

SACSCOC UPDATE

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SACSCOC Liaison

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AUBURN UNIVERSITY IS CURRENTLY PREPARING FOR REAFFIRMATION



- Our accrediting body: The Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC)
- We will provide two reports to SACSCOC and will be subject to three levels of review



OUR TEAM

- DR. MARK DEGOTI, SACSCOC LIAISON
- DR. KATIE BOYD, QEP DIRECTOR
- DR. ASHLEY LUDEWIG, COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATION COORDINATOR
- STUART MILLER, SACSCOC HOST COMMITTEE CHAIR
- ANDREW TAYLOR, ACADEMIC COMPLIANCE MANAGER





REAFFIRMATION PROCESS OVERVIEW

COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATION REPORT

- OFF-SITE COMMITTEE REVIEW
- CHAIR: DR. ALENA HAMPTON
- DUE: SEPTEMBER 8, 2022

QUALITY ENHANCEMENT PLAN AND FOCUSED REPORT

- DUE: JANUARY 16, 2023
- ON-SITE COMMITTEE REVIEW
- CHAIR: DR. HARRIS PASTIDES
- FEBRUARY 27-MARCH 2, 2023

FINAL RESPONSE

- SACSCOC BOARD OF TRUSTEES REVIEW
- AUGUST 2023



THE QUALITY ENHANCEMENT PLAN

- The QEP is a commitment to enhance overall institutional quality and effectiveness by improving student learning outcomes and/or student success
- Derived from our existing strategic plan with broad support across the university
- Our QEP is focused on student placement improvements across campus
- Due: January 2023

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STATUS UPDATES

COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATION REPORT

- 41 of 73 narratives fully drafted or completed
 - 17 of 26 narratives submitted from campus partners
- Some minor requests for information/documentation may still be forthcoming

OFF-CAMPUS INSTRUCTIONAL SITES

- Rural Studio – visited November 2021
- Mobile Pharmacy Site – visited April 2022
- Staton Correctional Facility – Summer 2022

- UGA Observation – March 2022



WHAT'S NEXT?

- Dr. Belle Wheelan, SACSCOC President, speaking to the AU Board of Trustees this week
- Public relations efforts – perception & transparency
- AU News Monthly Countdown
- QEP Socialization





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QUESTIONS?

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