Evaluating the Academic Calendar: 2013 Update

Summer 2013



Project History

- 2009 Academic Calendar change (2 semesters and 3 terms)
- 2010 Evaluation of the New Academic Calendar
- 2011 update of measures to include additional year of data
- 2012 Academic Calendar change (3 semesters)
- 2013 update to measures of academics showing comparison for three different calendar periods:

OLD = before 2009

NEW = 2009-2011

CURRENT = 2012 to current



Measures of Academics

- Total students served
- Credit hours earned
- Cumulative GPA effects
- Current GPA effects



Total Students (Fall)

Academic year	Total # of Students Enrolled
Fall 2005	2492
Fall 2006	2473
Fall 2007	2397
Fall 2008	2424
Fall 2009	2586
Fall 2010	2819
Fall 2011	2775
Fall 2012	2780

Calendar change

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Total Credit Hours Earned

Credit Hours	Old	New	Current	
Winter	29,044	32,215	35,859	
Spring	11,057	10,704		
Summer	3,023	2,254	22,705	
First		8,474		
Fall	29,002	35,368	35,356.5	
Total	72,126	89,015	93,920.5	

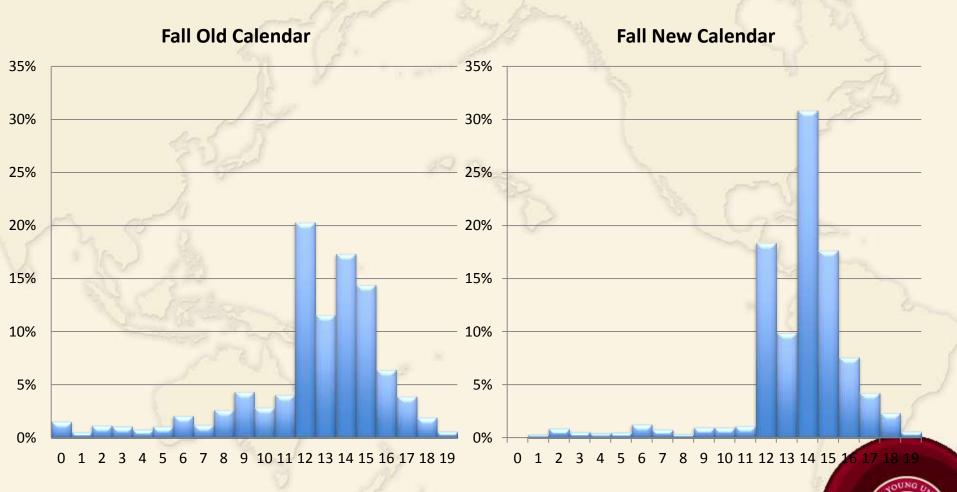


Average Credit Hours per Student

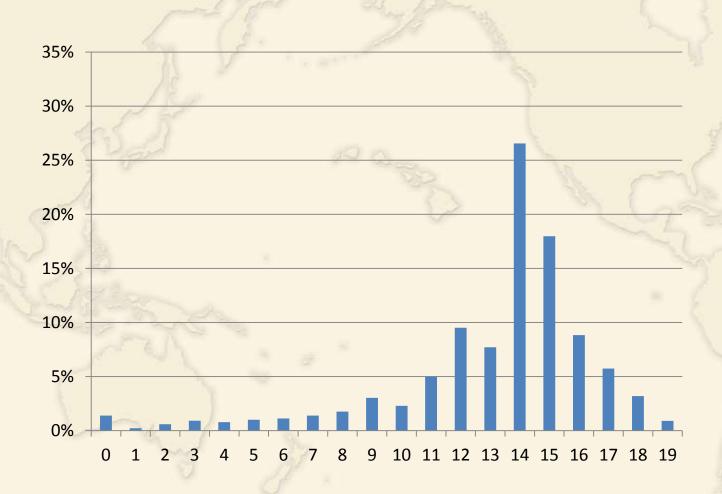
Credit Hours	Old	New	Current	
Winter	12.5	13.6	14.8	
Spring	6.3	6.6		
Summer	5.1	5.3	13.5	
First		6.5		
Fall	12.4	13.6	14.7	
Total	21.36	25.07	26.71	



Average Credits Passed New vs. Old Schedule Fall Semester

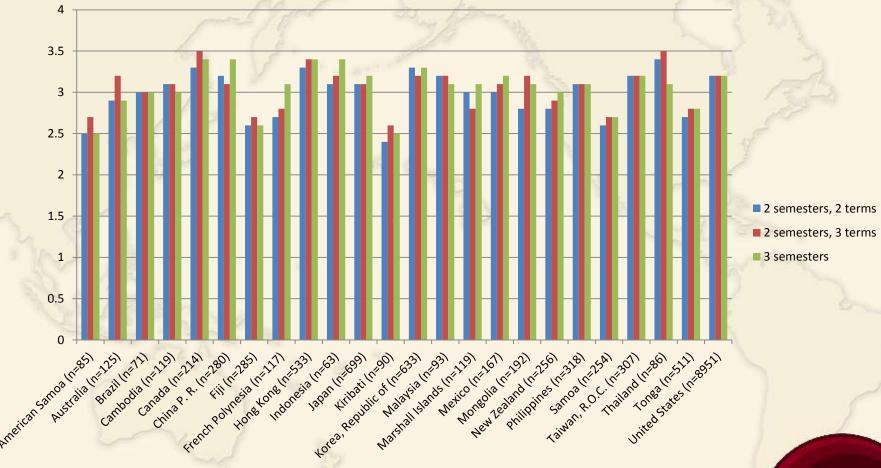


Average Credits Passed Current Fall Semester





Country Cumulative GPA Effects





Groupings by Regions:

Asia Developed: Hong Kong, Japan, Taiwan, South Korea, Singapore

Asia Developing: All other Asian countries (Ex. Philippines, Malaysia, Thailand, Mongolia, China, Indonesia)

Pacific Developed: Australia, New Zealand

Pacific Developing: All other Pacific countries (Ex. Samoa, Fiji, Tonga, French Polynesia)

United States: All 50 states (does not include U. S. territories)

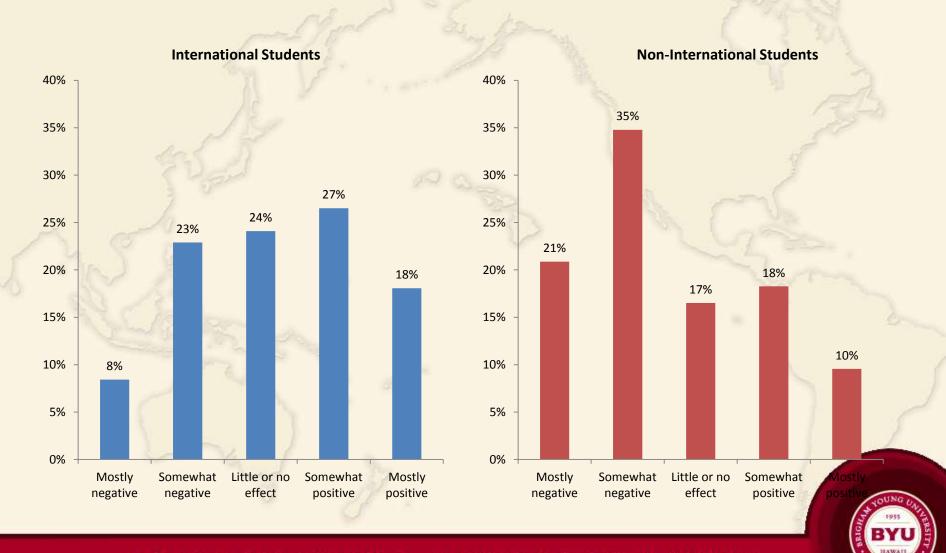
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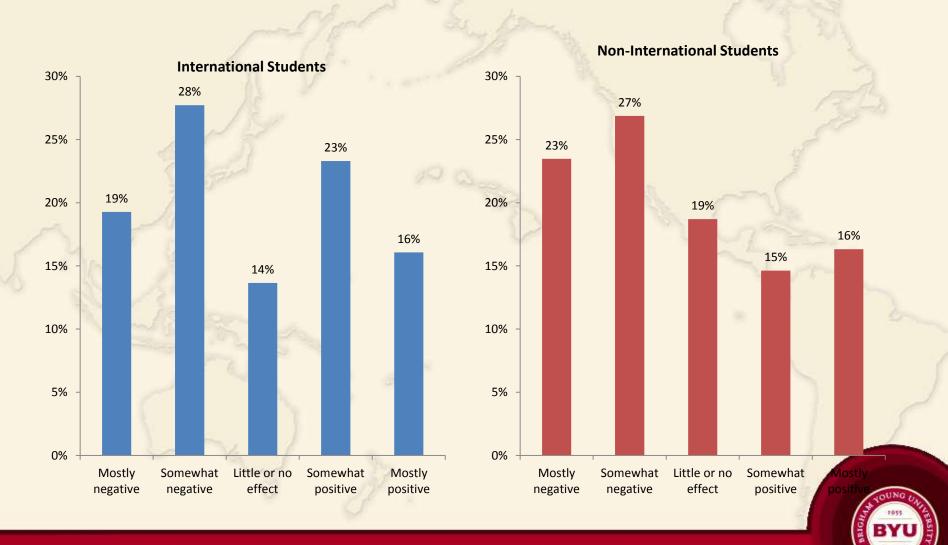
A Longitudinal Look at Current GPA by Region



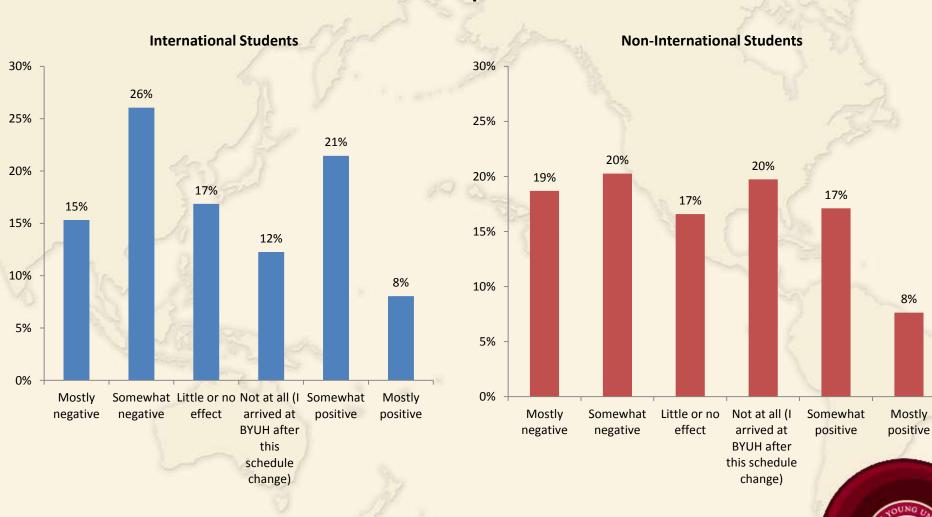
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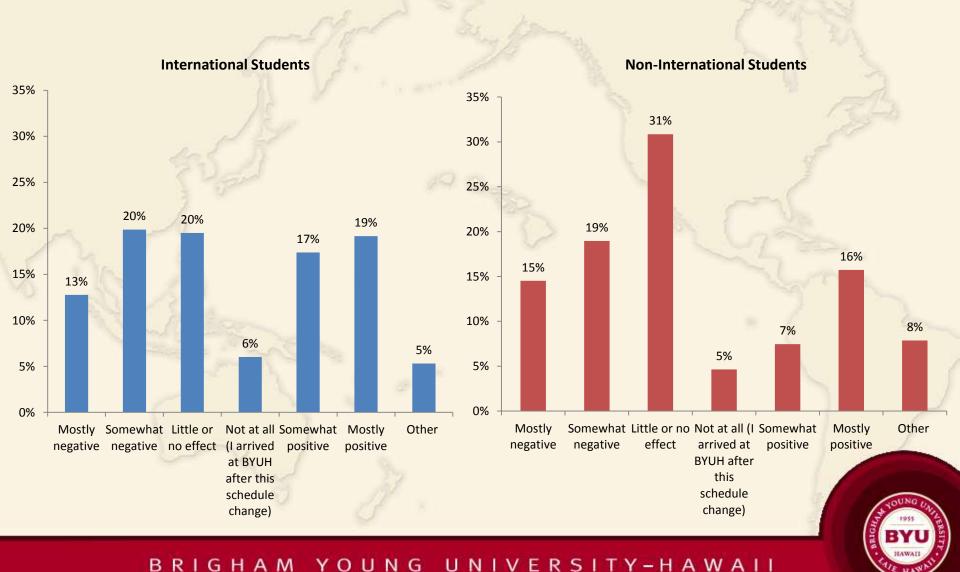
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How did the changes in the academic calendar effect your educational experiences at BYUH?



How did the changes in the academic calendar and efforts to help students graduate faster effect your personal educational experiences at BYUH?

