

3:50PM-4:25PM

ISSUE BRIEF: FOUR YEAR TUITION GUARANTEE

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DISCUSSION	During this meeting the committee held a teleconference with Ms. Lucy Berry from Kent State University who administers a program called "Kent First", a fixed 42 month payment program for incoming freshman. The committee posed questions to Ms Berry to determine if this type of payment plan would be popular with incoming UA students. Ms. Berry told us that Kent has between 400 and 500 student enrolled in this program. However, managing the program is challenging since it is labor intensive. The program includes tuition and general fees. But, it does not include other fees like special course fees, program fees, etc. The payment plan is based on the assumption of an increase of 3.5% per year. The committee decided to request input from the Student Engagement and Success Standing Committee.

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Next meeting –November 21, Buchtel Hall McCollester Room 2:30pm-4:00pm

Future meetings

December 5, 2:30-4:00pm & December 19, 2:30-4:00

Location: Buchtel Hall McCollester Room
