Shaping Alaska’s Future
University of Alaska Summit Team Actions and Investigations

Actions Requiring UA Board of Regents Approval

- Common Statewide Academic Calendar – Passed by the UA Board of Regents in April 2014
- Common developmental education and general education – Passed by the UA Board of Regents in April 2014
- Revised the Program Review Schedule from every 5 years to every 7 years to align with new institutional accreditation schedule – Passed by the UA Board of Regents in April 2014
- Tobacco free campuses – Passed by the UA Board of Regents in December 2014

Actions not requiring Board of Regents Approval

- Implement Come Home to Alaska Program allowing resident tuition for out of state students with lineal family in state
- Establish Quality Control, Compliance Process, and Standard Operating Procedures for Health Care Programs
- Synchronize a single password logon
- Outsource the backlog of Banner system changes
- Convene a data/analytics group to identify needs and establish a data architecture
- Reduced annual leave cash out for staff
- Develop System-Wide “Paraprofessional to Certified Teacher” Program
- Consolidate the eLearning Management System into single instance of the Learning Management System; activate MyUA Courses in all instances of Bb as default. Asked the Statewide Academic Council to draft regulation on the required use of the common learning management system.
- Conduct an Administrative Information Systems Governance Review

Investigations

- Align UA Elementary Education Curriculum
- Adopt Common Financial Aid Practices Across the System
- Draft Policy and Regulation on the Role and Mission of Community Campuses – draft circulated
- Suspend ORP entry for new PERS eligible employees
- Assess full enrollment status in eLearning offerings and examine a single eLearning portal
- Take part in WICHE Passport Initiative to facilitate interstate credit transfer
- Institute vendor payments using ACH and other electronic payment options
- Emergency Leave Policy (Personal Safety Days) – examine combining sick and annual leave
- Should Students from Non-SARA States Be Allowed to Enroll in UA Distance Delivery Courses?
- Sent Summit Team perspective on UA Core Values to Staff Council – Still in development

Recently Submitted Proposals

- Transfer of Grade Point Averages Across UA Institutions
- Change Spring Break Holiday to Chancellor’s Day

To find out more about the status and progress of the UA Summit Team Initiatives please [click here](#).