ACCESSING RESOURCES ON CAMPUS (AROC)

A centralized platform to get students the information they need, when they need it

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THE PROBLEM



Post-secondary institutions have a variety of student supports available, but many students do not access them for a variety of reasons



It is complex to address issues surrounding student retention and persistence in higher education, with different groups of students facing unique barriers



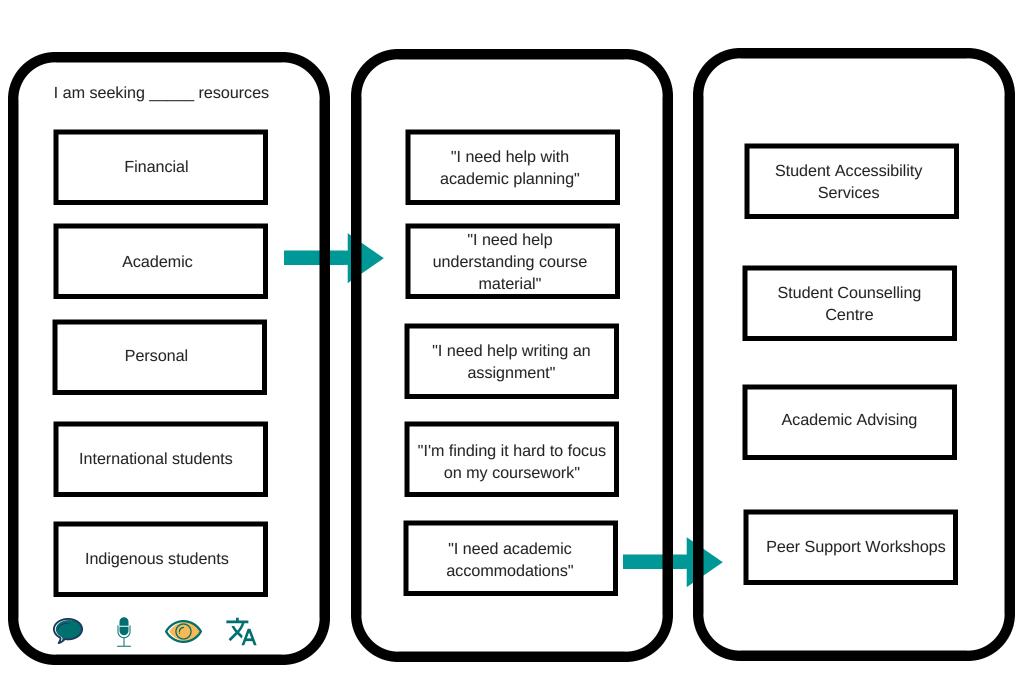
A commonality across access concerns is a lack of information on what is actually available.

OUR SOLUTION

Before focusing on policy change and developing new initiatives, we need to ask ourselves: are we maximizing the services that already exist?

Our tool provides an easily accessible, centralized online platform for students to get information on student supports quickly when they need it.

WHAT WOULD AROC LOOK LIKE?



IMPLEMENTATION



Choose three representative post-secondary institutions in Ontario



Create campus
consultation groups
(student groups, campus
administrators, student
services, IT, government
bodies) to modify our
basic framework for local
context



Roll out as part of postadmission process: letter of acceptance, Orientation programming, student support emails, information sessions