

OCHE – ACADEMIC, RESEARCH, AND STUDENT AFFAIRS DIVISION

CAS/Portal Updates

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Central Application Updates

- "In Progress" app focus
- Process flows completed apps back to campuses
- New "Go Live" date: 9/18
- "Apply Montana"
 - 6 Domain names secured
 - ApplyMontana.org/net/com
 - ApplyMT.org/net/com



Apply Montana Branding





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New initiatives for 2020

- New landing page for digital campaign
 - (<u>http://ndm.edu-digital.org/#Experience</u>)
- College Application Week 2020
 - New dashboard tool available to MT HS's to track progress
- Test campaign with Liaison
 - 28,500 H.S. aged households
 - Drip campaign/Banner ads
 - Analytics for current and upcoming cycles



CAS Benefits

Benefits

- System-wide collaboration (Campuses and OCHE)
- Reduced barriers for students (App fees, process, etc.)
- Dedicated customer support
- Manage yield rates more effectively
- Standalone comm plans from MUS to students
- FTE relief for campuses in getting completed apps





Challenges

- Campus support/morale
- Heavy lift on campus IT departments to date
- Limited margin of error
- Accuracy of reporting once applications are exported
- Liaison customer service risk/reward
- Cumbersome modification process with Liaison



Timeline

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- 9/18/2020
 - Apply Montana CAS launch
 - Landing page live
 - Communication plan begin for applicants
 - Apply Montana Awareness campaign (n=28.5k)
- 11/1/2020
 - RSA Portal RFP completed
- 12/15/2020
 - Phase 1 Portal viewable in test
- 1/8/2021
 - Phase 1 Portal online



Resident Student Access Portal

RSA Portal

- Establish phase 1 and 2 priorities and themes
 - Committee based input on content conversion
- Audit existing MUS.edu content/links
 - What content will migrate?
 - What new content needs to be created?
- RFP In Progress
- <u>www.learnmoreindiana.org</u>

Questions