

Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU) Annual Update for WSQA Academic Year 2019-2020

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Accreditation recommendations to the College and year of recommendation	Actions taken by the college to address recommendations	Improvement results
After review of SCC's 2016 Mid-Cycle Evaluation Report, NWCCU expressed confidence that the college is "positioned to provide evidence of mission fulfillment and sustainability in its Year Seven Self-Evaluation Report." (SCC's report was submitted in October 2016; the Commission approved the report in February 2017.) NWCCU accepted SCC's Spring 2017 Ad-Hoc Report which addressed Recommendation 2 of the Fall 2013 Year Seven Peer Evaluation Report. NWCCU requests that the college address Recommendation 2 of the Fall 2013 Year Seven Peer-Evaluation Report as an addendum to the College's Fall 2020 Year Seven Self-Evaluation Report.	SCC underwent its Year Seven review in Fall 2020. As a part of this review, SCC completed an additional follow-up to Recommendation 2 from its previous report. Although the Commission will not make a final decision until its January meeting regarding SCC's accreditation and relationship to its previous recommendations, preliminary feedback from the review team suggests that the recommendation has been remedied.	
Recommendation 2: The evaluation committee recommends that the institution develops systematic and college-wide means to assess the student learning outcomes associated with general education and demonstrate that these data are used to inform decision making. It is further recommended that the institution develop a systematic and college-wide means to assess the student learning outcomes of programs in relation to the institution's mission and demonstrate that these data are used to inform decise data are used to inform decision-making at that level. (Standard 2.C.2, 2.C.9, 2.C.10; 4.A.1, and 4.A2)	Moving forward, SCC looks forward to the opportunity to work on any additional recommendations the Commission may deem worthy of attention.	