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To: Accreditation Liaison Officers

From: ACCJC

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Subject: Student Learning and Assessment Retreats and Academic Resource Conference – Call for Proposals

ACCJC is again co-sponsoring Retreats on Assessment of Student Learning with the Accrediting Commission for Senior Colleges and Universities (ACSCU) of WASC. The retreats support both 2-year and 4-year colleges in their efforts to become more learning-centered. Level I retreats will guide participants through a sequence of assessment-related tasks that can be applied to their campus or program needs. Level II retreats are designed for institutions or programs that have broad assessment systems in place and have experience closing the loop based on assessment findings. Both retreats will be led by nationally acclaimed facilitators Mary Allen and Amy Driscoll.

Assessment Level I will be held September 23-24, 2010 and Level II will be held October 21-23, 2010. Both retreats will be held at the Crown Plaza Anaheim Resort, CA. More information about the retreats and registration is available on http://accjc.org/workshops_meeting.htm.

The Academic Resource Conference (ARC) 2011, which is sponsored by the ACSCU in collaboration with the ACCJC, will be held in San Francisco April 6-8, 2011. The theme of the conference is 'Higher Education's Third Horizon.' The Call for Proposals is attached to this message. We encourage you to study the Call and submit proposals related to the practices and accomplishments of your institution so that the conference can provide opportunities for sharing of practices, reflections, and results.

Please share this information broadly on your campus.