

Credentials Taskforce

In Attendance: Darrel Malamisura (Chair), Michelle Taylor (secretary), Betty Nash, Vincent Mateescu.

- Email to all deans for accrediting standards regarding faculty credentials.
 - College of Business--ACBSP
 - School of Education--CAEP
 - College of Engineering--ABET
 - College of Nursing and Allied Health—CCNE, & ACEN
- HLC spoke to the faculty and stated that they support the programmatic accrediting bodies.
- Now that we are a university we should hold the required standards over “special competence” as found in the Provost’s Office.
- If the program standards are black and white, why are we interpreting it any differently?
- What do we do with programs that are not accredited? (Policy?)
- Betty did some research and found that it’s pretty standard to have a masters degree in place to teach.
- Peer institutions
 - Each taskforce member will be given five peers to look into for benchmarking.
- Next Meeting: October 27, 2023