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Introduction

This release guide documents Release 8.5 of the Banner® Faculty and Advisor Self-Service System. Release 8.5 includes two enhancements.

Enhancements for 8.5

This document describes the following enhancements, which are new for Release 8.5.

Self-Service Transcript with Student Centric Periods

The Student Academic Transcript page (bwlkftrn.P_ViewTran) has been modified to display courses and GPAs by student centric period without term details. The student centric period data is substituted for the term data when the **Student Centric Period Statistics** checkbox is checked (set to *Y*) on SHATPRT.

Study Paths and Fee Assessment

The Student Academic Transcript page (bwlkftrn.P_ViewTran) has been modified to display charges by term with study paths, when study paths are used, and the **Display Study Paths** checkbox is checked on the Student Billing Control Form (TSACTRL).

Cumulative Documentation

This document provides detailed information about the Banner Faculty and Advisor Self-Service 8.5 release only. Banner Faculty and Advisor Self-Service 8.5 is a cumulative release that also includes enhancements, RPEs, and problem resolutions delivered in the Faculty and Advisor Self-Service 8.4.1 release. For complete documentation about this interim release, please refer to the interim release guide identified in the table that follows.

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8.4.1	Registration Prerequisite Checking with DegreeWorks, Discounted Courses, HEOA Regulatory Updates	September 2010



1 Self-Service Transcript with Student Centric Periods



The Student Academic Transcript page (bwlkfrn.P_ViewTran) in Banner Faculty and Advisor Self-Service has been modified to display courses and GPAs by student centric period without term details.

The student centric period is displayed as one continuous enrollment period that is not broken up by the terms contained in the student centric period. The term header is not displayed on the Self-Service transcript for student centric periods. Terms are grouped within the student centric period for the student.

 **Note**

For more information on setting up and using student centric period processing, please see the “Student Centric Period Processing” procedure topic in Chapter 12, “Registration”, in the *Banner Student User Guide*. ■

A term that is not associated with a student centric period is displayed chronologically on the Web page after the end of the student centric period (which starts before that term begins) and the start of the next student centric period. For example, an intersession which is not part of a student centric period, which falls between the two terms that make up the student centric period, will be printed after that student centric period.

The student centric period data is substituted for the term data when the **Student Centric Period Statistics** checkbox is checked (set to *Y*) on SHATPRT. When the **Student Centric Period Statistics** checkbox is unchecked (set to *N*), data is processed using standard term functionality.

The Self-Service transcript reports data in three scenarios when the **Student Centric Period Statistics** checkbox is checked.

- When all of a student's coursework belongs to a student centric period, data is reported by student centric period for all of the student's enrollment and/or academic history records.
- When some of a student's coursework belongs to a student centric period and some coursework does not belong to a student centric period, data is reported by student centric period *and* by standard terms (presented as if the term is a student centric period) for the student's enrollment and/or academic history records.

- When none of a student's coursework belongs to a student centric period and no student centric period exists, data is reported by standard terms (presented as if the term is a student centric period) for the student's enrollment and/or academic history records.

 **Note**

When the **Student Centric Period Statistics** checkbox is checked (set to Y) on SHATPRT, all information is presented as if it belongs to a student centric period header. Data is displayed as being in a "period". However, the data may actually reflect term data when student centric periods are not in use or when the term does not have an associated student centric period. ■

The process checks the term header record (SHRTTRM) for each term in the student's academic history. When the SHRTTRM_SCPS_CODE is *Null* for a term, the student does not have a student centric period associated with that term. In this case, the standard term information is displayed on the transcript for the academic history information.

When a student has a registration record for a term but no term header record exists, the student centric period to which that term is associated is determined by:

- finding the general student record (SGBSTDN) that is active for the registration term
- using the student centric period cycle code (SGBSTDN_SCPC_CODE) from that record
- finding the record for that registration term in the SORSCPT table where:
 - that registration term matches the SORSCPT_TERM_CODE
 - the cycle code (SGBSTDN_SCPC_CODE) from the SGBSTDN table matches the cycle code (SOBSCPS_SCPC_CODE) in the SOBSCPS table
 - the student centric period code from the SOBSCPS table matches the student centric period code from the SORSCPT table

When the SHRTTRM_SCPS_CODE has a student centric period value for the term, that code is used to group the terms that belong to each student centric period. It also populates the Academic Session data on the transcript. The GPA totals and GPA information for the student centric period are used to populate the Academic Summary data on the transcript. Data for standard term information for the Academic Session and Academic Summary comes from SHRTGPA.

When the student centric period is in effect for the term and student:

- Term comments for all terms are grouped together.
- The major that is effective for the first term of the student centric period is used.
- Term statistics data comes from SHRSGPA.
- Academic standing by term data comes from the highest term header record in the student centric period.

- In-progress courses are listed at the end with the associated student centric period.
- Coursework from academic history data is displayed for the associated student centric period.

Transfer coursework is not associated with a student centric period. Transfer credit is displayed at the beginning of the transcript based on the transfer attendance period entered on SHATRNS.

Changed Page

The following Web page has been modified for this enhancement.

Student Academic Transcript (bwlftrn.P_ViewTran)

This page has been modified to display student centric periods when they exist.

The BWCKOTRN package has also been modified.



2 Study Paths and Fee Assessment



The Student Academic Transcript page (bw1kftrn.P_ViewTran) has been modified to display charges by term with study paths, when study paths are used, and the **Display Study Paths** checkbox is checked on the Student Billing Control Form (TSACTRL). Charges are grouped by study path under the subheading of the study path name. Charges are sorted in ascending order by study path sequence number for the term in the TBRACCD table. Charges are sorted in date order within the study path. When multiple study path sequence numbers exist, a subheading is created for each study path name, and the associated charges are listed.

General charges are displayed first in ascending order by date. When no study path information exists, all charges for the term are displayed as general charges without a study path subheading. Credits and payments are then listed, and the summary totals are displayed. The naming rules created on SOACTRL determine whether the study path name is displayed.

Please see the *Banner Student 8.5 Release Guide*, the *Banner Student Self-Service 8.5 Release Guide*, and the *Banner Accounts Receivable 8.2 Release Guide* for more information.

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