

Master Schedule of Program Review

(rev. 8-2026)

Action(s)	Approximate Date(s)	Executor(s)
Preliminary planning meeting	Early Fall	Associate Provost
- Establish a review date - Submit a rank-ordered list of prospective reviewers (see “Criteria for Selection of Reviewers”)	Early Fall (September 1, 2026 – November 6, 2026) Dates of on-site: mid-February – early April	Department to Dean to Associate Provost
Approve rank-ordered list of prospective reviewers	Fall	Associate Provost and Dean of Graduate Studies
Final institutional approvals of reviewers	Fall (November 21, 2026)	Provost
Invite selected reviewer	Fall	Dean
Prepare/send/receive contracts	Fall	Dean & College staff
Communicate with the external reviewer to acknowledge receipt of the signed contract, inform them of the on-site visit dates, and let them know that additional documents will follow.	Fall (December 18, 2026)	Dean
Submit self-study for review	Fall (December 21, 2026, and forward; allowing at least 1-2 weeks for reviews)	Departments to Deans to Associate Provost, Dean of Graduate Studies, and Vice President for Research (for graduate program only)
Send self-study report and related information to the reviewer and copy to Associate Provost - Information for Program Reviewers - THEC Program Review Rubric (Undergraduate Programs) - THEC Program Review Rubric (Graduate Programs) - Tentative schedule - Departmental information	Early Spring (At least 30 days before the on-site visit)	Dean

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Complete schedule/arrangements of the on-site visit: • Final time-schedule • Participation (admin/faculty/students/advisory board) • Meeting spaces • Airport pick-up & return • Lodgings (may consult with Patricia McKenzie) • Meals-schedule & submit ("Request for Food Purchase") • Local transportation	Early Spring	Department working with Dean's Office & Provost's Office
Approve schedule/arrangements	Early Spring	Department to Dean to Associate Provost
Send final schedule/arrangement to the reviewer, faculty, administration	Early Spring	Department
Host the reviewer	During on-site/virtual visit (Mid-February – Early April)	Department
Complete evaluation checklist	Before leaving campus	External reviewer
Prepare & send external reviewer report to the Dean and Provost's Office	Within one month of the on-site visit	External reviewer
Send honoraria payment to the reviewer	After receiving the reviewer's report	Dean to Business Affairs to External Reviewer
Prepare & submit unit responses to external reports	Within one month of receipt of the report	Department to Dean to Associate Provost
Schedule follow-up meeting if necessary	Before the end of the academic year	Dean, Associate Provosts & Provost