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The Faculty Records and Academic Processes Team (FRAP) is pleased to announce the roll out of DegreeWorks. This fully integrated module complements SunGard Higher Education's Banner student information system.

The product provides a comprehensive set of web-based academic advising, degree audit, and transfer articulation tools to help our students and advisors negotiate curriculum requirements.

Robust academic planning tools and real-time counseling capabilities help advisors provide consistent and meaningful direction to students. Transfer articulation support helps staff and students determine how coursework from other institutions is assessed and applied at NJIT. The successful launch of DegreeWorks will mean that our students receive the academic advice they need to succeed and our advisors gain new capabilities to help them counsel their students more successfully.

With DegreeWorks we will be able to provide:

- Real-time advice and counsel to students
- Interactive "what if" scenario planning
- More transparent course and credit transfer
- More personalized advising
- More timely degree certification
- Better retention and improved transfer recruitment

An implementation team is currently being formed. The charge to the team is as follows:

Scope/Charge:

- Develop a high level project plan with estimated timelines
- Review/map affected business processes
- Determine project team assignments
- Product launch
- Scribe curricula
- Roll out training

The suggested members of the team are:

Team Members

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