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Position Summary

- Manage CEHD program data via prescribed data management structures and systems.
- Train and work with faculty and P-12 partners on use of data systems.
- Troubleshoot with faculty and P-12 partners on utilizing data input and reporting features.
- Collaborate with faculty to create and/or revise program level assessments that align with program standards and satisfy accreditation requirements.
- Ensure assessments required for accreditation are entered into the data management system.
- Administer unit and program level assessments required for accreditation.
- Assist with facilitating focus groups related to accreditation needs for departments.
- Track critical data for CEHD from all departments. Generate reports from data for faculty, deans, and accreditation organizations. Create customizable reports for faculty, deans, and P-12 partners.
- Facilitate unit and program level assessment meetings with faculty and college leadership.
- Collaborate with college leadership in the preparation and writing of annual state and federal reports.
- Manage CEHD Office of Assessment webpage dashboard to be utilized for various reporting mechanisms.
- Convene the CEHD Assessment Committee and supervise graduate and/or work-study students.

Required Qualifications:

- Master’s degree in education or related field, or equivalent education, training, and experience required.
- Experience in education related to leading assessment teams and utilizing assessment data for improvement.
- Knowledge of the field of education and current trends related to assessment and evidence-driven policies and practices at state, regional and national levels.
- Experience using descriptive and inferential statistics.
- Must be flexible and resourceful with demonstrated excellent organizational skills, analytic skills, writing skills and interpersonal skills.
- Demonstrated ability to work with many different senior staff members, as well as other diverse members as a team in order to write reports and meet deadlines.
- Demonstrated ability to multi-task and manage large amounts of data.

Preferred Qualifications:

- Experience in designing assessment instruments and establishing reliability and validity.
- Knowledge, skills, and experience in working with a variety of databases and assessment software; familiarity with the design and development of secure web pages to collect a variety of evaluation data. Understand and utilize newer software designed to aid in the collection and presentation of data and reports.
- Experience with national and state accreditation and accountability systems. Familiar with accreditation in ACEND, CACREP, CAEP, CAATE, and COAPRT.
- Experience in higher education
- A doctorate in education or a related field preferred.