Accreditation Steering Committee

Purpose
The Accreditation Steering Committee is responsible for guiding the progress and the process related to accreditation as defined by the Accreditation Commission for Community and Junior Colleges (ACCJC). Members of the Steering Committee are expected to become experts on ACCJC Eligibility Policies, Accreditation Policies, and standards. Members are also expected to serve as resources to the campus communities.

Functional Responsibilities for Members
- Be able and committed to learning all the necessary components of accreditation in order to be a resource for the campus
- Be able and committed to guide the accreditation process and progress
- Be able and committed to coordinate training sessions for faculty, staff, and administrators with regard to accreditation, standards, policies, and procedures
- Help develop timelines and deliverables for accreditation
- Help establish subgroups. For example, help establish Working Groups versus Standards' Groups
- Assist in setting up guidelines for effective participation and timely completion of group assigned tasks
- Review and provide general input on reports related to unit functions
- Assist in identifying and appointing Accreditation report editors