

The UAF Staff Council passed the following motion at its meeting #201, Wednesday, 14 October 2009.

MOTION: (passed unanimously)

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Staff Council moves that the following five themes be adopted to meet the requirements in Standard 1.B of the new accreditation standards (Draft 5.0, Sept. 1, 2009) of the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities:

- **Educate:** Undergraduate and Graduate Students
- **Discover:** Through Research, Scholarship, and Creative Activity with an Emphasis on the North and its Peoples
- **Prepare:** Alaska's Career and Technical Workforce
- **Connect:** Contemporary and Traditional Knowledge and Alaska Native, Rural and Urban Communities
- **Serve:** Alaskans via Lifelong Learning Opportunities, Outreach, and Community Engagement

EFFECTIVE:           Immediately

RATIONALE:           NWCCU requires in Standard 1.B, Core Themes that "the