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## **Purposes and Procedures**

The purpose of the NCATE committee is to regularly engage in self-evaluation and assessment to improve operations and programs of the College and coordinate the efforts of the College in attending to the continuing accreditation expectations of the National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education and the Southern Association of College and Schools Commission on Colleges. This will involve regularly reviewing NCATE standards, developing and maintaining an integrated professional education core curriculum, developing a comprehensive program evaluation system, and regularly reviewing programs based on results of program reviews. This committee will be guided by the policies and procedures of the State Board of Education, the Institutions of Higher Learning Board, current NCATE standards, and current research on effective teaching. This committee will report to the Box Council through the chair.

The membership of this committee is comprised of representatives from each department and the Meridian Branch, and the Associate Dean. Members will be appointed by department head with concurrence of the NCATE committee chair. Members must hold the rank of tenure track assistant professor or above. Each program area should be represented. The chair of this committee will be the individual designated as the NCATE Coordinator for the College.