

College of Education Diversity Committee

The College of Education Diversity Committee was established in January 1999 to support the following goals:

Every student in the COE must be prepared to work effectively with diverse populations for students/clients and be prepared to promote tolerance of and appreciation for diverse cultures, ideas, and perspectives.

Its initial charge was to prepare the college to meet or exceed all NCATE standards related to diversity. Specific activities included:

- Development of relevant long range goals
- Development of a report on all current activities related to diversity
- Assistance to faculty in ensuring that curricula are designed to ensure all students receive the education needed to meet the diversity goal

In March 2000, the committee was further directed to:

1. Develop a long range plan addressing diversity-related issues and concerns.
2. Prepare a summary or report of activities in the past year or two (e.g. recruitment activities, recruitment plan, compilation of faculty scholarship and diversity, data on faculty and student).
3. Analyze the NCATE Institutional Report and reference materials from programs to ensure that the theme of diversity runs throughout the programs.