

LMC Accreditation 2020 Update

Presented by

LMC Accreditation Steering Committee

LMC Standard Captains

College Assembly

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What is Accreditation?

The purposes include encouraging institutions to improve **academic quality**, **institutional effectiveness**, and, ultimately, **student success**.

ACCJC evaluation of institutions assures the educational community, the general public, and other organizations and agencies that an institution:

- has clearly defined objectives appropriate to higher education;
- has established conditions under which their achievement can reasonably be expected; and appears in fact to be accomplishing them;
- is so organized, staffed, and supported that it can be expected to continue to do so.

https://accjc.org/purpose-and-process/



Why Accreditation is important?

Attending an unaccredited program/institution can mean that:

- Students will not be eligible for federal financial aid
- Students will not be able to transfer credits to another institution
- Students will not be able to obtain appropriate professional licensure in your field

Accreditation can make the difference between boarding on an exciting career path, or being loaded with debt and worthless credits.

Faculty/Teachers will/may not receive credit for the years during which they taught at a non-accredited school by many schools/districts nationwide.

https://www.acswasc.org/why-accreditation/



What is the Accreditation Process?

PEER REVIEW PROCESS

- Each institution affiliated with the ACCREDITING COMMISSION FOR COMMUNITY AND JUNIOR COLLEGES (ACCJC) accepts the obligation to participate in a cycle of periodic evaluation through institutional self-evaluation and review by teams of peer evaluators.
- Teams conduct an evaluation review following completion of institutional self-evaluation (ISER) in order to determine the extent to which an institution meets the Commission's Standards.
- Team members, selected for their expertise, make recommendations to meet the Commission's Standards, make recommendations for improvement, commend exemplary practices, and provide both the college and the Commission with a report of their findings.

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Accreditation Standards (4 big standards, a total of 138 sub-standards)

Standard I: Mission, Academic Quality and Institutional Effectiveness, and Integrity (27)

- A. Mission (4)
- B. Assuring Academic Quality and Institutional Effectiveness (9)
- C. Institutional Integrity (14)

Standard II: Student Learning Programs and Support Services (28)

- A. Instructional Programs (16)
- B. Library and Learning Support Services (4)
- C. Student Support Services (8)

Standard III: Resources (40)

- A. Human Resources (15)
- B. Physical Resources (4)
- C. Technology Resources (5)
- D. Financial Resources Planning (16)

Standard IV: Leadership and Governance (43)

- A. Decision-Making Roles and Processes (7)
- B. Chief Executive Officer (6)
- C. Governing Board (13)
- D. Multi-College Districts or Systems (7)

https://accjc.org/wp-content/uploads/Accreditation-Standards_-Adopted-June-2014.pdf



Accreditation Steering Committee

| Member | Role |
|---------------------------|--|
| Bob Kratochvil (co-chair) | CEO, President |
| Sally Montemayor Lenz | CIO, Vice President of Instruction |
| Tanisha Maxwell | CSSO, Vice President of Student Services |
| Carlos Montoya | CBO, Vice President of Business and Administrative Services |
| Sabrina Kwist | Equity Officer |
| Josh Bearden | Academic Senate President |
| Nicole Almassey | Classified Senate President |
| Thyra Cobbs | Student Senate President |
| Scott Warfe | Accreditation Technical Writer |
| BethAnn Stone | Senior Admin Assistant |
| Chialin Hsieh (co-chair) | ALO, Senior Dean of Planning and Institutional Effectiveness |

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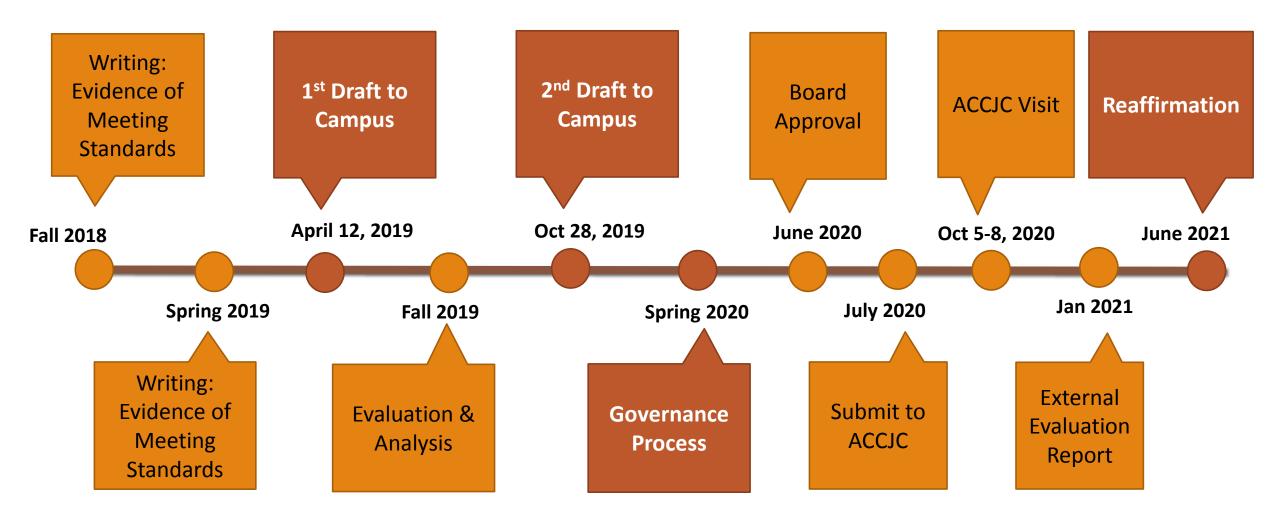
Accreditation Standard Captain Team

| Standard | IABC | IIA | IIB | IIC | IIIABCD | IVAB |
|---|-----------------------------------|--|------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|
| Standard Description | Mission, Institutional | Instruction | Library Support Services | Student Services | Human Resources, Facilities, | Decision Making Process and Chief Executive |
| Description | Effectiveness, and Integrity | | Services | | Technology, and Finance | Officer |
| Captain | Chialin Hsieh | Sally Montemayor Lenz and Nancy Ybarra | Christina Goff* | Dave Belman and Tanisha Maxwell | Carlos Montoya | Bob Kratochvil |
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Timeline and Process for Institutional Self Evaluation Report 2020 (ISER)



| Semester/Month | Task/Process |
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| Fall 2018 | Captains worked with team members to draft its assigned standard: Evidence of Meeting Standard |
| Spring 2019 | Captains worked with team members to draft its assigned standard: Evidence of Meeting Standard |
| April 12, 2019 | First draft sent to campus to review and provide feedback |
| Summer 2019 | Captains worked with team members to draft its assigned standard: Evaluation and Analysis |
| Fall 2019 | Various committees viewed and provided feedback on various substandards based on their charges. Feedback were incorporated to the content by working with the captains. |
| October 23, 2019 | Second draft sent to campus to review and provide feedback |
| Spring 2020 | Go through governance committees |
| June 2020 | Board approval |
| July 2020 | Submit to ACCJC |
| Oct 5-8, 2020 | ACCJC Visit |
| Jan 2021 | Evaluation Report |
| June 2021 | Reaffirmation |



Timeline and Process for Institutional Self Evaluation Report 2020

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| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | The Editing Team Schedule | | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | Standard IIA |
| 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | reviewed 8.20.2019 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | Oct 7: Joint MeetingAcademic Senate, Classified Senate, and Student Senate |
| 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | Standard I | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | Incorporate Feedback and share with captains |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | Standard I | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | Oct 23: ISER email to Campus |
| 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | | | | Standard I | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | | | Oct 28: College Assembly |
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| 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | Standard IIC | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | Finalizing Introduction |
| 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | Standard IIB, IIIDFinance | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | Finalizing 50% Evidence |
| 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | Standard IIIDFinance; IIIBFacilities | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | |
| 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | Standard IIICTechnology | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | |
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| 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | Standard IIIAHR | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | Incorporate feedback from Campus |
| 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | Standard IVA | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | Finalizing ISER |
| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | Standard IVB; IIA | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | |
| 29 | 30 | | | | | | Standard IIA | 29 | 30 | 31 | | | | | |

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| Fall 2019 | | | | | | | |
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| Fall 2019 | Evidence of Meeting the Standard and Analysis and Evaluation | | | | | | |
| Sept 5/Oct 3, 2019 | Planning Committee (Standard I) Chialin | | | | | | |
| Sept 10/Oct 8, 2019 | TLC (Standard I and IIA) Chialin | | | | | | |
| Sept 17, 2019 | Student Services (Standard IIC) Tanisha | | | | | | |
| Oct, 2019 | Safety/Facility/Technology/Finance Groups (Standard III) Carlos | | | | | | |
| Oct 3/Nov 7, 2019 | SEM (Standard All) Sally, Tanisha, and Carlos | | | | | | |
| Oct 8, 2019 | EEO (Standard IIIA) Carlos and Sabrina | | | | | | |
| Sept 16/Oct 16, 2019 | President's Council (Standard All) Bob | | | | | | |
| Oct 17, 2019 | IDEA (Standard IIIA) Sabrina | | | | | | |
| Sept 11/Sept 25/Oct 9/Oct 23, 2019 | SGC (<i>Standard IAB, IIID, IV</i> AB) Bob | | | | | | |
| Sept 12/Oct 10, 2019 | Accreditation Steering Committee (Standard All) Chialin | | | | | | |
| Oct/Nov, 2019 | Curriculum Committee (Standard IIA) Sally | | | | | | |
| Oct, 2019 | Instructional Departments and Student Services Departments Meetings (<i>Standard IIA, IIB, IIC</i>) Sally and Tanisha | | | | | | |
| Oct 7, 2019 | Joint meeting of Academic Senate, Classified Senate, Student Senate (<i>Standard All</i>) Josh, Nicole, and Teresea (Chialin) | | | | | | |
| Oct 23, 2019 | Teams complete 2 nd draft email to the campus for feedback. | | | | | | |
| Oct 28, 2019 | College Assembly | | | | | | |



Participation and Involvement

- Standard Work Group
- Contribute to Writing
- Identify/Participate as an Expert
- Provide Evidence (i.e., via committee)
- Provide Feedback (i.e., via committee, via captain, via ALO)
- Be asked to Validate the Content or Evidence
- Read the Draft ISER



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conversations with our Accreditation Standard Teams to provide your feedback

LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Review ISER draft
- Validate content
- Provide additional feedback and/or alternative content



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INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Get in groups based on your given number.
- 2. Assign the following roles to group members:
 - Director: Ensure group follows directions.
 - Note Taker: Logs group discussion of a given standard.
 - Evidence Finder: Consults with group to find possible examples of evidence.
 - Skeptic: Leads group review by offering skeptical view of the College's alignment with the given substandard.



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Standard I—Mission, Institutional Effectiveness, and Integrity

Standard IIA--Instruction

Standard III—Human Resources, Facilities, Technology, and Finance

Standard IIB—Library and Learning Resources

Standard IV—Decision Making and Leadership

Standard IIC—Student Services



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| | Effectiveness, and | | | | Technology, and | Officer | |
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