Update to the
Select Committee on
Florida Polytechnic University

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## Statutory Requirements

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- **Not making progress**
- **Making progress**
- **Completed**
• Academic Programs
  – 54 courses offered, 129 sections (Spring 2015)
  – 51 faculty, 30 additional hires planned

• Enrollment
  – Fall 2014: 540 (518/22) students
  – Spring 2015: 553 (522/31) students
  – 200% increase in inquiries for Fall 2015

• Retention
  – Fall to Spring persistence was 97.4%
Research

- **Student projects**
  - “Hackathon” competition to build prototypes of student ideas
  - Cyber “Capture-the-Flag” event

- **Funded research**
  - 89 industry partners with 23 interested in research
  - Over $5M in industry funded research
Accreditation

- INSTITUTIONAL - Application Submitted to SACSSOC - December 2014
  - Awaiting SACSCOC action

- DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC - ABET accreditation being developed in parallel

- Discipline-specific certifications being pursued
Summary

- Making strong progress on completing accreditation
- Fall 2014 focus on developing responsive programs and services to achieve mandated student enrollment
- Spring 2015 focus on growing and building research infrastructure and capabilities
- Established sound financial growth, stability and administrative practices