WSCUC FA17: Campus Update
CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, BAKERSFIELD

Important Dates
- FALL 2019: WSCUC Reaffirmation of Accreditation Visit to CSUB
- SPRING 2019: WSCUC Offsite Review
- SPRING 2019: Institutional Report sent to WSCUC

What is WSCUC?
The Western Senior College and University Commission (WSCUC), formerly known as “WASC,” is the accrediting agency that aids institutions in developing and sustaining effective educational programs, while assuring the community that the accredited institution has met the high standards of quality and effectiveness.

What has been accomplished so far in the Fall 2017?
- Over 45 faculty, staff, and students, from the main campus and AV are now participating on the WSCUC Workgroups, representing nearly every employee classification (see attachment)
- 12 faculty and administrators were selected to lead the 10 Workgroups
- The 10 Workgroups began collecting data for the ultimate Institutional Report
- Selected an editor for the Institutional Report

We have selected an Institutional Report Editor
Dr. Marit MacArthur has accepted the honor of editing the WSCUC Institutional Report. Dr. MacArthur will begin working with the Workgroup Leaders immediately. In the SP18 and SU18, Dr. MacArthur will bring together the first draft of the Institutional Report, which will be delivered to campus by the FA18. Dr. MacArthur is an Full Professor of English and she has considerable editorial experience.

What will be accomplished in the Spring 2018?
- Steering Committee will assess the data collected for the Institutional Report
- Workgroup Leaders will begin drafting the sections of the Institutional Report

Can I learn more about the Workgroup Areas?
Follow this link: https://www.csub.edu/wscuc/WSCUCStandards/index.html
Then, click on each Standard to see Workgroup Descriptions

WORKGROUP AREAS
- Institutional Purposes
- Integrity and Transparency
- Teaching and Learning
- Scholarship and Creative Activity
- Student Learning and Success
- Faculty and Staff
- Fiscal, Physical and Information
- Organizational Structures
- Quality Assurance
- Institutional Learning
### WSCUC Steering Committee

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