

WASC Committee
Friday, September 19, 2014
Agenda

9:00 – 10:00 p.m.

Haak Ctr Boardroom 4115

1. Announcements
 - a. Welcome and Introductions
 - b. Teams going to WASC meetings on Core Competencies
 - i. Retreat on Core Competencies: Quantitative Reasoning and Assessment in Majors
Thurs, 10/02/2014 – 9:00 am to Fri, 10/03/14 – 2:30 pm
 - ii. Retreat on Core Competencies: Critical Thinking and Information Literacy
Thurs, 10/16/2014 – 9:00 am to Fri, 10/17/2014 – 3:15 pm
2. Roundtable announcement – President wants it to be interactive-ideas?
3. Self Study <http://www.fresnostate.edu/academics/wasc/self-study/index.html>
4. Calendar and visiting team review – Thursday, November 20, 2014
5. Melisa Jordine – WASC fellow-summary of work
6. Meaning and Quality of the Degrees – A. Lawson
 - a. Undergraduate – Finalize ILOs and discuss assessment
 - b. Discuss Graduate
7. Core Competencies – A. Lawson
8. ARC Call for Proposals – Identification of topics and presenters – April 22-24, 2015
9. Next Meeting: TBD

IMPORTANT DATES:

- November 20, 2014: Offsite Review
- October 20-22, 2015: Accreditation Visit

Self-Narrative Groups:

1. Introduction: Institutional Context; Response to Previous Commission Actions – L. Zelezny and A. Lawson
2. Compliance with WASC Standards and Federal Regulations: Self-Review under the Standards; Compliance Checklist – D. Nef, S. Moore, M. Caldwell and G. Harootunian
3. Degree Programs: Meaning, Quality, and Integrity of Degrees – A. Lawson, Michelle DenBeste, S. Moore and D. Nef, J. Diaz, J. Marshall and R. Raya-Fernandez and Student
4. Educational Quality: Student Learning, Core Competencies, and Standards of Performance at Graduation – X. Fu, R. Hall, R. Harper, A. Inoue, C. Radke, M. Ram, F. Tehrani, D. Tyckoson, P. Neufeld, T. Pierce and J. Magee
5. Student Success: Student Learning, Retention, and Graduation – M. McDonald, A. Sanchez, C. Radke and Student
6. Quality Assurance and Improvement: Program Review; Assessment; Use of Data and Evidence – A. Sanchez, S. Witte, D. Griffin and Lisa Kao
7. Sustainability: Financial Viability; Preparing for the Changing Higher Education Environment – D. Nef, C. Matson, R. Sanchez, B. Berrett, C. Coon and G. Harootunian
8. Conclusion: Reflection and Plans for Improvement – A. Lawson, L. Zelezny, M. Caldwell and T. Pierce