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Date: February 4, 2022
To: FMU Community
From: SACSCOC Task Force
Re: SACSCOC Status Update

FMU's Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC) Task Force would like to provide an update regarding our SACSCOC status. As we work to remove FMU's Probation for Good Cause and regain compliance with SACSCOC, we have the following to report:

- The continuing national challenges with COVID-19 impacted the start of the Spring Semester. Additionally, the adjustments also impacted plans to hold conversations regarding the proposed program closures and other employment actions. Therefore, these meetings will be held throughout the month with individuals who may be impacted. The Divisions of Academic Affairs and Human Resources will schedule meetings according to the preliminary schedule below.
 - Week of February 7 - Faculty and staff individual meetings regarding salary reduction and position status
 - Week of February 14 - Student teach-out notification for program closures
 - Week of February 21 – Individualized Student Academic Plan and Advising
- Program closures have been submitted to SACSCOC for their approval and the University is now allowed to move forward with implementation. Please see the lists of both the discontinued programs and the current programs below.
- The SACSCOC full report will be submitted in March, with a site visit scheduled for April. SACSCOC will render a decision in June.

The Task Force continues to meet weekly to ensure we are addressing the issues critical to maintaining accreditation. As always, we aim to keep you informed each step of the way and provide the best possible FMU experience for our Lion family. We thank you for your support as we navigate this difficult time. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact <mailto:publicaffairs@fmuniv.edu>.



Program Closures:

School of Arts and Sciences

- Chemistry BA
- Engineering/Physics Dual Degree
- English
- Environmental Sciences
- Mathematics
- Music
- Sociology

School of Business

- Hospitality Management Dual Degree
- Accounting
- Marketing

School of Education

- Biology Education
- Elementary Education ESE ESOL/Reading
- Exceptional Student Education ESOL
- Secondary English Education
- Secondary Math Education
- Secondary Social Science Education



Current Programs NOT Impacted:

School of Arts and Sciences

Undergraduate

Department of Arts and Humanities

- Communication - Concentration in Public Relations (BA)
- Communication - Concentration in Television Broadcasting (BA)
- Religion and Philosophy (BA)
- Music Production and Entertainment PR (BS)

Department of Aviation and Safety

- Aviation Management (BS)
- Aeronautical Science - concentration in Flight Education (BS)
- Aeronautical Science - concentration in Air Traffic Control (BS)

Department of Computer Science, Mathematics, and Technology

- Computer Sciences (BS)
- Cybersecurity (BS)
- Information Systems (BS)

Department of Health and Natural Sciences

- Biology (BS)
- Biology/Nursing (with Florida International University or the University of Miami)
- [dual degree program] (BS)
- Chemistry (BS)
- Pre-Engineering (with Florida International University) (BS)
- Healthcare (BS)



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Department of Social Sciences

- Criminal Justice (BA)
- Criminal Justice - concentration in Criminology (BA)
- Law & Government (BA)
- Psychology (BS)
- Social Work (BSW)

School of Business

Undergraduate

- Business Administration (BS)
- Finance (BS)

Graduate

- Master of Business Administration (MBA)

School of Education

Undergraduate

- Elementary Education/ESOL (BS)

Graduate

- EdS Exceptional Student Education
- MS Exceptional Education
- MS Reading

Continuing Education and Professional Studies

Undergraduate

- Professional Leadership Studies (BA)