

WELCOME TO 2022 NAEOP CONFERENCE

HOW TO COLLABORATE WITH OTHER TRIO PROGRAMS
TO MAXIMIZE THE BENEFITS FOR STUDENT TRAVEL

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Presentation Objectives and Goals

- By providing graduate exploration trips and activities, students will be motivated to pursue graduate school.
- As students feel they matter the more students can become advocates for themselves and future leaders.
- The more students feel they matter the less they feel marginalized.
- As a result of mattering, the increase for student involvement and for building a better community environment for student learning.
- By collaborating with other TRIO programs can lead to long lasting connections.
- To assist in nurturing future TRIO SSS students student leaders.

Student Outcomes

—As a result of student travel

- Students learn to form collaborations and network systems
- Students acquire new ideas and enrich understanding through personal experiences offered by diverse students in graduate school programs
- Students clarify and broaden their graduate school and leadership experience
- Students acquire realness of how the graduate school process can be
- Students can envision themselves in graduate school
- Students develop holistically and gain courage to be more authentic leaders
- Students can expand their comfort zone through being challenged
- Students learn to strengthen their personal narrative
- Students gain new perspectives and self discovery that they may have not known before graduate school travel

Advisor Outcomes

—As a result student travel TRIO SSS Advisors

- Gain one to one relationships with students
- Help develop student leaders
- Build lasting relationships with other TRIO program and obtain institutional contacts that could be beneficial students graduate school exploration
- Students can be funneled into Beyond the Bachelor's Degree course at ISU
- Students can also be funneled into TRIO McNair program

Before we get into the nuts and bolts of travel... — Let's talk about some theory

- Nancy Schlossberg's Marginality and Mattering
 - Mattering refers to: Do we feel like we belong? Do we make a difference? Do others care about us and make us feel like we matter?
 - Marginality referred to: When individuals feel marginalized they worry if they matter or belong to anyone else.
- Everytime an individual changes roles or experiences a transition, the potential for feeling marginal arises. Example: when non traditional students attend a traditional campus.
- Mattering refers to our belief, whether right or wrong that we matter to someone else.

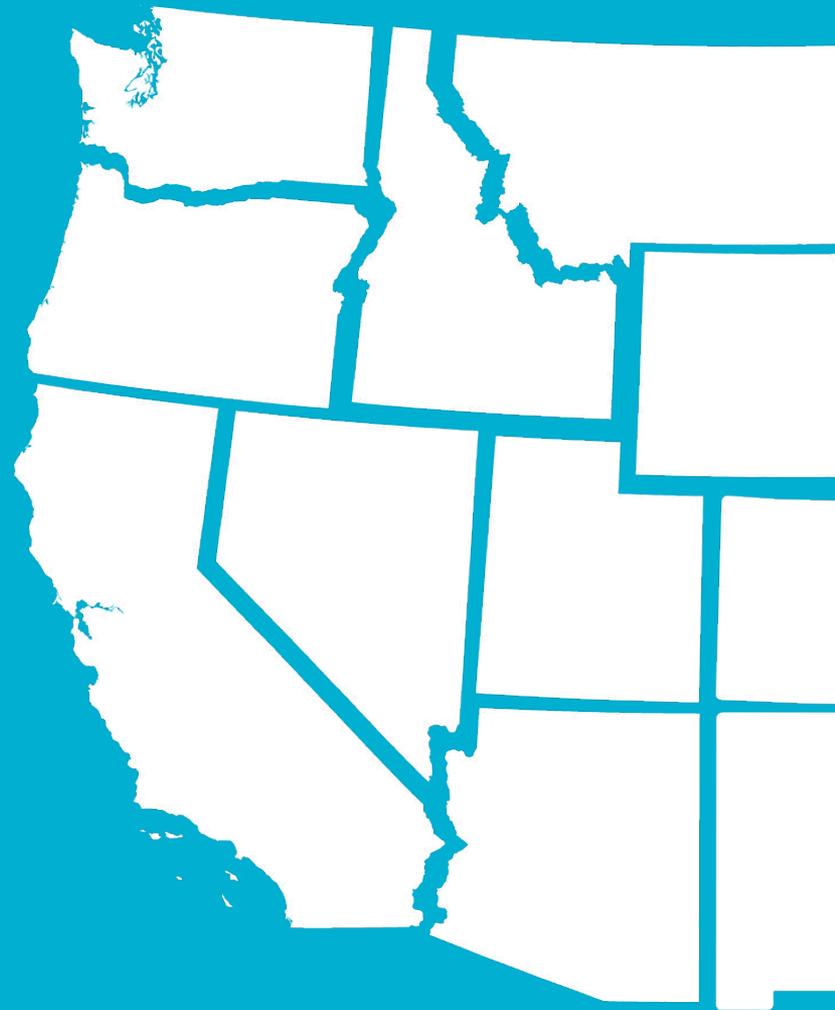
Mattering and Marginality

Exercise

- Think of a time when you felt like you really mattered or what you did was really valued.
- Think of a time when you felt as if you did not really matter or what you did was not valued.
- What are some ways we can show our co-workers they really matter or are valued?
- What are ways we show our co-workers they are being marginalized or not valued?
- Think of a time when our students really mattered .
- Think of a time when our students have felt like they didn't really matter or felt marginalized

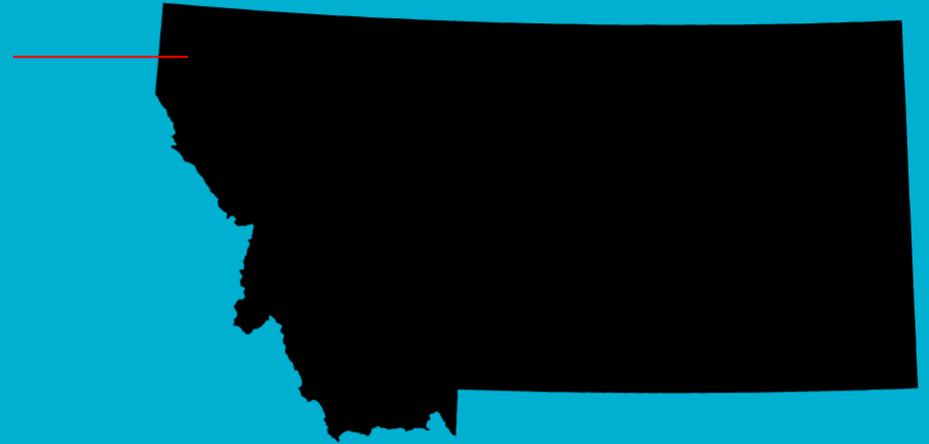
**The goal of SSS is to
increase college
retention and
graduation rates of its
participants.**

The Gem State. Idaho is majestic in that borders Canada to the North, Washington and Oregon to the West, Nevada and Utah to the South and Wyoming and Montana to the East. In saying that Idaho is very remote and isolated in some places. Travel could really dicey in the winter months. When thinking of travel there are plenty of options to choose from.



University of Montana

University of Montana was our first Summer 2021 graduate exploration trip. The SSS Program took the reins and provided us with a space to hear speakers from the graduate school, and financial aid office. The tour was exceptional mingling history, graduate information with individualized tours of graduate programs. The SSS program and staff discussed the graduate school application process.



Montana College

Visited

Portland State University
Oregon Health Science University
Oregon State University
University of Oregon



Oregon Colleges
Visited

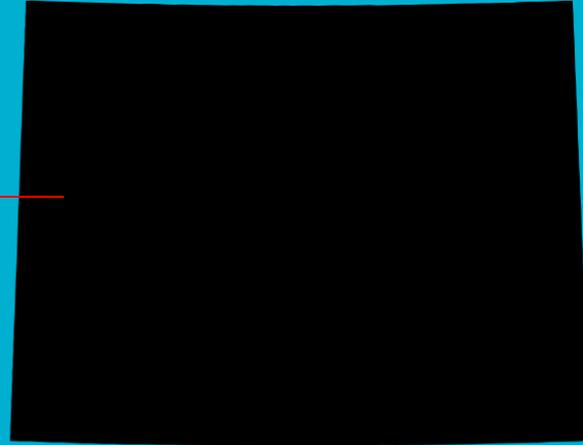


University of Denver
Metropolitan State
University
University at Colorado
Boulder
Anschutz Medical
Campus
Colorado State University
-Fort Collins

Colorado Colleges

Visited

University of Wyoming



Wyoming College
Visited

As a result of — collaboration with other TRIO SSS Programs

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Students learned that “there is more than just Idaho schools.” And “I can actually see myself here...”

As TRIO SSS we learned that other TRIO Programs do things differently. But the results are the same, helping students to reach their potential.

Any Comments Questions?

Purpose of Activity

To help TRIO Professionals understand that matter and are valued. To co-create a community of learners who value and support each other.

For Students

To discover that they all have had experiences of being valued and being marginalized, thus helping them to see that we all want to matter to someone.

Graduate Travel

By traveling to other campuses students learned that they can make a community anywhere that feel like they can belong and contribute.

**Thank you so much for
being here. I leave you
with I hope this
presentation in the
simplest gesture can
make a huge difference
in our students lives.**