

SERU / AAUDE Data Dictionary (Spring 2009 Administration)

Please submit data as a tab-separated text file with unquoted fields. Fields should contain no leading or trailing space characters. The "alpha" format covers any text field including alphanumeric fields (such as college codes) and emails. Fields may be left empty if they are so designated in the "Null Value OK?" column. For questions or comments about the data element dictionary, please contact Steve Chatman at

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NB: please include only records for degree-seeking students.

Event	Date
Finalize formats for seed, program, and student data	Feb 1, 2009
Submission of seed and program data (requested)	Kickoff minus 40 days
Submission of seed and program data (required)	Kickoff minus 20 days
Submission of student data (requested)	Jul 10, 2009
Submission of student data (required)	Aug 10, 2009

Seed Data

This table is required for the SERU / AAUDE 2008 administration and should be supplied in advance of the survey administration. All fields should be left-aligned

Name	Max Width	Format	Values	Null Value OK?	Description
STUDENT_ID	10	Alpha		No	Student ID
FIRST_NAME	50	Alpha		No	First name
LAST_NAME	50	Alpha		No	Last name
GENDER	1	Alpha	M, F, U	No	Gender
EMAIL1	50	Alpha	E-mail	No	Primary email
EMAIL2	50	Alpha	E-mail	Yes	Secondary email [1]
COLLEGE_CODE	10	Alpha		No	College code (defined by campus)
MAJOR_CODE1	10	Alpha		Yes	Major code (defined by campus)
MAJOR_TEXT1	50	Alpha		Yes	Major name or title (defined by campus)
MAJOR_CODE2	10	Alpha		Yes	Major code (defined by campus)
MAJOR_TEXT2	50	Alpha		Yes	Major name or title (defined by campus)
EVAL_MAJOR	1	Alpha	Y,N	No	Should student see survey items to evaluate major?

Academic Program Data

Name	Max Width	Format	Values	Null Value OK?	Description
COLLEGE_CODE	10	Alpha		No	College code (defined by campus)
COLLEGE_NAME	100	Alpha		No	College name (defined by campus)
MAJOR_CODE	10	Alpha		No	Major code (defined by campus)
MAJOR_TEXT	100	Alpha		No	Major name or title (defined by campus)
CIP_CODE	6	Alpha		No	CIP 2000 Code [2]

Student Data

Name	Max Width	Format	Values	Null Value OK?	Description
STUDENT_ID	10	Alpha		No	Student ID
STATUS	1	Numeric	1,2,9	No	Matriculation status
YEAR	4	Alpha	YYYY	No	Year of first registration
TERM	1	Numeric	1,2,3,4	No	Term of first registration
LEVEL	1	Numeric	1,2,3,4,9	No	Class level
TOTAL_UNITS	5	Numeric ###.#	000.0-999.9	Yes	Total units completed to date
NATIVE_UNITS	5	Numeric ###.#	000.0-999.9	Yes	Total units completed to date at institution
GENDER	1	Alpha	F,M,U	No	Gender: Female, Male, Unknown
ETHNICITY	1	Numeric	1-8	Yes	8-category ethnicity
ETHNICITY_LOC	1	Alpha		Yes	Ethnicity Code (defined by campus)
COLLEGE_CODE	10	Alpha		Yes	College code (defined by campus)
MAJOR_CODE1	10	Alpha		Yes	Major
MAJOR_CODE2	10	Alpha		Yes	2nd Major if applicable
AGE	3	Numeric		Yes	Age of the student
INDEPENDENT_STUDENT	1	Alpha	Y,N	Yes	Is the student financially independent for financial aid purposes?
SCHCEEB	6	Alpha		Yes	Previous school CEEB Code
HSGPA_CALC	4	Numeric #.##	1.00-5.00	Yes	High school GPA, weighted
HSGPA_UNW	4	Numeric #.##	1.00-4.00	Yes	High school GPA, unweighted
HSRANK	2	Numeric ##	1-99	Yes	High school percentile rank

SERU Data Element Dictionary

Name	Max Width	Format		Null Value OK?	Description
SATICR	3	Numeric	200-800	Yes	Score on SAT I – Critical Reading
SATIM	3	Numeric	200-800	Yes	Score on SAT I – Math
SATIW	3	Numeric	200-800	Yes	Score on SAT I – Writing
SAT	4	Numeric	600-2400	Yes	Combined SAT Score: M+W+CR
SATIIW	3	Numeric	200-800	Yes	Score on SATII – Writing
SATIIM	3	Numeric	200-800	Yes	Score on SATII – Math
ACTE	2	Numeric	1-36	Yes	Score on ACT – English
ACTM	2	Numeric	1-36	Yes	Score on ACT – Math
ACTR	2	Numeric	1-36	Yes	Score on ACT – Reading
ACTS	2	Numeric	1-36	Yes	Score on ACT – Science
ACTCOMB	2	Numeric	1-36	Yes	Score on ACT– Combined English/Writing
ACT	2	Numeric	1-36	Yes	ACT composite score
CUMGPA	4	Numeric #.##	1.00-4.50	Yes	Overall GPA to date at time of registration for current term (all units, 4.0 = A)
CUMGPA_NATIVE	4	Numeric #.##	1.00-4.50	Yes	Overall GPA to date at time of registration for current term (native units, 4.0 = A)

Appendix

[1] Will only be used if response rate is abnormally low or in other special circumstances

[2] Classification of Instructional Programs code (CIP 2000). This code is used to identify comparator programs

Field Name

Values

STATUS

1=Freshman
2=Transfer
9=Other

TERM

If your institution is on the semester system then the TERM field must be 1,2, or 4

1=Summer
2=Fall
3=Winter (only for quarter system)
4=Spring

LEVEL

1=Freshman
2=Sophomore
3=Junior
4=Senior
9=Other

GENDER

F=Female
M=Male
U=Unknown

ETHNICITY

1=American Indian-Alaskan Native
2=African American
3=Chicano-Latino
4=Asian-Filipino-Pacific Islander
5=White
6=Other
7=Unknown
8=International-Foreign Visa