



## NEWS

### WHAT'S HAPPENING

#### DID YOU KNOW...

It's easier than ever to schedule a tutoring appointment! Joining Study Lab on the Pittsburgh campus and the ACTC, Math, and Writing Centers on the Bradford campus, the Math Assistance Center (MAC) and the School of Computing and Information (SCI) Tutoring are in Pathways! Students can now schedule appointments for tutoring with the MAC and SCI Tutoring Center via Pathways. Each of the tutoring centers have gone out of their way to make tutoring sessions easy for students to schedule and connect to the tutoring services that they need.

#### Referral System

This month we feature the Career Center Referral: A referral to the Pittsburgh or Greensburg Campus **Career Center** can be made when a staff person learns that a student needs or would like assistance exploring careers or majors, deciding among several career interests, or could benefit in regard to some kind of career support (e.g., gaining experience in his/her major, internship/job search assistance, graduate school preparation). Check out the most up-to-date referrals [here](#).

#### Check out the [Pathways Website!](#)

Information on Frequently Asked Questions, Resources, Policies, and more is always available online!

#### Pathways Success Stories



"Pathways has made life in Advising easier in several ways. Because of the automatic reminders that students receive, we have had far fewer missed appointments, which has likely been a cause for increased retention. Students are able to select their own appointment time, which automatically takes into account their class schedule. Students are no longer missing appointments because

they forgot they had class, or skipping class to make an appointment in Advising. The appointment summaries in Pathways help keep a streamlined note system which, being visible to all faculty/staff users, is helpful to keep everyone on the same page. The Campaign statistics show us what percentage of students we've met with, which students have not yet made appointments; we can resend a campaign to those who have not yet made appointments, and students can write notes to us about what they'd like to discuss in their meetings."

— **Karen Ricco, Academic Advisor, University of Pittsburgh at Greensburg**

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

Pathways Steering Committee Meeting

- September 23, 2020

Pathways Faculty Committee Meeting

- October 6, 2020

Best Practices Group

- September 28, 2020
- October 1, 2020

#### Mentoring and Advising Virtual Workshop Series Fall 2020

Taking Care of Yourself First: Advisor Self-Care

- September 23, 2020

Career Champion Program

- October 21, 2020

Register at [personalized.pitt.edu/workshops](https://personalized.pitt.edu/workshops)

#### Virtual Lunch and Learns

Holistic and Intrusive Advising Approaches for Student Retention

- October 9, 2020