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Outline

- Successes

- Impediments to implementing/scaling your student success interventions

- Student success in UCDG 2024-2026

- High-level overview of 2024 Plans

Successes

Short/Medium Term Goals:

- Establish clear definitions of student success
  - Student Success Framework (in progress)
- **Data integration**
- **Enhance data literacy across the institution**
  - Currently Developing a Data Literacy Course for both Students and Staff
  - Appoint a Data Scientist to our team
- **Uphold privacy and ethical standards**
  - Strengthened data governance practices and the use of data.

Successes
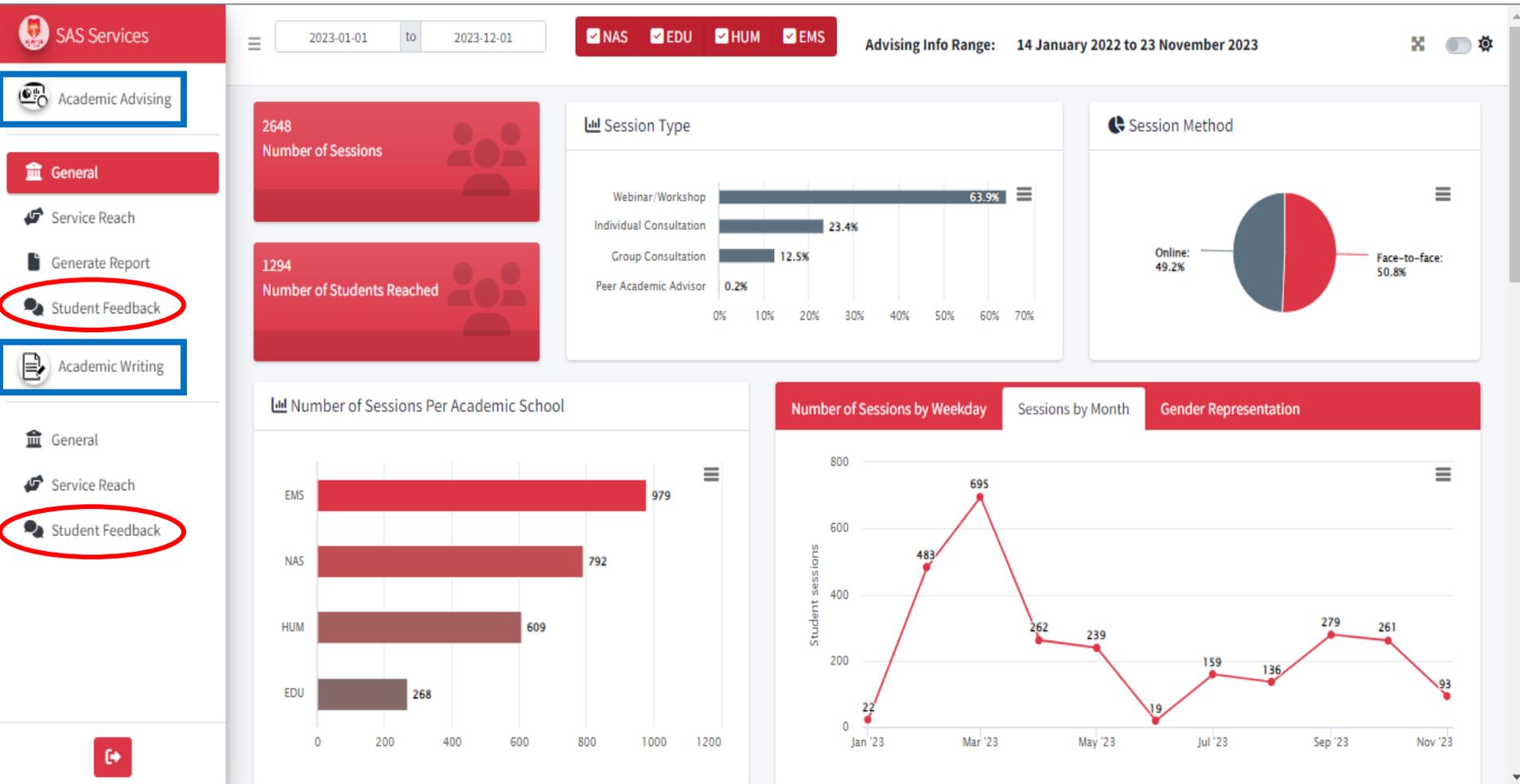
Completed the Event-Driven Architecture for real-time analytics.

- Academic Advising
- Academic Writing
- Tutorship
- Residence

Including student feedback

Success
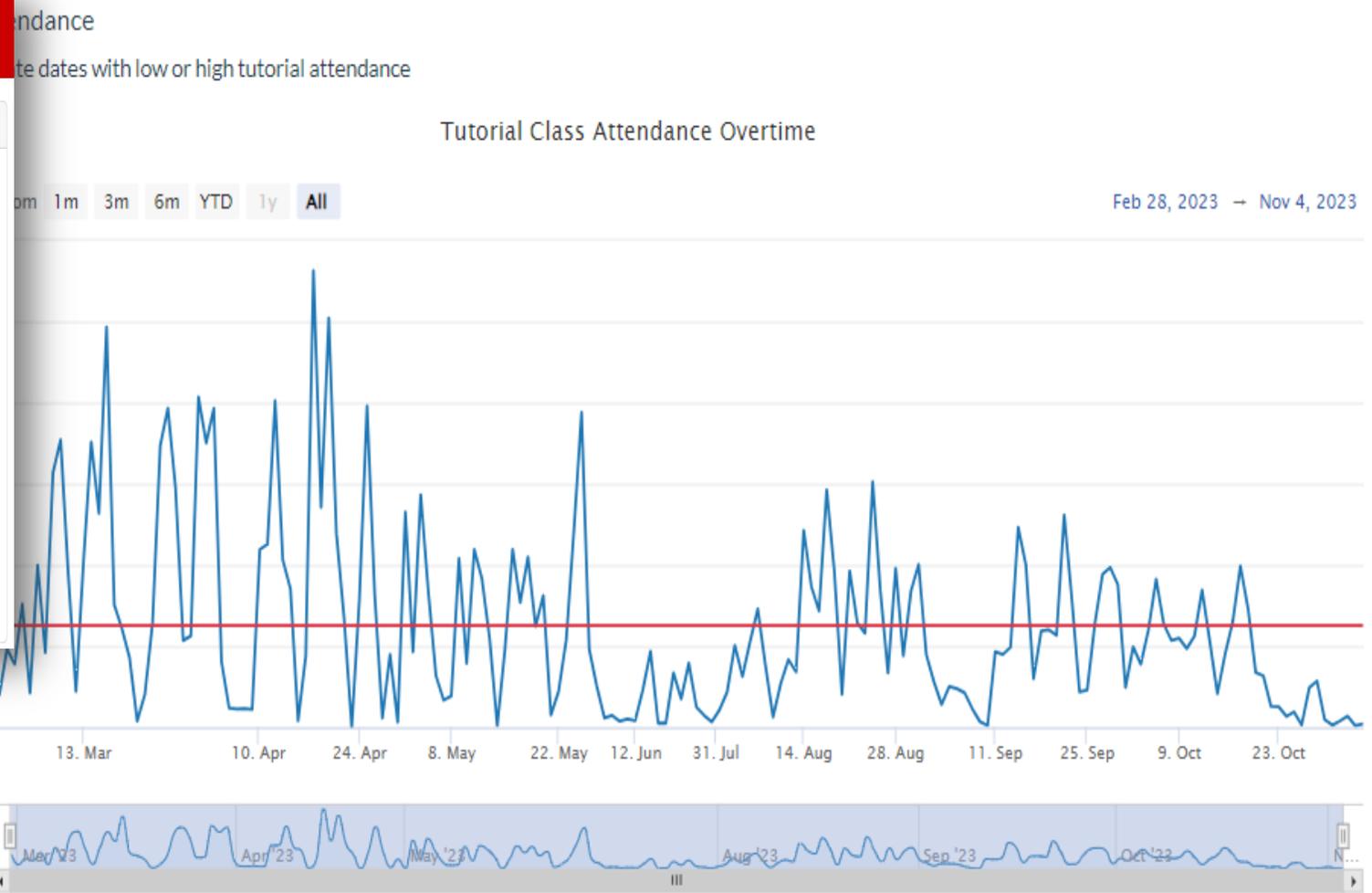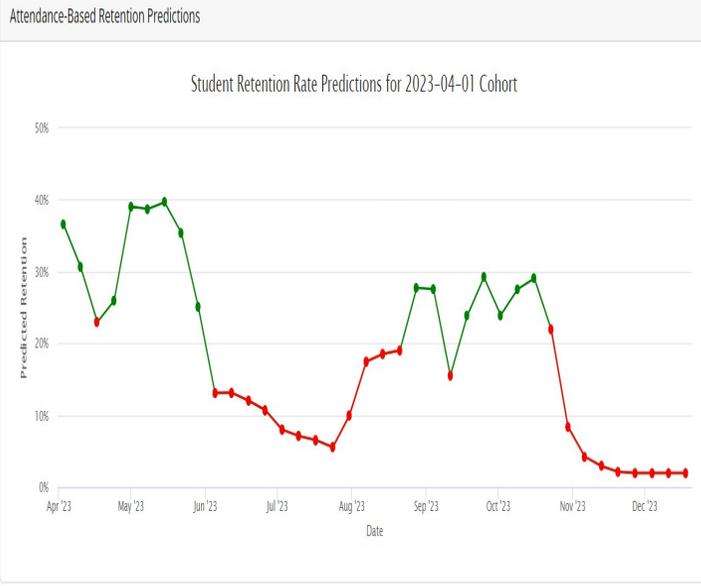
Success

- Access to module success data as shared for first-semester T&L.

- Identify high-impact modules.

- Provide additional support (e.g., quantitative support)
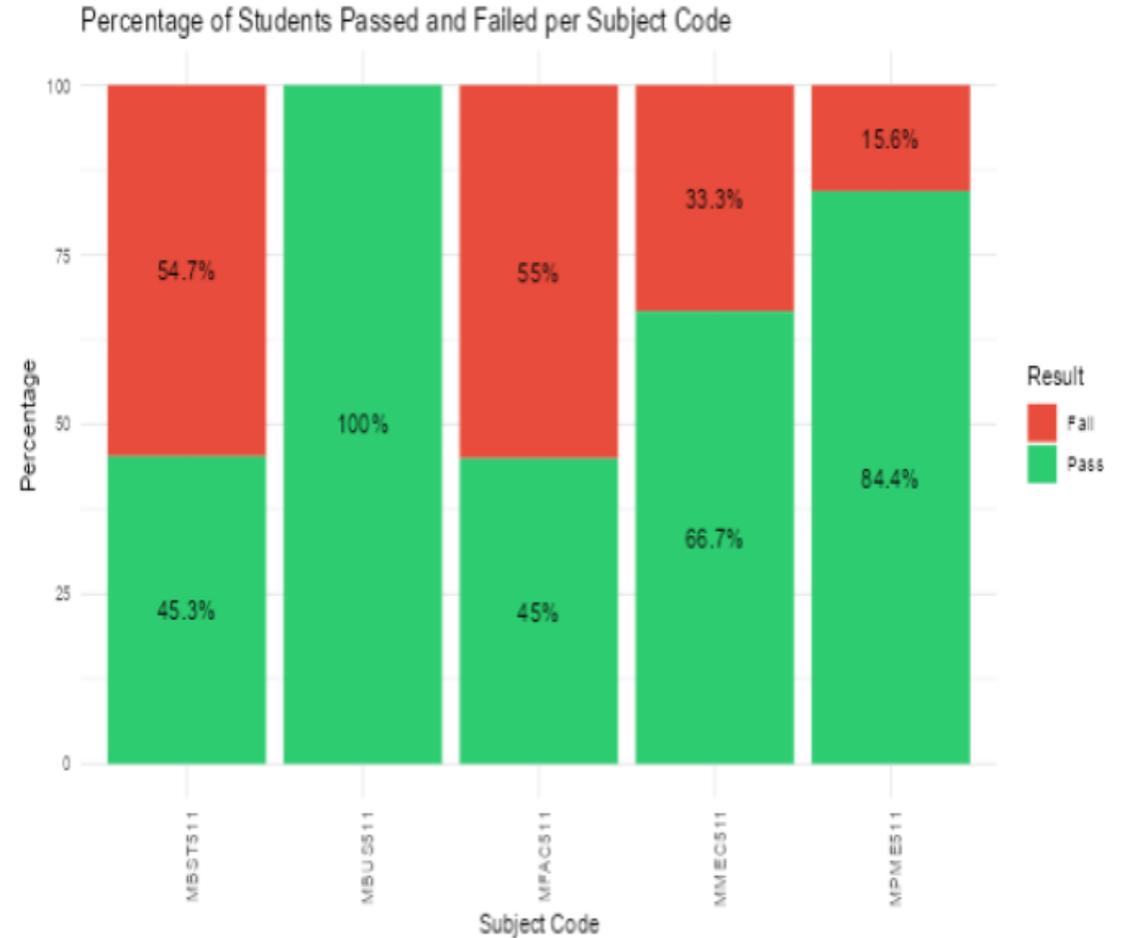
Impediments to implementing/scaling your Student Success interventions

- Financial- impact human resources, and development of staff, involving all students.

- Student disengagement
  - where benefits of the intervention are not immediately realised and/or rewarded.

Project:

Consolidating Institutional Analytics Capabilities for Student Success

High-level overview of 2024 Plans

- **Implement robust data warehousing and business intelligence solutions**
  - Student success data lake- A cloud storage repository to store raw data files that are not captured in databases.
  - Project and Task Portal- to streamline the management and accessibility of project-related links, such as web applications, dashboards, and data collection tools.
- **Enhance tracking student engagement**
- **Move more to Predictive and Diagnostic Learning Analytics**
- **Establish a strong feedback mechanism**
- **Promote collaborative decision-making culture**