

Faculty Senate ACT Changes

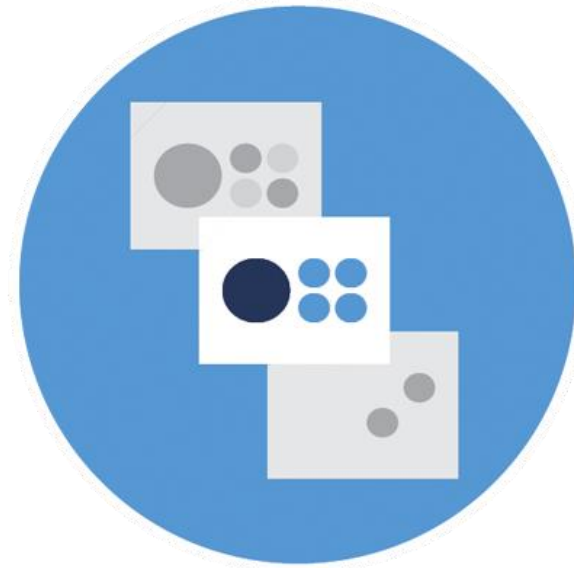
Jose Aviles, Vice President, Enrollment Management

Key Changes

Section Retesting



Super Scoring



Super Scoring

TEST DATE	ENGLISH SCORE	MATH SCORE	READING SCORE	SCIENCE SCORE	COMPOSITE SCORE
APRIL	19	20	23	21	21
JUNE	22	22	20	22	22
SEPTEMBER	20	23			21

TEST DATE	BEST ENGLISH SCORE	BEST MATH SCORE	BEST READING SCORE	BEST SCIENCE SCORE	SUPERSCORE
COMBINED	22	23	23	22	23

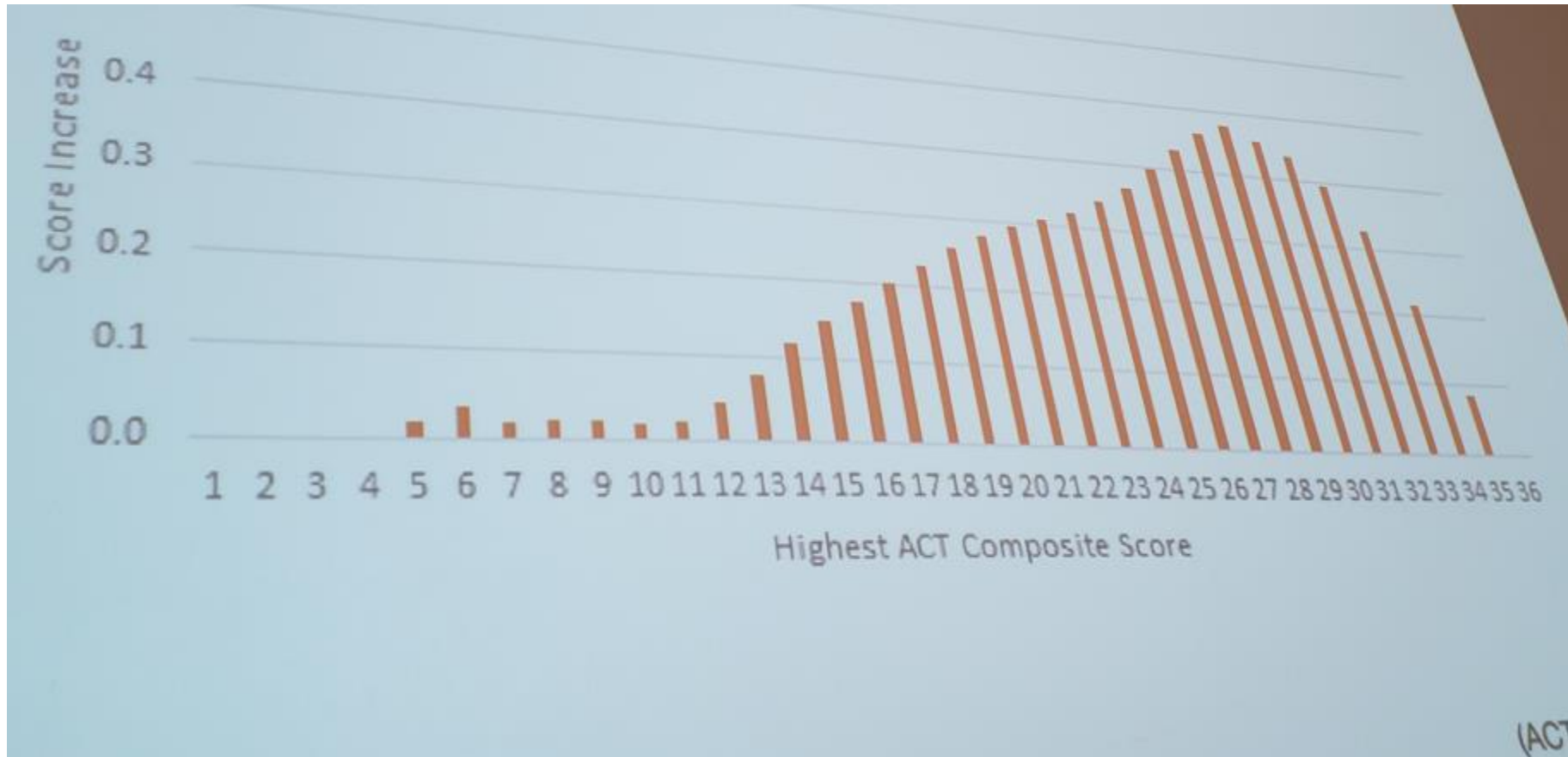
Rationale

- According to the ACT, more than 70% of students are taking the exam more than once
- Inconsistent approaches by higher education create complexity for students and families
- ACT's old guidance– dated research

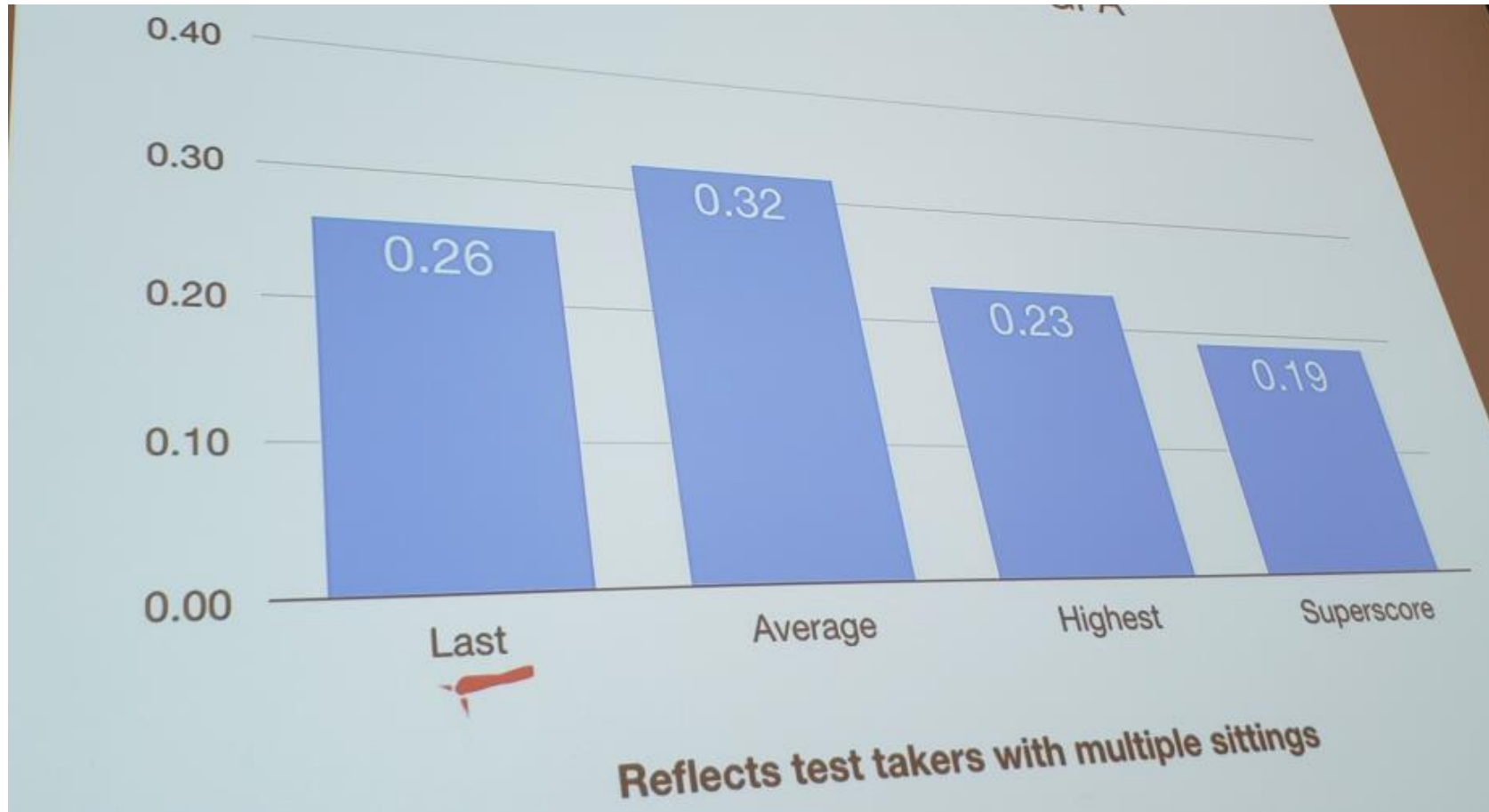
ACT/Harvard Study

- Sample size: 280,000 first time 4 year college students
 - 29.1% took the ACT once, 35.3% took it twice, 20.2% took it three times, and 15.4% took it four times or more times
 - Super Scoring models resulted in the least amount of prediction error

Average Score Increase from Highest ACT Composite score to Super Score ACT



Predictions based on ACT Super Score provide most accurate estimate of first year GPA



Next Cycle

For the next cycle, any students will
be able to sit for a single specific
section to retest