TOOLS FOR ADVISORS
DARS:
DEGREE AUDITS AND TRANSFER CREDIT

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Topics

- Home-to-Home Articulation (H2H)
  - Articulating Quarter course work to Semester equivalents

- Quarter/Transition/Semester Audits

- Multiple DARSweb environments
  - DARSweb for Quarter audits
  - DARSweb for Transition/Semester audits

- Transfer Credit Center
Home-to-Home Articulation (H2H)

- What is H2H?
- Terminology
- How does H2H work?
- H2H Articulation table
- Quarter coursework in H2H
- Semester coursework in H2H
- Additional H2H logistics
Home-to-Home Articulation is a behind the scenes DARS process that will articulate quarter course work to its semester equivalents.

- Displays native OSU course work as if it was transfer course work from another institution.
Since H2H will use the Transfer Articulation component of DARS, we need to understand the following terms:

- Source Institution: OSU (quarters)
- Source Course: OSU quarter course
- Target Institution: OSU (semesters)
- Target Course: OSU semester equivalent
H2H works exactly like Transfer Articulation.

Example of transfer credit on the audit:

Basic format illustrating how H2H will display OSU quarter coursework.

- AU08 BIOLOGY 101: 6.0 KA
- SP09 PSYCH 100: 6.0 KA
OSU as a “transfer” institution

- H2H displays OSU quarter courses as “transfer” courses from OSU.
  - Example: Student completed Math 151 & 152 during quarters.
  - Using H2H, these courses will appear on the audit as:
H2H Articulation table

- Will include current undergraduate quarter courses that will have semester equivalents.

- Equivalencies can be one-to-one, many-to-one, or many-to-many.

- Graduate and/or professional courses may be included in this table; this is yet to be determined.
Examples:

ENGLISH 110 = ENGLISH 1110

CHEM 101 + CHEM 102 = CHEM 1110

CHEM 121 + CHEM 122 + CHEM 123 = CHEM 1210 + CHEM 1220
Course lists in the audits will be encoded with semester course numbers.

H2H articulated quarter courses will match to these course lists using the articulated (target) semester course number.

Unlike regular transfer credit, OSU courses will retain their original grades, which will apply to the CPHR.
- Credit hours will be articulated to semester values, which may include decimals.
  - For example, 5 quarter hours may become 3.3 semester hours.

- Quarter courses that do not have a semester equivalent will be articulated to themselves; however, their credit hours will still change to semester hours. For example:
Semester course work in H2H

- When H2H is applied to a degree audit, all of the student’s course work will be articulated.

- Semester course work will simply articulate to itself:
Who? Any student with quarter credit on their academic record.

What? All Transition or Semester degree audits.

When? Autumn 2011 is the goal. However:
- H2H articulation table must be built.
- Transition and Semester degree audits must be encoded.
- These require approved semester programs and courses.
- Programs and courses must be approved by CAA.
**An audit using H2H:**

**Upper Division Courses**

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<th>Earned:</th>
<th>Needs:</th>
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<td>19.2 HOURS</td>
<td>20.8 HOURS</td>
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*A minimum of 60 hours of approved upper-division courses is required.*

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<th>Quarter course w/o semester equivalent</th>
<th>Semester Courses</th>
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<td>WI09 PSYCH 3520 3.3 A</td>
<td>OHIO ST : PSYCH 520</td>
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<td>SP09 HISTORY 4598 1.3 B</td>
<td>OHIO ST : HISTORY 598</td>
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<td>WI12 PSYCH 400 2.0 B</td>
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Quarter/Transition/Semester Degree Audits

- Quarter Degree Audits: Now thru Spring 2012
- Semester Degree Audits: Summer 2012 forward
- Transition Degree Audits: Autumn 2011 forward
Quarter Degree Audits

- No functional changes to quarter-based degree audits. They will continue to look and run as they do currently.

- Barring curriculum/course changes to quarter-based programs, we do not anticipate any substantive changes to these audits.

- Quarter degree audits will be available thru the end of Spring Quarter 2012.
As semester-based academic programs are approved (undergraduate), new degree audits will be encoded for them.

These audits will be applicable for students with a Requirement Term/Catalog Year of Summer Term 2012 or later.

Professional and Graduate programs (PHP, DHY, GBUS) that have quarter-based audits already encoded will have semester-based audits encoded when approved.
Transition degree audits will be encoded for all programs currently encoded (whether they continue into semesters or not).

These audits will cover any student with Requirement Terms/Catalog Years from Autumn 1990 thru Spring 2012.

There will be one transition audit per plan/subplan that covers all transition students in that program.
Transition Audits

- Will be either semester-based or quarter-based (modified to semester values); this will be decided in consultation with each college.

- Encoding will be “tweaked” to accommodate course work that falls to unused due to H2H but should be used in one or more requirements.

- LOTS of exceptions.
Numbers of programs to be re-encoded:

- Currently we have ~400 degree audits encoded. Each of these will need a semester and/or a transition version.

- We will also encoded athletic versions of each of these 400 programs.

- In addition, there are ~150 minor programs encoded. Again, each will need a semester and/or transition version.
Currently, there are two DARSweb environments:

- DARSweb for advisors
- DARSweb for students

From Autumn 2011 thru Spring 2012, there will be four DARSweb environments:

- DARSweb for advisors – Quarters
- DARSweb for advisors – Transition/Semesters
- DARSweb for students – Quarters
- DARSweb for students – Transition/Semesters
DARSweb for Advisors

Login Page:

You are in DARS Quarters. Click here for DARS Transition/Semesters.

Defaults to Quarters

Click here for Semesters
AUDIT REQUEST (Advisor) – QUARTERS

Student’s default audit IS displayed.

Catalog Year choices for What-If audits.
AUDIT REQUEST (Advisor) – TRANSITION/SEMESTERS (AUTUMN 2011 thru SPRING 2012)

Student's default audit is NOT displayed.

Catalog Year choices for What-If audits.
AUDIT REQUEST (Advisor) – TRANSITION/SEMESTERS (SUMMER 2012 and FORWARD)

Student's default audit IS displayed.

Catalog Year choices for What-If audits.
DARSweb for Students

Buckeye Link - Quarters

Enrollment and Academic History

- Advising Report
- Carmen
- u.select (Course Applicability System)
- **Degree Audit**
- Enrollment or Degree Verification
- Grades
- Transcripts
- Transfer Credit Report
- Transfer Credit Coordinator List
- View Class Schedule
- Register for Classes
  - Add a Class
  - Drop a Class
- Search Faculty Ratings (SEIs)
- Verification of Enrollment
DARSweb for Students

Buckeye Link – Transition/Semesters (proposed)

Enrollment and Academic History

Advising Report
Carmen
u.select (Course Applicability System)

- DARSweb for students who intend to graduate Spring Quarter 2012 or earlier (quarters)
- DARSweb for students who intend to graduate Summer Term 2012 or later (semesters)
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- Grades

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Student Center - Quarters

Academics

Enrollment
- My Class Schedule
- Add a Class
- Drop a Class

Enrollment Verification
Generate Advising Report

Academic History
- Grades
- DARSweb

other academic...
DARSweb for Students

Student Center– Transition/Semesters (proposed)

- DARSweb for students who intend to graduate Spring Quarter 2012 or earlier (quarters)
- DARSweb for students who intend to graduate Summer Term 2012 or later (semesters)

For students who are uncertain whether or not they will meet the requirements to graduate SP’12 or before (quarters), you can also run your degree audit if you think you may graduate SU’12 or after (semesters).

*It is important to work with your academic advisor to determine your degree requirements regardless of when you plan to graduate.*
AUDIT REQUEST (Student) - QUARTERS

Student's default audit is displayed.

Catalog Year choices for What-If audits.
Student’s default audit is **NOT** displayed.

Catalog Year choices for What-If audits.
AUDIT REQUEST (Student) - TRANSITION/SEMESTERS (SUMMER 2012 and FORWARD)
**Back to one environment.**

Student's default audit IS displayed.

Catalog Year choices for What-If audits.
Getting ready for Semesters
- It’s not just The Ohio State University
- Rebuilding the Transfer Articulation tables
- Transfer Credit Report
Institutions in Ohio converting to Semesters

- Belmont Technical College
- Central Ohio Technical College
- Cincinnati State Technical and Community College
- Clark State Community College
- Columbus State Community College
- Hocking College
- Marion Technical College
- North Central State College
- The Ohio State University
- Ohio University
- James A. Rhodes State College
- Sinclair Community College
- Southern State Community College
- University of Cincinnati
- Washington State Community College
- Wright State University
- Zane State College
- Antioch University
- Ohio Northern University
- Otterbein University
There are 20 public and private institutions in Ohio converting to semesters either in SU’12 or AU’12.

It means that 4,642 new articulation rules must be rebuilt by the Transfer Credit Center on both the source and target side.

There are 822 other transfer institutions in DARS with 21,102 articulation rules that need to be rebuilt on the target side.
All existing target rules must change since the OSU course mask is changing. Overall, we have to make about 30,000 changes to the articulation tables.

When will all this be completed?

- We will begin re-encoding the TA tables as soon as the semester courses are approved by Academic Affairs.

- We hope to have the majority of the TA rules re-encoded by Autumn 2011, but ......................
When Summer 2012 transfer students arrive, in all likelihood, academic advisors and transfer credit coordinators will see more General (GEN) and Special (SPL) credit on transfer credit evaluations.

Not until all new course equivalents are provided to us and the TA rules are re-encoded with the semester counterpart will GEN and SPL evaluations begin to taper off.
Course work transferred into OSU through Spring 2012 will be articulated as quarter credit.

Course work transferred to OSU beginning Summer 2012 will be articulated as semester credit.
THESE COURSES TRANSFER TO OHIO STATE AS QUARTER CREDIT

EARNED: 28 QUARTER HOURS

WI07 ENGLISH 367.01 5.0 KB WRTNG ABOUT AMER EXP
CSCC : ENGL250

WI07 GEOG 240 5.0 KC WORLD ECON GEOGRAPHY
CSCC : SSCI104

WI08 MATH 040 5.0 KA PRE-ALGEBRA
CSCC : DEV 031

SU10 MATH 050 7.0 KC BEGINNING ALGEBRA I ++
CSCC : MATH102,103,104

SU10 MATH 104 6.0 KC BEGINNING ALGEBRA I ++
CSCC : MATH102,103,104

THESE COURSES TRANSFER TO OHIO STATE AS SEMESTER CREDIT

EARNED: 6.3 SEMESTER HOURS

AU10 STAT 1450 3.3 KB ELEMENTARY STATISTICS
CSCC : MATH135

WI13 PSYCH 1100 3.0 KB INTRO TO PSYCHOLOGY
CSCC : PSY 1100
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