

### A LOOK AT HOW ONE UNIVERSITY FINE-TUNED THEIR ADMINISTRATIVE EFFECTIVENESS

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Understand our process has evolved

Identify resources at resources school

Create own administrative processes/handbook



### **ABOUT TARLETON**

- Level V Institution
- Carnegie High Research Activity (R2)
- Growing Regional Comprehensive University
- NCAA Division I
- Reaffirmation Class of 2021



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### What is it we are talking about today?





7.3 – The institution identifies expected outcomes of its administrative support services and demonstrates the extent to which those outcomes are achieved (administrative effectiveness)





8.2c – The institution identifies expected outcomes, assesses the extent to which it achieves these outcomes, and provides evidence of seeking improvement based on analysis of the results for academic and student services that support student success. (Student outcomes: academic and student services)



#### Top 10 Most Frequently Cited Principles (2018) in Decennial Reaffirmation Reviews: Class of 2019 (N=77)

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### HISTORY



#### Administrative Assessment Culture

• 5<sup>th</sup> Year to Now



# What is the most beneficial change over the last five years?





### University Effectiveness and Evaluation Committee

### Responsibilities / Membership

## General Education and Academic Assessment Committee





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#### University Effectiveness and Evaluation Committee (UEEC)

The University Effectiveness and Evaluation Committee (UEEC) exists to oversee that administrative units engage in a continuous, meaningful, and data-driven assessment process. Furthermore, the committee seeks to make sure the university is compliant with <u>Section</u>  $\underline{7.3^{\textcircled{B}}}$  and <u>Section 8.2c^{\textcircled{B}}</u> of the SACSCOC Principles of Accreditation.

#### **Meeting Minutes**

- <u>April 04, 2018</u>
- <u>November 15, 2018</u>
- January 17, 2019<sup>B</sup>
- <u>April 16, 2019</u>
- <u>July 01, 2019</u>
- November 19, 2019
- January 16, 2020<sup>B</sup>
- June 11, 2020<sup>B</sup>
- <u>October 30, 2020</u>

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#### **Responsibilities**

- Annual review of administrative units progress
- University annual report compilation
- University Strategic Plan alignment
- Guidance and training on the Weave software

#### **UEEC Members**

- Barkley, Jordan Co-chair [Academic Affairs]
- Carter, Morgan Co-chair [Academic Affairs]
- DiCiccio, Nelly (22) [Academic Affairs]

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# What resources are available to all our stakeholders?



### **IE RESOURCES**

- Administrative Assessment Handbook
- Flowchart / Buckets
- Rubric
- Weave
- Teams
- Website

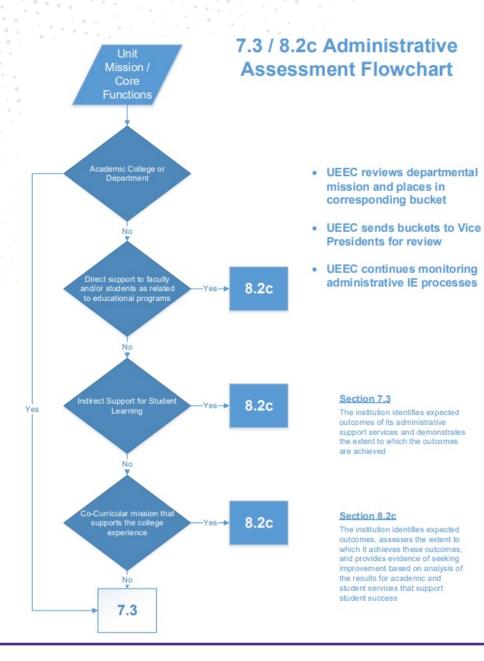


### **ADMINISTRATIVE ASSESSMENT HANDBOOK**

### Intro to IE

- SACSCOC
- Strategic Planning
- UEEC
- Flowchart / Buckets
- Effective Assessment Plans
- Rubric
- Weave



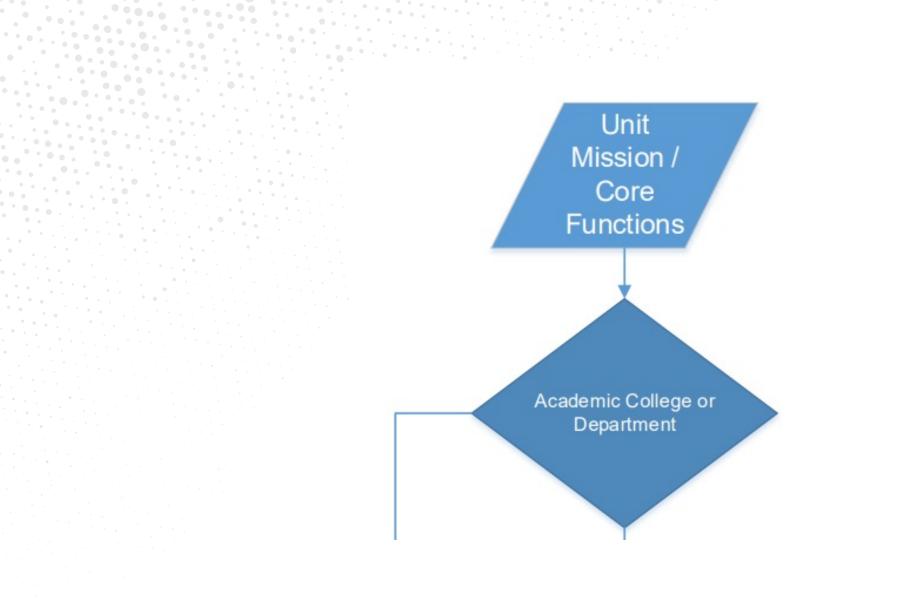




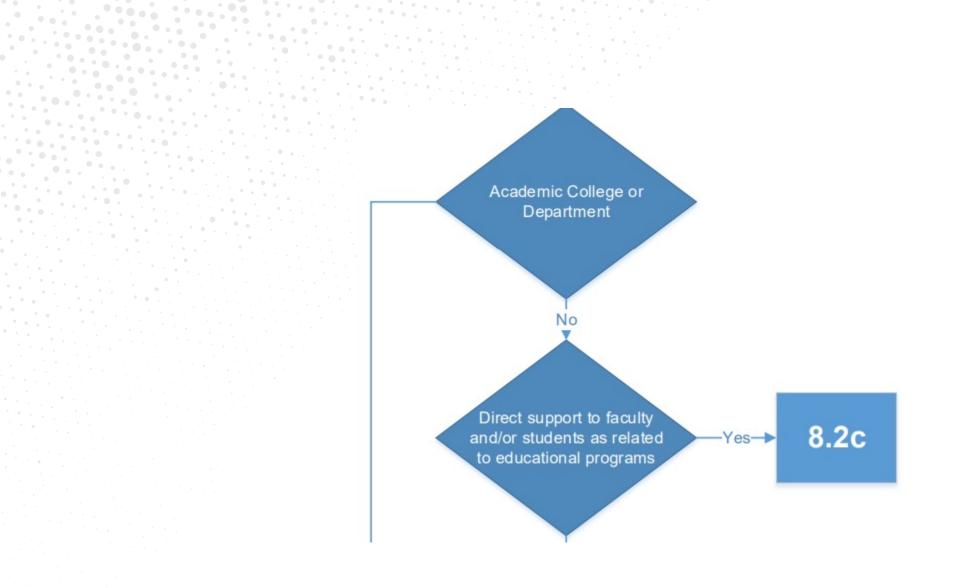
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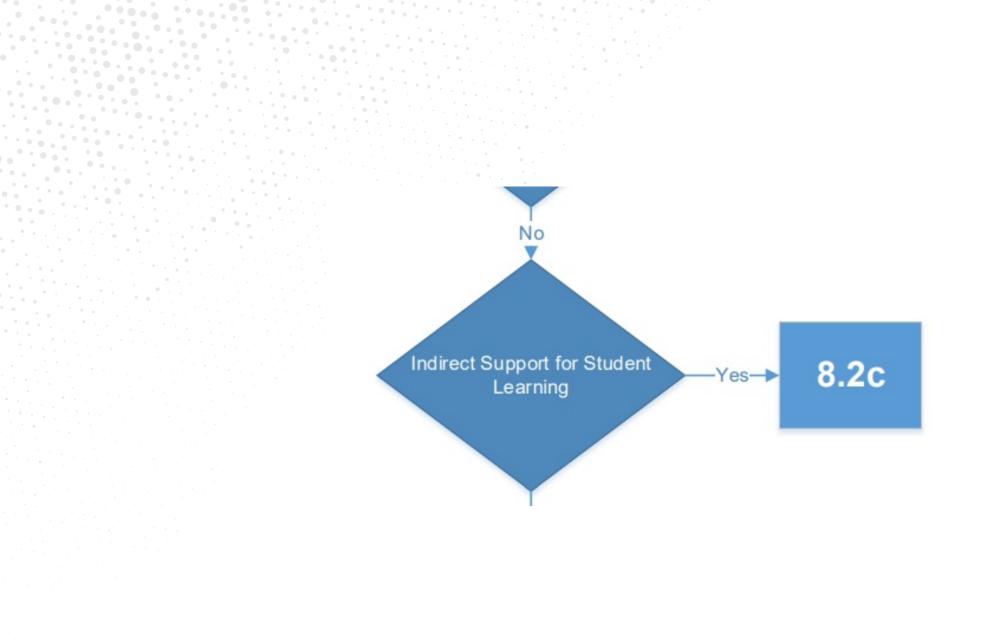
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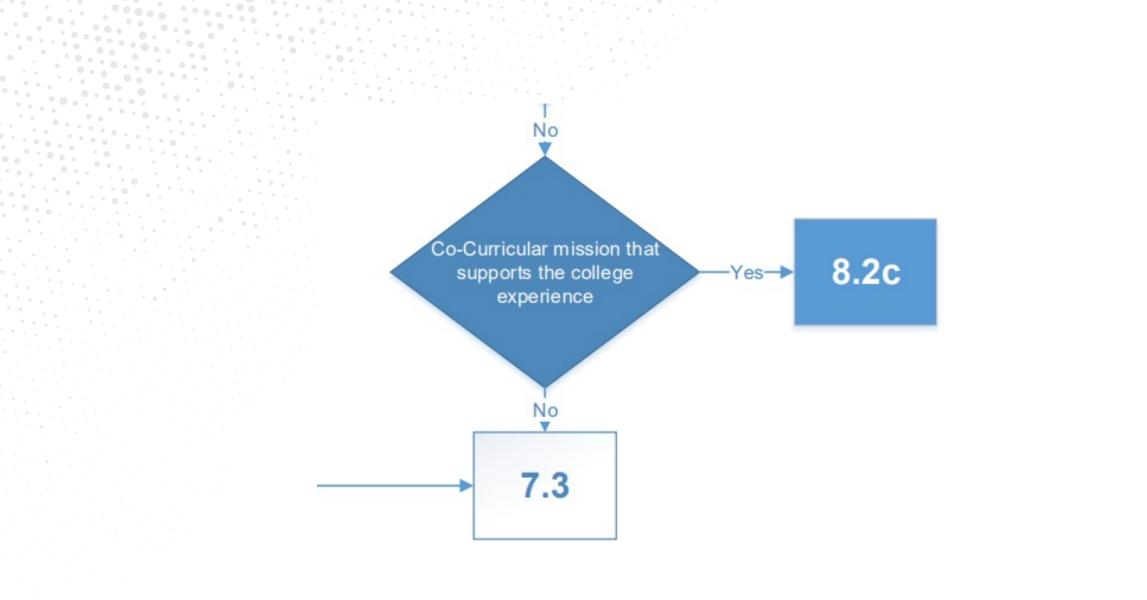














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#### What is Weave?

Weave is a central repository for assessment information. Faculty and staff can learn about and document assessment and quality improvement processes, procedures, and evidence. The software can both lead and record assessment practices in academic, administrative, community engagement, and educational support areas. This system is also helpful for tracking assessment information for accrediting groups (such as SACSCOC), annual reports, and budgeting requests. Weave Administrative Instruction Manual<sup>®</sup> Administrative Unit Rubric<sup>®</sup> Academic Assessment Website Please see the <u>Resources</u> Overview page for additional resources

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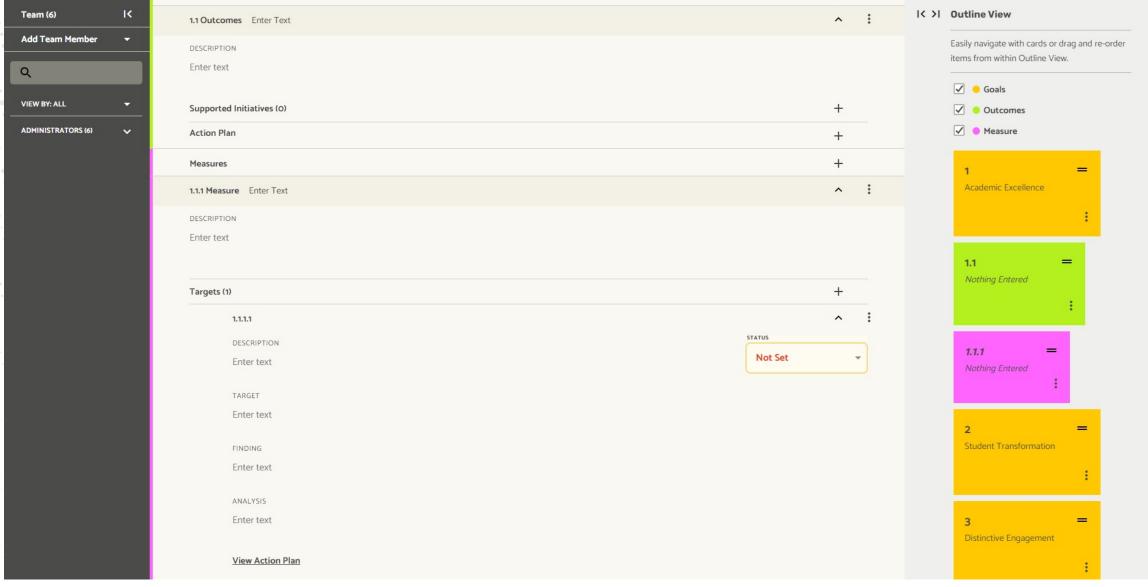
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# How does the UEEC keep track of all this?



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Goals	Goals are missing or do not align with university strategic plan	Goals align to the university strategic plan and can be measured through yearly outcomes	Goals align to university and divisional strategic plans and can be measured multiple ways through yearly outcomes	
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#### **IE Resources**

"Effective institutions demonstrate a commitment to principles of continuous improvement, based on a systematic and documented process of assessing institutional performance with respect to mission in all aspects of the institution. An institutional planning and effectiveness process involves all programs, services, and constituencies; is linked to the decision-making process at all levels; and provides a sound basis for budgetary decisions and resource allocations." - SACSCOC Principles of Accreditation, Section 7

The following resources provide information regarding the administrative assessment process, specifically related to Sections 7.3 and 8.2c of the Principles of Accreditation. Please visit the <u>Academic Assessment</u> page for resources regarding student learning assessment.

- <u>IE Overview</u><sup>B</sup>
- <u>ABCs of IE</u><sup>B</sup>
- Institutional Effectiveness and Planning<sup>B</sup>
- Administrative Assessment Handbook<sup>B</sup>
- Administrative Assessment Flowchart<sup>B</sup>
- Administrative Assessment Buckets<sup>B</sup>
- <u>Section 7.3 Principles of Accreditation</u>
- Section 8.2c Principles of Accreditation<sup>B</sup>
- <u>Administrative Unit Rubric</u><sup>B</sup>
- Administrative Assessment Calendar<sup>B</sup>
- <u>Tarleton's Strategic Plan</u>
- Assessment Commons
- Weave Webinar on Administrative Assessment

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### What has all this effort led to?



### COMPLIANCE

# Off-Site Committee found us compliant with 7.3 and 8.2c!!



### 7.3

#### Compliance

Administrative support units identify expected outcomes and demonstrates that those outcomes are measured and analyzed. An annual reporting process is clearly established and followed. The institution has developed a peer review, rubric-guided process to annually evaluate the progress of administrative units as reported through their assessment systems (WEAVE). Examples units were provided in the report representing 25 percent of the reports from each division. These reports indicate that the institution's administrative units consistently identify and evaluate expected outcomes, as well as demonstrate the extent those outcomes are achieved using annual targets and findings for each measure.



## 8.2c

#### Compliance

The institution provided a sample of 25 percent of units within Student Affairs, Enrollment Management, and Academic Affairs, the three divisions identified as supporting student success. The structure of review for these units is based on the structure of administrative units. The unit reports provide evidence of outcomes, measurement, analysis, and action plans for improvement. The action plans provided in the reports for these units describe plans for seeking improvement and refer to evidence of adjustments from previous cycles.



### SUMMARY

- Process has evolved over previous five years
- Continues to evolve
- Accountability



## **THANK YOU!**

## **QUESTIONS?**

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