

LCSC Progress Report

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LCSC's Role/Mission

- Baccalaureate College-Diverse (Carnegie classification)
- Our heritage as a Normal School- a teaching institution since 1893
- Small-college atmosphere, personal interaction between faculty and students, applied learning that supports the state and local economy
- Accessible/affordable portal to higher education

LCSC Role/Mission

LCSC is a regional state college offering undergraduate instruction in:

- The liberal arts and sciences
- Professional areas tailored to the educational needs of Idaho
- Applied technical programs which support the state and local economy
- Other educational programs designed to meet the needs of Idahoans.

Role/Mission

Three-part mission:

- Academic Programs
- Professional-Technical Programs
- Community Programs

Primary Emphasis Areas

-Educating People for the Economy-

- Business (1974)
- Criminal Justice (1976)
- Nursing (1965)
- Professional-Technical Education (1965)
- Social Work (1991)
- Teacher Education (1893)
- Arts & Sciences Core (1893)

LCSC Strategic Plan: Background

- LCSC's Strategic Plan continues to:
 - Draw goals from SBOE Strategic Plan
 - Integrate planning-budgeting-assessment process
 - Focus role/mission: mission drives programs
 - Align organizational structure to mission
 - Be driven by integrated planning teams
- This integrated planning process helps LCSC provide high-quality, accessible, and efficient programs in a period of growing demand

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LCSC's Role/Mission (cont.)

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- Unique among Idaho's 4-year colleges/universities
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Strategic Plan Initiatives

- PG-9: Faculty & Staff Compensation
- PG-11: Faculty Workload
- PG-15: NWCCU Accreditation
- PG-26: Regional Health Care Initiative
- PG-29: Coeur d'Alene Planning
- PG-30: Facilities Planning initiatives
- PG-35: LCSC Business Practices
- PG-48: General Education Core Review
- PG-50: Student Residential Housing
- PG-58: Textbook Costs
- PG-60: Collaborative Programs
- PG-61: Energy and Operating Efficiencies
- PG-62: Student Advising

Accreditation

- LCSC hosted the NWCCU Accreditation Team on October 5-7, 2009
- Exit Interview Results

Specialized Accreditation

- Social Work was accredited by the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE)
- The Medical Assistant program was accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP)