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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
Office of Postsecondary Education
Eighth Floor Conference Center

National Advisory Committee on Institutional Quality and Integrity

December 1-3, 2010 Meeting

AGENDA

NOTE: The times listed for agenda items are subject to change, depending upon the amount of time the Committee devotes to earlier items on the agenda and other circumstances that may arise. All individuals participating in the discussion of an agenda item are advised to arrive at the meeting well in advance of the listed time.

WEDNESDAY, December 1, 2010

8:30 a.m. **Welcome and Introductions**

8:45 a.m. **Opening Remarks followed by Members' Question and Answer Session**
Dr. Eduardo M. Ochoa, Assistant Secretary for Postsecondary Education

9:05 a.m. **Overview of Procedures for Committee Review of Petitions and Reports**
Cameron C. Staples, Chairperson, NACIQI
Melissa Lewis, Executive Director, NACIQI

Procedure for Review of Each Agency:

1. *Introduction of Agency by Primary Readers*
2. *Briefing by Department Staff Analyst*
3. *Remarks by Agency Representatives*
4. *Presentations by Third-Party Commenters*
5. *Agency Comments on Third-Party Presentations*
6. *Department Comments on Agency and Third-Party Presentations*
7. *Committee Discussions and Voting*

9:20 a.m. **Commission on Massage Therapy Accreditation (COMTA)**

Action for Consideration: Petition for Renewal of Recognition

NACIQI Primary Readers:
Dr. William Pepicello
Dr. Larry N. Vanderhoef

Department Staff:
Chuck Mula

Representatives of the Agency:
Melissa Wade, Chair of the Commission
Kate Henrioulle, Executive Director
Joanna Sechuck-Tringali, Commissioner – Aesthetics Practitioner
Patricia Maloney, Commissioner

Third-Party Oral Comments

10:20 a.m. BREAK

10:35 a.m. **Association of Advanced Rabbinical and Talmudic Schools (AARTS)**

Action for Consideration: Compliance Report

NACIQI Primary Readers:
Anne D. Neal
Frank H. Wu

Department Staff:
Elizabeth Daggett

Representatives of the Agency:
Bernard Fryshman, Executive Vice-President

Third-Party Oral Comments

11:00 a.m. **Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)**

Action for Consideration: Compliance Report

NACIQI Primary Readers:
Dr. Arthur E. Keiser
Beter-Aron Shimeles

Department Staff:
Joyce Jones

Representatives of the Agency:
Laura Rasar King, Executive Director

Third-Party Oral Comments

11:30 p.m. **Lunch**

1:15 p.m. **National Accrediting Commission of Cosmetology Arts and Sciences (NACCAS)**

Action for Consideration: Petition for Renewal of Recognition

NACIQI Primary Readers:
Anne D. Neal
Dr. Federico Zaragoza

Department Staff:
Dr. Rachael Shultz

Representatives of the Agency:
Dr. Tony Mirando, Executive Director
Bill Church, Chairman of the Commission
Darin Wallace, Director of Governmental Affairs and Legal

Third-Party Oral Comments

2:15 p.m. **National Defense University (NDU)**

Action for Consideration: Request for Degree-Granting Authority

Advisory Committee Site Team Reviewers:
Dr. Arthur E. Keiser, Site Team Chair
Arthur J. Rothkopf

Department Staff:
Chuck Mula

Representatives of the Agency:
Vice Admiral Ann E. Rondeau, President
Dr. Robert D. Childs, Senior Director, Information Resources Management College
Dr. John Yaeger, Vice President for Academic Affairs
Dr. Mary McCully, Dean of Faculty and Academic Affairs
Information Resources Management College

Third-Party Oral Comments

3:15 p.m. BREAK

3:30 p.m. **Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU)**

Action for Consideration: Progress Report on the Status of NWCCU's New Accreditation Model

NACIQI Primary Readers:
Arthur J. Rothkopf
Frank H. Wu

Department Staff:
Elizabeth Daggett

Representatives of the Agency:
Dr. Sandra Elman, President
Dr. James Seidelman, Commission Chair

Third-Party Oral Comments

4:00 p.m. **Council on Naturopathic Medical Education (CNME)**

Action for Consideration: Petition for Renewal of Recognition

NACIQI Primary Readers:
Dr. William Pepicello
Dr. Federico Zaragoza

Department Staff:
Dr. Jennifer Hong-Silwany

Representatives of the Agency:
Rita Bettenburg, ND, President
Daniel Seitz, JD, Ed.D., Executive Director

Third-Party Oral Comments

5:00 p.m. **Closing Comments and Adjourn**

THURSDAY, December 2, 2010

8:30 a.m. **Welcome and Introductions / Overview of Procedures**
Cameron C. Staples, Chairperson, NACIQI
Melissa Lewis, Executive Director, NACIQI

8:45 a.m. **Council on Accreditation of Nurse Anesthesia Educational Programs (COA)**

Action for Consideration: Compliance Report

NACIQI Primary Readers:
Dr. Earl Lewis
Anne D. Neal

Department Staff:
Chuck Mula

Representatives of the Agency:
Dr. Francis Gerbasi, Executive Director
Mary Marienau, Chair

Third-Party Oral Comments

9:15 a.m. **North Central Association of Colleges and Schools, Higher Learning Commission (HLC)**

Action for Consideration: Compliance Report
For Information Only: Written Report on HLC's Initial Accreditation Process and Oral Report on HLC's Initial Accreditation Actions Taken December 2009 through October 2010

NACIQI Primary Readers:
Dr. Arthur E. Keiser
Dr. Susan D. Phillips

Department Staff:
Elizabeth Daggett

Representatives of the Agency:
Dr. Sylvia Manning, President
Karen Solinski, Vice President, Legal and Governmental Affairs
Albert L. Walker, Chair, Board of Trustees

Third-Party Oral Comments

10:15 a.m. BREAK

10:30 a.m. **Midwifery Education Accreditation Council (MEAC)**

Action for Consideration: Petition for Renewal of Recognition

NACIQI Primary Readers:
Dr. William E. "Brit" Kirwan
Jamienne S. Studley

Department Staff:
Dr. Rachael Shultz

Representatives of the Agency:
Jo Anne Myers-Ciecko, Executive Director
Holly Scholles, President
Eleanor Daniels, Board Member

Third-Party Oral Comments

11:30 a.m. **Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Management Education (CAHME)**

Action for Consideration: Compliance Report

NACIQI Primary Readers:
Dr. Arthur E. Keiser
Dr. Lawrence N. Vanderhoef

Department Staff:
Steve Porcelli

Representatives of the Agency:
John S. Lloyd, President and CEO
Carla J. Sampson, Vice President

Third-Party Oral Comments

12:00 p.m. **Working Lunch**
Training: **Briefing on the New Program Integrity Regulations**
Presenter: Fred Sellers, Senior Staff Analyst, Policy, Planning and Innovation, Office of Postsecondary Education

1:30 p.m. **American Academy for Liberal Education (AALE)**

Action for Consideration: Petition for Renewal of Recognition

NACIQI Primary Readers:
Arthur Rothkopf
Dr. Susan D. Phillips

Department Staff:
Dr. Jennifer Hong-Silwany

Representatives of the Agency:
Jeffrey A. Martineau, President
Ralph Rossum, Chairman
Rodney Smith, Vice Chairman
Mary Ann Powers, Director for Higher Education

Third-Party Oral Comments
Dr. Stephen H. Balch, Chairman, National Association of Scholars
Dr. Madison U. Sowell, Professor Emeritus of Italian and Comparative Literature & Former Honors Program Director and Associate Dean of Undergraduate Education at Brigham Young University

3:00 p.m. BREAK

3:15 p.m. **Missouri State Board of Nursing**

Action for Consideration: Compliance Report

Advisory Committee Readers:
Dr. Earl Lewis
Dr. William Pepicello

Department Staff:
Dr. Rachael Shultz

Representatives of the Agency:
Bibi Schultz, RN, MSN, Education Administrator
Roxanne McDaniel, RN, Ph.D., Board Member

Third-Party Oral Comments

3:45 p.m. **Discussion concerning February 2011 NACIQI Meeting**

5:00 p.m. **Closing Comments and Adjourn**

FRIDAY, December 3, 2010

8:30 a.m. **Welcome and Introductions / Overview of Procedures**
Cameron C. Staples, Chairperson, NACIQI
Melissa Lewis, Executive Director, NACIQI

8:45 a.m. **Montessori Accreditation Council for Teacher Education (MACTE)**

Action for Consideration: Petition for Renewal of Recognition

NACIQI Primary Readers:
Dr. Wilfred "Bill" McClay
Jamienne S. Studley

Department Staff:
Steve Porcelli

Representatives of the Agency:
Dr. Gretchen Warner, Executive Director
Anita Wolberd, Chair
Pamela Trumble, Immediate Past Chair
Dr. Kecia Ray, Treasurer

Third-Party Oral Comments

9:45 a.m. **American Speech Language Hearing Association, Council on Academic Accreditation in Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology (ASHA)**

Action for Consideration: Petition for Renewal of Recognition

NACIQI Primary Readers:
Anne Neal
Beter-Aron Shimeles

Department Staff:
Joyce Jones

Representatives of the Agency:
Glenn M. Waguespack, Chair
Dr. Dan C. Halling, Chair-Elect
Patti Tice, Director of Accreditation

Third-Party Oral Comments

10:45 a.m. BREAK

11:00 a.m. **<u>American Board of Funeral Service Education (ABFSE)</u>**

Action for Consideration: Petition for Renewal of Recognition

NACIQI Primary Readers:
Dr. Wilfred "Bill" McClay
Dr. Lawrence N. Vanderhoef

Department Staff:
Chuck Mula

Representatives of the Agency:
Michael Landon, Chair
Dr. Michael Smith, Executive Director

Third-Party Oral Comments

12:00 p.m. **Closing Comments and Adjourn**