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When you think of CSP, what comes to mind?



Community

Support

One of a kind

Intensive course instruction

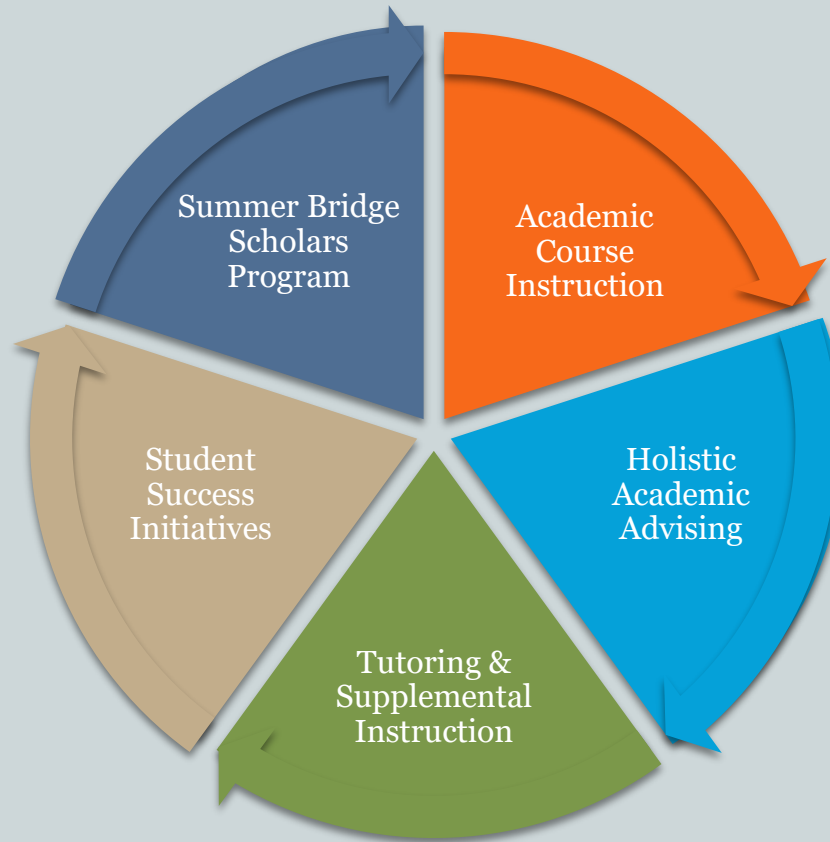
Individual attention

CSP Mission Statement



Established in 1983, The Comprehensive Studies Program is a premier student success program organized around the principles of diversity, access, equity and inclusion. We promote academic excellence and champion personal growth and wellness for all students within our community and the University of Michigan at large.

CSP – Student Success Center





Academic Course Instruction

20 Full-time Lectures

50 separate lectures
and discussions

- Mastery of subject matter
- Student-first instructional pedagogy
 - Expectation of excellence
 - Time and effort
 - Active learning
 - Individualized attention
 - Communication with advising staff
- Classes follow departmental syllabi
- Experienced faculty
- Extended class time and office hours



Holistic Academic Advising

11 Full time academic advisors

Advise students in every undergraduate school and college and all learning communities

Student : advisor ratio:
250:1

- Holistic, active, dynamic model for advising relationship
- CSP requires regular and consistent contact between students and advisors
 - 3 – 4 visits per term for first and second year students
 - On-going assessment of students skills and abilities
- Regular progress reports and course analytics
- Same advisor for entire academic career



Tutoring & Supplemental Instruction

35 undergraduate tutors hired and trained by CSP

Group and individual tutoring provided

Study sessions and mock exams

SLC relationship for students in Biology 171, 172; Chem 130, 210, 215

- Courses covered include all introductory math and science courses and introductory courses in Economics, Statistics, and some languages
- Evening group-tutoring
- Structured study groups for math and statistics
- SLC opportunities
 - Facilitated structured study groups; drop-in tutoring; and appointment-based tutoring



Student Success Initiatives

Weekly workshops on
academic, career, and
personal development

Michigan Mentorship
Matters

Financial Aid Advising

CAPS embedded
counselor

- First Year Interest Groups
 - Business School; Engineering; Information
 - Pre-Health careers; Public Health; Social Work
- Mentoring Program
- Academic success and leadership workshops
- CSP Funding Opportunities
 - Student funding
 - Scholarships
 - GRE/LSAT/MCAT test prep scholarships
- Financial Aid Outreach Staff
- Personal wellness opportunities



Summer Bridge Scholars

43rd Successful year of
CSP Summer Bridge
Scholars Program

273 students in
Summer 2018

106 CSP Summer
Students

One program next year!

- Seven-week residential intensive academic experience for a limited number of students
 - Intensive academic preparation
 - Highly individualized academic advising
 - Personal attention of faculty in an intensive, yet nurturing environment
 - Active, engaged and effective learning community
- Students earn between 8 and 9 credits toward degree and can earn FYW and SS credits
- Bridge Scholars Plus

CSP Success



- CSP Graduation rate – 87.3% *
- Summer Bridge Scholars Graduation Rate – 85.3%*
- 95.7% of 2018 Summer Bridge Scholars still enrolled
- 96% of all first year CSP students still enrolled
- BSP participated experiential learning opportunities
- domestic and international (removing barriers to experiential learning)
- Academic year long workshop series

* 2014 cohort

CSP Demographics (N=3083)



- **First Generation**

- CSP – 45.2%
- SBSP – 52.85%

- **Gender**

- Female (60.9%)
- Male (39.1%)

- **Income**

- 42.6% of all CSP students have incomes below \$50,000
- 55.7% of SBSP students have incomes below 50,000

- **Ethnicity**

- Asian: 7.8%
- African American: 29.3%
- Hawaiian: 0.1%
- Latino: 17.5%
- Native American: 0.5%
- Not Included: 2.3%
- Two or More: 6%
- White: 36.5%

“What to say about CSP?”



- CSP is a student success program focused on individual student development
 - Success – graduation is our ultimate goal for all students
 - Courses are not “easier” but require more effort
 - CSP is not a minority program but serves the most diverse group of students on campus
 - Admission to CSP is based on many, many criteria

How can UOC Support CSP?



1. Understand our mission. We are not a recruitment program but a retention program
2. Effectively communicate to others what CSP is and what it does
3. Discuss CSP in ways that reduce stigma
4. Don't assume you know - ask