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Palo Alto College

Palo Alto College: Performance Update



Malcolm Baldrige
National Quality Award

2018 Award Recipient

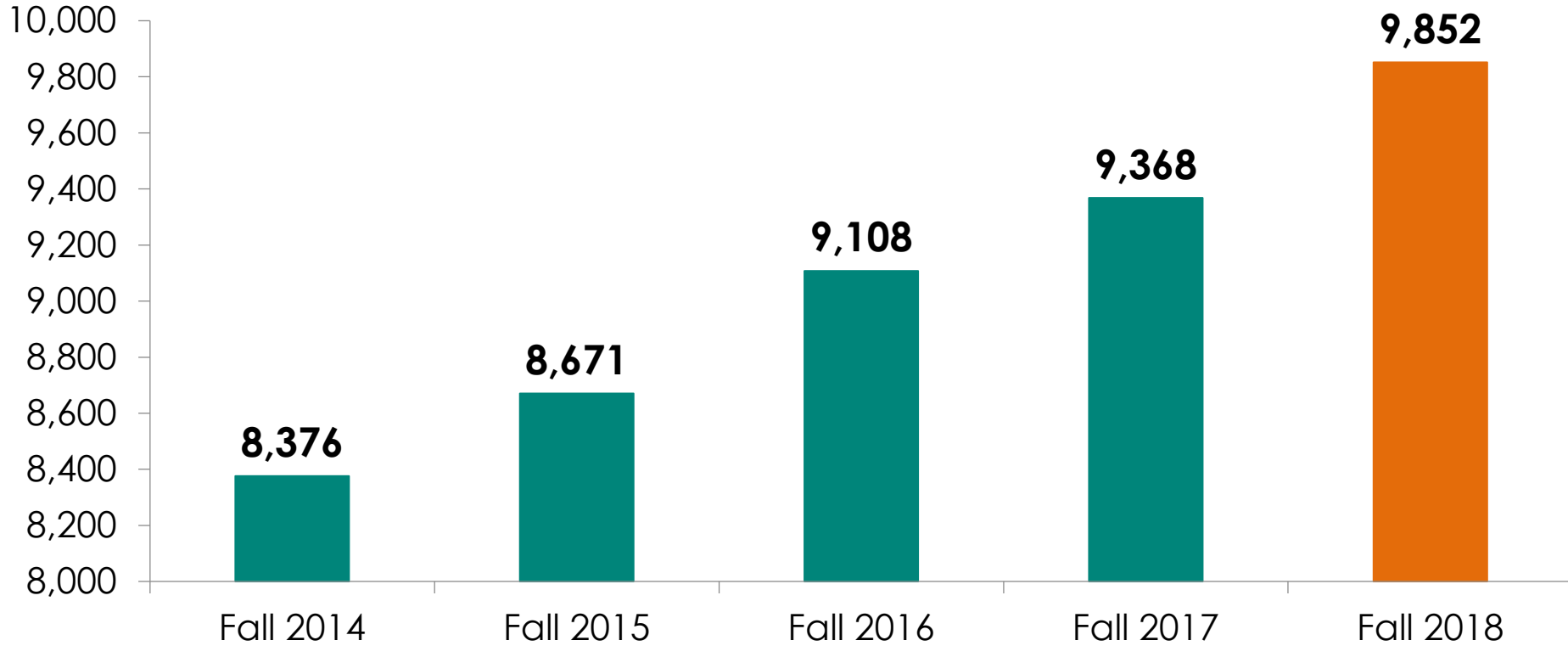


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Fall Headcount Enrollment



Source: IRES Student Profile



Student Profile Fall 2018

Enrollment Intensity

- 21% (2,075) Full-Time
- 79% (7,777) Part-Time

Gender

- 61% (5,978) Female
- 39% (3,874) Male

Ethnicity

- 78% (7,694) Hispanic
- 4% (426) African-American
- 14% (1,415) White
- 1% (78) Asian
- 3% (239) Other

Dual Credit Students

- 29% (2,848)

Fall 2018 FTIC Freshman

- 15.9% (1,545)
- 68% (1,051) FTIC Require Remediation

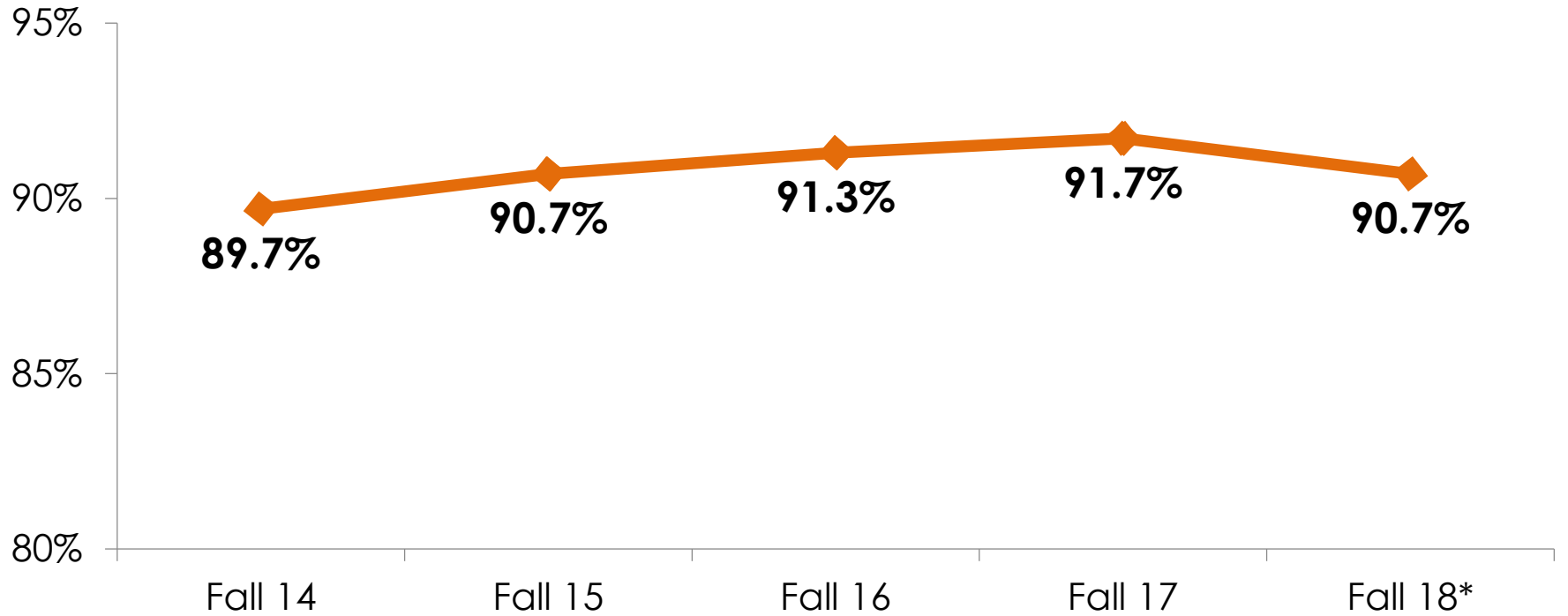
Economically Disadvantaged – Fall 2017

- **44% - Excluding dual credit;** [3,015/(9,368-2,462 dual)]
- **32% - Including dual credit** (3,015/9,368)

Source: THECB Accountability System, Student Profile, FADS



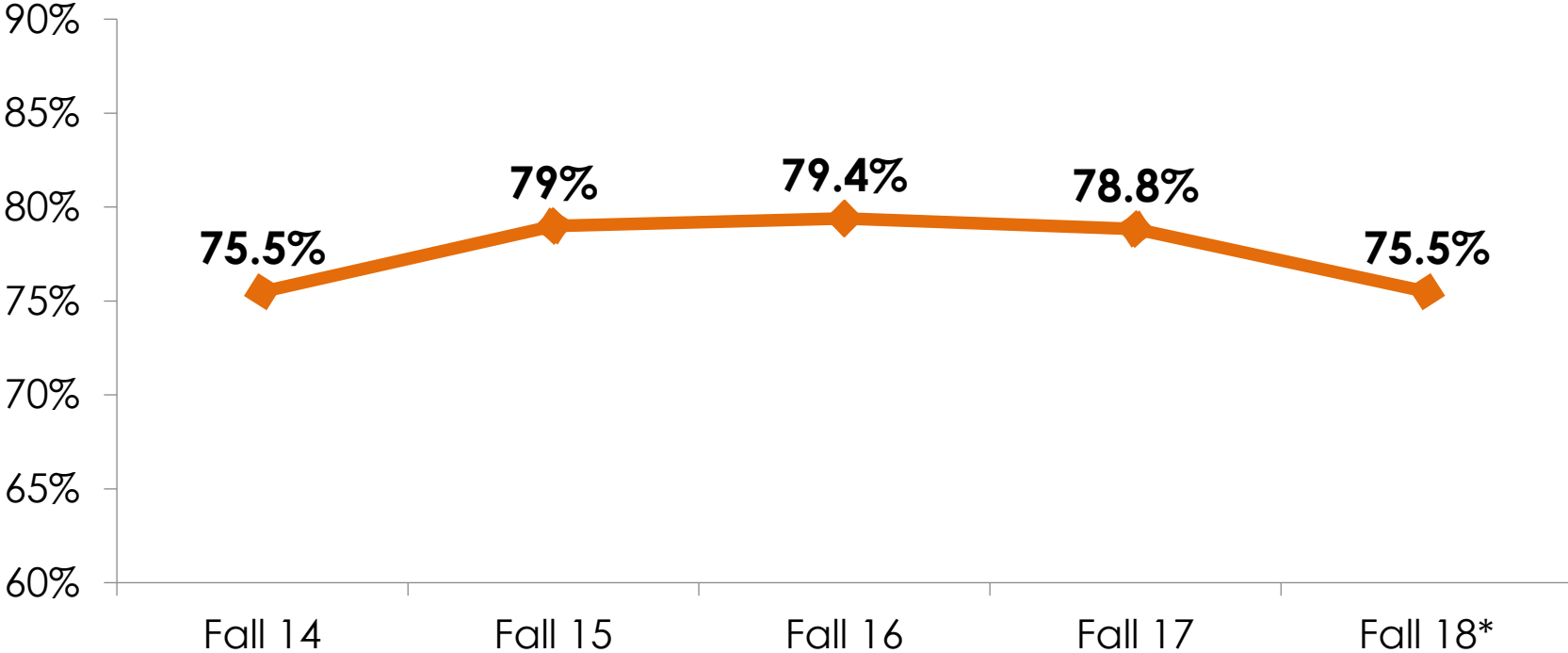
Course Completion Rates



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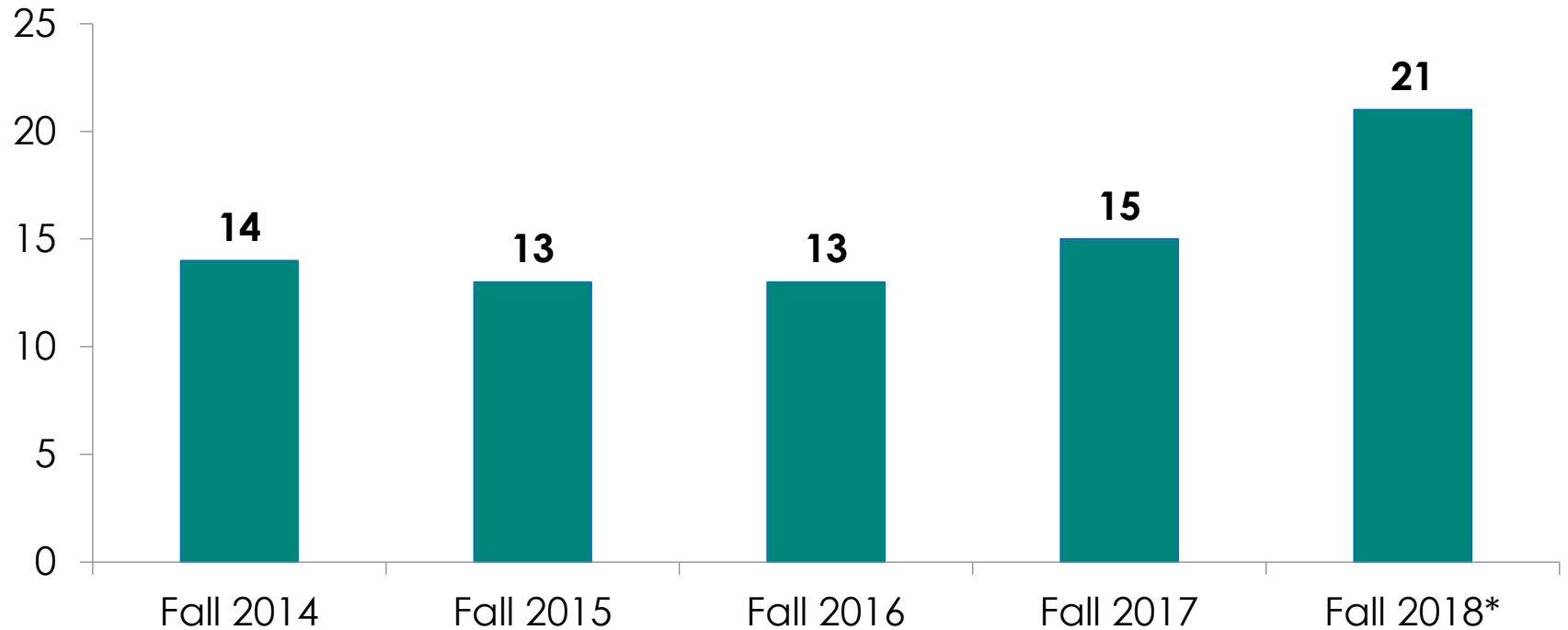
Productive Grade Rates



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Number of High Challenge Courses



* Fall 2018 is preliminary








High Challenge Courses Action Plans & Strategies

Action plans developed for each high challenge courses with the following strategies implemented:

- Required embedded tutoring for Math & English high challenge courses. Tutors & peer mentors will provide the educational support.
- English and Math Faculty are redesigning the co-req delivery model.
- Increase Flex sectioning – Fall 2019: Data collected indicates improved student success in the 8-week format for some math courses. Fall schedule will be designed to allow students to schedule all Flex sections, all full-term, or a combination of both. There are flex options in each core component area. Advisers have been provided with a summary of scheduling options.



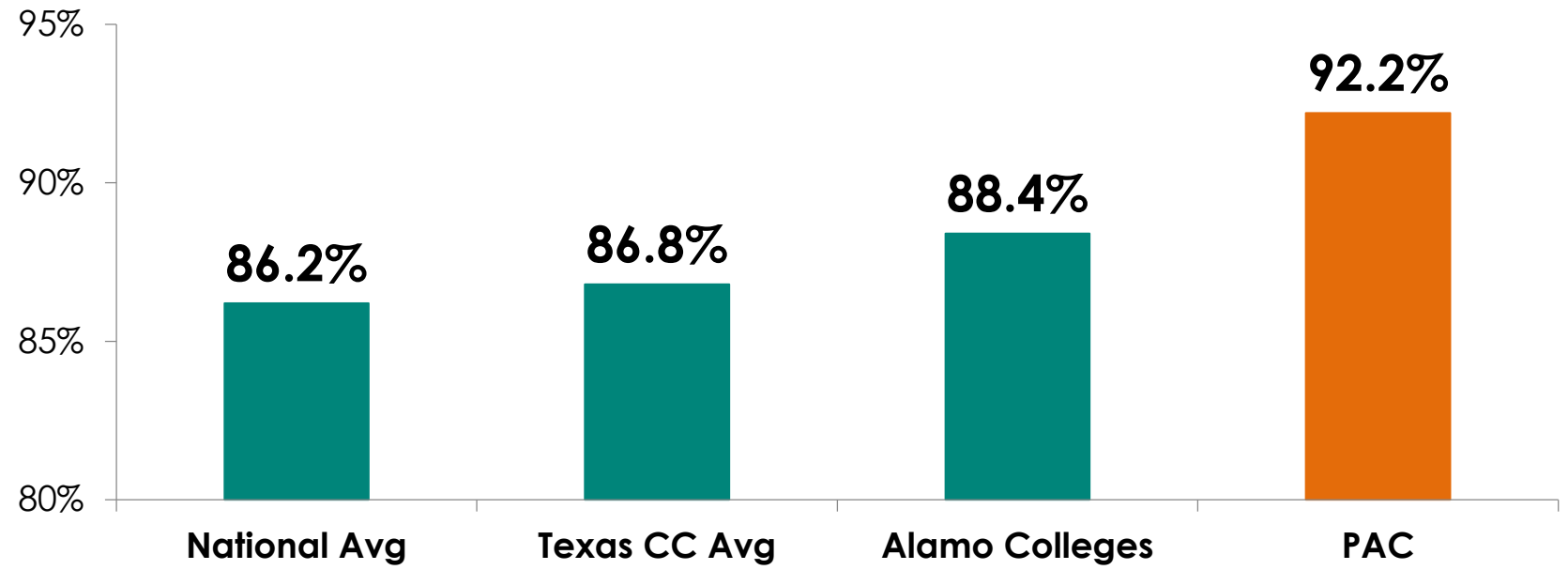
Community College Survey of Student Engagement (CCSSE) Results

| Student Engagement Domain | 2009 | 2011 | 2013 | 2015 | 2017 |
|---------------------------------|------|------|------|------|--|
| Active & Collaborative Learning | 55.8 | 48.9 | 49.4 | 48.2 | 49.4  |
| Student Effort | 52.6 | 49.0 | 49.3 | 50.6 | 55.8  |
| Academic Challenge | 52.3 | 48.7 | 46.7 | 46.5 | 51.6  |
| Student/Faculty Interaction | 53.2 | 48.4 | 50.1 | 48.3 | 53.0  |
| Support for Learners | 54.0 | 53.2 | 53.9 | 51.7 | 58.2  |

Source: CCSSE Spring 2017



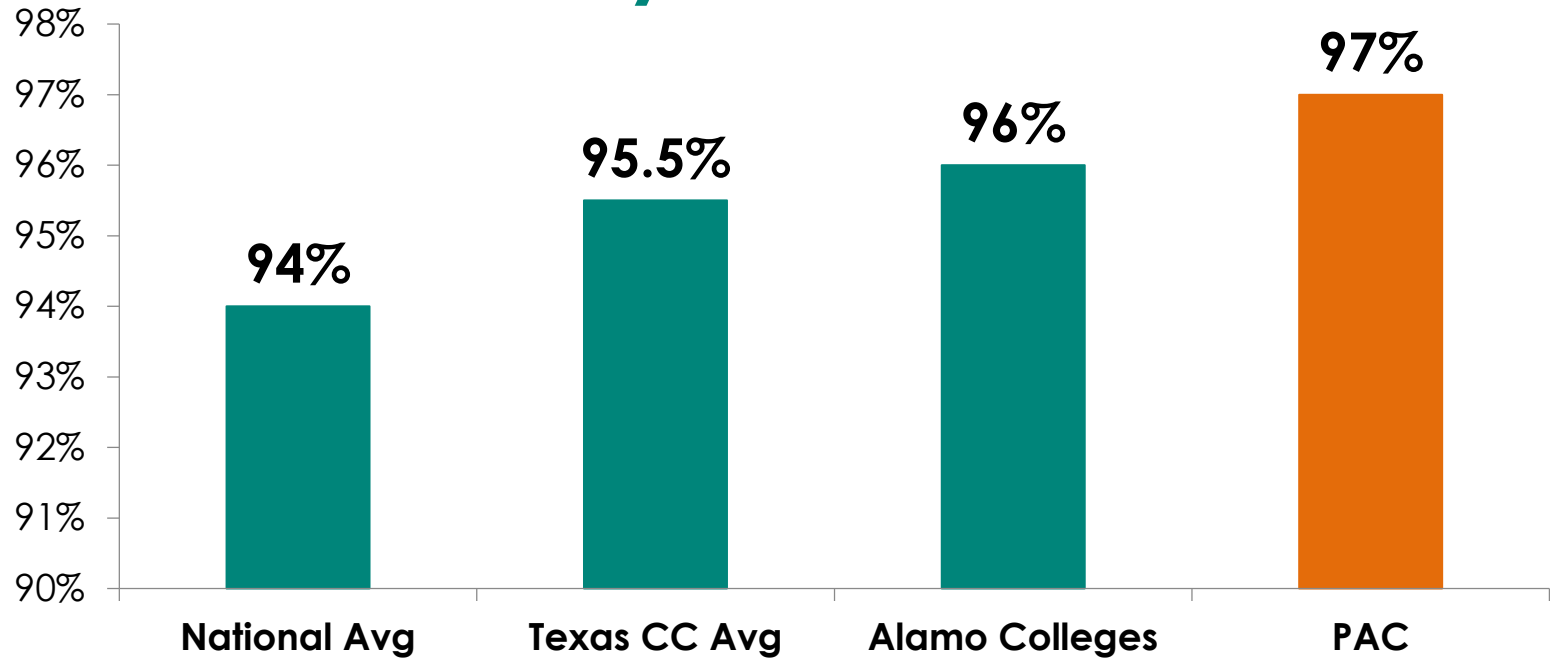
Percentage of Students Rating their Entire Educational Experience as “Good or Excellent”



Source: CCSSE Spring 2017



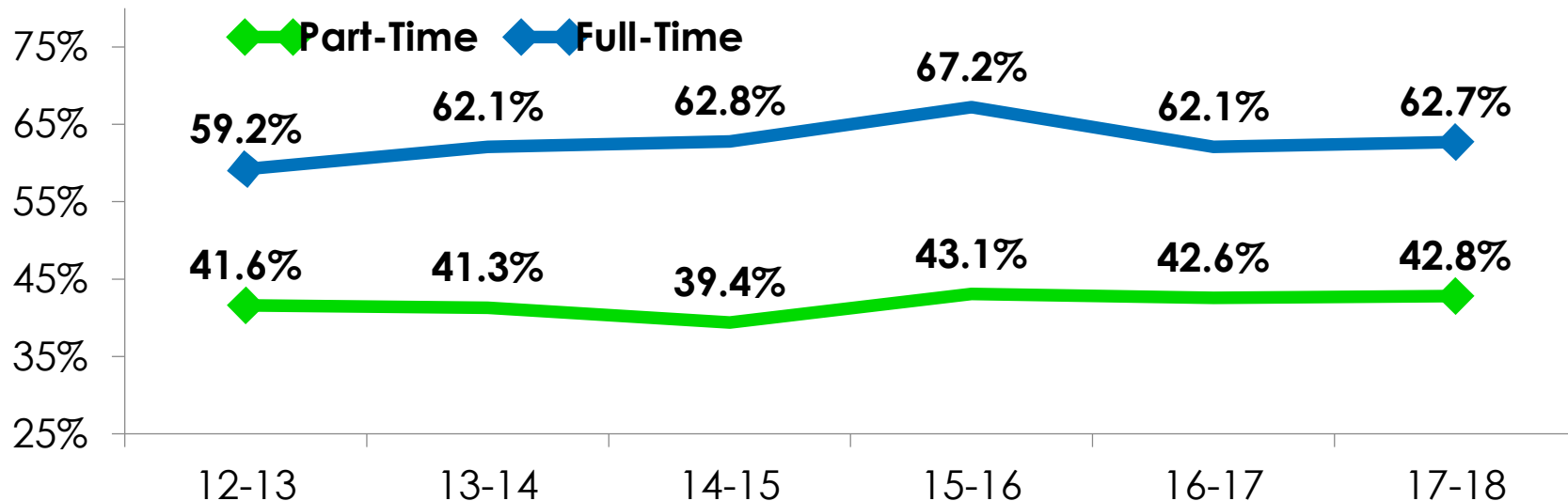
Would you Recommend this College to a Friend or Family Member?



Source: CCSSE Spring 2017



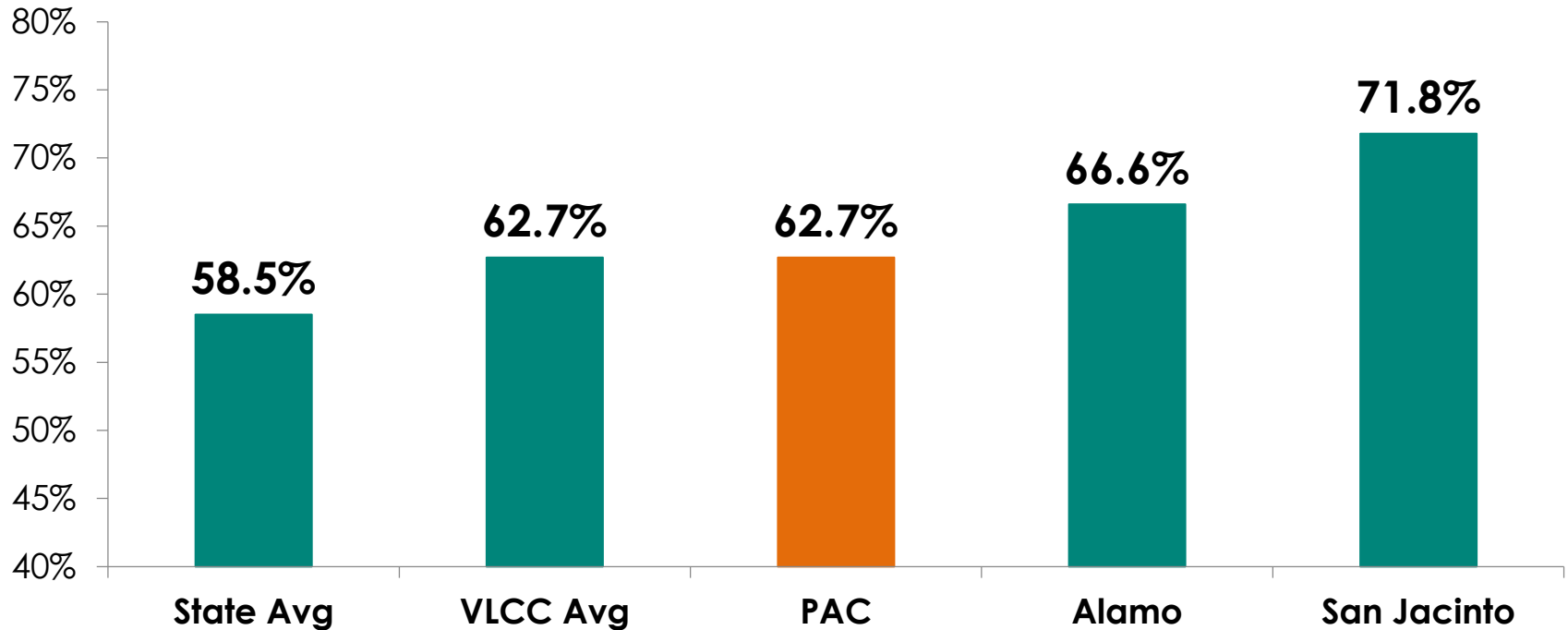
Fall-to-Fall FTIC Persistence Rates



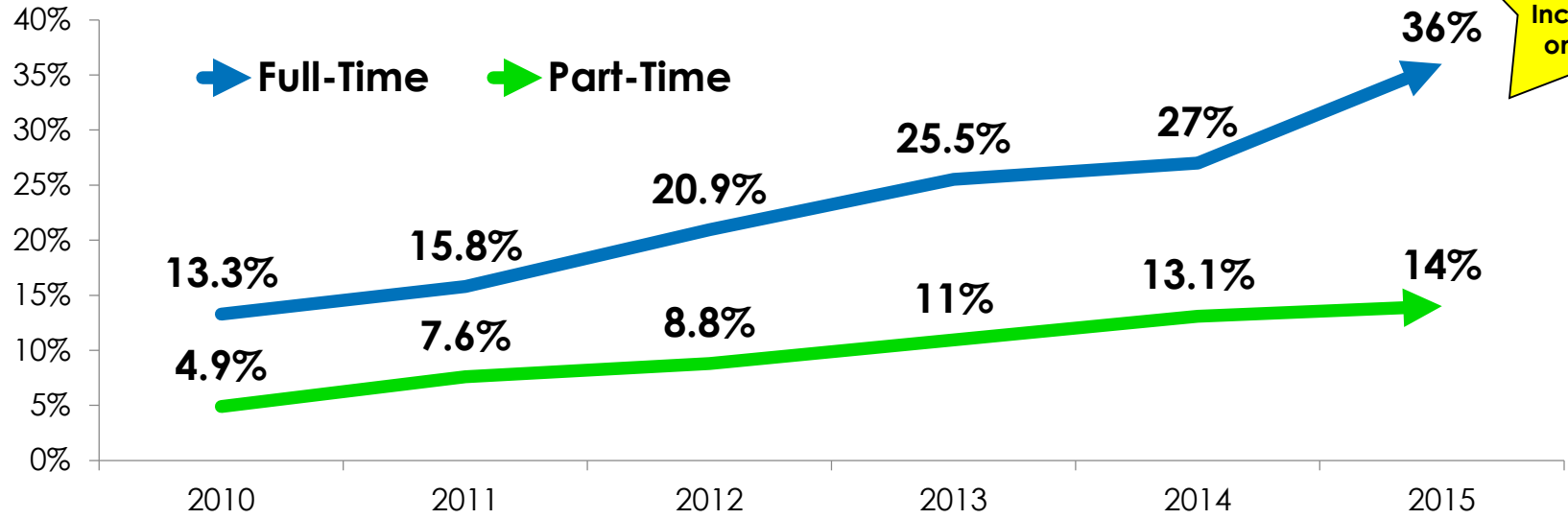
| | 12-13 | | 13-14 | | 14-15 | | 15-16 | | 16-17 | | 17-18 | |
|----|-------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|-----------|
| | FTIC | Persisted | FTIC | Persisted | FTIC | Persisted | FTIC | Persisted | FTIC | Persisted | FTIC | Persisted |
| FT | 336 | 199 | 417 | 259 | 497 | 312 | 479 | 322 | 494 | 307 | 668 | 419 |
| PT | 1002 | 417 | 929 | 384 | 881 | 347 | 893 | 385 | 877 | 374 | 983 | 421 |



FT FTIC Comparative Persistence Rates



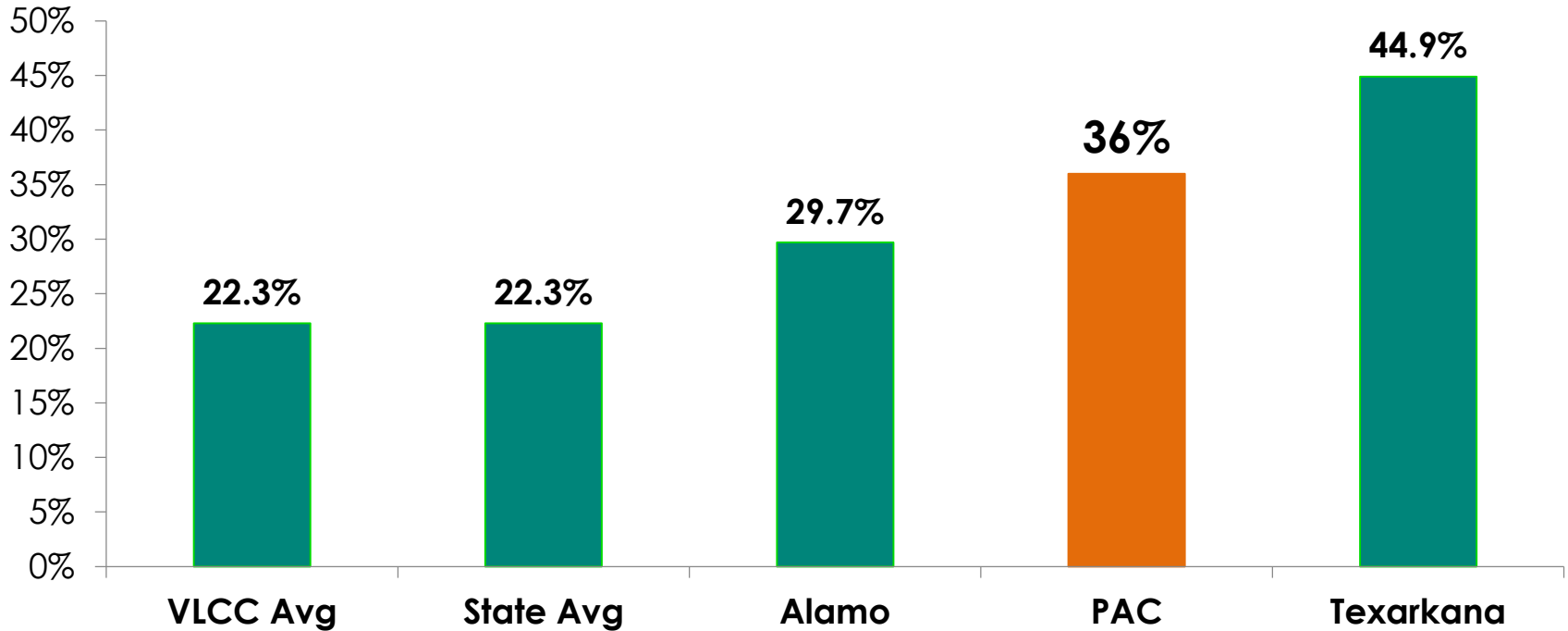
Three-Year FTIC Graduation Rates



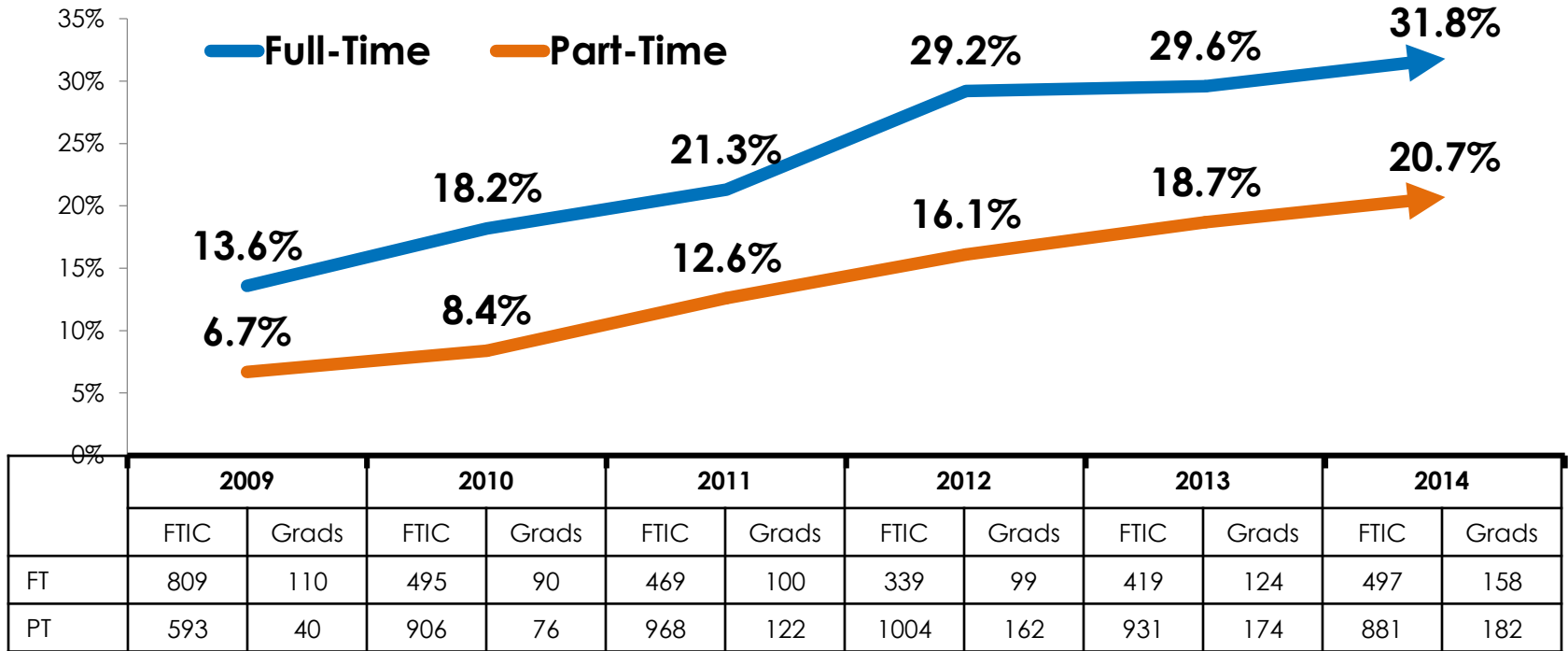
| | 2010 | | 2011 | | 2012 | | 2013 | | 2014 | | 2015 | |
|----|------|-------|------|-------|------|-------|------|-------|------|-------|------|-------|
| | FTIC | Grads | FTIC | Grads | FTIC | Grads | FTIC | Grads | FTIC | Grads | FTIC | Grads |
| FT | 495 | 66 | 469 | 74 | 339 | 71 | 419 | 107 | 497 | 134 | 479 | 172 |
| PT | 906 | 44 | 968 | 74 | 1004 | 88 | 931 | 102 | 881 | 115 | 894 | 125 |



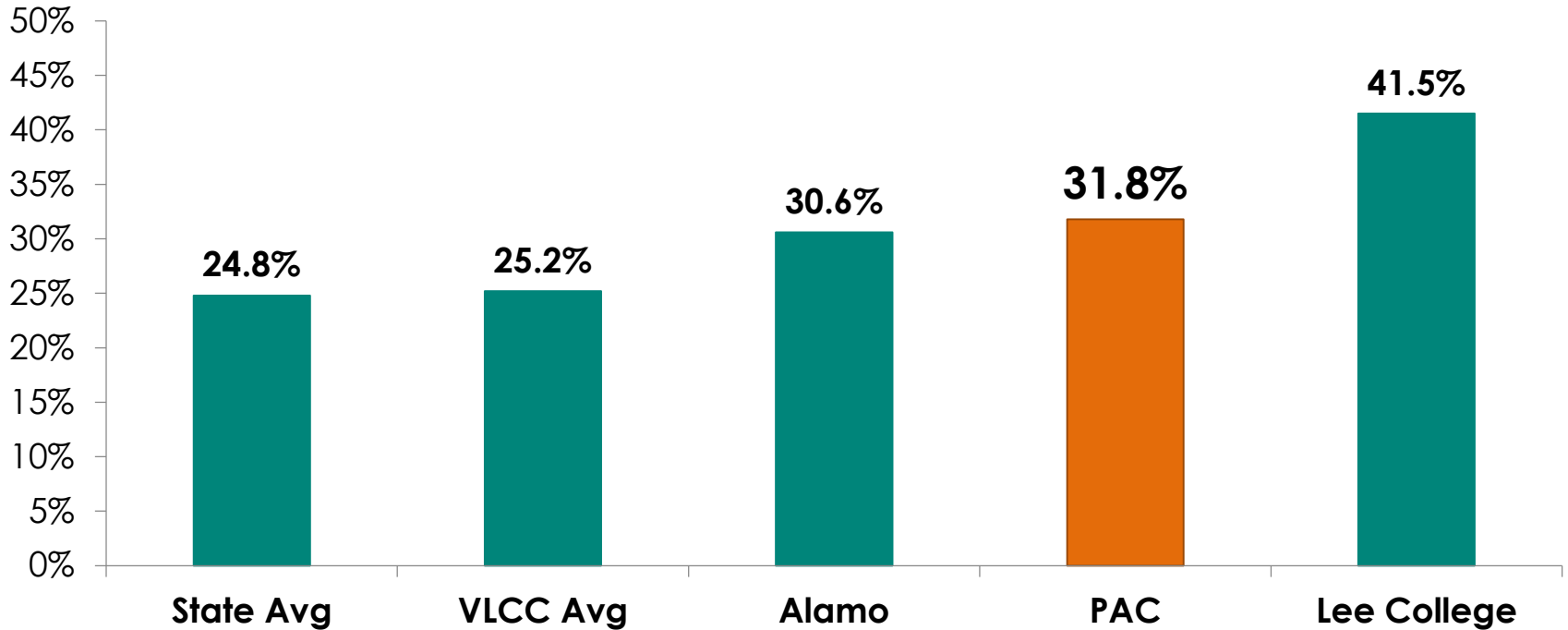
3-Year FT FTIC Graduation Rates



Four-Year FTIC Graduation Rates



4-Year FT FTIC Graduation Rates

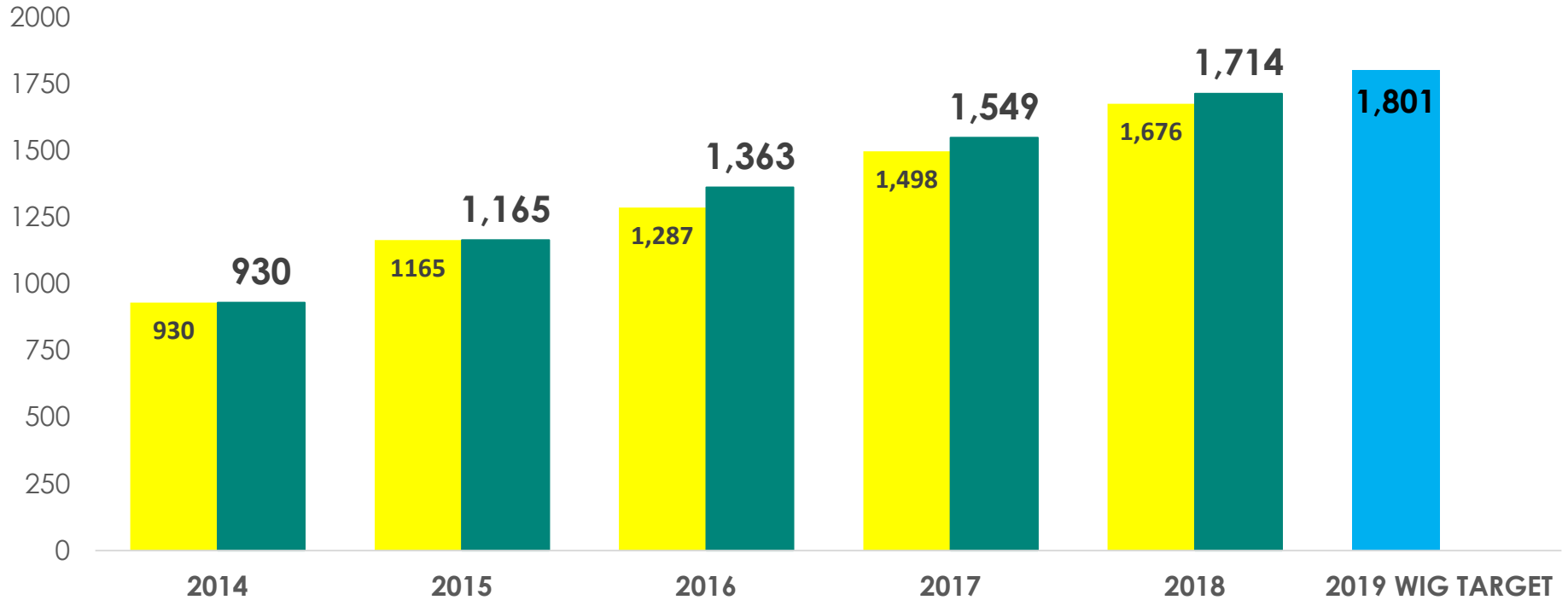


Degrees Conferred



Degrees and Certificates Awarded

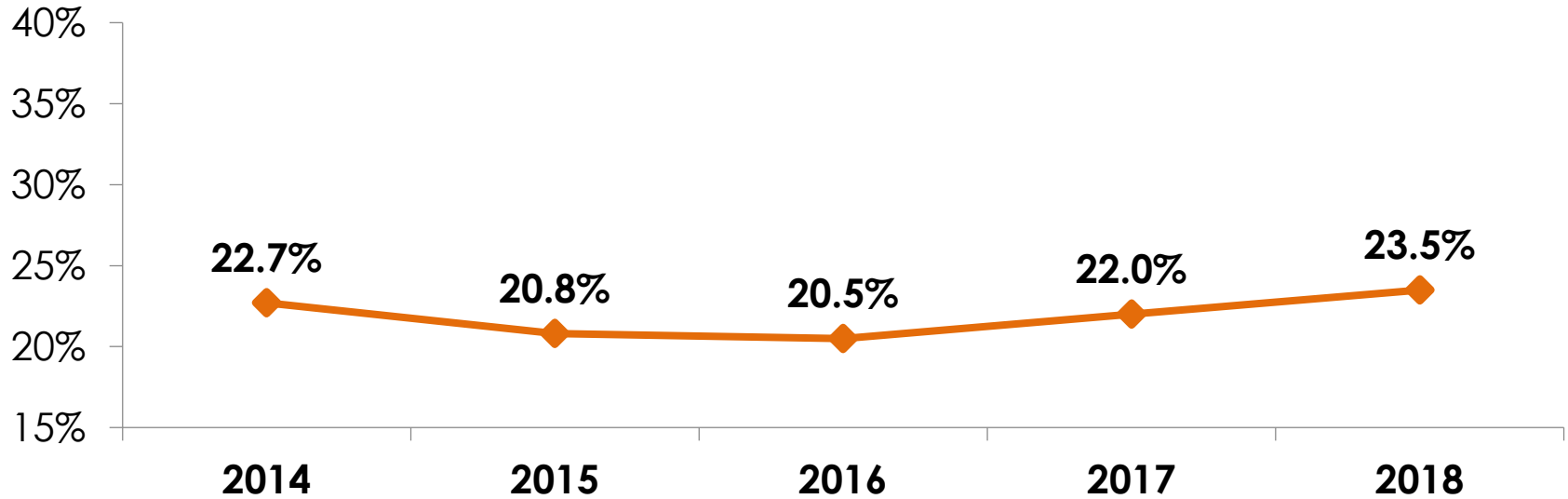
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Source: District IRES - KPI Benchmark & THECB Accountability Report



6-Year FTIC Transfer Rates (Based on NSC Data)



Source: National Student Clearing House

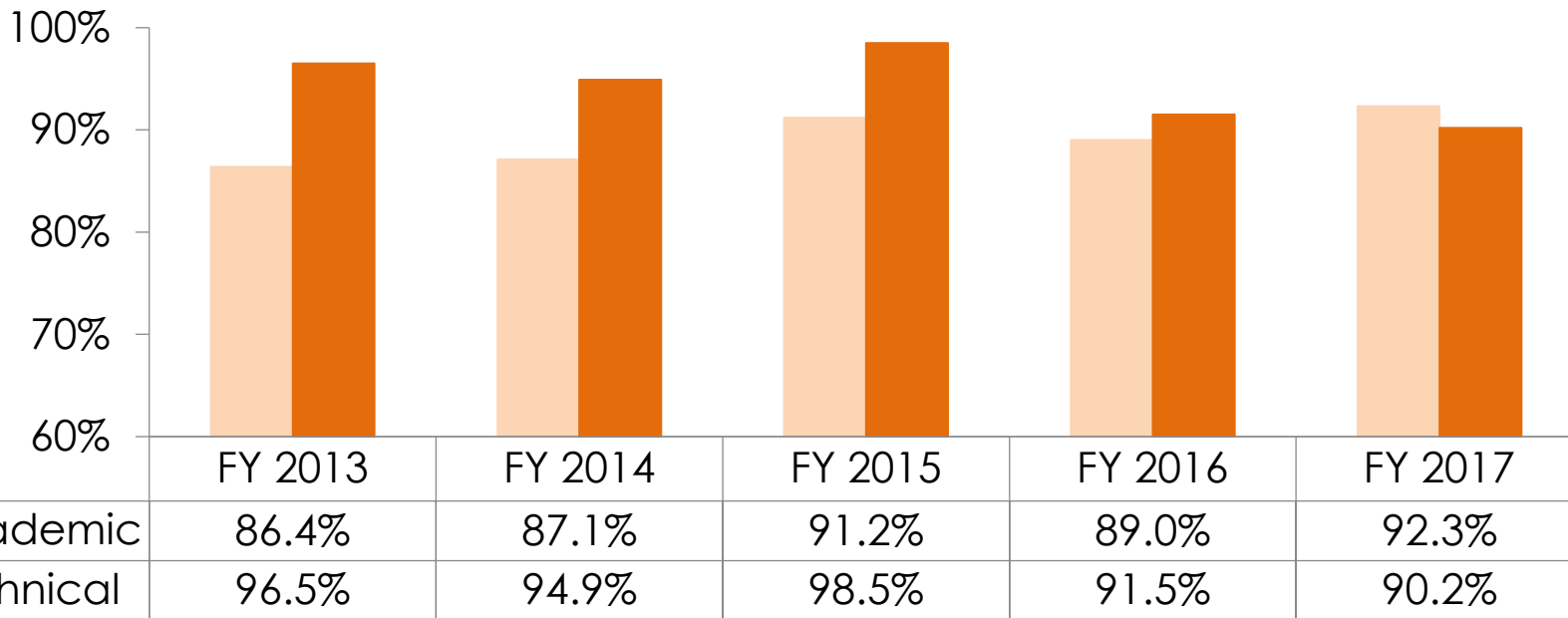


Where PAC Students Transfer (AY '18)

1. UTSA (1,035)
2. Texas A&M SA (683)
3. Texas State University (314)
4. University of the Incarnate Word (246)
5. Texas A&M University (174)



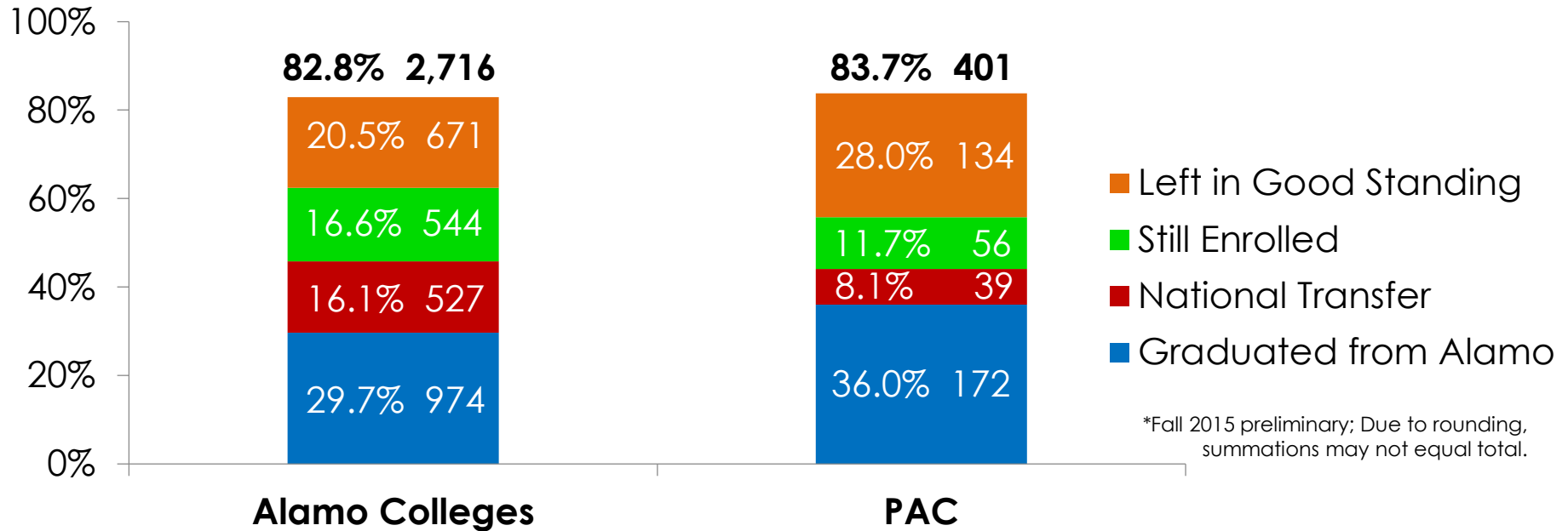
Students Employed and/or Enrolled Within 6 Months of Graduation



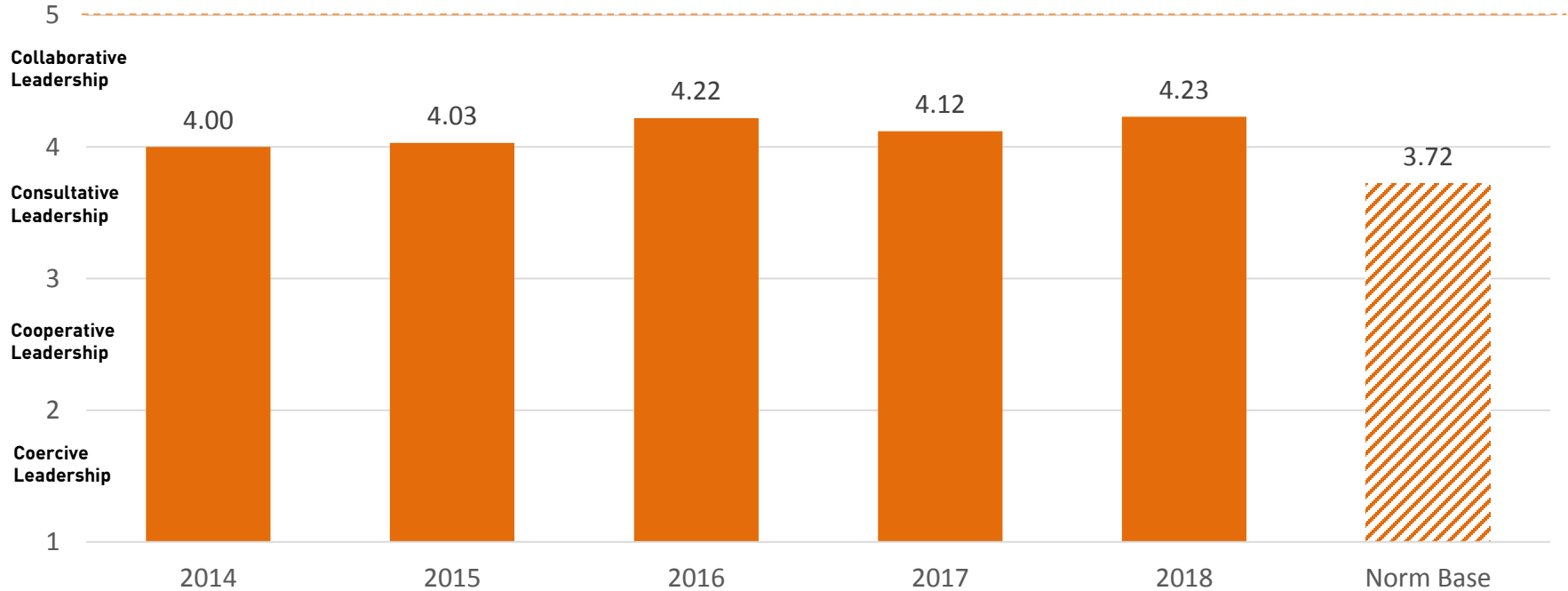
Source: THECB: Texas Higher Educational Almanac



Fall 2015 FT FTIC 3-Year Tracking*



Personal Assessment of the College Environment (PACE) Results



*Five-point scale from a low of "1" to a high of "5."



Student Success Agenda

- **Increase Faculty Mentoring**
- **Development of Advisor Recognition Program**
- **Experiential Learning Initiative launched by the Chancellor in December 2018**
- **Advocacy Symposium-Fall (Advocacy Efforts)**
- **Financial Wellness Summit- Spring**
- **Student Health Advocacy Resource and Engagement Center (S.H.A.R.E)**
- **Emergency Aid Program**



Awards & Recognitions 2018-2019

2019 Aspen Prize for Community College Excellence – Rising Star

Palo Alto College named "Rising Star" by national Aspen Prize

The Aspen Institute's College Excellence Program announced today that Palo Alto College is a "Rising Star" award winner of the 2019 Aspen Prize for Community College Excellence, the nation's signature recognition of high achievement and performance among America's community colleges.



2019 Aspen Prize for Community College Excellence – Top 10

Named to a list of the top 10 community colleges in the U.S. eligible to compete for the 2019 Aspen Prize for Community College Excellence, the nation's signature recognition of high achievement and performance in America's community colleges. Palo Alto College was selected from a pool of nearly 1,000 public two-year colleges nationwide to compete for the \$1 million Aspen Prize and was one of only three first-time finalists for the 2019 award.



2019 Aspen Prize for Community College Excellence – Top 150

For the first time in our history, Palo Alto College and three other colleges in the Alamo Colleges District have been named to a list of the top 150 community colleges in the U.S. eligible to compete for the 2019 Aspen Prize for Community College Excellence, the nation's signature recognition of high achievement and performance in America's community colleges.



Awards & Recognitions 2018-2019

Top 50 Veterinary Technician Programs for 2018



The only school in Texas to be named to the Top 50 Veterinary Technician Programs for 2018 by TheBestColleges.org. The program, which launched in 1995, has been accredited by the Committee on Veterinary Technician Education and Activities of the American Veterinary Medical Association since 1998 and is one of only five programs fully accredited in the state of Texas.



2018 Best Colleges in Texas

Named as one of the top three community colleges on the 2018 Best Colleges in Texas by BestColleges.com. The rankings are based on key performance indicators including acceptance, retention, graduation, enrollment rates and loan default percentages as a measure of graduates' success.



2019 Best Online Community Colleges in Texas

Palo Alto Community College in Texas offers a number of online degree and certificate programs through its Distance Learning Program. Students who enroll in distance learning will have access to the same faculty and academics as traditional students, but will have a much more flexible learning schedule. Students use video conferencing, streaming software, and the Canvas learning management system to interact with peers and instructors.



Thank You!

Questions and Discussion



2018 Award Recipient

