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It's Accreditation, Ya'll!

We're in the final phases of writing our self-evaluation for the ACCJC. Click here for a list of forums intended to inform everyone of the contents of the report and any last-minute feedback you'd like to give. [Click here for a list of upcoming forums near you.](#)

Good News!!!!

The Institutional Program Review Committee and the Academic Program Review Committee have both agreed to forego the requirement to submit a comprehensive program review for all academic programs and administrative units required to submit a comprehensive in Fall 2015 or Spring 2016. All units will still submit a program review snapshot in 2015-2016 using the new snapshot form. The cycles for comprehensive program reviews will be revised and those programs scheduled to submit a comprehensive in 2015-2016 will submit in 2016-2017. A list of reasons why the committees agreed to this change is [available here](#) (SharePoint login required).



eLumen Training and Walk-In Lab in May

eLumen Faculty Liaisons: Creating and Distributing Assessments

May 7, 3-4 PM L246

WEBINAR: eLumen Faculty Liaisons: Creating and Distributing Assessments

May 8, 12-1 PM

[Click here for Login Info](#)

WEBINAR: eLumen Faculty Basics: Putting in Scores and Finding Assessments

May 12, 12-1 PM TBD

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eLumen Faculty Basics: Putting in Scores and Finding Assessments

Friday, May 15, 12-1 PM
L246

eLumen Walk-In Lab May 21-May 22 and May 27-29 10 AM - 3:00 PM L242B

Getting to Know Your Data

Effective planning practices, and our accreditation standards, emphasize using data when making planning decisions. When sitting down to do program review, you might feel a sense of dread or overwhelm when faced with the wide variety of data sources and many questions might come to mind: What do I do with the data? Can I trust the data? How do I interpret the data?

The Office of Research, Planning and Grants maintains a website which provides a smorgasbord of data sources and information that can be useful for program review and to support campus decision-making, planning, and policy formation. In addition to preparing statistical content and reports for Accreditation, Campus Climate Surveys, Fast Facts, Faculty Hiring Process, IPEDS, Program Review, Strategic Planning, SLOs, and Title V, the research office performs many additional ad hoc analyses for various departments and individuals across campus. To receive this type of service, please fill out a request form [here](#).



NEW PROGRAM REVIEW SNAPSHOT IN 15-16

The Institutional Program Review Committee has approved significant changes to the annual program review snapshot intended to make program review easier and provide programs and the institution info needed for goal-setting, budget development, planning, and data analysis for the coming year. Take a look at the form by [clicking here](#), or you can see a demo of a [completed program review](#) using the new form [here](#) (SharePoint login required).



Highlights of the New Snapshot:

- Online Interface with checkboxes and dropdown menus (No WORD files)
- Emphasis on creating SMART goals
- Stronger connections between strategic planning goals, program goals, data, and resource requests.
- Limits on the number of goals and number of resource requests
- Character limits in text fields
- Improved efficiency in managing data for budget development and prioritization
- Expected two-three year stopgap as we discuss a permanent solution

New Program Review Snapshot Trainings!!

New Program Review Snapshot

Friday, May 15
1-2 PM L246



New Program Review Snapshot (Webinar)

Tuesday, May 19, 12-1 PM
[Click here for Login information](#)