

## Guiding Principles for an Evaluation Committee

- Principle #1: The committee is comprised of peers
- Principle #2: The committee demonstrates personal and professional integrity in all aspects of its review
- Principle #3: The committee conducts its review within the context of the institution's mission and the Commission's policies and procedures and the *Principles of Accreditation*
- Principle #4: The committee conducts its review in a collegial, confidential and professional manner
- Principle #5: The committee applies its informed, professional and responsible judgment in determining the institution's compliance with the *Principles*
- Principle #6: The committee conducts a review that is of value to the institution
- Principle #7: The committee review ensures accountability to the institution's constituencies and the larger community of higher education