

# **Section Scheduling**

Data-driven section editing and collaboration in one easy-to-use platform



#### What is Section Scheduling?

Adding Section Scheduling to Align allows users to edit sections directly in Ad Astra. Take advantage of Ad Astra's collaboration tools and easy to use interface while editing sections, giving all departments across the institution visibility into the schedule. Stop scheduling in silos and start building a student-driven schedule together.

### Why use Section Scheduling?

Section Scheduling allows you to act on course-level recommendations necessary to align the schedule to students' needs within one application. This eliminates the need for additional spreadsheets and other time-intensive schedule building methods. Section Scheduling also helps with completing and buttoning up the class schedule, vetting it for completeness, monitoring any policy goals, and managing ongoing changes.

## **Key Features**

- Make edits to sections based on historical and predictive demand analytics in the same platform
- Publish edits back to the Student Information
  System
- Easy implementation for current Align users

#### **Benefits**

- View real-time updates to sections during the editing process
- Stay up-to-date with your colleagues by using the collaboration tool
- Give all departments visibility into the course schedule



"As we considered various options to improve scheduling efficiency, it made sense that the schedule building process should be tied to the actual schedule tool—Ad Astra."

- Terri Vogel, Registrar