



January 30, 2023

Mr. Sergey Shepelov
Chief Data, Assessment and Institutional Effectiveness Officer
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Dear Sergey:

Following the recommendation of the review panel, the Executive Committee of the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities' (NWCCU) Board of Commissioners approved the request from Mt. Hood Community College to add a new degree level - Bachelor of Applied Science (BAS) and the new BAS program in Cybersecurity effective 9/19/2023.

No site visit is required as part of this substantive change.

Please submit an Ad Hoc report to address the implementation of the new BAS in Cybersecurity degree by March 1, 2025. The Ad Hoc Report should address how the program is meeting the projected enrollments and identified outcomes in the program proposals. It is also important to address how students are being supported with advising, tutoring, and other student support services at the new degree levels. Please feel free to reach out with any questions.

Thank you for keeping NWCCU apprised of the developments at Mt. Hood!

Sincerely,

Gita Bangera PhD
Senior Vice President

cc: Lisa Skari, President Mt. Hood Community College
Sonny Ramaswamy, President, NWCCU
Mellissa Thoreson, Director of Institutional Evaluation

