
APPENDIX 1.3:

HIGHLIGHTS OF PRESIDENT'S AND PROVOST'S OFFICES WEB SITE OFFERINGS

The President's and Provosts web pages have become exemplars of governance transparency, which include but are not limited to transparency in area of budget. Beside the customary links to the President's staff, contact information, and Western's Mission Statement, in an easily accessible layout, the President's page also includes:

- A thorough archive of speeches, papers, announcements, letters, e-mail bulletins, and public forum remarks, plus links to downloadable white papers and reports.
- A detailed report on the Presidents Fifteen Initiatives for "Preparing Tomorrow Today." This report can be downloaded or read online.
- Downloadable pdfs of Western's most recent self study and accreditation reports.
- Links to all of Western's administration and governance organizations, such as the Board of Trustees and Faculty Senate. Links to Western's Policies and Procedures web site.
- Audio- and video-casts, everything from budget updates to convocation speeches.
- A page dedicated to the Bellingham's waterfront development initiative, an issue of particularly issues to Western, such as the waterfront development and

The Provost's web page, too, offers easy access to numerous aspects of Western's governance. These include:

- Quick links to the Academic Affairs organization, and to Faculty support and resources.
 - A list of new initiatives, including the issues of sustainability, the role of Extended Education, and the review of the role of Graduate Studies. Available are links, and downloadable pdf files.
 - A page dedicated to Student Learning Assessment, including white papers, FAQs, references, resources, and data.
 - Notes of discussions held in meetings of the Provost's Deans Council are posted regularly.
-