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## CWID Messenger: March 2016

The CWID team at the [Office of Community College Research and Leadership \(OCCRL\)](#) is pleased to share the newest installment of the CWID Messenger newsletter. The CWID Messenger updates subscribers on the latest publications, meetings, data, and other information related to reverse transfer. Visit the [CWID Resources](#) page to view previous editions of the messenger.

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### **Transfer in the Spotlight: New Models, New Opportunities**

Despite its long historic mission in U.S. community colleges, transfer is receiving a great deal of attention these days. Issues related to successful transfer from community colleges to universities are being explored through initiatives such as [Credit When It's Due \(CWID\)](#) and [transfer research](#). In cities like Chicago, higher education institutions are exploring new models such as the Arrupa College created by Loyola University of Chicago.



[Read the full article by Debra Bragg.](#)

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## CWID Releases Two New Data Note Briefs

### Data Note 5. The Influence of Reverse Transfer Eligibility Requirements

Most CWID states developed eligibility requirements for reverse transfer, and this **Data Note** examines how state eligibility requirements influence the number of transfer students who are potentially eligible for reverse transfer.

### Data Note 6. Why Don't Potentially Eligible Reverse Transfer Students Receive the Degree? Exploring the Outcomes of Reverse Transfer Degree Audits

In many CWID states, a large number of students were identified as potentially eligible for reverse transfer, but often a small proportion of students met associate's degree requirements. This **Data Note** examines why students whose degrees were audited for reverse transfer did not receive an associate's degree.

## Transfer/Reverse Transfer Data and Research Convening

Salt Lake City was the site of the recent convening of researchers and state policymakers

The Office of Community College Research and Leadership and the University of Utah co-hosted the convening of researchers and policymakers in February on the University of Utah campus. Researchers and policymakers from ten CWID states participated in the working meeting to discuss current and future transfer policy issues and research needs. Click [here](#) and [here](#) to view OCCRL presentations from the meeting.

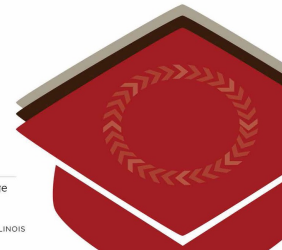
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# Reverse Transfer in the News

Millikin University and Lake Land CC announce reverse transfer deal  
Herald & Review | Decatur, Illinois | February 11, 2016

West Virginia leaders address reverse transfer of college credits  
The Exponent Telegram | Clarksburg, West Virginia | March 24, 2016

## CWID Fact Sheet

Need help explaining CWID? Still learning about CWID's purpose and goals?

View the [CWID Fact Sheet](#).

State	Credit Amount
Alabama	\$100,000
Arkansas	\$100,000
California	\$100,000
Colorado	\$100,000
Connecticut	\$100,000
Florida	\$100,000
Georgia	\$100,000
Illinois	\$100,000
Indiana	\$100,000
Iowa	\$100,000
Mississippi	\$100,000
North Carolina	\$100,000
Ohio	\$100,000

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