Academic Plan 2016 – 2017

Institutional Goals

- 1) Promote academic quality and program development to enhance access and workforce development
- 2) Continue to support and champion student success
- 3) Ensure responsible stewardship of administrative, financial, human resources, marketing, and information technology department resources
- 4) Ensure successful completion of new and ongoing facilities projects
- 5) Promote talent development at all levels and increase effectiveness and efficiency of processes in the academic division

Aligned Academic Division Goals

- 1) Coordinate the preparation and submission of the College's 5-year Report to the New England Association of Schools and Colleges
- 2) Participate in the development of a new strategic plan 2017-2020
- 3) Complete the 3-year plan of program review and evaluation
- 4) Develop an effective process and relationship between the Academic Dean's Office and the Department Chairs along with the Curriculum Committee in promoting excellence in teaching and learning
- 5) Develop a focused faculty professional development program through the possible creation of a Faculty Leadership Institute
- 6) Assist in the strengthening the College's Governance by involvement with each of the committee's mission, focus, and expected outcomes. Additionally, assess the current academic committees for continuance and alignment with the committees in the Governance structure
- 7) Assess the Office of the Academic Dean's structure, responsibilities, and processes and the interface with academic departments and offices of the College.