

MSCHE STANDARDS FOR ACCREDITATION



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*Imagine, Create, and
Secure a Stronger Peace...*



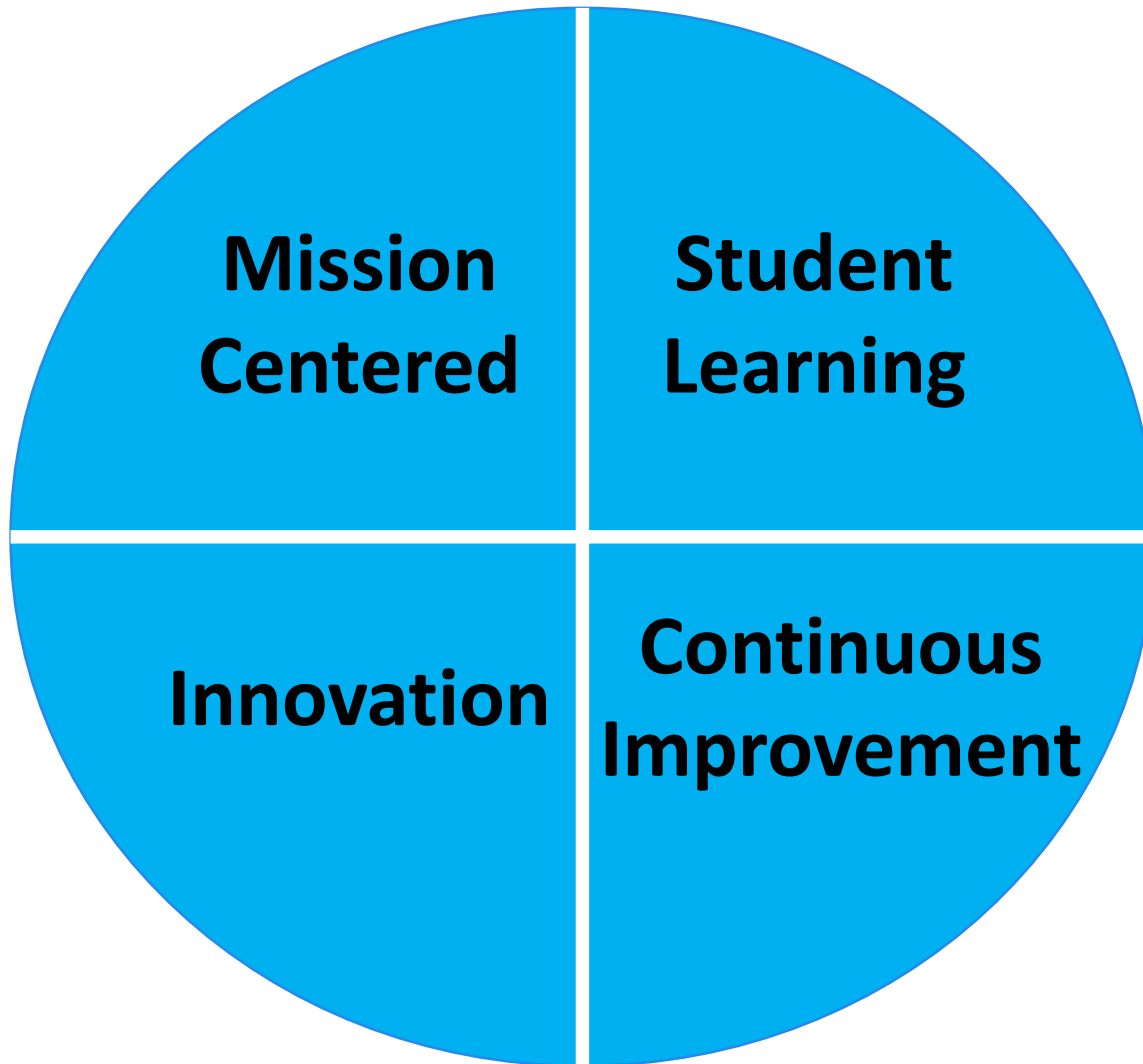
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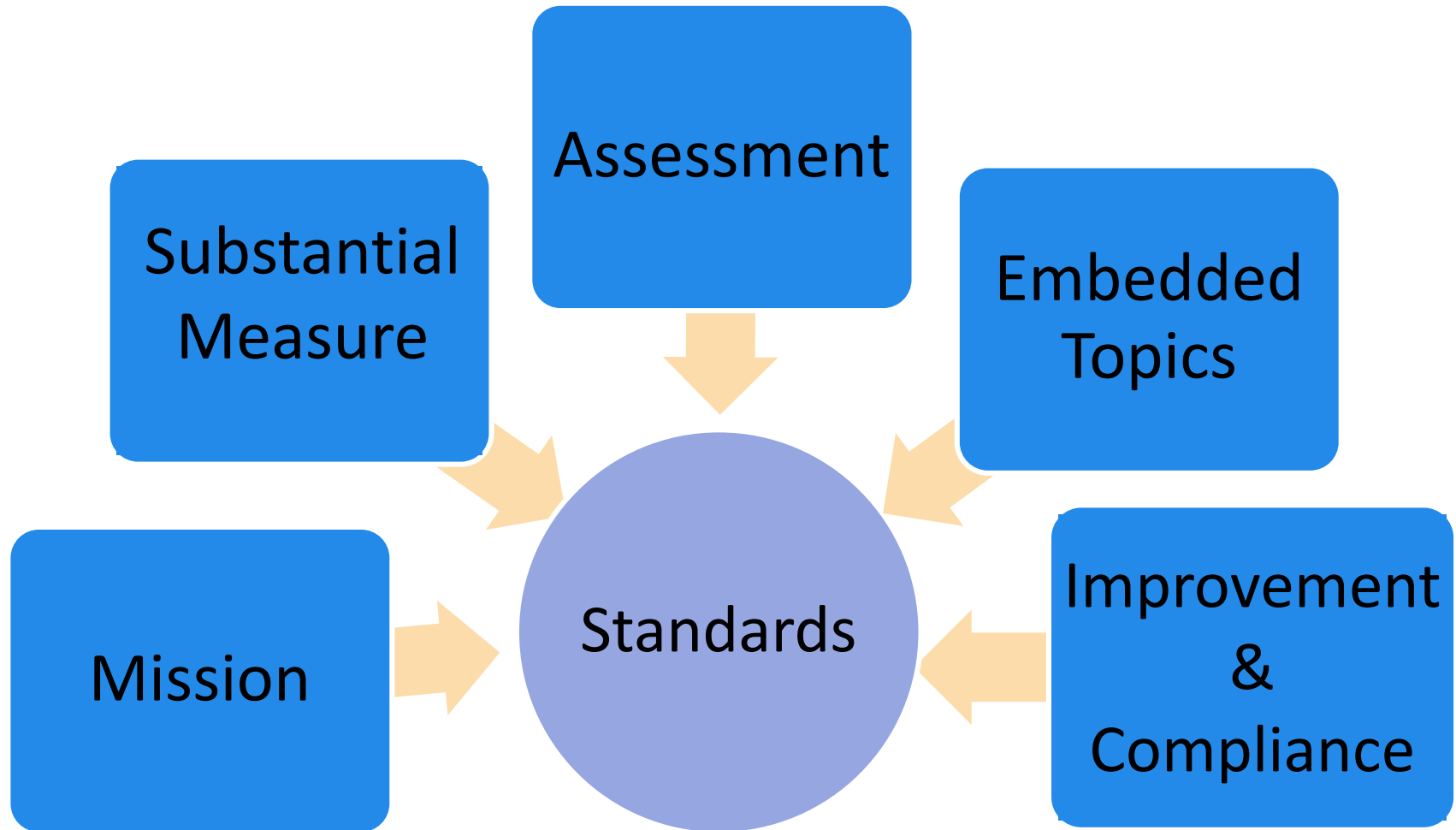


- Mission:
 - National Defense University supports the joint warfighter by providing rigorous Joint Professional Military Education to members of the U.S. Armed Forces and select others to develop leaders who have the ability to operate and creatively think in an unpredictable and complex world.
- Vision:
 - NDU will be the premier national security institution focused on advanced joint education, leader development and scholarship

Middle States Guiding Principles



Key Elements of the Standards



Qualities of an Accredited Institution



An accredited institution of higher education



Has a appropriate **mission** (Standard I),



Lives with **integrity** (standard II),



Delivers an effective **student learning experience** (standard III) and



Supports the overall **student experience**, both inside and outside of the classroom (Standard IV).

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Assesses its own **educational effectiveness** (Standard V),

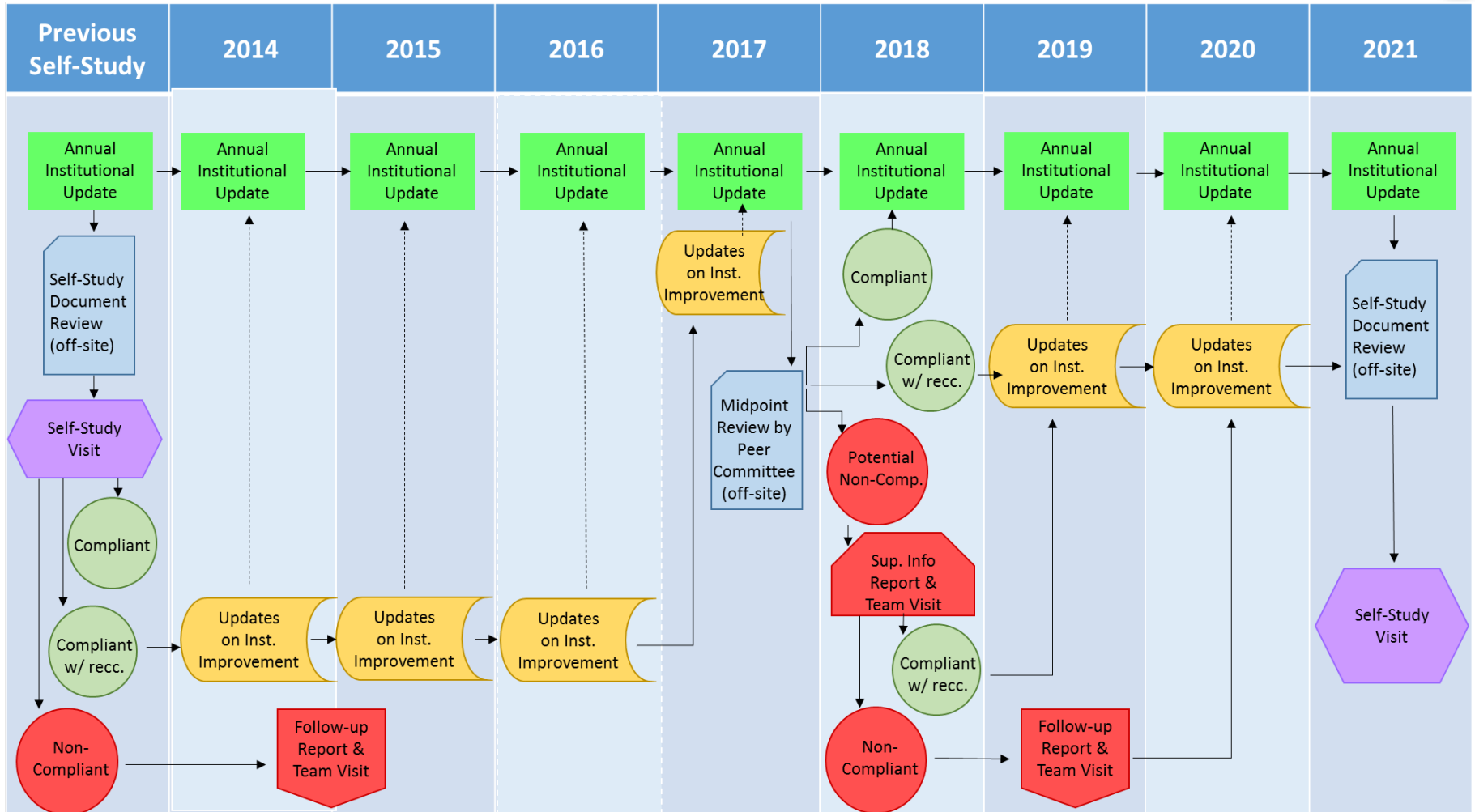


Uses **planning and resources to ensure institutional improvement** (Standard VI) and



Is characterized by effective **governance, leadership, and administration** (Standard VII).

FY14-21 Compliance Cycle



Why Revise?



Instructors

Technology

Students

Costs

Regulatory
Environment

Environment



- A student in 2020 will be a digital native
 - Very familiar with Academic Technology
 - Learning in an information technology environment
 - Comfortable with technology



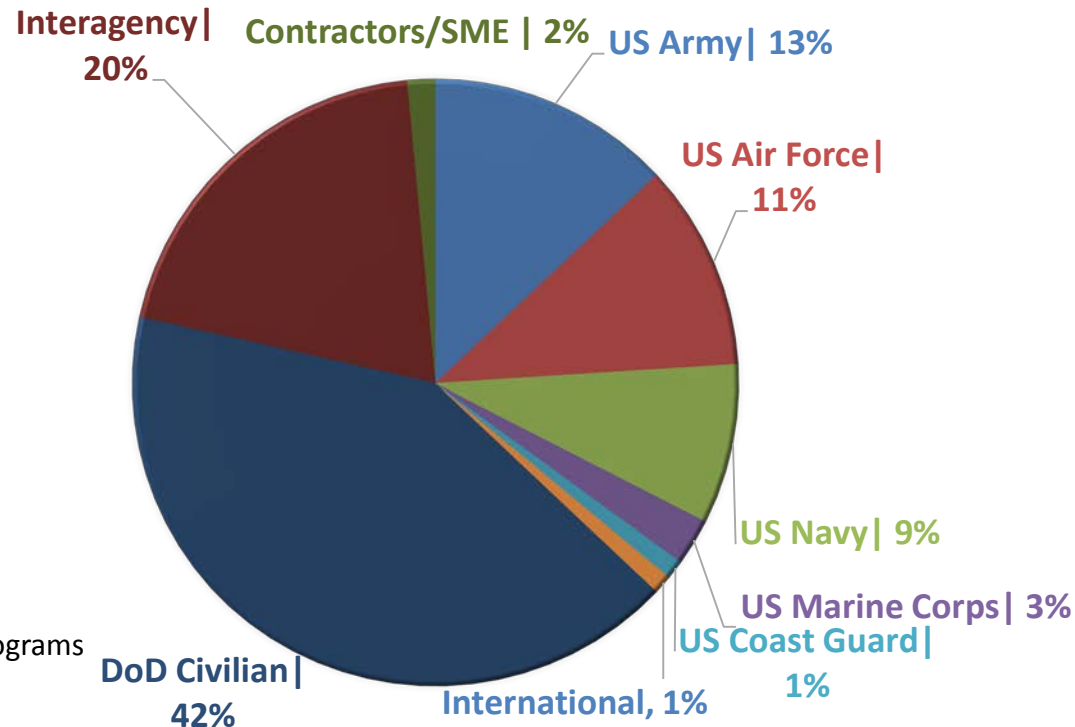
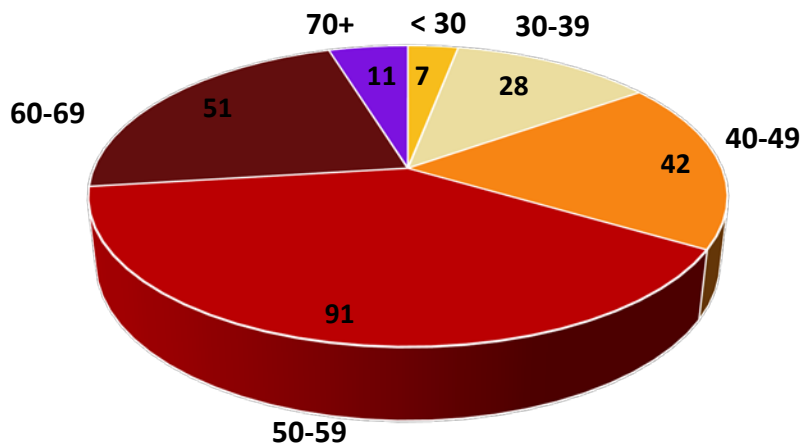
Environment



Faculty will likely have similar composition to today

- More than half the faculty is “borrowed” Military and Interagency
- Is our faculty comprised of “Digital Natives”? 67% over 50 years old
- NDU will need to move forward with Academic Technology

NDU Federal Civilian Faculty by Age



*Includes only faculty who teach in JPME II Master's Degree programs



QUESTIONS?