



# To CAEP or not to CAEP?

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LCOE Fall Retreat 2015



# Overview of CAEP

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- What is it?
- How is it different from NCATE?
  - CAEP has 5 standards, NCATE had 6
  - Still aligned with CTC standards
- What are other CSUs doing?
- How is CAEP aligning with CTC?

# Updates from CAEP Conference

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- CAEP Conference:
  - Dialogues about program quality and best practices mirror conversations we have been having in departments for the past 2 years (e.g., dispositions, providing feedback and monitoring of student progress, etc.)
  - Program assessment for standards is designed by the college being accredited
- Quantitative and Qualitative Data
- Grants
  - Asking for very similar data

# What are we already doing?

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- Taskstream Assessment
- Dispositions
- Advisory Boards
- CSU Exit Survey
- Informal Data
- Budget for NCATE
- Strong Overlap with CTC

# Changes with CAEP

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- How to Collect LCOE Completer Data
  - Principal Focus Group
    - How do candidates perform on XYZ?
    - What areas to revise?
  - Different Types of Data (quantitative and qualitative)
    - Case Studies, Advisory Boards, etc.
- Calibration of Measures and Documents
  - Can increase collaboration, sharing, inter-disciplinary research

# Why should the college continue with CAEP?

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- Part of National Conversation
  - Shared research + best practices
- National Recognition
  - College Level
  - Department Level - CAEP aligns with SPAs for those programs wishing to also seek national recognition for their individual credential area
    - Affiliated with NCTE, NCSS, NCTM, NAfME, CEC, etc.
- College Decides How Collect Data
  - Program's impact on communities
- College decides how to meet standards
- Opportunities for Research with Follow-Up Pieces
  - Improve our practice

# Moving Forward with CAEP

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- Cost
  - Funds are already allocated for NCATE and CTC accreditation
- Department Commitment
  - Evaluate current assessment measures and practices
  - Determine reliability and validity of assessment measures
  - Continue with program improvements, as needed

# What is still unknown?

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- CTC is still in discussion around admission requirements
  - How to address admission selectivity process since we don't gather high school GPA and SAT scores at the graduate level.

## UPDATE:

- CAEP and CTC now have a partnership agreement. The agreement does not address admission selectivity. The agreement does address statewide student data system and value-added measures of teacher effectiveness.

# Next Step

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- College vote