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Having a diverse student population is critical to the student experience, academic culture and long-term sustainability of your institution. Whether students are applying from abroad or coming from an underrepresented background, it should be noted that a 'one-size-fits-all' recruitment strategy won't cut it.

The team here at Goodkind wanted to share some tips on how using video allows you to facilitate a more dynamic recruitment process and why it is the most effective method when considering your DEI initiatives.

👋 Here's Why Video Works



Building trust starts with a smile. By using video, you can show you care and be sincere with students. When a student feels that the person they are receiving communication from is genuine, they will be more likely to ask questions and involve themselves in the recruitment process.



Video messaging has yet to be widely used for student recruitment. It is a new, emerging form of outreach which appeals to a new generation of students. Video make personalization very easy, as a recorded video directed at a student never looks like a template.



Representation is about visibility. This is where students and faculty act as resources to create relevant outreach. Hearing from someone who attends the school and has had a similar lived experience signals the presence of an existing community for inbound students.

IMPORTANT! Students should feel represented but not tokenized. Showing that they belong in the community is the most important piece.

