

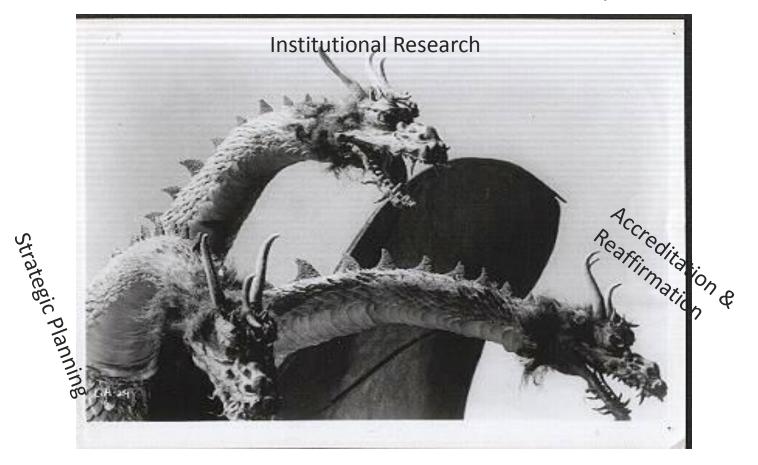
Institutional Effectiveness Office

Introducing the

# Patriot Evaluation Process—PEP 1.0



#### The focus of the IE Office—A three headed enterprise



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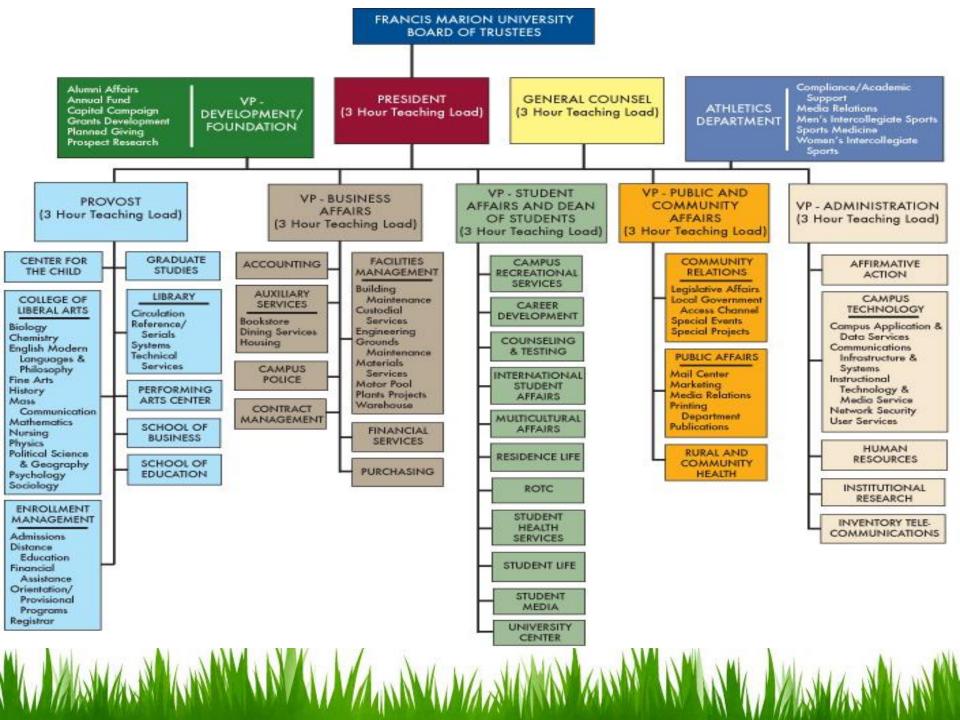
#### CR 2.5 (Process)

The institution engages in **ongoing**, **integrated**, and **institution-wide research-based planning** and **evaluation** processes that (1) **incorporate a systematic review of institutional mission**, **goals**, and **outcomes**; (2) result in **continuing improvement** in **institutional quality**; and (3) **demonstrate** the institution is **effectively accomplishing its mission**. (Institutional Effectiveness)

#### CS 3.3.1 (Application)

The institution identifies <u>expected outcomes</u>, assesses the extent to which it <u>achieves these outcomes</u>, and <u>provides evidence</u> of improvement based on <u>analysis of the results</u> in each of the following areas: (Institutional effectiveness)

- 3.3.1.1 educational programs, to include student learning outcomes
- 3.3.1.2 administrative support services
- 3.3.1.3 educational support services
- 3.3.1.4 research within its educational mission, if appropriate
- 3.3.1.5 community/public service within its educational mission, if appropriate



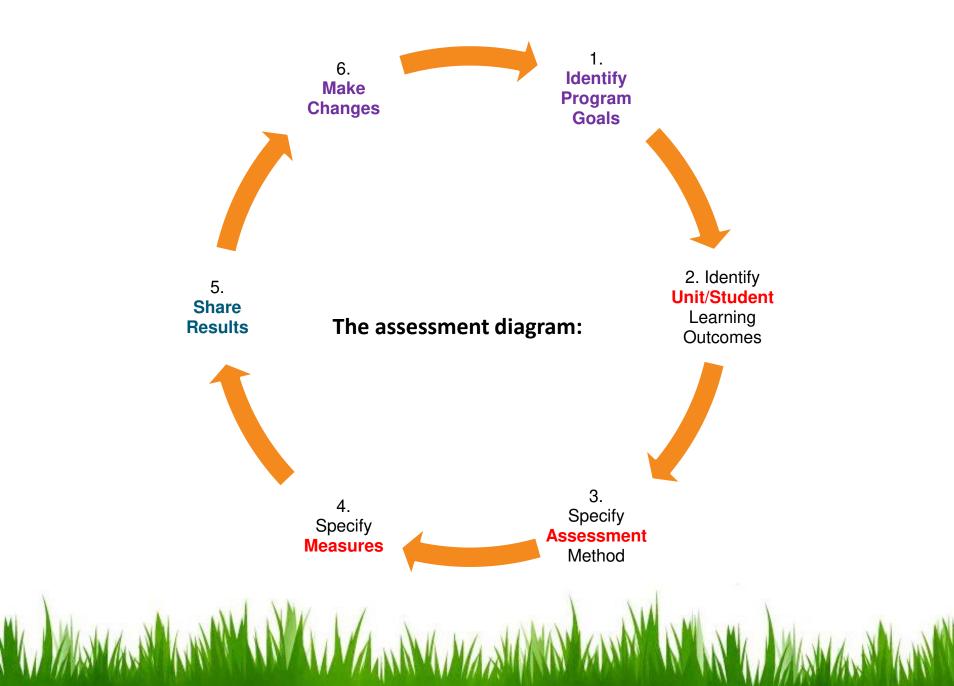
### **Student Affairs and Dean of Students**

- Army ROTC
- Campus Recreational Services (Intramurals)

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- Career Development
- Counseling and Testing Services
- Dean of Students Office
- Fraternity and Sorority Life (Greek Council, IFC, NPC, NPHC)
- Housing and Residence Life
- International Students
- Leadership @ FMU
- Mediation Services
- Multicultural Affairs
- Patriot Newspaper
- Student Government Association
- Student Handbook
- Student Health Services
- Student Honor Code
- Student Organizations (Academic, Honor Societies & Special Interest)
- University Center Services
- University Programming Board (UPB)

The institution OFFICE/UNIT identifies expected outcomes, assesses the extent to which it achieves these outcomes, and provides evidence of improvement based on analysis of the results. (Institutional effectiveness)



## **Enhancing** Your Assessment System

1. Identify Program Goals

2. Identify Unit

Learning Outcome

3.

Specify Assessment

Method

4.

Specify Measures

Measure

Share Results

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Make Changes IDENTIFY STRATEGIZE HYPOTHESIZE

IMPLEMENT MONITOR ADJUST REPORT RECOMMEND IDENTIFY STRATEGIZE HYPOTHESIZE

Brainstorming
Keep Minutes & Roll
What is going on?
Process validation!

Operational Efficiency—Direct

Attitude—Indirect
Operational Definitions
Baselines and Benchmarks

Findings Conclusions Go Back to #1

IE will support your efforts every step of the way!



## **Authors of Your System**

Design, organize, and collaborate

## **Getting Started** with the Template

**Title of Unit or Office** 

Year:

Name of Preparer:

#### **Program Mission Statement**

Please begin this brief statement with "The Mission of the Department of X is...Make sure that this mission ties into the Mission of your College and also the Mission of Francis Marion University.

**Executive Summary of Report (One-page maximum)** 

Summarize the IE report (in two or three paragraphs) to include the main points of each section. It is recommended that you complete this section after the entire report is complete.

You don't have to start from scratch.

If you need help with a status report or update, look no further.

cmcmanus@fmarion.edu or X-1559

Use the IE <u>template</u> to develop your report

## Working with the Template

#### **Unit/Student Learning Outcomes**

#### Present each outcome in a numbered list

Be sure to include your baseline and benchmark data.

We are recommending at least four ULO/SLO. For example:

The percentage of students rating the dining hall experience at the **Exemplary Status** level on the **Semi-annual Benchmark Poll** will increase by **25%**. Baseline = **45%**.

You should not start from scratch.

This process has to be continuous.

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#### **Assessment Methods**

Restate each numbered unit/student learning outcome and explain the method(s) and then the procedure that will be utilized to assess the outcome

Please use both direct and indirect measures.

**Discuss baselines and benchmarks** for each student learning outcome and **provide justification** for the stated benchmarks---**what have you modified and enhanced** to make you think you will see the increase in performance indicated. What is new and improved?

## Working with the Template

#### **Assessment Results**

Restate each numbered Unit/student learning outcome and discuss assessment results and relationship of results to benchmarks.

#### For example:

The percentage of students rating the dining hall experience at **Exemplary Status** on the Semi-annual Benchmark Poll was 81%. 81% represents a 80% **Change** increase over the baseline (45%.) The target of a 25% increase was achieved.

(It is very important to state whether your target was achieved. <u>It does not</u> matter if you did not achieve the target level. We just have to state why we think the target was not achieved. Not a deal breaker! BUT, this can't happen every year!)

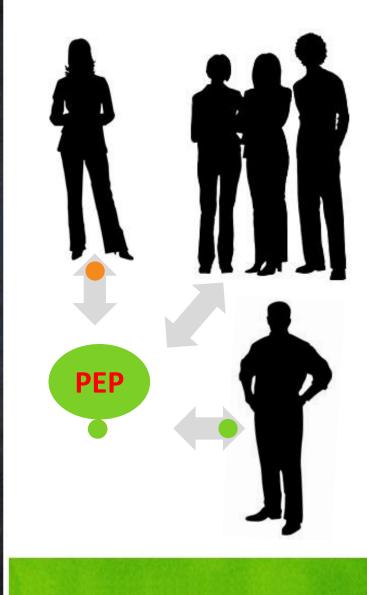
**Closing the loop** means/requires stating how you will use these results to make next year stronger!

## Collaboration

Two key components of the report—Collaboration and Documentation.

It's about team work, and support. If there is no collaboration, the Report will not characterize your Office/Unit. If there is no

documentation, tdid not occur.



It's not just about what you did, but what you can support

## YOUR MESSAGE.

Let Your Report

## SPEAK FOR ITSELF

## Report's Voice

- ongoing and systematic include planning,
- evaluation of programs
- identification and measurement of outcomes
- informed decision-making
- improving your program(s) and service(s)
- student success
- institutional quality
- expected outcomes
- <u>assess</u> the extent to which you <u>achieves the outcomes</u>
- provide evidence



That's all Folk



## **But wait...**

There's More!

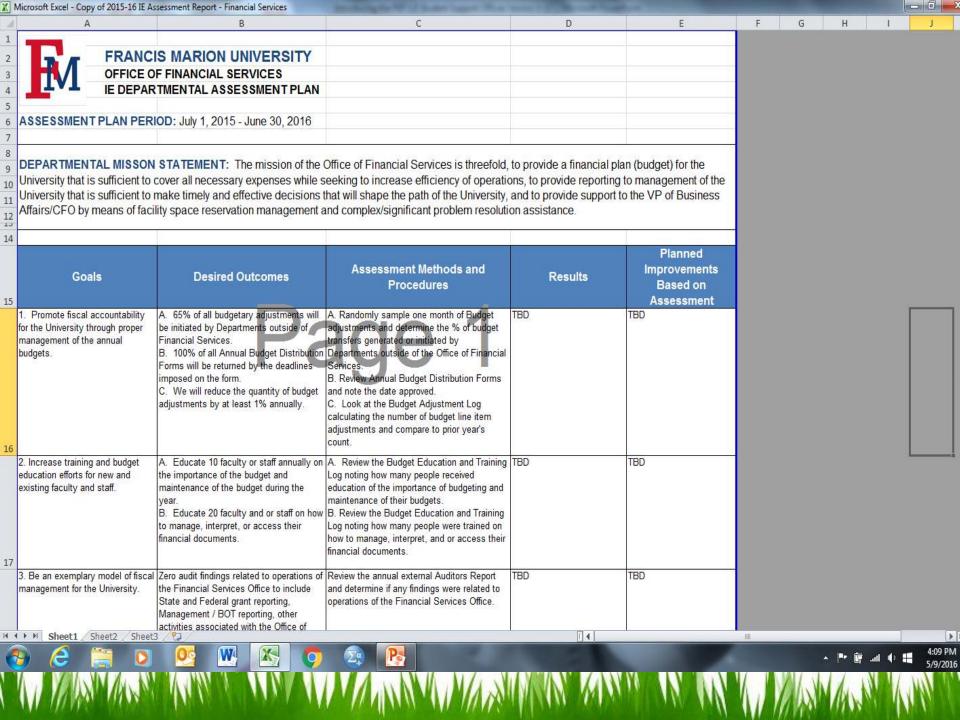
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What else is there????

## **Upgrading ULOs through Bloom's Taxonomy**

- 1. Students will rate the dining hall high on food quality
  - 2. <u>Student satisfaction</u> with dining services, food quality, will be at or above 75% positive endorsement.
- 1. Students will indicate that they enjoy the food in the dining hall
  - 2. Students will express satisfaction (judge/rate) with food quality at the 75% positive- endorsement level as measured by the monthly **Patriot Assessment of Student Satisfaction** [PASS 1.0], dining service survey [Baseline = 50%].



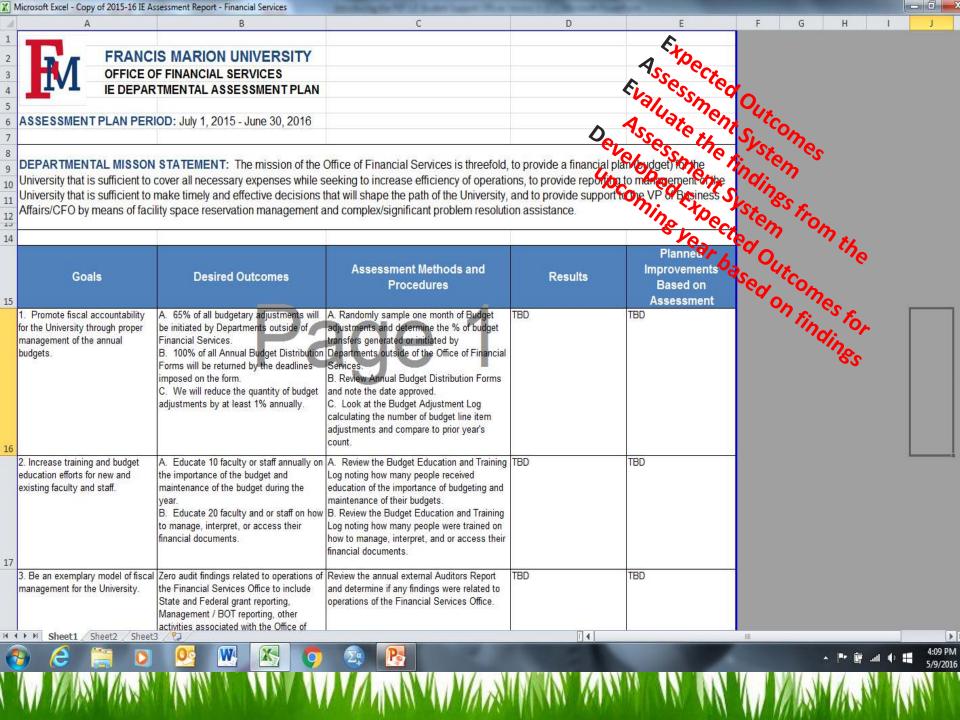


### Mission Critical Behavior

- Express your Mission—why are you here
- You must tie it to the Division's Mission
- The Division's Mission must be tied to the FMU Mission.
- It is all Mission Critical
- What do you add to KTD
- KNOW THINK DO

## What are good Unit/Learning outcome statements?

- Describe what your unit does to support the Mission of FMU.
- Describe how your actions will help students demonstrate, represent, or produce evidence of learning based on the actions of your unit;
- Rely on active verbs that identify what you will actually do to help students demonstrate, represent, or produce evidence of learning based on the actions of your unit.  $\frac{Bloom's}{Verbs}$  Taxonomy



## **Unit Outcome Markers**

Student Centeredness
Campus Life
nstructional Effectiveness
Recruitment and Financial Aid
Campus Support Services
Academic Advising
Registration Effectiveness
Safety and Security
Concern for the Individual
Service Excellence
Responsiveness to Diverse Populations
Campus Climate



## Measurable Verbs

- ✓ Add
- ✓ Analyze
- ✓ Apply
- ✓ Approximate
- ✓ Build
- ✓ Classify
- ✓ Collect
- ✓ Communicate
- ✓ Compare
- ✓ Compute
- ✓ Connect
- ✓ Consolidate
- ✓ Construct
- **✓** Contrast

- ✓ Convert
- ✓ Create
- ✓ Describe
- ✓ Determine
- ✓ Develop
- ✓ Display
- ✓ Divide
- ✓ Draw
- ✓ Estimate
- ✓ Examine
- ✓ Explain
- ✓ Extend
- ✓ Evaluate
- Find

- ✓ Formulate
- √ Graph
- ✓ Identify
- ✓ Interpret
- ✓ Investigate
- ✓ Justify
- ✓ Label
- **✓** List
- ✓ Locate
- ✓ Make
- ✓ Model
- ✓ Monitor
- ✓ Multiply
- ✓ Organize

- ✓ Plot
- ✓ Produce
- ✓ Recognize
- ✓ Reflect
- ✓ Select
- ✓ Show
- √ Simplify
- ✓ Solve
- √ State
- ✓ Subtract
- ✓ Translate
- ✓ Understand
- ✓ Use
- ✓ Write

Great source for writing great SLOs. http://www.learningoutcomesassessment.org/TFComponentSLOS.htm





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