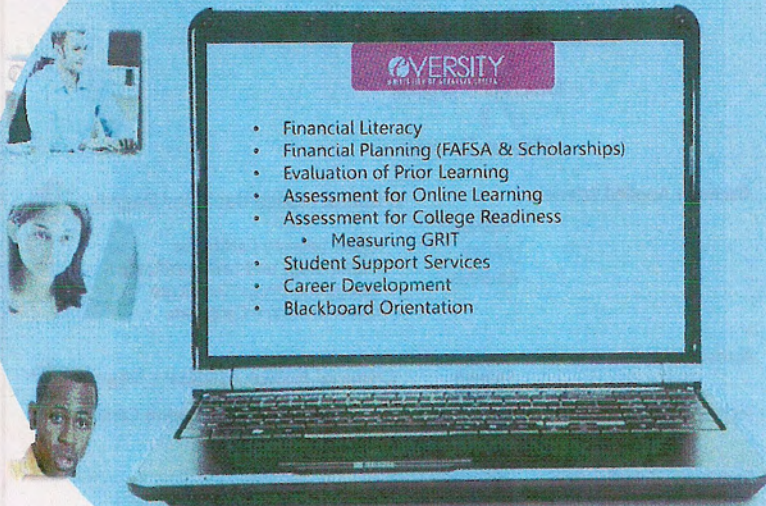
Traditional On Boarding Process



Rethinking the On-Boarding Process

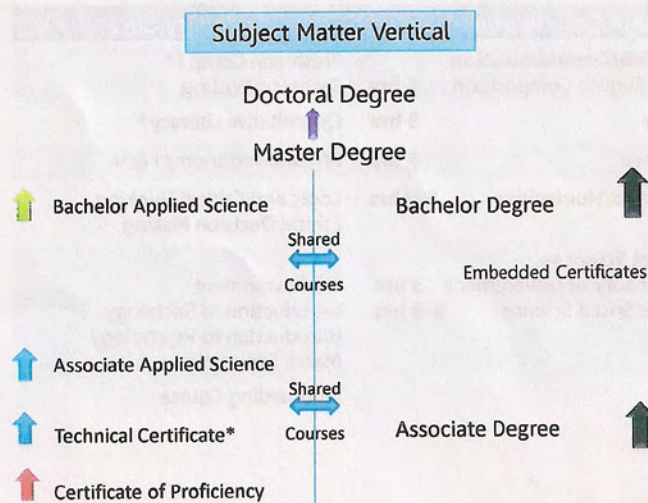


Onboarding Course



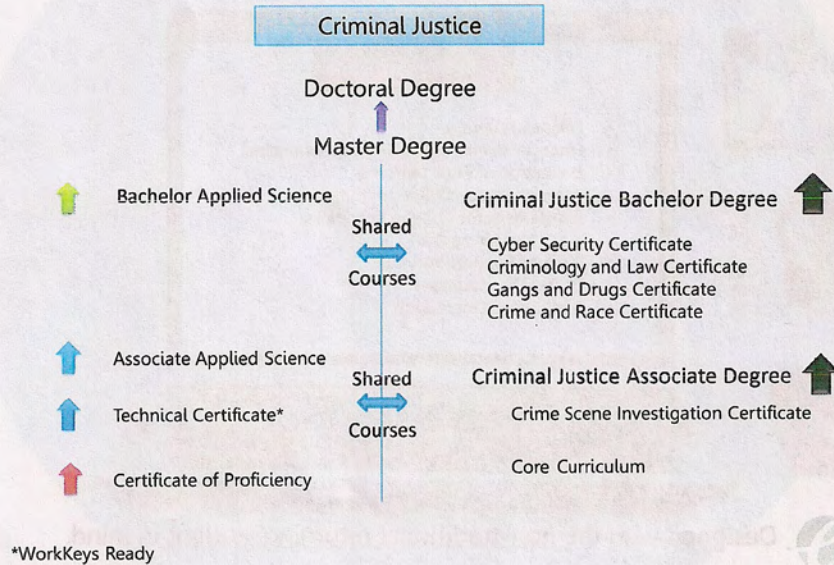
Designed with the non-traditional returning student in mind.

Curriculum Vision



*WorkKeys Ready

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Core Curriculum

State Core Requirements		eVersity Core
English/Communication		Freshman Comp I *
English Composition	6 hrs	Technical Writing
Math	3 hrs	Quantitative Literacy *
Science	8 hrs	Physics/Astronomy I & II
Fine Arts/Humanities	6-9 hrs	Logic and Critical Thinking
Social Sciences		Ethical Decision Making
US History or Government	3 hrs	US Government
Other Social Science	6-9 hrs	Introduction to Sociology
		Introduction to Psychology
		Macro Economics
		Onboarding Course

Principles of Course Design

- Reduce Course Material Costs
- Create a Data Rich Learning Environment
- Intrusive Advising Model
- Inclusion of Employer Requested Competencies



Collaborative Approaches

Clinton
School of
Public
Service
Project

Civitas
Learning

Proctor U

Blackboard

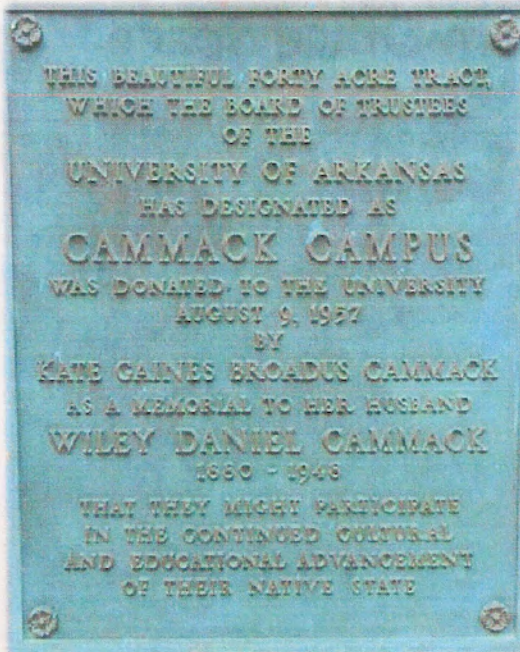
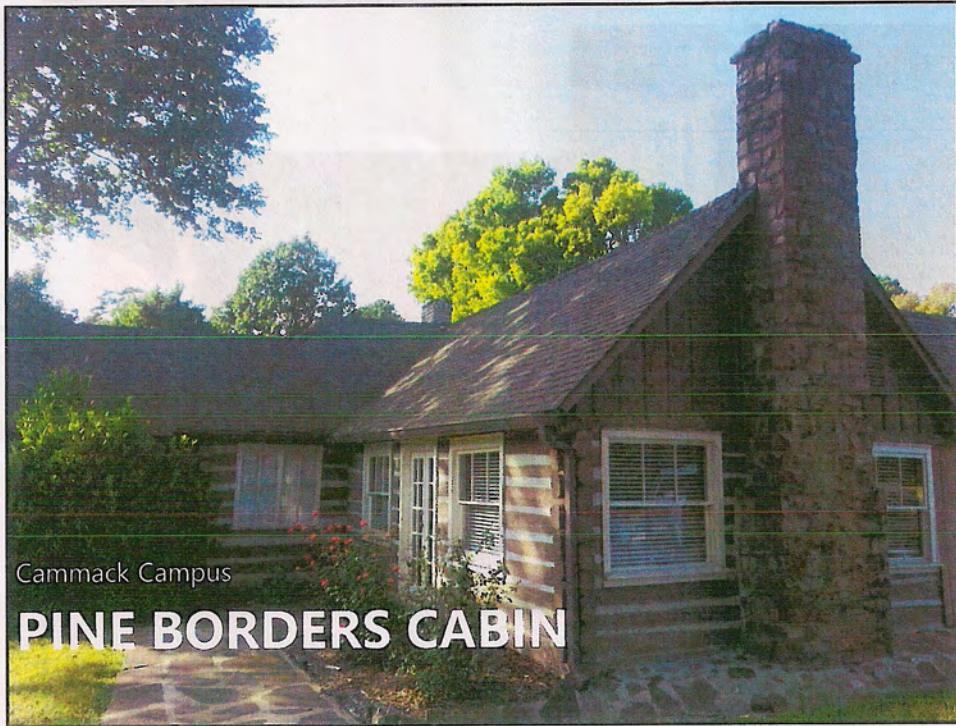


"If you could get every person in the United States who has already spent some time in an institution of higher education, into a user-friendly, affordable way of completing a degree relevant to the emerging economy, it would have a dramatic impact on our capacity to grow, to reduce income inequality, and to recreate traditions of shared prosperity."

PRESIDENT, WILLIAM J. CLINTON

Remarks made during the Southern Governors' Association Meeting
August 15, 2014







Cabin Front Entrance

Work in Progress and Work Complete!

Leadership Team Office Space



Office for One



to ...an office for Seven



Cabin Kitchen

While being repainted and repaired, we created a make-shift kitchen using an old desk and igloo cooler. The kitchen has been beautifully restored.



Cabin Great Room

Previously this room was used for maintenance storage. The room has had been renovated for use by eVersity design staff.

Collaborative Space



Cabin Dog Run

Historically, this area is called the "dog run". The room has been transformed into an open collaborative space for use by eVersity staff.

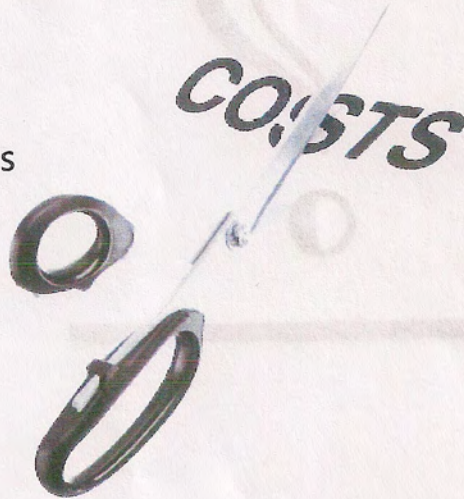


Living Quarters to Office Space



Cabin Cost Savings

- Office Furniture
- Whiteboards
- Chicken Coup Lights
- Energy Efficiency
- Donations



INTER INSTITUTIONAL LOAN REQUEST

