

Advice from Peers

Annual Default Prevention Grant Meeting

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Conferences - Good versus Great

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- 5. A balance between research and practice.
- 6. Useable!

Access Group Conference Huntington Beach CA

Session titles were intriguing...

Politics and Higher Education

Recent Trends, Future Possibilities

Campus Connections, Building Interoffice
Communications

Say Yes to NO!

The Psychology of Personal Finance



Session titles relative to repayment and default prevention included:

Altering Outcomes: Ensuring Borrower Success

Service-Student Communication

Repayment: Making the Right Choice

Dazzle Me: Captivate and Win Over Any Audience

My Challenge: *Dazzle* 30+ student peer advisors for one-on-one Direct Loan exit counseling.

Steve Hughes, President, Hit Your Stride, LLC

- Have a point
- Make it clear
- Make it interactive
- Look'em in the eye
- Humor helps

Added charts



Added humor..

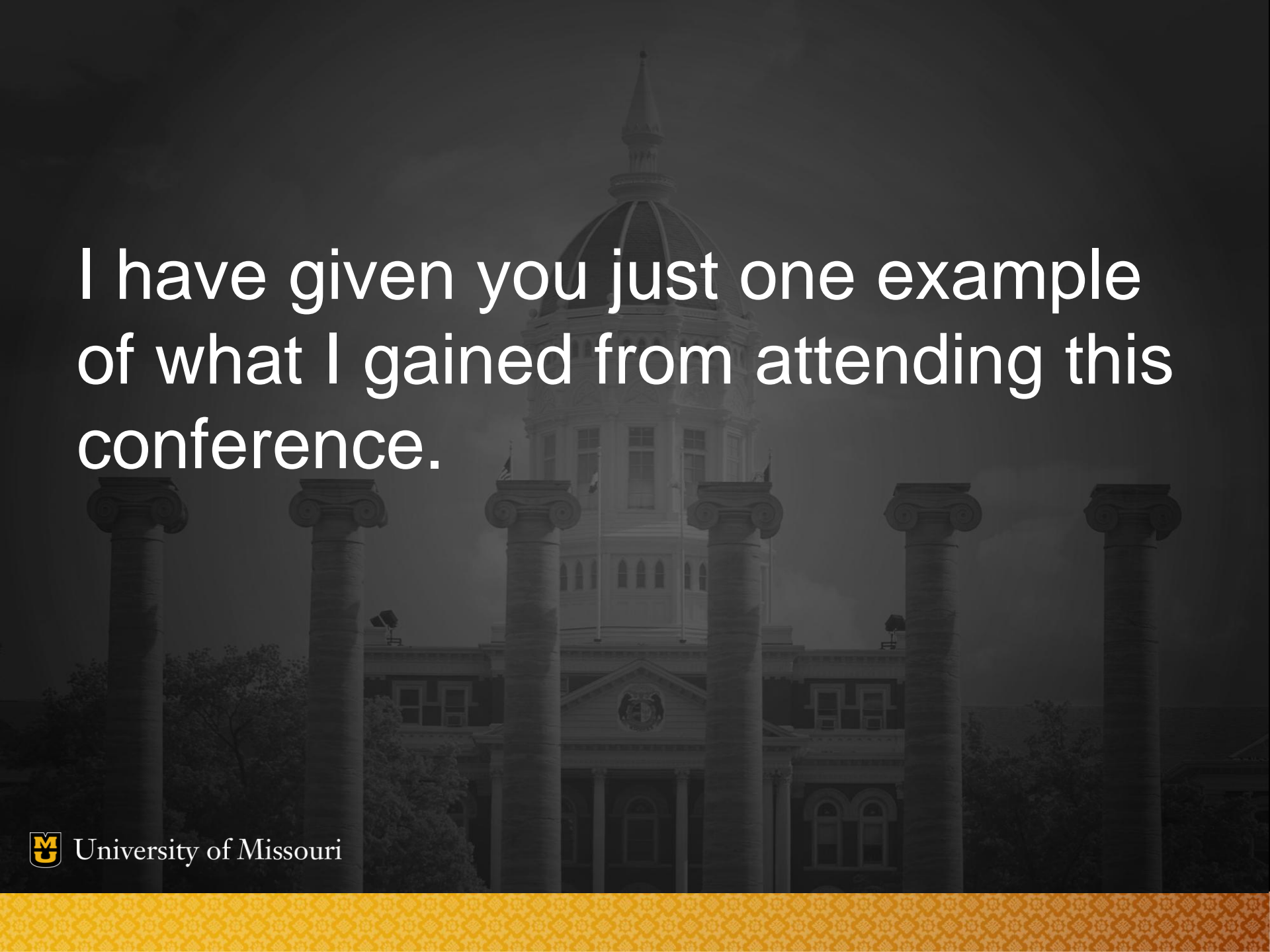
May your college memories last as long as your student loan payments.



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Added interaction

- Mini Q & A throughout presentation

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I have given you just one example
of what I gained from attending this
conference.

Did changes make a difference? Below are the results to the survey completed by exiting students.

3. How knowledgeable was the peer counselor?

#	Answer		Response	%
0	Extremely knowledgeable		100	57%
1	Very knowledgeable		67	39%
2	Moderately knowledgeable		6	3%
3	Slightly knowledgeable		1	1%
4	Not at all knowledgeable		0	0%
	Total		174	100%

4. How clear was the information the Office for Financial Success gave you?

#	Answer		Response	%
1	Extremely clear		105	61%
2	Very clear		61	35%
3	Moderately clear		5	3%
4	Slightly clear		2	1%
5	Not at all clear		0	0%
	Total		173	100%

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Travel is expensive but knowledge
is priceless.

Questions, Comments?