



President's Report

Presentation to Board of Trustees

September 29, 2020



STUDENT SUCCESS

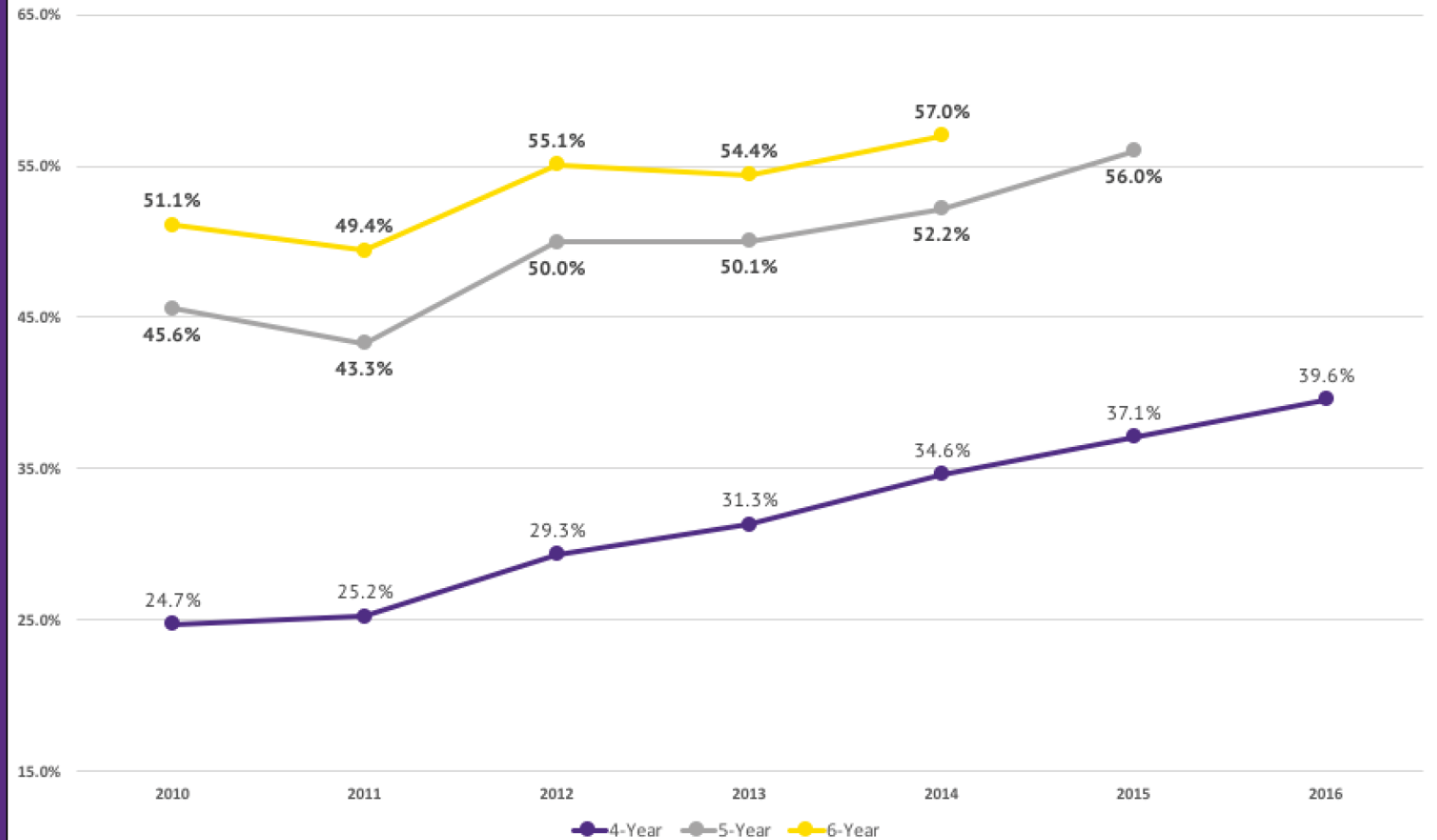


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AVERAGE ACT SCORE
INCOMING FRESHMEN

77.5%
RETENTION RATE
Freshman-to-sophomore
(Fall 2019 — Fall 2020)

57.0%
GRADUATION RATE
6-year
(Fall 2014 Cohort)

Graduation Rates
First-Time, Full-Time Freshmen



BY THE NUMBERS



2,460
DEGREES CONFERRED
2019-2020

- 1,990 Bachelor's Degrees
- 365 Master's Degrees
- 35 Ed.S. Degrees
- 32 Doctoral (Ph.D.) Degrees
- 38 Certificates



10,177
2020-2021
UNDERGRADUATE: 8,778
GRADUATE: 1,399

- 2,847 New Students
 - » 1,720 Freshmen
 - » 681 Transfer
 - » 446 Graduate

BY THE NUMBERS



\$20.1 MILLION
EXTERNALLY FUNDED
RESEARCH 2019-20

- 154 Research Activations
- 194 Research Proposals
- 32.2% of faculty involved in sponsored research



\$1.57 BILLION
GDP IMPACT ON STATE OF
TENNESSEE 2018-19

- \$764.69 million impact on the Upper Cumberland

College Rankings

- **One of only two Tennessee public universities in MONEY “Best Colleges for Your Money”**
- **One of only three ranked Tennessee public universities in U.S. NEWS “Best Colleges”**
 - **Ranked #136 best public university in the national rankings**
 - **Computer Science ranked #154 nationally out of thousands of universities**

College Rankings

- **Second highest first-year retention rate of all Tennessee public universities**
- **Second highest graduation rate of all Tennessee public universities**
- **Second highest average alumni giving rate among all Tennessee public universities**
- **Second highest average salary of all Tennessee schools – public and private – within five years of graduation; Vanderbilt #1**



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