

Saint Louis University
School of Education
Master's in Student Personnel Administration
Summer 2019 Written Comprehensive Exam

INSTRUCTIONS: Please respond to one (1) of the following questions using what you learned in your Master's program, providing support and examples. Type your answer in **14 pt. Arial, double-spaced**. *Number your responses using the question numbers below (i.e., Question 1, Question 2).* You have 3 hours to answer your question. Before submitting your response, please review it for organization, grammar, and spelling.

Question 1

You are the director Academic Advising in the College of Arts and Sciences at a Midwest public university with an enrollment of 17,000 students. You and your advisors initiated an internal evaluation of the current advising system and determined the academic advising service delivery system needs to be in better concert with the university's Academic Resource Center where the advisors offer a customized approach to meet the academic needs of the university's students. After giving this recommendation to the Provost who oversees the Advising Program, the Provost questioned the need for this recommendation and asked for a proposal from you outlining the theoretical and operational components of a restructured advising program.

Using what you have learned in your Master's program about the identity development of college students; intervention skills; campus environment; legal and ethical issues; college structure, functional areas, and resources; and diversity, disability, inclusion, and ally development in higher

Question 2

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