



UNIVERSITY of ALASKA ANCHORAGE™

ACCREDITATION OPEN FORUM

Year of Self-Reflection:

Where We Are and Where We Want to Be

Friday, March 21, 2025

LIB 307 and via Zoom

Program

- 9:00-9:10 **Welcome and Land Acknowledgement** - *Sean Parnell, Chancellor*
- 9:10-9:20 **Brief Overview of the February Open Forum and Mission Fulfillment** - *Susan Kalina, Senior Vice Provost, Academic Affairs and Institutional Effectiveness, and Accreditation Co-Chair*
- 9:20-10:15 **Mission Fulfillment - A Summative Exercise** - *Carrie King, Professor, Dietetics and Nutrition, and Accreditation Co-Chair*

Breakout Groups and Capturing the Input - Each group will consider the data for one part of mission fulfillment and respond to the questions. Each group will have a facilitator. If your group does not have an assigned facilitator, please select someone to serve in that role to help make sure everyone has an opportunity to participate. Each group should also select a reporter who is willing to enter the highlights of your responses to the questions below into the survey using the QR code. These highlights will be used for your report out when we come back together as a group and for our accreditation reporting.

1. What is something UAA has done in this area that you are proud of?

Looking at the data:

2. What areas of success do you see?
3. What might be some areas for improvement?
4. What ideas do you have for steps the university can take to address areas in need of improvement?

Report Out

- 10:15-10:25 **Mission Fulfillment and Dual Mission** - *Denise Runge, Provost and Executive Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs*

10:25-10:30 **Wrap Up and Next Steps** - Susan Kalina, Senior Vice Provost, Academic Affairs and Institutional Effectiveness, and Accreditation Co-Chair

THE CONVERSATION CONTINUES...

May 8 (9:00-12:00) [Accreditation/Assessment Retreat](#) – LIB 307 and Zoom

Topic - How do our different assessment processes provide data and information for decision making, planning, and resource allocation? Be ready to share your examples.

All faculty and staff are invited to attend! In particular, anyone engaged in assessment and evaluation activities for their areas will want to attend! Academic assessment coordinators, deans, and campus directors are asked to attend or send a representative.

August 13 (2:00-4:00) Curriculum Convocation

UAA CORE COMPETENCIES

Effective Communication *The knowledge and skills necessary to engage in effective communication in diverse contexts and formats.*

Creative and Critical Thinking *The knowledge and skills necessary for the critical exploration of issues, ideas, artifacts, and events in order to creatively design, evaluate, and implement a strategy to answer complex questions or achieve a desired goal.*

Intercultural Fluency *The knowledge and skills necessary to promote effective and appropriate interaction in a variety of cultural contexts, particularly in terms of the communities we serve.*

Personal, Professional, and Community Responsibility *The knowledge and skills necessary to promote personal flourishing, professional excellence, and community engagement.*