Academic Assessment Committee

Agenda

Sept. 26, 2013 11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. CII Faculty Innovation Room (Library Building)

1. Assessment Calendar Change

The committee was informed on the progress being made in the proposal to align the assessment calendar with the academic calendar.

2. WEAVE Master List Review

The committee initiated a review to ensure that the WEAVE master entity list was current and aligned with Tarleton's degree offerings.

3. Fifth Year Interim Report

NOTE: Data collection for the fifth year interim report ends May 31, 2015

4. Holistic Reviews

The committee discussed creating a new review process that would occur at the midpoint of each year to provide programs and units with a holistic overview of their culture of assessment.

5. Newsletter

The committee discussed the value of creating an assessment newsletter to share stories and practices across campus.

6. Guide to Running a Program/Budget Unit Assessment Meeting

In conjunction with the revised calendar, the committee continued their discussion of the need to provide a manual on how to run an assessment meeting as the new calendar alignment will make it possible to more clearly integrate assessment planning with academic planning.

7. Texas A&M University Assessment Conference – Feb. 16 – 18, 2014

The committee was asked to remind their constituents that the proposal deadline is October 11

- **8. Dept. Head Rep's**—Please 1) Update your college dean and all dept. heads on these items ASAP,
 - 2) Make sure all department heads and academic-program coordinators are in possession of the assessment checklist, and
 - 3) Make sure that current checklist and deadlines are reviewed and discussed in every Department Head meeting.