Small Steps Toward Big Success

"Be honest with yourself: Self-awareness involves knowing your strengths and weaknesses. When you are realistic and honest about yourself and the goals you have set, it indicates you are growing as an individual. Don't spend time hiding behind masks to cover your weaknesses, but search for ways to improve on them little by little."

Dr. Julian Thomas
A Note from the Title III Project Director

I am beyond excited about the progress of the Title III Project. Over the past few months, the new space in the Rosa Parks Museum (Room 329) has received its furniture to create workspaces for students and staff. The new Center for Student Success will provide an open concept conducive for academic success. Study spaces, pod chairs, collaborative smart tables will offer students the opportunity to enhance their experience at Troy University-Montgomery. There is an excitement in the Center for Student Success among the staff for our upcoming move into this new amazing space. The CSS Team has been working diligently to prepare for their new workstation space. I would like to give a huge thank you to Dallin Dean, all of the physical plant personnel, Sodexo personnel, and the inmates for all of their help repairing, moving furniture, and cleaning the new home for the Center for Student Success. As I look forward, I am ecstatic for this opportunity for our students to use this space. My hope is that students will enjoy not only the space but the services they are provided in the CSS.

Bre Gentry
Title III Project Director
Title III Grant Committee Events

Title III Grant Advising Committee

Troy Advising Webinar Series

The Troy Advising Webinar Series is brought to you by the Troy University Title III Grant Advising Committee. This committee, comprised of faculty advisors, professional advisors, and staff from various campus locations, was formed as part of the Title III Strengthening Institutions Program Grant awarded to Troy-Montgomery in 2021. The Title III Grant Advising Committee works towards bringing resources and trainings to aid all advisors across Troy University to meet the advising needs of our students.
How can students easily sign up for office hour and advising appointments—using an Office 365 tool available free through TROY that automatically create a Teams meeting link and integrates seamlessly with our TROY Outlook calendars? Welcome to Bookings!

Join the ultimate early adopters, Dr. Jeffrey Bohler and Dr. Shirley Farrell, as they demonstrate how to set up and use Bookings for office hours and advising in this half-hour webinar.
What Advisors Should Know About Flex Classes
Dr. Mary Anne Templeton, Dr. Jennings Byrd, Loubna Edwards, May 3rd, 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm central time (Registration Required)

Register here!

What is a Flex class (Hyflex class)? Why should students take one? Do students have to attend in person? Join the Dean of the Graduate School Dr. Mary Anne Templeton, Flex instructor Dr. Jennings Byrd and Flex Instructional Designer Loubna Edwards to learn what Flex is, how students benefit from Flex, and what all staff and faculty advisors should know about Flex classes.
Join Rebecca Johnson, Academic Advisor at the Dothan campus, to discuss tips and solutions on advisor wellness and self-care. Advisors devote a lot of their time helping students on their academic journey, such as planning out their future and even providing solutions to any stressful situations. This can lead to burnout if the advisor is not devoting time to themselves and setting boundaries. We will discuss several self-care techniques and tips on advisor wellness, plus time for discussion. There will also be time set aside for open discussion. If we are taking care of ourselves, then we can do our best advising.
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How to Establish Credit & Why is it Important
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