University Assessment Committee  
2012-2013 Academic Assessment Reports  
Review of Reviews

Department or School Evaluated: Click here to enter text.

UAC Member Representative Body: □ CoAL, □ CoB, □ CoEP, □ CoH, □ CoN □ CoST, □ University Committee

☐ I concur with the evaluation of all program assessment reports in this department/school.
If the statement above is not marked, a second evaluation rubric has been completed and is attached for the following programs:
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The purpose of the University Assessment Committee is to support the process of continual self-evaluation and improvement across all academic and administrative units at The University of Southern Mississippi. The committee’s primary responsibility is to ensure that the institution complies with the Principles of Accreditation for Quality Enhancement published by the Southern Association for Colleges and Schools with regard to assessment as stated in Comprehensive Standard 3.3.1:

**Comprehensive Standard 3.3.1 - Institutional Effectiveness**

*The institution identifies expected outcomes, assesses the extent to which it achieves these outcomes, and provides evidence of improvement based on analysis of the results in each of the following areas:*

- 3.3.1.1 educational programs, to include student learning outcomes
- 3.3.1.2 administrative support services
- 3.3.1.3 educational support services
- 3.3.1.4 research within its educational mission, if appropriate
- 3.3.1.5 community/public service within its educational mission, if appropriate

**Overall Assessment of Department or School’s Assessment Reports:**

The following reports do not support SACS Comprehensive Standard 3.3.1.: Click here to enter text.

The following reports inadequately support SACS Comprehensive Standard 3.3.1.: Click here to enter text.

The following reports adequately support SACS Comprehensive Standard 3.3.1.: Click here to enter text.

The following reports should be commended as those which demonstrate the spirit of SACS Comprehensive Standard 3.3.1.: Click here to enter text.
The University of Southern Mississippi follows a two-year planning and annual reporting cycle. With this cycle, assessment plans are in place for two years, action plans are developed every two years, and assessment reports are annual.

UAC reviewer comments regarding 2012-13 Assessment Reports (Findings, Action Plans, Analysis, Annual Report):

**Reporting Commendations**
Click here to enter text.

**Reporting Recommendations**
To strengthen the quality of future reports, the UAC recommends the following actions:
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UAC reviewer comments regarding 2012-13 & 2013-14 Assessment Plans (Mission, Student Learning Outcomes, Measures, and Targets):

**Planning Commendations**
Click here to enter text.

**Planning Recommendations**
To strengthen the quality of future plans, the UAC recommends the following actions:
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