

## Longitudinal Data<sup>1</sup> on Eastern Illinois University's University Foundations Course (Freshman Seminar)

### Total Number of First-time Freshmen

Year <sup>2</sup>	Number of Students Participating in UF	Number of Students Not Participating in UF	Total First-time Freshmen	Percentage of Class in UF
2010	603	872	1,475	41%
2011	583	777	1,360	43%
2012	553	681	1,234	45%

200 students were in Gateway and in UF in Fall 2012 (36% of UF students were Gateway students, an increase of 11% over the previous year).

### Gender Breakdown

Year	UF Males	Total First-Time Freshman Males	UF Females	Total First-time Freshman Females
2010	34%	38%	66%	62%
2011	33%	37%	67%	63%
2012	32%	36%	68%	64%

### Ethnic Background Breakdown

Year	UF Minority	UF White	Total First-Time Freshman Minority	Total Freshman White
2010	40%	57%	26%	71%
2011	44%	52%	29%	68%
2012	52%	46%	34%	64%

### Retention Rates

Years	University Foundations Students Returning Fall (not Gateway/ BOOST) <sup>3</sup>	Gateway Students Enrolled in UF Returning Fall	BOOST Students Enrolled in UF Returning Fall	Non-University Foundations Students Returning Fall
Fall 2009-Fall 2010	84%	74%	79%	79%
Fall 2010-Fall 2011	79%	70%	79%	80%
Fall 2011-Fall 2012	80%	72%	87%	81%
<b>Average</b>	<b>82%</b>	<b>76%</b>	<b>78%</b>	<b>79%</b>

<sup>1</sup> All data was provided by the Office of Planning and Institutional Studies.

<sup>2</sup> Freshman Seminar was a one credit hour course for the first 8 weeks of the semester from 1995-1999. In Fall 2000 a pilot of the 2-credit hour course was offered with 14 sections of the course team-taught.

<sup>3</sup> These percentages include BOOST students until the Fall 2009-Fall 2010 year when BOOST were broken out as we do the Gateway data.

**Cumulative GPA after First Three Semesters**

<b>Year</b>	<b>University Foundations Students<sup>4</sup></b>	<b>Gateway Students in UF</b>	<b>BOOST Students in UF</b>	<b>Non-University Foundations Students</b>
2009	2.71	2.41	2.27	2.87
2010	2.81	2.57	2.46	2.90
2011	2.79	2.51	2.36	2.93
<b>Average</b>	<b>2.78</b>	<b>2.46</b>	<b>2.36</b>	<b>2.86</b>

**First-Time Freshmen ACT Scores**

	<b>Non-UF</b>	<b>UF<sup>5</sup></b>	<b>Non-UF</b>	<b>UF</b>	<b>Non-UF</b>	<b>UF</b>	<b>Non-UF</b>	<b>UF</b>
	<b>&lt;18</b>	<b>&lt;18</b>	<b>19-20</b>	<b>19-20</b>	<b>21-25</b>	<b>21-25</b>	<b>&gt;26</b>	<b>&gt;26</b>
2010	7%	16%	25%	36%	50%	44%	18%	4%
2011	5%	19%	26%	28%	49%	47%	20%	6%
2012	3%	41%	21%	26%	53%	29%	23%	4%

**High School Rank**

	<b>Participants in UF</b>		<b>Non-Participants in UF</b>		<b>Gateway</b>		<b>BOOST</b>	
2010	Top Half	51%	Top Half	59%	Top Half	57%	Top Half	32%
	Bottom Half	49%	Bottom Half	41%	Bottom Half	43%	Bottom Half	68%
2011	Top Half	53%	Top Half	57%	Top Half	48%	Top Half	48%
	Bottom Half	47%	Bottom Half	43%	Bottom Half	52%	Bottom Half	52%
2012	Top Half	50%	Top Half	62%	Top Half	40%	N/A	
	Bottom Half	50%	Bottom Half	38%	Bottom Half	60%		

**Percentage of Students on Probation after First Year**

<b>Year</b>	<b>University Foundations Students<sup>9</sup></b>	<b>Gateway Students</b>	<b>BOOST Students</b>	<b>Non-University Foundations Students</b>
2009	8%	9%	20%	6%
2010	7%	5%	16%	6%
2011	6%	4%	20%	4%

<sup>4</sup> Includes the BOOST students from 2005 through 2008.

<sup>5</sup> This percentage includes Gateway students until Fall 2002; BOOST students are included for all years that that program existed. Probation and Major Declared numbers include BOOST students in the overall UF numbers.