

# **University Assessment Committee**

Agenda West Hall 118 Thursday, February 26, 2015 10:30 - 11:30 AM www.valdosta.edu/uac/

### **Mission Statement**

To foster an environment of continuous improvement in student learning and provision of services to the VSU community through the use of active, ongoing, and constructive assessments.

I. Welcome

# II. Approval of January 29, 2015 minutes

### **III.** Business and Information Items

We are pleased to recognize the following departments and programs for their commitment toward conducting meaningful assessment to improve student learning, operations, and services.

<u>Accomplished Institutional Effectiveness Report:</u>

Master of Social Work M.Ed. Instructional Technology *(Technology Applications option)* B.S.Ed. and M.Ed. Early Childhood Education Office of Institutional Research

• <u>New Unit Award:</u>

LCOBA Business Career Strategies Center Webservices and Social Media IDEA Center Sullivan Literacy Center

#### Most Improved Institutional Effectiveness Report:

M.L.I.S. Library Science Student Success Center Testing Office Center for International Programs Student Life B.S. Geosciences

#### <u>Assessment All Star:</u>

Ed.S. Instructional Technology B.A. English M.A. Marriage and Family Therapy B.A. and B.S. Psychology B.A. and B.F.A. Art Odum Library B.B.A. Accounting

<u>Most Improved Departments:</u>

Political Science Physics, Astronomy and Geosciences Music Event Services

• <u>Institutional Effectiveness Department of the Year:</u> Middle, Secondary, Reading and Deaf Education

# Spring projects for IE and UAC:

SACSCOC 5<sup>th</sup> Year Interim Report is due March 2016. We will establish a committee to this spring to serve for one year to help with the development of this important document.

# Suggested topics for Spring meetings:

Invited and scheduled Provost Rogers to attend our March 24 meeting. Speakers or workshops on best practices using capstone projects for assessment. Workshops or trainings by UAC members.

# IV. Meeting Schedule for Spring 2015

March 24	2:00pm	West Hall 118
April 23	10:30am	West Hall 118

The chair will be out of town at a USG meeting this day so we can either change the date or a UAC member can conduct our final meeting.