



HLC Accreditation 2016-2017

## **Evidence Document**

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Academic Affairs

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### **Major Direct Reports in Academic Affairs**

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**Additional information:**

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- Deans of each degree granting colleges (business, education, engineering, fine arts, health professions, honors, liberal arts and sciences, director institute for interdisciplinary creativity) are responsible for academic program development and evaluation; hiring, dismissal, and evaluation of faculty and staff; fiscal planning and management; the physical plant of their college; and representation of their college/unit to external professional and community groups.
- The dean of the Graduate School is responsible for the administration of the Graduate School and, in collaboration with the deans of the academic colleges and the Graduate Council (elected faculty), the quality of programs.
- The dean of University Libraries administers all campus libraries and also is responsible for the archives of the university.
- The vice president for student affairs (dual reporting to the Provost and President) is responsible for the offices of the Child Development Center, Disability Services, Heskett Center, Housing and Residence Life, Office of Diversity and Inclusion, Student Involvement, Counseling and Testing Center, and Student Health Services, and TRIO Programs (Student Support Services, Educational Talent Search, TRIO/Upward Bound Math Science Regional Center, the McNair Post-Baccalaureate Achievement Program, Disability Support Services), the Educational Opportunity Centers Programs that serve U.S. military veterans and all adults seeking postsecondary education) and GEAR UP.
- The senior associate vice president for academic affairs and strategic enrollment management is responsible for a broad range of internal matters including enrollment management, accreditation; academic programs; program assessment; general education; workforce, professional, and community education; media resources center; online learning; student success; and the OneStop. Externally, this administrator is the liaison to the Kansas Board of Regents for performance agreements, program review, and other matters pertaining to academic affairs.
- The associate vice president for academic data systems and chief data officer supervises the chief information officer and together they are responsible for networking and data center operations, telecommunications services, server infrastructure, system development and support and client services. These administrators are responsible for the security of all electronically stored information. The chief data officer is responsible for the coordination of university data standards and reporting, designing/developing information systems for strategic planning and decisions, internal planning and reporting. The offices of Financial Aid, International Education, Planning and Analysis, Undergraduate Admission, and the Registrar report to this administrator.
- The associate vice president for academic administration and outreach is responsible for advising, faculty evaluations, faculty awards, personnel issues, grievances, faculty and unclassified searches, sabbatical leaves, and student concerns and problems. This administrator chairs the Academic Operations Council and serves as the liaison to the Student Academic Court of Appeals. Externally, this administrator is the liaison to community colleges in matters of advising, transfer issues and articulation agreements.