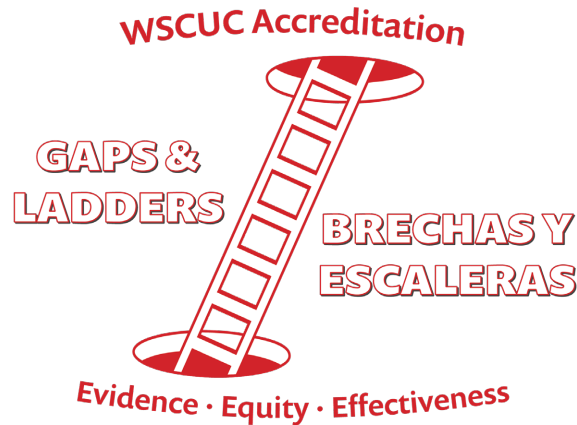


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## February 2024 Update

Reaccreditation is one of the University's most critical tasks this year, so **please take two minutes to read this email in full!** There are a few critical dates and key messaging. We'll provide a progress report on January and some February tasks, provide access to CSUCI's institutional report, and offer a quick definition of what WSCUC and TPR mean—since you will be seeing these acronyms frequently this year. Thank you for your help as we work to ensure our reaccreditation!

## Important Dates

- Feb. 14, 2024 (new): Institutional report due to WSCUC
- Feb. 2024: Institutional report made available on the accreditation website
- Feb-March 2024: Presentation(s) to Academic Senate
- March-April 2024: WSCUC team visit preparation
- April 24-26, 2024 (new): WSCUC Reaffirmation of Accreditation Site Visit to CSUCI
- July 26-28, 2024: WSCUC Commission meeting/action

## What has been accomplished in January and part of February 2024?

- ✓ The Reaffirmation Steering Committee (RSC) formed a writing sub-committee to further refine the self-study and complete the institutional report.
- ✓ RSC members made presentations at Student Government, Staff Council, and Academic Senate meetings.
- ✓ Culture of Assessment work on Program Design shared with academic program chairs; available for review on CSUCI's [accreditation website](#).
- ✓ Funding decisions about academic programs applications to continue Culture of Assessment work were released.
- ✓ RSC held a retreat with participation from President Yao, Provost Avila, deans, academic program chairs and Academic Senate leadership to help

- finalize the institutional report.
- ✓ RSC leadership finalized a draft team's visit schedule and shared it with the WSCUC Visit Team.
- ✓ CSUCI successfully submitted its institutional report for reaffirmation to WSCUC.
- ✓ Spring 2024 accreditation events and report planning conducted.

### **Accessing CSUCI's Institutional Report**

With input from faculty, students, staff, and administrators, CSUCI successfully submitted its institutional report for accreditation to WSCUC. The institutional report is publicly available on CSUCI's [accreditation website](#). Appendices referred to in the institutional report can be found [here](#). Should you have any issues accessing the report or any of the appendices, please contact [accreditation@csuci.edu](mailto:accreditation@csuci.edu) for assistance.

### **What is WSCUC?**

The [Western Senior College and University Commission \(WSCUC\)](#), formerly known as "WASC," is the accrediting agency that aids institutions in developing and sustaining effective educational programs, while assuring the community that the accredited institution has met the high standards of quality and effectiveness.

### **What is TPR?**

Thematic Pathway for Reaffirmation (TPR) is a streamlined, alternate pathway for reaffirmation for eligible institutions that demonstrate consistent evidence of a healthy fiscal condition, strong student achievement indicators, and sustained quality performance.

### **Can I learn more about the CSUCI's reaffirmation process?**

Visit this link: <https://www.csuci.edu/accreditation/>

This website is continuously being updated - visit frequently for new additions such as meeting notes, reports, and more.

### **Questions?**

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