



UCF Board of Trustees

Academic Excellence and Student Success Committee

December 5, 2024

Agenda Item

INFO-2: Accreditation Quarterly Update

Proposed Action

There is no proposed Board action. The information item is presented to the Board to provide a quarterly update on UCF's accreditation efforts.

Authority for Board of Trustees Action

N/A

Supporting Documentation Included

Attachment A: UCF Institutional Accreditation Quarterly Reporting Template

Facilitators/Presenters

Timothy Letzring, Senior Vice Provost for Academic Affairs

Summary of Key Observations/Recommendations

- UCF has submitted Step 2 of the Higher Learning Commission's (HLC) accelerated application process. We completed the following three documents:
 - Institutional Data Form
 - Compliance With Eligibility Requirements Form
 - Compliance With Assumed Practices Form
- In addition, UCF submitted our initial Assurance Argument with a narrative focused on HLC's Criteria for Accreditation:
 - Criterion 1. Mission
 - Criterion 2. Integrity: Ethical and Responsible Conduct
 - Criterion 3. Teaching and Learning: Quality, Resources, and Support
 - Criterion 4. Teaching and Learning: Evaluation and Improvement
 - Criterion 5. Institutional Effectiveness, Resources and Planning

Additional Background

UCF's accreditation quarterly report was submitted to the Board of Governors on October 1, 2024.

Implementation Plan

UCF will submit its Step 3 documents to HLC in May and host an HLC team for a site visit in early June.

Resource Considerations

N/A