

Institutional Research Annual Report 2009-10, Carol Trosset, Director

Enrollment Management

- redesigned various Admissions reports to support decision-making
- developed net-revenue-based enrollment model to support Admission and Financial Aid decisions and Business Office budget planning
- regularly modeled yield to determine appropriate number of admits at each stage
- analyzed summer melt to identify students at high risk of attrition
- re-analyzed admit-decline data to provide new understanding of Hampshire's competitors
- worked with Steve Brooks to identify and correct errors in his net revenue calculations
- worked with George Dehne Associates to support surveying of current and prospective students
- worked with Central Records to provide regular enrollment reports
- staffed Campus Enrollment Committee
- staffed Board Enrollment Committee

Administrative

- hired Associate Director of Institutional Research for Enrollment Management
- supervised Research Associate
 1. external reporting
 2. end-of-course evaluation reports
 3. senior surveying of Wabash Study F06 cohort

Hampshire College Instructional Activity

- supervised Independent Study
- member on Division III linguistics committee
- member on Division II linguistics committee

External Professional Activity

- Higher Education Data Sharing Consortium, Member of Board of Directors and Chair of Research Advisory Committee
- Consultant work
 1. Knox College, Title III grant on improving data-driven decision-making
 2. Oxford College of Emory University, consultant-evaluator for University self-study
 3. Connecticut College, project on student attitudes toward discussion for Center for Teaching and Learning
- Publication: Weisler and Trosset, Using Wabash National Study Data to Analyze and Improve First-Year Retention, New Directions in Institutional Research volume (in press)
- Conference Presentations
 1. Assessing Information Literacy by Using the Research Practices Survey in a Consortium, with Jo Beld and Susan Canon, American Association of Colleges and Universities (2010)
 2. Re-Thinking the Data We Share: Report from the Research Advisory Committee, Higher Education Data Sharing Consortium (2010)