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INFORMATION ITEM: Adult Students at UNCG: From Access to Success

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

In the last decade of the 20th century, UNCG’s challenge was access for adult students-making college enrollment a real option for those beyond traditional college age. And it worked—from 139 enrolled adult undergraduates in 1991 to about 2,500 by the end of the decade.

In the first decade of the 21st century, UNCG’s challenge is success for adult students-making college completion the regular outcome for those beyond traditional college age. And it is working—Ms. Brooks Graham, director of the Office for Adult Students, will brief the trustees on support of, and success by, adult students.

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