

Illinois Community College Board

**ILLINOIS POSTSECONDARY PROFILES**

The Illinois Postsecondary Profiles is a data and accountability website initiative scheduled for release in fall 2019 resulting from an intergovernmental agreement between ICCB, IBHE, and Northern Illinois University (NIU). The central vision guiding development of the Illinois Postsecondary Profiles (IPP) is the creation of a powerful but accessible website through which interested stakeholders can access data pertinent to the Illinois Career and Technical Education, Associate Degree, Baccalaureate, and Graduate postsecondary experience for both the 2-year and 4-year sectors in meaningful and useful ways. The user interface of the IPP employs an innovative approach that is designed around user interests, and will allow exploration of the data along one of three distinct paths that should significantly enhance and simplify the experience. The user currently has a choice of searching for information by institution and will eventually have the capacity to search by research or career interest area, or for information about the experiences of particular kinds of student. Key to the IPP is the utilization of ICCB's Centralized Data System, allowing for information to be more current, more detailed, and more flexible than other postsecondary data tools available.