

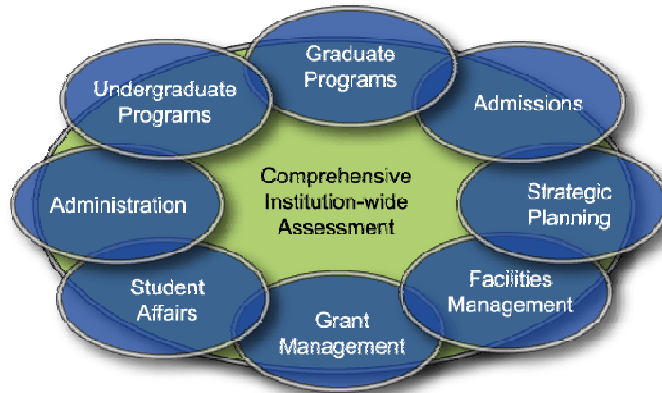
Enterprise Quality Audit Management

How does your institution manage Quality Audits? Are you manually collecting and managing all required data and information? Are these efforts coordinated across the institution? Does your institution need help with Quality Audits? Are annual reports the fastest way to deliver updates on open issues? Are your accrediting agencies satisfied with the processes you have in place to track the quality of your outcomes?

“TracDat provides us with an excellent software package to manage our strategic planning and Quality Audit processes.”

*Elizabeth Rehm Wachtel, Ph.D.
Associate VP for University Programs
Stacey Street, Assessment and
Strategic Planning Coordinator
Eastern Kentucky University*

At S1, we believe that institutions need an enterprise-wide solution that is capable of helping manage the entire Quality Audit process, across the system, institution and also at the department and individual level. TracDat, the leading Quality Audit management solution from Nuventive, is the only complete process application for managing continuous improvement throughout higher education institutions.



TracDat supports the entire institution, not just a single department

Nuventive developed TracDat as a complete solution to help eliminate the traditional chaotic, last minute approach to institutional Quality Audits. For the first time, Quality Audits can become a manageable ongoing process within the institution. With TracDat, you have enterprise-wide visibility into progress toward targeted improvement activities, enabling you to see which areas are doing well and which require assistance or focus.

TracDat Benefits:

- ✓ Systematic approach establishes common understanding and language
- ✓ Define and align goals among all levels of the institution
- ✓ Document how results are used to improve programs & learning – a key factor in accreditation
- ✓ Develop, review and revise Quality Audit plan from any Web browser
- ✓ Easy access to supporting data & evidence
- ✓ Embraced by faculty
- ✓ Robust reporting – real time visibility and documentation
- ✓ Data stored in a single location for security and accessibility

Dynamic Information Access and Reporting

“The most frequent comment from faculty regarding the adoption of TracDat... ‘Why didn’t we have this sooner?’”

*Katharine E. Cummings, Ph.D.
Associate Dean, College of Education
Western Michigan University*

Information about the Quality Audit process can be made available to the right people at the right time. All important documents and Web links are easily located within TracDat, a web-based solution hosted on your site.

Pre-formatted reports are dynamically available at any time without a disruption to teaching or other ongoing duties. With the increasing need to

share plans and reports electronically, TracDat replaces the old paper systems that are quickly becoming unmanageable. No more creating single manual reports that are used once and forgotten. Planning and auditing become a dynamic process. Learning evidence and results are stored and easily retrieved.



"We are finding TracDat an excellent tool in keeping auditing a dynamic process, versus documents that sit in file drawers."

Gail Jensen, PT, Ph.D., FAPTA
Associate Dean for Faculty Development & Assessment
School of Pharmacy & Health Professions
Creighton University

The Right Information

There are many data points in the auditing of course outcomes: samples of learning evidence from portfolios; results of student surveys and others; standardised testing; job reports; qualitative measures; etc. TracDat helps you track the utilisation of many types of data for course improvement and then enables you to consistently follow up to ensure that the course changes you've made have had the intended effect. You propose strategies or action plans sequentially or simultaneously and have real-time visibility into progress.



TracDat and iWebfolio for a Comprehensive Quality Audit Solution

Comprehensive auditing also requires the incorporation of a broad range of evidence of student achievement. That's why Nuventive has tightly integrated TracDat with iWebfolio, our leading electronic portfolio system that helps courses, departments and other units by providing data such as work samples, reflections and other student learning evidence. With iWebfolio, students learn more effectively and are better able to document this progress to third parties.

Strategic Planning and Goal Alignment

Now is the time to find a solution for managing your strategic planning process. TracDat can help here too by providing a structure and process definition to your strategic planning initiative. You will now be able to measure ongoing progress toward achieving your goals and make adjustments when appropriate.

Has your organisation aligned its goals? Can you demonstrate how learning outcomes support your mission? How do your department's objectives support your school/college/division goals? Which courses support departmental objectives? Which aspects of the campus support specific components of your mission? With TracDat it is easy to drive institution-wide alignment. You can see the contributions of each area in support of institution, unit, department and government accrediting agency goals and objectives.

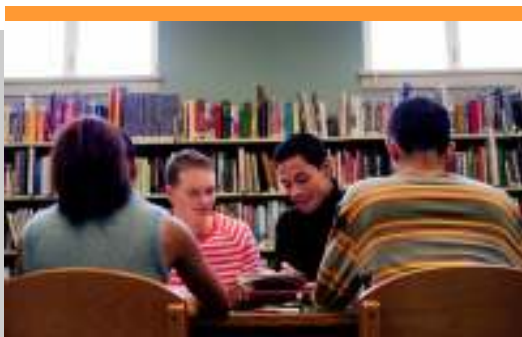
TracDat Enables:

- ✓ Visibility
- ✓ Accountability
- ✓ Goal alignment
- ✓ Enterprise-wide process
- ✓ Real time adjustment
- ✓ Dynamic reporting

Our Experienced Staff Helps Ensure Your Success

Establishing a culture of Quality Auditing within an institution requires process and commitment. Our experienced professional services staff have helped many colleges and universities define and implement highly successful continuous improvement strategies and they are ready to help you.

TracDat is the most innovative and comprehensive solution for the process of institutional planning and auditing. Your entire institution will benefit from a structured, non-prescriptive approach that maximizes results from the audit cycle and provides a framework for continuous improvement. Call S1 today to see how we can help.



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