

February 1, 2018

Dr. Rex Fuller President Western Oregon University 345 Monmouth Avenue North Monmouth, OR 97361

Dear President Fuller:

This letter serves as formal notification and official record of action taken concerning the Fall 2017 Ad Hoc Evaluation of Western Oregon University by the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU) at its meeting on January 10-12, 2018. This action was taken after consideration of the Institutional Report.

Based on these materials and deliberations, the Commissioners took the following actions.

Actions

Accept the Fall 2017 Ad Hoc Report

Status of Previous Recommendations Addressed in This Evaluation

- Recommendation 1 of the Spring 2016 Year Seven Peer Evaluation Report is fulfilled
- Recommendations 2 and 3 of the Spring 2016 Year Seven Peer Evaluation Report are now in compliance and fulfilled
- Recommendations 4, 6, and 7 of the Spring 2016 Year Seven Peer-Evaluation Report are now substantially in compliance but in need of improvement

Sanction

• Remove *Notice of Concern* for Recommendations 4, 6, and 7 based on Standards 1.A.2, 1.B.2, 2.C.1, 2.C.2, 2.C.4, 2.C.5, 2.C.10, 2.F.3, 3.A.1, 3.A.2, 3.A.3, 3.A.4, 3.B.1, 3.B.2, 3.B.3, 4.A.1, 4.A.2, 4.A.3, 4.A.4, 4.A.5, 4.A.6, 4.B.1, 4.B.2, 5.A.1, 5.A.2, 5.B.1, ERs 22 and 23

Required Follow-Up

The Commission requests Western Oregon University

• Submit an Addendum to the Spring 2019 Mid-Cycle Report to again address Recommendations 4, 6, and 7 of the Spring 2016 Year Seven Evaluation Report

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Future Evaluations

- Mid-Cycle Evaluation to include the content of a Mission and Core Themes Report in Spring 2019
- Addendum to the Spring 2019 Mid-Cycle Self-Evaluation Report to address Recommendations 4, 6, and 7 of the Fall 2016 Year Seven Evaluation Report
- Year Seven Evaluation in Spring 2023

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact NWCCU.

Sincerely,

Marlene Moore, Ph.D.

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President

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cc: Dr. Sue Monahan, Associate Provost for Academic Effectiveness