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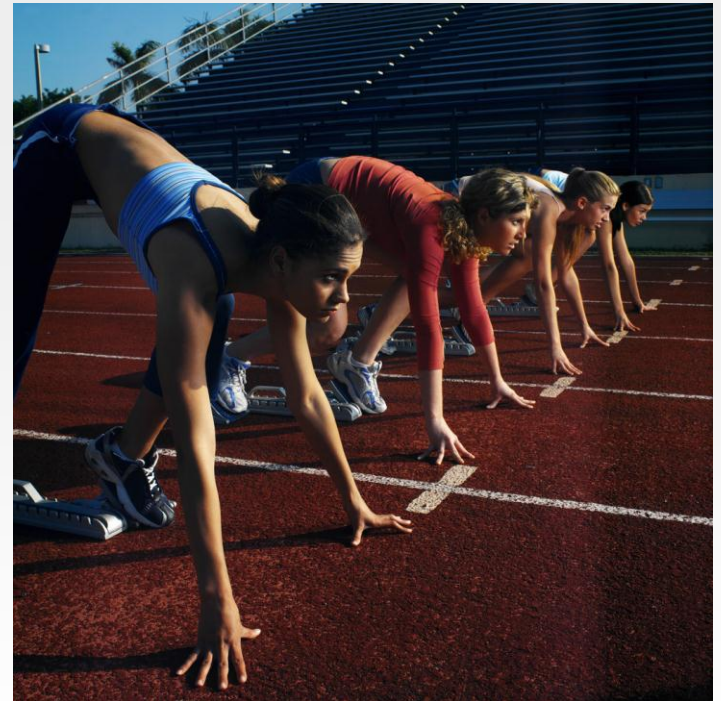
The University of Texas at San Antonio[™]

**Next Steps – Faculty Assistance with
Student Success**

FACULTY AND THE GRIP

The GRIP Today

- Every strategy is implementing a pilot plan (or expanding existing projects) during the coming academic year
- Project leaders will adjust their official 2014 projects based on results
- To succeed the GRIP must have departmental and faculty involvement



The GRIP Impact - Student Body Profile

- Our new students are better scholars
- Acceptance rate = 60%
- 68% enrolled are in the top 25% of their graduating classes
- 88% are in top half of their graduating classes
- We retained 73% of our “Roadrunners” freshmen from last year



Enrolling Good Students

- We are competing with other universities for the best students.
- Can we persuade good students to choose UTSA (undergrads and graduate)?
- What else can we do?



The GRIP Impact on Your Classes

- We're intrusively assisting freshmen
 - First Year Experience
 - Advising re-engineering
 - Software support
- You'll see a difference in your classes
- How should we respond to these stronger scholars?



Helping Today's Students

- They are used to more 'hands on' attention.
- Can we encourage class attendance?
- Can we intrusively intervene?
- Can we activate GRIP "Early Alert" messages?
- What else can we do to help our students stay on track?



Suggestions and Questions

