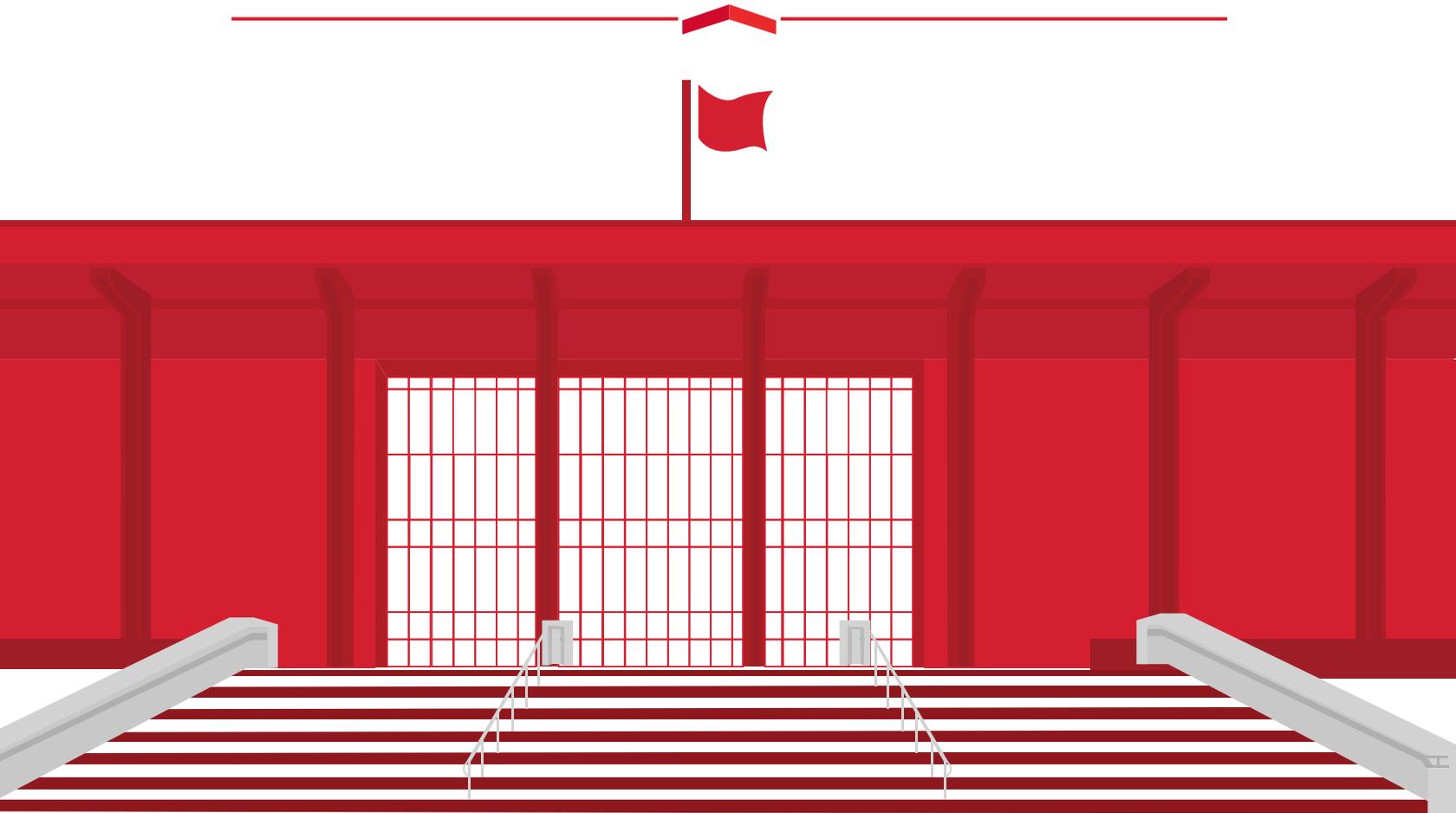


Serving CSUN's Transfer Students: A Snapshot of Who They Are



California State University, Northridge, is committed to serving first-time transfer students. In a series of reports, IR is sharing data about who our transfer students are, how they are doing, and how best to help them succeed at CSUN.

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Fall 2018 Transfer Cohort

Over half of CSUN's 10,000+ incoming students in Fall 2018 were first-time transfer students. Women (55%) and Latina/o students (45%) made up the largest shares of this cohort. Many students in this cohort transferred from Pierce College (15%), College of the Canyons (11%), or Glendale Community College (10%).

Thus far, the incoming Fall 2019 cohort appears to resemble the Fall 2018 cohort.

BY RACE

AFRICAN AMERICAN



4%

AMERICAN INDIAN



>1%

ASIAN AMERICAN



10%

INTERNATIONAL



4%

LATINO/A



45%

MULTI-RACE



3%

PACIFIC ISLANDER



>1%

WHITE



30%

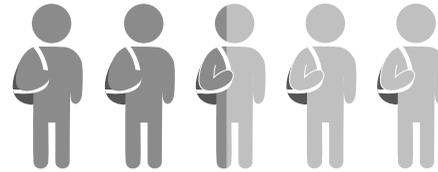
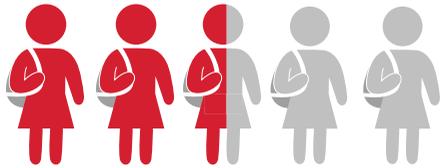
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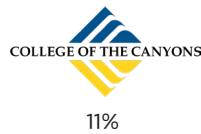
Fall 2018 Transfer Cohort (cont.)

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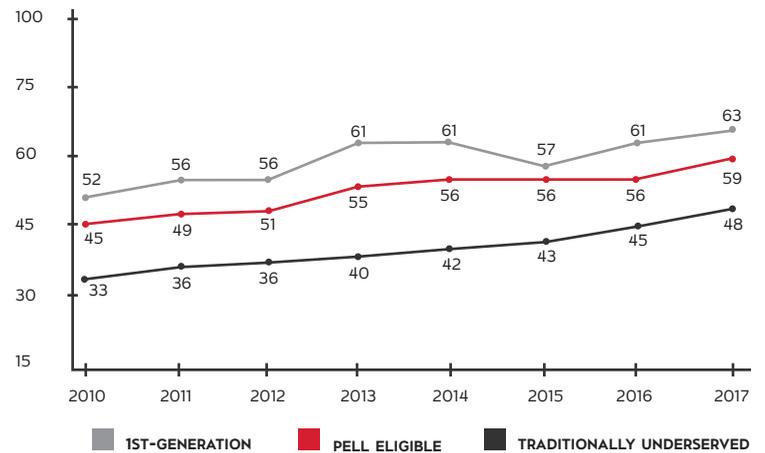
■ FEMALE
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FEEDER COMMUNITY COLLEGES FOR THE FALL 2018 COHORT



Since Fall 2010, our transfers have increasingly been first generation students, Pell-eligible, and from traditionally underserved backgrounds.

The percentage of students on campus from traditionally underserved backgrounds has risen by about 15% since Fall 2010. Additionally, the percentages of Pell-eligible students and first-generation students have risen about 14% and 11%, respectively.



Our transfer students make up a large share of our undergraduate population, and they are incredibly diverse. In future reports, we will discuss how transfer students are doing, including where they are on traditional student success metrics, how they transition to campus life at CSUN, and how to serve them.

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