

Template for Policy Descriptions
Urban Transfer Research Network
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The Urban Transfer Research Network, a multi-year research project funded by the Lumina Foundation, is collecting information on policies and procedures that may affect student success in achieving the baccalaureate degree within the community college/university system in the Portland metro area. Because of your knowledge and experience in a particular policy area, we are inviting you to write a brief description of a policy area (no more than 1 or 2 pages in length) that addresses its implications for transfer students. Please include an example to illustrate your points.

We will need to have your description by May 19, 2006. Please email Kathi Ketcheson at ketchesonk@pdx.edu.

1. Briefly describe the policy area.
2. What are the implications of this policy or practice for transfer students who have the goal of obtaining a bachelor's degree? Please include at least one example.