

Appendix 1

University of Guam WASC Accreditation History

DATE	EVENT
Apr-1958	Preliminary visit (as College of Guam)
Nov-1958	Visit
Mar-1959	Commission action: Accredited for 3 years as junior college.
Oct-1961	1-year extension of accreditation.
Feb-1963	Visit
May-1963	Commission action: 2 year period of preliminary accreditation with interim progress report due 4/1/64, emphasizing English as a second language program, institutional autonomy, library improvement, and improvement in staff.
Feb-1965	Visit
May-1965	Commission action: Reaccredit for 3 years.
Apr-1968	Visit
May-1968	Commission action: Reaccredit for 5 years (as University of Guam) with report due in 3 years.
Jun-1971	Commission action: Accept interim report from institution.
Apr-1973	Commission action: Extend accreditation for 1 year.
Mar-1974	Visit
Jun-1974	Commission action: Reaffirm accreditation; request progress report in 3 years, followed by limited visit, if necessary.
May-1976	Interim visit
Jun-1976	Commission action: Reaffirm accreditation. Request immediate action on points 1 and 2, Institutional Integrity and Business Procedures, in team report; request immediate steps to correct hazards to health and safety. "Failure to comply with these recommendations will jeopardize the continued accreditation of the University."
Feb-1977	Commission action: Receive interim report from institution.
Apr-1978	Full Visit
Jun-1978	Commission action: Reaffirm accreditation; schedule interim visit in spring 1981 to review progress toward implementation of the major recommendations of visiting team, to be made, if possible, in conjunction with ACCJC and ACS
Spring 1981	Interim visit (<u>full self-study report</u>)

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Jun-1981	Commission action: 1) receive report of interim visiting team; 2) issue a warning to correct deficiencies cited in the team report, with particular attention to recommendations 1 through 10; 3) schedule the next full visit in the spring of 1983 with updated self-study.
Jun-1981	Commission issues warning to correct cited deficiencies.
Jun-1982	Postpone visit to November 15-18, 1983
Feb-1983	Commission action: 1) send letter regarding concern that University is not in compliance with Standard 3.A; 2) request Board of Regents to submit a report by March 25, 1983; 3) upon receipt of report, the Commission will decide whether to schedule an interim visit in the Spring of 1983.
Mar-1983	Report received. Interim visit not scheduled.
Nov-1983	Full visit
Feb-1984	Commission action: 1) place on "show cause;" 2) schedule Interim Report for 2/85; 3) schedule visit for 4/85.
Feb-1984	Commission places University on "show cause" status.
Jun-1984	Public Law 17-55 is enacted which grants greater autonomy to the University and establishes staggered terms for members of the Board of Regents.
Jun-1985	Commission removes "show cause" status and places the University on probation until June 30, 1988.
Jan-1988	Self Study submitted
Jul-1988	Commission reaffirms University accreditation without sanction.
Mar-1991	Progress report submitted
Jul-1991	Commission commends progress report and sets date for next comprehensive visit to the University for Spring of 1995.
Feb-1995	1994 Self Study for Reaffirmation of accreditation submitted
Mar-1995	Visit (old standards)
May-1995	Report received. Commission action: Reaffirmation of accreditation for 5 years (until 2000), with interim reports required.
Mar-1997	Interim Progress Report #1 submitted.
Mar-1998	Interim Progress Report #2 submitted.
2000	Team visit (under old standards) Result: Probation, special visit in 2002
2002	Special visit by team (under old standards) Result: Probation lifted, special visit for 2005 and some reports to do (forget what)
2004	Proposal accepted (2001 standards)
Mar-2005	Special visit by team (old standards, transition to new) and team report issued

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Jun-2005	Commission action: 1) receive the report of the Special Visit team; 2) Continue with the Capacity and Preparatory Review in Spring 2007 and reschedule Education Effectiveness Review to Fall 2008 in accordance with overall WASC determination that EER follow 18-24 months after CPR. Result: all sanctions lifted. Financial reports required for 2005, 2006
Jan-2007	Capacity and Preparatory Review visit by team.
Apr-2007	WASC CPR team issues report
Jul-2007	Commission action: 1) received the report of the CPR team and continue accreditation of the University; 2) Issue a formal Notice of Concern to provide notice to the University that without longer term solutions to the continuing financial situation, UOG could be found out of compliance with Commission Standards, especially Standard 3; 3) Scheduled the Educational Effectiveness Review for Spring 2009; 4) Require a progress report by March 2008, addressing the financial condition of the University.
Mar-2008	University submits Interim Financial Report
May-2008	WASC panel acted to accept the Interim Financial Report
Mar-2009	Educational Effectiveness Review planned for Mar. 30-April 3, 2009