



Tennessee Reverse Transfer

Four-Year Academic Advisors

MEET THE TEAM

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*TOPICS
TODAY:*

- *What is Tennessee Reverse Transfer?*
- *What are the benefits?*
- *Cycle I Institutions*
- *How does Tennessee Reverse Transfer work?*
- *What is my role as a university advisor?*
- *And this happening when?*
- *Questions?*

WHAT IS TENNESSEE REVERSE TRANSFER?

- *Semi-automated process*
- *Allows early transfer students to combine four-year college credits with community college credits to receive an associate degree*
- *Eligible students:*
 - *transfer student currently enrolled in a participating 4-year institution;*
 - *minimum of 15 TN community college credits;*
 - *minimum of 60 combined college credits*

*Meet degree requirements of a TN Transfer
Pathway program or AA/AS General*

BENEFITS OF REVERSE TRANSFER:

- For the **student**—the degree they have earned; a recognized credential; a tangible marker of academic success
- For the **community colleges**—increased graduation rates
- For the **4-year institutions**—initial non-empirical findings = increased rates of persistence
- For the **state**—Drive to 55

It's just the right thing to do for the student!

CYCLE I SCHOOLS

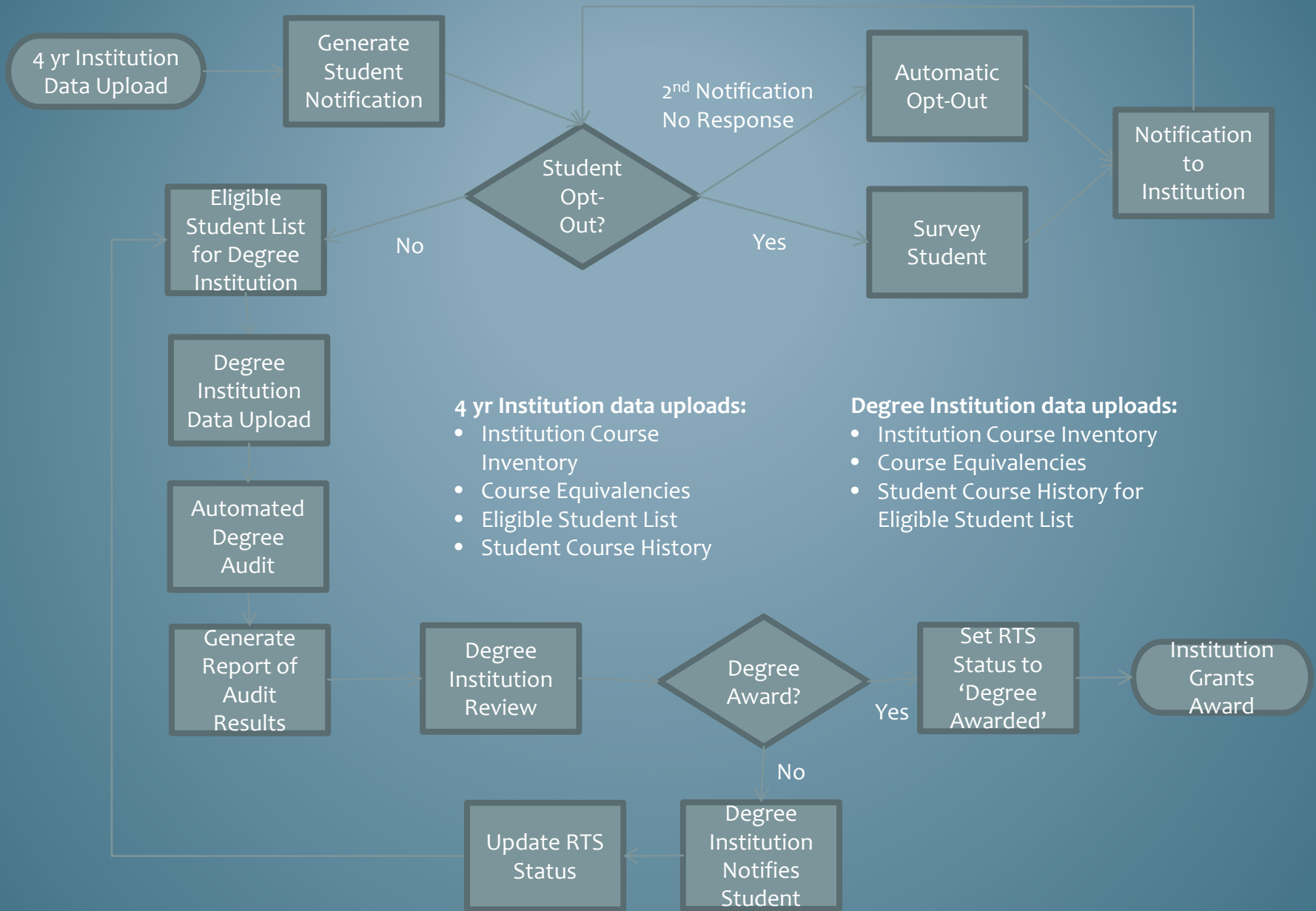
- Cleveland State Community College
- Jackson State Community College
- Northeast State Community College
- Pellissippi State Community College*
- Roane State Community College*
- Southwest TN Community College
- Volunteer State Community College*

- **East Tennessee State University**
- Maryville College*
- Middle Tennessee State University*
- University of Memphis
- University of Tennessee Chattanooga
- University of Tennessee Knoxville*
- University of Tennessee Martin

- *Denotes pilot school

*SO...HOW DOES
TENNESSEE
REVERSE
TRANSFER
WORK?*

- *Semi-automated process using software developed by AcademyOne*
- *Is Institution, NOT student, initiated*
- *Involves very little effort from eligible students*
- *The process from end to end...*





Wed 10/22/2014 10:30 AM

StageStateAdmin@tnreversetransfer.org

You may have earned an associate degree already

To: Komilla Singh

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Action Items



THE UNIVERSITY of
TENNESSEE

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TENNESSEE INDEPENDENT COLLEGE
AND UNIVERSITY ASSOCIATION

Dear Kendra:

Thank you for transferring to The University of Tennessee, Knoxville.

Our academic records indicate you could now be eligible to receive your associate degree through [Tennessee's Reverse Transfer program](#). Through this program, your credits from Pellissippi State Community College will be combined with credits earned here to determine if your coursework completes the degree.

The associate degree you started at Pellissippi State Community College could be awarded to you at no cost while you continue working toward your bachelor's degree here!

To determine if you meet the requirements for an associate degree, we need your electronic consent to share your The University of Tennessee, Knoxville courses and grades with the registrar's office at Pellissippi State Community College for a preliminary evaluation of your combined credits. Please [click here](#) to opt in by 7/12/2015. You can change your mind at any time prior to the degree being awarded by contacting Pellissippi State Community College.

You do not have to participate. [Click here](#) if you do not grant access to your courses and grades from The University of Tennessee, Knoxville. You can change your mind and decide to opt-in by 7/12/2015.

The confidentiality of your academic history is protected by federal law and your information will not be used for any other purpose than this screening. If you have not completed all of the requirements for the associate degree, you will be reconsidered next semester as you continue to complete your bachelor's degree.

If you have already earned a degree, why not receive it?

Questions? Please visit the Tennessee Reverse Transfer website: stage.tnreversetransfer.org or contact support@academvone.com.

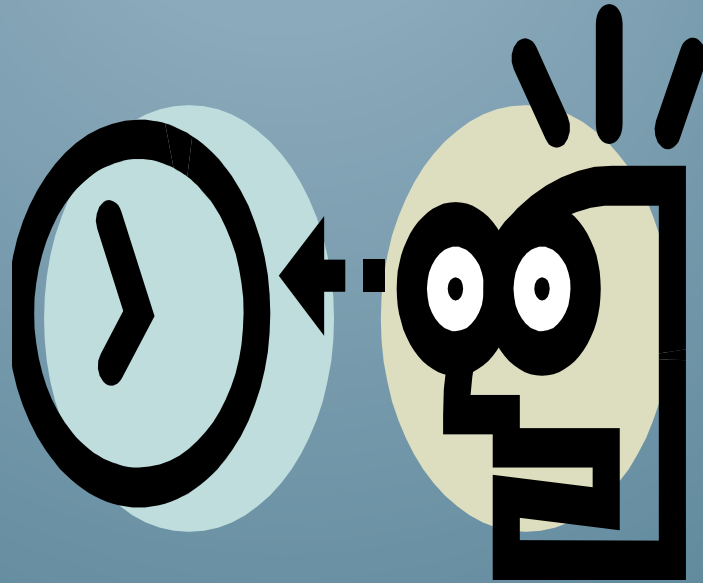
Sincerely,

Office of the Registrar
The University of Tennessee, Knoxville

*AND WHAT IS
MY ROLE AS
A 4-YEAR
ADVISOR??*

- Get familiar with the process
- Know we [will] have a website:
www.tnreversetransfer.org
- FAQs for advisors
- Know the benefits to the student
- ENCOURAGE student to continue completion of bachelor's degree!!!

*AND THIS IS ALL
HAPPENING
WHEN??*



CYCLE 1
BEGINS
JANUARY
2015

- *Students meeting eligibility criteria will receive email inviting them to consent—
February 5, 2015*
- *Simulated degree audits will run March 27, 2015*
- *First Tennessee Reverse Transfer degrees awarded—May 2015*

WHAT IF THE
WEBSITE
DOES NOT
ANSWER MY
QUESTION?

For now...

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QUESTIONS?

