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**Principal's Presentation**  
Governing Council Meeting  
May 2012



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# Academic Excellence Engaged Students Research and Innovation Campus Growth

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# *Building Academic Capacity*

- ▶ **83 new faculty**
  - 2007/08: hired **21**
  - 2008/09: hired **20**
  - 2009/20: hired **25**
  - 2010/11: hired **17**
- ▶ **41 of these 83** new faculty represent additional faculty complement above and beyond previous plans
- ▶ Additional positions have played a strong role in our ability to mount new programs and to sustain quality in our existing programs

# Over 20 new and emerging Undergraduate Programs – *Highlights*

1. Specialist program in Biodiversity, Ecology & Evolution (**BEE**) 2010
2. **Global Asia Studies**
3. **Pathway in China Studies** combining Mandarin language training with a focus on Chinese history and culture (being developed -international exchange component)
4. **BFA under discussion**
5. **MIB**- new specialist & co-op program, Management and International Business (2011)



# Over 20 new and emerging Undergraduate Programs – *Highlights cont'd*

- ▶ Specialist and Major programs in **Mental Health**

- ▶ **Health Studies** – new programs being developed in health management, health policy, health information

- ▶ **City Studies** developing three main specializations within the program: Community Development, City Building, and City-Regional Governance

- ▶ **Political Science** consolidation of Public Policy program

# *Departmentalization*

1. Department of Biological Sciences
2. Department of Computer and Mathematical Sciences
3. Department of Management
4. Department of Physical & Environmental Sciences
5. Department of Psychology
6. *Department of English*
7. *Department of Philosophy*
8. *Department of Arts, Culture and Media*
9. *Department of Historical and Cultural Studies*
10. *Centre for French and Linguistics (EDU:A)*
11. *Department of Anthropology*
12. *Department of Human Geography*
13. *Department of Political Science*
14. *Department of Sociology*
15. *Centre for Critical Development Studies (EDU:B)*



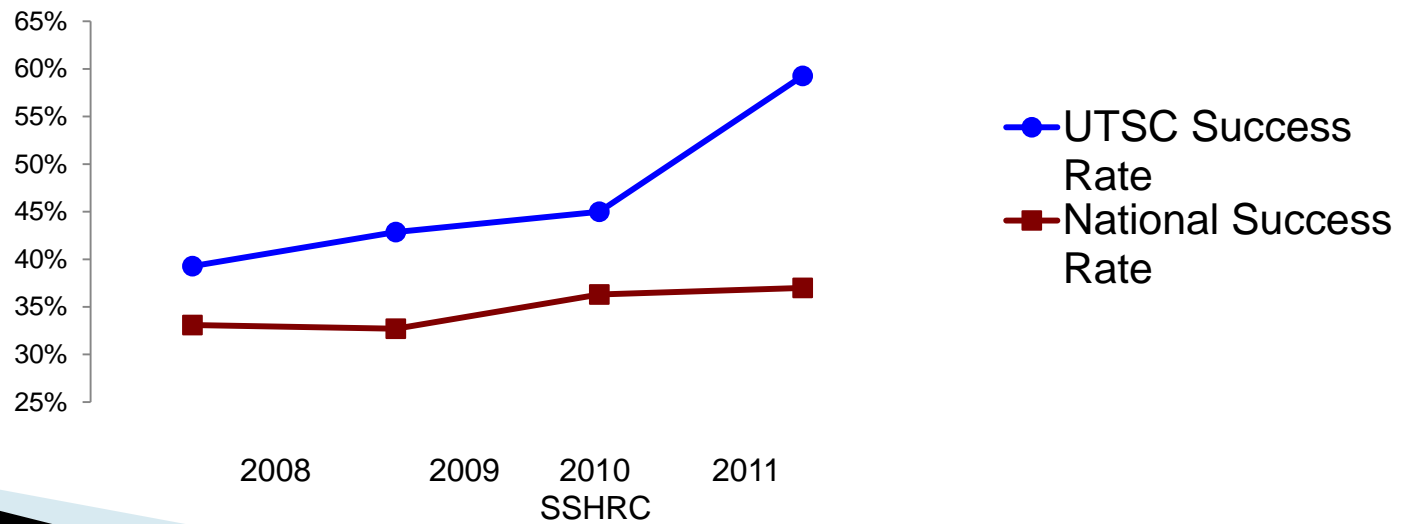
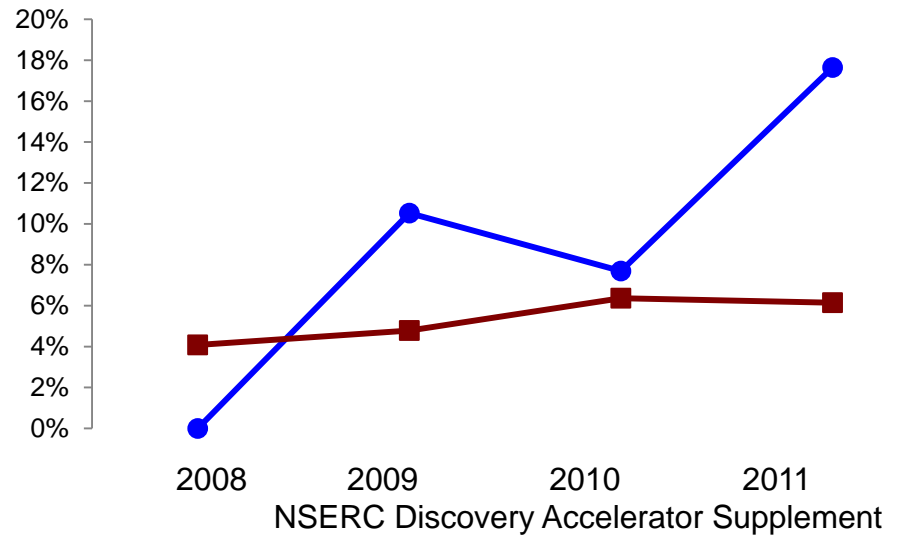
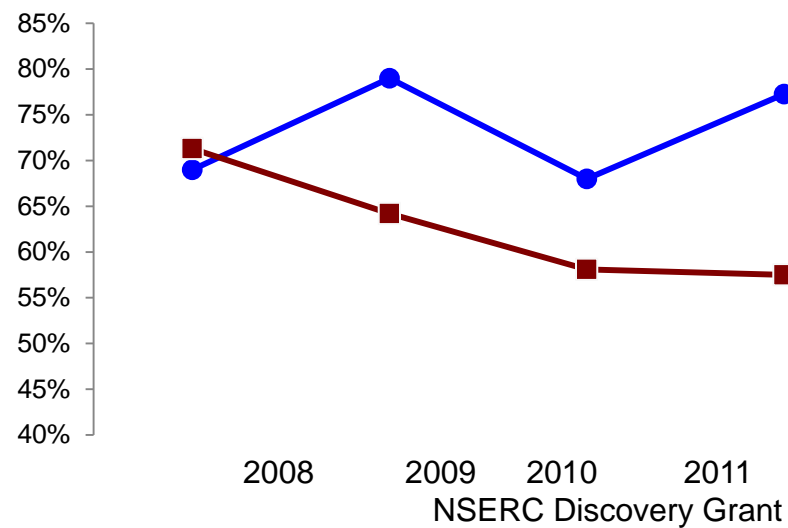


# Enhanced Graduate Training & Research: *Highlights*

1. **Master of Conservation and Biodiversity** (in development)
2. New tri-campus **Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology** (in collaboration with OISE)
3. **Masters in Brain Imaging** (Psychology- in development)
4. **Ph.D. in Environmental Science**
5. **Master of Environmental Science**
  - Near 100% placement rate of students
6. **one-year Masters program in Climate Change Impact** (in development)



# UTSC Research Trajectory



—●— UTSC Success Rate  
—■— National Success Rate



# 2012 Program Mix

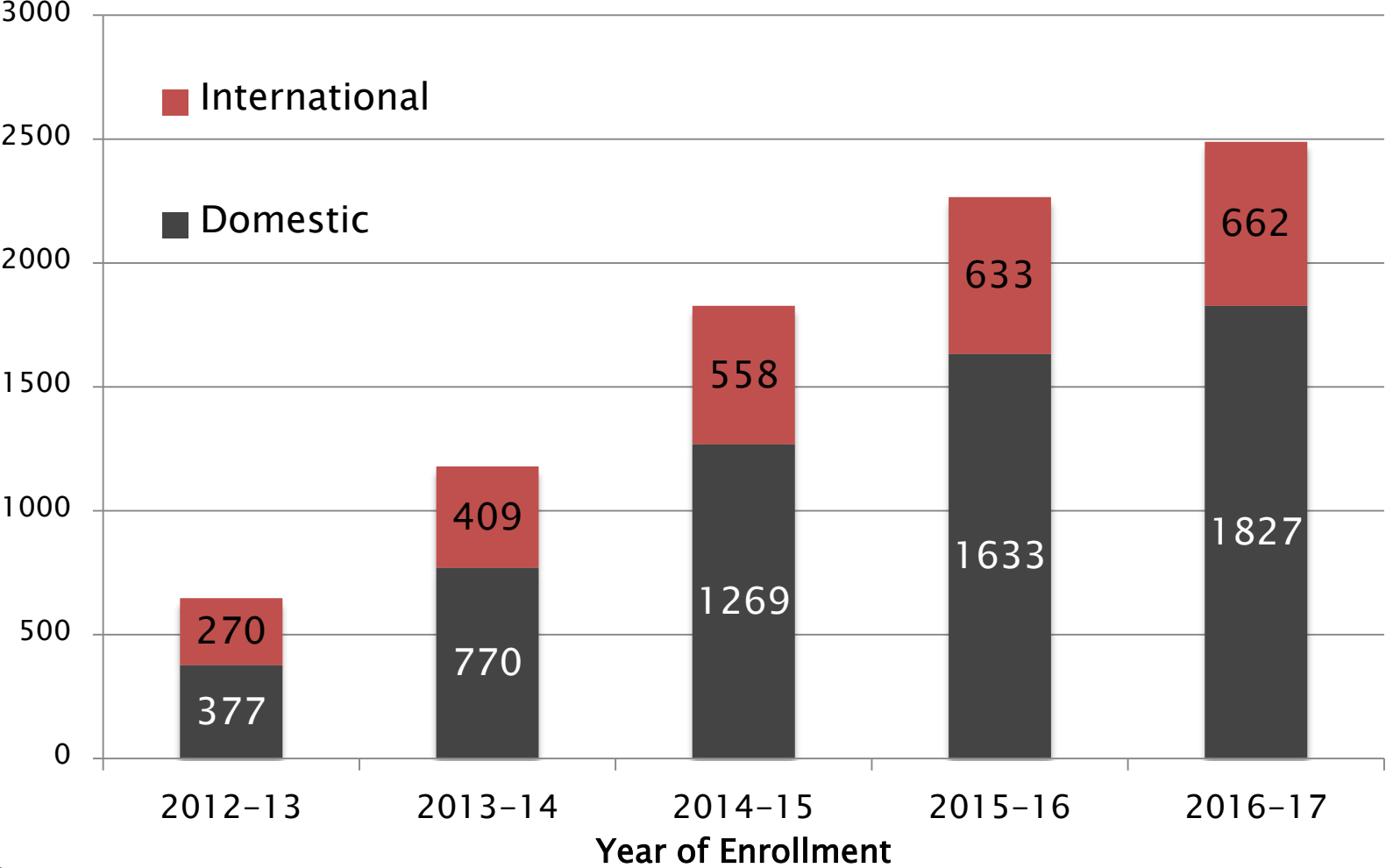
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# Undergraduate Growth Targets



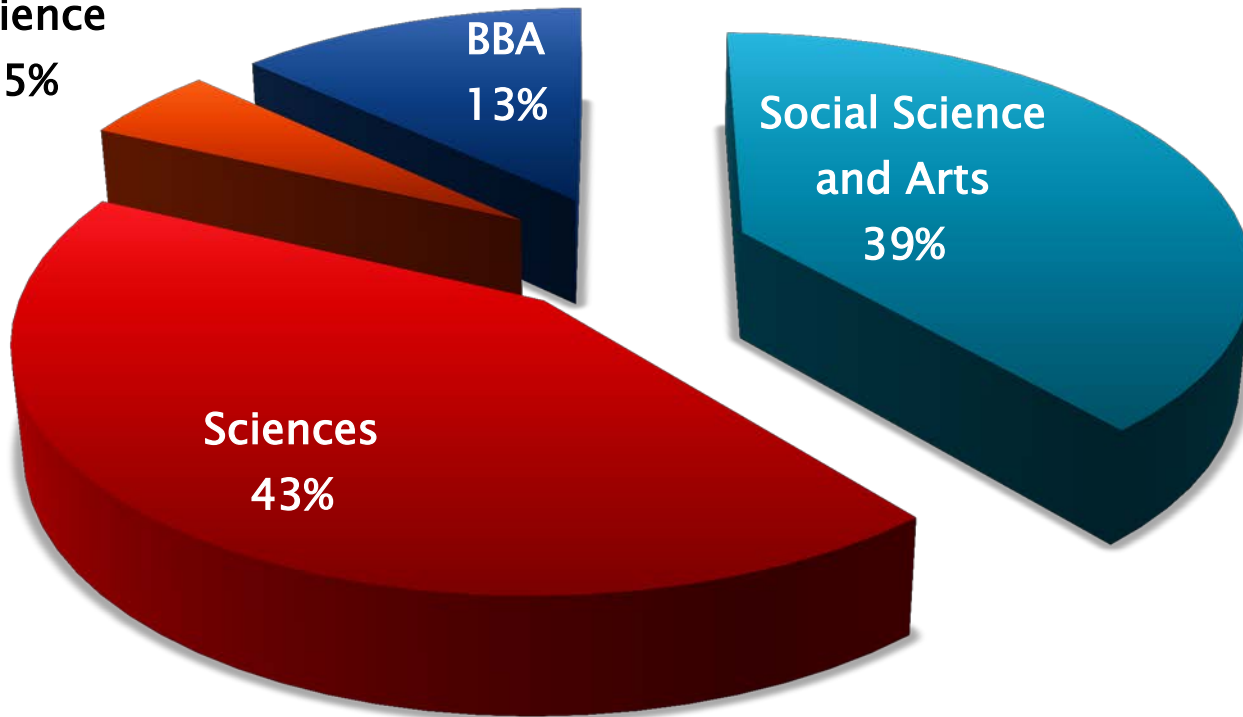
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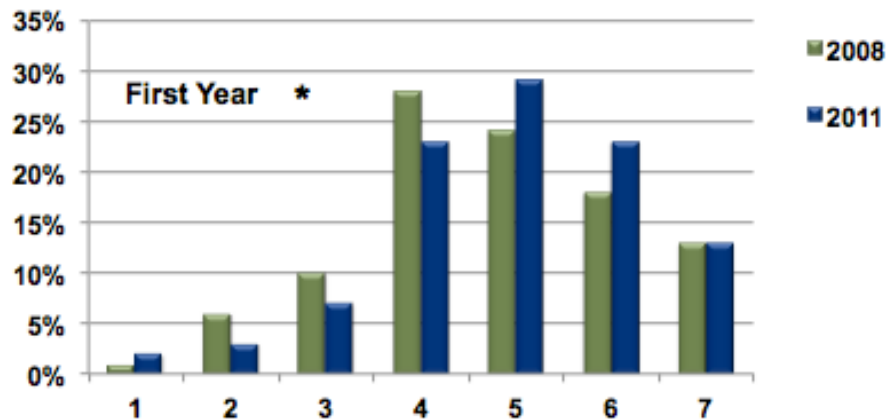
# Graduate, Co-op & International Targets

- ▶ 10% onsite graduate students
  - Currently approx 4%
- ▶ 20% co-op students
  - Currently approx 16%
- ▶ 20% international students
  - Currently approx 15%

# Engaged and Supportive Student Partners



**Quality of Relationships with Faculty  
UTSC 2008 and 2011**





# Green Path



- ▶ Will continue to build on Green Path program success
- ▶ China and Green Path will continue to be an international focus for UTSC
- ▶ Building GP based alumni network and relationships

# Experiential Learning and Co-op

- ▶ Co-operative education
- ▶ continues to be a priority and differentiator for UTSC
- ▶ Top students seek co-op opportunities
- ▶ Beyond co-op, experiential learning will continue to be a defining element of UTSC
  - going beyond the classroom
  - linkages with community
  - knowledge in action





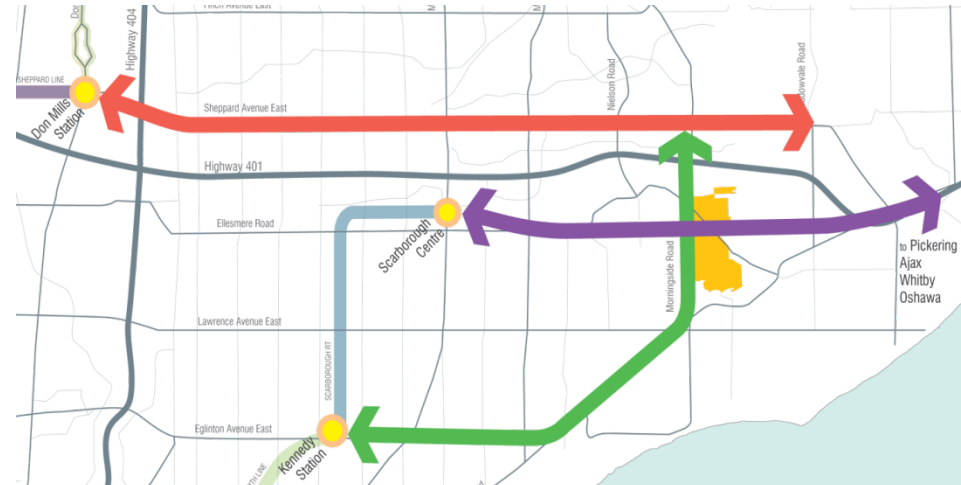
# Infrastructure & Campus Development

- ▶ New Instructional Centre
- ▶ Site Remediation- Complete
- ▶ Pan Am Facility
- ▶ 2nd Science Building planned
- ▶ Student Life centre next
- ▶ More places to hang out



# Campus Growth and City Building

- Helping move forward TTC Transit Plan
- Bridging community and university interests
- Leveraging partners and development



# Final thoughts

- ▶ Building an intellectual and cultural hub in the eastern GTA – an opportunity and value add for U of T, for the region and for the province
- ▶ Tri campus system: a key differentiator for U of T
  - Provides U of T with a unique combination of excellence and choice



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# Enhanced Graduate Training & Research: Highlights

- Raising UTSC research profile, nurturing UTSC research culture, pursuing partnership opportunities:
  - Parks Canada
  - East Scarborough Storefront
  - Toronto Zoo
  - Sunnybrook
  - CAMH, Baycrest
  - Ontario Shores
- New research capabilities: support, mentorship, internal review, workshops, funding, oversight, compliance





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**Academic Excellence**  
**Engaged Students**  
**Research and Innovation**  
**Campus Growth**