Summary: February 19, 2008 meeting of the Accreditation Steering Committee

PRESENT: Liz Atkinson, Jennifer Ballard (staff), Greg Copeland, John Hall, Chris Keaveney, Brenda Marshall, Bill Millar, Dan Preston, Barbara Seidman, Jeff Summers, Pam Wheeler.

NEXT MEETING/SPRING MEETING SCHEDULE
FEBRUARY 26 -- 5:30 till 7:30 p.m. (dinner meetings resume), Standard 6

OTHER IMPORTANT DATES
MARCH 31: Posting of first public draft for Linfield community

MINUTES OF LAST MEETING
Minutes of Feb. 8, 12 meetings reviewed and approved with minor amendments.

Standard 3 draft review
Strategic issues – include extracurricular experiential learning alongside co-curricular experiential learning.

Is exploration of residential students taking online courses needed? Is there an issue? Refer to standard 2.

3.A.1 Re-phrase. College has one mission. Clarify that NSSE is McMinnville only.

3.A.2 All current job descriptions will be available as an exhibit. Clarify that faculty and student services work together on several institutional committees: Academic Support, ERLS, Admission & Financial Aid.

3.B.1 Academic disability statement included on syllabi. Learning services moving to academic affairs. Reference Student Success Team. Is this standard about learning disabilities only?

3.D.1 Include references to program admission that is distinct from institutional admission (education, athletic training, nursing).


3.D.15,16 Integrate or cross-reference co-curricular activities and extra-curricular activities that are associates with academic departments (speech, theatre) with those associated with other areas. Cross reference with Standard 4 Faculty.

3.D.18 Is the question answered? Explain in more detail how the bookstore has responded to students & faculty (online ordering for DCE, space for academic supplies).