Provost Remarks
Board of Trustees
August 7, 2013

HLC reaccreditation is paramount to signifying institutional excellence
• HLC provided an affirmation of our stature in higher education-10y reaccreditation
• Always room for improvement--self identified governance and assessment
• Confirmed by the visiting team and by the HLC governing body

Work with Faculty Senate
• Implement comprehensive assessment and student learning framework
  o Midha as executive dean to lead

Work with University constituent groups
• Implement a consultative decision-making process via the evolution of the University Council
  o Ramsier as vice provost to lead

Leadership Advances
• Reiterated commitment to Pathways for Student Academic Success Strategy
• An accountability framework to student, State and UA
• Will contribute to the completion agenda for the State
• Placement will become the next gold-standard
  o Ahead of the curve with 80% job placement objective
• With student success will come budget stability
  o Everyone has a commitment/obligation to student success