College of Natural & Mathematical Sciences (CNMS) Electronic Advising Sign-up Wish List

Majors Advised: Biological Sciences, Biochemistry & Molecular Biology, Bioinformatics & Computational Biology, Biology Education, Chemistry, Chemistry Education

Ask specifically what major the student intends to pursue next semester (ie. Refer those students who will not be taking Life Sciences classes next semester to appropriate advisor) (JC) Perhaps add a choice of "other" to the "major" drop-down menu, and choosing that option shunts the student to an information page that includes a little blurb about seeking advising elsewhere (we can work up the text for that) and a link to the Departmental Advising contacts page on the Office for Academic & Pre-Professional Advising, instead of continuing through the appointment-making process. If this is possible, there should also be a mechanism for the student to return to the home/edit student info page to make a correction to their choice in the "major" drop-down, if "Other" wasn't really an appropriate choice. (MAB)

Add additional student information drop-down for primary career track (Research, Health Profession, Industry, Education, Other, Uncertain)

Prevent a student from signing up for a new appointment until they have cancelled an existing (missed) appointment (questions about clearing the student info each semester)

More details explaining each function (for example if the button were to say "Sign-Up here" there would be additional details explaining that the student was signing up for an appointment with "X" advisor) (JC)

Can a graphic be added (ie. CNMS Advising Header)? Aesthetics/color scheme corresponding with myUMBC.

Prevent students from signing up for an appointment if they have been cleared previously -- such as a question asking if the student has been cleared for the X semester and if so then the student is directed to an alternative/later appointment (directed to an alternative calendar with later dates) (JC)

Make sure if an advisor edits, everyone is told (student wise), some might have to reschedule

add feature when searched, go ahead and sign up for it at the same time

have admin be able to create a student