

FLORIDA GULF COAST UNIVERSITY

NOTICE OF REGULATORY ACTION

September 18, 2008

REGULATION TITLE:

Accreditation

REGULATION NO.:

FGCU-PR3.001

SUMMARY:

Regulation FGCU-PR3.001 will ensure that the institution maintains acceptable levels of quality through means of accreditation. Regional accreditation will cover the institution as a whole and specialized accreditation will cover eligible schools, colleges, and academic programs leading to a degree, in accordance with the mission of the University and Board of Governors' guidelines.

FULL TEXT:

The full text of the regulation being proposed is attached and can also be found at <http://www.fgcu.edu/generalcounsel/promulgation.asp>

LAW IMPLEMENTED:

BOG Regulation 3.006; §1001.74, Florida Statutes

UNIVERSITY OFFICIAL INITIATING THE PROPOSED REVISED REGULATION:

Dr. Paul Snyder, Associate Provost for Planning and Institutional Performance

UNIVERSITY OFFICIAL APPROVING THE PROPOSED REGULATION:

Dr. Ronald Toll, Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

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ANY COMMENTS REGARDING THE PROPOSED NEW REGULATION SHOULD BE SUBMITTED IN WRITING ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 2, 2008 BY 5:00 P.M. THE COMMENTS MUST IDENTIFY THE REGULATION ON WHICH YOU ARE COMMENTING.

THIS NOTICE WAS POSTED ON THE FGCU WEBSITE ON: SEPTEMBER 18, 2008.



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(1) General. The University shall be in accordance with the regulations and guidelines of the Florida Board of Governors as they pertain to accreditation.

(2) Scope. Accreditation here shall apply to the institution as a whole through the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools and to specific schools, colleges and programs leading to earned degrees through appropriate bodies recognized through the federal government or BOG regulations or guidelines.

(3) Responsibility. The President of the university will ensure that FGCU will take all actions necessary to maintain its regional accreditation with the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. In addition, the President will charge the Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs with the responsibility of ensuring compliance with all Florida Board of Governors regulations and guidelines concerning the specialized accreditation of eligible programs, schools, and colleges of the university.

(4) Reporting. The President will apprise the University Board of Trustees, periodically and as necessary, on the accreditation status of the institution, its constituent academic units and programs. As directed by the Florida Board of Governors, the University will provide to it information on the accreditation status of the institution, its constituent academic units, and its programs in a manner and format so specified by the Board of Governors.

Action by Florida Gulf Coast University Board of Trustees:

Approved: _____

Law Implemented:

Board of Governors' Regulation 3.006; §1001.74, Florida Statutes

History of Regulation:

New

Effective Date of Regulation:
