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Transfer Report 2014-2015 Academic Year

A Ten Year Trend

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# Students Who Transfer In to Housatonic Community College

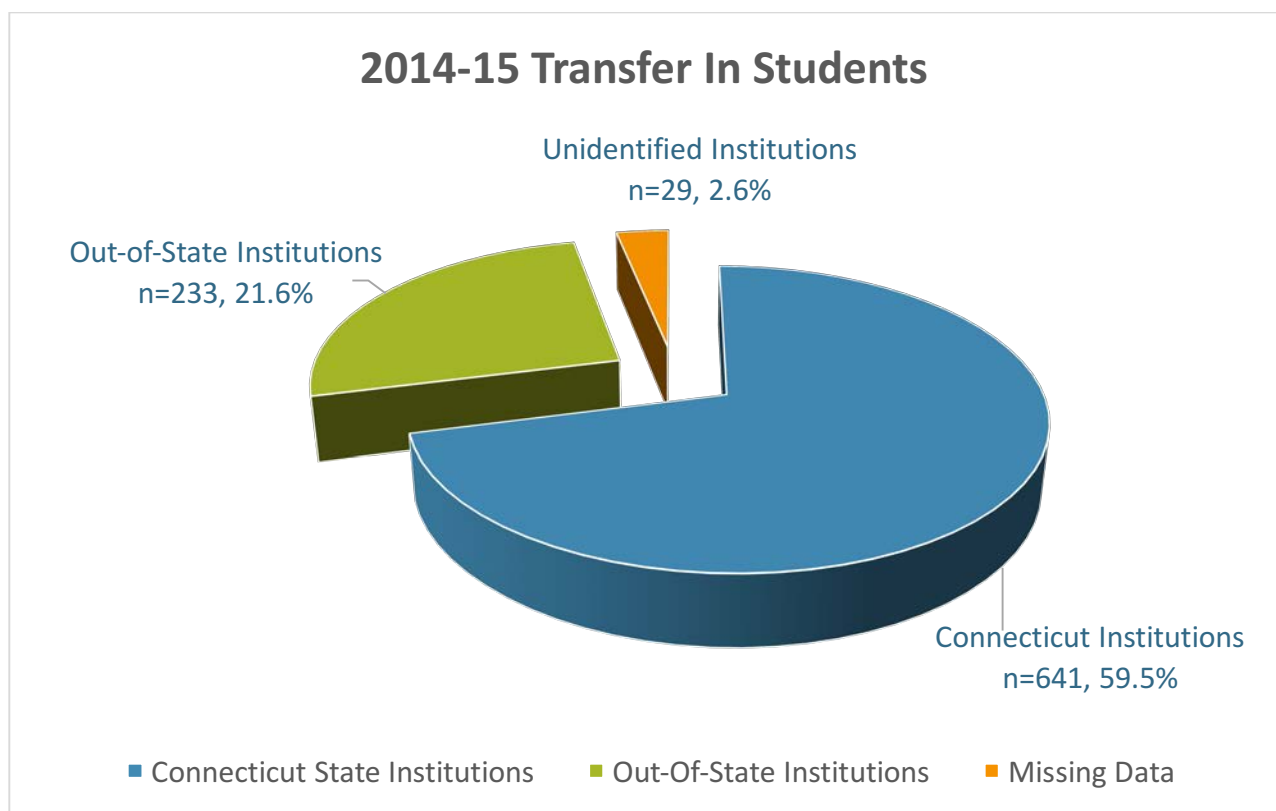
## Fall 2014 and Spring 2015 Semesters

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### Introduction

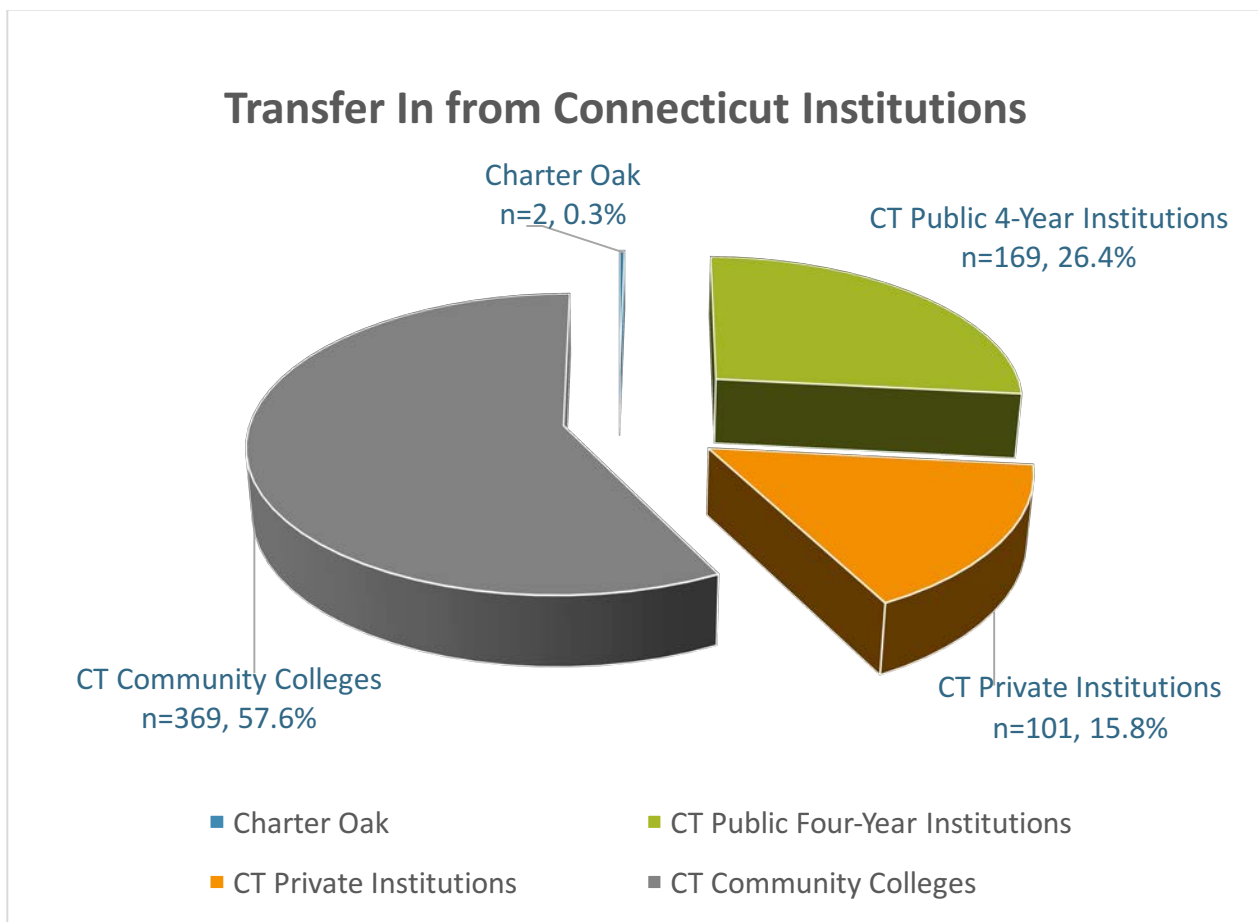
This annual report reflects students who have transferred into Housatonic Community College from other educational institutions in the previous two years and enrolled in the fall 2014 and/or spring 2015 semesters at Housatonic Community College.

A total of (n=903) students transferred in from other educational institutions during the 2014-15 academic semesters. Six-hundred-forty-one (n=641, 59.5%) students transferred from Connecticut institutions, (n=233, 21.6%) students enrolled from out-of-state institutions, and (n=29, 2.6%) students enrolled from unidentified institutions.



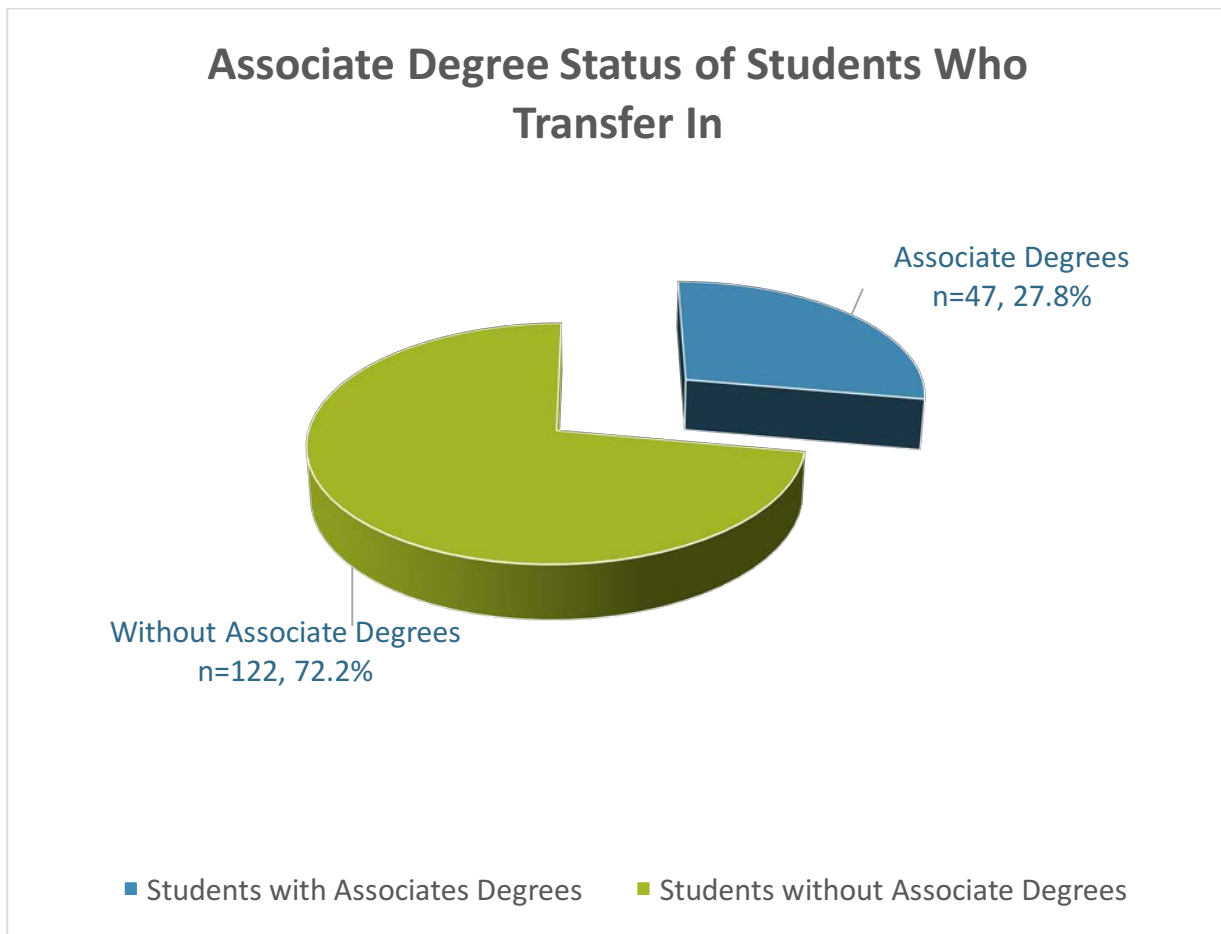
## Transfer In Students from Connecticut Institutions

The majority of students that enroll at HCC are transfer students from other Connecticut Community Colleges. Of the (n=641) students who transferred in from other Connecticut institutions, (n=169, 26.4%) transferred from public four-year institutions, (n=369, 57.6%) enrolled from Connecticut Community Colleges, (n=2, 0.3%) enrolled from Charter Oak, and (n=101, 15.8%) enrolled from Connecticut private institutions.



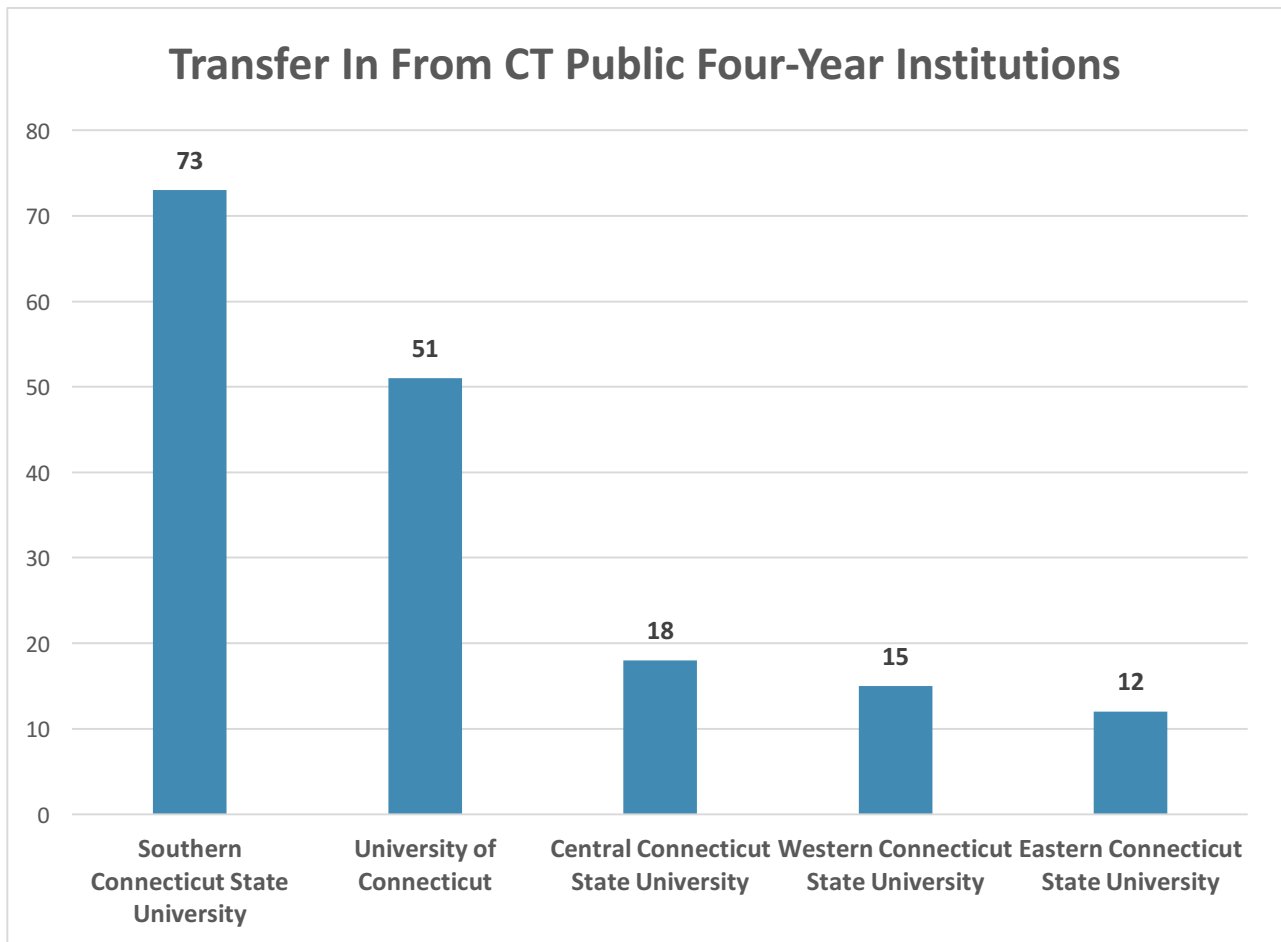
## Transfer In Students – Associate Degree Status

Of the (n=169) students who transferred in from Connecticut public four-year institutions in the Fall 2014 and Spring 2015 semesters, (n=47, 27.8%) students enrolled with previously held associates degrees.



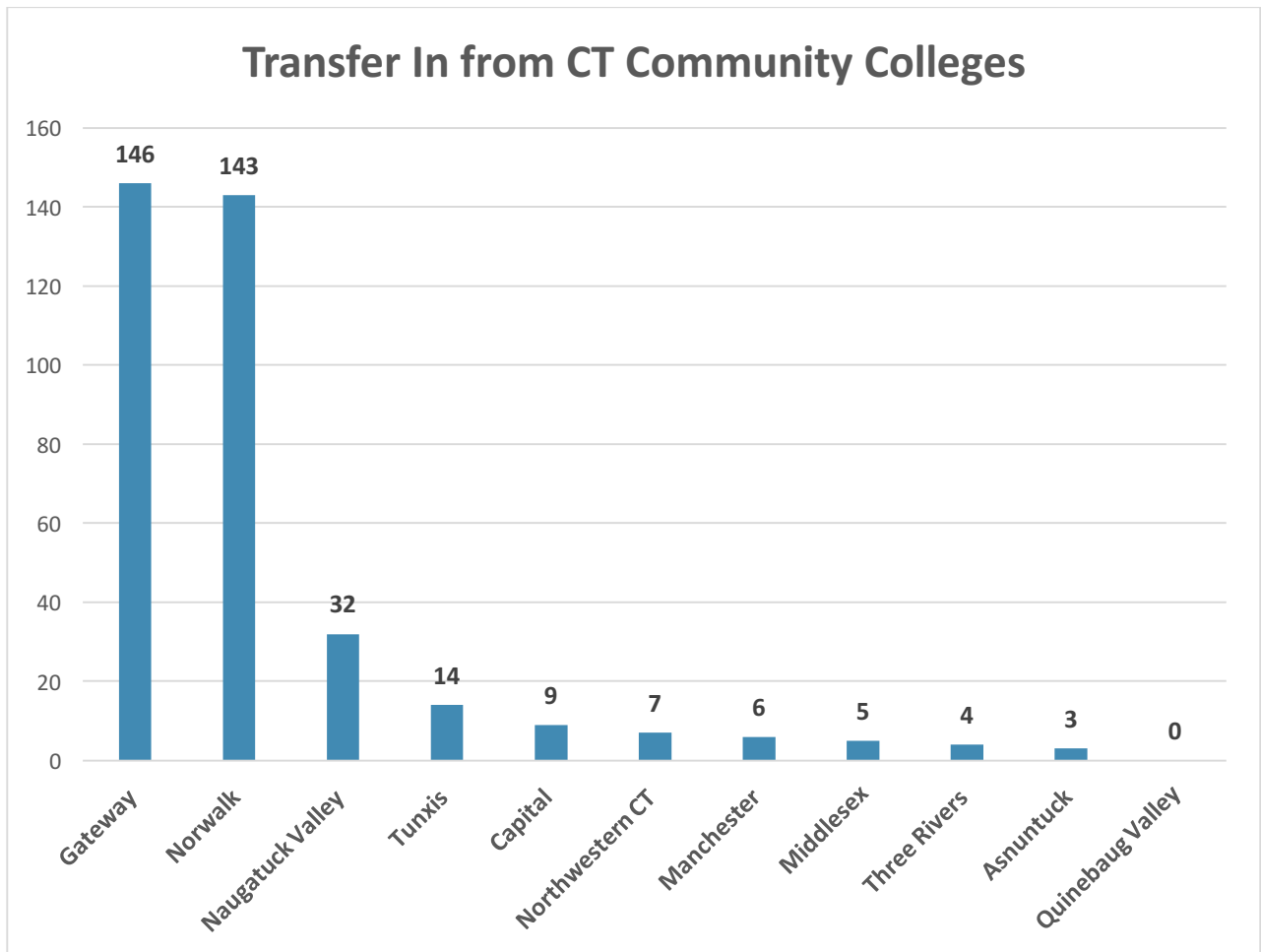
## Transfer In from Connecticut Public Four-Year Institutions

One-hundred-sixty-nine students (n=169) transferred to HCC in the fall 2014 and spring 2015 from Connecticut public four-year institutions. The majority, (n=73, 43.2%), of transfer students came from Southern Connecticut State University.



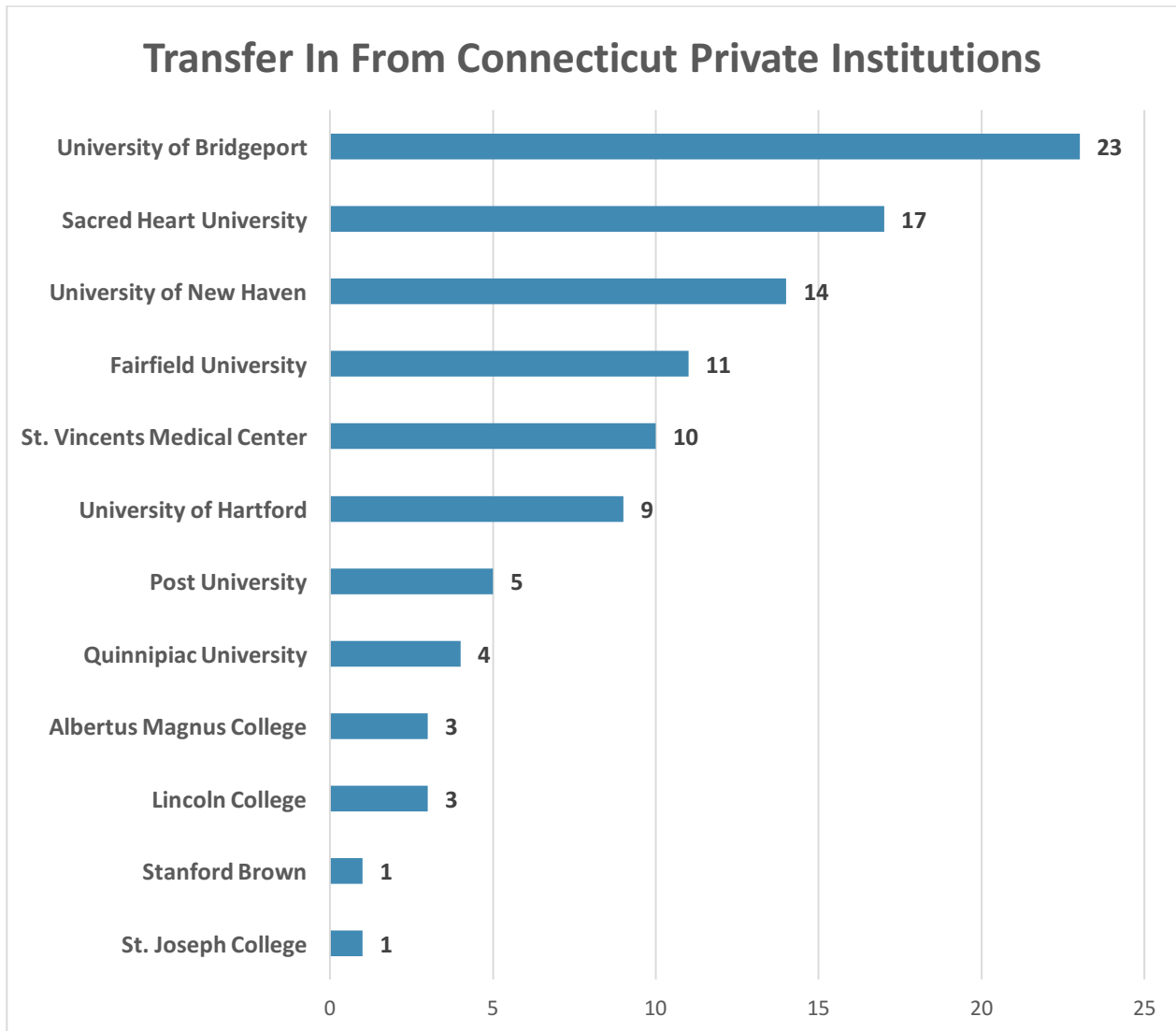
## Transfer In from Connecticut Community Colleges

Three-hundred-sixty-nine (n=369) students transferred credits from CT State Community Colleges. Most, (n=146, 39.6%), of the students that transferred from community colleges transferred from Gateway Community College followed by Norwalk Community College (n=143, 38.8%).



## Transfer In from Connecticut Private Institutions

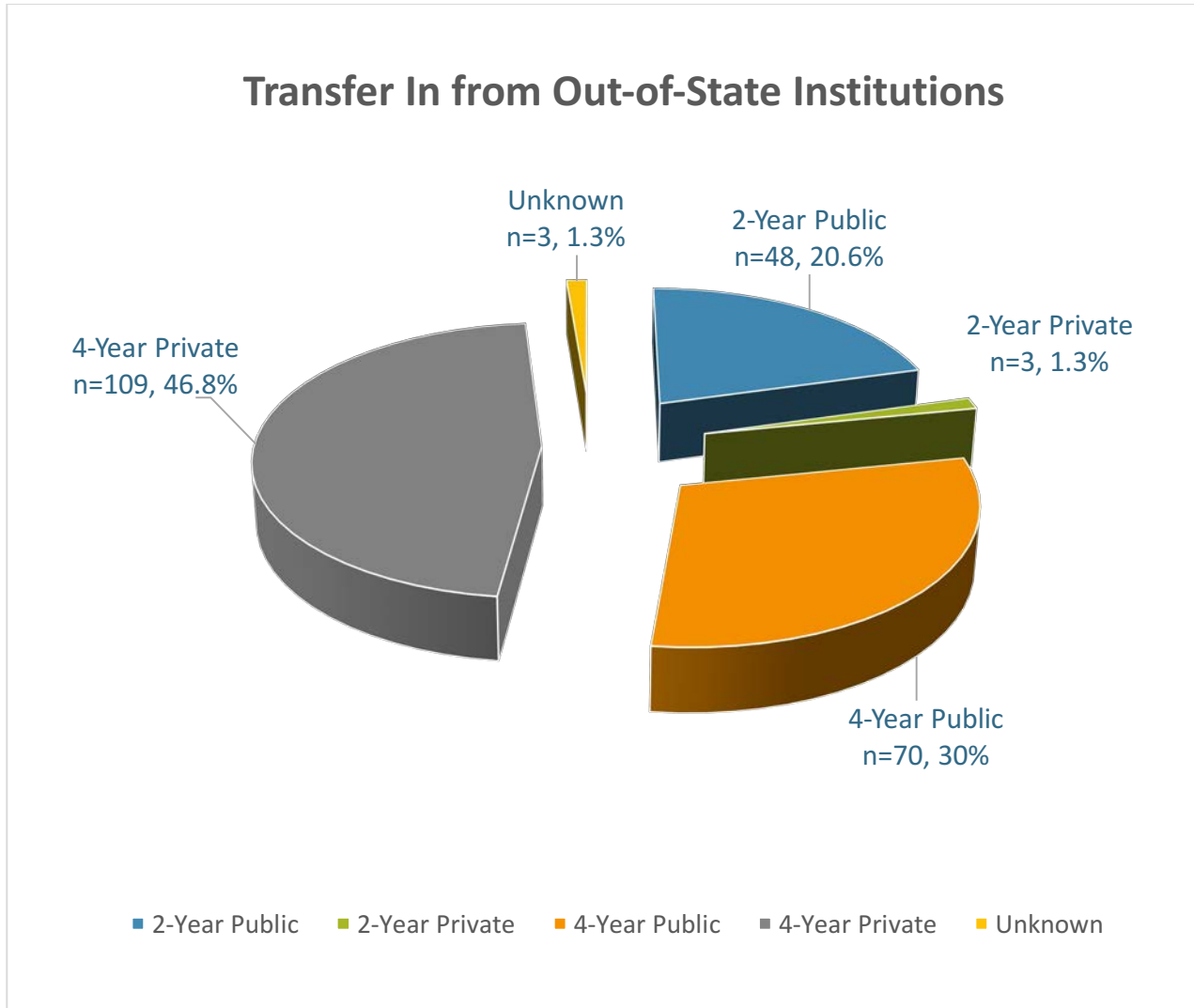
One-hundred-one (n=101) students transferred from Connecticut private institutions. The majority, (n=23, 22.8%) students transferred from University of Bridgeport followed by (n=17, 16.8%) students who transferred from Sacred Heart University.





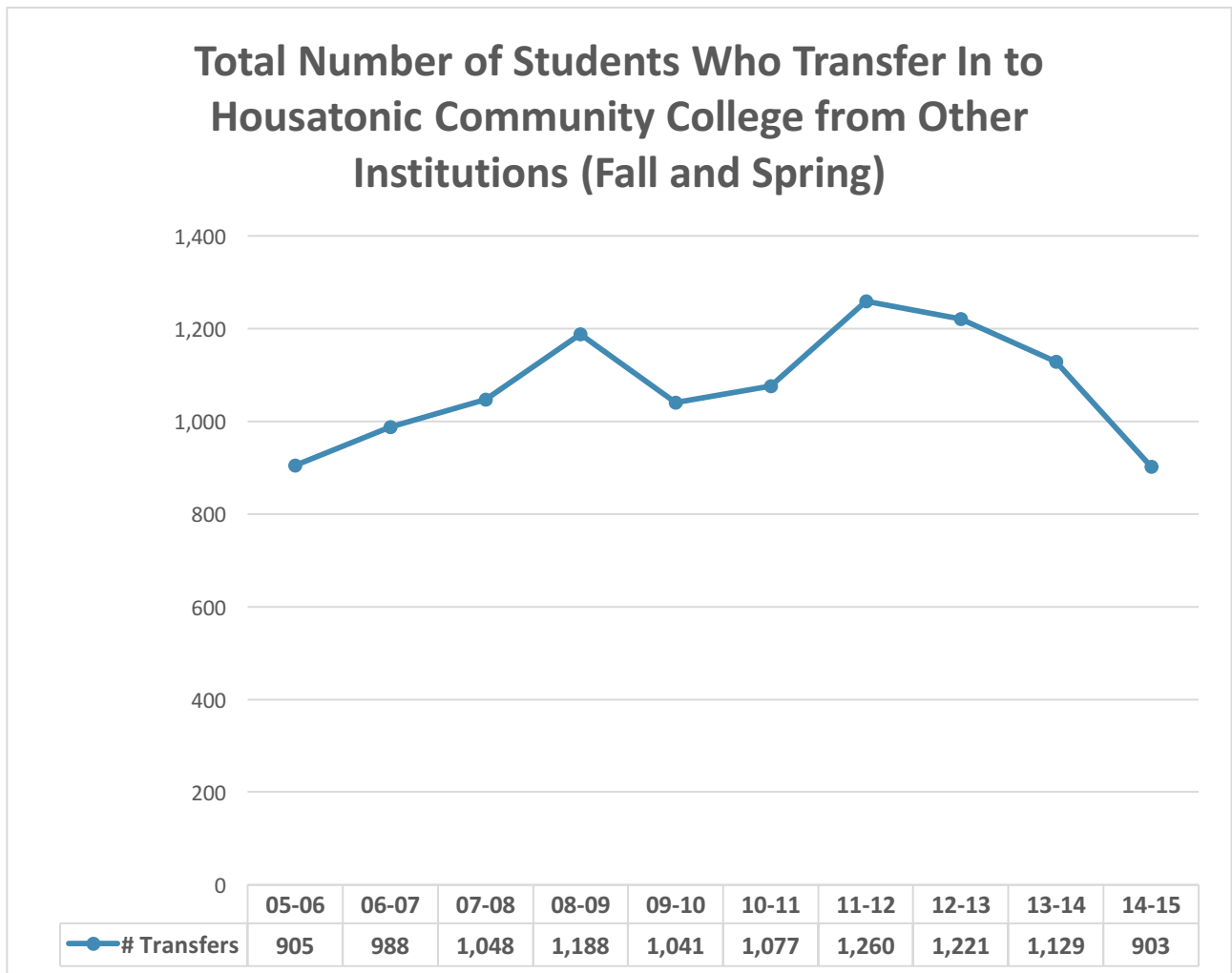
## Transfer In from Out-of-State Institutions

A total of (n=233) transferred into HCC from out-of-state institutions. Most, (n=109, 46.8%), of the students who transferred from out-of-state came from four-year private institutions.

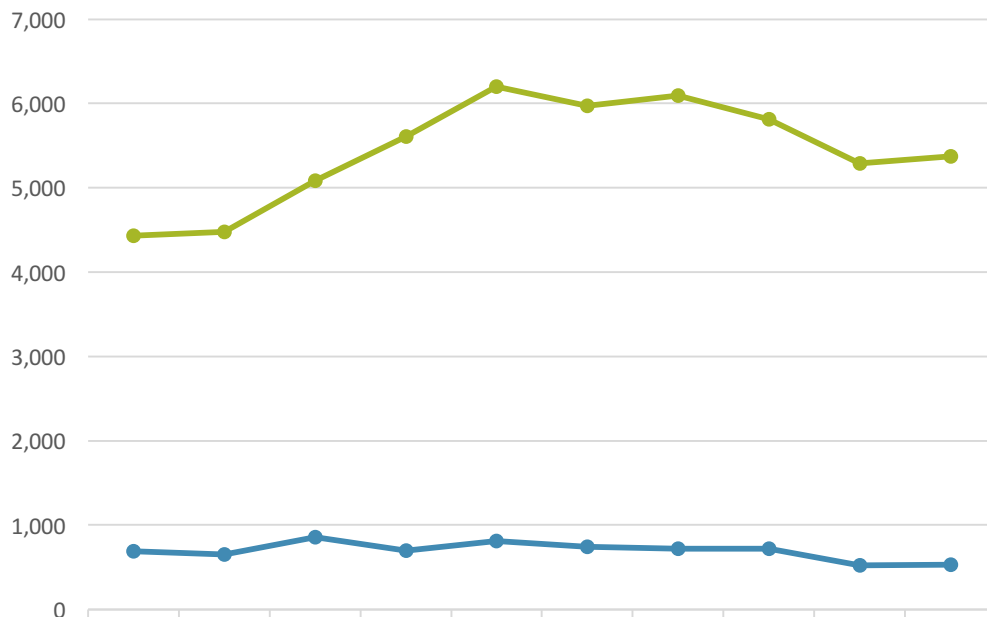


## Ten Year Trends by Fall & Spring Semesters

In the past ten years 2005-2015, HCC has enrolled (n=10,760) transfer students in our Fall and Spring semesters. Two-thousand-six-hundred-sixty-one (n=2,661) of these students transferred to HCC from out-of-state institutions.



## Total Number of Students Who Have Transfer In to HCC from Other Institutions and Total Headcount Enrollment (Fall Semesters)

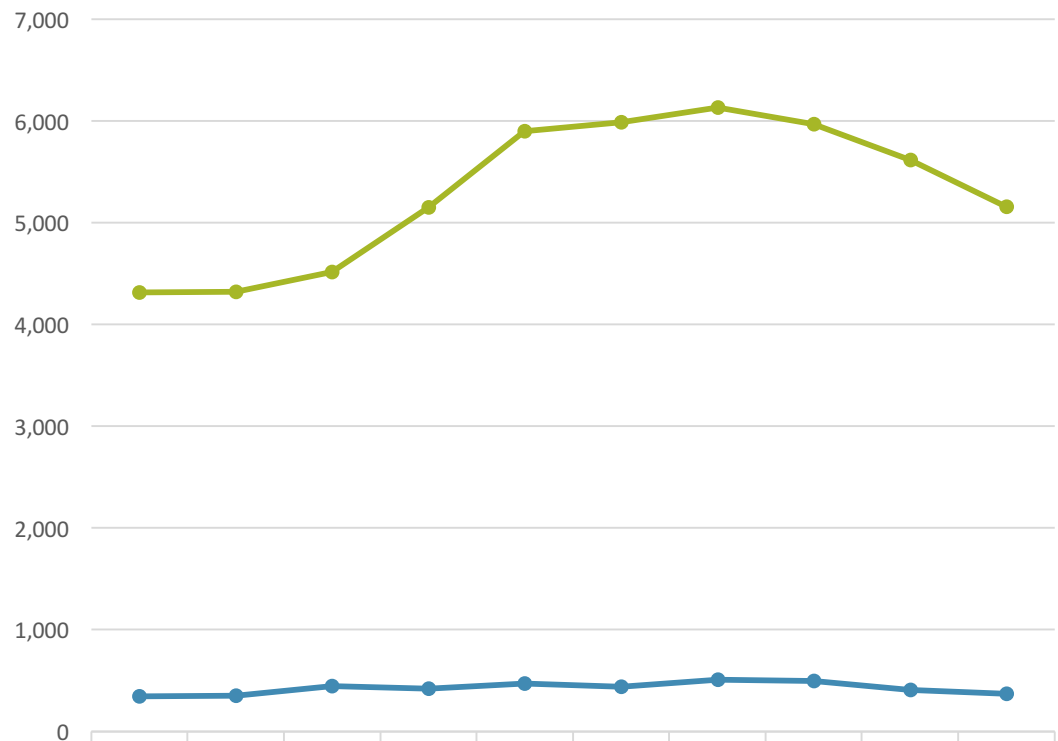


	Fall 2006	Fall 2007	Fall 2008	Fall 2009	Fall 2010	Fall 2011	Fall 2012	Fall 2013	Fall 2014	Fall 2015
# of Transfers	688	653	859	696	816	748	723	720	528	531
Total Headcount	4,431	4,475	5,081	5,609	6,197	5,975	6,097	5,813	5,286	5,369
Percentage	15.5%	14.6%	16.9%	12.4%	13.2%	12.5%	11.9%	12.4%	10.0%	9.9%

The number of students transferring to HCC in the fall semester ranged from 528 (Fall 2014) to 859 (Fall 2008) students. The Fall 2008 semester enrollment represented the highest surge in enrollment over the last ten years.

The number of new transfer students range from 9.9% (Fall 2015) to 15.5% (Fall 2006) of the total college enrollment in the past ten years of Fall semesters.

## Total Number of Students Who Have Transfer In to HCC from Other Institutions and Total Headcount Enrollment (Spring Semesters)

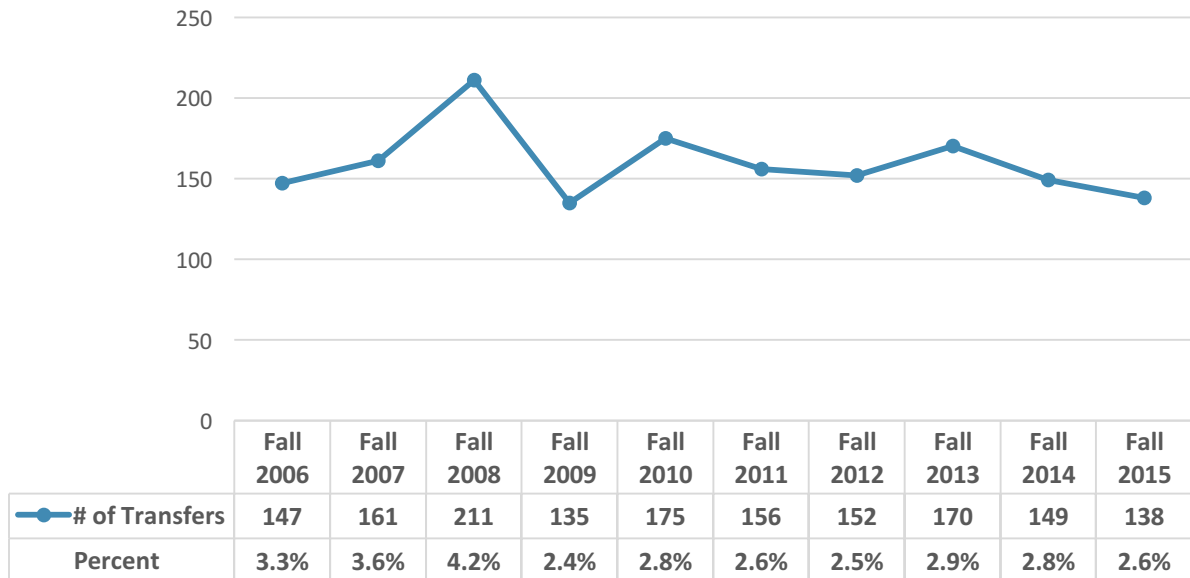


	Spring 2006	Spring 2007	Spring 2008	Spring 2009	Spring 2010	Spring 2011	Spring 2012	Spring 2013	Spring 2014	Spring 2015
# of Transfers	351	352	449	421	473	445	512	498	409	375
Enrollment	4,319	4,326	4,516	5,152	5,903	5,989	6,132	5,968	5,619	5,157
Percentage	8.1%	8.1%	9.9%	8.2%	8.0%	7.4%	8.3%	8.3%	7.3%	7.3%

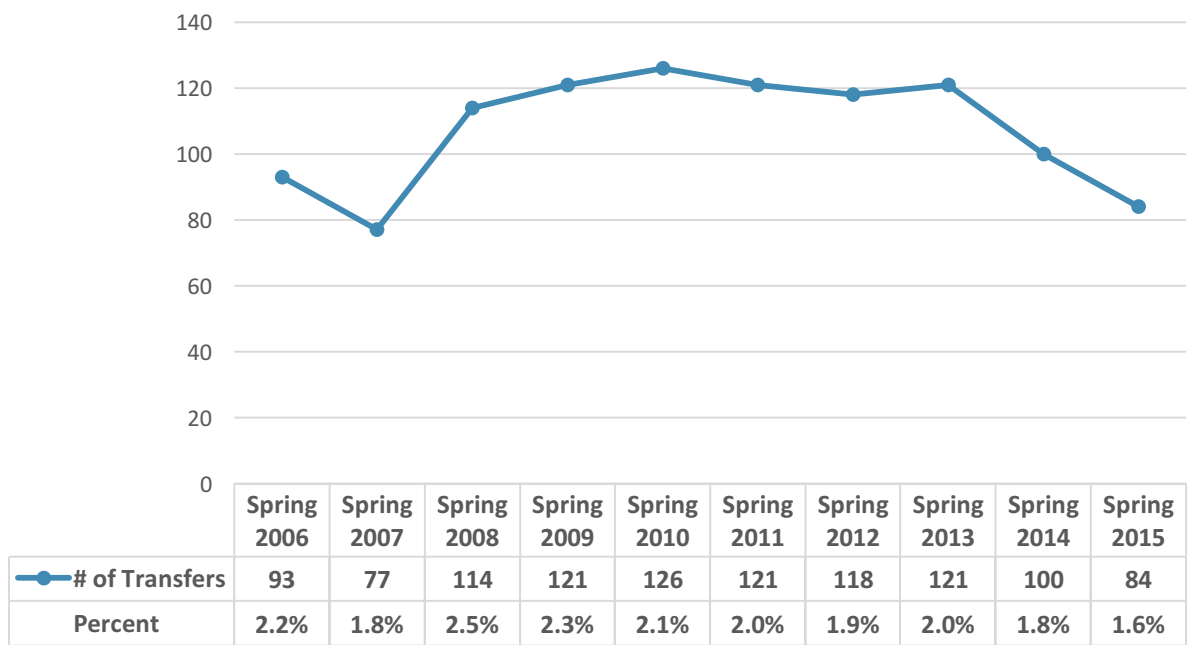
The number of students transferring to HCC in the Spring semester ranged from 351 (Spring 2006) to 512 (Spring 2012) students. The Spring 2012 semester enrollment represented the highest surge in enrollment over the last ten years.

The number of new transfer students range from 7.3% (Spring 2014/2015) to 9.9% (Spring 2008) of the total college enrollment in the past ten years of Spring semesters.

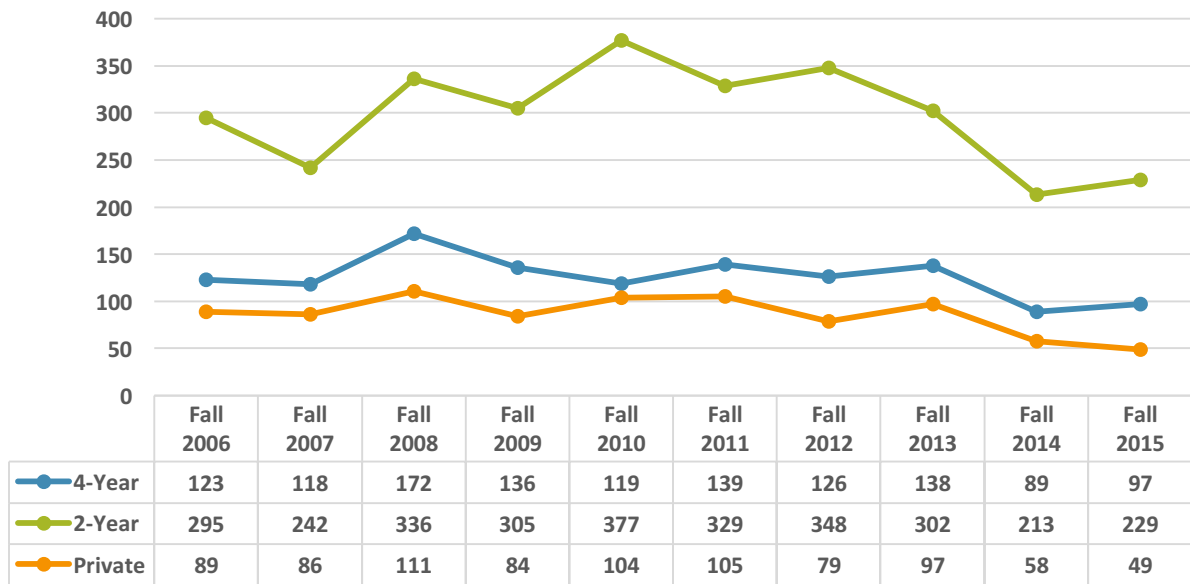
## Total Students Who Transfer In to HCC From Out-of-State Institutions (Fall Semesters)



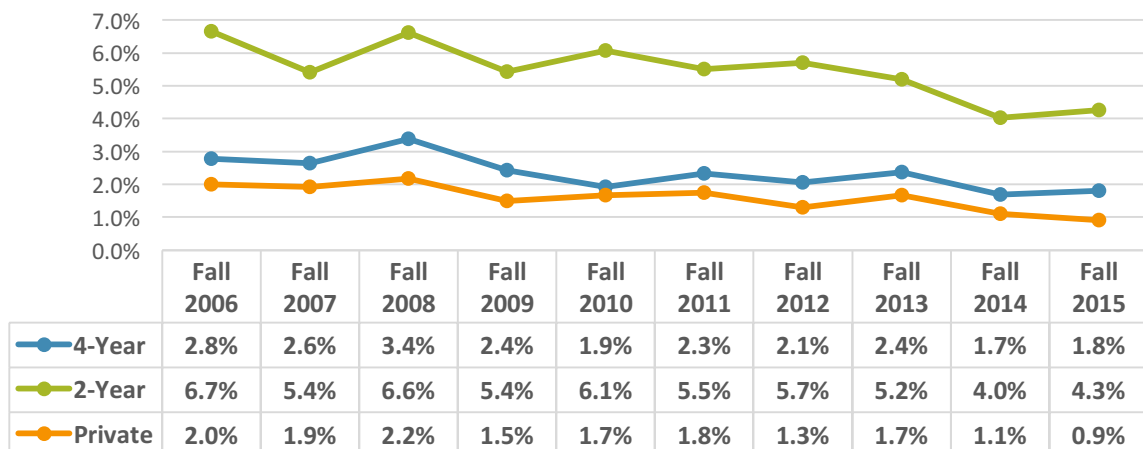
## Total Students Who Transfer In to HCC Out-of-State Institutions (Spring Semesters)



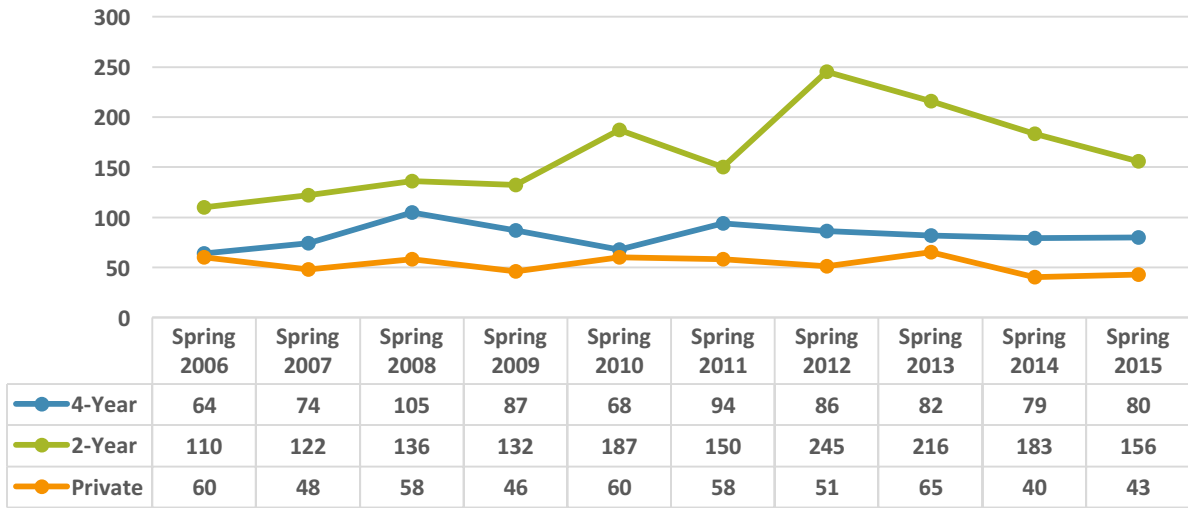
## Students Who Transfer In From Connecticut Institutions Four-Year, Two Year, and Independent Colleges (Fall Semesters)



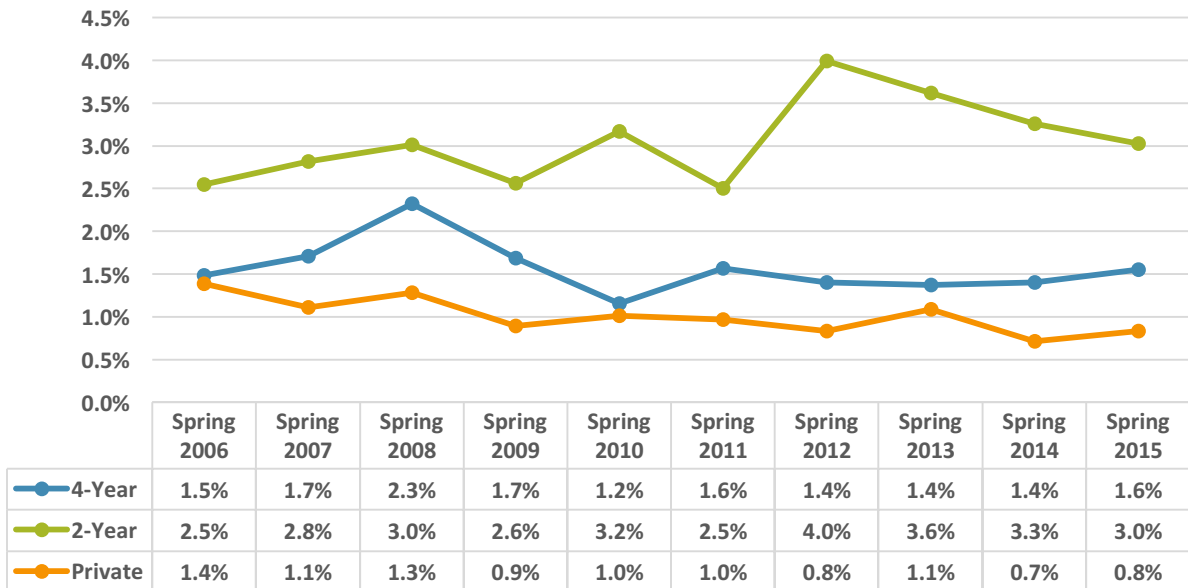
## Students Who Transfer In From Connecticut Institutions Four-Year, Two Year, and Independent Colleges (Fall Semester Percentages)



## Students Who Transfer In From Connecticut State Institutions: Four-Year, Two Year, and Private Colleges (Spring Semesters)



## Students Who Transfer In From Connecticut State Institutions: Four-Year, Two Year, and Private Colleges (Spring Semester Percentages)



## Methods

The data used for this report was extracted from Banner on July 7, 2011 and October 2015. The Banner extract used for the information in this report may not reflect the same number of transfer students reflected in the Banner database coded as “D” for transfer students each semester. This data relies on membership to the National Clearinghouse for transfer students. Numbers may vary due to colleges and university membership and the accuracy of student data in order to match the students within each database from various colleges.

## Concluding Thoughts

Almost 10,000 students have transferred from a college or university to Housatonic Community College in the past ten years. In the Fall semesters, the number of transfer students ranged from 531 in Fall 2015 to 859 in Fall 2008. As a percentage of the total enrollment, transfer students have been between 9.9% in the Fall 2015 semester and 16.9% (Fall 2008).

When examining the past ten spring semester enrollment, transfer students ranged from 351 (Spring 2006) to 512 (Spring 2012). As a percentage of total enrollment transfer students have ranged from 7.3% (Spring 2015) to as much as 9.9% of the total enrollment of students in Spring 2008.

Primarily over the past ten years, students that transfer to HCC in the Fall and Spring semesters are from other Connecticut community colleges.



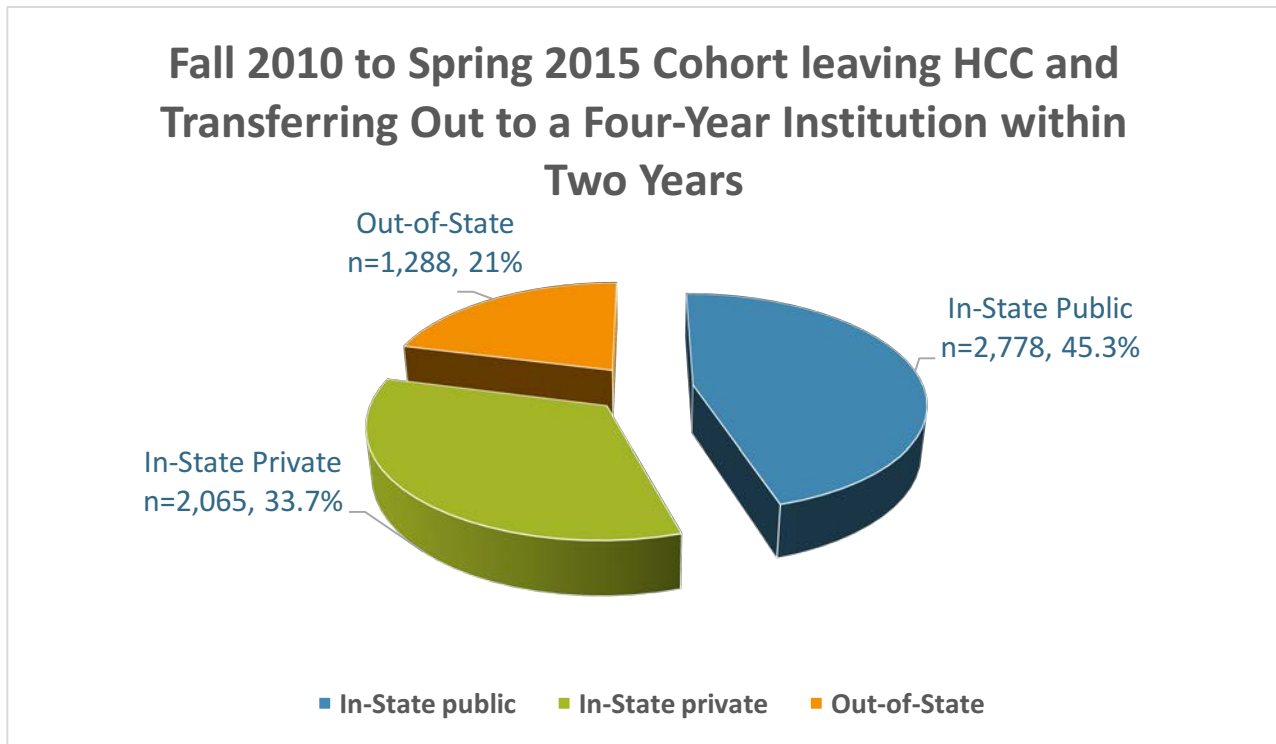
# Students Who Transfer Out From Housatonic Community College Annual Report - 2015

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## Introduction

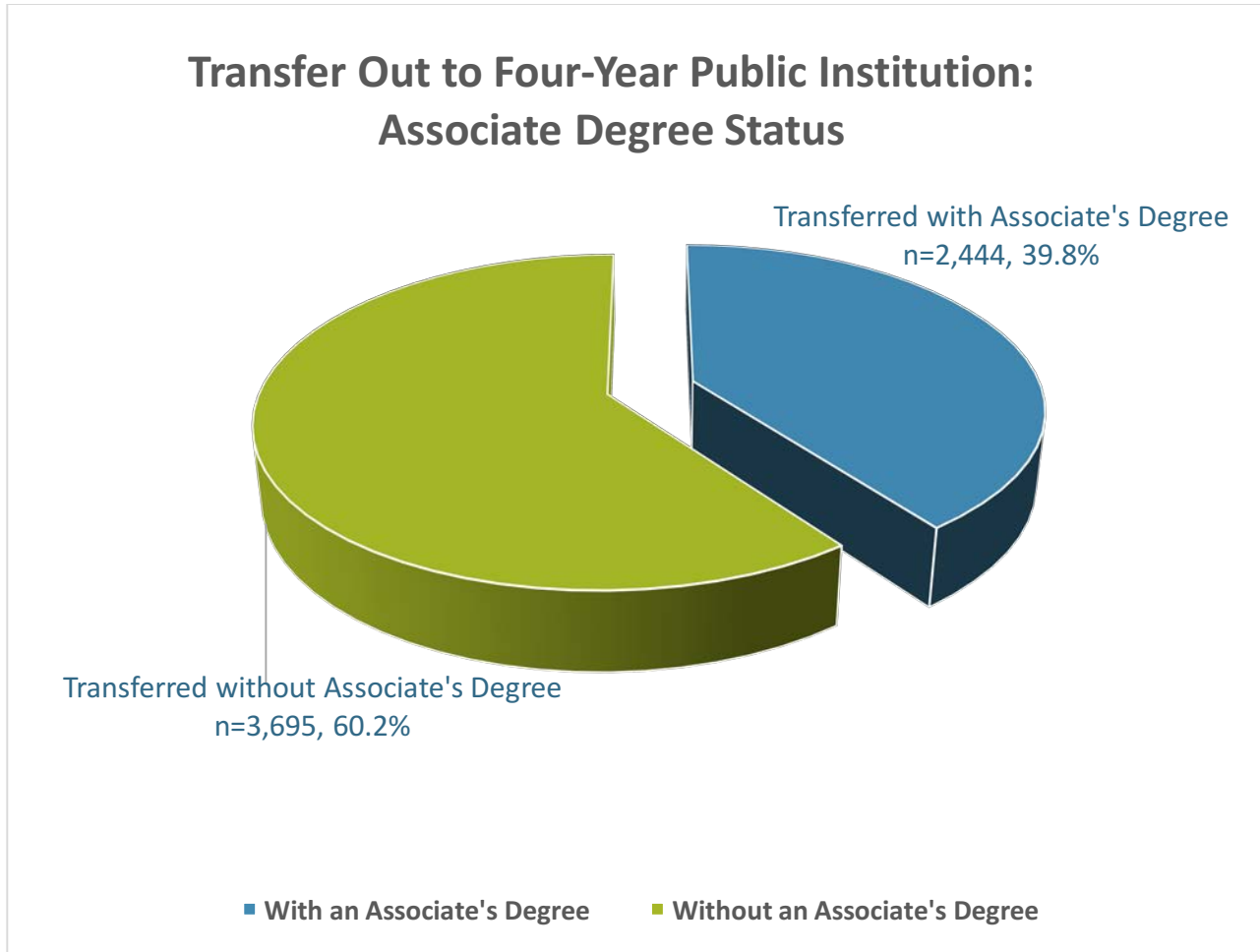
This report pertains to Housatonic Community College students' patterns of transfer. The report represents an unduplicated headcount of students who last attended Housatonic Community College in the last five academic years and then transferred to another institution of higher education within two years of their departure.

A total of (n=6,131) students transferred to a 4-year college within two years of departing HCC. The majority (n=2,778, 45.3%) of students who transferred to other 4-year institutions enrolled at a Connecticut public 4-year institution.



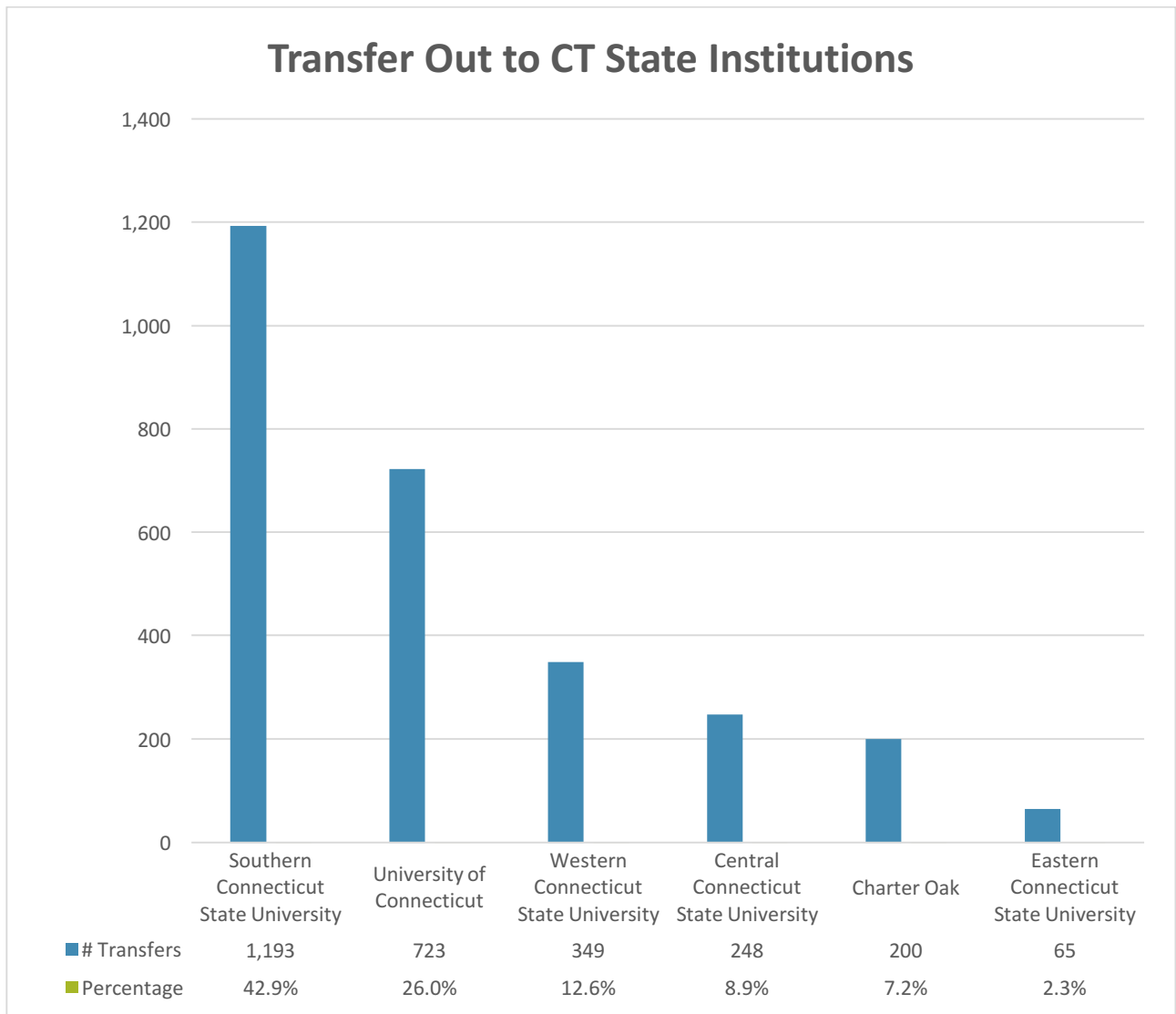
## Transfer Out Students – Associate Degree Status

The total number of students who transferred out in this five-year cohort (n=6,139), 2,444 (39.8%) did so with Associate degrees from HCC.



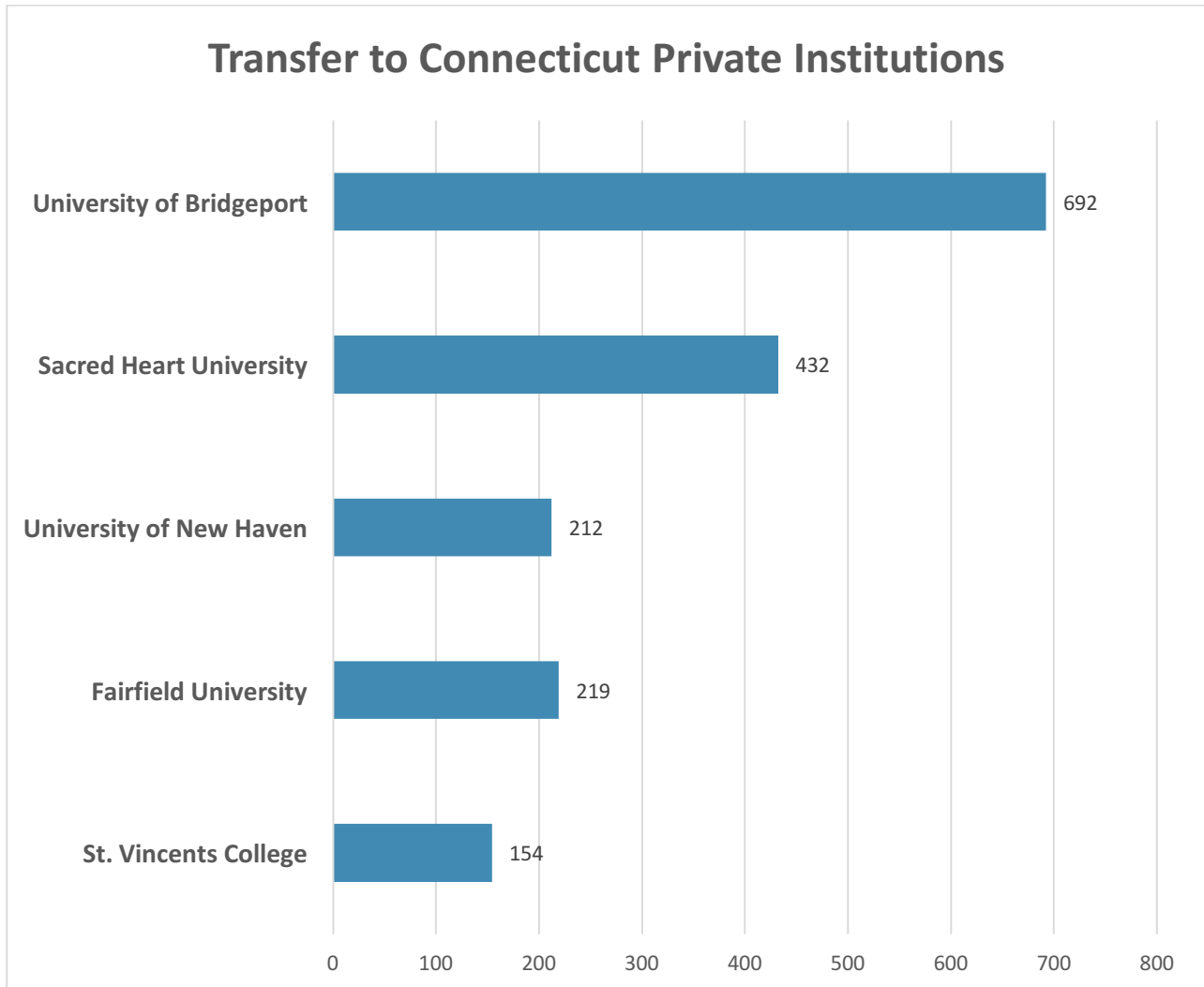
## Transfer Out to Connecticut Public Four-Year Institutions

Of the (2,778) students who chose to transfer to public four-year institutions within the state of Connecticut, (n=1,193, 42.9%) chose to attend Southern Connecticut University.



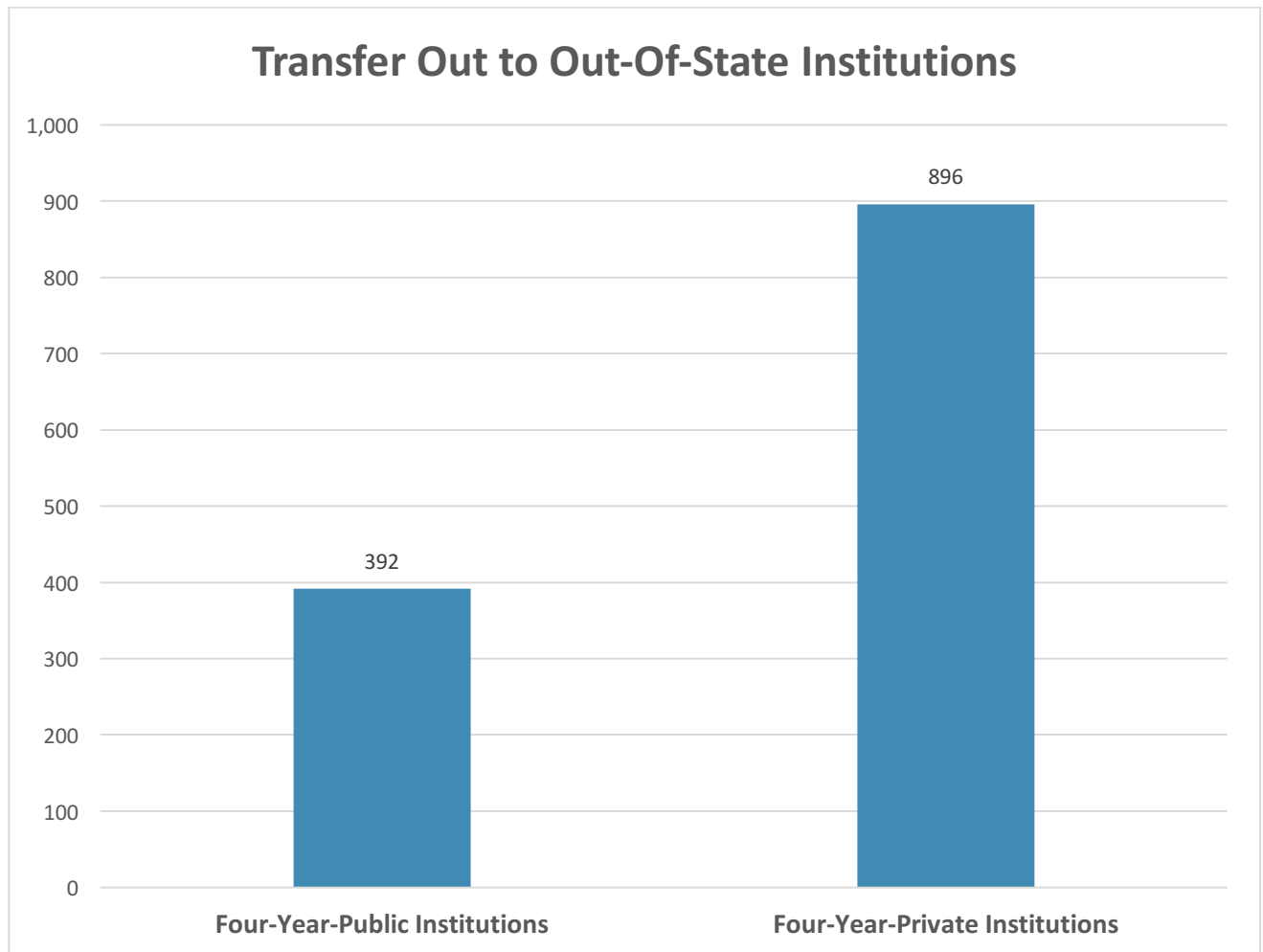
## Transfer Out to Connecticut Private Institutions

Of the (n=2,065) transfer students who chose to enroll in a private institution, the majority enrolled at the University of Bridgeport (n=692, 33.5%), Sacred Heart University (n=432, 20.9%), University of New Haven (212, 10.3%), Fairfield University (n=219, 10.6%), and St. Vincent's College (n=154, 7.5%).



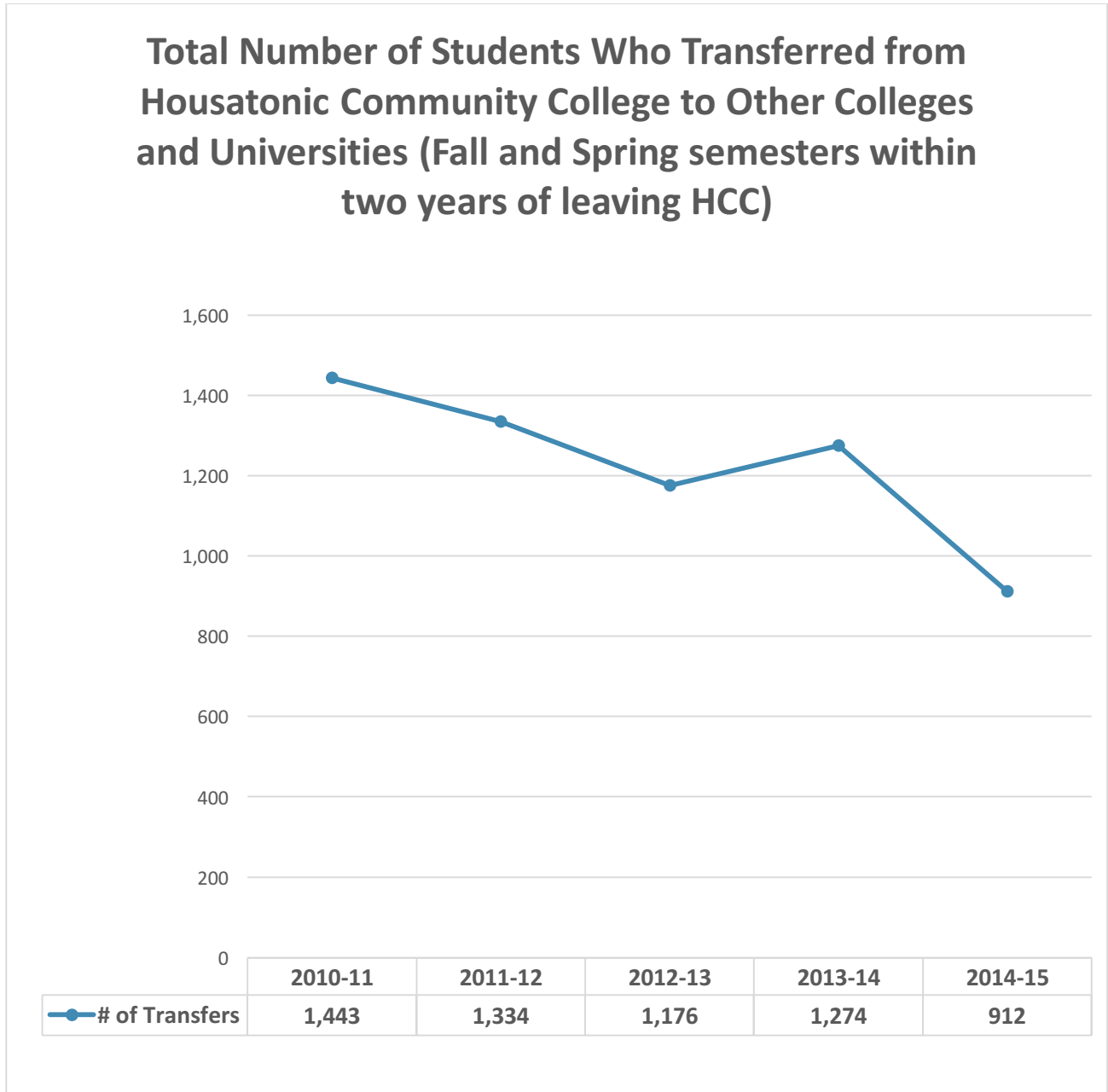
## Transfer Out to Out-of-State Institutions

Of the (n=1,288) HCC students chose to transfer to an out-of-state institution. The majority of students, (n=896, 69.6%), chose to attend four-year-private institutions.

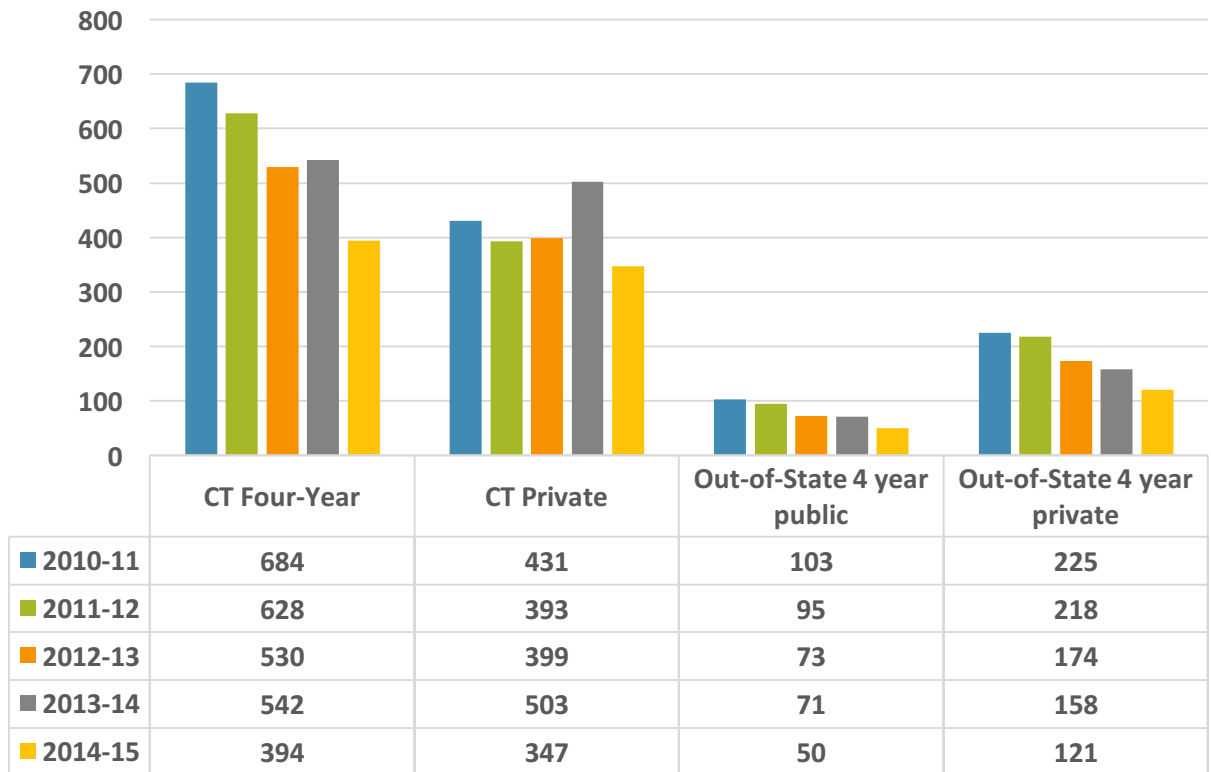


## Five Year Trend

In the past five years, (n=6,139) have transferred from Housatonic Community College to other institutions.



## HCC Student Transfer Out by Type of Institutions



HCC students who have transferred to out-of-state students have enrolled primarily in four-year private institutions.

## Methods

The data used for this report was extracted from Argos on February 20, 2016. This data relies on the membership to the National Clearinghouse for transfer students. The Argos extract that was used for this information was a transfer of data from the National Clearinghouse. Not all colleges and universities have been members of the clearinghouse during the time period of this report (2010-2015). Numbers may vary due to college and university membership status and the accuracy of the student data. At present, the National Student Clearinghouse reports that 100% of public institutions in Connecticut are members and 98% of the nation's postsecondary students regularly report enrollment data in over 3,300 U.S. institutions.

## Concluding Thoughts

We have been able to track approximately 6,139 HCC students who have transferred to a 4-year college within two years of leaving campus in the last five years. The accuracy of the data relies heavily on the strength of the membership of the National Clearinghouse. Although the colleges and universities in the State of Connecticut have consistent a membership, not all private colleges have had a membership over the time covered in this report. **The Bridgeport Hospital School of Nursing is not a member and therefore this report does not include the large number of HCC students who have transferred there.**

See attached chart here for more detailed information

Transfer In Chart

Transfer Out Chart