

Strategic Planning/Educational Policy Committee
January 26, 2006

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

What Are the Impediments to Reaching Degree Goals in the BOG Strategic Plan and How Should Those Impediments Be Addressed?

In his role as Chair of the Council of Academic Vice Presidents, Dr. Terry Hickey, Provost, University of Central Florida, will be presenting information related to impediments and how they should be addressed, in response to the Committee's request at its November meeting.

Targeted Programs: Nursing and Engineering

Chair Dasburg requested that Nursing, Engineering, and Education be reviewed by Dr. Desai, Mr. McCollum, and Dr. Marshall, respectively, to affirm the strategic planning goals in those areas and develop strategies to meet those goals. The Nursing and Engineering presentations on this agenda begin discussions related to that assignment. In addition, Dr. Kathleen Long, Dean of Nursing at the University of Florida, will present information related to the Doctor of Nursing Practice degree.

Identification of Programs to Use in Developing and Testing an Appropriate Methodology for Cost per Degree

The Committee has heard several presentations related to the complexities related to calculating Cost per Degree. Chair Dasburg requested that staff recommend programs to use to develop and test an appropriate methodology. Dr. Nancy McKee, Vice Chancellor for Education Policy and Research, will recommend programs for the Committee's approval.